



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, May 11, 2026
Meeting Time: **6:00pm**

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Call to Order at 6:30pm

Roll Call

Members Present: David Beaulieu (Secretary), John O'Connor, Jessica Nyby (Vice Chair), Anthony Retrosi (City Council Liaison), Erika Friedman (Aquatics Facility Manager), Heather Twombly (Chair), Ricky Conway (Assistant Recreation Director), Pat Campbell, Jess Hurley, Chris Hitchcock (Arena Facility Manager), Mike Young (Arena Programming & Marketing Supervisor)

Members Absent: Jeff LePak, Kevin Hebert (Recreation Director), Linda Myers, Erika Holton (Rec Program Supervisor Aquatics), Donovan Ingle (Alternate), Chris Jennings, Dennis Munson, Alex Ferrell (Alternate)

Approval of Minutes for April 13, 2026

Motion to approve: Jess Nyby. 2nd: Pat Campbell. Vote: All in Favor

Public Forum:

None

Reports:

Advisory Board:

- A few items were mentioned such as a sticks that could be cleaned at several parks & the need to refill dog refuse bags.

Recreation Assistant Director, Ricky Conway:

- Hired Camp Staff & training to begin. Getting staff on digital timeclock.
- Session II of new volleyball program coming up at Garrison School.
- Court repairs project in final phase of curing.
- Jenny Thompson Pool project moving along; June 16th is estimated date of opening.

Aquatic Facility Manager, Erika Friedman:

- Lifeguard classes are ongoing.
- Great Bay Masters ongoing.
- Oyster River Otters utilized indoor pool while UNH was closed.



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Arena Facility Manager, Chris Hitchcock:

- Dog show scheduled for Memorial Day weekend.
- Ice is out of the arena & common time of year for maintenance. One sheet will return for skating starting July 6.

Recreation Director, Kevin Hebert (presented by Ricky):

- Lease memos recently sent out to McConnell Center Tenants.
- Recreation Department is also a tenant.
- Position for Pool Maintenance will be voted on again next year.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

Park Visits:

- Ricky will send out the list of parks for board members to review for sign-ups.

Leases:

- Our Daily Bread – McConnell Center
- First Push Syndicate – McConnell Center
- Mayual LLC – Nebi Park Vendor Space
- Bellamy Park Disc Golf Club

John O'Connor made a motion to approve all new leases. Second by Jess Hurley. Motion Passed.

Adjourn:

Motion to adjourn meeting was made by Jess Nyby. Motion was seconded by John O'Connor. Vote was unanimous to adjourn.

Next Meeting is scheduled for June 8, 2026.