

**MINUTES OF THE CITY OF SHERMAN PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD
MEETING HELD THURSDAY, AUGUST 13th AT 12:30 AT THE
GLENNIE O'HAM CENTER, 1002 N. MUSIC**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman Trent Bass, Member Brian Jones
Member John Murphy, Member Jencie Bolin,
Member Rhonda McCollum

STAFF PRESENT: Kevin Winkler, Parks & Recreation Director
Kim Hobbs, Secretary
Theresa Hutchinson, Recreation Manager
Dylan Johnson, Recreation Specialist/Aquatics
Jimmy Mrozinski, Parks Maintenance Supervisor

MEMBERS ABSENT: Member Lauren Roth, Member Michael Gillum

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Trent Bass called the meeting to order at 12:38pm with a quorum present.

APPROVE MINUTES

Chairman Trent Bass asked if there were any corrections, additions, or deletions to the minutes of July 9, 2015. There were no corrections.

ACTION TAKEN

Motion by Member John Murphy to approve minutes as written; second by Member Jencie Bolin. All voted aye.

REPORT ON PARKS AND RECREATION ACTIVITIES

Mrs. Hutchinson reported that Monday Madness is over for the summer. On September 12th there will be a Pickleball Clinic from 9am-Noon at the Taylor St. Complex. Mrs. Hutchinson announced that on August 29th a benefit softball tournament will be held at Fairview Park for Ben Reeves. Mr. Reeves is having surgery for brain cancer. The tournament will be all day and will have concessions, t-shirts sales, and raffle tickets. The Parks & Recreation department is busy planning fall activities. The Splash will close for the summer on August 23rd. Mrs. Hutchinson reported that a Lifeguard Training class will be held in December but no date has been set.

REPORT ON PARKS AND RECREATION SPORTS

Mr. Winkler reported that the state tournament went well and that the Parks & Recreation Department hosted the state conference last weekend. Sherman didn't receive a tournament for the Texas Teen Softball for next year. Denison will host a tournament next year.

REPORT ON PARKS MAINTENANCE

Mr. Mrozinski reported that the mowing has slowed down and he's hired three additional seasonal workers. Mr. Mrozinski announced that the contract mowing was caught up and that he's moving staff around as needed. Mr. Mrozinski plans on filling two full time positions from the seasonal workers.

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REPORT ON SENIOR CENTER

Mrs. Howard was unable to attend the meeting so Mrs. Hutchinson reported on the Senior Center activities. Mrs. Hutchinson announced that the Senior Sock Hop had 87 participants. Some of the senior activities include vision checks, banana split bingo, karaoke, waffle breakfast, and on August 28th a trip to the Chrystal Opry House.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. Winkler announced that plans are being made to charge a fee at the Taylor St. complex for activities. A new employee will be hired to work at the gym in October and the fees will help off-set salaries. Punch cards will be available for purchase or the individual can pay each time at the door.

SCHEDULE NEXT MEETING DATE

The next regular meeting of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board was set for Thursday, September 10th at 4:00 p.m.at the Glennie O'Ham.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Chairman Trent Bass to adjourn the meeting; All voted aye. The meeting was adjourned at 1:10pm.

SIGNATURES

Trent Bass,
Advisory Board Chairman

Kevin Winkler,
Parks and Community Service Director

Date

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