



# Planning and Development Update

Presentation to the Board of Park Commissioners  
November 9, 2022



### Rennebohm Tennis Court Reconstruct



Work by Contractor Wolf Paving & Excavating Co, Inc was completed in October on the west set of courts at Rennebohm Park – which were demolished by Parks construction staff in late summer prior to work beginning on the contract. The new courts feature an accessible route of travel from the shelter path system, new fencing and gates and are striped for both tennis and pickleball play, but will remain as “blacktop” through May 2023 to allow the asphalt to cure and adequate mean daytime and overnight temperatures to return prior to adding the “sport court (green)” surfacing. The east set of courts (including the addition of lighting on that side) is planned for construction in 2024.



Rennebohm Tennis Court Reconstruct



More pictures of the new Rennebohm Tennis Courts.



### Haen Family Park Cricket Improvement



#### Haen Family Park Cricket Pitch

Artificial Turf was installed on the existing concrete pad. Coordinated timing with the Madison Womens Cricket League.



### Goodman Pool Concrete Pour



#### Goodman Pool

Goodman hosts the All-City Swim meet in 2023, and the Parks Division is working so the pool is in ship shape. Extra space is required to line up the competitors behind the starting blocks, so we laid concrete down earlier this fall.



### Olbrich Softball Infield Regrade



### Olbrich Softball Fields 1 and 2

The Parks Division removed existing infield materials, re-graded the subgrade to promote drainage and remove irregularities, and new infield material installed.

## 2023 Playgrounds



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The Parks Division has begun the planning process for the 2023 playground replacement program. Parks lined up for new playgrounds in 2023 include:

- Raemisch Homestead Park
- Maple Prairie Park
- Oak Park Heights Park
- Richmond Hill Park

Parks that will have standard playgrounds removed and replaced with nature play or a different play feature include:

- Nautilus Park
- Olbrich Park (the small playground on the lake shore)
- Vilas Park (the small playground west of the shoe playground)

Westmorland Tennis/Pickleball Courts



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Earlier this summer, Parks crack sealed the tennis courts at Westmorland. These courts are very old and have been through several rounds of crack sealing. Knowing that the crack seal would not last for long, Parks is trying a new product at Westmorland. We purchased and installed a court tile system to overlay the pavement. It is our hope that with this new system in place we can squeeze another 10 years of life out of these courts. The tile is dual striped for both tennis and pickball.





Shred to School at Aldo Leopold



Shred to School at Aldo Leopold Park

Rock Solid, the trail contractor, has been working on Shred to School since Labor Day, and the trail is coming along. Be sure to ride the Cannonball Trail from the beltline to Post Road to see the trail. This pic was taken at the school yard entrance where students coming from the north or the south can shred right into the school yard.

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This section of trail is one-way north and loops back around to the Cannonball Trail connection to the bridge. The work should be completed by the end of November. Parks is working with Engineering to spread native seed to restore the trail edges.

