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ADVISORY COMMISSION MEETING

May 16, 2018 5:30 PM

MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 5:40 pm.

In attendance were: Michelle Claytor, Lee Starnes, Kenny Mull, Don Frady, and Wallace Messer and Rhett Langston. Dan Schultz, Sarah Massie, Kim Gardner and Mackie McKay were unable to attend.

Minutes: The April 18, 2018 minutes were approved.

New Business:

- The monthly report for April was reviewed.
- The Haywood County Special Olympics Track and Field event went very well. It was the largest crowd to date.
- The Spring Fling with the Waynesville Kiwanis is Saturday, May 19. Everyone gets in free at the Waynesville Recreation Center.
- We now have officially applied for CAPRA. We will need to complete a self-assessment beginning in October. If we pass this step then we will have a visitation team visit us from other departments in the United States in either January or February of 2019. If we pass this we will attend the National Recreation and Parks Association National Conference in September 2019 in Baltimore, Maryland for the final step which is to go before a panel.
- The pour-in-play on the new playground has been delayed a week due to rain. The advisory commission needed to make a recommendation on a name. It was suggested to name it "All Abilities Playground." All voted yes.
- We have started a new volleyball academy for young girls. Our hope is that this will be carried over to create club teams. Ideally, we will host matches with our club teams.
- We have done a lot of tree work at Recreation Park.
- We have a lot of cracks on the tennis courts that will have to be refilled. We just got through filling the cracks on the running track in front of the Waynesville Recreation Center.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:30 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rhett Langston

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