From the Director...

Through all of the uncertainty and craziness of the past several months, we are proud to say that we have not only been able to keep our Parks open but we have been hosting games, tournaments and events within the restrictions on sports provided by Governor Lee’s Tennessee Pledge. We are planning to continue to follow his guidelines and hopeful that more sports and events start to open back up soon. This newsletter is a testament to the teams, players, families, coaches and our staff to show that through this COVID-19 situation all of the good that has been able to occur this summer. The best is yet to come.

Andy Gilley
Parks Director

AUGUST 2020
THE HENDERSONVILLE PARKS DEPARTMENT
1ST ANNUAL PUTTING FOR A PURPOSE
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH
Proceeds to help maintain Mary's Magical Place Playground!

PUTTING CONTEST FROM 8:00AM UNTIL 1:00PM
COUNTRY HILLS GOLF COURSE
1501 Saundersville Rd, Hendersonville, TN 37075

$5 FOR 3 TRIES TO PUTT A HOLE-IN-ONE
(CASH OR CHECK ONLY)
PUTTING DISTANCE - 30 FEET
WINNERS WILL RECEIVE A GOLF THEMED PRIZE DONATED BY DICK'S SPORTING GOODS
OR A GOLF THEMED PRIZE DONATED BY COUNTRY HILLS GOLF COURSE!
NO PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

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Actors Point Theatre Company
Sumner Plays Fine Art Festival Presents
The Second Annual
Shakespeare on the Lake

The Complete Works
of William Shakespeare
Abridged!

Don’t miss this hilarious compilation of every work of the greatest playwright of all time!

September 18 & 19, 2020 8:00 PM
Sanders Ferry Park
On The Lake in Hendersonville

Tickets @
Actorspointtheatre.com

There will be designated seating for this outdoor event due to CDC guidelines. Bring your lawn chairs, your picnic basket and your laughter!
Thank you to Don Ward with Award Signs & Graphics for giving the sign at Kid's Kingdom a needed facelift!

HENDERSONVILLE AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE & PARK PLACE RETIREMENT COMMUNITY PRESENTS

SUMMERFEST
MOVIE BY THE LAKE
DRIVE-IN MOVIE NIGHT

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2020

This will be a “Spooktacular” Drive-In Movie Experience
limited to 250 vehicles
MOVIE STARTS: 6:30 PM

TICKETS ON SALE
General Admission $25 (Per Vehicle)
VIP Viewing $40 (Per Vehicle)

Sanders Ferry Park
513 Sanders Ferry Rd, Hendersonville, TN 37075

TO PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS
CALL 615.824.2818
HENDERSONVILLECHAMBER.COM/EVENTS

SPONSORS

PRESENTED BY:
DURHAM FARMS
“Rugby Turf Aerating”

DRAKES CREEK PARK
“Field 6 Batters Box Pad Replaced”

MEMORIAL PARK
“New Shade Canopies installed at Court 12”

DURHAM FARMS
“Repairing two sections of silt fence at Rugby”

VETERANS PARK
“Home Run Poles and net installed at Field 1”

VOLUNTEER PARK
“Tree Pruning”
Tournaments! Tournaments! Tournaments! Tournaments!

2020 PAST EVENTS

WSL

GAME

USCSSA

USA SOFTBALL

PERFECT GAME - BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

MELBOURNE ELITE

Prime

NET

CMB
Keith Bruce
Assistant Parks Director

Keith Bruce is one of the Hendersonville Parks Department’s longest full time employees. Originally from Owensboro, Kentucky, he first pursued his Bachelor’s Degree at Murray State University in Business Administration and later in 1989 he obtained his Master’s Degree in Sports Administration from the United States Sports Academy in Daphne, Alabama. While obtaining his Master’s Degree, Keith was able to complete an internship at the University of Cincinnati which led to his first career focused job in the UC Athletic Department where he was able to manage summer camps. Continuing to follow his interests in Athletic Administration, Keith eventually applied for the Assistant Director of Parks position in Hendersonville, TN and was hired. His hard work and leadership has continued to influence this community for the last 22 years.

“When I first started in Parks, we worked at the old City Hall building in Hendersonville which was inside an old house, and the staff at that time was only made up of myself, the Director, Dave LeMarbre, and an Administrative Secretary,” explained Keith. “Our very first Parks vehicle was actually an old police car.” When asked what he loves most about his job Keith said “I enjoy getting to meet many different people. I’ve made a lot of good friends over the years by meeting coaches, parents, officials and volunteers along the way.”

Keith has also served the Hendersonville community and greater Middle Tennessee area as a softball umpire and basketball referee since he first moved to this community and in total has officiated games for more than 25 years. He has had the opportunity to officiate the TSSAA State Highschool Basketball Tournaments twice and he is well respected for his expertise with enforcing the rules of the game. When he isn’t working or officiating, Keith’s very favorite hobby keeps him on the local golf courses for some friendly competition.

The Parks Department is very thankful for Keith’s involvement to help make Hendersonville’s parks and recreation programs a success for many years. If you would like to contact Keith he can be emailed at kbruce@hvilletn.org.