

## Moretown Recreation Committee Meeting

Meeting Date – January 27, 2025

Meeting Time – 6pm, Location – Town Office

Members Present: Chris Stephenson, Sue Werntgen, Becky Auger, Saiward Turnbaugh, Lee-Anne Martin, Mike Strojny

**Public Present:** Aubrey Senterfit, Laura Areneson (Mad River Valley Recreation District)

Meeting called to order at: 6:02 PM

### 1. Public Comment

Aubrey presented her experience in Massachusetts with her family's outdoor recreation business and was looking to gauge town interest or support for a similar venture in Moretown as a public or private project. The focus of the activities is a high ropes course and a variety of challenging low elements suitable for school age children.

Laura discussed the up-coming vote for Moretown to join the Mad River Valley Recreation District and various ways she might support a 'yes' vote by reaching out to Moretown voters.

### 2. Agenda

- Approve Minutes
- Budget Update
- Playground Discovery Work
- Website Content Management / Instagram
- VOREC / Conservation & Recreation Visioning Committee update
- Tennis Court
- Fields Maintenance
- Storywalk
- Trails maintenance / Steward

### 3. Approve minutes: <https://www.moretownvt.org/minutes-and-agendas/recreation-committee-minutes-agendas/>

Motion to approve the minutes from the October 28 meeting, Chris made the motion, Lee Anne seconded. Approved.

### 4. Budget

Wasted porta-potties were not picked up in the fall and are still in place.

### 5. Playground discovery work

Playground planning meeting was postponed. The focus of the Recreation Committee is the Town playground as we maybe able make upgrades sooner.

### 6. Website Content Management / Instagram

[moretown\\_recreation\\_committee](https://www.moretownvt.org/minutes-and-agendas/recreation-committee-minutes-agendas/) is the address for our new Instagram account.

Links need to be added to the webpage for Instagram, The Town Forest Management plan, and other updates to schedules.

## **7. Town Meeting**

There will be a Recreation Committee table at the Town Meeting potluck 4pm in the School gym.

## **Next Regular Meeting**

Monday, March 24, 2025 at 6pm

\*No meeting in February, resume in March

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- Trails maintenance / Steward / Town Meeting table report
- Town Forest Management Plan

### Ongoing Business

- Bylaws review draft template (on hold)
- Storywalk reroute

Meeting adjourned at: 8:23pm