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PARKS & RECREATION IN MEMPHIS

City of Memphis, Division of Park Services

A Guide to Your Area City Programs & Activities





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Museums and Gardens
Under Park Services

Memphis Botanic Garden

750 Cherry Road
Memphis, TN 38117
901-576-4100
www.memphisbotanicgarden.com

Memphis Zoo

2000 Prentiss Place
Memphis, TN 38112
901-276-WILD
www.memphiszoo.org

Pink Palace Family of Museums

3050 Central Ave.
Memphis, TN 38111
901-320-6320
www.memphismuseums.org

Lichterman Nature Center

5992 Quince Road
Memphis, TN 38117
901-767-7322
www.memphismuseums.org

The Memphis Brooks Museum

1934 Poplar Avenue
Memphis, TN 38104
901-544-6200
www.brooksmuseum.org

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Memphis residents are invited to enjoy the benefits of recreation through year-round, tax-supported programs and services offered by the City of Memphis, Division of Park Services. A wide range of activities and programs for children, youth, adults, seniors and people with disabilities are available at your neighborhood community centers.

Memphis Division of Park Services

Cynthia Buchanan, Director

Administrative Offices
2599 Avery Ave. Memphis, TN 38112-4879

- Phone: 901-576-4200
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- <http://parks.memphistn.gov>
- Hours: 8:30 am - 5:00 pm, Monday - Friday

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Stephan Lang, Tennis	901-398-8797
Margaret Starks, Park Rentals	901-576-7231
Zonna Ward, Special Centers	901-576-4220



Davis Park and Community Center

Full-Time and Part-Time Employment

For full-time and part-time employment opportunities, visit the employment page on the City of Memphis website, memphistn.gov. or call the JobLine at 901-576-6548. You can also visit the Employment Offices at City Hall, Room 1B-33, 125 North Main Street; or at 4225 Riverdale, from 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

For part-time employment opportunities only, you can also call or come into any community center, Area Office or the Administration Office.

Volunteer Opportunities

We rely on our volunteers for their knowledge, energy, and generosity. Many volunteers teach at community centers and senior centers. We need volunteers for the following:

- Coaches for youth athletics (basketball, football, soccer, baseball, softball, volleyball)
- Computer instructors
- Tutors for grades K-12, all subject areas
- Instructors for the creative and performing arts.
- Your special skills! Call 901-576-4200 with your ideas for a class or program.

Note: A background check will be done on all volunteers.

Partnership and Sponsorship Opportunities

Partnerships - Businesses, civic organizations, neighborhood associations, youth groups, church groups, and other organizations often provide volunteers, materials, equipment, and other resources to our facilities. Could your organization benefit from a partnership with a community center or senior center? We may be able to provide meeting space and opportunities for your group to grow.

Sponsorships - There are many children that would not be able to attend camp, play sports, or participate in educational activities if it wasn't for the generous sponsorships of individuals, organizations and businesses in the community. We welcome sponsorships to the general operations at our community centers, or directed sponsorship to our Camp, Athletics, Aquatics or other specified use.

For information, contact any Community Center, Area Office or the Administration Office at 901-576-4200.

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Rental of Community, Senior and Specialty Centers

The public spaces at City of Memphis community centers, senior centers, aquatic facilities and athletic fields are available for rental. Please visit communitycenters.memphistn.gov to read the full rental policy for complete information.

Community and Senior Centers - The fee structure is dictated by the size, scope and amenities of each facility. A four tier system has been developed which allows for reasonable prices far below private facility fees. Facilities range in price from \$50 to \$125 an hour. Please call the facility your are interested in for fees and reservations. **Community Center list - page 9, Senior Center list - page 22.** You can also call 901-576-4203 for general questions.

Aquatics Centers - Hickory Hill and Bickford Indoor Aquatics Centers are rented with a \$100 refundable deposit and a \$1,000,000.00 Insurance Policy. Hickory Hill (120 capacity) is \$525 per 3 hour rental and \$175 each additional hour, and Bickford (100 capacity) is \$300 per 3 hour rental and \$100 each additional hour. Hickory Hill also has a party room (30 capacity) that can be rented for \$100 per 3 hour rental and \$50 each additional hour. \$50 clean-up refundable deposit. Call Hickory Hill (901-566-9685) or Bickford (901-578-3732) for details.

Athletic Fields - Many of our fields are for rent, Please visit adultathletics.memphistn.gov for details.

Rental of Golf Facilities

Several clubhouses are available for rental for family reunions, weddings, meetings and other functions.

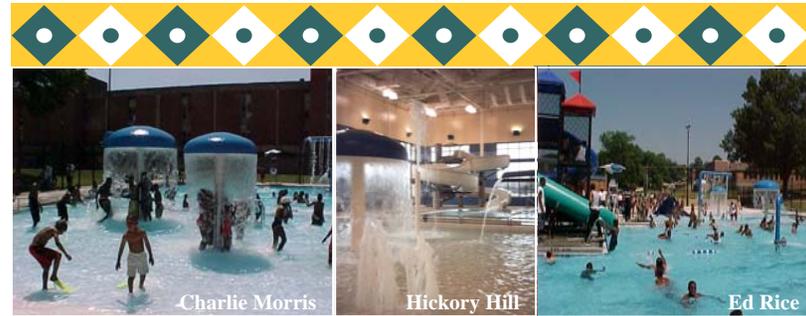
The Links at Riverside and **The Links at Overton**: \$150.00 an hour. Call for more information: Riverside 576-4296, Overton 725-9905

The Links at Whitehaven: Rates range from \$1,000 to \$2,000 for 5 hours depending on date and for-profit vs. non-profit status. A \$200 non-refundable deposit is required. Please call 396-1608 for availability and more information.



For other clubhouse rentals, please contact the location you are interested in for information.
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Indoor Pools

Open year-round, call for days, hours and fees.

Bickford Pool	235 Henry Ave.	578-3732	Closed Sunday
Hickory Hill Pool	3910 Ridgeway Rd.	547-8018	Closed Sunday
Orange Mound Serv. Ctr. Pool	2590 Park	576-6622	Closed Sat. & Sun.
Raymond Skinner Center	712 Tanglewood	272-2528	Persons with disabilities only. Admission Free. Closed Sat. & Sun.

Outdoor Pools

Open the first week of June to the first week of August Mon -Sat: 12 noon - 6 pm. closed Sunday. Admission is free.

L E Brown Pool	617 S. Orleans	527-3620
Charlie Morris Pool	1235 Brown	272-0327
Douglass Pool	1616 Ash	323-3542
Ed Rice Pool	2907 N. Watkins	353-0627
Gaisman Pool	4223 Macon	374-9182
Gooch Pool	1974 Hunter	276-9685
Lester Pool	317 Tilman	323-2261
Pine Hill Pool	973 Alice	947-2978
Raleigh Pool	3678 Powers	372-1930
Riverview Pool	182 Joubert	948-7609
Tom Lee Pool	328 Peach	527-3748
Westwood Pool	833 Western Park	789-6275
Willow Pool	4777 Willow	763-2917

<http://aquatics.memphistn.gov>

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Summer Job Opportunity
Lifeguards will be hired for all pools from February to April. Call 547-8018 for information on training & certification.. (16+ only)

Athletics Mission:

To provide opportunities for youth and adults to participate in quality organized recreational league team sports at safe and well maintained facilities while gaining exposure to good sportsmanship and benefits derived from a team effort.

**Adult Leagues:
Basketball, Softball, Soccer, and Volleyball**

Jackie Trenthem, Interim Manager, Athletics
Athletic Office: 4845 Willow Rd.
767-4580

Teams will draw for Spring and Fall Softball on a first-come, first-serve basis. When you register and pay your league fee, you will make the selection of field and game night. All other sports will be assigned a league night and site.

Entry Fees: Cashier’s checks, company checks, personal checks and money orders are accepted. No cash or credit cards will be accepted.

Softball Fields

Kennedy Complexes (1-9)	4577 Raleigh-LaGrange
Rodney Baber Complex (1-8)	2215 James
Tobey Complex (2-4)	2599 Avery
Willow Complex (2-4)	4971 Willow

For field playability, call 323-0023 after 3 pm.

**New Flag Football League
Call for more details.**

Team Entry Fees for Adult Leagues

Summer Softball	\$410.00	12 games
Summer Basketball	\$350.00	10 games
Fall Softball	\$250.00	7 games
Fall Basketball	\$350.00	10 games
Volleyball	\$250.00	7 games
Flag Football	\$350.00	8 games

* Fees are subject to change.

City Tournaments are held for each league sport.

Rental of City Parks

Picnic tables and general use of space are available on a first-come, first-served basis, however, if a reservation is desired; for a small fee, city parks can be reserved for small events such as picnics, parties and family reunions. In addition, public, private, and non-profit entities are allowed to rent larger areas of the parks for special events. Call 901-576-4231 for rental information. When you call, please state any special permission you are requesting - see below for details – and the name of the park you are interested in.

Fees Pavilions: Small \$45, Medium \$60, Large \$100
Usage rental fees vary per park and depending on the amount of the park being reserved. Please call with the names of the parks you are interested in for more details

Rules and Policies

The following is not permitted in City parks unless special permission is granted by the Division of Park Services:

- Sale / Exhibition of products
- Sale / Consumption of alcohol
- Fires
- Erecting of poles and wires
- Stands, platforms or bill-posting
- Fishing
- Use of model airplanes or boats

Visit <http://parks.memphistn.gov> and click on Regulations and Policies for more information and guidelines on park usage.

Under Riverfront Development Corporation Management

Several of our riverfront parks are managed by the RDC. Please call the RDC Program and Event Coordinator at 901-576-7237 for rental information or visit their website at www.memphisriverfront.com/parks

Riverfront parks including: Martyrs, Crump, Vance, and Chickasaw Heritage are available for limited use on a reservation basis. Permits for park usage are required.

As Tom Lee, Greenbelt, Confederate and Jefferson Davis Parks, along with the Cobblestone Landing, are the primary downtown parks providing regular open access to the public; it is the general policy of the RDC to keep these parks open for public recreational use on a regular basis. Therefore, with the exception of certain annual events, it is the policy of RDC not to permit events in these parks which restrict public access and full use.

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Parks in District 7

Army - Navy Parks	Ashburn-Coppock Park
Bickford Park, Pool & C.C,	Brinkley Park
Colonial Park	Columbus Park
Confederate Park	Country Square Park
Davy Crockett Golf Course	Douglass Park, C.C. & Pool
Edison Park	Elizabeth Malone Park
Firestone Park	Forrest Park
Fulmer Park	Gragg Park
Grandview Park	Greenlaw Park
Gooch Park & Pool	Guthrie Park / Dave Wills C. C.
Handy Park	Hollywood Park, C. C. & Headstart
Jackson Park	Jefferson Davis Park
Klondike Park / Sexton C.C. / Morris Aquatic Center	Linden Triangle
Lucille Price Park	Martyrs Park
Mississippi River Greenbelt	Morris Park
Mud Island Park	New Chicago Park
Riverside Drive Bluff	Robert Church Park
Rodney Baber Park	Rozelle-Annesdale Park
Tom Lee Park	University Park
Vance Park	Vieh Park
Walter Malone Park	Washington Park
Watkins and Oberle Park	Westside Park
Winchester Park	



Adult Coed-Softball Champions - Allied Pest Control

Adult Athletic Calendar

February	Mandatory Meeting for Summer Softball Managers
February	Basketball City Tournament Begins
March	Umpire Clinics
March	Registration for League and Team Softball
April	ASA Umpire Practical
April	Summer Softball Registration Deadline
April	Summer Basketball Registration Begins
April	Summer Softball League Begins
May	Summer Basketball Registration Deadline
June	Summer Basketball League Begins
July	Summer Basketball City Tournament Starts
August	Fall Softball Registration Begins
August	Fall Volleyball Registration Begins
August	Men's Summer Softball Tournament
August	Coed. Summer Softball Tournament
September	Fall Softball League Begins
September	Fall Volleyball Registration Deadline
September	Mandatory Meeting for Basketball Managers
September	Fall Basketball Registration Begins
September	Fall Volleyball Begins
October	Fall Softball Tournament Begins
October	Fall Basketball Registration Deadline
November	Fall Basketball Begins

Call for specific dates as they change from year to year.

<http://adultathletics.memphistn.gov>

**Youth Sports
Basketball, Softball, Soccer, Flag Football
and Volleyball**

Jackie Trenthem: Interim Manager, Athletics
Athletic Offices: (main) 4845 Willow Rd. 767-4580
2893 North Watkins 353-9786
4376 Horn Lake Rd. 789-5665

The Youth Athletics program is open to all Memphis youth 18 and under. Games are held at Memphis community centers and selected other locations. All entry fees for youth teams are \$150.00 per team. All City of Memphis community center teams are exempt from entry fees except for Spring Competitive Basketball.

Entry Fees: Cashier's checks, company checks, personal checks and money orders are accepted. No cash or credit cards will be accepted.

Boys	Age Divisions	Girls
Tots	5 & 6 year olds	Tots
Bantam	8 & Under	Bantam
Midget	10 & Under	Lassie
Pee Wee	12 & Under	Junior
Junior	14 & Under	Freshman
Senior	16 & Under	Sophomore
Major	18 & Under	Senior

Coach's Certification / Officials Clinics

February	Spring Soccer Officials Clinic
February	Volleyball Officials Clinic
March	NYSCA Soccer & Volleyball Coach's Certification
April	Baseball Umpire's Clinic
April - May	NYSCA Baseball / Softball Coach's Certification
May	Baseball Umpire's Clinic
October	Basketball Officials Clinic

Background checks are preformed on all youth coaches.

- Boxtown Park
- Carver Park
- Chandler Park
- Dalstrom Park
- Falcon Park
- Fairway Park
- L.M. Graves Park
- Geeter Park
- M.L King Park & Marina /
Riverside Golf Course
- Otis Redding Park
- Pine Hill Park, Pool & C.C. /
Pine Hill Golf Course
- Redbud Park
- Roosevelt Park
- Southside Park
- Trigg East Park
- Walker Park
- Western Cove Park
- Westwood Park / Charles Powell
C. C.
- L.E. Brown Park & Pool
- O.L. Cash Park
- Chickasaw Park
- David Carnes Park
- Fairley Park
- Ford Park
- Gaston Park & C.C. / Head Start &
Library
- Lincoln School Park
- McNeil Park
- Patton Park
- Polly Williams Park
- Riverview Park, Pool & C.C.
- Sidney Lanier Park
- Texas Courts Park
- Trigg West Park
- Walter Chandler Park / Lakeview
Senior Center/ West Zone Office
- Western Park
- Will Carruthers Park



Dalstrom



M. L. King

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Parks in District 5

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| Audubon Park & Golf Course | Avon Park |
| Binghampton Park | Botanic Garden |
| Charles Davis Park / Davis C.C. | Chickasaw Gardens Park |
| Dlugach Park | East High Sportsplex |
| Gaisman Park / Gaisman C.C. | Galloway Golf Course |
| Highland Park | Howze Park / Lester C.C. |
| Marquette Park | Memphis Zoo |
| Overton Park & Golf Course | Peabody Park / R. Skinner Center |
| Pink Palace Museum | Poplar at Highland |
| Sea Isle Park | Treadwell Park |
| Tobey Park. McWherter S. C. | Williamson Park |
| Bloch Cancer Survivors Park | |



Audubon



Overton



Chickasaw



Cancer Survivors

Parks in District 6

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| Alonzo Weaver Park / Mitchell C.C. | Belz Park |
| Bison Cove Park | Booth Park |

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Youth Athletic Calendar

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| January | Draw for Fall Basketball City Tournament |
| February | Registration for Spring Soccer & Volleyball Begins |
| March | Fall Basketball City Tournament |
| March | Baseball / Softball League Registration Begins |
| March | Deadline for Spring Soccer & Volleyball Registrations |
| March | Spring Basketball Registration Begins |
| March | Spring Soccer & Volleyball Begins |
| April | Deadline for Spring Basketball Registration |
| April | Spring Basketball League Begins |
| April | Deadline for Baseball / Softball League Registrations |
| May | Baseball / Softball League Begin |
| June | Draw for Spring Baseball / Softball City Tournament |
| June | Spring Basketball City Tournament |
| July | Baseball City Tournament |
| July | Fall Soccer and Baseball Registrations Begins |
| August | Flag Football Registration Begins |
| August | Deadline for Fall Soccer and Baseball Registrations |
| September | Deadline for Flag Football Registration |
| September | Fall Soccer and Baseball Leagues Begin |
| September | Fall Basketball Registration Begins |
| September | Flag Football League Begins |
| October | Deadline for Fall Basketball Registration |
| November | Fall Basketball League Begins |

Call for specific dates as they change from year to year.

<http://youthathletics.memphistn.gov>

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Mission: To provide a safe and honest environment that will offer a wide variety of programs and services which meet the identified needs of the community.

Each Community Center Provides:

- 5 Pronged Core Service areas:
 1. Health, Fitness and Wellness Services and Programs
 2. Educational Development and Training
 3. Cultural Arts Programming
 4. Dance and Musical Expression
 5. Character Building and Social Development.
- Summer Camp
- A gymnasium, game room, meeting rooms, art studio, kitchen
- Supervised youth team sports
- Time for free play
- Holiday Events (Easter, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Etc.)

Many Community Centers Offer:

- Aquatics
- Homework help
- MIFA Lunches served Monday-Friday to ages 55+ (participating Senior Centers only)
- Outdoor athletic fields, walking trails, and playgrounds
- CO-ACT unit (police)
- Partnerships with organizations such as Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, AARP, and neighborhood associations.
- Fitness Center

Residency Policy

Some of the activities offered might require an additional fee for persons who live outside the Memphis City Limits.

Fees

While most services at your neighborhood community center are free, some classes do charge an affordable fee.

Facility Rental

All community centers are available for family reunions, banquets, wedding receptions, business meetings, and more. See Rental Section for information. (Page 38)



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Parks in District 3

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| Easthaven Park | Emerald Park |
| Flowering Peach Park | Fox Meadows Golf Course |
| Gardenview Park | Halle Sports Park |
| Hickory Hill C.C. and Pool | Medal of Honor Park |
| C.P.J. Mooney Park | Oakhaven Park |
| Raines Road Park | Singleton Park / Woodale Tennis Ctr |
| Tchulahoma at Shelby | Tchulahoma at Holmes |
| Whitehaven Golf Course | Whitehaven Park / Whitehaven C.C. / Roarke Tennis Center |
| Wilson Park | |



Parks in District 4

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|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Alcy Samuals | Alcy Warren |
| American Way Park | Brentwood Park |
| Charjean Park | Cherokee Park |
| Glenview Park / Glenview C.C. | Godwin Park |
| Hanley Park | Jesse Turner Park |
| Lewis Davis Park | Liberty Bowl / Fairgrounds |
| Lincoln Park | Magnolia Park |
| McFarland Park / McFarland C.C. | Robert O'Brien Park |
| Orange Mound Service Center | Orange Mound C.C. |
| Sherwood Park | Wagner Park |

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Parks in District 1

George Albertson Park	Martha Byrnes Park
Carver Heights Park	Egypt Central Park / Frayser-Raleigh S.C.
Frayser Park / Ed Rice C.C. & Pool	Georgian Hills
Kennedy Park / Alzheimers Daycare Center	Lazarov Park
Litty Park	Pierotti Park / Raleigh C.C.& Pool
Pershing Park	Picket Park / North Frayser C.C.
Raleigh Bartlett Meadows Park	John C. Shivler Park
Trezevant Park	J.T. Willingham Park / Cunningham C.C.
Walker Hall Park	



Picket



Raleigh-Bartlett Meadows

Parks in District 2

Brennan Park	Cordova Park / Bert Ferguson C.C.
Fletcher Creek Park (coming soon)	Germanshire Park
Heroes Park	Judge Andrew Holmes Park
Lichterman Nature Center	May Park
Winridge Park	Willow Park / Marion Hale C.C.
Wolbrecht Tennis Center	

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Center Locations

Get involved with your neighborhood community center - a safe place for all ages to meet new friends, socialize, learn new skills, keep fit, and stay healthy. There are 28 Memphis Community Centers
 (* Sites with Senior Programs)

Mega Centers

Bert Ferguson*	8505 Trinity Road	309-1761
Hickory Hill*	3910 Ridgeway Road	566-9685

North Area

Bickford*	233 Henry	527-8752
Cunningham	3773 Old Allen	377-3037
Dave Wells	915 Chelsea	526-7193
Douglass*	1616 Ash	327-6131
Ed Rice*	2907 North Watkins	357-6919
Gaisman*	4221 Macon	682-6161
Glenview	1141 South Barksdale	576-7080
Greenlaw	190 Mill	527-8313
Hollywood*	1560 North Hollywood	458-4084
North Frayser	2555 St. Elmo	353-9419
Raleigh*	3678 Powers	372-2085
Katie H. Sexton*	1235 Brown	576-7070

West Area

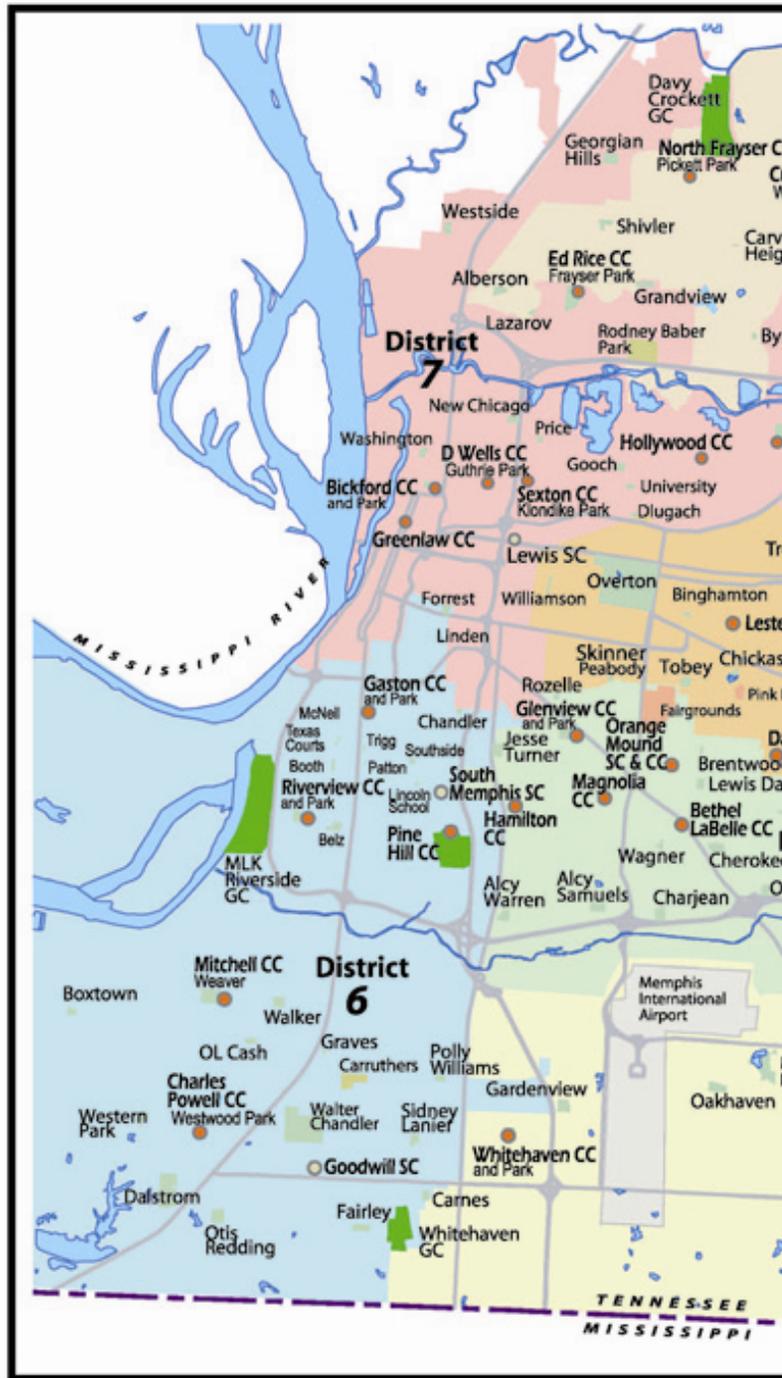
Bethel LaBelle	2698 Larose	743-6875
Charles Powell (Westwood)	810 Western Park	785-5975
Davis	3371 Spottswood	323-8015
Gaston	1048 South Third	774-4156
Hamilton	1363 East Person	947-6417
Lester	317 Tilman	324-2639
Marion Hale	4791 Willow	685-8120
McFarland	4955 Cottonwood	362-8350
Mitchell	602 West Mitchell	789-2927
Orange Mound	2572 Park	576-6878
Pine Hill	973 Alice	774-7950
Riverview	1891 Kansas	774-3041
Simon/Boyd (Magnolia)	2130 Wabash	274.3048
Whitehaven	4318 Graceland	332-0783

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2007 Campers

Hickory Hill 3910 Ridgeway Rd., 38115 566-9685
 M-F (6am-9pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 566-1428

Amenities

Multi-Purpose Room	Arts & Crafts Room	Gymnasium with Walking Track	Banquet Room
Computer Room	Dance Studio	Fitness Center	Playground
Game Room	Indoor Pool	Basketball Court	Toddler Room

Programs & Classes

Badminton	Basketball	Cheerleading	Volleyball
Aerobics & Strength Training	Karate -Youth & Adult	Swim Team	“Cooking for Life”
ESL Classes for non-natives	Basic Computer	Home Security & Personal Safety	Arts & Crafts — Youth and Adult
Ceramics	Drama	Ethnic Arts	Card Games
“News for the Hill”	Various Seminars	African Jazz Dance	Drill Team & Drum Squad
Water Aerobics	Quilting	Jazzercise	

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NORTH AREA

Bickford 233 Henry, 38108 527-8752
 M-F (8:30am-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 527-6879

Amenities

Computer Room	Meeting Room	Gymnasium	Indoor Pool
Game Room	Baseball Field	Playground	Park

Programs & Classes

Exercise Classes	Walking Trail	Basketball	Baseball
Family Hour	Tutoring	Spanish	Sigh Language
Quilting	Arts and Crafts	Ceramics	Piano
Mentoring			

Cunningham 3773 Old Allen, 38128 377-3037
 T-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-5pm) Fax 377-2480

Amenities

Banquet Room	Craft Room	Gymnasium	Game Room
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Programs & Classes

Exercise Classes	Health Fairs	Drama	Arts and Crafts
Spanish	Creative Dance	Cheerleading	Majorettes
Boy Scouts	Girls Incorporated		

Dave Wells 915 Chelsea, 38107 526-7193
 M-F (12p-8pm) S (9am-5pm) Fax 578-8966

Amenities

Banquet Room	Craft Room	Gymnasium	Game Room
Weight Room			

Programs & Classes

Exercise Classes	GED Classes	Drama	Arts and Crafts
Hip-Hop Dance	Ballet	Boy Scouts	Arize
U-CANN			

Memphis Park Land

Memphis Park Services maintains 167 parks totaling 3,219 acres. There are all different types of parks. Some are large like Overton Park and some are smaller community or neighborhood parks. Many of our parks are connected with community centers or next to schools. They often have play equipment, ball fields, walking trails/tracks and other recreational facilities. Thirty-two of our parks are listed as historically significant or are a “special” park like *The Richard & Annette Bloch Cancer Survivors Park*. Whatever your needs, we probably have a park for you.

For a complete list of Parks, please visit <http://parks.memphistn.gov> were you are able to search for the park amenities you are looking for. You can search by the size of the park, if it is historically significant, or if it has the recreational facilities you are looking for such as:

- Community Centers
- Ball Fields
- Basketball Courts
- Golf Courses
- Swimming Pools
- Play or Fitness Equipment
- Soccer Fields
- Tennis Courts
- Walking Trails

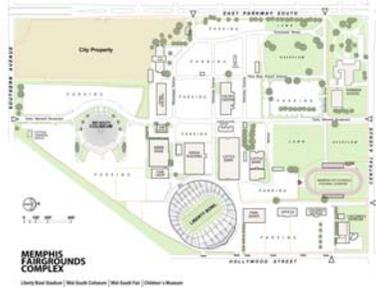
Park Hours

Summer Hours:
 March 15th through
 October 31st:
 6:00 am - 8:00 pm

Winter Hours:
 November 1st through
 March 14th:
 6:00 am - 6:00 pm



<http://parks.memphistn.gov>



Mid-South Fairgrounds Complex

940 Early Maxwell Boulevard
 Memphis, Tn 38104
 (901) 729-4344 / 831-4580

The Memphis Fairgrounds Complex includes 168 acres, 135,747 sq. ft. of building space, the Mid-South Coliseum, and Liberty Bowl Memorial Stadium with 62,000 seats. Exhibit and rental facilities are available for civic and non-profit organizations as well as for commercial rentals.

Building Rental Information (901) 729-4344

- Building Rental rates for the Pipkin and Youth Buildings - \$2,500 per day for profit; \$2,000 per day for non-profit groups
- Practice Field Rental \$50 for every two hours of practice.
- The Liberty Bowl Memorial Stadium (call for information)

Please call or visit <http://parks.memphistn.gov> for event information.

The Liberty Bowl Memorial Stadium

335 South Hollywood
 Memphis, TN 38104
 (901) 729-4344 / 831-4580



The Liberty Bowl Memorial Stadium was opened in 1965 as a single-purpose football stadium. A synthetic-turf facility, seating 62,000, the stadium is the home field for the **University of Memphis** football team, **AutoZone Liberty Bowl**, **Southern Heritage Classic**, and occasional concerts.

Please call or visit <http://libertybowl.memphistn.gov> for event information.

Douglass 1616 Ash, 38108 327-6131
 T,W & TH (9am-8pm) Fax 452-0867
 M&F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-5pm)

Amenities

Banquet Room Craft Room Gymnasium Game Room
 Multi-Purpose Rm. Co-Act Police

Programs & Classes

Basketball Baseball Majorettes Creative Dance
 Ceramics Arts & Crafts Sewing Class Bible Study
 Reading & Storytelling Homework Assistance Douglass Elem. Right of Passage Girls Group

Ed Rice 2907 N. Watkins, 38127 357-6919
 M-F (9am-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 357-9986

Amenities

Gymnasium Outdoor Pool Tennis Courts Game Room
 Walking Trail/Park Banquet Room Dance Room Multi-Purpose Room.

Programs & Classes

Walking 4 Seniors Tennis Basketball Flag Football
 Volleyball Table Tennis Mentoring Ten Point Coalition
 GED Classes Tutoring Safe Kids Arts & Crafts
 Ceramics Majorettes & Drummers Modeling Boy Scouts & Girl Scouts
 Girls Inc. Memphis Bridges



<http://communitycenters.memphistn.gov>

Gaisman 4221 Macon 38122 682-6161
 M-F (8am-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 682-7081

Amenities

Gymnasium Craft Room Game Room Outside Pool

Programs and Classes

Aerobics	Exercise Class	Line Dancing	Tea Dances
Bible Study	Speakers	Ceramics	Arts & Crafts
Country Music Jam	Randy's Fitness Booster	Guitar lessons	Senior Citizen Programs
Speakers			

Glenview 1141 S. Barksdale, 38114 576-7080
 M&W (9am-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 276-8257
 T, TH & F (12pm-8pm)

Amenities

Computer Lab Gymnasium Meeting Room Game Room
 Craft Room Multi-Purpose Rm.

Programs and Classes

Fitness Classes	Dance	Drama	Crafts
Martial Arts	Majorettes	Baton	

Greenlaw 190 Mill, 38105 576-8313
 T-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-5pm)

Amenities

Gymnasium Craft Room Game Room Playground

Programs and Classes

Fitness Classes	Weight Training	Tumbling	Basketball
Flag Football	Mentoring	Arts & Crafts	Majorettes
Dance	Music	Memphis Health Dept. Abstinence Program	



Tennis Memphis

Administrative Office: 398-8797
www.tennismemphis.org

In addition to tennis courts located at area parks, the City of Memphis has seven tennis facilities managed by Tennis Memphis. These facilities are open to the public and provide:

- Indoor & outdoor court rentals
- Permanent indoor court time
- USTA Adult League Tennis
- MALT Adult Leagues (NTRP levels but not sanctioned)
- Walk-in adult clinics
- Private lessons (times & fees vary by tennis instructor)
- After school and summer junior programs
- Adult & junior tournaments
- Racquet stringing services

Bellevue	1310 Bellevue	774-7199	4 outdoor / 2 indoor
Frayser	2907 N. Watkins	357-5417	8 outdoor
Leftwich	4145 Southern	685-7907	8 outdoor / 4 indoor
Raleigh	3680 Powers	372-2032	8 outdoor
Whitehaven - Eldon Roark	1500 Finley	332-0546	8 outdoor / 4 indoor
Wolbrecht	1645 Ridgeway	767-2889	6 outdoor / 2 indoor
Woodale	3391 Castleman	794-5045	8 outdoor



<http://parks.memphistn.gov>

Let's Play Golf!

Golf Administrative Office: 576-4260



Galloway



Pine Hill

Each City of Memphis golf course is staffed with qualified golf professionals. All courses provide rental riding and pull carts. The clubhouses at the following courses are available for rent. Please call the individual golf course of your choice for fee information.

18-Hole Course

The Links at Audubon 18-hole 6,345 yds. Par 70.	4160 Park Ave	(901) 683-6941
The Links at Davy Crockett 18-hole 6,200 yrd. Par 72	4382 Range Line Road	(901) 358-3375
The Links at Fox Meadows 18-hole 6,545 yds. Par 71.	3064 Clarke Rd.	(901) 362-0232
The Links at Galloway 18-hole 5,842 yds. Par 71.	3815 Walnut Grove	(901) 685-7805
The Links at Pine Hill 18-hole 5,894 yds. Par 70.	1005 Alice Ave.	(901) 775-9434

9-Hole Courses

The Links at Riverside 9-hole 2,813 yds. Par 34.	465 S. Parkway West	(901) 576-4296
The Links at Overton Park 9-hole 2,222 yds. Par 34.	2080 Poplar Ave.	(901) 725-9905
The Links at Whitehaven 9-hole 2,460 yds. Par 36.	750 E. Holmes Rd.	901) 396-1608

Tournament Packages

For information on applications, age/eligibility requirements, and costs, call the pro or manager at the designated course. Phone numbers are listed above.

Hollywood 1560 N. Hollywood, 38108 458-4084
M-F (8:30am-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 458-9499

Amenities

Weight Room Gymnasium Meeting Room Craft Room
Multi-Purpose Rm.

Programs and Classes

Fitness Classes Basketball I AM Program GED Program
Dance Drama Modeling Arts & Crafts

North Frayser 2555 St. Elmo, 38127 353-9419
M-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 353-1036

Amenities

Weight Room Gymnasium Computer Lab 2 Multi-Purpose Rms

Programs and Classes

Fitness Classes Weight Training Tumbling Basketball
Flag Football Power Walkers Tutoring Computer
Drama Majorettes Praise Dance Team Cheerleading
Hip-Hop Dance Boy Scouts & Girl Scouts Etiquette Class G.A.N.G.

Raleigh 3678 Powers, 38128 372-2085
M, W&F (8:30am-8pm) Fax 372-2360
T&TH (12pm-8pm) S (9am-2pm)

Amenities

Gymnasium Meeting Room Game Room Playground
Pool Tennis Courts

Programs and Classes

Martial Arts Senior Aerobics Basketball Flag Football
Swimming Tennis Girls Scouts Arts & Crafts
Ceramics Majorettes Seminars

<http://communitycenters.memphistn.gov>



Katie H. Sexton 1235 Brown, 38107 576-7070
 M-F (9am-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 272-3813

Amenities

Gymnasium Arts & Crafts Rm Game Room Fitness Room
 Cultural Arts Rm.

Programs and Classes

Exercise Classes Cook and Eat Computer Class Martial Arts
 Dance Youth Mentoring Homework Assistance Seminars

WEST AREA

Bethel LaBelle 2698 Larose, 38114 743-6875
 M-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 743-9349

Amenities

Gymnasium Computer Lab Arts & Crafts Rm. Game Room

Programs and Classes

Health & Fitness Volleyball Basketball Cook & Eat Class
 Arts & Crafts Drama Baton Dance
 Just Girls Social Family Night Game Room
 Group Activities Tournaments

Charles Powell (Westwood) 810 Western Park, 38109 785-5975
 M-F (9am-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 785-9303

Amenities

Gymnasium Arts & Crafts Rm Game Room Computer Lab
 Tennis Courts Meeting Room Basketball Courts

Programs and Classes

Tumbling Cheerleading Health & Wellness Aerobics
 Flag Football Basketball Volleyball Softball
 Cook and Eat Growth & Development Homework CPMC Mentoring Program
 Rhythm & Blues Dance Ceramics Arts and Crafts

Park Services: 576-4200

Activities and Programs

Please Note: All activities take place at the Skinner Center. Activities are directed by Skinner Staff at a 1 instructor to 7 participant ratio. In a week's time we will be able to determine if your child is qualified to attend our programs. If they are not qualified to attend, any fees paid will be refunded.

After School: 2-6 pm, Monday - Friday, September through May
 Assist children to and from buses, snacks, provide games, music, arts, and crafts.

Bingo: 1-2 pm Monday- Friday

Ceramics: 9-12 noon, Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday

Friday Night Dance: 6:00-8:00 pm every Friday Night.

Reach Out: 9 am-3 pm, Monday - Friday
 Recreation program for adults with mental retardation: activities include arts & craft, board games, ceramics, community trips, exercises, gym games, singing, sports, swimming and weight training. Call for schedule.

Square Dance: 7-9 pm, 2nd & 4th Tuesday, September through May.

High Bo Exercise Class: Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday, 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. \$2 per person.

Summer Camp and Other Classes

- Indoor/outdoor games, storytelling, swimming, music, arts & crafts, sports, skits, and weekly field trips.
- Mid-South Arc. once every three months
- Blind - Every third Saturday 1:30-4 pm
- Holiday camp is for school age kids. (\$10 per day)
- Sign language classes are held on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday 10-11 am
- Summer Camp: June - August each year
- Call for other classes and events. They can change monthly.

<http://parks.memphistn.gov>

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Raymond Skinner Center
712 Tanglewood
Memphis, TN 38104
901-272-2528

Our Mission: *To provide community-based recreational opportunities for individuals with physical and/or mental disabilities in a safe, attractive well maintained facility.*

The staff of the Skinner Center welcomes all persons with disabilities to take part in the activities and programs offered at the facility. Please call if you have questions about any of the offerings.

Hours:

M, T, TH & F (7:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.), W (7:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.)

Facility Amenities

- Heated indoor pool
- Game room
- Ceramics studio
- Gymnasium with a weight-lifting area
- Outdoor Spray-Grounds
 - Opening Date: 4th Saturday of May (Prior to Memorial Day)
 - Closing Date: 2nd Sunday of September



Davis 3371 Spottswood, 38111 323-8015
 M-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 323-8989

Amenities

Gymnasium Swimming Pool Tennis Courts Basketball Courts
 Arts & Crafts Rm Senior Program

Programs and Classes

Basketball Flag Football Soccer Volleyball
 Aerobics / Weights Karate Tumbling Yoga
 Mentoring Cheerleading Dance Youth Modeling

Gaston 1048 S. Third, 38106 774-4156
 T-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-5pm) Fax 774-8145

Amenities

Gymnasium Computer Lab Basketball Courts Game Room

Programs and Classes

Flag Football Basketball Gymnastics Tumbling
 Cook and Eat Ceramics Arts & Crafts Cheerleading
 Modern Dance Family Night Life Skills Movie Night

Hamilton 1363 Person, 38106 947-6417
 M-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-5pm) Fax 947-9656

Amenities

Gymnasium Computer Lab Tennis Courts Basketball Courts
 Arts & Crafts Rm

Programs and Classes

Volleyball Flag Football Basketball ESU Scholars
 Hamilton Helping Hands Kings Daughters Night of the Stars Milan Production Co.
 Book Club Arts & Crafts Majorettes

<http://communitycenters.memphistn.gov>



Lester 317 Tilman, 38112 324-2639
 M, W&F (12pm-8pm) Fax 324-9825
 T&TH (10am-8pm) S (9am-2pm)

Amenities

Gymnasium	Computer Lab	Game Room	Meeting Room
Arts & Crafts Rm	Dance Room	Park	Swimming Pool

Programs and Classes

Basketball	Flag Football	Nutrition Class	Homework Help
Tutoring Classes	Teen Book Club	Arts and Crafts	Photography
Hip-Hop Dance	Ballet & Jazz	Step Teams	Pom-Pom
Majorettes	Cheerleading	Social Group	

Marion Hale 4791 Willow, 38117 685-8120
 M-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 685-7290

Amenities

Gymnasium	Arts & Crafts Rm	Meeting Room
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Programs and Classes

Basketball	Volleyball	Karate	Adult Aerobics
Dance	Cooking w/Youth	Majorettes	Teen Rap
Heart to Soul	Family Night	Homework	Partnership
	Activities	Assistance	Meetings

McFarland 4955 Cottonwood, 38118 362-8350
 M-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 362-5490

Amenities

Gymnasium	Game Room	Multi-Purpose Rm.	Arts & Crafts Rm.
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Programs and Classes

Aerobics	Drama	Mud Dance	Family Night
Tarheel Jr. and Sr. Basketball Teams	Memphis Storm Basketball	All Starz Dance Group	Unique Dance Group
	MADAM for Girls	Boy Scouts	Youth Ministry



Orange Mound

Park Services: 576-4200

Are You an Olympian?

If you are 50 or better and like sports or just like keeping active with your friends, then you need to participate in the Senior Olympics.

Each year thousands of senior adults compete in District Olympic events held in April across Tennessee. Finalists from the Districts qualify for the State Finals, which are usually held in July. The State Finals winners qualify for the National Senior Olympics which are held every two years.

The Memphis District Senior Olympics is a competition of athletes aged 50 and older from Shelby, Fayette, Tipton, and Lauderdale counties. Athletes will compete in up to 17 "Olympic style" athletic events at various locations around Shelby County:

Badminton	Bowling	Basketball (3 on 3, free throw)
Cycling, 5K	Golf	Field Events (long jump, javelin, shot put, discus, high jump)
Horseshoes	Racquetball	Pickleball
5K Run	Shuffleboard	Softball Throw
Swimming	Table Tennis	Tennis
Volleyball	Track Events (100M, 200M, 400M, 800M, 1500M, 1500M Racewalk)	

Entry fee - \$15.00 includes Opening Dinner/Ceremony, T-shirt, medals, and Closing Luncheon.

Free Clinics are held in March for **Track and Field** and **Swimming**. Athletes have the opportunity to practice their sport and to receive official rules and registration packets.

Registration packets available at <http://seniorcenters.memphistn.gov> and all City of Memphis Senior Centers starting in February. Registration forms are due back in mid-March.

For more information contact: Clairene Tibbs, McWherter Senior Center, (901) 761-2462. Or visit <http://seniorcenters.memphistn.gov> for exact dates and fees of events as dates and fees are subject to change annually.



<http://seniorcenters.memphistn.gov>

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Our Mission: To serve individuals 55 years of age and older by providing leisure, wellness, and educational opportunities for the purpose of enriching quality of life, expanding interests, tapping potential, and developing talents in safe, attractive, well-maintained facilities.

Park Services Senior Centers provide a wide range of activities including field trips, seminars, special events, and classes. Members receive monthly newsletters listing menus and upcoming events. Hot nutritious lunches are served weekdays (\$4.00 for members and \$5.00 for guests).

Classes vary by location but include:

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| Aerobics | Computers | Dance | Choir Groups |
| Knitting | Quilting | Book Club | Card Games |
| Table Games | Golf | Tennis | Swimming |
| Bible Study | Spanish | Music Lessons | Health Checks |
| Arts & Crafts | Ceramics | Yoga | Creative Writing |

Weekly Dance Parties

Call your local center for classes and events or visit us on the web at <http://seniorcenters.memphistn.gov>.

Locations:

Frayser-Raleigh Senior Center	3984 Egypt Central	901-383-9101
Lewis Senior Center	1188 N. Parkway	901-576-4255
McWherter Senior Center	1355 Estate	901-761-2462
Orange Mound Community Service Center	2590 Park	901-576-6622
Goodwill Homes Senior Center (Privately Managed)	4590 Goodwill Road	901-785-6790
Ruth E. Tate Senior Center (Privately Managed)	1620 Marjorie Street	901-774-2000
Grashot Alzheimer's Day Services (Privately Managed)	4585 Raleigh LaGrange	901-372-4585

Park Services: 576-4200

Mitchell 602 West Mitchell, 38109 789-2927
M-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 789-5625

Amenities
Gymnasium Meeting room Craft Room Game Room

Programs and Activities

Health Fairs Planned Parenthood Arts and Crafts Dance Classes
African Jazz Dance Beginning Steppers Advanced Steppers Majorettes
Girl Scouts Outreach Ministries

Orange Mound 2572 Park, 38114 576-6878
M-F (9:30am-8pm) Fax 452-4548

Amenities
Gymnasium Computer Lab Game Room Craft Room

Programs and Activities

Basketball Flag Football Health & Wellness Physical Fitness
Aerobics Homework Help Tutoring Cook & Eat
Arts and Crafts Ceramics Dance and Music Family Night

Pine Hill 973 Alice, 38106 774-7950
T-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-5pm) Fax 774-1514

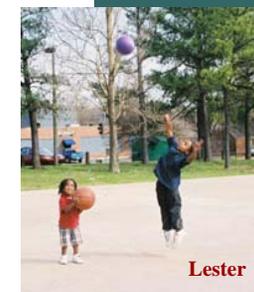
Amenities
Gymnasium Computer Lab Swimming Pool Game Room

Programs and Activities

Basketball Swimming Football Volleyball
Health & Wellness Physical Fitness Personal Hygiene Cook & Eat
Homework Assistance Computer Training Arts and Crafts Majorette
Drummers Family Night Senior Program

<http://communitycenters.memphistn.gov>

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Riverview 1891 Kansas, 38109 774-3041
 M-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 774-8185

Amenities

Gymnasium	Computer Lab	Game Room	Meeting Room
Arts & Crafts Rm	Softball Field	Football Field	Swimming Pool

Programs and Classes

Basketball	Flag Football	Tumbling	Cheerleading
Volleyball	Softball	Swimming	Arts & Crafts
Homework Assistance	Kids in the Kitchen	Lights, Camera, Action	Flames & Fragrances
Dance	Girls Inc.	Boy Scouts	We Can Help

Simon / Boyd (Magnolia) 2130 Wabash, 38114 274-3048
 M-F (10am-6pm) Fax 274-9328

Amenities

Gymnasium	Game Room	Arts & Crafts Rm.
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Programs and Classes

Basketball	Cheerleading	Tumbling	Fitness & Wellness
Aerobics	Flag Football	Chess	Arts & Crafts
Baton	Family Night Activities		



McFarland

At **Regular Registration** you have three options:

1. Pay balance from Early Registration process to guarantee a slot.
2. Pay entire fees for your child(ren) to guarantee a slot.
3. Pay one half of total fees with balance due at Late Registration. (pending slot availability at that time, no guarantee offered)

At **Late Registration** you must pay all Summer Camp fees for your child(ren) *if* slots are still available on this date.

For more information, please call 901-576-4203.



Camp Activities

Community Centers are clustered for some events.

- Aquatics (Campers are transported to the closest Aquatics Facility)
- Arts and Crafts
- Cultural Arts (Drama, Dance, etc.)
- Field Trips
- Basketball (3 on 3 City-wide League and Tournament)
- Baseball and Softball (at specific locations)
- Kickball
- Track and Field
- Tennis
- Playground and Gymnasium Games
- Cheerleading, Pom-Pom, Majorettes, Baton, and Drum Core

Mandatory Parent's Meeting

Please be advised that there will be a mandatory parent's meeting scheduled by each individual Community Center prior to the start of the camp. Parents and guardians will be given more specific information on rules and regulations, activities, and other processes and goals of the Summer Camps.

Your attendance will ensure that your child(ren) have a safe and fun summer at camp.

<http://communitycenters.memphistn.gov>



Memphis Park Services offers a **Summer Day Camp** (ages 5 to 12) at all its community centers and a **Summer Teen Camp** (ages 13 to 15) at seven community centers. A Summer Day Camp for the children with disabilities is also offered at the Skinner Development Center. These popular camps run for **9 weeks** and include educational classes, recreation and field trips.

Camp Dates: The first week of June to the first week of August. Please contact Recreation Services or visit our website for exact dates and more information on camp.

Camp Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., Monday - Friday (except July 4th)
Early Arrival: 7:00 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. (additional charge) No late pick-up.

Camp Fees: (subject to change annually)

- Regular Rate: \$162.00 per child.
- Discount Rate: \$81.00 per child (with verified government assistance)
- Non-Resident Rate: \$324.00 per child
- Early Arrival: \$35 for one child and \$55 for two or more children. Payable in advance, no daily early arrival fees accepted.

Early Registration takes place the last week of February.
Regular Registration will take place in late March and
Late Registration in late April.
Check our website or call 576-4203 for exact dates.

Early and Regular Registration with full payment *guarantees* your child a reserved slot. Number of slots vary by site.

At **Early Registration** you have two options:

1. Pay full fees for your child(ren) to guarantee a slot
2. Pay one half of total fees with balance due at the Regular Registration in late March.

Whitehaven 4318 Graceland, 38116 332-0783
M-F (12pm-8pm) S (9am-2pm) Fax 332-9573

Amenities

Gymnasium Game Room Craft Room

Programs and Classes

Aerobics	Weight Training	Tumbling	Dance
Music	Family Night	Kids in the Kitchen	Tutoring
Homework Assistance	Monthly Special Event	Civic Group Meetings	



Water-balloon fight at Hamilton CC

Dancing in the gym at Bethel LaBelle CC



Playing games at Simon / Boyd CC

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