# PARKS AND RECREATION JANUARY 202

# DIRECTOR'S REPORT

### Festivals/Events

*Mullet*-began booking bands and procuring contracts. *Sponsorship* 

- Sponsorships have begun to come in.
- Reaching out to previous sponsors and potential sponsors.

Misc.

- Began securing portable toilets, tents, tables, shuttle service, and security services.
- Met with Curtis Media to review sponsorship and dates for the 2023 events.
- Met with Lamar Advertising to discuss marketing opportunities.
- Secured new fireworks vendor, fireworks will be held on July 3, 2023.
- Met with Diamond Bus Company to review shuttle needs for the year and secure sponsorship.
- Met with Onslow County Tourism discuss and develop new marketing strategies for the 2023 festivals.

# **Comprehensive Master Plan Update**

- Received final draft, reviewing for changes, recommendations.
- Met with Town Manager for review of draft.

# **ARP Funding Projects**

- Cameras-Cameras ordered, waiting for them to arrive.
- UTV-order placed.

# Miscellaneous

- Initial meeting with Onslow County Parks and Recreation to begin working on logistics for PirateFest. Event will be held May 13, 2023, 10am-4pm, Downtown Swansboro.
- Preparing 2023-24 budget for the department.
- The Recreation Centered celebrated its 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary this January. Event was held for celebration, free fitness demonstrations, pickleball class, performances from local dance studio, and other instructors featured classes offered at the Recreation Center.
- Serve on the Onslow County Senior Games Committee, meetings held once a month.
- Continue to manage Church Street Dock- monitor docks daily, on-call on weekends to take reservations and handle docking issues that arise.
- Continue to work at the Visitors Center twice a month.
- Attend weekly Zoom meetings with NCRPA (North Carolina Recreation and Park Association) Director's call.
- Serve on the Jacksonville Onslow Sports Commission board as a liaison. Attend quarterly meetings, update the board on the department's programs, events, and festivals.
- Continue to manage and monitor budget and funds.
- Attend Board of Commissioner meetings.
- Conduct Parks Advisory Board meetings.

#### **Metrics-Social Media**

Media Outlet	Followers	Page Reach	Post Engagement	New Followers
Facebook	14,251	15,098	1882	78
Instagram	615	247		29

	From 1/7/2023 to 2/6/2023					
	Registrations	Reservations	Memberships	Check-Ins	Profiles Created	P
All	93	40	14	0	85	
Resident	16	10	2	0	6	
Non-Resident	77	30	12	0	79	
No Residency Set	0	0	0	0	0	
	Demographics					
< 18	25	0	1	0	15	
18 - 65	48	31	10	0	58	
65+	20	9	3	0	12	
Male	43	20	2	0	35	
Female	50	20	12	0	50	
Other Genders	0	0	0	0	0	
	Online vs In-House					
Online	35	0	0	N/A	31	
In-Person	58	40	14	N/A	54	

# **Organization Activity**

#### Revenue

Slip Fee - Town Dock	\$2122.50	
Rental Fees-Parks	\$75	
Rentals Rooms	\$200	
Dog Park Registrations	\$875	
Rec Program Fees	\$4083	
Gym Memberships	\$715	
Vendor Fees	\$755	
Festival Sponsorships	\$3600	
Program/Event Sponsorships	\$1000	

#### **RECREATION PROGRAM SUPERVISOR Routine monthly job responsibilities:**

# • Processed Payments/Refunds for programs and special events

- Emailed monthly distribution list the upcoming programs/events for the department
- Dock Slip reservations/Pump Outs
- Compiled daily deposits
- Advertised/promoted all programs/special events on social media platforms: Facebook, Instagram, JD News
- Created all programs/events in RecDesk software for registration
- Created program proposals for new programs to be approved by Director
- Completed disbursement forms and processed room reservations damage deposit refunds.
- Submitted weekly Community Service Work Program timesheets
- Submitted departmental work orders
- Completed instructor payouts for recently finished programs
- Parks advisory board monthly meeting presented past, current, and future programs to board

#### Planned programs and other monthly work:

### 2022-23 Budget and End of Year Revenue/Expense Projections

- Calculated expenses and revenue for remainder of fiscal year
- Prepared and adjusted budget for upcoming 2023-24 fiscal year

#### **Instructor Contracts**

- Contacted all current instructors to renew contract for 2023 year
- Requested updated Certificate of Insurance if needed

### Teacher Workday Camp – Jan. 23 & 24

- Conducted full day program with scheduled staff
- Prepared classroom with crafts necessary for daily planned activities
- Emailed all camp policies and documents needed for all registered parents

### Pickleball

- Put all new ordered league equipment in new bin and moved older nets to community bin
- Secured fencing at tennis courts in preparation for wind gusts and storms
- Removed damaged windscreens from fencing after damage from wind gusts and storms
- Received ordered windscreens from Practice Sports and prepared payment for invoice

### Fall Youth Flag Football

- Researched and contacted other recreation department about flag football programs, leagues, registration details, policies, and rules.
- Discussed equipment pricing with BSN representative for startup cost and cost for season supplies.
- Contacted Pamlico Parks & Recreation about their experience and working with NFL Flag organization for their flag football league.
- Researched age group offerings by other recreation departments.

#### Down Syndrome Network Onslow Carteret County

- Held meeting with Tiffany Flint about upcoming events and programs offered for 2023
- Discussed Holiday party dates and room availability.
- Scheduled tentative date of December 2 for Holiday Party at the Town Hall Community Room.
- Reviewed contract with Tiffany Flint and requested Certificate of Insurance required for instructor led programs offered with the department.

#### **Basketball Court Renovation Project**

- Contacted local asphalt companies to request quotes for resurfacing the basketball court asphalt.
- Meeting with two local companies and completed a site walk through to discuss project.
- Requested quotes for new backboards, rims, nets, and paint.
- Prepared project proposal with project plans, affiliated costs, and justifications.

#### Love Fur Exercise

- Meeting with prospective fitness class instructor Carrie White
- Discussed future programs dates and themes to offer in the park and in the Recreation Center
- Reviewed contract with instructor and discussed pricing for new programs.

#### **Fellowship Night- February**

- Requested February date for program from staff/instructor- scheduled for February 20
- Discussed program theme with staff/instructor and inquired about any supplies needed.

### Easter Egg Hunt

- Contacted event sponsor, Gigi Robles, about dates for Easter Egg Hunt and new sponsorship packet.
- Selected March 31 date for program from 6-7 PM.
- Contacted Scouts of America to request volunteer help for event.

### Summer Day Camp 2023

- Researched other local recreation department summer camp weekly fees/rates.
- Reviewed weekly dates for Summer Day Camp 2023.
- Adjusted rates for weekly and series camp fees for 2023.
- Set March 1 registration start date at 7:30 PM.
- Emailed recent summer camp attendees about upcoming March 1 camp registration.
- Requested field trip ideas and Summer Camp programming ideas with returning camp staff.

### **Theatre Trips**

- Contacted Wilson Center in Wilmington about upcoming May 7<sup>th</sup>, My Fair Lady show and costs for reserving tickets.
- Paid for remaining amount due for reserved tickets for Rehearsal for Murder show on February 26 at the Legacy Theater in Jacksonville.
- Discussed future trips with program/staff leader for upcoming months.

#### Be Inspired, Inc. Instructor Meeting

- Held meeting with instructor Carol McDearmon. Discussed and planned new art/paint class offerings for the upcoming months.
- Discussed and planned Art in the Afternoons Half-Day Summer Camp program offering for summer 2023.
- Scheduled Art-a-Thon program date for March 4<sup>th</sup> at the Recreation Center.

#### Swansboro Parks & Rec 10 Year Anniversary Celebration

- Prepared rooms and set up facility for event.
- Hosted event on January 28, 2023, from 10am-2pm
- Contacted and confirmed participation of program instructors and partners for event
- Confirmed food trucks participation and arrival time for event.