MINUTES WAYNESVILLE PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMISSION AUGUST 12, 2003

Chairman Kenny Mull called the meeting to order at 6:38 pm.

In attendance were; Kenny Mull, Ed Moore, Kitty Eaker, Dot Evans, Lee Starnes, Rhonda Schandevel, and Michael Smith. Wallace Messer was out of town.

Kenny read the minutes of the July meeting. They were approved as read.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

The **fall softball league** has 18 teams and play will continue through October 23. **Soccer** begins play August 16. Games will be held on Sat. and Sun., on the Vance St. fields. The season is for 11 weeks. A tournament will be held in November. There are 750 players.

The Allens Creek fields will be used by the younger players.

Church league basketball will begin in October. The **35 and up league** will begin in January. A **mens tennis league** has formed with 13 players. **Tuscola girls tennis** is again using the courts for practice and matches.

Learn-to-swim classes which have been canceled for the summer will resume in October. The **Smoky Mtn. Aquatic Club** will hold sign-ups on August 23 and practice begins August 25. **Yoga and aerobics** are now taking sign-up. The **Back to school** dance had 100 youth and seemed to be well received by the youth. **Individual Horse riding lessons** will be offered as long as weather permits. The **prison inmates** are being used to spread mulch in the playground. The old outdoor pool site is being graveled for parking until the site settles and a permanent use is determined. The **East Street Park Scout Hut** was damaged when a tree fell on it during a recent storm. Insurance adjusters have been contacted.

The **July Monthly Review** for the center was distributed. We have 4,163 members and the revenue totaled \$48,769.88. This was the second busiest month of operation.

Three weeks ago the block, above the roof line of the center, received a coat of sealer in an attempt to stop our leaks . No leaks so far.
There being no further business, Dot moved to adjourn, and Kitty second. All were in favor. 7:10 pm.
Respectfully submitted,
Michael Smith