

Run of Show [Friday, 5/31/2024 from 12-3pm]

(Tentative: as of 5/3/2024)

- Arrival at North Park Recreation Center- **12:00pm** [60 minutes prior to the event (Tennis Council Board and/or Advisory Members & Event Speakers)]
- Potential Media Interviews and Photo Opportunities -**12:30pm-1pm**
- Plaque Dedication Ceremony (**30-40 minutes**): **1pm-1:30/1:40pm**
 - **Master of Ceremony:**
 - Jack McGrory (former San Diego City Manager)
 - Introduce Event, Color Guard and Speakers
 - Thank SDP&R/Andy Field for funding NPRC & Colina Del Sol tennis court resurfacing projects
 - **Color Guard Presentation (Navy or Marine Corp) – 2-3 minutes** [Planned]
 - **Historical Information Introduction:**
 - Speaker to provide historical context of the North Park Rec Center and tennis in the 1930's & 1940's – **2-3 minutes**
 - **Speakers:**
 - Andy Field (to speak about the partnership between City of San Diego Parks & Recreation Department & Greater San Diego City Tennis Council) – **3-4 minutes**
 - Logan Braydis to present a Ceremonial Proclamation from Councilmember Stephen Whitburn's Office – **1-2 minutes**
 - Cindy Brinker Simmons (to speak about her mother Maureen Connolly's legacy) – **5-7 minutes**
 - Andee Press-Dawson (to speak about her father Ben Press' legacy) – **3-4 minutes**
 - Steve Avoyer (to speak about Ben Press' legacy & their relationship) – **3-4 minutes**
 - Bill Folsom and/or David Folsom (to speak about their father Wilbur Folsom's legacy) – **5-7 minutes**
- Tour of Facility & Socialization with Food & Beverage Service (**45-60 minutes**) in recreation room at North Park Rec Center: **1:40-3pm**

We plan to include Andy Field, Director of City of San Diego Parks & Recreation Department and Logan Braydis from Stephen Whitburn's office to help jointly celebrate the grand reopening of this historic tennis facility.