

**Minutes**  
**PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION**  
**Thursday, September 27, 2012**

A regular meeting of the Parks and Recreation Commission was called to order at 6:02 p.m. by Pamela Melville, Chairperson, in the Sierra Room at the Reedley Community Center, 100 N. East Avenue, Reedley, CA 93654.

1. ROLL CALL AND INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS
  - A. Commissioners Present: Pamela Melville, Chairperson; Tom Brandt, Vice Chairperson; Kelly deJarnette; Stephen Penner (arrived at 6:10 p.m.); Traci Tucker.
  - B. Commissioners Absent: None.
  - C. Youth Representatives: Present – Rica Coria, Alejandra Ramos.
  - D. Staff Present: Joel Glick, Community Services Director; Sarah Reid, Community Services Superintendent; Denise Phariss, Administrative Assistant; Sylvia Plata, City Clerk.
  - E. Others Present: None.
  
2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES  
It was moved by Commissioner Brandt, seconded by Commissioner deJarnette, that the minutes of July 26, 2012 be approved. The motion carried.
  
3. PUBLIC DISCUSSION – None.
  
4. ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS – None.
  
5. NEW BUSINESS
  - A. **Coach of the Year Selection** - Sarah is recommending Thomas Rodriguez to receive the first “Coach of the Year”. He has coached for us for 9 years, usually 2 teams at a time. He is a dependable coach, good with kids and teaching technical skills. Commissioner Melville suggested having a perpetual plaque as well as an individual plaque for the recipient. The perpetual plaque could be posted in a park for all to see. Motion by Commissioner Tucker, seconded by Commissioner Brandt to award Thomas Rodriguez the Coach of the Year award. Motion carried. Sarah explained this will go to City Council the second meeting in October. The design of the perpetual trophy will come back to the Commission for their direction.
  - B. **Boat Launch Grant** -
  
6. YOUTH REPRESENTATIVES REPORTS
  - A. Jared Hirata
  - B. Baylee Mayfield
  
7. STAFF REPORTS

9. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

10. ADJOURNMENT

As there was no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at

Respectfully submitted,

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Denise Phariss, Administrative Assistant

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Pamela Melville, Chairperson

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Joel Glick, Community Services Director