## **Parks & Recreation Department**

## Bi-Weekly Report ~ April 6, 2020

Unfortunately, town buildings (including the Rec. Dept.) are closed or have limited access to the public usage until further notice. This will help to limit person-to-person contact / exposure.

We are still working and available via the following methods of contact:

Phone – 603-466-2101

Email – jstewart@gorhamnh.org

Facebook Messenger – Gorham Parks – Rec

We are still working and planning all our spring sports, summer concerts, Farmers' Market, Moose Tours and all our other spring and summer activities. Our hope and plan is, when this is over, we will be ready and able to provide the same great programs, events and activities everyone loves. Please contact us if you have any questions.

You may also drop off any information, paperwork, uniforms, etc. in the large black drop off bin located in front of the Parks & Recreation Department building.

Due to the quarantine of Coronavirus, our Senior Program schedule has been cancelled until further notice. Please visit our website for a full list and calendar for all our senior & adult programs.

Due to everything that's going on, the few weeks may be tough for some financially. With that in mind we are foregoing registration fees for the 2020 baseball / softball season. We want to be prepared to have our season when this is over, so we ask that you still register your child(ren). This will give us time to create teams, schedules and everything else that goes along with the season and we'll be ready to go! You may fill out the form and send a photo back through Facebook, email and as always it may be dropped off at the Rec Dept.

We are still raising money for the new Limitless Playground and have received \$17,684.00 in donations and with the funds from the Festival of Trees, we have \$25,109.00. We will be meeting with a grant writer this week to hopefully move forward finding some additional funds.

The dates for the Gorham Steering Committee workshop and planning calls for the Recreation Economy for Rural grant have been set up. Planning call #2 is April 16 and Call #3 is April 30 from 2:30 - 4:00pm. The Workshop will be held May 20 - 21.

Please visit our website or Facebook page for important updates, forms and other information concerning everything Parks & Recreation Department related.