

Summer Programs and Aquatics Update

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Overview of Today's Presentation

- Youth Programs
- Teen Opportunities
- Family Activities
- Plan2Splash! Aquatics Master Plan
- Feedback and Questions

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- City priorities
- Adopted plans
- Community, staff, and partnerships
- Resources



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Youth Programs



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Day Camp

Ages 5-12 years | 7:30 am to 6 pm | \$85 per week
June 20 to August 18

- 10 Recreation Centers
- Free breakfast and lunch
- Themes each week
- Skill development
- Fee assistance available



Camp Joy

Ages 5+ | 9 am to 3 pm |

\$65 per week

June 20 to August 4

- Hagan-Stone Park
- Inclusive summer camp experience for individuals with disabilities



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ENERGY at the Park

Ages 5-15 years | 10 am to 2 pm | Free
June 26 to August 10 | Monday-Thursday

- ENERGY at the Park is Education, Nutrition, Exercise, Recreation, and Games for Youth
- Locations
 - Hampton Park
 - Heath Park
 - Sussmans Street Park
 - Woodmere Park



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Teen Opportunities



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Service Learning Camp

Ages 15-18 years | 10 am to 1 pm | \$80 per week
June 20-30 and July 10-21

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- Provides high school students a chance to learn more about poverty and get hands-on experiences with local organizations
- Fee assistance available

Counselor in Training

Youth in grades 10-12 | 9 am to 4 pm | \$40

June 20 to July 7 | July 10 to 28 | July 31 to August 18

- Teens gain experience, service learning hours, and leadership skills while volunteering at one of our recreation center summer camps



Xtreme Teen Outdoor Adventure Week

Ages 12-15 | 8 am to 4 pm |

Lake Higgins | \$250 per week

June 19 to June 23 | July 17 to July 21

- Teens experience new things and test their limits with adventures in hiking, rock climbing, paddling, archery, and fishing
- Price includes transportation and admission to all field trips



Greensboro Youth Outdoors

Ages 13-17 | 9 am to 12 noon |
Lake Brandt | Free

June 13 | July 11 | August 8

- In partnership with Greensboro Housing Authority, teens will have the opportunity to hike, kayak, and fish
- Transportation to location provided



Teen Takeovers

Ages 13-17 | 6:30-8:30 pm | Various
Recreation Centers | Free

- Teens have the opportunity to participate in various activities including Esports, hip hop and paint, glow in the dark dodgeball, cooking, a skate party, a pool party, and more during the summer
- Twelve programs planned



Basketball

- Recreation Centers have extended hours until 10 pm Monday through Friday this summer
- Organized basketball activities are being developed at Glenwood, Peeler, and Windsor Recreation Centers
- Open Gym Schedule for 5-18 years includes:
 - Griffin | Monday, Wednesday, Friday | 6:30-8:30 pm
 - Leonard | Saturday | 10 am to 12 noon
 - Windsor | Monday, Wednesday, Saturday | 6:30-8:30 pm



Additional Teen Activities

- The GameZone | ongoing | 6-9 pm | Monday, Wednesday, Friday | Peeler Recreation Center
- Tik Talk Girls Talk | July 5 and July 26 | 1-5 pm | Gateway Gardens



Youth Sports Clinics

- Opportunities for youth to learn new sports and provide skill development for traditional and non-traditional sports
- 2023 Clinics
 - Disc Golf
 - Golf
 - Field Hockey
 - Pickleball
 - Basketball
 - Soccer
 - Volleyball
 - Cheerleading
 - Football



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Family Activities



Time for Swimming!

- Warnersville and Windsor pools will open from Memorial Day through Labor Day
- Pool hours are extended to 11 am to 7 pm during the week and 11 am to 6 pm on the weekend
- No admission fees will be charged this summer
- Peeler and Lindley pools will remain closed for needed repairs



Time for Swimming!

- \$1.1 million from American Rescue Plan funding was approved by City Council in August 2022 for needed pool repairs
- Peeler and Warnersville pool repairs are estimated to begin in fall 2023 following completion of construction documents and bidding
- Lindley pool repairs continue with additional structural repairs under redesign



Swim Lessons

- In partnership with the YMCA of Greensboro, swim lessons will be offered to recreation center day camp participants and the general public
- Safety Around Water classes are a first step in equipping children with essential water safety skills to reduce the risk of drowning and build skills and confidence around the water
- Schedule is being finalized



Cool Off This Summer!

- Spraygrounds at Barber and Keeley Parks
 - Memorial Day to Labor Day |
Monday-Saturday | 11 am to 5:30 pm
Sunday | 1-5:30 pm
 - Free admission
- Seasonal Plaza Fountain at LeBauer Park
 - May to September | 10 am to 8 pm



Select Partner Events

- GSO Peace on Purpose Kickoff | June 2 | 3-7 pm | Barber Park
- National Trails Day | June 3 | 9 am to 12 noon | Country Park
- Parisian Promenade | June 4 | Noon to 5 pm | Tanger Family Bicentennial Garden
- Juneteenth Celebration Black Food Truck Festival | June 17 | 5-11 pm | LeBauer and Center City Parks
- Juneteenth Gospel Interfaith Celebration | June 18 | 2:30-5:30 pm | Barber Park
- Greensboro Summer Solstice | June 24 | 2-10 pm | Greensboro Arboretum



National Parks and Recreation Month

- July 2023
- Celebrate the vital role parks and recreation professionals play in bring people together, providing essential services, and fostering the growth of our communities

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Parks and Recreation Month

- Tie Dye for the 4th of July | July 1 | 10 am to 12 noon | Warnersville Pool
- Community Picnic | July 8 | 11 am to 1 pm | Downtown Greenway
- Adult Recess | July 14 | 6-9 pm | Barber Park Sprayground
- Movie in the Park | July 22 | 8 pm | Hester Park
- Croquet in the Garden | July 28 | 6-8 pm | Tanger Family Bicentennial Garden



Additional Family Programs

- Family Art Night | Xperience @ Caldcleugh
- Kiddies & Kayaks | Lake Brandt
- Pollinator Palooza | Woven Works Park
- Summer Bash | Lindley Recreation Center
- Stroller Rollers | LoFi Park and Downtown Greenway
- Celebration of Black Culture | Lewis Recreation Center
- Family Fun Day Carnival | Lewis Recreation Center
- Back to School Block Party | Brown Recreation Center
- Back to School Event | Warnersville Recreation Center

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Plan2Splash! Aquatics Master Plan



Process



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Facility Recommendations

- Renovation of current swimming pool locations totaling \$48,282,734
 - A pool will be featured at each location
 - Added amenities vary by park, based on physical space availability and community interests
- Sprayground upgrades totaling \$1,891,161
- Addition of aquatic facilities totaling \$31,602,749
 - Future park at Short Farm Road – full service aquatic facility
 - Griffin Community Park – full service aquatic facility
 - Brown Community Park – sprayground
 - Hester Park – sprayground
- Phasing options are included in plan

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Next Steps

- Public review of draft Aquatic Master Plan ended May 3
- Parks and Recreation Commission to consider recommending approval of plan at June 14 meeting
- Consideration for adoption by City Council in summer 2023
- Facility recommendations will be included within Capital Improvement Program as unfunded projects



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Feedback and Questions

Thank you for your support!

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