



**Corporation of the Municipality of
Temagami**

Memo No.
2020-M-147

Memorandum to Council

Subject:	Parks & Recreation Department Update
Agenda Date:	October 29, 2020
Attachments for Information:	

RECOMMENDATION

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council receive the Parks and Recreation Report dated October 29, 2020.

INFORMATION

FUNDING INITIATIVES:

- Applied and was successful in obtaining funding through the Canadian Tire Jump Start Program for kids sporting equipment.
- Applied for funding through Trans Canada Energy for COVID-19 safety supplies
- Applied for park equipment upgrades through Trans Canada Energy
- Returned funds to Heritage Canada of \$2400 for Celebrate Canada as the Pandemic halted community events and this keeps the Municipality in good standings for next year's application
- Researching funding options to improve and/or introduce recreation to the Municipality

COMMUNITY EVENTS UPDATE:

- Purchased and provided pumpkins for a community carving contest
- Community Treat bags will be handed out at the Temagami Municipal Office on Halloween. Donations have been made by many Temagami residents.
- Living Temagami approached for partnering of a Drive-In movie for two separate nights. Parks and Recreation to supply extension cords, Hydro, use of Theatre Licence, use of washrooms at the arena under the Health Units safety guidelines, as well as the use of parking lot at the Community Centre
- It was noted from the Lions Club that the Lions Hockey Tournament in January is cancelled
- It was noted that the Country Christmas will be cancelled
- Committee is looking at other options for Christmas events for the community

CAPITAL PROJECTS UPDATE:

- Zero turn Kubota was purchased and has been utilized from MCK – New Liskeard
- Enclosed trailer has been ordered – ETA mid-Nov delivery

GENERAL OPERATIONS UPDATE:

- Museum at the Fire Tower was well attended this year – Opened July until Sept
- Painting of playground equipment in beach area
- Swim raft and ladder received damage and has been taken out of commission due to safety to the public
- Sanitize stations placed at Parks, Waterfront, Fire Tower

Respectfully Submitted by:
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