

Parks and Recreation Department Update

May

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Our Youth Soccer and Girls Volleyball seasons came to an exciting conclusion in May. These young athletes spent the season developing new skills, building friendships, and enjoying healthy competition. The season ended with thrilling playoff action and plenty of memorable moments for players and families alike.

Arts in the Park was held on May 16 and was a tremendous success. More than 60 art vendors, five food trucks, and multiple entertainers filled the festival grounds, creating a vibrant atmosphere for attendees of all ages. Great crowds, beautiful weather, and the scenic setting of the park combined to make it an outstanding day for the community.

Our Spring Yard Sale took place on May 9 from 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. While early morning weather slowed the arrival of some bargain hunters, conditions quickly improved and shoppers filled the area well beyond the scheduled end time. Vendors and patrons alike enjoyed a successful event with plenty of great finds and community interaction.

Music on Main at Town Hall featured four acoustic performers throughout May, entertaining patrons every Thursday evening from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Attendees enjoyed great music, relaxing evenings, and even managed to dodge a few rain showers along the way.

Belle Johnston Community Center hosted a Special Olympics Bingo Night on May 7, welcoming 18 participants for an evening filled with prizes, laughter, and fun. The excitement continued on May 8 with 41 bingo players enjoying another successful night of games and fellowship. There were plenty of winners that week!

Our senior participants celebrated National Pickle Day on May 15th. Seniors were treated to a large dill pickle and a refreshing drink, making for a simple but enjoyable celebration.

On May 28, Shi and Erin escorted 11 participants on a day trip to the Asheboro Zoo. Beautiful weather, incredible animal exhibits, and a delicious lunch combined to create a memorable experience for everyone involved.



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General Programming – Belle Johnston

Pickleball: Open Pickleball times are Mondays and Friday from 9am-12pm and Wednesdays from 1:30pm-4:30pm. 53 participants

Asap Pickleball – Thursdays at 9am – 18 participants

Karate: They hold classes on Wednesdays. 30 participants

Pre School Open Gym – Wednesday morning from 9a – 12p – 53 participants

Cookie Decorating – 5/14 – 14 participants

National Pickle Day – 5/15 - 53 participants

Special Olympic Bingo Night – 5/7 - 18 participants

Paint Class – 5/19 – 8 participants

Field Trip – Asheboro Zoo – 5/28 – 11 participants

Family Bingo Night – 5/8 – 41 participants

Sound Bath – 3 participants

Lake Park

Tai Chi – Saturdays – 8 participants

Yoga on the Lawn – 2 participants

Storytime in the Park – 141 children, 101 adults

Spring Yard Sale – May 9 – 16 participants

Arts in the Park – May 16 – 60 Vendors, 5 Food Trucks, 5 artistic acts

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The Hut

Senior Fit – Senior Fit takes place at the Hut M – Thursdays. 124 participants

Yoga – 28 participants

Facility Rentals

The Hut: 3 Rentals

The BJCC Dining Room: 3 Rentals

Large Shelter: 12 Rentals

Medium Shelter: 13 Rentals

Shelter 1 at JH: 1 Rental

Shelter 2 at JH: 3 Rentals

Shelter 3 at JH: 2 Rentals

Youth Athletics

-Most of youth soccer finished on May 9th. The U9 and U12 playoff tournament continued and finished on May 16th. All players received end of season medals.

-Youth Volleyball finished on May 9th. All players received end of season medals.

Adult Athletics

-No Adult athletics in May.

Jack Hughes Tournaments/Special Events

-May 2-3: Perfect Game Tournament

-May 9-10: Perfect Game Tournament

-Harrisburg Elementary had a field trip on 5/14 & 5/15 on field 3 at Jack Hughes. They used the multipurpose field and two picnic shelters.

-May 16-17: Perfect Game Tournament

-May 30-31: Perfect Game Tournament (Saturday rained out)

Baseball Field Usage

-Charlotte Catholic finished their seasons in May. Baseball hosted 2 playoff games and softball hosted 1 playoff game.

-PCAA continued their seasons in May.

-On Deck continued their season in May.

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Multipurpose Field Usage

Pineville youth soccer practices and games ended in May.

Social Media

Facebook

Views: 42,997

Total Page Followers: 6,936

New Follows: 58

Instagram

New Followers: +119

Total Followers: 4,677

Park Maintenance Update

Lake Park

Daily check

Weekly Mowing

Monthly Building Inspections

Replaced flowers at entrance

Remove and repair swing at medium shelter

Monthly playground inspections

Repair multiple swings around lake

Repaired several issues with large play sets

Sprayed for fire ants

Set up for Arts in the Park

Sprayed common areas for weeds as needed

Hut

Weekly mowing

Set up tables for Town Lunch

Set up for Council

Set up for planning board

Spray weeds as needed

Trimmed shrubbery

Monthly building inspections

Remove trash as needed

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Jack Hughes

Reduce irrigation for water restrictions
Weekly mowing
Daily field prep
Weekly tournament prep
Fill holes on field 3 from soccer
Repaired irrigation leak at entrance
Trimmed shrubs around stadium
Replaced home plate at stadium
Removed and stored soccer goals
Spray fire ants as needed
Sprayed weeds in common areas

Town Hall/PD

Daily check
Turned back irrigation for water restrictions
Met with landscaper regarding weeds in beds and condition of property
Turned off fountain for water restrictions
Daily fountain check and trash removal
Checked vault and sump pump due to heavy rains

Pineville Memorial

Turned back irrigation for water restrictions

Splash Pad

Assisted with feature repair
Blow and trash as needed
Dog Park
Fill holes as needed
Limb removal as needed

McCullough Greenway

Sprayed weeds around rocks
Weekly mowing
Blow trail as needed

Fire Department

Took tables/chairs for Grand Opening

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2026 Special Events Calendar

June

- **Rock'n & Reel'n Movie** – Friday, June 5
- **Rock'n & Reel'n Concert** – Friday, June 12
- **Charlotte Symphony Performance & Fireworks** – Thursday, June 25

July

- **Rock'n & Reel'n Concert** – Friday, July 10
- **Rock'n & Reel'n Movie** – Friday, July 24

August

- **Rock'n & Reel'n Concert** – Friday, August 14
- **Rock'n & Reel'n Movie** – Friday, August 28

September

- **Music on Main** – Each Thursday from 6:30PM – 8:30PM. Food Truck, Downtown Merchant Gift Card Raffle, Yard Games, September 3, 10, 17, 24; October 1

October

- **Fall Fest** – Thursday, October 15 – Friday, October 16 5:00PM – 9:00PM; Saturday, October 17 10A - 9P

December

- **Town of Pineville Christmas Tree Lighting** – Friday, December 4, 2025, 5:30PM – 7:00PM