

Parks and Events Report
Village of Watkins Glen Board of Trustees

May 3, 2022

Hiring/Staffing:

- Need three more lifeguard applications for May 27th opening
- Campground opens Friday May 6

Beautification of Parks and Recreation:

- Trailways Grant
 - NYS Canal – Infrastructure and Events Grant Submitted
- Parks Maintenance
 - Team clearing Kayak Beach area and finished Clute Park grading project
 - Leveling of Low Spots
- Landscaping
 - Trimming of the bushes
 - Cushman used for Parks and Groundskeeping

Parks and Campground:

- Trailways
 - Cargill Cares Grant – awarded for Walking Trail
- Lakeside Pavilion – July 30th Grant – reviewing currently
 - Remodel Lakeside Pavilion
- LaBella – layout changed based on Cargill work

Recreation Programs:

- Roller-Skating:
 - Will run Fridays and Saturdays from 6 to 9 until June 18th
- Basketball Court is ready
- Volleyball nets are going up

Programming/Special Events:

- Special Events – Finger Lakes Open Water to Manager's Meeting
- Flip Flops and Fireworks – July 3rd with Rokus the Band

Board Concerns:

- Village Square – May 27th
 - Chamber of Commerce – Power
 - Louis – help with set up
 - Sails and Lights – discarded
 - Jim Guild – contacted
- Budget
 - Equipment needs

Thanks for reading – Craig - Parks and Event Center Manager