



TOWN OF WILTON
Recreation
AT GAVIN PARK

Wilton Park and Recreation Meeting
Minutes
October 03, 2016

In Attendance: Steve Streicher, Board Liaison
Steve Porto, Recreation Director
Kim Brock, Office Specialist, Secretary to Commission
Members: Joe Bartol, Chairman; Mike Myers, Vice Chairman
Lynette Robinson, Ken Bishop, John Roessner,
Tom Coons, Erin Armstrong
Guest: Kim Coons
Absent: Steve Porto, Ken Bishop, Erin Armstrong

- I. Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.
- II. Motion to approve the September minutes was made by Mrs. Robinson. Motion was seconded by Mr. Myers. All in favor.
- III. Guest
 1. Mr. Coons along with his wife, Kim Coons, told the Commission that they have been awarded a Colligate Baseball Franchise and have named it Saratoga Revolution (a 13-page presentation was handed out). It is in the midst of obtaining its 501C3 (non-profit status). As such, the not for profit organization would not be able to make a profit and, if it does, the money will be donated to Gavin Park for improvements. The couple would like to make this about the Community. It will contain 30 kids from across the country. They will be housed with host families. They plan to have a lot of volunteer work including volunteers for the "Friends run" during Parkfest. Regarding field usage, Mr. Coons told everyone he intended to use the Hawks schedule and not bump anyone else who is currently renting baseball fields from the Park. Mr. Streicher asked if that meant the Hawks would no longer be playing here. Mr. Coons said they would be playing here. Mr. Coons asked if this has to go to the Town Board. Mr. Streicher said no. The Commission discussed the fact that it is a rental and, therefore, see no need to ask the Town Board. The Commission was in agreement with Saratoga Revolution playing here and congratulated Mr. and Mrs. Coons on the award.
- IV. Director's Report

The Programs, Events and Facility items were presented according to agenda with one exception: Discussion on New Program was tabled.

V. Old Business

Old Business presented according to agenda with the following exceptions:
Maintenance Department Information and Survey Updates were tabled.

VI. New Business

All items were tabled until next meeting.

Adjournment—Mr. Coons made a motion to adjourn at 7:40 p.m., seconded by Mr. Myers. All in favor.

APPROVED