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MEETING TYPE: Board of Alderman

DATE: October 14, 2024

SUBMITTED BY: Jessica St. Martin, Parks and Recreation Director

ITEM TYPE: Report

AGENDA SECTION: Departmental Reports

SUBJECT: **September Report**

DETAILS:

Events:

The last Cruise-In of the season was September 6th which yielded a great turnout. Cars were displayed along South Central Avenue, and extended to the end of N. Central Avenue

The Landis Touch-A-Truck Event was Friday, Sept. 20th from 5:00-7:00pm along N. Central Avenue with Cars, Trucks, and equipment from our Fire, Police, and Public Works departments on display along with local military, EMS, race cars & other trucking companies. Kids met characters, Mario & Luigi! Town Staff passed out 175 treat bags to the children in attendance.

The Fall Festival/Trunk or Treat is Sat. Oct 26th. The event will take place on both sides of Central Avenue. Craft and Info Booths will be along the streets. Food Vendors in attendance will be Chick-fil-A, Terry's Dawgs, Holy Smoke BBQ, Sunset Slushies, Heavenly Haven Kettle corn, Luxury Lemons, & Springtime's Sweet Treats. The kid zone area will have 3 small amusement rides, 2 inflatables, a kid's pumpkin patch, and hair and face painting. The Trunk or Treat will be during the entire event sponsored by The Town's departments and other local businesses.

**The event sponsors this year are The Town of Landis, Rowan Tourism, The Brook Church, Pinnacle Corrugated, Clint Miller Exterminating, SA Sloop Heating & Air, Frank C. Corriher Beef & Sausage, and Cannon Chiropractic.

Additional 2024 Event Dates:

Christmas Parade/ Tree Lighting- November 26, 2024, from 4pm-7pm (tree lights at 6pm)

Campfire Christmas by the Lake- December 14, 2024, from 4pm-7pm

Park Operations:

- Continuing Lake level adjustments according to projected rainfalls
- Dead Tree Removal around the park office
- Participated in Rowan County Creek Week with a Free Fishing Day for Kids and Free Kayak launches for personal kayaks. We had 11 kids take advantage of the free fishing day on 9/15.
- AC/Heat Mini Splits were installed in the cabins on 9/24
- Park hours beginning October 1st are 8:00am-5:00 pm

Pool Operations:

- Landis Pool closed Monday, Sept. 2nd for the season.
- The pool has been drained, pressure washed, & filters and skimmers have been cleaned. The water was filled back in and has been chemically treated for the off-season.

Campsite Reservations: 18 Shelter Rentals: 2 Daily Fishing Passes Sold: 425 State License: 25

Boat Registration: 6 2020 Ford Explorer Mileage: 58502 Ford F250 Mileage: 170921

