

Recreation Advisory Committee Agenda
Location: OTCC Card Room Date: August 5, 2026 Time: 1:30PM

Call to Order at:

A. Attendance:

Voting RAC Members:	Kimberly Clow, Gary Adams, Claude Plymate, Lucy Radike, Joni Walker Mitch McDiffett, Mark Poindexte (absent), Ed Weston
Staff (Non-Voting):	Ashley Krempien Rec. Manager/Director; Don Ciota, BVSA GM, David Burchard; BVSA Director- Ruby Bittner-Sports Manager Linda Wetta, Special Events

B. COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- 1) **Youth Sports**-*New Sports Director! Ruby Bittner* T-Ball & Rookie Ball begin soon. Baseball Camp Basketball sign up in Sept.
- 2) **RC Modelers**-*Mitch McDiffett* -Lots of flying. Asphalt needs work as there are a few areas at the west end of the runway.
- 3) **Sportsman Club** Representative Mark Poindexter-sent activities list.
- 4) **Tennis** *Ed Westin* Ed was asked to take pictures of areas on courts that need attention.

Jiri Herrmann continues to give lessons for families and individuals. Jennie conducted very successful tennis camps for children and teenagers in the weeks of July 13 and July 20. It is important that tennis court users and the maintenance team coordinate to avoid conflicts.

5) Pickleball Club *Joni Walker sub-Laura Mathes-Orr* the Club had a great time walking and riding in the 4th of July parade. We came ready to party and it was great fun.

* On July 18th the club held its second "BVS Children's Pickleball Day Camp." Vice President, Sherry Fanell, spearheaded the event and it was a great success. Eighteen children participated supported by seven "ambassadors" from the club helped to keep things fun, organized, and moving. Selkirk, a top brand that makes gear for pickleball, helped to sponsor the event. While the event was free, each child went home with a Selkirk pickleball paddle. There are already plans in the works for another day camp next year.

6) **Beaubien Field**-Gary Adams' baseball camp w/ UCLA and HS coaches was a success. Thanks, everybody for your part in helping make this year's baseball camp such a success. Only one suggestion: immediately after July 4th, begin watering and maybe fertilizing the big fields grass area—in particular left field...which still hasn't made it back to green grass.
Gary

7) Tailwaggers- Pam Miller

There has been a flooding problem by the water facet on the Big Dog Park. Campbells donated the materials to dig a trench and put in a "type of French Drain" in the hopes and of alleviating the flooding problem. Although it helped, it also made clear where the real problem is. The faucet is leaking and so there is some more repair work to be done by Maintenance.

b. Gopher holes are a problem in the small dog park. The club needs level ground when we have our Agility Playdays. The Maintenance Crew is doing the best they can by filling in the holes by hand.

8.) Astronomy Club-*Claude Plymate* - This year's dark sky campout/star party will be September 10-12 at Tuttle Creek Campground near the Alabama Hills.

9) Pool –*Kimberly Clow* Successful and busy summer. Last weekday of full lifeguard staff Aug 11. Off Season BVA Club Orientations and Membership begins Aug. 20 & Aug 29

10) Nature Path-*Kimberly Clow* –Path is in great shape! Lots of use!! New trees have been planted on the outside of the Little League Field are doing well. Picnic table at the beginning of the path has been replaced!!

11) Whiting Center Special Events-*Linda Wetta* Planning end of summer and fall events

12.Range & Campgrounds *Ashley Krempien* Shooting range is closed for summer.

13. Lakes-*Fred Hicks* Lake Status report

14. Recreation-*Ashley Krempien*-Sizzling Summer Aug 22, Farmers Market at Cub Lake every other weekend. Cub's Campout July 25, Movies begin Friday June 19

15. BVSA Board Report *David Burchard* The Board is looking at keeping BVS a great place to live- Why we live here and making it the best. The CSD Board staff may be contacting BVS Clubs.

16. NEW BUSINESS

17. Follow Up-Action Items- Some Dog Park, lots of gopher holes & water leaks

ADJOURNMENT *Next mtgs. Wednesday **October 7, Dec 2 at 1:30pm.***

Respectfully submitted, Kimberly Clow