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MEMO

Date: May 21, 2020

To: Randy Chamberlain - Moundsville Daily Echo (via e-mail)
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COVID-19 File
Memo File

From: City Manager Richard Healy

RE: Parks, Shelters, and Playground Re-Opening

The City of Moundsville plans to begin the re-opening of their Parks System on Monday, June 1, 2020, at 8:00 AM. Because the safety of residents who use the facility are the utmost concern, rules and restrictions which were developed in conjunction with the Marshall County Health Department and the other Marshall County municipalities will be in place.

PLAYGROUND RULES

- All playgrounds are open with the following rules in effect. These rules are not optional and must be adhered to for continued operation of the playgrounds.
- A maximum of 25 people is permitted on this playground at any time (smaller playgrounds will have smaller limits).
- Please be courteous of others, limit your time on the playground when others are waiting.
- Please bring your own hand sanitizer with you while on the playground. Utilize your hand sanitizer before and after using each piece of equipment. Avoid touching your face.
- Follow social distancing rules of 6 feet.



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• This playground is being sanitized a minimum of 1 time per day (Moundsville will be sanitizing the playgrounds more often.) Playgrounds may be closed for a short time during this process.

BASKETBALL COURTS

- No contact sports have been released for play as of yet, so all basketball courts will remain closed until further notice.
- No other contact sports are permitted, such as soccer, football, etc.

SHELTER RULES

- All shelters will be open with the following rules in effect. These rules are not optional and must be adhered to for continued operation of the facilities.
- It is the responsibility of the renter to guarantee no more than 25 people will be at this shelter at any time. This is the maximum number permitted at this time.
- Renters are required to bring their own hand sanitizer for use while at the shelter.
- Follow social distancing rules of 6 ft. or more.
- The shelter, kitchen area, and restrooms will be sanitized prior to each rental by the Parks & Recreation Staff.

FOUR SEASONS POOL

• No dates to re-open pools, nor any guidance been released by the Governor's Office.

YOUTH SPORTS

- Youth baseball and softball is scheduled to begin on June 8, 2020.
- Final guidance from the State has not been received, and scheduling is currently being developed and will be released as soon as we have them.
- Fields are closed until June 8, other than Parks staff preparing them for the season.

ADULT SOFTBALL

• No decision has been made on Adult Softball Leagues at this time. Director John White is still working through the rules and scheduling for the youth leagues. Once those are firm, we will make a decision on adult leagues.