

**MINUTES**  
**LAIRD RECREATION COMMITTEE**  
**January 27, 2026, at 7:00 pm**  
**Laird Township Council Chambers**

Present: Matt Frolick, Rhonda Crozier, Justine Lamming, Shawn Evoy, JoAnne Entwistle, Crystal Wells and Joanne North

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**1. Call to Order**

Chair Matt Frolick called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m.

**2. Declaration of Pecuniary Interest**

**3. Agenda Approval**

**#1-26**

Moved by: Shawn Evoy

Seconded by: Justine Lamming

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Recreation hereby approves the January 27, 2026 agenda as presented. Carried

**4. Delegations and Presentations**

**5. Adoption of Minutes of Previous Meeting**

a. Recreation Meeting – December 16, 2025

**#2-26**

Moved by: JoAnne Entwistle

Seconded by: Crystal Wells

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Recreation approves Recreation Committee minutes of the Regular Meeting of December 16, 2025, as presented. Carried

**6. Committee Reports**

a. **Bar River Hall** – The hall is being rented a lot. Caretaker is looking into propane smell in the kitchen and the floor finish in the hall. The furnace has been serviced.

b. **G. W. Evoy Rink** – The Winter Carnival plans are underway. Gage Evoy is the sub-committee Chair. Kayden Lapish has been hired to be the caretaker. Talks about a hockey game for the Isbester Cup to be held end of February.

c. **Heritage** – A Facebook page has been made up and is going well.

d. **Laird Fairgrounds** – The Grounds Keeper is planning on working again this year.

e. **Laird Hall** – The organ has found a home along with the encyclopedias.

**7. Adoption of Accounts**

a. Recreation accounts for December 2025

**#3-26**

Moved by: Justine Lamming

Seconded by: Joanne North

BE IT RESOLVED that the Recreation Committee approves the accounts for December 2025 in the amount of \$3862.93, as presented. Carried

**8. Unfinished Business**

a) The secretary reported that we are still waiting for a reply for the Capital Grant application to NOHFC for Laird Hall Improvements.

**9. New Business**

a) The secretary discussed the correspondence from Trisha Daynard dated Jan. 15, 2026 regarding additional hours for Summer Experience Program (SEP) student from 217.5 hours to 280 hours.

**#4-26**

Moved by: JoAnne Entwistle

Seconded by: Shawn Evoy

BE IT RESOLVED that the Recreation Committee approves of additional hours for the Summer Experience Program student. Carried

**10. Adjournment**

**#5-26**

Moved by: Crystal Wells

BE IT RESOLVED THAT this Recreation Committee shall now adjourn the meeting and will meet again February 24, 2026. Carried

Chair – \_\_\_\_\_  
Matt Frolick

Secretary – \_\_\_\_\_  
Rhonda Crozier