

# **Belmont Recreation Commission**

## **Minutes of Meeting of November 21, 2005**

### Attendance:

MaryAnn Johnson  
Noreen Millane  
Daniel MacAuley

Kathleen Ruane  
Stephanie King  
Robert Delhome

Peter Pomponi  
Tim Allen

7:05 Meeting Called to Order

The Belmont Youth Wrestling group attended the meeting. They would like to utilize the Upper Gym at Belmont High School on Tuesday and Thursday evenings for practice. The Director will check with the High School A.D. and the BYBA officials to see if this request can be accommodated.

Tomi Olson attended the meeting and gave a report on the 2005 season of the Payson Park Music Festival. She also outlined plans for the 2006 season.

Susan Weiner attended and gave an update on the entire special needs program. Her request to consider adding Bocci courts in Belmont was well received, with Town Field and Pequossette Playground mentioned as possible sites.

The Director gave an update on all current programs. An update on the skating rink was also discussed. The rink is set to open for the 2005-06 season on November 22<sup>nd</sup> following major repairs. An increase in the number of advertisers at the rink will offset a portion of the lost rental revenue from the later than usual opening.

The specifics of the rink snack bar invitation to bid were discussed. The minimum bid totals were agreed upon and will be included in the ad to bid for the re-opening this season.

A review and discussion on the new forms for the Nashoba Ski program was held.

The Director provided a financial update on the revenue total for the fiscal year through 4 months and also on the fiscal 2007 budget.

Dan MacAuley said that he received an estimate for a major improvement to the skating rink that was considerably less than anticipated. A discussion on a possible fund raiser for the rink then followed.

8:57 p.m. Meeting Adjourned