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Winter
2024-2025



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Recreation Advisory Board

The Recreation Advisory Board meets bi-monthly at various park locations throughout the County. Individuals wishing to make a presentation before the Board should call the Director's Office in advance of the next meeting.

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2025 SUMMER CAMP FAIR



JOIN US THIS FEBRUARY!

Anne Arundel Recreation and Parks is THE destination for camps and programs for ALL AGES! There are many day camp opportunities including: Summer Day Camps, Summer Fun Centers, Art Camps, Science and Engineering Camps, Theatre Performance and Dance Camps, Sports Camps, Summer Aquatics Camps, Nature Adventure Camps, Teens on the Go, and Adaptive Day Camps for all abilities.

Summer Camp Fair & Camp Guides
Saturday, February 1 — 10:00am-12:00pm
Severna Park High School

Contact Numbers

Vision Statement

To enrich the lives of all residents of Anne Arundel County.

We make life better!

Mission Statement

We Create Opportunities to Enjoy Life, Explore Nature, and Restore Health and Well-being.

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Anne Arundel County Recreation & Parks is accredited through the Commission for Accreditation of Park and Recreation Agencies (CAPRA).

GENERAL INFORMATION

Registration / Recreation Program Information	410-222-7300 301-261-8036
Athletics Information	410-222-7313
Park Administration/ Maintenance/ Field Lights	410-222-7865
Child Care	410-222-7317
Director's Office	410-222-7856
Facility Scheduling/Community Parks Pavilion	410-222-7867
	410-222-7315

RECREATION FACILITIES

Arundel Olympic Swim Center	410-222-7933
North Arundel Aquatic Center	410-222-0090
Joe Cannon Stadium	410-222-6652
George Bachman Sports Complex	410-222-0017
North County Recreation Center	410-222-0036
South County Recreation Center	410-222-1515
Deep Run Recreation Center	410-222-0800

PARK FACILITIES

Baltimore-Annapolis Trail Park	410-222-6141
Downs Park	410-222-6230
Fort Smallwood Park	410-222-0087
Hancock's Resolution	410-255-4048
Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary	410-222-8006
Kinder Farm Park	410-222-6115
Lake Waterford Park	410-222-6248
Historic London Town & Gardens	410-222-1919
Mayo Beach Park	410-222-1978
Quiet Waters Park	410-222-1777
Beverly Triton Nature Park	410-222-1978

FAX NUMBERS

Fax Number (Child Care)	410-222-4478
Fax Number (Recreation & Athletics)	410-222-4120
Fax Number (Parks)	410-222-7320

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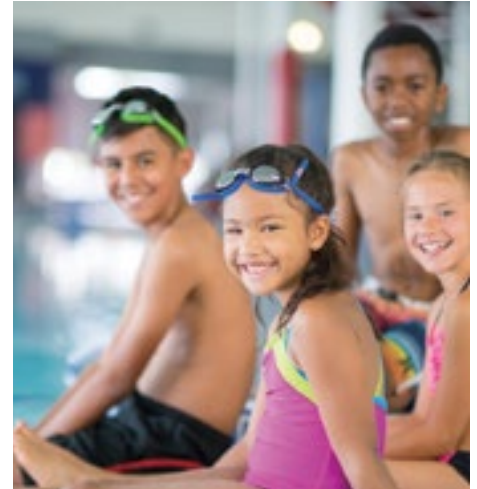
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Just for Kids

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DRRC – Deep Run Recreation Center

MOOSE – Moose Athletic Club

NCRC – North County Recreation Center

RBES – Riviera Beach ES

SCRC – South County Recreation Center

Class/Program Name	Location	Ages	Fee	First Date	Day, Time	Weeks	Program #
Youth Karate	RBES	7-15	\$90	12/3/24	Tuesdays, 6:30p-8:30p <i>Excluding 12/24,12/25,12/31, 1/1/25</i>	10	39046
Youth Karate	CMS	7-15	\$90	12/4/24	Wednesdays, 7:00p-9:00p <i>Excluding 11/24,12/25,12/31, 1/1/25</i>	10	39047
RISE STEM Tour 1	AMS	8-10	\$120	1/13/25	Mon/Wed 5pm-6:30pm	2	39279
RISE STEM Tour 2	DRRC	8-10	\$120	1/21/25	Tue/ Thu 5 pm-6:30 pm	2	39280
RISE STEM Tour 3	AMS	5-7	\$120	2/10/25	Mon/ Wed 5pm-6:30pm	2	39281
RISE STEM Switch Competition	AMS	8-10	\$65	3/3/25	Mon/ Wed 5pm-6:30pm	1	39282
RISE STEM Board Game Night 1	DRRC	5-99	\$10	1/17/25	Friday 5pm- 6:30pm	1	39284
RISE STEM Board Game Night 2	DRRC	5-99	\$10	1/31/25	Friday 5pm- 6:30pm	1	39285
RISE STEM Board Game Night 3	DRRC	5-99	\$10	2/28/25	Friday 5pm- 6:30pm	1	39286
Tang Soo Do*	DRRC	7-99	\$100.00*	12/9/24	Mon/Wed 5:30pm-6:30pm <i>Excluding 12/23, 12/25, 12/30, 1/1, 1/20, 1/22, 2/17, 2/19</i>	10	39295
Tang Soo Do*	DRRC	7-99	\$100.00*	12/9/24	Mon/Wed 6:30pm-7:30pm <i>Excluding 12/23, 12/25, 12/30, 1/1, 1/20, 1/22, 2/17, 2/19</i>	10	39594
Tater Tots Fun and Games	NCRC	3-6	\$240	1/7/25	Tuesday, 10am- 2pm	8	39364
Tater Tots Arts and Crafts	NCRC	3-6	\$180	1/6/25	Monday, 10am - 2pm	6	39365
Tater Tots Storytime and Social Club	NCRC	3-6	\$240	1/8/25	Wednesday, 10am- 2pm	8	39641
Kids Specialty Ceramics	SCRC	7-11	\$60	1/13/25	Monday, 5:45pm-6:45pm	8	39373
Kids Specialty Ceramics	SCRC	12-16	\$60	1/14/25	Tuesday, 5:45pm-6:45pm	8	39374
Kids Make-N-Take Bubbles the Fish Piggy Bank	SCRC	7-17	\$20	1/22/25	Wednesday, 5pm-6pm	1	39379
Kids Make-N-Take Cupcake Plate	SCRC	7-17	\$20	2/19/25	Wednesday, 5pm-6pm	1	39380
Kids Make-N-Take Flower Pot	SCRC	7-17	\$20	3/19/25	Wednesday 5pm-6pm	1	39381

* see description for additional fees at time of class

Camp Moose							
FREEZIN Moose Lacrosse Camp - 5th/6th Grade	MOOSE	9-11	\$285	1/5/24	Sun, 12:30pm-2pm	5	39561
FREEZIN Moose Lacrosse Camp - 1st/2nd Grade	MOOSE	5-7	\$285	1/5/24	Sun, 9:30am-11am	5	39559
FREEZIN Moose Lacrosse Camp - 3rd/4th Grade	MOOSE	7-9	\$285	1/5/24	Sun, 11am-12:30pm	5	39560
FREEZIN Moose Lacrosse Camp- PreK/K	MOOSE	4-6	\$285	1/5/24	Sun, 8am-9:30am	5	39558
Moose Girls Lacrosse Training Session 3	MOOSE	6-18	\$99	1/4/24	Sat, 8am-9am	4	38491

View a listing of organizations and learn more at: www.aacounty.org/departments/recreation-parks/sports/

Just for Kids

Fitness

Youth Karate

Students will learn self-defense and protective maneuvers while exercising and disciplining body and mind. Loose clothing required. Ages 7-15.

No Class December 24 and 31, 2024.

Instructor: Craig Orr

Tang Soo Do

This program teaches youth the basic principles of discipline, focus, respect, self-control, and a winning attitude through the introduction of Tang Soo Do training. (Instructors charge participants an added \$150 for the GI and Handbook. Instructor: Tim Pruitt. Ages 7 and up

RISE STEM

RISE STEM Tour 1

TOUR FOCUS: AI, Aerodynamics (Science of Flight), Engineering and Chemistry

Explore exciting RISE STEM labs with interactive, fun ways to learn Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM). This gives students a sample of other offerings we make available through our RISE Immersive STEM Warrior Enrichment Program. We are creating pathways for students to get involved in STEM activities leading to STEM Careers. Ages 8-10.

RISE STEM Tour 2

TOUR FOCUS: AI, Aerodynamics (Science of Flight), Engineering and Chemistry

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RISE STEM Tour 3

TOUR FOCUS: AI, Solar and Wind (Alternative) Energy, Engineering and Chemistry

Explore exciting RISE STEM labs with interactive, fun ways to learn Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM). This gives students a sample of other offerings we make available through our RISE Immersive STEM Warrior Enrichment Program. We are creating pathways for students to get involved in STEM activities leading to STEM Careers. Ages 5-7.

RISE STEM Switch Competition

Gamers come show off gaming skills and your ability to use teamwork and tactical approaches to advance to the next level. One player starts playing, then SWITCH with another player to start playing and continue to win the game. Must bring your own Nintendo Switch to compete. Gaming space will be enhanced with a leaderboard for the competition and prizes/ trophies at the end. Ages 8-10.

RISE STEM Board Game Night 1

Old school meets new school. Monopoly, Sorry, Life and many other board games became the family tradition for people as a way to reconnect after a long day or week. Today there are new games with the same goal in mind. We use board and card games (i.e., Between Cities) to encourage families and close friends to strategize for the victory. Build a team (up to six players) and use smart

strategies to identify the best way to earn the title. Apply communication, teamwork and leadership (and of course good sportsmanship – have fun) to be called RISE Champions. Ages 5-99.

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Tator Tots

Tator Tots Fun and Games

This program allows children between the ages of 3-6 to socialize while having fun playing games in a controlled environment while developing motor,

and social skills through game play. (Must Be Toilet Trained). Ages 3-6.

Tater Tots Arts and Crafts

This program allows children between the ages of 3-6 to socialize while having fun with art and crafts in a controlled environment while developing cognitive, and social skills through arts and crafts. (Must Be Toilet Trained). Ages 3-6.

Tater Tots Storytime and Social Club

This program allows children to socialize while having fun reading stories and playing games in a controlled environment while developing social skills through game play and storytimes. (Must Be Toilet Trained). Ages 3-6."



Kids Make-N-Take Bubbles the Fish Piggy Bank

Create a cute Bubbles the Fish Piggy Bank. Ages 7-17.

Kids Make-N-Take Cupcake Plate

Create a unique Cupcake Plate to serve family and friends. Ages 7-17.

Kids Make-N-Take Flower Pot

Create a unique Flower Pot using one of our beautiful glazes! Ages 7-17.

Ceramics

Kids Specialty Ceramics

Select your projects from the extensive variety of green ware. Learn techniques in dry brushing, glazing, and chalks. Ages 7-11.

Tater Tot Clubs
 North County Recreation Center
 196 Hammonds Lane, Brooklyn Park, MD

Inviting children between the ages of 3-6 to play, learn, and grow in our **Arts and Craft Club** on Mondays, **Fun and Games Club** on Tuesdays, and **Storytime and Social Club** on Wednesdays!

Registration Available Now!
 January - February, March - April, May - June
 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday | 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
 (Crafts) (Games) (Stories)

SCAN ME  **REGISTER HERE!**
aarecparks.org/TaterTot
 (Must be potty trained)

School Break FUN DAY

Deep Run Recreation Center
 1788 Dorsey Rd, Hanover, MD 21076

Looking for fun activities for your child during winter break?
 Bring them to Deep Run for a full day of **FUN!**

12/23 - #39644
 12/26 - #39645
 12/27 - #39646
 12/30 - #39647

7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
 \$50.00 per day
 Ages 6-13

REGISTER HERE
aarecparks.org/SchoolBreakFunDays
 Bring your own snack, lunch, & drink!



Adaptive Programs

MGSS– Marley Glen Special School
 THES – Tyler Heights ES

Activity	Location	Ages	Fee	First Date	Day, Time	Weeks	Program #
Adaptive- Saturday Recreation (MGSS)	MGSS	5-29	\$235	1/11/25	Sat., 9am-2pm	10	39186
Adaptive- Saturday Recreation (THES)	THES	5-29	\$235	1/11/25	Sat., 9am-2pm	10	39187
Adaptive- Basketball (Clinic)	MGSS	5-9	\$70	1/11/25	Sat., 9:30am-10:45am	10	39188
Adaptive- Basketball (Progressive)	MGSS	10-29	\$70	1/11/25	Sat., 11am-12:15pm	10	39189

Adaptive Programs

We offer programs that are intended to provide integration opportunities, in a fun and non-competitive manner, to challenged youth and their peers. Volunteers over the age of 14 are encouraged to become peer coaches and participate in the programs. For additional information about appropriate programs or for volunteer information please contact Ryan Stewart at rpstew99@aacounty.org.

Supervision: 1:3 ratio unless otherwise noted. Nurse is not available during the school year programs for medication administration or medical protocols.



Adaptive Winter Recreation



Adaptive- Saturday Recreation

Children develop social skills through sports play, arts and crafts, and other special activities, while parents have a few hours to themselves. Participants must bring a lunch and drink.

Adaptive- Basketball (Clinic)

Adaptive athletes will learn basic basketball skills, sportsmanship, and rules of the game with peer coaches and assistance in a fun and safe environment

Adaptive- Basketball (Progressive)

Adaptive athletes who have progressed beyond clinic play and are able to play more independently in a fun and safe environment

Winter Dance Classes

ANSR – Annapolis Senior Center

CBMS – Chesapeake Bay MS

CMS – Crofton MS

DRRC – Deep Run Recreation Center

FMES – Folger McKinsey ES

NCRC – North County Recreation Center

OMSR – O'Malley Senior Center

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PCSR – Pascal Senior Center

SCSR – South County Senior Center

SPMS – Severna Park MS

SCRC – South County Recreation Center

Class	Location	Ages	Fee	First Date	Day, Time	Weeks	Instructor	Program#
Teddy Bear Ballet	NCRC	2-3	\$67	1/27/25	Mon, 9:30am-10:15am	6	Alyssa Hance	39138
Teddy Bear Ballet	NCRC	2-3	\$67	3/17/25	Mon, 9:30am-10:15am	6	Alyssa Hance	39139
Teddy Bear Ballet	NCRC	2-3	\$67	1/25/25	Sat, 9:00am-9:45am	6	Britney Branch	39140
Teddy Bear Ballet	NCRC	2-3	\$67	3/8/25	Sat, 9:00am-9:45am	6	Britney Branch	39141
Fairy Tale Ballet	NCRC	3-6	\$67	1/27/25	Mon, 10:15am-11:00am	6	Alyssa Hance	39142
Fairy Tale Ballet	NCRC	3-6	\$67	3/17/25	Mon, 10:15am-11:00am	6	Alyssa Hance	39143
Fairy Tale Ballet	NCRC	3-6	\$67	1/25/25	Sat, 9:45am-10:30am	6	Britney Branch	39144
Fairy Tale Ballet	NCRC	3-6	\$67	3/8/25	Sat, 9:45am-10:30am	6	Britney Branch	39145
Fairy Tale Ballet	OMSR	3-6	\$67	1/22/25	Wed, 5:00pm-5:45pm	6	L. Osborne	39146
Fairy Tale Ballet	OMSR	3-6	\$67	3/5/25	Wed, 5:00pm-5:45pm	6	L. Osborne	39147
Fairy Tale Ballet	SPMS	3-6	\$67	1/22/25	Wed, 5:00pm-5:45pm	6	Britney Branch	39148
Fairy Tale Ballet	SPMS	3-6	\$67	3/5/25	Wed, 5:00pm-5:45pm	6	Britney Branch	39149
Fairy Tale Ballet	SCRC	3-6	\$67	1/30/25	Thurs, 5:15pm-6:00pm	6	Michalah Hodson	39150
Fairy Tale Ballet	SCRC	3-6	\$67	3/13/25	Thurs, 5:15pm-6:00pm	6	Michalah Hodson	39151
Fairy Tale Ballet	DRRC	3-6	\$67	1/24/25	Fri, 9:00-9:45am	6	L. Osborne	39599
Fairy Tale Ballet	DRRC	3-6	\$67	3/7/25	Fri, 9:00-9:45am	6	L. Osborne	39600
Little Dancers I*	DRRC	4-6	\$167	1/24/25	Fri, 9:45-10:30am	15	L. Osborne	39597
Hip Hop Tots	OMSR	4-6	\$67	1/22/25	Wed, 5:45pm-6:30pm	6	L. Osborne	39152
Hip Hop Tots	OMSR	4-6	\$67	3/5/25	Wed, 5:45pm-6:30pm	6	L. Osborne	39153
Little Tappers*	OMSR	4-5	\$134	1/27/25	Mon, 5:00pm-5:45pm	12	L. Osborne	39601
Little Dancers I*	NCRC	4-6	\$134	1/27/25	Mon, 5:45pm-6:30pm	12	Crystal Foor	39154
Little Dancers I*	NCRC	4-6	\$167	1/25/25	Sat, 10:30am-11:15am	15	Britney Branch	39155
Little Dancers I*	OMSR	4-6	\$167	1/23/25	Thurs, 5:45pm-6:30pm	15	Crystal Foor	39156
Little Dancers I*	SPMS	4-6	\$167	1/22/25	Wed, 5:45pm-6:30pm	15	Britney Branch	39157
Little Dancers I*	SCRC	4-6	\$167	1/22/25	Wed, 5:00pm-5:45pm	15	Angel Crissman	39158
Little Dancers II*	CBMS	5-7	\$134	1/27/25	Mon, 5:00pm-5:45pm	12	Alyssa Hance	39159
Little Dancers II*	NCRC	5-7	\$134	1/27/25	Mon, 6:30pm-7:15pm	12	Crystal Foor	39160
Little Dancers II*	NCRC	5-7	\$167	1/25/25	Sat, 11:15am-12:00pm	15	Britney Branch	39161
Little Dancers II*	SPMS	5-7	\$134	1/27/25	Mon, 5:45pm-6:30pm	12	Britney Branch	39162
Little Dancers II*	SCRC	5-7	\$167	1/22/25	Wed, 5:45pm-6:30pm	15	Angel Crissman	39163
Beginner Ballet/Tap*	CBMS	7-11	\$183	1/23/25	Thurs, 5:00pm-6:00pm	15	Michelle Semanoff	39164
Beginner Ballet/Tap*	OMSR	7-11	\$146	1/27/25	Mon, 5:45-6:45pm	12	L. Osborne	39596
Beginner Ballet/Tap*	SCRC	7-11	\$183	1/22/25	Wed, 6:30pm-7:30pm	15	Angel Crissman	39165
Novice Ballet/Tap I*	CBMS	6-9	\$146	1/27/25	Mon, 5:45pm-6:45pm	12	Alyssa Hance	39166
Novice Ballet/Tap I*	SPMS	6-9	\$146	1/27/25	Mon, 6:30pm-7:30pm	12	Britney Branch	39167
Novice Ballet/Tap/Jazz II*	CBMS	8-13	\$203	1/23/25	Thurs, 6:00pm-7:15pm	15	Michelle Semanoff	39168
Novice Ballet/Tap/Jazz II*	NCRC	8-13	\$162	1/27/25	Mon, 7:15pm-8:30pm	12	Crystal Foor	39169
Novice Ballet/Tap/Jazz II*	SCRC	8-13	\$203	1/14/25	Tues, 6:15pm-7:30pm	15	Michalah Hodson	39170
Intermediate Ballet/Tap/Jazz I*	CBMS	10-14	\$186	1/27/25	Mon, 6:45pm-8:15pm	12	Michelle Semanoff	39173

Class	Location	Ages	Fee	First Date	Day, Time	Weeks	Instructor	Program#
Intermediate Ballet/Tap/Jazz I*	SCRC	10-14	\$232	1/14/25	Tues, 7:30pm-9:00pm	15	Michalah Hodson	39174
Advanced Ballet/Tap/Jazz I*	CBMS	12-18	\$290	1/23/25	Thurs, 7:15pm-9:15pm	15	Michelle Semanoff	39175
Pointe*	CBMS	13-18	\$123	1/27/25	Mon, 8:15pm-9:00pm	12	Michelle Semanoff	39176
Teen Ballet/Tap/Jazz*	OMSR	13-18	\$186	1/27/25	Mon, 6:45-8:15pm	12	L. Osborne	39603
Francesca's Teen/Adult Ballet	SCSR	16-99	\$232	1/23/25	Thurs, 4:30pm-6:00pm	15	Francesca Biagini	39177
Lyrical I*	OMSR	7-12	\$167	1/22/25	Wed, 6:30-7:15pm	15	L. Osborne	39598
Modern I*	SPMS	7-12	\$167	1/22/25	Wed, 6:30pm-7:15pm	15	Britney Branch	39178
Modern I/II*	SCRC	7-12	\$183	1/30/25	Thurs, 6:00pm-7:00pm	15	Michalah Hodson	39179
Beginner Jazz*	ANSR	7-12	\$167	1/22/25	Wed, 5:15pm-6:00pm	15	Tamyla Abraham	39465
Jazz I*	NCRC	7-12	\$167	1/23/25	Thurs, 6:45pm-7:30pm	15	Tamyla Abraham	39180
Beginner Hip Hop*	SPMS	5-7	\$134	1/27/25	Mon, 5:00pm-5:45pm	12	Britney Branch	39182
Hip Hop I*	SPMS	7-12	\$134	1/27/25	Mon, 7:30pm-8:15pm	12	Britney Branch	39184
Hip Hop II*	OMSR	8-13	\$183	1/23/25	Thurs, 6:30pm-7:30pm	15	Crystal Foor	39185
Beginner African Dance - Egwu Rhythms	DRRC	7-12	\$73	1/14/25	Tues, 6:30pm-7:30pm	6	Kaosochi Obi	39328
Teen African Dance - Egwu Rhythms	DRRC	13-18	\$73	3/4/25	Tues, 6:30pm-7:30pm	6	Kaosochi Obi	39330

Adult Dance

Adult African Zumba	DRRC	18-99	\$73	1/14/25	Tues, 7:30pm-8:30pm	6	Kaosochi Obi	39329
Adult African Zumba	DRRC	18-99	\$73	3/4/25	Tues, 7:30pm-8:30pm	6	Kaosochi Obi	39331
Adult Hip Hop	SPMS	18-99	\$73	1/22/25	Wed, 7:15pm-8:15pm	6	Britney Branch	39332
Adult Hip Hop	SPMS	18-99	\$73	3/5/25	Wed, 7:15pm-8:15pm	6	Britney Branch	39333
Adult Broadway, Theater and Jazz	ANSR	18-99	\$73	1/22/25	Wed, 6:00pm-7:00pm	6	Tamyla Abraham	39413
Adult Broadway, Theater and Jazz	ANSR	18-99	\$73	3/5/25	Wed, 6:00pm-7:00pm	6	Tamyla Abraham	39414
Adult Broadway, Theater and Jazz	NCRC	18-99	\$73	1/23/25	Thurs, 5:45pm-6:45pm	6	Tamyla Abraham	39415
Adult Broadway, Theater and Jazz	NCRC	18-99	\$73	3/6/25	Thurs, 5:45pm-6:45pm	6	Tamyla Abraham	39416

Dance Workshops

Rockette Style Jazz Workshop	NCRC	8-12	\$13	12/8/24	Sun, 1:00pm-2:00pm	1	Tamyla Abraham	39417
Rockette Style Jazz Workshop	NCRC	12-16	\$13	12/8/24	Sun, 2:00pm-3:00pm	1	Tamyla Abraham	39418
Rockette Style Jazz Workshop	NCRC	17-99	\$13	12/8/24	Sun, 3:00pm-4:00pm	1	Tamyla Abraham	39419
Dance to Your Own Eras Workshop	NCRC	12-17	\$13	3/18/24	Tues, 3:00pm-4:00pm	1	Tamyla Abraham	39420
Experience the Joy of Igbo Dance	NCRC	5-18	\$13	1/18/2	Sat, 10:00-11:00am	1	Kaosochi Obi	39595

Winter Dance Classes

Winter registration will open on November 12, 2024. Most classes will continue with the same classes/dates/locations as the fall schedule.

Instructors may make suggestions after the first class regarding the appropriate class for the child based on his/her skill level. Years of experience for leveled classes begin with Little Dancers I as year 1, having taken the class for a minimum of 1 full year.

If you are interested in a class and it is full, please add yourself to the WAIT list so we know that there is more interest in that level.

Teddy Bear Ballet

This independent class is designed to familiarize young children who love to move with the dance class environment. Students will work on basic concepts such as balance, stretching, moving to music, and basic coordination skills through fun songs and dance games. Students can bring their favorite stuffed animal to help ease the separation from parents.

Fairy Tale Ballet

This independent class introduces dancers to the basics of ballet/creative movement through their favorite fairy tale stories.

Hip Hop Tots

This independent class introduces dancers to the basics of hip hop through age appropriate music and movements.

Little Tappers*

An introduction to basics of tap and rhythm, and a chance for kids to make some noise!

Little Dancers I*

The children will be introduced to dance through creative movement and ballet. As they engage their imaginations, they will develop balance, coordination, and basic movement skills.

Little Dancers II*

Students will be introduced to the basic positions and steps of ballet and tap.

Beginner Ballet/Tap*

An introduction to the basics of ballet and tap. No experience is needed.

Novice Ballet/Tap I*

Dancers must have at least 1 full year of ballet and tap experience.

Novice Ballet/Tap/Jazz II*

For students with at least 3 full years of ballet and tap experience. No Jazz experience required.

Intermediate Ballet/Tap/Jazz I*

For students with 5-8 full years of

2025 Recital Date

Saturday, May 24

*Students have the option of participating in the spring recital. More information will be given to students after classes have begun. *There will be an additional fee for costumes which may be made online.*

experience. An emphasis will be placed on improving technique.

Advanced Ballet/Tap/Jazz I*

With permission of instructor and at least 8 full years of experience. An emphasis will be placed on improving technique, grasping challenging combinations quickly, and executing steps with a performance quality and correct technique.

Pointe*

By permission of instructor. Students will continue focusing on strengthening and building the muscles used to dance on pointe. Must have taken pre-pointe before taking this class.

Teen Ballet/Tap/Jazz *

A beginner/intermediate level Ballet, Tap, and Jazz class.





Francesca's Teen/Adult Ballet

For students with prior ballet experience. Class will consist of ballet and may include some pointe work for those with prior experience who want to continue with pointe work. There will be an emphasis on Balanchine Technique. Participants should wear a black leotard and pink tights. Ballet shoes will be required. Instructor will discuss pointe shoes with students if there is an interest.

Modern I*

No experience needed.

Modern I/II*

Previous Modern experience required or by permission of the instructor. Emphasis will be placed on improving technique.

Beginner Jazz*

An introduction to jazz for young dancers with age-appropriate music and movements.

Jazz I*

Dancers must have at least 1 full year of jazz experience.

Beginner Hip Hop*

An introduction to hip hop for young dancers with age appropriate music and movements.

Hip Hop I*

A beginner level hip hop class focusing on coordination and fun.

Hip Hop II*

For students with previous hip hop dance experience.

Beginner African Dance - Egbu Rhythms

Learn dances from Igbo land in southeastern Nigeria that are energetic, upbeat, and rhythmic. Challenge yourself with a variety of dances from simpler styles to more complex ones that focus on energetic and dynamic movements. These dances unlock a story about the people and their culture. Choreography is taught to showcase the dance styles beautifully. Games and props may be used to enhance learning.

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Adult

Adult African Zumba

Experience the vibrant energy of Africa with our African Zumba program! This dynamic class combines traditional African dance movements with high-energy Zumba rhythms for a fun and effective workout. Suitable for all fitness levels, our sessions promote fitness which immersing you in African culture. Join us and dance your way to fitness in a supportive and lively community!

Adult Hip Hop

A beginner/intermediate level hip hop class just for adults focusing on having fun and learning about the basics of hip hop.

Adult Broadway, Theater and Jazz

Dance to combinations from Mama Mia, Chicago, Six, Le Hot Jazz, Big Bad Voodoo Daddy and a jazz combination to a popular song plus a Hat combo to Feeling Good. It's showtime, so put on your jazz shoes and let's have some fun.

Workshop Descriptions

Rockette Style Jazz Workshop

Learn basic to intermediate Rockette steps to a holiday song. NYC here we come!

Dance to Your Own Eras Workshop

Let's shake it off and live your wildest dreams of jazz dancing. You belong with me in this one hour jazz class learning basic to intermediate steps. So don't leave a blank space and join in with us.

Experience the Joy of Igbo Dance: Kids Workshop!

Join us for a dynamic Igbo Dance Workshop. Perfect for kids under 18 years of age. This workshop will introduce your child to the rich culture and vibrant movements of traditional Igbo dance, a celebration of rhythm, community, and storytelling from southeastern Nigeria. Guided by Kaosochi Obi, a skilled Igbo dance instructor, children will learn authentic dance steps, explore the meaning behind the movements, and connect with the uplifting beats of Igbo music. This workshop is a fantastic way for kids to build confidence, learn something new, and have fun while embracing a beautiful cultural tradition. No dance experience needed—just bring your enthusiasm!

Musical Theatre

Broadway Kids (Ages 4-7*)

This introductory Musical Theatre workshop for our youngest performers will culminate in a 30-40-minute onstage production! Each week we will build confidence on stage with scripts and songs specifically chosen to help your little star shine their brightest! Please only register for one class. They all perform together in May! No Experience Required.

How to Eat Like a Child

Mandatory Dates

Tech Rehearsals, 5:00-7:00 pm, May 2, 5
Performances, 5:00-7:00 pm, May 7, 9

Beginner/Novice Musical Theatre (Ages 7-14*)

Whether your student is participating in their first-ever theatre production or has a bit more experience, this class is for them! We will build and grow theatrical skills throughout the session culminating in a 30-60 minute onstage performance. No Experience Required.

Alice in Wonderland Jr.

Mandatory Dates

Parent Meeting/Auditions, 6:00-8:00 pm – January 27
Tech Rehearsals, 6:00-8:30 pm – May 19, 20, 21
Performances, 6:00-8:30 pm – May 22, 23

Winnie the Pooh Kids

Mandatory Dates

Parent Meeting/Auditions, 10:45-12:45 pm – January 4
Tech Rehearsal, 6:00-8:30 pm – March 31, April 1, 2
Performances, 6:00-8:30 pm – April 3, 4

Homeschool Musical Theatre (Ages 5-14*)

Whether your student is participating in their first-ever theatre production or has a bit more experience, this class is for them! We will build and grow theatrical skills throughout the session culminating in a 30-60 minute onstage performance. No Experience Required.

Charlotte's Web

Mandatory Dates

Parent Meeting/Auditions, 10:45-12:45 pm – January 8
Tech Rehearsal, 6:00-8:30 pm – April 7, 8, 9
Performances, 6:00-8:30 pm – April 10, 11

Intermediate Musical Theatre (Ages 8-16*)

Students at this level should have at least one or two years of experience singing and dancing onstage and in a rehearsal setting. We will continue to build on existing performance skills throughout the session, which ends in a 45-75-minute onstage performance. Students ages 8-9

may be admitted with the instructor's recommendation. 1-2 Years Cumulative Experience Required (2-4 Full-Length Productions)

Wizard of Oz: Youth Edition

Mandatory Dates

Parent Meeting/Auditions, 6:30-8:30 pm – January 29
Tech Rehearsals, 6:00-8:30 pm – May 12, 13, 14
Performances, 6:00-8:30 pm – May 15, 16

Intermediate/Advanced Musical Theatre (Ages 12-18*)

Students in this class should be well-versed in musical theatre techniques, have at least three years of experience, and exude confidence onstage. During twice-weekly rehearsals, students will alternate between working with our director, music director, and choreographer to master more challenging harmonies, dances, and acting techniques. Students aged 10-11 may be admitted with the instructor's recommendation. 3+ Years Cumulative Experience Required. (3-4 Full-Length Productions) Summer Revue and One-Week Camps are typically not enough preparation for this level.

Mary Poppins Jr

Mandatory Dates

Parent Meeting/Auditions, 6:00-8:30 pm – February 25, 27
Tech Rehearsals, 6:00-9:00 pm – June 2, 3, 4, 11
Performances, 6:00-9:00 pm – June 5, 6, 12, 13

** see page 8 for location definitions **

Class	Location	Ages	Fee	First Date	Day, Time	Weeks	Instructor	Program#
Broadway Kids Tues - How to Eat Like a Child	PCSR	4-7	\$215	1/28/25	Tues, 5:00, 60 min	12	Heather Harris	38997
Broadway Kids Thurs - How to Eat Like a Child	PCSR	4-7	\$215	1/30/25	Thu, 5:00, 60 min	12	Heather Harris	38998
Broadway Kids Sat - How to Eat Like a Child	DRRC	4-7	\$215	2/1/25	Sat 9:45, 60 min	12	Heather Harris	38999
Beginner/Novice Musical Theatre - Alice in Wonderland Jr.	CMS	7-14	\$228	2/3/25	Mon, 6:00, 120 min	12	Heather Harris	39000
Beginner/Novice Musical Theatre - Winnie the Pooh Kids	DRRC	7-14	\$228	1/11/25	Sat 10:45, 120 min	12	Heather Harris	39001
Homeschool Musical Theatre - Charlotte's Web	DRRC	5-14	\$228	1/15/25	Wed 10:45, 120 min	12	Heather Harris	39002
Intermediate Musical Theatre - Wizard of Oz: Youth Edition	FMES	10-16	\$228	2/5/25	Wed 6:30, 120 min	12	Heather Harris	39003
Intermediate/Advanced Musical Theatre - Mary Poppins Jr	PCSR	12-18	\$398	3/4/25	Tues/Thurs, 6:00, 150 min	12	Heather Harris	39004

*Registration guarantees your student a part in the show, but auditions are still necessary to determine individual roles. All students must be fully registered at the time of auditions. Before auditions, you will receive a digital audition packet to prepare. For our 7+ classes, students will not always be called for the entire duration of each rehearsal but will be guaranteed at least an hour of instructional time on each meeting date. Registration includes a \$65 non-refundable production fee.



South County Rec Center

PRE-K CHILD CARE CENTER

4510 Owensville Sudley Road
Harwood, MD 20776

FUN & EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

- Educational time supported by the MSDE approved curriculum
- Nutritious Snack Provided Daily
- Outdoor Play (weather permitting)
- Story & Craft Time
- Caring, Nurturing Environment
- Experienced Staff
- STEM Activities
- Spanish Lesson Time
- Independent-Learning Stations
- Music & Movement
- Health & Wellness

Pre-K 3, 4 & 5 yr olds

M-F 9:00am-3:00pm

M/W/F 9:00am-3:00pm

Tu/Th 9:00am-3:00pm

Our Pre-K Program is a Maryland State Department of Education's Office of Child Care (MSDE-OCC) State-Licensed Child Care Center

WANT TO REGISTER?

Go to www.aacounty.org/recparks > Click on Child Care to set up your Child Care Account. Registration is open for the 2024-2025 School year waiting list!

All Registration questions can be directed to the Child Care Administrative Office at 410-222-7856 ext.0

Child Care

We are pleased to offer state-licensed **Pre-K and School Age Child Care (SACC)** programs located within many of the schools and one recreation center in Anne Arundel County. Our programs provide a safe, supportive environment that promotes social interaction, community integration, physical development and intellectual growth in accordance with the Maryland State Department of Education's Office of Child Care and National After School Alliance Standards.

Child Care 2024-2025

We are excited to continue to provide safe, fun, quality licensed child care programs at many before and after care locations across Anne Arundel County. School year activities are applicable to the age group taking part in the program and include the following: organized group games, arts & crafts, activity stations, homework time (school-age programs only), enrichments that support STEAM programming (Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Math), community service projects, and special events. Children in Kindergarten through Grade 5 are eligible to attend the elementary school programs. Children must be 5 years old by their first day of attendance.

The before school program operates from 6:30am until the start of the school day and the after school program operates from the end of the school day until 6:00pm every day that school is in session for students (a PM snack is included in your fee). Registration for the 2024-2025 school year is now open! Our fee schedule for each location is available online at <https://www.aacounty.org/departments/recreation-parks/child-care>.

Locations

AM and PM programs are available at the following elementary locations for children entering Kindergarten through Fifth Grade for the 2024-2025 school year (subject to change).

Bodkin	Edgewater	Oak Hill	Shady Side
Broadneck	Folger McKinsey	Odenton	Solley
Brock Bridge	Four Seasons	Pasadena	South Shore
Brooklyn Park	Freetown	Piney Orchard	Sunset
Cape St. Claire	Hebron-Harman	Quarterfield	Tracey's
Central	High Point	Ridgeway	Two Rivers
Crofton	Hilltop	Riviera Beach	Waugh Chapel
CroftonMeadows	Jacobsville	Seven Oaks	
Crofton Woods	Marley	Severn	
Davidsonville	Nantucket	Severna Park	

PM only programs

Benfield	Glendale	Maryland City	Oakwood
Deale	Lake Shore	Mayo	
Fort Smallwood	Lothian		

For **MORE INFORMATION** visit us at <https://www.aacounty.org/departments/recreation-parks/child-care> or call 410-222-7856, ext. 0.



Adult Programs

AMS – Arundel Middle School
 ANSR – Annapolis Senior Center
 DES – Davidsonville ES
 DRRC – Deep Run Recreation Center

FSES – Four Seasons ES
 NCRC – North County Recreation Center
 QES – Quarterfield ES

SCRC – South County Recreation Center
 SPMS – Severna Park MS
 SRMS – Severn River MS

Activity	Location	Ages	Fee	First Date	Day, Time	Weeks	Program #
Adult Karate	FSES	15-99	\$115	1/6/2025	Mondays. 7pm-9pm, excluding 1/20 and 2/17	10	39106
Adult Yoga	DES	18+	\$83	1/8/25	Wednesday 6:15 pm - 7:15 pm	10	38633
Women and Teen Self Defense	QES	14-99	\$35	2/8/2025	Saturday 10am-2pm	1	39107
RISE STEM Board Game Night 1	DRRC	5-99	\$10	1/17/2025	Friday 5pm- 6:30pm	1	39284
RISE STEM Board Game Night 2	DRRC	5-99	\$10	1/31/2025	Friday 5pm- 6:30pm	1	39285
RISE STEM Board Game Night 3	DRRC	5-99	\$10	2/28/2025	Friday 5pm- 6:30pm	1	39286
RISE STEM Paint n' Journal 1	AMS	18-99	\$35	2/3/2025	Monday 6pm- 7:15pm	1	39287
RISE STEM Paint n' Journal 2	AMS	18-99	\$35	2/11/2025	Tuesday 6pm- 7:15pm	1	39288
RISE STEM Paint n' Journal 3	AMS	18-99	\$35	2/19/2025	Wednesday 6pm- 7:15pm	1	39289
RISE STEM Paint n' Journal 4	AMS	18-99	\$35	3/6/2025	Thursday 6pm- 7:15pm	1	39290
RISE STEM Wellness Vibe 1	DRRC	18-99	\$25	2/13/2025	Thursday 5pm- 6pm	1	39291
RISE STEM Wellness Vibe 2	DRRC	18-99	\$25	2/20/2025	Thursday 5pm- 6pm	1	39292
RISE STEM Wellness Vibe 3	DRRC	18-99	\$25	2/27/25	Thursday 5pm- 6pm	1	39293
RISE STEM Throwback	DRRC	18-99	\$75	3/11/25	Tue/Thu 6pm-7pm	1	39294
Tang Soo Do*	DRRC	7-99	\$100	12/9/2024	Mon/Wed 5:30pm-6:30pm Excluding 12/23, 12/25, 12/30, 1/1, 1/20, 1/22, 2/17, 2/19	10	39295
Badminton Open Play	SCRC	18+	\$30	Tu/Thurs	Thursday 1pm-3pm		**
Men's 30+ Basketball	SCRC	30+	\$55	2/27/25	Thursday 7:30pm-9:30pm	10	39362
Open Gym Basketball	SRMS	18-99	\$100	11/11/24	Monday, 7:00pm-9:00pm	12	39563
Tang Soo Do*	DRRC	7-99	\$100	12/9/2024	Mon/Wed 6:30pm-7:30pm Excluding 12/23, 12/25, 12/30, 1/1, 1/20, 1/22, 2/17, 2/19	10	39294

* see description on page 16 for additional fees at time of class

** see description on page 16

Adult Dance								
Adult African Zumba	DRRC	18-99	\$73	1/14/25	Tues, 7:30pm-8:30pm	6	Kaosochi Obi	39329
Adult African Zumba	DRRC	18-99	\$73	3/4/25	Tues, 7:30pm-8:30pm	6	Kaosochi Obi	39331
Adult Hip Hop	SPMS	18-99	\$73	1/22/25	Wed, 7:15pm-8:15pm	6	Britney Branch	39332
Adult Hip Hop	SPMS	18-99	\$73	3/5/25	Wed, 7:15pm-8:15pm	6	Britney Branch	39333
Adult Broadway, Theater and Jazz	ANSR	18-99	\$73	1/22/25	Wed, 6:00pm-7:00pm	6	Tamyla Abraham	39413
Adult Broadway, Theater and Jazz	ANSR	18-99	\$73	3/5/25	Wed, 6:00pm-7:00pm	6	Tamyla Abraham	39414
Adult Broadway, Theater and Jazz	NCRC	18-99	\$73	1/23/25	Thurs, 5:45pm-6:45pm	6	Tamyla Abraham	39415
Adult Broadway, Theater and Jazz	NCRC	18-99	\$73	3/6/25	Thurs, 5:45pm-6:45pm	6	Tamyla Abraham	39416

Pickleball							
Activity	Location	Ages	Fee	First Date	Day, Time	Weeks	Program #
Practice-n-Play Clinic Beginner	SCRC	18+	\$50	1/6/25	Mon, 11am-12pm	4	39334
Practice-n-Play Clinic Beginner	SCRC	18+	\$50	1/8/25	Wed, 11am-12pm	4	39335
Practice-n-Play Clinic Beginner	SCRC	18+	\$50	2/3/25	Mon, 11am-12pm	4	39336
Practice-n-Play Clinic Beginner	SCRC	18+	\$50	2/5/25	Wed, 11am-12pm	4	39337
Practice-n-Play Clinic Beginner	SCRC	18+	\$50	3/10/25	Mon, 11am-12pm	4	39338
Practice-n-Play Clinic Beginner	SCRC	18+	\$50	3/5/25	Wed, 11am-12pm	4	39339
Practice-n-Play Clinic Intermediate	SCRC	18+	\$50	1/6/25	Mon, 12pm-1pm	4	39340
Practice-n-Play Clinic Intermediate	SCRC	18+	\$50	1/8/25	Wed, 12pm-1pm	4	39341
Practice-n-Play Clinic Intermediate	SCRC	18+	\$50	2/3/25	Mon, 12pm-1pm	4	39342
Practice-n-Play Clinic Intermediate	SCRC	18+	\$50	2/5/25	Wed, 12pm-1pm	4	39343
Practice-n-Play Clinic Intermediate	SCRC	18+	\$50	3/10/25	Mon, 12pm-1pm	4	39344
Practice-n-Play Clinic Intermediate	SCRC	18+	\$50	3/5/25	Wed, 12pm-1pm	4	39345
Practice-n-Play Clinic Adv/Intermed	SCRC	18+	\$50	1/6/25	Mon, 1pm-2pm	4	39346
Practice-n-Play Clinic Adv/Intermed	SCRC	18+	\$50	1/8/25	Wed, 1pm-2pm	4	39347
Practice-n-Play Clinic Adv/Intermed	SCRC	18+	\$50	2/3/25	Mon, 1pm-2pm	4	39348
Practice-n-Play Clinic Adv/Intermed	SCRC	18+	\$50	2/5/25	Wed, 1pm-2pm	4	39349
Practice-n-Play Clinic Adv/Intermed	SCRC	18+	\$50	3/10/25	Mon, 1pm-2pm	4	39350
Practice-n-Play Clinic Adv/Intermed	SCRC	18+	\$50	3/5/25	Wed, 1pm-2pm	4	39351
Practice-n-Play Clinic Advanced	SCRC	18+	\$50	1/6/25	Mon, 2pm-3pm	4	39352
Practice-n-Play Clinic Advanced	SCRC	18+	\$50	1/8/25	Wed, 2pm-3pm	4	39353
Practice-n-Play Clinic Advanced	SCRC	18+	\$50	2/3/25	Mon, 2pm-3pm	4	39354
Practice-n-Play Clinic Advanced	SCRC	18+	\$50	2/5/25	Wed, 2pm-3pm	4	39355
Practice-n-Play Clinic Advanced	SCRC	18+	\$50	3/10/25	Mon, 2pm-3pm	4	39356
Practice-n-Play Clinic Advanced	SCRC	18+	\$50	3/5/25	Wed, 2pm-3pm	4	39357
Pickleball Ladder League Int/Adv	SCRC	18+	\$40	2/18/25	Tues, 8:30am-12pm	8	39358
Pickleball Ladder League Advanced	SCRC	18+	\$40	2/19/25	Wed, 5pm-9:30pm	8	39359
Pickleball Ladder League Beg/ Intermediate	SCRC	18+	\$40	2/21/25	Fri., 11:30am-3:00pm	8	39360

Arts & Crafts

Activity	Location	Ages	Fee	First Date	Day, Time	Weeks	Program #
Specialty Ceramics	SCRC	18+	\$85.00	1/6/25	Mon, 7pm-9pm	12	39369
Specialty Ceramics	SCRC	18+	\$85.00	1/7/25	Tues, 7pm-9pm	12	39370
Specialty Ceramics	SCRC	18+	\$85.00	1/8/25	Wed, 9:30am-11:30am	12	39371
Specialty Ceramics	SCRC	18+	\$85.00	1/10/25	Fri, 10am-12pm	12	39372
Ceramics MAKE-N-TAKE							
Ceramics Make-N-Take Cupcake Cookie Jar	SCRC	18+	\$30.00	1/22/25	Wed, 6pm-8pm	1	39375
Ceramics Make-N-Take Set of Hot Cocoa Mugs & Cookie Plate	SCRC	18+	\$25.00	2/5/25	Wed, 6pm-8pm	1	39376
Ceramics Make-N-Take Flower Pot	SCRC	18+	\$25.00	2/19/25	Wed, 6pm-8pm	1	39377
Ceramics Make-N-Take Large Yard Ducks	SCRC	18+	\$40.00	3/19/25	Wed, 6pm-8pm	1	39378

Adult Programs

Fitness / Sports

Adult Yoga

This class offers gentle stretches, deep relaxation, deep breathing, and inner tranquility. Please bring a yoga mat.

Adult Karate

Learn self-defense and protective maneuvers while exercising and disciplining body and mind. Loose clothing required.

Classes taught by Dragon Storm instructors.

Tang Soo Do

This program teaches youth the basic principles of discipline, focus, respect, self-control, and a winning attitude through the introduction of Tang Soo Do training. (Instructors charge participants an added \$150 for the GI and Handbook. Instructor: Tim Pruitt.

Women & Teen Self-Defense

Taught by experienced Black Belt instructors from Winged Dragon Karate Club, this class does not require any previous self-defense experience.

Students will learn:

- How to improve awareness of potentially dangerous situations
- Strategies for avoiding dangerous situations
- Awareness of carjacking threats and ways to avoid becoming a carjacking victim
- Basic release techniques from various grabs by attackers, such as wrist grabs, choke holds, and hair pulls
- Basic defense techniques using your hands, feet, elbows, and knees
- Techniques for using pepper spray for self-defense

Men's 30+ Basketball

Supervised adult recreational games, organized on a pick-up basis. Teams form weekly as players arrive. There are no officials and no strict rules. Violations are called on the honor basis.

Badminton Open Play

Group of players of similar skill level who will compete against each other in matches.



For more information please contact South County Recreation Center at (410) 222-1515.

Pickleball

Pickleball opportunities abound at the South County Recreation Center with Ladder Leagues and Practice-n-Play classes at all levels. Beginners – Learn fundamentals, proper court positioning, keeping score and starting to sustain short rallies. Intermediate through Advanced – Spend time improving footwork, paddle work, and pickleball partner communication skills. A ball machine will be used and protective eyewear is recommended. For more information call 410-222-1515.



FIRST DAY HIKES

Wednesday, January 1, 2025

First Day Hikes are free, guided hikes offered each year on New Year's Day. The hikes are intended to promote an alternate way of celebrating the New Year by going outside, getting some exercise, and enjoying local nature and history. Start your year off on the right foot by joining knowledgeable park rangers, naturalists, and volunteers in one of our County's beautiful parks.

Sturdy footwear, binoculars, cameras, and a water bottle are recommended. Please dress for the weather. This program is free, but registration is required. Normal gate fees apply. Register online at aarecparks.org/firstdayhikes.

See page 31 for participating parks.

Dance

Adult African Zumba

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Adult Broadway, Theater and Jazz

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Arts & Crafts / Other

RISE STEM Board Game Night 1

Old school meets new school. Monopoly, Sorry, Life and many other board games became the family tradition for people as a way to reconnect after a long day or week. Today there are new games with the same goal in mind. We use board and card games (i.e., Between Cities) to encourage families and close friends to strategize for the victory. Build a team (up to six players) and use smart strategies to identify the best way to earn the title. Apply communication, teamwork and leadership (and of course good sportsmanship – have fun) to be called RISE Champions.

RISE STEM Board Game Night 2

Old school meets new school. Monopoly, Sorry, Life and many other board games became the family tradition for people

as a way to reconnect after a long day or week. Today there are new games with the same goal in mind. We use board and card games (i.e., Between Cities) to encourage families and close friends to strategize for the victory. Build a team (up to six players) and use smart strategies to identify the best way to earn the title. Apply communication, teamwork and leadership (and of course good sportsmanship – have fun) to be called RISE Champions.

RISE STEM Board Game Night 3

Old school meets new school. Monopoly, Sorry, Life and many other board games became the family tradition for people as a way to reconnect after a long day or week. Today there are new games with the same goal in mind. We use board and card games (i.e., Between Cities) to encourage families and close friends to strategize for the victory. Build a team (up to six players) and use smart strategies to identify the best way to earn the title. Apply communication, teamwork and leadership (and of course good sportsmanship – have fun) to be called RISE Champions.

RISE STEM Paint n' Journal

Let's be creative! This session combines the Arts with Coaching to help people learn how to express their emotions in a healthy way and identify some of life's obstacles. Painting from Pain to Power. Find the Joy in the Journey.

RISE STEM Wellness Vibe 1

WORKSHOP FOCUS: MENTAL HEALTH
Time to check in and discuss current life activities that contribute to your wellness. We discuss habits related to mental health, physical health, emotional health and spiritual health and how one thing affects another. Learn healthy approaches to better habits and intentional growth.

RISE STEM Wellness Vibe 2

WORKSHOP FOCUS: PHYSICAL HEALTH
Time to check in and discuss current life activities that contribute to your wellness. We discuss habits related to mental health, physical health, emotional health and spiritual health

Open Gym

Join in the fun!

Teams form weekly
as players arrive

Adult Open Gym Basketball

Ages: 18+

Day/Time: Monday Nights
7pm - 9pm

Start Date: November 11th

Duration of 12 weeks:

Nov 11, 18,
December 2, 9, 16,
January 6, 13, 27,
February 3, 10, 24, March 3rd

\$100 – 12 weeks

Instructor: Steve Haris

Severn River Middle School Gym

#39563 Mon 7:00-9:00pm

and how one thing affects another. Learn healthy approaches to better habits and intentional growth.

RISE STEM Wellness Vibe 3

WORKSHOP FOCUS: EMOTIONAL AND SPIRITUAL HEALTH

Time to check in and discuss current life activities that contribute to your wellness. We discuss habits related to mental health, physical health, emotional health and spiritual health and how one thing affects another. Learn healthy approaches to better habits and intentional growth.

RISE STEM Throwback

Remember back in the day, when the science fair came up and you saw cool experiments on display? Some adults never had an opportunity to perform some of these cool experiments. Adults discover cool old school science, technology, engineering and mathematics starting with the basics, simple STEM. Calling all STEM enthusiasts.

Ice Skating

Ice Skating at QUIET WATERS PARK

The Ice Rink is located in front of the Visitor Center and offers a pleasant and safe environment to enjoy ice skating outdoors. Come out for fun with family and friends. We have skates, helmets, and we sharpen skates on-site. Park admission fees apply except when otherwise noted. Days and hours may vary due to the weather conditions.

Please visit www.facebook.com/qwicerink for daily updates or call 410-222-1711. Visit www.aacounty.org/recparcs and search keywords "Quiet Waters Ice Rink" for rink fees, directions, and more information. We accept cash, checks and credit cards. Season passes available.

Ice Skating Rink Hours (QW)

Sunday	9:00am - 9:00pm
Monday	3:00pm - 9:00pm
Tuesday	Closed (*except where noted)
Wednesday	3:00pm - 9:00pm
Thursday	3:00pm - 9:00pm
Friday	3:00pm - 9:00pm
Saturday	9:00am - 9:00pm

*Open Tuesdays on holiday school breaks only. Closed on Thanksgiving and Christmas Day. All sessions are 2 hours long and start every hour on the hour.

Try it!



ICE SKATING LESSONS at Quiet Waters

Ice skating lessons will be available throughout the season for all levels. Email go2sk8@sk8amir.com for more information

Ice Skating at GLEN BURNIE TOWN CENTER

Opening date 11/9, subject to change. Outdoor ice skating at 103 Crain Hwy and the corner of B&A Blvd. Free Parking in the Henry Hein Building Public Garage. For more information and reservations please visit www.glenburnieiceskating.com or call 410-590-5990. *Weather dependent, please check websites and social media for updates.* Weather updates can be found at www.facebook.com/gbicerink.

Ice Skating Rink Hours (GB)

Sunday	10:00am - 7:00pm
Monday	1:00pm - 9:00pm
Tuesday	1:00pm - 9:00pm
Wednesday	1:00pm - 9:00pm
Thursday	1:00pm - 9:00pm
Friday	12:00pm - 10:00pm
Saturday	10:00am - 10:00pm

Weather dependent,
please check websites and
social media for updates.

ICE SKATING LESSONS at Glen Burnie Town Center

Ice skating lessons are available for ages 4 and up. \$80 for 4 weeks. More lessons will be available at a later date. Visit www.aarecparcs.org or call 410-590-5990 for more information.

Beginner

Saturdays, 9:30-10:00 am

#38483 - Starting Dec. 14
(no class date 12/28)

#38484 - Starting Jan. 18

Advanced Beginner / Intermediate

Saturdays 9:00 - 9:30am

#38486 - Starting Dec. 14
(no class date 12/28)

#38487 - Starting Jan. 18

Aquatic Centers



Arundel Olympic Swim Center

2690 Riva Road, Annapolis MD 21401
410-222-7933

Arundel Olympic Swim Center

Anne Arundel County's largest public indoor swimming facility features a temperature-controlled, indoor 50 meter by 25 yards swimming pool with an adjacent wading pool, a poolside 17-person spa, and two 1 meter diving boards.

Hours of Operation

Monday through Thursday	6:00 am - 9:45 pm	(Deep End Closed 4 pm - 9:45 pm)
Friday	6:00 am - 9:00 pm	(Deep End Closed 4pm - 8 pm)
Saturday	6:00 am - 2:00 pm	(Deep End Closed 10 am - 1 pm)
Sunday	6:00 am - 2:00 pm	(Deep End Closed 8 am - 11 am)

Modified Hours of Operation

AACPS High School Swim Meets:

Fri, Dec 6, 13, 20	(Deep End Closed at 2:30 pm)
Fri, Jan 3, 10, 17, 24	(Deep End Closed at 2:30 pm)
Fri, Jan 31	(Closed at 2:00 pm)
Fri, Feb 7 (Make Up)	(Closed at 2:00pm)
Sat, Feb 15	(Closed)

ASC Swim Meets:

Sat & Sun, Dec 14 & 15	(Closed)
Sat & Sun, Dec 28 & 29	(Closed)
Sat & Sun, Feb 1 & 2	(Closed)

Masters Meet:

Sun, Jan 19	(Closed at 12 pm)
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North Arundel Aquatic Center

7888 Crain Highway, Glen Burnie, MD 21061
410-222-0090

North Arundel Aquatic Center

The North Arundel Aquatic Center offers an 8-lane 25-yard competition pool and a leisure pool. The leisure pool is a zero-depth entry pool with three 20 yard lap lanes and indoor water features. The water features include a 134-foot water slide, splash-down area, water buckets, preschool water slide, vortex area, and poolside spa for adults.

Hours of Operation

Monday through Friday	6:00 am - 5:45 pm
Saturday and Sunday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Water Park Timed Swim Sessions

Saturday and Sunday

11:00 am - 12:30 pm
12:45 pm - 2:15 pm
2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

We allow 125 participants per session. We sell a portion of tickets online and the other portion in person at our facility. Tickets are redeemable only for the session time they were purchased for. The pool and locker rooms are cleared after each session. Online sales start at 11:59 pm the day prior and in-person sales are available as soon as the facility opens. We recommend purchasing tickets as soon as they become available, we will sell out. We accept cash, checks, and major credit cards at the register. We cannot accept any bill larger than \$20.00 for general admission. Limit 15 tickets per adult.

Preschool Swim

Monday through Friday
11:30 am - 2:00 pm

The small red slide and water features are available at this time, the large yellow slide will not be turned on.

Height requirements: must be under 48 inches to ride the red slide. General admission fees apply. Preschool Swim will not be available on days our facility runs water park sessions.

Modified Hours of Operation

AACPS High School Swim Meets:

Fri, Dec 6, 13 & 20	(Closing at 2:30 pm)
Fri, Jan 3, 10 & 17	(Closing at 2:30 pm)
Fri, Jan 24	(Closing at 2 pm)

Aquatic Centers

General Information

The Anne Arundel County Department of Recreation and Parks promotes health and wellness in our community through a variety of quality programming. Our two public indoor swimming facilities, Arundel Olympic Swim Center and North Arundel Aquatic Center, offer private, semi-private, and group classes to swimmers of all abilities ages 3 and up. Lanes are continuously available for lap and recreational swimming.

The facilities are handicap accessible and include fully equipped locker rooms with coin-operated lockers. Youth 12 and under must be accompanied by a paying adult. **All persons using the pools must be at least 3 years old and fully toilet-trained; diapers of any kind are not permitted.**

Holiday Closures

Christmas	December 24 & 25
New Years	December 31 & January 1

Frequent User and Swim Passes

Valid at AOSC and NAAC

15 Punch Pass (Good for 15 visits)

Adult.....	\$92.00
Youth / Senior / Disability / Military	\$65.00

Four-Month Frequent User Passes

(Valid four months from date of purchase)

Adult.....	\$216.00
Youth / Senior / Disability / Military	\$151.00

Annual Pass

(Valid one year from date of purchase)

Adult	\$524.00
Youth / Senior / Disability / Military	\$368.00

Must show ID documentation for senior and active-duty/retired military rates.

To purchase a pass online, visit us at www.aacounty.org/recparks





Swim Lesson Skill Levels for Ages 3-14

Please carefully review the skills for each class to ensure your child's safety and the best learning experience. Your child must be proficient in all of the skills listed at a lower level before being registered for a higher level. **Should an instructor determine your child is not at the appropriate level, your child will be removed from the class and transferred to the proper class, if space is available. Only a partial refund will be offered if space is not available at the appropriate level. For additional details, please see our refund policy.**

Pre-School (3 - 6 years old)

Aqua Tot 1 (3 - 5 years old) and Preschool FUN (3 - 5 years old)

This is an entry-level class. Preschool FUN requires one parent or guardian to be in the water with the child. Aqua Tot 1 is child and instructor only. Skill Objectives:

- Bubble blowing, nose, and mouth
- Submerge face underwater for 3 seconds
- Ease in (3 feet)
- Jump in, shallow water
- Jump in, deep water (assisted)
- Kick on stomach with support
- Front crawl arms with support
- Relaxes during front float with support
- Relaxes during back float with support
- Pool rules and safety topics

Aqua Tot 2 (3 - 5 years old)

Must have completed Aqua Tot 1 or be able to complete all skills listed above. 3 - 6 students. Skill Objectives:

- Bob to safety, 5 times
- Hold breath underwater, 5 seconds
- Relaxes during front float for 3 seconds
- Relaxes during back float for 3 seconds
- Jump in deep water (unassisted)
- Front glide with kick
- Combined & alternating arm and leg action on front (2 body lengths, about 5 yards)
- Introduce combined & alternating arms and leg action on back

- Back glide and recover to vertical position
- Pool rules and safety topics

Aqua Tot 3/4 (4 - 5 years old)

Must have completed Aqua Tot 2 or be able to complete all skills listed above. 3 - 6 students. May be combined with Aqua Tot 4. Skill Objectives:

- Bob to safety, 10 times
- Rhythmic breathing introduced
- Relaxes during front float (5 seconds)
- Relaxes during back float (5 seconds)
- Swim on stomach, roll to back
- Retrieve objects from bottom without goggles (3 feet)
- Combined & alternating arm and leg action on front (10 yards)
- Combined & alternating arm and leg action on back (7 yards)
- Elementary backstroke introduced
- Back glide and recover to vertical position
- Pool rules and safety topics
- Reaching assist

Youth (6-12 years old)

American Red Cross Level 1 (6 - 12 years old)

Entry-level class. 3 - 8 students. Skill Objectives:

- Enter and exit water Independently using stairs
- Blow bubbles, 3 seconds
- Bobbing, 5 times
- Retrieve objects from bottom of pool, 3 feet
- Front and back glide, with recovery to standing
- Roll from front to back and from back to front
- Arm and hand treading actions in chest-deep water
- Alternating arm and leg action, front and back, 2 body lengths
- Simultaneous arm and leg action, front and back, 2 body lengths
- Combined arm and leg action, front and back, 2 body lengths

American Red Cross Level 2 (6 - 12 years old)

Must have completed ARC Level 1 or be able to complete all skills listed above. 3 - 8 students. Skill Objectives:

- Jump into water independently and exit using side
- Fully submerge and hold breath, 10 seconds
- Retrieve objects from bottom in chest-deep water
- Rotary breathing, 5 times
- Front and back glide, with recovery to standing in chest-deep water
- Front, jellyfish, and tuck floats, 10 seconds
- Roll from front to back & from back to front
- Change direction while swimming
- Tread water using arms and legs, 15 seconds in shoulder-deep water
- Combined arm and leg action, front and back, 5 body lengths
- Finning arm action on back, 5 body lengths

American Red Cross Level 3 (6 - 12 years old)

Must have completed ARC Level 2 or be able to complete all skills listed above. 3 - 8 students. Skill Objectives:

- Jump into deep water, fully submerge and return to side
- Bobbing, 15 times
- Survival float on front, 30 seconds
- Rotary breathing, 15 times
- Back float, 1 minute (deep water)
- Change from vertical to horizontal position on front and back (deep water)
- While in a vertical position, rotate one full turn (deep water)
- Tread water, 1 minute (deep water)
- Push off in streamline and flutter kick on front, 3-5 body lengths
- Push off in streamline and dolphin kick on front, 3-5 body lengths
- Front Crawl, breaststroke kick, elementary back, scissor kick, 15 yards each

American Red Cross Level 4 (6 - 12 years old)

Must have completed ARC Level 3 or be able to complete all skills listed above. 3 - 8 students. May be combined with ARC Level 5. Skill Objectives:

- Swim underwater (3-5 body lengths)
- Feet first surface dive
- Survival swimming, 1 minute (deep water)
- Front crawl and back crawl open turns
- Tread water using two different kicks, 2 minutes
- Breaststroke, butterfly, back crawl, and sidestroke, 15 yards each
- Push off in streamline and flutter kick on back, 3-5 body lengths
- Push off in streamline and dolphin kick on back, 3-5 body lengths
- Elementary back and front crawl, 25 yards each

American Red Cross Level 5 (6 - 12 years old)

Must have completed ARC Level 4 or be able to complete all skills listed above. 3 - 8 students. May be combined with ARC Level 4. Skill Objectives:

- Tuck and pike surface dives
- Front and back flip-turns while swimming
- Tread water for 5 minutes
- Tread Water, legs only for 2 minutes
- Front crawl and elementary backstroke, 50 yards
- Breaststroke, butterfly, back crawl, and sidestroke, 25 yards each
- Standard (back) skulling, 30 seconds

Swim Clinics (5-14 years old)

Rec Racers (7 - 14 years old)

Must have completed ARC Level 5 or be able to comfortably swim 25 yards of freestyle with rotary breathing and 25 yards of backstroke. 3 - 10 students. Skill Objectives:

- A continuation program to improve learned skills from ARC Level 5 designed to enhance swimmers' strokes, overall conditioning, and speed

Summer Prep Clinic (8 - 12 years old)

A non-competitive program designed for youth looking to refine and develop the 4 competitive strokes with a timed showcase to take place on the final day of class.

Participants must be able to competently swim both:

- 50 yards of freestyle or breaststroke
- 25 yards of backstroke

Intramural Jr Clinic (5 - 7 years old)

A non-competitive junior program designed for youth looking to refine and develop their stroke techniques.

Participants must be able to competently:

- Tread water for 30 seconds
- Swim 25 yards demonstrating rhythmic breathing
- Back glide into a float

Adult (13+ years old)

Teen and Adult Beginner (13+ years old)

A beginner's course in which adults and teens will learn the basics of swimming and improve their skills in a safe environment under the guidance of a trained instructor. Participants will learn basic swimming strokes and skills needed to stay safe in and around the water

Participants will practice proficiency in basic aquatic skills:

- Floating
- Gliding
- Rolling from front to back and back to front
- Front crawl
- Back crawl
- Rotary breathing
- Treading water
- Breaststroke kick

Teen and Adult Intermediate (13+ years old)

A course in which adults and teens will learn to improve their skills with stroke refinement, rotary breathing, and increased endurance. Participants will gain proficiency in front crawl, back crawl, breaststroke, and turns to build endurance in a safe environment under the guidance of a trained instructor. Must be able to swim 25 yards comfortably front and back.

Swim Lesson Session Dates

Winter Session 1

(Enrollment opens Nov 12th, 11 am)

M/W	Jan 6 - Jan 22
Tu/Th	Jan 7 - Jan 23
Sat	Jan 4 - Jan 25
Sun	Jan 5 - Mar 2

Winter Session 2

(Enrollment opens Jan 17th, 10am)

M/W	Feb 3 - Feb 19
Tu/Th	Feb 4 - Feb 20
Sat	Feb 8 - Mar 1

Winter Session 3

(Enrollment opens February 14th, 10am)

M/W Mar 3 - Mar 19
Tu/Th Mar 4 - Mar 20

Children often require more than one session to master the skills needed to proceed to the next level.

Swim Lesson Registration

\$92 per Session for Swim Classes
Clinic Prices Listed Separately

Register online at www.aacounty.org/recparks or at our facilities.

AOSC - Arundel Olympic Swim Center (Annapolis)

NAAC - North Arundel Aquatic Center (Glen Burnie)

	Winter 1	Winter 2	Winter 3
Preschool FUN			
AOSC M/W 5:00pm - 5:40pm	39238	39239	39240
Aqua Tot 1			
AOSC Tu/Th 5:00pm - 5:40pm	39195	39199	39198
AOSC Tu/Th 5:50pm - 6:30pm	39194	339196	39197
NAAC M/W 5:35pm - 6:15pm	39055	39064	39077
Aqua Tot 2			
AOSC M/W 5:50pm - 6:30pm	39200	39201	39202
AOSC Tu/Th 6:40pm - 7:20pm	39203	39204	39205
NAAC M/W 6:25pm - 7:05pm	39056	39065	39078
Aqua Tot 3			
NAAC Tu/Th 5:35pm - 6:15pm	39050	39068	39081
Aqua Tot 3/4			
AOSC M/W 6:40pm - 7:20pm	39206	39207	39208
American Red Cross 1			
AOSC M/W 5:00pm - 5:40pm	39212	39213	39214
AOSC Tu/Th 7:30pm - 8:10pm	39215	39216	39217
NAAC Tu/Th 4:45pm - 5:25pm	39049	39067	39080
NAAC M/W 4:45pm - 5:25pm	39053	39062	39076
American Red Cross 2			
AOSC M/W 5:50pm - 6:30pm	39218	39219	39220
AOSC Tu/Th 5:00pm - 5:40pm	39221	39222	39223
NAAC Tu/Th 6:25pm - 7:05pm	39051	39069	39082
American Red Cross 3			
AOSC M/W 6:40pm - 7:20pm	39224	39225	39226
AOSC Tu/Th 5:50pm - 6:30pm	39227	39228	39229
NAAC M/W 7:15pm - 7:55pm	39057	39066	39079
NAAC Sat 8:40am - 9:40am	39058	39071	-----
American Red Cross 4			
AOSC M/W 7:30pm - 8:10pm	-----	39230	-----
AOSC Tu/Th 6:40pm - 7:20pm	39231	-----	39232
NAAC Sat 8:40am - 9:40am	39059	39072	-----
American Red Cross 5			
AOSC M/W 7:30pm - 8:10pm	39233	-----	39234
AOSC Tu/Th 6:40pm - 7:20pm	-----	39235	-----
NAAC Sat 9:50am - 10:50am	39060	39073	-----

Rec Racers

	Winter 1	Winter 2	Winter 3
AOSC M/W 7:30pm - 8:10pm	39241	39242	39243
AOSC Tu/Th 7:30pm - 8:10pm	39244	39245	39246
NAAC Sat 9:50am - 10:50am	39061	39074	-----

Teen and Adult Beginner

	Winter 1	Winter 2	Winter 3
AOSC M/W 8:20pm - 9:00pm	39247	39248	39249
AOSC Tu/Th 8:20pm - 9:00pm	39250	39251	39252
NAAC Tu/Th 7:15pm - 7:55pm	39052	39070	39083
NAAC Sun 11:00am - 11:40pm	-----	-----	-----

Teen and Adult Intermediate

	Winter 1	Winter 2	Winter 3
AOSC Tu/Th 8:20pm - 9:00pm	39253	39254	39255

Summer Prep Clinic \$207

	Winter 1	Winter 2	Winter 3
NAAC Sun 12:30pm - 1:30pm	39277	-----	-----

Intramural Jr Clinic \$155

	Winter 1	Winter 2	Winter 3
NAAC Sun 1:45pm - 2:30pm	39278	-----	-----



Adult Fitness at NAAC

Choose from any of the 30+ classes we offer each week at NAAC! Reservations open up on the Wednesday before the week of classes at 8:00 am. You can view our monthly class schedule and make reservations on our website or call 410-222-0090 extension 4 to have our desk assist you. Payment is taken prior to class at the facility.

Water Aerobics

Take the plunge and try this low-impact activity that will take the pressure off your bones, joints, and muscles. Resistance equipment is available, and we offer classes for all skill levels. Ages 13 and up.

Aqua Yoga

A low-impact class for beginners with rhythmic breathing to improve static balance, strength, and flexibility. Up to 4 feet water depth. Ages 13 and up.

Adult Fitness at AOSC

Water Aerobics

Take the plunge and try this low-impact activity that will take the pressure off your bones, joints, and muscles. Resistance equipment is available, and we offer classes for all skill levels. Ages 13 and up.

Weekly drop-in classes Monday & Friday 7:15am, Monday-Thursday at 9am and 10am as well as Monday and Wednesday evening at 6pm.

High-Intensity Aquatic Fitness

Get your heart rate up, with some high energy, low impact movements. Some formats being taught may include **Aqua Zumba, Interval Training, and more**. You're guaranteed to leave feeling strong and fit! (Please note that this class may be taught by a variety of instructors, with their own talents and style.) Ages 16 and up.

Tuesdays and Thursdays 6:15 pm - 7:00 pm

Winter 1	Jan 7– Jan 23	3 weeks	\$60	#39209
Winter 2	Feb 4– Feb 20	3 weeks	\$60	#39210
Winter 3	Mar 4– Mar 27	3 weeks	\$60	#39211

Masters Competitive Swimming

Masters Swimming is an International program with competition available for all levels of adult swimmers, ages 18 and older. **A USMS and Anne Arundel Amphibians membership is required for competition only.** Workouts vary from beginning lap/fitness swimmers to former collegiate swimmers and triathletes. Coaching aims to improve stroke mechanics in any of the four competitive strokes. Ongoing training is three days a week: Monday and Wednesday 8:15 pm - 9:45 pm and Saturday 8 am - 9:45 am. Swimmers may start at any practice. Swimmers can choose to pay a daily admission fee per training or purchase a swim pass. For more information, contact Coach Rand by email: AAAmphibians@aol.com

Morning Masters

Aimed at adults looking to swim faster and easier, who want to improve their technique, or swim for fitness. This non-competitive program is great for triathletes, Masters swimmers, fitness swimmers, or those who just want to improve their swimming with the guidance of an experienced coach. The focus will be on gaining efficiency, improving propulsion, reducing drag, using proper mechanics, and finding the best swim techniques for you. All levels are welcome. (Participants should be able to swim continuously for 8 lengths of the pool).

Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:30 am - 10:45 am

Winter 1	Jan 7- Feb 13	6 weeks	\$132	#39236
Winter 2	Feb 18-Mar 27	6 weeks	\$132	#39237

Chair One/Water Fitness Combo 30/30

This unique class begins in our classroom with 30 minutes of Chair One Fitness. Chair One is a seated, low-impact fitness program that provides a fun, uplifting, engaging total-body workout for all fitness levels. Be sure to wear your swimsuit under your exercise clothes! Afterwards, class will move to

the pool for 30 minutes of low-impact, shallow-water aquatic fitness to help improve joint stability, coordination, balance, heart health, and strength. Drop in rate: \$10 per class.

Fridays 9:00 am- 10:00am

Yoga

All experience levels are welcome to this land-based yoga flow. Come grow in strength and flexibility while developing a stronger mind-body connection. Drop in rate: \$9.00 per class.

Thursdays 7pm-7:45pm



American Red Cross Certifications

AOSC - Arundel Olympic Swim Center (Annapolis)

NAAC - North Arundel Aquatic Center (Glen Burnie)

Lifeguard Pre-Course Skills Check

Mandatory for participants who wish to take the full Lifeguarding Course. Pre-course skills include a 200-yard swim-tread-swim sequence and an object retrieval. After enrollment, please set up a time to complete skills by emailing the appropriate contact below for the corresponding location. Ages 15+. \$4

AOSC #39190 Contact Liz at: rplusk20@aacounty.org

NAAC #39092 Contact Kaylee at: rpdwn81@aacounty.org

Lifeguarding Course

Participants must enroll and pass the Lifeguard Pre-Course Skills Check at least two weeks prior to the start of class. Successful course participants will receive a 2-year Red Cross Certification in Lifeguarding, CPR, First Aid, and AED. 100% attendance is required. Ages 15+. \$320

Wed - Fri 4pm-9pm, Sat 8am-4pm & Sun at AOSC 8am-3pm

NAAC Feb 19-23 #39093

Lifeguarding Recertification Course

Participants must possess a valid Red Cross Lifeguard certification, which will be validated. Please bring your own lifeguard manual and a CPR mask. These items may be purchased at the facility if participants are unable to bring their own. 100% attendance is required. \$216

Saturday 8am-1:30pm & Sunday 8am-4pm

NAAC Jan 11 & 12 #39095

Friday 4pm-9:30pm & Sunday 8am-4pm

NAAC Mar 14 & 16 #39094

Commercial Pool Operator Training

Pool Operator Training - Virtual

Participants must be at least 16 years of age and will receive training and testing to meet Anne Arundel County commercial pool operator standards. Participants will need access to a computer and a google account. 100% attendance with a working webcam is required. \$297. For complete details please visit us at www.aacounty.org/recparks.

Mon, Tues, Wed 5pm-9pm & Thur 5pm-7pm

#39171 Dec 9 - Dec 12

Pool Operator Review Training - Virtual

Participants must hold a current pool operator license; previous training must fall within 3 years of new training date. Participants must be at least 16 years of age and will receive training and testing to meet Anne Arundel County commercial pool operator standards. Participants will need access to a computer and a google account. 100% attendance with a working webcam is required. \$135. For complete details please visit us at www.aacounty.org/recparks.

Tues, 4pm-8pm

#39172 Feb 18



School Break FUN Days!



GREAT for PARENTS!

Wondering what to do with your children when school is closed or you have work to do?

Bring them to the Aquatic Center for a full day of fun activities including swimming, arts and crafts and games. Bring a lunch, snack and drink. A minimum of 6 children required to run the class. Ages 6 to 12. \$65 per day.

From 7:30am-5:30pm

North Arundel Aquatic Center

#37828	Nov 25	Parent/Teacher Conferences
#37829	Nov 26	Parent/Teacher Conferences
#37830	Dec 23	Winter Break
#37831	Dec 26	Winter Break
#37832	Dec 27	Winter Break
#37833	Dec 30	Winter Break
#39103	Jan 20	MLK Jr. Day
#39104	Jan 21	Semester Break
#39105	Feb 17	Presidents Day

Arundel Olympic Swim Center

#37975	Nov 25	Parent/Teacher Conferences
#37976	Nov 26	Parent/Teacher Conferences
#37978	Dec 23	Winter Break
#37979	Dec 30	Winter Break
#39191	Jan 20	MLK Jr. Day
#39192	Jan 21	Semester Break
#39193	Feb 17	Presidents Day



Parents NIGHT Out!

Bring a swimsuit and towel!

Bring a swimsuit and towel. Activities include games, swimming, and movies. Pizza will be provided. Space is limited, book early. Drop-off begins at 4:45pm and children must be picked up by 7:45pm. Ages 6 to 12. \$23

Friday from 5pm-7:45pm

NAAC	#39101	Feb 14
NAAC	#39102	Mar 7

PARKS Directory

Our Department manages nearly 160 parks, natural and historical areas and athletic facilities. Enjoy the beauty of Anne Arundel County by visiting a park or facility with family and friends.

REGIONAL PARKS AND TRAILS

Visit www.aacounty.org/recparks for complete information about each regional park and trail.

\$ – See park fees on page 24

Anne Arundel County Trails

Jonas & Anne Catharine Green Park
2001 Baltimore Annapolis Blvd.

Annapolis, MD 21409
410-222-6141

B&A Trail extends 15 miles from Jonas Green Park in Annapolis to Dorsey Road in Glen Burnie; BWI Trail circles BWI Airport with 12.5 miles of paved trail; WB&A Trail is 3.8 miles and follows the old WB&A Railroad right of way.

Downs Park

8311 John Downs Loop
Pasadena, MD 21122
410-222-6230

Open 7:00am – dusk \$
Facility Rentals (outdoor pavilions, youth group camping area and indoor event room)

Fort Smallwood Park

9500 Fort Smallwood Road
Pasadena, MD 21122
410-222-0087

Open 5:30am – dusk \$
Open 7 days a week
Facility Rental (outdoor pavilion and organized youth group camping), swimming beach
Public Boat Launch \$

Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Park

1543 Fairview Beach Road
Pasadena, MD 21122

Kinder Farm Park

1001 Kinder Farm Park Road
Millersville, MD 21108
410-222-6115

Open 7:00am – dusk \$
Facility Rentals (outdoor pavilions, youth group camping area and event meeting room)



Lake Waterford Park & Adaptive Recreation Complex

830 Pasadena Road
Pasadena, MD 21122
410-222-6248

Open 7:00am – dusk
Facility Rentals (outdoor pavilions and adaptive sports field)

Quiet Waters Park

600 Quiet Waters Park Road
Annapolis, MD 21403
410-222-1777

Open 7:00am – dusk \$
Facility Rentals (outdoor pavilions and indoor event room)

Thomas Point Park

3890 Thomas Point Road
Annapolis, MD 21403
410-222-1777 (QWP Office)

Open 8:00am – dusk \$
Vehicle entry into Thomas Point Park requires a monthly or daily pass from April 1 - October 31. Purchase passes at www.yourpassnow.com.

NATURAL AREAS AND HISTORIC PARKS

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

1361 Wrighton Road
Lothian, MD 20711
410-222-8006

Open Wed, Fri, Sat and Sun. (Sun except Dec-Feb). \$6 daily entrance fee/vehicle
www.jugbay.org

Glendening Nature Preserve

5702 Plummer Lane, Lothian, MD 20711
Open 9:00am – 5:00pm, daily

Nature Preserve at Waysons Corner

5481 Southern Maryland Blvd, Lothian, MD 20711
Open dawn – dusk, daily

Patuxent Wetland Park

1426 Mt. Zion Marlboro Rd, Lothian, MD 20711
Open dawn – dusk, daily

Wootons Landing Park

4550 Sands Rd, Harwood, MD 20776
Open dawn – dusk, daily

Bacon Ridge Natural Area

410-222-2844

Bacon Ridge Natural Area is accessible from the following locations:

Severn Chapel Road Trail Head

1555 Severn Chapel Rd, Crownsville, MD

Hawkins Road Trail Head

1700 Hawkins Rd, Crownsville, MD

Bacon Ridge Road Trail Head

Bacon Ridge Rd, Crownsville, MD

Beverly Triton Nature Park

1202 Triton Beach Road
Edgewater, MD 21037
443-202-1978

Open from 7:00 am to dusk.
Closed Thanksgiving and Christmas

Hancock's Resolution

2795 Bayside Beach Road
Pasadena, MD 21122
410-255-4048

Open Sundays, April – October (except for Easter Sunday) 1:00 – 4:00pm
www.historichancocksresolution.org

Historic London Town & Gardens

839 Londontown Road
Edgewater, MD 21037
410-222-1919

www.historiclondontown.org

Mayo Beach Park

4150 Honeysuckle Drive
Edgewater, MD 21037
410-222-1978

Swimming beach
Reserve passes at www.yourpassnow.com

COMMUNITY PARKS

Visit www.aacounty.org/recparks for the complete listing of community parks.

PARK CONTACTS

General Park Information: 410-222-7317
To report maintenance issues: 410-222-7317
Facility Rental: To reserve a facility at a regional park contact that park office. To reserve a community park pavilion visit our website.

Facilities & Partnerships

Some facilities are managed by private operators through partnerships with Anne Arundel County Department of Recreation and Parks.

ARCHERY

Outdoor Archery Range

Crofton, MD 21114

www.annearundelarchers.com

Operated by Anne Arundel Archers.

PADDLE-IN CAMPING

Paddle-In Camping

Anne Arundel Recreation and Parks offers two paddle-in campsites to rent along the Patuxent River. Reserve online at aacounty.org/recparks.

BMX RACE TRACK

Severn Danza Park

726 Donaldson Avenue

Severn, MD 21144

www.chesapeakebmx.com

Operated by Chesapeake BMX (CBMX).

BOAT LAUNCH SITES & FISHING SPOTS

Visit aacounty.org/recparks, search keyword "water access" for site guide. Locate information on cartop and trailered boat launch sites and fishing spots and swimming beaches.

DOG PARKS

Bell Branch Athletic Complex

2400 Davidsonville Rd., Gambrills, MD

Broadneck Park

618 Broadneck Rd., Arnold, MD

Downs Park

8311 John Downs Loop, Pasadena, MD

(Dog Beach only)

Loch Haven Park

3389 Glebe Heights Dr., Edgewater, MD

Maryland City Park

565 Brockbridge Rd., Laurel, MD

Overlook Park

98 Governors Gate Ln., Linthicum Heights, MD

Quiet Waters Park

600 Quiet Waters Park Rd., Annapolis, MD

Towers Branch Park

1405 Jackson Rd., Odenton, MD

EQUESTRIAN CENTERS

Andover Equestrian Center

433 Andover Road,

Linthicum Heights, MD

morningsidestables@hotmail.com

Operated by Morningside Stables

Andy Smith Equestrian Center

584 Broadneck Road

Annapolis, MD

443-878-2845

Horse Back Riding Day Camp, call for

information on camps in June and July.

Operated by JDS Equestrian Center, Inc.

GOLF

Compass Pointe Golf Courses

9010 Fort Smallwood Road

Pasadena, MD

410-255-7764

www.compasspointegolf.com

Managed by Indigo Golf Partners

The Preserve at Eisenhower Golf Course

1576 Generals Highway

Crownsville, MD 21032

thepreserveateisenhower.com

Managed by Indigo Golf Partners

PAINTBALL

Solley Cove Park

7360 Carbide Road

Glen Burnie, MD

410-439-0039

www.paintballsportsandsupply.com

Operated by Paintball Sports and Supply

TENNIS

Outdoor courts are available to use on a first-come, first served basis in Anne Arundel County community parks. Lessons are held on selected courts in the spring, summer and fall. Visit www.aacounty.org/recparks for a listing of tennis court information.

WEDDING/EVENT VENUES

Mayo Beach Park

A breathtaking venue surrounded by pristine sandy beach with panoramic view of the South River. The park provides a pleasant background for a wedding, reunion or group event from April-October. For information call 410-375-0706.

Downs Park

Downs Park has been the location of many weddings over the years. The Visitor Center offers the Chesapeake Room for events, featuring incredible views of the Chesapeake Bay. The Mother's Garden, a Victorian style garden, can also be rented as a venue with or separate from the Chesapeake Room. For information call 410-222-6230.

Quiet Waters Park

Quiet Waters Park has several locations for you to hold a wedding ceremony. The South River Overlook is a wonderful location, perched above the scenic South River. The James Lighthizer Gazebo is a beautiful setting, located on the edge of a serene pond. The Blue Heron Center is the perfect location to hold both your ceremony and reception. For information call 410-222-1777.

PARK FEES

Beverly Triton Nature Park, Downs Park, Fort Smallwood Park, Kinder Farm Park & Quiet Waters Park

Daily Vehicle Parking Permit	\$6.00 per vehicle
Daily Vehicle Parking Permit - Physically Challenged (MVA handicapped tags or hanging permit required)	\$5.00 per vehicle
Daily Vehicle Parking Permit - Service Connected Military Individuals, Veterans and their Families (Service connected ID required)	Free per vehicle
Annual Vehicle Permit (Non county residents \$40.00 per year)	\$30.00 per year
Daily Bus Parking Permit (Any vehicle over 12 person capacity)	\$30.00 per vehicle
Lifetime Senior Citizen Pass (Age 60 and over)	\$40.00 per person
Daily Boat Launch Permit (Permits only valid at Fort Smallwood Park)	\$10 per vessel
Annual Weekday Boat Launch Permit (Permits only valid at Fort Smallwood Park)	\$50 per year
Lifetime Senior Citizen Passes and Annual Vehicle Permits are valid at Downs Park, Fort Smallwood Park, Kinder Farm Park and Quiet Waters Park and can be purchased at these locations.	

PARKS Programs & Events

SEE ONGOING EVENTS on page 38

Visit www.aacounty.org/recparks online Calendar of Events for detailed information about each park program and event.



Sledding at Quiet Waters Park

NOVEMBER

11/2 Saturday Anne Arundel County Master Gardeners

10:00 am - 11:00 am

Quiet Waters Park

The Anne Arundel County Master Gardeners will teach you how to make your own compost using yard waste and kitchen scraps. Attend the one-hour demonstration at the compost site on the Wildwood Trail at Quiet Waters Park. **Anne Arundel County residents** will receive a FREE compost bin. Demonstrations may be canceled in the event of inclement weather. The park entry fee is \$6.00 or a park permit. For questions, please contact the MG

compost team: QWPcomposting@hotmail.com

11/2 Saturday Bird Walk

7:00 am - 10:00 am

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Join an avid Jug Bay birder to learn skills for identifying birds by sight and sound. Novice and experienced birders are welcome on this 2-3 mile walk to explore the forests and wetlands in search of the 250+ species of birds that call Jug Bay home, or migrate through. Wear comfortable walking shoes, dress for the weather, and bring a spotting scope and binoculars if you have them. Ages 12 and older. Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Free with \$6 per vehicle park entrance fee, paid in the visitor center at the end of the walk. The gate opens

at 6:45 am for a 7 am prompt start time. Space is limited. Registration is required at www.jugbay.org Event Calendar and click on the event.

11/6 Wednesday Homeschool Hikers - Fall Series

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Your homeschooler is invited to join us as we explore various topics related to the natural spaces of Jug Bay. We aim to spend ample time outdoors, delve into nature concepts, and have fun learning. This fall our (3) programs will cover topics related to **ADAPTATIONS**. November's class focuses on plant adaptations. We encourage signing up for all 3 classes but not required. A short lesson is followed by outside hiking time and related activities. Dress for the weather. Wear comfortable **closed-toe shoes**. Ages 8 to 12. Fee: \$10 per child.

No refunds. This is a drop-off program.

Minimum 5 & maximum 12 participants. Registration is required at aarecparks.org/registration **Activity Net #37840**.

For questions call 410-222-8006 or email jugbay@aacounty.org

11/15 Friday Stream Water Chemistry

8:30 am - 11:30 am

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Please see the December 20 description on page 30.

11/17 Sunday Monthly Anne Arundel Bird Club Walk

8:00 am - 11:00 am

Quiet Waters Park

Join us for our monthly walk on paved paths through habitat that includes mature deciduous forests, wood edges, mowed fields, wetlands, and a native plant garden, along with sweeping views

of the South River and Harness Creek. There is no entrance fee for people participating in the bird walk. Contact: Jim Collatz at 301-254-0188 or jcollatz@aol.com.

**11/20 Wednesday
Preschool Explorers! -
Colors in Nature**

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Bring the little ones for an opportunity to practice various skills and explore nature! Each class focuses on a different topic and follows the same basic structure. We begin with a story, head outside for movement and exploration, and finish with a craft or hands-on activity. We look, listen, feel, and discover at preschooler speed. Dress for the weather – we will always try to go outside! Parents play along with their children. Ages: 3-5. Fee: \$10 per child. **No refunds.** Register the child or children only. Minimum 5 & maximum 10 participants. Registration is required at aarecparks.org/registration

Activity Net #37841. For questions call 410-222-8006 or email jugbay@aacounty.org.

**11/30 Saturday
2024 Jug Bay Post Turkey
5K Trail Run**

8:30 am - Registration opens / 9:00 am - Run begins

Jug Bay River Farm

Join us for a fun 5K run along our beautiful, scenic trails of the Jug Bay River Farm Property. Registration starts at 8:30 am. The run will start promptly at 9:00 am. The trail is all off-road with some single-track areas. Run times are not recorded. Hot cider and a light snack will be provided after the run. All proceeds will go to the Friends of Jug Bay to fund the purchase of new canoes, which will support our outdoor education programs along the Patuxent River. Cost: \$15 per person. No refunds after 11/20/23. Ages: 12 and older. To register go to www.jugbay.org Event Calendar and click on the event. You will pay through the website.

Call 410-222-8006 or email jugbay@aacounty.org if you have any questions.

DECEMBER

**12/1/24, Sunday
Beach Clean-up**

8:00 am - 10:00 am

Fort Smallwood Park

Have fun along the water and make a difference by cleaning up our shoreline. Cleanup supplies will be provided. Please bring a reusable water bottle, work gloves, and closed-toed shoes. Park entry will be waived for participants. All are welcome!

**12/4/24, Wednesday
Homeschool Hikers -
Fall Series**

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Your homeschooler is invited to join us as we explore various topics related to the natural spaces of Jug Bay. We aim to spend ample time outdoors, delve

Santa on the Trail

Scheduled Stops

- 10:00 AM | ARNOLD STATION
- 10:45 AM | JONES STATION
- 11:15 AM | HATTON-REGISTER GREEN
- 11:45 AM | ROBINSON ROAD
- 12:15 PM | WHITES ROAD
- 12:45 PM | EARLEIGH HEIGHTS
- 1:45 PM | JUMPERS HOLE SHOPPING CTR
- 2:15 PM | HARUNDALE SHOPPING CTR
- 3:00 PM | SAWMILL CREEK PARK

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2024
ON THE B&A TRAIL**

Visit with Santa & his helpers as they hand out candy canes & collect non-perishable food items for the Anne Arundel County Food Bank!

In the event of rain, the event will be held at Earleigh Heights Ranger Station from 10 am - 1 pm. Notifications will be posted!

Anne Arundel RECREATION AND PARKS
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into nature concepts, and have fun learning. This fall our (3) programs will cover topics related to ADAPTATIONS. December's class is all about bird adaptations. We encourage signing up for all 3 classes but not required. A short lesson is followed by outside hiking time and related activities. Dress for the weather. Wear comfortable closed-toe shoes. Ages 8 to 12. Fee: \$10 per child. No refunds for participant cancellations. This is a drop-off program. Minimum 5 & maximum 12 participants. Registration is required at: apm.activecommunities.com/aarecparks/Home Activity Net #37842. For questions call 410-222-8006 or email jugbay@aacounty.org.

12/7 Saturday
Jingle Bell Hayride

10:00am-1:00pm
Kinder Farm Park

Come join us in the Holiday Fun from 10am-1pm at Kinder Farm Park! Enjoy a festive hayride, snacks, warm drinks, roasted marshmallows, and visit the holiday decorated Kinder Farmhouse and more! To participate, all participants must Pre-Register and pay online at www.kinderfarmpark.org by December 5, 2024 or until hayrides are sold out, whichever happens first. Hayrides are scheduled every half hour from 10am-12:30 pm. Gate Fees Apply. Please visit www.kinderfarmpark.org for more information.

12/07/2024, Saturday
Wreath Workshop

10:00 am - 12:00 pm
or 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Historic London Town and Gardens

Our time-honored tradition is back, welcome to the most wonderful time of the year this holiday season by decorating your own beautiful wreath, centerpiece, or both with elements from our gardens. For ages 12+. *1 ticket per participant required. Members: \$46 for one wreath OR one centerpiece / \$92 for both one wreath AND one centerpiece. Non-Members: \$56 for one wreath OR one centerpiece / \$112 for both one wreath AND one centerpiece. More information: historiclondontown.org/events



12/14 Saturday
Santa on the Trail

10:00am - 3:00pm
B&A Trail

Santa's helpers collect non-perishable food items to donate to the Anne Arundel County Food Bank. See page 29 for locations and times.

12/7/24, Saturday
Magnificent Marsh Mammals

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

What mammals inhabit our fascinating marshes at Jug Bay? Find out, and perhaps see some in person on an evening hike through the woods and along the edge of the marsh. Join Chuck Hatcher, Jug Bay's resident expert on otters, for a 1-3 mile walk. Look and listen for signs of activity while Chuck shares interesting facts about these magnificent marsh mammals. All ages able to walk 1-3 miles. Bring a flashlight. Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Fee \$5 per person. No refunds for participant cancellations or no-shows. Registration is required at: apm.activecommunities.com/aarecparks Activity Net#38933. For questions call 410-222-8006 or email jugbay@aacounty.org.

12/7/24, Saturday
Bird Walk

7:00 am - 10:00 am
Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Please see the Nov. 2 description on page 28.

12/15/24, Sunday
Bird Walk
8 am-10:30 am
Quiet Waters Park

Please see the Nov. 17 description on page 28.

12/21/24, Saturday
Winter Solstice Walk

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Fort Smallwood Park

Fort Smallwood is partnering with Anne Arundel County Public Libraries to host a Winter Solstice Walk. Bundle up and join us at the Cedar Pavilion to celebrate the return of light as we take a twilight winter solstice walk. The Rangers will go over winter foliage, bird migration, hibernation, and more. We will conclude with a warm cup of coffee, tea, or cocoa with Park Ranger Chris and Brandon. This is a free program. Registration is required for the event using the following link. Registration opens December 7th. 30 people Max. All ages are welcome, children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult. Please dress appropriately for the weather. www.aacpl.net/event/winter-solstice-walk-ranger-169048.

12/20/24, Friday
Stream Water Chemistry

8:30 am - 11:30 am
Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Join our Stream Water Chemistry volunteer team to conduct field tests on dissolved oxygen content, and other parameters, at important streams feeding Jug Bay. Water samples are also collected for lab analysis. This is a great way to learn how to use professional equipment, see the park, and become involved in habitat monitoring efforts. Free. Must be 18 to volunteer without a guardian. Registration is required at jugbay.org. Event Calendar and click on the event.





FIRST DAY HIKES

Wednesday, January 1, 2025

First Day Hikes are free, guided hikes offered each year on New Year's Day. The hikes are intended to promote an alternate way of celebrating the New Year by going outside, getting some exercise, and enjoying local nature and history. Start your year off on the right foot by joining our knowledgeable park rangers, naturalists, and volunteers in one of our County's beautiful parks.

Sturdy footwear, binoculars, cameras, and a water bottle are recommended. Please dress for the weather. This program is free, but registration is required. Normal gate fees apply. Register online at aarecparks.org/firstdayhikes.

Bacon Ridge Natural Area

12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Join a Park Ranger on a leisurely-paced 2 mile hike through the multi-use, natural surface trails of the Bacon Ridge Natural Area and discover the hills at the headwaters of the South River. Warm up with hot apple cider after the hike. Participants should meet at the Severn Chapel Parking Area. #39463

Downs Park

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Begin your year with nature in mind by joining us on one of two hikes at Downs Park. Participants will be able to choose a shorter, more kid-friendly walk or a longer, more strenuous hike on the perimeter trail. Enjoy views of the Chesapeake Bay as Rangers guide you through the park. #39425

Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Park

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Get off the beaten path for an afternoon hike through the Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Park, situated on Rock Creek in Pasadena. Enjoy complimentary hot chocolate after the hike. #39421

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Out with the old, in with the new! Start 2025 out with a refreshing, rejuvenating hike in the great outdoors. Join Mike Quinlan and Diane Goebes, Jug Bay volunteers & Maryland Master Naturalists, on an exploration of a natural winter wonderland. There will be two options to choose from. Go with Diane for a faster, longer 4+ mile hike to our Emory Waters Nature Preserve property or hike with Mike for a slower, 2-3 mile hike on our most popular yellow loop trail. Choose the group on the day of the hike. #39431

Kinder Farm Park

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Join Park Ranger Jeffrey on a leisurely-paced walk through Kinder Farm Park. This walk will be approximately 2 miles on a multi-use unpaved surface trail. Discover the Hidden Pond, Bunk's Pond and the wild and wonderful creatures that call this place home. The walk will also include a stroll through the farm, exploring and talking about farm life. Participants should meet at the Visitor's center at 10 AM. #39422

Lake Waterford Park

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Join the Rangers for an adventurous hike around the lake and trails. Discover the hidden beauty of nature during the winter season. Spot winter wildlife found within the park. Take a rest after the hike and enjoy complimentary hot cocoa and S'mores by the lake, taking in the scenic views of Lake Waterford. #39435

Magothy Greenway Natural Area

10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Take several self-guided hikes through the Magothy Greenway Natural Area. Explore this important wetland tucked away in the heart of Lake Shore and learn the important role bogs play in the Chesapeake Bay Watershed. A Park Ranger and members of the Magothy River Association will be onsite from 10am to 2pm to share maps, resources, and suggested routes. Hot Chocolate will be provided. Participants should meet in the Looper's Field Parking Lot. #39442

Quiet Waters Park (a.m.)

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Join Ranger Liz for a hike on the trails along Harness Creek. Pause in several

areas overlooking the water to spot winter waterfowl. This hike is family/dog friendly and is approximately 2 miles on paved trails. Afterwards enjoy hot chocolate and s'mores in the Holly Pavilion. #39423

Quiet Waters Park (p.m.)

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Sleep in, and then join Ranger James for an invigorating hike along the Fitness and Pavilion Trails. Hikers will meet at the Sycamore Pavilion parking lot for easy access to the trail. This hike is family/dog friendly and is approximately 2 miles on paved trails. Afterwards enjoy hot chocolate and s'mores in the Sycamore Pavilion. #39464

South River Farm Park

12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Just across the South River from Quiet Waters Park is a hidden gem called South River Farm. Join us as we breathe in the crisp air of the New Year on a 2 mile hike through old growth forest while taking in views of the scenic South River. This ranger lead hike will allow for curious wanderers to ask questions along the way and learn something new. #39444

Earleigh Heights Ranger Station

10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Take a rest at the Earleigh Heights Ranger Station, explore our B&A railroad museum, relax on the porch, and enjoy the first day of the year. Park staff will open the historic building from 10am and 2pm to share trail maps and resources for the B&A, BWI, WB&A, South Shore, Broadneck Peninsula Trails, and more. Explore the county's extensive network of paved trails with one or more family and dog friendly recommended self-guided hikes. Registration is not required. #39443



JANUARY

1/1 Wednesday First Day Hikes

See all First Day Hikes on page 31.

Can't make the guided hike? Join us anytime Saturday, December 28 through Sunday, January 5 for a self-guided option. Stop by the park's gatehouse or visitor center to pick up a map, guide and First Day Hike sticker (while supplies last). Registration is not required for the self-guided hike. Normal gate fees apply.

1/4/25, Saturday Bird Walk

7:00 am - 10:00 am

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Join an avid Jug Bay birder to learn skills for identifying birds by sight and sound. Novice and experienced birders are welcome on this 2-3 mile walk to explore the forests and wetlands in search of the 250+ species of birds that call Jug Bay home, or migrate through. Wear comfortable walking shoes, dress for the weather, and bring a spotting scope and binoculars if you have them. Ages 12 and older. Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Free with \$6 per vehicle park entrance fee, paid in the visitor center at the end of the walk. The gate opens at 6:45 am for a 7 am prompt start time. Space is limited. Registration is required at jugbay.org Event Calendar and click on the event.

1/5/25, Sunday Beach Clean-up

8:00 am - 10:00 am

Fort Smallwood Park

Have fun along the water and make a difference by cleaning up our shoreline. Cleanup supplies will be provided. Please bring a reusable water bottle, work gloves, and closed-toed shoes. Park entry will be waived for participants. All are welcome!

1/15/25, Wednesday Preschool Explorers! - Nuts and Seeds

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Bring the little ones for an opportunity to practice various skills and explore nature! Each class focuses on a different topic and follows the same basic structure. We begin with a story, head outside for movement and exploration, and finish with a craft or hands-on activity. We look, listen, feel, and discover at preschooler speed. Dress for the weather – we will always try to go outside! Parents play along with their children. Ages: 3-5. Fee: \$10 per child. No refunds for participant cancellations. Register the child or children only. Minimum 5 & maximum 10 participants. Registration is required at: apm.activecommunities.com/aarecparks/Home Activity Net #38535. For questions call 410-222-8006 or email jugbay@aacounty.org.



1/17/25, Friday Stream Water Chemistry

8:30 am - 11:30 am

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Join our Stream Water Chemistry volunteer team to conduct field tests on dissolved oxygen content, and other parameters, at important streams feeding Jug Bay. Water samples are also collected for lab analysis. This is a great way to learn how to use professional equipment, see the park, and become involved in habitat monitoring efforts. Free. Must be 18 to volunteer without a guardian. Registration is required at jugbay.org Event Calendar and click on the event.

1/18/25, Saturday Magnificent Marsh Mammals

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

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1/19/25, Sunday Bird Walk

8AM-10:30AM

Quiet Waters Park

Join us for our monthly walk on paved paths through habitat that includes mature deciduous forests, wood edges, mowed fields, wetlands, and a native plant garden, along with sweeping views of the South River and Harness Creek. There is no entrance fee for people participating in the bird walk. Contact: Jim Collatz at 301-254-0188 or jcollatz@aol.com.

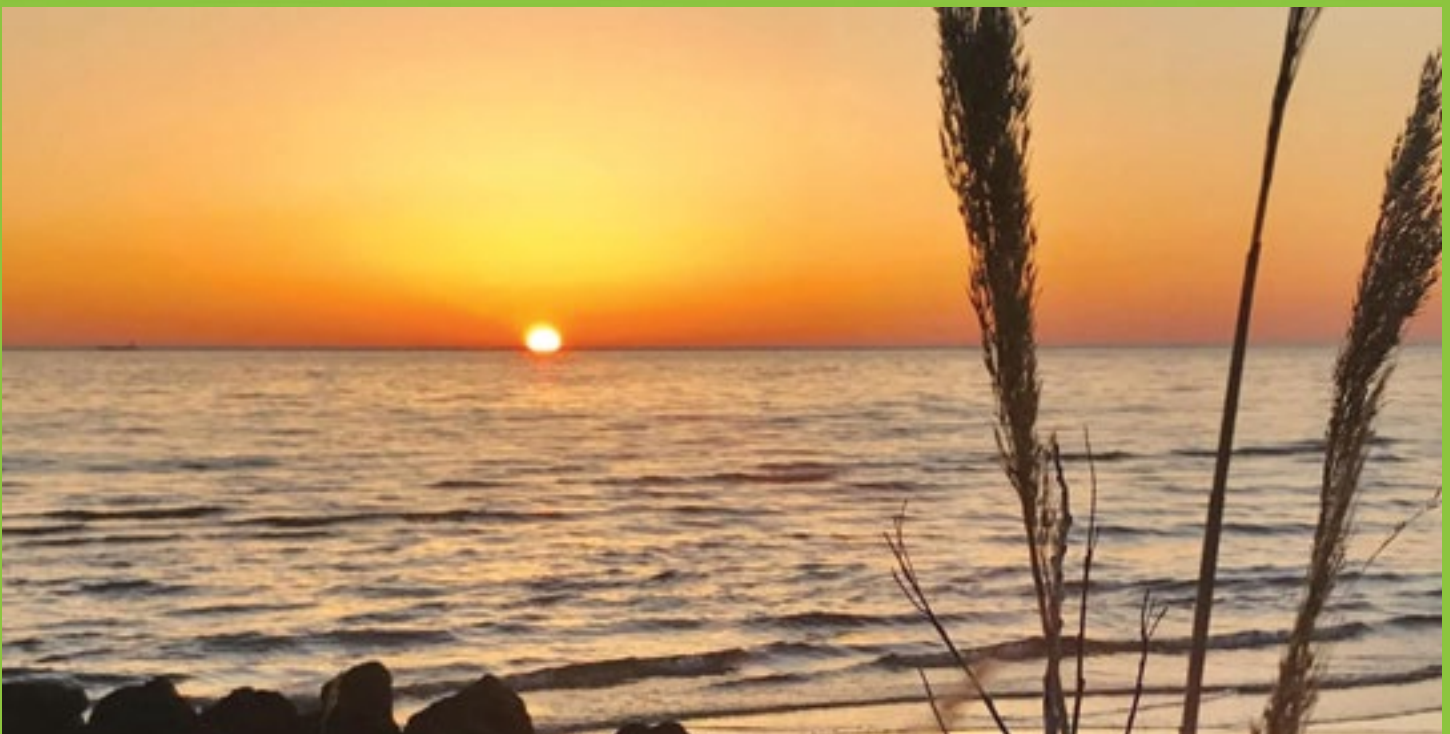
NEW PARK PASS OPTIONS — Get your daily and annual parking passes to Anne Arundel County's regional parks (Quiet Waters Park, Kinder Farm Park, Downs Park, Fort Smallwood Park and Beverly Triton Nature Park) at YourPassNow.com. Passes for regional parks are also available for purchase from the park gatehouses.



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FEBRUARY

Dates and Times TBD

Maple Syrup Demonstrations

Downs Park

Join Downs Park staff and volunteers for our annual Maple Syrup making demonstrations. Watch the old-time process and techniques of making maple syrup. This program is for all ages. Meet at the Sugar Shack next to Arcadia Pavilion. No program fee, however gate fees do apply. For more information, contact Park Ranger Kyle Collins at 410-222-6230 or rpcoll21@aacounty.org.

2/1/25, Saturday

Bird Walk

7:00 am - 10:00 am

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Join an avid Jug Bay birder to learn skills for identifying birds by sight and sound. Novice and experienced birders are welcome on this 2-3 mile walk to explore the forests and wetlands in search of the 250+ species of birds that call Jug Bay home, or migrate through. Wear comfortable walking shoes, dress for the weather, and bring a spotting scope and binoculars if you have them. Ages 12 and older. Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Free with \$6 per vehicle park entrance fee, paid in the visitor center at the end of the walk. The gate opens at 6:45 am for a 7 am prompt start time. Space is limited. Registration is required at jugbay.org Event Calendar and click on the event.

2/2/24, Sunday

Beach Clean-up

8:00 am - 10:00 am

Fort Smallwood Park

Have fun along the water and make a difference by cleaning up our shoreline. Cleanup supplies will be provided. Please bring a reusable water bottle, work gloves, and closed-toed shoes. Park entry will be waived for participants. All are welcome!



2/19/25, Wednesday

Preschool Explorers! - Who's Here in Winter?

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Bring the little ones for an opportunity to practice various skills and explore nature! Each class focuses on a different topic and follows the same basic structure. We begin with a story, head outside for movement and exploration, and finish with a craft or hands-on activity. We look, listen, feel, and discover at preschooler speed. Dress for the weather – we will always try to go outside! Parents play along with their children. Ages: 3-5. Fee: \$10 per child. No refunds for participant cancellations. Register the child or children only. Minimum 5 & maximum 10 participants. Registration is required at: apm.activecommunities.com/aarecparks Activity Net #38536. For questions call 410-222-8006 or email jugbay@aacounty.org.

2/16/25, Sunday

Bird Walk

8AM-10:30AM

Quiet Waters Park

Join us for our monthly walk on paved paths through habitat that includes mature deciduous forests, wood edges, mowed fields, wetlands, and a native plant garden, along with sweeping views of the South River and Harness Creek. There is no entrance fee for people participating in the bird walk. Contact: Jim Collatz at 301-254-0188 or jcollatz@aol.com.

2/19/25-3/30/25, Daily

Maryland Society of Portrait Painters

9 am - 4 pm M-F, 10 am - 4 pm Sat/Sun
Quiet Waters Park Visitor Center

The Maryland Society of Portrait Painters art exhibit will be from 2/19/25-3/30/25. The Art Reception for the exhibit will be held Sunday, 2/23/25 from 1:30 pm-3:30 pm. Park Patrons can view/purchase art during Visitor Center Hours: 9-4 Monday through Friday and 10-4 Saturday and Sunday.



2/21/25, Friday

Stream Water Chemistry

8:30 am - 11:30 am

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Join our Stream Water Chemistry volunteer team to conduct field tests on dissolved oxygen content, and other parameters, at important streams feeding Jug Bay. Water samples are also collected for lab analysis. This is a great way to learn how to use professional equipment, see the park, and become involved in habitat monitoring efforts. Free. Must be 18 to volunteer without a guardian. Registration is required at jugbay.org Event Calendar and click on the event.

2/22/25, Saturday

Magnificent Marsh Mammals

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

What mammals inhabit our fascinating marshes at Jug Bay? Find out, and perhaps see some in person on an evening hike through the woods and along the edge of the marsh. Join Chuck Hatcher, Jug Bay's resident expert on otters, for a 1-3 mile walk. Look and listen for signs of activity while Chuck shares interesting facts about these magnificent marsh mammals. All ages able to walk 1-3 miles. Bring a flashlight. Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Fee \$5 per person. No refunds for participant cancellations or no-shows. Registration is required at: apm.activecommunities.com/aarecparks Activity Net#38935. For questions call 410-222-8006 or email jugbay@aacounty.org.

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November to December 2024: Program Offerings



11/16 - 11/17, Saturday and Sunday Colonial Games

10:30am - 3:00pm

Historic London Town and Gardens

Learn how to game with the best of the colonial card sharks this weekend at the historic William Brown House. Costumed interpreters will help you learn historic favorites such as Whist, Loo, Shut the Box, Mancala, and more!

Participation is free with site admission. Find out more at www.historiclondontown.org/events.

11/20, Wednesday

Colonial Cocktails Encore: Cold Weather Comforts

6:30pm - 7:30pm

Historic London Town and Gardens

Make and enjoy your own historical drinks and learn about colonial drinking culture. We'll ease into the coming of winter with old favorites like hot buttered rum and toddy.

Registration \$25 HLTG members/\$33 non-members, 21+, pre-registration required.

Register at www.historiclondontown.org/events.

12/7, Saturday

Wreath Workshop

Morning session 10:00am - 12:00pm,

Afternoon Session 1:30pm - 3:30pm

Historic London Town and Gardens

Our time-honored tradition is back, welcome in the most wonderful time of the year this holiday season by decorating your own beautiful wreath,

centerpiece or both with elements from our gardens. For ages 12+. *1 ticket per participant required.

HLTG Members: \$46 for one wreath OR one centerpiece / \$92 for both one wreath AND one centerpiece. Non-members. \$56 for one wreath OR one centerpiece / \$112 for both one wreath AND one centerpiece.

Register at www.historiclondontown.org/events.

12/13, Friday

Colonial Cocktails: Yuletide

6:00pm - 8:00pm

Historic London Town and Gardens

End the year of Colonial Cocktails with a special cocktail night where guests can toast to the season with wassail, a Yuletide favorite, all while partaking in eighteenth-century holiday customs in the historic William Brown House.

Registration \$40 HLTG members/\$50 non-members, 21+, pre-registration required.

Register at www.historiclondontown.org/events.

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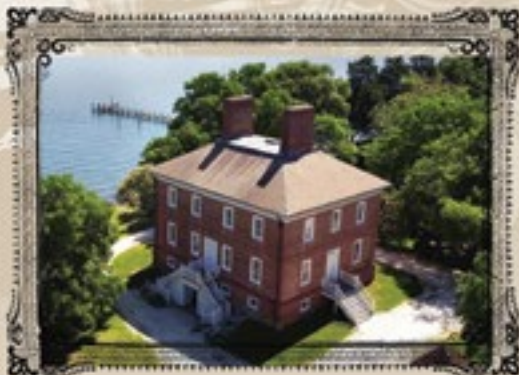
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HISTORIC LONDON TOWN & GARDENS



aarecparks.org/Cultural



RECURRING EVENTS

Tuesday's Infant/Toddler Hike 11am-11:30am

Quiet Waters Park
Join Ranger Liz at Quiet Waters Park for a fun hike! We meet in a different location each week and hike for about a half hour. The gate attendant will tell you where we are meeting. Email Ranger Liz at rpschi66@aacounty.org with questions.

Every Wednesday until April 30 Coffee With A Ranger 9:00 am - 10:00 am Fort Smallwood Park

Join Park Rangers at the Youth Group Campground of Fort Smallwood Park on Wednesdays from 9-10 AM for a free cup of coffee, tea, or hot cocoa! Come learn about the park, local flora, and fauna, or get to know the rangers a little bit better while you enjoy a warm beverage. This is a FREE program, excluding the \$6 park entrance fee. All ages are welcome, no registration is required. Don't forget your reusable coffee cup.

November 16 – January 7 Holiday Artisan Market Quiet Waters Park

The Friends of Quiet Waters Park present their Holiday Art Exhibition. An opening reception will be held on November 19 at 1:30pm in the Visitor Center. All items may be taken upon purchase, creating an outstanding occasion for holiday shopping.

Every Wednesday Year Round Pollinator-Preserve Wednesday

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary - Emory Waters Nature Preserve
Join Jug Bay staff and volunteers on Wednesdays 9 am - 12 noon at the Emory Waters Nature Preserve. See Jug Bay's newest property and learn about native perennials that support our native butterflies, bees, and other pollinators. In cool months volunteers will assist with invasive plant removal, trash pick up, and various other

stewardship and preserve projects in need of support. Meet new friends and enjoy interesting conversations. Bring gardening gloves, your favorite tools, and plenty of drinking water. Ages: 12 and up; 12 to 14 must be accompanied by an adult; 15 and older must be accompanied by an adult on the first day to complete a release form. Free. Walk-ins welcome! Groups of five or more please email Debra in advance at rpgage00@aacounty.org to arrange. Proceed through the driveway gate about 1 mile to the second white house.

Every Friday Year Round Field Work Friday

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary
Kick off the weekend with the great feeling that comes with doing good and important work! Join our Field Work Fridays at Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary. Every Friday rain or shine, volunteers join staff naturalists to tackle a stewardship project in need of support. Projects include invasive plant removals, trash clean-ups, gardening, citizen science monitoring, and more. Volunteers are welcome to bring a bagged lunch to enjoy after our work is completed. No prior training or experience is necessary to join our Field Work Fridays! Free. Ages 8 and up; 8 to 14 must be accompanied by an adult; 15 and older must be accompanied by an adult on the first day to complete a release form. A notification email will be sent on Thursday to registered participants verifying the project and location. Registration required at www.jugbay.org/calendar.

Every other Thursday Waterbird Survey

7:30 am – 9:30 am
Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary
Join a periodic survey of waterbirds on freshwater, tidal, marshes at Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary. The ornithological knowledge and collaborative attitude of our volunteer team creates a phenomenal learning experience. All of this in the beautiful early morning



light of the Jug Bay Wetlands, on the Patuxent River. Ages: 12 and older; 12 to 14 must be accompanied by an adult; 15 and older must be accompanied by an adult on the first day to complete a release form. Free (entrance fee waived). Registration required at www.jugbay.org/calendar.

12/21 Thursday (thru March 18) Winter Photography Contest

Downs Park
Try your hand in Ranger Jack's Winter Photography Contest! All submissions must be taken by the participant in Downs Park during the contest timeframe. At the end of the contest, four winners will be chosen to have their photos featured on the Friends of Downs Park Facebook page and displayed on the park amphitheater. By entering the photography contest, participants grant permission for Downs Park to display their photos within the park and on social media. For more information and photo submissions, contact Ranger Jack at 410-222-6230 or eobull20@aacounty.org.

Dog of the Month Contest *Downs Park*

Enter your furry friend to be our next Downs Park Dog of the Month! Contest submissions can be made on Instagram with the following tags: #DownsParkDogOfTheMonth #DogsOfDownsPark #DownsPark. Be sure to also tag the Anne Arundel County Recreation and Parks Instagram account by including the handle @recparcs. All photo submissions must be taken within Downs Park and contestants must adhere to County leash laws. Participation is free; winners will be announced via Instagram and will receive a puppy bag full of treats and a toy! For more information, contact Ranger Jack at 410-222-6230 or eobull20@aacounty.org.

REGISTRATION FORM

Anne Arundel County Department of Recreation & Parks

1 Harry S Truman Parkway Annapolis, MD 21401 Phone: 410-222-7313 / 301-261-8036 www.aacounty.org/recparks

PLEASE PRINT

Parent/Guardian or Adult Participant: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Phone: Home _____ Cell _____ Work _____

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Participant's Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parent/Guardian or Adult Participant Email Address :

(Program Updates & Cancellations) _____

Emergency Contact (Other than Parent/Guardian): _____

Phone: Home _____ Cell _____ Work _____

PROGRAM REGISTRATION

PARTICIPANTS NAME & PHONE NUMBER	GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	GRADE AS OF 9/24	PROGRAM NAME	PROGRAM NUMBER	FEE

In consideration of the Department of Recreation & Parks accepting me/my child(ren) in the program, I agree to release & discharge Anne Arundel County, its employees, and agents from any injuries sustained by my child/myself as a result of participation in this program. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless Anne Arundel County, its employees and agents against any liability incurred as a result of such injury or loss. It is understood and agreed that Anne Arundel County, its employees and agents cannot be responsible for any aggravation or injury caused as a result of a pre-existing disability, including but not limited to allergies. Recreation & Parks will be notified of any such disability/sensitivities in writing prior to attending this program.

Participants may at some time be photographed for publicity purposes.

Parent/Guardian or Adult Participant Signature: _____ Date _____

To ensure appropriate accommodation if you or your child has been identified with a medical condition, disability or special needs plan, please note the information on the registration form. Contact the Registration Office for questions or requests for accommodations. Call 410-222-7313 or TTY users via Maryland Relay 711 or email RecRegistration@aacounty.org.

Special Need/Accommodation: _____

2nd Party Payee Information (if different from Parent/Guardian)

Name: _____ Relationship _____ Phone _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

HOW TO REGISTER

EASY WAYS TO REGISTER

Online

www.aarecparks.org/registration



Mail

Recreation and Parks Headquarters

1 Harry S Truman Parkway, Annapolis, MD 21401

Office hours Mon–Fri, 8:00am to 4:30pm

410-222-7300

Night drop box available after hours

North Arundel Aquatic Center

7888 Crain Highway, Glen Burnie, MD 21061

410-222-0090

Arundel Olympic Swim Center

2690 Riva Road, Annapolis, MD 21401

410-222-7933

North County Recreation Center

196 Hammonds Lane, Brooklyn Park, MD 21225

410-222-0036

South County Recreation Center

4510 Owensville-Sudley Road, Harwood, MD 20776

410-222-1515

Deep Run Recreation Center

1788 Dorsey Road, Hanover, MD 21076

410-222-0800

Registration Form – Available on the previous page or from www.aacounty.org/recparks. Include the participant's name and program number on your check or money order. Checks must be preprinted with the name and address of the person signing. If the current phone number is not printed on the check, please write the phone number on the front of the check. Checks/Money Order should be made payable to AACo Recreation & Parks. We reserve the right to cancel or alter programs that do not meet the registration requirements. We will charge an additional fee of \$25 for all returned checks. Full payment is expected at time of registration.

Disciplinary Actions – The Department has the authority to impose disciplinary sanctions for inappropriate/unsportsmanlike behavior and/or non-compliance with departmental policies, guidelines, or standards. Disciplinary sanctions for individuals may include but not be limited to: prohibition to attend events, suspensions, expulsion and inability to participate in future programs.

Refund Policy - All refund requests must be submitted in writing with the exception of cancelled programs. Full refunds are given only if a program is cancelled or there are extenuating circumstances prior to the start date of the program. Cancelled program refunds will be automatically processed for 100% refund. Written requests received prior to the start date, will forfeit 20% of the fee for the program or no more than \$25 for each registration as an administrative fee. Any request received after the start date will be considered on a case by case basis. Refund requests for medical reasons must be accompanied by an authorized physician's note. Request for refunds must be submitted no later than 30 days after the end of the program.

Late Pickup Policy – A late pickup fee will be charged if your child(ren) is picked up after the scheduled ending time of the program. The late pickup fee is \$1.00 per minute per child. Failure to pay the fee will result in your child(ren) being dismissed from the program and/or future registrations not being accepted.

Inclement Weather Cancellation Policy – Weather related information is posted on the Anne Arundel County Recreation and Parks website www.aacounty.org/recparks.

Accessibility – Anne Arundel County Department of Recreation and Parks is committed to serving county residents and visitors with disabilities. In compliance with the intent and spirit of the Americans with Disability Act, our commitment is to ensure accessible facilities, programs and services. We request a minimum of 2 weeks advance notice for accommodation before the start of a program or event. A written request for specific accommodation must be submitted at the time of registration. For additional information on inclusion/accommodation call the centers. TTY users please email RecRegistration@aacounty.org or call via **Maryland Relay 711**.

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