



SANDY BEACH COMMISSION

June Meeting Minutes

Date: June 19, 2025

6:00 PM

Location: Sandy Beach, Morris

Attendance: Lindsay, Kathy, Terry, Corinne, Jennifer, and Todd **Unable to attend:** Ed, Andy and Tom

Call to order: 6:08PM

Motion to approve minutes May meeting. Kathy moved, Corinne seconded, all in favor

Treasurer report: Balance as of end of May: \$19,913 which is about where the checkbook was at this time last year. Todd to purchase replacement equipment for guards (see below). Direct deposit working great through payroll service, one last guard needs to get his paperwork in. Todd to follow up.

Correspondence: Lindsay rec'd email from Ice Cream Truck guy to schedule 2025 visits to beach. LZ reached out to Lukas at WMM for approval. He's out of office till 7/7. Linds will remind him then about the few visits to the beach by "food trucks" (pizza and ice cream). Todd rec'd note from Lauren Wheeler/Litchfield Social Services inquiring about SB Scholarships. Todd reminded her that we don't have a scholarship program but that in 2024 LSS sent a family to beach for pass and swim lessons on them. They will do same this year with one family.

Old Business:

Well project: H2O test has gone to testing company. Todd /Terry expect results in short order and will share them with us when they arrive. Those results will also be forwarded to TAHD.

Town of Morris and Litchfield have NOT been back to beach to mow. Litchfield raked beach once, Morris mowed once. Deal was they'd come each month. Todd will reach out to Tom Weik to remind/check in about schedule. Ethan Dyer is working Saturday mornings doing maintenance.

Roof is leaking in main building in two spots. Jeffrey (carpenter) to look at Monday 6/23 when he starts painting. Todd will get tarp on the roof in the meantime. Todd will ask him for quote to frame windows as well as build cubbies in store room.

Kelly Norris ran staff through refresher pacing. Recommended equipment: new surfboard, new lifeguard rescue tubes and breathing masks. Todd to order asap.

Todd to forward Ski Club contract to Commissioners by Sunday 6/22. Ed will review and send to BLSC for signature. **Security to be handled by BLSC.

Kathy asked Todd about stone -ED was following up on that. Jenn to reach out to Ed to get status on $\frac{3}{4}$ process material to fill holes etc.

Karen Brady has fabric for awnings and will get them sewn and over to beach soon.

New signs not delivered yet, but ordered about a month ago.

New Business:

Summer kick off party 6/20, 1-4pm. Litchfield PTO and Morris hosting. Donation made by Clothes Tree for ice pops and watermelon. Pizza truck will be there too. Games, fun scheduled.

Beach Managers report: so far 70 passes sold, 65 signed up for swim lessons-that is a bit behind normal but due to rainy weather EVERY weekend, not surprising. Todd will order swimsuits and shirts for staff.

Sun shade will arrive on Friday 6/20. Kathy and Todd will install. If it works out, we'll order one more.

Lindsay offered to create an Instagram account, especially since we are having so much trouble with FB. She'll do it asap under "SandyBeachOnBantamLake".

The Commission thanks the staff for the great condition of the beach and picnic area! Everyone has been working VERY HARD to have it ready to go! Thank you Kyleigh, Todd and ALL STAFF!

July meeting will be moved to 7/24 due to lack of available commissioners on the 17th. Jenn to update Town Clerks offices.

Motion to adjourn at 7:00: Kathy moved, Lindsay second.

Next meeting: Thursday July 24, 6pm at the Beach. Submitted, Jennifer Parsons