

**City of San Diego Parks and Recreation Department
Mira Mesa Community Recreation Group
Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, August 12, 2025
7:00pm
Lopez Ridge Recreation Center
7245 Calle Cristobal
San Diego, CA 92126**

Attendance

CALL TO ORDER:

- Mr. Frichtel called the meeting to order at 7:06pm.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

- Greg Goonan motioned to approve minutes seconded by Andreas Gillmeier, with the changes discussed made.

Discussion Item:

NON-AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENT: This portion of the agenda provides an opportunity for members of the public to address the Community Recreation Group Board on items of interest within the jurisdiction of the Board. Limited to items not on the agenda and three minutes.

- None

REQUEST FOR ITEMS TO BE PLACED ON CONSENT AGENDA:

The Chair may entertain a motion by any Board Member to approve any agenda item as consent when no public comments have been submitted in favor or in opposition to the item. Items approved on consent are approved in accordance with staff's recommendation as reflected on the agenda and described in the Staff Report to Mira Mesa Community Recreation Group, unless otherwise noted in the motion.

- None

REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE:

- None

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT:

1. Hourglass Fieldhouse Joint-Use Committee: Still reviewing the operations manual. Mentioned getting blocks for the swimming pool since the pool is over 25 years old. Fields were closed for maintenance till August 11. The College is planning to hold a Pow Wow on March 21, 2026. Next meeting for Joint use is scheduled for August 21.
2. Community Parks I Area Committee: Group is now called Park Talk San Diego and includes all the City of San Diego Recreation Centers. The meeting is online once a month instead of meeting at all these different centers.
3. Mira Mesa Park Phase 2-3 Expansion Committee: Phase 2 a big rock quarry was put in next to the fire station to deal with storm water abatement. Phase 2 seems to be moving along well.

BOARDMEMBER COMMENT:

- None

Council District 6 Report:**Council Representative:**

- Not present – Community updates sent to City staff below.
- Mira Mesa Community Park Phase II Improvements
 - Some of the work done included the roof on the equipment building complete, Environmental health and quality inspections of the small pool done, and shotcrete work was finished at the large competition pool.

- July report with more details has been posted to the website.
- Street Reconstruction Group 1801 (as of August 1st)
 - The following segments of Gold Coast Drive are scheduled for paving:
 - August 4-12: San Ramon Drive to Westonhill Drive
 - August 11-19: Lipscomb Drive to Baywood Lane
 - Other work to the streets will begin once paving is complete.
 - Water main relocation under Gold Coast Way is currently underway and is expected to be completed by the end of August.
 - Crews will install new storm drains and complete final paving after the water main relocation.
 - The project is tentatively projected to be completed in early spring 2026.
- Salk Neighborhood Park (Maddox)
 - No new updates, the legal issues with the shade structure continue to be the primary reason for the delay.
 - If you have specific questions, you are welcome to contact Yovanna Lewis, the project manager, at ylewis@sandiego.gov.
- Resources
 - Community Projects, Programs and Services (CPPS) applications were due on Thursday August 7. The funds are awarded at the discretion of each City Councilmember, primarily to nonprofit and community-based organizations.
 - Miramar Air Show will be happening this year from September 26th to the 28th.

PARKS AND RECREATION STAFF REPORT:

Center Director Report: Erin Holbech, Lopez Ridge Neighborhood Park:

- Movie in the Park was on July 18, 2025 – movie was Migration. Had about 60 people come out. Had Kona Ice come out to sell their product.
- Fall Festival will be taking place at Mira Mesa Senior Center on October 18, 2025. Will be showing a movie called IF.
- Erin will be doing an Out of Class Assignment at another site for 6 weeks and Cody Greco will be covering Lopez Ridge.

Center Director Report: Jesse Dawn, Hourglass Fieldhouse and Park:

- Fields just reopened this week at Wangenheim and Hourglass.
- Fall registration starts this Saturday August 16, 2025, at 10:00am.

Pool Manager Report: Nicole Shaw, Ned Baumer Aquatics Center:

- Brought new brochures and will leave them out for everyone.
- 90 participants for swim team.
- 40 people for Water Polo team.
- Held banquets for Water Polo and Swim Teams
- 110 classes for swim lessons.
- No lessons again till summertime.
- Had the Junior Adaptive Sports Camp here in June for their yearly camp.
- During Fall there will be less time for public.

Community Group Reports

Mira Mesa Little League:

- Fall Ball will have 12 teams and will start soon.
- Rested fields at Mira Mesa for about 4 weeks.

- Have been having issues with homeless due to being away of the fields.

AYSO:

- Have 500 kids, using Hourglass C and Wangenheim, and season starts September 6
- Field conditions at Wangenheim are a concern.
- Wanting SUP for the Snack bar.
- Hoping to get a storage condition at Wangenheim.

Pickleball:

- No update.

Gremio FC:

- Have attended enough meetings to be added to Community Recreation Group. Will send letter for approval.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

None

INFORMATION ITEMS:

None

ACTION ITEMS:

None

WORKSHOP:

None

ADJOURNMENT

Next Meeting is scheduled for September 9, 2025, at 7:00pm
Meeting will take place at the Lopez Ridge Recreation Center.