



Tea Park & Recreation Board

Wednesday, February 15, 2023 at 6:30 pm

Board Members: Curt Hauff (vice chairman), Vicki Pick, John Ganschow, Jeff Portner, & Hallie Munoz. Chaired by Brian Headrick

Tea City Hall, 600 E. 1st St., Tea, SD 57064

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. APPROVE THE AGENDA AS PRINTED

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____ to approve the agenda as printed. Vote:

3. APPROVE THE PARK AND RECREATION BOARD MINUTES

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____ to approve the Park and Recreation Board minutes on the January 17, 2023 regular meeting. Vote:

4. PUBLIC SPEAKING (5 Minute Limit)

5. RECREATION REPORT

- a. Committee Reports
- b. [Spring Soccer Update](#)
- c. [Volleyball Skills Camp Update](#)
- d. [Adult Pickleball League Update](#)
- e. Softball & Baseball Update
- [Site Director for Baseball and Softball Games](#)
- f. Rosters for youth programs
- g. Registration Discounts
- h. Update on A Matter of Balance of class (Sanford Health)

6. OTHER BUSINESS/QUESTIONS

- a. [Have a shuttle bus to bring older kids to Wild Water West](#)
- b. [Add Pickleball lines on the Tennis Courts](#) – Looking to add 1 pickleball per tennis court.
- May be nice to put these at the tennis courts so we don't have to worry about nets. It may also be a good idea to add a sign for designated pickleball and tennis ball playing dates.
- c. [Tea Parks and Recreation Banner](#) – Can be used for adult league champions, flag football champions, or just a recreation program.

7. ADJOURNMENT

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____ to set Wednesday, March 15 at 6:30 P.M. as the date for the next regular meeting of the Tea Park and Recreation Board and adjourn this session at _____ P.M. Vote:



Tea Park & Recreation Board Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, January 17, 2023 at 6:30 pm

The regular meeting of the Tea Park and Recreation Board was held on January 17, 2023 at 6:30pm at Tea City Hall. Board members present were: Curt Hauff, Vicki Pick, and John Ganschow. Chaired by Brian Headrick. Also present: Jake Kerr

-Motion made by Pick and Seconded by Hauff to approve the current agenda as printed. Ayes, all in favor. Motion carried.

-Motion made by Ganschow Seconded by Pick to approve the December 14, 2022 Tea Park and Recreation Board Minutes. Ayes, all in favor. Motion carried.

RECREATION REPORT

-Pick brought to the board attention that she has been contacted about possibly hosting a Stay Active and Independent for Life and a Matter of Balance class to Tea. Pick said the person in charge will get in contact with Kerr.

- Curt provided an update on Spring Soccer. Kerr let the board know that they currently have 119 total in registrations at this point.

- Ganschow gave an update on Softball. He let the board know there may be some small conflicts with Tea now having a softball program, which they'll be using a field for practices and games. John said he'll set up meeting with himself, Kerr, and Emmie (Head Coach for Tea Titans Softball Coach)

- Motion by Ganschow Seconded by Hauff to approve the Volunteer Coaching Eligibility Rules. Ayes, all in favor. Motion Carried

- Kerr provided that he has the sponsor letter updated for this year. He will work on getting that information out to the Tea Community Businesses.

- Kerr provided adult league information for Co-Ed Volleyball (fall) & Men's Basketball League (winter).

OTHER BUSINESS/QUESTIONS

- Kerr provided an update on having a shuttle bus to bring older kids to Wild Water West.

Motion by Pick seconded by Ganschow to set Wednesday, February 15, 2023 at 6:30pm for the next regular meeting of the Tea Park and Recreation Board and adjourn this session at 8:10 P.M.. Ayes, all in favor. Motion carried

Jacob Kerr
Tea Park & Recreation Director



VOLUNTEER COACHING ELIGIBILITY

1. No individual shall be denied the right to submit an application for volunteer service with youth for any open position. However, Tea Parks and Recreation has the right and responsibility to select candidates it feels are the best qualified.
2. Anyone may complete the Volunteer Coach Application at the beginning of the registration period for that sport to be a possible volunteer coach.
3. All potential coaches must pass the National Center for Safety Initiatives, LLC criminal background check prior to being considered as a coach for a team. Background checks are conducted at least once per year. Tea Parks and Recreation reserves the right to conduct random background checks on volunteers during the athletic season.

Tea Parks and Recreation will observe the following policy in selecting coaches for each sport. Tea Parks and Recreation reserves the right to select coaches based off of previous actions/complaints that were documented on a coach for any previous year. The number of coaches selected by Tea Parks and Recreation shall be based on the number of registrants. Only coaches in good standing shall be considered for coaching positions.

Guidelines for selecting coaches are as follows:

- i. A returning head coach from the previous season in that same age division shall be considered first;
- i. An assistant coach who desires to become a head coach that coached in that same age division the previous year is next;
- i. A returning head coach from a different age division shall be considered next for selection;
- i. A returning assistant coach from a different age division shall be considered next;
- i. A new coach or one that has not coached for at least one (1) year will be considered next.

Tea Park and Recreation Board Approved this at the Tuesday, January 2023 Meeting