



CITY OF DOVER

RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD - MINUTES

Meeting Type: Regular Meeting
Meeting Location: McConnell Center, 61 Locust Street, Dover, NH 03820,
Room 224
Meeting Date: Monday, February 09, 2026
Meeting Time: **6:00pm**

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Call To Order at 6:00pm

Roll Call

Members Present: Kevin Hebert (Recreation Director), David Beaulieu (Secretary), Jeff LePak, John O'Connor, Beth Fischer, Jessica Nyby (Vice Chair), Heather Twombly (Chair), Ricky Conway (Assistant Recreation Director), Pat Campbell, Jess Hurley, Chris Hitchcock (Arena Facility Manager), Erika Friedman (Aquatics Facility Manager)

Members Absent: Dennis Munson, Alex Ferrell (Alternate), Katie Smith, Anthony Retrosi (City Council Liaison), Mike Young (Arena Programming & Marketing Supervisor), Donovan Ingle, Chris Jennings, Erika Holton (Rec Program Supervisor Aquatics)

Approval of Minutes for January 12, 2026

Motion to approve: John O'Connor. 2nd: Jess Nyby. Vote: All in Favor

Public Forum:

None

Reports:

Advisory Board:

None

Recreation Assistant Director, Ricky Conway:

- Winter programs will wrap up in the coming weeks.
- Flyers are out for spring programming.

Aquatic Facility Manager, Erika Friedman:

- Six new staff members are onboarding.
- Recruiting for additional lifeguards.
- Spring offerings registrations will end this week.

Arena Facility Manager, Chris Hitchcock: (Kevin Hebert Reporting):

- Public skating is popular & anticipating strong attendance over winter break.
- Dover to play Saint Thomas on MLK Day.
- Co-Ed hockey program is full.
- Heyliger tournament is this weekend.
- High School Hockey is towards season end & heading for playoffs.



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Old Business:

Heyliger Award Planning:

- Nominations forms are still outstanding. Main agenda of next meeting will be nominations.
- Discussion centered around capacity now that sports teams may accompany nominated coaches. A larger venue is desirable due to anticipated space constraints with multiple teams expected to attend. A motion to review was submitted by Beth and seconded by Jess.
- Awards dinner is Thursday, March 26.

New Business:

Park Projects:

- All courts in city planned to be resurfaced.
- Master schedule TBD as each park is subject to different demands.
- Closure rate will be staggered.

Other:

- Member e-mail still being worked on.
- Budgets will be revealed Wednesday 2/11.
- McConnell Center HVAC system is scheduled for an overhaul.

Adjourn:

Motion to adjourn meeting was made by Jess Nyby. Motion was seconded by Pat Campbell; Vote was unanimous to adjourn.

Next Meeting is scheduled for March 2nd

Respectfully submitted,
David Beaulieu