



**PARKS and RECREATION COMMISSION**  
**MEETING MINUTES**

<b>MEETING DATE: 7/5/2016</b>		<b>MEETING LOCATION: Armory</b>	
<b>CALL TO ORDER:</b>	By: Patricia Fairchild		Time: 5:00 PM
<b>ROLL CALL:</b>	Members Present: Patricia Fairchild, Jim Pescatore, Fran Ducotey, Gerry Carbone, Brett Simmons. Dan Lovallo was absent.		
<b>PREVIOUS MINUTES APPROVAL:</b>	Minutes of (Date): June 1, 2016		
	Corrections: None		
	Motion to Approve by: Gerry Carbone		
	Second by: Fran Ducotey Approved unanimously.		
<b>CORRESPONDENCE:</b>	None		
<b>CITIZEN'S COMMENTS:</b>	Name, Address, Comments: None		
<b>COMMITTEE UPDATES:</b>	<p><b>Request for Coe Memorial Park:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Arnold Goldstein from the Probus Club for a Probus Club/Larc Auction on October 16, 2016 from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. A motion to approve by Jim Pescatore and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Fran Ducotey. Approved unanimously.</li> <li>Greg Wityak from the Torrington Police Union for a Blood Drive on August 29, 2016 from 11:45 AM to 7:00 PM. A motion to approve by Fran Ducotey and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Gerry Carbone. Approved unanimously.</li> </ul> <p><b>Request for Alvord Park:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Scott Murelli from Torrington Youth Soccer for Fall Soccer from September 1, 2016 to November 30, 2016. A motion to approve by Gerry Carbone and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jim Pescatore. Approved unanimously.</li> </ul>		
- <b>Facility Use (Facility Requests)</b>			
- <b>Programs - (Updates)</b>	The Playground Program is going well. 52 children are enrolled. The pool and swimming, golf, and tennis lessons are going well also. The NW Idol 1 <sup>st</sup> semifinals reduced the contestants from 18 to 14 and the 2 <sup>nd</sup> semifinal reduced them from 14 to 10. The finals will be at the Warner Theater August 13, 2016. Fuse Fest will be August 20, 2016 from 2:00 PM to 10:00 PM.		
- <b>Sports (Updates)</b>	Basketball is going well. There have been many issues with Men's and Women's softball.		
- <b>Capital / Budget</b>	Working on new budgets. New projects will start in the fall. Doors and windows close to being installed at the Coe Memorial Park Carriage House. Borzani Park basketball court painting is complete.		
- <b>Facility Operations (Updates)</b>	Mowing and lining the fields. Besse Pool House floor painting is complete. Gazebo for Ruwet Park coming soon. The cost of the gazebo will be paid for from funds collected by a fundraiser.		
- <b>Coe Memorial Park (Updates)</b>	No Minutes received prior to meeting.		
- <b>Coe Memorial Park (Meeting Motions)</b>	No Motion Form received.		
<b>OLD BUSINESS:</b>	Nothing		

<b>NEW BUSINESS:</b>	Gerry Carbone has heard a lot of positive comments about Coe Park, also said Borzani looks great. Any possibility of getting a splash pad at the pool.
<b>OTHER BUSINESS:</b>	Nothing
<b>ADJOURNMENT:</b>	Motion By: Jim Pescatore  Second By: Fran Ducotey  Time: 5:45 PM
<b>MINUTES SUBMITTED BY:</b>	Jim Pescatore