



Fairhope Rec Board Meeting
Agenda – March 15, 2023
5:15 p.m. in the Meeting Room
Recreation Center – 803 North Greeno Road, Fairhope, AL

- Approval of Minutes for
 - February 15, 2023
- Guest – Current Recreation Board Applicants
- Recreation Update – Pat White
- New Business/Old Business – Lisa Atchley
 - Military Discount/National Fitness Campaign/Fairhope Comprehension Plan

Schedule of Future Meetings
Note: Regular meetings are on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at
5:15 p.m. in the
Meeting Room at the Recreation Center, 803 North Greeno Road,
Fairhope, AL

Next meeting: April 19th, 2023

City of Fairhope Recreation Department Mission Statement: To offer the citizens of Fairhope the best and safest recreational facilities in all sports and leisure.

Minutes of the Fairhope Recreation Board

The Fairhope Recreation Board met on Wednesday, February 15th, 2023, at 5:15 p.m. in the Rec Center at 803 North Greeno Road.

Present: Lisa Atchley, Pat White, Charlie Langham, Scott Berry, Cathy Hudson, Corey Martin, Jack Burrell, Maurice Morrisette, and Haden Giddings. Absent: Dan Hoover.

The meeting was called to order by Lisa Atchley at 5:15 p.m. The minutes of the January 18, 2023, meeting minutes were considered and approved on a motion by Jack Burrell, seconded by Charlie Langham, none opposed.

Guest(s): Gary Gover, Peg Clark and Chris Shrader (Eastern Shore Masters Swimming)

Eastern Shore Masters Swimming: Chris Shrader spoke to the Rec Board about the possibility of getting a fee schedule set with the City of Fairhope for indoor pool lane rental. Rec Board asked Mr. Shrader to put something in writing regarding dates, times, and number of lanes Masters Swimming would need.

Recreation Updates: Pat White informed the Rec Board that work is still underway on the new youth baseball fields at Volanta, with lighting completed and sod currently down on 2 of the 4 fields. Everything is set to be ready for youth baseball's opening day, which is Saturday, March 11th at 8 am. Fairhope Storm football and FHS Baseball Alumni games will also be on Saturday, March 11th at Volanta Park. FHS Baseball season starts on February 17th with upgraded LED lighting. Pat informed the Rec Board that the Rec Summit Meeting with our youth sport's Presidents will be held at the Nix Center on February 22, 2023 and Rec Board Members are welcome to present. Pat informed the Rec Board about a possible new outdoor fitness course from the National Fitness Campaign in conjunction with BCBS and provided the Board with a short video for better understanding.

Recreation New Business:

Lisa Atchley informed the Board that there are 2 openings for the Rec Board which need to be filed and currently 6 applicants. A suggestion was made to have those applicants come to next month's Rec Board meeting and speak briefly to the Board. There was also discussion about having coaching clinics before any youth sport season starts, so all coaches/officials are up to date on their sports rules and guidelines.

Being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:15 p.m.