

**MONTHLY REPORT FOR
ABE MONTOYA RECREATION CENTER
FEBRUARY 2011**

1. **YABL Season** - The Youth basketball season is coming to a close. Regular season games for 1st/2nd coed, and 3rd/4th boys and girls ended Monday and Tuesday night. Beginning tonight, Wednesday Feb 16th, the single elimination tournament will begin. 5TH/6TH grade divisions will begin their tournament next week.
 - a. **Children participated in a 10 game season and a single elimination tournament.** (except 1st/2nd grade coed division)
Gate proceeds – The Family Pass has been a huge success with this program and it will extend to include the tournament. The daily entry fees for Monday, our busiest night of the week have an estimated collection of \$250.00 to \$306.00. Sundays and Tuesdays estimate \$136.00 to \$250.00.
Participation is 308, with 35 teams, which is a significant increase from 2009/10 season, an increase of 10 teams and approximately 80 new players. We opened the 1st/2nd grade up to kindergarten, which contributed to the increase in enrollment.
2. **New Recreation Coordinator** – **Misty Ward Williams** has been our Water Aerobics instructor while attending NMHU. Recently, Misty graduated from New Mexico Highlands University with a BA and MA degree in Human Sports and Performance- Sports Administration (NMHU-2009,) and has been employed with the Abe Montoya Recreation Center for the last few years as a part-time lifeguard, water safety instructor, and water aerobics instructor. Misty has also been an instructor for the Senior Olympics Enhance Fitness program for one (1) year, which is conducted in the recreation center gym.
Special Events – The following are a list of SPRING activities being planned for the recreation department:
 - a. CO-ED VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE – flyers and registrations are out – play begins March 2011
 - b. RACQUETBALL TOURNAMENT – APRIL/MAY 2011
 - c. RACQUETBALL YOUTH AND ADULT INSTRUCTIONAL CLASSES – APRIL/MAY 2011
 - d. CHILD CARE HOURS IN THE EVENINGS AT REC – FOR FITNESS AND PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS
 - e. YOUTH BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT – MARCH/APRIL 2011
 - f. COED VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT – APRIL/MAY 2011
 - g. CINCO DE MAYO FAMILY FUN CELEBRATION – MAY 2011
3. **“Tony E. Marquez, Jr. Fitness Challenge”** begins its 4th week of challenge or halfway point to Friday March 18th. Incentives: Membership passes \$15.00; Class passes \$24.00 and Gym or Swim Passes \$10.00. Registration, weigh in and participation in challenge is free. Teamed up with the local Las Vegas Subways. Participants in the challenge receive a 10% discount at local Subways if they show their fitness challenge discount card. City employees also received fitness pass cards to participate in the discount and be recognized as fitness challenge participants.
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS – 307 with 6 divisions in 3 age categories
TOTAL CITY EMPLOYEES PARTICIPATING – 37
TOTAL PARTNERS – 38 TEAMS of male/male, female/female, and male/female
4. **Las Vegas local Senior Olympics program** – current enrollment of 70 seniors. Deadline to register is March 15th. Local games competition to be held in March/April. State Senior Olympics games July 28 – Aug. 1 in Las Cruces NM. I am currently the local coordinator for the Las Vegas Chapter. A senior has to participate in at least 1 event, and as many as 10 events.