

VILLAGE OF OTTER LAKE
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
HELD ON MONDAY JULY 11, 2011

Meeting called to order at 7 p.m.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Roll Call: N. VanAmburg -P, T. Gill -P, M. Sprung -P, M. Aikin -P, R. Benson - P, D. Dorr -P, J. Skias-P.

Motion made by VanAmburg supported by Sprung to accept the minutes as printed for June 6, 2011. - carried

Motion made by VanAmburg supported by Sprung to pay the bills presented Ck 9323 - 9368. - carried

Motion made by VanAmburg supported by Sprung to accept the financial report as presented. - carried

Benson informed the Council that the park will be having a Christmas in July on the 22nd & 23rd of July. There will be a pot luck dinner on the 22nd at 7:30 p.m.

Another issue regarding the campground is that Village residents want to take their dogs through the campgrounds to the boat launch for swimming. This will be allowed during the week but not on weekends or holidays. Also, residents driving through the campgrounds, Benson suggested that we put up a sign up stating campers only all others must check in at the office.

Aikins' suggested that since the Village has a sound system we start having entertainment in the park either on a Fri or Sat evening from 6 p.m. till 8 or 9 p.m. We have at least 1 band willing to come in and we will be looking for different types of entertainment.

Members of both the Car Club and the Tri for Life were present to let the Council know that they have vendors and dumpsters for Sunday's events. Also the Car Club will be selling 50/50 tickets and plan on donating one the 50/50 raffle money to the Village to help pay for the sign and clock. They would just like a small plaque acknowledging the contributions. The Tri for Life will match the Car Clubs 50/50 contribution and to let them know the money lost to the park for that day.

Jessica Ruby was present to ask permission to have streets blocked off on Aug. 6th for a bike run for charity. She has started a non profit charity for wounded Vets. She is expecting somewhere between 200 & 300 participating that day.

Motion made by Benson supported by VanAmburg to allow the streets to be blocked on Aug. 6th from approximately 3 p.m. - 6 p.m. Detroit St. from Forest to Genesee and Genesee St from Detroit to 10th St. - carried

Mr. Hanson suggested that we should hold the fireworks on the weekend prior to the 4th. He explained its too hard for people when the 4th fall during the week. He is also considering increasing the budget for fireworks. This is something that we will be discussing..

Motion made by VanAmburg supported by Sprung to adjourn 7:52 p.m. - carried