

Recreation Board Meeting:

- The next Recreation Board meeting is on Wed., Sept. 6th at 530p at City Hall.

Splish, Splash & Dash – Youth Triathlon:

- The 11th Annual Splish, Splash & Dash – Youth Triathlon was held this past Sat., Aug. 19th at Jeffrey Park.
- The event was another big success with 330 participants from age 4-14 years old.
- Thank you to the over 80 volunteers that worked to make this event happen.
- This year's School Challenge winner was the Mallards from Maryland Elementary with roughly 24% of their student body participating in the triathlon.

**End of Year Reports:**

- Over the next two Rec Board meetings we plan to present end of the year reports on our four larger programs of Jeffrey Summer Camp, BACPack, Pool and Preschool.
- These programs, as you can imagine, have a huge impact on our community in terms of service as well as our department in terms of budget.
- As always, we will focus on areas where we excelled and opportunities for improvement. Program budget will also be a part of the conversation as we prepare for the 2024 budget process.

Community Campout – Sept. 8th and 9th:

- The annual Community Campout is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, Sept. 8-9 at Jeffrey Park.
- Families will get a chance to camp in Jeffrey Park, but without the hassle that can go along with putting together a camping experience. The event will include dinner, a late night movie, campfires and s'mores, breakfast the next morning, and a scavenger hunt.
- Thank you to Scout Troop 166 as they will be onsite volunteering throughout the event.
- This is a registration based program and spots are limited. Anyone interested should go to www.bexleyrec.com to register.

