



Parks & Recreation Department
City of Macedonia
1494 East Aurora Rd.
Macedonia, Oh 44056

**Macedonia Parks & Recreation Commission
November 16, 2022**

ATTENDANCE: Councilmember Brandt, Jason Hack, Joe Biber, Karen Bartolozzi, Donny Bosch, Staci Szugye, Barbie Luczywo

Absent:

Motion to start –6:02pm

Public Comments – Councilmember Ventura – 2 residents inquired about basketball courts. Issue is Sugarbush Park basketball court needs work. One resident in Parkledge another nearby. Joe asked if courts need redone, answer is yes. Karen also alluded to issues in past with those. No immediate plans.

- 1. Approval of Minutes – September Councilmember Brandt and Joe second**
- 2. Parks**
 - a. Fountain – Has been installed, changes color, and we'll winterize, put back out in Spring**
 - b. Dock transition Piece– In line for concrete company**
 - c. General maintenance – Electric being run to trail parking loop for events. Ball fields shut down for year. Field C lights in. Christmas lights being put up at Mac Rec, Longwood Park, Veteran's Park, and City Hall. Crews have been helping with leaf pick up, our off-season maintenance items will start Dec/Jan.**
- 3. Recreation**
 - a. Programming – New MACTivity Guide out. Manta Rays at full capacity, 94 swimmers, biggest team we've hosted. Swim lessons at 95% capacity based on what we can offer. Many smaller programs offered in guide and winter camp is back this year. Planning towards spring programs and looking to run coach pitch.**
 - b. Operations Update –**
 - i. Front Desk – Old one is gone; granite could not be saved. It has been ordered, 5-7 weeks out**
 - ii. Flooring – should be done around Thanksgiving. Halls and stairwells done, turf in, new front desk location next, then remainder of lobby.**
 - iii. Lap Pool Heater – 2-3 weeks out on new unit being here.**
 - iv. Men's Locker Room – New lockers being ordered, have not be given lead time yet.**
 - c. Events – Third Quarter snapshot**
 - i. Recap**
 - 1. Haunted Hallows – Great turnout, passed out about 400-450 bags of candy. Will adjust some scenes for next year to freshen up the look. May break it down to a 2-hour event.**



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ii. Fourth Quarter

1. WinterFest – Saturday, December 10 – from 6-8pm. Longwood Park in the trail loop area using shed, dock, loop with lights. Tree lighting will take place here. Planning on ice sculpture, kids craft, hot cocoa and snacks, Santa, reindeer, and fireworks.

4. New Business

- a. Joe – Asked about opening at 5am.

5. Next Meeting

- a. Next Meeting – December not scheduled January 18, 2023
- b. Adjourn: Joe motion to adjourn, Councilmember Brandt second