

# **North Yarmouth Parks Committee**

Tuesday, April 4th, 2023      at      6:00 PM      at Wescustogo Community Center

## **Agenda**

I - Call to Order

II – Announcements

III - Approval of Minutes

IV - Financial Report. Format of info provided to P&R

V - Public Comment

VI - New Business

    Select Board's Standard of Conduct Policy

    Committee Member appointment periods and ongoing interest in serving

VII - Old Business and Updates

    Developing an annual and multi-year calendar

    Parks Ordinance Update

## **Highlights**

    Baston Park dredging, permitting etc. update and future direction

    Chandler Brook Management Plan. Acceptance and future

    Notices for kiosks, website and Facebook page about reporting damage and dangers including posting of messages, notices etc. on kiosks

    Financial: Budget and Monthly Accounting. Operating and Reserve budgets

    ALL PARKS – Bicycles (mountain, motorized, etc.) in the parks

        Sign refurbishing, replacement and additions

        Kiosks, laminated signs

        Regulations and posting of signs

        Birds and habitat

        River Bank Erosion

        Other Recurring items and updates

        History of the Parks and Forests CB, EHTF, WP

        Communications: Facebook Page, Review, All Trails etc.

        Invasives: Work plan with Paul Larrivee, Clark Baston and Eric Grove

        Trail Work

        Trail Maps on Website

- Dog waste, bags and receptacles
- Emails forwarding and received
- Metal detector prospecting
- Bird House Monitoring and maintenance. Volunteers
- BP - Yarmouth Dam Removal. Water Depth.
- DEP dredging and launch application process
- CB - Recreation Management Plan acceptance
  - Future changes and annual review
  - South Field. Signs for next year
    - Natural History signage
    - Maintain Trail by brook
  - North Field. Signs
    - Natural History
    - Shrubland Habitat plan. Field and habitat maintenance.
    - New trail northwest of trail past barn to North Field
    - Trail Work
    - Tree Marking
    - Tree Removal
  - Natural History info for Kiosk
  - Trail labeling
  - Trail Map
- EHTF - Invasives
  - Trail Management
  - Land Survey
- OTHP - Invasives Proposal, contract and work
  - Poison Ivy
  - Old Town House site landscaping
- Wescustogo – PWD sludge spreading, sign, postings
- Sam Ristich Trail - Story Walk, Natural History and Trail education.
  - Survey
  - Trails and obstructions

Knight's Pond – Update

Royal River:

Communications Channels Status Report

Town Newsletter Next Issue

VIII - Round Robbin

IX - Next Meeting: Wednesday, 6 P.M., May 3rd, 2023

X - Future Agenda Items - Next Meeting and Subsequent meetings

XI – Adjournment