



# PARK DISTRICT of OAK PARK

## Park District Citizen Committee Agenda

Monday, April 25, 7pm  
Zoom

Attendees: Maureen McCarthy, Laura Stamp, Karen McMillan, David Wick, Rob Kleps, Kayla Lindgren, Carrie Gallagher, Steven Miller, Kathleen Lorden, Mike Baiardo

Secretary: Lauren Johnson

Welcome

Laura Stamp

Public Comment

Laura Stamp

- None

Review of Minutes

Laura Stamp

- Approved

Secret Shopper Updates

Karen & Mike

- Karen—Conservatory, Taylor, Rehm, Euclid—no concerns, all positive
- Mike—ribbon cutting fantastic, good skating, positive basketball league experience
- Rob—signed up for Active Senior, Maple Park, Conservatory, Rehm (fencing feedback, poor awareness of new restroom, overall families LOVE it)
- Steven—job fair at Conservatory well attended

Discussion/Updates:

- Aquatic and Hockey Programming Update (Kayla Lindgren)
  - Figure skating—rebounded well from pandemic (individual sport), ice show successful
  - Hockey—lost customers to private orgs due to having to follow restrictions as a government entity, rebuilding program, trying to build women’s team
  - No need to melt ice this summer (usu done every 2-3yrs); focusing on other maintenance/painting
  - Pools—RC pool painted and ready to be filled; Rehm is old (1961) and needs some more prep/repairs prior to painting and filling
  - Hopeful both pools can open for Memorial weekend
  - Summer hiring going well; thorough and ongoing lifeguard training
  - Rehm will close an hour earlier (7pm)
- Registration/Program Update (Maureen McCarthy)
  - Gymnastics—summer reg at end of May
  - Day in Our Village 6/5/22 PDOP at Mills Park 11-4 (carnival rides, food)

- Good turnouts for egg hunts
- 250 Active Seniors registered, lots of class options
- Open Skate w/Olympic medalist—he was wonderful w/kids and at later adult Q&A
- Website demo coming to PDCC members next month
- OPFYI will have pool schedule, concerts/movies in parks schedules
- Will combine fall/winter PDOP program guides
- Rec team is fully staffed for first time in over two years; new EC and fitness people starting
- FLW Volunteer Recruitment/Participate (Maureen McCarthy)
  - Need 50-100 volunteers, mainly on course/corners—adults preferred
  - Using RCRC instead of HS—construction unknowns w/HS; course will be the same
- CRC Update (Maureen McCarthy)
  - First pour of concrete happened last week!
  - Should be sealed/waterproofed by October
  - Fitness equipment list going to board for approval
  - Still on schedule for Spring 2022 opening
  - Nature themed nursery/kids room w/local artwork
- Community Comments/Feedback (All)
  - Carrie—any way to share info of program participants (names or at least school)
  - Laura—still short on members—recruit!!!

Adjournment

Laura Stamp

**Next PDCC meeting: Monday, May 23 at 7pm at Pleasant Home, Secretary: Rob Kleps**