RESOLUTION NO. 2341

BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Salisbury, Maryland that the following individual is reappointed to the City Park Committee for the term ending as indicated:

> Name Chris Okerblom

Term Ending 10/31/2016

The above resolution was introduced, read and passed at the regular meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury held on the 14th day of October 2013.

CITY CLERK

APPROVED BY ME THIS day of October 2013.

James Ireton, Jr.

MAYOR

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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

To:

Tom Stevenson

From:

Sherrell McBride

Subject:

Appointment to the City Park Committee

Date:

October 7, 2013

Mayor Ireton would like to appoint the following person to the City Park Committee with a term ending as follows:

Candidate

Term Ending 10/31/2016

Chris Okerblom

Attached you will find Mr. Okerblom's resume and the Resolution necessary for his appointment. Please forward this information to the City Council so it may be placed on the agenda for the next City Council meeting. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Attachments

Chris Okerblom

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Objective

To fill a position on the city parks committee that allows me to better serve the community where I was born and raised and currently reside.

Education

Springfield College, Springfield, MA

May 2008

Bachelor of Science: Movement and Sport Studies License: Physical Education, Pre K-8, 5-12

Initial Physical Education K-12 licenses acquired in MA and MD

GPA: 3.67

Honors/Awards

Coaching Awards: 2A East Region Champions, Multiple individual State Champions, Daily Times Athlete of the Year 2009-Present

Dean's list: Fall 2004, Spring 2005, Fall 2005, Spring 2006, Fall 2006, Spring 2007, Fall 2007, Spring 2008

NEWMAC Academic All Conference Track and Field 2005, 2006, 2007, & 2008

Maryland State Champion Pole Vault 2004

McJilton Classic Bodybuilding Novice Champion 2010

Teaching Experience

North Salisbury Elementary, Salisbury, MD

Fall 2010 - Present

Physical Education Teacher

- > Develop and implement lessons in skill themes, movement concepts, fitness, nutrition & health that promote a health enhancing level of physical activity as well as allow for individual differences
- > Assess students on their cognitive and psychomotor capabilities utilizing a variety of assessment methods in order to guide future instruction
- Work collaboratively in all phases of the teaching experience utilizing a team teaching model.

Parkside High School, Salisbury, MD

Winter 2009 – Spring2010

Long Term Substitute Teaching

- > Develop and implement lessons in team sports that cater to a variety of skill levels and develop enthusiasm for physical fitness and healthy living.
- > Assess student performance in a variety of capacities including peer performance assessments, tests and quizzes, fitness report cards, and daily participation credit.
- > Coordinate with coworkers to ensure seamless, developmentally appropriate transitions through all levels of Physical Education at Parkside by organizing collective efforts during department meetings.

Substitute Teaching, Wicomico County, MD

Fall 2008 –spring 2010

Bennett Middle School, Salisbury, MD

Winter 2008-2009 & Fall 2009

Long Term Substitute Teaching

East Longmeadow High School, East Longmeadow, MA

Spring 2008

Practicum

Leeds Elementary School, Leeds, MA

Spring 2008

Practicum

Michael E. Smith Middle School, South Hadley, MA

Summer 2007

Pre-practicum

Alfred M. Glickman, Springfield, MA

Spring 2007

Adapted Physical Education

Developed and implemented a variety of lessons adapted to the needs of elementary students with autism, muscular dystrophy, and learning disabilities

Sumner Avenue Elementary School, Springfield, MA

Fall 2006

Student teaching

Birchland Park Middle School, East Longmeadow, MA

Fall 2006

Student teaching

William DeBerry Elementary School, Springfield, MA

Spring 2006

Student teaching

Pathfinder Regional Vocational Technical High School, Palmer, MA

Spring 2006

Student teaching

Professional Development

- > Scholars in action presentation- researched, developed, and implemented a study determining the effects of sport specific training on athletic performance
- > Karpovich Lecture & Physics of movement sport studies conference
- > General education faculty and department meetings for Wicomico County Public Schools Northampton Public School District and East Longmeadow Public School District.

Related Experience

2A East Region & Bayside Meet Director

Fall 2012-Present

➤ Plan and direct all indoor track and field meets for the eastern shore of MD including Regional and Bayside Championships, Bayside League meets, and invitationals.

District VIII Representative on the MD State Track and Field Committee

Fall 2012- Present

Meet tri-yearly to discuss and resolve all matters related to public secondary track and field in the state of Maryland.

Wicomico County Physical Education Curriculum and PLC Committee Spring 2012- Present

> Develop and maintain a working curriculum to serve teachers students K-8 in Wicomico County that is aligned with state and national standards.

Parkside High School Head Track and Field Coach, Salisbury, MD

Fall 2008 – Present

> Facilitate the development and maintenance of a successful Track and Field program by teaching proper training techniques and helping each athlete achieve personal goals

Volunteer assistant coaching, Ludlow High School, Ludlow, MA

Spring 2008

> Coordinated drills and practices for the women's pole vaulters

Biking Expedition Leader, Biking X, Ashville, NC

Summer 2007 - 2009

> Planned and managed 120 mile week long bike trips for 12-15 high school freshmen

Water Safety Instructor, Salisbury University, Salisbury, MD

Summer 2005

> Coordinated water safety and swimming courses for all ages and ability levels

Activities/Volunteer Experience

Trinity United Methodist Church Homeless Shelter Outreach

Mentor
Ocean City Half Marathon
Mcjilton Classic Bodybuilding Competition
Humanics in Action Day
Springfield College Track and Field

Winter 2012- Present
2008 – Present
Spring 2010
Spring 2010
Fall 2005 - 2007

Additional Certifications

-Athletic injury prevention and AED -Red Cross CPR and First Aid for the professional rescuer

-Red cross lifeguard certification -Red Cross Water Safety Instructor Certification