

JUNE 2018 MONTHLY REPORT

Recreation Updates:

Mother & Son Night Out—Bowling with the Boys Superhero Style

The first Mother and Son Night out event was held on June 22nd at Wilsonville Lanes and had a superhero theme. For \$20, attendees enjoyed 2 hours of bowling, a superhero themed photo booth, pizza, and games. The department is hoping to grow this event and host it annually with a different theme each year, similar to the very popular Daddy Daughter Dance held in March.



Flag Retirement Ceremony—Town Center Park

The annual flag retirement ceremony was held at Town Center Park on June 14th. The local Boy Scout troops collected several hundred well worn flags to be retired, and the community was invited to attend.

Korean War Remembrance

Over 100 individuals attended the Korean War Remembrance Ceremony. Korean photographer, Rami Hyun, presented veterans with self-portraits that will be a great keepsake not only for the veterans themselves but for their families.



Western Dance—A Country Inspired Party

The Community Center was host to a free senior country western themed dance party on June 21st. Chili and cornbread was served along with sarsaparilla root beer, and line dancing lessons were given by our very own Brenda Howe. Country western themed attire was encouraged.

Board Updates:

Parks and Rec. Advisory Board: The Parks and Recreation advisory board meeting was canceled this month.

Wilsonville Community Seniors Inc: Information and Referral Specialist, Sadie Wallenberg, gave a report to the board on the 100+ clients she serves on an annual basis and the services/support she provides. The Board brainstormed on ways to further outreach and be sure those within the community are receiving the social services they need.

Parks Maintenance Updates

Three of the Parks team members, including Tod Blankenship, Tommy Reeder and Courtney Burdick received their National Recreation and Parks Association (NRPA) Certified Playground Safety Inspector (CPSI) certificates this month! The training consists of two full days of intensive course work and a final exam one must pass in order to receive their certificate. The certifications last three years.





The parks team assisted the Boy Scout Plant Sale in plant pick up and distribution after the sale. They brought the plants down to the community garden for those who wanted and needed them free of charge.

The parks team also hosted 105 volunteer 5th graders and 20 teacher/adult volunteers of Lowrie Primary School to help do some cleanup and bark chipping in some of the parks in the Villebois Community.



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Parks Maintenance Updates:



This month came with many repairs due to a large windstorm, and vandalism incidents in the parks (primarily Memorial Park). The parks team responded to a number of pager calls during the windstorm, including several regarding large downed trees in the roads.



A new addition to Murase plaza this month included a pollinator habitat. Other parks maintenance tasks this month included:

- Hosted Final Boones Ferry Park Master Plan Open House Robby Layton from Design Concepts joined the group to present a working edition or "road map" of the future park master plan. The turn out was fantastic, and a lot of very valuable feedback and input was given by participants that will be incorporated into the final plan. A total of 23 community members were present.
- Repaired irrigation at Memorial Park fields
- Prepared for and Hosted Flag Day flag retirement ceremony
- Attended wayfinding open house



