Our Promise:
The Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities promises to make available, affordable, accessible, and enjoyable activities for all children in the City of Richmond. To keep this promise, out staff will reduce fees based on ability to pay. Please discuss your needs with our recreation staff.

Government Access Station:
Tune in to Channel 17 for current announcements of programs, trips, and special events. Only available with Verizon Fios and Comcast cable services.

Volunteer Services:
We encourage support from parents and members of the community. If you are interested in volunteer opportunities, please contact your local community center or park staff member.

Inclusion Statement:
All programs and activities are open to everyone without regards to race, religion, sex, national origin, handicap, or political affiliation.

Non City Resident Fee:
Non city residents must pay an additional $20 fee per program or activity.

On-going Programs:
Please note that on-going programs will expire February 29, 2020 and require registering again.

Note:
PRCF cannot take cash as a form of payment for any of the programs that we offer. We accept money orders, cashier checks, credit cards, and personal checks. Checks and money orders should be made payable to “City of Richmond.”

Inclement Weather Policy:
If Richmond Public Schools are closed, community centers will operate from 11:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.

City Holidays:
The City of Richmond offices and buildings will be closed on the following holidays: Labor Day, Veterans’ Day, Thanksgiving, the day after Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year’s Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, and President’s Day.

Who Do I Contact For...
General Questions, Online Registration Questions, or Comments
804-646-5733
AskParkRec@Richmondgov.com

17th Street Market: 804-646-5733
Aquatics: 804-646-1174
Before and After School Program: 804-646-6034
Cemeteries: 804-646-1402
Cultural Arts: 804-646-3677
Dogwood Dell: 804-646-1031
James River Park: 804-646-8911
Permits:
- Parks, Open Spaces, Round Houses, and Community Centers: 804-646-0761
- Pine Camp Arts and Community Center: 804-646-3679
Rain Line: 804-646-0751
River Level Information: 804-646-8228
50 + Active Lifestyle: 804-646-0181
Athletics:
- Football, Baseball, and Basketball: 804-646-1175
- Boxing: 804-646-5733
- Cheerleading: Contact your local community center
- Soccer, Softball, and Tennis: 804-646-1208
- Track and Field: 804-646-1087
USDA Federal Food Program: 804-646-5752

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- **Abner Clay Park**
  - Brook Road & E. Clay Street
- **Alice Fitz Playground**
  - 13th and Perry Streets
- **Ann Hardy Plaza Community Center**
  - 3300 First Avenue | 804-646-4824
- **Bandy Field Nature Park**
  - 6701 Three Chopt Road
- **Battery Park Community Center**
  - 2803 Dupont Circle | 804-646-0944
- **Bellemade Community Center**
  - 1800 Lynhaven Avenue | 804-646-8235
- **Bill Robinson Playground**
  - 721 N. 39th Street
- **Blackwell Community Center**
  - 300 E. 15th Street | 804-646-8630
- **Briel Street Playground**
  - 1319 N. 36th Street
- **Broad Rock Community Center**
  - 4615 Ferguson Lane | 804-646-8824
- **Broad Rock Sports Complex**
  - 4801 Old Warwick Road
- **Bryan Park (Joseph Bryan Park)**
  - 4308 Hermitage Road
- **Byrd Park & Dogwood Dell**
  - 600 S. Arthur Ashe Blvd
- **Byrd Park Roundhouse**
  - 800 S. Davis Avenue
- **Calhoun Community Center**
  - 436 Calhoun Street | 804-646-4083
- **Cannon Creek Nature Area**
  - Richmond-Henrico Turnpike
- **Carillon Grounds**
  - 1300 Blanton Avenue
- **Carter Jones / Fonticello Park**
  - 2813 Bainbridge Street
- **Chandler Playground**
  - 201 E. Brookland Park Blvd
- **Charlie D. Sydnor Playground**
  - 1400 Maury Street
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  - 1308 Bander Street
  - Facility Type: Gymnasium
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- **James River - Belle Isle**
  - 500 Tredegar Street
  - Facility Type: Pool
  - Council District: 5

- **James River - Great Shiplock Park**
  - Canal Street & Pear Street
  - Facility Type: Tennis Courts
  - Council District: 7

- **James River - Huguenot Flatwater**
  - 8600 Southampton Road
  - Facility Type: Gymnasium
  - Council District: 4

- **James River - Main Section**
  - Hillcrest & Riverside Drive
  - Facility Type: Athletic Field
  - Council District: 4

- **James River - Nature/Visitors Center**
  - 4101 Riverside Drive
  - Facility Type: Pool
  - Council District: 4

- **James River - North Bank Park**
  - (AKA Texas Beach) 2000 Texas Avenue
  - Facility Type: Pool
  - Council District: 5

- **James River - Pony Pasture & Wetlands**
  - 6700 Riverside Drive
  - Facility Type: Pool
  - Council District: 4

- **James River - Pumphouse Park**
  - 1800 block of Pumphouse Drive
  - Facility Type: Pool
  - Council District: 5

- **Jefferson Park**
  - 1921 Princess Anne Avenue
  - Facility Type: Outdoor Basketball Courts
  - Council District: 7

- **Kanawha Plaza Park**
  - 801 E. Canal Street
  - Facility Type: Pool
  - Council District: 6

- **Lewis G. Larus Park**
  - 8800 W. Huguenot Road
  - Facility Type: Picnic Shelter
  - Council District: 4

- **Libby Hill Park**
  - 2801 E. Franklin Street
  - Facility Type: Splash Pad
  - Council District: 7

- **Linwood Robinson Senior Center**
  - 700 N. 26th Street | 804-646-3115
  - Facility Type: Gymnasium
  - Council District: 7

- **Lombardy Street Triangle**
  - 301 North Lombardy Street
  - Facility Type: Pool
  - Council District: 2

- **Luck’s Field**
  - Rogers & T Street (1925 U Street)
  - Facility Type: Outdoor Basketball Courts
  - Council District: 7

- **Mary M. Scott ES Playground**
  - 4011 Moss Side Avenue
  - Facility Type: Pool
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- **Mary Munford ES Playground**
  - 211 Westmoreland Street
  - Facility Type: Pool
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- **Mashore Playground (Old Pilkington PG)**
  - 2310 Decatur Street
  - Facility Type: Pool
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- **Maymont Park**
  - 1700 Hampton Street
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- **Maymont Playground**
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Reserve A Park Today!

Are you looking for a place to hold your next business meeting or retreat? Planning a wedding, baby shower, family reunion, softball tournament, or special event?

Look no further! With our picnic shelters, park houses, 60+ parks, athletic fields, tennis courts, and softball/baseball fields, we have something to fit your needs.

For a list of locations, please visit our website Richmondgov.com/parks and click on the "Online Registration" button. For rental rates, additional information, or to reserve a location, please call 646-0761. Reservations can also be made online at Richmondgov.com/parks and clicking on "Online Registration."
THREE CHOPT FESTIVAL
Saturday, Sept. 14, 2019
1pm — 7:30pm

Bandy Field Nature Park
6800 Block of Three Chopt Road
Richmond, VA 23226

In partnership with Friends of Bandy Field

Music | Kids’ Activities | Nature Walks | Arts & Crafts
Food trucks | Fun for all ages!

Performance by the Richmond Symphony
under the Big Tent!

Proceeds to benefit Richmond Public Schools

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Before and After School Program

Recreational activities such as sports, arts and crafts, music, dance, and the performing arts will keep children active and having fun, while staff ensure a focus on building character and learning life skills.

The program is held Monday through Friday from school dismissal until 6 p.m. on all fully operating school days. Parents or guardians must pick up their children not riding the after school activity bus promptly at 6 p.m. Please note that if Richmond Public Schools are operating on a half day, the Before Program will operate, but the After School Program will not. With the exception of inclement weather school days, the Before Program will not operate, but the After School Program will.

Parents are welcome to visit the program sites and speak with staff about the recreation, sports, and other activities designed for children enrolled in the program to assist in keeping them active, happy, and healthy.

On Site Registration Dates:
September 3 - 6, 2019
January 6 - 10, 2020

Registration is continuous at each school based on space availability!

Fee: $60 per child/per semester
Multiple child discounts apply!

Registration can be completed online today!
Additional forms will need to be completed and turned into the site.

Program Open House
September 5 | Thursday
January 7 | Tuesday
4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
All program sites
Parents and students can meet with staff to review program offerings, operating schedule, and the facility they will be attending.

Lights On After School
October 24 | Thursday
4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
All program sites
Program sites will support this national effort of the importance of after school programs that keep kids safe, inspire them to learn, and help working families by hosting a special interactive activity.

Holiday Spectacular
December 16 - December 20 | Monday - Friday
4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
All program sites
Celebrate the holiday season with movies, music videos, crafts, games, holiday carols, face painting, food, and more!
# Before and After School Program

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* Site also operate a Before School Program 7:30 - 9 a.m.

^ Site operates Before School Program only

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Intermediate/Advanced Ping Pong
Come and play against high level players in high intensity, high velocity bouts! Train and prepare yourself here for any upcoming local or national tournaments.
Ages: 15 years and over
Dates: On Going | Thursday
Time: 5:30 - 9 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Hickory Hill Community Center
WebTrac #: 546005-10

Instructional Ping Pong
Instructions will include basic drills on footwork, stances, forehand and backhand strokes, serving and returns, score counts, and game situations.
Ages: 8 years and over
Dates: On Going | Tuesday
Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Hickory Hill Community Center
WebTrac #: 516012-10

Pickle Ball
Participants will learn the fundamentals of pickle ball such as basic skills, game rules, stroke techniques, and court awareness.
Ages: 55 years and over
Dates: September 3 - December 12 | Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday
Time: 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Humphrey Calder Community Center

Wheelchair Basketball
Based on the fundamentals of able-bodied basketball with some minor adaptations to reflect the use of the wheelchair. Gather your team and stop by the center for this open gym program!
Ages: 15 years and over
Dates: September 5 - December 19 | Thursday
Time: 6 - 9:30 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Humphrey Calder Community Center

Ages: 15 years and over
Dates: January 9 - February 27 | Thursday
Time: 6 - 9:30 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Humphrey Calder Community Center

Youth African Dance and Drum
Culture4MyKids.org offers boys and girls classes in West African instrumentation, dance, drum, history, and cultural background. These classes work to develop discipline, creativity, character, self esteem, and knowledge of self. Material fee applies.
Ages: 3 years and over
Dates: September 10 - February 27 | Wednesdays
Time: 6:30 - 8 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Hickory Hill Community Center
WebTrac #: 522110-03

Ancient Hebrew History, Culture, and Geography Study
Have you ever wanted to understand who the Ancient Hebrew people were? Come study and learn the ancient origins, culture, and geography of these amazing people.
Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: September 10 - March 27 | Monday & Wednesday
Time: 7 - 8:30 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Hickory Hill Community Center

Career and Economic Development Academy
Participants will learn essential skills to prepare them for entrepreneurial career paths and academic careers. They will learn financial literacy skills related to home and career development. Participants that are 15 years old will have an opportunity to interview with employees who are actively seeking a youth for summer employment in 2020. Students 13-14 years old will be able to take part in summer job shadowing program.
Ages: 13 - 15 years
Dates: October 19 - May 16 | Saturday
Time: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
Fitness Warriors
Turn on the “Beast Mode” and get fit for FREE! Come out and jam with the Active RVA Warriors program sponsored by Sports Backers and the Virginia Health Department. This program sends trainers out into the community to offer free health and fitness classes to every skill level.
Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: On Going | Monday
Time: 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Hickory Hill Community Center

Ages: 18 years and over
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Price: Free
Location: Bellemeade Community Center

Ages: 18 years and over
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Location: Main Library

Ages: 18 years and over
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Time: 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Blackwell Community Center

Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: On Going | Wednesday
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Creighton Court Community Center

Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: On Going | Wednesday
Time: 6 - 7 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Southside Community Center

Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: On Going | Wednesday
Time: 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Broad Rock Community Center

Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: On Going | Wednesday
Time: 6:45 - 7:30 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Powhatan Community Center

Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: On Going | Thursday
Time: 9 - 10 a.m.
Price: Free
Location: Southside Community Center

Fitness Warriors Continued...
Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: On Going | Thursday
Time: 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Hickory Hill Community Center

Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: On Going | Saturday
Time: 10 - 11 a.m.
Price: Free
Location: Hull Street Library

Aerobics
Seniors can participate in exercises that strengthen and tone muscles with safe and simple movements.
Ages: 55 years and over
Dates: On Going | Monday
Time: 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Hickory Hill Community Center

Ages: 55 years and over
Dates: September 3 - December 10 | Tuesday
Time: 9 - 10 a.m.
Price: Free
Location: Humphrey Calder Community Center

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**Fitness**

**Chairobics**
An innovative low intensity aerobics class geared toward seniors, retirees, and individuals who are semi ambulatory. Come and sit to be sit with Mr. Rodney as will add a small dance twist to this class.

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** October 15 - December 10 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.  
**Price:** $35 city resident | $55 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**Webtrac #:** 150530-02

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** January 7 - March 31 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 11 a.m. - noon  
**Price:** $35 city resident | $55 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**Webtrac #:** 250530-02

**Adult FitMiXx**
This class is geared towards working the abs, quads, calves, and glutes! Come and shake it to a fast paced rhythmic beat.

**Ages:** 18 years and over  
**Dates:** October 15 - December 10 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.  
**Price:** $50 city resident | $70 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**Webtrac #:** 143000-02

**Ages:** 18 years and over  
**Dates:** January 7 - March 31 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.  
**Price:** $50 city resident | $70 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**Webtrac #:** 243000-02

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**City of Richmond**  
**Office of Human Services**  
www.richmondgov.com/humanservices

The Office of Human Services focuses on improving the health, education, and well-being of children, youth, families and elders through comprehensive social services, youth employment and leadership opportunities, as well as through our early childhood development initiatives. Family stabilization and the needs of seniors and persons with disabilities are additional areas of focus for our office.

**Contacts for our team resources**

- **Department of Justice Services**  
  804-646-3259

- **Office of Aging and Persons with Disabilities**  
  804-646-7082

- **Department of Social Services**  
  3-1-1

- **Office of Community Wealth Building**  
  804-646-3108

- **Richmond Behavioral Health Authority**  
  804-819-4000

- **Richmond City Health District**  
  804-482-5500

- **Office of Human Services**  
  804-646-5823

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**The Mayor’s Annual Holly Ball**
December 12, 2019  
Altria Theater  
6 N. Laurel Street/RVA 23220  
Tickets go on sale November 2

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### Soccer
Players will learn the fundamentals of soccer including the rules, regulations, and various playing techniques. *Please contact your local community center for practice days and times.*

**Ages:** 4 - 15 years  
**Price:** $25 city resident | $45 non resident  
**Registration Dates:** August 1 - September 7

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### Cheerleading
Learn team building exercises, sportsmanship, and team play. Curriculum includes body movement, dexterity development, and coordination along with stunts, cheer, and dance techniques. *Please contact your local community center for practice days and times.*

**Ages:** 5 - 17 years  
**Price:** $25 city resident | $45 non resident  
**Registration Dates:** July 5 - August 31

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# Athletics

## Youth Basketball

Players will have an opportunity to learn the rules, skills, and plays associated with basketball. *Please contact your local community center for practice days and times.*

**Ages:** 5 - 15 years  
**Price:** $25 city residents | $45 non residents  
**Registration Dates:** October 7 - December 9

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Boxing
Male and female boxing enthusiasts will participate in training, defensive skills, footwork, and hand techniques. All participants ages 8 years and over are required to register with USA Boxing.

Ages: 6 years and over
Dates: On Going | Monday - Friday
Location: Southside Community Center
Time: 6 - 9:30 p.m.

Richmond Speed Track Club - Indoor Track and Field
Participants will learn the fundamentals of indoor track and field including field events, how to properly use starting blocks, and how to run a relay. For more information, please call 804-646-1087.

Ages: 6 - 18 years
Dates: November 4 - February 27 | Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday
Location: Maggie L. Walker Governor’s School
Time: 6 - 8 p.m.
Price: $20 city resident | $40 non resident
Webtrac #: 223624-00

Register online today at parksandrecreation.richmondgov.com
Richmond Waves Swim Team

Has your child just finished an amazing summer league season and is interested in swimming during the school year? Has he or she just finished swim lessons and you’re looking for more? Well look no further! Richmond Waves is designed to offer a competitive swimming experience to youth ages 5 to 18 years old. Swimmers will have the opportunity to learn all four swimming strokes, build self-confidence, meet new friends, and become stronger swimmers in an exciting and fun environment.

Richmond Waves competes in the Virginia Community Swim League (VCSDL), which is comprised of municipally sponsored teams from the Richmond and Tidewater areas. All participants must be able to swim the length of a 25 yard pool on their own to be eligible to participate with the team. Practice will begin in mid-September and continue through March 2019.

No fund raising is required, however parent volunteers are required to work at all meets.

**Ages:** 6 years and over  
**Dates:** On Going | Tuesday & Thursday  
**Time:** 6 - 7 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Swansboro Indoor Pool  
**WebTrac #:** 128101-40

Registration for the 2019 - 2020 season will begin in August and is on going. To register for the program please visit our website at parksandrecration.richmond.gov.com or contact Jerrod Booker at Jerrod.Booker@Richmond.gov.com for additional information.

**Bellemead Indoor Pool**
1800 Lynhaven Avenue  
804-646-8849  
**Hours of Operation**  
8 a.m. - 8 p.m. Monday - Friday  
Noon - 5 p.m. Saturday - Sunday

**Swansboro**
3160 Midlothian Turnpike  
804-646-8088  
**Hours of Operation**  
8 a.m. - 8 p.m. Monday - Friday

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**Lifeguard School**

This course is intended to assist candidates interested in the Lifeguard Training Course. This class will focus primarily on stroke improvement and conditioning. Interested candidates should be familiar with freestyle and elementary breaststroke.  

**Ages:** 12 years and over  
**Dates:** October 8 - November 14 | Tuesday & Thursday  
**Time:** 6 - 7 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Swansboro Pool

**Open Swim**

All ages are welcome for this swim time! All children must meet the height requirement to swim alone, otherwise they must be accompanied by an adult.  

**Ages:** All ages  
**Dates:** January 7 - March 26 | Tuesday & Thursday  
**Time:** 6 - 7 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Swansboro Pool

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**Aquatics**
Aqua Exercise
Water aerobics can help improve the physical and mental health of an individual. The environment can help you relieve stress and tension as the muscles are loosened in the water. There is little to no impact on joints and muscles depending on the class! Water aerobics can help you strengthen the body and lose weight. A person who weighs 150 pounds can burn 272 calories in one hour– sweat free!

Water Aerobics
This is a shallow water, medium impact aerobics class designed to increase heart rate, burn fat, and strengthen muscles. A great workout for abdominals, buttocks, and thighs.

**Ages:** 18 years and over  
**Dates:** On-going | Monday, Wednesday, & Friday  
**Time:** 10 - 11 a.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Bellemeade Pool

**Ages:** 18 years and over  
**Dates:** On-going | Monday & Wednesday  
**Time:** 7 - 8 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Swansboro Pool

Deep Water Aerobics
This deep water aerobics class is geared to train your cardiovascular system, as well as give you a total body workout with no impact. Maximize your potential using a combination of deep water exercises, swim conditioning, pool side strength training, aqua jogging, and fun! Participants must be comfortable with water.

**Ages:** 15 years and over  
**Dates:** On-going | Monday & Wednesday  
**Time:** 11 a.m. - noon  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Bellemeade Pool

Senior Aerobics
This is a shallow water, high impact aerobics class designed to increase heart rate, burn fat, and strengthen muscles. A great workout for abdominals, buttocks, and thighs.

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** On-going | Monday - Friday  
**Time:** 9 - 10 a.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Swansboro Pool

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** On-going | Monday - Friday  
**Time:** 11 a.m. - Noon  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Swansboro Pool

Water Volleyball
Strengthen the upper body, arms, and shoulders, as well as the muscles of the lower body. Playing volleyball also improves the cardiovascular and respiratory systems, enhances your energy level, and improves your overall performance.

**Ages:** 7 - 15 years old  
**Dates:** On-going | Sunday  
**Time:** 4 - 5 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Bellemeade Pool

Senior Games
Join us for this fun competition among your friends. Participants will compete in races, water sports, and other fun activities.

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** Last Friday of the month  
**Time:** 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Swansboro Pool

Register online today at parksandrecreation.richmondgov.com
Swim Lessons

The objective of the Learn to Swim courses are to teach children, teens, and adults to be safe in, on, and around the water and to swim well. Aquatic and personal water safety skills are taught in a logical progression through six levels. PRCF teaches swim lessons for preschoolers (ages 4 - 5 years) and those that are ages 6 years and over for levels 1, 2, 3, and adult.

Registration for all Learn to Swim classes will occur the week prior to the program start date. All registrations must be done in person. Unfortunately, the Aquatics Division is unable to hold spaces due to previous enrollment, age, group, or level of the child. Each class is on a first come, first served basis until all classes and levels are full. Please note that classes are subject to change or be cancelled due to inclement weather. We will work to schedule make up classes, however there might be times that classes can not be made up.

Ages: 4 - 5 years
Dates: October 7 - December 23 | Monday & Wednesday
Time: 6 - 6:30 p.m.
Price: $45 resident | $65 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Pool

Ages: 6 - 12 years
Dates: October 7 - December 23 | Monday & Wednesday
Time: 6 - 7 p.m.
Price: $45 resident | $65 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Pool

Ages: 13 years and over
Dates: October 7 - December 23 | Monday & Wednesday
Time: 7 - 8 p.m.
Price: $45 resident | $65 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Pool

Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: On-going | Tuesday & Thursday
Time: 10 - 11 a.m.
Price: $45 resident | $65 non resident
Location: Swansboro Pool

Ages: 6 - 12 years
Dates: October 5 - December 21 | Saturday
Time: noon - 1 p.m.
Price: $45 resident | $65 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Pool

Ages: 13 and up
Dates: October 5 - December 21 | Saturday
Time: 1 - 2 p.m.
Price: $45 resident | $65 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Pool
General Information

Richmond’s largest, most unique and best known park system covers multiple land parcels on both banks of the James River as it passes through the city. The 600 acre park boasts white water rapids, areas of unspoiled natural beauty, and boundless opportunities for adventure recreation.

The park’s wilderness shoreline amid woods, islands, meadows and rocks offers opportunities for canoeing, kayaking, tubing, walking, jogging, hiking, rock-climbing, biking, fishing, boating, swimming, sunning, bird watching, and nature study. Many of these activities are just blocks from the city’s downtown residential, business and financial districts. The park trails are excellent for hiking and mountain biking and offer new enjoyment in each season.

The park is open from sunrise to sunset.
No alcoholic beverages, glass containers, or unleashed pets are allowed in city parks.

James River Park Outdoor Education

Family Fishing
Learn to tie fishing knots, where and how to cast, and how to identify what you reel in. This course is focused on introducing those new to fishing basic skills, but we welcome seasoned anglers as well. Rods and reels will be provided. Participants that are 18 years and over that wish to fish must have a valid Virginia Freshwater License. Please wear a bathing suit and appropriate footwear.

Ages: 6 years and over
Date: September 21 | Saturday
Time: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Belle Isle | Meet at Tredegar Parking Lot
WebTrac #: 318227-01

Ages: 6 years and over
Date: November 17 | Sunday
Time: 1 - 4 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Belle Isle | Meet at Tredegar Parking Lot
WebTrac #: 318227-02

Ages: 6 years and over
Date: December 8 | Sunday
Time: 1 - 4 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Meet at Tredegar Parking Lot
WebTrac #: 318227-03

Avian Observations
The early bird gets the worm! Come out for a few hours of early morning bird watching. Seasoned veterans and fledgling birders are invited to help each other build skills and contribute to the birding community. Please bring water. Binoculars are provided.

Ages: 8 years and over
Date: December 21 | Saturday
Time: 7:30 - 9 a.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: James River Park Headquarters
WebTrac #: 428225-00
James River Park Outdoor Education

Kayak Pool Sessions
Learn the basics of white water kayaking in a heated pool before you get out on the river. We will work on techniques including the roll in order to prepare you for kayaking in the James River. Please contact Penelope Davenport (Penelope.Davenport@richmond.gov.com) for more information.

Ages: 16 years and over
Dates: January 2 - January 30 | Thursday
Time: 6 - 8 p.m.
Price: $30 resident | $50 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Indoor Pool
WebTrac #: 248204-00

Ages: 16 years and over
Dates: February 6 - February 27 | Thursday
Time: 6 - 8 p.m.
Price: $30 resident | $50 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Indoor Pool
WebTrac #: 248204-01

Ages: 16 years and over
Dates: March 5 - March 26 | Thursday
Time: 6 - 8 p.m.
Price: $30 resident | $50 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Indoor Pool
WebTrac #: 248204-02

Ages: 16 years and over
Dates: April 2 - April 30 | Thursday
Time: 6 - 8 p.m.
Price: $30 resident | $50 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Indoor Pool
WebTrac #: 248204-03

Kayak Kids Clinic
These lessons will provide kayak instruction for young people, with an emphasis on having fun and feeling safe in the water! Your child must be a confident swimmer to participate in the kids kayak instruction. Please contact Penelope Davenport (Penelope.Davenport@richmond.gov.com) for more information.

Ages: 5 - 16 years
Dates: January 2 - January 30 | Thursday
Time: 4 - 6 p.m.
Price: $30 resident | $50 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Indoor Pool
WebTrac #: 128204-00

Ages: 5 - 16 years
Dates: February 6 - February 27 | Thursday
Time: 4 - 6 p.m.
Price: $30 resident | $50 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Indoor Pool
WebTrac #: 128204-01

Ages: 5 - 16 years
Dates: March 5 - March 26 | Thursday
Time: 4 - 6 p.m.
Price: $30 resident | $50 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Indoor Pool
WebTrac #: 128204-02

Ages: 5 - 16 years
Dates: April 2 - April 30 | Thursday
Time: 4 - 6 p.m.
Price: $30 resident | $50 non resident
Location: Bellemeade Indoor Pool
WebTrac #: 128204-03

Salamander Salutations
This is a loosely-structured yoga meet up that will tune our bodies to the natural environment. As the weather turns colder, we’ll do our stretching in the Park Headquarters and Environmental Center, surrounded by aquariums and looking out at Reedy Creek. Check our Facebook Group, Salamander Salutations, for the weekly meeting place!

Ages: 8 years and over
Dates: On-going | Tuesday
Time: 5:45 - 7:15 p.m.
Price: $10 resident | $30 non resident
Location: Please check the Facebook Group, Salamander Salutations, for the weekly meeting place.
Belle Isle History Hike
Join us for a family friendly hike to one of Richmond’s historic gems, Belle Isle. Learn about the geologic and human history of the area and the role Richmond played in the development of our nation. Please bring water, snack, and good shoes.
Ages: 8 years and over
Date: September 7 | Saturday
Time: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Tredegar Parking Lot
WebTrac #: 418226-01

Ages: 8 years and over
Date: October 5 | Saturday
Time: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Tredegar Parking Lot
WebTrac #: 418226-02

Ages: 8 years and over
Date: November 2 | Saturday
Time: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Tredegar Parking Lot
WebTrac #: 418226-03

Ages: 8 years and over
Date: December 7 | Saturday
Time: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Tredegar Parking Lot
WebTrac #: 418226-04

Ages: 8 years and over
Date: January 4 | Saturday
Time: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Tredegar Parking Lot
WebTrac #: 418226-05

Historic Slave Trail Hike
Richmond Slave Trail is a walking trail that chronicles the history of the trade of enslaved Africans from Africa to Virginia until 1775 and away from Virginia, especially Richmond, to other locations in the Americas until 1865. The 1.8 mile walk will begin at the location of the Manchester Slave Docks at Ancarrow’s Landing and end downtown at the First African Baptist Church. Please bring water and weather appropriate clothing.
Ages: 8 years and over
Date: February 29 | Saturday
Time: 1 - 4 p.m.
Price: Free
Location: Ancarrow’s Landing | 1200 Brander Street
WebTrac #: 148225-00

Owl Prowl
Gather after sundown for a sneaky stroll through the park in search of elusive owls. Audio playback may be used to draw owls in, or we will listen for them ourselves. Please bring a bottle of water and come prepared to hike.
Ages: 6 years and over
Date: September 20 | Friday
Time: 5 - 6:30 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Pony Pasture
WebTrac #: 518222-05

Ages: 6 years and over
Date: October 18 | Friday
Time: 5 - 6:30 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Pony Pasture
WebTrac #: 518222-06

Ages: 6 years and over
Date: November 15 | Friday
Time: 5 - 6:30 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Pony Pasture
WebTrac #: 518222-07

Ages: 6 years and over
Date: December 6 | Friday
Time: 5 - 6:30 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Pony Pasture
WebTrac #: 518222-08

Ages: 6 years and over
Date: January 10 | Friday
Time: 5 - 6:30 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Pony Pasture
WebTrac #: 518222-09

Ages: 6 years and over
Date: February 28 | Friday
Time: 5 - 6:30 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Pony Pasture
WebTrac #: 518222-10

Ages: 6 years and over
Date: March 20 | Friday
Time: 5 - 6:30 p.m.
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident
Location: Pony Pasture
WebTrac #: 518222-11
Dance

General Information
Pine Camp Dance Programs

Fall Semester Registration Dates:
August 25 - October 13, 2019
Classes begin on Monday, October 7, 2019

Winter Semester Registration Dates:
November 3 - January 26, 2019
Classes begin on Monday, January 6, 2020

The Fall/Winter semester classes will operate through March 28, 2020

Enrollment Notes:
Registrations will not be accepted after the registration deadlines. Please plan to register early! Teens seeking to join an adult class must be 15 years or older. All students are expected to be eager to learn and to be cooperative with instructors.

Dance Attire:
For girls, sky blue or black leotard is preferred, with pink tights and pink leather ballet shoes. No cover-ups please. A chiffon dance skirt is permitted, but MUST be worn around the child’s natural waist. For boys, a white tee shirt, navy blue fitted shorts, black ballet shoes, and white socks or a black tank-top leotard and jazz pants with white ballet shoes. A dance belt is required for ages 9 and older in all dance classes.

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Multi child discounts are available! Please contact Dance Program staff for more information at 804-646-3677.

Creative Movement
Watch the little ones improve spatial awareness and practice waiting in turn, working cooperatively with others, and developing agility and poise.
Age: 3 years
Dates: October 12 - December 14 | Saturday
Time: 11 - 11:45 a.m.
Price: Please see price chart on page 24
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 125306-06

Kinderdance
An introduction to movement for the youngest dancers. Students will gain spatial awareness, letter, and number recognition.
Age: 4 - 5 years
Dates: October 7 - December 9 | Monday
Time: 6 - 6:45 p.m.
Price: Please see price chart on page 24
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 120110-01

Kinderjazz
Students will learn the basics of classic jazz dance, with warm up, isolations, and jazz walks.
Age: 4 - 6 years
Dates: October 7 - December 9 | Monday
Time: 6:45 - 7:45 p.m.
Price: Please see price chart on page 24
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 120250-01

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Pre-Ballet I
Skills learned in this class include the introduction of gross locomotor moves across the floor, as well as creative movement and basic ballet moves. This class also promotes reading readiness and social skills.

**Ages:** 5 - 6 years  
**Dates:** October 8 - December 10 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 6 - 6:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120111-02

**Ages:** 5 - 6 years  
**Dates:** October 12 - December 14 | Saturday  
**Time:** 11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120111-06

**Pre-Ballet II**
This high energy dance class introduces some simple barre work and ballet terminology, as well as improving balance and coordination. Children learn attention control and practice self-determination skills.

**Ages:** 6 - 7 years  
**Dates:** October 9 - December 11 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 5:45 - 6:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120112-03

**Ballet I**
Through the traditional barre and center work, students will learn poise and correct posture.

**Age:** 11 - 17 years  
**Dates:** October 7 - December 9 | Monday  
**Time:** 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120411-01

**Ages:** 8 - 17 years  
**Dates:** October 8 - December 10 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 6:45 - 7:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120411-02

**Ages:** 11 - 17 years  
**Dates:** January 6 - March 30 | Monday  
**Time:** 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 220411-01

**Pre-Ballet II & III**
A continuation of Ballet I. This class will increase the difficulty and introduce leaps and turns into the vocabulary of dance.

**Ages:** 11 - 17 years  
**Dates:** October 10 - December 12 | Thursday  
**Time:** 6 - 7 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120314-04

**Ages:** 11 - 17 years  
**Dates:** January 9 - March 26 | Thursday  
**Time:** 6 - 7 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 220314-04

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Dance

**Hippety Hop**
Age appropriate Hip-Hop for the little ones. Exciting rhythms and moves to teach coordination and attention span.

**Ages:** 6 - 9 years  
**Dates:** October 7 - December 9 | Monday  
**Time:** 6 - 6:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120228-01

**Ages:** 6 - 9 years  
**Dates:** January 6 - March 30 | Monday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 6:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 220228-01

**Hip Hop I & II**
This class covers the basics of street dance and video style techniques.

**Ages:** 9 - 17 years  
**Dates:** October 7 - December 9 | Monday  
**Time:** 6:45 - 7:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120328-01

**Ages:** 9 - 17 years  
**Dates:** January 6 - March 30 | Monday  
**Time:** 6:45 - 7:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 220328-01

**Hip Hop III & IV**
This advanced class covers the basics of street dance and video style techniques. Participants should have taken Hip Hop I & II prior to taking this class.

**Ages:** 13 years and over  
**Dates:** October 7 - December 9 | Monday  
**Time:** 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120329-01

**Ages:** 10 - 18 years  
**Dates:** January 6 - March 30 | Monday  
**Time:** 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 220329-01

**Jazz I - Beginner**
Jazz music and dance are indigenous art forms in the United States. Classical Jazz is still incorporated in many Broadway musicals, while evolving into ever changing popular dance forms from Street Dance to Hip-Hop and beyond.

**Ages:** 7 - 17 years  
**Dates:** October 7 - December 9 | Monday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120351-01

**Ages:** 7 - 17 years  
**Dates:** January 6 - March 30 | Monday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 220351-01

**Jazz II - Advanced**
More advanced skills are taught, including leaps and turns.

**Ages:** 9 - 17 years  
**Dates:** October 7 - December 9 | Monday  
**Time:** 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120352-01

**Ages:** 9 - 17 years  
**Dates:** January 6 - March 30 | Monday  
**Time:** 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 220352-01

**Tap I & II**
Basic tap exercises are practiced on the barre and in the center of the floor. Students will learn poise, focus, balance, and coordination. Tap adds another skill to learning, that of listening to the teacher’s taps and then repeating them back using self control and memorization.

**Ages:** 7 - 17 years  
**Dates:** October 9 - December 11 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 6 - 7 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120363-03

**Ages:** 7 - 17 years  
**Dates:** January 6 - March 30 | Monday  
**Time:** 6 - 7 p.m.  
**Price:** Please see price chart on page 24  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 230363-03
Kindertap
An introduction to tap basics, including exercises for balance and coordination. Tap requires listening as well as hearing, and is instant fun as the students hear their feet in rhythm.
Ages: 4 - 6 years
Dates: October 8 - December 10 | Tuesday
Time: 6 - 6:45 p.m.
Price: Please see price chart on page 24
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 120160-02

Modern Dance I
This class is a pre-requisite for any of our students interested in joining one of our companies. Modern dance is a technique that includes elements of many other dance forms. It includes floor work, improvisation, and alignment as well as basic leaps.
Ages: 7 - 17 years
Dates: October 8 - December 10 | Tuesday
Time: 5:45 - 6:45 p.m.
Price: Please see price chart on page 24
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 120341-02

Lyrical I
Lyrical jazz is an interpretive style of dance incorporating ballet with jazz skills with graceful and expressive movement. Songs with words are used so that the student learns how to move and convey the feeling of the music.
Ages: 6 - 8 years
Dates: October 8 - December 10 | Tuesday
Time: 5:45 - 6:45 p.m.
Price: Please see price chart on page 24
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 120242-02

Modern Dance II & III
Modern dance is a technique that includes elements of many other dance forms. It includes floor work, improvisation, and alignment as well as basic leaps.
Ages: 9 - 17 years
Dates: October 8-December 10 | Tuesday
Time: 6:45 - 7:45 p.m.
Price: Please see price chart on page 24
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 120423-02

Lyrical II & III
Lyrical dance incorporates ballet and jazz techniques and is characterized as movement that corresponds with the lyrics of the music. In this class, students will deeply explore the meaning behind the movement and lyrics and will experience more advanced techniques.
Ages: 9 - 17 years
Dates: October 9 - December 11 | Wednesday
Time: 7 - 8 p.m.
Price: Please see price chart on page 24
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 120245-03

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Dance

Mommy and Tot
Is your toddler a dancing machine? Then why not bring them to this class geared to those 2 and over. We will dance together, stretch together, and grow together; all while bonding!

Ages: 2 - 5 years
Dates: October 10 - December 12 | Thursday
Time: 11 - 11:45 a.m.
Price: $50 resident | $70 non resident
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 160006-04

Ages: 2 - 5 years
Dates: January 9 - March 26 | Thursday
Time: 11 - 11:45 a.m.
Price: $50 resident | $70 non resident
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 260006-04

Haute Heels
This class can be jazz, hip hop, or lyrical based with a heely twist. Come and strut your stuff and show off your moves! Make sure to bring a friend with you as this class is geared towards all dance levels. Heels are recommended, but NOT REQUIRED.

Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: October 16 - December 11 | Wednesday
Time: 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.
Price: $50 resident | $70 non resident
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 140550-03

Ages: 18 years and over
Dates: January 8 - March 25 | Wednesday
Time: 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.
Price: $50 resident | $70 non resident
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center
WebTrac #: 240550-03

Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities Presents...

A Harvest Hayride

Friday, October 25, 2019
6 - 9 p.m.

Bryan Park
4308 Hermitage Road
Richmond, VA 23227

Join us for a fun filled evening of games, food, music, bounce houses, costume contests, and the Haunted Hayride!
Country Line Dance
Enjoy this lively cardio workout each week with Richmond’s finest line dance instructor. If you can walk, you can participate in this class. Improve your stamina and work on coordination and balance, as well as meeting a happy bunch of people.

Ages: 13 years and over  
Dates: On Going | Monday  
Time: 6:30 - 8 p.m.  
Price: Free  
Location: Hickory Hill Community Center

Ages: 55 years and over  
Dates: September 11 - October 16 | Wednesday  
Time: 10 - 11 a.m.  
Price: $35 resident | $55 non resident  
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
WebTrac #: 150023-00

Ages: 55 years and over  
Dates: September 11 - October 16 | Wednesday  
Time: 11 a.m. - noon  
Price: $35 resident | $55 non resident  
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
WebTrac #: 150023-04

Ages: 18 years and over  
Dates: On Going | Wednesday  
Time: 6:30 - 8 p.m.  
Price: $5 resident | $25 non resident  
Location: Hickory Hill Community Center

Line Dance continued...

Ages: 55 years and over  
Dates: January 8 - February 12 | Wednesday  
Time: 10 a.m. - noon  
Price: $35 resident | $55 non resident  
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
WebTrac #: 250023-01

Ages: 55 years and over  
Dates: January 8 - February 12 | Wednesday  
Time: 11 a.m. - noon  
Price: $35 resident | $55 non resident  
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
WebTrac #: 250023-04

Ages: 55 years and over  
Dates: February 26 - April 1 | Wednesday  
Time: 10 - 11 a.m.  
Price: $35 resident | $55 non resident  
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
WebTrac #: 250023-05

Ages: 55 years and over  
Dates: February 26 - April 1 | Wednesday  
Time: 11 a.m. - noon  
Price: $35 resident | $55 non resident  
Location: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
WebTrac #: 250023-05

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Pottery on the Wheel
In this introductory class, you will learn all the basic skills you need to throw on the potter’s wheel. The possibilities are endless! Come experience the therapeutic qualities of clay in this supportive and fun class. No clay experience is necessary. **Supply fee of $30 is paid to the instructor at the first class.**

**Ages:** 18 - 54 years  
**Dates:** September 23 - November 18 | Monday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
**Price:** $95 resident  |  $115 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 141154-01

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** September 23 - November 18 | Monday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
**Price:** $85.50 resident  |  $105.50 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 151154-01

**Ages:** 18 - 54 years  
**Dates:** September 24 - November 12 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
**Price:** $95 resident  |  $115 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 141154-02

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** September 24 - November 12 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
**Price:** $85.50 resident  |  $105.50 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 151154-02

### Intro to Handbuilding with Clay
Try a pottery class, it’s fun! Beginners receive a thorough introduction to hand building using techniques such as coil, slab, and pinch sculptures and vessels.

**Ages:** 18 - 54 years  
**Dates:** September 25 - November 13 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
**Price:** $95 resident  |  $115 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 141153-03

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** September 25 - November 13 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
**Price:** $85.50 resident  |  $105.50 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 151153-03

**Advanced Hand Building with Clay**
This class is for students who know the basics and are ready to create the pieces they most desire. This instructor is popular for her knowledgeable instruction, ideas, and encouragement and problem solving as you move towards your finished project. **Supply fee is paid to the instructor at the first class.**

**Ages:** 18 - 54 years  
**Dates:** September 26 - November 14 | Thursday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
**Price:** $95 resident  |  $115 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 141353-04

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** September 26 - November 14 | Thursday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
**Price:** $85.50 resident  |  $105.50 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 151353-04

**Ages:** 18 - 54 years  
**Dates:** January 8 - February 26 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
**Price:** $95 resident  |  $115 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 241153-03

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** January 8 - February 26 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
**Price:** $85.50 resident  |  $105.50 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 251153-03

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**Weaving**
Take advantage of one of the few weaving studios in town with an experienced instructor who cares about her students’ success. Beginners experience the excitement of weaving a basic project, rug, or sampler. Experienced weavers will complete independent projects.

**Ages:** 18 - 54 years  
**Dates:** September 24 - November 12 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 10 a.m. - noon  
**Price:** $135 resident | $155 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 141022-00

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** September 25 - November 13 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 10 a.m. - noon  
**Price:** $121.50 resident | $141.50 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 151022-00

**Ages:** 18 - 54 years  
**Dates:** September 24 - November 12 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 7 - 9 p.m.  
**Price:** $135 resident | $155 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 141022-02

**Ages:** 55 years and over  
**Dates:** September 25 - November 13 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 7 - 9 p.m.  
**Price:** $121.50 resident | $141.50 non resident  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 151022-02
S.T.E.M and S.T.E.A.M Classes

**Beginning Culinary Class**
Participants will explore the science of food which is the physical, biological, and chemical make-up of food! You will have the opportunity to explore safety and the concepts of food processing. Teamwork and following directions are critical when following recipes and hands-on activities while in food chemistry.

**Ages:** 9 - 13 years  
**Dates:** October 3 - November 28 | Thursday  
**Time:** 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 121103-04

**Textiles | Sewing**
The clothing and textiles project allows youth the opportunity to create a style of their own and design clothing using basic sewing skills and develop a sense of consumer savvy when purchasing clothes. The most exciting part of textiles is learning the parts of the sewing machine and using the sewing machine to produce their own garments and accessories!

**Ages:** 9 - 13 years  
**Dates:** January 8 - February 26 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 222021-03

**Youth Pottery**
Students will learn the basics of hand built pottery. They will also learn vocabulary associated with this art. *Class is limited to eight students.*

**Ages:** 8 - 12 years  
**Dates:** October 1 - November 19 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 5:30 - 7 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 121053-03

**The Art In Me**
Unleash your child’s imagination! This class will provide a wonderful introduction to several forms of visual art and engage youth to discover the connection between science and art. Youth will create a variety of artworks including, but not limited to, drawing, painting, print making, mixed media, sculpture clay, and collage.

**Ages:** 7 - 13 years  
**Dates:** January 6 - February 24 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 5:30 - 7 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 221010-01

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**Beginning Acoustic Guitar**
Your child will be fully engaged in our small group keyboard classes. They are taught by professional performing instructors and will learn basic chords and strum along with songs, proper hand positions, how to sit, and how to tune and care for a guitar. By the end of the third session, you will be amazed at how your child has progressed!

**Ages:** 9 - 13 years  
**Dates:** October 2 - November 27 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 122001-03

**Ages:** 9 - 13 years  
**Dates:** January 8 - February 26 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 222002-12

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**Beginning Keyboard**
Your child will be fully engaged in our small group keyboard classes. They are taught by professional performing instructors and will learn everything from basic chords and scales to proper posture and correct hand positioning.

**Ages:** 9 - 13 years  
**Dates:** October 1 - November 19 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 122002-02

**Ages:** 9 - 13 years  
**Dates:** January 7 - February 25 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 222002-12

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**Planet X : Writing New Worlds from the Ground Up**
If you were to look at a great fiction writer’s desk, you’d probably see thick swaths of notes, maps, drawings and lists scribbled on napkins. And possibly some cat-sized bites out of a few things from long nights too absorbed in the story to remember to feed Meowzer. This fiction workshop is designed for writers who want to build a world from the foundations up - the spaces, large and small, that house our characters, languages, creatures and societies. We’ll be writing, drawing, making lists, pulling our hair out, and cheering each other on through the vivid twists and turns of world-building.

**Ages:** 9 - 12 years  
**Dates:** October 3 - November 21 | Thursday  
**Time:** 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
**Price:** Free  
**Location:** Pine Camp Arts and Community Center  
**WebTrac #:** 120621-04

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Linwood Robinson Senior Center
700 North 26th Street

Operating Hours:
8 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Monday - Friday
804-646-3115

The Linwood Robinson Senior Center is located in the historical Church Hill part of the city. It is the only senior citizen center operated and staffed by the City of Richmond. We provide senior citizens, 60 years and older, with diversified leisure programs and services, opportunities for community involvement, cultural enrichment activities, wellness and health information, continuing education, nutrition services, transportation and information and referrals about community resources.

Don’t Be Left Out! - If you are at least sixty years old, visit the center to:
- Meet new friends
- Develop your creativity
- Explore new interests
- Stay active and healthy
- Get help with services you may need

An assessment/interview is required for membership. For an appointment, call 804-646-3115.

A nutritious noon meal is served Monday through Friday for persons 60 and older. The meal is provided by Senior Connections, an affiliate of the Capital Area Agency on Aging (CAAA), one of our partner agencies, which accepts donations to support and expand services to the elderly. Nutrition educational seminars are held.
- Home delivered meals can be arranged for participants who qualify.
- Information about and referrals to community resources.
- Access by telephone or walk-in
- Senior citizen advocacy and problem solving
- Transportation services for center members

General Trip Information

All scheduled trips will depart from 700 Blanton Avenue; located at the corner of Grant and Sheppard streets at the Rueger Playground near Byrd Park Fountain Lake. All trips are popular with our participants and seats do fill quickly, therefore reserve your seats before the deadline date. All participants will receive a confirmation letter by mail prior to each trip.

All trips include the following:
- Round trip motor coach bus transportation
- All taxes and food gratuity for planned meals
- Bus snacks
- Bus driver’s gratuity

To Register for Trips:
Payments can be made online, in person, or mailed to the City of Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities.

Trips and Programs Cancellation Policy:
Depending on the trip or event, cancellation after the deadline date may result in the loss of all or part of your payment. Some trips or events may be non-refundable 30 days prior to departure or event. Trips and events are non-refundable if you are late the day of the trip and missed the departure time, or when you arrive at an event after it has started.
Harrington Casino - Harrington, DE
Harrington Raceway & Casino is a harness racing track and casino located on the fairgrounds of the Delaware State Fair, just south of Harrington, Delaware. The casino has over 1,800 slot machines, table games, simulcasting, and sports betting. The casino also has multiple dining options including a buffet area.
**Date:** September 14 | Saturday  
**Registration Deadline:** August 16 | Friday  
**Price:** $50 resident | $70 non resident

Tropicana Casino and Resort
Atlantic City, NJ
Enjoy a brief getaway from your normal routine with this trip to Atlantic City, NJ! Price includes meals, room, bus transportation, and a to be determined casino bonus. Payments can be made in installments.
**Date:** November 12 - 15 | Tuesday - Friday  
**Registration Deadline:** October 25 | Friday  
**Price:** $380 resident (**Single Room**) | $400 non resident | $270 per resident (**Double Room**) | $290 per non resident | $260 per resident (**Triple Room**) | $280 per non resident

Odyssey Cruise, Washington, DC
Savour each unforgettable moment aboard the exquisite, glass-enclosed Odyssey. Delight in a fabulous upscale dinner cruise on the Potomac, as you drift past iconic D.C. landmarks such as the Jefferson Memorial, Georgetown waterfront and Lincoln Memorial. Set back and enjoy the onboard entertainment and dancing as well.
**Date:** September 19 | Thursday  
**Registration Deadline:** September 6 | Friday  
**Price:** $95 resident | $115 non resident

The Museum of the Bible - Washington, DC
The Museum of the Bible opened on November 17, 2017 and documents the narrative, history and impact of the Bible. There are thousands of items from the museum’s collection and items on loan from other institutions and private collections. The museum claims to have amassed one of the largest assemblies of biblical artifacts and texts in the world. Trip includes lunch at Fredericksburg, VA Golden Corral Restaurant.
**Date:** October 3 | Thursday  
**Registration Deadline:** September 13 | Friday  
**Price:** $65 resident | $85 non resident

Mayor’s Senior Holly Ball
Join PRCF as we celebrate the holiday with a fun filled enchanting evening with family and friends at the historic Altria Ballroom. Tis the Season to dress in your holiday attire, and maybe that cheerful Sweater to bring in the holiday season.
**Tickets must be purchased at the Altria Theater Box Office beginning November 2.**
**Date:** December 12 | Thursday  
**Time:** 7 - 11 p.m.  
**Location:** Altria Theater  
**Registration Deadline:** November 26 | Monday  
**Price:** $192 for Table of 8 | $240 for Table of 10 | $26 for individual ticket

“The Bodyguard” at Toby’s Dinner Theater - Columbia, MD
Based on the Warner Brothers film starring Whitney Houston and Kevin Costner, "The Bodyguard" features a score filled with Ms. Houston's greatest hits. A Former Secret Service agent is hired to protect a superstar from an unknown stalker. Each expects to be in charge – what they don’t expect is to fall in love.
**Date:** October 13 | Sunday  
**Registration Deadline:** September 6 | Friday  
**Price:** $95 resident | $115 non resident

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The Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities operate seven municipal cemeteries. Although all of the cemeteries have historical interest, the four that are particularly noteworthy are the following:

**Barton Heights Cemeteries**
The City also maintains the inactive Barton Heights Cemeteries located between St. James Street and Lamb Avenue. In 1815, the Burial Ground Society of the Free People of Color established the first cemetery here. That cemetery became known as Cedarwood. Five more cemeteries were established adjoining Cedarwood. These cemeteries were established by the burial society and/or religious organizations. The other cemeteries are Sons and Daughters of Ham, Ebenezer, Methodist, Sycamore, and Union Mechanics.

The Barton Heights Cemeteries are on the Virginia Landmarks Register and the National Register of Historic Places.

**Shockoe Hill Cemetery**
Located in the downtown area of Richmond on Hospital Street. Within its grounds are buried such luminaries as John Marshall, the revered U.S. Supreme Court Justice; Elmira Shelton, said to be Edgar Allan Poe’s fiancée and inspiration for the “Lost Lenore” in his poem *The Raven*; John Allan, Poe’s boyhood friend; Peter Francisco, the Revolutionary War hero; 220 Confederate and 577 Union soldiers; and Elizabeth VanLew, the Union spy who operated a “safe” house during the War Between the States.

This cemetery is on the Virginia Landmarks Register and National Register of Historic Places.

**Oakwood Cemetery**
Located at 3101 East Nine Mile Road, Oakwood is the final resting place of 17,000 Confederate soldiers, casualties from several battles fought in the Richmond area during the War Between the States. According to information from *The Dahlgren Affair*, by Duane Schultz, Yankee Colonel Dahlgren was buried in a secret cave in Oakwood Cemetery in March 1864, and removed by Elizabeth VanLew under cover of night on April 6, 1864. The body was taken out of Richmond by VanLew under a wagon load of peach trees and reburied the next day on a farm at Hungary Station. His body was returned to Philadelphia in October 1865 for a burial in the North Hill Cemetery.

This cemetery is on the National Register of Historic Places.

**Historic St. John’s Church Cemetery**
Located on the grounds of St. John’s Church in Richmond’s oldest neighborhood of Church Hill at 24th and Broad streets. The City owns the Broad Street side of the cemetery. This cemetery is the resting place of Elizabeth Arnold Poe, mother of Edgar Allan Poe and George Wythe (who was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence). The church is the site of Patrick Henry’s rousing “Give me liberty or give me death!” speech. The dates and times for reenactments of Patrick Henry’s famous speech can be obtained by calling St. John’s Church at 804-649-0263.

This cemetery is on the National Register of Historic Places.

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Genealogy by appointment only

Cemeteries are open daily from sunrise to sunset
Belmont Library
3100 Ellwood Avenue
Richmond, VA 23221
804-646-1139

Hours:
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. | Mon & Wed
10 a.m. - 6 p.m. | Tues, Thurs & Fri
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Sat
Closed | Sun

Broad Rock Library
4820 Old Warwick Road
Richmond, VA 23224
804-646-8488

Hours:
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. | Mon & Wed
10 a.m. - 6 p.m. | Tues, Thurs & Fri
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Sat
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East End Library
1200 North 25th Street
Richmond, VA 23223
804-646-4474

Hours:
10 a.m. - 6 p.m. | Mon, Wed & Fri
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. | Tues & Thurs
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Sat
Closed | Sun

Ginter Park Library
1200 Westbrook Avenue
Richmond, VA 23227
804-646-1236

Hours:
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. | Mon-Thur
10 a.m. - 6 p.m. | Fri
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Sat
1 - 5 p.m. | Sun

Hull Street Library
1400 Hull Street
Richmond, VA 23224
804-646-8699

Hours:
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. | Mon, Wed, Thurs & Fri
10 a.m. - 6 p.m. | Tues
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Sat
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Main Library
101 East Franklin Street
Richmond, VA 23219
804-646-4867

Hours:
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. | Mon-Thur
10 a.m. - 6 p.m. | Fri
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Sat
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North Avenue Library
2901 North Avenue
Richmond, VA 23222
804-646-6675

Hours:
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. | Mon
10 a.m. - 6 p.m. | Tues - Fri
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Sat
Closed | Sun

West End Library
5420 Patterson Avenue
Richmond, VA 23226
804-646-1877

Hours:
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. | Mon-Thur
10 a.m. - 6 p.m. | Fri
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Westover Hills Library
1408 Westover Hills Boulevard
Richmond, VA 23225
804-646-8833

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10 a.m. - 8 p.m. | Mon & Wed
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Register online today at parksandrecreation.richmondgov.com
Richmond Public Libraries

**Lego Club**
We provide the Legos - you provide the imagination!
Follow the monthly theme or just play.
**Ages:** 5 years and over  
**Location:** Westover Hills Library  
**Days:** 3rd Monday of the month  
**Time:** 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

**Ages:** 5 - 12 years  
**Location:** Broad Rock Library  
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**Ages:** 5 - 12 years  
**Location:** Belmont Library  
**Days:** 3rd Tuesday of each month  
**Time:** 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

**Ages:** 5 - 12 years  
**Location:** North Avenue Library  
**Days:** 2nd Thursday of each month  
**Time:** 4 - 5 p.m.

**Ages:** 7 - 12 years  
**Location:** Main Library  
**Days:** 1st Saturday of the month  
**Time:** 10:30 a.m. - noon

**Ages:** 5 years and over  
**Location:** Hull Street Library  
**Days:** 2nd Saturday of each month  
**Time:** 2 - 3 p.m.

**Ages:** 5 - 12 years  
**Location:** East End Library  
**Days:** Last Saturday of each month  
**Time:** 2 - 4 p.m.

**Keep Calm and Pet a Dog!**
Teens, you’ve made it through the first few weeks of school! Now come celebrate and de-stress at the library. Spend some time relaxing with trained therapy dogs. Make a diy bathbomb to take home. Do some coloring and listen to relaxing music. We’ll have snacks available too!

**Ages:** 12 - 18 years  
**Dates:** September 4 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.  
**Location:** Belmont Library

**Ages:** 12 - 18 years  
**Dates:** September 11 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.  
**Location:** Hull Street Library

**Ages:** 12 - 18 years  
**Dates:** September 16 | Monday  
**Time:** 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.  
**Location:** North Avenue Library

**Ages:** 12 - 18 years  
**Dates:** September 17 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.  
**Location:** West End Library

**Ages:** 12 - 18 years  
**Dates:** September 18 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 5 - 6 p.m.  
**Location:** Ginter Park Library

**Ages:** 12 - 18 years  
**Dates:** September 21 | Saturday  
**Time:** 2 - 3 p.m.  
**Location:** Westover Hills Library

**Ages:** 12 - 18 years  
**Dates:** September 24 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 6 - 7 p.m.  
**Location:** Main Library

**Ages:** 12 - 18 years  
**Dates:** September 25 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 4 - 5 p.m.  
**Location:** East End Library

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3rd Saturday of the month - 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

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**P.A.W.S. to Read**
Sign your child up for a 20 minute slot to read to a therapy dog. Build reading confidence and have fun! This program is presented in partnership with Sprite’s Hero. To register, please call Westover Hills Library at 804-646-8833.

3rd Saturday of the month - 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Mini Pumpkin Painting
Teens, looking for a fun way to decorate for Fall? Well, look no more. Have fun socializing and decorating a mini pumpkin supplied by the library or bring your own medium-sized pumpkin and use our supplies to create a festive fall decoration.
Ages: 12 - 18 years
Date: October 15 | Tuesday
Time: 6 - 7 p.m.
Location: Main Library

Ages: 12 - 18 years
Date: October 18 | Friday
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Location: Westover Hills Library

Ages: 12 - 18 years
Date: October 21 | Monday
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Location: Belmont Library

Ages: 12 - 18 years
Date: October 23 | Wednesday
Time: 5 - 6 p.m.
Location: Ginter Park Library

Ages: 12 - 18 years
Date: October 24 | Thursday
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Location: Hull Street Library

Ages: 12 - 18 years
Date: October 25 | Friday
Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
Location: East End Library

Ages: 12 - 18 years
Date: October 28 | Monday
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Location: North Avenue Library

Ages: 12 - 18 years
Date: October 29 | Tuesday
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Location: West End Library

Harry Potter Escape Room
If you like puzzles or escape rooms, this program is for you! Groups of 3 to 6 people will have to use their Harry Potter knowledge to escape from the Room of Requirement. Please call or stop by the library to register. We reserve the right to place small groups together.
Ages: 10 years and over
Dates: November 13 | Wednesday
Time: 4:45 - 7:30 p.m.
Location: Ginter Park Library

Ages: 10 years and over
Dates: December 7 | Saturday
Time: 1 - 5 p.m.
Location: Broad Rock Library

Stranger Things Escape Room
Stranger Things are happening at the library! If you like puzzles or escape rooms, this program is for you! Help Will escape the Upside Down in 30 minutes or less or the Demogorgon will get you! Must register your group by calling 804-646-8833. Up to 6 people per session. Each session lasts 30 minutes. AGES 10 and Up. Knowledge of the show is not necessary to play. We reserve the right to place small groups together.
Ages: 10 years and over
Dates: November 6 | Wednesday
Time: 5 - 7:30 p.m.
Location: Westover Hills Library

Ages: 10 years and over
Dates: November 9 | Saturday
Time: 1 - 5 p.m.
Location: Broad Rock Library

Ages: 10 years and over
Dates: November 26 | Tuesday
Time: 4:30 - 7 p.m.
Location: West End Library

Young Adult Virginia Authors
Celebration!
Saturday, November 2, 2019
2 - 4 p.m.
Main Library Auditorium
Gellman Room Events
at the Main Library

Chamber Music Society of Central Virginia
CMSCVA artists demonstrate how a single word or a simple theme can be transformed into something extraordinary. Along the way, hear music by Enrique Granados, Benjamin Britten, John Adams and Consuelo Velázquez.
Date: September 14 | Saturday
Time: 2 - 3 p.m.

Local Author Showcase
Discover new books in many genres and get to know local published and emerging authors in a relaxed, sociable atmosphere. Featured authors are invited to read from their work, discuss their craft and to sell and sign books.
Date: 3rd Sundays of the month
Time: 2 - 4 p.m.

Adjourn to the Parlor: A Lecture Concert
Presented by the Oratorio Society of Richmond, you are invited to join in a in depth lecture concert on the rise and fall of Southern parlor songs in Richmond during the Civil War and the area's contribution to the first African American spirituals ever published. Explore the lives of famous Richmond composers as we discuss their connections with figures such as Edgar Allan Poe and John Wilkes Booth, daring wartime adventures, romances, and more. In addition to each composer's life, enjoy performances of songs unheard for over a century, including some of the first Spirituals ever documented by the liberated African American population.
Date: September 29 | Sunday
Time: 3 - 4:30 p.m.

“The Tell-Tale Heart” Mock Trial
Join us for a special evening in celebration of the life and works of Edgar Allen Poe. A speaker from The Poe Museum will discuss Poe’s life and perform a dramatic reading of “The Tell-Tale Heart.” The audience will then engage in a lively debate in the form of a mock trial to determine whether or not the defendant is guilty or not guilty by reason of insanity.
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**Crochet Club**
Join staff at RPL and meet with other community members to learn how to knit and crochet. Share ideas and techniques with others! Participants can bring their own materials or use materials that are provided!

**Ages:** All ages
**Dates:** 1st Tuesday of the month
**Time:** 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
**Location:** East End Library

**Creative Clothing Construction:**
Virginia Museum of Fine Arts Fashion Institute
Mixed Media Workshop

**Saturday, October 26**
10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Main Branch - Richmond Library**
101 E. Franklin Street / RVA 23219

Students, grades 6 - 12, create a wearable piece of art that explores cultural trends, nontraditional materials, and fine art processes. Similar to the Project Runway design style, students make wearable art by reconstructing clothing with found objects and recycled materials.

**It’s Whatever Suits You.**

**Fire Prevention Week Visits**
Join us as we learn about fire safety with the City of Richmond Fire Department! Children will pretend to be firefighters and tour the BIG RED fire truck.

**Ages:** 5 years and over
**Date:** October 5 | Saturday
**Time:** 11 a.m. - noon
**Location:** Westover Hills Library

**Ages:** 5 years and over
**Date:** October 9 | Wednesday
**Time:** 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
**Location:** North Avenue Library

**Ages:** 5 years and over
**Date:** October 10 | Thursday
**Time:** 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.
**Location:** Hull Street Library

**Teen Advisory Group**
Current and prospective TAG members, join us for our monthly meeting held on the 4th Monday of the month. Help us plan teen programs, give feedback on the YA collection, and have your voices heard concerning all things TEEN at the library. Snacks will be provided. For more information contact Jenn Deuell at 646-4740 or Jennifer.Deuell@richmondgov.com

**Ages:** 12 - 18 years and over
**Date:** 4th Tuesday of the month
**Time:** 6 - 7 p.m.
**Location:** Main Library
Richmond Public Libraries

**S.T.E.A.M. Rockets**
Children will create their own rockets and launch them in the library! *Registration is required.*
**Ages:** 5 years and over  
**Date:** September 10 | Tuesday  
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**Location:** Hull Street Library

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**Ages:** 5 years and over  
**Date:** October 8 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 4 - 5:30 p.m.  
**Location:** Hull Street Library

**Homework Help | Reading Buddies**
Volunteers and staff will be available to help students of all ages with homework, projects and literacy skills! *Please talk to staff if you are interested in volunteering with this ongoing program!*  
**Ages:** 8 years and over  
**Date:** September 3 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 4 - 5 p.m.  
**Location:** Broad Rock Library

**Gingerbread House Design**
Celebrate the season! Join us and enjoy the art of making Gingerbread Houses. Everyone will get to take one home! *Registration is required.*  
**Ages:** 3 years and over  
**Date:** December 6 | Friday  
**Time:** 3 - 5 p.m.  
**Location:** Main Library

**Battle of the Gingerbread**
Do you have what it takes to decorate the best gingerbread? Join us to find out and stay for a tasty treat! Supplies are limited. *Registration is required.*  
**Ages:** 3 years and over  
**Date:** December 11 | Wednesday  
**Time:** 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.  
**Location:** West End Library

**Nailed It! Desert Decorating Competition**
Join us as we recreate the Netflix show “Nailed It” in which home bakers try and replicate dessert masterpieces. Teens will work in teams to recreate our sweet desserts in this two round competition judged by some of our baking enthusiast librarians. This program may not be suitable for those with food allergies. *Registration is required.*  
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**Location:** West End Library
**Wii Fit and Smoothie Party**
Is your New Year’s resolution to be healthier this year? Maybe you just like having a good time with your friends? Either way, join us for a Wii Fit and Smoothie Party for teens. We’ll be making healthy, yet yummy, smoothies and getting active with the Wii Fit.

**Ages:** 12 - 18 years  
**Dates:** January 7 | Tuesday  
**Time:** 4 - 6 p.m.  
**Location:** Belmont Library

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**Location:** West End Library

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**Love Stinks Chocolate Party**
Tired of making a fuss over Valentine’s Day? Escape from the all mushiness at our Love Stinks Chocolate Party! Back by popular demand! Join us for a party where Cupid, flowers, and public displays of affection are strictly prohibited. Instead, we’ll be making crafts, playing games, listening to heart-breaking music, and of course....EATING ALL THE CHOCOLATE!

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IT’S TRUE.
The Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities is home to more than 169 parks, open spaces, athletic fields, playgrounds and tot lots. PRCF has been recognized by the community and the region as a department that provides high quality and well-maintained parks, recreation facilities and programs that are accessible, cost effective and support the citizens’ vision and values for cultural unity, affordability, livability and healthy lifestyles.

But what makes our parks truly special is when you visit to:
Meet with Friends – Feed the Ducks – Ride the Paddle Boats
Gather with Family – Sun Bathe on the Lawn – Walk the Vita Course
Enjoy Summer Concerts – See the Fireworks – Picnic by the Lake
Sleigh ride – Fly a Kite – Reunite with Classmates at the Shelters
Watch Baby’s First Steps – Celebrate Anniversaries – Take a Tennis Lesson
Fish in the Pond – Enjoy the Walking Bridges – Ride the Bike Trails
Paddle the River – Have a First Kiss – or Find the Perfect Spot to Propose.

It is your willingness to share your leisure and special moments with us, which bring our parks to life. For that honor, we...

THANK YOU.
From the PRCF Staff