



City of Marco Island

Date: April 2024
From: Samantha Malloy-Manager of Parks, Culture & Recreation
Re: Parks & Recreation Monthly Report

Community Special Events

- Farmers Market – Thank you everyone for a great season!!!
- Jammin' in the Park, Friday, May 3rd, Veterans Community Park. *This is a new event; music will be provided by local entertainers!*
- For additional details and a list of scheduled events and happenings that are taking place at Parks & Recreation and around the City, please see our calendar on the City website.

Mackle Park Community Center

- Be Fit Over 50, Yoga, and Line Dancing classes are continuing, however our attendance numbers are dropping.
- Room rental reservations are continuing most weekdays. Weekend reservations have dropped.
- Our card and social groups continue to meet weekly.
- Converting our Teen Room into a Social Room and allowing Seniors to use the room during school hours and Teens to use the room in the afternoons has worked very well with both groups!
- Seasonal Bocce League play comes to end on April 15th.
- Multiple groups continue to use our fields for Soccer, Track, Lacrosse, and Flag Football. With the end of season, we will soon be limiting field reservations to allow the fields time to recover.
- Staff continue to prepare for our Summer Camp programs.
- We are currently recruiting for the following positions in Parks and Recreation/applicants can apply online www.cityofmarcoisland.com/carreers:
 - (1) Part-Time Park Attendant position.
 - (5) Temporary Summer Camp Counselors (2 positions have already been filled)

Racquet Center

- MIA Tennis Team is utilizing 4 of our courts for weekly practice and 2 Home games.
- Pickleball: Couples Night on Monday's, Men's Night on Tuesday's, & Ladies night on Thursday's.
- Members play Ukulele upstairs in the social room on Wednesday's 6pm – 7:30pm.

Winterberry

- Gulf Coast Little League plays Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday nights.

Veterans Community Park

- Park patrons are utilizing the park daily.
- Requests for use of the park have slowed down for the months of April through October. We do, however, have some events scheduled for April and May. We also have multiple reservations already for November 2024 – April 2025.