



Council Report

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PROJECTS:

- ✓ Work has begun on making the shelter grills in Happy Hollow Park accessible.
- ✓ T.L. Kincaid Contracting is going to start ADA Restroom work on Monday, February 2, 2015.
- ✓ Park marquis signs are being removed, repainted, and reinstalled during the winter months.
- ✓ Weather has stalled Simon Construction from completing the installation of the wood bridge on the Salisbury Ravine Trail (phase 2).
- ✓ Park Staff have received training on the new system of Safety Data Sheets.
- ✓ Staff members also participated in the Indiana Parks & Recreation State Conference in January, bringing home some new ideas for our community.

PROGRAM:

- ✓ 2nd & 3rd grade basketball are playing games on Saturday mornings at Cumberland Elementary School through Feb. 21st. 79 students are participating.
- ✓ The Riverside Skating Rink is hosting Dare to Bear on Friday, February 6th @ 7 – 8:30. Must wear swim suit to participate!
- ✓ Organizational meetings were held for River Fest 2015 and for Global Fest 2015.

MORTON CENTER:

- ✓ Winter/Spring enrollments are going well. Youth Art and Yoga are the standouts right now.
- ✓ Visiting scholars from Afghanistan spoke to a small group at Morton January 28th

LILLY NATURE CENTER:

- ✓ Wednesday's in the Wild Program is set through June. The schedule can be found online at:
http://www.westlafayette.in.gov/egov/docs/1421078431_117645.pdf

IN GENERAL:

- ✓ The annual report for the West Lafayette Parks & Recreation Department can be found online at:
http://www.westlafayette.in.gov/egov/docs/1420835589_883514.pdf
- ✓ Application was submitted to IN State Dept. of Health for grant to help fund Bicycle-Pedestrian Master Plan.
- ✓ The next West Lafayette Park and Recreation Board meeting will be Monday, February 23rd at 4:30 pm at the Main Office location.

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