

**WI Parks Committee Meeting
Minutes
April 28, 2014**

Present: Liz Holmes, Ron Overdahl, Cheri Miotke, Ted Hansen, Donna Benson

1. Call to order 6:10 pm.
2. Minutes from March 13, 2014 meeting. Motion to approve by Ted Hansen, 2nd by Ron Overdahl.
3. Discussed suggestions for Sand Dunes Park made by Rich Walker. Parks committee will suggest that town clean-up parking area, clean up path to the park, and spray for poison ivy. Further suggestions will have to wait. Will suggest that a *Friends of the Sand Dunes Park* be formed by residents.
3. Discussed locations of remaining 3 bike racks – People’s Park, south entrance of Heritage Trail on Lobdell Pt. Road, and Percy County Park. Town crew to deliver the racks.
4. Discussed results from annual Town meeting. Will recommend a location and size of pavilion at Schoolhouse Beach to be built by town crew after summer season, and a tourist brochure showing pictures of Schoolhouse Beach rocks from 1940s and today and telling tourists to not touch the rocks. Liz will talk to Dick Purinton and Charlie Voight, suggesting their drivers mention to ‘not take or throw rocks from the beach’ and Town crew will make a larger sign stating this. Kay McClaren would like to head a *Friends of Schoolhouse Beach* group. This will need approval from the Town Board.

Donna Benson visited all of the island parks, took pictures, and listed what needed to be done to get them cleaned up for the upcoming season. This list will be given to the Town crew for implementation. Cheri Miotke visited Percy Park and suggested that clear boundary markers be put in to keep people off of surrounding private property. Liz said that the county will be putting in new pit toilets this year. Donna Benson suggested that the Witness Tree, along with the public access to the water, be included with the island parks.
5. Date of next meeting – Monday, May 19, 2014 at 4 PM Rutledge Room.

Adjournment – 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Donna Benson, Secretary