



# Claremont Parks & Recreation

## Tour Notes

Date: July 5, 2012

5:30 PM - Site tour of parks  
Start @ Goodwin Community Center

Attendees:

Jeff Coburn, Wayne McElreavy, Jodi Tenney, John Napsey, Scott Hausler

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Tour began and no call to order.

- Park Tours -
  - Moody Park 7/12
  - **Broad Street Park 7/5**
  - **Veterans Park 7/5**
  - Arrowhead Recreation Area 7/12
  - **LaCasse Park 7/5**
  - Barnes Park 6/28
  - Factory Street Park 7/12
  - **Monadnock Park 7/5**
  - Visitor Center Green 6/28
  - Sarah B.H. Smith Riverside Park 6/28

Broad St Park, Veterans Park, LaCasse Park & Monadnock Park were toured.

Prior to the tour, Scott Hausler gave a descriptive discussion of the recent RFP results from the fitness equipment for the new facility. Scott wanted to show the board the layouts and what type of equipment would be in the building. While at Broad Street park tour members discussed the disappointment with the lease being taken off the agenda. Some discussion took place about how to put it back on. The group toured parts of Broad St Park where the Military Band from Manchester was performing. Some discussion took place on the improvements needed for the park. Bandstand, tree replacement and sidewalk repairs or replacement. Scott mentioned that he is working on a plan for the park and items are in the CIP. Veterans park was our next stop. Scott Hausler explained the history behind the batting cage at Veterans and the need to replace some fencing near the horseshoe pits. There are several trees that will need to be taken down and we discussed the dog park. We also toured the outdoor pool facility and part of the trails. Then we stopped at the LaCasse Park and discussed the PAK 40 and the recent donation for the restoration of the tank. The group then toured Monadnock Park and walked the circumference of the facility. The tour included fields, courts and interior of the buildings.

*The tour concluded around 8:00 p.m. The next tour will be July 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. and will meet at the GCC.* Respectfully Submitted,  
Scott Hausler, Director of Parks & Recreation