

Urbana Recreation Council

Monthly Meeting Minutes

October 9, 2025

In attendance: Clint Touart, URC acting president; Nick Georgilas, URC acting vice president; Elizabeth Petrolle, URC secretary; Julie Ahdoot, URC treasurer; Nicole Dietrichson, URC lacrosse co-commissioner; Kumi Kobayashi, URC/UHS Boosters liaison; Julia Wu, URC cheer commissioner/web administrator; Jay Cross, URC football commissioner

absent: Vitto Cresta, basketball commissioner

guests: Aisha Hartford

Motion to begin: 8:08pm (Clint/Elizabeth)

Reports of officers, boards, and standing committees-

- a. Acting President
 - i. Bylaw revisions
 - 1. We need to review and make any necessary changes, then send to Keith for review
 - ii. Revisions of URC Constitution, Complaint escalation policy and review of items to standardize - ongoing
 - 1. Constitution - need to update, then send to Keith to review
 - 2. Ideas discussed to update term limits for program commissioners to be 2 years with a third year in the past commissioner role, unlimited terms - commissioners nominations will take place in March (winter) and voted on in April; December (fall) and voted on in January; July (spring) and voted on in August
 - iii. Incident reports - reports from commissioners of any injuries in September? Nothing reported
 - 1. Link to FCPR reporting form can be found on the URC website
- b. Acting vice president
 - i. Accessibility policy - sent to Keith to review
- c. Secretary-
 - i. Traffic concerns
 - ii. Emails requesting families be removed from communication - Juli took care of these
 - iii. Trunk or treat opportunities at Sugarloaf ES and Goddard School, any program that wants to participate can get in touch with Elizabeth to request the information
- d. Treasurer / Treasurer's Report-

- i. Balanced the credit card, good until tomorrow - Basketball has to purchase uniforms and basketballs
 - ii. BSN sent a check for a refund, but will still not give us a refund for the credit - softball will use it for rec coaches shirts
 - iii. The attorney has been paid
 - iv. Commissioners need to make sure that anyone who is working with, interacting with or talking to children needs to be background checked.
 - v. Julie is changing the email addresses in the bank account and Julie will notify each commissioner individually
- e. At-Large - no present
- f. Parks and Rec - not present
- g. Youth liaison for Boosters -
 - i. Boosters have done a lot of improvements, the new AD is very engaged and working with Boosters to engage the community. Still pushing to get the community to join
- h. Website Administrator/Team Snap -
 - i. Send Juan any updates: socialmedia@urbanareccouncil.com and he will post them on our social media accounts
 - ii. If you want anything on the website please send it to: admin@urbanareccouncil.com
- i. Social Media - not present
- j. Accessibility -
 - i. There is a form on the website that needs to be utilized for all requests - please DO NOT email Jess to request something
- 2. Program commissioners-
 - a. Baseball & Softball-
 - i. The season is coming to an end, still working to get the door working on the batting cage at UCP and setting up the batting cage at UDP
 - b. Basketball-
 - i. Mid-Maryland tryouts begin Monday
 - ii. Rec basketball registration is open and capacity has been reached
 - c. Cheer –
 - i. Season is going well, not enough interest for the last middle school girls game
 - 1. Considering ways to generate interest in participating in the GFF games
 - ii. This Sunday cheer will attend tackle football, so girls flag will not have representation

- iii. Will complete the raffle form so that we can have raffles
 - iv. Donation received for the cheer 8th grade recognition buckets
 - v. Banquet is coming up November 21st
- d. Field Hockey- no fall season
- e. Football -
 - i. Two more regular season games, playoffs start 10/25 - unsure if we will get a home game
 - ii. Currently doing a silent auction to raise money for the 8th grade buckets - would love everyone to support by purchasing a basket
 - iii. Banquet coming up November 22nd
 - iv. Will begin collecting equipment on 10/19
- f. Lacrosse- registration will open in December
- g. POMS- not present
 - i. Banquet is coming up November 23rd
- h. Wrestling-
 - i. Registration is open, 78 registered
 - ii. Practice times are set for winter, parent meeting 10/22
 - iii. Season starts 11/3, leagues are at max capacity this year
 - iv. Gym and cafeteria reserved through March
 - v. UHS relationship going well, Earl Blake appointed as head coach
 - 1. High school and youth integrated practice on Fridays - UHS should have a girls team this year
 - 2. URC Wrestling is buying the UHS girls and boys new singlets
- i. Boy Scouts -
- j. Special Committee reports-
- 3. Special orders (Important business previously designated for consideration at this meeting)-
- 4. New business-
 - a. Talked with Aisha about what the nominating committee entails

5. Unfinished business and general orders

- a. URC logos - Manda is currently working on updating these

Motion to Adjourn: 10:04pm (Clint/Nick)