

Abbeville Parks and Recreation Department

Executive Director of Parks and Recreation: Jason D. O'Brien

Mission Statement

In partnership with our citizens, Abbeville Parks and Recreation Department strives in providing our community with safe, clean, and accessible parks and facilities; along with diverse recreational and leisure opportunities that will enhance the overall quality of life for current residents, visitors, and future generations.

Vision Statement

The Abbeville Parks and Recreation Department pledges to:

- Provide and develop our community with organized recreational programs that will foster human development such as; teamwork, dedication, quality, and integrity.
- Strive in maintaining the city's parks and facilities that will show evidence of community pride.
- Enhance the social, physical, and mental well-being for our citizens and surrounding communities of all ages, diversities, and interests.

Operational Goals

- Maintain a fair and reasonable fee schedule to reflect current local market conditions.
- Increase program participation and retention through quality and diversification.
- Be responsive to community needs. Plan ahead.
- Be customer-focused.
- Be compassionate, respectful and cooperative. Follow through completely.
- Manage public funds responsibly to ensure public trust.
- Be professional, honest and trustworthy in managing parks and recreation facilities, services and programs.
- Recruit and retain quality parks and recreation professionals and staff.