TOWN OF SANTA CLAUS PARK & REC BOARD Monthly Meeting Minutes August 4, 2025, 7:00 p.m.

The Santa Claus Park Board met for their monthly meeting on August 4, 2025, at the Santa Claus Community Center at 200 N Holiday Blvd, Santa Claus, IN. The meeting was called to order by Jonathan Goldsberry at 7:00pm.

Park Board Members present: Jonathan Goldsberry, Jonathon Kincaid, and Eileen Farmer

Also present, Park and Recreation Director Zach Tischendorf and Jessi Mullen

Eileen Farmer made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 7, 2025, meeting. Jonathon Kincaid seconded the motion.

Ayes: All Nays: None Motion carried

August 8, 2025, will be Kickball night at Yellig Park. Julie's Dance Academy will be running concessions. There will be both adult and child games.

August 16, 2025, will be Touch a Truck from 10-1pm.

August 25, 2025, will be the Red Cross Blood Drive at SCCC from 1-6pm. Jessi Mullen shared that we may need some volunteers to check-in participants.

Zach Tischendorf shared that he and his crew have been working on keeping the trails pruned and spraying brush. The landscaping beds have been cleaned up.

The park master plan should be ready to share on the town website very soon.

The water heater by field 1 at Yellig Park has been replaced and bollards at the park have been painted.

AED pads have been ordered; they are currently on back order. The AED on field 1 at Yellig is up to date.

Appraisals for the property off of SR162 are nearly complete. Zach will reach out to Kevin Patmore to coordinate next steps.

Zach met with Midwestern Engineers, due to LWCF, grant has been cancelled for this year. Additional funding sources will need to be looked at to assist in funding the playground.

At SCCC, new lines have been put down for the pickleball court. New signage is being investigated.

Honest Abe Roofing is working on getting us on scheduled to repair the roof leak in the Southeast corner of the upper roof. The quote is \$1371.00.

The town council is supportive of converting the foyer restrooms into a single ADA compliant restroom. Zach is working with Universal Designs to assist in the bid process.

Jean Knox is interested in teaching Tai Chi as a free service at SCCC. We need to verify that insurance and license, etc. are all up to date.

The Trick or Treat Trail will be October 26, 2025 from 12-2pm.

Jonathon Kincaid made a motion to approve the SCCC vouchers in the amount of \$2775.06. Eileen Farmer seconded the motion.

Ayes: All Nays: None Motion carried

Jonathon Kincaid made a motion to approve the Parks and Recreation vouchers in the amount of \$9913.48. Eileen Farmer seconded the motion.

Ayes: All Nays: None Motion carried

Next Park Board meeting will be held, September 3, 2025, at 7:00pm at the Santa Claus Community Center.

Jonathon Kincaid made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:40pm. Eileen Farmer seconded the motion.

Ayes: All Nays: None Motion carried

Approved on September 3, 2025.

Jonathan Goldsberry, President

Eileen Farmer, Secretary

Jonathon Kincaid, Vice President

Jennifer Rich, Member