



THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BONFIELD
Minutes of the Recreation & Fitness Committee Meeting
June 9th, 2025 at 5:00 pm

PRESENT: Steve Featherstone, Chair
Dan MacInnis, Vice Chair

Sheena Whalen
Holly Brodhagen

ABSENT: Sylvie Lamothe

STAFF: Casandra Klooster, Secretary

Pecuniary Interest: Steve Featherstone declared an pecuniary interest with item 6.a Bonfield Summer Camp.

1. Call to order

Moved by Dan MacInnis

Seconded by Holly Brodhagen

THAT the Recreation & Fitness Committee Meeting be opened at 5:02 p.m.

Steve Featherstone, Chair

2. Adoption of the Agenda

Moved by Sheena Whalen

Seconded by Holly Brodhagen

THAT the draft agenda dated the 9th day of June, 2025 be adopted as prepared.

Steve Featherstone, Chair

3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest and General Nature Thereof

None for this session

4. Adoption of Previous Minutes

Moved by Holly Brodhagen

Seconded by Dan MacInnis

THAT the Minutes of the Recreation & Fitness Committee of May 5th, 2025 be adopted as circulated.

Steve Featherstone, Chair

5. Presentations and Delegations

None for this session

6. Staff Reports

- a. Summer Camp Financial Review

Steve Featherstone excused himself as Chair, Dan MacInnis took over as chair. Steve Featherstone participated as the owner of Reptile Camp.

Moved by Holly Brodhagen
Seconded by Sheena Whalen

THAT the Recreation & Fitness Committee accepts the Bonfield Summer Camp Financial Review report AND that the Recreation & Fitness Committee recommends to Council that the Bonfield Summer Camp operate on July 14th to 18th, and August 10th to 15th, based on available resources, community interest, and program sustainability.

Dan MacInnis, Vice Chair

7. Items for Committee Discussion

a. Canada Day

The Committee discussed the upcoming Canada Day 2025 event.

- The Bonfield Lions Club will put on their Duck Race at 4:30p.m
- Children's games and activities will be coordinated by Sarah Dickout, who will also recruit additional volunteers.
- Disc golf games will be offered by Mike McCubbin of Silvermede Disc Golf, the games will be conducted by Marci Dewey and Gordon Young.
- Live music will be provided by Dual Play 5:00–7:00 p.m. and Shawn Sasyniuk 7:00–9:00 p.m.
- Children's entertainment will include Christophe the Magician, performing from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m
- The Rockin' Horse Riding Association will do the Canteen.

b. Halloween Parade

The Committee discussed the Halloween Parade scheduled for Saturday October 25th 2025.

- A donation letter was given to Committee members to start collecting donations towards the parade.

c. Vulnerable Sector Check

Moved by Sheena Whalen
Seconded by Dan MacInnis

THAT the Recreation and Fitness Committee recommends to Council that a Vulnerable Sector Check be considered valid for 2 year(s).

8. Motions to be Considered for Adoption

None for this session

9. Correspondence

None for this session.

10. Adjournment

Moved by Dan MacInnis
Seconded by Holly Brodhagen

THAT the Recreation & Fitness Committee Meeting be adjourned at 5:39 p.m.

Steve Featherstone, Chair

CHAIR

SECRETARY