

**MINUTES OF May 19th , 2026
MEETING OF THE BEDFORD PARK AND RECREATION BOARD
OF THE CITY OF BEDFORD**

The monthly meeting of the Bedford Park and Recreation Board was held on Tuesday May 19th, 2026, at the Stonegate Arts & Education Center, 931 15th Street, Bedford, Indiana, at the hour of 4:30 P.M. (E.S.T.)

PRESENT: Angie Sanders, Trevor Rynders, Jo Underwood, Larry Arnold, Barb Miller
ABSENT: None

Angie Sanders, Board President, states are there any changes to the minutes? Seeing none, they will stand.

Angie Sanders, Board President, states are there any changes to the claims?

A motion was made by Trevor Rynders, Board Vice President, seconded by Jo Underwood, Board Member, to approve the claims as submitted. All were in favor.

Angie Sanders, Board President, transfer of membership.

Austin Judy, Golf Professional, this is about the transfer of the membership. I've explained to them that it must be someone within the family and it is not. So, she completely understood and was fine with it.

Angie Sanders, Board President, so we will not be transferring the membership to anyone. New business, female bathing suits at the pool.

Jimmy Jones, Park Director, Autumn was approached by lifeguards and asked if they could go to a two-piece bathing suit. They would have to purchase these on their own and we will still provide the one piece that we always do. If this is approved and they want one they will have to purchase that themselves. I just wanted to get approval from the board. The pictures are in front of you of the bathing suit they will be given the option to buy. I think it would be fine but it's up to you to approve.

Larry Arnold, Board Secretary, what's the reason behind it.

Autumn Ray, Assistant Recreation Director, the girls have asked for several years now if that was an option...

Angie Sanders, Park Director, stated they are allowing them at Mitchell Pool and Spring Mill Pool.

Jimmy Jones, Park Director, we also checked Brownstown, Seymour and Evansville and all allow them. The only one that doesn't is Bloomington.

Angie Sanders, Board President, I also understand that these may be a little less revealing in the bottom than the one-piece suits. The one piece cuts a little higher than these two-piece bottoms do. Do we have any more discussion about the suits?

A motion was made by Larry Arnold, Board Secretary, seconded by Jo Underwood, Board Member, to approve the two piece swim suits as shown in the attachment. All were in favor.

Angie Sanders, Board President, Park Director report...

Jimmy Jones, Park Director, we finished the drain up at the golf course. We had some drains running out on hole 1 that were running across the field so we put in a new drain that would help the wash out on the road. Which we are also looking into fixing. At this point the new drain takes all the water that is running under the road and now we have a new pipe that is running about 100 yards from the green down to the tee box and then we took a 24inch pipe under the road and finished it up and put down seed and straw then with the weather we had yesterday. We are going to have to go back and redo a little of the seed and straw because it washed it out a little. They are finishing up the building that we started last year that the pro will be doing his lessons out of. It's a separate building off of the Flick Center where he can bring all of his equipment down there and lock that no one else has access to. That will hopefully be down within the next couple of weeks. Then during the last couple of weeks, we have been working at the pool. It opens this Saturday. We started up everything at the pool and so far, everything is working good. We do think we found the baby pool leak and it's been running for about three or four days so hopefully it will be open for the rest of the season.

Angie Sanders, Board President, Golf Professional report.

Austin Judy, Golf Professional, we have had a lot going on. This past week we had the BNL Invite and then the BNL Basketball Scramble. Then upcoming Freeze the Fight outing, Boat Club outing, the City Tournament which will be the Men's, the Women's, Senior and two Jr City Championships as well. We also have the kids camp from June 22nd through the 24th. I put that out less than a week ago and it is almost sold out. There's 36 spots for that and I think we are up to 28 or so. I'm assuming that will be booked out.

Angie Sanders, Board President, do you have the ages for that?

Austin Judy, Golf Professional, yes, it is ages 6-14 and once I get the list of who has signed up, I will split them up into 3 groups according to ages.

Angie Sanders, Board President, Recreation Director report.

Isaiah Moore, Recreation Director, the pool is opening Saturday and it will be open everyday from 12-6 until Labor Day. We also have lap swimming and aquacise classes as

well. We have all summer leagues going on right now. We have softball and pickleball going on, on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays. When it decides not to rain. Last weekend we had our Spring Trash 'n Treasure that was originally scheduled for April 18th and moved to May 16th then we still had to move it to the Pavilion because of the rain. But we had 13 people come out and it was a good turn and there was a lot of traffic. We did have several transfers to the Fall Sale, so we already have 25 signed up for the Sept 12th date. We are partnering with Tink's Fine Art Camp on June 8th, 10th, & 11th this summer. It's for ages 8-18 and it will be from 10am-1pm at the Wilson Shelter house. She is excited to get this going. Its nature themed and the cost is \$100 per person, and the signups will be closing on May 29th with limited space. You can register for that at the office. Then we have a couple of youth things going on. We have crafts days going on June 24th & July 29th, those are from 10am-11am at the Thornton Park Pavilion. Every Tuesday and Thursday we have our Youth Running Club. We have K-3 grades from 8-8:45am and the 4th-6th grade from 9-9:45. We try to come up with things for them to do to keep them active a couple days a week for the summer. Then coming up on June 13th we are planning on having a skatepark clean up event with the Shredford Skate Park Project. These guys have been pretty passionate about improving the skate park. Then we have two trips coming up this summer on June 26th we will be going to Church Hill Downs that trip will be \$20. Then on July 22nd we will be taking a trip to the Indianapolis Indians game and that will also be \$20 more information is at the office.

Angie Sanders, Board President, do we have any new business? Seeing none we are adjourned.

Angie Sanders, Board President

Trevor Rynders, Board Vice-President

Larry Arnold, Board Secretary

Jo Underwood, Board Member

Barb Miller, Board Member