

Fayette County Parks and Recreation Commission
Meeting Minutes

April 14, 2026

Present:

Charles McCollum – Recreation Commission Chair

Nick Kilburg- Recreation Commission Vice-Chair

Shirelle Hicks-Recreation Commissioner

Kynthia Gaines- Recreation Commissioner

Bobby Ferrell-Recreation Commissioner

Mary Catherine Domaleski – Assistant Director, Parks and Recreation

Trey Washington – Youth Track Club

- I. Call to order: 6:33 PM
- II. Welcome, Invocation, and Pledge: Charles
- III. Public Comment
 - a. None
- IV. Minutes
 - a. March 2026: motion to approve-Nick, second by Shirelle; all in favor.
- V. Old Business
 - a. Multiuse Facility Update
 - i) Ms. Domaleski mentioned that a topping out ceremony is being considered for the week of May 11th, potentially on the 12th or the 14th. The 14th coincides with another ribbon cutting ceremony and the County Board meeting. The Recreation Commission prefers that the topping off ceremony be held on the 12th.
 - ii) The Recreation Commissioners were presented the striping colors for the new gymnasium floors:
 - (1) Pickleball: light blue
 - (2) Volleyball: red
 - (3) Basketball: dark blue

iii) The Recreation Commission continued discussion on fee assessment for the new facility. The group is recommending the following rates:

(1) Meeting Room/Community Room/Activity Rooms

	Meeting Room		Activity Rooms		Community Room	
	Fayette County Resident	Non-Resident	Fayette County Resident	Non-Resident	Fayette County Resident	Non-Resident
Monday-Thursday	\$35	\$70	\$35	\$70	\$100	\$200
Friday-Sunday	\$100	\$200	\$100	\$200	\$150	\$300

Meeting, activity, and community rooms are to be booked for a minimum of four hours. The activity room “rental space” assumes that the partition will be closed off and each of the four rooms will be rented separately. If the customer wishes to reserve adjoining activity rooms, then this will be charged as two rentals.

A \$300 refundable is to be charged for all county and non-county residents.

No rentals are allowed beyond the facility’s operating hours.

Motion to approve-Nick, second by Bobby; all in favor.

(2) Membership fees (includes access to the track and workout equipment)

	Daily Rate		Monthly Rate	
	Fayette County Resident	Non-Resident	Fayette County Resident	Non-Resident
Youth (ages 3-11)	\$2	\$10	\$15	N/A
Adults (12+)	\$3	\$10	\$20	N/A
Seniors (55+)	\$3	\$10	\$10	N/A
Family (two adults, 3 children ages 11 and under)	N/A	N/A	\$55	N/A

Any FC family being assessed the monthly rate can add youths at a fee of an additional \$5 per month. No additional adults can be added to the family membership.

Families for non-county residents would be charged the daily rate per the appropriate age group. Also, non-county residents would not be offered monthly membership and would be charged the daily rate per the appropriate age group.

Motion to approve-Shirelle, second by Nick; all in favor.

VI. New Business

a. New Youth Track Club Operation

- i) Mr. Trey Washington is a coach new to track and discussed extending the track team's season into the summer as well. The first group would include around five to fifteen girls, ranging from ages seven to nine, and would compete with larger clubs or meets. Mr. Washington also expressed an interest in hosting meets as well. The club/association would also emphasize the academic aspect of the student-athlete. He has talked to Rob Dove previously, who had given him direction on how to formally start a track club.

Charles mentioned that McCurry Park may not be the best option for the group because of the football association's use. However, he did note that Kenwood Park could be an option. However, to use the park, the group would need to be established as an association per the Parks policies. Clubs can only reserve the track up to six weeks in advance without having to be formally set up as an association. Ms. Domaleski recommended that Mr. Washington look for policies, procedures, and any additional information on the county's website.

b. Walk-Up Music

- i) Charles reported that the Parks Department has been receiving complaints regarding the music being played by some of the associations and leagues. Issues include the volume, the appropriateness of the selected song's lyrics, and music being used as a means of intimidation to the other teams. This includes both home teams and visiting teams as well. He suggested that a moratorium be evoked until the associations present their policies regarding the use of music. Ms. Domaleski suggested giving them a deadline of June 1st to submit these policies for review.

Motion to that all music is to stop being played immediately until the associations present their respective plans, policies, and procedures regarding the use of music and how it will be managed.

Motion to approve-Shirelle, second by Bobby; all in favor.

c. Full Amenities Inventory

- i) Ms. Domaleski noted that a full amenities inventory will be required for each park. This includes documentation of items such as awnings, benches, and any other amenities that may have been installed directly by the associations. The Parks Department team will let the Recreation Commission know when these walkthroughs are scheduled so that they can participate.

VII. Staff Reports

a. None.

VIII. Board Reports

a. None.

IX. Adjournment: Motion- Kynthia, Second – Shirelle, all in favor 8:06 pm

Next Meeting – May 12, 2026, at 6:30 PM