

CITY OF MARTINEZ

MEMO

Date: September 9, 2014
To: Alan Shear, Assistant City Manager
From: Patty Lorick, Recreation Supervisor
Subject: August Staff Report

ADULT SPORTS

- Men's D & E Summer Leagues ended August 15 with two four team double elimination tournaments. Martinez PD sponsored an eight team area police department tournament, Saturday August 4
- Shell League Softball ended Thursday, August 14.
- Church League ended August 23 with an eleven team double elimination tournament.
- AT&T local unions held a tournament August 24.

AQUATICS

- Martinez Community Swim Team ended their regular season practices, Friday, August 1. Modified practices were held the week of August 4 -8 and 11-15 for swimmers going to the County Meet August 16.
- In our continued effort to attract morning lap swimmers, we adjusted swim times to 6 – 8 am
- The pool has become very popular for birthday parties, with up to six parties per day. Private pool parties have also been popular with parents.
- College students began going back to school August 6. High school students returned to class August 25. Filling lifeguard shifts have been a struggle since August 16. Pool managers have done a great job keeping the pool open and patrons happy.
- The last Family Night Swim was held Friday, August 22. A total of twenty-six family nights were held.
- Hat Day was held at water aerobics, August 23. The participants showed up in all kinds of handmade and crazy hats. The water aerobics teachers do a great job of keeping the program fresh and fun for the participants.
- Deep water aerobics was added this year by one of the instructors. The class was held in August in the dive tank and was popular with students.
- First Aid and CPR class was held at the pool August 11 for four people.
- Staff applied for a grant to fund new water exercise equipment and life jackets.



Crazy Hat at Water Aerobics
August 29

BROCHURE

- Staff worked on the Fall 2014 Activity Guide scheduling classes, activities and special events. The brochure was published on the internet and program flyers are being sent to the schools.

FIELD PERMITS

- Pleasant Hill/Martinez AYSO was given permits for Hidden Lakes, Waterfront Multi-Use, Golden Hills, Nancy Boyd, Holiday Highlands, Mt View, Morello, and Hidden Valley for the fall season.
- Diablo Coed Soccer League was given permits for Hidden Lakes and Waterfront Multi-use Sunday mornings for an adult soccer program.
- Martinez Youth Football was permitted Waterfront Multi-use for the month of August for practices.

LASTING IMPRESSIONS PRESCHOOL

- The Director is accepting enrollment for the fall program. Twenty-seven children are currently enrolled at the preschool.

SUMMER PLAYGROUND/DAY CAMP PROGRAM

- The eight week Rankin Park Playground Program came to a close August 15. Daily program attendance averaged forty-five children per day. Two hundred and seven different children showed up to the program throughout the summer. Drop-in registration continues to be popular. Parents loved the flexibility of dropping off the children on the day(s) needed.
- Summer's End Day Camp was held at Golden Hills Park, August 17 – 22. Forty children a day attended camp participating in sports, crafts, games, etc. The week ended with the creation of a ten foot ice cream sundae.
- UK Soccer Camps ran two camps at Hidden Lake in August. These camps rent the facility and work through AYSO.

Mom & Tot Class



SPECIAL EVENTS

- Restaurant Tour will be held October 11. Robin Agostino and Barbara Patchin have worked very hard to secure eighteen restaurants to participate in this great activity.
- August was a busy month for events, Peddlers Faire, Shakespeare (Amphitheater), Beaver Fest, Art in the Park,
- Dynamite Thursday – Mike the Spider Guy – 50 people. Mike the Snake Guy – 55 people



TOURNAMENTS

- The following tournaments were held in August: Police Department; AT& T, Church League and three youth baseball.

Private Swim Lesson

The Annual Summer's End 10-foot Ice Cream Sundae

