AGENDA
PARKS, RECREATION, AND CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
Wednesday, May 1, 2019 – 7:00 P.M.

This Agenda contains a brief general description of each item to be considered. Except as provided by law, action or discussion shall not be taken on any item not appearing on the agenda. Supporting documents, including staff reports, are available for review at the Recreation & Community Services Department or on the City’s website at www.cityoflosalamitos.org once the agenda has been publicly posted.

Any written materials relating to an item on this agenda submitted to the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection at the Recreation & Community Services Department, 10911 Oak St., Los Alamitos CA 90720, during normal business hours. In addition, such writings or documents will be made available for public review at the respective public meeting.

It is the intention of the City of Los Alamitos to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) in all respects. If, as an attendee, or a participant at this meeting, you will need special assistance beyond what is normally provided, please contact the Recreation & Community Services Department at (562) 430-1073, extension 540, 48 hours prior to the meeting so that reasonable arrangements may be made. Assisted listening devices may be obtained from the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission Secretary at the meeting for individuals with hearing impairments.

Persons wishing to address the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission on any item on the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission Agenda should complete a yellow “Request to Speak” card and will be called upon at the time the agenda item is called or during the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission’s consideration of the item and may address the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission for up to three minutes.

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL
   Commissioner Crans
   Commissioner Doby
   Commissioner Hill
   Commissioner Hunter
   Commissioner Murphy
   Vice Chair Duran
   Chair Olveda

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS
   At this time, any individual in the audience may come forward to speak on any item within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts
Commission (PR&CA). Please state if you wish to speak on an item on the Agenda. Remarks are to be limited to not more than five minutes.

5. **MINUTES**
Approval of the Minutes for the Regular Meeting of February 6, 2019 and March 6, 2019.

6. **STAFF REPORTS**

   A. **Facility and Park Maintenance Update**
   This report provides the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission with a biannual update on facility and park maintenance.

   Recommendation: Commission discuss and provide recommendations.

   B. **Proposition 68**
   This report provides the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission information on the California Proposition 68, the Parks, Environment, and Water Bond.

   Recommendation: Commission discuss and provide recommendations.

   C. **Race on the Base 2019**
   This report provides the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission an update of the Los Alamitos Recreation and Community Services Department 2019 Race on the Base.

   Recommendation: Commission receive and file.

   D. **Summer Preview**
   This report provides the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission a preview of the Los Alamitos Recreation and Community Services Department’s 2019 summer programs, classes, camps, and events.

   Recommendation: Commission receive and file.

7. **ITEMS FROM THE RECREATION & COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

8. **COMMISSIONER REPORTS**
   At this time, Commissioners may report on items not specifically described on the Agenda that are of interest to the community, provided no action or discussion is taken except to provide staff direction to report back or to place the item on a future Agenda.

9. **ADJOURNMENT**

I hereby certify, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing Agenda was posted at the Community Center, Museum and City Hall not less than 72 hours prior to the meeting. Dated this 25th day of April 2019.

Trini Zenovka, Department Secretary
MINUTES OF PARKS, RECREATION AND CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF LOS ALAMITOS

REGULAR MEETING – WEDNESDAY, February 6, 2019

1. CALL TO ORDER
The Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission met in a Regular Session at 7:02 p.m., Wednesday, February 6, 2019, in the Council Chambers, 3191 Katella Ave., Chair Olveda presiding.

2. ROLL CALL
Present: Commission Members: Crans, Doby, Hunter, Murphy, Olveda
Absent: Commission Members: Duran, Hill
Present: Staff: Ron Noda, Recreation Manager
Emeline Noda, Recreation Manager
Megan Shimada, Recreation Supervisor
Trini Zenovka, Department Secretary

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
Chair Olveda the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. ORAL COMMUNICATION
Chair Olveda opened Oral Communications. There being no one present wishing to speak, Chair Olveda closed Oral Communications.

5. MINUTES
Motion/Second: Crans/Olveda
Abstain: Duran/Hill
Motion Carried: The Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission approved the Regular Meeting of February 6, 2019.

6. STAFF REPORTS

A. Preview of Contract Classes
Recreation Supervisor, Megan Shimada provided the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission an inside look at the acquisition and implementation of new contract classes within the Recreation and Community Services Department. The City of Los Alamitos offers the community a wide variety of specialty programs, classes and camps through contract instructors. The use of the contract instructors allows the Recreation and Community Service Department to find specialized professionals who have expertise in areas of interest to the members of the community. These specialized areas include fitness, sports, painting, performing arts, educational development, engineering, animal training, and much more. Every season, staff adds new classes to the
Recreation and Community Services’ “Recreation Brochure” in order to keep up with program trends and public interests.

Recreation and Community Services Department staff utilize several resources to acquire new classes and instructors. Co-sponsoring classes and camps with neighboring cities and classes listed in conjunction with local businesses are another valuable resource for acquiring new contract classes. Another resource is the City of Los Alamitos Recreation Services’ social media accounts including Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and Nextdoor. Lastly, new instructors often reach out to the Recreation and Community Services Department. The Recreation and Community Services Department has been fortunate in acquiring many new classes through these methods.

When initial contact is make with prospective instructors, staff will request that the instructor complete a "class proposal form" and return it to be reviewed. After staff has decided to tentatively accept a class proposal, a meeting will be scheduled with the instructor. If the City and the instructor wish to proceed, a contract will be signed. After the contract is signed, the class is created in the registration system and booked in the facility schedule. The new class will be incorporated into the next issue of the Recreation Brochure, where the new class will be available for registration via online registration, walk-in, mail-in, or fax. Meetings with instructors are held bi-annually at the Community Center. These meetings are an opportunity to gather and give feedback to improve classes, customer service, facilities, marketing, and overall service to the participants.

B. Program Highlight: Youth Sports
Recreation Manager, Ron Noda provided an overview of the Youth Sports classes operated by the Recreation and Community Services Department. The youth sports program offers classes to coed ages two to fourteen years old on a year-round basis. Promoting regular physical activity is a public health priority and classes conducted by the Recreation and Community Services Department makes physical activity available, affordable, enjoyable and ultimately beneficial for the youth of the community.

The Recreation and Community Services Department offers a variety of youth sports for coed ages two to fourteen:

- Parent and Me Basketball
- Parent and Me Soccer
- Mini Superstars
- Junior Pee Wee Basketball
- Junior Pee Wee Flag Football
- Junior Pee Wee T-ball
- Junior Pee Wee Soccer
- Pee Wee Baseball
- Pee Wee Soccer
• Youth Track and Field
• Youth Volleyball League
• Youth Basketball League
• After School Sports

Staff continually seeks sponsors that will assist to offset expenditures of the Youth Sports Programs throughout the year.

C. Recreation Department Offering
Recreation Manager, Emeline Noda provided the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission with an opportunity to brainstorm future program offerings for the Recreation and Community Services Department. The Recreation and Community Services Department "Creates Quality of Life" for community members through health, safety, community, family and education. Staff is always inquiring input from the Commission on the needs and desires from the community.

7. ITEMS FROM THE RECREATION & COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT
Emeline Noda, Recreation Manager
• Announced and thanked Chair Olveda attended January 21, 2019 City Council and invited the City Council and other Commissions to participate in the Race on the Base Commissioner Challenge. Mrs. Noda also requested for two volunteers to judge for the Glow in the Dark Whimsical Fun Run (Commissioners Doby and Murphy volunteered to judge this event, Chair Olveda and Commissioner Hunter will be participating in the 5K Run).
• Announced that the Recreation and Community Services Department will be offering Day Camp the week of February 18-22, 2019.

Megan Shimada, Recreation Supervisor
• Weekend of Art marketing, and seeking performances has begun. Mrs. Shimada also requested for two judges from the PR&CA Commission for this event (Commissioner Murphy volunteered).
• Announced that Spring Carnival will be held on April 20, 2019 at Little Cottonwood Park. Commissioners will also be requested to volunteer at the event and a future email will be sent in regards to this.
• Announced that the Recreation & Community Services Department is currently hiring and request that the Commissioners share this with family and friends who might be interested in employment.

Ron Noda, Recreation Manager
• Informed the PR&CA Commissioners that public officials are required to take an ethics-training course to educate them on the ethical standards required of any individual who works in state or local government. Public officials may utilize free online courses available to satisfy this requirement. Cities, counties and special districts in California are required by law (AB 1234, Chapter 700, Stats. of 2005) to provide ethics training to their local officials.
• Announced that the Los Alamitos Museum will be inducting three standout residents whose accomplishments will be forever enshrined in the Museum's Hall of Fame. The Museum honored Jake Nix, a pitcher for the San Diego Padres, Rachel Fattal, a member of the 2016 Gold Medal Olympics water polo team, and Nikki Monninger, a bass player for the music group Silversun Pickups.
- McAuliffe Field will reopen on February 22, 2019 after its 12 week rehab.
- Informed the PR&CA Commission that the City and the Los Alamitos Unified School District has begun negotiations for the Master Joint Use Agreement and the Individual Joint Use Agreements in regards to facilities.
- Announced that the Recreation & Community Services Department will be presenting to the Budget Standing Committee the Department's Fiscal Sustainability Plan on Monday, March 4, 2019 at the Council Chambers.

9. COMMISSIONER REPORTS
Commissioner Hunger
- Nothing to report.

Commissioner Doby
- Announced that January 9, 2019 was the first meeting that she missed while serving on the Parks Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission and that she appreciates the Recreation and Community Services Department staff and all that they do.

Commissioner Crans
- Nothing to report.

Chair Olveda
- Encouraged the rest of the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Art Commissioners to participate in the upcoming Race on the Base.

Commissioner Murphy
- Requested staff to update Commissioner Hunter's photograph and add it to the Park, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission webpage.

10. ADJOURNMENT
The Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Arts Commission adjourned at 8:57 p.m. Motion/Second: Olveda/Hunter.

Attest: 

__________________________
Steven Olveda, Chair

__________________________
Emeline Noda, Recreation Manager
Recreation & Community Services Department
MINUTES OF PARKS, RECREATION AND CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF LOS ALAMITOS

REGULAR MEETING – WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 2019

1. CALL TO ORDER
The Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission met in a Regular Session at
7:01 p.m., Wednesday, March 6, 2019, in the Council Chambers, 3191 Katella Ave.,
Chair Olveda presiding.

2. ROLL CALL

Present: Commission Members: Crans, Doby, Duran, Hill, Olveda
Absent: Commission Members: Hunter, Murphy

Present: Staff: Ron Noda, Recreation Manager
Emeline Noda, Recreation Manager
Megan Shimada, Recreation Supervisor
Trini Zenovka, Department Secretary

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
Chair Olveda the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. ORAL COMMUNICATION
Chair Olveda opened Oral Communications. Mr. Justin Ramsay, Landscape
Architecture Major student from California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
thanked the Parks Recreation and Cultural Arts (PR&CA) Commission in sharing a
vision integrating arts in the community by providing The Weekend of Art in Los
Alamitos annually. Mr. Ramsay recommended having the prize winner’s art
displayed at local businesses storefronts throughout the community.

City staff thanked Mr. Justin Ramsay for his participation last year at the Weekend of
Art event, as he was one of many prize winners. Megan Shimada, Recreation
Supervisor invited Mr. Ramsay to provide an art demonstration, where as Mr.
Ramsay consented to provide live canvas painting on the second day of Weekend of
Art event. Chair Olveda thanked Mr. Ramsay on behalf of the PR&CA Commission
and closed Oral Communications.

5. MINUTES
Motion/Second: None
Abstain: Duran/Hill – February 6, 2019, Hunter/Murphy March 6, 2019
Motion Carried: The Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission deferred
approval of the Regular Meeting of February 6, 2019 to the next scheduled meeting
due to lack of quorum.
6. STAFF REPORTS

A. Preview of Spring Carnival
Recreation Supervisor, Megan Shimada provided the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission with a preview of the 2019 Spring Carnival. The Los Alamitos Recreation and Community Services Department will be hosting the MemorialCare Miller Children’s & Women’s Hospital Long Beach Spring Carnival presented by AYSO Region 159 at Little Cottonwood Park on Saturday, April 20, 2019. Spring Carnival is one of the many events in which the Recreation Staff coordinate to instill "Quality of Life" directly into the Los Alamitos community by bringing the community together, creating long lasting family memories, and allowing local businesses and nonprofits to be connected to residents. Approximately 2,500 people attend the annual Spring Carnival.

The Spring Carnival will have eggs hunt areas divided according to ages. In each hunt area, a Golden Egg will be hidden and a special prize will be given to the child who finds it. Other activities available includes carnival game booths, face painting, balloon twisting, live entertainment by the band Sugar Lips, a photo area with Peter Rabbit, family games, inflatables, vendors and food trucks.

PR&CA commissioners are encouraged to participate in the Spring Carnival announcement ceremonies and invite family, friends, neighbors and coworkers to the annual event. Commissioner’s duties include being the emcee for the event, and awarding prizes to the winners and announce the start of the three egg hunt areas. Chair Olveda and Vice Chair Duran volunteered to assist with commissioner duties for the Spring Carnival.

B. California Park & Recreation Society District 10 Volunteer Merit Award Nominee(s)
Recreation Manager, Ron Noda provided the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission with an opportunity to consider nominees for the 2019 California Park & Recreation Society (CPRS) District 10 Volunteer Merit Award.

The California and Recreation Society (CPRS) District 10 will host their Awards and Installation Banquet on Thursday, April 4, 2019 in the Community of Laguna Woods. The awards program recognizes and honors individuals and organizations who have contributed to the recreation profession and the quality of life within CPRS District 10. Each year the City of Los Alamitos nominates an individual and/or an organization to receive the Volunteer Merit Award. Nominations were taken from individual Commissioners and voted the following.

- Joint Forces Training Base – Motion/Second: Hill/Duran for organization.
The PR&CA Commission recommended the following recommendations tabled and be considered for next year’s CPRS 2020 Volunteer Merit Award:

- Marilyn Poe
- Grateful Hearts
- Republic Services

C. Recreation Department Offering Part II
Recreation Manager, Emeline Noda provided the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission with an opportunity to brainstorm part II future program offering for the Recreation and Community Services Department. The Recreation and Community Services Department "Creates Quality of Life" for community members through health, safety, community, family and education. Staff will incorporate the PR&CA Commission’s recommendations into the Recreation and Community Services Department sustainability plan in providing the community with desirable programs.

7. ITEMS FROM THE RECREATION & COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Emeline Noda, Recreation Manager
- Thanked all the PR&CA Commissioners who participated in the Race on the Base Commissioner Challenge. The recognition of the winning Commission will be awarded a plaque at the April 15, 2019 City Council Meeting.
- Announced Donation, Back Park and Serve LosAl Drives where the City of Los Alamitos collaborates with the Los Alamitos non-profits in the community on Citywide volunteer service event: "Serve Los Al" scheduled for June 21st and 22nd. Over 200 volunteers are needed to assist in a variety of service projects around the City at several of the non-profit locations and City parks and facilities.

Megan Shimada, Recreation Supervisor
- Announced that staff received 153 applications for Weekend of Art Event on March 22-23, 2019. Mrs. Shimada also requested for two judges from the PR&CA Commission for this event (Commissioner Murphy volunteered in February, Commissioner Doby and Chair Olveda volunteered for Friday, Commissioner Hill for Saturday and Vice Chair Duran volunteered for both days).
- Announced that a new pet element will be added to the Serve LosAl event for fleece donations being accepted now through June 21st.
- Announced that Spring Carnival will be held on April 20, 2019 at Little Cottonwood Park. Commissioners will also be requested to volunteer at the event and a future email will be sent in regards to this.
- Announced that the Recreation & Community Services Department is currently hiring and request that the Commissioners share this with family and friends who might be interested in employment.

Ron Noda, Recreation Manager
- Informed the PR&CA Commissioners that preparations for the annual 4th of July Fireworks Spectacular has begun.
- Announced that the Recreation & Community Services Department will be presenting to City Council the Department’s Fiscal Sustainability Plan on Monday, March 18, 2019 at the Council Chambers.
- We are pleased to announce our newest "Creating Quality of Life" partner: MemorialCare Miller Children’s & Women’s Hospital Long Beach.
• We are pleased to announce that Chang Orthodontics has agreed on a three year extension as the Youth Sports Sponsor.
• We are currently working on Capital Improvement Programs (CIP) to include Little Cottonwood blacktop resurfacing and Community Center doors ADA compliant and replace roof.
• Announced a free demo day for pickleball at the Laurel Park Tennis Courts on March 16th from 10am-12pm.

9. **COMMISSIONER REPORTS**
   **Commissioner Crans**
   • Nothing to report.

   **Commissioner Doby**
   • Volunteered to be a judge for Race on the Base Glow in the Dark Whimsical Run, Friday, February 22, 2019. Recommended for staff to sell large lighted butterfly wings to generate revenue at next year’s event.

   **Vice Chair Duran**
   • Thanked staff for Race on the Base Event.

   **Commissioner Hill**
   • Thanked staff for Race on the Base Event, both he and his daughter participated in the 5K events.

   **Chair Olveda**
   • Thanked staff for having dignitaries from State Assembly and Senator Office present at Race on the Base event.
   • Requested an update on the Labourdette Park project.

10. **ADJOURNMENT**
The Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Arts Commission adjourned at 9:14 p.m.
Motion/Second: Duran/Doby.

Attest: ___________________________  Stephen Olveda, Chair

______________________________
Emeline Noda, Recreation Manager
Recreation & Community Services Department
# Brainstorming Notes
## February 6, 2019 and March 6, 2019

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Preschool</th>
<th>Youth</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>- Weekday mornings</td>
<td>- Tutoring</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Lego</td>
<td>- More time offerings on Saturdays</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Activities/Enrichment geared to Mentally Physically Challenged / Helping Parents / Kids Interact</td>
<td>- Technology Training/Safety (have to get someone relatable).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Mediation/Mindfulness</td>
<td>- Swim</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Longer times available (Ready Set Go)</td>
<td>- Handball</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Grandparent and Me Classes</td>
<td>- Pickleball</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Healthy Snack Planning</td>
<td>- Debate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Basic Cleaning/Chores</td>
<td>- Animal care</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Play Dates (intergenerational preschool and seniors)</td>
<td>- Chess</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>- Mediation/Mindfulness</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>- Reading Groups (no phones)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>- City Wide Scavenger Hunt, parent and me</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>- Program for Boys and girls at same location</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Teen</th>
<th>Adult</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>- Mediation/Mindfulness</td>
<td>- Music</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Art &amp; Special Interest Classes (environmental friendliness)</td>
<td>- Home Survival</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Financial Literacy (Basic Banking: i.e. balance check book, check writing and budgeting)</td>
<td>- Organization</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Teen Mentor Groups</td>
<td>- Decorating</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Fitness (non-sports) Yoga Workout, etc...</td>
<td>- Self Defense</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Swim</td>
<td>- Cooking</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Train to be Certified Guard</td>
<td>- Mental Health Classes (Care Solace)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Handball</td>
<td>- Counseling</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Finance “101”</td>
<td>- Dating Classes (Speed Dating)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Debate</td>
<td>- Grief Classes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Mental Health Class and Understanding</td>
<td>- Budgeting</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Bonfire Event</td>
<td>- Parents Night Out</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Lacrosse</td>
<td>- Futsal</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Basic Home Repair</td>
<td>- Swim</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Basic Auto Maintenance</td>
<td>- Life Change Groups (i.e. divorce, loss of parent etc...)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Overnight Camp (Catalina YMCA)</td>
<td>- Mediation</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Driver’s Education</td>
<td>- Book Club</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Sensitivity Training</td>
<td>- Job Fair</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- Test Taking/Strategies/Preparation</td>
<td>- Weekly - bicycle rides to different destinations with bicycles safety and security instruction.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Older Adult</td>
<td>Loyalty Program</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>-----------------------------</td>
<td>------------------------------------------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Water Aerobics</td>
<td>• Sign up for 9 Programs, get 1 free</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Swim</td>
<td>• VIP Events - Movie Night at Los Alamitos Community Center. Open snow area for one hour before Winter Wonderland</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Pickleball</td>
<td>• No Transfer Fees</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Walking Club</td>
<td>• Focus on bringing back return customers</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Music</td>
<td>• Points can equate to different benefits – ex. Parking with Event VIP</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Low Impact Dancing</td>
<td>• Triple points on certain days</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Speed Dating</td>
<td>• Double point survey</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Grief Counseling</td>
<td>• Consider more like community service programs, earn hours, status levels based on hours participation awards</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Cooking Classes for Restricted Diets</td>
<td>• Kids Night Out</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Grandparent/Grandkid Classes</td>
<td>• Paint Night</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Reading / Drama Club</td>
<td>VIP Event</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Shopping (clothes) Spree</td>
<td>• Movie Nights</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• More of Aerobic Classes</td>
<td>• Winter Wonderland</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Ready for Retirement Planning</td>
<td>• VIP 4th of July</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>• VIP Music and Movie Area</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Prop 68</th>
<th>Experiences</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>• Fix the Community Center</td>
<td>• Start a race at ROTB</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Restroom at Orville Lewis Park</td>
<td>• Picture in Brochure</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>• Expand the space at the Community Center</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
City of Los Alamitos
PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL ARTS
AGENDA REPORT

MEETING DATE: May 1, 2019 ITEM NUMBER: 6A

To: Chair Steven Olveda & Members of the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission

Presented By: Ron Noda, Recreation Manager

Subject: Facility and Park Maintenance Update

SUMMARY

This report provides the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission with a biannual update on facility and park maintenance.

RECOMMENDATION

Commission discuss and provide recommendations.

Background

Staff would like to provide an update on park and facility maintenance activities to the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission. The intent of the update is to inform the Commission on previous maintenance, repairs, future repairs, and any changes in regulations pertaining to parks, sports fields, or playgrounds.

This report will list all maintenance and repair activities while yielding the opportunity for the Commissioners to provide additional feedback to staff on current or future maintenance concerns they may have.

Discussion

The following repairs have been made at the listed facilities:

- **McAuliffe Field** – Normal weekly maintenance is occurring that includes mowing of the fields and dragging of the track. The annual rehabilitation for this facility began the week of Thanksgiving and was shut down for approximately 12 weeks, reopening on February 11, 2019.
The Master Joint Use Contract (M.J.U.A.) and the Individual Joint Use Agreements (I.J.U.A.) for all the facilities shared between the City and the Los Alamitos Unified School District expires in November 2019. Staff have been meeting with the staff from the School District to begin outlining a new M.J.U.A. and I.J.U.A.

- **Laurel Park** – Normal monthly maintenance is taking place. Upcoming projects will include building a wooden, open beam roof over the irrigation pump and controller area eliminating the chain link fence that currently covers the area. The replacement of two front doors and adding additional lighting to the storage room will also be done.

- **Little Cottonwood Park** – Normal monthly maintenance is taking place with the sports field along with routine safety check on the playground equipment. Upcoming project includes the parking lot to be refurbished.

- **Orville R. Lewis Park** – Normal monthly maintenance is taking place with the sports field. A new irrigation backflow was recently installed.

- **Roberts Park** – Normal maintenance is taking place with the playground including weekly raking of the woodchips and a playground safety check.

- **Stansbury Park** – Normal maintenance is taking place with the playground including weekly raking of the woodchips and a playground safety check.

- **Labourdette Park** – Normal maintenance is taking place with the playground including weekly raking of the woodchips and a playground safety check. Labourdette Park will be receiving ADA improvements, new irrigation and turf, new landscape at the front of the park via the City Council approved Capital Improvement Projects (C.I.P.). The proposed new playground equipment and rubber surfacing has been delayed due to funding but will hopefully be approved by City Council as a C.I.P. Project for fiscal year 2019-2020.

- **Sterns Park** – Normal maintenance is taking place with the playground including weekly raking of the woodchips and a playground safety check. Upcoming project includes replacement of the chain link fence with a decorative iron fence.

- **Soroptimist Park** – Normal maintenance is taking place with the playground including weekly raking of the woodchips and a playground safety check.

- **Coyote Creek Park** – Normal maintenance is taking place. Upcoming project include additional planting at the park.

- **Community Center/Youth Center** – Normal maintenance has been done in the interior and exterior of the Community Center and Youth Center. Upcoming project includes replacement of the roof. The recent roof work done in the winter has not
solved the leak issues and it has been recommended to City Council to do a full replacement of the roof.

**Fiscal Impact**

Staff intends to accomplish as many repairs as possible within budget or via City Council approved CIP projects. If the budget does not allow for the completion of certain repairs, staff will obtain estimates and add those repairs to the 2018-2019 operational budget or the 2019-2020 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) budget for City Council to review.
City of Los Alamitos
PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL ARTS
AGENDA REPORT

MEETING DATE: May 1, 2019     ITEM NUMBER: 6B

To: Chair Steven Olveda & Members of the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission

Presented By: Ron Noda, Recreation Manager

Subject: Proposition 68

SUMMARY

This report provides the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission information on the California Proposition 68, the Parks, Environment, and Water Bond.

RECOMMENDATION

Commission discuss and provide recommendations.

BACKGROUND

California Proposition 68, the Parks, Environment, and Water Bond, was on the ballot in California as a legislatively referred bond act on June 5, 2018 and received voter approval. The vote supported the measure to authorize $4 billion in general obligation bonds for state and local parks, environmental protection projects, water infrastructure projects, and flood protection projects.

DISCUSSION

Staff will be applying for Prop 68 funding for recreation infrastructure. This is a “per capita” grant that is approximately $200,000 in funding available per agency. Staff is seeking recommendations from the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission on how they would like to see this funding utilized if received. It is recommended that once funding is received, that it be spent in a quick timeframe and the money should be spent on projects that are visible to the community.

Initially, the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission voted on utilizing the potential funding, if received, on the Community Center. Due to the timing of the grant, alternative recommendations are also being sought. There is current discussion of future plans for the Civic Center including the Community Center and if a determination has not yet been made, the funds for Prop 68 will be recommended to be spent in other areas due to timing. Staff recommendations for consideration include:
1. Re-surfacing of the Laurel Park Tennis Courts (including a Pickleball Court)
2. Labourdette Park Project
3. Renovation of the Little Cottonwood Softball Diamond

FISCAL IMPACT

A matching 20% is required for the per capita grant and can be allocated from Park Redevelopment Funds expected to be received in FY 19-20.
City of Los Alamitos  
PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL ARTS  
AGENDA REPORT  

MEETING DATE: May 1, 2019  
ITEM NUMBER: 6C  

To: Chair Steven Olveda & Members of the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission  

Presented By: Emeline Noda, Recreation Manager  

Subject: Race on the Base 2019  

SUMMARY  
This report provides the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission with an update of the Los Alamitos Recreation and Community Services Department 2019 Race on the Base.  

RECOMMENDATION  
Commission receive and file.  

Background  
The Southland Credit Union Los Alamitos Race on the Base is the City’s largest special event. Held each February, the event draws thousands of people to Los Alamitos and the Joint Forces Training Base (JFTB).  

Race on the Base events include the popular Reverse Triathlon, Jr. Reverse Triathlon, 10K Run, Honoring Our Fallen 5K Run/Walk with new Virtual 5K, 10K Wheelchair Race, and the popular Glow in the Dark Whimsical Fun Run with a "Whimsical" twist that took place on the Friday prior to the event during Packet Pick Up. This year was the 38th annual event. The Saturday portion of the event entails the races being held on the runways at the JFTB and features military static displays with live music throughout the course. The event also featured a sublimated technical long-sleeved patriotic themed shirt for all 5K/10K/Triathlon participants and long-sleeve technical shirts for the Glow Run and volunteers, post race food, a two-day Health & Fitness Vendor Expo, free race clinics, and traditional finisher medals that had a new patriotic theme.  

Discussion
Race Registration

Below exhibits the amount of registrations received each year for the past four years. Registration was down by 120 from last year mainly due to the increased amount of inclement weather during the month of February. In addition, many local and regional races are still experiencing a decrease in registration due to oversaturation of the market with various types of races.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>5K Run</td>
<td>1319</td>
<td>1183</td>
<td>1180</td>
<td>969</td>
<td>841</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10K Run</td>
<td>893</td>
<td>766</td>
<td>649</td>
<td>510</td>
<td>465</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5K Walk</td>
<td>665</td>
<td>506</td>
<td>499</td>
<td>363</td>
<td>400</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Kids Run/ Glow Run</td>
<td>141</td>
<td>321</td>
<td>418</td>
<td>319</td>
<td>173</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Wheel</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Rev. Tri</td>
<td>1246</td>
<td>1116</td>
<td>1124</td>
<td>1011</td>
<td>1002</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Jr. Rev. Tri</td>
<td>178</td>
<td>182</td>
<td>141</td>
<td>130</td>
<td>127</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5K Ruck</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>75</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Virtual 5K</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>88</td>
<td>49</td>
<td>148</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TOTAL</td>
<td>4444</td>
<td>4082</td>
<td>4100</td>
<td>3353</td>
<td>3233</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Sponsors

Sponsors play a significant role in the Race on the Base, not only financially, but also by helping to spread the word about the event to the patrons who frequent their businesses. The final amount in cash received was $23,000 (down from $51,000 in 2018) and a value of $29,000 (down from $30,500 in 2018) in in-kind sponsorships. Southland Credit Union’s vacancy of title sponsorship was the main factor in the cash sponsorship decrease.
Volunteers

The Race on the Base Planning Team successfully secured approximately 500 individual and group volunteers for the Race on the Base. Volunteers are integral for the successful operation of the event and were stationed throughout the event to assist in smooth operations.

Registration & Vendor Expo

The two-day Vendor Expo had 45 vendors in a condensed enclosed vendor tent.

Charity Campaign

The Race on the Base Charity Campaign is in its seventh year and includes Community Charity Partners and Official Charity Partners. These two tiers allowed nonprofit organizations to fundraise for their cause by participating in the event. This type of involvement serves to increase community participation and awareness of the event. Participation in Race on the Base assisted two participating charities to raise funds to be contributed back to their organizations.

The following charities was named “Official Charity” of Race on the Base:
  1. Honoring Our Fallen
  2. Rock for Vets

Community Charity Partners:
  1. Casa Youth Shelter
  2. Lestonnac Free Clinic
  3. Grateful Hearts
  4. St. Isidore Historical Plaza
  5. We Care
  6. Precious Life Shelter
  7. The Youth Center
  8. Los Alamitos Museum
  9. Summer Harvest
  10. Cottonwood Church

2020 Event Recommendations

Below are some of the recommendations that are being looked into further:

  1. Submit Forms to State for Military Static Displays in April/May
  2. Solicit static displays once approval is received
3. See about working with a race car group for static displays to attract a different crowd in addition to current participants

2019 Race on the Base Council & Commission Participation Challenge

The winners of the 2019 Race on the Base Council & Commission Participation Challenge goes to the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission with the Largest Number Attending the event of six Commissioners and Highest Percentage of Participation at 85%. A plaque was engraved recognizing this accomplishment and was presented to the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission at the April 15th City Council Meeting.

Fiscal Impact:

Expenditures allocated for the Race on the Base are funded through the City’s General Fund in the Special Events Division of the Recreation and Community Services Department budget. Major expenditures for the event include: tent cost, participant shirts, race management, timing, marketing, and medals. Revenue from the Race on the Base is derived from participant registration, sponsor participation, and the Vendor Expo booth rentals. New this year, revenue will go into the 4th of July Fireworks Carryover fund to offset the cost of 4th of July.
## Race on the Base Budget

2019

### REVENUE

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Item</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Registration</td>
<td>161,293.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sponsors</td>
<td>23,000.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>OC Race Series Reimbursement</td>
<td>2,071.32</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>T-Shirt Sales/Wings/Transfer fee</td>
<td>320.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Vendor Booth Rentals &amp; VRB</td>
<td>8,150.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Itabs</td>
<td>585.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Go Ruck</td>
<td>100.85</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total Revenue</strong></td>
<td><strong>195,320.17</strong></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

10,4553 Revenue

### EXPENDITURES

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Item</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>AAFES</td>
<td>350.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Advertising/Marketing</td>
<td>8,043.99</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bananas</td>
<td>418.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bands</td>
<td>400.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Benefits - All Personnel- Medicare</td>
<td>84.44</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Benefits - PT Recreation Staff - PT Retirement</td>
<td>218.38</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bibles/Bike Numbers</td>
<td>1,336.57</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bid Notice</td>
<td>451.48</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Charity Rebates</td>
<td>3,774.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Chip Timing</td>
<td>9,689.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Glow Run Supplies (order for 500)</td>
<td>1,172.25</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Glow Run Prizes</td>
<td>300.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Equipment Rental (Tent, tables, chairs, etc.)</td>
<td>23,959.99</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Fencing Rental</td>
<td>3,155.82</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Forklifts and 2 Stakebed Trucks</td>
<td>3,388.62</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Finisher/Award Medals</td>
<td>9,365.10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Interpreter Services</td>
<td>510.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>JFTB Licensing</td>
<td>8,405.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pool Rental &amp; Life Guards</td>
<td>2,012.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Light Towers - American Rentals</td>
<td>1,725.57</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lt. Col Lasser Announcer</td>
<td>300.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Main Start Announcer + hotel stay JFTB</td>
<td>860.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>MC - Transition</td>
<td>400.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>OC Race Series Medals</td>
<td>3,106.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Post Race Food/Water</td>
<td>234.53</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Parking &amp; Security Services</td>
<td>5,388.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Personnel - Secretary and Coord, Comp Time</td>
<td>520.02</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Personnel - Pre-Race PT Rec Staff (reg, &amp; promo)</td>
<td>2,042.90</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Personnel - PT Recreation Staff</td>
<td>3,780.56</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Personnel - Race Management Company</td>
<td>20,000.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Personnel - Police</td>
<td>1,946.94</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Personnel - Public Works</td>
<td>3,740.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pizza Sunburst - Post Event</td>
<td>500.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Portable Restrooms</td>
<td>3,574.34</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Public Works costs (pot hole repair, signs, diesel)</td>
<td>450.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Race Radios</td>
<td>215.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Race Shirts</td>
<td>24,087.52</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Race Supplies</td>
<td>369.83</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Run Racing Reimbursements- Cups, Safety Pins, 1</td>
<td>656.11</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sound Engineer/Lighting</td>
<td>5,600.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sponsor Appreciation Cake</td>
<td>60.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Championship Belts - LAUSD</td>
<td>400.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>JCL Cones</td>
<td>4,640.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>School District Challenge Prizes</td>
<td>1,000.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Volunteers/Staff Food Friday &amp; Race Day</td>
<td>2,184.76</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total Expenditures</strong></td>
<td><strong>164,838.72</strong></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

| Revenue Total                       | **195,320.17** |
| Expenditure Total                   | **164,838.72** |
| Net Gain (w/o indirect overhead costs) | **30,481.45** |
City of Los Alamitos
PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL ARTS
AGENDA REPORT

MEETING DATE: May 1, 2019 ITEM NUMBER: 6D

To: Chair Steven Olveda & Members of the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission

Presented By: Emeline Noda, Recreation Manager

Subject: 2019 Summer Preview

SUMMARY

This report provides the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission a preview of the Los Alamitos Recreation and Community Services Department’s 2019 summer programs, classes, camps, and events.

RECOMMENDATION

Commission receive and file.

BACKGROUND

The Recreation and Community Services Department has an intense summer program scheduled for 2019. The nine (9) weeks of summer is one of the busiest periods of the year with the largest number of participants along with the variety of summer events and activities. During these summer weeks, the department experiences an increase in staffing levels (paid staff and volunteers) and revenue generated, as a majority of programs, events, and classes occur throughout this season.

DISCUSSION

Los Alamitos Volunteer Program (L.A.V.P.)

L.A.V.P. is a volunteer-based program for middle and high school students to give back to their community while assisting them in completing their community service requirements necessary for high school graduation. These students gain experiences in the varied field of recreation while supporting other local non-profit organizations as well as the City of Los Alamitos.

The L.A.V.P. program, sponsored by Southland Credit Union, has approximately 75 registered volunteers who volunteer a combined 4600+ hours in various programs and events each summer:
Special Events: Serve Los Al, Music and Movies Event Series, 4th of July Fireworks Spectacular

Pre School Program: Assist staff with classroom duties

Youth Sports: Scorekeeping, assisting staff with field preparation, a variety of youth sports activities

Summer Day Camp: Assist staff with leading campers in games, art and crafts, tournaments, special events and excursions for an additional cost

Summer Park Program: Assist staff with games, arts and crafts, tournaments, special events

Community Service Projects: Serve Los Al (June), Cypress Run (July), and Rossmoor Community Service District’s Paper Drive (August)

Parks Program

Parks Program is a free drop-in program held at Little Cottonwood Park and Orville R. Lewis Park in the summer. The 9-week program has Recreation Leaders organize, plan, and implement structured activities including sports, arts and crafts, tournaments, and special events.

Over 2,500 children typically participate in the Parks Program and they are treated to free excursions at a variety of locations such as Angel Stadium Tour, Scooters Jungle, Sky Zone, Mother’s Beach, Discovery Cube, and Sana Ana Zoo.

Los Alamitos Summer Day Camp

The Los Alamitos Summer Day Camp program sponsored by Southland Credit Union will provide 9-weeks of custodial care for children ages 5-12. More than 2,800 campers register for the day camp each summer and have the chance to participate in fun arts & crafts, Boomers, Irvine Regional Park, OC Fair, Knott’s Berry Farm, John’s Incredible Pizza, Aquarium of the Pacific, an Angels Baseball game, and the Discovery Cube.

Ready, Set, Go! Preschool Program

The summer preschool session will operate 9 weeks with two classes – a 4 to 5 year old class held three times a week (Monday, Wednesday, Friday) and a 3 year old class held twice a week (Tuesday, Thursday). Both classes have about 20-30 participants in each class. Last summer was the largest enrollment for summer in the history of the Ready, Set, Go! Preschool Program. Highlights for the summer preschool sessions include learning about robots, ocean life, farm life, and western themed weeks. Special thank you to Southland Credit Union for being the Preschool Program sponsor.
Summer Specialty Camps & Classes

Each summer, the Recreation and Community Services Department partners with other cities to provide specialty camps. This year, 69 camps compared to 43 from last year are offered in the Summer Activities Guide with some of the more popular camps including Lego Flix, Crazy Chemworks, Robotics, and NASA Jr. Astronauts. Traditional contract classes are also offered in the summer for all ages and a variety of interests.

Sports

Adult Sports
Adult Sports programs give adults the opportunity to exercise, promote wholesome physical activity, and provide an outlet for competition and fun. This program reduces stress, builds friendships, provides an opportunity for bonding, and promotes health and wellness.

This summer, Adult Sports includes:

- 11v11 Soccer Men’s Over 25
- 11v11 Soccer Men’s Over 45
- 7v7 Men’s Over 25
- 7v7 Men’s Over 35
- 7v7 Soccer Women’s Over 30
- Co-Ed Softball REC Division
- Adult Pick Up Pickleball
- Adult Pick Up Volleyball
- Pick-Up Basketball
- Pick-Up Soccer

Youth Sports
Youth Sports offer children a fun and safe environment to learn basic skills and develop techniques in each sport in a small group clinic-style atmosphere. Coached by Recreation and Community Services Department staff, children are taught good sportsmanship, teamwork and are presented a t-shirt and award at the end of each program. The programs are offered to participants ranging in age from 2 to 7 years old. The following youth sports will be offered this summer:

- Parent and Me Soccer
- Jr. Pee Wee T-Ball
- Jr. Pee Wee Soccer
- Pee Wee Soccer League
- Pee Wee T-Ball League

Events

Serve Los Al
The City of Los Alamitos, along with the local community nonprofits, are partnering together on the 2nd Annual Citywide volunteer service event: “Serve Los Al” scheduled for June 21st and 22nd. Over 300 volunteers are needed to assist in a variety of service projects around the City at several of the nonprofit locations, City parks, senior resident homes, and facilities. Serve Los Al was created to help beautify our community,
provide an opportunity to unite and give back and serve, and assist the local nonprofits in accomplishing their goals and the noble work they do each day.

Special thanks to Event Sponsors Southland Credit Union, Cottonwood Church, and MemorialCare Miller Children’s & Women’s Hospital Long Beach for their generous support to make this event possible.

A free community-wide Health Fair and Expo will be available on June 22nd from 9:00am to 1:00pm. Visit the wide array of health-related booths at the MemorialCare Miller Children’s & Women's Long Beach Health Expo and join us for free dental and medical screenings in the Community Center provided by Lestonnac Free Clinic.

Volunteers are requested to pre-register at www.servalosal.org and sign up for specific projects. Please join us in this community-wide effort and give back in Los Alamitos.

4th of July Fireworks Spectacular
The 32nd Annual 4th of July Fireworks Spectacular is scheduled for Thursday, July 4th at the Joint Forces Training Base (JFTB) in Los Alamitos. The cities of Los Alamitos and Seal Beach along with the JFTB collaborate to host this annual event to honor the men and women of the military and celebrate our country’s birthday.

Approximately 14,000 people attend the patriotic event which included activities like military static displays, food booths, and live music on the main stage. The evening concluded with a 22-minute long fireworks show which remains one of the best and longest displays in Southern California.

Music and Movies Event Series
The MemorialCare Miller Children’s & Women’s Hospital of Long Beach Music and Movies Event Series, presented by the Parks, Recreation, & Cultural Arts Commission will take place on four Saturdays throughout the summer. An average of 300 community members will come out to each event with their friends and family to listen to great live music and watch a movie under the stars. Below is a preview of the band and movie schedule this summer:

- June 15 at Little Cottonwood Park
  - Movie – Trolls
  - Band – Southland Mega Groove
- June 29 at Sunburst Field at Joint Forces Training Base
  - Movie – Star Wars: The Force Awakens
  - Band – 4 Alarm Band
- July 13 at Orville R. Lewis Park – presented by Randy Hill, Realtor
  - Movie – Ralph Breaks the Internet
  - Band – Mike Sullivan Band
- July 27 at Los Alamitos School District Office Field
  - Movie – Incredibles 2
  - Band – Hollywood Blonde
Parks Makes Life Better Month

The month of July is "Parks Makes Life Better" month. The statewide initiative that is spearheaded by the California Parks and Recreation Society (C.P.R.S.) encourages people of all ages to visit their local park, attend a city event, and/or register for a recreation class in the month of July and hopefully throughout the entire year.

This year, the Los Alamitos Recreation and Community Services Department will offer the following to celebrate “Parks Makes Life Better” month and to promote recreation.

- Free pick-up sports for the month of July
  - Pick up basketball on Tuesdays at Oak Gymnasium from 8:30pm-10:00pm
  - Pick up soccer on Tuesdays at Laurel Park from 7:00pm-8:30pm
  - Pick up pickleball on Tuesdays at Laurel Park from 9:00am-11:00am
  - Pick up volleyball on Thursdays at Oak Gymnasium from 8:30pm-10:00pm
- Free Arts & Craft workshop for children ages 5-12 years old. Workshop will be held at the Community Center on Saturday, July 20 from 1:15pm – 2:45pm.
- Free participation at selected classes throughout the month of July
- Social Media contests and raffle prizes
- Pop up dog park at Coyote Creek Park from Monday, July 8 until Sunday, July 28

FISCAL IMPACT

The Recreation and Community Services Department receives a significant amount of its revenue during the summer months in each of the areas discussed above. Funding for these programs have been budgeted in various accounts listed in the current Fiscal Year (FY) 2018-19 (through June 30, 2019) and the FY 2019-20 (begins July 1, 2019) Recreation and Community Services Department budgets. All classes and programs have fees that help offset the costs of the programs except for Serve Los Al, 4th of July Fireworks Spectacular, Music and Movies Event Series and Parks Programs which are free to attend.