

City of LaVista
Park & Recreation Advisory Committee Minutes
May 16, 2007

A meeting of the Park and Recreation Advisory Committee for the City of LaVista convened at 7:03 p.m. Members present were John Vendetti, George Forst, and Greg Johnson. Randy Cahill and Chris Kuehner were absent. A notice of the meeting was given advance thereof by publication in the Papillion Times on May 10, 2007. Simultaneously given to the members of the Park and Recreation Advisory Committee and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of the notice is attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice to the members of the Park and Recreation Advisory Committee of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter were taken while the convened meeting was open to attendance of the public. Further, all the subjects included in said proceedings were contained in the agenda for inspection within ten working days after said meeting, prior to the convened meeting of said body.

A. CALL TO ORDER

Greg Johnson made the motion to call the meeting to order. Seconded by John Vendetti, motion carried.

B. CONSENT AGENDA

Greg Johnson made the motion to approve the consent agenda. Seconded by John Vendetti, motion carried.

REPORTS FROM STAFF

Dave Karlson, Assistant Recreation Director reported on two special events that the Recreation Department will be hosting. The first event will be the Ice Cream Social outside the La Vista Community Center on the last day of school, May 25th at 1:30 p.m. In case of rain, social will be held in the gym.

The second event will be the Dinosaur Egg Hunt on Tuesday, June 26th at 3:00 p.m. at Central Park. Family and friends will gather at Central Park to hunt GIANT DINOSAUR EGGS! When all the “eggs” are found, we’ll gather back at the shelter to “crack open our eggs” and enjoy a cold slice of watermelon.

Rich Carstensen, Program Director reported on a special event that the recreation department will be hosting. The Hershey Track & Field Meet will be held on Sunday, May 20 from 12:00 noon to 4:00 p.m. at the Papillion La Vista South Track.

Recreation Director Stopak informed the Committee that the La Vista Swimming Pool Advisory Committee will hold a public open house to “unveil” the new aquatics facility concept on May 30 at 6:30 p.m. at La Vista City Hall. The committee would like to receive public feedback to make modifications, if necessary; prior to making a recommendation to the City’s elected officials by mid-summer.

The La Vista Municipal Pool will open on Saturday, May 26 and close on Monday, September 3.

The committee will be receiving detailed La Vista Falls Golf Course information at future meetings.

COMMENTS FROM THE FLOOR
NO COMMENT.

COMMENTS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Greg Johnson asked if any individual apparatus cost breakdown figures were provided for the proposed aquatic facility. Staff will look into this.

John Vendetti asked if any consideration was allowed for employee parking at the proposed aquatic facility as parking is a concern. Staff will look into this.

ADJOURNMENT

George Forst made the motion to adjourn. Seconded by John Vendetti, motion carried.
Adjourned at 7:25 p.m.