

INFORMATION REPORT

то:	Chair and Members Healthy and Safe Communities Committee
COMMITTEE DATE:	May 7, 2018
SUBJECT/REPORT NO:	Update on Mountain Kidz Klub Delegate Requests (HSC18024) (Ward 7)
WARD(S) AFFECTED:	Ward 7
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Council Direction:

At its meeting of April 9, 2018, the Healthy and Safe Communities Committee directed staff to report back on the requests made respecting the Mountain Kidz Klub.

Information:

In the delegate presentation by representatives of the Mountain Kidz Klub, the following was requested:

- Adding Mountain Kidz Klub to the City of Hamilton website
- Allowing continued access to Eastmount Community Centre
- Permission to purchase internet service
- Access to park washrooms during special events

Adding Mountain Kidz Klub to City of Hamilton Website

In consultation with the web team, it has been determined that there is currently no process for external groups to submit events to be listed on the City of Hamilton events calendar. In support of resident focused events, Web Communications is actively working with Tourism & Culture to determine criteria and process for external events to be included on the events calendar.

As such, in the future, groups will be able to send information about community events via an online form found on the City of Hamilton attractions and events page (<u>www.hamilton.ca/attractions</u>). Staff from the Recreation Division will share information

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with Mountain Kidz Klub on how to request events to be posted moving forward. Events can also be submitted to be posted on the Hamilton Spectator events calendar at <u>www.thespec.com/hamilton-events</u> or at Snap Hamilton's events calendar at <u>www.hamilton.snapd.com/calendar</u>.

Allowing Continued Access to Eastmount Community Centre

Staff are working with Mountain Kidz Klub to permit the space on an annual basis with fees waived for regular rentals and events. Facility updates will continue to be scheduled to ensure the building is secure and meets occupancy, health, and fire regulations.

Permission to Purchase Internet Service

Staff have been working with Information Technology Services to reactivate the phone line to the building. As of April 23, 2018, the disconnected phone line has been repaired and reactivated. Mountain Kidz Klub has been advised that they can proceed to set up their own internet service as required.

Washrooms for Events

Park washrooms are opened during the regular season (approximately May to September) based on an operating schedule determined by Parks staff. Washrooms required outside of this season or summer operating hours may be opened based on special request, typically made through a SEAT or rental application.

Appendices and Schedules Attached

Not applicable