

**CITY OF GARDINER DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION
BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF GREATER GARDINER
Director's Report
May 2, 2005**

1. City Council Presentation

We are scheduled for a workshop with City Council on **Thursday, May 5th**.

We will be reviewing organizational milestones, the relationship between the BGCGG nonprofit and the city department, Pray Street timeline. Attached is the packet of information sent to City Council.

2. Leadership Breakfast

The kickoff our Annual Appeal will be **7:00 AM May 24th** with a Leadership Breakfast. Before that date we need 100% board participation.

Please mark your calendar and plan to attend this event!

3. Maine State Youth of the Year

On April 6th Mae Burke represented the Boys & Girls Club of Greater Gardiner as our Youth of the Year. She was chosen as the State of Maine Youth of the Year. She will move on the northeast competition in NYC July 12-14. We are very proud to have Mae represent the Club. She is an outstanding and mature young lady. Please see attached press release.

4. United Way Applications

We have been awarded \$26,000 for subsidized child care and summer scholarships. \$10,332.08 will be provided from specific designations and the remaining \$15,667.92 will be provided from the United Way's Community Fund.

5. Fitness Room

The fitness room is now open 6:00 am – 2:00 pm for adults. Youth participants will be starting as soon as we have liability coverage for them. We are in hopes that we will have enough interest by fall to stay open nights and weekends.

6. City of Gardiner Budget Workshop

The recreation budget workshop is scheduled for **June 14th 7:00 PM** at City Hall.

7. BGCGG Area Council Retreat

The BGCA Northern New England Area Council Retreat will be **Tuesday, June 8th 9:30 am – 5:30 pm** at the Wolfeboro Inn Wolfeboro, NH. Workshops and dinner on the Winnepesaukee Belle! This is a great day! If you would like to attend let me know as soon as possible.

8. Spring Yard Sale

Save YOUR JUNK! The yard sale is scheduled for **Saturday, June 11th**. We will be accepting your stuff Friday. If you need help getting things here give us a call at the office. All proceeds from this sale will go toward buying a new 6 seat stroller for the infant and toddlers.

9. Upcoming Meetings and Events

- a. City Council Meeting – May 5th 7:00 PM
- b. Leadership Breakfast – May 24th 7:00 AM – 8:30 AM