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**NOTICE AND AGENDA FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE
PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION
September 2, 2026**

6:00 PM

IRWINDALE CITY HALL - COUNCIL CHAMBERS

PAULA FRAIJO - Chair

CARMEN ROMAN - Vice Chair

MARGIE CALDERA - Commissioner

EVA MICHEL - Commissioner

NATHAN ROMERO - Commissioner

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Code of Ethics

As City of Irwindale Parks & Recreation Commissioners, our fundamental duty is to serve the public good. We are committed to the principle of an efficient and professional local government. We will be exemplary in obeying the letter and spirit of Local, State and Federal laws and City policies affecting the operation of the government and in our private life. We will be independent and impartial in our judgment and actions.

We will work for the common good of the City of Irwindale community and not for any private or personal interest. We will endeavor to treat all people with respect and civility. We will commit to observe the highest standards of morality and integrity, and to faithfully discharge the duties of our office regardless of personal consideration. We shall refrain from abusive conduct, personal charges or verbal attacks upon the character or motives of others.

We will inform ourselves on public issues, listen attentively to public discussions before the body, and focus on the business at hand. We will base our decisions on the merit and substance of that business. We will be fair and equitable in all actions, claims or transactions. We shall not use our official position to influence government decisions in which we have a financial interest or where we have a personal relationship that could present a conflict of interest, or create a perception of a conflict of interest.

We shall not take advantage of services or opportunities for personal gain by virtue of our public office that are not available to the public in general. We shall refrain from accepting gifts, favors or promises of future benefit that might compromise our independence of judgment or action or give the appearance of being compromised.

We will behave in a manner that does not bring discredit or embarrassment to the City of Irwindale. We will be honest in thought and deed in both our personal and official lives.

Ultimate responsibility for complying with this Code of Ethics rests with the individual elected and appointed official. In addition to any other penalty as provided by law, violation of this Code of Ethics may be used as a basis for disciplinary action or censure of a Council Member and/or Commissioner.

These things we hereby pledge to do in the interest and purposes for which our government has been established.

IRWINDALE PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION



REGULAR MEETING - 6:00 P.M.**1. CALL TO ORDER****2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****3. INVOCATION****4. ROLL CALL** Commissioners: Margie Caldera, Eva Michel, Nathan Romero, Vice Chair Carmen Roman, Chair Paula Fraijo**5. AB 2449 DISCLOSURES**

Remote participation by a member of the legislative body for just cause or emergency circumstances

6. CONSENT CALENDAR

The Consent Calendar contains matters of routine business and is to be approved with one motion unless a member of the Parks & Recreation Commission requests separate action on a specific item. At this time, members of the audience may ask to be heard regarding items on the Consent Calendar.

A. Minutes of the Meeting Held August 5, 2026

Department: City Clerk

Recommendation: Approve

B. Aquatics Supervisor Update

Department: Public Services

Recommendation: Receive and file the Aquatics Supervisor Update.

C. Public Works Supervisor Update

Department: Public Services

Recommendation: Review and file the Public Works Supervisor Update.

D. Recreation Manager Update

Department: Public Services

Recommendation: Receive and file the Recreation Manager Update.

7. SPONTANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

This is the time set aside for members of the audience to speak on any item not on this agenda that is within the Commission's subject matter jurisdiction. The Parks & Recreation Commission is an advisory body appointed by the City Council that reviews and provides recommendations on matters related to parks and community recreation within the City. Except for very limited circumstances, state law prohibits any Commission discussion or action on items that are not on the agenda.

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Each speaker will be limited to 3 minutes unless such time limits are extended. If a member of the public wishes to donate their time to another speaker, both persons must be physically present and in attendance of the meeting. The Presiding Officer may, in his or her discretion, extend the 3-minute time limitation for the particular subject for all speakers. In no event shall the total amount of speaking time exceed 6 minutes per person for the subject under discussion. Organized groups of persons wishing to address the Board on the same subject should select a spokesperson to represent the group so as to avoid unnecessary repetition.

The Commission may regulate a speaker who is speaking too long or out of order, being unduly repetitious, discussing irrelevancies, or extending to items not within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission. Please be reminded that discrimination, abusive use of profanity, unruly disruption, and violent or physically threatening conduct is discouraged. Members of the public shall not disrupt the orderly conduct of the meeting. The Presiding Officer will request that a person cease any disruptive conduct, and if not immediately stopped, will direct the person to be removed from the meeting.

8. NEW BUSINESS

At this time, members of the audience may ask to be heard regarding an item on New Business.

A. Summer Police Patrol Summary - Verbal Report

Department: Public Services

Recommendation: Receive and file the Chief of Police's report the summer police patrol summary.

B. Middle School Engagement in KidZone for School Year and Next Summer

Department: Public Services

Recommendation: Receive and file the middle school engagement report for KidZone for the upcoming school year and next summer.

C. Teen Club Update

Department: Public Services

Recommendation: Receive and file the teen club update.

D. Dog Park at Jardin de Roca Park Update

Department: Public Services

Recommendation: Receive and file the dog park at Jardin de Roca Park update.

9. PUBLIC SERVICES DIRECTOR UPDATE

A. Public Services Director Update

Department: Public Services

Recommendation: Receive and file the Public Services Director Update.

10. FUTURE AGENDA ITEM REQUESTS BY COMMISSION MEMBERS

If a Commissioner is interested in a task or project, the Commissioner shall request that the item be agendized in this section for Commission discussion of whether time should be spent on the proposed item.

11. ADJOURN

AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING

I, Armando Hegdahl, Management Analyst, certify that I caused the agenda for the regular meeting of the Parks & Recreation Commission, to be held on September 2, 2026, be posted at the City Hall, Library, and Post Office on August 27, 2026.



Armando Hegdahl, CMC
Management Analyst

The Irwindale **PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION** met in regular session at the above time and place.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Commissioners Margie Caldera, Eva Michel, Nathan Romero; Vice Chair Carmen Roman; Chair Paula Fraijo

Also present: Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director; Delfina Osterheim, Recreation Supervisor; Pedro Rodriguez, Public Works Services Supervisor; Daniel Grijalva, Aquatics Supervisor; and Armando Hegdahl, Management Analyst

AB 2449 DISCLOSURES

None.

CONSENT CALENDAR

A motion was made by Chair Fraijo, seconded by Vice Chair Roman, to approve the Consent Calendar, except for Item Nos. 6B and 6D, which were removed for separate consideration. The motion was unanimously approved.

ITEM NO. 6A

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD JULY 1, 2026

The minutes of the meeting held July 1, 2026, were approved as presented.

ITEM NO. 6C

PUBLIC WORKS SUPERVISOR UPDATE

The Public Works Supervisor Update was received and filed.

END OF CONSENT CALENDAR

ITEM NO. 6B

AQUATICS SUPERVISOR UPDATE

Chair Fraijo noted that this item was pulled from the agenda so that a letter that was received by Aquatics staff could be shared. In the letter, Jade Chen spoke on how her son, Raymond, was able to save her from an emergency she experienced while in the pool at her house, which he was able to accomplish due to the swim training he has received through Irwindale Aquatics' swim programs.

All commissioners spoke in favor of recognizing the child for his heroics.

Chair Fraijo commended the swimming lesson teachers and coaches and suggested that they be recognized also.

Dena Zepeda suggested holding an awards ceremony to recognize the Chens and Aquatics staff. She also spoke very highly of the Aquatics programs and noted that they are helping improve the health of participating residents.

Supervisor Grijalva stated that he would reach out to members of the Police Department to see if they could recognize Raymond during an Aquatics breakfast function to be held tomorrow morning.

Chair Fraijo suggested that the City conduct an annual ceremony recognizing people within the City that have gone “above and beyond” what is expected of them.

Director Rodriguez advised that staff would check to see if Raymond could be recognized at the next Council meeting.

A motion was made by Chair Fraijo, seconded by Commissioner Romero, to receive and file the Aquatics Supervisor Update. The motion was unanimously approved.

ITEM NO. 6D
RECREATION MANAGER UPDATE

Chair Fraijo spoke on a previous request from Vice Chair Roman where she requested that Kidzone participants could create their own “Michael Jackson style” gloves to use at the Senior Center’s Intergenerational Dance. She noted that individuals expressed their willingness to donate the materials for the project, as well as their time, and stated that the project could easily have been incorporated into the KidZone calendar so that the children could create their gloves and take them to the dance.

Director Rodriguez noted that, as Director, she had to analyze the request from an operational standpoint. She noted that it was not just the KidZone program participants that participated in the dance, and that, if the gloves had been created as a KidZone activity, the other participating children would not have had their own gloves. The way that staff fulfilled the request allowed all children at the dance to create their own gloves.

Chair Fraijo indicated that the request was not fulfilled as requested.

Vice Chair Roman stated that several individuals expressed willingness to purchase all the materials for the craft project and stated that all the children had a great time at the event.

Director Rodriguez advised that she listened to the recording from the meeting where the request was made and that she took note of the exact request, after which she consulted with staff to determine the best way to fulfill the request and that she made the determination to proceed based on an operational standpoint.

Chair Fraijo stated that some volunteers did not feel welcomed at the event, after which Director Rodriguez noted the procedures adopted by the City that must be met in order to volunteer at city events. She noted that fingerprinting, for example, is not required for volunteering at one-time events, though volunteering at several events would require fingerprinting.

Chair Fraijo acknowledged the success of the event and thanked Director Rodriguez for listening to the Commission, to which Director Rodriguez noted that staff are happy to listen to new ideas, though the manner in which they are implemented needs to be analyzed and discussed first amongst staff.

Chair Fraijo suggested that staff reach out to the commissioner that made a specific request to consult with them about how to proceed.

Pat Gonzales stated that the Commissioners do not have the authority to give directions to staff. She indicated that the Recreation Department already has activities and schedules preplanned and that, while it would be great if staff could meet the requests, the Commission cannot require staff to do so.

Chair Fraijo responded by stating that the Commission is aware of its limitations and noted that it simply wishes to work together with staff to offer the best programs.

Dena Zepeda stated that she encouraged the family mentioned by Vice Chair Roman to speak to her regarding the volunteers' concerns. She noted that, at the end of the day, the children were able to make their gloves, and the seniors enjoyed the event.

Director Rodriguez advised that staff listen to the requests of the commissioners, though as Director, she is tasked with determining whether the request could be fulfilled and the best way to accomplish it.

Chair Fraijo then asked about the availability of the America 250 pins and coins, to which Director Rodriguez advised that a social media post will be issued at the end of next week to let residents know how they could obtain them.

Chair Fraijo then noted that some summer activities are more successful than others and expressed her hope that the Dive-In Cinema program does not replace Sunset Cinema.

Commissioner Romero commended Recreation Supervisor Melissa Marez for her exceptional work in the Day Camp program and activities.

A motion was made by Chair Fraijo, seconded by Commissioner Romero, to receive and file the report. The motion was unanimously approved.

SPONTANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

Pat Gonzales thanked Supervisor Grijalva for the Aqua Standup program, expressed her appreciation for the beach trips, stated that the recent luau was very nice and thanked the pool lifeguards for the great job that they do.

Dena Zepeda commended Recreation staff for the great job they performed during the summer. She requested that the Music in the Park program be expanded to include more vendors, and thanked Supervisor Grijalva for the wonderful pool programs the department holds.

Suzanne Gomez commended the Police Department staff for hosting its National Night Out event and thanked staff for the Aquatics Center's programs.

PUBLIC SERVICES DIRECTOR UPDATE

Director Rodriguez read the report.

Commissioner Caldera suggested recognizing Pat Gonzales should she assist in sewing black mourning ribbon to the flags for Memorial Day.

Commissioner Romero commended staff from the Library and Kidzone for having collaborated recently.

Commissioner Michel suggested holding DayCamp trips for the teens.

Suzanne Gomez noted that she worked on this year's Summer Youth program and advised that two of the program participants will also compete in the Young Citizen Competition.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEM REQUESTS BY COMMISSION MEMBERS

Chair Fraijo made the following requests:

- 1) Status of the potential placement of a dog park within Jardin de Roca Park
- 2) The proposed use of the vacated space at the old Library building
- 3) Status of signups and waitlist for the KidZone program
- 4) An incident report for the summer activities held at the Aquatics Center.

Vice Chair Roman made the following requests:

- 1) That the Chief of Police provide a full report of any incidents that occurred during the Music in the Park concerts and after the pool closes at night
- 2) Recognize the participants of the Teen Club
- 3) A full accounting of all items sold, and revenues made, by the Teen Club at the Music in the Park concerts.
- 4) She requested the same for the 50/50 raffles.
- 5) That the Teen Club Advisor make a presentation detailing the functions of the Teen Club.

Commissioner Romero made the following request:

- 1) Potentially holding a baseball clinic.

Commissioner Michel made the following requests:

- 1) Attempt to determine ways to keep children and teens aged 12-14 engaged in Recreation programs.
- 2) That staff power wash the tables at the parks.
- 3) That the Lap Swimming program be placed further away from the paddleboards to reduce the possibility of swimmers striking them.

Commissioner Caldera made the following requests:

- 1) Discuss ways to improve the 4th of July events.
- 2) Potentially allowing KidZone participants to enjoy the use of the swimming pool every Friday
- 3) Continued ways to remind the residents that they may donate items to the Rosie's Treasure store and the snack bar.
- 4) That trips to enjoy shows and programming at COSM in Los Angeles be looked into.
- 5) That staff power wash bus stops.

Dena Zepeda suggested that the Irwindale Community Foundation consider sponsoring residents in the City of Hope's tuition-free health care programs.

Suzanne Gomez requested that the Chief of Police provide a synopsis on the Migratory Bird Treaty Act of 1918 since geese have been seen at the parks.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to conduct, the meeting was adjourned at 7:43p.m.

Armando Hegdahl, CMC
Management Analyst

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AGENDA REPORT

Date: September 2, 2026

To: Honorable Chair and Members of the Parks & Recreation Commission

From: Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Issue: Aquatics Supervisor Update

Public Services Director's Recommendation:

Receive and file the Aquatics Supervisor Update.

Administrative Action:

Submitted by:

Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Prepared by:

Daniel M. Grijalva, Aquatics Supervisor

Background and Analysis:

August Highlights

August marked the final stretch of the summer season at the Irwindale Aquatics Center and was a particularly busy month as the community prepared for the upcoming back-to-school season. Staff successfully wrapped up the summer swim lesson program, hosted the annual Community Luau, and concluded the 2026 Dive-In Cinema series. The Irwindale Aquatics Center also transitioned into its late summer/fall programming, including recreational swimming and AquaFitness classes.

Community Luau

The 2026 Community Luau was held on Saturday, August 1, and was a great success. Staff would like to extend a special thank you to Islanders Luau for providing outstanding entertainment throughout the evening. From the live band to the hula and fire dancers, attendees enjoyed an immersive experience celebrating the culture and traditions of the islands through music and dance.

Staff would also like to thank Sweet Moments Photo Booth, one of our local resident vendors, for providing take-home photos for attendees. A special thank you goes to our friends at Aquas El Pocho, who provided a mini pancake bar for guests to enjoy throughout the evening.

Finally, staff would like to recognize Margarite Lopez-Sapian for generously donating a television that was raffled off along with additional prizes during the event. The Irwindale Aquatics Center appreciates the continued support of our community partners, vendors, and residents who help make these events

possible.

Swim Lessons

Session #3 of the 2026 summer swim lesson program successfully concluded on Friday, August 7. Staff would like to congratulate all participants for completing the third and final session of the summer program.

The Swim Lesson staff would like to thank all of our participants and families for making the 2026 summer swim lesson season a success. We wish everyone a safe and enjoyable remainder of the year and look forward to welcoming swimmers back for the summer 2027 season.

Dive-In Cinema

The final Dive-In Cinema event of the 2026 summer season featured *Nacho Libre* and was a tremendous success. Attendance reached near the facility's allowable patron capacity, creating an energetic and exciting atmosphere for the evening.

Before the movie began, guests enjoyed additional raffles and plenty of summer splashing. Staff would like to thank all patrons who attended the Dive-In Cinema events throughout the summer. We hope everyone enjoyed spending their Friday evenings with us at the Irwindale Aquatics Center and look forward to offering more exciting events in the future.

Mt. SAC AquaFitness / Late Summer-Fall AquaFitness

The Mt. SAC Summer AquaFitness class concluded on Thursday, August 13. Shortly afterward, the Late Summer/Fall AquaFitness program began on Monday, August 17.

The 5:30pm – 6:30pm class is currently full. A limited number of spaces remain available in the 6:30pm – 7:30pm class. Residents interested in registering are encouraged to stop by or call the Irwindale Aquatics Center during regular operating hours for additional information and registration assistance.

Late Summer/Fall Recreational Swimming

Late Summer/Fall Recreational Swimming is being offered on Saturdays and Sundays from 12:00pm – 4:00pm through Sunday, September 27.

Community members are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity to cool off and enjoy the Irwindale Aquatics Center with family and friends. Although summer is winding down, the late-season heat is still in full effect, making recreational swimming a great way to beat the heat on the weekends.

Incident Report Update — Spring/Summer 2026

The safety of every patron who utilizes the Irwindale Aquatics Center remains a top priority for staff. The Aquatics Center operates for approximately eight months of the calendar year, from March through the end of October.

Staff maintain annual incident records to identify trends, evaluate potential safety concerns, and

develop preventative measures to help maintain a safe environment for all patrons.

During the spring/summer 2026 period, the Irwindale Aquatics Center recorded a total of 11 incident reports, including 2 active drowning incidents. In both drowning incidents, the victims remained conscious throughout the rescue.

The incidents were categorized as follows:

- 5 injury-related reports
- 2 active drowning incidents — victims never lost consciousness
- 4 health/illness-related reports

A more detailed report of the above categorized incidents is below:

June 2026 — 4 Incident Reports

- 2 active drowning incidents
- 1 health-related incident requiring emergency medical personnel; the patron was subsequently escorted to the hospital
- 1 bloody nose treatment

July 2026 — 5 Incident Reports

- 3 injury-related incidents, including one incident that required a medical response after a patron fell in the Shark Shack area
- 2 bloody nose treatments

August 2026 — 2 Incident Reports

- 2 injury-related incidents

Staff will continue to monitor incident trends and use the information collected to strengthen preventative practices and promote the safety and well-being of all Aquatics Center patrons.

News and Announcements

The Late Summer/Fall season officially began on Monday, August 17. Operating hours transitioned to Monday through Thursday, 2:00pm–7:30pm, and will remain in effect through Thursday, October 29, 2026.

Rosie's Treasures Donation Drive

Rosie's Treasures will have a donation box available at Irwindale Recreation's upcoming MariachiFest events held at the Irwindale Park Plaza from 7pm to 9pm. A flyer has been included in the City mailer notifying community members about the ongoing donation drive, including information regarding donation drop-off times and locations.

Upcoming Event — Splashing Pumpkins Festival

Mark your calendars for the first-ever Splashing Pumpkins Festival at the Irwindale Aquatics Center on Saturday, October 17, from 4:00pm–8:00pm.

Guests will have the opportunity to jump in and swim while searching for the perfect pumpkin, participate in a pumpkin decorating contest, enjoy fun games, and receive candy and prizes.

The evening will conclude with a special Halloween-themed Dive-In Cinema featuring *The Nightmare Before Christmas* under the stars.

Staff hope to see the community there for an evening of swimming, family fun, games, pumpkins, and Halloween entertainment. More event details will be announced as the date approaches.

Save the Date

- **September 27, 2026** — Last day of Summer Recreational Swimming
- **October 17, 2026** — Splashing Pumpkins Festival: 4:00pm – 8:00pm

Attachments:

None

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Date: September 2, 2026

To: Honorable Chair and Members of the Parks & Recreation Commission

From: Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Issue: Public Works Supervisor Update

Public Services Director's Recommendation:

Review and file the Public Works Supervisor Update.

Administrative Action:

Submitted by:

Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Prepared by:

Pedro Rodriguez, Public Works Supervisor

Background and Analysis:

Although school is back in session, summer is still in full effect. With high park usage, staff continue to prioritize cleaning picnic areas and rental facilities to keep our parks in excellent condition. Alongside routine daily tasks, crews are proactively addressing specific maintenance items reported by staff and patrons.

Park Maintenance Updates

- **Irwindale Park:** Routine grounds maintenance continues. Staff repaired a leaking quick-coupler line behind the recreation center. Ant treatments were completed in the picnic and Music in the Park areas as requested; staff will continue treatments during this month's events. Additionally, staff is working with Orkin to spray the grass areas for mosquito abatement in preparation of MariachiFest.
- **Jardin de Roca Park:** Staff cleared the walkway west of the street in front of the parking lot, as requested at the last meeting.
- **El Nido Park:** Crews are currently troubleshooting and repairing a faulty irrigation valve.
- **Little Park:** Staff repaired three irrigation valves, replaced several sprinkler heads, and will upgrade the controller soon.
- **Aquatics Center:** Iron fence painting will continue through the off-season.

- **Dan Diaz Recreation Center:** Staff replaced the kitchen hand sink faucet.

Events & Special Projects

- **MariachiFest and MI Fiesta:** Plaza preparations and decoration installations are underway.

Staff Training & Professional Development

- **Bucket Truck Training:** On August 26, 2026, the team completed California JPIA Bucket Truck Training.

Acknowledgments: I want to extend a sincere thank you to the entire team for their hard work during this extreme summer heat. Despite being short-staffed due to vacations and illness, everyone handled the workload remarkably well.

Attachments:

None

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To: Honorable Chair and Members of the Parks & Recreation Commission

From: Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Issue: Recreation Manager Update

Public Services Director's Recommendation:

Receive and file the Recreation Manager Update.

Administrative Action:

Submitted by:

Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Prepared by:

Priscilla Zepeda, Recreation Manager

Background and Analysis:

Irwindale Recreation continues to provide meaningful programs, events, activities and services that strengthen community connections. Staff remained focused on delivering safe, inclusive and engaging opportunities for patrons of all ages and abilities. This report highlights key accomplishments and ongoing efforts over the past month and updates on what is coming soon.

August Highlights

Summer Trips:

Summer Day Camp concluded August 4th. Day Campers enjoyed a variety of experiences, including Soak City, Raging Waters, Adventure Lagoon and Fun Parx to name a few. Average attendance for Summer Day Camp was 33 with approximately 6-7 no shows on average each week. Day Camp families receive a reminder call with details on trip departure time, trip needs (examples: swim wear, money for lunch. etc.) and are asked to confirm attendance. The no shows confirm attendance but do no show the day of the trip. A heartfelt thank you to our dedicated staff and bus drivers for making each trip safe and enjoyable. Your hard work and commitment made these outings a great success!

Beach trips continued through August 12th with an average attendance of 25 participants per week with approximately 2–3 no-shows weekly. Families enjoyed fun in the sun at Huntington Beach, created lasting memories and had the opportunity to relax and enjoy the summer together. A heartfelt thank you to our dedicated staff and bus drivers for making each trip safe and enjoyable. Your hard work and commitment made these outings a great success!

Family Trip to Pantages Theater to experience Disney's Beauty and the Beast took place on Saturday,

August 22nd. The trip was full and everyone from the waiting list (with one exception) was able to attend.

RockAbilities End of Summer Luau: The Irwindale Park plaza was filled with joy and laughter during the End of the Summer Luau that took place on Wednesday, August 12th. Staff would like to extend our deepest appreciation to United Rock/Sully Miller for their generous support of this event and others. Not only did they donate food (taco cart) for over 200 participants, they provided volunteers to help make the festivities run smoother. Recreation is grateful for the continued support and partnership we receive from United Rock/Sully Miller.

Music in the Park Concert Series: The Music in the Park Concert Series concluded on August 13th with one of our biggest crowds to date. During the event, Teen Club had their Back to School giveaway and the office of Assemblywoman Blanca Rubio joined the fun with free backpacks for our students. Thank you to Assemblywoman Rubio and her staff for their community support. Save the date for next year's concert series, set to kick off on July 1, 2027.

Updates:

Youth Sports Clinics: Irwindale Recreation offered two youth sports clinics this summer: Volleyball and Soccer. Volleyball has been offered successfully for over 10 years and is run by Recreation Aides. This summer there were 23 participants. Senior Recreation Leader A. Quinones offered Youth Soccer this summer and had a total of 40 participants registered. Registration for the Flag Football Clinic is this month and will be run similar to the Youth Soccer Clinic. Staff has scheduled a total of five clinics throughout the year and these include:

- Summer: Volleyball and Soccer
- Fall: Flag Football
- Winter: Basketball
- Spring: Softball / Baseball

KidZone: The 26-27 KidZone School Year has begun with a total of 55 students registered across the three groups (see breakdown of enrollment and waiting list numbers below). There were originally eleven (11) students on the waiting list. Four (4) were officially enrolled once room capacity determined spacing was sufficient to pull them from the waiting list. At the time of agenda posting, seven 7 students remained on the waiting list.

Group	Enrolled	Waiting List	Total
Group A: (TK-K)	11	0	11
Group B: (1st - 5th)	32	5	37
Group C: (6th - 8th)	12	2	14

TOTAL:	55	7	62
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The KidZone program is divided into three groups, each in separate spaces within the Dan Diaz Recreation Center. Each group requires adequate staffing, program planning and space accommodations. Staff is currently in the two-week monitoring period, which will conclude on August 28th. This two-week period allows staff to get a realistic number of the daily attendance average, determining whether additional students can be enrolled while maintaining safety, adequate staffing, and complying with fire codes and capacity limits. Please note: the waiting list number may be different by the time the Commission meeting takes place.

Teen Trips: There are six (6) trips budgeted for Teens in Fiscal Year 26-27. Trips are usually scheduled during Summer (2-3), Spring (1), Winter (1) and Fall (1) breaks. In addition to the teen-specific trips, Resident teens 13 and older may attend any adult/family trip offered by the Dan Diaz Recreation Center, and the movie trips offered to Day Camp in Winter, Spring and Fall. Additionally, Teen Club trips are offered and not advertised to the community as those are specific to Club members only. In Fiscal Year 25–26, some of the teen trips that were offered to the community included Magic Mountain (Spring), Universal Horror Nights (Fall), Knott's Berry Farm (Winter) and Disneyland (Summer). Currently, staff is working on the fall outing to one of the local horror night parks as well as an Annual Teen Programming calendar, which will include information on classes, programs and trips for our Teen patrons.

KidZone Swimming: Summer KidZone program is offered Monday–Friday from 8am–6pm. Participants are able to register for other classes offered by Irwindale Public Library, Aquatics and Recreation. In creating the schedule of activities for summer, staff plans around the various offerings, which include:

- Summer Lunch Program: Monday - Friday
- Swimming Lessons: Monday - Friday (off one week in between each session)
- Soccer Clinic: Monday - Friday (different age groups)
- Whiffle Ball: Monday/Wednesday
- Volleyball Clinic: Monday/Wednesday
- Day Camp: Tuesdays
- Tiny Tots: Tuesday
- Summer Reading Program: Thursdays
- Intergenerational Dance
- Coyote Presentation

In addition to the constant moving of participants to and from their scheduled activities, participants' arrival and departure times vary throughout the day.

KidZone staff carefully determines a daily schedule outside of those activities and does their best to provide activities that the majority of students will enjoy. Recreational swimming is one of the activities that is scheduled and occurs on the Friday during Swimming Lesson off weeks. This summer, Recreational Swim was offered two times. When planning the schedule, KidZone participants are asked what they would enjoy doing while in the program. Recreational swimming was not an ask, they

preferred water play days. It is also important to note that swimming lessons and recreational swimming require changing in and out of swim attire, which takes a significant amount of time to coordinate when only one child is allowed in the restroom at a time. Portable changing tents were purchased to help expedite the process. Changing takes place at the Dan Diaz Recreation Center, not in the Aquatics Center for safety and control.

Announcement/News:

RockAbilities Swag: Shirts and sweatshirts are available to purchase and range in size from youth to adult plus sizes. If you are interested in purchasing, please contact Luana Acuna at the Dan Diaz Recreation Center.

Elliptical Machine: The new elliptical machine has been installed in the Cardio Room at the Dan Diaz Recreation Center. The old machine was replaced on Thursday, August 20, 2026. We invite members of the community to visit the center and try out the new machine and other equipment available for use.

MariachiFest: MariachiFest 26 is scheduled to begin on Thursday, September 3rd. This event brings the community out to enjoy beautiful music, festive decor, great food, family and fun. Everyone is invited to Irwindale Park Plaza for four weeks of Mariachi under the stars.

DATE	MARIACHI	OTHER AMENITIES
September 3rd	Mariachi Ausente	Vendors: Food and Drinks, Fruit Stand, Crafts/Jewelry
September 10th	Erika Rojo featuring Mariachi Alas de Angel	Sensory Space
September 17th	Mariachi Divas	Table Reservations: Still available. As a reminder, residents may reserve a table for one concert and place their name on the waiting list for other concert weeks.
September 24th	Mariachi Lindas Mexicanas	September 10th will be M.I. Fiesta and include Loteria and a photo booth.

Family/Adult Field Trip: If you love supporting our boys in blue, than join us for a trip to Dodgers Stadium to see the Dodgers take on the San Francisco Giants on Saturday, September 19, from 4:00pm to 10:30pm. Resident Registration Opens: Tuesday, September 8, 2026, at 6:00pm.

Save the Dates:

September 3: MariachiFest: Mariachi Ausente, Irwindale Park Plaza @ 7pm

September 7: Labor Day Observed Holiday: Dan Diaz Recreation Center CLOSED

September 10: MariachiFest: Erika Rojo featuring Mariachi Alas de Angel, Irwindale Park Plaza @ 7pm
M.I. Fiesta featuring Loteria and Photo Booth

September 14: Teen Club Meeting

September 17: MariachiFest: Mariachi Divas, Irwindale Park Plaza @ 7pm

September 19: Family Trip: Dodgers Game

September 21: Teeny Tots Class Begins

September 22: Tiny Tots Class Begins

September 24: MariachiFest: Mariachi Lindas Mexicanas, Irwindale Park Plaza @ 7pm

Attachments:

None

City of
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AGENDA REPORT

Date: September 2, 2026

To: Honorable Chair and Members of the Parks & Recreation Commission

From: Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Issue: Summer Police Patrol Summary - Verbal Report

Public Services Director's Recommendation:

Receive and file the Chief of Police's report the summer police patrol summary.

Administrative Action:

Submitted by:

Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Prepared by:

Chris Hofford, Police Chief

Background and Analysis:

The Chief of Police or designated police staff to provide a summary update on summer police patrol activities in the parks.

Attachments:

None

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Date: September 2, 2026

To: Honorable Chair and Members of the Parks & Recreation Commission

From: Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Issue: Middle School Engagement in KidZone for School Year and Next Summer

Public Services Director's Recommendation:

Receive and file the middle school engagement report for KidZone for the upcoming school year and next summer.

Administrative Action:

Submitted by:

Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Prepared by:

Priscilla Zepeda, Recreation Manager

Background and Analysis:

During the regularly scheduled Parks and Recreation Commission meeting on June 3, 2026, staff was asked to provide information on how to increase Middle School engagement in the KidZone program. KidZone Group C (Middle School) is in year 2 of having a separate space from the other KidZone participants. Group C utilizes the Game Room as their daily KidZone space. The game room has a couch, table and chairs, an arcade game, a pinball machine, an ice hockey table, a foosball table, an electronic game table, and a TV/video game console. Program participants utilize the table and chairs, couch, TV and Playstation video game console only, all the other amenities are available, they just choose not to use them.

Staff presented a survey to the students asking them what they would like to see offered during the School Year and Summer months. The results are as follows:

Activity	Number of Requests
Slime Making	9
Community Outings*	4

Kinetic Sand	4
Relay Races	2
Squishy Crafts	2
Free snacks (vending machine)*	1
More Playstation games & time to play*	1
Parties*	1
Bouncy Balls	1
Rewards for winning games*	1
Fidget Trading	1

*Activities we currently do; however, the students would like more offerings of these activities.

Summer KidZone '26 Group C participated in two community outings; one to Wendy's and one to Wingstop. Staff will continue to schedule community outings as rewards for positive behavior and participation during the School Year and Summer KidZone programs.

Staff are currently preparing a variety of age-appropriate craft activities for KidZone participants, which will include slime making, kinetic sand, and other hands-on activities designed to encourage creativity and engagement.

KidZone remains a cell-phone free zone. However, staff recognize the importance of cell phones to middle school participants and met to discuss educational and fun ways to incorporate their use while remaining a cell-phone free zone for personal use due to distractions created by cell phone use. For middle school participants, staff may incorporate structured activities such as Telephone Pictionary or "What's on Your Phone?" Scavenger Hunts, and trivia. Students who do not have cell phones will be provided with iPads so they can participate. These activities will provide opportunities for students to use technology appropriately while maintaining the expectations of the KidZone program.

Additionally, staff discussed the possibility of introducing a KidZone Store as a new activity for middle school participants. The store would provide participants with hands-on opportunities to learn about fundraising, collecting and counting money and making change, social skills, teamwork, and leadership. These experiences could help prepare participants for future involvement as Teen Club members and

board members. The concept will require additional discussion to determine whether middle school participants are interested in moving forward. If there is sufficient interest, staff will then develop the store's objectives, guidelines, requirements, and implementation timeline.

The current activity schedule for KidZone Group C (middle school) is as follows:

Time	Activity
3:25p	Arrive from School
3:30p - 3:45p	Wash up / Snack
3:45p - 4:15p	Homework, Read, Draw
4:15p - 4:30p	Social Time: Cards or Guided Conversations
4:30p - 5:00p	Gym Play or Scheduled Activity*
5:00p - 5:30p	Video/Arcade Games
5:30p - 6:00p	Merge with Group B

Attachments:

None

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Date: September 2, 2026

To: Honorable Chair and Members of the Parks & Recreation Commission

From: Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Issue: Teen Club Update

Public Services Director's Recommendation:

Receive and file the teen club update.

Administrative Action:

Submitted by:

Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Prepared by:

Priscilla Zepeda, Recreation Manager

Background and Analysis:

The Irwindale Teen Club provides an opportunity for teens to build leadership skills, participate in community outreach, socialize, and build community. The goal is to create a sense of belonging while offering age-appropriate activities and experiences for teens to enjoy. Teen Club is a place where teens connect, lead, serve and have fun.

C: Connect: Enjoy trips, parties, activities, and experiences

L: Lead: Develop leadership through planning, fundraising, and teamwork

U: Unite: Give back through volunteerism and community service

B: Belong: Build friendships and a sense of belonging

Through fundraising, volunteer efforts, trips, parties, activities and special events, members build friendships, confidence and a stronger connection to their community. For some, the connection was so strong, they became City of Irwindale employees. Currently, the City employs over 20 employees who were once members of the Irwindale Teen Club; Assistant City Manager Theresa Olivares, Captain John Fraijo, Public Services Director Elizabeth Rodriguez and Recreation Manager Priscilla Zepeda are a few, as well as current Teen Club Advisors Samantha Amesola and Sonia Dominguez. Recently, the Commission met Giovanni Salgado, who presented at a Commission meeting as the then Teen Club President, who is currently a Tutor for the Irwindale Public Library and the 2025 Young Citizen.

Currently, the Teen Club is working on elections for a new Board and giving input on the Haunt Teen Trip for fall. Their schedule for the remainder of this calendar year includes:

- Teen Club Meetings - 2nd Monday of the month @ 5:30pm
- MariachiFest Fundraiser - September 23rd
- Halloween Party - October 10th
- Cake Walk Fundraiser - October 24th
- Teen Club Teensgiving - November 13th
- Community Service at Senior Center Thanksgiving Dinner - November 20th
- Community Service at Las Casitas - December 4th
- Christmas Spectacular Fundraiser - December 4th

Staff are also looking into purchasing t-shirts and/or hoodies/zipper sweatshirts with the teen club logo for current and future teen club members.

Additionally, the 2027 events/activities will include the following:

- Valentine Grams Fundraiser in February
- Teen Club Trip (TBD) in March
- Bake Sale in April
- Teen Club Beach Trips (2) for the beginning and end of summer
- Senior Center Prom in June, and more.

The schedule does not include citywide Teen Trips and is subject to change.

Staff recently met to discuss some new and creative ideas for activities and trips to present to the new Teen Club Board and is currently working on an annual Calendar of Events for both Teen Programming and Teen Club activities. Some ideas include the following:

- Game Truck/Gaming Night - Mobile game truck, esports tournament or a board-game tournament.
- Rooftop or Outdoor Cinema in the Park - an age appropriate movie night with snacks and themed activities
- College Sports or Plays - Attend a college football, basketball, volleyball, or baseball game, or a student theater production
- Teen Take Over of the Senior Center - Teens are introduced to billiards at the Irwindale Senior Center. This would take place after the Senior Center closes to ensure no interruption of service to the Senior Center operations. Additionally, intergenerational activities can be planned to incorporate interactions between teens and adults 50 and older.
- Teen Cooking Class - Pizza-making, international foods, baking and healthy meal lessons.
- Escape Room Challenge - Team-based problem solving and friendly competition
- Teen Talent Showcase - Music, dance, spoken word, art, comedy, or other talents
- Bowling or Arcade Night - Casual social event with team competition
- Teen Leadership Day - Workshops on leadership, budgeting, communication, and planning events
- Community Scavenger Hunt - Teams complete challenges around the community
- Teen Awards/End-of-Year Celebration - Recognize participation, leadership, volunteering, and

memorable accomplishments.

- Teen Club Trip to Disneyland

Attachments:

None

City of
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Date: September 2, 2026

To: Honorable Chair and Members of the Parks & Recreation Commission

From: Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Issue: Dog Park at Jardin de Roca Park Update

Public Services Director's Recommendation:

Receive and file the dog park at Jardin de Roca Park update.

Administrative Action:

Submitted by:

Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Prepared by:

Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Background and Analysis:

The City of Irwindale Public Services Department, with assistance from California Consulting, submitted a Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) grant application on August 5, 2025, to fund improvements and new amenities at Jardin de Roca Park. The proposed project included the development of a new dog park, community garden, nature play trail, trellis, and inclusive playground, as well as the redesign of the skatepark and restroom area.

The LWCF grant is a highly competitive funding program that supports the acquisition and development of land for outdoor recreation opportunities that promote the health, wellness, and quality of life of Californians. The program requires a 50 percent local funding match. On May 8, 2026, the City was notified that its application was not selected for funding.

Although Jardin de Roca Park remains on the City of Irwindale's list of future capital improvement projects, staff will continue to pursue other grant opportunities to support the proposed improvements. In the meantime, the City will continue to prioritize several Facility Capital Improvement Projects over the next few years. Current priorities include:

- **Dan Diaz Recreation Center Improvement Project Design** — Staff recently received the guidelines required to utilize the available funding. The next step is to work with the City's consultant to prepare and submit the required National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) documentation.
- **Civic Center Exterior Improvement Project (Parking Lot, Fountain, and Electronic Billboard)** —

Staff has finalized the project design, which is currently undergoing plan check with Building and Safety. Staff is also coordinating with Southern California Edison regarding the required underground electrical feeder and conduit upgrade for the project.

- **Swimming Pool Improvement Project – Phase II** — Engineering and Aquatics staff will work on the redesign of the existing locker rooms, pump room, and chemical room to improve the facility and support ongoing aquatic operations.
- **City Hall ADA and Access Control Entrance Upgrade** — Staff is currently working to hire a contractor to upgrade the entrances and doors serving City Hall, the Council Chambers, and the Police Department to improve accessibility and achieve ADA compliance.
- **Community Center and Senior Center Skylight Replacement Project** — The project will address the replacement of existing skylights at both facilities.
- **Repainting of Civic Center Facilities** — The project will refresh and maintain the exterior appearance of Civic Center facilities.
- **KidZone Area Improvement Project** — Staff are currently planning improvements to the new KidZone area to enhance the facility and its amenities.
- **Softball Field Project** - Staff currently has funding available through Measure A and Prop A to make improvements to the Alfred F. Herrera Memorial Field. A civil engineer will need to be hired to complete the plans for these improvements.
- **Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission "Mission"** — Staff are currently working on an informal bid to replace the two sets of doors at the Mission and a Request for Qualifications to hire a specialized professional who restores and/or replaces the stained-glass windows at the Mission.

The projects identified above represent the City's current Facility Capital Improvement priorities and are separate from the City's ongoing Street Improvement Capital Improvement Program. Staff will continue to monitor and pursue grant opportunities, including potential funding for future improvements at Jardin de Roca Park, which includes a dog park, as resources and funding opportunities become available.

Attachments:

None

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Date: September 2, 2026

To: Honorable Chair and Members of the Parks & Recreation Commission

From: Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Issue: Public Services Director Update

Public Services Director's Recommendation:

Receive and file the Public Services Director Update.

Administrative Action:

Submitted by:

Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Prepared by:

Elizabeth Rodriguez, Public Services Director

Background and Analysis:

The City of Irwindale is pleased to offer a wide range of programs, events, and community initiatives for residents of all ages during the month of September 2026. Below is a summary of key activities and important announcements.

Irwindale Public Library Programs

The New Irwindale Public library is officially open and will host several educational and recreational programs throughout September:

- **Elementary Storytime**

Elementary Storytime will be held on Tuesdays at 2pm during the month of September. Children, ages 5-10, will enjoy stories, activities, and crafts.

- **Adult Book Club**

On September 3, at 3pm, adults are invited to read *The Nothing Man* by Catherine Ryan Howard. Ebook and audiobook are available for free on Hoopla with your Irwindale Library card. Physical copies are available by request.

- **Crafty Kids**

Crafty Kids is scheduled for Friday, September 4, at 5pm. Children are invited to create apple-shaped bags out of paper. Registration is not required.

- **Crafty Adults**

Adults are invited to craft beach-themed Zen bowls on Saturday, September 5, at 2pm. Registration is not required.

- **STEM Friday**

On Friday, September 11, at 5pm, children, ages 6–12, will learn engineering and build a balloon car as part of the STEM Friday monthly series. Registration is not required.

- **Library for All**

Individuals of all abilities are invited to explore sensory friendly books, crafts, and toys on Wednesday, September 16, at 1pm. The Library for all is open to all ages. Registration is not required.

- **APPy Hour**

APPy Hour provides adults with the opportunity to learn how to start accessing free eBooks, audiobooks, magazines and more! Bring your phone or tablet for individual help. APPy Hour will be held on Wednesday, September 16, at 5pm. Registration is not required

- **Teen Scene**

A Welcome to the new Library Teen Open House will be held on Friday, September 25, at 5pm. Meet the library staff, learn more about the new library services and how to reserve your own private study space. Attend and enter to win a prize!!!

Irwindale Senior Center Highlights

The Irwindale Senior Center will offer a variety of social events and activities:

- **Field Trip: Yaamava Resort & Casino**

Feeling Lucky? Seniors will be visiting Yaamava Resort & Casino on Saturday, September 5, from 8am until 5pm. Please note that the date did change to September 5. Resident registration began August 10, 2026.

- **Mexican Independence Day Dance**

Irwindale Senior Center will host its annual Mexican Independence Day Dance on Wednesday, September 16. Resident registration began on August 24, 2026.

- **September Birthday Brunch Celebration**

Celebrate September birthdays at the Irwindale Senior Center on Friday, September 25, from 11am to 12pm. Enjoy a menu featuring a Ham & Egg Breakfast Croissant, Hashbrown Patty, and Peaches with cottage cheese.

- **Intergenerational Book Club**

Good books and good company! Intergenerational Book Club is open to the community and offers books for distribution along with one Kindle available to group club members for e-reading. Book club meets from 1pm to 2pm on Monday, September 28 to discuss *Verity* by

Colleen Hoover and on Monday, October 26 to read *Orphanage by the Lake* by Daniel G. Miller.

- **Community Health Fair & Walk**

Everyone is invited to receive complimentary healthy lifestyle materials from vendors at the annual community health fair and walk on Wednesday, October 7, from 9am to 1pm. All participants will have the opportunity to win prizes, attend a vaccine clinic and health seminars, and tour the new fitness room. The walk will begin promptly at 9am. From 10am to 12pm, come enjoy the coffee and matcha cart while supplies last.

- **Senior Field Trip: Santa Fe Springs Swapmeet**

Save the date for a trip to Santa Fe Springs Swapmeet on Saturday, October 10, from 9am until 2:30pm! Resident registration is on Tuesday, September 8.

- **October Birthday Brunch Celebration**

Celebrate October birthdays at the Irwindale Senior Center on Friday, September 23, from 11am to 12pm. Enjoy a menu featuring French Toast Sticks, Scrambled Eggs, Hashbrown Patty, and Yogurt with Granola. Resident registration begins on Monday, September 21.

- **Pumpkin Decorating**

On Tuesday, October 27, from 2pm to 3pm, adults 50 and older are invited to participate in our Annual Pumpkin Decorating Contest. Pumpkins will be provided; however, participants are responsible for bringing their own decorations.

- **Evening Halloween Dance**

Join the Senior Center for a hauntingly good time with a dinner, dance, dessert, and costume contest on Friday, October 30, from 6pm to 9pm. Resident registration begins on Monday, September 21.

Residents are encouraged to register early, as many programs and trips reach capacity quickly.

City Closure

All City of Irwindale offices and departments, with the exception of the Irwindale Police Department, will be closed on Monday, September 7, 2026 in honor of Labor Day.

Candidate Ballot Order Finalized for November 3 Election

The randomized alphabet drawing concluded by the Secretary of State's office has been applied to determine the order candidates' names will appear on the November 3, 2026 General Election ballot. The ballot order is as follows:

- Hector "Manuel" Ortiz
- Marguerite S. Lopez-Sapient
- Maricela Romero Frymark

Open Space Element of the General Plan

The City of Irwindale is updating the Open Space Element of the General Plan. An open space element is a mandatory section of the General Plan that guides the comprehensive, long-range protection and administration of recreational areas, including parks, and natural resources. Our first public outreach

event will be held at M.I. Fiesta on Thursday, September 10. Stop by the Community Development Department booth to learn more about this important update. Stay tuned for further information on upcoming events and ways to get involved.

Founding Mothers Art Unveiling

Join us for the unveiling of the Founding Mothers Mural in the new Irwindale Public Library on Tuesday, September 8, at 6:00pm.

Bulky Item Pick Up

Bulky Item Pick Up will be held on Friday, October 16. Please make sure all your large items are at the curb prior to 6am. Large items include washers, dryers, toilets, mattresses, refrigerators (please take doors off), etc. Electronic waste is also accepted. Please do not place any household hazardous waste or items that fit in your regular trash cans at the curb.

Irwindale Chamber of Commerce Annual Regional Job & Career Fair

The Irwindale Chamber of Commerce is hosting its annual regional job and career fair on Friday, October 23, from 11am to 3:30pm at the SCE Energy Education Center in Irwindale. For more information, please contact the Irwindale Chamber of Commerce or visit their website.

Attachments:

None