

# Dog Park Meeting Notes

January 9, 2020

Members Present: Bob Kelley, Ann Kelley, Carol Piper, Cindy Fort, Patty Beckwith, Mark Linton, Julie Elwell.

Others Present: Kerry Kwevurski, Laura Smith, Ann Edwards, Derek Edwards

**6:30 pm:** Cindy opened the meeting.

**Plans for 2020:** We have approx \$8,000 in the Dog Park Fund. Maryann Tetreault has continued to donate to the park from her earnings as Delinquent Tax Collector. This usually covers the electric bill. Different fund raising ideas were discussed. A BBQ and a bake sale were among the most popular ideas.

**Clean Up Day:** Old leaves, etc... will need to be cleaned up this spring. It was decided to hire it out. Bob will check with Tony Roberge, Total Property Management. More mulch is needed this year, we will see if Columbia Forest will donate it again this year and if John Gobeil will deliver it. June 6<sup>th</sup> was set as mulch spreading day with June 7<sup>th</sup> as a rain date.

**Security Issues:** There have been 2 silver cars sitting there for 3 hours at a time, usually between 10:00 – 2:00. Because they don't have dogs it makes people nervous. People are bring their trash and dumping it in the trash barrel, we need to find out who is doing it and get them to stop. Bob mentioned that the Town does have a trash ordinance and it is a \$500 fine. Derek will get a couple of game cameras and install them. Derek volunteered to pay for one and the Dog Park will pay for the other.

**Committee Members:** It was unanimously decided to ask the Selectboard to appoint Kerry Kwevurski, Laura Smith, Ann Edwards, and Derek Edwards to the Dog Park Committee and to remove Kylie Lamothe and Amy Wan. Cindy would like to step down as chair and Ann Edwards was nominated to take over.

**Memorial Wall:** We need to start promoting the Memorial Wall. Laura will design an ordering form. Cindy & Patty ordered the first plaque for Macaroni 3/10/2008 – 8/3/2018, Bob will get it processed.

**Report for Town Report:** Kerry Kwevurski volunteered to write it.

**Other Business:** None.

**Adjournment:** The next meeting will be Thursday April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm.