

**Minutes of the Parks, Recreation & Culture Advisory Committee  
Wednesday, March 21, 2018 at 7pm (Saltair Community Centre)**

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**COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Tim Richards, Chair  
Gord Horth  
Bruce Mason

Roger Kimmerly  
Tim Godau  
Councillor Duck Paterson

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Clayton Postings  
Julie Tierney

**REGRETS:**

Tara Pollock  
Jim Allair

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**AGENDA**

*Moved and seconded:*

**2018-04: That Parks, Recreation and Culture Advisory Committee approve the agenda for the meeting with the following addition: Davis Road Dog Park  
*Motion carried.***

**MINUTES**

*Moved and seconded:*

**2018-05: That Parks, Recreation and Culture Advisory Committee approve the minutes of the January 17, 2018 meeting as presented.  
*Motion carried.***

**TOUR**

T. Godau hosted the meeting at the Saltair Community Centre and provided a tour of the facility.

**DELEGATION**

**Ladysmith Youth Plan** – S. Glenn, Community Programs & Services Supervisor provided an overview of the process, emerging trends, and timeline.

**REFERRED BY  
COUNCIL**

**Aggie Natural Playspace** – The committee reviewed the proposed plan and provided feedback into possible additions to the design, proposed options for supplying water for the stream that would eliminate a cistern as well as alternatives if the water feature is deemed too costly.

*Moved and seconded:*

**2018-04: THAT the Parks, Recreation and Culture Advisory Committee support in principle the draft design for the natural playspace at Aggie propose that Council consider requesting the consultant to add additional vertical play poles, grassy knolls, and benches.**

*Motion carried.*

**UNFINISHED  
BUSINESS**

N/A

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Davis Road Dog Park** – C. Postings confirmed that the recommendations for added amenities will be considered as future capital projects. The

recommendations to improve operational items such as drainage and signage will be completed as resources become available.

**UPDATES**

**Parks, Recreation & Culture Update** – BC Summer Games volunteer applications are being accepted at their website:

<https://www.bcgames.net/cwch2018s/DesktopDefault.aspx>

**Arts & Culture Update** – The Ladysmith Theater is presenting “Once Upon a Mattress” from April 12 to May 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Meeting adjourned at 9:10PM**

**Next Meeting will be held at 7:00pm, April 18, 2018 at Ladysmith Little Theater.**