



Henry County Parks and Recreation Annual Report 2011



ADMINISTRATION

The Henry County Parks and Recreation Department is dedicated to improving the quality of life for all the citizens of Henry County by providing quality recreation and athletic programs, opportunities, special events, facilities and amenities. In addition, our Therapeutic Recreation programs offer the special populations residents of Henry County the opportunity to participate in competitive sporting events as well as organized outings, socials and creative activities that enhance emotional, spiritual, social, physical and cognitive abilities. This annual report provides an overview of the accomplishments of Henry County Parks and Recreation for the calendar year of January 1 through December 31, 2011.

There are 27 parks located throughout Henry County that are maintained by Parks and Recreation, five city parks and one state park, all of which are strategically located throughout the county to be just minutes away for residents to enjoy. We also operate historic sites as a great way to get out and learn about our heritage while exploring nature.

The Parks and Recreation Department consists of 1,300 acres of park land featuring 66 baseball and softball fields, 13 football fields, 15 soccer fields and 22 tennis courts. It also boasts 8.4 miles of walking trails, 28 playgrounds, a dog park, paintball complex, BMX track, disc golf course, roller hockey rink, a Sunshine Field complex, an Event Center, and even a recreation center that features an indoor walking track, two basketball courts and several classrooms. More than 33,000 youth and 14,000 adults participated in organized recreation athletic programs while 7,000 enrolled in its classes and activities and 3,000 participated in Therapeutic recreation. Parks and Recreation offers a day camp program over the summer and school breaks for area youth which serves more than 11,000 children and addresses a clear need in the community.

The Jason T. Harper Event Center hosted numerous events including: Taste of Henry in April, Pet Expo, and the Miles for Meals Walk. The Extension Agency held a Farmer's Market June through October. Day Camps utilize this facility during the school breaks and the summer.

Highlights at Nash Farm Park this year was the Flashlight Easter Egg Hunt, Annual Battle Reenactment, Cross Country Track Meets for high schools and colleges, and the Georgia Independence Day Festival which was held on July 3 and 4. This facility also hosted day camp for 13 weeks and is the home to the dog obedience and karate classes. Nash Farm was also rented out for several parties and weddings.

The Locust Grove Recreation Center is used for Therapeutic Recreation Programs and events throughout the year. The facility was rented out for several birthday parties, reunions and weddings in the Sanctuary. There were also 17 Therapeutic division special events. The Sanctuary is used each Sunday for Anchor Church services.

The Locust Grove Event Center was used for wedding receptions and events throughout the year. During the week, the facility is used for the seniors to visit with each other and offered two meals each day.

The Veterans' Wall of Honor held a Memorial Day service on May 31 in observance of those who paid the ultimate price for America's freedom. The program included a presentation of the colors by American Legion Post 55.

The Veterans Day ceremony that has long been a tradition on McDonough Square was moved to the Veterans Wall of Honor at Heritage Park. The ceremony took place on Veterans Day, November 11, 2011, on the plaza of the Veterans Wall of Honor. The event was hosted by the American Legion, Posts 55 and 516, both of McDonough, and sponsored by Henry County Parks and Recreation.

HCPRD continued to sell bricks for the Veteran's Wall of Honor throughout the year. In 2011, 64 4x8 bricks and 12 12x12 bricks were sold. This monument hosted the Memorial Day and Veteran's Day Ceremonies. Approximately 5,000 people visited the Veteran's Wall of Honor as well as the Heritage Military Museum.

Henry County Parks and Recreation is known for its numerous innovative programs and variety of amenities, and has opened a Remote Control Racing Track at Windy Hill Park. Also at Windy Hill is a paintball complex and track for lawn mower racing and plays host to the Annual Kiwanis Club Fair.

Home to the HCPRD Youth and Adult Basketball leagues, JP Moseley also offers Aerobics, Yoga, Gymnastics, Self-Defense, Line Dancing and Music classes. The variety of meeting rooms and newly refinished basketball courts have allowed JP Moseley to host various public events throughout the 2010 calendar year including: Wheel Chair Basketball Tournaments, Wheel Chair Hand Ball Tournaments, Bull Martin's Basketball Camp, AAU Training, Youth and Teen Camps (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer, Thanksgiving and New Year). Private rental events such as birthday parties, family reunions, bridal and baby showers, Christmas parties and business training sessions filled out the calendar.

Henry County Parks and Recreation hosted the Fourth Annual Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony on October 13, 2011, to honor individuals who contributed their time, talent or resources over the years. These contributions have served as the foundation for the many outstanding programs and amenities that the Parks and Recreation Department offers today. District I Commissioner Warren Holder was the Master of Ceremonies at the celebration. This year's inductees were recognized for their outstanding contributions to the Parks and Recreation Department and their commitment to the citizens of Henry County. They include Glenn Moseley, Steve Manders, Doug Holder, Rodney Whaley, Jim Wilson and Clinton Smith who was inducted posthumously.

HCPRD had a tremendous impact on Henry County's economy in 2011. There were more than 35 large tournaments played in Henry County involving 1,171 teams that played a total of 1,699 games. These totals include the USSSA World Series Baseball Tournament that was held in July and the Atlanta Peach Classic Soccer Tournament.

July is National Parks and Recreation Month and our department celebrated by hosting and attending several events throughout the month. These included the Georgia Independence Day Festival, Day Camps and the Roberto Clemente AABC World Series, Mr. & Miss Special Henry County Pageant, Special Olympics Master's Bowling Competition, and GRPA District Swim Meet.

The Community Service Program allowed inmates and probationers the opportunity to pay their debt to society if they were unable to meet the fine imposed by doing roadside litter pickup and departmental assistance, routine janitorial duties at parks, recycling center and county buildings.

HCPRD is a member of GRPA, a non-profit organization dedicated to the promotion, preservation and advocacy of the Parks, Recreation & Leisure Services profession. Participation with GRPA includes serving

on GRPA committees, participating and hosting adult basketball and adult softball tournaments, hosting a sixth district meeting, attending day camp workshops, sending teams to compete in youth track, hosting a youth basketball tournament, sending swimmers to compete at a State competition, sending staff to its annual conference, and staff taught sessions at the conference.

HCPRD recognized volunteers publicly at the 2011 United Way Henry Volunteer Recognition Dinner held at the Merle Manders Conference Center. Mr. and Mrs. Bouts were nominated as Volunteers of the Year and were recognized for their dedication to the Henry County Therapeutic Recreation program. Mr. and Mrs. Greene of the Henry County Parks and Recreation Wheelchair Division was nominated as Wheelchair Sports Program Volunteer of the Year and recognized for his dedication and contributions to the adult and youth programs. Bonnie Hunt was honored for her work with the Henry County Therapeutic Recreation program. William Dodd was honored for his work with Nash Farm Battlefield Museum.

HCPRD participated in the 13th Annual Hands on Henry Day, sponsored by Leadership Henry and Henry County Chamber of Commerce. For this event, thousands of volunteers come together to make our community a better place. Those that participated completed projects at Henry County park facilities such as landscaping beautification, maintenance, entrance sign improvements, garbage pick-up, painting and playground equipment repair.

HCPRD is a Partner in Education, a program sponsored by the Board of Education and the Henry County Chamber of Commerce that links businesses and schools in an ongoing commitment to strengthen and enrich educational opportunities for students. HCPRD teamed up with the Board of Education to provide AAASP, adapted sports programs for students with physical disabilities to enhance educational outcomes. The Board of Education provided transportation for AAASP and HCPRD Camp programs that take place during school breaks. HCPRD utilized 16 Board of Education gymnasiums to provide a youth basketball program during the winter months. HCPRD utilized the Stockbridge High School Track for our youth track program. The Department also held tours at parks and provided use of the picnic shelters for school field trips. Hidden Valley Park's cross country track was utilized by Stockbridge High School.

HCPRD Staff was available for information booths and to speak with schools, clubs, and civic organizations to share information about Henry County Parks and Recreation's programs & services. In 2011, those groups included the Timber Ridge Elementary and Dutchtown Elementary Career Week, Wesley Lake School PTO, Pates Creek Elementary Wellness Fair, Shepard Spinal Center, Leadership Henry, Eagles Landing High Schools and National Night Out.

HCPRD offered youth track and field with a total of 97 boys and girls ranging in ages from 5-14. We sent 60 participants to the GRPA District 6, Class A track meet in Macon. From here, about 27 boys and girls advanced to the State track meet in Augusta. The track program had an end of the year banquet and a medal was provided to all of the participants.

PAINTBALL

The 2011 paintball season wrapped up with several improvements to the Paintball Park by improving and rebuilding the buildings, adding two Cessna airplanes, and 50 large spools to the playing surface, giving us a scenario field that rivals any other in the nation. The Department opened the Hyperball Field and the Woodsball Field, resulting playing in fields for just about any desired scenario from Infantry style woods to urban warfare and tournament play! The rental Paintball gun inventory was increased by 20 professional guns.

The Henry County Paintball Breakout Teams went to the podium at every tournament they entered and also participated in the Georgia 3-Man Championships. Henry County's team placed first in the GFOA five man event, and second place in the PSP Young Guns National event.

The facility is State-of-the-Art and capable of hosting National events and local recreational play simultaneously. 2011 was a good year for the facility and 2012 looks even better! Come visit and see what paintball has to offer, from individual recreational players and parties for your office or birthday groups to National Tournaments. See you at the field!

YOUTH ATHLETICS

30 swimmers went to the GRPA District 6, Class A swim meet held in Rockdale. 26 swimmers also advanced to the two day State Swim meet held in Carrollton. HCPRD had a total of 848 registered athletes for youth basketball. The Fairview and J.P. Moseley Recreation Centers and 16 Henry County schools were used for practices. One middle school, along with the J.P. Moseley and Fairview Recreation Centers, were utilized for the games. The J.P. Moseley Recreation Center was used to host some GRPA District games and one team advanced to the State tournament held in Savannah.

ADULT ATHLETICS

The adult athletic section also hosted Henry County Parks and Recreation Department's annual Halloween Havoc and the Christmas One Pitch Tournaments. For the Halloween Havoc One Pitch, teams were asked to dress in Halloween costumes and bring bags of candy that were used for the Trick or Treating held at the Fall Festival. Teams were asked to pay a team fee for the Christmas One Pitch tournament, with all proceeds going to purchase toys for A Friend's House and Connecting Henry.

THERAPEUTIC RECREATION

The Therapeutic Division consists of: Special Olympics Trainings, Competitions, Social outings with the Circle of Friends Group, Fundraisers, Wheelchair Sports, Public Relations, AAASP, Developmental Services Programs, Annual Trips, and Festivals. The staff also helps with all departmental events and or activities that take place throughout the year. Exercise and Arts/Crafts classes are offered throughout the year. Also, we offer TR Fitness Challenge promoting exercise, and good health practices for our Special Needs population. This year, the Locust Grove Recreation Center has undergone construction, and we now, have a new gym floor in which we are thrilled about and have started Special Olympics Practices/Wheelchair Sports events in the gym. A new workout area and elevator will be put in for our use.

DAY CAMPS

Henry County Parks and Recreation offered Day Camp for school breaks at different sites throughout Henry County. Day camps were offered for mid- winter break, spring break, fall break, and Thanksgiving Camp. During each of the week long camps we offered the campers a free snack and each of them received t-shirts to reflect the camp theme. 450 campers attended over the 2011 school year. Our staff ratio was 1 counselor to every 10 campers and camp times were 7:30am – 6:00pm each day.

We also offered Summer Camp and Teen Camp. These 2 camps ran from May 30, 2011 – July 1 and July 11 – 29, 2011. We had 511 campers participate in at least 1 week of the 8 weeks of Camp and 88 campers that participated in at least 1 week of the 8 weeks of teen camp.

RECREATION PROGRAMS

HCPRD offered nine adult programs that included dog obedience, step aerobics, exercise programs and line dancing along with karate and golf lessons and gymnastics.

Programming Awards

In November, the Henry County Parks and Recreation Department received an award from the Georgia Recreation and Parks Association for The Publication Award for Multi-Event for the 2011 Calendar.

SPECIAL EVENTS

The 5th Annual Flashlight Easter Egg Hunt was held in April and, again, thousands of children showed up to participate. They had their picture taken with the Easter Bunny, played on the inflatables, made Easter crafts, had their faces painted and searched for eggs in the dark using only flashlights. We were able to bring back the helicopter to drop eggs onto the field and a new group brought out their petting zoo with the animals dressed in little aprons and hats. Radio Disney came out and entertained the crowd with games and great prizes.

Large crowds came out to A Heritage Christmas at Heritage Park and enjoyed the lighting of the Heritage Tree, pictures with Santa, hayrides, caroling, entertainment from local dance studios and writing Christmas cards to our troops. Kids also ran the relay race to get Santa ready for Christmas in Elf School. Each participant received a ‘diploma’ naming them an Honorary Elf. Radio Disney came out and played games with the kids and gave away prizes.

PARKS

Parks	Maintained By	Park Acreage	Athletic Fields	Outdoor Courts	Support Facilities	Walking Trials (Miles)
Alexander Park	City/County	12.5	4		3	0.3
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Installed AED sig on concession • Repaired gutter on concession • Replaced backstop fence • Re-grade infield • Add extra infield mix – 126 tons • Prepared fields for Super NIT Tournament • Scoreboard repaired • Hang power lines for lights • Spread 700lbs pre-emergent on softball fields 					
Avalon Park	City/County	20	3		2	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Installed AED sign on concession • Core aerated fields • Fertilized with 150lbs of fertilizer • Top dressed with 3 loads of sand • Laid 20,000 sq ft of sod • Adjusted irrigation as needed for growth • Prepped, sand and leveled center of football fields for sod – fertilized and laid sod. Fill in low spots around field house and lay sod. Lay sod around bleachers. Water with fire hose. • Fertilize and pre-emergent 4 football fields 					
Big Spring Park	City/County	15	2	1	3	0.2
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • County and City are addressing stormwater issue of erosion • Remove existing ball fields and construct a large pond that will serve as a retention pond that when willed will slowly release water to eliminate all the erosion 					

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The ball field's fencing as had to be moved in several times due to erosion Across the street is a walking trail that will tie into the pond area and possibly add one or two picnic shelter(s) 						
Cochran Park	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>County</td> <td>20</td> <td>8</td> <td></td> <td>7</td> <td>0.4</td> </tr> </table>	County	20	8		7	0.4
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Re-secured electrical box to pole between field #7 & #8 Repaired floor and installed new threshold at score box on field #5 Checked all scoreboards Prepared fields for Super NIT Tournament Spread 2,000lbs of pre-emergent on baseball fields 						
Fairview Activity Center	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>County</td> <td>8</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	County	8				
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upon completion, considering relocating playground from Fairview Activity Center to the Recreation Center Build vinyl floor rack Installed dry erase boards Assembled fans and carts for classrooms Completed punch list Installed anchors for trash cans Blinds were installed by SPLOST Gutter blockage caused water leaks that damaged section of wall and gym floor Aerate, hydro see, planted 175 plants, spread 550 bales of pine straw around trees and in islands 						
Franklin Rape Park	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>County</td> <td>4</td> <td>2</td> <td></td> <td>2</td> <td>0.3</td> </tr> </table>	County	4	2		2	0.3
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spread 3,000lbs pre-emergent on softball fields 						
Heritage Park	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>County</td> <td>129</td> <td>4</td> <td></td> <td>4</td> <td>0.9</td> </tr> </table>	County	129	4		4	0.9
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Installed new slide at Kidsville playground Installed deadbolt on storage room door Secured gun safe to wall in storage room at Museum Storage pods project will soon go out to bid and may be completed ny June, weather permitting Storage pods project will soon go out to bid and may be completed by June, weather permitting Prepared fields for Super NIT Tournament Dethatched softball fields Aerated 4 softball fields Cut up and removed downed tree from storm Score box repairs and irrigation head repairs Planted 20 Junipers and 50 bales of pine straw Relocated storage pods to other side of parking lot Repaired broken bench next to train in Village Removed tree debris from parking lot Repaired screens and replaced light bulb on scoreboards Setup/take down temporary fencing, move bases, set pitching mounds-water removal from fields, and trash pickup during tournament. Slab poured and construction well under way for SPLOST funded storage facility 						

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fix backstop net ling and drag 4 softball fields, clean bathrooms • Spray and remove wasp nest, redo gutter by front steps with asphalt • Fertilize all fields • Installed new homerun line and fence guard to outfield fence • Applied 250lbs of pre-emergent • Painted handrails • New pods complete 						
Heritage Park – Military Museum	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>County</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	County					
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obtained a Vietnam era Jeep that has been restored that will be placed in museum • Created a Facebook page for the Military Museum • The red barn museum has been converted from farm display to military museum • Many new items were donated to the museum including a 1942 Army issued Harley Davidson motorcycle with side car • There are two Henry County fallen soldier displays • There are two Henry County citizens Medal of Honor displays • Several new displays • Seed, fertilize and straw in front of museum • Installed new flag pole 						
Heritage Park – Wall of Honor	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>County</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	County					
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receiving donations for the upkeep of the Wall • Installed visitors box for visitors book • Back filled and laid straw mat for erosion control around sidewalks • Changed all flags 						
Hidden Valley Park	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>County</td> <td>115</td> <td>9</td> <td>3</td> <td>5</td> <td>0.3</td> </tr> </table>	County	115	9	3	5	0.3
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Repaired gutter on upper concession stand due to ice storm damage • Raised and adjusted nets on batting cages at upper fields • Secured 4 benches at tennis courts • Repaired score box on lower field • Repaired bull pin at field #6 • Checked all scoreboards and replaced bad bulbs • Constructed 2 batting cages • Repaired playground border at upper fields • Graded high spots on ball fields • Checked irrigation controls • Prepared fields for Super NIT Tournament • Cut up and removed downed tree from storm • Aerated fields • Top dressed fields • Dethatched fields • Spread 250lbs of fungicide on fields 4, 5, 9 for fungus • Field #8 scoreboard repaired • Re-fertilized lower infields • Seed and straw septic tank for police officer's house • Tightened handrails on handicap ramps • Fertilized fields 7 – 9, outside of fields 6 – 9 and dug trench for new irrigation wire for fields 2 – 3 • Spread 150 bales of pine straw around trees, spread 1950lbs of pre-emergent on baseball fields 						

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spread 100 bales of pine straw • Trimmed hedges 					
Jason T. Harper Event Center	County					
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Traffic signal installed and intersection improvements for Highway 81 and Lake Dow Road are still under way • Facebook fans for month of January -1, 066 • Reserved facility for Spring wrestling event • Reserved facility for Bull Riding Extravaganza, Youth Leadership Fashion Show, Teen Concert, Henry County Cancer Services Yard Sale and Jerk Festival • Painted handicap rails • Replaced main breaker that caused the event center and sign to loose power • Blow out arena area, clean bathrooms, set up stage, tables and chairs for day camp festivity 					
J.P. Moseley Park	County	179	5		2	1.4
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Painted bathroom floors and walls at softball concession • Regional playground will go out on RFP and companies will submit designs • The playground unit will have a mill theme to it • Replaced backstop fence • Re-grade infield • Replace latches on power boxes • Repaired scoreboards • 36 tons of infield mix • Repaired top support on batting cages • Repaired roll up door on softball concession • Installed and painted entrance sign • Prepared fields for Super NIT Tournament • Repaired roof at softball concession • Anchored trashcans at pavilions • Sprayed for weeds on 4 football fields • Reseeded the centers of all 4 football fields • Assisted with irrigation system repairs • Repaired storm damage at batting cage • Repaired water main leak on football fields • Prep, sand, level center of football fields for sod. Fertilized and lay sod • Trimmed crepe myrtles in parking lot • Repaired fence at main gate football field • Fertilized and spread pre-emergent on 4 football fields • Spread 1150lbs of pre-emergent on softball fields • Poured slab for storage facility near football fields 					
J. P. Moseley Recreation Center	County					
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Repaired 2 cabinet doors • Repaired bench in lobby • Installed door closer at elevator • Painted no parking and curbing red in front of building • Repaired/braced entertainment center in community room • SPLOST will bid out a regional playground with a pavilion and 					

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> additional parking SPLOST installed alarms on gym doors 					
Joel McClendon Memorial Park	City/County		4			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cleaned up trash and dump site 					
Locust Grove Conference Center	County	10				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prepared for grand opening with Senior Services 2 – 3 – 11 Ordered podium through SPLOST Transport, clean and hookup refrigerator Repaired elevator and phone in elevator that was hit by lighting Applied 300lbs of pre-emergent Spread 90 bales of pine straw and trimmed hedges 					
Locust Grove Recreation Center	City/County					
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coordinated order for workout equipment Converting LG Rec Center to total electric Anchor church continues to rent the facility for Sundays Laid VCT tile in community room and the top and bottom landing area of stairwell Painted stairwells, walls and handrails Recreation Center qualified for an energy grant for its many HVAC units SPLOST repaired gas leak and had meter set Acquired quote for SPLOST to fix marquis sign damaged during road construction Opened to public for walking and workout memberships 7-11-11 Cleaned around trees and beds 					
Mickie D. Cochran Park	County	12.4	1	3	4	0.3
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Secured 2 benches at tennis courts Repaired fence at basketball courts Repaired broken fence Repaired broken asphalt in walking path near tennis courts 					
Nash Farm Park	County	204			5	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grand opening of Museum 2 – 12 – 11 Repaired tin roof on Zachary House Sprayed parking lot for weeds Graded and hauled crush and run for driveways Painted gazebo Repaired animal barn roof Grade and gravel to driveways Repaired electrical issues at Activity Barn Repaired damaged trees 					
North Mt. Carmel Park	County	129	2		2	0.3
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Installed new sign at park entrance 					



- Repaired existing park sign
- Installed 3 picnic tables under pavilion at new concession
- Add pet policy and smoking policy signs
- Built, painted and installed entrance signs and other sign throughout the park
- Assisted with landscaping on opening day of new soccer complex
- Repaired erosion spots
- Spread 60 bales of wheat straw
- 100lbs of fescue seed and 100lbs of 18-24-12 fertilizer behind new concession
- Spread 100 bales of pine straw
- Tightened metal roof screws on buildings
- Aerated and sanded 14 soccer fields
- Top dressed 14 soccer fields
- Fence bid is in and the fencing of borders of soccer fields will begin
- Spread 72 bags of fertilizer
- Fertilized and spread pre-emergent on 14 soccer fields
- Installed rules and field # signs
- Installed AED units to two concession stands

North Ola Park	County	11	4		2	0.3
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- Installed plexi glass on men's restroom petitions
- Repaired wooden border fence
- Painted bathroom walls and floors
- Replaced benches at 3 score boxes
- Cleaned and painted inside of concession stand
- Removed old batting cage
- Poured 30 ft of concrete for new sidewalk
- Installed new batting cage net
- 36 tons of infield mix
- Put roof on grill area
- Tightened all metal roof screws
- Seed and strawed erosion at fields 2 & 3
- Spread 900lbs of pre-emergent to baseball fields

Pates Creek Nature Preserve	BOE/County	12	1		3	0.7
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Patrick Henry Ball Field	BOE/County	5	2			
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Red Tail Hawk Airport	County	39			1	
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Red Hawk Baseball Complex	County	26	10		3	0.2
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- Soccer field conversion to four baseball fields
- Fencing bid going out
- Will reposition lights and add a newly refurbished scoreboard similar to the green monster
- Painted inside concession stand and 2 storage rooms
- Fencing project will begin around April 26
- Checked locations of irrigation for new dug out pads
- Measure pipe for irrigation break – fix irrigation wires that were cut – dig up valve box that was broken
- Unload 40ft. telephone poles, measure backstop for poles and net, mark and cut telephone poles, cement telephone poles in backstop

	holes					
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fencing complete, installed cable and netting. Mulched islands with new red mulch. Spread 4400lbs of pre-emergent to baseball fields 					
Richard Craig Park	City/County	26	7	13	6	0.8
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Repaired playground border Installed AED sign on concession County Community Service will service restrooms 6 days a week Applied for USTA Grant to resurface Tennis Courts. SPLOST is putting the resurfacing job out to bid The resurface job will begin May 16 90 tons of infield mix Edge infields – painted picnic tables and bathroom doors Installed new trash cans on tennis courts 7 – 12 Spread 2050lbs pre-emergent on baseball fields 					
R.W/Marylou Coley Park	County	40	7		3	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Repaired playground border Replace score box seat on field #3 Installed plexi glass on petitions in men’s lower restroom 72 tons of infield mix Prepared fields for Super NIT Tournament Sprayed fields for broad leaf weeds Repaired toilets in men’s restroom Tightened all metal roof screws Delivered pallets of field marking chalk Planted dogwood trees Measured and set mounds and bases for tournament Spread 2450lbs of pre-emergent on baseball fields 					
Sandy Ridge Park	County	34	1	3	2	0.7
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Repaired dugout roof on field #3 Parking lot paving project is on hold due to storm water issues 72 tons of infield mix Painted 3 score boxes Replaced 2 pieces of damaged tin on dug out and installed gate stop Secured metal drains Replaced PVC cap on pipe Build pitcher’s mound at 55’ & 60’ Tightened all metal roof screws on concession and pavilions Formed and poured concrete around 4 storm drains Trimmed bushes and trees around BMX Track Set up for BMX race Installed irrigation heads on infields of fields #2 – 4 Spread 1550lbs of pre-emergent on baseball fields 					
Warren Holder Park	City/County	40	8	2	2	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Painted bathroom floors at football concession Painted dug outs Repaired score boxes Repaired playground borders 90 tons of infield mix Put up 40ft of fence on back side of 13/14 field Prepared fields for Super NIT Tournament 					

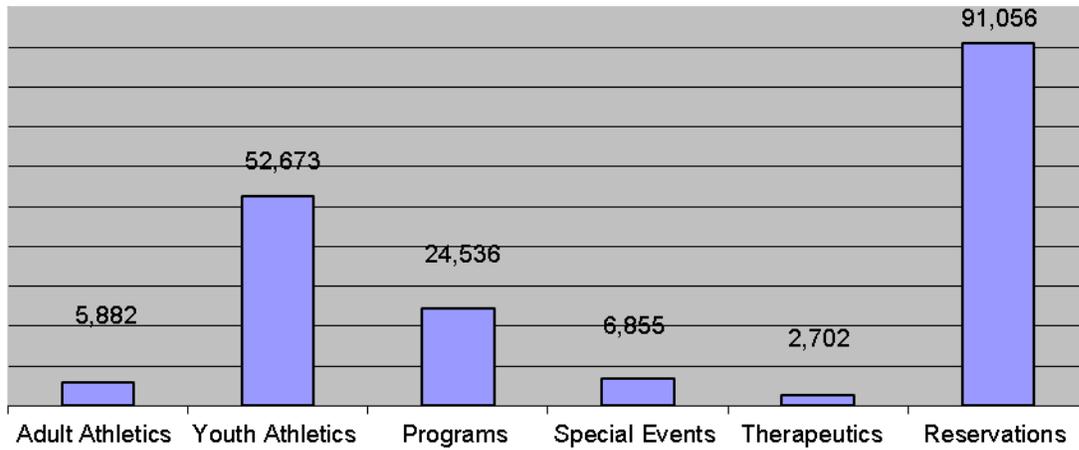
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checked irrigation • Back filled, seeded and spread straw at stairs at baseball fields • Installed new 40' fence at baseball • Irrigation repair, broken wire • Cleared and cut trees for service road to new concession stand • Top dressed and aerated football fields • Repaired steps on score box on field 6 • Top dress and aerate football fields • Constructed football restroom/concession/storage room between fields 3 & 4 • Sept up goal posts, installed field signs • Build and install new steps on score box of fields 7 & 9 • Spread 2200lbs of pre-emergent to baseball fields 					
	Windy Hill Park	County	30	5	1	5
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Installed more shelving in shop area • Installed new ropes on nets/screens at paintball fields • Hauled 15 loads of dirt for 4 turns on Lawn Mower Track 					

GROUNDS

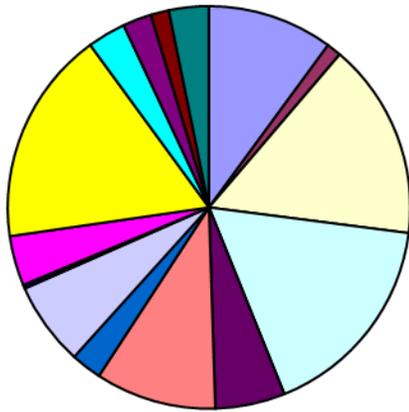
GROUNDS MAINTENANCE	Totals Year-to-Date	GROUNDS MAINTENANCE	Totals Year-to-Date
911 Tower		Administration Building	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Aubrey Harvey Building		Auction Building	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Credit Counseling Center		DFAC's	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Election's/Registrar		Firing Range	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Friend's House		Health Department Building	
Miscellaneous	7	Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Heritage Village		Impound Lot #2	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Juvenile Court		Juvenile Probation Court	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Library - Cochran		Library - Hampton	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Library - Locust Grove		Library - McDonough	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Picnic Shelters		Magistrate Court	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
MR Center		Police Department/Police Training	

Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Probate Court		Senior Center - Heritage	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Senior Center - Hidden Valley		Sheriff's Department/Jail	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
SPLOST Building		Library - Fairview	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
State Court Building		Department of Motor Vehicle	
Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous	
Routine	4	Routine	4
Henry County Judicial Center		Administration Building Median	
Miscellaneous		Maintenance	
Routine	4	Routine	4

Participant Overview = 183,704

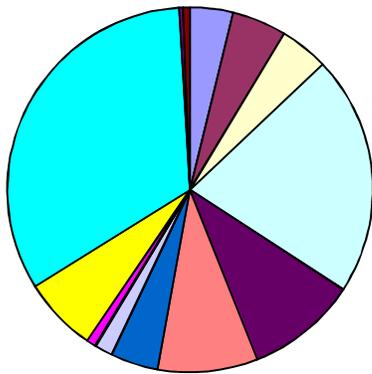


Youth Athletic Participants = 52,673



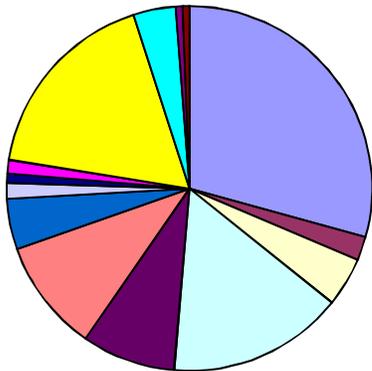
Paintball - 5,304
Hockey - 619
Soccer - 8,316
Baseball - 8,880
Softball - 2,952
Football - 5,117
Cheerleading - 1,305
Basketball - 3,536
Track - 162
BMX - 2,110
Tournaments - 9,080
Red Hawk Airfield - 1,618
Remote Control Car - 1,218
Lawn Mower Racing - 768
Background Checks - 1,888

Youth Athletic Games = 4,632



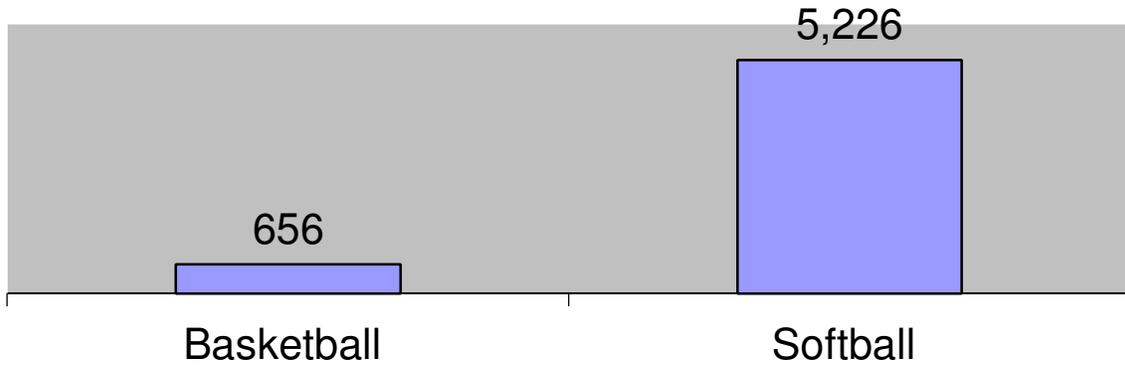
Paintball - 176
Hockey - 223
Soccer - 199
Baseball - 985
Softball - 456
Football - 410
Cheerleading - 195
Basketball - 72
Track - 4
BMX - 37
Red Hawk Airfield - 306
Tournaments - 1,524
Lawn Mower Racing - 17
Remote Control Car - 28

Youth Athletic Total Visits = 604,761

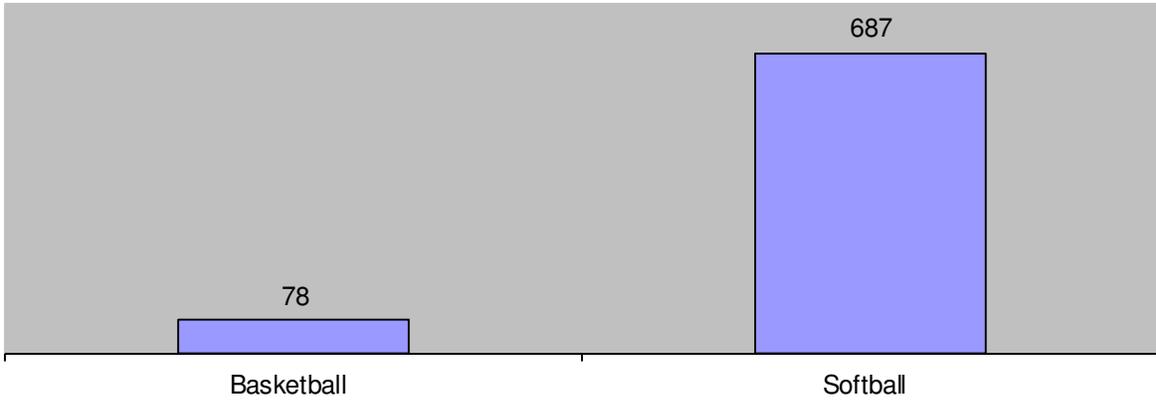


Paintball - 177,238
Hockey - 12,721
Soccer - 26,340
Baseball - 94,195
Softball - 50,136
Football - 60,484
Cheerleading - 26,922
Basketball - 8,382
Track - 5,083
BMX - 7,273
Tournaments - 105,928
Red Hawk Airfield - 22,770
Lawn Mower Racing - 3,824
Remote Control Car - 3,465

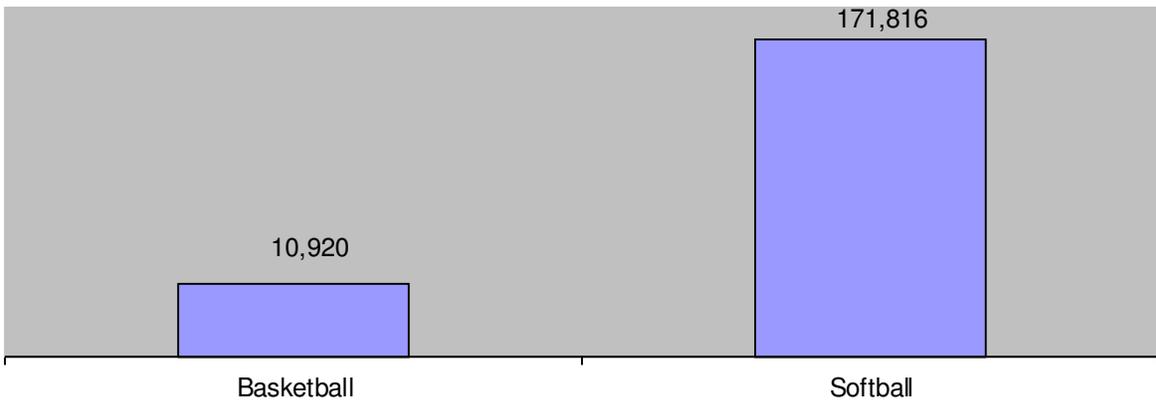
Adult Athletics Participants = 5,882



Adult Athletics Games = 765

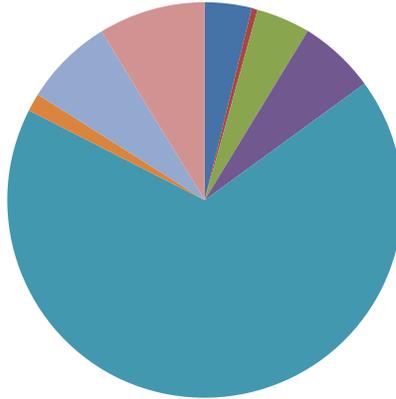


Adult Athletics Visits = 67,086

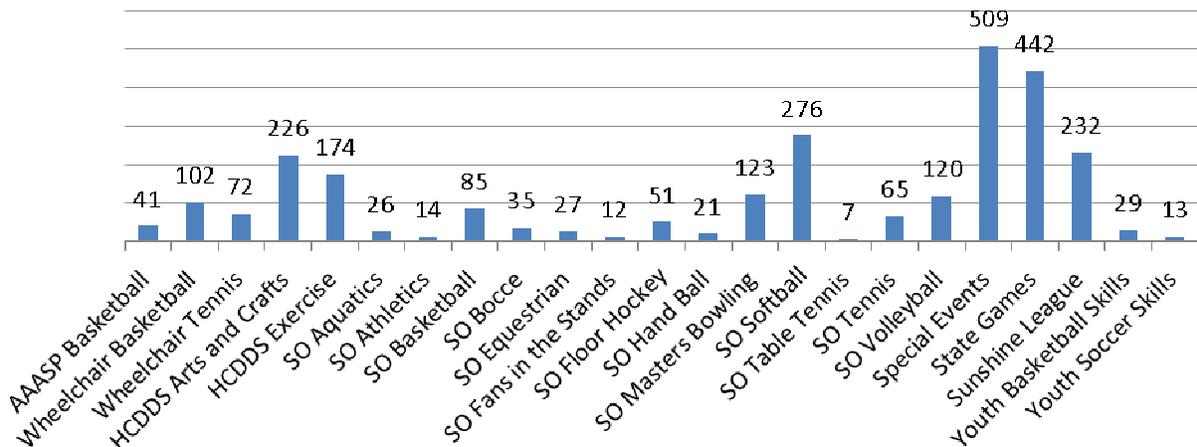


Special Event Participants = 6,855

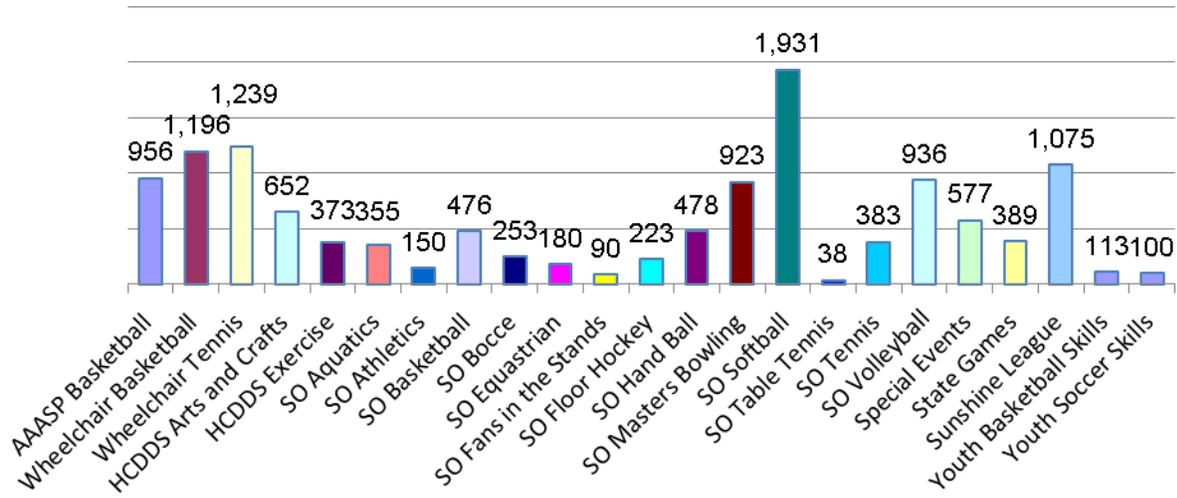
- Nash Museum Grand Opening - 260
- Home School Field Trip - 35
- Easter Egg Hunt - 300
- "B" at the Movies - 430
- Georgia Independence Day - 4,630
- Veteran's Day Open House - 100
- Veteran's Day Service - 500
- Christmas Festival - 600



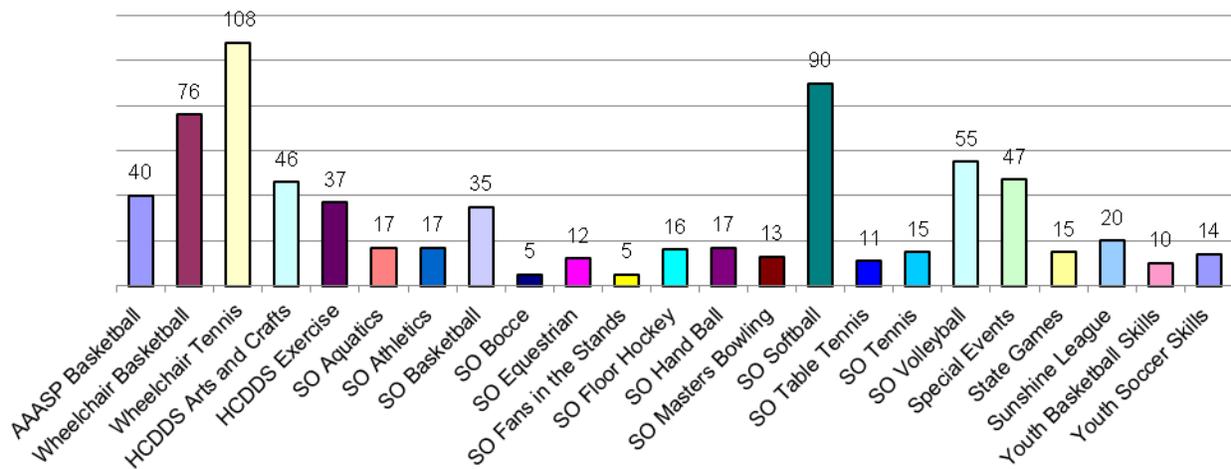
Therapeutic Participants - 2,702



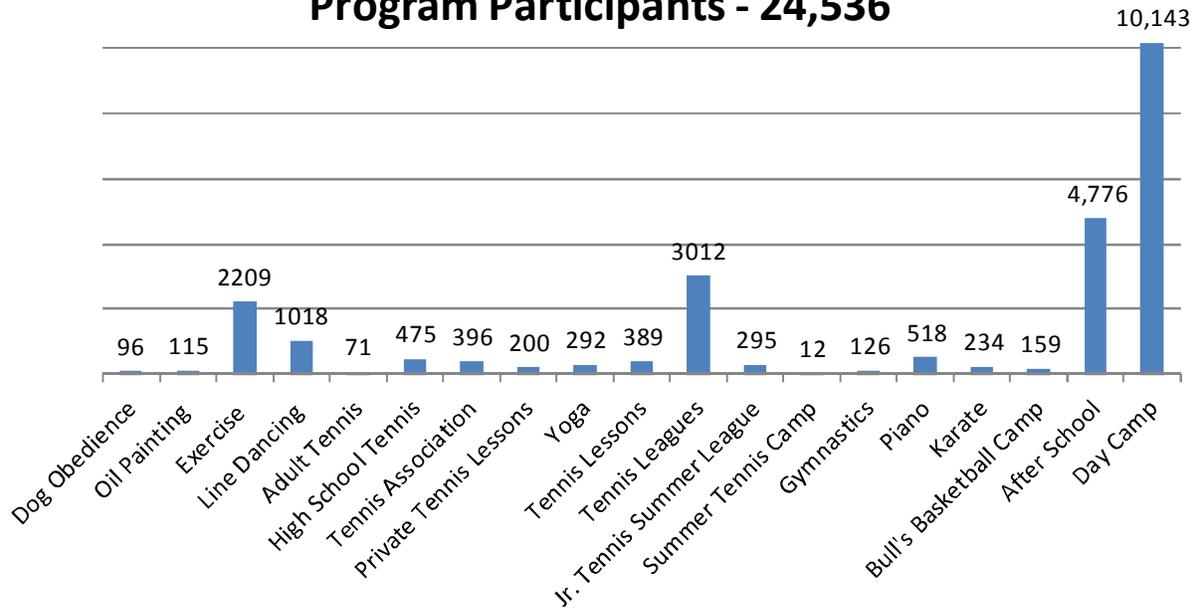
Therapeutics Visits = 13,086



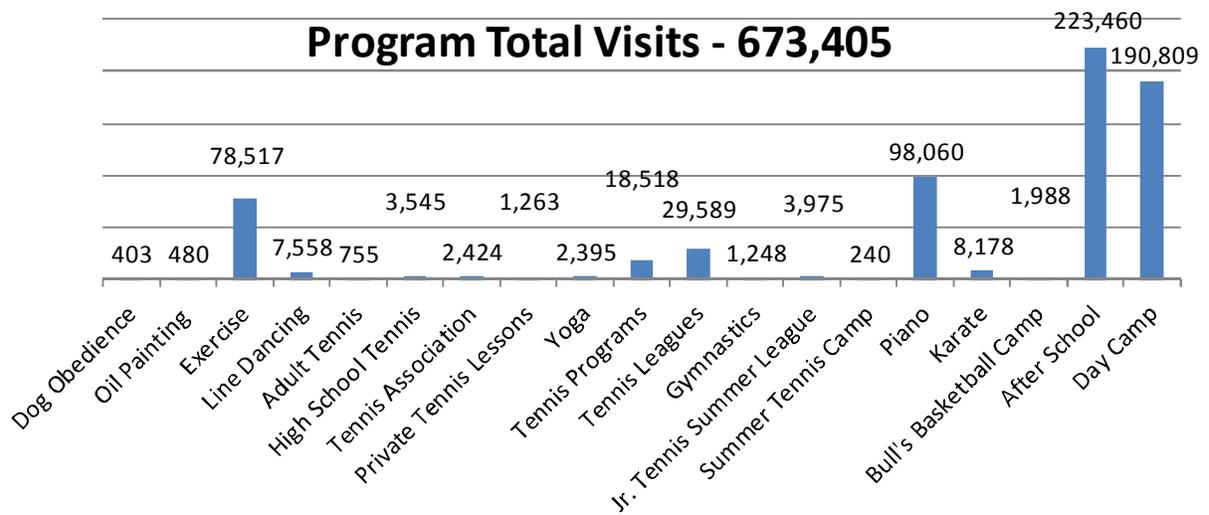
Therapeutics Hours = 721



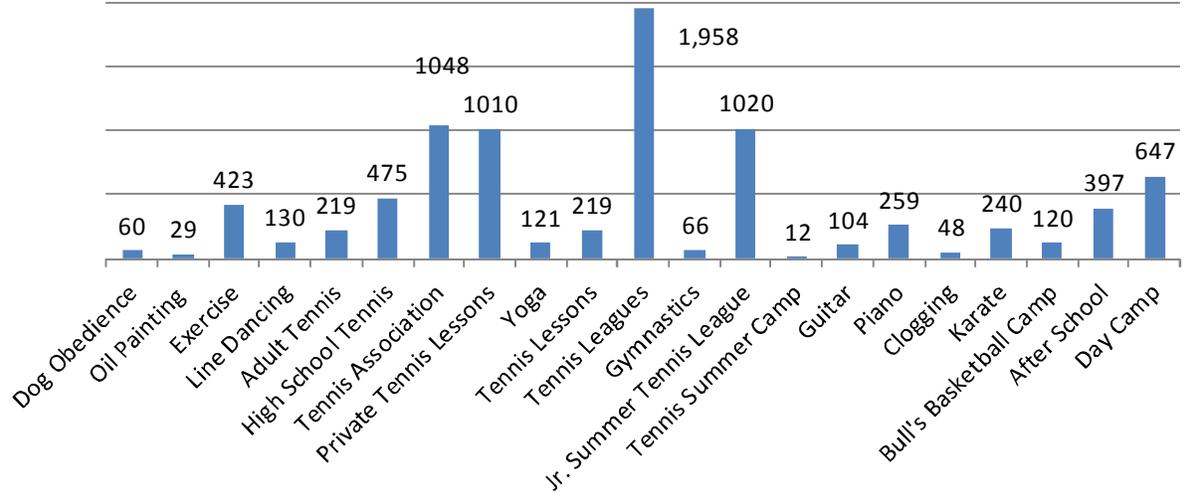
Program Participants - 24,536



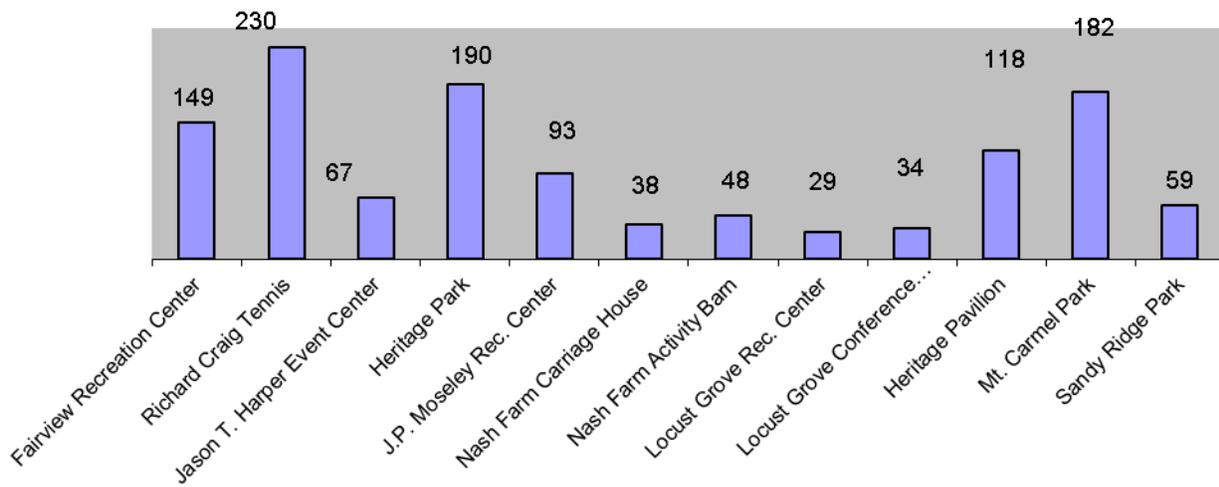
Program Total Visits - 673,405



Program Total Hours - 8,605

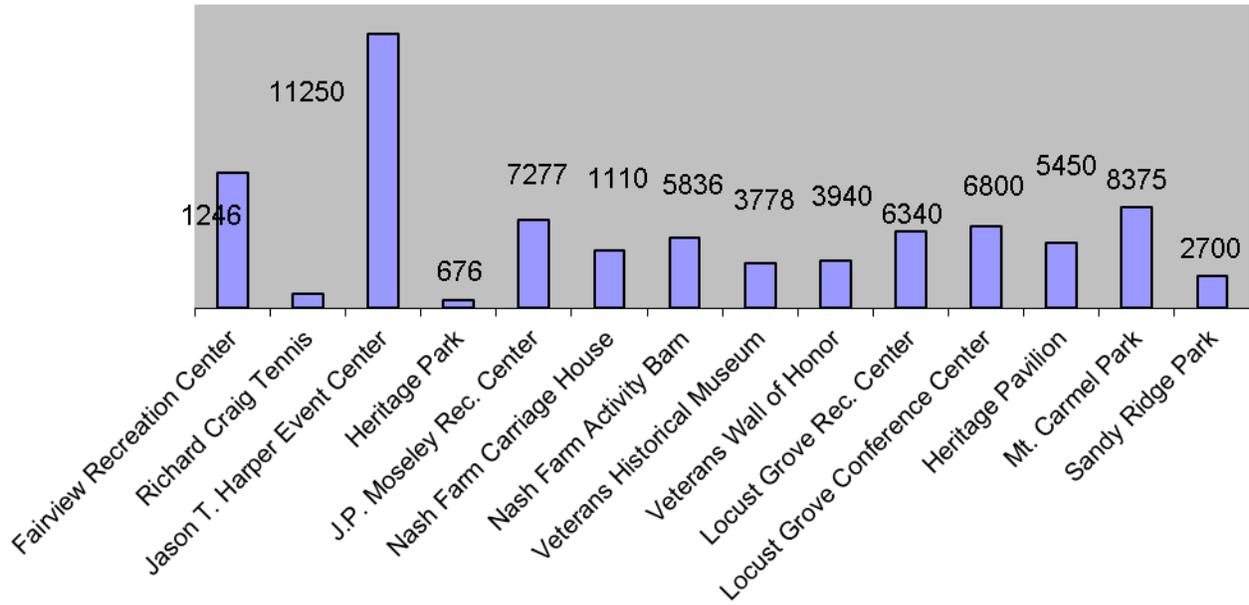


Total Rentals = 1,237

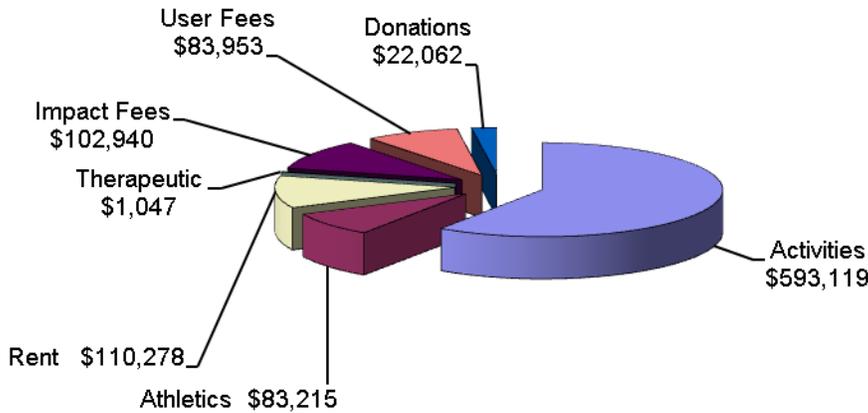


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Rental Visits = 91,056



Revenue = \$996,613



Henry County Parks and Recreation

Current Staff

Tim Coley - Director

Kenny Morris - Assistant Director Parks

Donna Holder - Executive Assistant II

Michelle Dunn - Accounts Administrator

Sandy Hawkins - Accounts Administrator

Jamey Anderson – Recreation Aide

Jessica Tinsley - Recreation Specialist

Tina Fuss – Recreation Specialist

Kathy Hunt - Program Coordinator

Terry Nash - Therapeutic Recreation Coordinator

Reggie Ammons – Therapeutic Counselor

Davina Ford - Therapeutic Recreation Specialist

Alison Haglethorn - Therapeutic Recreation Specialist

Keri Knab – Recreation Aide

Harlon Matthews - Therapeutic Recreation Specialist

Gary Miller – Recreation Aide

Brandi Dailey – Youth Athletic Coordinator

Jim Wilson - Adult Athletic Coordinator

James Martin – Youth Leadership Coordinator

Mark McBrayer – Facility Coordinator

Barbara Barber – Recreation Aide

Donald Carnrike - Recreation Assistant

Amey Moses - Recreation Specialist

Kristen Lynn – Recreation Aide

Duck Robertson - Recreation Aide

Todd Bond - Maintenance Specialist Tech III

Richard Castleberry - Maintenance Specialist Tech III

Mike Delay - Maintenance Specialist Tech III

Marcus Miller - Maintenance Specialist Tech III

Jarrad Boggess - Maintenance Specialist Tech II

Bryan Dixon - Maintenance Specialist Tech II

Walter Lacewell - Maintenance Specialist Tech II

Ronnie Hector - Maintenance Specialist Tech I

Robert Hymowitz - Maintenance Specialist Tech I

Shane Massey – Maintenance Specialist Tech I

Antonio Mathis - Maintenance Specialist Tech I

Gerald Miller – Maintenance Specialist Tech I

Roderick Ponder – Maintenance Specialist Tech I

Andrew Rebuelta – Maintenance Specialist Tech I

James New – Maintenance Seasonal

Day Camp Employees – 50

Tennis Employees – 8

Youth Basketball Employees – 8

Paintball Employees – 4

Adult Softball Employees – 3

Adult Basketball Employees – 3

Park Recreation Specialist Employees – 6