

Banks County Recreation Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

Monday January 10, 2022

Banks County Annex – Wilson Shoals Meeting Room - 150 Hudson Ridge Rd.

Call to order: 5:00 pm

Members in attendance:

Chris Heath, Chris Baker, Kulisha Beasley, Matthew Poole & John Rylee.

Also, in attendance were Recreation Director, Brooke Whitmire

Absent - Major Hunter, Ashley Hancock

Introduction and Departmental Updates:

Recreation Director, Brooke Whitmire

-Spring sports registration is open until early February.

-Tournaments are being booked for baseball and softball.

-Baseball tryouts will be February 19th first games are scheduled for April 11th.

-Playground is on a roll, everything is good. Expected turnaround time for delivery of material is set for April.

A/C Units in Blue Gym:

-Reports and complaints were discussed about the heat in the blue gym. Staff are having to use manual settings instead of auto.

-Reports and complaints were discussed about the slippery floors in the gym.

- County maintenance have been notified about the heat issues and advised they will look at the blue gym unit again.

-County has decided not to replace the entire AC unit in blue gym.

-Members discussed the history of a unit being purchased for the blue gym, BCRD staff are unaware of the whereabouts of this unit.

Other Business:

-John Rylee discussed concerns with gutters around BCRD being congested. He shared concern with excess water beading down from gutters is problematic. Noting this will create additional problems with water seeping into gym. Rylee suggested pouring concrete in the reservoir that was created naturally by the heavy rain and excess water.

-Members discussed the need to reseal the outskirts of the gym in the future.

-Director Whitmire advised she will contact county building inspector to look at the gutters.

-Members were encouraged to be “picture ready” and present a brief bio at next meeting, these will be added to the BCRD advisory board tab on the website.

Adjournment 5:40 pm

Next Meeting: Monday February 5th 5:00 pm. Location: Banks County Annex – Wilson Shoals Meeting Room - 150 Hudson Ridge Rd