

**NORTH CARROLL RECREATION COUNCIL
PROGRAM MEETING MINUTES
NORTH CARROLL SENIOR CENTER
October 14, 2026 - 8:00PM**

I. Meeting Attendance:

Executive Board Members: A. Kiler, C. Bell, B. Franchella, T. Leatherwood, M. Muller, M. Schott, H. Sprinkle, R. Wagner, P. Zito

Members: A. Artista, M. Hernandez, J. Hesen, P. Lewis, A. Louey, D. Ludlow, J. Otto, A. Shilling, K. Turner, Chris Yowell

Community Coordinator: M. Artista

CCRP: M. Edwards

II. October 2026 Program Meeting: Meeting is Called to Order by President Kiler at 8:03 p.m.

II. September 2026 Program Meeting Minutes: Motion to Approve Minutes – BF & MM

IV. September 2026 Treasurer's Reports: Motion to Approve – PZ & MS

07/01/2026 –

08/31/2026:	Receipts:	\$427,444.00
	Disbursements:	\$373,393.00
	Net:	\$ 54,051.00
08/31/2026	Assets:	\$522,986.00

- A reminder that spot-a-pots are usually removed from fields on Nov. 15th. Please let us know if you need them after the 15th.

V. October 2026 Community Coordinator's Report:

- Checked to be sure all Winter Approvals have been approved
- Requested new numbers. Those who have not responded please do so immediately.
- Paper Flyers can be done but they process through M. Artista.
- REMINDER: New Season Deadlines for School Space (indoor or outdoor):
 - Fall: June 15 (August 11 – November 30)
 - Winter: October 1 (November 1 – March 31)
 - Spring: January 1 (March 15 – June 30)
 - Summer: May 1 (June 30 – August 10)
 - If your event falls into one of the above ranges, note your deadline
- Reminder to please send information for the electronic newsletter
Regarding the Electronic Newsletter sent out monthly:
 - Look for Maria's e.mail notices when information is due
 - Please format it in the following style (This is just an example - just replace information for your group):

NCRC - Manchester Baseball: SPRING 2025 registration is NOW OPEN for all ages 3 - 18. Manchester Baseball's home field is at Christmas Tree Park. Cost: \$xx.00 per person. Register online at www.?????.org by March 31, 2025. Questions email baseball@example.org.

VI. October 2026 Parks and Rec Report:

1. Volunteers for Santa Calling needed to play Santa and Elves over the phone. Tuesday, December 8th 5:00-8:00pm. Dinner provided to volunteers. Sign up for timeslots here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B44ADAA23A2FBCF8-65435950-2026>
2. Virtual volunteer training January 19th 6:30-7:30pm. Register here: <https://ccrec.recdesk.com/Community/Program/Detail?programId=5864>
3. Next FoCRP meeting is October 27, in person, at the County Office Building, 7:00 p.m.
4. Volunteer of the Year event Thursday, November 5th at Charles Carroll Community Center. Refreshments at 6:30pm, ceremony at 7:00pm
5. Myiah will be out for several months – We look forward to hearing the good news.

VII. October 2026 Presidents Report:

Old Business:

- Pantherplex:
 - Auction sale fell through; Not a local buyer; Blue Ocean will likely hold onto it for now and reconsider a future sale
 - Reminders:
 - Tax Credit ends December 31, 2026
 - New Fees as of September 1st:
 - \$75 → \$85 for Practice
 - \$100 → \$110 for Games
- Website/Facebook/Instagram Updates:
 - Keep sending info for social media to Megan
 - Text to 410.456.3808 or email schottmeghan@gmail.com
- Blackout Dates until next meeting – Paper copy will be available at each meeting.

New Business:

- Health Checks: We used to require in person presentations. We went to a paper based fillable form. We have had little response this year. If we do not receive them by the November meeting, you will be scheduled for an inperson meeting
- Next Meeting: January 13th - Executive Board at 7:00 p.m.; Program Meeting at 8:00 p.m.

VIII. Committee Reports:

- Grievance: No Report
- Scholarship: No Report
- Membership: 2,484 in October up from 2,476 in September

IX. October Individual Program Coordinator's Report:

Individual Reports:

NCRC Sponsored – Attendance in Bold	
1. Manchester Baseball 2. Manchester Wrestling 3. NC Hotshots Softball 4. NCSC Soccer 5. NCRC Field Hockey 6. NCRC Lacrosse (Boys) 7. NCRC Lacrosse (Girls) 8. GONZO Lacrosse 9. NCRC Basketball 10. Team Unity Basketball	11. Colts Football and Cheer 12. Striking Cobra (Martial Arts) 13. NCRC Tennis 14. NCRC Golf 15. NCRC Adult Volleyball 16. NCRC Youth Volleyball 17. Accelerators Track and Field (NC) 18. NCRC Pickleball 19. NCRC Adult Fitness 20. Zumba

1. Manchester Baseball – Two weeks left
2. Manchester Wrestling – One more tourney; crab feast was a success
3. NC Hotshots Softball – Big tournament in two weeks, final one November 7
4. NCSC Soccer:
 - a. In-House – Three quarters of the way through the season
 - b. Travel – All is well; lots of rainy Sundays
5. NCRC Field Hockey – DNA
6. NCRC Lacrosse (Boys) – getting registration ready to open
7. NCRC Lacrosse (Girls) – DNA
8. GONZO Lacrosse – A few Fall tournaments
9. NCRC Basketball – Evals tonight, Full for Travel Teams plus one extra
10. Team Unity Basketball – DNA
11. Colts Football and Cheer – Almost finished, headed to playoffs, 11.22.2026 will scrimmage another area team at M&T Bank at halftime
12. Striking Cobra (Martial Arts) – 11.07.2026 – Two Black Belt and two Green Belt Tests will be conducted; about four hours of rigorous testing (Porta-a-pots not needed!)
13. NCRC Tennis – DNA
14. NCRC Golf – DNA/Inactive
15. NCRC Adult Volleyball – DNA
16. NCRC Youth Volleyball – Mid session, going well
17. Accelerators Track and Field (NC) – DNA
18. NCRC Pickleball – Going well, Christmas party upcoming
19. NCRC Adult Fitness – DNA
20. Zumba – Going well, no drama, fewer participants than last year

X. Open Discussion:

- Turf Field at Carroll Community College – Finished but not open yet to the public. The U*O has not yet been received due to a error in the construction of concrete steps. Though a temporary U&O has been granted, the County will not allow outside use. DL takes issue with this and would like to approach the Commissioners. Pres. Kiler said he would inquire. TL also wants the question raised. (She is the AD at CCC.)
- There was a “Listening Session” held at the NC Branch of the Library by Parks & Rec. President Kiler attended. It was packed wall to wall with people from the Westminster area complaining about fields and facilities in their rec council. The exchange was at times disrespectful of the County Officials. The problems all appeared to be process related at the rec council level and should have been addressed there, not at a County event. President Kiler called or texted many of us to thank us for all that we do and for the professional way in which we conduct ourselves when such issues arise. President Kiler stated he is grateful for and proud of each of us.

XI. Adjournment - 8:31 p.m. – HLS & BF