

# DISTRICT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

# **MEETING AGENDA**

Date:	May 10, 2023
Time:	5:30-7:00 p.m.
Location:	3811 SE Concord Road Milwaukie, Oregon 97267
	Or attend virtually by registering for this meeting:
	https://clackamascounty.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_DK6z-AsxTPG4v4C9ELWgyg

# I. Call to Order

# II. Action Items

a. Approval of DAC Meeting Summary from April 12, 2023 (5:30 p.m. 1 min)

# III. Discussion Agenda

- a. Goal Setting Discussion (5:31 p.m. 1 hour)
- b. Changes or Status Updates (Milwaukie Bay Park, Concord, SDC Methodology, NCPRD Funding, System Plan and CIP Timeline)\* (6:31 p.m. 5 min)
- IV. Public Comment\*\* (The Chair of the District Advisory Committee (DAC) will call for statements from citizens regarding issues relating to NCPRD. It is the intention that this portion of the agenda shall be limited to items that need to be discussed by the DAC to conduct their NCPRD business. Comments shall be respectful and courteous to all) (6:36 p.m. 10 min)
- v. DAC Member Reports (6:46 p.m. 10 min)
- VI. District Monthly Report (6:56 p.m. 4 min)
- VII. Future Dates
  - a. June Agenda Submission No Later Than: Wednesday May 17, 2023 by 5:00 p.m.
  - b. Finalization of Agenda: Monday May 22, 2023
  - c. Next DAC Meeting: Wednesday June 14, 2023
    - Planned agenda topics:

## \*Standing Meeting Items

\*\*If you would like to provide a public comment during the meeting, please raise your hand when the chair opens up the public comment portion of the meeting. If you would like to submit a written statement during the meeting, you can put it in the Zoom chat, but it may not be read during the meeting.





# Meeting Summary North Clackamas Parks and Recreation District District Advisory Committee

# Wednesday, April 12, 2023 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. Location: Concord Property and Virtually (via Zoom)

**DAC Members Present:** Anatta Blackmarr, Ben Johnson, David Gilman, Grover Bornefeld, Joel Bergman, Katie Scott, Lisa Batey, Maureen Thom, Muciri Gatimu, Ryan Stee, Rafael Kaup

DAC Members Absent: None

**Staff and Officials Present:** Paul Savas (Clackamas County Commissioner), Michael Bork (NCPRD Director), Heather Koch, Katie Dunham Jessica Stead (NCPRD)

A video of this meeting is available on the NCPRD website at

https://ncprd.com/public-meetings/meeting-minutes

# Call to Order

DAC meeting was called to order by Chair Bornefeld at 5:30 p.m. A quorum was present.

# Action Items

- Approval of DAC Meeting Summary
  - The summary from the DAC meeting held on March 8, 2023 was approved with one minor edit presented by Chair Bornefeld.

# **Discussion Agenda**

- System Plan Status Update
  - Katie Dunham (NCPRD Principal Planner) provided an update on the System Plan.
  - The DAC nominated Ryan Stee (the DAC's Vice-Chair) to participate in the System Plan Consultant RFP review process.
    - Maureen Thom made a motion to have Ryan Stee volunteer for the review process. Joel Bergman seconded the motion. The vote was taken by a show of hands. All voted in favor of Ryan participation. (Motion passed 9-0)
- Goal Setting Discussion
  - Erin Ruff, Clackamas County Resolution Services, facilitated the second goal setting discussion with the DAC members.
- Changes or Status Updates (Milwaukie Bay Park, Concord, SDC Methodology, NCPRD Funding, System Plan and CIP Timeline)\*
  - Milwaukie Bay Park: On hold.
  - **Concord:** Park and Playground Public Engagement meeting is scheduled for April 15 (in person) and April 19 (virtually).
  - SDC Methodology: On hold.

- **NCPRD Funding:** Reviewed by County Administrator. It will be going to the NCPRD Budget Committee for review in May.
- System Plan and CIP Timeline: In progress.

# **Public Comment**

- Kathy Schreiber (Oak Grove resident)
  - Provided information from research studies on the use of mulch.
- Kitty Walker
  - In favor of the Jennings Lodge School Park Project.
- Mark Elliot
  - Thanked NCPRD for their help with the Oak Grove festival this year, and last year. This year's festival is July 15, 2023.
- Jane Morrison
  - Agrees with Kitty's comment, and is in favor of the Jennings Lodge School Park Project.

# **DAC Member Reports**

- Joel Bergman (Community Center Advisory Board representative)
  - The Housing and Senior Services Fair this year had the highest attendance.
  - May 6 there is the Evening of Wine and Roses event. Tickets are available online.
  - o June 11 there is the Drag Bingo event. Tickets are available online.
  - The Milwaukie Community Center's garden spaces are now available to rent.
- Lisa Batey
  - Earth Day: NCPRD is putting on an event at North Clackamas Park. The Rotary Club and Historical Milwaukie are doing planting on Main Street in Milwaukie. The City of Milwaukie is doing an event to remove ivy from Willow Place Storm Water Facility.
  - Sunday May 23 there is work party event at Spring Park and Elk Rock Island.
- Grover Bornefeld
  - There are two DAC terms set to expire June 30, 2023. Recruitment opens April 13, 2023 for a subarea 2 representative and a subarea 3 representative.
  - There will be two recruitment meetings held at Concord, and virtually via Zoom. The first meeting is May 17, and the second meeting where residents can vote for their representative will be in June.

# **District Monthly Reports**

Michael Bork provided the division reports.

- The District Monthly reports were included in the agenda packet. Director Bork mentioned a few specific events coming up:
  - Concord Property Project Design Update meetings:
    - April 15, 2023 In Person at the Concord Property
      - April 19, 2023 Virtually via Zoom
      - https://ncprd.com/concord-property-project
  - World Laughter Day is May 7, 2023: <u>https://secure.rec1.com/OR/NCPRD/catalog</u>

Adjournment

The DAC meeting was adjourned by Chair Bornefeld at 7:15 p.m.

# Next DAC Meeting:

May 10, 2023 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Location: Concord Property or Zoom (Virtually)

# Memorandum

To: NCPRD DAC Members
From: Erin Ruff, Resolution Services
Re: Homework: What would we need to do as a committee in the next 5 years to achieve our goals?

As I tried to craft the instructions for the homework I described at the April meeting, I realized that I couldn't articulate it clearly. I decided to do the drafting myself, which is attached. That process helped me to frame the question I will bring you next week.

You have outlined a solid vision for parks in the future, which we have acknowledged is a start of your contribution to the upcoming process for creating Systems Plan. Next week, we will focus on your goals as a Committee to achieve your goals for parks.

So far, two Committee goals have emerged: the systems plan and the switch to a service district. I've reflected those on the attached document. I also see the beginnings of goals around relationship and informed communities.

Your revised homework is to review the document and come ready to discuss "What would we need to do as a committee in the next 5 years to achieve our goals?"

# NCPRD DAC Meeting March 10, 2023

# NCPRD DAC: Goals 2023-2028 DRAFT FOR REVIEW

The North Clackamas Parks and Recreation District Advisory Committee

# Goal 1: The NCPRD has an inspiring and clear systems plan that serves as the gold standard for the region and reflects:

- 1. Parks are primary neighborhood gathering spaces that are welcoming, safe, and accessible for all.
  - Every child can walk safely to a park.
  - The District leads with inclusive policies, practices, facilities, and programming that evolve with the community, including all ages, races, abilities, identities, income levels, and cultures.
  - There are plentiful year-round outdoor and indoor opportunities to learn and play at District facilities and events.
  - Parks and facilities offer safe space and resources for community members in need.
- 2. Parks reflect and contribute to the economic health of the District
  - Informed and involved communities provide abundant funding and resources to the District.
  - Businesses and nonprofits participate in robust public/private partnerships with the District.
  - Individuals and groups prioritize donating land, buildings, money, resources, and time to the District.
- 3. Parks support climate resiliency
  - Native, climate-resilient vegetation supports native habitats and effectively serves as a carbon sink for the District.

## Goal 2: The NCPRD is an independent service district represented by a resident board.



# **NCPRD Monthly Division Report**

Prepared for the NCPRD District Advisory Committee (DAC) REPORTING PERIOD: April 2023 DAC MEETING DATE: May 10, 2023

# Asset Development

The purpose of the Asset Development program is to coordinate and manage current and long-range planning, the acquisition of park land, all aspects of the District's Capital Improvement Plan (CIP), and the repair and replacement of capital assets in order to provide recreation facilities that serve District residents.

## SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

• Park and Play Area at Concord Property: NCPRD held two successful events to review the park and playground design and engage with residents – Saturday April 15 community gathering and design update at Concord and a virtual presentation Wednesday, April 19 (see community engagement enclosed). The presentation is at <a href="https://ncprd.com/concord-property-project">https://ncprd.com/concord-property-project</a>.

## **CURRENT PROJECTS/TASKS**

- **Community Park at Concord Property:** Completed 50% construction drawings for park and site; submitted conditional use permit application; completing play area concept.
- Jennings Lodge Elementary: Work with consultant and County Procurement to negotiate the final contract for engagement, planning, and design; work with Oregon City School District and NCPRD Board to update the 2020 intergovernmental agreement to support work ahead.
- **Strategy and Polling Work:** Complete statistically significant polling of 400 District residents to understand potential options for changes to governance and funding in the future.
- **Trolley Trail Safety Audit:** Kick off meeting with consultant and review background research. Continue initial planning for safety audit.
- Metro Local Share Funding: Prepare spring application to Metro to request Concord park and playground elements as NCPRD's first local share project.

- **System Plan:** Responses to Request for Proposals due May 11, with selection and contracting to follow.
- **Project Timeline Outlook:** Quarterly update enclosed.
- See also CIP FY22-23 table.



# Capital Improvement Projects FY 22-23

Item	Current Activity	Next Steps	Timeframe		
System Plan and Capital Improvement Plan	System Plan Request for Proposals due May 11	Consultant selection, contract award	Spring/summer 2023		
SDC Methodology	On hold	Pick up work when possible	Checkpoint May 2023		
Milwaukie Bay Park	On hold	Pick up work when possible	Checkpoint May 2023		
Ball Fields Study	Sequencing after System Plan kickoff to align study with SP	Begin scoping work aligned with System Plan	TBD		
Jennings Lodge ES Recreation Improvements	Contract negotiation & IGA update	Contract Award & IGA approval	Apr-Jun 2023		
Concord Property Design and Engineering – park and site	Completed 50% construction drawings for park & site; submitted conditional use permit application; completing play area concept; held engagement events	Public engagement for play area concept and park; preparing Guaranteed Maximum Price (park, shared spaces, library); advance construction drawings	Spring 2023		
Concord Property Design and Engineering – community center	Completed schematic design for Community Center; submitted conditional use permit application	Continue design work	Spring 2023		
Justice Property Master Plan	In the queue for staff	Review background information, prepare Request for Proposals	2024		
New Urban HS	In the queue for staff	Preliminary meetings with school district, discussion of potential agreement between NCPRD and school district	Summer/Fall 2023		



# Park at Concord Property Design Update

**Community Engagement Summary** 

In the final phase of the park design, NCPRD was looking to reengage the community and share exciting details on park features and amenities. A mix of print and digital promotional materials, in both English and Spanish, were developed to increase awareness around the project and invite residents to two presentations with public input opportunities.

An in-person community event was held on Saturday, April 15, 2023 at the former Concord Elementary School building. The event included a live presentation, kids activities, project display booths, and opportunities to engage with staff, ask questions and provide comments. The following week, on April 19, 2023 a virtual presentation was held, with time afterward for questions and completing an online questionnaire. Both events were well attended and the majority of feedback on the project has been very positive.



**1,250** Landing Page Visits **3:54** Avg. Time on Site



120+ In-person Event Attendees26 Webinar Attendees



28 Comment Cards/ Questionnaires Received
83% Agreed that NCPRD got the design right, and effectively incorporated community input

2,001 Postcards Mailed

18, 7,3

18,005 Emails Sent 7,320 Emails Opened



96,268 Social Impressions (35,509 Spanish)
1,320 Post Engagements (267 Spanish)
938 Link Clicks (236 Spanish)

# Park at Concord Property Design Update

# **Community Engagement Summary**

The below quotes were provided by event attendees, pulled directly from the completed questionnaires.



"I love that NCPRD is putting a park in the Oak Grove area, I grew up here, raised my kids here and have watched as everything left and there is not much left to attract families, thank you for investing in the area!"

"I love that this plan is based on community feedback."









"Well thought out, good flow to the design; updated and better use of a large property."

# Asset Development: Project Timeline Outook (April 2023)

procurement

planning (non-construction) planning, design, engineering, grants construction work on hold scoping, coordination, or TBD phase potential future workplan

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	FY22/23				FY23/24			FY24/25				FY25/26				
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
PLANNING (non-construction) Governance and Financing	_			_	1								i –			
Research																
System Plan																
Capital Improvement Plan																
District-Wide Ball Fields Study																
System Development Charges Methodology																
SDC Project List Amendment																
Metro Bond Local Share - 1st Agreement																
Metro Bond Local Share - Amendment																
Trolley Trail Safety Audit																
Asset Inventory and Management System DEVELOPMENT																
MBP Design and Construction																
Concord Property Community Park																
Jennings Lodge Elem Neighborhood Park																
Justice Neighborhood Park																
New Urban (potential park)																
3-Creeks and North Clackamas Greenway Trail																
Hull-Swanson Natural Area																
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**NOTE:** This document is for planning purposes. Timelines are not fixed and listing of projects does not indicate approvals and funding. Regular adjustment will be based on approvals, funding, staff resources, contracting requirements and other factors.

# **Project Description**

Project Description	Description	Location				
PLANNING (non-construction)						
Governance and Financing Research	research potential changes for governance and finance	N/A				
System Plan	em Plan develop a long-range plan for the future of the District's park and recreation system					
Capital Improvement Plan	develop a plan to guide investments for capital projects	N/A				
District-Wide Ball Fields Study	identify needs, possible locations, and feasiblity of ball fields	N/A				
System Development Charges Methodology	update SDC methdology; determine updated rate charges; prepare for adoption via ordinance	N/A				
SDC Project List Amendment	add three projects to SDC list that are ready for planning and development	N/A				
Metro Bond Local Share - 1st Agreement	Il Share - develop Local Share agreement for use of bond funds for Concord park and playground					
Metro Bond Local Share - Amendment	develop Local Share agreement for use of bond funds for projects to be identified and confirmed	N/A				
Trolley Trail Safety Audit	evaluate the safety of the Trolley Trail (SE Washington to Glen Echo)	N/A				
Asset Inventory and Management System	identify and evaluate tools for asset inventory and management system	N/A				
DEVELOPMENT						
MBP Design and Construction	complete Milwaukie Bay Park as Districtwide amenity	11211 SE McLoughlin Boulevard, Milwaukie				
Concord Property Community Park	complete community park, community center improvements, & site improvements at Concord prop.	3811 SE Concord Road				
Jennings Lodge Elem Neighborhood Park	work with OCSD to cooperatively plan and design a neighborhood park	18521 SE River Road 13871 SE 122nd Ave &				
Justice Neighborhood Park						
New Urban (potential park)	Urban (potential park) plan for potential neighborhood park in parnership with NCSD					
3-Creeks and North Clackamas Greenway Trail	partner with WES on potential recreational access amenities in future	7200 SE Harmony Rd.				
Hull-Swanson Natural Area	develop a concept for the Hull & Swanson properities	SE Hull Ave, east of Addie St.				



# Finance

# SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

• Fiscal Year 2023-24 Proposed Budget approved by County Administrator.

## CURRENT PROJECTS/TASKS

• Fiscal Year 2023-24 Budget preparation in the final stretch.

# LOOKING AHEAD

- May 22, 2023: Fiscal Year 2023-24 Proposed Budget presentation to NCPRD Budget Committee.
- Staff will attend the GFOA National conference in May, held this year in Portland.
- June: Fiscal Year 2023-24 Budget Adoption.

# **Marketing and Communications**

The purpose of the NCPRD Marketing and Communications program is to increase engagement and awareness around NCPRD's diverse spectrum of programs, activities, and projects, while ensuring clear and consistent brand messaging and design.

## SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- **Concord Engagement**: Wrapped up an outreach campaign and two engagement opportunities, on April 15 and 19, for the new park design at Concord Property.
- **Program Promotion:** Continued promotion of summer programs and camps. Also created materials and increased awareness around an Earth Day volunteer event at North Clackamas Park, which had 26 volunteers.

## PROJECTS/TASKS BEING WORKED ON

- **Pollinator Gardens:** Developing interpretive signage and education materials for NCPRD's three new pollinator gardens. A Pollination Celebration event will be held on Saturday, June 24 from 1-3 p.m. and will feature educational booths, kid's activities, face painting and ice cream.
- **Concord School Property Display Case**: Utilizing the empty display case at the Concord School Property entrance to share information on the building's history and future projects.
- **Program Materials:** Development of print and digital promotional materials for movies, concerts, RecMobile, OBT2, Celebrate Pride Drag Bingo and more.

- Awareness Campaign: NCPRD will be developing concepts for an awareness campaign, designed to increase engagement across all departments.
- **Trolley Trail Brochure:** The Trolley Trail brochure will be getting a refresh, with additional copies printed for distribution.



# **Older Adult Services**

The purpose of the Older Adult Services program is to provide coordinated nutritional, transportation, educational and social service programming to the communities' older adults and persons with disabilities; assisting them in remaining independent and helping them thrive in their later years.

# SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Over 200 volunteers and guests attended the annual Volunteer Appreciation event held on April 15 at the Milwaukie Community Center (MCC). In addition to a delicious brunch prepared by the Center's very own nutrition staff, volunteers each received a gift and enjoyed live music. Staff served at the event in an effort to show their sincere gratitude for the amazing volunteers and their dedication, support, and hard work.
- The Center's community garden boxes received a major makeover thanks to aspiring Eagle Scout Luke Sandness. Not only did Luke raise funds and gather donated materials for the project, but he mobilized volunteers to help with the needed labor. Luke, along with family and friends, spent several afternoons refreshing the Center's community garden boxes by power washing, removing moss, replacing boards and amending the soil.
- On April 8, volunteer Brian Wilson from Providence Milwaukie Rehabilitation Services organized and led a work group to split and stack firewood for the MCC Emergency Firewood Program. The program helps low income seniors have high quality firewood to help heat their homes during the winter season and relies almost entirely on volunteers and donated firewood.

## PROJECTS/TASKS BEING WORKED ON

• Fiscal Year 23-24 support requests to the MCC Foundation were formally made at the Foundation's April Board Meeting. An overwhelmingly generous total of \$41,000 was approved. These funds will support the Center's transportation, social service programs, the nutrition program including under 60 Meals on Wheels and professional therapists for A Place at the Center. Funds will also extend towards NCPRD special event sponsorships, a mural for the Center and replacement of broken tables.

- May 6: The Milwaukie Community Center Foundation is hosting the 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Wine and Roses Italian Dinner (formally Spaghetti Dinner) with two seating times: 5:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. An over-three-decades-long tradition at the Center, this fundraiser, which is a Portland Rose Festival Community Partner Event, is a fantastic opportunity to support the MCC while enjoying an Italian dinner with friends along with added excitement in the form of Italian raffle items. Cost is \$25 and tickets can be purchased online at <a href="https://milwaukieccfoundation.org/">https://milwaukieccfoundation.org/</a> or inperson at the Center.
- July 1: The Great American BBQ at the Milwaukie Community Center (South Lawn) from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Fee: \$12. Choose indoor seating (by reservation) or take your meal to go. Prepurchase tickets in the MCC gift shop before June 24. Vegetarian options available. All proceeds benefit the Nutrition Program and Meals on Wheels.



# Parks, Trails and Natural Areas

The purpose of the Parks, Trails and Natural Areas program is to provide management, maintenance and ongoing stewardship services to NCPRD residents and visitors so they can access safe, clean and well maintained parks, trails and natural areas both now and into the future.

# SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Planted Shore Pines at Boardman Wetlands Nature Park.
- April 22, 2023: North Clackamas Park, 26 volunteers attended, pulled ivy and 100 small hawthorn trees, Native Plant Society gave wildflower walk.



(Natural Resources Staff- Lauren Car and Joe Dahlke)

## PROJECTS/TASKS BEING WORKED ON

- Turning on irrigation.
- All drinking fountains are on.
- All sites have been mowed at least once.
- Parks are busy.
- Hiring seasonal employees.
- Working on completing conditional use ZDO required updates for Concord.
- Painted, installed restroom fixtures in upstairs Concord restroom after abatement work.
- **Pollinator Gardens:** Planning for Pollinator Week events at Stringfield Family Park at the end of June.

- Currently recruiting for a Park Maintenance Specialist, Building Maintenance Assistant position.
- Recruiting seasonal groundskeeper positions.



# Recreation

The purpose of the NCPRD Recreation program is to provide a variety of recreational and educational opportunities directly and in partnership with other providers to enhance personal health and the quality of life for all residents of the District.

# SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Spring recreation classes kicked off in April with 695 participants across 52 adult and youth programs (27 fitness, 12 art/dance and 13 general interest). Spring swim lessons began with 382 participants including four additional classes that were added to accommodate waitlists.
- Summer registration began on April 4 for residents and on April 11 for non-residents. The majority of our 19 summer camp offerings are full with waitlists.
- Cheer Starz Dance and Cheer League has 50 participants this spring! Coaches choreographed and demonstrated their team's dance and cheer routines at the 2nd pre-season coaches' clinic.
- Pickleball at Concord School Property on Wednesday evenings and Saturday mornings continues to grow in popularity. Learn more at <u>ncprd.com/pickleball</u>.



- The North Clackamas Park ballfields opened on April 1 and are in full swing. Staff worked extremely hard to prepare the fields for opening by battling against the unusually wet and cold weather.
- On April 8, our two Kid's Container Gardening classes hosted 20 children ages 4-10. Participants planted six container gardens while learning about plant and seed anatomy through song, art and other engaging activities.



• To celebrate aloha and the giving of a lei, 26 participants attended the May Day Lei Day workshop on April 16. Students made two different leis to be given on May 1 (May Day) or for graduation gifts.





- Youth flag football began on April 23 with 120 participants attending a fundamentals practice. Games start for most divisions on May 7. NCPRD's flag football program is a league for boys and girls grades, grades K-6th.
- Portland Area Senior Softball (PASS), for ages 62+, returns to North Clackamas Park ballfields on April 24. The senior teams play on Monday and Wednesday mornings through August. PASS is one of the largest and most diversified senior softball leagues in the Northwest.
- The Spring Fever 19 team adult softball league is underway and will conclude play on May 21.
- The Aquatic Park hosted 34 students for the annual Oregon Recreation & Parks Association (ORPA) Lifeguard Leadership workshop which teaches head lifeguards, aquatics coordinators and pool managers proper water chemistry, safe aquatic facility practices, programming tips, effective scanning and gives students the opportunity to practice their skills in the water. Two of our very own aquatic staff members attended the workshop and stated that fellow participants, all leaders in Aquatics from across the state of Oregon, were complimentary of the Aquatic Park facility, operations and its staff.
- In preparation for a very busy summer season, the aquatics team successfully hired and trained five new lifeguards (all interested in becoming swim instructors), two water aerobics instructors and one service maintenance team member. Aquatic staff also trained and certified five new Lifeguard Instructor Trainers. These new instructors will increase training opportunities for courses in first aid, CPR and new lifeguarding training.

## PROJECTS/TASKS BEING WORKED ON

- Staff continue to prepare for summer, and are in the process of hiring for summer positions lifeguards, swim instructors and recreation leaders.
- Staff are choosing dates and preparing content for new hire trainings as summer positions are filled. The aquatic leadership team is working on recertifying the lifeguard team.
- Aquatics is preparing to post and conduct interviews for an additional full-time Shift Coordinator to join their team.
- Staff are preparing for Summer Nights adult softball league (our largest season with 23 teams registered) to start in June. The league will play games on Monday, Thursday, Friday and Sunday evenings from June 5 to August 11. In an effort to provide an avenue for player discussion and input, a Softball Player Advisory Council has been created. The council will begin meeting in early summer.
- Staff continue to plan, coordinate vendors, finalize logistics and solicit sponsorships for summer special event series such as Movies in the Park and Concerts in the Park.
- Staff are renewing annual contracts in preparation for the new fiscal year.



• Staff are recruiting instructors and planning for fall term offerings.

- The Aquatic Park will be partnering with local libraries to provide prizes for the Summer Reading program. Each participant that completes their goal will be offered a free pass to attend a Big Surf swim.
- May 7: World Laughter Day Yoga at North Clackamas Park with Director Bork from 11 a.m.noon.
- May 17: A performance with Anderson-Sasaki Duo (presented by Chamber Music Northwest) at the Milwaukie Community Center from 1-2 p.m. Enjoy live classical music with violinist Rebecca Anderson and pianist Mika Sasaki.
- June 3: Oregon Ballet Theater's junior ensemble, OBTZ, will perform at the Milwaukie Community Center. Show starts at 5 p.m. (doors open at 4:30 p.m.) \$5 suggested donation.
- June 3: Adaptive and Inclusive Spring Prom at the Concord School Property Gymnasium from 7 -9 p.m. (doors open at 6:30 p.m.). Ages 15 and up. Fee: \$25 Resident, \$31 Non-resident. The night will include music by DJ Sean Hinz, professional photos, a dessert bar, raffle prizes, Hollywood-themed decorations and event goodie bags stuffed with items and coupons courtesy of event sponsors and donors.
- June 11: Celebrate Pride Drag Bingo from 4-9 p.m., hosted by Milwaukie Community Center Foundation.
- June 24: Pollination Celebration from 1-3 p.m. at Stringfield Park.
- June 26: RecMobile program kicks off. Join our recreation staff Monday through Friday at select parks throughout the District for free drop-in activities for children ages 6-10.
- July 8: Concert In the Park: Milwaukie Bay Park; 5:30-8 p.m. FREE, The Nu Wavers (Classic Hits)
- July 14: Concert In the Park: North Clackamas Park; 7-8 p.m., FREE, Kenari Saxophone Quartet (Chamber Music NW)
- July 20: Concert In the Park: Ardenwald Park; 5:30-7 p.m., FREE, Red Yarn (Folk Music/Puppetry)
- July 22: Movies In the Park: Disney Pixar LUCA; Concord School Property
- July 29: Movies in the Park: Puss in Boots The Last Wish; Ann-Toni Schreiber Park
- August 5: Movies in the Park: Goonies; Pfeifer Park
- August 12: Movies in the Park: Top Gun Maverick; North Clackamas Park
- August 19: Movies in the Park: Minions Rise of Gru: Wichita Center
- September 8: Full Frenzy adult softball league begins
- September 10: Youth fall baseball at North Clackamas Park begins
- September 18: Sideout youth volleyball begins

# LIVE CHAMBER MUSIC

# Afternoon Performance with the Anderson-Sasaki Duo

Enjoy live classical music at the Milwaukie Community Center, with a free and interactive performance with the Anderson-Sasaki Duo. Sharing a passion for chamber music and a strong belief that everyone in any community should have the opportunity to find a personal connection with music, Portland-native violinist Rebecca Anderson and pianist Mika Sasaki have joined forces to create community residencies and imaginative programs that can forge lasting and meaningful connections with audiences. *Presented by Chamber Music Northwest*.

> Location • Milwaukie Community Center Time/Date • 1 p.m. on Wednesday, May 17 Fee • Free

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