

## MINUTES

Township of Nipissing Recreation Committee  
October 2, 2023

A meeting of the Township of Nipissing Recreation Committee was held on Monday, October 2, 2023 starting at 6:30 p.m.

The meeting was held in person at the Township of Nipissing Community Centre, and livestreamed to the Township of Nipissing YouTube Channel.

**Present:** Mayor Tom Piper; Councillor Shelly Foote; Kathy Shaw; Terri Reidt; Lauren Stillar; and Ron Phillips.

**Staff:** Administrative Assistant – Deputy Clerk Kristin Linklater, Secretary to the Board. Will Bateman, Fire Chief, CEMC, Municipal By-law Officer.

**Absent:** Andrew Barry; James Scott; Terrilynn Paynter and Margaret Hughes.

Disclosure of pecuniary interest: None.

### MOTION NUMBER 2023-26

**Moved by: Tom Piper    Seconded by: Terri Reidt**

That we accept the Minutes from September 11, 2023. **Carried.**

### Discussion:

a) Bottle Drive:

- \$ 183.70 Collected from Wolfe Lake Landfill.
- \$ 124.80 Collected from Bear Creek Landfill.

b) Trunk Sale:

- Inquires about holding a Trunk Sale in the Spring. (May)
- Feedback – well organized.
- 16 Vendors present.
- Next year to hold it in the soccer field, for more room.
- Commanda also had a yard sale that day, there were 16 vendors inside and outside, great attendance.

c) Teen Dance:

- DJ is booked for event.
- October 14, 2023, 7-10 p.m.
- Set up at 6 p.m. ready for 7 p.m.
- With school back in, the attendance should be up.

d) Chili Cook Off:

- Open the invitation to EMS and other agencies.
- Plaque with names on for return.
- Small Trophy to take home.
- Powassan Voodoo's will come to the Chili Cook Off Night.
- Chili Cook Off Poster to be edited.

e) Halloween:

- Pre-Bag Candy
  - Need Volunteers, for handing out candy, decorating and clean up.
  - Suggested date of October 29<sup>th</sup> for bagging candy.
  - Scotia Bank donated 120 bags for Halloween.
  - Halloween Coloring Contest for a prize.
  - Age groups (4 and under) (5-9) (9-12)
  - Coloring contest sheets will be drop off at Station 1 and Station 2 (Fire Halls) on October 31, 2023. Judging will take place at the next Council Meeting.
  - Coloring Contest to be posted to social media as well as dropped off at the school, and will be made accessible to all.
- f) Rink Shack/Rec Shed Clean Out:
- October 29, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.
  - Social Media Post to claim lost and found items. Items not claimed will be donated.
- g) Budget Update:
- No questions on budget update provided.
- h) 2024 Event and Budget:
- Events – what events would you like to see happen in 2024.
  - Who’s leading events.
  - Provide and set event dates.
  - How much it will cost for each event. (rough budget)

**MOTION NUMBER 2023-27**

**Moved by: Tom Piper    Seconded by: Terri Reidt**

To approve the Purchase of Halloween Candy. **Carried.**

**Commanda Community Update:**

- Yard Sale and Fall Dance was held September 23, 2023 was well received.
- Bizarre and Bake Sale to be held November 26, 2023.
- Childrens Party and Community Dinner to be held December 10, 2023.

**MOTION NUMBER 2023-28**

**Moved by: Tom Piper    Seconded by: Terri Reidt**

That the Meeting is hereby adjourned at 7:16 p.m. Next Meeting to be held November 6, 2023.

**Carried.**

Chairperson:

Secretary:

Minutes prepared as per Section 228 (1)(a) of the Municipal Act, S.O. 2001, c. 25.

Clerk to record, without note or comment, all resolutions, decisions and other proceedings of the council.

Minutes to be approved by the Board at the next scheduled Board Meeting.