

# Municipality of West Elgin Agenda Recreation Committee

### June 16, 2021, 7:00 p.m. Electronic Participation Meeting via Zoom

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1. Call to Order

#### 2. Adoption of Agenda

Recommendation: That West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby adopts the agenda as circulated.

- 3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest
- 4. Minutes

Recommendation: That the West Elgin Recreation Committee adopts the minutes of April 21, 2021 as printed and circulated.

- 5. Business Arising from Minutes
- 6. Staff Reports
  - 6.1. COVID-19 Update6.2. Operational Update
    - 6.3. Verbal Canada Day Update
- 7. New Business

### 7.1. Canada Day Decorations

#### 8. Adjournment

Recommendation:

That West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby adjourn at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m. to meet again on July 21, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. or at the call of the chair.



## **Municipality of West Elgin**

## **Minutes**

## **Recreation Committee**

#### April 21, 2021, 7:00 p.m. Electronic Participation Meeting via Zoom

- Present: K. Neil, Chair Councillor A. Cammaert Councillor T. Tellier M. Perry
- Regrets: G. Blanchard
- Staff Present: J. Nethercott, Clerk Emily Jocius Lee Gosnell

#### 1. Call to Order

Chair Ken Neil called the meeting to order at 7:10 p.m.

#### 2. Adoption of Agenda

Moved: Councillor Tellier Seconded: M. Perry

That West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby adopts the agenda as circulated.

Carried

3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest

No disclosures

4. Minutes

**Moved:** Councillor Cammaert **Seconded:** Councillor Tellier

That the West Elgin Recreation Committee adopts the minutes of March 17, 2021 as printed and circulated.

Carried

#### 5. Business Arising from Minutes

No business arising from the minutes.

#### 6. Staff Reports

#### 6.2 Verbal COVID-19 Update

L. Gosnell provided a verbal update regarding the covid-19 regulations which has brought all indoor and outdoor recreation to a closed until further notice.

#### 6.1 Verbal Operational Update

Lee Gosnell, Manager of Operations and Community Services gave a brief verbal update on the current operations. The province announced new COVID-19 regulations which has prompted a stop in indoor and outdoor recreation until at least May 21, 2021. Currently all recreation programing has been cancelled until the regulations are lifted.

#### 7. New Business

L. Gosnell reported that one Parks and Recreation Operator tested the idea of hosting Roller Blading in the arena throughout the summer. Currently the roller blading would work but we would like to revisit the idea in the summer as the floor conditions may change due to humidity.

Ken Neil reported the West Lorne Optimist playground equipment official grand opening will be on June 19, 2021. The Optimist are hopefully for an outdoor event but will have to plan more closely to the date due to COVID-19 restrictions.

#### 8. Closed Session

Moved: Councillor Cammaert Seconded: M. Perry That the West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby processed into closed session at 7:19 p.m. under section 239 (2B) of the Municipal *Act 2001* consideration will be given to personal matters about identifiable individual(s).

#### Carried

#### 9. Report from Closed Session

The West Elgin Recreation Committee provided direction to Staff with regards to identifiable individuals.

#### 10. Adjournment

Moved: Councillor Tellier Seconded: Councillor Cammaert

That West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby adjourn at 7:45p.m. to meet again at the call of the chair

Carried

Ken Neil, Chair

Emily Jocius, Recording Secretary

#### COVID-19 Update

Highlights from the Ontario Regulations 82/20 Rules for Areas in Shutdown Zone and At Step 1.

Outdoor Recreational Amenities that are able to open

- 1. Parks and recreational areas.
- 2. Baseball diamonds.
- 3. Batting cages.
- 4. Soccer, football and sports fields.
- 5. Tennis, platform tennis, table tennis and pickleball courts.
- 6. Basketball courts.
- 7. BMX parks.
- 8. Skate parks.
- 9. Golf courses and driving ranges.
- 10. Frisbee golf locations.
- 11. Cycling tracks.
- 12. Trails.
- 13. Horse riding facilities.
- 14. Shooting ranges, including those operated by rod and gun clubs.
- 15. Playgrounds.
- 16. Portions of parks or recreational areas containing outdoor fitness equipment.
- 17. Archery ranges.
- 18. Boat and watercraft launches.
- 19. Lawn game courts, including lawn bowling, bocce and croquet courts.
- 20. Horseshoe pits.
- 21. Outdoor pools, splash pads, spray pads, whirlpools, wading pools and water slides.

Outdoor Recreational amenities can be used if the following regulations are followed.

- Physical distance of 2 meters from every other person while using the amenity.
- Any person engaging in physical exercise at the amenity must maintain a physical distance of at least 3 meters from any other person using the amenity.
- Team sports must not be practised or played within the amenity.
- Any sports or games resulting in individuals coming within three meters of each other must not be played within the amenity.

Outdoor Fitness Classes are able to run if the following regulations are followed.

- Contact tracing is completed for every individual participating in the class
  The class size is no larger than 10 patrons including the instructor.
- All persons engaging in physical exercise at the amenity must maintain a physical distance of at least 3 meters from any other person while attending the class.

## West Elgin Community Pool Schedule 2021

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