



Agenda
City of Scotts Valley
Parks and Recreation Commission
Date: September 15, 2016 – 6:00 pm

CITY OF SCOTTS VALLEY

Recreation Division
361 Kings Village Road
Scotts Valley, CA 95066

MEETING LOCATION

Scotts Valley Recreation Office
361 Kings Village Road
Scotts Valley, CA 95066

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CALL TO ORDER:**ROLL CALL:****ADDITIONS/DELETIONS TO REGULAR AGENDA**

(Any person wishing to speak on the consent or regular agenda may do so by raising their hand as the item is called out by the chairperson.)

PUBLIC COMMENT TIME

This portion of the agenda is reserved for discussion by the public of items which are NOT agendized. No action may be taken by the commission except to refer the matter to staff and/or place it on a future agenda. It is in the best interest of the person speaking to the commission to be concise and to the point. All speakers are requested to sign their name at the podium so their name may be accurately recorded in the minutes of the meeting. A time limit of three minutes per individual will be allowed.

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Field trip to MacDorsa Park – K. Ard
2. Program Updates (Oral) – K. Ard

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In Attendance

Eric Seib, Chair
David Sanguinetti, Commissioner
Pam Smith, Commissioner
Nick Thelen, Commissioner
Lori Gentile, Commissioner

Staff

Scott Hamby, Public Works Director
Kristin Ard, Recreation Division Manager
Lisa Mansfield, Admin Secretary

Meeting called to order at: 6:05 PM

Roll call: Introductions of the Board

Commissioner Sanguinetti motioned to approve the June minutes; seconded by Commissioner Gentile. Motioned approved 5:0.

Consent Agenda – Chair Seib confirmed there are no changes to the current agenda. Motion by Commissioner Sanguinetti to approve the agenda; seconded by Commissioner Gentile. After the meeting was brought to order, Commissioner Gentile and Chair Seib removed themselves from the discussions due to conflict of interests, as they both reside in Skypark.

Opening Agenda Comments –

- Kristin reported the findings and recommendations of Parks and Recreation pertaining to the proposed painting and use of the Skypark Tennis Courts and Pickle Ball usage.
- After discussion, it was determined that the Pickleball courts are used on Saturdays only. Additionally, any changes to the courts would not be difficult; however, the board would need to find out the financial costs to make changes.

Public Comments

- Twenty-two individuals spoke during the meeting, their comments included the following:
- Pickleball players like the concept of a less intrusive colored pickleball lines, but would like a dedicated court as well. Having a dedicated court plus one additional marked court would allow for eight courts. This would be when there are 25 to 35 players waiting to play.
- USTA is supported by Scotts Valley and not promoting tennis. Pickleball would like to be supported by USTA.
- Having a dedicated Pickleball court would help with costs of buying and carrying 23-lb nets back and forth to play.
- The blue and green striping is acceptable to USTA for markings on tennis courts rather than a dedicated court.
- Having a pickleball court would cause parking problems with more people on the courts.
- A hand-out was provided by a pro-tennis individual outlining the repurposing of the Skypark courts.
- One dedicated tennis court for pickleball will be the first four courts in Scotts Valley, leaving the three remaining courts for Tennis.

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- Pickleball is now being taught in school, as it is an upcoming sport (for example, snow boarding vs. skiing was introduced years ago and snowboarding is now an Olympic sport).
- Former tennis players, who cannot play tennis because of injury or age can play Pickleball.
- Possibly hard to play side by side because of stray balls.

Commissioner Sanguinetti thanked all who spoke and attended. He was appreciative of both sides and was in-favor of one Tennis court dedicated to Pickleball, leaving three tennis courts.

Commissioner Thelen motioned the concept of dedicating one pickleball court and three tennis courts. Motion carried 2:1. Commission Smith spoke noting that her consensus of those who spoke, agreed that tennis and pickleball players are ok with the lines but in a different, more subtle color. She was in favor of a permanent pickleball court on one tennis court and leaving the other tennis courts lined for pickleball or tennis.

Future Agenda Items -

1. SV/SLV Soccer requests for a snack bar at Skypark – Jeff Helmold
2. Review sub-committee assignments
3. Add Polo Ranch update
4. Winter pump track rebuilt free of charge – change configuration?

Adjournment – 7:38pm

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