



Administrative Report

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Meeting Date: 11/13/2024

To: PUBLIC AMENITIES COMMISSION

From: KELLY ORTA, DEPUTY COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR

TITLE

RECEIVE AND FILE UPDATES AND GENERAL INFORMATION REGARDING RECREATION AND PARKS-RELATED ITEMS

BACKGROUND

The following items are provided as updates and general information regarding recreation and park-related items under the purview of the Public Amenities Commission:

Dale Page Park

At the October 7 meeting, Chairperson Yousufzai requested an update regarding his concerns with E-bike use on the interior sidewalks at Dale Page Park, which were causing safety concerns between park users, including children, and E-bike riders. Staff has connected with the Police Department to inform them of the concern. Additionally, staff is confirming whether there is an existing ordinance that outlines E-bike use in parks, which would further help enforcement or provide guidance on potential gaps in the policy. Additionally, the Public Works team was also consulted and suggested that infrastructure updates, such as a split pathway that would delineate between pedestrians and E-bike riders along with designated signage, could be considered. Community Services staff will continue these interdepartmental conversations to find a long-term plan.

Pickleball

Following comments made at the October 7 meeting, staff made updates to the pickleball webpage on the City's website. Specifically, these updates included individual task information and project updates regarding Alta Vista Park, which was approved by the City Council for the installation of four (4) pickleball courts. Staff will continue to update the pickleball webpage when progress is made on this project or the future pickleball facility at Aviation Park.

Winter Newsletter

The Winter Newsletter, which includes events, activities, and recreational classes for January - March, 2025, is scheduled to be released to the public on Monday, November 18. Resident registration will begin on Monday, December 2 followed by non-resident registration on Monday, December 9.

Events & Activities

- Pumpkins in the Park (Saturday, 10/26) - annual event held at Perry Park. The event was hugely successful with over 1,600 people of all ages participating. Activities included games, arts and crafts, and costume contests for various categories.
- Senior Lunch Program (every Thursday) - held weekly at Perry Park. Has been very successful with sold out participation each week. Reservations are required.
- Veterans Day Ceremony (Monday, 11/11) - Annual ceremony will take place at the Veterans Memorial located at Veterans Park beginning at 1pm. All are welcome to attend.
- Thanksgiving Camp (11/25 - 11/27) - youth day camp available at Perry Park Teen Center. Pre-registration is required on the City's website.
- Tree Lighting Ceremony (Tuesday, 12/3) - Annual ceremony will take place at the Civic Center beginning at 4:00pm.
- Let it Snow (Saturday, 12/7) - Annual event taking place at Seaside Lagoon from 12:00 - 4:00pm. Activities for all ages include photos with Santa, snow sledding, and arts and crafts.
- Senior Holiday Party (Monday, 12/9) - will take place at the Redondo Beach Performing Arts Center from 12:00 - 3:00pm. Tickets are on sale at each of the senior center facilities.

ATTACHMENTS

None.