



**Salisbury Recreation Committee  
Academy Hall  
Meeting Summary  
March 15, 2020**

<b>Mike Broas-Chairman</b>	<b>Present</b>	<b>Jocelyn Henry-Member</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Dave Kelly-Vice-Chairman</b>	<b>Present</b>	<b>April Rollins-Member</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Kathleen Doyle-Secretary</b>	<b>Present</b>		

**Visitors:** Selectman Ross-Raymond

Meeting called to order at 10:10 AM by Chairman Broas.

Members discussed the past ice rink winter activity. Member Doyle advised members that she had to put a lock on both the light control box and water handle to prevent people from overriding the hours that the lights were on and from leaving the water level open to possible freezing. Member Doyle said that several of the hockey sticks were broken over the course of the winter season and would like to pick up at least 3 new sticks. Cost should be around \$15.00 a stick. There were no objections. Chairman Broas indicated that he had received a large donation of hockey equipment, including goalie equipment. Member Doyle said that it was unlikely that any of the kids would use the goalie equipment on our ice rink, but that there were some kids that were on hockey teams that might be able to use that equipment. Member Doyle said she would look into finding out the kids that are on teams.

Members discussed again purchasing a shed to store the ice rink liner, walls and equipment in, which would be more accessible for the members. Member Kathleen Doyle will price the storage units out and hopefully we will purchase one before the end of March. Members agree that the shed will sit behind the existing Recreation building facing the backstop. Money for this purchase should probably be taken from the Recreation Capital Reserve fund as oppose to Recreation's budget.

Members discussed getting the ball field ready for baseball season that is supposed to start on April 10<sup>th</sup>. Members are not sure with the Corona virus if there will even be a baseball season. Member Doyle is in touch with Merrimack Valley baseball committee and will keep the recreation board members advised as to what will be happening. Member Doyle will also contact town field maintenance person to see his schedule of when he plans to work on ball field to remove leaves. Member Doyle will also reach out to road agent Bill MacDuffie about how we can try to repair major crack in the ball field dug out.

Member Doyle is getting ready to order the batting cage net. The piping for the batting cage will be purchased locally. Member Doyle indicated that the funds for this purchase should be coming out of the Recreation Revolving Fund that was setup from a donation (\$1,000) given to Recreation specifically for this purchase. Member Rollins will verify the account this money is in. Members all agree that the cage will be located on the other side of the fence on the right field side of the ball field.

Member Rollins will take the lead in ordering the new playground and bleacher equipment. Member Doyle will assist with quoted information. Member Rollins will reach out to Bill MacDuffie to have him remove the old swing set once the ground dries.

Members discussed election of board member positions. **Member Doyle motioned for April Rollins to be Chairman. Member Kelly seconded that motion. All voted in favor.**

**Member Rollins motioned for Member Dave Kelly to be Vice-Chairman. Member Henry seconded that motion. All voted in favor.**

**Member Doyle made a motion that Member Jocelyn Henry be secretary. Member Rollins seconded that motion. All voted in favor.**

No further discussion. **Member Henry motioned to adjourn the meeting at 10:58 am. Member Rollins seconded that motion. All voted in favor.**

Respectfully submitted by:  
Kathleen Doyle, Secretary

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Mike Broas, Chairman