

Village of Bremen Council
Park & Pool Meeting Minutes

2-3-2026 5pm

Attendees: Billy Robinette, Janet Schmeltzer, Chris Allerton, Nakia Bailor

Meeting called to order @ 17:02

Billy gives updates on active village park and pool projects

- Maypole has been ordered for a new addition to the shelter house. Estimated arrival 6-8 weeks
- Deposit on picnic tables for shelter house has been paid
- Bremen Metals works walks thru to happen this week related to shelter house construction when weather allows
- Pool shut off main water valve was broken and has been replaced
- Village staff have rebuilt the pool pump with new bearings that cost approximately \$200. Priced new pump at \$4,000.
- Corner Park across from Rushville Feed in need of a new sign. Reviewed Billy's proposed sign design. Discussed wording "Welcome to Bremen" "Drive Safe". Will obtain quotes for sign creation.
- Prior to new sign installation curb will be placed

Reviewed Shelter house rentals from last year.

- 4-hour rental x 17 in 2025
- 8-hour rental x5 in 2025
- Shelter and concession rental together x2 in 2025
- Total funds collected for rentals \$985
- New shelter house will not be rented out during baseball and softball season

Park and Pool Committee would like to bring to council a proposed no change to 2026 rental fees and maintain 2025 rates.

Reviewed Pool Pass and daily Pass charges.

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Oktoberfest Committee

No committee members in attendance

Billy presents info

Confirmed vendors so far: Madisons Fish, Sweet Bettys, Dauby's and Rushville Lions Club.

Ben Strausser and Red Light Go confirmed for musical entertainment.

Fireworks are proposed again

Last year food trucks were charged \$100 and craft vendors \$25

Suggestions for additions to festival 50/50 raffle drawing and possible 5k?

Sunday night Music in the Park discussed. Will use village building for bathrooms. Will have power on Main Street for food trucks. Discussed addition of defined DORA. Billy to contact solicitor for legality and logistics.

Meeting adjourned @ 17:41

Draft Minutes subject to council approval.