

Meeting of the Montgomery Recreation Board
Minutes for December 2, 2024

The meeting, which was held on Zoom, was called to order at 5:00

Present: Peg Doheny, Marsha Phillips, Jay Farnham, Brendan O'Shea, Lisa Perry, Journey Johnston

Budget: Work has started on next year's budget. Marsha is gathering the totals for income and expenses information from the town office and will have it for the next meeting.

Fitness Park: Planning to move forward with this idea. The goal would be to install several pieces of fitness equipment (as space permits) at the Rec Center this coming Spring. Board members will research types of equipment and costs for the next meeting.

Ice Skating: The FREE skating program has started at Jay Peak. Skating is available to all Montgomery residents during "Public Skate" times. Check the Jay Peak website to see times and bring an ID.

MES Track Program: Marsha made a motion, with a second from Peg to pay \$288.00 to Vermont Recreation and Parks Assoc. All voted in favor. This money was used to send 18 Montgomery students to the state track meet this past summer. Jake Hartman reported that "Montgomery 7-8 year old boys won the state championship and that we were 2nd place overall in the small team division taking second to St. Albans." He plans to run the program again next summer.

Arts for Parks: The event was a huge success, netting over \$20,000. Thank you to all that helped make AFP a fun and very productive night for the Rec department!

The meeting was adjourned at 5:35
Minutes respectfully submitted by Lisa Perry