



Corporation of the Municipality of Temagami

Memo No.
2024-M-158

Memorandum to Council

Subject:	Recreation Monthly Report
Agenda Date:	October 10, 2024
Attachments:	

RECOMMENDATION

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council hereby receives the Memo 2024-M-158 as presented.

ACTION ITEMS

1. Ice Rink Update

The ice rink is set to be fully operational by October 8, 2024. A service company will arrive on October 4 to paint the ice, ensuring it is ready for the upcoming season.

2. Ice Rink Rentals and Bookings

We are pleased to report that the ice rink has secured rentals from three out-of-town hockey associations. The confirmed bookings are as follows:

- **October 10 and 16:** U15 AA Trapper
- **October 23:** North Bay District Girls Hockey Association (NBDGHA)
- **November 26-27:** The Temagami Arena will host a hockey tournament, with 10 hours of ice time scheduled each day.

3. Youth Hockey Development

We have welcomed two new hockey coaches to the Temagami Arena, who will work with local youth and children from surrounding communities to enhance their hockey and life skills.

4. Public Skating and Pickup Hockey

Our regular programming for public skating and pickup hockey for both children and adults will continue this season, providing ample opportunities for community engagement and recreation.

5. Parks & Recreation Programs and Events

- **Corn Hole Event:** The Parks and Recreation team successfully hosted a Corn Hole event over several weeks, which attracted generous prizes from local businesses. This event saw participation from 40 individuals spanning Temagami to New Liskeard, enabling the Temagami Legion to raise approximately \$1,800.
- **Fish Fry Event:** This year, we collaborated with the Legion to bring back the beloved Fish Fry event, generating a profit of \$2,100 for the cause.

- **Upcoming Halloween Party:** We are in the process of organizing a Halloween party in partnership with the Lions Club and the Legion. Our objective is to raise funds for both charities while fostering community spirit and involvement.

6. **Advertising Opportunities**

Parks and Recreation is actively seeking local businesses interested in renting advertising space on the ice rink boards. This initiative aims to generate additional revenue for the arena and promote local enterprises.

7. **Parks and Recreation Manager Certification**

I am delighted to announce that our Parks and Recreation Manager has achieved the Certified Playground Safety Inspector (CPSI) certification. This qualification will enhance the safety and maintenance standards of our community's playgrounds.

Respectfully Submitted

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Reviewed and Approved

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