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Town of East Haven, CT
Recreation & Athletic Complex Meeting Minutes
February 13, 2023
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Members Present:

Chairman Pat Paulson
Vice-Chair Sue Crisafi
Commissioner Christine Ucich
Commissioner Ann Corris

Staff Present:

Andrea Kenney

Public Present:

Amy Derbacher
Anthony Camposano

Chairman Paulson called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m. All in attendance recited the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll was called, and a quorum was present.

Item #1 -Approval of Minutes

MOTION was made by Vice-Chair Crisafi to approve the minutes of the January 9, 2023 meeting. Commissioner Corris seconded. All were in favor; none were opposed and none abstained. MOTION CARRIED

Item #2 -Correspondence

None

Item #3-Director's Report

Andrea gave a report in Liz's absence. She said all seems to be going well in the rink. The concession stand is almost ready to be opened, the menu looks great, and the La Cucina sign is up now. All is going well with field trips and the pricing for them as well as the skates. Public skate is doing very well, especially on Fridays. Commissioner Corris asked if the concession stand would be open during public skate. Andrea said she will check on that and get back to the commission with that answer. With regard to the rec portion, the men's basketball league will be starting up at the end of this month. There was a great turnout for the last cooking class that was held. The instructor does a great job with the kids and they all had so much fun. They also have the kid's art class which is very popular and well attended as well. They have started talks with softball leagues and have informed them all that we

have cashless facilities now. They are starting to get the April vacation Action Camp set up soon. The Bocce leagues will start around May, depending on the weather. Could be sooner, but she

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is not sure. There is still lots of interest in Indoor Pickleball and basketball and they are checking the school facilities to see where they could be fit in. There is also going to be Public Roller Skating when the rink pulls the ice up for the season, around April she believes, and they are getting rollerblades to be rented out as well. They are in the process of getting the Easter Egg Hunt together which will be held on April 1st, with a rain date of April 8th on the Town Green. The kids will be grouped by ages. Andrea will look into the time of the event and get back to the commission.

Item #4- To consider and act upon any other matter to come before the Commission

Commissioner Ucich spoke about the Yoga classes that were held on the Town Green while the Farmer's Market was going on last year.

There being no further business to come before the commission, a **MOTION** to adjourn the meeting was made by Vice-Chair Crisafi and seconded by Commissioner Ucich at 7:15 pm. All were in favor; none were opposed, and none abstained. **MOTION CARRIED**

Respectfully Submitted,

Linda S. LaLuna

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