

City of La Vista

Park & Recreation Advisory Committee Minutes
July 20, 2011

A meeting of the Park and Recreation Advisory Committee for the City of LaVista convened in open and public session at 7:00 p.m. on July 20, 2011. Present were Recreation Director Scott Stopak, Program Coordinator Rich Carstensen, Members Vice-Chairman Pat Lodes, Jeff Kupfer and Shannon Wiig. Absent was Member Corey Jeffus, George Forst, Assistant Director David Karlson and Program Coordinator Ryan South.

A notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by publication in the Papillion Times on July 14, 2011. Simultaneously given to the members of the Park and Recreation Advisory Committee and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of the notice are attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice to the members of the Park and Recreation Advisory Committee of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter were taken while the convened meeting was open to attendance of the public. Further, all the subjects included in said proceedings were contained in the agenda for inspection within ten working days after said meeting, prior to the convened meeting of said body.

CALL TO ORDER

Recreation Director Stopak called the meeting to order.

Seconded by Vice-Chairman Pat Lodes.

Director Stopak led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Director Stopak made an announcement of the location of the posted copy of the Open Meetings Act for public reference and read the Emergency Procedures Statement.

A. CONSENT AGENDA

Director Stopak made the motion to approve the consent agenda. Seconded by Member Wiig. Motion carried.

Director Stopak made a motion to approve the minutes from the June 15, 2011 Advisory Board meeting. Seconded by Member Wiig. Motion carried.

REPORTS FROM RECREATION DIRECTOR AND STAFF

Director Scott Stopak reported that the City's internal aquatic committee will present a pool proposal to the City Council at a special council meeting on Wednesday, July 27, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.

The Urban Adventure Race was held on July 9. There were 34 teams of 2 in attendance this year. Thank you to all the volunteers and city staff that helped out at the event. There is a slide show from the Omaha World-Herald on the city website.

The Splash Bash will be held on Sunday, August 7. This is a free day at the pool with food, drinks, swimming, a D.J. and prizes for the kids. Papillion Sanitation is the presenting sponsor this year.

Program Coordinator Rich Carstensen reported on the senior calendar for the last month. In June, the Seniors had a 4th of July holiday potluck at Central Park. In July, there will be a talk on Medicare changes, Christmas in July luncheon at the Masonic Temple in Papillion, and a trip to the movies. In August, the seniors will enjoy having magician Walter Graham entertain, and they will also be attending the Nebraska State Fair in Grand Island.

Stopak reported that the outdoor movies and concerts in La Vista were going well, with a much larger attendance than last year.

The SlumpBuster tournament went well this year. Thanks to Public Works for their hard work.

Golf is down 333 rounds this month.

COMMENTS FROM THE FLOOR

None.

COMMENTS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Vice-Chairman Lodes asked if the Senior Softball Association was going okay. Stopak said yes, and they were having a tournament this weekend with 13 teams. They are discussing purchasing scoreboards, so they are looking at a long term location to play.

Vice-Chairman Lodes made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Member Kupfer. Motion carried.
Adjourned at 7:27 p.m.

