

June 14, 2021

Fm: Park Ranger

To: Board of Selectman

Cc: Parks & Rec. Commission, Public Works, Finance, Resident Trooper

Re: Parks/Trails Report

Patrolling of Parks & Checking for Compliance

Six Patrols were conducted in May at the following parks: Matthies Park, Riverbend, Toby's Pond and Pent Road.

Compliance Issues

Since opening day of fishing season, I have checked sixty-five people for their fishing license and have noticed that a number of people have scanned their license into their phone but the license is not signed. The license is **NOT** valid unless it is signed, which is clearly stated on the license below the signature line. I have explained this to all who are in violation and asked them to take the appropriate corrective action. For informational purposes, I have posted this information on the Park Ranger Facebook site along with other Facebook sites that our town residents frequent; (Beacon Falls Park & Rec.—Beacon Falls TRAP---You know are from Beacon Falls when:).

Matthies Park

Nothing to report.

Email to the P&R Commission (FYI)

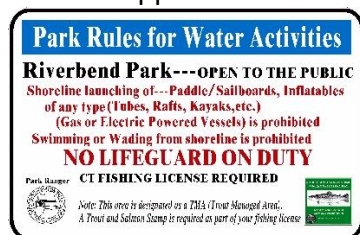
In the process of championing the repairs of the Matthies house; there were a number of emails strings from different people regarding the Matthies house and other projects regarding the park. A resident named Scott Perry, sent me an email regarding the covered bridge and Kiosk projects that were Eagle Scout projects. I'm asking permission from the commission to allow me to design and purchase two dedication plaques detailing the "Who" and the "What" regarding these two projects. I'm asking to be preapproved for an expenditure dollar amount not to exceed \$100.00. I have attached samples to review in regards to what I would like to do; I look forward to the commission's response.

Toby's Pond

The large pot hole under the bridge was filled by P.W's.

Riverbend Park

An individual was asked to stop fishing because they did not possess a Trout & Salmon Stamp as part of their fishing license. This area of the Naugatuck River is designated as a TMA (Trout Management Area) and requires a stamp (\$5.00 fee), as an addendum to the original license. The fee goes towards the cost of stocking the fish by the state of CT. in applicable waters and designated areas.



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