Middle school girls' lacrosse, middle school girls' baseball, lots of kids are participating. The kids are playing other lakeshore area schools which has helped expand the program.

5-6 tennis leagues

Archery: Beginner, Intermediate, and a section for kids that will compete at the state level.

Recreation summer school: GHAPS is going to partner with the Outdoor Discovery Center at LH. Rec summer school will be at LH as the primary site.

Rec summer school kids can participate in the Outdoor Discovery Center morning activities. 12:30 – 1 p.m. kids will get the Meet Up and Eat Up lunch.

Youth basketball sponsors: Letters were sent to families of kids participating regarding the need for sponsors for basketball. The 6 sponsorships for the 6 schools were filled immediately.

Continuous User:

Working with GHCT and scheduling for the Schmidt Heritage Park There is a new contract, fee schedule, NORA will be taking in the reservations for GHT and Ferrysburg.

Chris Christiansen Scholarship Fund, GHACF

Redick moved, Hopp seconded, that NORA request receipt of \$1427 from the Scholarship Fund held at the GHACF. Vote: 8-0

Old Business

A. Grand Haven City Appointed Board Member Opening

VanHekken has talked to Bob Monetza. The city will be posting on their website regarding the opening.

B. United Way updates

VanHekken talked to the VP for community relations. They are merging with the Heart of Michigan UW

There was discussion of the grant for the Recreation Summer School. Their goal is that there would be a grant of \$4200 for the next 2 years. The grant application has been completed.

Spring fundraiser will either be May 7 or 14 at the Unicorn. Chris will talk with the Unicorn staff regarding the format for the evening and send the info to the NORA board.

Public Comments

No public

Advisory Board Comments

Frank Johnson: can Robinson drop, still pay the annual amount so that the citizens can still get the resident rate. Yes. They would not be involved in a millage vote. This would be handled similar to how Port Sheldon is handled.

Rebecca Hopp: excited about the new summer rec collaboration with the outdoor Discovery Center.

Next Scheduled Meeting - April 25, 2024 Adjournment

Redick moved, Johnson supported. Meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

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