



GREATER VALLEJO RECREATION DISTRICT

Mission Statement: *Building community and enhancing quality of life through people, parks, and programs.*

Website: www.gvrd.org

395 Amador Street, Vallejo, CA 94590-6320 • 707-648-4600 • FAX 707-648-4616

Board of Directors
Rizal Aliga
Ron Bowen
Robert Briseño
Adjoa McDonald
Gary Salvadori

General Manager
Gabe Lanusse

Programs and Publicity Committee Minutes

Monday, June 6, 2022

9:00 a.m.

Administrative Office-Board Room

395 Amador Street

In attendance: Director Bowen, McDonald, Recreation Superintendent, Antony Ryans, Recreation Supervisors, Julie Myers & Sandy Tawaratsumida

Meeting began: 9:00 AM

- 1. Activity Guide Update-** N/A
- 2. Aquatic Programs-** The department held Kids Free Day on Saturday, May 28th from 12-3pm. It was pretty overcast and cloudy that day. However, 100 families showed to attend the free event. We look forward to next year and will debrief the event over the next few days.
- 3. Break Camps-** camps for the summer are filling up quickly. Our popular Davy Jones and Guardstart programs are at capacity for the entire summer.
- 4. Children's Wonderland-**The park continues to remain free to the general public. The park is booked all weekends this month for private rentals. We're currently recruiting to fill the position of Recreation Coordinator who will oversee the park as a part of their job assignment.
- 5. Community Centers Update-** The BOD would like staff to develop a policy/procedure for addressing non-profits and the use of the community centers for free.
- 6. Community Events-** Staff created a sponsorship program/brochure. Staff will work on creating a policy for sponsorships. First draft of sponsorship policy was sent for review. Bands and Brews will take place on 6/10 at Blue Rock Springs from 6:30-8pm. A big thank you to the Parks and Maintenance staff for their help. BOD would like staff to expand volunteer base and advertise this service more.
- 7. Leaven Kids-** Staff met with Leaven to discuss paying a nominal renting fee to utilize the space at SVCC. No official agreement has been reached as of yet.

8. **Sports Programs-** Offering a variety of contractual summer classes. Junior Giants will return this summer. So far, 200 participants are registered for the free program. COED soccer program offered in partnership with Council Member Diaz will take place on Wednesday, June 15th beginning at 9am. So far 120 participants are registered for the free 4-week camp.
9. **Youth Services-** Staffing is still a challenge for the department. Staff is planning summer programming/camps. We'll offer several camps this summer.

Adjourned at 9:55 AM