



Brookland Parks Committee Meeting
613 Holman Street
Brookland, Arkansas 72417
Brookland City Hall

Date and Time of Meeting: 1/17/2022 6:00 PM
Type of Meeting: Regular

Committee Members Present: Sharon Hopkins, Justin Ladd, Julie Thomas, David Loggins
Others Present: Ronnie Gilley

Meeting called to order at: 6:01 pm
Called by: David Loggins

Motion by: Sharon Hopkins
Second by: Justin Ladd
To: Approve meeting minutes from December 2021
Motion passed
For: 4
Against: 0

Motion by: David Loggins
Second by: Julie Thomas
To: Change the name of the Facebook page from 'Friends of Brookland' to 'Brookland Parks Committee'
Motion passed
For: 4
Against: 0

6:06 David Loggins began discussion on the proposed size of the baseball fields. Justin Ladd and Ronnie Gilley mentioned having fields with adjustable sizes for fencing, bases, and mounds to accommodate different age groups and requirements for tournament play.

6:09 Justin Ladd and Ronnie Gilley discussed the needs/wants list created by the committee During the last meeting. Ronnie Gilley helps run the Brookland Youth Baseball League. Ronnie Gilley mentioned having gates on the dugouts with locks to keep people out during times when games are not happening.

6:13 Committee members discussed the needs/wants list, concession stand offerings, dugouts, maintenance building, and more.

6:18 Committee members discussed the upcoming trip to baseball/softball parks throughout the state for ideas and suggestions for the design of the Brookland Sportsplex. Sites mentioned to visit by Justin Ladd are as follows: Cabot, Burns Park (Little Rock), Maumelle, and Batesville. The trip is scheduled for Saturday, February 12, 2022. Members who plan to attend: Sharon Hopkins, Julie Thomas, Justin Ladd, and David

Loggins.

Motion by: Sharon Hopkins

Second by: Justin Ladd

To: Adjourn at 6:42 pm

Motion passed

For: 4

Against: 0