

Dunmore Community Association Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

June 17th, 2026

May 26th BOD meeting was cancelled

Present: Trish Drescher, Nicole Johnson, Kristin Obritsch, Rocheal Howes, Shevaun Perrault

Regrets: Kirby McLean, Jessica Freitag, Nick Wilkie

Meeting called to order by Trisha at 6:00pm

New Business:

Community Grant applicant - Longfellow Community Center requesting \$2000

Car show donation for Marlyn

Emily for open board of director seat

Old Business:

Pump track Updates - Nick

AGLC Casino License - Shevaun

Intergenerational Workshops 2026 updates

Dunmore Days updates - Kristin

Unfinished Business:

None

Review of Agenda and Previous Minutes:

Motion: Rocheal made motion to accept the agenda – carried

Motion: Nicole made motion to accept the March 26th, 2026 BOD minutes - carried

Motion: Shevaun made a motion to accept the March 26th AGM BOD minutes - Carried

President's Report – Trisha Drescher

Mar 29 Created an Instagram account and linked to Facebook

Apr 2 Submitted Cypress Recreational Grant

Apr 7 Kona Ice is confirmed for Kite Festival

Apr 8 Capital matching page was removed from the Cypress Grant application - will submit next year when we get more funding for Pumptrack

Apr 10 Cypress County will no longer be able to sponsor pancake breakfast for Dunmore Days

Apr 14 Beverage container was damaged when rented but it is still functional

Apr 22 UFA Community Foundation will be sponsoring pedal tractors again this year at Dunmore Days
Apr 23 Received approved liquor license letter from Cypress County for July 23rd and August 29th
Apr 24 Received a Community Grant application from Longview Community Center
Apr 25 Applied for liquor license for both Skate night and Dunmore Days
Apr 26 Submitted Alberta Blue Cross Community Wellbeing Grant
May 6 Bathrooms were unlocked, water ran through and toilets were flushed a couple times
May 6 Emersyn will do the weekly cleanup for the ball season
May 6 Garbage bags were left outside of the garbage bin
May 13 EBHS invited DCA member to a book launch on May 21st
May 13 Trish and Kristin RSVP'd to the CFSEA meeting on June 3rd
May 20 Cypress County approved the recreational grant funding giving us \$16,000 for 2026 (\$13,000 operating, \$2000 small groups, \$1000 Dunmore Days)
May 23 Spring clean was a success with multiple people helping
May 23 Bathroom sink on the right is leaking, water to sink was turned off and bathroom was locked
June 1 Plumber was called for the bathroom sink
June 7 Bathroom sink was fixed
June 10 Movie night was a success thanks to the volunteers who helped

Motion: Rocheal made a motion to accept the presidents report - carried

New Business:

Community Grant applicant - Longfellow Community Center requesting \$2000

Longfellow Community Center has submitted an application for funding for their quilting group called "Stitched with Love". Members of this group get together every 2 weeks at Longview Hall to share quilting skills and enjoy socializing with others and they donate the quilts to places like Ronald McDonald House and Leisure Way Seniors Homes. The funds would go towards quilting supplies and other necessary items to continue this project. The DCA members thought this was a great project and an excellent way for community members to get together to bring joy to others. The DCA is providing a grant of \$1,000.00 to the Longfellow Community Group to support their quilting project.

Motion: Rocheal made a motion to accept the grant total of \$1,000.00 - carried

Car show donation for Marlyn

Marlyn is a community member of Dunmore and she is organizing a golf tournament in honor of her son and they will be raising money for the MHHS Hawks Football organization. She reached out to the DCA to ask for 4 tickets to the car show during Dunmore Days this year which will be used as a door prize or silent auction during the golf tournament. The DCA is providing Marlyn with 4 tickets to the car show in support of this event.

Motion: Shevaun made a motion to accept the 4 tickets to Marlyn - carried

Emily for board seat

Emily has contacted the DCA with her interest in an open Board of Director seat. Her family is moving to Dunmore at the end of June and she has been on different boards local to her community. The DCA will vote in the next board meeting on September 17th. Because Emily will not be living in Dunmore till the end of June, the board was not able to vote on the open seat.

Motion: Nicole made a motion to accept as information - carried

Old Business:

Pump track Updates - Nick

Pumptrack and pickleball project is needing investors to help with the costs. The board advertised on Facebook looking for potential investors. The DCA will be applying for the UFA grant to help with the costs of the project.

Motion: Kristin made a motion for more information - carried

AGLC Casino License - Shevaun

Shevaun has forwarded this to Nicole for more information that was required.

Motion: Rocheal made a motion for more information - carried

Intergenerational Workshops 2026 updates

The board members have organized multiple workshops which includes paint night, fitness class, swing dancing class, build your own planter, oil change class, german christmas baking and published books created by the students. The DCA has received funding from the Community Foundation of Southeastern Alberta for the second year of funding.

Motion: Rocheal made a motion for more information - carried

Dunmore Days updates - Kristin

The committee has everything booked for Dunmore Days and is just going over the last few details. We have received multiple Sponsors this year to help with the associated costs of organizing this event. We have a free pancake breakfast, mini market, silent auction, face painting, bouncy castles, kids craft center, car show, live entertainment during the afternoon and evening, free BBQ supper, food trucks, a beer garden and HALO will be coming out for a ball drop fundraiser

Motion: Nicole made a motion for more information - carried

Group Discussion:

None

Next BOD Meeting Schedule: September 17th at 6:30pm in Cypress County Meeting Room

Adjourned by Trisha at 6:33pm