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The Park Preview

Grain Valley Parks & Recreation

Welcome to the May & June 2022 eNewsletter!

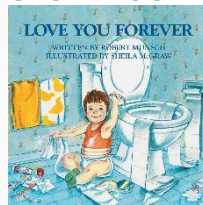
Please remember that this newsletter is **INTERACTIVE**; simply click on any **orange link** or **picture** to pull up flyers, websites, and more information!

MOVIE IN THE PARK (FREE For The Whole Family)



Friday, June 3rd is your chance to kick back, relax & enjoy the FIRST OF TWO FREE shows with your Parks & Recreation Department! The show will begin at dark (approx. 8:30pm) at the Armstrong Park Pavilion ~ so don't be late! Also, make sure to bring your own lawn chair or blanket to sit on! ***Please note, this will be a movie only. Free Family Fun games/activities will be provided before the show at our August Movie in the Park!***

STORYBOOK TRAIL



Enjoy reading, exercising, and family time all in one! Families are encouraged to get out and go read with Mother Nature. This is a great event for all to enjoy. During the Storybook Trail time frame, a fun story will be displayed along the Armstrong Park Trail. As you walk/bike/run along the trail, you can stop at each page to find out what happens next! This program is absolutely FREE & FUN! The story will be posted for one week – so make sure not to miss out!

When: May 6 - 15 "Love You Forever" & June 3 - 12 (Book TBA)

Where: Armstrong Park Trail

Fee: FREE

SUMMER FITNESS MEMBERSHIP SPECIAL:

If you have been thinking about getting a fitness membership at the Grain Valley Community Center, here is the perfect opportunity to save money!

When you buy 2 months - you will get a 3rd month FREE!

When you buy 1 year - you will get 3 months FREE!

Give us a call if you have questions or would like more information! This special is valid from June 1 through August 31. We hope to see you at the gym!

YOUTH TENNIS (Ages 6 Years & Older)



The Grain Valley Parks & Recreation Department will sponsor Tennis Lessons this summer at the Grain Valley High School Tennis Courts. Youth Tennis is open for ages six years & up. Instructors will group the classes by age and use different areas of the courts. Each sub-group will concentrate on age-related tennis techniques. Each session is two weeks in length, Monday through Thursday mornings, with Friday only used for any make-up classes due to weather. Participants must supply their own water and tennis racket.

Ages: 6 Years & Older

Session 1: June 6 - June 16 / 8:00am - 9:00am

*Must register by 12:00pm on Wednesday, May 25!

Session 2: June 20 - June 30 / 8:00am - 9:00am

*Must register by 12:00pm on Thursday, June 8!

Where: High School Tennis Courts

Fee: \$60.00 Per Child For One 8-Class Session (\$10.00 off 2nd session after paid 1st session)

Registration: [Click Here To Register Online](#)

POPSICLES IN THE PARK



Parents – bring your little one for family fun time in the park! We will make new friends, hear a special story, and enjoy free popsicles! After, feel free to stay and play as long as you would like! *A parent/adult will need to stay with their child(ren) and enjoy the fun!

Ages: Family (Story will be geared toward younger ages: 2 to 7 years)

When: Tuesday, June 14 & July 12 @ 6:30pm

Where: Armstrong Park Gazebo

Fee: FREE

Registration: Pre-registration is not needed - just show up and have fun!

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

**DONATE BLOOD
SAVE LIVES**



"A single pint can save three lives; a single gesture can create a million smiles!" Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or

visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: GrainValleyCommunity to schedule an appointment today. Presenting donors will also receive a free Worlds of Fun Ticket, while supplies last!

When: Wednesday, June 22

2:00pm to 6:00pm

Where: Grain Valley Community Center

Reservations: [Click Here to Reserve Your Spot](#)

MINECRAFT ENGINEERING LEGO CAMP (Ages 5 to 10 Years)



Venture into the world of Minecraft in our unique LEGO experience! Get ready to build your base, craft your tools, use your Minecart to harvest raw resources, and battle to stop the Ender Dragon from ending the world. Come explore the endless possibilities of LEGO with a trained Play-Well instructor. (All materials used are the property of Play-Well TEKologies and are not for sale or distribution. Students will not be able to keep LEGO materials.) ***The**

last day to register will be Wednesday, May 30th!

Ages: 6 to 11 Years (Boys & Girls)

When: Monday, June 6 - Thursday, June 9 (4-day camp)

2:00pm - 4:00pm Each Day

Where: Grain Valley Community Center

Fee: \$120.00 Per Participant (Value of \$15.00 per hour)

Registration: [Click Here To Register Online](#)

PRESCHOOL PLAYERS - INSTRUCTIONAL T-BALL (Ages 3 to 5 Years)



Preschool Players is a 6-week parent interactive program that focuses on skill development and fun! This program will rotate participants through stations that focus on major skills of the game. Parents/guardians will be asked to be station volunteers. Fee includes a t-shirt and a medal for each player

***The last day to register is Sunday, July 3!**

Ages: 3 to 5 Years

When: Every Saturday from July 9 – August 14

9:00am - 9:45am,

10:00am - 10:45am, OR

11:00am - 11:45am

Where: Armstrong Park Ball Fields

Fee: \$55.00 Per Participant (includes t-shirt & medal)

Registration: [Click Here To Register Online](#)

GRAIN VALLEY AQUATIC CENTER ~ OPENING MAY 28

The Grain Valley Aquatic Center will open on Saturday, May 28! Check out the Aquatic Center section of our website for information and make sure not to miss out on any of the SUMMER FUN:

Private Pool Rentals Are Available

Register Your Little One For Swimming Lessons

[Click Here To View The Flyer](#)



Register for Water Aerobics
[Click Here To View The Flyer](#)

[Click Here To Register Online For Swimming Lessons & Water Aerobics](#)

We are excited to SPLASH right into the summer 2022 season & hope you are too!

SEASONAL JOB OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

Grain Valley Parks & Recreation is HIRING for Summer 2022!

Positions available and their application deadlines are:

Seasonal Swim Instructors and Seasonal Concession Attendant - Open Until Filled

Seasonal Park Maintenance Workers - Open Until Filled

Applicants must be at least 16 years old for Swim Instructors and at least 18 years old for Park Maintenance. More details regarding each position and the online application link can be found on our website www.cityofgrainvalley.org/careers!

To apply for lifeguard positions, please visit www.midwestpool.com.

Thank you for your involvement and support! If you ever have questions, comments, or need help - don't hesitate to give us a call at (816) 847-6230!

~ Grain Valley Parks & Recreation

