



Recreation Commission Meeting
October 8, 2019

Recreation Services Report

Events

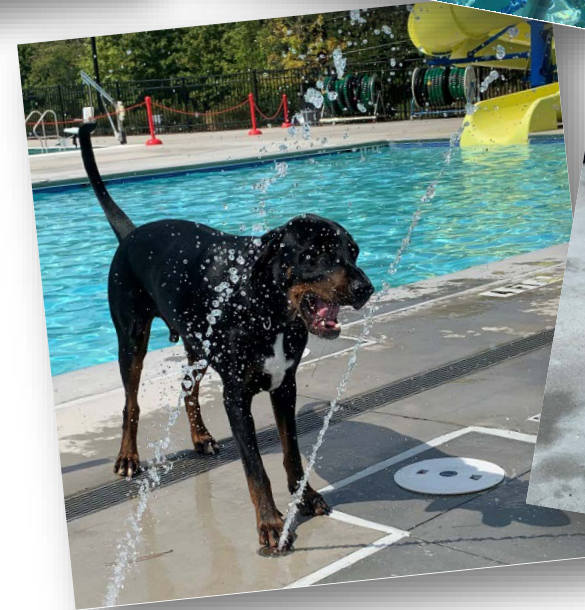
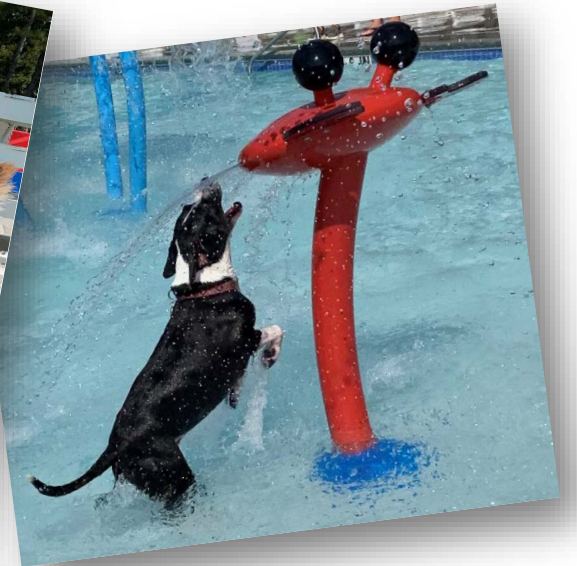
- Drool in the Pool recap
- Upcoming Events:
 - Munchkin Masquerade ... Oct 26
 - Reels and Wheels ... Nov 9

Athletics

- Youth Basketball Program:
 - Evaluations held Oct 6; practices begin Nov 11
 - Enrollment ... Academy 95, Rec League 332
 - Numbers down 155 from 2018 season; non-residents

Adult Activity Center

- Veterans Day BBQ ... Nov 11
- Deck, activity rooms



Recreation Services Report

Health & Wellness

- Walktober Challenge



Other News

- Staff training
- Staff conferences



Wills Park Report

Wills Park

- Ballfield Concession/Restroom Buildings, exterior painting complete



Buildings – After



Buildings – Before



Wills Park Report

Equestrian Center

- Trees pruned to raise canopy



- Bridge below Barn B, connecting walking trail and disc golf court; replaced as an Eagle Scout project by Colton Belle Isle



Community Services Report

Alpharetta Special Events

- Scarecrow Harvest recap:
 - New location in Brooke Street Park
 - Estimated attendance ... 4000
- Wire & Wood ... Oct 11-12 .. Planning for 20-25K
- Alpharetta's Special Event Team is spectacular!



Community Services Report

Community Agriculture

- Scarecrow Harvest pumpkins recycled for Oct's Succulent Class



Park Services Report

Park Improvements

- Rucker Park ... working to get well operational



- Raising tree canopies at all parks

Park Enhancement

- Changing out seasonal color downtown
- Webb Zone Playground “flowers” installed

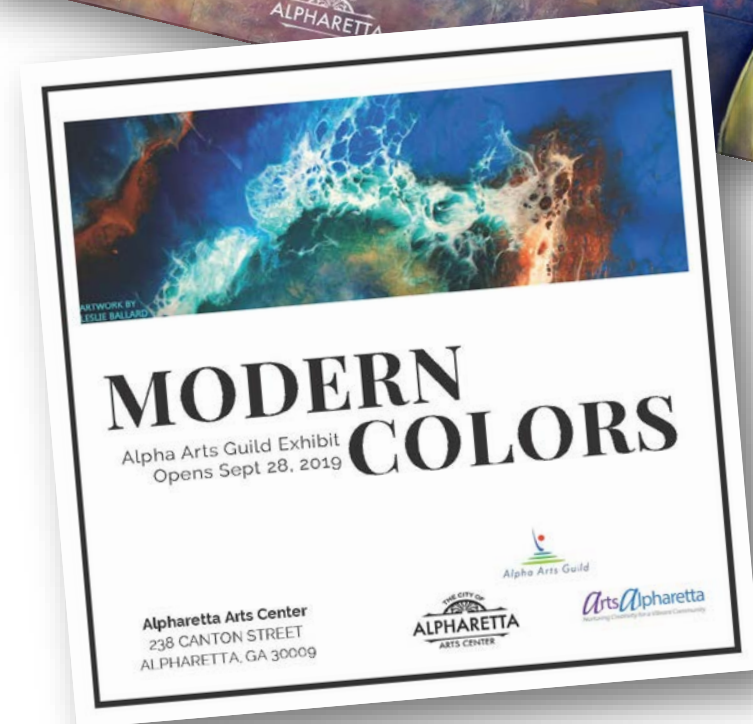
Cultural Services Report

Cultural Happenings

- *Music Match Program / Oak Steakhouse* ... Oct 3 ... Craig Gleason
- *Friends of the Library Book Sale* ... Oct 5 ... Alpharetta Library
- *Alpharetta City Band Fall Concert* ... Oct 6
- *Modern Color Exhibit by Alpha Arts Guild* ... ongoing ... Arts Center
- *Music Match Program / Holmes* ... Oct 10 ... Billy Wilkie Jazz
- *Poetry and Song* ... Alpharetta Community Chorus ... Oct 13
- *Alpharetta Lions Club Membership Event* ... Oct 13
- *Conversation Photography Lecture by GNPA* ... Oct 16
- *The Log Cabin and Its Place in Alpharetta History* ... Oct 17 ... Mansell House
- *Music Match Program / Jinya-Raman Bar* ... Oct 19
- *Russian Tales of Intrigue* ... Alpharetta Symphony Orchestra ... Oct 19
- *Arts Appreciation* ... Arts Alpharetta ... Oct 21 ... Arts Center
- *Fat Boy Chronicles by Mike Buchanan* ... Oct 22 ... Arts Center Black Box
- *Music Match Program / Chiringa* ... Oct 25
- *Fulton Families / Free Family Portraits* ... Oct 26 ... Arts Center
- *Alpharetta Youth Symphony Orchestra / First Concert* ... Oct 27

History Update

- *Stories Station Interviews* ... final round of edits for museum
- *Wreaths Across America Program* ... partnered program
Daughters of American Revolution, Alpharetta & Old Milton Historical Society



Cultural Services Report

Arts Center

- Modern Colors Opening Reception ... 130 artworks (3 sold), 156 attendees, Milton High School Orchestra performance, guests played baby grand
- Opening Call for Artists ... Arts Alpharetta Holiday Market & Art Show ... Dec 6-8
- Sharing Alpharetta Elementary parking lot for events
- Cultural Services / Art Programming Grant ... application due Oct 30

Special Needs

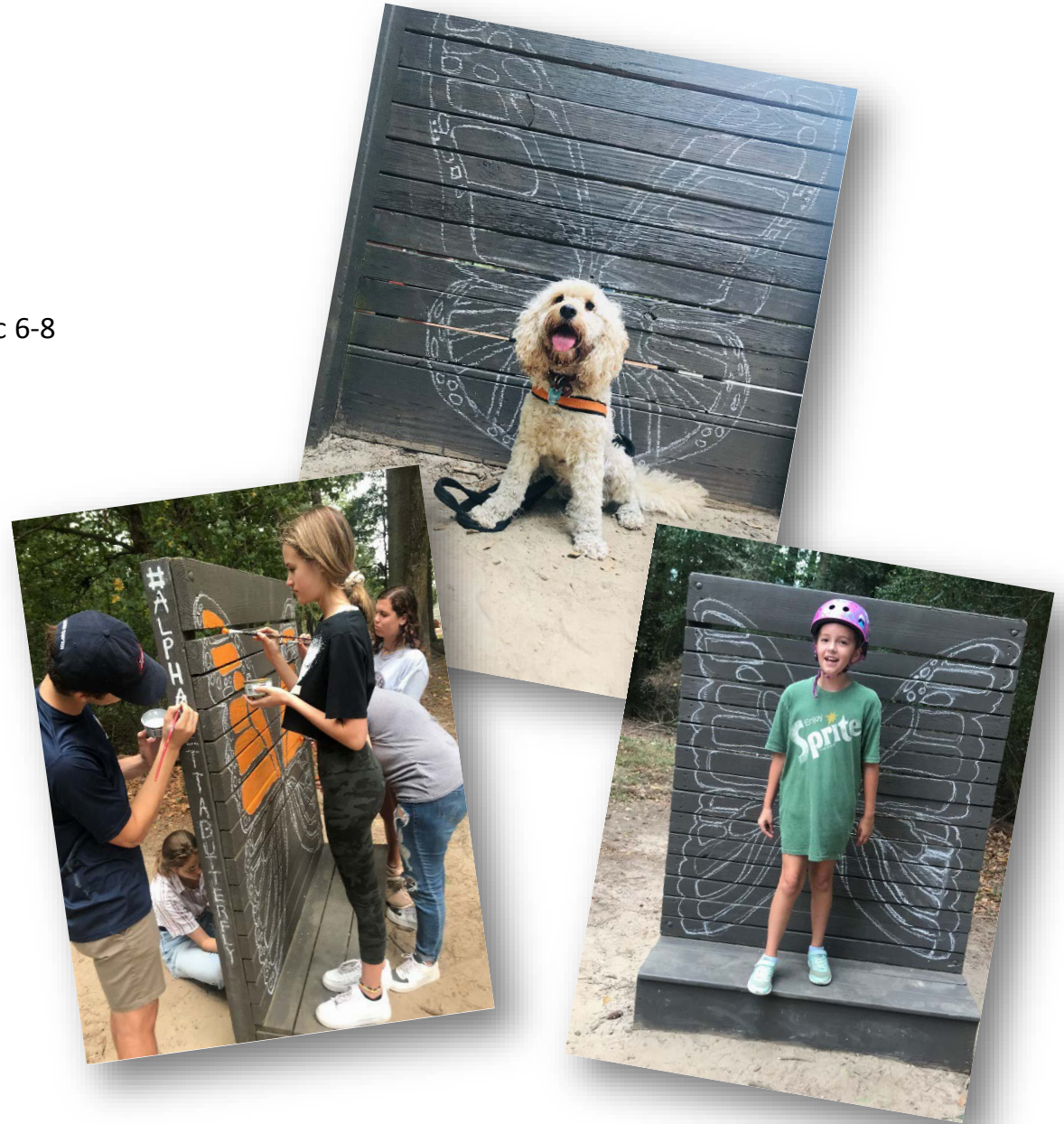
- Adaptive Rhythmic Arts / TRAP ... twice monthly program, \$50/month
- Special Needs Grant ... received 13 applications for review

Music / AMPS (*Alpharetta Music Project Strategy*)

- Music Match Program update
- YMCA Stage Equipment ... Removed/stored trusses, lights, flooring, panels; consultant to make a plan for City stages

Public Art – Sculptures

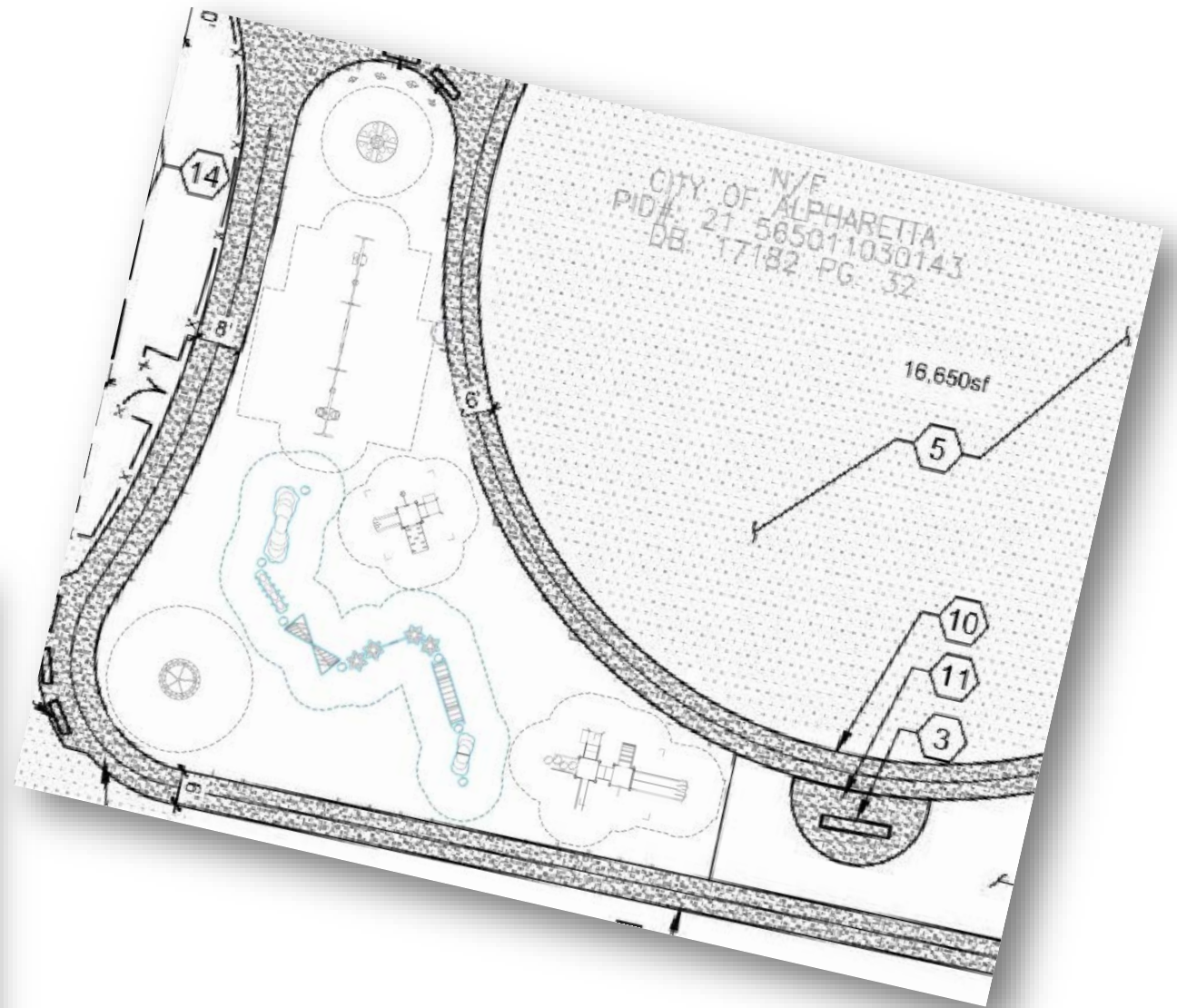
- Mural in Wills Park ... *#AlpharettaButterfly* ... completion by Oct 11
Alpharetta High School Apprentice Program
- *Omnium Gatherum Exhibit* ... installs to occur Oct-Nov
- Alpharetta Business Association ... 25th Anniversary Sculpture



Project Management Report

Park Development

- Windward Park redevelopment
 - Permitting phase complete; construction starts soon
 - Site work, trail construction awarded to Steele & Assoc.
 - Playground awarded to Great Southern Recreation Co.
 - All amenities ordered ... picnic structures, picnic tables, benches, park swings, trash cans



Project Management Report

Park Development

- Mid-Broadwell Park:
 - Design/plan proposal requested from Pond Co.
 - Staff developing 'pop-up' park on property with mulch trail, parking, picnic tables



Project Management Report

Sign Replacement

- Sign Replacement Phase 1
 - First sign installation this week; includes Rock Mill Park, North Point Park Greenway Access
- Sign Replacement Phase 2
 - Trail route and wayfinding in Wills Park; design being finalized

Community Service Projects

- Annual Rivers Alive
 - Trash pickup along the Greenway; held Sept 28
 - Park beautification at Rock Mill Park

