



**CITY OF CORNING
RECREATION COMMISSION AGENDA
TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 2009
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
794 THIRD STREET**

A. CALL TO ORDER: 7:30 p.m.

B. ROLL CALL:

Chairperson: Shannon Boles
Commissioners: Loretta Price
Larry Johnson
Kyle Lauderdale
Allen Turner

C. BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR: If there is anyone in the audience wishing to speak on items not already set on the Agenda, please come to the podium, give your name and address, and briefly identify the matter you wish to have placed on the Agenda. The Commission will then determine if such matter will be placed on the Agenda for this meeting, scheduled for a subsequent meeting, or recommend other appropriate action. If the matter is placed on tonight's Agenda, you will have the opportunity later in the meeting to return to the podium to discuss the issue. The law prohibits the Commission from taking formal action on the issue, however, unless it is placed on the Agenda for a later meeting so that interested members of the public will have a chance to appear and speak on the subject.

D. REGULAR AGENDA: All items listed below are in the order, which we believe, are of most interest to the public at this meeting. However, if anyone in the audience wishes to have the order of the Agenda changed, please come to the podium, state your name and address, and explain the reason you are asking for the order of the Agenda to be changed.

- 1. Waive the Reading and Approve the Minutes of the May 5, 2009 Recreation Commission meeting with any necessary corrections.**
- 2. Review of Summer Activities Guide – Recreation Supervisor Kimberly Beck.**
- 3. Discussion of Skateboard Park Project:**
 - a. Presentation – Greg Melton, AIA: Park Development with emphasis on Volunteer Participation.**
 - b. Presentation – Dennis & Donna Hake: Red Bluff's Skateboard Park Success Through Volunteers.**
 - c. Call to Action & Commitment for Volunteer Leadership – Recreation Commission Chairperson.**

E. ITEMS PLACED ON THE AGENDA FROM THE FLOOR:

F. ADJOURNMENT!

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**CITY OF CORNING
RECREATION COMMISSION MINUTES**

**TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2009
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
794 THIRD STREET**

A. CALL TO ORDER: 7:32 p.m.

B. ROLL CALL:

Chairperson: Shannon Boles
Commissioners: Loretta Price
Larry Johnson
Kyle Lauderdale
Allen Turner

All Commissioners were present. Chairperson Boles introduced new Commissioner Allen Turner who was appointed to the Recreation Commission by the City Council at the April 14, 2009 City Council Meeting.

C. BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR: None.

D. REGULAR AGENDA:

1. Waive the Reading and Approve the Minutes of the April 7, 2009 Recreation Commission meeting with any necessary corrections.

Commissioner Price moved to approve the Minutes of the April 7, 2009 Recreation Commission Meeting as written. Commissioner Lauderdale seconded the motion. **Ayes: Boles, Price, Johnson, Lauderdale and Turner. Opposed: None. Absent/Abstain: None. Motion was approved by a 5-0 vote.**

2. Discussion of Summer Activity Guide.

Recreation Supervisor Kimberly Beck updated the Recreation Commission on the progress of the 2009 Summer Activity Guide. Beck informed the Commission that the Guide is nearly complete and has twice as many activities compared to last summer. The guide is scheduled to be dispersed the week of May 18th. Ms. Beck stated that the department is working on tying-up loose ends such as finding a Yoga Instructor, confirming a facility for piano lessons, creating a fitness or biggest looser class, soccer camps, and trying to hold a women's softball tournament. Kyle Lauderdale volunteered contact information for the Chico Rooks who hold soccer camps for the youth. Ms. Beck will follow-up on obtaining this information with Commissioner Lauderdale via email.

3. Discussion of Skateboard Park Project.

City Manager Stephen Kimbrough led the discussion regarding the Corning Skateboard Park Project. He stated that the City is still looking at potential sites for the Park and has met with Landscape Architects from Land Image of Chico to discuss a design. Mr. Kimbrough informed the Commission that the City is still looking for Community support. Commissioner Boles asked what locations are being considered for the Park. Mr. Kimbrough responded stating that there are two sites that have been discussed, one is located by Clark Park and is owned by John Eller, and the other is the property owned by New Life Assembly Church off of Solano Street. He stated that there has been some resistance to the later site because it is believed that the location of the Skateboard Park might affect the commercial property that is located right next to it. John Stoufer is working on alternative property profiles for the project.

A member of the Community suggested the property owned by Mr. Eller across from the football field. Mr. Kimbrough noted that that property backs up to residential housing. This individual also

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suggested property located on Hall and South Avenue. Mr. Kimbrough stated that property is located in the County, not the City.

Local teacher Gary May addressed the Commission expressing that he believes the Park would be a great idea, stating that currently the skateboarders are destroying property. He then turned to the kids at the meeting and told them to get involved with the project and not to destroy property. Another member of the audience stated that she currently takes her son to Chico or Red Bluff to skateboard. She said the kids are just trying to get some good exercise. She thanked the City and said she appreciates what they are doing.

Mr. Kimbrough told the Commission that Volunteers have always made good things happen in our town. To have continuity, Mr. Kimbrough stated that we are looking for a group of adults to assist with the project. This group could assist with donations, and help reduce Park construction cost through volunteering to assist with construction such as concrete and grading work. Mr. Kimbrough also spoke about Stage Skateparks. He reiterated that the City is hoping some adults will take the leadership role in this project.

City Councilor John Leach spoke about the core group of adults that are in favor of the Skateboard Park Project. He said the next setp is to have a meeting with the core group of adults to see where they're at and how involved they want to be. He stated that he would like to see that group start moving forward.

Audience member Mrs. Brooks stated that she wants to be involved and on the Board. Janette Turner, a local businesswoman stated that the owner of the building where her business is located has asked her to put up a sign saying "No Skateboarding". She said the skateboarders have no place to go and offered her time as well.

Mayor Gary Strack stated that the he is looking at how many people are going to use the Skateboard Park verses the cost of the Park. He said it is looking like it's going to cost about a half million dollars to construct. He offered alternatives such as working with TRAX to bus the kids to Red Bluff. He stated that he was all for the project at first, but it has slowed down a lot because the cost currently outweighs the community support. Mayor Strack updated the Community on the Rodger's Theatre Committee stating that they are also vying for the Park Bond money for their project.

Mr. Kimbrough stated that the City is hoping that the skateboarders can form a support group similar to that of the Little League and Youth Soccer. He said that is what we need to make this happen.

Corning High School Teacher David Tinker stated that there is a website and a group, IASC, that is a statewide professional group that might be able to help in some way. He stated that there are a lot of kids that love to skateboard and these kids need something to do. Mr. Tinker said that skateboarders are a different group and they don't have the strong parent support such as that of the Youth Soccer League. He stated that he doesn't have the time to help, but if a group were to be formed he would support it.

Mr. Tinker stated that the property across from the Transportation Center building would be a great location for the Skateboard Park. Recreation Supervisor Kimberly Beck mentioned a possible issue with underground fuel tanks. Mr. Kimbrough added that the tanks might have leaked and polluted the soil, but no one knows for sure. Mr. Tinker shared information about the soccer fields at the High School stating that no one touched them for years because they thought the fields had been polluted by diesel. He stated that he strongly believes that skateboarding is a good tool for the students and he has had the opportunity to see it first hand throughout his 20 years of teaching.

Mayor Strack said the property across from the Transportation Center has been discussed for over 15 years. There has been a lot of talk about who would take liability for the tanks. He said it's an ideal piece of property. The Mayor stated he is all for trying to do something, however he stated that we need to start with a group.

A skater from the audience spoke stating that he used to live in Orland and skaters from there have to travel to skate. He stated his believe that so many kids would benefit from having a skatepark in Corning.

Mr. Kimbrough told the Commission that skateboarders don't sue, they may hurt themselves, but they go home to their parents. As long as we post rules and follow the architect's design, it doesn't increase our insurance. He said there are a lot of good things about skateboarding and a Skateboard Park.

E. ITEMS PLACED ON THE AGENDA FROM THE FLOOR: None.

F. ADJOURNMENT! 8:06 p.m.

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Kimberly Beck, Recreation Supervisor

Corning Recreation Department's Summer Activity Guide 2009

We're listening. Speak Up! We want to understand your vision for Corning's future. We encourage you to contact us by phone at 824-7011 or by email at kbeck@corning.org. To learn more about us, visit our website, www.corning.org/recreation.html

Youth Softball Hitting Clinic (10-14 years)

The softball hitting clinic is designed for all hitters, ranging in skill level from beginning to advanced. In addition to receiving instruction on proper swing mechanics, hitters will participate in various hitting drills- - covering topics such as the fundamental breakdown of a swing, contact points, hip drive, and the swing finish- - designed for personal development. Further instruction will include knowledge of the strike zone and specific game situations. **ONLY 40 SPOTS AVAILABLE. Must bring bat, helmet, and right and left batting gloves.**

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/6-6/7	Sat-Sun	9am-12pm	Yost Park	\$25

Kenpo Karate (6+ years)

"To fight for a peaceful heart". The Youth Kenpo Karate program will focus on self-defense, techniques, and physical fitness as well as maintain a fun and exciting atmosphere. Get into shape, learn discipline, lose weight, gain confidence, network, and make new friends.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6-15yrs 6/8	Mon/Thur	5-6pm	Woodson Gym	\$5/class
16+yrs 6/8	Mon/Thur	6-7pm	Woodson Gym	\$5/class

Mommy N' Me (0-4 years)

Enjoy the excitement of rhythm, movement, balance, singing, pretend, and props! Complete with a fun craft project in each class. Join us for musical fun with mommy and child. Daddy's, Caregivers, and siblings are welcome, too! Wear comfortable clothes and bring your own yoga mat. Sign-up for both classes and receive a discount of \$10.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/9 - 7/7	Tuesday	9-10am	Maywood Cafeteria	\$25
6/11 - 7/9	Thursday	11am-12pm	Maywood Cafeteria	\$25

Enchanted II (8-12 years)

Creative dance set to a fun theme such as Rock Star, Action Hero, Princess, etc. Have fun with rhythm, movement, coordination, beginning/intermediate level technique, props, and groovy accessories. Fundamentals of Ballet, Tap, Jazz Funk, Cha-Cha, and Swing...

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/9 - 7/7	Tuesday	10:30-11:30am	Maywood Cafeteria	\$30

Groove N' Tunes (4-6 & 7-12 years)

Latest hits plus cool moves equals a fun summer! If your child loves to sing and dance, this is the class for them. Students will learn a complete country or pop song and dance routine in this five week course. This is a wonderful way to build their confidence level! And, they'll be too busy singing & dancing to realize they're getting some great exercise!

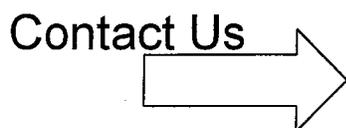
Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
4-6yrs 6/9 - 7/7	Tuesday	3:30-4:30pm	Maywood Cafeteria	\$30
7-12yrs 6/9 - 7/7	Tuesday	4:30-5:30pm	Maywood Cafeteria	\$30

Storybook Friends (2-4 & 5-7 years)

Have fun with creative dance using a magical storybook theme. It's fun for boys and girls! Rhythm, movement, hand/eye coordination, fine motor skills, pretend, props and dress up. Learn the basic fundamentals of Ballet, Tap, & Jazz. It's a magical class for your prince or princess! Spots are limited. The 2-4 years old class will max out at 12 participants and the 5-7 years old class will max out at 15 participants.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
2-4yrs 6/11 - 7/9	Thursday	9-10am	Maywood Cafeteria	\$30
5-7yrs 6/11 - 7/9	Thursday	10-11am	Maywood Cafeteria	\$30

--REGISTRATION MUST BE TURNED IN 2 WEEKS BEFORE A PROGRAM'S START DATE--



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Tennis Camp (8-17 years)

Learn from people with experience! This tennis summer camp is designed to have fun while receiving quality tennis instruction. This camp gives kids the opportunity to play, learn, and enjoy the game of tennis. Rackets are available for use during the camp. Participants ages 8-12 are encouraged to attend the 8-9:30 sessions.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/15-6/19	Mon-Fri	8-9:30/9:30-11am	CUHS Court	\$15/week
6/22-6/26	Mon-Fri	8-9:30/9:30-11am	CUHS Court	\$15/week
6/29-7/3	Mon-Fri	8-9:30/9:30-11am	CUHS Court	\$15/week

Corning Rotary Youth Basketball Camp (3-8 grades)

Take your game to the next level! Corning Rotary Club is hosting this year's youth co-ed basketball camp. Athletes will practice in ball handling, dribbling, and shooting. They will also learn about self-esteem, teamwork, and the value of hard work. The last day to register is June 9th, 2009 by 5:00pm.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/17 – 6/19	Wed-Fri	8am-12pm	Maywood Gym	\$25/player

Baseball Hitting Clinic (10-14 years)

Boys, refine your hitting skills through drills and demonstrations. Coach Studer will provide instructions that include correct swing mechanics, hitting with more power, the mental approach, and more. If possible, please bring a bat and helmet with you. There are only 25 spots available. The last day to register is June 9th.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/15 – 6/16	Mon/Tues	8am-11pm	CUHS baseball field	\$25/player

Nor Cal Soccer Academy

This camp provides the opportunity for players to reach their greatest potential by being challenged technically and tactically, in a fun and encouraging environment. The staff has been selected because of their experience and ability to coach. Players will be instructed by both Butte College Soccer Coaches. Bring plenty of water and snacks to get you through the day.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
7/6-7/8	Mon-Wed	9am-3pm	CUHS Soccer Field	\$75

Youth Soccer Camp (4-12 years)

All soccer players interested in improving their skills, working hard, meeting new friends, and having fun will enjoy this camp. Players will be instructed by an accredited coach with years of experience. Each child will take home their own soccer ball. Gear-up to strengthen your fundamental skills while having a great time!

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
7/20 – 7/24	Mon-Fri	5-7pm	CUHS Soccer Field	\$25

Imagination Station (4-12 years)

This fun and amazing day camp offers a different theme each day! Activities to help build your child's confidence, raise their self esteem, and stimulate their imagination! Everything from music & games, relay races, promoting balance and agility, drama, arts & crafts, and a healthy snack. So put down those remote controls, video games, and bag of chips....Spend a wonderful morning with us creating and taking your imagination to the next level! Finish the day by cooling off at the public pool next door!

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
7/22 – 7/24	Wed-Fri	9am-12pm	Northside Park	\$15/per day

Campapalooza (4-10 years)

Campapalooza is a day camp filled with inclusive activities, fun arts & crafts, outdoor games, and sporting contests. Our goal is to allow the youth to benefit from playing in an environment that fosters creativity, builds self-confidence, increases physical stamina, improves social relations, and encourages FUN! Join us to create memorable moments and relationships. Participants must bring a sack lunch. Immediately following lunch, campers will be released to the pool.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
8/3 – 8/5	Mon-Wed	8am-1pm	Northside Park	\$50/per camper

Youth Volleyball Camp (5-12 grades)

Join Corning High School Varsity Volleyball Coach Mike Albee and his staff in kicking-off the volleyball season. The youth volleyball camp will provide participants the chance to develop character, learn skills, and make new friends. We offer valuable tools to improve your game and an unforgettable growth experience to those who join us.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
7/27-7/31	Mon-Fri	9am-12pm	CUHS North Gym	\$50/player

Men's Slow Pitch Softball (Adult)

Grab your buddies and hit the field. Amateur Softball Association (ASA) Men's Slow Pitch Softball is here! Teams must turn in a complete team liability waiver and team fees to be eligible to play. Games will be played on Monday evenings beginning May 4th, 2009 at Yost Park.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
5/4-8/3	Monday	5:30-9:30pm	Yost Park	\$350 per team

Yoga (All Ages)

Stretch... Strengthen... Renew... Beat the heat and relax into yourself. Paula's teaching is rooted in the foundational training she received in India with B.K.S. Iyengar. Paula's clear understanding of the principles of Yoga allows each student to deeply and respectfully come to their own sense of knowing. We ask that you supply your own Yoga Mat.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
5/29-7/10	Friday	7:30-9am	Transportation Bldg	\$65
8/7-8/28	Friday	7:30-9am	Transportation Bldg	\$45

Plyometrics (All Ages)

This Plyometric class will consist of exercises that are specialized, high intensity training techniques used to develop athletic power (strength and speed). Plyometric movements use strength and elasticity of muscle tissues to increase the speed or force of muscular contraction; therefore, allowing someone to jump higher, move faster, throw harder, or to further improve performance in any particular sport.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/8-7/16	Mon/Thurs	7:30-9am	CUHS Football Field	\$40

Pure Pilates (All Ages)

Welcome to the world of Pilates! All you need is a mat and a small beach ball to participate in this wonderful workout scheduled as a 6 week program twice a week. The class is a full hour of pure Pilates' methods utilizing your own core energy that is controlled by the power of your mind. Progressively and at your own pace, you will learn a variety of movements designed to enhance and improve your balance, alignment, strength, flexibility and fluidity. So come and discover the power within and experience the magic of Pilates.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/8-7/15	Mon/Wed	7:30-8:30am	Olive View	\$70
6/9-7/16	Tues/Thurs	5:45-6:45pm	Olive View	\$70

--REGISTRATION MUST BE TURNED IN 2 WEEKS BEFORE A PROGRAM'S START DATE--

Let's Country Line Dance (All Ages)

It's Country Line Dance time! Come and learn fun and easy steps like Electric Slide, Elvira, Cowgirl Twist, Cowboy Charleston, Waltz Across Texas, Senorita Sway and Some Beach; or a little challenging but still so much fun like Bicycle Waltz, Come Dance with Me, Cinco de Mayo, Senorita Margarita, Fly Me to the Moon, Swing City Jive, Kansas City and All Together Now. All you need to bring is just yourself in comfortable clothes and shoes. Hats and boots are absolutely optional!

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/9-7/16	Tues/Thurs	4:30-5:30pm	Olive View	\$70

Men's Basketball League (18+ years)

Grab your buddies or co-workers and hit the court. Join us for a men's 5 on 5 non-refereed basketball league. Games will be held on Tuesday nights. All teams are required to have a minimum of five players. League rosters and fees must be submitted to the Corning Recreation Office prior to the team's first game.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/9-8/11	Tuesday	6pm	CUHS South Gym	\$125/team

Drop-In Tennis (15+ years)

Rally! Improve your game and have fun doing it. Corning Recreation invites everyone to share his/her passion for tennis. This program is designed for high school aged and adult participants to have the opportunity to play tennis. Bring your own equipment.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/11-8/13	Thursday	5-7pm	CUHS Tennis Court	\$1/player/day

Kenpo-Robics (Adult)

Think Kickboxing! This six week class will use the elements of Kenpo Karate to work endurance (aerobic ability), hand/eye and foot/eye coordination, balance and strength. The class will be held in an informal, relaxed atmosphere. Not every class will be the same - not boring and mundane. Expect something new each class! Benefits include increased stamina, firmer muscles, stress relief, and weight loss (especially paired with a sensible eating plan).

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/15 - 7/23	Mon/Thurs	7-8pm	Woodson Gym	\$60

Roadmap to Nutrition

Tired of dieting? Need motivation to eat right and exercise? We have just the class for you! Join us for an in-depth eight week training to transfer to a healthier lifestyle. This is not a short-term weight loss program. Our goal is to facilitate permanent results. We believe that healthy eating is more than weightloss. Therefore, you will have two intense instructors assisting you every step of the way. You will also receive a book to guide you through this process. Make the healthy choice and get permanent results without permanent dieting. Registration must be submitted on or before June 2nd. Please bring a notepad and writing utensil to class.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/16-8/13	Tuesday	7pm	Olive View Rm 19	\$85 or 2 payments of \$50

Horseshoe League (Adult)

Let's start the summer off with a clang! Corning Co-ed Horseshoe League will begin on Wednesday June 17th at Clark Park. Choose your partner and sign-up before Wednesday June 8th.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/17-7/22	Wednesday	5:30pm	Clark Park	\$30/team

Volleyball Open Gym (13+)

Everyone is welcome! Do you miss volleyball? Can't wait for volleyball season? Whether you're new to the sport or a seasoned athlete, come refresh your skills in a no-pressure environment.

Date	Day	Time	Location	Fee
6/24-8/12	Wednesday	6pm	CUHS South Gym	\$1/player/day

.:SPECIAL EVENTS:.

Horseshoe Tournament

Join us for a Double Elimination Horseshoe Tournament August 22nd at Clark Park. Games will begin at 10am. Teams must preregister at the Recreation Department. The \$20 team entry fee is non-refundable. Teams are required to provide their own shoes. Winners take home a cash prize!

Youth Fair

Join us in kicking-off the 2009-10 school year! Corning's Annual Youth Fair will be held August 8th, 2009 at Northside Park. The event will begin at 10am and continue until 3pm. Corning Rotary has sponsored a free swim day from 1-3pm at the City Pool. Northside Park will be lined with numerous booths all directed towards kids. Bring your kids for an entire day of education, games, food, swimming, and more.

.:CITY POOL INFORMATION:.

Lifeguard Orientation: Sunday, June 7, 2009 beginning at 8:30 a.m.

POOL OPENING: Monday, June 8, 2009

PUBLIC SWIMMING HOURS:

Day Hours: Monday -Friday, 1:00 - 5:00 p.m., Saturdays 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Evening Hours: Tuesday and Thursday 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.

ADULT LAP SWIM: Monday - Friday 6:30 - 7:30 a.m.

SWIM LESSONS: Monday - Friday 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Sign-ups: June 8 - 12, 2009 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

2 week sessions of ½ hour starting 6/15/09 and ending 8/7/09

SWIM TEAM PRACTICE: Monday-Friday 7:30 - 10:20 a.m. and Monday and Wednesday evenings 5-8 p.m.

WATER AEROBICS: Tuesdays & Thursdays 5:00 - 6:30 p.m. Starts/Ends: June 16 – July 28, 2009

You may pre-register at: Shasta College Phone: 529-8980

900 Palm Street

Red Bluff, CA 96080

Or on-line at www.shastacollege.edu

More information can be found at <http://corning.org./recfiles/2009%20Pool%20Schedule.pdf> or contact the City Pool at 530.824.7062

.:FACILITY LOCATIONS:.

Clark Park	103 East Fig Ln
CUHS	643 Blackburn Ave
Maywood	1666 Marguerite Ave
Northside Park	Colusa & 6 th St
Olive View	1402 Fig St
Transportation Building	1081 Solano St
West Street	900 West St
Woodson	N 150 Toomes Ave
Yost Park	1st & Tehama St

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT
www.corning.org/recreation.html