

WYANDOTTE COUNTY PARKS & RECREATION

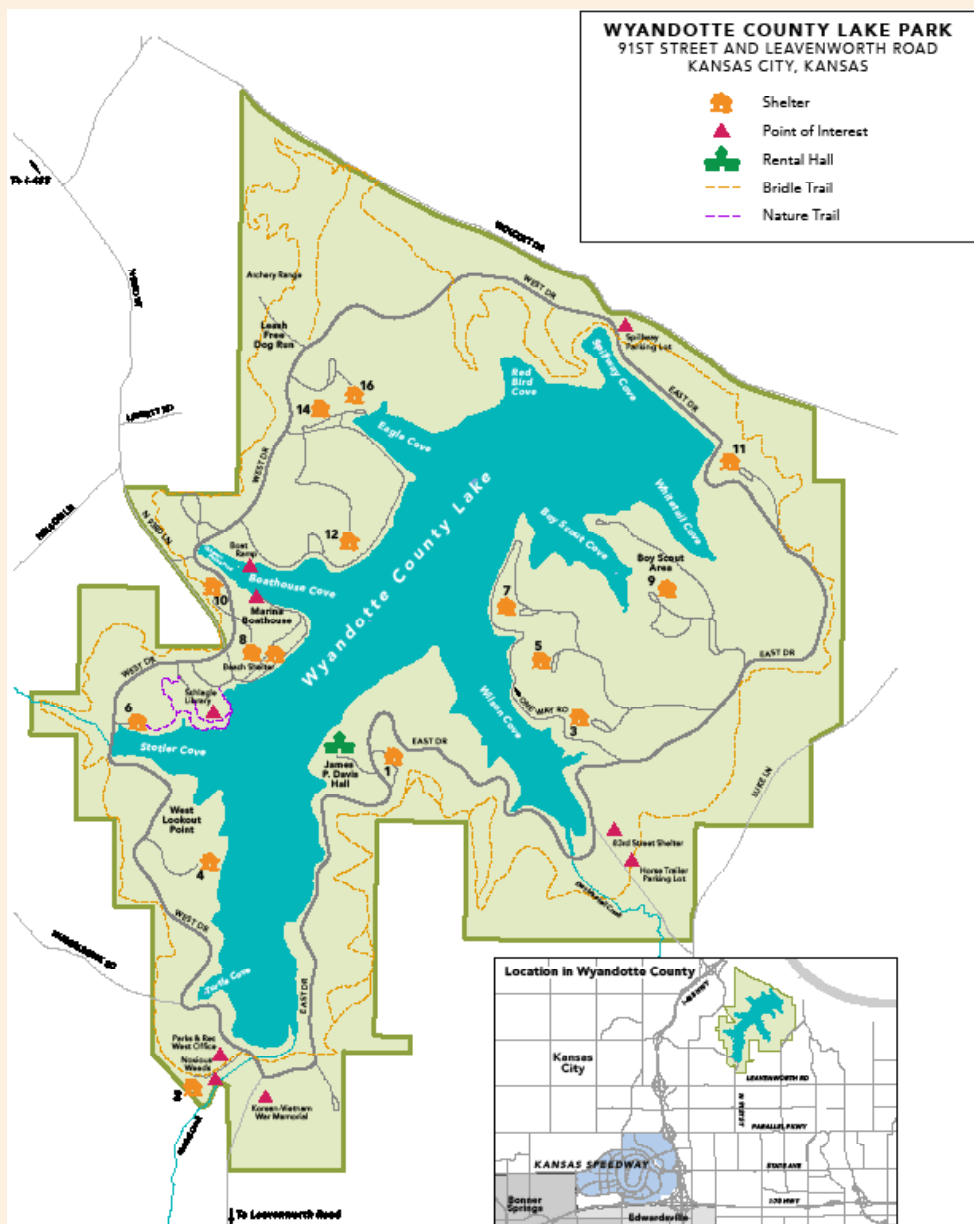
EXPLORE WYCO/KCK PARKS

FALL/WINTER 2023
PARKS & RECREATION GUIDE

Find ways to get involved
in your community through
WYCO Parks & Recreation



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Shelter & Building Reservations

913-573-8327

Sports

913-573-8330

Golf Course

913-573-8570

Special Events

913-573-8397

Recreation

913-573-8329

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WELCOME TO WYCO PARKS & RECREATION

On behalf of the Unified Government of Wyandotte County/Kansas City, Kansas Parks and Recreation Department, We invite you to explore the attractions, and services offered through Parks and Recreation. Whether you're interested in fishing at Wyandotte County Lake, playing a round of golf at Sunflower Hills, renting space for a community meeting or enrolling your kids or yourself in a sports league, we have options for everyone!

It is our mission to provide clean, safe facilities and well maintained green spaces for the public to enjoy and to make available recreation programming for all. We are proud of our strong established partnerships within the community that allow us to provide such a variety of activities. We would encourage you to look through this Fall/Winter 2023 Guide and explore the options within your community!



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CONTACT US

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Locations	5033 State Avenue Kansas City, KS West Office at Wyandotte County Lake 3488 West Drive Kansas City, KS

The Parks & Recreation Department has incredible spaces and events for the whole family to enjoy. Our Department maintains several lakes that can be used for many outdoor activities. For updated information visit www.wycokck.org/wycoparks.

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COMMUNITY CENTERS



ARMOURDALE COMMUNITY CENTER **730 OSAGE | (913) 551-0408**

Armourdale Community Center has a small kitchen, meeting room and small gym. The capacity for the meeting room is 75 people. The meeting room and gym are available after 3:00 pm on Saturdays or after 12:00 pm on Sundays. Rental is by the hour with a minimum of two hours. The center closes at 10:00 pm both days.



BETHANY COMMUNITY CENTER **1120 CENTRAL AVE | 913-551-0400**

Bethany Community Center has a small kitchen, large meeting room and gym. The capacity for the meeting room is 125 people. The meeting room and gym are available after 3:00 pm on Saturdays or after 12:00 pm on Sundays. Rental is by the hour with a minimum of two hours. The center closes at 10:00 pm both days.



EISENHOWER COMMUNITY CENTER **2801 N. 72ND STREET | 913-596-7050**

Eisenhower Community Center has a large kitchen, large meeting room and gym. The capacity for the meeting room is 125 people. The meeting room and gym are available after 3:00 pm on Saturdays or after 12:00 pm on Sundays. Rental is by the hour with a minimum of two hours. The center closes at 10:00 pm both days.

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JOE E. AMAYO SR. ARGENTINE COMMUNITY CENTER

2810 METROPOLITAN AVE | 913-261-4382

Joe Amayo Argentine Community Center has a small community room that is available after 3:00 pm on Saturdays or after 12:00 pm on Sundays. Rental is by the hour with a minimum of two hours. The community room holds about 40 people.



Metro Fitness

913-808- 5939

manager@metro24fitness.com

Access through West Doors

24 Hour Weight Room equipment includes:

- Treadmills
- Recumbent Bikes
- Ellipticals
- Stair masters
- Free Weights
- Olympic Bench Press
- Olympic Squat Rack
- Full Body Circuit

Customers may purchase memberships at resident or non resident rate. To receive resident rate you must have proof of Kansas City, KS address.

Membership Fee

Kansas City, KS Resident Rate -
19.99 Monthly or \$200 Annually

Non Resident Rate - \$35.00 Monthly or \$360 Annually
Silver Sneaker Accepted

Staff Hours

Monday - Thursday 10 am - 7 pm
Friday 10 am - 4 am
Sat 9 am - 1 pm

COMMUNITY CENTERS



BEATRICE L. LEE COMMUNITY CENTER **1210 N. 10TH STREET | 913-551-0438**

Beatrice L. Lee Community Center has a small kitchen, meeting room and gym. The capacity for the meeting room is 50 people. The meeting room and gym are available after 5:00 pm on Saturdays or after 12:00 pm on Sundays. Rental is by the hour with a minimum of two hours. The center closes at 10:00 pm both days.



KENSINGTON GYM **2900 STATE AVE | 913-551-0407**

Kensington Gym is available after 3:00 pm on Saturdays or after 12:00 pm on Sundays. Rental is by the hour with a minimum of two hours. The center closes at 10:00 pm both days.

MORE INFORMATION

We're looking for new and exciting classes for all of our community centers. If you are interested in teaching a class at any of our community centers please contact the center directly or Shelly Burnett at 913-573-8329.

How to Reserve a Center

Reservations for community centers can be made in person at the Administration Office, 5033 State Ave. in the Fleet Services Building (next to the Dental Office), or the Lake Office, 3488 West Drive Kansas City, KS 66109. Office hours are 8:00am to 5:00pm, Mon. – Fri. The meeting rooms are available for rent after 3:00 pm on Saturdays or after 12:00 pm on Sundays. Rental is by the hour with a minimum of two hours. The centers close at 10:00 pm both days. Alcohol and smoking are not allowed.

For more information or to check on availability, call 913-573-8327.

Learn more about us at www.wycokck.org/wycoparks

RENTAL HALLS



JAMES P. DAVIS HALL **WYANDOTTE COUNTY LAKE PARK** **91st and LEAVENWORTH RD.**

James P. Davis Hall is located at Wyandotte County Lake, 91st and Leavenworth Road. The hall has a large kitchen, a dining room and a dance or meeting room. The capacity for this building is 150 people. It also has a patio overlooking the lake where many weddings have been held.

James P. Davis Hall is a lodge style building constructed in the late 1930s from native stone and timber. It is one of the most unique wedding locations in the metropolitan area.



GEORGE MEYN HALL **126th and STATE AVE.**

The George Meyn Hall, 126th & State Ave., is located in Wyandotte County Park. This building has a large dining hall, kitchen, full size stage, beer room, coat room and a large foyer. Capacity is 350 people.

A playground is adjacent to the Meyn Building; a skate park and tennis courts are within walking distance. Sunflower Hills Golf Course and the Junior Golf Course are also adjacent to the building.



PIERSON COMMUNITY CENTER **1800 S. 55th**

Pierson Community Center, 1800 South 55th, is located in Pierson Park. This is the largest facility in the park system with a large dining room, a huge kitchen, a large bar room and a coat room. Capacity is 500 people.

Pierson Park also offers fishing, skate park, spray park, playground, tennis courts and three picnic shelters.

HOW TO RESERVE A HALL

The reservation halls are suitable for wedding receptions, family reunions and business meetings. Smoking is prohibited inside of the facilities. Alcohol is allowed for certain reservations and security is required. Reservations are accepted up to one year

in advance. Reservations are only accepted in person and the fee and deposit are both due at that time. For more information on renting a hall please call 913-573-8327.

FISHING & BOATING



Season begins the 1st Saturday in March (weather permitting) through November 30.

Fishing Rules and Regulations:

1. Fishing at Wyandotte County Lake 6:00am to 11:30pm. Fishermen must have vacated the parks by midnight.
2. Residents ages 16-64 must have a Unified Government fishing permit in their possession in addition to their Kansas State fishing license to fish at Wyandotte County Lake.
3. All non-Kansas residents 16 years of age and over must have a permit.
4. Each angler is limited to 2 lines with no more than 2 baited hooks or artificial lures per line.
5. Administration reserves the right to prohibit any or all fishing and boating at any time.
6. Each angler must keep his/her fish on a separate individual stringer or suitable container, so Sheriff Department can easily identify possession and creel limits.
7. Trot lines, bank lines, jug lines, netting or seining of fish is not permitted.
8. Anglers may fish the entire lake except where posted. No bank fishing in the boathouse cove.
9. Anglers must abide by State Rules and Regulations.
10. No open season on frogs, snakes or turtles.

Boating Rules and Regulations:

1. Boating at Wyandotte County Lake is permitted from 6:00 am to 11:30 am. Boaters must be off the lake by 11:30am so the park can close by midnight.
2. Water vessels are permitted on Wyandotte County Lake only. All vessels must have permits and they are to be displayed on the right rear transom of the vessel.
3. Proper lighting must be displayed on the vessel from sunset to sunrise.
4. All children 12 and under must wear Coast Guard approved life preservers while on the vessel. Life preservers must be visible and easily accessible for all passengers on the vessel.
5. No reckless operation of a vessel will be tolerated.
6. No wake in coves.
7. 20 mph Speed Limit throughout the lake.
8. No personal watercraft, tubing or water-skiing.
9. No one will operate a vessel while intoxicated or under the influence of drugs.
10. Sailboards and Kayaks are permitted. Preservers and permits are required for both.
11. No vessel may fish from or tie up to any pontoon dock. Slip owners are excluded, but they must be on their boat and in their own slip. No fishing from the docks.
12. Vessels will be respectful and courteous to bank anglers.
13. Misconduct or violation of rules and regulations will result in fines and loss of boating privileges.
14. Administration reserves the right to prohibit any or all fishing and boating at any time.
15. Swimming from boats is allowed. Ask for rules and regulations.



SHELTER INFORMATION



SEASONAL SHELTER AMENITIES

Park	Restroom	Water	Electricity
Alvey Park	Yes	Yes	N/A
Big Eleven Lake	P	N/A	Yes
City Park North	P	N/A	N/A
City Park Pavillion	Yes	Yes	Yes
City Park Regan	Yes	Yes*	N/A
Eisenhower Park	P	Yes*	N/A
Emerson Park	P	Yes	Yes
Huron Park	N/A	N/A	Yes
Kaw Point Park	Yes	Yes	Yes
Klamm Park	Yes	Yes*	Yes
Matney Park	P	N/A	N/A
Parkwood Park	Yes	Yes	Yes
Pierson Park	Yes	Yes	Yes
Quindaro Park North	N/A	N/A	N/A
Quindaro Park South	Yes	Yes*	N/A
Rosedale Park	Yes	Yes*	Yes
Shawnee Park East	N/A	N/A	N/A
Shawnee Park West	Yes	Yes	N/A
St. Margaret's Park	N/A	Yes	N/A
Thomson Park	P	Yes	N/A
Welborn Park	P	N/A	Yes
WYCO Lake Park	Yes	Yes	Yes
WYCO Park	Yes	Yes	Yes

P – Portable Restroom

*- Running Water in Restroom Only

N/A – Not Available

HOW TO RESERVE A SHELTER

A shelter is an open-air structure with a roof and picnic tables under the roof. The shelters at Wyandotte County Lake, Pierson Park and Wyandotte County Park all have grills to cook on, restrooms and playground equipment. For a complete list of shelters, locations, and amenities visit our website www.wycokck.org/wycoparks.

Shelter reservations start the first working day in January at 8 am. Reservations are taken at the 5033 State Ave, or West Office at Wyandotte County Lake, 3488 West Drive, Kansas City KS, or office and online at www.wycokck.org/wycoparks.

Office hours are 8 am – 5 pm, Mon. – Fri.
For more information or to check availability, call 913-573-8327.

ACTIVITIES

OPEN GYM/FREE PLAY BASKETBALL

Want to enjoy a pick-up game with your friends? Our community centers have time in the gym that is open to the public. Times are subject to change due to seasonal events and activities. No school-age youth are allowed in the gym prior to school dismissal.

Locations	Day	Time
Bea Lee Community Center	M-F	2:30 pm -5:30 pm
Joe Amayo/Argentine Community Center	M-F	2 pm - 5 pm
Kensington Community Center	W	2:30 pm - 5:30 pm

COMMUNITY RULES AND REGULATIONS OPEN GYM/FREE PLAY

- All participants must sign in
- Participants must always obey all rules
- No swearing, name calling, arguing, fighting, bullying, taunting, horseplay, or yelling
- No food or drink in the gym area
- Shirts must always be worn
- Proper foot ware is expected. No flip-flops, boots, dress shoes, cleats, or spikes.
- Spitting on the floor or in the drinking fountain is not permitted
- No dunking or hanging on rims
- Dispose of all trash in proper bins
- UG Parks and Recreation is not responsible for lost or stolen items, we recommend you leave your valuables at home or lock them up

Recreation staff on duty shall enforce all rules, regulations, and procedures. If at any time a participant/spectator/player/coach does not comply with the rules, the person will be asked to leave and/or his/her privileges may be revoked.



LOVE LETTERS

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Location: Beatrice Lee, Eisenhower, and Joe Amayo Community Center
Day/Time: Thursday, February 1, 2:00pm
Cost: Free



ACTIVITIES

ARMOURDALE COMMUNITY CENTER

730 OSAGE

913-551-0408

DODGE BALL(ADULTS)

For beginners to intermediate level players. Learn the basics and fundamentals of dodgeball while playing with people from your community. Dodgeball will be an open gym-style free session for all adults to attend. Please make sure to sign the attendance sheet every week you attend. For more information, please email Brett at brett@usadodgeball.com.

Location: Armourdale Community Center
Day/Time: Every Tuesday 6:30pm-8:30pm
Cost: Free

MEXICAN REGIONAL FOLKLORIC DANCE

\$10 per month. Mexican dance is often a way to celebrate, whether it is a birth, a death, a religious observance, or folklore; these dances are a way to celebrate life and express your feelings. Learn the basic steps and movements of folk dance in Mexico. Registration is ongoing, join anytime.

Location: Armourdale Community Center
Day/Time: Tuesday & Thursday 6:00pm
Instructor: Theresa Perez

BEATRICE L. LEE COMMUNITY CENTER

1210 N. 10TH ST.

913-551-0438

ACTIVSTARS CHEER

Open to Boys and Girls ages 4-15
www.mw.activstars.com to register online.
Call 816.994.2644 for more information.

Location: Beatrice Lee Community Center
Day/Time: Wednesdays, August 23 – May 22
JV (4-6yrs) 6:30-7:15 PM
Varsity: (7-9yrs) 7:15-8:00 PM
All-Star (10 & Up) & PRO: 8:00-9:00 PM
Cost: See the website
Instructor: Brittany Harton

ACTIVITIES

CHRISTMAS COOKIE EXCHANGE

What is a Cookie Exchange? You bring one flavor of cookie and give all the other guests a half-dozen or so to take home, and they will do the same. Everyone only must bring one flavor of cookie but goes home with dozens of different cookies! All cookies must be store-bought to adhere to Covid guidelines. Pre-registration is required by Friday, December 1st, and you must commit to the type of cookie you will be bringing at registration. Packaging containers will be provided. Refreshments are provided as well. Come enjoy this festive event! Call Beatrice Lee at 913-551-0438 for registration and information.

Location: Beatrice Lee Community Center
Day/Time: Friday, December 15, 6:30pm
Cost: Free

DMB DANCE

This course is designed to introduce young students to tap, ballet, and jazz. DMB Dance is designed to teach children basic dance steps, turns, leaps, feet positions, carriage of the arms, and progression. This program will help build self-esteem and performance techniques that will be learned. A concert will be scheduled in the spring. Dancewear, costumes (for the spring recital), and dance shoes are required. There is a registration fee of \$10.00/ non-refundable per immediate family plus a monthly fee. Ages 3 ½ & 4 ½ (must be potty trained); and 5-16. Schedules may vary, Please call the community center for information at 913-551-0438.

Location: Beatrice Lee Community Center
Day/Time: Registration Saturday, September 2, 10 am – 1 pm
Class will begin on Saturday, September 9
Cost: \$10.00 per month per child
Instructor: DMB Staff

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Location: Beatrice Lee, Eisenhower, and Joe Amayo Community Centers
Day/Time: Thursday, February 1, 2:00pm
Cost: Free

MENTORING & TUTORING

The Beatrice Lee Community Center offers personalized tutoring and mentoring services that align with students, 8 years old and older. Participants need to be recommended by their classroom teacher. The volunteer's focus is to engage with and maintain or exceed reading and math skills. Most sessions are scheduled 1:1 or in small groups of 1:4. Our goal is to develop a trusting relationship and to engage in structured activities often around classroom or homework-related topics. Please call the community center, at 913-551-0438 to contact one of our volunteers and or set up a time for your child to meet their mentor. If you are interested in volunteering to help tutor and mentor local youths, please call 913-551-0438 for details. Schedules will be set up according to the availability of the volunteer.

ACTIVITIES

NERF WARS

Be fast, fierce, and dodge darts as you play and compete against your friends. Do you think you have what it takes to become a champion? Grab your friends and come find out. Gameplay and rules will be announced prior to each battle. Ammunition and safety goggles will be provided. You must bring your own labeled equipment. Each participant will need a water bottle. This event is for ages 6+. Nerf Elite Blasters only! Indoor shoes are required.

Location: Beatrice Lee Community Center
Day/Time: Saturday, October 21st, 12:00pm
Cost: Free



YOUTH CO-ED DODGEBALL LEAGUE

Do you have youth in your neighborhood with nothing to do? Bring them to the community center and start a dodgeball team. Or if you just have your child, then bring them and sign them up! This is a 6-week league for grades 3rd – 5th, on Friday evenings. The games will begin at 5:30 PM. The cost for the league is \$10/ per player. Registration is required and will begin on Tuesday, January 2, and end on Tuesday, January 16th. All teams must have at least 2 girls.

Location: Beatrice Lee Community Center
Day/Time: Games will begin Friday, January 26
Cost: \$10 per player

PARENTS NIGHT OUT

It's the last full weekend before Christmas do you need to finish shopping, or just some alone time before the busy holidays? Parks and Recreation has you covered! Bring the children, ages 4 and older, must be potty trained. Rest easy knowing your children are engaged in activities such as arts and crafts, group games, or active play in a safe, trusted place. Dinner and snacks will be provided. The center will be open from 3:00 PM to 9:00 PM. Pre-registration is required by calling 913-551-0438.

Location: Beatrice Lee Community Center
Day/Time: Friday, December 22, 3:00 PM
Cost: \$10
Instructort: Staff

ACTIVITIES



BETHANY COMMUNITY CENTER **1120 CENTRAL AVE.** **913-551-0400**

LINE DANCE

Taking a cruise soon, or do you just want to learn how to line dance? This is by far the best Line Dance Class in KCK. Mz. Gee Gee will teach you the latest dances to impress your friends. You might even find yourself on TikTok dancing. You are not going to believe it when I tell you it's only \$15/month, There are several payment options, you just have to ask. Bring your mother, best friend, and even your neighbor. Classes are every Monday and Thursday. See you at Bethany! To sign up please email geediva1959@gmail.com.

Locations: Bethany Community Center
Day/Time: Mondays and Thursdays at 6:00 PM
Cost: \$15/month
Instructor: Gee Gee

EISENHOWER COMMUNITY CENTER **2801 N 72ND ST.** **913-596-7050**

BRIDGE CLUB

Come and play bridge every Wednesday at Eisenhower Community Center. Free for all, We just ask you to bring a dish for a potluck lunch. All skill levels are welcome.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: Wednesdays 12:00 PM to 4:30 PM
Cost: Free
Instructort: None

YOGA

Free class. Yoga does more than burn calories and tone muscles. It's a total mind-body workout that combines strengthening and stretching poses with deep breathing and meditation or relaxation. It can help you relax and focus while gaining flexibility and strength. Yoga can also boost your mood. This class is ongoing.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: Monday 10:30 am
Thursday 10:00 am
Cost: \$1 donation
Instructor: Mary Butler



ACTIVITIES

KC 2 STEP

Students learn basic counts and advanced movements in the Kansas City 2-Step style of dance. Dance is presented as an art form and exercise. This class is ongoing. We will not meet on holiday Mondays. September 4, December 25, January 1, January 15, and February 19.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: Monday 7:00 pm
Cost: \$6.00/class
Instructor: Steppers of KC

ADULT CERAMICS

This class is for beginners or advanced ceramists. Learn the proper technique of cleaning greenware and painting bisque. Supplies can be purchased from the instructor. Call Eisenhower Community Center to register at 913-596-7050.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: Wednesdays 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Cost: \$30/6 week session
Instructor: Staff

YOUTH CERAMICS

Participants will learn the proper techniques for working with ceramics. Procedures for handling, cleaning, painting, and finishing the pieces will be taught. The fee includes all supplies. Call Eisenhower Community Center to register at 913-596-7050.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: Tuesdays 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Cost: \$20
Instructor: Staff

MENTORING FOR TEENAGERS

Adopting a faith to live by. Mentoring for teenagers for goal setting, role model, career planning, planning for the Presidential classroom, and teens as role models. Please contact the center for additional information at 913-596-7050.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: Tuesdays 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Cost: Free
Instructor: Bessie Robinson

ACTIVITIES

TEENAGE BOYS MENTORING GROUP

Class for young men 16 years of age and under. To discuss topics such as peer pressure, school education, the benefits of avoiding drugs and alcohol, and leadership skills. 4-week class starting December 1st. Please contact the center for additional information at 913-596-7050.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: Fridays, December 1st, 6:00pm to 7:30pm
Cost: Free
Instructor: Mark Rodgers

QUILTING CLUB

Free class. We are not the boring quilting group your mothers belonged to. We work on various projects. We provide space for all to spread out and complete their projects while providing fellowship. You might even discover new projects. This class meets weekly, weather permitting. Please contact the center for additional information at 913-596-7050.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: Tuesdays 8:30am

LEAVENWORTH ROAD ASSOCIATION

We meet on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. We share a potluck dinner before the meeting. Food + Friends + Fun + Information = Leavenworth Road Association. For additional information please contact LRA @ 913 788 3988.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: 2nd Tuesday of each month
Potluck 6:00 PM, Meeting 6:30 PM

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Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: Thursday, February 1, 2:00pm
Cost: Free





ACTIVITIES

KEEP IT MOVING FITNESS

This is a general fitness class that works toward broad goals of overall health and well-being. A regular to moderate workout regimen and a healthy diet can improve general appearance, which are markers of good health. The many benefits include increasing general fitness level, reduction in stress, feeling better, and the decreased likelihood of contracting many cardiovascular diseases. The class will also focus on cardio and strength training. 6-week class on Wednesdays and Fridays from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: Wednesday and Friday 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM
Cost: Free
Instructor: Donta

BITTY BALL BASKETBALL CAMP

The camp is designed to teach young players (5-7 years of age), the fundamentals of the game such as passing, shooting, and dribbling. As well as provide opportunities for learning about teamwork and good sportsmanship. Two session camps on November 16th and December 14th.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: November 16th and December 14th, 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM
Cost: Free
Instructor: Mark Rogers

YOUTH TRAINING FITNESS

Youth training on sports-specific drills and conditioning related to correlated sports of that season. Teaching youth development skills to improve overall conditioning. Training will pertain sport of that season. A 4-week class starting November 3rd will meet 2 to 4 times a week depending on class size. For additional information Call Eisenhower Community Center at 913-596-7050.

Location: Eisenhower Community Center
Day/Time: 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Cost: Free
Instructor: Donta

ACTIVITIES

GEORGE MEYN COMMUNITY CENTER 126TH STATE AVE. LOCATED IN WYANDOTTE COUNTY PARK 913-721-2807

MARTIAL ARTS

Open to Boys and Girls ages 4-15
www.mw.activstars.com to register online.
Call 816.994.2644 for more information.

\$10 registration fee, \$8 per week for 45-minute class/practice, payable at the site. Enroll online or at the class/practice site. Parents and friends are welcome to watch the first class/practice. New students will only be accepted up to the third week, Monday, September 11. This is a continuing program for each semester. Students may advance to all levels. Karate-Gi uniforms (433) will be available but not required.

Self-Defense/Karate-Martial Arts

- Essential Life Skills – Respect and Discipline
- Safety Awareness, Abduction Prevention, and Anti Bullying
- Advancement through Black Belt with Certified Black Belt Instructors

Locations: George Meyn Community Center
Day/Time: Monday, August 21, 5:30 PM
Class runs from 8/21 to 5/20
No class 9/4, 11/20, 12/25, 1/1, 2/19, 3/11
Cost: \$8/week
Instructor: ActivStars

JOE E AMAYO/ARGENTINE COMMUNITY CENTER 2810 METROPOLITAN 913-261-4382

FITNESS CLASSES

We offer a variety of fitness classes for adults. The cost is only \$1.00 if not a Metro 24 member. All classes are one hour.

Time	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
8:30am	Zumba Gold		Zumba Gold		Zumba Gold	
9:00am						Yoga
10:00am					Cardio Kickboxing	Dance
5:00pm	Step		Step			
6:00pm		Zumba		Strong		
6:30pm	Zumba		Zumba			
7:30pm	Strong		Insanity			

ACTIVITIES

ZUMBA

We take the “work” out of a workout, by mixing low-intensity and high-intensity moves for an interval-style, calorie-burning dance fitness party. Once the Latin and World rhythms take over, you’ll see why Zumba® Fitness classes are often called exercise in disguise. Super effective? Check. Super fun? Check and check.

ZUMBA GOLD

Active older adults who are looking for a modified Zumba® class that recreates the original moves you love at a lower intensity.

The design of the class introduces easy-to-follow Zumba® choreography that focuses on balance, range of motion, and coordination. Come ready to sweat and prepare to leave empowered and feeling strong.

STEP

Aerobic exercises and dance movements are performed by stepping up onto and down from a rectangular platform.

STRONG NATION

Training to the beat. STRONG Nation™ combines body weight, muscle conditioning, cardio, and plyometric training moves synced to original music that has been specifically designed to match every single move. Every squat, every lunge, and every burpee is driven by the music, helping you make it to that last rep, and maybe even five more.

CARDIO KICKBOXING

Cardio kickboxing is a group fitness class that combines martial arts techniques with fast-paced cardio. This high-energy workout challenges beginner and elite athletes alike. Build stamina, improve coordination and flexibility, and burn calories as you build lean muscle with this fun and challenging workout.

INSANITY

Just the name itself may scare many from this type of cardio workout. Touted as one of the hardest exercise routines around, Insanity uses no gym equipment. Just your own body weight.

Insanity differs from HIIT in one fundamental way. While HIIT training is based on shorter bursts of activity, Insanity utilizes maximal interval training. This is where you are moving for at least 3 minutes at a time. Because of this, you are hitting the aerobic portion of the workout hard. Insanity workouts take between half an hour and an hour to complete. This format will have you alternating between plyometrics, conditioning, and resistance training to torch calories.

MORNING WALKING

Need a place to walk where you don’t have to worry about animals or uneven surfaces? Come join us for our morning walks. The gym is open to those wanting to improve their health by walking. 18 laps equal one mile. Proper shoes are required, tennis or sports shoes, no boots. Time may be adjusted due to scheduled classes on availability.

Location: Joe Amayo/Argentine Community Center

Day/Time: M-F 7:30-9:30am



ACTIVITIES



LIFE SKILLS AND ETIQUETTE PROGRAM

This program is designed to prepare young adults for success in all walks of life preparing for the world around them. The program is geared towards middle and high school youth. This fun program will teach responsible budgeting and why college is important, the program includes working on critical thinking, self-esteem building, proper public etiquette, dining rules, and much more. This will be an interactive learning program and we encourage participation. This class is ongoing, and you may join at any time.

Location: Joe Amayo/Argentine Community Center
Day/Time: Monday, September 11, 4:00pm
Cost: Free
Instructor: Parks and Recreation Staff

BOARD GAME NIGHT

This is a wonderful time to practice our interpersonal skills! People skills are used to communicate and interact effectively with others. Research has found that those with strong people skills are more successful. We will be focusing on adapting and socializing without our electronics. This class is ongoing, and you can join at any time.

Location: Joe Amayo/Argentine Community Center
Day/Time: 1st and 2nd Wednesday of each month, 4:00pm
Cost: \$2 donation
Instructor: Parks and Recreation Staff

COMMUNITY SOCIAL HOUR

Come and meet the neighbors! This is designed to provide community members who live in or are intensely involved in the surrounding neighborhood with the opportunity to meet one another in a safe and positive environment. We provide an opportunity to better connect our neighborhoods. We are only as strong as its people; this could only make us stronger. Refreshments will be provided.

Location: Joe Amayo/Argentine Community Center
Day/Time: Saturday, October 14, 12:00pm

KEEP IT PRETTY DANCE

This is a class that promotes simple dance moves anyone can enjoy! These dance moves are age-appropriate and a great way to exercise. Dancing is a natural method of learning and a basic form of cultural expression. Dancing is a powerful ally for developing many of the attributes of physical development, emotional maturity, social awareness, and cognitive development. The class is for girls ages 6- 18. This class is ongoing, and you may join at any time.

Location: Joe Amayo/Argentine Community Center
Day/Time: Saturday, September 9, 10:00am
Instructor: Paula Johnson

ACTIVITIES

YOGA

Yoga is an ancient practice that brings together mind and body. It incorporates breathing exercises, meditation, and poses designed to encourage relaxation and reduce stress. You will see improvements in strength, flexibility, and mind-body awareness. If you are a member of Metro KC Fitness the yoga class is complimentary with your membership. For nonmembers, the yoga class is \$10 per class attended. No need to sign up for yoga class, just simply arrive prepared to practice the art of yoga. Leslie is our bilingual, certified yoga instructor. All fitness levels are welcome to join her class on Saturdays at 9:00 AM. Mats are provided, but feel free to bring your own. This class is ongoing, so you are welcome to join anytime.

Location: Joe Amayo/Argentine Community Center
Day/Time: Saturdays 9:00am
Cost: \$10/non-member
Instructor: Leslie

LOVE LETTERS

Getting old can be lonely. In fact, over 15.5 million seniors live alone and face isolation due to location, disability, or language barriers. Come and join us to make handmade Valentine's Day cards for local seniors. All supplies are provided, we just need your creativity and imagination. If you know of a senior who would like to receive a card, please let us know and we will add them to the mailing list by contacting Shelly @ 913-573-8329 or sboyd@wycokck.org. We will be visiting local nursing homes as well. Tables will be set up on Thursday, February 1 through Friday, February 9, at several community centers.

Location: Beatrice Lee, Eisenhower, and Joe Amayo Community Centers
Day/Time: Thursday, February 1, 2:00pm
Cost: Free



SPORTS

WINTER SPORTS

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Youth Basketball registration will start on November 1st and the fee will be \$20/per youth. The deadline will be December 15th. The season will begin January 13, 2024, games will be played at Eisenhower, Beatrice Lee, and Argentine community centers. For Grades: K-1 bitty ballers, 2nd-3rd, 4th-5th, 6th-7th this will be a six-week program and games will be played Saturday mornings.



YOUTH INDOOR FUTSAL

Indoor Futsal registration will start on November 1st with a fee of \$20/per youth. The deadline will be December 15th. The season will begin January 13, 2024, games will be played at Kensington and Armourdale community centers. The age groups: 5-7, 8-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-17. This will be a six-week program and games will be played Saturday mornings.



SPRING SPORTS

YOUTH BASEBALL

Youth Baseball registration will be on February 12th and the deadline will be March 29th (T-ball, Machine Pitch, and 12u). Leagues will start May 3rd. The fee is \$20/ player. The games will be played at City Park Fields #2, and #3, at 26th & Park Drive. Games will also be played at Klamm Park, 27th & Parallel. This will be a six-week league. Team and individual registration. Age groups 5 to 12 years old.



SPORTS

YOUTH SOCCER

Youth soccer registration will be on February 12th and the deadline will be March 29th. The season will start on April 8th for grades K-12. The fee is \$20/per youth. The games will be played at Compass Minerals Sports Fields at 1500 N. 90th St. This is a six-week league for non-competitive recreation teams and competitive teams. Team and individual registration. The age groups are 5 to 17 years old.



MEN'S SOCCER

Men's Soccer league registration will start on February 1st, the season will be starting on April 18th. Regular games will be on Thursday nights and Sundays. The fee will be \$1,700/team for 14 weeks, games will be played at Compass Minerals Sporting Fields at 1500 N. 90th St. Team registration is for ages 18 and up.

SPRING CO-ED SOFTBALL

Spring Co-ed Softball league registration will begin on March 1st, and the season will start on April 14th. This will be a double header league with games on Sunday evenings. All games will be played at City Park at 26th & Park Drive #1, #3, and #4 at 3:00 PM, 4:00 PM, 5:00 PM, & 6:00 PM. The deadline is April 5th, and the fee is \$400/team. Registration is accepted for ages 18 and up.



SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

Come and join us for some exciting special events this year. UG Parks and Recreation is working hard to provide events for the entire family to enjoy. If you have an idea for a special event that you would like to see in your community, contact the special event coordinator at 913-573-8327.

Movies in the Park-Clopper Park, S. 34th and Powell Ave.
The movie is to begin at 8:30 PM

Saturday, September 9

Wyandotte County Parks Foundation Golf Tournament
Sunflower Golf Course, 12200 Riverview Ave. Bonner Springs, KS
For more information, contact janephilbrook@gmail.com

Friday, September 29

Nerf Wars-Beatrice Lee Community Center, 1210 N. 10th St.
Registration is required, call 913-573-8329
Limited equipment will be available for use.

Saturday, October 21

Halloween Safe Night, all community centers will have candy
For children.

Tuesday, October 31

Daylight Savings, fall back one hour

Sunday, November 4

Veteran's Day Holiday – Parks and Recreation Offices Closed

Friday, November 10

Christmas Cookie Exchange, Beatrice Lee Community Center
1210 N. 10th St., Registration is required, must commit to the
the cookie you will be bringing.

Friday, December 15

Donuts with Santa Event, Memorial Hall, 600 N 7th St.
Come see Santa, and the children will receive a gift.

Saturday, December 9

Parent's Night Out Beatrice Lee Community Center
1210 N. 10th St., last weekend before Christmas
get your last-minute shopping done without worrying
about the kids. Drop off from 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM \$10/per child.

Friday, December 22

Christmas Holiday – Parks and Recreation Offices Closed

Monday, December 25

New Year's Holiday – Parks and Recreation Offices Closed

Monday, January 1, 2024

Martin Luther King Holiday- Parks and Recreation Offices
Closed

Monday, January 15, 2024

Eagles Days, Wyandotte County Lake, James P. Davis Hall
91st and Leavenworth Rd. Celebrate the American Bald Eagle
and educate the public about wildlife in Wyandotte County.
Saturday hours will be 9 am to 4 PM, and Sunday from Noon to
4 PM.

Saturday, January 20 &
Sunday, January 21

Love Letters, we will be decorating cards to send to seniors
citizens and let them know we care about them. You can
stop by from February 1 to February 12 to make a card.
Beatrice Lee, Eisenhower, and Joe Amayo Community Centers.

Thursday, February 1

Someone Special Dance, Joe Amayo Community Center
2810 Metropolitan, make it a date night with your little
someone, DJ with music, light refreshments, and a huge dance
floor. \$5.00/per family

Friday, February 9

SUNFLOWER HILLS



Sunflower Hills is an 18 hole Championship golf course designed by renowned architect Roger Packard. Located adjacent to the Kansas Speedway complex, just minutes from downtown Kansas City Missouri.

Golfers of all skill levels will enjoy this challenging course. Sunflower Hills is long and hilly and features large greens. Many trees make control and accuracy important parts of a good round. Sunflower Hills also offers one of the newest and best junior facilities in the Kansas City area. The Junior golf course features six holes with three sets of tees, driving range, putting green and practice bunker.

Amenities Include:

- Six sets of tees
- Zoysia fairways
- Pennncross bent grass greens
- Driving range
- Putting green
- Chipping green
- Practice bunker
- Golf pro-shop
- Snack bar
- 6 hole junior course
- Golf Professionals providing lessons, club fitting and club repair
- Tournament and group outings welcomed
- Home of the Wyandotte County Open. Longest running tournament of its kind in the Greater Kansas City Area.

Open Daily

12200 Riverview Road
Bonner Springs, Kansas 66012
Phone 913-573-8570
Fax 913-721-1025

Email: info@sunflowerhillsgolfcourse.com

2022 Green Fee Rates (does not include a cart)

	Weekday - Fri.	Weekend Sat. & Sun.	Twilite
Patron	\$23.00	\$32.00	\$17.00
WyCo Resident	\$25.00	\$34.00	\$18.00
Standard Rate	\$29.00	\$37.00	\$20.00
Senior Patron	\$17.00	\$32.00	\$17.00
Senior WyCo Resident	\$18.00	\$34.00	\$18.00
Senior Standard	\$20.00	\$37.00	\$20.00
Junior Patron	\$17.00	\$32.00	\$17.00
Junior WyCo Resident	\$18.00	\$34.00	\$18.00
Junior Standard	\$20.00	\$37.00	\$20.00

Membership Rates & Information

Sunflower Hills Patron Cards

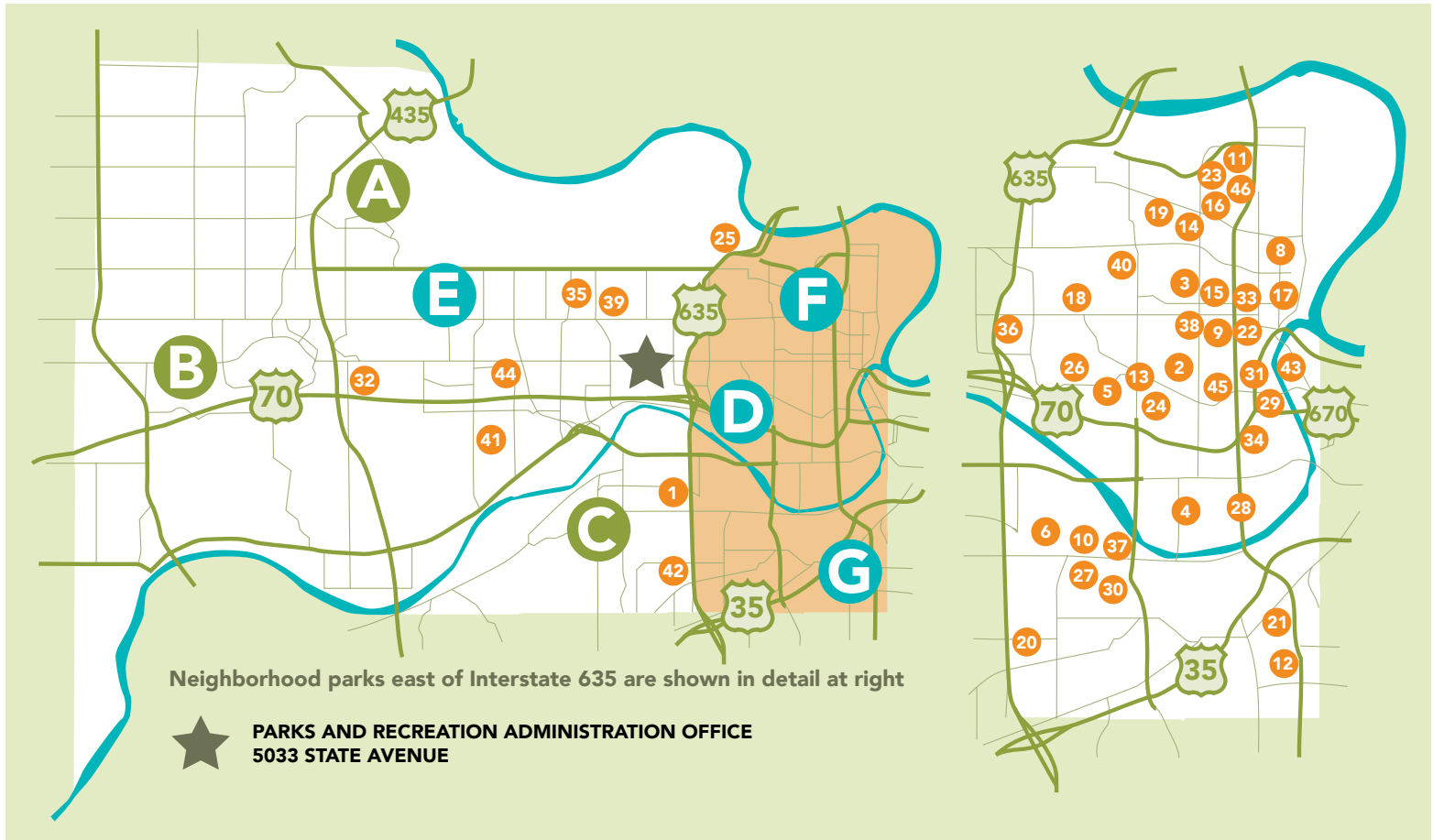
Single Patron	\$110.00
Senior Patron	\$85.00
Junior Patron	\$85.00
Family Patron	\$135.00

Season Passes

	Walking Season Pass	Including Golf Cart
Single Season Pass	\$1,600	\$2,525
Senior Season Pass	\$900	\$1,700
Family Season Pass	\$2,015	\$3,485
Twilite Season Pass	n/a	\$1,335
	Single	Family
Driving Range Pass	\$450.00	\$695.00

REGIONAL, COMMUNITY & NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS





REGIONAL PARKS

- A. Wyandotte County Lake Park** – 91st & Leavenworth Road
- B. Wyandotte County Park** – 126th & State Avenue
- C. Pierson Park** – Douglas & S. 55th Street

COMMUNITY PARKS

- D. City Park** – Park Drive & S. 26th Street
- E. Eisenhower Park** – Georgia Avenue & N. 22nd Street
- F. Klamm Park** – Cleveland Avenue & N. 22nd Street
- G. Rosedale Park** – Mission Road & W. 41st Street

NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS

- 1. Leo Alvey Park** – Metropolitan Avenue & S. 49th Street
- 2. Bethany Park** – Central Avenue & N. 12th Street
- 3. Big Eleven Lake** – State Avenue & N. 11th Street
- 4. Bill Clem Park** – Kansas Avenue & 10th Street
- 5. Clifton Park** – Park Drive & 23rd Street
- 6. Clopper Park** – Powell Avenue & S. 34th Street
- 7. Coronado Park** – Freeman Avenue & N. 52nd Street
- 8. Edgerton Park** – Edgerton Avenue & N. 3rd Street
- 9. Eighth Street Park** – Barnett Avenue & N. 8th Street
- 10. Emerson Park** – Strong Avenue & S. 29th Street
- 11. Fairfax Park** – Manor Crest Drive & N. 7th Street
- 12. Fisher Park** – Fisher Street & W. 39th Avenue
- 13. Flat Iron Park** – Central Avenue & 14th Street
- 14. Heathwood Park** – Parallel Parkway & N. 10th Street
- 15. Huron Park** – Minnesota Avenue & N. 6th Street
- 16. Jersey Creek Park** – N. 5th Street to N. 18th Street on Parallel Parkway

- 17. Kaw Point Park** – Fairfax Traffic Way at the Levee
- 18. Kensington Park** – State Avenue & N. 29th Street
- 19. Mac's Park** – Glendale Avenue & Garfield Avenue
- 20. Matney Park** – Shawnee Drive & S. 40th Street
- 21. Mt. Marty Park** (Rosedale Arch)
Seminary Avenue & Hill Street
- 22. Northrup Park** – Grandview Boulevard & N. 10th Street
- 23. Parkwood Park** – 952 Quindaro Boulevard
- 24. Prescott Park** – Ridge & 13th Street
- 25. Quindaro Park** – Sewell Avenue & N. 34th Street
- 26. Regan Park** – Park Drive & 27th Street
- 27. Ruby Park** – Ruby Avenue & S. 30th Street
- 28. Shawnee Park** – Shawnee Avenue & S. 7th Street
- 29. Simpson Park** – 726 Central Avenue
- 30. Silver City Park** – Lawrence Avenue & S. 25th Street
- 31. Splitlog Park** – 715 Splitlog Avenue
- 32. Stony Point Park** – Elizabeth Avenue & N. 86th Street
- 33. St. Johns Park** – Ann Avenue & N. 4th Street
- 34. St. Margaret's Park** – Homer Avenue & S. 7th Street
- 35. Thomson Park** – Nogard Avenue & N. 59th Street
- 36. Trolley Park** – Central Avenue & 19th Street
- 37. Vega Park** – Metropolitan Avenue & S. 24th Street
- 38. Waterway Park** – Grandview Boulevard & N. 11th Street
- 39. Welborn Park** – Rowland Avenue & N. 55th Street
- 40. Westheight Park** – Wood Avenue & N. 22nd Street
- 41. Riverview Park** – 100 S. 74th Street
- 42. Hope Park** – Crest Drive & S. 47th Street
- 43. Holy Family Park** – Orchard & 6th Street
- 44. Delaware** – Ann Avenue & 74th Street
- 45. Lally Park** – Central Avenue & 10th Street
- 46. Boston Daniel Park** – Waverly Avenue & 8th Street

HELPFUL INFORMATION

WYANDOTTE COUNTY HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Located in the Wyandotte County Park, 126th and State Ave., 631 N. 126th, Bonner Springs, KS 913-573-5002

Exhibit and Archives Hours:

Mon. - Sat., 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Closed: Sundays and Holidays

Archives: By appointment

The Wyandotte County Museum staff works to identify, collect, preserve, interpret, and disseminate material and information pertaining to Wyandotte County history in order to assist the public in understanding, appreciating, and assisting in the preservation of the heritage of our city and county.

AZURA AMPHITHEATRE 633 N. 130TH, BONNER SPRINGS, KS 66102

Azura Amphitheatre is an open-air performance venue located in Bonner Springs, Kansas. Opened in 1984 as Sandstone Amphitheatre, it is a place where concert fans have been making memories for over twenty years. Audience capacity at Azura Center Amphitheatre is 18,000 people, including approximately 3,100 box and reserved seats.

CROSS COUNTRY TRAIL

The Cross Country Trail is located in Wyandotte County Park, 126th and State Avenue. The closest access to the trail is adjacent to Shelter F on 126th by the first entrance into the park. Many schools in the metropolitan area have used this trail for their cross country events.

The trail is mowed summer and fall the public is welcome to use the trail except for days scheduled for school events. If Shelter F is reserved, additional parking for runners is available at the soccer field.

BRIDLE TRAIL

The bridle trail at Wyandotte County Lake Park, 91st and Leavenworth Road, is a scenic 10 mile ride. The trail starts at the 83rd Street entrance next to a horse trailer parking lot. There is no fee for horses, riders, trailers. The trail is open during daylight hours only.

NOXIOUS WEEDS

Herbicides to eradicate those weeds deemed noxious by the Kansas Legislature, will be sold at the Noxious Weeds office located in front of Shelter 2 at Wyandotte County Lake Park. To purchase the chemicals, you must be a Wyandotte County resident, be able to identify one or more noxious weeds on your property, and have an ID proving your residency. Cash is the only method of payment accepted. For more information, including a list of the current noxious weeds, please visit the Unified Government of Wyandotte County Parks & Recreation website: www.wycokck.org/Parks, and search "Noxious Weeds", or call (913) 573-8392.

VACANT LOTS

To report a vacant lot with overgrown grass or weeds, please call (913) 573-8306. Include in your message: The address or cross streets of vacant lot, your name, and a contact number. Calls will only be returned if more information is needed regarding the lot. Lots will be assessed and handled accordingly. Any overgrown lot that has a house, whether occupied or vacant, on it should be submitted to Code Enforcement at (913) 573-8600.

THE WYANDOTTE COUNTY PARKS FOUNDATION

The Wyandotte County Parks Foundation is a non-profit, 501 C3 organization that provides opportunities for individuals and organizations to improve the quality of life through the support of parks and recreation services in Wyandotte County Kansas.

To make a donation, please send your contribution to:

The Wyandotte County Parks Foundation

5033 State Avenue

Kansas City, Kansas 66102

Attention: Jennifer Slaughter, President

If you have questions, call 913-573-8327

parksinfo@wycokck.org

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NOVEMBER 4TH

TIME: 11 AM TO 2PM

**KENSINGTON GYM
2900 STATE AVE.
913-551-0407**

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DEPARTMENT PRESENTS

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Fun for all, activities will include inflatables, face painting,
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Santa. (While supplies last)

DECEMBER 9, 2023

9:00AM - 12:00 PM

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Philosophies:

A. Mission Statement

"Enriching the quality of life for our community through safe, well-maintained parks and facilities that promote diverse recreation activities, health, wellness, learning, and fun."

B. Vision Statement

"To provide excellent services that create a happy and healthy community where all residents can play, learn, work, and live."

C. Parks & Recreation Department Core Values

1. **Customer Service:** We are committed to providing service that is responsive, professional, courteous, and accountable.
2. **Teamwork:** We are committed to build strong, professional relationships internally with our department and organization as a team as well as our community partners.
3. **Integrity:** We are honest, transparent, fair, and respectful in all interactions.
4. **Innovation:** We are committed to exploring new methods and ideas as it relates to programming, park management, and planning.
5. **Health & Wellness:** We value health and wellness and strive to improve the overall health and wellness of our community through our services.
6. **Safety:** We strive to provide safe, clean, and accessible parks, facilities, and programs.
7. **Social Equity:** We are committed to creating parks and recreation services that are equally accessible and available to all residents in our community