COFFEYVILLE RECREATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORTS

SEPTEMBER 2015

Special Events/Aquatics Coordinator

Pool

- AM Lap Swim – 5 / PM Lap Swim – 12 / Water Aerobics – 9
- 2 pool parties scheduled for the month of September as of 9-2-15

Special Events

- Tumbling

Buddy Program

- Buddy Bowling (starts Sept. 29th)

Upcoming Events

- Pumpkin painting
- Halloween Fun Night

Sports

- Youth Volleyball (43 participants)
- Cheerleading (44 participants)

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR / PROGRAM SUPERVISOR

Fall Soccer	11	12	13	14	15
4YR – PRE K	29	30	30	42	23
K -1ST	53	50	48	53	51
2ND - 3RD	37	48	35	40	49
4TH - 5TH	35	36	34	42	40
6TH – 8TH	48	36	35	25	41
Total	**202**	**200**	**182**	**202**	**204**

FOOTBALL	11	12	13	14	15
1ST – 2ND	25	22	30	29	33
3RD -4TH	41	36	30	25	32
5TH -6TH	45	33	40	35	25
Total	**111**	**91**	**100**	**89**	**90**

- Soccer starts on September 12th. The season will finish at the end of October. Fall soccer numbers are very good. Itty bitty is down a little bit, but everything else is good, I think spring soccer will have record numbers and soccer will continue to grow.

- Football will start on Saturday September 19th. We were originally scheduled to play with Independence and Parsons, but we found out that Parsons is actually run through a "football board" and not the recreation commission. After discovering this David and I had many discussions with Independence about what we wanted to do. We decided that it would be in our best interest to not partner with Parsons. When we originally met with Parson back in July and they told us that everything would be run through the Parsons Recreation Commission. When we questioned the sports programmer and director they were both clueless and could not give us answers and would say things like "well I'm not sure when they are practicing, they won't tell me anything". We also would ask how many teams they would have and we would get "they decided that they only wanted two -3rd/4th and one - 5th/6th team". We have been trying to get schedules done for weeks and Parsons could not give us the information we needed, but we now know why. They weren't in charge. The sports programmer was unorganized and confused. The director acted like he was left in the dark, but I believe he knew what was going on. Football boards are always parents and they have vested interest for their group and are not objective. We had this problem with Oklahoma Union and Nowata.

- We did not have enough interest for adult co-rec softball. I received several calls about the league, but no one signed up. This has been the case since

- I have started marketing youth basketball, adult flag football, and a women's volleyball league.

- For youth soccer we will employ 12 soccer officials and 4 directors. For youth football we will employ 8 officials, 4 directors and 1 scorekeeper. All facilities are being used for practices.

DIRECTOR

- CRC Staff depart for the National Park and Recreation Conference Sunday September 13th returning on Friday September 18th. With hundreds of educational sessions to choose from staff will have the opportunity to learn new and exciting ideas to bring to our community. NRPA also hosts the largest trade show of park and recreation equipment including: new playgrounds, equipment, lighting, turf supplies, etc for our industry.
- The CRC has upgraded our security system at 508 Park Street to ensure better communication between our CPD/CFD and the company who monitors it.

- Youth Soccer games begin this weekend at Sherwin Williams Park. Youth Football games and Cheer will begin the weekend of Sept 19th. Youth Volleyball games begin September 24th.
- Back in May we met with representatives from Indy and Parsons to discuss Parsons inclusion into our youth football league. We wanted another Park and Rec in charge of the decisions to join us (Indy and CRC), we thought we had all the details worked out. As our deadline to begin approached we learned that Parsons Rec was not in charge and had been misleading about several key elements. We met with Indy and decided that with the instability in Parsons we would just limit our league to IRC and CRC this year.