

## STAFF REPORT

DATE: October 10, 2022

TO: Ty Lasher, City Manager  
Bel Aire City Council

FROM: Brian Hayes, Recreation Director

RE: **September Activities**

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### Recreation

- Fed Ex Ground in Sunflower Commerce Park donated two 27" bleacher units to the Rec Center. The value of these bleachers is \$7000. The blue colored bleachers will be used in the gym after the Fall Fest. **Thanks Fed Ex.**
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- Pickleball participation was down with 225 compared to 292 participants last month.
- Taekwondo participation was up slightly with 14 students compared to 11 in September
- Happy Feet & TGA Golf classes are underway with 22 participants.
- Exercise classes were steady with 20 participants compared to 21 in September.
- August daily use was down with 480 compared to 556 last month.
- 201 youth ages 4-10 will complete their Outdoor Soccer season on October 15<sup>th</sup>.
- 38 youth participating in volleyball and flag football will conclude their seasons on October 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- Several proposals for an updated Rec Complex and Bel Aire Park master plans have been received. Staff is in the process of reviewing and asking for some revisions. Things being discussed are ADA access at the Rec Center as well as renovation and possible relocation of the tennis court to the Rec Complex that can accommodate outdoor pickleball as well.
- Due to the unseasonably hot September, yard renovation was rescheduled for October.
- Upcoming Rec programs include the annual Fall Festival, Little Dribblers, & Youth Basketball Leagues.

### Seniors

- 542 seniors participated in bridge, line dance, exercise, Tai Chi, sewing, walking, book club, educational, and special activities compared to 644 last month.
- A few September events included a Potluck Dinner with Singo as well as several presentations.
- Staff continues to engage Bel Aire Seniors by phone, newsletters, and e-mail. Every week virtual tours of interesting venues, fun activities, and useful information are presented.
- Upcoming Senior activities include several pumpkin activities, Medicare counseling & enrollment, an orchard outing, Flu Shots, as well as the many ongoing programs and presentations.

### Swimming Pool

- Staff is continued collecting information and estimates on prep work, pool liners, and re-plastering. That information will be presented at the October city council workshop.

