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Executive Summary

The Community Development Department is continuously growing and evolving, always learning from experiences and feedback. Efforts are focused on refining our approach and enhancing the spaces and services we provide. With each step, we aim to create a more supportive, inclusive environment that reflects the needs and aspirations of the community, fostering greater connection and growth.

Projects and Tasks

- Program/Event Development
 - Kinsmen Park planning
 - Explore Program planning
 - Beautification planning
 - Swimming Pool program planning
 - Canada Day planning
 - SUMA Golf tournament planning
 - Continuing with leisure activities throughout spring/summer

• Social Media & Marketing

- FB Page rebranding
- Did you Know Series going well
- Going to be creating a "Welcome to the Irrigation Capital of SK" video (Dylan, Megan & Whitt)
- Summer Newsletters & Brochures (will be shared with Regional Park booth as well)

Recreation

- Curling Ice Plant turned off March 31st, 2025 ice removed by April 1st; pad cleaned by April 3rd.
- Skating Ice Plant turned off April 5th, 2025 ice removed by April 7th; pad cleaned by April 11th.
- Kitchen closed April 2nd cleaned and shut down April 3rd. Will have to do one smaller clean after last rec hockey tournament.
- Swimming Pool Cleaning + Prep started April 14th, 2025.
- All hiring completed by April 7th, 2025.
- Pool Staff: 1 manager, 7 instructors, 3 lifeguards, 2 juniors, 1 cashier = 14 staff
- Kinsmen Park: 1 supervisor, 4 program leaders = 5 staff
- Explore Program: 1 supervisor, 1 program leader = 2 staff

Ice Time Comparison Sheet is a Separate doc but included with this report