

City of Colville  
Park & Recreation Board Meeting  
Monday, August 21, 2017  
Council Chambers- 5:30pm

Meeting called to order by Danny Todd, Chair at 5:33pm.

Members present: Danny Todd, Dean Fischer, Matt Schanz, Brian Cecil, and Sharon Ketchum

Members Absent: Zach Ross & Scotty Stalp

Staff Members Present: Recreation Coordinator Jillian Marshall, Park & Recreation Secretary Amanda Hallam, Council Member Mike Birch, Council Member Mallory Conner

New Business:

- The arch at the entrance of the park was destroyed

Jill stated that the arch was knocked down about a month ago. Jill stated that we need to figure out a plan on what to do and she also stated that since the arch was destroyed that we have had a lot more traffic thinking that it is a road and driving into the park. Matt suggested that we get ahold of Jerry Mackellar who does metal work and see if he would be interested in designing and making the arch.

Do we want to put it back where it was or move it? Matt thinks that it should be put back where it was. Jill stated that she was thinking about moving it out so it could be visible from the road. Danny and Matt stated that they think it would be odd because you would turn and it would be the parking lot not the park itself. It was in agreement that the arch be put back where it was originally. Matt made a motion that the park and recreation board make a suggestion to city council that the arch be rebuilt in the same location and about the same design potentially using local artisans and contractors for the archway. Dean also suggested that we have the rock work be the same as the pavilion. Dean seconded. All were in favor. The motion passed.

Mallory suggested that when they bring it to council to have some of the specific ideas.

- Update on master plan from Jill

Jill stated that the mayor has done a very rough outline of the master plan. Jill has sat down with the mayor and City Planner RJ Keetch.

- Update on Colville Mt from Jill/Danny

Danny stated that the main loop is in and it is hike able and bike able and that no work has been done this summer because of how hot it is. Danny also stated that there is talk about adding to the trail. Danny stated that they want to build a trail so you don't have to take the road so long into the trail. Mike asked Danny when they plan on starting back up, Danny stated that when it is cooler and gets a

little moisture then they will be back up on the mountain doing work. Jill stated that in the next week or two she will be going up on the mountain with councilmember Bill Pifer to put up no motorized signs.

Action Items:

- Ideas of what to do for a new arch at the entrance of the park

This was discussed above.

Old Business:

- Park update- Amanda

Amanda stated that the gilbert shelter is done and we are taking reservations for it. Amanda also stated that Rendezvous seemed to go off without a hitch, also Habitat for Humanity did a Day in the park. Danny stated that he took his daughter and it was a successful event.

- Recreation/Pool update- Jillian

Jill stated that the splash pad is done and in. Mike Birch asked if the splash pad will be closed at the same time as the pool and Jill stated that it will run from Memorial Day to Labor Day. Danny asked if it reuses the same water. Jill stated that no it does not. Jill stated that soccer season is happening right now.

There was discussion about the pool filtration system.

- What Next? What to bring to the table for the next meeting

Danny moved to adjourn the meeting and Sharon seconded. Motion passed.

**Meeting was adjourned at 6:22pm**