

# SUMMER 2023





Frankfort Square Park District



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#### **Park Board Meetings**

Day/Date: Third Thursday of each month

Time: 7:00 pm

Location: Park District Administration Building

7540 W. Braemar Lane, Frankfort

#### **Administrative Staff**

Audrey Marcquenski, Executive Director
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John Keenan, Superintendent of Recreation Erin Kertson, Recreation Supervisor Dan Coughlin, Athletic Supervisor

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#### **Park Board of Commissioners**

Ken Blackburn, President
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Joe Vlosak, Commissioner





## Frankfort Square Park District Administration Building

7540 W. Braemar Lane Frankfort, IL 60423 Phone: (815) 469-3524 Fax: (815) 469-8657 Email: info@fspd.org

### Office Hours:

Monday Tuesday, Thursday, Friday Wednesday 9:00 am-7:00 pm 9:00 am-4:00 pm 9:00 am-noon



## **Summer 2023 Registration**

Resident online registration begins Monday, May I at 9:00 am. When registering, you need to use your Username and Password that was provided by the park district. If you have any problems registering online, please contact our office staff during business hours, and we will be happy to assist you.

We strongly encourage online registration as it has priority over mail-in, drop-off, or in-person registration.

When logging out of our online registration system, please always use the SIGN OUT option instead of "Xingout" of the page. Your household will lock out registration until you log in and log back out again.

Reminder: Online registration will close one day prior to the program start date.

## **Registration Dates:**

Resident Online Registration Begins Monday, May 1, 2023 at 9:00 am.

Walk-In and Non-Resident Registration Begins Thursday, May 4, 2023, at 9:00 am.

The Frankfort Square Park District program waiver and release is located on page 35. For complete registration information, please see page 34.

Be sure to register early - programs fill quickly.

### **Any Questions?**

Please contact the park office at: Phone (815) 469-3524 Fax (815) 469-8657 Website: www.fspd.org

## **Program Scholarships**

The Frankfort Square Park District offers financial assistance in the form of program scholarships to qualifying individuals. If you would like to apply for a scholarship, applications are available online at www.fspd.org and at the park district office during regular business hours.

## Free Mulch Provided to Frankfort Square Park District Residents

Thanks to a cooperative effort between the Frankfort Township Road District and the Frankfort Square Park District, residents have access to free wood mulch for their personal landscaping needs. The mulch is available in the parking lot of the ballfields on St. Francis Road, located adjacent to Kiwanis Park.

- Mulch is provided in "as-is condition" with no warranty or implied.
- No dumping of any material is permitted.
- No landscape contractors, front loaders, or dump trucks permitted.

Free home delivery is offered by the Frankfort Township Road District by simply calling (708) 479-9673.

## **Dear Frankfort Square Park District Residents:**

I am fortunate to be surrounded by people who do wonderful things every day. That's been happening for decades as residents built this community and continue to strive to make it better and better. These efforts are happening daily in homes, businesses, schools, and agencies like the Park District, which I am happy to focus on today.

At the Frankfort Square Park District, we are grateful for the support and efforts of the residents who make this a great community in which to live and work. Through the election process, residents choose talented individuals to lead the Park District. This year's Consolidated Election has brought the reelection of Craig Maksymiak to the Park Board. His financial expertise and balanced decision-making have allowed the Park District to expand offerings and opportunities while remaining fiscally responsible.

Congratulations to Phil Cherry who stepped up last May and was appointed to fill a vacancy on the Board and was then elected this April. Phil has been a life-long resident of Frankfort Square, worked seasonally for the FSPD, and is now proud to raise his young family in the Square.

We also welcome and congratulate Ryan Holley on his election to the Park Board of Commissioners and look forward to his fresh ideas.

Our seven Board Members donate their time and talents in support of their neighbors and the community in which they live. Thank you all!

Many thanks to Joe Vlosak for his ten years of service on the Park Board. Joe is stepping down from the Park Board in May after initially being appointed to the Board to fill an unexpired term, following the resignation of former Commissioner, Jeff Roach, and then was elected in 2015 and again in 2019. Over the years, Joe has been instrumental in the growth of the District that included, but was not limited to:

- National Gold Medal Grand Plaque Award in 2016
- Completion of two Community-Wide Surveys and Internal Equity Salary Study and Wellness Assessment.
- Approval of the 2018 \$1.4 million "No Tax Increase Mini Referendum that provided capital improvements and repairs throughout the District.
- Awarding of \$86,000 College Scholarships to 86 high school students from 2014 to 2022.
- Received over \$216,000 in grant dollars for the Island Prairie Park Boardwalk Extension, Community Park Redevelopment, and tree replacement throughout the District.

In addition to his Board service, Joe has always been ready to step up when needed to support the residents of this community by volunteering his time with many school and youth organizations.

On the staff side of the FSPD team, we welcomed Marlon Medina this past December as the new Assistant Superin-

tendent of Parks. He brings years of experience with daily park maintenance and new ideas.

Many thanks to Al Grzyb for sharing his leadership and knowledge as Assistant Superintendent of Parks. We will miss you and wish you the best of luck as your write your next chapter!

We welcome Jodi Dilling to the FSPD team! She brings years of experience offering fun trips and programs for active adults and her first program marks the Park District's very first international offering with a trip to Niagara Falls. Please see page 16 of this brochure for all the details, including the World's second largest Oktoberfest.

Recently, we welcomed Richard Schereck, who will be leading athletic programming for children 4-8 that includes Pee Wee Sports Mix, Little Bulls, and a new Basketball Shooting & Trick Shot Camp this summer.

Local artist Jamie Maisuria joins the FSPD team and is offering a Neighborhood Studio program designed to develop and inspire children's creative minds.

As part of the Summer Concert Series, the Island Prairie Park Bandshell showcases many local performers, including the Lincoln-Way Youth Strings and Dixie Bandits among many other community favorites over the years. This summer, we add a new duo – John Falsey, who splits his time between the FSPD recreation and maintenance departments, and Dave Gorka, our favorite IT Contractor, the Dueling Dudes! Please join us on July 20 for a fun and entertaining evening.

This provides a small snapshot of our staff and volunteer Board Members, but I would also like to recognize our Park District's most important asset...our residents, without whom the FSPD would not exist. Thank you for all your support over the years, whether through program attendance, use of our many wonderful facilities that are supported by your tax dollars, and our community groups, such as the Scouts, FSBL, and Frankfort Square Wildcats that provide additional opportunities.

Please be sure to take advantage of all your Park District has to offer, especially during the summer months. Nothing makes us happier than to see folks enjoying their parks, trails, community gardens, Splash Park, Skate Park, Dog Park, and summer concerts, all of which are free to you, our residents.

If you have any suggestions to improve our service, please stop by our office, send us an email, or attend our monthly Board Meetings that are held on the third Thursday of each month.

Have a happy and safe summer!

Audrey Marcquenski

**Executive Director** 

## **Early Learning Center-Preschool 2023 School Year Registration**

Registration will be offered at the Frankfort Square Park District Administration Building, beginning Friday, January 27, 2023. A \$25 non-refundable deposit is required at the time of registration. Deposit payments can be made monthly, beginning in September and ending in April. Birth certificates are required at the time of registration.

Note: All participants must be toilet trained and ready for the preschool setting

## 3-Year-Old Program

The emphasis for our 3-year-olds is socialization imbedded in a learning environment. Children will be read stories every day that relate to a daily theme. In addition, they will spend time discussing the story so they can practice their comprehension and speaking/listening skills. Along with the story, children sing songs, move to music, assemble puzzles, play games, and have some free time to explore other areas of interest. We will work on color, shape, number, and letter recognition along with learning to write our names. Finally, we will focus on many things, people, and places in the world around us as we learn and grow.

Age: 3 years old on or before Sept 1, 2023
Days/Dates: Tues & Thurs (Sept 2023-May 2024)

Fee: \$900 R / \$1,125 NR

Location: Park District Administration Building

Time: TBD

Note: Registration numbers will determine class size and class times.



## 4-Year-Old Program

Our 4-year-old program will focus on preparing students for kindergarten in a socially based preschool setting. We will work on number and letter recognition, as well as pre-reading skills such as rhyming and letter sounds. Mathematical skills such as sorting, sequencing, counting, recognizing numbers, and comparing numbers/quantities will be introduced. Finally, we will discuss and explore seasons, holidays, and weather. Through learning centers, songs, movement activities, craft projects, science experiments, and hands-on activities, your child will have fun while learning in a safe and comfortable atmosphere.

Age: 4 years old on or before Sept 1, 2023
Days/Dates: Mon,Wed, Fri (Sept 2023-May 2024)

Fee: \$1,590 **R** / \$1,987.50 **NR** 

Location: Park District Administration Building

Time: TBD

Note: Registration numbers will determine class size and class times.





## **Escapades**

Days off from school can be inconvenient and boring...or they can be exciting and adventurous with day off school Escapades! There will be plenty of games, crafts, activities, and trips each day to ensure plenty of fun and entertainment for your little ones. Each Escapade is based on a different theme and promises to provide participants with a new and different experience each day they attend! Please send your children with a sack lunch, a water bottle, and tennis shoes. An Escapades t-shirt will be available for pick up at the office, additional shirts are available for purchase for \$12. Escapade shirts must be worn each day your child(ren) attends. All field trips are subject to change. The Fall brochure will include trips for December through April.

Grades: K-6th

Time: 6:30 am-6:30 pm
Fees: \$60 per Escapade
Location: Mary Drew

Days/Dates:

**Back to School Backyard Games-**Each day will consist of plenty of activities played outside such as a water balloon toss, egg on a spoon, bucket brigade, and much more!

Mon, Aug 21 Enchanted Castle Tues, Aug 22 Palos Heights Pool

Day Off Escapades are available to all students in grades K-6th, regardless of the school district they attend.



## **Before and After School Program (BAS)**

The Before and After School (BAS) program provides students of Summit Hill School District 161, in grades kindergarten through sixth, a structured, safe place to be cared for immediately before and after school. Working parents have the assurance that their children are in a quality program in an ideal environment, knowing that they are being well supervised. Our program is staffed by trained, experienced leaders, all employed by the park district. Hours are from 6:30am until school begins and immediately after school until 6:30pm, including all half days.

Transportation will be provided by existing school buses at all participating Summit Hill District 161 schools.

Students have access to a full-size gymnasium to use for games and active play, along with a full playground. A baseball field, football field, and pickleball courts are directly outside the building for the children to use as well.

A \$5 transfer fee will be assessed to any changes made to BAS registration. On the rare occasion that we can accept a late registration, a \$10 per child per day late fee will be added to the registration fee.

Each participant must be registered by Wednesday at noon, ten days prior to the week needed, to allow for staffing and roster completion.

Initial registration must be completed at the park district to ensure parents/guardians receive all the necessary paperwork.

Grades: K - 6th

Dates: The BAS program will follow the

Summit Hill 161 school calendar.

Location: Mary Drew

Registration for the BAS program is available only to students of Summit Hill School District 161.

## Fees 2023-2024 School Year: Before School Only

Code:

Fee: \$14 per day per child

**After School Only** 

Code:

Fee: \$16 per day per child

In the event your child is dropped off and not on our roster, a \$25 drop-in fee will be automatically added to your household account in addition to the regular single day fee.

## **Summer Day Camp**

Come join us at the Frankfort Square Park District for a summer full of fun and adventure! The Summer Day Camp Program is designed to allow kids to socialize and interact with other kids their age, while spending their days being active and keeping their minds busy! All ages will have the opportunity to partake in multiple crafts, games, and activities each day. Every week will be a different theme with crafts and activities built around that theme.

#### **Registration Dates**

**Residents:** Mon, Apr 24 **Non-residents:** Thurs, Apr 27

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Grades: Entering 1st-6th in Fall 2023

Days/Dates: Mon-Fri, May 30-Aug 18 (no camp Jul 4)

Time: 8:00 am-6:00 pm Location: Mary Drew

## **Camp Fees 2023 with field trips**

All field trip costs are included in the fees listed below.

Camp-8:00 am-6:00 pm Resident Non-Resident Individual Daily Registrations \$48 / day \$60 / day

## **Registration and Payment Schedule**

To efficiently prepare for staffing and supplies, all camp registrations must be completed by Monday at midnight, 6 days in advance of the week for which you are registering. A payment deadline calendar may be picked up at the Administration Building.

#### **Additional Information**

- Field trips are all subject to change.
- Camp t-shirts are available for purchase for \$15. Camp t-shirts are required to be worn on all field trips.
- Each child must have a 2023 registration form on file to attend.
- Parents will receive a parent manual at the time of registration and are expected to review the rules and expectations with their campers.
- Please do not allow your camper to bring anything valuable to camp. The park district is not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged belongings.
- Please send your camper with a sack lunch, two snacks, a water bottle, sunscreen, and gym shoes each day.

All camp information will be sent through the Remind app.



## **Summer Camp Schedule**

Week I May 30-Jun 2

**Week 2** Jun 5-9

Week 3 Jun 12-16

Week 4 Jun 19-23

**Week 5** Jun 26-30

Week 6 Jul 3-7 (no camp Jul 4)

Week 7 Jul 10-14

Week 8 Jul 17-21

Week 9 Jul 24-28

Week 10 Jul 31-Aug 4

Week II Aug 7-11

Week 12 Aug 14-18

Each participant must be registered by Monday at midnight, six days prior to the week needed, to allow for staffing and roster completion.

Initial registration must be completed at the park district to ensure parents/guardians receive all the necessary paperwork. A camp pass will be given upon completion of paperwork.

## **SAVETHE DATE!**

Day Camp Open House
Thurs, May 18 6:15-7:15 pm at Mary Drew
Tour the facility, ask questions, meet some of our team,
and pick up informational flyers.



## **Early Childhood Summer Camp**

Come join the fun this summer at Early Childhood Summer Camp specifically for your preschool aged child. Every week will be a different theme with crafts and activities built around that theme. Each day will include water play (weather pending), outside play, crafts, music, stories, free play, and snack. Campers will spend their morning being active. Please provide a snack, labeled water bottle, towel, and sunscreen each day. We will play water games and activities at the end of our day. A friendly reminder that swim attire needs to be worn underneath the children's clothing. All children must be potty trained and able to separate from parents.

**Registration Dates** 

**Residents:** Mon, Apr 24 **Non-residents:** Thurs, Apr 27

700400-00

**Ages:** 3 - Kindergarten

Days/Dates: Mon through Fri Jun 5-Aug 11

(no camp Jul 4)

Please note: Each camper must sign up for a minimum of 2 days each week.

Daily fee: \$27 **R** / \$34 **NR** per day

Location: Park District Administration Building

Times: 9:00 am-12:15 pm

#### **Additional Information**

- Each child must have a 2023 registration form on file to attend.
- Each child must bring a snack every day.
- Please send your camper with a labeled water bottle, towel, sunscreen, and gym shoes each day. Swim attire must be worn underneath clothing.

9:00-9:15 am Check in, meet & greet, story time, free play 9:15-9:45 am Outside play, chalk, bubbles, hopscotch, relays,

playground

9:45-10:30 am Art project or craft inside, playdough, finger

painting. Snack time.

11:00-11:45 am Water play: sprinkler; Slip-N-Slide, water games.

11:45-12:15 pm Prepare for pick up.

- Children will not change out of their bathing suits. It is recommended girls come in two-piece bathing suits, or comfortable one-piece suit that can be worn all day. It is recommended boys come in swim trunks and a swim shirt.
- No flip flops, please. It is also recommended that children wear sandals with closed backs.

**Early Childhood Camp** 

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Week 2 Jun 12-16

Week 3 Jun 19-23

Week 4 Jun 26-30

Week 5 Jul 3-7 (no camp Jul 4)

Week 6 Jul 10-14

Week 7 Jul 17-21

Week 8 Jul 24-28

Week 9 Jul 31-Aug 4

Week 10 Aug 7-11

Each participant must be registered by Monday at midnight, six days prior to the week needed, to allow for staffing and roster completion.

Initial registration must be completed at the park district to ensure parents/guardians receive all the necessary paperwork. A camp pass will be given upon completion of paperwork.

## **SAVETHE DATE!**

Early Childhood Camp Open House

Tues, May 9 6:15-7:15 pm at Park District Administration Building

Tour the facility, ask questions, meet some of our team, and pick up informational flyers.

## Splash Park

Visit the Splash Park, where children of all ages can have fun and stay cool. Enjoy refreshing water that sprays, shoots, and cascades over you. This facility features brightly colored interactive water components, creating a fun way to beat the heat. Make a splash at the park, located next to the Community Center, 7540 W. Braemar Lane, Frankfort.

#### **Summer 2023 Schedule**

Sat, May 27-Fri, Aug 18 Hours: Noon-3:00 pm

A parent or guardian (adult 18 years and older) must accompany children under the age of 12.

#### **Weather Conditions**

The Splash Park will open if the temperature is at least 78 degrees according to weather.com. The Splash Park will close in the event of threatening weather.

## **Private Parties**

The Splash Park is available daily for private party rentals 9:30-11:30 am and 3:30-5:30 pm.

Private rentals include usage of the Splash Park, picnic shelter, and picnic tables.

Rental fee: \$160 R / \$215 NR

To qualify for the resident rate, the individual renting and thus responsible for the facility must reside within the boundaries of the Frankfort Square Park District. Individuals must bring a driver's license to prove resident status. For an extra \$80, you may rent additional space inside the Community Center for one hour before or after your private party. A \$50 security deposit (non-refundable) is required. For availability, please contact the park district office at (815) 469-3524.

Groups of 8 or more are not allowed to enter the Splash Park during business hours. A rental must be scheduled before or after business hours. Rentals need to be scheduled two weeks ahead of time to allow for staffing.

## Ice Cream Social

Schools out for summer so join us at Champions Park Concession Stand for an old-fashioned ice cream social. Vanilla ice cream, with a variety of yummy toppings, will be provided for you to create your ice cream sundae. Arrange to meet family and neighbors for a treat or meet new families while enjoying the park and your frosty treat.

Ages: All

Day/Date: Wed, Jun 7
Rain date: Thurs, Jun 8
Time: 6:00-7:00 pm

Fee: FREE

Location: Champions Park Concession Stand

## **VIP & Son Bowling**

Enjoy the evening spending quality time bowling with your favorite little man! Bowling, shoes, and pizza are included. This event requires registration in advance.

#### 50014-00

Ages: All

Day/Date: Sat, Jun 17 Time: 5:00-7:00 pm

Fee: \$12 **R** /\$15 **NR** per person

Location: Thunder Bowl

18700 Old Lagrange Rd Mokena, IL 60448

#### **Summer Concerts in the Park**

Summer Concerts in the Park is a Tuesday evening summer music series for families and neighbors. Bring your lawn chairs or blankets and join us lakeside for a FREE evening of outdoor musical entertainment from 7:00-8:30 pm. The bandshell is located behind the Community Center, 7540 W. Braemar Lane.

Please remember, alcohol is not permitted on park district property.

#### Strung Out-Tues, Jun 20

Strung Out is Chicago's Ultimate 70's Musical Experience. They've dug through the incredible treasure trove of classic 70's music that other bands overlook and found the greatest songs that are as diverse as the decade itself! They include rock, soul, funk, and fantastic One Hit Wonders that are instantly recognizable and deeply woven into the fabric of our culture and our memories.

#### Audiomatic Band-Tues, Jul 11

Audiomatic is an award-winning band from Tinley Park, Illinois. What sets Audiomatic apart from other bands is their high-energy performance and crowd interaction. At certain points in the night, you just might find Ashley, the lead vocalist, singing and dancing with you in the crowd!

## Classical Blast-Tues, Aug 8

Classical Blast blurs musical lines, melding classical music into classic rock hits or rocking music by Beethoven, Back and composers from other centuries, sometimes adding original lyrics. From back to classic rock to metal to pop, they hope you'll find their approach to music a refreshing change. It's the past, present, and future all brought together in a perfect harmony! An evening with Classical Blast is a total blast for any age! Come join us for the ride...

## **Local Showcase-Community Concerts**

Join your talented neighbors for the following community performances at the Island Prairie Park Bandshell. Concerts begin at 7:00 pm, unless otherwise noted.

## Lincoln-Way Youth Strings-Thurs, Jun 29

The Lincoln-Way Youth Strings will conclude their summer camp experience with an outdoor concert. Join us at 6:30 pm for a delightful performance.

## **Dueling Dudes - Thurs, Jul 20**

You've all seen the two-man dueling piano shows that are so much fun. So what do you do next when you want to step it up a notch? Come check out Dueling Dudes – Local artists John Falsey from Frankfort Square on piano and Dave Gorka from Tinley Park on guitar. One part tribute band – One part dueling style show – and all parts just plain fun!

## Dixie Bandits-Wed, Aug 16

This seven-piece teacher/parent group will delight you with well-known standards from the Dixieland era, such as "Basin Street Blues" and "When the Saints Go Marching In".





## **Neighborhood Studio-NEW!**

Hi Neighbor, welcome to Neighborhood Studio, a pop-up art studio that is more about the doing and making then the final product. Explore your creativity using different mediums including recycled materials, yarn, plastic, paper, canvas, and more. On Saturdays you will explore different art techniques including origami, watercolor painting, fiber arts, and loose parts exploration. On Sundays, enjoy an open studio where all the materials are available for use. Samples of what you "can" make will be provided for guidance, but open creative time is encouraged.

Fee: \$30 **R** / \$37.50 **NR**Location: Nature Center

Ages: 5-8

Time: 10:00 am-noon on Sat

11:00 am-1:00 pm on Sun

 207009-00
 Day/Dates: Sat & Sun, May 20 & 21

 207009-01
 Day/Dates: Sat & Sun, Jun 17 & 18

 207009-02
 Day/Dates: Sat & Sun, Jul 15 & 16

Ages: 9 & Up

Time: 1:00-3:00 pm on Sat

2:00-4:00 pm on Sun

**207009-03** Day/Dates: Sat & Sun, May 20 & 21 **207009-04** Day/Dates: Sat & Sun, Jun 17 & 18 **207009-05** Day/Dates: Sat & Sun, Jul 15 & 16



## Chicago Union Ultimate Frisbee Camp-NEW!

Ultimate is a fast, fun, easy-to-learn field game played with a disc. It is a non-contact sport combining the athleticism of running and agility with the skills of throwing and catching. Players advance the disc by completing passes to teammates. The Chicago Union offers this week-long camp introducing basic rules, throwing and catching techniques, and offensive/defensive strategies to develop skills through games and activities that emphasize teamwork, good spirit, and the joy of play. Participants also receive a Union disc, replica jersey, and 4 tickets to a home game. All ability levels are encouraged to join.

## 203217-00

Ages: 9-13
Camp Dates: Jun 12-16
Times: 1:00-3:30 pm

Fee: \$130 **R** / \$162.50 **NR** 

Location: Indian Boundary South Park Disc Golf Course



## **Mixed Media Art Camp**

The mixed media art classes offer a blend of the use of different art mediums such as pencil, paint, pastels, and paper as an introduction to various styles and elements. Students will produce a unique art project each week and will progressively learn skills which will be applied throughout the courses. All art supplies will be provided.

#### 204005-01

Grades: K-6th

Day/Dates: Mon-Fri Jun 12-16 4:30-5:30 pm Time:

\$41 R / \$51 NR / 5 sessions Fee: Location: Mary Drew Room 104

## Make it For Father's Day

Homemade presents come from the heart! Make presents for your father, grandfather, uncle, etc. By the end of this class, you'll have a one-of-a-kind present for that special someone.

### 200001-02

Ages: 3-6

Wed, Jun 14 Day/Date: 12:30-1:30 pm Time: Fee: \$18 R / \$22 NR

Location: Park District Administration Building

## **Cookie Creations**

Your child will prepare a variety of different types of cookies each week! We will follow the recipes directions, measure, and clean up as part of the class. All participants will go home with plenty to share. Please note all ingredients are peanut and tree nut free.

### 201042-02

Ages: 3-8

Day/Dates: Wed, Jun 14-28 Time: 12:30-1:45 pm

\$33 **R** / \$42 **NR** / 3 sessions Fee:

Location: Park District Administration Building

## **Zany Zoo**

Presented by Stuffed With Love! Grrr! Roarrr! HowIII! Join us on an imaginary trip to the zoo! What animals do you think we will see? Participants will get to stuff their very own zoo animals, listen to a story, play a game, make a craft, and end with a grand finale march of the animals! Let your wild animals loose for this super FUN class! An animal stuffing kit PLUS one hour of FUN!

#### 201044-00

Ages: 5 & Up Day/Date: Thurs, Jun 22 Time: 6:00-6:50 pm

Fee: \$30 R / \$37.50 NR

Location: Mary Drew

## **Babysitting Training**

This is a two-day class which focuses on providing youth who are planning to babysit with the knowledge and skills necessary to provide care safely and responsibly for children and infants in the absence of parents. This training will help participants to develop leadership skills, learn how to develop a babysitting business, keep themselves and others safe, help children behave, and learn about basic childcare and basic first aid. Certification for this class includes participant's workbook, emergency guide, and CD-Rom, as well as an American Red Cross Babysitters Training certificate. Attendance is required for the entire two days to receive certificate. Any exceptions need to be approved in advance by the instructor. The instructor will give the students a 15-minute breaks, please provide your child with a snack.

11-15 Age:

204002-02 Mon & Wed, Jun 26 & 28 9:00 am-12:30 pm Time: 204002-03 Mon & Wed, Aug 7 & 9 9:00 am-12:30 pm Time: Fee: \$80 R / \$85 NR

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

## **Drawing Art Camp**

Students will learn and apply technical skills through the completion of various art projects each day. Each masterpiece will be completed through the application and manipulation of drawing materials such as pencils, pens, and pastels. All art supplies will be provided.

#### 204004-01

Grades: K-6th

Day/Dates: Mon, Wed, Fri Jul 10-14

Time: 4:30-6:00 pm

Fee: \$39 **R** / \$49 **NR** / 3 sessions Location: Mary Drew Room 104

## **Digging for Dinosaurs**

Calling all paleontologists! Each week, our little dinosaur diggers will dive into the fascinating world of reptiles that lived long ago. They will share some stories, do a craft, and learn about dinosaurs. Our future scientists will also enjoy making their own dinosaur fossils and digging for bones. Your little paleontologist will have some dino-riffic summer fun!

#### 201000-00

Ages: 3-6

Day/Dates: Mon, Jul 10 - 24 Time: 12:30-1:30 pm

Fee: \$24 R / \$30 NR / 3 sessions

Park District Administration Building Location:

## Splish Splash

The countdown for the last day of school has begun, so let's splash around at the Park District in celebration. We'll cool off playing water games such as water balloon toss, bucket brigade, pass the water, and end the day going in the Splash Park. Put on some sunscreen and your bathing suit and enjoy the start of summer with a splash!

#### 201043-00

Ages: 3-7
Day/Date: Sat, Jun 3
Rain date: Fri, Jun 9
Time: 10:30-11:30 am
Fee: \$13 **R** /\$16 **NR** 

Location: Park District Administration Building

## **Princess Pals**

What could be more fun than pretending to be princesses with your best pals? That's just what will be happening this summer when you join "Princess Pals". Each week, we will feature a different princess and learn all about her through crafts, songs, stories, and creative play. So, join us for a magical summer with old and new friends.

#### 201038-00

Ages: 3-6

Day/Dates: Mon, Jul 10 - 24 Time: 1:45-2:45 pm

Fee: \$24 R / \$30 NR / 3 sessions

Location: Park District Administration Building

## **Tot Time**

Are you ready to meet new people and spend some playtime with your little one in a non-structured environment? This is the class for you! We will explore large and fine motor activities through play (lots of toys), circle time (we sing songs and do finger plays), and special time (different each week, examples are playing with the parachute, musical instruments, crafts, etc.). So, take some time and have fun with us!

### 201110-00

Age: Walking-3 (with parent)

Day/Dates: Tues, Jul 11 - 25
Time: 9:30 -10:15 am
Fee: \$35 **R** / \$40 **NR** 

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

140 Oak Street

## Wiggles & Giggles

Preschoolers will wiggle and giggle their way through this fun filled class while stretching their muscles and marching to music. Age-appropriate activities will vary each week using balls, balloons and bubbles! Finger plays, rhymes and rhythm movements, hoops and parachutes are also included.

### 201060-00

Ages: 2-3 (with parent)
Day/Dates: Tues, Jul 11 - 25
Time: 10:30 - 11:15 am
Fee: \$35 **R** / \$40 **NR** 

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

140 Oak Street

## **Paint Yourself Silly**

Does your child like art? Is he/she interested in books? Then this is the class for him/her! We will read a different children's book each week and make a fun craft that relates to the story, using different styles and lots of paint! Please dress for a mess!

#### 201005-00

Ages: 3-6

Day/Date: Wed, Jul 12-26 Time: 12:30-1:30 pm

Fee: \$24 **R** / \$30 **NR** / 3 sessions

Location: Park District Administration Building

## **Rainbow Kids**

Your child will love learning about colors and shapes in this busy hands-on class. Multi-sensory materials, such as glue, tape, crayons, and paint will spark creativity, improve motor skills, and create an environment for social interaction. Parent must stay if child has difficulty with separation.

## 201039-00

Age: 3-5

Day: Thurs, Jul 13 - 27
Time: 9:30 -10:15 am
Fee: \$35 **R** / \$40 **NR** 

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

140 Oak Street

## **Christmas in July**

It's the most wonderful time of the year! You don't have to wait until December to celebrate! We will stuff our very own animals with "snow", read a Christmas classic, sing Christmas carols, play a game, make a holiday craft, and more!

## 201044-01

Ages: 5 & Up
Day/Date: Thurs, Jul 13
Time: 6:00-6:50 pm
Fee: \$30 R / \$37.50 NR

Location: Mary Drew



## **First Aid For Kids**

This American Red Cross class teaches children basic health and safety tips focusing on shock, bleeding, choking, the Heimlich maneuver, burns, poisons, and much more! Many hands-on activities will be provided for additional reinforcement. Upon completion of class, a Red Cross certificate will be received.

#### 204001-02

Ages: 8-10
Day/Date: Mon, Jul 17
Time: Noon-1:30 pm
Fee: \$40 **R** / \$45 **NR** 

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

140 Oak Street

## Safe At Home

This course will teach children who are home alone the importance of behaving responsibly and how to handle themselves when confronted with a challenge, such as answering the telephone or the door when parents are away. Topics covered include safety in the home, proper use of keys, what to do in case of an emergency, how to respond to strangers and general house rules.

204003-01

Day/Date: Mon, Jul 17 Time: 10:00-11:30 am

Age: 6-10

Fee: \$40 **R** / \$45 **NR** 

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

140 Oak Street

## **Magic Class**

Children will have a great time as they learn a collection of fascinating and mesmerizing tricks! Amaze family and friends with tricks that involve cards, ropes, coins, mindreading, and more. While the tricks may appear difficult, you'll discover that they are quick to learn and easy to perform. All materials are provided, and each child receives a magic kit to take home. New tricks are always taught each session!

#### 204120-00

Ages: 5-12
Day/Date: Tues, Jul 25
Time: 5:00-5:55 pm
Fee: \$22 **R** / \$27 **NR** 

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

140 Oak Street



## Under the Sea

Splish! Splash! Get your scuba gear ready! We are going on an imaginary trip under the sea! What animals might we find? Participants will get up stuff their very own sea animals, learn about them during a story, play a game, make a craft, and more! Get ready to make some waves at this super fun party!

#### 201044-03

Ages: 5 & Up
Day/Date: Thurs, Aug 3
Time: 6:00-6:50 pm
Fee: \$30 **R** / \$37.50 **NR** 

Location: Mary Drew

## **American Girl Party**

Grab your favorite American Girl or your favorite doll and join us for an afternoon of fun! We'll start out at the salon fixing our dolls hair, share stories, have a snack, and make your doll an outfit. Registration deadline: Friday, July 22 for ordering doll clothing.

## 201004-00

Ages: 3-6
Day/Date: Fri, Aug 5
Time: 12:30-1:45 pm
Fee: \$21 **R** / \$26 **NR** 

Location: Park District Administration Building

## Let's Get Ready for Preschool

The first day of school can be scary, but this class will help your child get a preview of what to expect by practicing basic shapes, numbers, and colors. One of our very own preschool teachers will be teaching this class.

### 201024-00

Ages: 3-4

Day/Date: Mon-Fri Aug 14-18 Time: 9:30-10:30 am

Fee: \$33 R / \$41.25 NR / 5 sessions
Location: Park District Administration Building

## Let's Get Ready for Kindergarten

School is right around the corner. This class will help prepare your child for their first day back. We will practice phonics, writing, and math skills. Wednesday the class will spend the day on the computers learning.

#### 201024-01

Grade: Kindergarten
Day/Date: Mon-Fri Aug 14-18
Time: I1:00 am-noon

Fee: \$33 R / \$41.25 NR / 5 sessions
Location: Park District Administration Building

## **Horseback Riding Lessons**

Get up and go! It's time to ride at Nova Quarter Horses! Fun for all ages at any riding level, no previous experience is needed. Come out to learn both Western and English disciplines taught by our highly qualified trainers and instructors. We offer both an indoor and outdoor arena, so Nova is able to offer lessons year-round. A 5-lesson card includes 5 individual one hour group lessons. Helmets are available at parent's request. Once your lesson card is purchased, call Nova to schedule your lessons at (708) 479-3696. There is a limit of one 5-lesson card per family. Jeans and boots or hard soled shoes are required. 60000-09

Ages: 7 & Up

Fee: \$260 **R** / \$265 **NR** 

Location: Nova Quarter Horses, Inc.

10129 W. 187th St. Mokena

(708) 479-3696

## Mommy & Me

Mother's Day is an occasion to celebrate- why not let Nova Quarter Horses give you a Mother's Day you won't forget? Come join us with your little ones for a fun-filled day of riding and crafting! This event includes a riding lesson, a tour of our barn, as well as the opportunity to learn how to groom a horse! Once you're done horsing around, every child is provided the materials to make mom a special keepsake to remember this special day. Come out and join us for this unique Mother's Day experience!

Ages: 7 & Up

**600006-07** Fri, May 12 5:00-7:00 pm **600006-08** Sat, May 13 4:00-6:00 pm Fee: \$105 **R** / \$115 **NR** couple

\$50 R / \$55 NR additional rider

Location: Nova Quarter Horses, Inc.

10129 W. 187th St. Mokena

(708) 479-3696



## **Summer Horse Camp**

Come join us for four fun-filled days of riding and learning horsemanship skills. Students participating in summer horse camp will get hands-on experience in grooming, bridling, saddling, and feeding horses. Every day will also include a riding lesson. Other activities include arts and crafts in our new Round-Up Room, water games, and bathing horses! Summer camp closes out with a student horse show where campers get to demonstrate the skills they've learned to their family and friends! Campers should bring a water bottle and lunch daily. A camp t-shirt will be provided.

Ages: 7 & Up

Time: 9:00 am-3:00 pm
204050-00 Mon-Thurs, Jun 5-8
204050-01 Mon-Thurs, Jun 26-29
204050-02 Mon-Thurs, Jul 24-27
204050-06 Mon-Thurs, Jul 31-Aug 3
Fee: \$485 R / \$500 NR

Location: Nova Quarter Horses, Inc.

10129 W. 187th St. Mokena

(708) 479-3696

## Daddy & Me Father's Day Horseback Ride

Do something unique and fun this Father's Day weekend! Come join us with your little ones for a fun-filled day of riding and crafting! This event includes a riding lesson, a tour of our barn as well as the opportunity to learn how to groom a horse! Once you're done horsing around, every child is provided the materials to make Dad a special keepsake to remember this special day. Come out and join us for this awesome Father's Day experience!

Ages: 7 & Up

**600007-04** Fri, Jun 9 5:00-7:00 pm **600007-05** Sat, Jun 10 4:00-6:00 pm Fee: \$110 **R** / \$120 **NR** couple

\$45 **R** / \$67.50 **NR** additional rider

Location: Nova Quarter Horses, Inc.

10129 W. 187th St. Mokena

(708) 479-3696

## **Private Piano Lessons**

Learn or advance your piano skills by taking private piano lessons. One hour and half hour lessons available. Purchase at the park district office. Contact instructor directly to schedule private piano lessons after registering.

Ages: All

Fee: \$25 **R** / \$27 **NR** half hour

\$50 **R** / \$62.50 **NR** I hour

Location: Park District Administration Building



## Zumba

Looking to strengthen and tone your core, legs, arms, and glutes? Step right up. You won't believe the progress you make while having so much fun. The dance cardio fitness program has found a way to combine Latin American dance moves with classic bodyweight exercises to deliver a workout that, at times, feels a little like a party. The fact that this class is set to an upbeat soundtrack certainly doesn't hurt.

Ages: 16 & Up Time: 6:00-7:00 pm

**207163-00** Day/Dates: Mon, May 8-Jun 26

(no class May 29)

**207163-01** Day/Dates:Thurs, May 11-Jun 29

(no class June 1)

Fee: \$42 **R** / \$52.50 **NR** / 7 sessions Location: Lincoln-Way North Dance Studio

(use the Fieldhouse Entrance) Day/Dates: Mon, Jul 10-Aug 28

**207163-02** Day/Dates: Mon, Jul 10-Aug 28 **207163-03** Day/Dates: Thurs, Jul 13-Aug 31 Fee: \$48 **R** / \$60 **NR** / 8 sessions

Location: Mary Drew

## **Boot Camp Conditioning**

This circuit training class will give you a power, strength, and agility workout. You will complete different workout stations while squatting, lunging, crunching, and lifting your way to complete a full body workout. Introduce your body to new workouts and get ready to sweat. Depending on weather, some classes may be held outside.

207011-04

Age: 18 & Up

Day/Dates: Wed, May 24-Jun 14

Time: 5:30-6:30 pm
Fee: \$33 **R** / \$40 **NR**Location: Mary Drew

## **Step Aerobics**

This fun and challenging workout is designed to tone the body, and work on cardio by bringing your heartrate up and safely back down. Push your limits by adjusting your step board height with the option of adding or taking away risers. Please bring a step board and optional risers to each class. \*This class can also be done without a step board for a low impact workout. Depending on weather some classes may be held outside.

207012-04

Ages: 18 & Up

Day/Dates: Wed, May 24-Jun 14

Time: 6:45-7:45 pm
Fee: \$33 **R** / \$40 **NR**Location: Mary Drew

## **Boating Safety**

This 2-hour class will cover Vessel Safety Fundamentals. It will include Operating Under the Influence (OUI), how to file a float plan, Federal Regulations for Recreational Boating, choosing the correct fire extinguisher, choosing the right life jacket, Navigational Rules, recommended safety equipment, and how to request and pass a free U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Vessel Safety Check. **Registration Deadline: May 19 207010-00** 

Ages: 18 & Up
Day/Date: Thurs, May 25
Time: 6:00-8:00 pm

Fee: FREE

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

140 Oak Street

## **Learn to Take Creative Photos**

This course introduces the creative side of traditional film or digital photography. Topics include use of color, improving use of texture in the photo and lighting. Participants will have an opportunity to practice taking pictures during class. If you are looking to improve your picture taking skills, this is one class you won't want to miss. NOTE: Participants must bring a digital camera to class.

207011-02

Ages: 18 & Up
Day/Dates: Thurs, Jun 1-15
Time: 6:00-8:00 pm
Fee: \$90 **R** / \$95 **NR** 

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

140 Oak Street

## Strength

Increase muscle strength, mobility, and endurance through a variety of exercises.

Ages: 18 & Up Time: 6:00-6:55 pm

Fee: \$46 **R** / \$57 **NR** / 4 sessions

Location: Mary Drew

**205009-06** Wed, May 31-Jun 28 **205009-10** Wed, Aug 9-Aug 30

## **Social Ballroom Dance**

Grab your partner and put on your dancing shoes! In no time at all you'll learn the basic steps of the waltz, foxtrot, rumba, and jitterbug. This class emphasizes fun, ease of movement, and music recognition. This class is a great way to get ready for all those upcoming events, such as weddings, reunions, and parties. Our instructor combines the joy of movement with the romance of ballroom dancing. Instruction will be taught in a friendly and relaxed atmosphere. You will need to register with a partner.

#### 207160-05

Ages: 18 & Up
Day/Dates: Thurs, Jun 8-29
Time: 7:00-8:00 pm
Fee: \$42 **R** / \$47 **NR** 

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

140 Oak Street

#### **Paint and Pour-NEW!**

Bring out your inner artist! Paint on canvas with step-by-step directions from an instructor. You do not have to be an experienced painter to enjoy this class! Fee includes one drink from the bar. Additional drinks may be purchased.

Ages: 21 & Up
207010-01 Mon, Jun 12
Time: 7:00-8:30 pm
207010-02 Sat, Jun 17
Time: 8:00-9:30pm
Fee: \$40 R /\$50 NR

Location: Square Links Golf Course

## **Paint and Print-NEW!**

Create botanical artwork with step-by-step instructions from an experienced instructor. Fee includes one drink from the bar. Additional drinks may be purchased. All levels are welcome!

Ages: 21 & Up
207010-03 Mon, Jun 19
Time: 7:00-8:30 pm
207010-04 Sat, Jun 24
Time: 8:00-9:30 pm
Fee: \$40 R /\$50 NR

Location: Square Links Golf Course

## Macro and Close Up Photography

Have you always wanted to get more detail in your flower or close-up pictures but struggle trying to accomplish it? Join our class to discuss and practice how to accomplish sharply focused flowers, bugs, and other small objects. After learning focusing techniques, we discuss how to control the lighting and exposure to really make your images pop. Explore new techniques to see the small world you will photograph. Learn about different lenses and filters to help you accomplish your small world photography. We are going to have a lot of fun experimenting with your new talents. Participants must bring a DSLR or mirrorless camera to class including lenses.

The use of a tripod is highly recommended for this class.

#### 207001-03

Ages: 18 & Up

Day/Dates: Thurs, Aug 10-24
Time: 6:00-8:00 pm
Fee: \$90 R / \$95 NR

Location: Frankfort Founders Center

140 Oak Street

## Niagara Falls, Ontario Trip - NEW!

**Including Kitchener & Toronto** 

Explore the roar! Your escort, Jodi Dilling, will show you the Horseshoe Falls, best viewed from the Canadian side—as well as Niagara-on-the-Lake, the Welland Canal, and the beautiful Floral Clock. Mist gets in your eyes during your cruise to the foot of the falls. Experience Oktoberfest in Festhallen, the second largest Oktoberfest in the world. Try your luck at the immensely popular Niagara Fallsview Casino. Discover anew the wonder of the charging, thundering Niagara during your vacation! A valid passport is required when traveling into Canada. Cancellation insurance is available and recommended. Package Includes:

- 2 Nights lodging in Kitchener, Ontario
- 3 Nights lodging in Niagara Falls, Canada
- I Nights lodging in Allen Park, Michigan
- 6 Breakfast
- 4 Full course dinners
- Festhallen with Oktoberfest activities (2nd largest Oktoberfest in the world)
- All day tour of Niagara, including Niagaraon-the-Lake
- All day tour of Toronto, featuring a harbor cruise
- Famous Hornblower (Maid of the Mist)
   Boat Ride & Tour of the Falls

\$1,899 Single Occupancy

Ages: Adult

Days/Dates: Sun, Oct 8-Sat, Oct 14
Fee: \$1,499 Double Occupancy

- Visits to the Welland Canal & the beautiful Floral Clock
- Try your luck at the immensely popular Niagara Fallsview Casino
- Greenfield Village
- Henry Ford Museum
- Souvenir gift
- Luggage handling in Canada
- All taxes & meal gratuities
- Motorcoach transportation



20130 S Rosewood Dr, Frankfort, IL 60423 Call 815-469-3524 or register online at www.fspd.org

## **Princess Dance Camp**

Dancers will learn ballet basics and have fun with creative movement while listening to their favorite princess songs. Parents are invited to watch the last 15 minutes of the Friday class to see what the dancers have worked on all week. Pre-packaged snacks will be provided each day.

## Please bring a water bottle to class each day.

Ages: 3-5

Time: 10:00-11:30 am

\$80 R / \$100 NR / 4 sessions Fee:

205010-05 Tues-Fri, May 30-Jun 2 205010-06 Mon-Thurs, Aug 7-10

## **Contemporary**

This class will incorporate contemporary dance technique mixed with combinations that work on performance quality and texture.

Session #I

205006-00 Grades K-2nd 4:00-4:55 pm Time: 205006-01 Grades 3rd-5th Time: 5:00-5:55 pm 205006-02 Grades 6th-8th 6:00-6:55 pm Time: 205006-03 High School 7:00-7:55 pm Time: Dates: Wed, Jun 7-Jun 28

\$46 **R** / \$57 **NR** / 4 sessions Fee:

Session #2

205006-04 Grades K-2nd Time: 4:00-4:55 pm 205006-05 Grades 3rd-5th Time: 5:00-5:55 pm 205006-06 Grades 6th-8th 6:00-6:55 pm Time: 205006-07 High School 7:00-7:55 pm Time:

Wed, Aug 9-Aug 30 Dates:

Fee: \$46 **R** / \$57 **NR** / 4 sessions



## Jazz/Leaps & Turns

Work on Jazz, leaps and turn technique in a fun, upbeat environment. This class will focus on technique, coordination, and rhythm along with tricks that involve leaps and turns.

Session #1

205007-00 Grades 3rd-5th 4:00-4:55 pm Time: 205007-01 Grades K-2nd Time: 5:00-5:55 pm 205007-02 High School Time: 6:00-6:55 pm 205007-03 Grades 6th-8th Time: 7:00-7:55 pm Dates: Wed, Jun 7-Jun 28

\$46 R / \$57 NR / 4 sessions Fee:

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205007-04 Grades 3rd-5th Time: 4:00-4:55 pm 205007-05 Grades K-2nd Time: 5:00-5:55 pm 205007-06 High School Time: 6:00-6:55 pm 205007-07 Grades 6th-8th Time: 7:00-7:55 pm Wed, Aug 9-Aug 30 Dates:

\$46 **R** / \$57 **NR** / 4 sessions Fee:



## **Strength**

Increase muscle strength, mobility, and endurance through a variety of exercises.

Session #1

205009-04High SchoolTime:4:00-4:55 pm205009-05Grades 6th-8thTime:5:00-5:55 pm

**205009-06** Adult

Time: 6:00-6:55 pm
Dates: Wed, May 31-Jun 28

Fee: \$46 **R** / \$57 **NR** / 4 sessions

Session #2

205009-08High SchoolTime:4:00-4:55 pm205009-09Grades 6th-8thTime:5:00-5:55 pm

**205009-10** Adult

Time: 6:00-6:55 pm
Dates: Wed, Aug 9-Aug 30

Fee: \$46 **R** / \$57 **NR** / 4 sessions

## Hip Hop

This class will introduce hip hop movement while developing coordination, rhythm, musicality through combinations set to upbeat music.

Session #1

205008-00 Grades K-2nd Time: 4:00-4:55 pm 205008-01 Grades 6th-8th Time: 5:00-5:55 pm 205008-02 Grades 3rd-5th 6:00-6:55 pm Time: 205008-03 High School Time: 7:00-7:55 pm Dates: Thurs, Jun 8-29

Fee: \$46 **R** / \$57 **NR** / 4 sessions

Session #2

205008-04 Grades K-2nd Time: 4:00-4:55 pm 205008-05 Grades 6th-8th Time: 5:00-5:55 pm 205008-06 Grades 3rd-5th Time: 6:00-6:55 pm 205008-07 High School Time: 7:00-7:55 pm Dates: Thurs, Aug 10-31

Fee: \$46 **R** / \$57 **NR** / 4 sessions

## Acro

Session #1

**205015-04** Preschool 4:00-4:55 pm

Fee: \$40 **R** / \$50 **NR** / 4 sessions

 205015-05
 Grades K-2

 Time:
 5:00-5:55 pm

 205015-06
 Grades 6-8th

 Time:
 6:00-6:55 pm

 205015-07
 Grades 3rd-5th

 Time:
 7:00-7:55 pm

 Dates:
 Tues, Jun 6-27

Fee: \$46 **R** / \$57 **NR** / 4 sessions

Session #2

**205016-08** Preschool Time: 4:00-4:55 pm

Fee: \$40 **R** / \$50 **NR** / 4 sessions

205016-09Grades K-2Time:5:00-5:55 pm205016-10Grades 6-8thTime:6:00-6:55 pm205016-11Grades 3rd-5thTime:7:00-7:55 pmDates:Tues, Aug 8-29

Fee: \$46 **R** / \$57 **NR** / 4 sessions

## **Summer Dance Intensive**

Dancers will have a fun week filled with a combination of Hip Hop, Jazz, and Contemporary. In addition to resident faculty, dancers will have the opportunity to learn from guest teachers from the professional dance industry. Daily classes will include strength and stretching, technique sessions, rotating class styles, and choreography. Please bring your own snacks and water bottle each day.

\*Sign up for the week, per day, or pick your days

Day/Dates: Mon-Fri, Jul 31-Aug 4

Fees: \$37 **R** (per day) / \$46.25 **NR** (per day)

205014-04

Ages: 6-11 Time: 9:00 am-noon

205014-05

Ages: 12 & Up Time: 1:00-4:00 pm

## **Customized Private Lessons for Dancers**

Accelerate your dance training by taking private lessons in your dance style of choice. Customized hour or half hour lessons can provide your dancer with focused instruction that can assist dancers who are looking to make greater strides in ability, receive extra help with class choreography or deepen his or her understanding of a particular style. One, three, five or ten private lesson punch cards are available at the Park District office and sessions can be scheduled through Donnette or Kari.

Ages: All

Days/Dates/Times: Varies- contact instructors

Fees: \$25 **R** / \$27 **NR** 30 min. per lesson (Purchase a 1, 3, 5, or 10 punch card at Park District) (see email notes)

## **Little Kickers**

Buckle up! These kids are eager for action and ready to learn. With a curriculum chock full of imaginative games and adventures, these players are going to have a blast and won't even realize just how much they're learning. Coaches will guide them towards great soccer skills (specifically passing, trapping, shooting, attacking, and defending) and introduce them to scrimmaging. Look a little closer and you'll also notice improved communication, listening, sharing, perseverance and resilience. Shin guards are required for this program. **Note: Registration ongoing.** 

Ages: 3-6

Day/Dates: Sat, Apr 29-Jun 10

(no class May 27)

Fee: \$52 **R** / \$65 **NR** / 6 sessions

Location: Lincoln-Way North Time: 9:00-9:35 am Time: 9:40-10:15 am

## **Intermediate Soccer**

Does your child always have a ball at their feet? Constantly talk about soccer? Or are they simply driven to get better? Created for kids who are motivated soccer players, Micro classes kick it up a notch. While coaching remains child-centered and fun this curriculum is fundamentals focused and provides game-like situations each week that help solidify learning. Players enjoy 30 minutes of age-appropriate instruction and 30 minutes of small-sided scrimmaging. Shin guards are required for this program. **Note: Registration ongoing.** 

#### 103001-01

Ages: 4-7

Day/Dates: Sat, Apr 29-Jun 10

(no class May 27)

Time: 10:20-11:20 am

Fee: \$56 **R** / \$70 **NR** / 6 sessions

Location: Lincoln-Way North

## **Basketball Shooting & Trick Shot Camp-NEW!**

Calling all hoopers! A trick shot is a seemingly unlikely or impossible shot, requires great skill to make. In this class we are going to make the impossible possible! Don't worry, we know the perfect trick shot might take a couple of tries. We are here to teach you a bunch of trick shots while having fun! Don't be afraid to get creative with your trick shot! Come see what you can do with some imagination, creativity, a basketball, and a hoop.

## Note: Each participant will receive a basketball to keep. 203216-08

Ages: 6-12

Day/Date: Sat, Jun 17

Time: 9:00-11:15 am

Fee: \$50 **R** / \$62.50 **NR**Location: Mary Drew Gymnasium

## **FSPD Girls Softball League**

Tee Ball Softball is an in-house league for girls ages 4-7 who want to learn the fundamentals of hitting and fielding. Rules of the game will be varied to accommodate the need for teaching and focus on fun, fitness, and fundamentals. The primary goals of Tee Ball Softball are to instruct children in the fundamentals of softball and allow them to experience the value of teamwork. Parents are strongly encouraged to become involved as managers, coaches, and volunteer in a variety of other capacities. The league fee includes a team jersey and ball cap. **Note: Players will need to bring a helmet, bat, and softball glove.** 

## 207014-00

Ages: 4-7

Days: Tues, Thurs, & Sat

Dates: Practice begins middle of May

Times: Various start times
Fee: \$50 **R**/ \$62.50 **NR**Location: Champions Park





## **Hoop Dreams Basketball Camp**

Clinic style class that teaches the rules and skills needed to enjoy the game in a fun, low pressure environment. Each week participants will learn a new skill such as dribbling, passing, shooting, rules of the game, etc. Participants will play fun basketball activities as well as exciting instructional scrimmaging. Skill development work based on age/ability level.

Day/Dates: Tues, Jun 13-Jul 18

(no class July 4)

Fee: \$50 **R** / \$62.50 **NR** / 5 sessions

Location: Mary Drew Gymnasium

203216-05

Ages: 4-6

Time: 5:00-5:45 pm

203216-06

Ages: 7-9

Time: 5:45-6:30 pm

## Offensive Moves & Shooting Camp

In today's game, it's hard to get on the floor if you're not a great shooter — especially at higher levels of play. In this camp, your child will discover how to become a deadly shooter so they're the 'go-to' player on every team. Offensive Moves & Shooting Camp is perfect for the player that wants to improve his/her offensive effectiveness. The drills will be suited to age/ability level.

#### 203216-07

Ages: 10-14

Day/Dates: Tues, Jun 13-Jul 18

(no class July 4)

Time: 6:30-7:30 pm

Fee: \$75 **R** / \$93.75 **NR** / 5 sessions

Location: Mary Drew Gymnasium

## **Pee-Wee Sports Mix**

This program will introduce your little athlete to the world of sports! Pee-Wee Sports is designed to create an interest in a variety of sports, while developing listening and motor skills. These skills will be taught in a fun, non-competitive learning environment. A different sport will be played each week including basketball, soccer, t-ball, football, and more. Appropriately sized equipment will be used.

#### 203218-02

Ages: 4-6

Day/Dates: Mon, Jun 19-Jul 24

(no class July 3)

Time: 5:00-5:45 pm

Fee: \$45 **R** / \$56.25 **NR** / 5 Sessions

Location: Mary Drew Gymnasium

## **Little Bulls**

Go Bulls! Dribbling, passing, shooting, and teamwork will be taught in this instructional basketball program. All skills will be taught in a fun and easy to learn environment. Noncompetitive games will be played during each class allowing all participants to get involved. Smaller basketballs and lowered baskets will be used to help skill development. Parents are encouraged to participate with their children.

#### 203140-00

Ages: 5-7

Day/Dates: Mon, Jun 19-Jul 24

(no class Jul 3)

Time: 6:15-7:00 pm

Fee: \$45 **R** / \$56.25 **NR** / 5 sessions

Location: Mary Drew Gymnasium

## **Co-Ed Summer Basketball Skills Camp**

Each camp day is formatted for kids 6-14, at all ability levels, offering a unique opportunity for them to refine fundamentals and hone skills. No matter what level or age group, fundamentals are the key to the success of any team and player. This camp will cover ball handling, passing, shooting, defensive and offensive concepts. Designed to give campers the opportunity to focus on improving their fundamental basketball skills. Emphasis is placed on technique, station work, shooting contests, and 3 on 3 and 5 on 5 game play.

Ages: 6-14

Time: 9:00 am-noon

Fee: \$125 **R** / \$156.25 **NR** / 5 sessions

Location: Mary Drew Gymnasium

**203216-00** Days/Dates: Mon-Fri, Jun 26-30 **203216-02** Days/Dates: Mon-Fri, Jul 17-21



## **Annual Memberships**

Membership in the F.A.N. (Frankfort Square Park District Activities at North) program includes all open activities that are offered at the Lincoln-Way North campus, including open gyms, fitness center, and weight room.

Family Membership	\$289
Couple Membership	\$184
Single Membership	\$131
Senior Pass (62 and older)	\$53
Drop-in daily fee Resident	\$5
Drop-in daily fee Non-Resident	\$10

Memberships can only be purchased at the park district office, located at 7540 W. Braemar Lane, Frankfort. Membership is provided on an annual basis. Your membership is valid for Iyear from the date of purchase. No Refunds, if for some reason we have to close FAN for a length of time we will add the time onto the end of your membership.

Any resident of the Frankfort Square Park District (FSPD) or Lincoln-Way Community High School District 210 (LWCHSD) are eligible to purchase an annual membership. It is required at the time of registration that three forms of ID be available to ensure residency.

## **Proof of Residency**

Three separate forms of identification for proof of residency must have three addresses that match on all three forms of proof of residency, and at least one must include photo identification.

Definition of valid forms of ID, as recognized by the State of Illinois or Federal Government include the following:

- Valid driver's license
- Valid State of Illinois ID card
- Voter's registration card
- Vehicle registration card
- Utility bills can have two utility bills, but must be different utility providers
- Property tax bill
- FOID card (Firearms Owner Identification)
- Police/Fireman Commissions card (photograph and thumbprint will be on this card)
- Valid Illinois fishing license

Bank statements, personal checks, credit card statements or other mail addressed to a P.O Box will NOT be considered acceptable forms of identification.

A photo ID will be provided for all members. ID's must be carried whenever attending F.A.N. programming at the LWN campus.

Lost or stolen ID's can be replaced at the park district office for a fee of \$10.

Membership is not available to non-residents.

Children must be at least 5 years old to participate in the F.A.N. program.

Children under 14 must be directly supervised by an adult and participating in an activity.

Children under 14 (8th grade and younger) are not permitted in weight room or fitness room.

Participants ages 14-17(high school) must be directly supervised by an adult in the weight room or fitness room.

#### **Summer Break Pass**

This is designed for students who are home for the summer and want an affordable way to work out and have fun. Passes will be available for purchase at the park district office. This pass will be valid May I-August 31.

Fee: \$50 per student

## F.A.N. for All

The Frankfort Square Park District has received many requests for usage from a variety of community, private non-profit, and for-profit organizations. At this time, exclusive use of the Lincoln-Way North field house, gymnasiums, and athletic fields, is not available. The purpose of F.A.N. is not to host tournaments or special events, no matter what revenue the event may generate.

Providing space for these events would limit resident access and usage for F.A.N. members and local groups and organizations that schedule practices and games.

Secondly, F.A.N and the North campus cannot accommodate every group and organization at all the facilities and fields for the Lincoln-Way area. Local high schools, East, Central, and West are still available for resident usage, and should be considered as able to meet group and/or organization needs.

Lincoln-Way North facility usage request forms are available on the FSPD website under the Parks & Facilities tab.

## **Create a Class**

Do you have an idea for a class or program you would like to see offered? Better yet, do you have a special interest or talent you would like to share with others? The Frankfort Square Park District is always looking for new program ideas and instructors with creative ideas or "hidden" talents to teach or lead various recreation classes. If you have a particular interest/talent and are willing to lead activities, or if you have a suggestion for a new program, please email eobrien@fspd.org or call 815-469-3524.



## 7861 W. Saint Francis Road, Frankfort, IL 60423 (815) 469-1600

Square Links Golf and Practice Center is open for the 2023 season!

Square Links is a 1,749-yard, par 32 course owned by the Frankfort Square Park District (formerly known as Hickory Creek Golf Course). It's open daily thru October (weather permitting).

Golfers are encouraged to use our on-line tee time booking service at https://squarelinks.teesnap.net/ or you can call Square Links @ (815)-469-1600. Please be prepared to provide credit card information, along with an email to receive an e-receipt. A \$2.00 convenience fee will be added to golfers who book a tee time over the phone or in person.

- All youths under 13 years of age must be accompanied by an adult golfer 18 years of age or older.
- Miss the tee time you reserved, and you risk not being able to play at all. We will try to fit you in on a best-efforts basis.
- We reserve the right to pair golfers.
- Push carts are FREE when available. You can bring your own pushcart.
- Power carts are available to rent. Payment should be made when you secure your tee time.
- The Practice Center covers over 400,000 square feet and features TopTracer Range. It includes both manicured grass tees and synthetic hitting bays. Also featured is a spectacular 18-hole natural grass putting green and practice sand bunker.
- TopTracer Range technology, a product from Topgolf Entertainment Group, is the leading innovation in ball-tracing technology and has revolutionized the way people watch, practice, and play golf.
- Practice like the Pros! TopTracer Range records each shot and sends details such as ball speed, total distance, & hangtime to your phone or tablet.

- When you create a profile, you instantly become part of a global golf community!
- The app stores data from practice sessions so players can monitor changes and fine tune their swing over time.
- Golfers can access skill-based games that will enhance their golf experience.
- Find out for more here: https://toptracer.com/range/.

## **Free Adult Monthly Golf Clinics**

Join us on the 1st Thursday of each month for a free instructional Golf Clinic,

Hosted by PGA Golf Professional Ken Buss.

Golfers of all skill levels are welcome to attend the clinics.

Ages: 14 & Up Fee: **FREE** Time: 5:30-6:30 pm Day/Date: Thurs, Apr 6 Thurs, May 4 Day/Date: Day/Date: Thurs, Jun 1 Thurs, Jul 6 Day/Date: Day/Date: Thurs, Aug 3 Day/Date: Thurs, Sept 7 Day/Date: Thurs, Oct 5

## Youth and Junior Group Lessons

## (Ages 7-13)

This introductory golf program features driving range instruction, as well as supervised play on the course to learn the rules of golf, safety, and etiquette. The fundamentals of the swing (stance, alignment, grip, and posture) are introduced and practiced each week. Once they are comfortable on the driving range, participants will advance to a few holes of course play. Please bring the following to the first class: driver, mid-iron (e.g., 5 iron), and putter.

The program fee includes range balls for each class.

Ages: 7-10

Time: 9:00-10:00 am Fee: \$45 / 4 sessions

840000-09Day/Dates: Tues. June 6-27840000-10Day/Dates: June 8-29840000-11Day/Dates: Tues. July 11- Aug 1840000-12Day/Dates: Thurs. July 13- Aug 3

Ages: 11-13

Time: 10:00-11:00 am

840000-13 Day/Dates:Tues. June 6-27
840000-14 Day/Dates:Thurs. June 8-29
840000-15 Day/Dates:Tues. July 11-Aug 1
Day/Dates:Thurs. July 13-Aug 3

Fee: \$45 / 4 sessions

## **Teen/Adult Group Lessons**

## (Ages 14 and Older)

This 4-week program is open to all skill levels! Emphasize will include the fundamentals of grip, stance, alignment, and swing techniques. Please bring your golf clubs to each class. Sign up with a friend or family member and enjoy an evening of fun and learning together!

The program fee includes range balls for each class.

Ages: 14-Adult
Time: 6:00-7:00 pm
Fee: \$62 / 4 sessions

**840014-03** Day/Dates:Thurs. June 1-22 **840014-04** Day/Dates:Thurs. Jul 6-27

## Parent / Child Golf Lessons - New

Learn the great game of golf with your child! All skill levels are welcome!

Topics include grip, stance, alignment, club selection and golf course etiquette. This program is a great opportunity to enjoy the game of golf with your child. One child per adult. Please bring your golf clubs to each class.

The program fee includes range balls for each class.

#### 840014-08

Ages: 7 & Up / Adult with child

Time: 5:00-6:00 pm
Fee: \$95/ 4 sessions
Day/Dates: Thurs. June 1-22

#### Parent/Child Scramble

Join us for an evening of fun at this family scramble event. The entry fee includes green fees, riding cart, prizes & a bucket of range balls.

#### 840003-00

Ages: 7 & Up / Adult with child

Day/Dates: Fri, June 16 Rain Date: Fri, June 23 Time: 6:00 pm

Fee: \$50 per two-person team

## **Ladies Golf League**

Once again, we'll be teeing it up on Wednesday evenings. Open to ladies of all abilities.

#### 840005-02

Ages: 18 & up

Time: Tee Times will begin at 4:00 PM

Fee: \$95 / 8 sessions
Day/Dates: Wed, June 7- Jul 26

\*A \$56 cart pass can be purchased at Square Links for league members who wish to ride.

## **Private Lessons**

Private lessons can be scheduled at Square Links by directly contacting PGA Golf Professional Ken Buss. Ken has been a PGA Member for 50 years and was awarded the Midwest Teacher of the Year in 1993. Contact Ken directly at (708) 567-3667 to schedule private lessons.

## **Errant Golf Ball Policy**

Kindly understand that Square Links Golf Course and the Frankfort Square Park District are not responsible or liable for property damage or personal injuries arising from errant golf balls. The park district is committed to safety, good sportsmanship, and cooperation with our golfers and residents, and has developed the following guidelines to minimize errant shots and to assist injured parties in identifying the golfer responsible for hitting the errant shot.

- Golfers are expected to exercise the highest degree of sportsmanship, etiquette, caution, and consideration of others-refraining from horseplay, carelessness, and reckless or offensive behavior. Golfers are responsible for their own conduct and play, including errant shots that may result in property damage or personal injuries.
- In the event of property damage or personal injury, Square Links employees will assist the damaged property owner or injured party in trying to identify the golfer who struck the shot. However, the property owner or injured party cannot be disruptive or discourteous to facility patrons or staff.
- Square Links Golf Course and Frankfort Square Park
  District staff are not responsible for identifying the
  golfer who hit the errant ball, or for ensuring that
  the parties will exchange contact and/or insurance
  information when the responsible golfer is identified.
  When the responsible golfer is known, Square Links
  staff will attempt to facilitate polite interaction and
  cooperation between the responsible golfer and injured party.



## **Thor Guard Lightning Prediction System**

The Frankfort Square Park District has a lightning prediction system that consists of sensors measuring electrostatic charges at ground level and in the atmosphere. These electrostatic charges, invisible to the naked eye, build prior to lightning occurrences. Square Links Golf Course houses the main detection system. When conditions indicate that a lightning occurrence is probable, a signal is sent to alarm horns and strobe lights located at the Community Center, Summit Hill Jr. High, Lincoln-Way North, as well as Champions, Hunter Prairie, and Union Creek Parks.

The following procedures are to be followed when potentially dangerous weather exists:

## Warning Signal

AWarning Signal (one long 15 second horn blast) will sound and strobe lights will activate when a potentially dangerous weather situation is approaching. If the strobe lights are activated, a potentially dangerous weather situation exists.

#### **Procedures**

All activities in the park will end immediately and patrons must leave the park. It is recommended that park patrons seek shelter in their cars or a building. Patrons should avoid areas that are higher than the surrounding landscape, they should not use a tree for shelter, and they should keep away from metal objects such as bicycles, golf clubs, umbrellas, etc. All park patrons must wait until the Lightning Prediction System performs an All-Clear Signal before returning to the park.

## All-Clear Signal

The All-Clear Signal (three short horn blasts, two seconds apart) will sound, and the strobe lights will deactivate. After the All-Clear Signal sounds and the strobe lights deactivate, park patrons may resume their activities.

#### **Caution**

The Thor Guard System helps assess the conditions. Neither the signal nor the system is intended to guarantee that conditions are safe. If the weather is threatening and no warning signal is heard or seen, use good judgment and clear the area. Do not wait for the warning signal to activate, as the system can malfunction.

The Thor Guard Lightning Prediction System is tested on the first Tuesday of every month at 10:00 am during non-winter months.



### **AED - Automated External Defibrillators**

The Frankfort Square Park District has purchased and placed into service numerous automated external defibrillators (AED's). These AED's are located at the Community Center, Square Links Golf Course, Champions Park concession stand, and both Union Creek concession stands. In addition, Summit Hill School District 161 and Lincoln-Way Community High School District 210 have AED's located at all school facilities utilized by the park district for programming.

## Boy Scouts of America Boy Scout Troop 237 Scouts, BSA Ages 11-18

A leadership program that is designed to challenge and inspire its members.

With our advancement and merit badge opportunities youth have the opportunity to grow and explore, via camping, hiking, and service projects. https://www.facebook.com/scoutsbsaFS

## For Boys:Troop 237

Contact Earl Bonovich at 708-638-2195 or earl.bonovich@tkdtrio.com

## For Girls:Troop 732

Contact Dave Geekie at 708-902-2295 or dgeekie63@gmail.com

### Cub Pack 101, Grades K - 5th

Cub Scout Pack 101 is a Family Pack that welcomes boys and girls in kindergarten through 5th grade to join at any time during the year. Our Pack offers a fun and exciting Cub Scout program that includes events such as the annual Pinewood Derby, and provides camping and hiking opportunities. Visit us on Facebook - www.facebook.com/FSPack101/ - to learn more or look us up at www.beascout.org to apply. For more information, contact membership chair Justin Pariseau at (708) 921-3083 or justinapariseau@gmail.com.

#### **Girl Scouts USA**

Are you looking to become a Girl Scout? We have troop leaders ready to accept new girls (ages 5-18) into their troops which meet on a variety of days and times. For more information, please contact the individual leaders below or by email at:

serviceunit742@gmail.com

Arbury Hills - Amy Nordsell (630) 661-1001
Daisy (K-1st) - Amy Nordsell (630) 661-1001
Frankfort Square - Amy Nordsell (630) 661-1001
Indian Trail - Amy Nordsell (630) 661-1001
Rogus - Amy Nordsell (630) 661-1001
Hilda Walker - Amy Nordsell (630) 661-1001
Summit Hill - Amy Norsell (630)661-1001
Lincoln-Way School District 210 - Pat Huntoon (708) 651-1389



## **Union Creek Skate Park**

Hours: Dawn to dusk

## Warning of Risk and Danger

Skateboarding and in-line skating are high risk activities with inherent risks of serious injury.

The skate park area is unsupervised and participants and all other persons are voluntarily participating and entering at their own risk.

Skate parks are prone to flying objects and bodies. Know your abilities and skate within them. The park district is not responsible for accidents. When wet, the skating surface can be dangerous. **Enter at your own risk!** 

Please review the rules posted at Union Creek Park.

#### **NHL-Style In-Line Hockey Rink**

Come out and play just like the pros. Shoot at the same goals, get checked into the same boards, and try to stay out of the same penalty boxes as the pros. The hockey rink, located at Union Creek, is open daily from 8:00 am until 10:00 pm for in-line skating and hockey.





## **Frisbee Golf Course**

Visit the 9-hole, par 32 Frisbee Golf Course, located at Indian Boundary South Park. The course is open for play every day, from dawn to dusk. Bring your own discs and have fun! Frisbee Golf is played like regular golf, but uses flying discs instead of golf balls. One stroke is counted for each throw or when a penalty is incurred. A hole is completed when the disc rests in the basket. The winner is the player with the lowest score.

Please review the disc golf course rules posted at Indian Boundary South Park.

## Community Park Gardens - FREE!

Elevated community gardens are available at Community Park, located at the corner of St. Francis and Frankfort Square Roads. Residents are FREE and \$30 for Non-Residents. Interested individuals should contact the Park District office at (815) 469-3524.

## Brookside Bayou Park - FREE!

Garden plots located at 191st and Brookside Glen Drive Residents are FREE and \$30 for Non-Residents. Interested individuals should contact the Park District office at (815) 469-3524.

## Frankfort Square Baseball League (FSBL)

FSBL is an all-volunteer baseball organization that seeks to instill ideals of good sportsmanship, teamwork, honesty, courage, and leadership in every player at every age level. Online registration for the spring season opens in late November. The season is expected to begin in April. We offer t-ball through collegiate divisions and travel baseball. Please visit us on the web at fsbl.net or like us on Facebook at facebook.com\thefsbl to stay informed regarding all league activities.

## Simba and Nala's Dog Park Ongoing Membership

Simba and Nala's Dog Park is located at Union Creek Park and features two main areas. One is for small dogs (less than 30 pounds), and the other is for large dogs (larger than 31 pounds). The park also includes a dog rinsing station, dog waste bags, and receptacles.

Registration for Simba and Nala's Dog Park is accepted at the Park District Administration Building for residents and non-residents. The annual membership fee is FREE per resident dog and \$60.00 per non-resident dog. Non-residents will be billed at the end of April each year.

To register, individuals must bring a copy of each dog's immunization records (Rabies - certificate from the county, Distemper, and Bordetella) to the park district. Special registration forms are available at the park office. Also, please bring us a  $4 \times 6$  photo of your furry friend.

At the time of registration, participants will receive a membership packet, which includes rules and emergency contact information. Other items include a membership card, key fob, and lanyard. An electronic locking gate promotes safety and security, as well as operational efficiency at the park. The key fob, which can be attached to your dog park lanyard or your keychain, must be presented in close proximity to the gate lock in order to gain access to the park. Key fobs will be activated within 24 hours of registration.

If you misplace your key fob, please notify the Frankfort Square Park District immediately. Your old key fob will be deactivated and a new one will be issued to you and activated for a \$25.00 replacement fee.

In the event that your key fob is deactivated, there will be a \$5.00 reactivation fee. Reactivation of your fob may take up to two weeks due to shot records not being up to date.

## **Integrated Pest Management**

Application of herbicides to park land is necessary to maintain and improve park properties within our district. These applications are done by qualified personnel with proper equipment and in compliance with all appropriate state and local regulations. Integrated Pest Management (I.P.M.) is employed by the Frankfort Square Park District to manage and control pests with chemical, physical, and biological methods. Components of I.P.M. include fertilization, maintaining mowing equipment, aerating, over-seeding, and chemical application of herbicides. If you would like additional information relating to I.P.M. or would like to be notified when chemical applications will be done on park property, please contact the park office at (815) 469-3524.



## **Memorial Opportunity**

The FSPD has created a way for pet owners to commemorate the love they shared with their special friends through the installation of plaques that can be located throughout its outdoor areas. Plaques can be purchased for \$250, which includes the brass plaque, mounting post, and installation. If interested in memorializing your pet, please contact the park district office.



The Frankfort Square Park District has five facilities available on a rental basis. These rooms can be used for a variety of celebrations, such as banquets, weddings, birthdays, showers, or family gatherings. Renters must be 25 years of age.

## Community Room - 7540 W. Braemar Lane

Occupancy - seating for approximately 100 guests

- Tables and chairs
- Full kitchen with appliances
- Commercial coffee maker

#### Board Room - 7540 W. Braemar Lane

Occupancy - seating for approximately 35 guests

- Tables and chairs
- Full kitchen with appliances
- Keurig coffee maker

## Nature Center - 7530 W. Braemar Lane

Occupancy - seating for approximately 20 guests

- Tables and chairs
- Outdoor picnic tables

#### **Rental Fees**

Facilities are available for a minimum of five hours. Additional hours are \$70 each. A \$150 security deposit (in addition to the rental fee) is required at the time of reservation, and will secure the date of the rental. In the event of a cancellation, the security deposit is forfeited. Rental fees must be paid in full one month prior to the rental date. Due to insurance requirements, rental applications requesting to serve alcoholic beverages will be required to provide host liquor and general liability insurance listing the Frankfort Square Park District as an additional insured.

Frankfort Square Park District Residents	\$350
Non-Residents	\$450
Host Liquor/General Liability Insurance	\$200
Outdoor Bandshell	\$75

\* Must rent community room with Outdoor Bandshell.

## **Date Availability**

Facility rentals are reserved by appointment only during regular office hours. A tour of the space is available, rules and regulations are reviewed, and a security deposit is rendered.

- Beginning September 1, rentals are booked for January and February of the following year.
- Beginning January 1, rentals are booked for March - December of the current year.

For more information, please call (815) 469-3524.

## **Picnic Shelter Rental**

The Frankfort Square Park District has two picnic shelters available on a rental basis. The Union Creek Picnic Shelter, located at the Hilda Walker School site, and the 80th Avenue shelter, located next to the South Suburban Special Recreation

Association building, are available for family picnics, birthdays, etc. Please call the park district office for availability.

## **Picnic Shelter Rental Rates**

Security deposit \$100.00 Rental rate \$100.00 Non-resident rental rate \$250.00

- \* Deposit required
- \* No alcohol allowed
- \* First-come, first-serve basis
- \* Must be 25 years or older to reserve the pavilion
- Security deposits are non-refundable in the event of a cancellation

Additional smaller shelters are available at Indian Trail School, Hunter Prairie Park, Community Park, Frankfort Square School, and Dr. Julian Rogus School at no cost. Usage is available on a first-come, first-served basis for these pavilions.







#### **Code Of Conduct**

The Frankfort Square Park District is committed to providing a safe and fun environment for all participants and guests. By doing so, patrons are required to act appropriately, and are to always be respectful to others when using Frankfort Square Park District facilities.

Individuals using Frankfort Square Park District facilities are expected to behave in an appropriate and responsible manner. The Frankfort Square Park District Code of Conduct does not permit use of language or any action that may hurt or frighten another person or otherwise falls below a generally accepted standard of conduct. Directions issued by the park district staff must be followed at all times.

- Show respect for all participants, guests, spectators, staff, and volunteers.
- · Follow program rules and direction from staff.
- Show respect for equipment, supplies, and facilities.
- Use of abusive or foul language, arguing, fighting, and any other form of harassment or intimidation is prohibited.
- Weapons, drugs, and alcohol are prohibited on school and park district property.
- Report incidents where park district policies are disregarded to staff.
- Report illegal activities to police/sheriff.

This Code of Conduct is in place to help make the Frankfort Square Park District's facilities and programs safe and enjoyable for everyone. If inappropriate behavior occurs, a prompt resolution will be sought specific to each situation. The Frankfort Square Park District reserves the right to remove anyone whose behavior endangers his or her own safety or the safety of others.

#### **Program Policy**

Due to the possibility of separation anxiety, the park district asks that parents of children who have not been in prior park district programs remain in the lobby for the first day of class.

With the child's best interest in mind, no parents or siblings are allowed in the classroom - only registered participants.

If your child is not toilet-trained, please make sure he or she has on a fresh diaper or pull-up. If your child is at risk to need an immediate diaper change, you should plan on remaining on the premises, or be immediately reachable by phone. Our instructors are not in the position to change soiled diapers or training pants.

As we are unable to offer refunds or credits for the Tiny Tot programs and Early Childhood Camp, parents are asked to be confident their child is ready for this program. A child is ready when he/she is willing to enter/stay in the classroom without crying. With the child's best interest in mind, **no** parents are allowed in the classroom. The park district will

try to accommodate your child in a parent-tot program if deemed necessary.

## **Birth Certificate Policy**

Birth certificates are required at the first registration for children 5 years and younger to validate age requirement for all programs. We do not retain copies of birth certificates.

#### **Cancellations**

The staff reserves the right to consolidate, postpone, reschedule, or cancel any program due to change in day, dates, times, instructor, or insufficient enrollment.

#### For Your Safety

Please drop-off and pick-up your children promptly upon arrival or dismissal of class.

Preschool-age children enrolled in park district programs are not released from a class to anyone other than a parent or guardian, unless advance written notification is given to the instructor.

#### Age Limitations and Why

In order to provide your child with the best possible recreational and/or learning experience, all of our programs are planned according to the ages listed in our brochure. Our instructors are sensitive to the needs of the individual age levels. Children must be the age listed in the brochure for each program by the date the program begins, unless otherwise specified.

#### Participant Publicity Acknowledgement

The Frankfort Square Park District uses photographs of participants in our programs, special events, and parks to inform others of the many recreational opportunities available through our park district. Please be aware that these photos are for park district use only and may be used in the park district's publications, website, and social media. If you do not wish to have your picture taken, please inform our photographer. If the picture has already been taken, please call the park district office.



## Please read information carefully before registering:

### **Registration Policy**

- Programs will be filled on a first-come, first-served hasis
- 2. All programs will have a minimum and a maximum enrollment.
- Waiting lists may be formed after a particular class is filled.
- 4. The park district works hard to schedule programs at your convenience, but under extreme conditions, reserves the right to change facilities, times, dates, and instructors. You will be notified prior to change.
- If a park district program is scheduled at a school facility, school programs have priority.
- Registrations must be made by online, mail, fax, or in person during regular office hours. We also have an after-hours drop box located at the front door of the Community Center.
- 7. Mail-in registrations (with payment and registration form included), unless notified otherwise by park district personnel, are automatically registered for the classes indicated. If not admitted, individuals will be notified and receive a full refund. To register by mail, please complete a registration form and enclose a check made payable to the Frankfort Square Park District and mail to:

Frankfort Square Park District 7540 W. Braemar Lane Frankfort. Illinois 60423

- 8. All payments must be paid in-full at time of registration.
- Non-residents will pay an additional 25% for programs.
- The park district reserves the right to adjust any incorrect program fees that were due to printing errors.
- A \$5.00 fee will be assessed to each
  participant wishing to change programs or sessions.
  Program changes will not be processed until transfer
  fee is rendered.
- A \$25.00 fee will be assessed for any returned check and any future registrations will need to be paid in cash.

#### **Resident Status**

Please call the park office to see if you are a resident and within park district boundaries.

## Office Phone: (815)469-3524

## **Registration Refund Policy**

- Refunds will be mailed approximately two weeks from the time of submission.
- 2. 100% refund will be given whenever the park district cancels a program or activity due to insufficient program registration.
- 3. A full refund, less a \$5.00 service charge (per program) will be granted if the request is submitted prior to three business days before the start of the program or activity. All refunds for programs must be requested in-person at the park district office.
- 4. No refunds will be given after the start of the program.
- 5. One week notice of cancellation is necessary to obtain a full refund on any park district trip. (Less a \$5.00 service charge.)
- 6. No refunds for certain special events. (i.e.; Breakfast with the Bunny, one-day parties, or trips)

## The Frankfort Square Park District is not responsible for lost or late mail.

Mail-in, drop-off, or fax your completed registration form along with your check or credit card number to:

Frankfort Square Park District 7540 W. Braemar Lane Frankfort, IL 60423 Fax: (815) 469-8657

Please place the appropriate registration form, check, or credit card number in a sealed envelope and drop off at the Frankfort Square Park District Administration Building, 7540 W. Braemar Lane. Be sure to include the program number and remember to sign the waiver. Please read all registration instructions carefully because some programs have special registration requirements or registration deadlines. Include the registration form with a check or credit card number for the correct total fee. Please include your phone number on the check and make your check payable to the Frankfort Square Park District.



## Frankfort Square Park District Program Waiver & Release

#### **Important Information**

The Frankfort Square Park District is committed to conducting its recreation programs and activities in a safe manner and holds the safety of participants in high regard. The Frankfort Square Park District continually strives to reduce such risks and insists that all participants follow safety rules and instructions that are designed to protect the participants' safety. However, participants and parents/guardians of minors registering for this program/activity must recognize that there is an inherent risk of injury when choosing to participate in recreational activities/programs.

You are solely responsible for determining if you or your minor child/ward are physically fit and/or adequately skilled for the activities contemplated by this agreement. It is always advisable, especially if the participant is pregnant, disabled in any way or has recently suffered an illness, injury or impairment, to consult a physician before undertaking any physical activity.

#### Warning of Risk

Recreational activities are intended to challenge and engage the physical, mental, and emotional resources of each participant. Despite careful and proper preparation, instruction, medical advice, conditioning and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury when participating in any recreational activity. All hazards and dangers cannot be foreseen. Depending on the particular activity, certain risks, dangers and injuries may exist due to inclement weather, slips and falls, poor skill level or conditioning, carelessness, horseplay, unsportsmanlike conduct, premises defects, inadequate or defective equipment, inadequate supervision, instruction or officiating, and other risks inherent to the particular activity. In this regard, it is impossible for the Frankfort Square Park District to guarantee absolute safety.

#### Waiver and Release of All Claims and Assumption of Risk

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in signing up and participating in this program/activity, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages or loss which you or your minor child/ward might sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with and associated with this program/activity (including transportation services and vehicle operations, when provided).

I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participants in this program/activity, and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of any and all injuries, damages or loss, regardless of severity, that my minor child/ward or I may sustain as a result of said participation. I further agree to waive and relinquish all claims I or my minor child/ward may have (or accrue to me or my child/ward) as a result of participating in this program/activity against the Frankfort Square Park District, including its officials, agents, volunteers and employees.

#### **Photo/Video Policy**

I understand that photos and videos are periodically taken of people participating in Frankfort Square Park District programs and activities, and I agree that any photograph or video taken by the park district of me or my minor child/ward while participating in a park district program or activity may be used by the park district for promotional purposes, including its electronic media, videos, brochures, flyers, and other publications without additional prior notice, permission, or compensation to the participant.

I have read and fully understand the registration policies, the above important information, warning of risk, photo/video policy, assumption of risk and waiver and release of all claims. If registering on-line or via fax, my on-line or facsimile signature shall substitute for and have the same legal effect as an original form signature.

Date
(18 years or older or Parent/Guardian)

#### Participation Will Be Denied

If the signature of adult participant or parent/guardian and date are not on this waiver.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, please describe any accommodation needed for your enjoyment of this program. If special accommodations are needed, allow 2 weeks prior to the start of the program. A staff member will contact you for more information. If you do not hear from us prior to the start date of the program, please call to confirm your accommodations.

## Walking Trail and Bike Path

The 9.9 mile network of trails connects parklands and provides access and safe passage to schools and neighborhoods throughout the Frankfort Square community. The multi-use trails were installed through IDNR grants obtained by both the park district and Frankfort Township, while Brookside Glen Subdivision Trail and Lighthouse Pointe Subdivision Trail were included in subdivision planning by their respective developers.

#### **Walking Path Distances**

1.66 Miles

Community Center to Square Links Golf Course, through Island Prairie, Indian Boundary South, Kingston, and Hoffman Parks

1.70 Miles

Indian Boundary South parking lot to Union Creek parking lot, south on Frankfort Square Road to St. Francis, to 80th Avenue

1.34 Miles

Union Creek parking lot to 80th Avenue, west through Brookside Glen subdivision

0.90 Miles 80th Avenue to Ridgefield

0.50 Miles

Arbor Park, encircling the pond

0.40 Miles

Woodlawn Park, encircling the pond

## Frankfort Square Park District Trail

The park district's 1.9 mile trail connects Island Prairie, Indian Boundary South, Kingston, and Hoffman parks.

Path users can access the trail beginning at Arran Drive, directly south of the Frankfort Square Park District Administration Building, and wind through the large 35 acre wet-mesic prairie, offering spectacular views of the lake. Continue on to Indian Boundary South and pause by the wildlife viewing stations, an Eagle Scout project constructed by Boy Scout Troop 237. Stop for a picnic at Kingston or Hoffman Parks as the kids enjoy playing on state-of-theart playground equipment. As you traverse the path, you will spot native Illinois plantings and wildlife habitats in the prairies and along the waters' edge. Whether walking, biking, or roller blading, the path is sure to offer a great way to exercise while enjoying the pristine parks along the way.

#### **Trail Rules**

Trails are open from dawn to dusk. Motorized vehicles are not allowed on any park district or township trails. Pets must be leashed and pet cleanup is required.

## Frankfort Township Trail

The 2.1 mile township trail begins at Frankfort Square School then heads south to St. Francis. There it continues west to 80th Avenue where it turns north to Hilda Walker School.

In a cooperative effort with the Frankfort Square Park District, the Frankfort Township trail serves as a vital link in a planned bike path system. Residents can begin at Indian Boundary South Park and Frankfort Square School, proceed south along Frankfort Square Road to Community Park for an afternoon of fishing, tennis, or picnicking. Travel west along St. Francis Road, adjacent to the park district's Square Links Golf Course and Driving Range. Continue west to 80th Avenue and travel north to Hilda Walker School and Union Creek Park. The parks connected by the Frankfort Township trail offer a wide variety of recreational amenities such as playgrounds, sports fields, picnic shelters, golf, wildlife observation, and skating rinks.

#### **Brookside Glen Subdivision**

The Brookside Glen 5.5 mile path system, installed by developers of Brookside Glen, is maintained by the Frankfort Square Park District.

This path winds throughout the Brookside Glen subdivision offering a tremendous benefit to residents. The trail system provides a healthy alternative to motorized transportation, enabling a positive impact upon the environment. Children can safely walk or bike to school, and path users have increased enjoyment of the native areas and ponds located throughout the subdivision.

## **Lighthouse Pointe Subdivision**

Developers of Lighthouse Pointe included a 2 mile path in the planning of this subdivision. The path system was transferred to the Frankfort Square Park District and is under perpetual maintenance year round.

Enter the path system at various points throughout the subdivision and follow this winding trail as it gently slopes creek-side from prairies to wooded wetland, to the future park site. Sights such as the wooded Hickory Creek, native Illinois landscapes, and a proliferation of wildlife in their natural habitats add to the unique experience hikers and bikers can enjoy along the way.

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