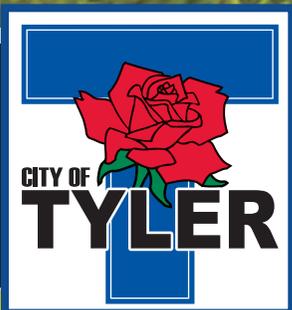
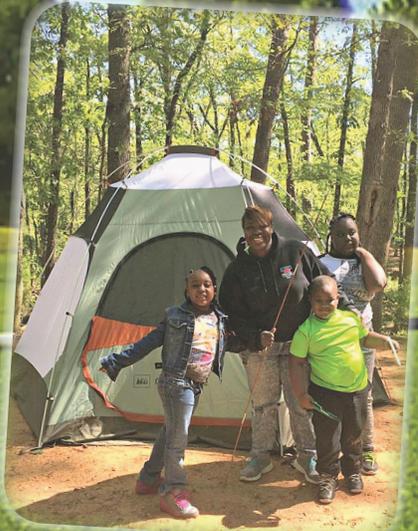


Activity Guide

Summer/Fall



Tyler Parks and Recreation

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Just for Kiddos

CLASSES AND EVENTS ARE IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER BEGINNING WITH JUNE THROUGH DECEMBER.

ZOOSDAY TUESDAYS

(Outdoor Adventure Series)

Dates: May 17, June 21, July 19, Aug. 16, Sept. 20, Oct. 18, Nov. 15 and Dec. 20

Times: 9 to 9:45 a.m. or 10 to 10:45 a.m.

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.

Instructor: Linda Kunze, Caldwell Zoo Education Curator

Details: Bring your little one to our animal enrichment programs for a hands-on learning experience about the habitats and importance of each animal highlighted. The following programs will be offered: High Fliers, On the Run, Swimming Swimmers, Up a Tree, Creeper Crawlers, Halloween Hooters, Gobble Gobblers and Reindeer Romp. Sign up today as spaces are limited. **Ages:** 2 to 5, must be accompanied by an adult

Cost: Free (Maximum of 30 children per time slot).

Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

NEW ZUMBA KIDS CAMP

Date: June 6 to 10

Time: 8 a.m. to Noon

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.

Details: Children ages 5 to 11 can experience a dance fitness camp like no other. Activities include enjoying and dancing to the rich beats of Latin music, making crafts and more.

Cost: \$50 per child; Minimum 10, Maximum 30.

Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

SPANISH CLUB FOR KIDS

Dates: June 7 to 28

Time: 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. on Tuesdays

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.

Instructor: Iris Avila

Details: This program is geared

for children ages 7 to 9 years old. Classes will include songs, games, cultural education, arts and crafts to aid in learning the beautiful language of Spanish. Instructor Iris Avila structures this class so children will learn and have fun at the same time.

Cost: \$25 per child for the four-class program; register over the phone or stop by the facility; class limited to 15.

Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

SUMMER PLAYGROUND PROGRAM

Dates: June 7 to Aug. 5 (nine weeks)

Time: 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

(Monday through Friday at Park sites; closed on Monday, July 4)

Locations: City Park, Emmett Scott Park and Pollard Park (see map on page 11 for park locations)

Details: The free Summer Playground Program has been a favorite of Tyler children for generations. Established in the 1950's, this program has provided educational and quality of life enhancement to thousands of participants. This year, many new and exciting activities have been planned. There will be guest presenters and instructors along with organized group activities like: athletics, free play, active and passive games. Arts and crafts are also offered. The park sites also participate in the Federal Free Lunch Program.

Cost: Free; Pre-registration not required.

Contact: Ann Santana, Glass Recreation Center supervisor, at (903) 595-7271.

GLASS RECREATION SUMMER DAY CAMP

Dates: June 7 to Aug. 12 (10 Weeks)

Time: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (Monday through Friday; closed on Monday, July 4)

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.

Details: This program will provide a safe, supervised day camp. Breakfast and lunch

provided. Your campers will have tons of new experiences and engaging fun activities, both outdoors and indoors. Special events, guests, programming and swimming twice a week are also included in the cost. Registration will only be taken at the Glass Recreation Center. Enrollment is limited to 100 participants. Early drop off or late pick up will be an additional fee. Please call for more details.

Cost: \$50 per child for the 10-week program.

Contact: Ora "Jay Jay" Nails, Recreation Specialist, at (903) 595-7271.

WARRIOR'S BASKETBALL CAMP

Date: June 13 to 17 and July 11 to 15

Time: 8 a.m. to Noon (Monday through Friday)

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.

Instructor: Romen Tucker-Founder of Rose City Warrior's Organization

Details: Our low-cost basketball camps offer a fun and positive experience for boys and girls, ages 7 to 18. Kids will be divided into groups based on age and ability level. Each child will have the opportunity to work on age-appropriate fundamentals to increase their skill level. Please bring a water bottle and dress appropriately. Campers will receive a t-shirt and pair of shorts.

Ages: 6 to 8 years, camp time: 8 to 10 a.m.; 9 and older, camp time: 10 a.m. to Noon.

Cost: \$60 per child (minimum 15, maximum 200); register over the phone or stop by the facility.

Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

FREE YOUTH TENNIS PROGRAM

Date: June 8 to July 22

Time: 9 a.m. to Noon.

9 a.m. to 10 a.m. – Beginners

10 a.m. to 11 a.m. – Intermediate

11 a.m. to Noon – Advanced

Location: (see map on page 11 for park locations)

Pollard Park – Mondays

Robert E. Lee High School –

Tuesdays

Fun Forest Park – Wednesdays

John Tyler High School –

Thursdays

Faulkner Park – Fridays

Details: This award-winning program is beginning its 24th year. Free tennis instruction is offered to children ages 6 to 15 years old. Coordinated by the City of Tyler, a local tennis professional will be giving expert instruction. No registration is required. Participants can show up at any site at 9 a.m. and you will be placed in a beginner, intermediate or advanced class.

Cost: FREE.

Contact: Athletics

at (903) 531-1377.

THE FIRST TEE OF GREATER TYLER

Date: June 13 to Aug. 11 (weekly)

Details: The weekly summer camp schedule begins on June 13 and runs through Aug. 11. Weekly fees are \$50 per camp or \$50 per family. Scholarship rates available.

For camp details and to register, go to the website listed below. The First Tee of Greater Tyler is a non-profit youth organization. The First Tee of Greater Tyler is open to all boys and girls, ages 7 to 17, who have not completed high school. The mission of The First Tee of Greater Tyler is to impact the lives of young people by providing learning facilities, access to The First Tee's Life Skills Experience and programs that build character, instill life-enhancing values and promote wellness through the game of golf. The First Tee Nine Core Values are Honesty, Integrity, Sportsmanship, Confidence, Courtesy, Judgment, Perseverance and Responsibility. The First Tee of Greater Tyler summer camps are held at local golf courses. The First Tee National Schools Program is currently held in the Tyler and Whitehouse Independent School District Elementary Schools.

Cost: \$50 per camp or \$50 per family.

Contact: For more information

about The First Tee of Greater Tyler, please visit www.thefirstteegreatert Tyler.org or call (903) 705-7281.

YOUTH GOLF CLINIC

Dates: June 20 at Pollard Park, 710 E. Amherst Dr.; July 11 at Emmett Scott Park, 1710 N. Confederate Ave.; July 18 at Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.; July 25 at City Park, 200 W. Queen St.

Time: 9:30 to 11 a.m.

Details: Enjoy the game of golf, even if you don't have your own clubs. Clubs will be provided and instruction will be given by Oak Hurst Golf Course golf pro Darrell Chase. Youth will learn the fundamentals of the game and its origin. These clinics are sponsored by Northern Texas PGA. Don't miss out on this free, fun clinic.

Cost: FREE.

Contact: Ann Santana, Glass Recreation Center supervisor, at (903) 595-7271.

DATE NIGHT FOR DADDIES AND DAUGHTERS

Date: July 28

Time: 6 to 8 p.m.

Location: Tyler Rose Garden Center, 420 Rose Park Dr.

Details: Sponsored by Chick-Fil-A and the Tyler Parks and Recreation Department, daddies and daughters can come enjoy a date with a great dinner from Chick-fil-A and get the red carpet treatment. Come have fun with a game where dads and daughters can play together!

Cost: \$20 per couple; Tickets will be available online through Event Brite beginning July 1; see the Tyler Parks and Recreation website for details.

Contact: Debbie Isham, special events/recreation manager, at (903) 531-1214.

AFTER SCHOOL ADVENTURE CLUB

Registration: June 6 to Aug. 15

Date: Aug. 24, 2016 to June 3, 2017

Time: 3 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Details: Youth between the ages of 6 to 12 can enjoy a safe, well-organized and staffed after school program catered to their needs. Tutorial sessions, snacks and a physical fitness segment will be offered each day as well as special events, community service projects, arts and crafts and special guests to give our after school program the diverse activities all youth need. Space is limited to 30 children. Enroll today at the Glass Recreation Center.
Cost: \$10 per month, per child or \$80 for entire school year at registration.
Contact: Ora "Jay Jay" Nails, recreation specialist, at (903) 595-7271.

DAY FOR KIDS

Date: Sept. 17
Time: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Location: VENUE CHANGE-Southside Park on Rose Rudman Trail, 455 Shiloh Rd.
Details: The Boys and Girls Club of East Texas will host this event, sponsored in part by the Tyler Parks and Recreation Department. There will be games, arts and crafts, puppet shows, entertainment, free goodie bags with T-shirts and much, much more! Over 5,000 attended last year.
Cost: FREE.
Contact: Boys and Girls Club of East Texas at (903) 593-9211.

FALL FAMILY FUN FESTIVAL

Date: Oct. 27
Time: 4 to 7 p.m.
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Details: Bring your family and friends to the annual Fall Family Fun Festival. All are encouraged to wear costumes! Enjoy drinks, popcorn and loads of candy. Play



multiple carnival games, jump in the space jump and have your photo taken at the photo booth. There will also be surprising new entertainment lined up as well. Prizes will be awarded to all youth who participate. More than 30 organizations and businesses are involved in this free community event.
Cost: FREE.
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

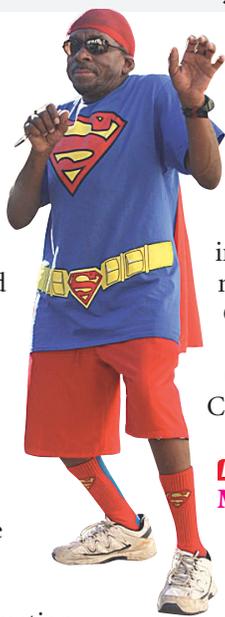
Teens & Adults

OPEN PICKLE BALL

Date: May 16 to Dec. 31
Time: Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m. to Noon; Wednesday evenings from 7:15 to 10 p.m.; Saturdays from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Details: Pickle ball is a fun game for all ages. Played with a paddle on a court or in the yard, pickle ball is a cross between badminton, tennis and Ping-Pong. Come join the nation's latest craze and stay in shape at the same time. Rules will be explained at the Center. Bring your own pickle ball paddle or use ours and start the fun. (Intramural League to begin in the fall on Wednesdays.)
Cost: Membership to Glass Recreation Center or \$5 a day.
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

GOJU-RYU KARATE-DO FOR ALL AGES

Date: Tuesdays (New sessions begin the first Tuesday of each month-year round.)
Time: 6 to 7 p.m. (ages: 4 to 16); 7 to 8 p.m. (ages: 17 to adults)
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Instructor: Alex Jones



Details: These classes are designed to teach fundamental and basic techniques of self-defense while providing a positive experience for students. They will develop new skills, improve their self-image and most importantly, have fun!
Cost: \$20 monthly or \$5 walk-in class.
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

NEW MANAGING MENACING THOUGHTS

Date: June 16 to July 21 (Thursdays for six weeks.)
Time: 5:30 to 7 p.m.
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Details: This course is designed to help people learn skills necessary to acknowledge and deal with upsetting emotions. Participants will be able to learn assertiveness, healthy thinking and even healthier coping strategies.
Cost: \$80 per student.
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

NEW ANGER MANAGEMENT

Date: June 25, July 30, Aug. 20, Sept. 24, Oct. 22, Nov. 5 and Dec. 3
Time: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Details: This course is designed to address anger and temper control. Participants will learn the skill of remaining calm and composed and how to deploy anger without aggression. This course also addresses triggers, environment cues and underlying thoughts and beliefs that contribute to the mismanagement of emotions.
Cost: \$100 per student (minimum 4, maximum 10).
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

AMERICAN KARATE SCHOOL

Date: Tuesdays (only); Summer Session begins June 7 (Nine weeks) Fall Session begins Sept. 13 (10 weeks)
Time: 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Beginners (ages 5 to 12); 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Advanced (ages 5 to 12); 8 to 9 p.m. teenagers and adults (ages 13 and older); (Fall semester classes will go back to 6 to 7 p.m. (youth), 7 to 8 p.m. (adults).
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Instructor: Robert Lamont
Details: This year-round program teaches techniques in the art, sport and self-defense aspects of karate. Robert Lamont, the instructor, is certified in anti-abduction training. (Uniform-\$30 per student. Will be delivered upon registration.)
Cost: \$60 per person for a 10-week program.
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

ZUMBA

Date: June through December (year round)
Times: Mondays and Wednesdays from 6 to 7 p.m.; Saturdays from 9 to 10 a.m.
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Instructor: Josue Perez, certified Zumba instructor
Details: Check out the hottest fitness dance craze and instructor in town. Class is bilingual and the work out is great. Mr. Perez is a certified personal trainer and power-lifting competitor.
Ages: 14 and older
Cost: \$20 for 10 class punch card or \$5 per visit (punch card will expire after five weeks).
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

ZUMBA A.M.

Date: June through December (year round)
Time: Wednesdays from 9 to 10 a.m.
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Instructor: Je'Nae Lacey, certified Zumba instructor
Details: Enjoy a fun morning workout that will melt the pounds away.
Cost: \$5 per class or \$20 per month.
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

ROCK AND WALK

Date: Fridays June through December
Times: 11 a.m. to Noon
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Ages: 7 and older
Details: Come walk to the oldies of rock and roll every Friday. This program uses a self-accountable honor system with members inputting their daily mileage. For every 300 mile goal made, the participant will receive a prize from the Center. Warm up and cool down exercises will be shown to all new participants.
Cost: FREE.
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

GOSPEL AEROBICS

Date: Mondays and Thursdays starting June 6
Time: 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Instructor: Debbie Broughton, NDEITA certified
Details: Step Aerobics utilizes stepping up and down from a platform, offering a moderate to high intensity cardiovascular workout with low-impact stress. The intensity of this class can be individualized by changing the platform height and use of propulsion. Classes consist of a warm-up with stretching, followed by a low to moderate exercise that increases to a high-intensity full aerobic workout.
Ages: 16 and up
Cost: \$20 per month or \$5 for a walk-in class.
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

NEW HEALTHY CONFIDENCE COURSE

Date: Thursdays starting July 28 (six weeks)
Time: 5:30 to 7 p.m.
Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
Instructor: Romya Turner (Licensed Clinical Social Worker)
Details: This course is designed to help you feel better about you! Learn about having a self-confidence that is healthy and

courageous!
Ages: 16 and older
Cost: \$80 per person.
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH 101 (BEGINNERS)

Date: Tuesdays beginning Sept. 13 to Oct. 4

Time: 5:45 to 6:45 p.m.

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.

Instructor: Iris Avila

Ages: 16 and older

Details: This class will help you learn the beautiful language of Spanish with hands-on practice, field trips and lectures, as well as practice conversing with fellow students.

Cost: \$50 per student (four week program) (minimum 7, maximum 15)

Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595 7271.

NEW ROSE CITY INTRAMURALS AT GLASS RECREATION CENTER AND TYLER SENIOR CENTER

The Tyler Parks and Recreation Department encourages your company, church or friends to participate in the new Rose City Intramurals program. This will be a friendly competition among companies, churches and friends who value their quality of life. The events will take place over several weeks. During the fall season, all sports will be played at the Glass Recreation Center and dominoes will be at the Senior Center. Team champions will be named who have the best overall combined sports record for the season. Many different games and sports will take place seasonally. A overall champion will be named in December annually. A complete brochure will be online the week of June 6.

FALL SEASON REGISTRATION: June 20 to Sept. 2

SPORT: THREE ON THREE BASKETBALL

Date: Mondays, Sept. 12

to Oct. 10

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32 St.

Ages: 18 to 30; 31 to 44; 45 plus; Men and Women Divisions

Details: Organizational meeting on Sept. 8 at 6 p.m. at Glass Recreation Center

Cost: \$10 per person with up to seven on roster.

GAME: CO-ED DOMINOES

Date: Tuesdays, Sept. 13 to Oct. 4

Location: Tyler Senior Center, 1915 Garden Valley Rd.

Ages: 18 and older: Must have partner to play and maintain that same partner.

Details: Organizational meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 6 at 6 p.m. at the Senior Center

Cost: \$10 per person.

SPORT: PICKLE BALL

Dates: Wednesdays, Oct. 19 to Nov. 16

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.

Ages: 18 and older; Mixed Doubles, Women and Men Divisions

Details: Organizational meeting on Oct. 12 at 6 p.m. at the Glass Recreation Center

Cost: \$10 per person.

WINTER SEASON REGISTRATION:

Oct. 3, 2016 to Jan. 6, 2017

SPORT: CO-ED DODGEBALL

Dates: Thursdays, Jan. 19 to Feb. 16

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.

Ages: 18 and older

Details: Organizational meeting on Jan. 12 at 6 p.m. at the Glass Recreation Center

Cost: \$10 per person.

SPORT: PING PONG

Dates: Wednesdays, Feb. 22 to March 29

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.

Details: Organizational meeting on Feb. 15 at 6 p.m. at the Glass Recreation Center

Ages: 18 and older

Cost: \$10 per person.

For more information, call the Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

Adult Fun

FIRST TUESDAYS IN THE GARDEN SERIES

The IDEA Gardening Series is an informative lecture series covering gardening topics suitable for each particular month. The free lectures are held at noon on the patio in the IDEA garden, which is located in the southeast corner of Tyler's Rose Garden. Seating is limited, so you may want to bring a lawn chair for your comfort. The lectures run about 30 to 40 minutes, followed by a question and answer session. The dates for the fall are as follows:

June 7 – Grape Myrtle Bark Scale

Sept. 6 – It's Fall Y'all – Fall Color in the Garden

Oct. 4 – Bulbs and More!

Nov. 1 – Put Your Garden to Bed
 Lectures are sponsored by the Smith County Master Gardener Association. For more information, call the Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Smith County Office at (903) 590-2980.

COOKING – A WAY OF LIFE

Location: Harvey Convention Center, 2000 W. Front St.

Time: All classes are from 6 to 8 p.m. (see dates below)

Cost: \$15 per person per class and pre-registration is required.

Contact: Debbie Isham, special events/recreation manager, at (903) 531-1214.

CLASS VI

Date: Tuesday, June 14

Details: Guest Chef Dion Emanuel, Willowbrook Country Club

Class: "Gourmet Made Easy"

CLASS VII

Date: Tuesday, July 12

Details: Guest Chef, Evelyn Lott from the Honey Tree

Class: "Healthy Southwest Cuisine"

CLASS VIII

Date: Thursday, Aug. 11

Details: Guest Chefs, Jack Lewis, Jack's Catering, and Danny Cace, Reinhart Foods

Class: "All The Taco's You Can Eat"

CLASS IX

Date: Thursday, Oct. 20

Details: Guest Chef, TBA

Class: "TBA"

CLASS X

Date: Thursday, Nov. 3

Details: Guest Chef, Angela Gordon, Angela's Kitchen and Catering

Class: "Thanksgiving All Year Round"

CLASS XI

Date: Tuesday, Dec. 6

Details: Guest Chefs, Brian Arnold and Jodie Meyer, Eclectic Catering

Class: "New Year's Brunch"

SENIOR'S PAINTING PARTY

Date: Aug. 18

Time: 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Location: Tyler Senior Center, 1915 Garden Valley Rd.

Details: Seniors (50 and better) can come enjoy a painting party! We will have hors d'oeuvres, punch and an instructor to guide you step-by-step through a featured painting. At the end of the night, leave with your own masterpiece! Join us for an unforgettable evening of fun, friends and art! We will provide supplies for you!

Cost: \$25 per person.

Contact: Tyler Senior Center at (903) 597-0781.

2016 EAST TEXAS GARDEN LECTURE SERIES

Location: Tyler Rose Garden Center, 420 Rose Park Dr.

Sept. 10 "The Good, the Bad and the Ugly; Beneficial Insects and Pests" – Erfan Vafaie, Extension Program Specialist

Oct. 8 – "Bulbs for Southern Gardens" – Brent Heath of Brent & Becky's Bulbs (joint program with Smith County Master Gardeners Bulbs and More Conference

Nov. 12 – "Grow Your Own Groceries" – Kyle Tengler, Horticulture Extension Agent

Cost: \$15 per session.

Contact: The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension, Smith County Office, at (903) 590-2980.

SMITH COUNTY MASTER GARDENERS BULBS AND MORE

Date: Oct. 8

Time: Registration at 8 a.m.; program from 9:30 a.m. to noon; bulb sale from 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Location: Harvey Convention Center, 2000 W. Front St.

Details: A joint program with the East Texas Garden lecture series featuring renowned bulb expert, Brent Heath from Brent & Becky's Bulbs. Learn all about great bulbs for Northeast Texas and how to grow them. Purchase bulbs not readily available at local nurseries.

Cost: \$15 for lecture only.

Contact: The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Smith County Office, at (903) 590-2980.

ROSE GARDEN TOURS

Date: Oct. 13 at 1 p.m. and Oct. 14 at 10 a.m.

Location: Tyler Rose Garden Center balcony, 420 Rose Park Dr.
Details: During the 2016 Rose Festival Event, two tours will be given by Tyler Parks and Recreation. Come learn about the history of the garden and get tips for growing roses. Enjoy seeing the garden in full bloom and take part in the Rose Festival's excitement and pageantry.

Cost: FREE.

Contact: Rose Garden Center at (903) 531-1212.

NEW SENIOR'S SALE

Date: Oct. 1

Event Time: 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Location: Glass Recreation Center, 510 W. 32nd St.

Details: Seniors (ages 50 and better) who missed spring cleaning and need to free up some space are invited to take part in the first ever Senior Sale at the Glass Center! This sale is for gently used items. It is free admission to the public and donations will be accepted. The

Senior Sale will take place inside in the Glass Recreation Center. Vendor must be a senior. Vendor set up will begin at 6 a.m. on Oct. 1. There will be concessions available for guests.

Cost: \$15 to rent a space (extra \$5 to rent one of Glass Center's card tables and two chairs).

Event admission is free.

Contact: Tyler Senior Center at (903) 597-0781.

HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE

Date: Dec. 13

Time: 2 to 4 p.m.

Location: Tyler Senior Center, 1915 Garden Valley Rd.

Details: Seniors 55 and better can celebrate the Christmas holiday with snacks, live entertainment and dancing at the Tyler Senior Center. Come out and share in the holiday cheer!

Contact: Tyler Senior Center at (903) 597-0781.

NEW YEAR'S EVE "EVE" PARTY FOR SENIORS

Date: Dec. 30

Time: 7 to 10 p.m.

Location: Tyler Senior Center, 1915 Garden Valley Rd.

Details: Come celebrate with us on the eve of New Year's Eve. Seniors 55 and better can join us for a dance and light dinner of black-eyed peas, cornbread muffins and cabbage for good health and luck going into the New Year! Doors open at 6 p.m., the dance starts at 7 p.m., dinner will be served at 8 p.m. and the event wraps up at 10 p.m. The attire for this event will be party attire. There will be security provided.

Cost: \$12 per person.

Contact: Kay Odom, Tyler Senior Center supervisor, at (903) 595-0781.

Fun For The Whole Family

FREE MOVIES IN THE PARK

**New Location for Fall 2016 due to renovations at Bergfeld Park

New Location: Glass Recreation Center, 510 W. 32nd St.

DATES:

Sept. 24: "Woodlawn," rated PG, 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 1: "Shaun the Sheep," animated, rated PG, 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 8: "Mary Poppins," rated G, 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 22: "Zootopia," rated PG, 7:30 p.m.

Cost: FREE; bring a picnic, blanket or folding chairs to enjoy with the show!

Contact: Ann Santana, Glass Recreation Center supervisor, at (903) 595-7271.

SEVENTH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS IN JULY ARTS AND CRAFTS FAIR

Date: Friday and Saturday, July 22 and 23

Location: Harvey Convention Center, 2000 W. Front St.

Details: Support the Parks Department by attending this annual event! A winter holiday event in the middle of summer



may seem out of place, but for some folks, you can never start too early on your Christmas shopping! This is a great event for early Christmas shoppers and all shoppers in East Texas. This two-day arts and crafts fair features shopping in air-conditioned booths filled with delightful gifts for everyone on your list. Fill your stockings or decorate your home with themed crafts, primitives, bath and body, wood items, ceramics, jewelry, stained glass, clothing, art, mixed media and much more. Holiday entertainment will play throughout the day and a visitor

from the North Pole will be stopping by both days to get you in the spirit.

Cost: Tickets are \$2 per person and raffle tickets will also be sold for great prizes benefitting Parks free programming. Enjoy great food for lunch or a snack while shopping.

Contact: For more information (or if you are interested in participating in this event), contact Debbie Isham, special events/recreation manager, at (903) 531-1214.

2016 ROSE FESTIVAL ARTS AND CRAFTS FAIR

Dates: Saturday, Oct. 15 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 16 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

NEW Location: Southside Park/Rose Rudman Trail, 455 Shiloh Rd. (Moved from Bergfeld Park due to renovations)

Details: We invite you to enjoy the great outdoors at our 18th Annual Rose Festival Arts and Crafts Fair. Only handcrafted items will be sold, including:

DON'T MISS
JULY 4th
CELEBRATION

4-10 p.m.
Live Bands, Concessions and Kid's Zone

CHECK OUT THE ANNUAL
Rose Festival Arts and Crafts Fair
AT SOUTHSIDE PARK/ROSE RUDMAN TRAIL

OCTOBER 15
9 A.M. – 5 P.M.
OCTOBER 16
9 A.M. – 5 P.M.

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT!
KID'S ZONE AND CONCESSIONS FOR A FREE

MORE THAN 75 VENDORS

clothing, jewelry, candles, paintings, decorative items and more. Enjoy live entertainment during the day both Saturday and Sunday.

Cost: Free to the public. Buses welcome. Kids Zone and concessions available for a fee throughout the event.

Contact: For more information (or if you are interested in being a vendor at this event), contact Debbie Isham, special events/recreation manager, at (903) 531-1214.

SEVENTH ANNUAL TYLER'S OLD ROSE OPEN HOUSE AT THE GOODMAN-LEGRAND MUSEUM

Date: Saturday, Oct. 15

Time: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Location: 1859 Goodman-LeGrand Museum, 624 N. Broadway Ave.

Details: The 1859 Goodman-LeGrand House and Museum is indeed Tyler's Old Rose! Celebrate Rose Season and come see where the Texas Rose Festival Parade route first began. You will be greeted by our beautiful Rose Belles. A rose bedecked horse and carriage will be on hand for a wonderful ride up Broadway to the Square and back, provided by Farm Valley Carriages (fee of \$25 per load, carriage fits 4 to 6 people at a time). Also, complimentary refreshments, vintage music by talented musicians and tours inside the historic Goodman home will be available for your enjoyment.

Admission: FREE.

Contact: Mary Foster, museum curator, at (903) 531-1286.

31ST ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY

Date: Dec. 1

Time: Immediately following the 6 p.m. Rotary Christmas Parade

Location: T.B. Butler Fountain Plaza, Downtown Square

Details: Don't miss the chance to celebrate 31 years of lighting the City of Tyler's Christmas Tree with live music performances and the magic finger to light the tree by the Miracle Child, selected

by the Trinity Mother Frances Children's Miracle Network.

Cost: FREE.

Contact: Debbie Isham, special events/recreation manager, at (903) 531-1214.

ELEVENTH ANNUAL HOLIDAY IN THE "GARDEN" AND BAZAAR

Date: Dec. 10

Event Time: 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Vendor Bazaar from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

NEW Location: Tyler Rose Garden, 420 Rose Park Dr. (Due to the renovations at Bergfeld Park)

Details: Entertainment will be provided throughout the day on Saturday, Dec. 10 with vendor booths set up at the Bazaar from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Concessions and other vendor participation will be provided throughout the park. Volunteers are needed and sponsorship packages are available.

Cost: Event admission is FREE. Kids Zone and concessions are provided for a fee.

Contact: Debbie Isham, special events/recreation manager, at (903) 531-1214.

NINTH ANNUAL VICTORIAN CHRISTMAS AT THE GOODMAN-LEGRAND MUSEUM

Date: Thursday, Dec. 8

Time: 4 to 8 p.m.

Location: 1859 Goodman-LeGrand Museum, 624 N. Broadway Ave.

Details: Join us as we celebrate a Victorian Christmas Open House at the 1859 Goodman-LeGrand House and Museum. Tour this Tyler historic landmark delightfully decorated for the holidays. You will be greeted by our Christmas Belles as you enter the mansion. Meet the Goodman family and friends, wonderfully portrayed by costumed re-enactors. Listen to traditional music while you savor complimentary treats under the grand porches like hot wassail, gingerbread cookies, shortbread scones and holiday punch, after

touring this lovely old southern home and estate. Step back in time and experience the joy of riding in a vintage horse-drawn carriage with bells, which begins each trip down Broadway Avenue in front of the Goodman home, provided by Farm Valley Carriages (small fee of \$25 per load, carriage fits 4 to 6 people at a time). This open house is part of the Downtown Tyler Museums Alliance Holiday celebration where other Downtown museums join together to celebrate the season at the same time.

Admission: FREE.

Contact: Mary Foster, museum curator, at (903) 531-1286.

SAVE THE DATE: 14TH ANNUAL ICE BOWL DISC GOLF TOURNAMENT, JAN. 21, 2017

benefiting the East Texas Food Bank and Tyler Parks Department.

Outdoor Adventure Series Summer/Fall



KAYAKING CLINIC

Date: June 11

Time: 9 a.m. to noon.

Instructor: TBA

Location: Fun Forest Park Pool, 900 N. Glenwood Blvd.

Details: As a part of the Outdoor Adventure Series, we will provide instruction, tips and techniques on maneuvering and using a kayak. Must have bathing suit. No cotton or basketball shorts allowed in the pool. Participants

can wear pool wear clothing for cover up.

Ages: 12 and older

Cost: Free.

Contact: Ann Santana, Glass Recreation supervisor, at (903) 595-7271.

NEW PARK SWEEP CLEANUP PROJECT

Date: June 21

Time: 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Locations: City Park, 200 W. Queen St.; Emmett Scott, 1710 N. Confederate Ave.; Pollard Park, 710 E. Amherst Dr.; and Woldert Park, 501 W. 32nd St.

Details: Open to any volunteers wanting to help clean up Tyler parks of unwanted trash and illegal dumping at park sites. Youth program in conjunction with Summer Playground locations. Come be a part of a community and take action to make a difference.

Contact: Ora "Jay Jay" Nails at (903) 595 7271.

NEW PADDLEBOARDING 101

Date: Saturday, June 25

Instructor: Felipe Garcia, owner of Paddle Boarding Company at Lake Tyler Petroleum Club

Time: 10 a.m. to Noon;

two sessions at 50 minutes each

Location: Lake Tyler by Petroleum Club, 15898 Eastside Rd.

Details: As a part of the new Outdoor Adventure Series, participants will learn basic instructions on how to paddle board. PFD (personal floatation device) required to be worn at all times.

Ages: 16 and older (maximum of 10 students per session)

Cost: Free

Contact: Ann Santana, Glass Recreation supervisor, for dates, times and registration at (903) 595-7271.

YOUTH ARCHERY CLINIC

Dates:

July 6-Pollard Park, 701 E. Amherst St.

July 20-City Park, 200 W. Queen Ave.

July 27-Emmett Scott,

1710 N. Confederate Ave.

Aug. 10-Woldert Park, 701 W. 32nd St.

Time: Tuesdays from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Instructor: Boyd Sanders

Details: As a part of the Outdoor Adventure Series, this clinic will be held in conjunction with the Summer Playground program.

Ages: 6 to 15 years old

Cost: FREE.

Contact: Ann Santana, Glass Recreation Center supervisor, at (903) 595-7271.

NEW HUNTER SAFETY EDUCATION AND EXTRAVAGANZA

Date: Saturday, Aug. 27

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Instructor: Steve Russell, Texas Hunter Safety Education Instructor

Locations: Glass Recreation Center, 501 W. 32nd St.

Details: Experience Hunter Safety like no other class. Vendors will be on hand to discuss hunter equipment and knowledge will be given in bow safety, gun safety and all other aspects of hunting in Texas. Don't miss out on the fun and education.

Ages: 7 to adults

Cost: \$15 per person; sign up early and reserve your spot (Maximum 50).

Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

NEW THROUGH THE EYES OF AN ANT: NATURE PHOTOGRAPHY SCAVENGER HUNT

Date: Saturday, Sept. 17

Time: 10 to 11 a.m.

Location: Tyler Rose Garden, 420 Rose Park Dr.

Details: Bring your family and your phone for a great time seeking clues to take photos throughout the Rose Garden. Each family will be given clues on what to look for in the garden. First family to complete all clues wins a prize.

Cost: FREE.

Contact: Ann Santana, Glass Recreation Center supervisor, at (903) 595-7271.

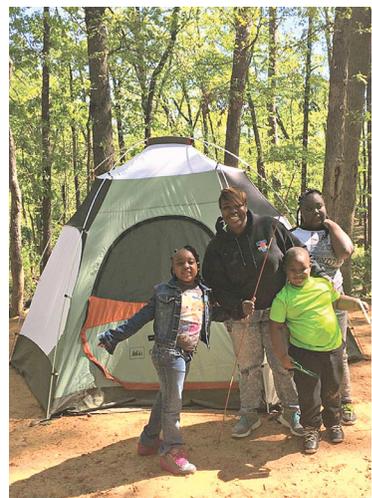


FAMILY FUN FISHING TOURNAMENT

Date: Saturday, Oct. 1
Time: 9 a.m. to Noon
Location: Woldert Park Pond, 501 W. 32nd St.

Details: Bring the whole family out for a morning of fishing and fun. The Texas Wildlife and Fisheries will help conduct a free clinic prior to the start of the tournament. Prizes will be given to the children of each family along with a certificate of participation with the family name. This is a great event for the entire family.

Ages: All ages encouraged to come and participate.
Cost: FREE.
Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.



OUTDOOR FAMILY CAMPOUT

Date: Oct. 15 and 16
Time: Saturday at 9 a.m.; leave Sunday by 11 a.m.

Location: Tyler State Park, 789 Park Rd. 16

Details: Leave all the camping hassle behind you! The Outdoor Programmers will assist you and your family to a fun and adventurous way to camp in the great outdoors. Everything is included except for food (which each family will provide for their families) and sleeping bags or blankets. A list of recommended items will also be provided upon registration. Space is limited to 10 families.

Cost: FREE event registration and admission. Families are to provide their own food for lunch and supper on Saturday and breakfast on Sunday morning.

Contact: Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

NEW STAR GAZING PARTY

Date: Saturday, Nov. 12
Time: 5:30 p.m.
Location: Tyler State Park, 789 Park Rd. 16

Details: Come experience the constellations by looking through a telescope and identifying the stars. Families will enjoy the great outdoors while learning about our galaxy. S'mores will be given if there is no burn ban in place.

Cost: Free (\$5 entry fee into park per vehicle).
Contact: Ann Santana at (903) 595-7271.

FUN Parks and Trails

NOBLE E. YOUNG SKATE PARK

Location: 3125 Seaton St.
Details: The Park is an all-concrete skate park that provides challenges for all skill levels and ages of skate boarder. The Park includes: two bowls, banks, ramps and rails. This is likely the best free-to-use park within 200 miles of Tyler and is drawing skaters from all over the country. The park is open daily from 6 a.m. to midnight. Helmets and pads are required.

Contact: Parks Administration at (903) 531-1370.

FAULKNER PARK NATURE TRAIL AND BIKE TRAIL

Location: 410 W. Cumberland Rd.

Details: There are several natural trails at Faulkner Park, totaling more than eight miles for the walking/jogging nature lovers and a six-mile natural surface trail for adventurous bike riders. The nature trail's surface is made of decomposed granite, making it easier on the joints to walk or jog rather than on concrete or asphalt. The trail meanders through East Texas woods where a person is likely to see wildlife, such as deer or raccoons. Configuration of the trails allows citizens to feel in tune with nature and not overly crowded by civilization. If you are interested in a nice stroll in the woods or a thrilling bike ride without ever having to leave the City, the Faulkner Park Nature and Bike Trails are for you. What a great way to enjoy nature!

Contact: Parks Administration at (903) 531-1370.

LINDSEY PARK BIKE TRAIL

Location: 1255 Spur 364 W.
Details: Bicycle enthusiasts can enjoy an exciting venue in the great outdoors at the newly completed trail at Lindsey Park. The completion of this trail adds to the already impressive lineup of public biking/hiking trails featured at Faulkner Park, UT Tyler and Tyler State Park. This most recent addition to the outdoor sports offered at Lindsey Park came about through a creative partnership between the City of Tyler, the Tyler Bicycle Club and the Smith County justice system.

The newest mountain bike trail rides ten miles through the 130 wooded acres of Lindsey Park on Spur 346, just west of town. The entrance and exit can be found across from the park road at the parking lot of the lower softball fields.

There are a couple of things to keep in mind if you want to

go out and tackle these trails on a bike. A helmet is an absolute must. Another rule of mountain biking is to leave nothing behind but tire tracks. Take empty drink bottles and other trash with you. All riders are encouraged to help by clearing away other debris that may fall on the trail.

Contact: Parks Administration at (903) 531-1370.

Other City of Tyler Community Activities

GALLERY MAIN STREET

110 W. Erwin St.
 (903) 593-6905

EVENTS TO CHECK OUT:

June 6 – 6 p.m.: Opening of 6x6@110 exhibit and fundraiser at Gallery Main Street

June 25 – 6 to 10 p.m.: Third Annual Downtown Tyler Wine Swirl

July 9 – 5:30 to 8 p.m.: Opening of "Urban Underground" exhibit at Gallery Main Street

July 16 – Noon to 4 p.m.: Workshop, Marbling Paper by Theresa Cheek

Sept. 10 – 5:30 to 8 p.m.: Opening of "Movie Posters" exhibit at Gallery Main Street

Sept. 21 to 24: Sixth Annual Downtown Tyler Film Festival

Oct. 8 – Noon to 4 p.m.: Workshop, Marbling Paper by Theresa Cheek

Oct. 15 – Noon to 4 p.m.: Workshop, Clay by Joan Iverson

Oct. 15 – Time TBA: Digital Photography workshop by Dolph Miller and Jon Johanssen

Oct. 22 – Time TBA: Digital Photography workshop by Dolph Miller and Jon Johanssen

Oct. 29 – Noon to 4 p.m.: Workshop, Clay by Joan Iverson

Nov. 5 – 5:30 to 8 p.m.: Opening of "Glassy and Glossy" fine art exhibit at Gallery Main Street

Nov. 12 – Noon to 4 p.m.: Workshop, Clay by Joan Iverson

Dec. 3 – Noon to 4 p.m.: Workshop, Clay by Joan Iverson

Dec. 8 – 4 to 8 p.m.: Downtown Tyler Museums Holiday Open House

LIBERTY HALL

103 W. Erwin St.
 (903) 595-7274

EVENTS TO CHECK OUT:

May 21 – John Fullbright in concert

May 28 – Movie - Charlotte's Web (1973) at 10 a.m.

June 21 to 25 – Comedy Festival

June 21 – Movie - Spaceballs (1987) at 7 p.m.

June 22 – Paul Varghese live at Rick's on the Square at 7 p.m.

June 23 – Chris Fairbanks Standup Showcase at 7 p.m.

June 24 – Improv comedy with "The Band" (Dallas) and "The Boys" (Chicago) at 8 p.m.

June 25 - Card 53 Comedy at 7 p.m. and Comedian Michael Winslow at 9 p.m.

June 30 – Movie - Jaws (1975) at 7 p.m.

July 7 – Movie - Bridge Over the River Kwai (1957) at 7 p.m.

July 14 – Movie - The Longest Day (1962) at 7 p.m.

July 16 – Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Bluegrass Band at 8 p.m.

July 21 – Movie - The Great Escape (1963) at 7 p.m.

July 28 – Movie - From Here to Eternity (1953) at 7 p.m.

July 30 – Movie - Aladdin (1992) at 10 a.m.

Aug. 4 – Movie - 16 Candles (1984) at 7 p.m.

Aug. 11 – Movie - The Breakfast Club (1985) at 7 p.m.

Aug. 13 – Joe Ely in concert at 8 p.m.

Aug. 18 – Movie - Pretty in Pink (1986) at 7 p.m.

Aug. 19 – The Kruger Brothers in concert at 8 p.m.

Aug. 20 – The Kruger Brothers in concert at 8 p.m.

Aug. 25 – Movie - Some Kind of Wonderful (1987) at 7 p.m.

Sept. 1 – Movie - To Kill a Mockingbird (1962) at 7 p.m.

Sept. 8 – Movie - Anatomy of a Murder (1959) at 7 p.m.

Sept. 15 – Movie - 12 Angry Men (1957) at 7 p.m.

Sept. 18 – The Art of Peace Festival with Peter Yarrow at 7 p.m.

Sept. 21 to 24 – Downtown Tyler Film Festival

Sept. 29 – Movie - Inherit the Wind (1960) at 7 p.m.
Oct. 6 – Movie - Psycho (1960) at 7 p.m.
Oct. 8 – Branson on the Road in Concert at 8 p.m.
Oct. 13 – Movie - The Town that Dreaded Sundown (1976) at 7 p.m.
Oct. 20 – Movie - The Texas Chainsaw Massacre (1974) at 7 p.m.
Oct. 28 – Movie - The Rocky Horror Picture Show at 8 p.m.
Oct. 29 – Movie - The Rocky Horror Picture Show with LIVE stage show at 9 p.m.
Oct. 31 – Movie - Halloween (1978) at 8 p.m.
Nov. 3 – Movie - Tombstone (1993)
Nov. 10 – Movie - The Good, the Bad and the Ugly (1966) at 7 p.m.
Nov. 17 – Movie - Once Upon a Time in the West (1968) at 7 p.m.
Nov. 18 and 19 – East Texas Symphony at Liberty Hall
Nov. 25 – Movie - Blazing Saddles (1974) at 7 p.m.
Dec. 1 – Movie - A Christmas Story (1983)
Dec. 3 – Kelly Willis and Bruce Robison in concert
Dec. 9 – Movie - White Christmas (1954) at 7 p.m.
Dec. 15 – Movie - It's A Wonderful Life (1946) at 7 p.m.
Dec. 17 – Movie - Frozen (2013) Sing Along at 10 a.m.

Aquatics

****ALL CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 18 MUST BE REGISTERED BY PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN WITH THE POOL MANAGER BEFORE ENTRANCE INTO THE CITY POOLS. REGISTRATION STARTS THE WEEK OF MAY 31 TO JUNE 3 BEFORE THE POOLS OPEN ON JUNE 4 FROM 1 TO 7 P.M., THEN DURING POOL HOURS LISTED BELOW.**



FUN FOREST POOL AND SPRAYGROUND

900 N. Glenwood Blvd.
 (903) 531-1363
 (no calls before June 4)
Admission: FREE
Hours of operation: Sunday and Monday closed
 Tuesday 1 to 6 p.m.;
 lap swim 6 to 8 p.m.
 Wednesday 1 to 6 p.m.
 Thursday 1 to 6 p.m.;
 lap swim 6 to 8 p.m.
 Friday and Saturday 1 to 7 p.m.

WOLDERT SWIMMING POOL

701 W. 32nd St.
 (903) 531-1362
 (no calls before June 4)
Admission: FREE (up to 75 people allowed in at one time)
Hours of operation: Monday through Thursday 1 to 6 p.m.
 Friday 1 to 7 p.m.
 Saturday 1 to 6 p.m.
 Sunday closed
 Both pools are open from June 4 through Aug. 13. Trained lifeguards are on duty. Dates for Sprayground area rentals at Fun Forest are very limited. For Fun Forest Sprayground reservations, call (903) 531-1214 for availability.

FAULKNER PARK SPRAYGROUND

Location: 410 W. Cumberland Rd.
Details: Open to the public daily from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. starting May 1 until cold weather. The Sprayground is not available for rent.

Contact: Parks Administration at (903) 531-1370.

Athletics

(903) 531-1377
WWW.CITYOFTYLER.ORG OR
WWW.TYLERPARKSANDREC.COM
 CHECK OUT THE PARKS DEPT. PAGE AND CLICK ON ATHLETICS.

The Tyler Parks and Recreation Athletic office is looking for fun-loving, spirited teams to join its adult softball, basketball and volleyball leagues. Get your team together and sign up today.

2016 SUMMER/FALL TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

GSA STATE QUALIFIER SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

Date: May 7
Location: Lindsey Park, 1257 Spur 364 W.
Cost: \$285
Contact: Miguel J. Gorgas (254) 833-0478.

TEXAS ASA 16U "A" GIRL'S FAST-PITCH STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

Date: June 3 to 5
Location: Faulkner Park, 410 Cumberland Rd. and Lindsey Park, 1257 Spur 364 W.
Cost: \$425 per team (money order or cashier's check only)
Contact: Summer Hale at (903) 571-0401.

USSA MANUEL KAY SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

Date: June 13 to 15
Location: Lindsey Park, 1257 Spur 364 W.
Cost: \$250 per team

Contact: Manuel Kay at (972) 237-6267.

TEXAS ASA 14U "A" GIRL'S FAST-PITCH DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

Date: May 23 to 26
Location: Lindsey Park, 1257 Spur 364 W.
Cost: \$250 per team (money order or cashier check only)
Contact: Parks and Recreation Athletics at (903) 531-1377.

TYLER ATHLETIC ASSOCIATIONS BASEBALL

Rose Capital West Little League
 Julian Rayazor (409) 284-1683

 Rose Capital East Little League
 Ryan Gentry (903) 944-9252

Tyler Area Dixie League
 Ed Moore (903) 539-0586

SOFTBALL

Tyler Youth Girl's Fast Pitch Assoc./Adult Women's Fast Pitch League
 Anthony Springer (903) 372-5073

SOCCER

Tyler Soccer Association
 Summer Hale (903) 571-0401

Liga Latina
 A. Costillo (903) 343-3876

FOOTBALL

East Texas Pop Warner Football
 Ed Moore (903) 539-0586

FAULKNER PARK TENNIS CENTER

410 W. Cumberland Rd.
 (903) 534-5389
 The City of Tyler is pleased to offer a premier tennis facility at Faulkner Park. The Faulkner Tennis Center includes eight

championship courts, a covered pavilion and a pro shop. The Faulkner Tennis Center was made possible through a partnership with the Tyler Community Tennis Association. **Now offering:** Adult programs, leagues, lessons and clinics, as well as the Junior Development and court reservations in advance.

Junior Development includes: Tennis classes for all ages and levels; Quickstart, NJTL, NETX Grand Prix Circuit and USTA Tournament Training.

Adult Programs include: Private lessons, Cardio Tennis, Weekly Drop in Clinics, Video Stroke Analysis, Specialty Clinics, Ladies Leagues, Men's Leagues, USTA Team Clinics; Special events and tournaments scheduled monthly. **Shop and facility amenities:** Ice water coolers on courts with cups provided, covered pavilion with six picnic tables and seating and five park benches.

Pro Shop includes: Member lounge area, shop is stocked with beverages, snacks, tennis grips and balls. Racquets, strings and merchandise are ordered upon demand.

Facilities

GLASS RECREATION CENTER

501 W. 32nd St.
 (903) 595-7271
 Whether you are looking to get fit or just have fun, the Glass Recreation Center is the place to be. This multi-use facility includes a weight room, gymnasium with basketball/volleyball courts, new cardio room, an elevated walking/jogging track, locker rooms, arts and crafts room, and

Athletic Programs

League	Registration	Coach Mtg.	League Play	Location	Entry fee
Summer Softball	May 1 - May 31	June 9	June 20 - Aug. 18	Lindsey Park	\$280
Fall Softball	Aug. 1 - Aug. 31	Sept. 8	Sept. 12 - Nov. 17	Lindsey Park	\$280

Dates are subject to change. Registration forms are available at www.cityoftyler.org or at the Tyler Parks and Recreation Office, 2000 W. Front Street (located on the east side of the Harvey Convention Center.) Please call (903) 531-1377 for more details.

computer lab and kitchen facilities. Multipurpose rooms are available for rental for parties and business meetings. Wi-Fi now available. The weight room is open to those 16 and older and features treadmills, recumbent bike, elliptical glider, free weights, squat rack and other weight-lifting equipment. Tyler Parks and Recreation basketball and volleyball leagues play at the Glass Recreation Center. Group fitness classes are also offered throughout the year. Membership to the Glass Recreation Center is \$30 per year for resident adults, \$50 per year for non-residents and \$10 a year for children. Membership forms are available at the front desk. Please call us for more information at (903) 595-7271.

THE 1859 GOODMAN-LEGRAND HOUSE AND MUSEUM

624 N. Broadway Ave.
(903) 531-1286
mefoster@tylertexas.com
www.goodmanmuseum.com

The Goodman - LeGrand Museum was the first property in Smith County to be listed on the National Register of Historic Places. It has been a Texas Historic Landmark since 1964.

The home was built in 1859 on the highest point of a nine-acre tract of land. It was originally a one-story, four-room house for Samuel Gallatin Smith. When the Civil War broke out in 1861, he sold the house to the Franklin N. Gary family. After the war, in 1866, Dr. Samuel Adams Goodman purchased the house. His son, Dr. William Jeffries Goodman, a local doctor and Civil War surgeon, bought the house from his father and moved in with his new bride, Mary Priscilla Gaston Goodman, in 1867. The Goodman family made the house their home for 73 years.

Dr. Goodman's oldest daughter, Sallie, married James

H. LeGrand in 1893 and he moved into her family home at that time. Sallie inherited the house in 1921 and upon her death in 1939, she bequeathed the estate to the City of Tyler to be open as a museum. Much of what we know about the home and its past residents come from the diaries kept by Sallie. The diaries recount tales about guests who stayed at the house and describe elegant social parties and receptions held for politicians.

Historical records show that the Goodman-LeGrand House has undergone a number of renovations. The second story was added around 1880. In 1926, the house was transformed from a Texas Colonial/Italianate architectural style to a Classic/Greek Revival style with projecting circular porticos and two-story columns. The last major restoration took place in 2010-2011.

Furnished with the original belongings of the Goodman and LeGrand families, the Goodman-LeGrand Museum offers visitors a chance to view such items as antique hand carved furniture, a grandfather clock from the colonial era, fine silver and hand painted Limoges china, vintage clothing, medical reference books that date back to the late 1700's, surgical tools from the Civil War, original paintings and photographs and many other rare and interesting items on display. The home is a delight for antique lovers and history buffs alike!

Improvements to The Goodman-LeGrand Museum Grounds: The Tyler Parks and Recreation Department, in partnership with Keep Tyler Beautiful, are planning many improvements to the nine-acre LeGrand Park and Gardens that surround the Goodman-LeGrand Museum. Come and see the Chamblee Rose Garden, which is the world's first certified Earth-kind™ garden. The master plan for other improvements will include

replanting the historic gardens with rose bushes, walking paths and camellias for which Sallie Goodman-LeGrand was well-known. It also includes restoring the old greenhouse, planning for bird and butterfly gardens and rebuilding replicas of historic outbuildings.

Hours of Operation: The museum is open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Admission is free. However, a minimum donation of \$2 per person is suggested. For tour groups of 10 or more people, a minimum \$2 donation per person shall be requested. Tour groups should schedule their tour date and time in advance. The museum may be rented for meetings and bridal portraits or other photo shoots. The LeGrand Park is open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. The park and gardens may also be rented for special events.

For upcoming events at the Goodman, please look under the ADULT and FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY sections.

HARVEY CONVENTION CENTER

2000 W. Front St.
(903) 531-1349

2016 SUMMER/FALL CALENDAR OF PUBLIC EVENTS

June 18 and 19: Lone Star Gun Show and Knife Show

July 22 and 23: Christmas in July Arts and Craft Fair

July 31: Rose City Bridal Expo

August 4: School is Cool

August 13 and 14: Lone Star Gun and Knife Show

Sept. 15 to 17: Children's Consignment Clothing Sale

Sept. 22 to Oct. 2: East Texas State Fair

Oct. 8: Smith Co. Master Gardeners Bulbs Sale

Oct. 29 and 30: Lone Star Gun and Knife Show

Nov. 9 and 12: Mistletoe & Magic/Holiday Shopping

Dec. 10 and 11: Lone Star Gun and Knife Show

Dates are subject to change or cancellation may occur at any time. Admission fees may be charged. For more information, please call (903) 531-1349.

The City of Tyler is proud to offer the Harvey Convention Center for conferences, exhibits, receptions, parties and other special events. The center is centrally located on Front Street, adjacent to the Tyler Municipal Rose Garden and the East Texas State Fair Grounds.

Three rooms are available for rent. Hall - 1 (17,632 sq. ft.) and Hall - 2 (8,395 sq. ft.) are popular for board meetings, retreats, parties, civic and church group meetings and art exhibitions. A third meeting room is available to accommodate smaller groups.

A wide variety of amenities are available including microphones, podiums, piano, projectors, television/VCR and more. There is a large kitchen complete with walk-in cooler and freezer. The oversized workspace makes food preparation easy, even for large groups. Our 10-acre parking area ensures easy access for everyone who visits. The center is fully accessible for people who are handicapped.

ROSE GARDEN CENTER AND GARDEN

420 Rose Park Dr.
(903) 531-1212

2016 SUMMER/FALL CALENDAR OF PUBLIC EVENTS:

Aug. 4: School is Cool

Aug. 27 and 28: Jensen Guitar Show

Oct. 13 and 14: Ribbon Cutting for Rose Festival

Oct. 15 and 16: Rose Garden Tours; Thursday at 1 p.m. and Friday at 10 a.m.

Oct. 15 to 18: Rose Show and Rose Festival activities

Oct. 15: Rose Parade at 9 a.m.

and Queen's Tea from 1 to 3 p.m.

Dec. 3: Murphy's Vendors Event
Event dates are subject to change or could be cancelled at

any time. Admission fees to be determined by event planners. For more information about events at the Rose Garden Center, please call (903) 531-1212.

Update on the Garden: The Rose Garden unfortunately lost about 60 percent of its roses in 2014 due to a late freeze and a massive effort has been under way to replace many of the roses that were lost and to restore the garden to grandeur. With new methods of planting and growing roses, we have added more than 1,500 new rose bushes which include over 50 new varieties donated from Lone Star Roses, Certified Roses and David Austin Roses.

The 14-acre Tyler Municipal Rose Garden was first established in 1952. Now the garden boasts close to 600 different varieties, from traditional roses to miniatures. The garden is full of breathtaking beauty, especially in mid-Spring and again in mid-October. The Garden is also a recipient of the 2008 Certificate of Achievement for Outstanding Maintenance from the All-America Rose Selections of San Francisco, California.

The Tyler Rose Garden continues to trial roses not yet introduced to the public. These roses are evaluated over a two-year period for vigor, flowering and disease-resistance with the results provided to the rose breeder for possible introduction to the public. The trials are located in the northern edge of the Rose Garden.

Several projects are planned in 2016 to enhance the garden. The gazebo and bridge in the Meditation Garden are scheduled for remodeling and upgrades. All of the area lighting in the garden is being refurbished and converted to LED for better lighting and energy savings. Plans are being developed to refurbish the original entrance to the Rose Garden with the help of the Gertrude Windsor Garden

place to meditate and reflect. The west wall of the Atrium Court features a computerized directory allowing visitors to locate the burial place of any individual in Rose Hill Cemetery or Mausoleum.

Please visit us or call (903) 531-1207 for pricing information. Proceeds from the sale of Rose Hill Mausoleum spaces are used to create a perpetual care trust fund, which provides for the continuing maintenance of the Rose Hill Cemetery, as well as Oakwood Cemetery and Westview Cemetery.

The Rose Chapel may be rented for memorial services for a fee of \$25 per hour (two-hour minimum). A biography of the deceased may be installed on the computerized directory located in the Atrium Court for a fee of \$35. A biography with a picture of the deceased may be installed on the directory for a fee of \$50.

Rose Hill Cemetery and Mausoleum are owned and maintained by the City of Tyler Parks and Recreation Department. For more information, please call us at (903) 531-1207 or email us at cemetery@tylertexas.com.

The City also maintains Historic Oakwood Cemetery, located at the corner of Palace Ave. at Oakwood St., and consists of 8.58 acres and has more than 2,000 inscribed monuments. The cemetery is the burial place of Tyler's early settlers and merchants. There are 231 graves of unknown Confederate Soldiers, plus more than 70 marked Confederate graves. For more information, go to www.OakwoodCemeteryTyler.com.

Westview is the City's other cemetery. Westview Cemetery, 3200 W. Erwin St., consists of five acres. Several years ago, fire destroyed all of the burial records as well as ownership documents. The City of Tyler requires valid proof of ownership prior to all burials.

Park Facility Rental Rates

BERGFELD PARK AMPHITHEATER

**WILL BE CLOSED JUNE 1 to approx. APRIL 1, 2017 for renovations.
\$100 per day; \$150 deposit.
Reservations: (903) 531-1370

GLASS RECREATION CENTER

\$70 - \$350 for multipurpose room; \$50 - \$300 for gymnasium; \$150 - \$500 deposit.
Reservations: (903) 595-7172

LEGRAND PARK AND GARDENS

Located on the grounds that surround the Goodman-LeGrand Museum. Rental of the museum grounds is \$75 per day plus a \$35 permit fee; damage deposit is \$100.
Reservations: (903) 531-1286

HARVEY CONVENTION CENTER

\$300 to \$1,500 per day; \$500 to \$1,000 deposit.
Reservations: (903) 531-1212

PARK PAVILIONS

\$50 per day; \$35 special use permit fee; \$150 deposit.

Pavilions are located at the following parks: Emmett Scott, Fun Forest, Glass Recreation Center (903) 595-7271, Golden Road, Hillside, Lindsey, Noble E. Young, Rose Rudman, Southside, T.R. Griffith, W.E. Winters and Woldert.
Reservations: (903) 531-1370

ROSE GARDEN CENTER

Rooms start at \$25 and up; Garden area event \$175; \$150 to \$300 deposit.
Reservations: (903) 531-1212

SENIOR CENTER

\$120/four hours; Additional \$50/hour up to eight hours; \$150 to \$500 deposit.
Reservations: (903) 597-0781

SOFTBALL FIELDS

League members: 1.5 hours per week free, \$10 per additional hour. Non-league members, \$10 per hour.
Reservations: (903) 531-1377

SPRAYGROUND AT FUN FOREST

\$35 for three hours for half of the Sprayground or \$70 for the entire Sprayground from (10 a.m. to 1 p.m. only; Tuesday through Saturday, June 7 through August 9.) Limited rental dates available due to programmed events.
Reservations: (903) 531-1214

Volunteer & Instructor Info

The Tyler Parks and Recreation Department is looking for certified instructors and volunteers to help with our programs and special events. If you have a special talent, certification or training that could benefit our curriculum and programs, please go online to www.CityofTyler.org and click on the volunteer department to sign up or call our Parks office at (903) 531-1370 and the Glass Recreation Center at (903) 595-7271.

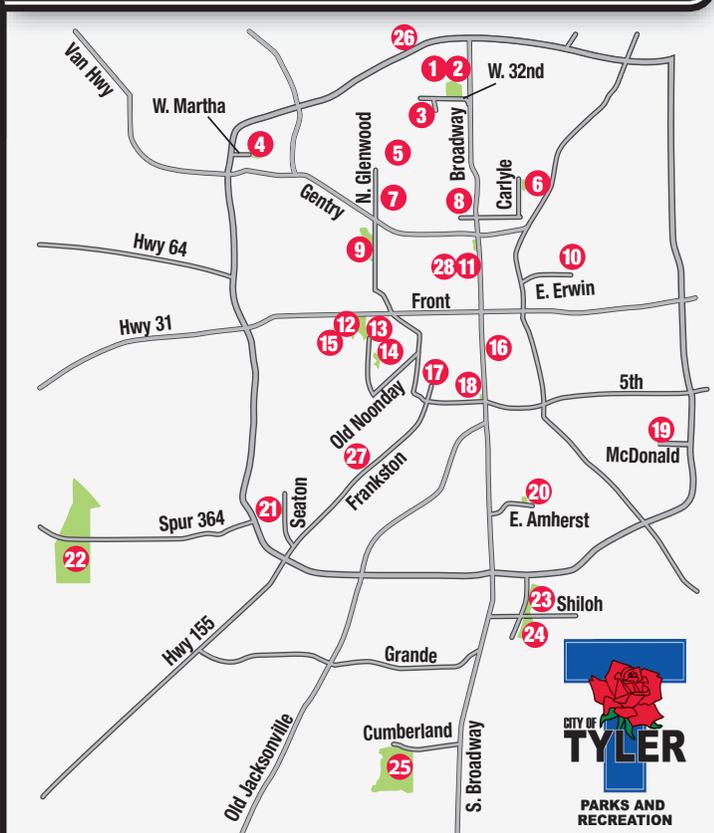
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www.cityoftyler.org
or
www.TylerParksandRec.com

Be sure to check the Parks and Recreation Department's page for updates and additional events.



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- 1** Woldert, 701 W. 32nd St.
- 2** Glass Rec. Center, 501 W. 32nd St.
- 3** T.R. Griffith, 2930 N. Carter Blvd.
- 4** Gassaway, W. Martha St.
- 5** Emmett Scott, 1710 N. Confederate Ave.
- 6** Oak Grove, 1525 N. Carlyle Ave.
- 7** Crescent, 1560 Crescent Dr.
- 8** City, 200 W. Queen Ave.
- 9** Fun Forest, 2000 Forest Ave.
- 10** Hillside, 1111 E. Erwin St.
- 11** Goodman/LeGrand, 624 N. Broadway Ave.
- 12** Windsor Grove, 415 S. Lyons Ave.
- 13** Rose Garden, 420 Rose Park Dr.
- 14** W.E. Winters, 910 S. Peach Ave.
- 15** Herndon Hills, 2802 Brookhollow Dr.
- 16** Childrens Park, 900 S. Broadway Ave.
- 17** P.T. Cole, 1001 S. Vine St.
- 18** Bergfeld, 1510 S. College Ave.
- 19** Golden Road, 2300 McDonald Rd.
- 20** Pollard, 710 E. Amherst St.
- 21** Noble E. Young, 3125 Seaton St.
- 22** Lindsey, 1255 Spur 364 West
- 23** Rose Rudman, 450 Shiloh Rd.
- 24** Southside, 455 Shiloh Rd.
- 25** Faulkner, 410 W. Cumberland Rd.
- 26** Northside Park, 2301 WNW Loop 323
- 27** T.B. Stewart Park, 2713 Frankston Hwy.
- 28** Goodman/LeGrand - Bathrooms



MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW....

Upcoming Special Events:

Jan. 21: 12th Annual Ice Bowl Disc Golf Tournament

Feb. 3: Mother and Son Dance

Feb. 4: Daddy-Daughter Dance

March 30: Seniors Celebrating Life at Harvey Convention Center

April 8-9: Annual Azalea Arts and Crafts Fair



NEXT ACTIVITY GUIDE PUBLISHES IN JANUARY 2017 WITH MORE DETAILS.

VISIT THE 7TH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS IN JULY ARTS AND CRAFTS FAIR
AT HARVEY CONVENTION CENTER

Friday, July 22 • 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Saturday, July 23 • 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
\$2 admission fee

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