

From: [Janet Burns](#)
To: [Rylee Bates](#)
Subject: FW: Ruth Hardy Tennis Community
Date: Thursday, October 24, 2024 7:58:28 AM

For Commissioner correspondence. I'll go ahead and check into the fencing situation and will respond to her.

Thanks.

Janet Burns

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, October 23, 2024 7:57 PM
To: Janet Burns <Janet.Burns@palmspringsca.gov>
Subject: Ruth Hardy Tennis Community

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Good morning Janet,

Once again may I ask you to pass this email to the Parks and Recreation meeting next Monday. I will be attending but if at all possible we would like an answer before because I know I won't get an answer or any comment during the meeting. From previous experience I don't get an answer after .the meeting either.

We want to say Thankyou for the new backboard on one of the courts.

1. The fencing has been removed between courts 2 and 3 with no explanation (was it a health and safety issue} the removal of this fencing means balls are flying across the neighbouring courts and disrupting play and causing aggravation amongst players. Some of the players have contacted the office to ask why and when will the fence be replaced but have received no explanation.

2. I attended 2 meeting last year Oct and Nov to repeat our 10 year request for the lighting to be updated. I have never had a response either positive or negative and the request never appears on any future project list. Because the effort was being put into Pickleball for the last two years we have waited patiently. Pickleball have now been grated their new complex and funding allocated.

3. The Ruth Hardy Tennis community now wish to be heard and ask the Commision to

consider both lighting and fencing and the promised desert landscaping surrounding the courts to stop sprinkler water flowing onto the courts and damaging the surface.

Attached is one of the plans showing the plans for fantastic desert landscaping but no news as to WHEN?

Regards

Julie Knowles

36 years part of the Ruth Hardy tennis community.



Sent from my iPad

From: [Janet Burns](#)
To: [Rylee Bates](#)
Subject: FW: Parks & Recreation
Date: Thursday, September 26, 2024 11:09:52 AM

Please forward to Commission as correspondence. Thanks.

Janet Burns

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From: [REDACTED]
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To add to the comments below, and the “priorities, for Measure J funding”.
Why is youth sports (baseball/softball, fields, light use & program initiative) and a recreational organization funded by the city- NOT ON PRIORITY?
Sounds to me like recreational use for parks, swim center, modernism are for the directed for visitors use and not for local families interest.
That’s great that the ball field lights are being used for ‘Adult Recreation use’ and not for the youth. Is this city area (Demuth) only catering to adult programs?

Can you please provide me with a email address for Mr. Colodanado

Thanks,
Grace Duran

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Palm Springs Resident/community advocate for girls softball

Living on the ACBCI Reservation

Begin forwarded message:

From: GraySea Duran [REDACTED]
Date: September 25, 2024 at 1:30:45 PM PDT
To: Janet.burns@palmspringsca.gov
Subject: Parks & Recreation

Good afternoon,

I spoke with you last week and via email. Again my concern as to why you didn't relay information that a 'parks and recreation meeting', will be held this week (or last week). As to my concerns corresponded to you.

This is again a lack of communication or I'm guessing , you're not aware of when meetings will be. You could've explained that to address my concerns for youth programs to appear at a "parks and rec meeting" and at such dates. To address my concerns. How was I supposed to get in contact with a director or commissioner with out the help of information.

Grace Duran

Sent from my iPhone