

**COMMISSION FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS
REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, JUNE 17, 2014
2ND FLOOR FOYER 6:00 P.M.
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Note: These are summary minutes. A tape recording of this meeting is on file in Wolcott Town Hall, Commission Secretary's Office.

Chairperson Clair called the Regular Meeting to order at 6:00p.m., with the Pledge of Allegiance and attendance was taken.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairperson Gloria Clair, Amanda Clair, Donald Vallancourt, Colleen Miller, Sarah Gerard, Kelly DelGobbo, Bobbi Thompson, Sharon Valerio and Sandy Amato

MEMBERS ABSENT: Fran Culver and Laurie Glasser

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

- Regular Meeting – May 20, 2014

Upon **MOTION** by Kelly DelGobbo, seconded by Colleen Miller, it was unanimously voted to accept the minutes of the May 20, 2014 Regular Meeting

RECREATION

- *Recreation Coordinator's Report*

Ms. Clair was present to report the following:

- 50's Dance /Talent show

She noted that they held their dance on Friday June 13th. She added that the dance went well and they liked the music. She added that the Youth Center was easier to obtain, however, they had to leave them a \$50.00 deposit for (cleaning fee).

She noted that they hired Troy Bond for \$150.00 to D.J the event. She noted that Arc of Southington helped them decorate. She also wanted

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to thank Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Delgobbo for helping.

She also noted that they spent all of the monies in their line item for monthly programs.

- Rainbow Day Camp

She indicated that they ordered all of the supplies that they needed. The applications were sent out to the campers and she received a couple of them back so far.

She noted that she and Mrs. Valerio are still interviewing the staff and they are still short. She added that they have five so far.

She noted that Kiwanis is all set. The only thing that she is waiting for is the insurance certificate.

She also noted that she needs to get in contact with Pats IGA with the names so they can purchase items.

She stated that camp starts July 7th and goes thru August 15th. She noted that they will be training the staff this Thursday at Arc of Southington for CPR, etc.

The commission members had a brief discussion regarding the need for three more staff members and a part timer because the campers need one on one. The commission members said they will ask around.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Chairperson Clair was present to report that the town wide tag sale will be September 20th and they are trying to get Woodtick Recreational Area and if they can't they can use any school. She added that when she knows where they could have it she will let Mrs. Delgobbo know so she could place it in the Wolcott Community News.

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She also mentioned that she is working on their annual report for the town.

She noted that she started the thank you notes for everyone who help out at Special Games. Also, she inquired if anyone would like to help her with the thank you notes, at which time Mrs. Valerio and Mrs. Amato said they could. They will meet at 10:00 Wednesday 25th at Arc of Southington.

She also handed out the pictures from Special Games for everyone to see.

She informed the commission members that the Wolcott Grange is having an event June 21st for a summer kick off and if anyone would like to go they can.

She mentioned that they don't usually meet in July and August and she said she is looking for a motion.

Upon **MOTION** by Sandy Amato, seconded by Sharon Valerio, it was unanimously voted that they don't meet in July and August.

Chairperson Clair asked if anyone would like to be on the emergency list for Rainbow Day Camp at which time, Mrs. Gerard, Mr. Vallancourt and Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. DelGobbo said they would.

CORRESPONDENCE/PUBLICITY

There were none.

ACCESSIBILITY

Mrs. Valerio informed the commission members that she saw in the Bristol Press an article "Chapter 126, Sports and Fitness Center" regarding youths/adults with disabilities at which time she read the article into the record (see attached).

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Chairperson Clair asked Ms. Clair if she could call them and get a flyer from them.

TRANSPORTATION

There were none.

PUBLIC REQUESTS

There were none.

OLD BUSINESS

There were none.

NEW BUSINESS

There were none.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

There was none.

AJOURNMENT

Upon **MOTION** by Kelly DelGobbo, seconded by Colleen Miller, it was unanimously voted to adjourn at 6:25pm.

APPROVED:

Gloria Clair, Chairperson

Dolores Distiso Secretary