

AMHERST COUNTY PARKS, RECREATION AND
CULTURAL DEVELOPMENT
BOARD MEETING
April 9, 2018

The Amherst County Parks, Recreation & Cultural Development Board held its monthly meeting on April 9, 2018 at 6:30PM at Monroe Community Center.

The following members were present: John Mann, Roni Tuggle, Christy Kreuziger, JoJo Allcock and Stevie Angus. Also in attendance was Sara Lu Christian

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Stevie Angus.

Roni made a motion to approve the agenda, Christy seconded the motion. Motion carried

JoJo made a motion to approve February minutes, Christy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Sara Lu reported that the Eagle Scout project as presented at last month's meeting was deferred to the Public Works department.

The Board reviewed the senior social calendar and reports, and bingo reports. Today was the first Social for Seniors for the 2018 calendar year and held at the Madison Heights Community Center. There were roughly 175 seniors in attendance.

The Board also reviewed the community centers calendar, and theme park and night fishing license reports.

The Amherst County Fair day is August 16-19. The Board members made note of this in their calendars for working this event during that period of time.

The Board discussed the "no permitting" practice for the county lakes. Sara Lu presented the Board with a copy of the DGIF ordinance which states that tournaments where awards are offered are not permitted on DGIF owned lakes. Further discussion on this topic will be on the May meeting's agenda.

The Board reviewed the activities and events that took place in February and March. Eggstravaganza,

The Board made note of the upcoming events:

- Amherst County Dixie Girls Softball opening ceremony - April 14th
- Madison Heights Dixie Youth Baseball opening ceremony - April 21st
- Piney River Triathlon - April 14th
- Amherst County Batteau Day - June 9th

Sara Lu reported that the Monacan Indian Office, as well as the Village Garden Club are investigating the possibility of moving into the Monroe Community Center.

Recent wind storms have caused damage to the playground equipment at Thrashers Lake Park. The matter is currently in the hands of the insurance company.

Sara Lu raised the subject of installing a Virginia is for Lovers "LOVE" sign at Riveredge Park. Christy expressed concern over this. The matter will be discussed at the next Board meeting.

Sara Lu reported on the condition of the picnic tables at the county lakes. These tables are over 30 years old, are worn and weathered, and should be replaced. The matter is going to the Board of Supervisors for direction.

The next meeting of the ACPRCD Board will take place on Monday, May 14th, at 6:30PM at Monacan Park.

There being no further business, John made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Stevie seconded the motion. Motion carried.

5-29-18
Date

Stevie L. Angin
Chairman

Jayne B. Auerck
Secretary