



MEETING MINUTES
PARKS, RECREATION, AND ARTS ADVISORY BOARD MEETING
May 20, 2014

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at the Cultural Arts Centre, St. Peters Centre Blvd., at 7 p.m.

Roll Call

Members Present: Mike Delehaunty, Dan Frank, Don Moxley, David Ottinger, John Shetterly, Martha Smiley,

Members Absent: Sam Anderson, Amanda Darrell, Ray Meurer, Val Weston

Ex Officios: Terri Violet, Jeff Hutsler

Approval of Minutes

March minutes were approved as read.

Citizen's Comments: No one present for comments

New Business

We will conduct a Park Tour immediately following adjournment at the July Meeting. Meeting will begin one-half hour earlier to accommodate this event.

REPORTS:

Elected Officials Report:

- Alderman Terry Violet reported that in the near future the Parks Department will be opening the archery range elevated platforms (7, 10 and 15 foot) at Lakeside Park for "star gazing". The time will run from sunset until 11:00 p.m. Extended hours are allowed with approval from the Director. Permits will be required and the cost will be the same as for archery: St. Peters Resident; adults \$3 and children \$1 (with paying adult); Non-resident; adults \$5 and children \$3.

Manager's Report

- Lakeside Park:
 - The lake will not be restocked next year
 - The Pavilion is under construction; completion expected by late June, early July
 - Restrooms for the park are being constructed offsite; will be delivered in July
 - Front entrance sign has been completed and lighted
 - Dog Park
 - Staking and grading is underway
 - Hope to open in the fall

- Will have separate areas for large and small dogs
- Will include a pavilion that can be used by both sides
- Lake access for those dogs that like to play in water
- Additional seating will be available outside the fenced area for viewing
- All dogs must be accompanied by an adult
- Regulations will require all dogs have proper vaccinations before being allowed to use the dog park
- Annual memberships will be available

SPORTS CENTER AND WOODLANDS

- Woodlands Sports Park – New restroom facility will be located in the northwest section of park by Diamonds 26, 27 & 28.
- Sports Center Park – New restrooms/concession stand will be located on the west side of the park.

NOB HILL PARK

- Preparing bid specification for the permanent restroom and fitness equipment
- Expecting a fall completion date for the renovation of the park

REC-PLEX

- New pool pak unit has been installed – had to be built in place due to size
- New filters for the leisure pool have been installed
- Pool slide bid specifications are out – expected to be in this fall
- Moveable floor repair is scheduled for August, at which time we will have to drain the pool.
- Operation of the floor has been suspended for some time due to corrosion. Also, by draining the pool, we will be able to fix the stained area (2004 last time pool was drained) – should be good as new after August

CULTURAL ARTS CENTRE

- New A/C unit for the Performing Arts Theatre has been installed

GOLF COURSE

- The tee box at the 18th hole has been redesigned to place it in front of the trail as part of the GRG project with the City
- A permanent restroom will be built at the golf course next year

Upcoming Events:

Celebrate St. Peters: September 19 and 20 – need volunteers for this event. Contact Jessica Heslin at ext. 1207. Ozark Mountain Daredevils will be the headlining entertainment on Saturday night.

Halloween Carnival: Will be at the Recycle City/HES Operations Building on October 18 – volunteers are needed for this as well.

Tree Lighting Ceremony: Friday November 21 at City Hall

Chairman's Report

- **Tree Giveaway:** Discussion held regarding the elimination of having Black Gum trees at the giveaway. Board recommended unanimously having a minimum of 3 foot Red Bud and Dogwood seedlings as two of the trees in the giveaway.

Next Meeting Date

The next meeting will be at 6:30 p.m., July 15, 2014 at the Cultural Arts Centre. Immediately following a short business meeting, the Board will take a tour of the parks.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:49 p.m.

Minutes submitted by:

Don Moxley
Secretary to the Parks, Recreation,
And Arts Advisory Board

Approved:



Chairperson
Parks, Recreation, and Arts Advisory Board

| Member Name | Current Hours | Additional Hour |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Sam Anderson | 44 | |
| Amanda Darnell | 357 | |
| Mike Delehaunty | 226 | |
| Dan Frank | 154 | |
| Ray Meurer | 104 | |
| Don Moxley | 42 | |
| David Ottinger | 734 | |
| John Shetterly | 33 | |
| Martha Smiley | 162 | |
| Val Weston | 343 | |