

City of Somerville
Recreation Commission
19 Walnut Street
Somerville, MA 02143

Commission Meeting Minutes
Monday, February 23, 2009, 7:00PM

Present for Commission Meeting: President James Halloran, Secretary Danielle Palazzo, Board Members Anthony Alibrandi, William Medeiros, John Teves, and Natalie Viera.

NEW BUSINESS

Recreation Employees will begin using an Access database in a shared library to input all Recreation participant information. All Spring and Summer programming is being collected from Recreation Supervisors by George Scarpelli, Program Developer by March 7, 2009. This information will then be placed in a Spring/Summer brochure and distributed to all Somerville Schools. James Halloran is working on getting Recreation permit calendars posted to the City's website. Somerville Recreation has recently created a Facebook account as a form of program publicity. Somerville Recreation is starting a Men's 5 on 5 Flag Football League beginning March 22, 2009. An agreement will be signed between the City of Somerville and the DCR for use and management of Blessing of the Bay Boathouse located on Shore Drive. Dilboy Stadium is scheduled to re-open on Monday, March 2, 2009. Shape up Somerville and Somerville Recreation will be holding a Road Race on May 3, 2009. Somerville Recreation is hoping to create a google group database as another new means of publicity for all programming.

MEMBER FEEDBACK

John Teves will take part in creating the google database for Somerville Recreation. John Teves also suggested looking at Somerville Youth Soccer League website to customize a similar program calendar for Recreation Programs. William Medeiros has proposed that Somerville Recreation have a group of program participants march at the Memorial Day Parade in Spring 2009.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Commission Members have decided to create a new set of By-laws if the current By-laws are not located.

