



MEMORANDUM

TO: Parks and Recreation Board
FROM: Jessica Carpenter, Director of Community Experiences
DATE: Wednesday, May 28, 2025
SUBJECT: June Director's Report

Events Update

June 6 & 7 – The Coppell Community Orchestra Presents: Summer Chamber Series in the Main Hall at the Coppell Arts Center. Tickets are available at www.coppellartscenter.org.

June 13-29 – Theatre Coppell Presents: Annie in the Wheelice Wilson, Jr. Theatre at the Coppell Arts Center. Tickets are available at www.coppellartscenter.org.

June 21 – The Coppell Arts Center Presents: Mike Super: Magic and Illusion 2.0H in the Main Hall at the Coppell Arts Center. Tickets are available at www.coppellartscenter.org.

June 28 – Celebrate Coppell: Party in the Park from 6-10:30PM at Andrew Brown East - Kick off the Independence Day festivities with a Party in the Park! Enjoy a concert in the park with music by [Time Machine](#) and [The Molly Ringwalds](#), lawn games, and an evening lit up by an incredible drone show followed by fantastic fireworks!

July 4 – Celebrate Coppell: Parade Down Parkway – Celebrate Independence Day with the Parade Down Parkway! Gather up your crew and get ready for all the red, white, and blue. Be sure to line the parade route early for the best spot to see all the floats go by! The Parade Down Parkway kicks off at 9 a.m. and begins at Samuel Blvd. and Sandy Lake Rd., travels north on Samuel to Parkway Blvd., then heads west to Town Center. Intersections along the parade route will be closed prior to the approaching parade and remain closed until all entries have passed.

Project Update

Magnolia Park Trail – Construction is progressing, and we are still on schedule for a late summer completion.

Dog Park Renovation – The contractor plans to begin mobilizing in mid-June. Signage is out at the dog park informing users of the tentative closing date.

Veterans Plaza – Site construction began in mid-May with turf removal and fencing. Contractors are working on materials for the towers.

MacArthur Park Playground – Staff are in the process of compiling the survey feedback and analyzing the data so that we can work with the consultant to determine next steps. We are looking to get this processed wrapped up within a few weeks and have the playground equipment ordered shortly after that.

General Updates for the Board

December Board Meeting Date Change – The December meeting has been moved from the first Monday in December (December 1) to the second meeting in December (December 8) due to conflicts.

Park Board Parade Participation – Be on the lookout for communication from our Special Events team regarding details for parade float judging!