

## Parks and Recreation July Monthly Report

This July was probably one of the busiest I've experienced in 6 years. We had 9 programs running at once serving hundreds of Winslow kiddos. This is the first summer of running all our programs that ran before COVID plus the addition of a few new ones. I was very excited to be back offering our Youth basketball week with the High School. We had 3 sessions broken down by age for a week of skills, drills, and basketball fun with the high school coaches and players. A big thank you to Coach Rossignol, Coach Lindlof, and their players for their hard work that week. Story time in the park series kicked off in July and will run through August. Attendance has surpassed my expectations with many new faces this year. This program is 100 percent sponsored by Standard Waterproofing so a big thank you to them! Fall registration is already open and we will be adding on a Travel Youth Field Hockey program to our offerings. Residents can register for all fall programs Monday-Friday 7:30-5:00 in the rec center.



Story time in the park



High School Helper Cooper Souviney warming up the 3-5<sup>th</sup> grade group

Thanks to many volunteer hours we were able to paint 5 dug outs over three fields. Its amazing what a fresh coat of paint can do. The outdoor crew continues to work on weekly mowing and projects. They spent 20-30 hours this month trimming trees which was necessary for maintenance and aesthetically is much more pleasing. They will be cutting back along the school trail and working on the bridge next month. We will possibly be needing to hire another crew member after the high school kids return to college to help us wrap up the season.

Respectfully Submitted,

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