

MINUTES

Township of Nipissing Recreation Committee
May 12, 2025

A meeting of the Township of Nipissing Recreation Committee was held on Monday, May 12, 2025 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: Councillor Lisa Chalapenko, Councillor Shelly Foote, Calista Bateman, Julie Mahoney, Kirsty Vandermeulen and Kathy Shaw

Staff: Will Bateman, Fire Chief, CEMC, Municipal By-law Officer and Kristin Linklater Deputy Clerk, Administrative Assistant, Secretary.

Regrets: Marg Hughes, Andrew Barry.

Absent: Tom Piper, Kassie Mulder.

Disclosure of pecuniary interest: None

MOTION NUMBER 2025-14

Moved by: Julie Mahoney

Seconded by: Shelly Foote

THAT the Minutes of the March 3, 2025 Recreation Committee Meeting are approved as circulated. **Carried.**

Discussion:

- a) Bottle Drive: Total collection \$707.10
 - \$81.80 from Wolfe Lake
 - \$277.90 from Bear Creek
 - \$166.60 from Wolfe Lake
 - \$180.80 from Bear Creek

Thank you to everyone who came out to assist with the collection.

- b) Spaghetti Dinner – Wrap Up
 - Total costs for Spaghetti Dinner was \$773.70
 - Total revenue for Spaghetti Dinner was \$854.00
 - \$25.00 donation was given.
- c) Scone Baking Event – May 10th
 - Registration April 1st to April 30th 2025 8 Participants Registered
 - Registration \$10 for 1 dozen scones, that could be for an individual.
 - It was brought to our attention that we were lacking a few kitchen items, this will be addressed.
- d) Soccer
 - 90 Kids Registered.
 - Coaches meeting was held May 8, 2025
 - All set up and ready to go, nets, balls, etc.
 - Recreation Shed was cleaned out.
 - June 26, 2025, End of Season BBQ for Soccer.

- This is a fun league only.
- e) Easter Wrap up – April 19th
 - 28 children registered, 24 in attendance.
 - Flower pots and planting seeds for participants to take home.
 - 200 eggs were put out for the egg hunt.
 - Donation from Calista for all the art decorations for the flower pots.
- f) Music Market – Discussion
 - July 24, 2025 from 6-9 at Heritage Park.
 - Evening Market.
 - Lisa is working on obtaining quotes for live music for the event. Potentially the Manella Sisters, A Country Duet.
 - A save the date flyer is being developed.
 - Vendors welcome, register through the office, 10 x 10 booth, bring your own tables.
 - Further discussion at the next meeting.
- g) Trunk Sale Discussion
 - September 13, 2025, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
 - 10 x 10 spot, bring your own tables.
 - Register through the office.
 - Music to be played in the background.

Commanda Community Update:

- Yard Sale – along Alsace Rd.
- May 25, 2025, 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
- If you see red balloons that's where there is a sale.

MOTION NUMBER 2025-15

Moved by: Julie Mahoney

Seconded by: Calista Bateman

That the Meeting is hereby adjourned at 6:56 p.m. Next Meeting to be held June 9, 2025
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.