East Haven Recreation Department
71 Hudson Street
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Director’s Report

February 10, 2020

Ice Rink:
The Ice Rink is in full schedule with East Haven Youth Hockey, Shoreline Sharks, SCHL Adult Hockey, East Haven High School, Guilford High School, Branford High School, Public Skating and Ice-Skating Parties. New Lobby floor will be installed by the end of the month.

Pool:
The pool is closed indefinitely, after touring the building with the Mayor, myself and East Shore Health Dept we all agreed that the pool should be closed. The mechanicals at the pool have been neglected and never upgraded in years such as: (desert air system, dehumidification system, electrical panels and pool filtering system) this has caused a moisture problem and condensation problem which rusted out roof and created a mold problem. For the record these items listed above were under the control of Public Service Dept.

Recreation:
Our winter programs such as youth basketball, indoor tennis, karate, football clinic, senior aerobics, yoga, learn to skate and public skate are all going well with good participation. Santa Hot line was a success with over 25 calls each night. I am making a recommendation that our towns’ splash pad and gazebo across from the beach should be for residents only due to the size of the area. We can not accommodate an excess of people for safety purposes. I also recommended that this particular gazebo be rented out to “residents only” for parties at the cost of $200.00 with a $100.00 deposit. The hours would be from 9am until 5pm. 7 days a week.