**Parks & Recreation Report – May 2021**

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Parks

* Playground still on schedule to be delivered and installed mid-late June
* Decision made after much discussion to re-open Guy Cedar Park. Work order submitted to install swings and do a playground equipment inspection.
* Ordered new S-hooks and swing seats to replace old ones as needed.
* Had a local business lay out and paint 4 pickleball courts over the tennis courts at West Plattsburgh. Received donations from the American Legion Post 1619 and Pepsi Co. towards the cost. Courts have been very busy!
* Erin set boundary flags out at the Disc Golf Course to have B&G mow out to as we are trying to reclaim the original fairways.
* Doing park checks at least bi-weekly.
* Worked with B&G to get the baseball/softball fields ready for play…one park left to complete.
* Port-a-John placed at Lapierre Lane Riverway for the summer, paid for by Sunrise Rotary.

Recreation

* Held last Spring walk at Northern Tier Trail – 17 participants.
* Started the weekly kayak trips:
  + Ausable River – 32
  + Fish Creek – 30
  + St. Regis to Spitfire Lake – 29
* Met with Parks & Rec Committee.
* Youth Baseball/Softball/Teeball started practices with 7 BB/SB teams and 5 Teeball teams. All teams have head coaches and assistants. Using Cadyville, Everest Rabideau and East Morrisonville Parks for home fields.
* Fine tuning details for all summer programs.
* Interviewed and hired Catherine Provost to work in the department this summer.