



ASHLEY CURRY
MAYOR

CITY OF VESTAVIA HILLS
PARKS AND RECREATION
Work Session Topics
June 20, 2023

JAMIE LEE
PARKS AND LEISURE
DIRECTOR

1. Parks & Leisure Update – Jamie Lee
 - Spring Wrap Up
 - Pool & VHCC Update
2. Discussion Items:
 - Field Use Data
 - i. Multi-purpose field use – grass vs. turf
 - ii. Diamonds
 - iii. Mike Hill - STS
 - Boys & Girls Basketball Registration
 - i. OTM fees
 - Recreational Fees
 - i. Individual sport boards – resident/non-resident/club
 - ii. Rental Fees – off season. Monitor cost
 - VHAC
 - i. Semi-Private Party fee - Website
 - ii. Weather policy – Tornado Watch
 - iii. VHAC – “punch pass”
 - VHCC
 - i. VHCS membership? Individual or Family, both?
3. Upcoming Dates (Request):
 - CF Request – May 11, 2024
 - White Coat Ceremony
 - Baseball – Fall Dates
 - i. 9/16 USSSA & Grand Slam
 - ii. 9/30 USSSA & Grand Slam
 - iii. 10/21-22 USSSA
 - iv. 11/10 Grand Slam
 - Baseball – Spring
 - i. 3/16-17 USSSA
 - ii. 5/4-5 USSSA & Grand Slam
 - iii. 5/11 Grand Slam
 - iv. 6/1-2 Grand Slam
 - v. 6/27-30 USSSA
4. League Reports – PLEASE SUBMIT IN WRITING
5. Citizen Comments – Must sign in prior to start of the meeting
6. Next Meeting –
 - Next regular scheduled meeting will be July 18, 2023 at 7:30 am in the Cahaba Room.
 - Next work session will be August 15, 2023 at 7:30 am in the Cahaba Room.



CITY OF VESTAVIA HILLS
PARKS AND RECREATION
Work Session Notes - June 20, 2023

ASHLEY CURRY
MAYOR

JAMIE LEE
PARKS AND LEISURE
DIRECTOR

Members Present: Lyles Box, Kirk McCulley, Danny Marshall, Chad Gay, Mayor Ashley Curry, Paul Head and Shelley Gentle via phone. Staff Present: Jamie Lee and Sandi Wilson. Guests Present: Mike Hill and Lee Lowery – STS, Rocky Harmon – Soccer and Chad Long - Baseball

1. Parks & Leisure Update – Jamie Lee
 - Spring Wrap Up – Overall very positive
 - Pool & VHCC Update – memberships are above what we expected. We have 50+ lifeguards and more inquiries weekly. Handout was given on exact numbers.
2. Discussion Items:
 - Field Use Data – Handout was given on the breakdown of field usage from 08/2022 through 05/2023. Lee Lowery with STS spoke about the numbers and usage.
 - i. Multi-purpose field use – grass vs. turf
 - ii. Diamonds
 - iii. Mike Hill – STS – spoke to the group about his experience over the past 9 years. He would like to see us all streamline the calendars and in turn fill in some of the communication gaps. Discussed the issue about fields and injuries / liabilities when the fields are open at all times. STS current contract expires on September 31, 2023. Jamie spoke to the difficulty to police and stated that we need the field gates.
 - Boys & Girls Basketball Registration – Jamie is investigating Arbitor Sports. We are going to invest in Arbitor. We will be able to use it for Softball, Flag Football, Boys and Girls Basketball and any Baseball tournaments, etc. If we go through with the agreement, it is a \$13,000.00 investment so we do need total “buy-in” from basketball boards. It was reported that the Boys are a go!
 - i. OTM fees – there are 6 teams practicing this week at Central. Discussed teams paying the registration fees plus the monitor fees.
 - Recreational Fees – Update on Volleyball, Flag and Tackle Football Registrations.
 - i. Individual sport boards – resident/non-resident/club
 - ii. Rental Fees – off season. Monitor cost
Discussion on Rental fees and do we need to increase fees due to the wear and tear on the fields?
 - VHAC
 - i. Semi-Private Party fee - Website
 - ii. Weather policy – Tornado Watch
 - iii. VHAC – “punch pass”
 - VHCC
 - i. VHCS membership? Individual or Family, both?
3. Upcoming Dates (Request): All dates were discussed.
 - CF Request – May 11, 2024
 - White Coat Ceremony
 - Baseball – Fall Dates
 - i. 9/16 USSSA & Grand Slam
 - ii. 9/30 USSSA & Grand Slam
 - iii. 10/21-22 USSSA
 - iv. 11/10 Grand Slam
 - Baseball – Spring
 - i. 3/16-17 USSSA
 - ii. 5/4-5 USSSA & Grand Slam
 - iii. 5/11 Grand Slam
 - iv. 6/1-2 Grand Slam
 - v. 6/27-30 USSSA

Next Meeting – Next regular scheduled meeting will be July 18, 2023 at 7:30 am in the Cahaba Room.

Next work session will be August 15, 2023 at 7:30 am in the Cahaba Room.