



STAFF REPORT TO COMMUNITY AND LIBRARY SERVICES COMMISSION (CLSC)

TO: Chair and Members of the CLSC Commission

SUBMITTED BY: Christopher Roke, Parks and Recreation Director

MEETING DATE: May 11, 2026

TOPIC: Upcoming Events

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the Community and Library Services Commission receive an update on upcoming events. There is no action required from this item.

BACKGROUND:

Staff would like to provide the commission with a look ahead at events that are coming up in the near future including...

1. **Membership Drive & Luncheon:** The Hercules Senior Center will be holding their annual membership drive and lunch on Friday, June 5, at the Hercules Senior Center. Be sure to register in advance.
2. **Cultural Festival:** The city is once again co-sponsoring the Cultural Festival with the Bayfront Chamber of Commerce. The event will take place on Sunday, June 7, from 11a-6p. There is a NEW LOCATION this year, as the event will be held at Hanna Ranch Park. There will be live music, performances, food trucks, vendors, and a free shuttle to the community center between Noon and 7p on the day of the festival.
3. **Juneteenth:** The city is once again co-sponsoring a Juneteenth event with the Hercules Library. There will be a flag raising ceremony on Saturday, June 13, followed by refreshments and a program at the Library including beautiful quilts that retell the Juneteenth story.
4. **Summer Swim Lessons:** will be held at the Hercules Swim Center beginning on Monday, June 15. We offer group lessons and private lessons. Classes fill up, so don't delay, register today.
5. **DYNO Summer Camps:** Our in-house summer camp program known as Camp Dynamite, will begin on Tuesday, June 16. There are several different age groups including Camp Little Dynos, Camp Sparklers, Camp Firecrackers, and Camp Dynamite. Camps fill up fast, so be sure to register early.
6. **Contract Camps:** Hercules Parks and Recreation is excited to offer a wide range of camps for all ages and interests. There is literally something for everyone. We have sports camps including Pickleball, Tennis, Volleyball, Basketball, Flag Football, Fitness, and "All Sorts of Sports". There are also on-going summer classes including Karate, Basketball, Tennis, STEM/STEAM camps, Lego, Minecraft, Chess, Jr. Crime, Magic Makers, Songwriters, Muay Thai, Boxing, Jiu Jitsu, and more.

7. **Lifelong Learning:** Hercules Parks and Recreation is excited to also offer classes for adults and seniors, as well as online virtual, and even work at your pace courses. There are literally 100's of classes with something for everyone.
8. **Movies in the Park:** We will be holding our movies in the park series. However, due to the work at Refugio Valley Park on the Shade Structure project and the Lake Dredging project, we are forced to try different sites. Our first movie is schedule for F June 26, at the Preschool Parking lot; showing "In Your Dreams". The 2nd movie is scheduled for F July 17, at Foxboro Park; showing Zootopia.
9. **National Night Out:** rounding out the summer, is National Night Out, and will be held on Tuesday, August 4, from 6-8p. Once again, we have a location change due to the work being done at RVP.

Please note, the August Community and Library Service Commission meeting will be cancelled, as the commission will follow Council's lead. Beginning in September we will start with Presentations for our City Recognized Nonprofit groups. Presentations will be held September through November meetings until we get through all 14 City Recognized groups. And December we will be looking to approve applications for the City Recognized groups.

For more information on any of the upcoming events and activities, please contact the Hercules Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 441-4FUN (4386).

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no financial impact associated with this report.

ATTACHMENTS:

None