Parks & Recreation Department

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Our Sport Card & Collectible Show was well attended by both vendors and people stopping by. We play to hold another show on either October 22 or 23 from 10:00am to 2:00pm. Check our website for updates on upcoming events: <u>Current & Upcoming Events | Gorham NH</u>

Our Easter Egg Hunt event was a huge success and was held on the Common for the first time. We want to thank, the Easter Bunny for helping us out as well as the Fire Department and Library for making this event so good.

We are waiting for music contracts to be retuned and once we have them back, we will post all the music that will be happening during our Summer Concert Series (Tuesday from 6/7/22 to 8/2/22), Farmers' Market music (on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays from 6/9/22 to 9/22/22) and music during the July 4th Celebration timeframe (6/30/22 to 7/4/22). Check our website for upcoming shows: <u>Summer & Adult Programs, Events & Leagues | Gorham NH</u>

The Rec Dept has taken on a larger roll this year with planning the July 4^{th} Celebration (6/30/22 – 7/4/22) and we're working on making the parade bigger and better.

Our Baseball / Softball season has begun and will run through the second week of June. All our league info is available on our website: <u>Baseball / Softball | Gorham NH</u>

Farmers' Market will run on Thursdays from 3:00-6:00pm from 6/9/22 to 10/6/22. Check out our website for more info: <u>Gorham Farmers' Market | Gorham NH</u>

There will be a NEW "Vendor Fair" that will be held on the Common on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays starting 6/11/22 to 9/24/22. Check our website for updates on upcoming events: <u>Current & Upcoming Events</u> <u>Gorham NH</u>

We are still working on details for our Summer Program and hope to have it available by the end of May. Park Program will run Monday – Friday from 8:30am to 4:30pm from 6/27/22 to 8/12/22. More details and info will be available through our website: <u>Summer Park Program Info | Gorham NH</u>

We are in the planning stages for our 2nd Annual Food & Fun Festival (6/18/22), our 1st Annual "A Drive Back in Time – Car Show" (8/21/22) and 2nd Annual Jigger Johnson Lumberjack Festival (10/2/22). Check our website for updates on upcoming events: <u>Current & Upcoming Events | Gorham NH</u>

The Information Booth will be open Memorial Day weekend and the Gorham Moose Tours will start 6/1/22. Check our website for updates: <u>Moose Tours | Gorham NH</u>

Some of the major events we are involved in an / or planning are:

16U Softball Tournament (6/17/22, 6/18/22 and 6/19/22)

Fishing Derby (9/10/22) and Senior Derby (9/12/22)

A Dog's Day in Gorham (9/11/22)

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