

Minutes

Municipality of Thames Centre

Thames Centre Sports Wall of Fame Committee

November 19, 2024, 9:00 A.M. Board Room, FlightExec Centre 2066 Dorchester Road, Dorchester

Members Present:	C. Crockett, Chair/Council RepresentativeT. Heeman, Vice Chair/Council RepresentativeJ. Maudsley, Community RepresentativeD. Robinson, Community Representative
Members Absent:	Greg VanBerkel, Community Representative
Staff Present:	S. MacDonald, Director of Community Services and Facilities T. Garrett, Recording Secretary

1. Call To Order

The meeting was called to order at 9:09 a.m.

2. Disclosure Of Pecuniary Interest

No pecuniary interests were disclosed.

3. **Previous Minutes**

Resolution: TCSWOFC-015-2024 Moved by: J. Maudsley Seconded by: T. Heeman

THAT the minutes of the Thames Centre Sports Wall of Fame Committee meeting held on October 29, 2024, be received.

Carried.

4. Presentations/Delegations

No items.

5. Reports of Staff

5.1 Update on recommendation to Council regarding Recognition Wall for local sports association (verbal)

The Director of Community Services and Facilities updated the Committee regarding the recommendation to Council about the recognition wall for local sports associations. An email will be sent out to the organizations advising them of their 10-foot recognition wall, guidelines for what will be permitted on the walls and the process to have municipal staff add these items to the wall, with each section of wall having the association's name and logo at the top, with trim dividing each section.

On the wall in the FlightExec Centre, there will be space dedicated to: Dorchester Minor Hockey Association, BAD (Belmont, Aylmer, Dorchester) Girls, Dorchester Dragons Ringette, North Dorchester Skating Club, Dorchester Minor Baseball Association, Dorchester Girls Fastball, Dorchester Soccer Club, Thames Centre Minor Soccer, Dorchester Dolphins and Great Lake Canadians.

On the wall outside of Meeting Room #3, at the Thorndale Lions Community Centre, there will be space dedicated for: Thorndale Minor Soccer and Thorndale Minor Baseball.

Resolution: TCSWOFC-016-2024 Moved by: J. Maudsley Seconded by: D. Robinson

THAT the criteria and guidelines presented by staff to move forward with communication to respective associations regarding the sports recognition wall, **BE APPROVED**.

Carried.

5.2 Review itemized timeline for accepting and reviewing applications (verbal)

The Director of Community Services and Facilities reviewed the itemized timeline with the Committee for accepting and reviewing applications. The timeline is as follows:

November 22, 2024 - submit advertisement to the Signpost and Independent

November 25, 2024 - post application on website and promote via social media

January 31, 2025 - application closes

6. Committee Business

6.1 Review of Thames Centre Sports Wall of Fame Application

The Committee reviewed the Thames Centre Sports Wall of Fame Committee application and made changes, where needed.

Resolution: TCSWOFC-017-2024 Moved by: D. Robinson Seconded by: T. Heeman

THAT the proposed changes to the eligibility and nomination criteria in the Thames Centre Sports Wall of Fame application, **BE APPROVED**.

Carried.

7. Correspondence

No items.

8. Unfinished Business

No items.

9. New Business

No items.

10. Closed Session

No items.

11. Rise and Report

No items.

12. Scheduling of Meetings

The next meeting is scheduled to be held February 11, 2025, at 9:00 a.m.

13. Adjournment

There being no further business to discuss it was:

Resolution: TCSWOFC- 018-2024 Moved by: J. Maudsley Seconded by: D. Robinson

RESOLVED THAT the meeting adjourned at 10:01 a.m.

Carried.