



City of Marco Island

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

Community Special Events

- Farmers Market, every Wednesday, November 15th – April 10th, Veterans Community Park.
- Movie in the Park, featuring HOP Friday, March 22nd, Sunset, Mackle Park.
- Good Friday Concert, Friday, March 29th, Veterans Community Park.
- Annual Spring Jubilee! Saturday, March 30th, Mackle Park.
- Cars As Art, Saturday, April 6th, Marco Island Center for the Arts.
- 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, Ballroom Dancing, and Line Dancing classes are all still going strong and well attended.
- Room rental reservations are continuing most days, Monday – Sunday.
- Our card and social groups continue to meet weekly.
- MICMS uses the field for Soccer, Track, and Field practice.
- OCMI has reserved the field for Lacrosse and Flag Football.
- Seasonal Bocce League play continues. The courts are being used daily.
- Staff is preparing 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) Full-Time Sr. Park Attendant position open
 - (1) Part-Time Park Attendant position.
 - (7) Temporary Summer Camp Counselors

Racquet Center

- MIA Tennis Team is utilizing 4 of our courts for weekly practice and also 2 Home games.
- Tennis: Round Robin's continue on Wednesday, Fridays, & Sundays.
- 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

- Men's Senior Softball continues weekly.
- Thursday night softball continues. We have 7 teams this season.
- Gulf Coast Little League plays Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday nights.

Veterans Community Park

- The Facilities Department has repaired the bulletin board.
- Park patrons are utilizing the park daily.
- Currently the park has reservations throughout the month of March. Requests have slowed down for the months of April through October; however, we do have some events scheduled for April and May. We have multiple reservations already for November 2024 – April 2025.