

**Parks and Community Programs Advisory Committee**  
**4/23/2019**  
**Mason-Motz Conference Room**

**Present:** Lucky D'Ascanio, Melanie Collins, Joel Glass, John Lane, Karen Jones, Sally Bitan  
**Absent:** Andrea Mittleider, Janet Dye **Guests:** Marjorie Getz, resident

Call to order: Karen Jones, Chair

Minutes from the February meeting were approved 5-0.

**Parks Division:**

Portland Water District is busy doing the annual checking the lines / backflow preventers at both Legion and Community Park. The transition from winter to summer equipment changeover is complete. Fields are currently closed due to the recent and anticipated amount of rain. Closures will be monitored on a day-to-day basis. Trails are currently closed due to wet weather except for Pine Grove. Two seasonal employees from last year are returning, applications for remaining open seasonal positions are few. Lucky is hoping to see a few more applications. The ad was in the PPH and is still on-line on Indeed.com.

**FCP:**

The new brochure is out, and registrations are happening at a brisk pace. Vacation Camp was successful last week. Most days were at capacity. Kim Doyon is running several popular senior programs including cribbage, mahjong, seminars on scams that target seniors, gardening, etc. The before and after school kids will be doing to programs in the temporary library facilities here at P-M. P-M is receiving the changing tables from the FML libraries to add to the bathrooms.

**Old Business/New Business:**

The "Native Themed Gardens" brochure is done and looks awesome. Progress is being made in creating signs for the native plant garden. The "Falmouth Senior Resource Guide" is almost complete. It contains an abundance of information for not just seniors, but all Falmouth residents. When completed, it will be available in paper format and also online.

**Next Meeting:** May 21, 2019 Spring Parks Tour – meet in the upper parking lot off Lunt Road.