

**City of San Diego Parks and Recreation Department
Mira Mesa Community Recreation Group
Meeting Minutes**

Tuesday, June 9, 2026

7:00pm

Lopez Ridge Recreation Center

7245 Calle Cristobal

San Diego, CA 92126

Attendance

At-Large Members	Present	Absent
Frichtel, Joe: Chairperson	X	
Goonan, Greg: Vice chair		X
Hamilton, Fay		X
Jackson, Craig		X
Nover, Lillith		X
Treasurer		X
Stevens, Jeff	X	
Youth Organization Members		
Legends San Diego		X
Mira Mesa Girls Softball (Marlena Fleet)	X	
Mira Mesa Little League	X	
Mira Mesa Soccer-AYSO (Derek Church)	X	
Mira Mesa Pop Warner Will Hudson, Michelle Tuscano	X	
Adult Organization Members		
Mira Mesa Town Council		X
San Diego Cricket Association	X	
Mira Mesa Pickleball (Andreas Gillmeier)	X	
City Staff		
Claudia Apodaca		X
Anahi Felix, Lopez Ridge Recreation Center	X	
Derrick Monroe: Center Director III, GJ	X	
Bella Kalivas: City Council District 6 Representative		X
Daniel Dorantes, Ned Baumer Aquatics Center	X	
Guests		
Krista Clemen	X	
Mira Mesa Youth Baseball (Drew A)	X	
Scott Krasten		
Jordan Nguyen (Viet)		

CALL TO ORDER:

- Mr. Frichtel called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

- Chairperson Frichtel. Motion to approve Jeff Stevens, second by Andreas Gillmeier

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:

- Looking for donations to reseed Wagenheim Park
- Fireworks on July 3rd at Wagenheim. Girls softball team may open snack bar

Hourglass Joint Use Field Committee

- Meeting cancelled due to Bruce Brown ceremonies

Community Parks I Area Committee

- Joe Frichtel attended the meeting. Part of the discussion was Maddox Park and Gil Johnson
- Come Play Outside events for recreation areas south of I-8

Mira Mesa Park Phase 2-3 Expansion Committee**BOARDMEMBER COMMENT:**

- None

Council District 6 Report:

No Report

PARKS AND RECREATION STAFF REPORT:

Area Manager Report: Claudia Apodaca, Mira Mesa Community

No Report

OCA Center Director Report Anahi Felix, Lopez Ridge Neighborhood Park

- Movie in the park June 27, 2026, showing the movie CARS
- Special interest classes Film Breakdown, Arts and crafts programs

Center Director Report: Derrick Monroe, Hourglass Field Community Park

- Next month, July, there is no CRG meeting, next meeting is August 11th
- Volleyball season ends next Friday and Saturday with playoffs at Balboa Park. Teams from Hourglass will be participating
- Summer basketball registration is full
- Field allocation meeting was held today
- Spirit Kids Gymnastics camp June 15-18

Pool Manager Report: Daniel Dorante, Ned Baumer Aquatics Center

- Swim lessons going on all summer including adults
- Registration June 27, 12:00pm
- Pool on Saturdays 10:00am-2:00pm during summer
- Kiddie pool will be replaced or rebuilt

Community Group Reports

Mira Mesa Little League:

- Regular season wrapped up. Closing ceremonies were last week.
- Getting ready for All Stars July 15-August 7
- Hosting 9-11 All State Championship

Mira Mesa AYSO:

- Top Gun Tournament held Memorial Day weekend. There were 109 teams from southern California participating. Spring season finished this past weekend.
- No games are taking place now. Taking registration for fall.

San Diego Crickett Assoc:

- Two youth teams. Season is going on right now until after July 4, weekend

Mira Mesa Girls Softball:

- Season just ended this past week with tournament.
- Fall starts in August
- Only problem was with the lights. They should have been on until 10:10pm but were shut off at 9:45. They could not pick up trash

PickleBall:

- Work on signage at Gil Johnson and who can use courts and when

Mira Mesa Pop Warner Football

- Currently taking registration through June 15th, 2026
- Season Starts July 15th, 200 registered for youth football and cheer
- Excited to celebrate 50th Anniversary
- They signed up for the 4th July Mira Mesa Parade
- Alumni event Sunday June 14th at Golden Brewery including raffles, photo booth

Mira Mesa Youth (Pony) Baseball

No report

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- Chair Frichtel, hopefully that budget will get resolved tonight
- I appreciate everybody that contacted the City Council, it makes a difference
- This morning 10 News report that Salk, Maddox issue with Turf, might need to be removed
- People concerned there is no shade inside the dog park

INFORMATION ITEMS:

ACTION ITEMS:

WORKSHOP:

ADJOURNMENT: Chairperson Joe Frichtel, at 7:50pm

Next Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 11 at 7:00pm
Meeting will take place at the Lopez Ridge Recreation Center.