

Parks Department Updates

January 2020

Winter projects, mostly of the office variety, are underway at the Parks Department. These include updating the department's safety procedures (specifically regarding training and equipment usage for employees and volunteers), reorganizing records, reviewing current department policies, and preparing for the eventual move of the office from Town Hall to Pirone Park. The latter will likely be an arduous task, but one that will offer the benefit of cleaning out many archaic records and getting newer office procedures in place.

The new garage/office building at Pirone Park is on schedule, with the completion date looking to be some time in late May or early June. The building itself has taken shape, with the foundation in place, framing done, roof complete and siding soon to be attached. Much of the upcoming work will be interior construction, plumbing, and electrical installation.

Registrations have begun for spring programs, such as soccer, volleyball, baseball and softball. The Parks Department will also be finalizing our annual camp series schedule, which should include most activities offered from previous years. It is hoped that the schedule will be released by mid March.

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