

## Town of Ballston Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting

**March 15, 2023 – 6:30pm**

**Attendance:** Sally Draina, Sarah Statham, Lynette Ziskin, Amy Jones, Rob Fendrick (Town Board liaison)

### **Jenkins Park**

#### *Dog park -*

The Town Board will hold a public hearing on 3/28/23 @ 6:15. Post cards were sent to residents of the Jenkins Park district. There will be a brief presentation by Sally Draina with a public comment period to follow. The Board will vote at the 4/11/23 meeting.

The Board asked that our proposal be updated to 2 phases instead of 3.

Phase 1 – Fence and signage

Phase 2 – How to best institute the administrative details, available technology, and other future needs (registration forms, data management, power etc.)

If approved, Sally will meet with AJ Signs and will seek an Eagle Scout or other volunteer to create a kiosk for the signage.

#### *Playground –*

The Town's insurance provider toured the playground at Jenkins and made a list of recommendations to improve safety. We will be compiling a list of replacement equipment and investigating options in regard to the use of additional monies from other funds.

#### *Ball field –*

A group will be using the baseball field upon receipt of an updated insurance policy. Their existing contract is valid through 2023.

### **Ballston Lake Fishing Pier**

Installation of the walkway and kayak launch will begin in mid-April, with the balance of work to be completed by mid-May. Matt Kniskern is in the process of contacting DEC regarding a pull off at the entrance to the Pier, and other options for easy unloading of personal watercraft.

Submitted by  
Committee Member Amy Jones