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Parks and Recreation Department
Directors Report
June 15 – July 15

Parks

- *Summer staff still working hard to complete various projects such as painting dugouts, repairing ball fields, mulching trees and trails, cleaning storage sheds and concession stands, and much more.*
- *Memorial Park restoration has taken place and looks wonderful. New mulch added, weeding, and floral improvement. Thank you to the Public Works and Park and Rec summer staff for their contributions.*
- *DNR will not be providing help with the Nature Park Quarry Pond and controlling the water meal growth. We will purchase a product called Sonar and will treat the water in early spring. Within 90 days we should see results.*

Sports

- *Adult Coed Softball is finishing up first weekend in August.*
- *Fall Flag Football and Fall Soccer registration will begin July 29th.*
- *Football Buddies is back for kids that are in AK and K.*

Pool

- *The pool use has been off and on. Not nearly as cold as last year, but we have had many days that are borderline. We are assessing our open / close policy as it related to water temperature and outside air temperature.*
- *On Monday, July 20th the Linn County Dept. of Public Health contacted us in regards to a case of Shigellosis. The individual who tested positive for Shigella attended the pool on 7/18. Staff quickly applied bleach to all restroom and deck areas that the affected participant could have come in contact with. We sent a water sample immediately to the lab and results came back negative for the*



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bacteria. We experienced minimal shut down time based on the quick reactions of staff.

- *Pool renovation items are being investigated and itemized. Nick and I should have something for Council to review and discuss with Council the second meeting in August.*

Misc

- *Lego Camp hosted 12 participants and Video Game Making Camp hosted 8 participants.*
- *Fit60 Activity Camp hosted by Jim Baty every Friday has averaged 13-14 participants.*
- *Meteorology Class hosted 5 participants along with 5 participants in the Multi-Sports Camp held week of July 20th.*
- *Park and Rec Board will be discussing future Capital Improvement Projects at their July meeting.*