



The Oak Leaf

Activity Guide



Summer 2024

June 1-Aug. 31

REGISTRATION

Resident: May 6

Non-Resident: May 13

Annual Report

SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMS

Day Camp

Dance Camp

Athletic Camps

Equestrian Camps

Feel the Splash of Summer

Ottawa Street Pool

Early-Bird Season

Pool Passes Available

Until May 24

POOL OPENS MAY 25

SUMMER FITNESS

DEAL OF THE SUMMER:

90 Days of Fitness for \$90

JULY IS

PARK & RECREATION MONTH

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OUR MISSION



The Plainfield Park District seeks to enhance lives through equitable and accessible exceptional recreation opportunities for all.

OUR VISION

We aspire to be innovative, diverse, and inclusive in administration, recreation and preservation.

OUR VALUES

Our Values center on Community, Fiscal Responsibility, Stewardship of Natural Resources, Health & Wellness, and Diversity, Equitability, and Inclusiveness.

-  PlainfieldParkDistrict
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Our Facilities

Prairie Activity & Recreation Center (PARC)

24550 W. Renwick Road | (815) 436-8812

Recreation / Administration Center (RAC)

23729 W. Ottawa Street | (815) 436-8813

Streams Recreation Center (STR)

24319 Cedar Creek Lane | (815) 436-8829

Normantown Equestrian Center (NTEC)

12151 S. Normantown Road | (815) 254-1950

Plainfield Township Community Center (PTCC)

15014 S. Des Plaines Street | (815) 436-2029

Ottawa Street Pool (OSP)

23820 W. Ottawa Street | (815) 436-3314

Open May 25-August 14

PARK & FACILITY AMENITIES

View every Plainfield Park District park and facility on our online interactive map. Scan the code below to view at pldparks.org.



OPEN CAMERA



SCAN CODE



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PARKS & FACILITIES



National Gold Medal Finalist for excellence in the field of park and recreation management.



Plainfield Park District has been awarded CAPRA accreditation by the National Recreation and Park Association (NRPA).



Plainfield Park District has been recognized as an Illinois Distinguished Accredited Agency by the Illinois Association of Park Districts (IAPD) and the Illinois Park and Recreation Association (IPRA).



Welcome to Summer 2024

As I write this, we've just concluded another successful round of Egg-citing Activities with our Doggie Egg Hunt, Flashlight Egg Hunt, Bunny Breakfast, Adult Egg Hunts and regular kids egg hunts. We also have some new events this spring/summer with the Mom-Son Superhero Night, World of Food Trucks event and World Day of Play.

The fun doesn't stop as we transition into warmer weather and even more activities to keep everyone busy this summer.

Ottawa Street Pool (OSP) opens May 25. Purchase your season pass before then and save! Passholders receive early admittance and enjoy Passholder Appreciation Day. OSP also offers swim lessons for all ages. OSP is also home to our Annual Tiki Bash, one of our featured DEI events that features Polynesian entertainment.

Summer is a great time to enroll in one of our many camp offerings. In addition to day camp, we offer preschool camp, athletic camps, equestrian camps, dance camps and more.

In addition to Ottawa Street Pool and camps, we also have an abundance of new and returning special events to keep you engaged this summer including:

- Movies in the Park
- Party at PARC
- Food Truck Festival & Fireworks
- Unplug Illinois Day
- Traveling StoryWalks
- Cruises to Village Green
- Ice Cream Social

I encourage you to visit us at the Annual Party at PARC, where in addition to inflatables, games, and activities, the indoor track and Prairie Fit Fitness Center are also open for free that day. Finally, Prairie Fit offers Silver and Fit, Silver Sneakers and Renew Active, all of which are exercise and healthy-aging programs designed specifically for active adults accessible through various insurance plans.

Summer is also a busy time in our parks, and the District has several capital projects lined up. In addition to finishing the work at Van Horn Woods this year, we'll also be renovating the following:

- Caton Ridge, Meadow Ridge Drive & Park Ridge Drive, Joliet
- Caton Ridge West, Great Ridge Drive, Joliet
- Cambridge Run, Frontier Lane, Joliet
- Heritage Oaks, Heritage Oaks Drive, Plainfield
- Wheatland Park, W. 127th Street, Plainfield

Please stay connected to our social media (Facebook, Twitter and Instagram), subscribe to our e-newsletter, and check out our website regularly (plfdparks.org) to stay in the know. I sincerely hope you had a happy and healthy summer. I encourage you to get outside and enjoy all the Plainfield Park District has to offer this summer. See you in our parks!

All the Best,

Bill Thoman

President, Plainfield Park Board of Commissioners

Board of Commissioners

The Plainfield Park District is governed by a seven-member board of commissioners.

Commissioners are elected for six-year terms, and the terms are staggered.

Elections are conducted in the spring of odd numbered years. Current board members (including their term expiration dates) are listed below.

The regular monthly meetings of the Plainfield Park District are held on the second Wednesday of the month.

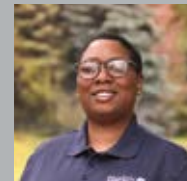
All meetings are held at the Prairie Activity & Recreation Center (PARC), 24550 W. Renwick Road, Plainfield, IL 60544 unless otherwise noted in accordance with the Open Meetings Act. All meetings begin at 6 p.m. and are open to the public.



Bill Thoman
President
2025



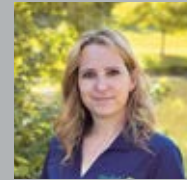
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2025



Colette Safford
Commissioner
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Heath Wright
Commissioner
2027



Debra Narducci
Commissioner
2029



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Commissioner
2029



Tracee Steele
Commissioner
2029



WELCOMING EVERYONE

The Plainfield Park District commits itself to diversity, equity, and inclusion because these values make us a thriving community for all people. Creating a mutually respectful, multicultural and equitable environment does not happen on its own; it must be intentional. We believe in equity and we will work to break down systems of oppression, including racism, sexism, homophobia, xenophobia, and other forms of bias and hate. We reject racial and social barriers that limit and divide us, and we reject bias towards any group of people. Plainfield Park District is an organization that welcomes, respects, and encourages the contributions of all people regardless of race, color, ethnicity, national origin, relation, age, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, marital and/or family status, language, mental and/or physical ability, military status, economic class, immigration status, foster status, body size, criminal history, or any other characteristics that are often used to divide people. We strive to make these values reflected in our everyday practices and priorities, including fair treatment and equal access for fun, adventure, learning, and growth through recreational programs and parks.

WE Events for 2024

MAY 18

World of Food Trucks
PARC | 11am-3pm

SEP 10

Community Day of Play
Rotary Park | 4-6pm

MAY 28

World Day of Play
Caton Ridge West | 4-6pm

SEP 21

Autumn Family Fun Fest
Eaton Preserve | 11am-3pm

JUN 8

Party at PARC
PARC | 11am-2pm

NOV 30

Grinchmas
Village Green | 4pm

JUN 22

Tiki Bash
Ottawa Street Pool | 3-5pm



DETAILS



Scout's Calendar



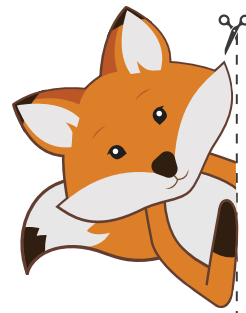
Scout's been busy planning. There's a lot happening this season and we don't want you to miss it. Here's a quick glance of what's coming up. For an easy reference, cut this page out and keep it handy on your bulletin board or fridge.

- Registration Required
- FREE WE Event
- Ottawa Street Pool

Registration

Resident
May 6

Non-Resident
May 13



MAY

- World of Food Trucks (FREE)** (See inside back cover for our ad)
May 18 | PARC | 11am-3pm
- Traveling StoryWalk (FREE)**
May 22 | Greywall Club | 6-8pm
- Ottawa Street Pool Opens**
May 25 | OSP
- Splash Pad Opens**
May 25 | Village Green
- World Day of Play (FREE)**
May 28 | Caton Ridge West | 4-6pm

JUNE

- Jammin' in June (FREE)** (Family-Friendly Performances)
Featuring Miss Jamie's Farm
June 4 | Village Green | 10:30-11:15am
- Evening Swim**
June 5 | OSP | 7-9pm
- Party @ PARC (FREE)**
June 8 | PARC | 11am-2pm
- Jammin' in June (FREE)** (Family-Friendly Performances)
Featuring Istvan & His Imaginary Band
June 11 | Village Green | 10:30-11:15am
- Movies in the Park (FREE)**
June 14 | Settlers' Park | 8:30pm
- \$1 Night Swim**
June 14 | OSP | 7-9pm
- Father's Day Swim** (See pg. 10)
June 16 | OSP | 7-9pm
- Jammin' in June (FREE)** (Family-Friendly Performances) Featuring Nanny Nikki
June 18 | Village Green | 10:30-11:15am
- Traveling StoryWalk (FREE)**
June 19 | Village Green | 6-8pm
- Rootbeer Float Night** (See pg. 10)
June 19 | OSP | 7-9pm

JUNE

- Movies in the Park (FREE)**
June 21 | Settlers' Park | 8:30pm
- TIKI Bash (FREE)**
June 22 | OSP | 3-5pm
- Jammin' in June (FREE)** (Family-Friendly Performances)
Featuring Todd Downing: Tall Tales & Silly Songs
June 25 | Village Green | 10:30-11:15am
- Cruise to Village Green (FREE)**
June 25 | Village Green | 5-7pm

JULY

- Plainfield River Tubing Fundraiser** for the Friends of the Plainfield Park District Foundation
July 5 | 10am-2:30pm (Details on pg. 20)
- National Freeze Pop Day Giveaway**
July 8 | OSP | 12-2pm
- \$1 Night Swim**
July 10 | OSP | 7-9pm
- Movies in the Park (FREE)**
July 12 | Settlers' Park | 8:30pm
- Unplug Illinois Day (FREE)**
July 13 | Bott Park | 10am-12pm
- National Ice Cream Month Giveaway**
July 16 | OSP | 1-3pm
- Glow Night**
July 17 | OSP | 7-9:30pm
- Traveling StoryWalk (FREE)**
July 17 | Bott Park | 6-8pm
- Christmas in July**
July 25 | OSP | 1-3pm
- Evening Swim**
July 29 | OSP | 7-9pm
- Cruise to Village Green (FREE)**
July 30 | Village Green | 5-7pm

AUGUST

- Ice Cream Social**
August 3 | Village Green | 4-6pm
- Traveling StoryWalk (FREE)**
August 7 | Tamarack | 6-8pm
- Cruise to Village Green (FREE)**
August 27 | Village Green | 5-7pm

SEPTEMBER

- Traveling StoryWalk (FREE)**
September 18 | Caton Ridge | 6-8pm
- More events coming in September.
See our Fall/Holiday guide coming this July.

SCOUT'S WEEKLY GUIDE

Stay informed on programs and events.
Sign up for our newsletter at pfdparks.org

PARK LOCATIONS

- Caton Ridge**
2201 Park Ridge Drive, Plainfield, IL 60586
- Caton Ridge West**
Corner of Great Ridge Drive and Vail Ridge Drive
Plainfield, IL 60586
- Gregory B. Bott Park**
24550 West Renwick Road, Plainfield, IL 60544
- Greywall Club**
2153 Wildspring Parkway, Joliet, IL 60431
- Settlers' Park**
24121 West Chicago Street, Plainfield, IL 60544
- Tamarack Settlement Park**
West 127th Street, Plainfield, IL
- Village Green Park**
24121 West Chicago Street, Plainfield, IL 60544

FACILITY LOCATIONS

- PARC** Prairie Activity & Recreation Center
24550 West Renwick Road, Plainfield, IL 60544
- PTCC** Plainfield Township Community Center
15014 South Des Plaines Street, Plainfield, IL 60544
- OSP** Ottawa Street Pool
23820 West Ottawa Street, Plainfield, IL 60544



Life's a picnic. Rent a shelter.

Enjoy the weather and take your celebration outside.

Outdoor shelter rental season runs from mid-April through mid-October. Reservations are accepted now at plfdparks.org

Athletic Fields Rentals

Rent one of the Park District's 53 athletic fields. Permits are issued for the use of athletic fields to groups and the community for recreational activities from April through November. Scan the QR code or visit plfdparks.org for more details.

Room Rentals

Host your next celebration, family reunion, or community meeting. We have rooms available that accommodate up to 100 guests with access to chairs and tables to meet your hosting needs. Other amenities are available at different locations. To request room availability, call (815) 436-8812.

Pool Rentals

Host a splash bash this summer at the Ottawa Street Pool. Rent a party space during regular hours of operation or rent the usage of the entire facility after hours for a private rental. Scan the QR code or visit plfdparks.org for details.





Fitness, your way!

For residents looking to exercise in a workout facility that's close to home, the Plainfield Park District offers the Prairie Activity & Recreation Center (PARC). PARC is home to an elevated indoor walking track, gymnasium and Prairie Fit, a fitness center with all of the amenities, equipment and staff ready to help members reach their fitness goals.

Cardio

Prairie Fit offers a full range of cardio machines such as treadmills, ellipticals, recumbent bikes and upright bikes.

Machines/Weights

Weight benches, weight racks and free weights complement a wide variety of leg, shoulder, chest and other strength training machines.

Gymnasium

Our full-sized wood court gymnasium hosts open gym times throughout the week for pickleball, basketball, and volleyball.

Functional Fitness

Upstairs features a functional fitness turf workout area that includes kettlebells, medicine balls, ropes, pull-up bars and water rowers.

Indoor Track

Keep up with your cardio with our elevated track for walkers and runners. Ten laps equal one mile.

Personal Training

Prairie Fit offers personal training for those looking to take their exercise regimen to a different level. Personal training is one-on-one instruction that incorporates exercise screening, goal-setting and health education.

FITNESS MEMBERSHIPS

Fitness membership includes fitness areas, elevated track, open gymnasium and locker room access.

Individual ANNUAL FITNESS MEMBERSHIP (ages 18-59) \$25* month Paid-in-Full: \$275 <small>NO ANNUAL COMMITMENT: \$35 monthly</small>	Individual ANNUAL FITNESS MEMBERSHIP (ages 60+) \$20* month Paid-in-Full: \$220 <small>NO ANNUAL COMMITMENT: \$35 monthly</small>
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Individual ANNUAL FITNESS MEMBERSHIP (ages 12-17) \$20* month Paid-in-Full: \$220 <small>NO ANNUAL COMMITMENT: \$35 monthly</small>	Household ANNUAL FITNESS MEMBERSHIP First Member \$25* month Each Additional Member \$20* month
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* Annual Membership with Electronic Fulfillment Transfer (EFT) payment setup

WALKING TRACK MEMBERSHIP

Membership includes access to elevated track and locker room.

Track ONLY ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP	\$65 Paid-in-Full
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OPEN GYM MEMBERSHIP

Membership includes access to gymnasium and locker room.

Open Gym ONLY ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP	\$95 Paid-in-Full
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Offered at Prairie Fit. Visit the Prairie Activity & Recreation Center for details.



90 for 90

90 Days of Fitness for \$90

Purchase a 90-day membership to Prairie Fit for \$90. Pass is for 90 days from the day of purchase. Membership will give you access to the fitness center, track, and gymnasium. Offer available May 1 through June 15.

Visit Prairie Fit at the Prairie Activity & Recreation Center

JUNE 8

DURING THE PARTY AT PARC EVENT

FREE ACCESS to Prairie Fit and walking track

11am-2pm



FREE Fitness Week

September 7th - 13th

Join us for our **FREE** trial fitness class week.

Register for a class and participate to decide which class is right for you. Final class list to be available in August. Please visit plfdparks.org for details. Due to limited space, free registration is required at plfdparks.org. Register early as classes tend to fill up quickly.

DAILY OPEN WALKING TRACK

Residents can walk our elevated track at Prairie Activity & Recreation Center for free Monday through Friday, 1:00 to 3:00pm

Fitness Classes

Strength & Cardio for Active Adults

Ages 40+

Sessions: June-August

This class includes cardio, strength, balance and toning. This class is designed for people who are looking for a safe, total body workout that can be modified to provide a great workout for all fitness levels.

Yoga

Ages 14+

Sessions: June-August

Yoga enhances flexibility, strengthens muscles, and offers a new outlook on life. This class is designed to ease participants into a discipline that will help refresh their bodies and minds. Participants should bring a yoga mat and water bottle.

Kickboxing

Ages 14+

Sessions: June-August

Cardio Kickboxing is a martial art inspired group fitness format that is both heart-pumping and exhilarating. Punches and kicks are adapted from disciplines such as karate, Muay Thai, and traditional boxing.

20/20/20

Ages 14+

Sessions: June-August

Improve your endurance with 20 minutes of cardio, increase muscle strength with 20 minutes of weight training and work your core for balance and to tone your entire body with 20 minutes of stretching. This class is for all fitness levels.



Summer Preschool Programs

Itty Bitties

Youth Ages 2-3

Sessions 1x a week: May-June / July-August

Children focus on becoming accustomed to being away from parents and learn to follow simple directions, make new friends, and share.

Little Explorers

Ages 2-3

Sessions 1x a week: May-June / July-August

Children are introduced to the classroom setting with longer class time, focus on taking turns, circle time, and so much more.

Big Discoveries

Ages 2-3

Sessions 2x a week: June / July

This class emphasizes developing social skills, and transition from home to school, and other skills to prepare children for their first day of preschool class.

Kindergarten Readiness

Ages 4-5

Sessions: June / July-August

Next Level Preparation. Help your little one prepare for kindergarten. Participants review and work on social skills, motor skills, counting, letter sounds, math activities, and other various skills that children need to know before entering school. This class will not only help prepare your child for the classroom environment, it's also a great time for them to have fun and make new friends.

Great Adventures

Preschool Program

Ages 3-5

Preschool registration for the 24/25 school year is now open! For information about the program or to download the registration packet, scan the QR code or visit plfdparks.org



DETAILS

Early Childhood

Let's Get Messy

Ages 1.5-3 | Sessions: June / July-August

Tot Rock

Ages 1-2 | Sessions: June / July

Young @ Art

Ages 2-3 | Sessions: June / July

Story Time = Craft Time

Ages 2-3 | Sessions: June / July

Kid Rock

Ages 2-3 | Sessions: June / July

Youth Enrichment

Summer Sing and Shine NEW

Ages 8-11 | Sessions: June / July-August



Preschool SUMMER CAMP

Preschool Program | Ages 3-5

Enjoy fun themes throughout the summer with lots of opportunities to explore, create and PLAY! Each week, your child takes part in arts & crafts, being creative with hands-on manipulatives and outdoor play with friends. Pick your favorite theme and join in on the FUN! Try one week or many. Children MUST be toilet trained to be a part of this camp.



REGISTER





Summer Day Camp



Plainfield Park District camps are recreational in nature and revolve around providing opportunities to learn new skills, make new friends, and build confidence. We hire counselors who help us achieve these goals and are called upon to be a mentor, educator and friend. Our goal is for your child to have a fun, safe and enjoyable summer at our camp.



Youth Day Camp & Middle School Day Camp

Kindergarten through 8th Grade | 1-Week Sessions: June-August

Our camp offers kids not only the chance to meet new friends, but also to meet recreational and social needs. Campers can look forward to water games, crafts and sports. Both in-house and off-site field trips and one swim day are incorporated into the week. Day camp sessions are five days, M-F and are offered from June through early August. Register for one week or multiple weeks.

Before & After Day Camp

Kindergarten through 8th Grade | 1-Week Sessions: June-August

For those who need before or after camp care, Plainfield Park District offers supervised low-key activities in the mornings and afternoons for working parents and their children. Enrollment is separate from camp hours.

BE A CAMP COUNSLER

Seasonal jobs are available. Scan the QR code or visit plfdparks.org to apply.



Day Camp Location:*

Prairie Activity & Recreation Center (PARC)

24550 West Renwick Road,
Plainfield @ Bott Park Pavilion

Day Camp Times:

Day Camp: 8:30 am-3:30 pm
Before Camp Care: 7:30-8:30 am
After Camp Care: 3:30-5:30 pm

***Thursdays** are swimming days at Ottawa Street Pool! All campers need to be dropped off at Boy Scout Park located at 23729 W. Ottawa St. Plainfield, IL 60544.



MORE SUMMER CAMPS

The Park District offers a wide variety of camps this summer. Take one week or multiple weeks. This also gives the community a chance to sample our programs.



Preschool Camp	(Ages 3-5)	Pg 8
Athletic Camps	(Ages 6-14)	Pg 15
Dance Camps	(Ages 4-18)	Pg 16
Equestrian Camp	(Ages 5-18)	Pg 18





POOL INFO



**OPENING DAY
MAY 25**

Pool Closings

For closures and class cancellations, check Statusfy by scanning the QR code or visiting plfdparks.org.



Statusfy

2024 Season Pool Passes

Seasonal pool pass privileges include admittance 15 minutes before the general public, early admittance the second Sunday of each month, and Passholder Appreciation Day. It's a fun and affordable way to enjoy your summer. The more times you visit, the more you save.

Early Bird Pool Passes

Patrons must register in person for early bird pool passes at the Prairie Activity & Recreation Center, located at 24550 West Renwick Road, Plainfield.

Early Bird Passes: Available through May 24

EARLY-BIRD RATE



Early Bird Pass Rates

(Rate available 2/23 - 5/24)

Individual R \$45/NR \$55
Seniors (60+) R \$35/NR \$45

Regular Pass Rates

Individual R \$60/NR \$65
Seniors (60+) R \$45/NR \$55

Daily Pool Admission

R \$6 / NR \$10

Everyone passing through the admissions area is required to either pay the daily admission fee or present their season pass. Cash or credit card payment is accepted; no personal checks.

Village Green Splash Pad

Opening May 25, 2024

24121 W. Chicago Street
Plainfield, IL 60544

Daily Hours: 10:30a.m. - 5:00p.m.

Pool Rentals

Please see page 5 for more details on pool rentals, or visit plfdparks.org.

Swim Hours

Pool Season

Opening Day: May 25, 2024
Closing Day: August 14, 2024
May 28-31 12-5pm
August 12-14 11am-5pm

Afternoon Swim

M, W, Th, F 12-4:45pm
*T 1-4:45pm

Weekend Swim

Sa & Su 11am-6pm

Holiday Pool Hours

Memorial Day 11am - 6pm
4th of July 10am - 5pm

* Pool in-service training

POOL Events

MAY 29

Passholder Evening Swim
Passholders ONLY. Swim from 6-8 p.m.

MAY 30

Passholder Evening Swim
Passholders ONLY. Swim from 6-8 p.m.

JUN 5

Evening Swim
\$4/person - swim 7-9 p.m.

JUN 9

Passholder Early Admittance
Passholders ONLY. Enter at 10 a.m.

JUN 14

\$1 Night Swim
Swim from 7-9 p.m.

JUN 16

Father's Day
Free admission for Dad or Granddad with one paid admission.

JUN 19

Rootbeer Float Day
7:00-9:00p.m. Bring your rafts. Rootbeer floats; while supplies last.

JUN 22

TIKI Bash
Enjoy a Polynesian-themed event. **FREE** admission from 3-5 p.m.

JUL 8

National Freeze Pop Day Giveaway
Enjoy a free treat by the pool 12-2 p.m. While supplies last.

JUL 10

\$1 Night Swim
Swim from 7-9 p.m.

JUL 14

Passholder Early Admittance & Appreciation Day

JUL 16

National Ice Cream Month Giveaway
Enjoy a free treat by the pool 1-3 p.m. While supplies last.

JUL 17

Glow Night
Join us for a glowing night of fun.

JUL 25

National Teen Night Out DARE Pool Party
FREE for 6th-9th graders. Swim 6-8 p.m.

JUL 25

Christmas in July
Celebrate the spirit of Christmas in the midst of summer from 1-3 p.m.

JUL 29

Evening Swim
\$4/person - swim 7-9 p.m.

AUG 11

Passholder Early Admittance
Passholders ONLY. Enter at 10 a.m.



For what level should I sign up my child?

Starting with your child's age, follow the path answering the questions to find the class right for your child.

AGES 1-3

PARENT CHILD

The goal of this class is to provide the parent with bonding time with their child in a fun, enjoyable atmosphere. Skills covered in this course include exploring buoyancy on the front and back, and introduction to submerging the mouth, nose, and eyes.

AGES 3-5

PRESCHOOL LEVELS

Can your child go underwater by themselves?

NO YES

Preschool Level 1
(Ages 3-5)

Can your child do a front float and back float on their own?

NO YES

Preschool Level 2
(Ages 3-5)

Preschool Level 3
(Ages 3-5)

AGES 6-15

YOUTH LEVELS

Can your child do a front float on their own?

NO YES

Level 1
(Ages 6-15)

Can your child swim 15 yards on front and back using combined arm and leg action?

NO YES

Level 2
(Ages 6-15)

Can your child swim the length of pool using front crawl & elementary backstroke?

NO YES

Level 3
(Ages 6-15)

Can your child swim full length of pool down and back using front crawl, back crawl & breaststroke without stopping?

NO YES

Level 4
(Ages 8-15)

Private Lessons
(All Ages)

AGES 11-16

TEEN BEGINNER

Classes are designed for teens ages 11-16 wanting to learn basic swim skills and progress into learning swim strokes.

AGES 16+

ADULT GROUP LESSONS

It's never too late to learn how to swim and become more comfortable in the water! Classes are designed for adult swimmers wanting to learn basic swim skills and progress into learning swim strokes.

ALL AGES

PRIVATE LESSONS

Private lessons are individualized to each participant at a 1:1 student to instructor ratio.





PARTY at PARC

JUNE 8 | 11am-2pm

FREE EVENT

Inflatables

Giant Games

Food Trucks

Entertainment

Touch-a-Truck

FREE admission to Fitness Center & Elevated Track



GAMES



ENTERTAINMENT



INFLATABLES



Thank You to our Sponsors



Summer Events



MAY 18 World of Food Trucks

PARC | 11am-3pm | All Ages

Experience all the culture and cuisine food trucks have to offer at this new event. Admission to the event is free. Food may be purchased from individual trucks.

MAY 28 World Day of Play (FREE)

Caton Ridge West | 4-6pm | All Ages

Join us for the chance to play the most popular sports from all over the world!

JUN 8 Party at PARC (FREE)

PARC | 11-2pm | All Ages

Celebrate our 5th anniversary of the Prairie Activity & Recreation Center (PARC). Tour the building, and enjoy many activities at this free event!

JUN 14 Movies in the Park (FREE)

Settlers' Park | All Ages

The Plainfield Park District and the Village of Plainfield will be hosting three movies this summer downtown at Settlers' Park.

JUN 21

JUL 12 TIKI Bash (FREE)

Ottawa Street Pool | 3-5pm | All Ages

Grab your swim gear and join us at the Ottawa Street Pool for a FREE afternoon of Polynesian Fun!

JUN 22 Ice Cream Social

Village Green | 4-6pm | All Ages

Enjoy ice cream, activities, games/prizes & after-hour access to the splash pad.

AUG 3 Unplug Illinois (FREE)

Bott Park | 10am-12pm | All Ages

Unplug from electronic technology and connect with nature at the free event.

Cruise to Village Green

Once a month during Cruise Nights, stop by the pavilion at Village Green for special activities, crafts and giveaways. There is no need to register. Just show up for some family friendly fun.

JUN 25 Cruise to Village Green
5-7pm | All Ages | FREE

JUL 30 Cruise to Village Green
5-7pm | All Ages | FREE

AUG 27 Cruise to Village Green
5-7pm | All Ages | FREE



TIKI BASH

Ottawa Street Pool JUNE 22

Come and swim at the Ottawa Street Pool from 3-5 p.m. for our Polynesian celebration. This is a **FREE WE EVENT!**

Thank You to our Sponsor



Jammin' in JUNE

Family-Friendly Performances

JUN 4 Miss Jamie's Farm

JUN 11 Istvan & His Imaginary Band

JUN 18 Nanny Nikki

JUN 25 Todd Downing: Tall Tales & Silly Songs



WHEN: Every Tuesday in June
WHERE: Village Green Park
Located in the heart of downtown Plainfield
TIME: 10:30-11:15 a.m.
All performances are FREE!

Summer Traveling StoryWalk®

The Plainfield Park District has once again teamed up with the Plainfield Area Public Library and the Plainfield Police Department for their famous SCOOPS night.

New this summer, the Park District is adding two StoryWalk® events with the Joliet Public Library. Please join us in the parks on the dates listed for some summer family fun!



ALL DATES:
6-8pm | All Ages | FREE

MAY 22 Greywall Park **NEW**
Joliet Public Library

JUN 19 Village Green
Plainfield Area Public Library
Plainfield Police Department

JUL 17 Gregory B. Bott Park
Plainfield Area Public Library
Plainfield Police Department

AUG 7 Tamarack Settlement
Plainfield Area Public Library
Plainfield Police Department

SEP 18 Caton Ridge **NEW**
Joliet Public Library



JULY IS
PARK & RECREATION MONTH
Details at plfdparks.org

SCOUT'S SUMMER FUN HUNT

A PARK ADVENTURE

Download the app, visit parks & win prizes!
Details at plfdparks.org





Youth Athletics

Youth Athletic Leagues

Program Levels

★ ROOKIES | Ages 3-4
 6 WEEKS This is a skills class where general skills for the sport are taught, with mini game play included for development.

★ JR. ALL STAR | Ages 5-6
 6 WEEKS The first 4 weeks, skills are taught. Last 2 weeks include skill review and game play.

★ ALL STAR | Ages 7-8
 6 WEEKS The first 4 weeks, skills are taught. Last 2 weeks, participants are divided into teams for competitive game play.

★ MVP | Ages 9+
 6 WEEKS The first 4 weeks, skills are taught. Last 2 weeks, participants are divided into teams for competitive game play.

BASKETBALL ★★

Sessions: June-July / July-August
 Learn the basic game of basketball. Dribbling, passing, shooting and defense are taught.

SOCCER ★★

Sessions: June-July / July-August
 An introduction to the game of soccer and the basic rules. Skills focused on are dribbling, passing, and shooting.

T-BALL ★★

Sessions: June-July / July-August
 An introduction to the game of baseball. Skills focus on hitting, catching and working as a team.

PARENT-TOT

Ages 2-4 | Sessions: June / July / August
 Develop hand-eye coordination and simple motor skills such as catching, throwing, batting, shooting, and passing.

SUPER SPORTS

Ages 4-6 | Sessions: June / July / August
 Learn the rules of basketball, soccer, T-ball, and more. Skills covered are hand-eye coordination, balance, and motor skills.

MARTIAL ARTS

Ages 4+ | Sessions: June - August
 Develop flexibility, strength, safety skills and coordination in fun and disciplined activities taught by Shotokan Karate Club.

Youth Tennis Classes Ages 4-13

Sessions: June / July
 Programs provide a structured and fun framework for learning with different ability classes, beginning with Red Ball and advancing to our Junior Development groups.

Summer Instructional T-Ball League ★★

Ages 3-4 / 5-6 | Games: July-August
Registration Deadline: June 1

Fall Instructional T-Ball League ★★

Ages 3-4 / 5-6 | Games: August - October
Registration Deadline: August 1

Fall Flag Football League

Grades: K-1st / 2nd-3rd / 4th-5th / 6th-8th
Games: August - October
Registration Deadline: August 1

Adult Athletics

Adult Sand Volleyball League

Ages 18+ | Session Dates: June-July

Men's Fall Softball League

Ages 18+ | Session Dates: August-October

Coed Fall Softball League

Ages 18+ | Session Dates: August-October

Fall Pickleball League

Ages 18+ | Session Dates: August-October

Volunteer Coaching

IMPACT THE LIVES OF CHILDREN
 and teach sport fundamentals and the value of sportsmanship, team work, integrity and respect for authority.

NEW TO COACHING?

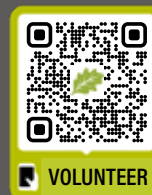
Don't worry. We will provide you with all the resources necessary to teach the sport, share life lessons, and coach your team.

Summer Basketball League

Summer & Fall Instructional T-Ball League

Fall Flag Football League

INTERESTED IN COACHING?
Contact us at keene@plfdparks.org





SUMMER Basketball League

June - August

Volunteer coaches introduce participants to the fundamentals of playing basketball through practices and weekend games. The league emphasizes proper techniques, knowledge of the rules, team strategy, participation and fun. Enrollment in the summer is limited, so register early. The level to enroll in is the grade GOING INTO FALL 2024.

Registration Deadline: May 24 or until full.

1-4th Grade:

Each participant is provided a jersey. Practices take place one night during the week (Monday-Thursday) at the Prairie Activity & Recreation Center (PARC). Games are played Saturday at PARC. The team formation process takes place closer to the start of the program. Due to the number of athletes in the program, teammate, coach, practice location or practice night requests cannot be honored. Practices start in June with two weeks of practices before 6 game season begins the weekend of June 22nd.

5-8th Grade:

Each participant is provided a jersey. Practices take place the first two Saturdays at the Prairie Activity & Recreation Center (PARC). Games are played Saturday at PARC starting the third week. The team formation process takes place closer to the start of the program. Due to the number of athletes in the program, teammate, coach, practice location or practice night requests cannot be honored. The six game season begins the weekend of June 29th.



Practices start June 10 & 15 | Games start June 22 & 29 | NO practice or games July 1 through 7

***CoEd** NEW
 Grades 5th-6th
 Grades 7th-8th

BOYS
 Grades 1st-2nd
 Grades 3rd-4th

GIRLS
 Grades 1st-2nd
 Grades 3rd-4th

*5th-8th grade practices and games are on Saturdays only.



Athletic SUMMER CAMPS

Basketball Summer Camp

Ages 6-7 | 8-9 | 10-14
 Sessions: June 10-14 | June 17-21
 July 8-12 | July 15-19 | July 29-August 2

Volleyball Summer Camp

Ages 8-14
 Sessions: June 24-27 | July 22-25

Lacrosse Summer Camp

Ages 4-14 | Session: June 24-27

5 Star Soccer Camp NEW

Ages 5-13 | Session: June 24-27
 The 5 Star Soccer Camps deliver a curriculum that presents the most current and advanced information on the development of the youth soccer player. Our program is designed for success, that presents a positive, enjoyable environment for learning from energetic coaches in youth soccer.

Flag Football Summer Camp

Ages 6-7 | 8-9 | 10-14
 Sessions: June 24-27 | July 22-25

Join us for an action-packed week of fun and skill-building. This camp offers the perfect opportunity to learn and improve playing techniques in a supportive and energetic environment.

Game On! PE Adventure Camp NEW

Ages 7-9 | Session: June 3-6
 This exciting camp is designed to ignite the love for physical education and games. Over the course of four days, participants will embark on a journey filled with fun, fitness, and friendly competition, all while learning essential skills and teamwork.

Rookie Ballers Basketball Camp NEW

Ages 3-4 | 5-6 | Session: August 5-8

This exciting and engaging camp program is designed to offer a fun and supportive environment where young athletes can develop fundamental basketball skills, foster teamwork, and cultivate a love for the game.

Swingin' Stars T-Ball Camp NEW

Ages 3-4 | 5-6 | Sessions: June 6-10

Our camp is designed to introduce young athletes to the joy of playing baseball with engaging activities, and skill-building drills.

Tiny Tots Soccer Camp NEW

Ages 3-4 | 5-6 | Sessions: June 3-6

This dynamic camp is specially crafted to introduce budding athletes to the joy of soccer in a safe, supportive, and fun environment.



REGISTER



FRONTLINE Competition Team

FrontLine Competitive Dance/Pom Team competes in the Illinois Park District Drill Conference Team Division. This is a great opportunity for your child to become a part of a team that will build self-esteem, encourage confidence while providing members with a unique opportunity to study, explore and perform dance, and pom at a higher level of expectation. Competitions are held from January to April in the Illinois Park District Drill Conference.

Competition Teams participate in recital and IPDDC Competitions. Price for the 24-25 season, an 8-month commitment, is \$525 and includes costume and competition fees.

The 24-25 season runs from September 2024 through May 2025. Members are required to be enrolled for the entire season. Payments are due at the time of enrollment.

Tryouts are required to participate on the FrontLine Competition Team. See tryout details below.

FRONTLINE Dance/Pom Competition Tryouts

Ages 9-18 | Competition Tryouts: August 27 & 29

Registration is required to participate in the tryouts. There will be a nonrefundable \$8 tryout fee. Performers may be moved up or down based on age and skill of the performer. Tryouts will consist of evaluating motions, and dance. The instructors will determine, based on skills, which style and age level the child will compete with. If your child refuses to tryout, competition may not be suited for that child. There are no makeups for tryouts. You will be contacted via email within 1 week about individual results. Tryouts will be held at the Streams Recreation Center.

Dance Classes

Ballet

Ages 3-11 | Sessions: June / July

Tumbling

Ages 3-5 | Sessions: June / July

Tap

Ages 4-6 | Sessions: June / July

Jazz

Ages 4-9 | Sessions: June / July

Hip Hop

Ages 4-13 | Sessions: June / July

Poms

Ages 4-13 | Sessions: June / July

Mommy & Me Tumbling

Ages 2-3 | Sessions: June / July

Mommy & Me Ballet

Ages 2-3 | Sessions: June / July

Trial Dance Classes

Ages 4-10 | Session: August

This 30-minute trial class will determine which dance styles appeals to students before committing to a 12 week session.



Dance SUMMER CAMP

Dance Camps NEW

Ages 4-6 | Sessions: July/August

Does your son or daughter dance around the house pretending they are a prince or princess or a hip hop sensation, or maybe even a wizard or sorceress? Maybe they just like to hang out with their friends for a slumber party or sleepover. Whatever it is, they are sure to have fun making new friends while making a craft each day and learning a dance routine to perform the last day.

Royalty Prince/Princess
Session: July 8-11

Slumber Party
Session: July 22-25

Do you Believe in Magic
Session: July 15-18

Royalty Prince/Princess
Session: July 29-August 1

Ballet Dance Camp

Ages 4-8 | Session: July 8-11

Hip Hop Dance Camp

Ages 4-9 | Session: July 15-18

Poms Dance Camp

Ages 4-9 | Session: July 22-25

Tap Dance Camp

Ages 4-6 | Session: July 8-11

Jr. Cheerleading Camp

Ages 7-9 | Session: August 5-8

Mini Cheer Camp

Ages 4-6 | Session: August 5-8





Kuipers Farm Trip

Special Events

Bunco Parties

June 20 / July 18 / August 15

Enjoy four games of Bunco, lunch and prizes! Registration deadline is one week prior.

Bingo & Pizza

June 13 / August 22

Play ten games of bingo and enjoy pizza & drinks. Prizes included.

Breakfast Bingo

July 11

Enjoy a hot breakfast and bingo.

Summer Celebration

July 17

Watch for details in the July Newsletter.

Jigsaw Puzzle Contest

July 31

Teams will be randomly drawn for this timed event. Snacks, drinks and prizes included.

Senior Health and Wellness Fair

August 28 | 10a-1p

C. W. Avery Family YMCA

Trips

Movie Madness at Hollywood Palms

July & August

Million Dollar Quartet at Metropolis Performing Arts Centre

July 25

Shipshewana Trip

Date TBD

Lake Geneva Mailboat Trip

June 19

Active Adult Fitness

Active adult fitness classes take place at the Plainfield Township Community Center located at 15014 S. Des Plaines Street in Plainfield.

Strong & Sturdy

Ages 50+ | Session: June-August

Improve balance and strengthen core, legs and back.

Fit & Fun

Ages 50+ | Session: June-August

Focus on stability, balance, strength flexibility, and cardio.

Line Dancing

Ages 40+ | Session: June-July

Chair Yoga

Ages 50+ | Session: June-August

Increase flexibility and strengthen muscles using a chair for support.

Beginner Mat Yoga

Ages 50+ | Session: June-August

Increase flexibility and strengthen muscles with beginner moves.

Drop-in Programs

Mat Making

1st Monday of the Month (1-3pm)

Game Day Galore

Tuesdays (1-3pm)

Bridge & Games

Wednesdays (10am-noon)

Mahjong

Fridays (10am-1pm)

Reflexology & Massage

Reflexology: 2nd & 4th Tuesdays of the Month

Massage: Every Wednesday

It's \$30 for 30 minutes. Payments are taken at the time of service. To schedule an appointment, call 815-436-2029.

NEWSLETTER SIGNUP

For the most current information geared toward active adults, join our email or mailing list. Visit the Plainfield Township Community Center or call 815-436-2029.





Normantown Equestrian Center

The Plainfield Park District offers a variety of equestrian lessons and activities at the Normantown Equestrian Center, a 6-acre facility on Normantown Road, just south of 119th Street.

The center features a large 78x180-foot indoor riding arena with a heated observation area, a small indoor riding arena, two large outdoor riding arenas, and five paddocks. The stable has 48 11x12-foot stalls and includes a renovated indoor wash rack, as well as a club room/classroom.



Horse Boarding

Normantown Equestrian Center offers boarding for horse owners. We have options ranging from self to full care. Scan the QR code below for our boarding ad. For more details please contact the barn at (815) 254-1950 or ntec@plfdparks.org or visit plfdparks.org.



Riding Lessons

Beginner Group Lessons

Ages 8-18 | Sessions: Thursday evenings; June 6-27; July 11-August 1; August 8-29

Beginner 2 Group Lessons

Ages 8-18 | Sessions: Wednesday evenings; June 5-26; July 10-31; August 7-28

Pee Wee Group

Ages 5-7 | Sessions: Tuesday afternoon or evenings; June 4-25; July 9-30; August 6-27

Camp Volunteers

We need volunteers for our summer camps at the barn. Two years of horse handling experience is required. Scan the code for details or visit us at plfdparks.org.



Equestrian SUMMER CAMP

Beginner 1 Horse Lover Camp

*Ages 8-18
Sessions: June 10-14 / July 8-12 / August 5-9
This camp is for age-appropriate students with little or no experience around horses.*

Beginner 2 Horse Lover Camp

*Ages 8-18 | Session: July 29-August 2
This camp is for students that have participated in past summer camps or group lessons.*

Pee Wee Camp Level 1

*Ages 5-7 | Sessions: June 3-7 / June 17-21
This camp is for age-appropriate students with little or no experience around horses.*

Pee Wee Camp Level 2

*Ages 5-7 | Sessions: July 15-19
Has your mini equestrian already taken pee wee classes at NTEC? If so, join us for a Level 2 camp.*





Riding Lesson Class Selection

For what level should I sign up my child?

Choose the section with your child's age to choose which class is the best fit. Progress to the next level as your child ages and gains experience. Classes can be taken more than once.

ALL RIDING PROGRAMS REQUIRE:



*Boots w/
Small Heel
Long Pants
Helmet*

Helmets are available for class use.

AGES 3-5

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Special Event Pony Rides

This a great introduction to riding a horse. Special events that offer pony rides have special horse guides that assist getting on and off the horse and also walking alongside with the pony and rider.



AGES 5-7

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Pee Wee Group Lessons

The first session focuses on ground work such as safety, horse handling, grooming and tacking. The last three lessons are a combination of ground work and riding. Class may be repeated.

Pee Wee Semi-Private & Private Lessons

Private lessons are available for riders ages 5-7. To register for semi-private or private lessons, email ntec@plfdparks.org. If you have questions, please email or call (815) 254-1950.

Pee Wee Summer Camps

Week long programs for Level 1 & Level 2 Pee Wee groups.



AGES 8+

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Beginner Group Lessons

Participants learn how to prepare a horse for riding and begin to learn the gaits of walk and trot. Class also teaches students how to lead, groom and tack a horse. Students are assigned to a horse and choose to ride English or Western.

Beginner 2 Group Lessons

Beginner classes may be repeated until the required skills for Level 2 are mastered. Participants must be proficient at putting on a halter, leading a horse to the cross-ties, grooming a horse, knowing what tack is needed for riding and correctly tacking a horse with some assistance.

Beginner Summer Camps

Week long programs for both beginner groups.



AGES 8+

Private Lessons

Private lessons are available for riders ages 8 and older. To register for private lessons, email ntec@plfdparks.org. If you have questions, please email or call (815) 254-1950.

Find a Horse

Lease or purchase a horse to show. Boarding is available at the Normantown Equestrian Center.

School Shows

Participate in Normantown Equestrian Schooling Shows held at the barn.



AGES 13+

Volunteer

Spend time with the horses and volunteer. Email ntec@plfdparks.org or call (815) 254-1950.





General Information



JULY 5

Float & Fundraise

Float with Plainfield River Tubing and
fundraise for the Friends of the Plainfield
Park District Foundation



Register at plainfieldrivertubing.com

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

The Plainfield Park District relies on the support of businesses and organizations in the community to offset the high cost of programming and special events. It is because of the support of the community that we are able to provide many great free or low-cost events throughout the year. If you are interested in learning more about the sponsorship opportunities available, contact Plainfield Park District at (815) 436-8812.

OAK LEAF CHANGES/ ERRORS DISCLAIMER

Occasionally, there may be an error that appears in print or online regarding days, times, fees or other information. When such errors occur, Plainfield Park District will do everything possible to correct the situation promptly. Thank you for your patience and understanding when these situations arise.

STAFF LISTING

For a full staff listing, visit plfdparks.org.

DO YOU HAVE AN IDEA FOR A CLASS?

Or better yet, do you have an interest or skill you would like to share with others in our community? The Plainfield Park District is always looking for new program ideas and local talent to teach classes. For more information, call the Director of Recreation and Facilities at (815) 436-8812.

Foundation

The Plainfield Park District Board of Commissioners formed the FRIENDS OF THE PLAINFIELD PARK DISTRICT FOUNDATION in 1985 to act solely as a tax-exempt 501c3 fundraising organization. The Foundation is a non-profit organization that assists the Park District in its mission of providing recreation opportunities for all residents. The Foundation currently consists of volunteers from the community who are active in fundraising to support their cause.

The Foundation's mission is to improve the quality of life in the Plainfield area by assisting in the preservation of open space and enhancing recreation facilities and programs in the Plainfield Park District for people of all ages to enjoy. For more information about the Friends of the Plainfield Park District Foundation, call the Plainfield Park District at (815) 436-8812 or email friends@plfdparks.org.

Emily Brooks, President

For more information on the Foundation visit plfdparks.org.



LEAVE A LIVING MEMORY

The Plainfield Park District invites residents to honor family members and fellow residents with the planting of a tree or bench in a public park.

Trees (\$700 donation)

Donors may plant a tree in honor of a loved one. The tree is installed by the Park District.

Park Bench (\$1,500 donation)

Start a legacy by placing a park bench that uses recycled materials in a serene setting with a loved one's name engraved on it. The bench is installed by the Park District.

Questions?

Email: collins@plfdparks.org | Visit plfdparks.org or call (815) 436-8812

SPORTS AFFILIATES

BASEBALL/SOFTBALL (Recreation & Travel)

Plainfield Athletic Club | plainfieldathleticclub.org | (815) 267-1010

SOCCER (Recreation) Plainfield Soccer Association | plainfieldsoccer.org | (815) 439-7227

SOCCER (Travel) PlainfieldUnitedSoccerClub.com | (815) 439-7227

FOOTBALL & CHEER (Recreation & Travel) Plainfield Jr. Cats | jrcats.com

SPECIAL AMENITIES

DOG PARKS

- Clow Stephens | 16650 S. Lily Cache Road
- Van Horn Woods East | 17200 S. Frontage Road
- Daisy Dog Park | Located on 135th Street approximately ½ mile west of Route 30.

TENNIS COURTS/PICKLEBALL

- Village Green Park (Tennis & Pickleball Courts)
24121 W. Chicago St. in Downtown Plainfield
- Ottawa Park (Tennis & Pickleball Courts)
Next to the Ottawa Street Pool, 23820 W. Ottawa St. in Plainfield.

FISHING DOCKS

- Boy Scout Park
Next to the Rec/Admin Center | 23729 W. Ottawa St., Plainfield
- Olde Renwick Trail
At the intersection of Indian Head Ln. & Olde Renwick Trail, Joliet
- Van Horn Woods East
17200 S. Frontage Road, Plainfield

SLED HILLS

- Cumberland Park | 6901 Gallatin Dr., Plainfield
- Norman Greenway | 13214 S. Blakely, Plainfield
(on 135th St. approximately ½ mile west of Route 30.)
- Rec/Admin Center | 23729 W. Ottawa St., Plainfield

For more special park amenities, visit plfdparks.org.



SAFETY • FUN • TEAMWORK • INCLUSION • INTEGRITY

ABOUT US

Northern Will County Special Recreation Association (NWCSRA) represents the partnership between Bolingbrook Park District, Lockport Township Park District, Plainfield Park District, and the Village of Romeoville.

Our mission is to provide meaningful recreation opportunities for individuals with disabilities that enhance their overall quality of life. See our latest program offerings at www.nwcsra.org.

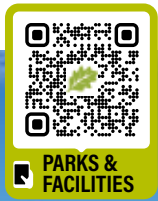
INCLUSION SERVICES

NWCSRA works collaboratively with the park district to provide reasonable accommodations to individuals with a disability who wish to participate in a program through the park district. Individuals should be provided the opportunity to participate in recreation programs of their choice in the least restrictive environment. For additional questions regarding inclusion support, contact Carrie Gascoigne at 815-407-1819 ext. 9776.



Join our mailing list: email msiebert@nwcsra.org • Be sure to also “Like” us on Facebook! 

Northern Will County Special Recreation Association
10 Montrose Drive, Romeoville, IL • 815-407-1819 • www.nwcsra.org



Scan the QR code on this page to search all parks and facilities at plfdparks.org

Wheatland Park

Through an intergovernmental transfer in 2023, the Plainfield Park District acquired Wheatland Community Park, which was previously owned by Wheatland Township. Wheatland Community Park and the Springs at 127th (an adjacent Park District property) combined to become Wheatland Park.

The Park District was awarded an Open Space Lands Acquisition and Development (OSLAD) grant administered by the Illinois Department of Natural Resources in the amount of \$377,500 for the development of Springs at 127th in March of 2023.

Located on 127th Street, approximately 1/2 mile east of Route 59 in Plainfield, the 9-acre park is set for a complete renovation in 2024 that will include:

Existing Park

- ▶ Playground Renovation
- ▶ Access improvements
- ▶ Shelter improvements
- ▶ Site improvements

OSLAD Park Expansion

- ▶ Nature Play Tot Lot
- ▶ Trail Loop
- ▶ Fitness Pods
- ▶ Dog Park
- ▶ Rain Garden



Community Parks



DiscGolf at Avery Preserve
1031-203 Lockport Street
Plainfield, IL 60544



Clow Stephens
16650 South Lily Cache Road
Plainfield, IL 60586



Eaton Preserve
23604 West 135th Street
Plainfield, IL 60586



Four Seasons Park
22500 West Lockport Street
Plainfield, IL 60544



Gregory B. Bott Park
24550 West Renwick Road
Plainfield, IL 60544



Mather Woods
25032 West Renwick Road
Plainfield, IL 60544



Tamarack Settlement Park
West 127th Street
Plainfield, IL 60586



Van Horn East
17200 NE Frontage Road
Plainfield, IL 60586



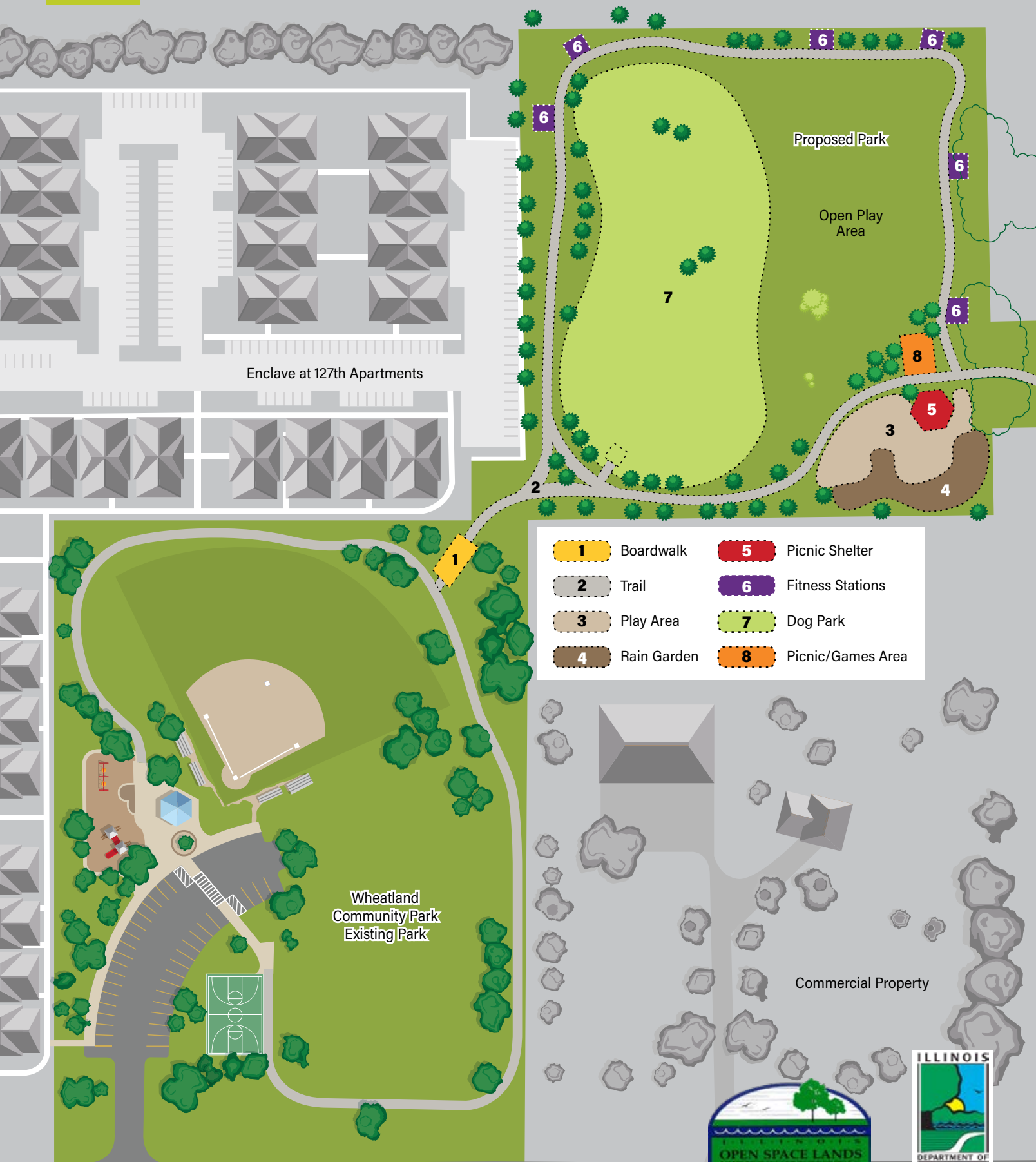
Van Horn West
Lily Cache Road
Plainfield, IL 60586



Village Green
24121 W. Chicago Street
Plainfield, IL 60544



Wheatland Park



Enclave at 127th Apartments

Proposed Park

Open Play Area

Wheatland Community Park Existing Park

Commercial Property

- 1 Boardwalk
- 2 Trail
- 3 Play Area
- 4 Rain Garden
- 5 Picnic Shelter
- 6 Fitness Stations
- 7 Dog Park
- 8 Picnic/Games Area

West 127th Street





Registration & Policies

RESIDENT REGISTRATION

Begins May 6 at 8:30 a.m.
Registrations taken online May 6 receive top priority. All others, including mail-in or drop-off forms received before May 6 will be processed after 8:30 a.m. on May 6 in a random order.

NON-RESIDENT REGISTRATION

Begins May 13 at 8:30a.m.
Registrations taken in-person or online May 13, during regular business hours. See plfdparks.org for facility times.

HOW TO REGISTER

Online
Don't wait in line - register online! Register your household on our website, plfdparks.org starting May 6 at 8:30a.m. for residents and May 13 for non-residents. To register, you need an account. To create an account, visit plfdparks.org and click on "How To Register" in the top menu.

WALK-IN

Walk-in registration is processed at the Prairie Activity & Recreation Center (PARC). See plfdparks.org for times.

BY MAIL

For a printable registration form, go to our "How to Register" page at plfdparks.org. Mail your signed registration form to:

Prairie Activity & Recreation Center (PARC)
Attn: Registration
24550 West Renwick Road,
Plainfield, IL 60544



Mailed registration forms will be processed by random selection. Confirmation will be e-mailed. Per Park District policy, a service charge of \$20 will be incurred by the registrant for checks returned for insufficient funds.

ADA COMPLIANCE

Please contact the ADA Compliance Officer with any questions or concerns regarding access to recreation for Americans with Disabilities.

Bob Collins
ADA Compliance Officer
23729 West Ottawa Street
Plainfield, IL 60544
Phone: (815) 436-8812
Email: collins@plfdparks.org

PARKS LISTING

For a listing of the parks and amenities, visit plfdparks.org to search parks on an interactive map.

ADVERTISING AVAILABLE

Advertising space is available in our seasonal brochures. If you would like more information, contact Plainfield Park District at (815) 436-8812 or visit plfdparks.org.

WAIT LISTS

Wait lists are formed when registration for a program has reached its maximum. Participants are removed from the wait list and enrolled in the program if space becomes available or an additional section is formed. If a new section is formed, it may not be on the same day, at the same time, or in the same location as the original program. For programs with multiple sections available during the same registration session, participants will be placed on a wait list for one section only.

PROGRAM GUARANTEE

If dissatisfied with a class or activity due to circumstances under the Park District's control, a full refund can be granted or the program may be repeated at no charge based on availability. Program guarantee refund requests may be made at the Prairie Activity & Recreation Center in person or by calling (815) 436-8812 within five business days of the last class meeting. The program guarantee does not apply to adult sports leagues, food, beverages, memberships and daily admissions, tickets to entertainment and sporting events, trips or Great Adventures.

REFUND

Refunds are issued by check unless the payment was made with a credit or debit card in which case the refund will be applied to the card used. Refund checks are approved at the Board of Commissioners meetings each month (unless otherwise noted). Checks will be mailed the next day.

REFUND REQUESTS

Refund/transfer requests may be made up to five business days prior to the start of class. A \$5 service charge will be deducted from all refunds except for those canceled by the Park District. Refund requests received after the deadline will be honored only for certified medical reasons, moving from the Park District, or those that qualify for a program guarantee refund.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Attendance in classes is limited to registered participants only. Parents and siblings are not allowed in class unless otherwise stated. Recreation programs are designed for specific age groups. Participants must be the age designated in the class description before the course begins. Birth certificates may be requested. The Plainfield Park District assumes no responsibility for personal injury or loss of personal property for anyone attending or participating in a Park District sponsored event or activity. The Plainfield Park District does not prorate fees based on customer availability to attend a class or late registration.



Unplug Illinois Day - July 13

ABOUT PROGRAM FEES

The Plainfield Park District strives to offer diversified year-round leisure services, including recreational programs and facilities, ensuring that all citizens have an equal opportunity to take advantage of these services. However, since the demand is greater than the public's ability through tax dollars to support that demand and tax revenues are greatly limited for all types of governmental services, it is necessary to charge fees. These fees supplement other sources of revenue used by the Park District and are a means to continue to provide and expand basic services on an equitable basis.

PARK DISTRICT PROGRAM CANCELLATION

The Park District will make every attempt to notify participants of any cancellations 2.5 hours prior to the start of the class. See plfdparks.org and Statusfy for updated information.

EQUAL ACCESS

No participant shall, on the basis of race, sex, creed, national origin, or disability, be denied equal access to programs, activities, services or benefits, or be limited in the exercise of any right, privilege, advantage or opportunity.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Park District's financial assistance program is established by the Friends of the Plainfield Park District Foundation. Please call Guest Services at 815.436.8812 for more details.

PHOTOS AND VIDEO

On occasion, the District staff may take photos or videos of program participants at special events or people using the parks and facilities. The District staff may use these photos or videos to inform others of recreational opportunities available in our community. We do not use identification in our publicity materials. Please be aware that photos and videos may be used in future promotional pieces. All photos and videos are property of the Plainfield Park District.

CODE OF CONDUCT

To ensure enjoyable and safe programs for all participants, the Plainfield Park District has developed a Code of Conduct for all participants. Participants are expected to exhibit appropriate behavior at all times, including:

1. Show respect to all participants and staff
2. Take direction from staff
3. Refrain from using abusive or foul language
4. Refrain from causing bodily harm to self or others
5. Show respect for equipment supplies and facilities
6. Not possess any weapons

Additional rules may be developed for particular programs and athletic leagues as deemed necessary by staff. Failure to comply with this Code of Conduct may result in removal from the program or event without refund.

RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS AND BOUNDARIES

A Plainfield Park District resident is described as a person whose legal domicile is within the boundaries of the Plainfield Park District. Residency is the principal place of habitation of the individual occupying the home, apartment, condominium or estate. It shall be the principal yearly residence for the family residing at that location. The resident must be able to produce a valid driver's license or state I.D., and a current property tax bill or voter's registration card verifying residency at that location.



**NEW EVENT
FOR 2024**

MAY 18 | 11AM-3PM

*Praire Activity & Recreation Center
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Experience all the culture and
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offer. Fun for the whole family
with entertainment and crafts!***

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Registration not required.*

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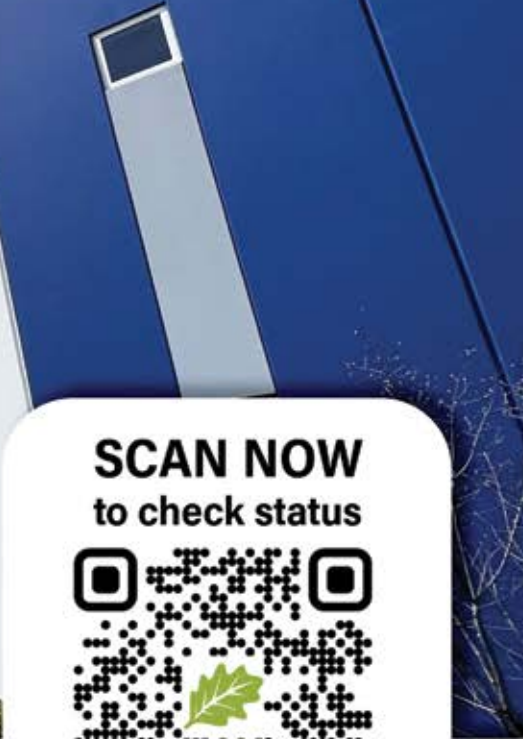
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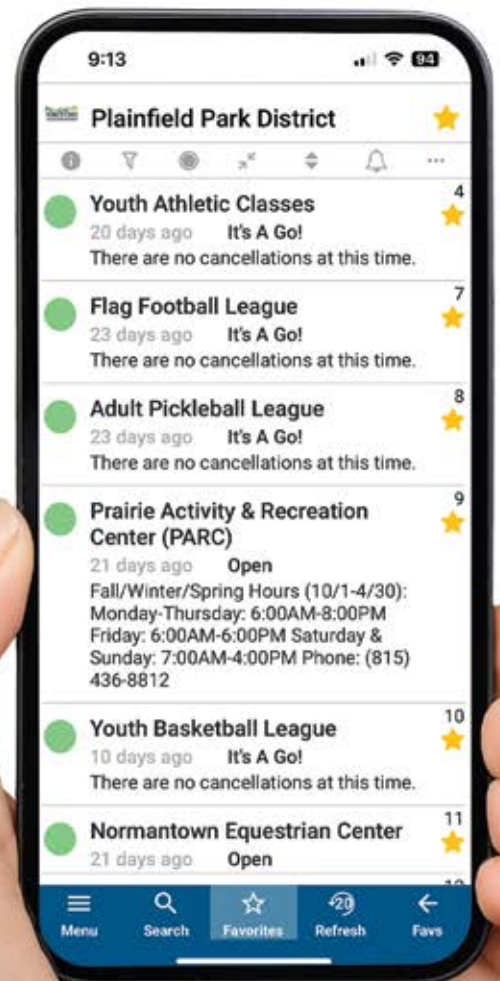
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Delay & Cancellation Notifications

How to Access Statusfy

- 1 Scan the QR code on this page
- 2 Visit our website at plfdparks.org and click on the "Status Updates" icon in the top bar. 
- 3 Call (815) 449-5458
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