

**August
2021**

Sevierville
PARKS AND RECREATION
So much more than a walk in the park.



Parks and Recreation

Monthly Report

The Director's Box

The Directors' Box'... Bob feels you need to know the following....August 2021



Ups for the month.....'BLUEWAYS AND NEW LIGHTS'

- ⇒ *staff is working with the IT Department on the development of a New Logo for our Blueway Program that will mirror the City's Wayfinding Program. Below is the first rendering/draft of this new look. Staff is making progress on the development of the Blueway Program and are scheduled to meet with all Boards in September to discuss our recommendations.*
- ⇒ *Also, by working with the Chamber of Commerce, we will Install all new Winterfest Displays in Downtown Sevierville this upcoming season. Downtown Sevierville will be a special looking place this season.*
- ⇒ *Maintenance Staff has completed installing lights along the new West Prong Greenway Extension.*



-Not So Much an Up for the month- "DAMAGE FROM RECENT STORMS"

- ⇒ *We did suffer some major damage from a Thunderstorm this month with a baseball fence at City Park having damage due to a Tree Falling. In addition, we also had considerable flooding along the Middle Creek Greenway.*

DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

athletics

Patrick Oxley, Athletics Supervisor and his staff

- Hosted 1 weekend tournaments (both youth baseball), had 2 weekend tournaments cancel.
- Completed online TRPA Leadership Forum. 6 sessions for .7 CEUs.
- Began registering for Pickleball play day for October 2nd event. (18 registered)
- Continued Tuesday pickleball lessons and play with Sally Worden.
- Completed registration for fall SMYBA youth baseball season and began games on August 30th.
- Continued maintenance and management of soccer facility at SMCC, working with Sevier Starz Football Club.
- Completed registration for fall coed softball season. (7 teams registered)



swimming pools

Roxanne DeHart, Aquatics Supervisor and staff completed the below for the month of July

- Last day for the Family Aquatic Center was Aug. 14, 2021. Our team cleaned the pool and put away chairs... to get ready for next season, which will be my 40th season with the city.
- The swim team held their end of the year party Aug.10, 2021, the kids really enjoyed themselves.
- Roxanne held a small lifeguard course with 4 staff members Aug. 28th and 29th.
- Roxanne taught swim lessons during the time the swim team was not at the Community Center pool. We don't teach lessons while the swim team is in the pool. I took advantage of them not being here to do my lessons.
- Roxanne is getting employees lined up to work this fall and winter. There are not many employees to do the job!



DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

Kids unlimited

Deanna Hutchins, Recreation Supervisor and her staff accomplished the following for the month of July...

- The Kids Unlimited Staff concluded a safe, fun and active 2021 Summer Adventure Program with the annual Sleepover on August 5 and 6.
- The 2021/2022 Active Afternoons Program began on August 16 with the first day of school. The program is off to a great start.
- The Active Afternoons Program is missing the bus. The bus has been away in Nashville for repairs since the week of July 26. Hopefully the bus will return very soon. The Active Afternoons Program is using the six passenger Dodge Caravan for transporting children when needed.



DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

Bowling center

Tim Parton, Bowling Center Supervisor and staff...

- Stripped and waxed the Bowling Center
- Got 2 Fall Bowling Leagues Organized for the new Bowling season. Monday Night has already started bowling.
- Worked on new High School bowling contracts. We will be adding a third school this year "Northview"

Fitness

Vickie Pinion, Fitness & Wellness Supervisor and staff completed the following...

- Installed a new stereo system in the Cycling Room
- We held in person assessments, a total of 163 employees participated.
- Our instructor Kelly McMullan moved to Nashville to pursue a new job, we thanked for all the great classes. We will miss her!

	2020	2021
Classes:	97	136
Aerobics:	898	1673
Fitness Center:	917	1331
Assessments:	155	163



Civic Center

Nicole Sutton, Civic Center Supervisor and staff completed the below for the month of July.

- August was a busy month for events, hosting a large 4 day Gospel/ Country Music group.
- Deep cleaned the stage area and greenroom in LeConte after all the events this month.
- Purchased all new light bulbs and replaced them in the two chandeliers in the lobby.
- Completed the 6 On Demand sessions from the TRPA Leadership Forum for CEU's.



DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

Resident vs Non-Resident Usage

Bowling Center



18% Resident
82% Non-Resident



31% Resident
69% Non-Resident

Fitness Center

Blalock Natatorium



49% Resident
51% Non-Resident



53% Resident
47% Non-Resident

Aerobics

Civic Center



86% Resident
14% Non-Resident

Children's Program



37.5% Resident
62.5% Non-Resident

DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

Resident vs Non-Resident Usage

Greenways, Picnic Shelters & Other Parks



43% Resident
57% Non-Resident

Mt. Ton of Fun



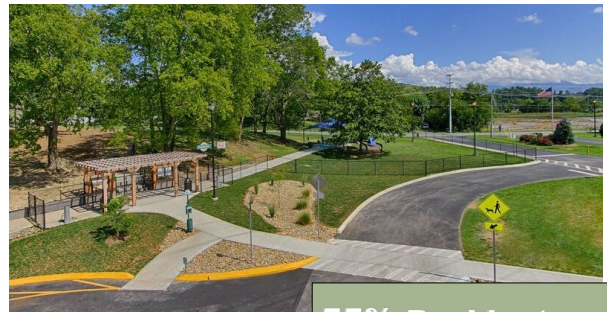
50% Resident
50% Non-Resident

Family Aquatic Center



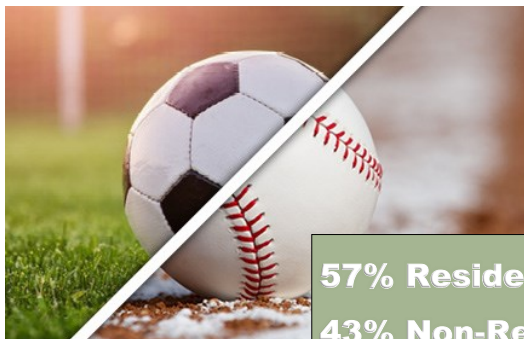
53% Resident
47% Non-Resident

Pet Safe Dog Park



55% Resident
45% Non-Resident

Youth Team Sports



57% Resident
43% Non-Resident

Adult Team Sports



19% Resident
81% Non-Resident