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Mission Statement - The mission of Charles County Government is to provide our citizens the highest quality service possible in a timely, efficient, and courteous manner. To achieve this goal, our government must be operated in an open and accessible atmosphere, be based on comprehensive long- and short-term planning, and have an appropriate managerial organization tempered by fiscal responsibility. We support and encourage efforts to grow a diverse workplace.

Vision Statement - Charles County is a place where: private initiative is rewarded and businesses grow and prosper, while the preservation of our heritage is paramount; government services have reached the highest level of excellence; the quality of life is felt by its citizens to be the best in the region; and its government is recognized as a leader in support of these expectations.

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Maryland Relay Service: 711 • Relay TDD: 1-800-735-2258 - Efforts will be made to accommodate the disabled and non-English speaking residents with advance notice to 301-934-0132.

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A graphic featuring a yellow banner with the text "visit our website" in red, a computer mouse, and a small screen displaying "WWW". The background is a stylized green and blue wave.

Save time...
Register for your
fun & recreation online!

Visit us online at
www.CharlesCountyParks.com

Community Services provides online registration:

Please take note of the following regarding your online registration:

- Instructions for logging into the system are provided online. If you have registered for a program since March 15, 2009, your **initial user name** is your home phone number on file with us (no dashes or spaces); and your **password** is the last name of the primary person on the account.
- If registering for the first time, you will need to create a new account. Please be sure to enter everyone in the household, including date of birth and grade for all children.
- Registration for minors (18 and younger) requires adult input and information.
- Not all programs are available for online registration.

Online payments are accepted by MasterCard, Visa and Discover only.

To register for programs not currently offered online, please follow the standard registration process.

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"Somebody" wants to go to the dog park... so grab your leash and head on over!

See pg 30 for details and locations.

Who to Call...

For a complete listing of parks, centers, and other facility locations, including phone numbers, locations, and hours of operation, please see pages 4-5.

— Parks —

1001 Radio Station Road • La Plata, Maryland 20646

301-932-3470 • 301-870-2778

Fax: 301-932-3590

General Park Information 301-932-3470

Outdoor Sports Programs 301-932-3470

— Recreation —

8190 Port Tobacco Road • Port Tobacco, Maryland 20677

To reach the offices listed below, dial one of the main numbers shown, and then dial the extension number when prompted:

301-934-9305 • 301-870-3388

Fax: 301-934-5624

Program/Class Registration

Discount tickets, indoor sports, general information, etc. x5152, x5159

Special Populations

Programming & Special Olympics x5132

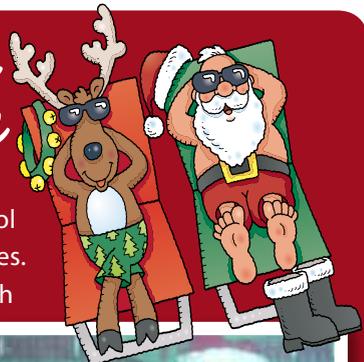
Job Hotline

Call for available part-time positions listing x5210

Inclement Weather for Closings/Cancellations

Community Centers, Senior Centers, and Recreation Activities x5197

Swimming with Santa



Bring your swimsuit, and join Santa in the pool for holiday fun and games. Underwater pictures with Santa are included in the fee!

**Lackey Pool
Indian Head**

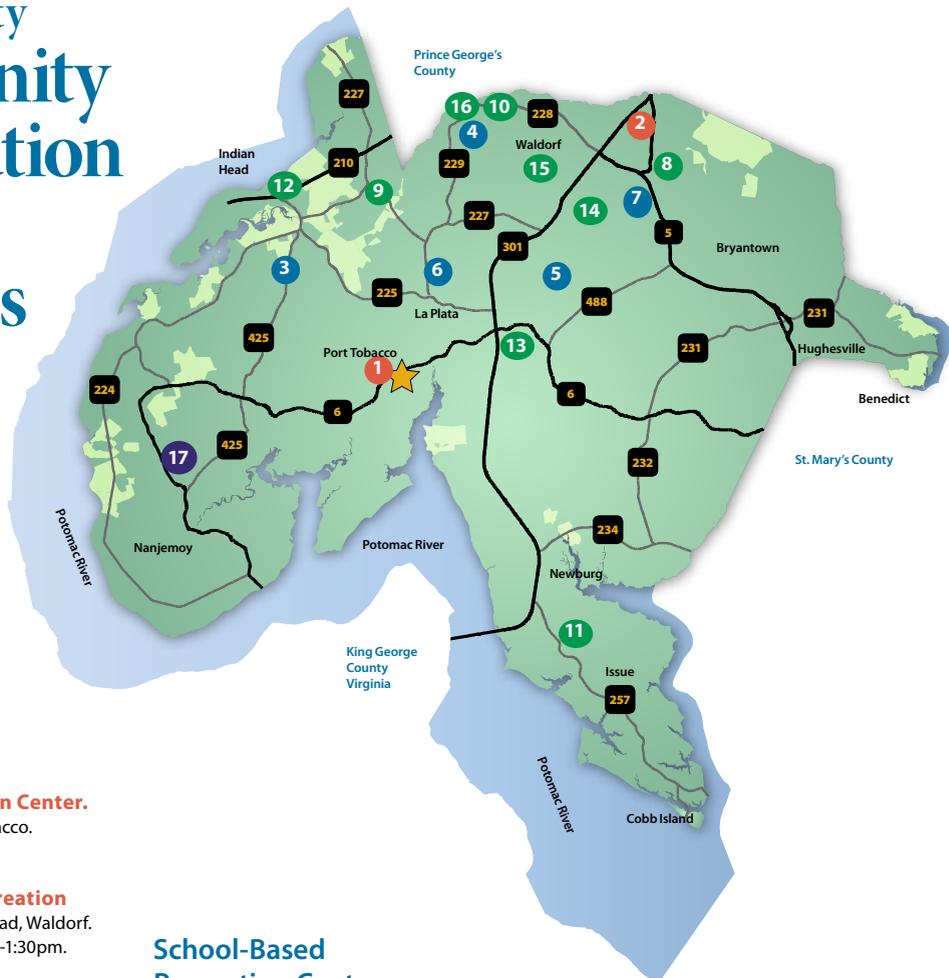
All Ages • 408010-LK

**Sat • Dec 15
2:00-4:00pm**



Admission Fee: \$5/person
Registration accepted at the door based on availability.

Charles County Community & Recreation Center Locations



Recreation Centers

1 Port Tobacco Recreation Center.

8190 Port Tobacco Road, Port Tobacco.
301-934-9305, ext. 5161.

2 Elite Gymnastics & Recreation Center.

2745 Old Washington Road, Waldorf.
Hours: Mon-Fri 8am-9pm; Sat 9am-1:30pm.
301-870-7938.

Pools

Recreational swimming, water aerobics, swim lessons, water safety courses, lap swimming, birthday parties, and private rentals are available year-round. Pools are open to the public for recreational swimming with daily admission or memberships available.

Indoor/Year Round

3 Lackey Indoor Pool.

3000 Chicamuxen Road, Indian Head. 301-743-2470
301-753-6003.

4 North Point Indoor Pool.

2500 Davis Road, Waldorf. 301-934-7475.

Outdoor/Summer

Closed for the season.

5 La Plata Outdoor Pool.

6035 Radio Station Road, La Plata.

6 McDonough Outdoor Pool.

7165 Marshall Corner Road, Pomfret.

7 Thomas Stone Outdoor Pool.

3785 Leonardtown Road, Waldorf.

School-Based Recreation Centers

The goal of school-based Recreation Centers is to offer citizens a variety of social, educational, and recreational programs designed to best meet the needs of community members of all ages in which the Centers serve. The Centers provide less structured programs geared toward developing community relations and providing needed supportive services.

8 Hanson Community Center.

3165 John Hanson Drive, Waldorf. Hours: Mon-Fri 3-9:30pm, Sat 10am-2pm. 301-645-2186.

9 Henson Community Center.

3535 Livingston Road, Indian Head. Hours: Mon-Fri 3-9:30pm, Sat 10am-2pm. 301-375-7875.

10 Mattawoman Community Center.

10145 Berry Road, Waldorf. Hours: Mon-Fri 2:00-9:30pm, Sat 10am-2pm. 301-645-6865.

11 Piccowaxen Community Center.

12834 Rock Point Road, Newburg. Hours: Mon-Fri 2-9pm, Sat 10am-2pm. 301-259-2503.

12 Smallwood Community Center.

4990 Indian Head Hwy, Indian Head. Hours: Mon-Fri 3-9:30pm, Sat 10am-2pm. 301-743-3020.

13 Somers Community Center.

300 Willow Lane, La Plata. Hours: Mon-Fri 2:30-9:30pm, Sat 10am-2pm. 301-932-6679.

14 Stoddert Community Center.

2040 St. Thomas Drive, Waldorf. Hours: Mon-Fri 3-9:30pm, Sat 10am-2pm. 301-645-4847.

15 Wade Community Center.

2300 Smallwood Drive, Waldorf. Hours: Mon-Fri 3-9:30pm, Sat 10am-2pm. 301-645-9291.

16 Davis Community Center.

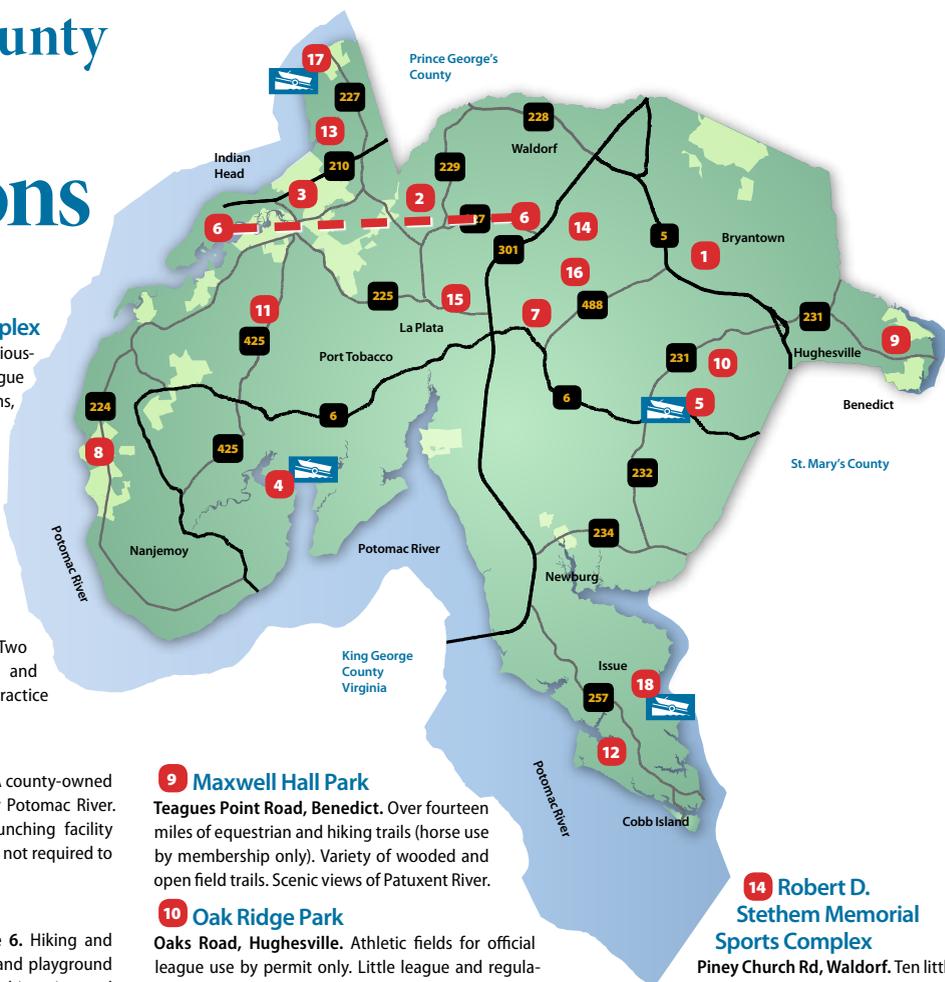
2495 Davis Road, Waldorf. Hours: Mon-Fri 3-9:30pm, Sat 10am-2pm. 301-392-5533.

Community Centers

17 Nanjemoy Community Center.

4375 Port Tobacco Road, Nanjemoy. Hours: Mon & Wed 8:30am-8:00pm and Tue, Thu, Fri 8:30am-4:30pm. 301-246-9612.

Charles County Park Locations



1 Bryantown Sports Complex

Bryantown Road, Bryantown. 15 various-sized soccer fields for permitted league and tournament play. Concessions, restrooms and picnic areas available.

2 Bensville Park

Bensville Road, White Plains. Three soccer, three Little League baseball, one regulation baseball and one football field. Picnic areas and playground.

3 Charlie Wright Park

Dr. Mitchell Lane, Indian Head. Two soccer, two Little League baseball, and one regulation baseball field, and practice football area.

4 Friendship Farm Park

Friendship Farm Road, Nanjemoy. A county-owned boat ramp on Nanjemoy Creek near Potomac River. One-acre surrounding this boat launching facility designated free fishing area - anglers not required to possess fishing license. Hiking trails.

5 Gilbert Run Park

8 miles east of La Plata on Route 6. Hiking and nature trails, picnic areas, pavilions and playground areas. 60-acre fresh water lake with fishing piers and boat ramp. Nature Center with a 150-gallon aquarium. Fishing supplies, boat rentals and concessions are available. 301-932-1083.

6 Indian Head/White Plains Rail Trail

13 mile recreational trail connects the town of Indian Head with White Plains. Paved surface for cycling, walking, running, in-line skating. Wheelchair accessible. Wildlife viewing opportunities.

7 Laurel Springs Regional Park

Radio Station Road, La Plata. Exercise trail, playground, picnic pavilions and informal picnic areas. Two regulation baseball, five softball, three little league, one football, five soccer fields and one multi-purpose field. Athletic fields available for official league use by permit only.

8 Mallows Bay Park

Route 224, Riverside. Kayak and small boat launch facility with direct access to the Potomac River. Hiking, fishing and wildlife viewing opportunities.

9 Maxwell Hall Park

Teagues Point Road, Benedict. Over fourteen miles of equestrian and hiking trails (horse use by membership only). Variety of wooded and open field trails. Scenic views of Patuxent River.

10 Oak Ridge Park

Oaks Road, Hughesville. Athletic fields for official league use by permit only. Little league and regulation baseball fields (avail for community pick-up play). Equestrian trails and show rings available first come, first served, unless there are scheduled events. Playground and picnic pavilion available.

11 Pisgah Park

Located 14 miles west of La Plata on Mason Springs Road. Paved bike and fitness trail (.7 mi), play ground with tot lot, and picnic pavilion. Variety of sports fields available for organized league use. Community ball field also available.

12 Southern Park

Just off of Route 257, Issue. Scenic view of Potomac River, a playground, picnic areas, ball fields, tennis courts, a basketball court and a fishing pier.

13 Ruth B. Swann Memorial Park

Route 210, Bryans Road. Regulation baseball field and football field available to organized leagues during playing seasons by permit only. Picnic and playground areas. One-mile foot trail passes through mature woodland to Potomac River shoreline.

14 Robert D. Stethem Memorial Sports Complex

Piney Church Rd, Waldorf. Ten little league and big league baseball fields, one football practice area, playground and picnic pavilion. Athletic fields available for official league use by permit only.

15 Turkey Hill Park

Turkey Hill Road, La Plata. Four soccer and one football field. One-acre, fence-enclosed off-leash dog park. Dogs must display up-to-date vaccination tags and license. Half-mile oval roadway for walkers/runners. Picnic pavilions available.

16 White Plains Regional Park

1015 St. Charles Parkway. 18-hole golf course, lighted tennis courts, tot lot and playground, picnic pavilions. One soccer, one softball, one regulation baseball, one Little League baseball, and one football field (for official league use by permit only).

Skate Park

15,000 sq. ft. concrete-based skatepark. Various sized bowls with transitions, street course. Skateboards and in-line skating. Helmet, pads required. Fee. 301-638-5208.

Golf Course

Regionally acclaimed 18-hole public golf course. Well groomed greens and Bermuda grass fairways. For all levels of play. Driving range available. Scheduled tee times recommended. 301-645-1300, 301-843-2947.

Dog Park

One-acre, fence-enclosed area where dogs with owners can run, play and exercise off-leash. Dogs must display up-to-date vaccination tags and license.

Boat Launch Facilities

All County-operated boat ramps are available free of charge. With the exception of Gilbert Run (seasonal hours), and Mallows Bay Park (5:30am-Dusk, Mar-Oct; 7am-Dusk, Nov-Feb) all are open year-round, dawn to dusk.

4 Friendship Farm Park
Nanjemoy Creek, Nanjemoy

5 Gilbert Run Park
Wheatley Lake, Dentsville
(Electric Motor Only)

8 Mallows Bay Park
Potomac River, Nanjemoy



17 Marshall Hall
Potomac River, Bryans Road

18 Hatton Creek
Wicomico River, Issue

Fitness Programs

Please consult your physician before beginning any exercise program.



Indoor Boot Camp

Our "boot camp" style workout addresses your specific fitness goals and motivates you to work harder than ever for great fitness results. This class combines body sculpting and cardiovascular workout of a circuit/cycle class with a military boot camp flavor!

Davis Recreation Center, Waldorf

Age: 16+
 Thu Ongoing 7:00-8:00pm
 Resident Fee: \$10; Non-Resident: \$11

Turbo Kickboxing

Want to take your workout to the extreme? This powerhouse workout class blends kickboxing and dance into one fast-paced, turbo-charged routine. Each class is a heart-pounding cardio workout led by a trained instructor who will pull out all the stops to create the ultimate burn. No class Jan 21.

Hanson Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 16+ Registration Deadline: One week prior to start of class
 101321-H1 M/W Jan 7-Feb 13 6:00-6:45pm
 101321-H2 M/W Feb 20-Mar 27 6:00-6:45pm
 Resident Fee \$40; Non-Resident: \$45

Challenge 2B Fit

Challenge kids and teens to put away their video games, get up from the computer and experience fitness fun! Instructor utilizes music during fun activities to improve cardiovascular, muscular strength, flexibility, overall stamina, speed and agility. No class Jan 21.

Hanson Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 5-16 Registration Deadline: One week prior to start of class
 101161-H1 M/W Jan 14-Feb 11 6:30-7:15pm
 101161-H2 M/W Mar4-Mar 27 6:30-7:15pm
 Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Come join the party! Zumba combines high energy and motivating music with unique moves and combinations allow the Zumba participants to dance like nobody is watching while burning calories and fat. Zumba is based on the principle that a workout should be "FUN AND EASY TO DO!" This is an exciting and effective fitness system. The routines feature aerobic/fitness interval training with a combination of fast and slow rhythms that tone and sculpt the body with easy to follow dance steps. Participants that stick to the Zumba Fitness program can achieve long-term health benefits. Zumba is a "feel-happy" workout that is great for both the body and the mind. No class Jan 21 or Feb 18.

Age: 16+
 Registration Deadline: One week prior to start of class
 Resident Fee: \$40; Non-Resident: \$45
 \$5 Drop-In fee available per visit

Davis Recreation Center, Waldorf

101154-D1 Jan 8-Feb 16 Tue/Th • 7:00-8:00pm –and– Sat • 10:00-11:00am
 101154-D2 Feb 19-Mar 26 Tue • 7:00-8:00pm –and– Sat • 10:00-11:00am

Mattawoman Community Center, Waldorf

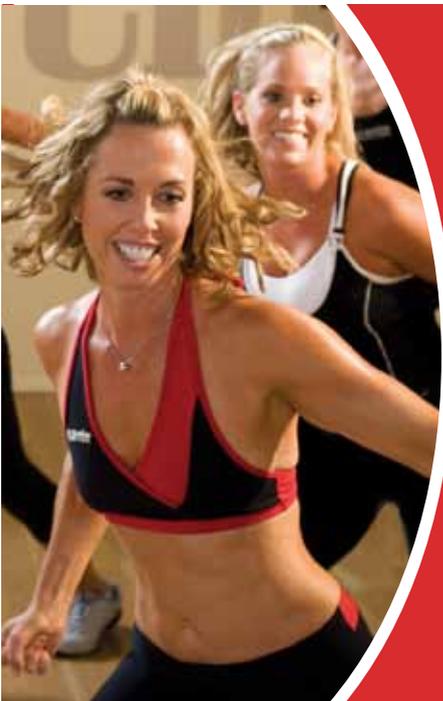
101154-M1 Tue/Thu Jan 8-Feb 12 7:00-8:00pm
 101154-M2 Tue/Thu Feb 19-Mar 26 7:00-8:00pm

Piccowaxen Community Center

101154-P1 Mon*/Wed Jan 14-Feb 20 6:00-7:00pm
 *Tuesday, Feb 19, class substituted for Monday holidays (Feb 18)

Hanson Community Center, Waldorf

101154-H1 Mon/Wed Jan 7-Feb 13 7:00-8:00pm
 101154-H2 Mon/Wed Feb 20-Mar 27 7:00-8:00pm



Waiting for a reason to go dancing?

You no longer need an invitation.

jazzercise®

At Port Tobacco Recreation Center

Each Mon, Wed & Fri: 5:15-6:15pm

Each Sat: 9:00-10:00am

Monthly Fee: \$40

For details, or to register, please call 301-752-1386

School-Based Recreation Center Programs

The following pages contain recreational classes, programs and special events planned for "KIDS" of all ages...



Parent's Night Out!

Don't worry about who can watch the kids Friday night...bring them to us! Kids will make a craft, play games, watch a movie, and enjoy a snack. Space is limited, advance registration recommended.

Open to Kids Age 5 & Older
Select Friday Nights • 6:00-9:00pm

Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Hanson • Waldorf	
101088-H1	Jan 4
101088-H2	Feb 8
101088-H3	Mar 15

Somers • La Plata	
101083-S1	Jan 4
101083-S2	Feb 8
101083-S3	Mar 8

Mattawoman • Waldorf	
101086-M1	Jan 25
101086-M2	Feb 22
101086-M3	Mar 22

Stoddert • Waldorf	
101085-S1	Jan 11
101085-S2	Feb 15
101085-S3	Mar 22

Piccowaxen • Newburg	
101081-P1	Jan 11
101081-P2	Feb 1
101081-P3	Mar 22

Wade • Waldorf	
101082-W1	Jan 18
101082-W2	Feb 15
101082-W3	Mar 15

It's A Blast!



General Classes

Frugal Living

Tired of spending an enormous amount of money on cleaning supplies? Devote a few minutes of your time and make your own cleaning products with ingredients you already have around your home. You will learn how to make high end cleaning products as well as laundry detergent, air fresheners, and many more. You will make take home the cleaners that you make.

Smallwood Community Center, Indian Head

Age: 16+ 101269-SM Mon Jan 28 6:00-7:00pm

Registration Deadline: Jan 21

Resident Fee: \$10; Non-Resident: \$15

Couponing 101

Introduction to Coupons: Coupons can be found everywhere... in the stores, papers, mail, internet, and even on your smart phones. Want to learn more about how to incorporate these savings into your budget? This class will show you the basics of couponing, how to learn the store policies, where to find your coupons, and where to get the best deals. Bring your collection of coupons and a pair of scissors to class.

Smallwood Community Ctr, Indian Head

Age: 16+ 101295-S1 Mon Feb 11 6:00-8:00pm

Registration Deadline: Feb 4

Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Couponing and the Internet

Learn how to incorporate the internet into your couponing search. Never again pay full price for something you need or want. Use store websites, Facebook, and blog pages to help score super savings.

Smallwood Community Ctr, Indian Head

Age: 16+ 101295-S2 Mon Feb 25 6:00-8:00pm

Registration Deadline: Feb 18

Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Extreme Couponing

Learn how to take couponing to the extreme and turn it into a benefit for the local community and your friends and family. Come and learn what questions to ask and who to talk to at the local stores, where to get all the extra coupons, and how to make sure the merchandise is there.

Smallwood Community Ctr, Indian Head

Age: 16+ 101295-S3 Mon Mar 4 6:00-8:00pm

Registration Deadline: Feb 25

Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

After the Holidays Scrapbooking Event

Set aside time to place all of those holiday pictures into an album. Learn to create a unique, photo safe album to showcase your favorite photos from the holidays. Lunch will be served. A Creative Memories representative will be on site all day.

Smallwood Community Ctr, Indian Head
Age: 10+
101292-SM Sat Feb 2 9:00-5:00pm
Registration Deadline: Jan 25
Resident Fee: \$20; Non-Resident: \$22

Let Go of My "Lego"

Program incorporates both preschool and youth age children for the chance to get together and build with Lego's. Themes include: transportation, space building, Toy Story characters, Sponge Bob, and partner building. Kids will take their creations home. Price is per session.

Henson Community Center, Indian Head
Age: 4-11
101158-HE Fri Mar 22 7:30-8:30pm
Registration Deadline: Mar 15
Resident Fee: \$35; Non-Resident: \$40

Learning through Lego's

Use your creative imaginations while learning basic skills using our Lego's. You will learn things like adding and subtracting, building different animals, vehicles, and buildings, all while having a great time.

Henson Community Center, Indian Head
Age: 4-7
101157-HE Fri Mar 22 6:00-7:00pm
Registration Deadline: Mar 16
Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Photo Solutions

Where are all of your pictures? Are they on Facebook, in your camera, on a flash drive, in your computer, or still in a shoebox? Wherever you are storing your pictures, we can help you find the right solution for your busy life. We can show you quick ways to organize, display and even put your pictures in albums. No fee for your first time. Once we determine the solution that will help you, the fee is only \$10 for materials provided by the instructor. Don't forget to bring your pictures. No pre-registration required.

Henson Community Center, Indian Head
Age: 10+ 101210-HE
Sat Jan 5 10:00am-2:00pm
Sat Mar 2 10:00am-2:00pm
Fee: \$10 supply fee per class

HOW TO FIND SCHOLARSHIPS

Need help finding scholarship money for your student but don't know where to start? Don't wait until your child is in their senior year of high school. This class will show you where to look and how to get started so you can get the best scholarships available.

Smallwood Community Center, Indian Head

Age: 16+ 101284-SM
Mon Feb 4 6:00-8:00pm
Registration Deadline: Jan 28
Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6



Kids in Motion

Put down the video games and let's get moving! Kids will participate in various activities to help them get moving. Please wear athletic shorts, t-shirt, and athletic shoes.

Somers Community Center, La Plata
Age: 6-12
101342-SO Wed Feb 20 6:00-7:00pm
Registration Deadline: Feb 13
Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Family Night

Spend a fun evening with your family while watching a family friendly movie. Snacks and refreshments provided. The fee is for a family of 4.

Somers Community Center, La Plata
Age: All
101340-SO Fri Feb 1 7:00-9:00pm
Resident Fee: \$4; Non-Resident: \$5
\$1 each additional family member

Good Times with Gak

Get your hands dirty with this slimy concoction. You will learn how to make gak using materials that you can find around your house.

Age: 4+
Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Somers Community Center, La Plata
101330-SO Tue Jan 15 6:00-7:00pm
Piccowaxen Community Ctr, Newburg
101330-PI Mon Feb 4 6:00-7:00pm

French in Motion

French Language Exploration for Kids
Students learn through dialogue, movement, song and dance, art, and role playing. Classes are engaging and enjoyable, and emphasize conversation and practical communication, as well as French culture. Class size is limited.

Wade Community Center, Waldorf
Age: 6-12
Registration Deadline: One week prior to the start
Resident Fee: \$55; Non-Resident: \$65

Level 1: Session 1

101011-W1 Tue • Jan 15-Feb 12 • 6:00-6:45pm
101011-W2 Thu • Jan 17-Feb 14 • 6:00-6:45pm

Level 1: Session 2

101011-W3 Tue • Jan 22-Feb 19 • 5:00-5:45pm
101011-W4 Thu • Jan 24-Feb 21 • 5:00-5:45pm

Level 2

101011-W5 Tue • Feb 26-Mar 25 • 6:00-6:45pm
101011-W6 Thu • Feb 28-Mar 28 • 6:00-6:45pm

Native American Basketry

This class is an introduction to Southwestern Native American basket art. Learn to make & design decorative baskets, trivets, bowls, purses and more in this fun class. No Class Feb 18.

Somers Community Center, La Plata
Age: 16+
101328-SO Mon Jan 28-Feb 25 6:30-7:30pm
Registration Deadline: Jan 21
Resident Fee: \$30; Non-Resident: \$35
Additional \$12 for supplies due first night of class

Make Your Own Lava Lamp

Oil and water do not mix. We will prove this in an inventive way as we combine them for an interesting and entertaining project. Learn and understand the scientific principles behind your projects. Learn why certain ingredients react to each other in explosive or colorful ways. Recipes, supplies and instructions included.

Stoddert Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 8+ 101309-ST Wed Jan 16 6:30-7:30pm
 Registration Deadline: Jan 9
 Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

1 Bead, 2 Beads, 3 Beads, Fuse Beads

These multicolored beads can be arranged in various patterns to create a design or shape using peg boards of various shapes and sizes. You and your child will have so much fun designing your own or use one of the patterns provided to create your project.

Hanson Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 8+ 101279-HA Wed Jan 30 6:30-7:30pm
 Registration Deadline: Jan 23
 Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Cuddly Critters & Creatures

Make huggable stuffed critters and creatures out of a variety of interesting fabrics as well as colorful socks and gloves. Participants must be able to thread a needle and tie a knot without assistance.

Hanson Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 8-12 101302-H1 Tue Mar 12-19 6:30-7:30pm
 Registration Deadline: One week prior to the start
 Registration Fee: \$10; Non-Resident: \$12

Toddler Programs

It's a COLOR Party 2/1

This is a great way to help your toddlers learn their colors! Wear your favorite color and bring a toy with your favorite color. Kids will participate in a take-home craft. Snacks will be provided.

Somers Community Center, La Plata

Age: 2-5 101341-SO Fri Jan 11 6:00-7:00pm
 Registration Deadline: Jan 4
 Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Tiny Hands Crafts

This hands-on class encourages children to be creative, get messy, and have fun. Children create at least two projects per class. Adult participation required.

Hanson Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 2-5 101317-H1 Tue Jan 15-29 6:15-7:00pm
 101317-H2 Tue Feb 12-26 6:15-7:00pm
 Registration Deadline: One week prior to the start
 Resident Fee; \$10; Non-Resident: \$12

Mother Mattawoman

Join staff for an interactive book reading, followed by a related craft. Bring your little one to share in the fun with other children. Learn social skills such as sharing, taking turns, and mastering basic instructions. All children must be accompanied by an adult.

Mattawoman Community Ctr, Waldorf

Age: 4-6
 Resident Fee: \$3; Non-Resident: \$4

Good Night Princess

101132-M1 Wed Jan 23 6:00-7:00pm
 101132-M2 Wed Feb 27 6:00-7:00pm

A Dr. Seuss Favorite

101132-M3 Wed Jan 30 6:00-7:00pm
 101132-M4 Wed Mar 13 6:00-7:00pm



Afterschool Activities program

This program is designed for children who will benefit from staying after school with their peers and friends. Students will enjoy a snack, homework help, gym time, crafts and more. Registration forms and payment information are available at Community Services' Registration Office, all Community Centers, and online at www.CharlesCountyParks.com.

This program does not meet on school closing days. Program may not qualify for child care tax deduction.

Registrant must attend school where participating.

Open to Grades: 6-8
 Weekly Fee: \$40
 Program Operates: Mon-Fri

Program is available through Community Centers as follows:

Waldorf: Davis, Hanson, Mattawoman, Stoddert
 Indian Head: Henson, Smallwood
 Newburg: Piccowaxen
 La Plata: Somers

All Aboard!

Thomas the Train Party

All aboard for a wonderful train adventure starring Thomas the Train. Enjoy special train activities and games. Kids will take home their very own "Little Engineer" set that includes a Conductor's hat, wooden train whistle, and bandana. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Smallwood Community Ctr, Indian Head

Age: 3-6
 101285-SM Fri Jan 25 6:30-7:30pm
 Registration Deadline: Jan 18
 Resident Fee: \$8; Non-Resident: \$9

Connect the Tots

Join our fun drop-in informal interactive playgroup for parents and children. Your child will have the opportunity to play with other children while improving social and developmental skills. This is a parent generated activity.

Stoddert Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 2-5
 101336-ST Thu Feb 7-28 6:15-7:00pm
 Registration Deadline: Jan 31
 Resident Fee: \$3; Non-Resident: \$4

Tiny Tot Bingo

Bingo just for toddlers. Children will have fun playing the game of bingo while they learn colors, shapes, numbers and letters.

Hanson Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 3-5
 101337-HA Wed Feb 13-Mar 13 6:15-7:00pm
 Registration Deadline: Feb 6
 Resident Fee: \$3; Non-Resident: \$4

Tots in Motion

Your toddler will participate in activities that will help them with balance, coordination, and socialization in a relaxed environment.

Somers Community Center, La Plata

Age: 2-5
 101343-SO Thu Feb 28 6:00-7:00pm
 Registration Deadline: Feb 22
 Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Preschool Fit Fun

Each station presents a fitness challenge featuring jumping for height, jumping for distance, tumbling, balance, and coordination. Each child's progress will be recorded weekly. Parent participation required.

Hanson Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 2-5
 101338-HA Thu Mar 7-28 6:15-7:00pm
 Registration Deadline: Feb 28
 Resident Fee: \$12; Non-Resident: \$15

Cooking

Cupcake Decorating

Learn various skills such as using assorted tips, holding pastry bags, coloring icing, cupcake cooking basics, and general ideas for designs. No class Jan 18.

Somers Community Center, La Plata

Age: 16+
 101339-SO Fri Jan 4-Feb 1 6:30-8:00pm
 Registration Deadline: Jan 2
 Resident Fee: \$25; Non-Resident: \$30
 Plus \$10 supply fee due at first class for materials

Crock-Pot Cooking

Leave this class knowing you can have 20 meals prepared, in your freezer, and ready to go after one shopping trip and an afternoon of prep time. When you're ready, place in the crock-pot and dinner is complete! Prepare a meal on site to take home.

Smallwood Community Ctr, Indian Head

Age: 16+
 101306-SM Mon Jan 14 6:00-7:30pm
 Registration Deadline: Jan 7
 Resident Fee: \$15; Non-Resident: \$18

Turkish Dinner Party

Experience a culinary adventure while learning how to prepare a Turkish dish. Be inspired by watching our expert cook display her talents and secrets of a Turkish chef. Participants will enjoy Turkish tea, appetizer, and a main course.

Somers Community Center, La Plata

Age: 16+
 101294-S1 Fri Jan 25 6:30-8:30pm
 101294-S2 Fri Feb 22 6:30-8:30pm
 Resident Fee: \$20; Non-Resident: \$23

Junior Chef Class

All supplies are included as well as a chef's hat. We will enjoy a variety of different culinary adventures made by your little ones. Come cook, bake, and experiment with us, and let us clean up the mess. This will include a take home box for your goodies. Adult must accompany child.



Mattawoman Center, Waldorf

Age 6-12
 Resident Fee: \$8; Non-Resident: \$9

Chocolate Shop Fun

101133-M1 Sat Jan 26 11:00am-Noon

Cupcake Decorating Workshop

101133-M2 Sat Feb 9 11:00am-Noon

S'Mores & Ice Cream

101133-M3 Sat Mar 2 11:00am-Noon

Dessert Throw Down

Do you think you have the best home-made dessert around? Come be a part of our first dessert throw down. If you're feeling generous, bring a copy of your recipe for a swap after the competition. Prizes awarded to winners.

Somers Community Center, La Plata

Age: 14+
 101332-SO Thu Feb 21 7:00-8:30pm
 Registration Deadline: Feb 14
 Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Goo Much Fun!

Join staff for fun, off the wall, unusual experiments that your mother won't let you do at home. Pick one, two, three, or all four activities. All supplies are included, and all participants must be accompanied by an adult. Call for more information.

Wade Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 8-12
 Registration Deadline: One week prior to the start
 Registration Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Nails

101345-W1
 Tue Jan 29 6:30-7:30pm

Butter

101345-W3
 Tue Feb 26 6:30-7:30pm

Lava Lamp Experiment

101345-W2
 Tue Feb 12 6:30-7:30pm

Juggling

101345-W4
 Tue Mar 12 6:30-7:30pm



Freezer Cooking

Tired from working all week? No problem – just pull out a freezer meal you prepared earlier and pop it in the oven and you will be ready to eat in no time. Freezer cooking allows the user to become healthier, save money, time, and energy. Prepare a meal on site to take home with you.

Smallwood Community Ctr, Indian Head

Age: 16+
101326-SM Mon Mar 18 6:00-7:30pm
Registration Deadline: Mar 11
Resident Fee: \$15; Non-Resident: \$18

Dance

Line Dancing

Learn the hottest dances. Encourage a group of friends, or come alone for a great time with other dance enthusiasts. Open to all levels. No class Apr 4.

Wade Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 16+
101029-W1 Thu Jan 24-Feb 21 6:30-8:00pm
101029W2 Thu Mar 7-Apr 11 6:30-8:00pm
Resident Fee: \$35; Non-Resident: \$40

Yard Sales & Fairs

Spring Cleaning Indoor Yard Sale

Clean out the closets and the garage and take part in our indoor yard sale. Event held rain or shine. This is a free event. Vendors and Sellers needed

Somers Community Center, La Plata

Age: All
101177-S0 Sat Mar 2 9:00am-Noon
101177-S1 Your Table/Space \$4/ea
101177-S2 Space for One 6' Table \$7/ea



Holiday Special Events

Holiday Drop & Shop

The holidays are nearing, and you might have those last few items to pick up. Don't worry about trying to find a baby sitter, instead drop the kids off with us. Children will play games; make a craft, and other fun activities. Snack and a drink will be provided.

Somers Community Center, La Plata

Age: 5-12 401331-S0 Sat Dec 15 10:00am-2:00pm
Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Homemade Christmas Ornaments

Have a bare spot on that Christmas tree? We will help you take care of that. Come and make some homemade ornaments that you will be proud to put on your tree.

Age: 5+
Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Somers Community Center, La Plata

401333-S0 Wed Dec 19 6:00-7:00pm

Piccowaxen Community Center, Newburg

401333-PI Thu Dec 20 6:00-7:00pm



Be My Valentine Craft

Bring your kids and we'll help them make a craft for that certain special someone. Each kid will make a take-home craft. Drinks will be provided.

Somers Community Center, La Plata

Age: 5+ 101179-S0 Wed Feb 13 6:00-7:00pm
Registration Deadline: Feb 6
Resident Fee: \$3; Non-Resident: \$4

Easter Festival

Come hop with the Easter Bunny, decipher clues to a scavenger hunt, guess how many jelly beans are in the jar, create a cool craft, play games, and enjoy balloon animals.

Hanson Community Center, Waldorf

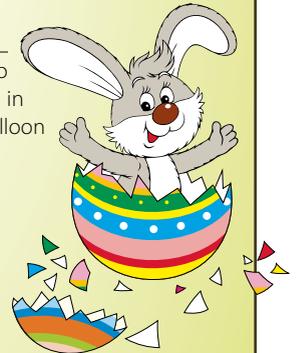
Age: 2-10
101036-HA Sat Mar 23 11:00am-1:00pm
Registration Deadline: Mar 18
Resident Fee: \$8; Non-Resident: \$9

Flashlight Easter Egg Hunt

Enjoy games, activities, and a flashlight Easter egg hunt. Prizes awarded to those who find the most eggs and the prize egg. Prizes also awarded for the jelly bean count and coloring contest. Have your picture taken with the Easter Bunny! All participants must be accompanied by an adult, and must bring their own flashlight and basket or bucket.

Smallwood Community Center, Indian Head

Age: 1-10 101036-SM Thu Mar 28 6:30-8:30pm
Registration Deadline: Mar 21 Registration Fee: \$7; Non-Resident: \$8



TOT OLYMPICS

Sat, May 11 • 10:00am-Noon

At Westlake High School, Waldorf

Opening Ceremonies Start PROMPTLY at 10:00 a.m.

Rain Date: Sat, May 18 • 10:00am-Noon

Magnify your Olympic spirit and watch as your toddler brings their Olympic dream to life. The **Tot Olympics 2013 Games** feature a variety of fun events like running, jumping, kicking, throwing, and tricycle races. A moon bounce and vendors will also be on site. Athletes will have their participation recorded on a special tracking form distributed during opening ceremonies.

Everyone's a Winner ... So, Don't forget your camera!

Each child will receive an award and snack for their effort.

Open to Children Age 3-6

201334-SM for Age: 3-4 • 201335-SM for Age 5-6

Registration Deadline: May 4

Resident Fee: \$10; Non-Resident: \$15

Parent/guardian participation is required for each athlete.



Sports Programs & Classes



Quick Start Tennis

Kids will learn the basic skills and principles of tennis while enjoying the experience of hitting balls back and forth successfully after the first lesson. Court size is reduced. Balls and racquets are provided.

Age: 6-12
Resident Fee: \$20; Non-Resident Fee: \$25

**Piccowaxen Community Ctr,
Newburg**

101105-P1
Thu Jan 3-Feb 7 6:30-7:00pm

Somers Community Center, La Plata

101105-S1
Wed Jan 2-Feb 6 6:30-7:00pm

Foil Fencing

Learn the rules and terminology. Participate in simple competition. Bring a leather glove. Limited to eight participants. No class Apr 4.

Somers Community Ctr, La Plata

Age: 8+ 101142-S0
Wed Jan 9-Feb 27 6:00-7:00pm
Resident Fee: \$40; Non-Resident: \$45

Adult Basketball

Program emphasizes total participation and fun. This is not a drop-in program, registration is required.

Somers Community Center, La Plata

Age: 18+
101051-S0 Tue Feb 5-Apr 16 7:00-9:00pm
Resident Fee: \$40; Non-Resident: \$50

Start Smart!

Sanctioned through the National Alliance of Youth Sports. Program includes parents in preparing kids for organized sports in a fun, non-threatening environment using fun, developmentally age-appropriate equipment to prepare children for sports without the fear of failure.

Resident Fee: \$40; Non-Resident: \$45

Start Smart Multi-Sport

Age: 3-5 6:00-7:00pm

Davis Middle School, Waldorf

104027-DA Wed Jan 16-Feb 20

Smallwood Community Ctr, Indian Head

104027-SM Thu Jan 17-Feb 21



Spring In-House Recreational Basketball Program

This is not a league program. This six week, non-competitive program is designed to develop skills and promote fun while participating in loosely organized games. Players go through four fundamental stations and play round-robin style games. Games and practices will be in one location.

Open to Age 5-8 • Registration is Limited

Registration Fee: \$35

TUE • Apr 9-May 14 6:00pm		WED • Apr 10-May 15 6:00pm		THU • Apr 11-May 16 6:00pm	
Davis Middle School		Mattawoman Community Center		Port Tobacco Recreation Center	
Age	Code	Age	Code	Age	Code
5-6	204006-DA	7-8	204007-MA	5-6	204006-PT
				7-8	204007-PT

Did you know that we offer a monthly E-Newsletter?

You can receive information on programs, classes and special events offered by Community Services right to your e-mail in-box!

Register at www.CharlesCountyMD.gov

Simply click on the e-mail newsletter registration button. The newsletter is distributed under the "Recreation in Charles County" Category.



Adult Volleyball Leagues

Ten-match season (30 games). Players must not be eligible to participate at the high school level. Individuals interested in joining a team should contact the Registration Office and have their name placed on a free agent list.

Leagues are open to all playing levels — from beginner to power.

Age: 18+

Games begin Mar 18

Registration Deadline: Mar 8

Team Fee: \$300



Competitive Co-Ed
204200-ZZ • Mon/Wed

Recreational Co-Ed
204201-ZZ • Mon/Wed

Recreational Women's
204202-ZZ • Mon/Wed

Did you know that you can register online for Community Services Programs?

www.
CharlesCountyParks
.com

Learn more about Charles County's parks, recreation centers, and more!

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Sign up for our E-News updates! Choose your topics of interest, and the news will come directly to your e-mail! Visit www.CharlesCountyMD.gov



Adult Sports Drop-In Programs

Resident Fee: \$3/visit • Non-Resident: \$4

Basketball

Adults • Age 18+

Piccowaxen Community Ctr, Newburg

501072-PI Wed 7:00-9:00pm

Port Tobacco Recreation Center

501072-PT Tue 8:00-9:30pm

Stoddert Community Ctr, Waldorf

501072-ST Thu 6:00-8:00pm

Adults • Age 30+

Davis Middle School, Waldorf

501073-DA Wed 8:00-9:15pm

Port Tobacco Recreation Center

501073-PT Mon 8:00-9:15pm

Mattawoman Community Center, Waldorf

501073-MA Wed 8:00-9:15pm

Smallwood Community Center, Indian Head

501073-SM Mon & Wed 8:00-9:15pm

Stoddert Community Center, Waldorf

501073-ST Thu 8:00-9:15pm



Volleyball

Co-Ed Adults • Age 18+

Port Tobacco Recreation Center

501074-PT Thu 8:00-9:30pm

Smallwood Community Ctr, Indian Head

501074-SM Tue & Thu 7:00-9:00pm

Wade Community Center, Waldorf

501074-WA Wed 8:00-9:15pm



Futsal

Adults • Age 18+

Somers Community Center, La Plata

501075-SO Wed 8:00-9:15pm

Corn Hole

Age 16+

Somers Community Center, La Plata

510077-SO Mon 7:00-9:00pm

Table Tennis (FREE)

Adults • Age 18+

Stoddert Community Center, Waldorf

501076-ST Tue/Fri 6:00-9:00pm



Youth & Teen Drop-In Programs (FREE)

August 27, 2012 – End of 2013 School Year

Open style sports and semi-organized games. Registration form with parental consent required each school year. Sign-in by youth required each day of participation. **Dates and times subject to change. Please call the Center directly for schedule changes.**

Center	Code	Days	Time
Age 8-13			
Henson	501001-HE	Tue & Fri	4:00-6:00pm
Somers	501001-SO	Tue & Thu	4:15-5:45pm
Stoddert	501001-ST	Tue & Thu	3:30-5:30pm
Wade	501001-WA	Mon/Tue/ Thu/Fri	3:30-5:30pm
Middle School			
Davis	501006-DA	Fri	6:00-7:30pm
Hanson	501006-HA	Mon & Wed	4:00-5:30pm
Henson	501006-HE	Tue & Thu	4:00-6:00pm
Age: 14-17			
Davis	501004-DA	Fri	7:30-9:00pm
		Sat	11:00-1:00pm
Hanson	501004-HA	Fri	4:00-5:30pm
Henson	501004-HE	Mon & Wed	4:00-6:00pm
Somers	501004-SO	Fri	4:15-5:15pm
Stoddert	501004-ST	Mon & Wed	4:00-5:30pm
Home School			
Somers	501003-SO	3rd Fri of Each Month	2:30-4:15pm

Did you know...

Punch Cards are available for Adult Drop-In Sports Programs!

\$30 for 12 visits

4 v 4 Indoor Slam Adult Volleyball Tournament Series

Adult volleyball teams are invited to participate in this volleyball spectacular. Pool play determines seedings into a single-elimination tournament. Games will be played at some of the best volleyball facilities in Southern Maryland. Awards to division champs. Min 4/Max 6 per team roster. Games will be officiated. Each participant receives a T-shirt.

OPEN TO AGE 18 & OLDER.



New Year's Slam



Sat • Jan 5

- 104197-ZZ • Competitive Co-Ed A
- 104198-ZZ • Recreational Co-Ed B

Registration Deadline: Dec 28

Team Fee: \$100

\$80 if registered by Dec 21

St. Patty's Day Slam

Sat • March 16

- 204197-ZZ • Competitive A
- 204198-ZZ • Competitive B

Registration Deadline: Mar 8

Team Fee: \$100

\$80 if registered by Mar 1



2013 Elks Hoop Shoot

National Free Throw Contest

This event is FREE and open to the public. Awards will be presented to all age group winners. Winner moves up to District Level... then Regional and State Finals... State winner advances to National Finals where the winner will have their name enshrined in the *James Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame*.

Must bring proof of age day of event (copy of birth certificate, passport, or baptismal certificate). Winners must submit a copy of proof the week following the competition. Note: Age group eligibility is determined by child's age as of April 1, 2013, not necessarily their current age.

Sponsored by Waldorf BPO Elks Lodge No. 2421 and the Department of Community Services.

Wade Community Center, Waldorf

Friday • Jan 11

Open to Kids Age 8-13

Registration: 6:00pm
Competition: 6:30pm

Program Code:

Girls 104034
Boys 104035

Age Codes:

8-9 01
10-11 02
12-13 03



Have a Ball!

Outdoor Sports Leagues for Youth & Adults

For further information on the leagues shown below, please call 301-932-3470 or 301-870-2778.

Adult Outdoor Soccer Leagues

Regular season play will be round-robin format (8-10 games). Post-season tournament will be offered. League will be open to one or more divisions of competition.

Age: 18+ Spring Registration: Feb 25-Mar 8
Games Begin: Early Apr Team Fee: \$450-\$700

League	Format	Day
Women's Age 18+	7 vs 7	Sun
Men's Age 18+	11 vs 11	Wed
Men's 35+	7 vs 7	Mon

Youth Outdoor Soccer Leagues

The Southern Maryland Youth Soccer League is first and foremost a recreational sports program. Its purpose is to provide an opportunity for youth to participate in soccer within designated age divisions. League play will be a round-robin schedule consisting of 8-10 games.

Age: 5-17 Spring Registration: Late Jan-Early Mar
Games Begin: Early Apr

League	Format	Field
U-6, U-7	7 vs 7, 4 vs 4	Small Field
U-8, U-9	7 vs 7	Intermediate Field
U-10, U-12	8 vs 8	Intermediate Field
U-14	11 vs 11	Regulation Field
U-18	11 vs 11	Regulation Field

Adult Softball Leagues

Regular season play will be round-robin format (18 games); teams play double-headers. Each team limited to a minimum of 15 players and maximum of 20.

Age: 18+ (and not attending high school)
Spring Registration: Feb 25-Mar 8
Games Begin: Late Apr
Team Fee: \$550-\$600

League	Day
Adult Co-Rec.	Fri/Sun
Men's.	Mon/Wed/Thu
Women's	Tue

Youth Outdoor Baseball & Softball Leagues

For information regarding organizations offering youth baseball and softball programs, please call 301-932-3470 or 301-870-2778.





Youth Sports Leagues Volunteer Coach Application

Community Services is looking for volunteer youth sports league coaches.

Complete this form and mail to:

Department of Community Services
Attn: Registration Office
8190 Port Tobacco Road
Port Tobacco, MD 20677

You may also fax the form to 301-934-0121.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Complete Address: _____

Daytime Phone #: _____

Evening Phone #: _____

E-mail: _____

Age group you prefer:

Middle School Basketball League

- 6th Grade Boys 7th Grade Boys
 8th Grade Boys 6th-8th Grade Girls

A volunteer coach will receive a 50% refund off the regular fee for one child if they are selected to coach.

Coaching refunds will be processed after games begin.

Child's Name: _____

Coach Shirt Size: (circle one)

S M L XL XXL Other _____
(Shirt sizes run small)

**This is not a program registration form.
See page 35 for program registration.**

Middle School Spring Basketball League

Test your skills versus the best Charles County has to offer. There will be an eight game regular season with playoffs. Divisions are based on grade level. Players can only play at the middle school community center they currently attend. Those attending private school must play for the center in their appropriate school zone.

Practice Begins: Mar 11 (estimate)

REGISTRATION IS LIMITED

Registration Fee: \$90/\$75
if registered by Feb 16

Registration Deadline: Mar 2

Save \$15 if you register by Feb 16



Grades for 2012-2013 School Year

Use the code next to your grade/gender then add center ID for the school your child either attends, or for private school students that they are zoned to attend.

Ex. code: 204180-HA = 6th Grade/Boys at Hanson Community Center

Grade/Gender	Code
6th Grade/Boys	204180
7th Grade/Boys	204181
8th Grade/Boys	204182
6th-8th Grade/Girls	204183

Middle School ID

Davis (DA)	Piccowaxen (PI)
Hanson (HA)	Smallwood (SM)
Henson (HE)	Somers (SO)
Mattawoman (MA)	Stoddert (ST)

Become a Coach!

NEW COACHES ONLY – Volunteer to coach for any of our youth sports leagues, and you could receive a 50% refund off your child's registration fee (if selected to coach).

For details, please call 301-934-0105 or 301-870-3388, ext. 5123.

Refund applies to one participating child only, and will be processed **AFTER** the first game.
Please do not exclude the refund from your enrollment fee.

Indoor Youth Sports League Registration Information

Proof of age required within three (3) days of registration if requested by the Registration Office. No exceptions to this rule. Carpool requests, practice location requests, or requests for a particular coach cannot be guaranteed.

Indoor Youth Sports League Refund Policy

All requests for refunds for sports league programs must be received in writing by March 25. Faxed refund requests are accepted at 301-934-5624. Late fees are non-refundable. A \$10 administrative fee will be deducted from all approved refunds, regardless of circumstances, unless program is canceled by Charles County Government.

Elite

Gymnastics & Recreation Center

2745 Old Washington Rd, Waldorf MD

301-870-7938 • 301-705-6557

Registrations for Elite programs are accepted only at Elite.
Program fees shown are for residents. Please add an additional \$1 for non-resident registrations unless otherwise noted.

Kid Fit

Spend quality time with your little one while he or she develops body awareness, balance, fitness, listening and social skills, plus fun and activities using gymnastic apparatus.



Drop In

Age: 1-3
Each Mon/Fri
10:00-10:45am -or-
11:00-11:45am
Fee: \$5 each visit

Music, Rhythm & Movement

Learn songs, how to keep a beat, sing in tune, use basic instruments, and more. Develop social skills, focusing and listening skills, coordination, and just have fun. Preregistration required. Session begins January 7.

Age: Infant-4 yrs
Each Mon 10:00-10:45am -or- 11:00-11:45am
Fee: \$55/8 session (siblings 0-8mo: free)

Learning through Art for Toddlers

Develop focusing skills, how to follow directions, and the joy of creativity. Preregistration required. Session begins January 7.

Age: 2-4 Each Mon
10:00-10:45am -or- 11:15am-Noon
Fee: \$55/8 sessions

Gymnastics for Home Schooled Students

Keep physically and mentally fit through gymnastics movements and exploration.

Age: 5-13
Each Mon 12:30-1:30pm -or- 1:30-2:30pm
Fee: \$ 75/8 Sessions

Zumba Drop In

Want to be a part of something big! Come and join the biggest zumba party in Charles County with Joe Do'lt and Gena Bentley. Come party yourself into shape, you don't want to miss it.

Age: 15+
Mon/Wed/Fri Ongoing 7:00-8:00pm
Resident Drop In Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$7

Tummy Time Abs Drop In

Gena Bentley gives a power packed 30 minute abs work out that helps work on toning your belly and strengthening your abs. Drop in and tone up today!

Age: 15+
Mon/Fri Ongoing 8:00-8:30pm
Resident Drop In Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$7

Special Programs

Winter Break Camp

Offering gymnastics fun and games including activities on the vault, ropes, trampoline, bars, balance beam and outrageous foam "pit." Daily activities include creative arts, gymnastics and organized games. Bring a bag lunch, drink and 2 snacks each day. Before care starts at 6:30am; after care ends at 6:00pm.

Age: 6-12
Wed-Fri Dec 26-28 9:00am-4:00pm
Resident Fee: \$75/Camper; Non Resident Fee: \$80
Add \$20 Before or After Care
Add \$30 Before and After Care



Maryland Ntensity Cheer

Competitive cheerleading, tumbling, stunting, and advanced skills for young athletes.

Ntensity's mission is to provide a family oriented and safe environment with an emphasis on good sportsmanship, fun, and a positive attitude by encouraging healthy lifestyles, work ethic, discipline, perseverance and a positive outlook. We believe that in developing these fundamental traits, our young members will not only be successful in cheerleading, but successful in life.

MNC offers competitive teams ranging from beginner to advanced, which will provides members an opportunity to excel.

For details, call Coach Karla at 240-346-7460.

2012-2013 Season

Age: 7-18 (as of August 31, 2012)
Practices: Sun/Tue/Thu
Monthly Resident Fee: \$95;
Non-Resident: \$100

Waldorf Action Martial Arts

Gain energy, flexibility, strength, endurance, be less stressed, and learn forms of self-protection. 4th, 5th and 6th Degree Black Belt Master Instructors.

Affordable prices, Family memberships, law enforcement/firefighter/military discounts!

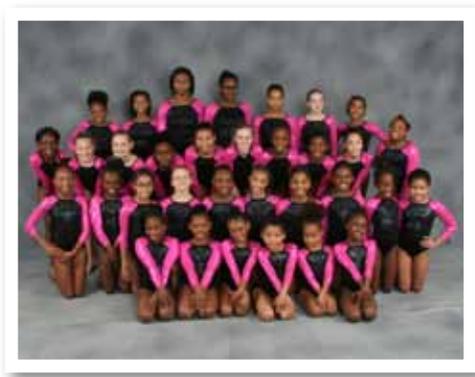
Taekwondo, Te-Geri Fitness Kickboxing, Adult Morning Classes, Karate Birthday Parties, Transported Afterschool Sport Taekwondo Program.

"Test-drive" any of our programs with a Free Introductory Lesson. Call 301-645-1650, or visit at www.waldorfmarialarts.com

Elite

Gymnastics & Recreation Center

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Gymnastics

High quality gymnastics are available for boys and girls age 2-18. Classes follow USA Gymnastics Jr. Olympic Program. Day and evening classes available. Beginner, intermediate, and advanced classes. Monthly fees with annual registration.

Competitive Teams

Two teams. USAG competitive team levels 3-10, and Mason-Dixon competitive team levels A-E. USA Gymnastics is the sole national governing body for the sport of gymnastics in the United States. Designation comes from U.S. Olympic Committee and International Gymnastics Federation (FIG). Mason Dixon Gymnastics League is intended for the gymnast to compete in a recreational setting. Requirements have been set by league directors and judges to allow for a rewarding experience at each level, while remembering the main focus is to have fun. The competition season for both leagues usually begins in November and ends in spring. Competitive gymnasts travel to various gyms in Maryland and throughout the United States.

Pre-Competitive Teams

Two groups: Baby Eagles and Little Eagles. By placement only. Designed to prepare gymnasts who demonstrate skills and readiness needed for competitive programs, to cross over into USAG competitive gymnastics program. These groups do not compete.

Recreational Gymnastics

Program teaches achievable goals, frequent success and tangible rewards. Our curriculum uses a beginner to advanced level system to track achievements.

Skills are broken into achievable steps. Elite nurtures an environment where children have an opportunity to be successful and feel like winners.

Sessions consist of eight classes Placement depends on age and skill level. For safety reasons, all class sizes are limited to a maximum number of participants. Classes may be canceled due to low enrollment. Instructors may move children to a different level class if the child is unable to participate in the skill level of the registered class.

Session 3: January 6-March 2

Current Student Registration Date: November 26
New Student Registration Date: December 3

Session 4: March 3-April 27

Closed March 29 and 31.

Current Student Registration Date: January 27
New Student Registration Date: February 3

See schedule on page 21.

Jumpin' Gymnastics Birthday Parties

Have your next birthday party at Elite!

Open to children age 4-12 • 1-12 Guests: \$145 • 13-25 Guests \$185
50% non-refundable deposit required to book party. Fee includes one hour in the gym and half hour in the party room with invitations, gift bags, ice cream, and drinks.

For details, call 301-705-6557 or 301-870-7938.

Winter Gymnastics Programs & Schedule

Schedule subject to change.

	Monthly Fee	Duration	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
Super Tots	Parent and child class. Students learn focus and control while participating in basic gymnastic exercises on equipment designed for tots. This class will keep busy toddlers moving and help them develop listening skills.								
Age 2	\$90	45 Min.	6:15					10:00	3:15, 4:00
Super Kids	Parent and child class. Students develop body awareness, strength and flexibility while participating in gymnastic exercises. This class will reinforce listening skills and help toddlers learn to wait their turn and stay with the group.								
Age 3	\$90	45 Min.			5:00		5:15	11:00	2:15
Super Kids Elite	Students develop balance and coordination while learning the importance of taking turns and following instruction through participating in fundamental gymnastic exercises. This class will encourage independence. Students attend this level without parents in the gym.								
Age 4	\$115	55 Min.	5:00	5:00		5:00	6:00	9:00	3:00, 4:00
Level 1 Gymnastics	Beginner level. Focuses on fundamental gymnastics skills. Learn terminology and proper technique.								
Age 5-6	\$115	55 Min.		6:00	7:00	5:00, 6:00	6:00	9:00, 10:00	2:00
Age 7-10				7:00	6:00	7:00		11:00, Noon	4:00
Age 11+				7:00			7:00	11:00	3:00
Age 5-6	\$150	55 Min., 2x's/wk	5:00	And	5:00				
Age 7-10	\$150	55 Min., 2x's/wk	6:00, 7:00	And	6:00, 7:00				
Level 2/3 Gymnastics	Intermediate level class designed to continue skill progression. Gymnasts will refine current skills and develop new skills in order to progress to the next level. BY PLACEMENT ONLY.								
Level 2 • Age 7-10			7:00		6:00			10:00, Noon	
Level 2 • Age 11+							7:00	9:00	
Level 2 • Age 7-10	\$150	55 Min., 2x's/wk		7:00	AND	7:00			
Level 3 • Age 7+	\$115	55 Min.					7:00	11:00	
Level 3 • Age 7+	\$150	55 Min., 2x's/wk		6:00	And	6:00			
Tumble & Trampoline	Concentrated tumbling. Focus on strength, flexibility and endurance. Designed for cheerleaders. Advanced class is BY PLACEMENT ONLY.								
Beg Middle School	\$115	55 Min.	5:00		6:00		6:00, 7:00	9:00, Noon	
Beg High School			6:00				7:00	11:00	
Adv. Age All							7:00	Noon	
Beg. Tumble All	\$150	55 Min., 2x's/wk	7:00	And	7:00				
Drop-In	\$5	55 Min.	8:00			8:00		1:00	2:00
Boys Tumble/Trampoline	Novice/intermediate class. Focus on strength, flexibility, endurance.								
Age All	\$115	55 Min.					6:00		
Age 5-10							7:00	10:00	
Advanced (All Ages)									Noon

Aquatics Programs

Pool Locations & Hours

Hours are subject to change without notice.

All patrons will be cleared from the water 15 minutes prior to facility closing.

View the daily pool calendars at www.CharlesCountyParks.com

Indoor Pools

LACKEY POOL

301-743-2470 • 301-753-6003
Henry E. Lackey High School
3000 Chicamuxen Rd, Indian Head

Winter Hours: Nov 15-Feb 24

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 7:00-9:00pm
Wednesday, FridayVaries
Saturday-Sunday Noon-6:00pm

Spring Hours: Feb 25-Jun 14

Monday-Friday 3:30-9:00pm
Saturday-Sunday Noon-6:00pm

NORTH POINT POOL

301-934-7475
North Point High School
2500 Davis Rd, Waldorf

Winter Hours: Nov 15-Feb 24

Monday-Friday 7:30-9:00pm

Spring Hours: Feb 25-Jun 14

Monday-Friday 3:30-9:00pm
Saturday-Sunday Noon-6:00pm



Daily Admission

Age	Fee
Age 2 & Younger	Free
Age 3-12	\$4
Age 13+	\$5
Age 60+	\$4
Children age 12 and younger must be accompanied by an adult age 16+.	

Group Admission

Any group of 8 or more must make reservations with the Pool Manager at least two weeks prior. Please call the Lackey or North Point Aquatics Offices for information.

Holiday Punch Card Sale

Buy a punch card between December 5 and January 5 and receive a free pair of goggles priced at \$10 or less. Makes a great gift or start to your New Year's Resolution!

Punch Cards

12 visit punch card good at all pool locations. Expires 6 months from date of purchase. Valid for one person only. Each person must present their own card.

Age	Resident	Non-Resident
Age 3-12	\$30	\$35
Age 13+	\$40	\$45
Seniors Age 60+	\$30	\$35

Pool Memberships

Good at all pools operated by Community Services.

Annual Membership

Good 12 months from date of purchase

	Resident	Non-Resident
Family of Four	\$400	\$410
Individual Adult	\$250	\$255
Indiv Youth/Senior	\$225	\$230
Add'l Family Member	\$50	\$55

Semi Annual Membership

Good 6 months from date of purchase

	Resident	Non-Resident
Family of Four	\$300	\$310
Individual Adult	\$175	\$180
Indiv Youth/Senior	\$150	\$155
Add'l Family Member	\$35	\$40

Thunderstorm Policy

All patrons will be cleared from all pools after the first sight or sound of an approaching thunderstorm. The pools will remain cleared for a full 30 minutes after the last clap of thunder or sight of lightning.

Lackey & North Point Pools offer Pizza Parties!



All parties include two hours of party FUN! (one hour in the pool). Invitations for your event are included in the prices shown. Each child must return the signed permission statement that is included in the invitation. The designated party area includes tables, chairs, paper products, drinks, pizza, and goodie bags for each child.

Guests	Fee	Deposit
1-10 children	\$140	\$70
11-20 children	\$180	\$90

Rates shown are for residents. If non-resident, please add \$5.

Lap Swimming

A Lap lane will be available during most of our open swim hours. Due to limited space swimmers may need to share the lap lanes. Lap lanes will not be available during Water Aerobics classes. (Lap swimming hours subject to change without notice.)

Special Events

Holiday Swim

Looking for a fun way to spend a day with the kids over the holiday break? Come to the pool for a ton of splashing fun!

Lackey & North Point Pools

Open to All Ages

Wed-Fri Dec 26-28 1:00-4:00pm

Admission Fee: \$2 per visit/person

Water Aerobics

Low-impact with emphasis on stretching, cardiovascular, and resistance exercises. Participants should be comfortable in the water but do not need to know how to swim.

Age: 16+

8 Visit Punch Card

Resident Fee: \$40; Non-Resident: \$45

Daily Drop-In Fee: \$6/visit

North Point Pool, Waldorf

Tue/Thu Jan 8-Mar 5 7:45-8:45pm

Lackey Pool, Indian Head

Mon/Wed Feb 13-Mar 6 7:30-8:30pm

New times for the spring Water Aerobics at North Point and Lackey Pools start March II!

New! Intro to Fitness Swimming

Course designed for adults who are confident in the water, and have the knowledge and skills necessary to cross the pool safely but still need to work on conditioning and technique. The goal of this course is to assist with transitioning from learning to swim to swimming for fitness.

Age: 18+

Resident Fee: \$60; Non-Resident Fee: \$65

North Point, Waldorf

108014-N1 M/W Jan 7-30 7:45-8:45pm

Lackey Pool, Indian Head

108014-L1 Tu/Th Feb 19-Mar 14 7:45-8:45pm

Classes

Aqua Jog

Aqua Jog is a low-impact deep water exercise that uses the resistance of water to help increase endurance and muscular strength. The work out is similar to running on land but in a low-impact environment. Buoyancy belts are provided for all participants.

Lackey Pool, Indian Head

Age: 15+

108020-LK M/W Jan 2-28 7:45-8:30pm

Resident Fee: \$50; Non-Resident: \$55

Lifeguard Prep Class

Class will focus on swimming endurance and necessary skills needed to meet pre-requisites of upcoming lifeguard class.

Age: 15+

Registration Fee: \$15

North Point Pool, Waldorf

508029-N1 Fri Jan 11 7:45-8:30pm

Lackey Pool, Indian Head

508029-L1 Fri Feb 15 7:45-8:30pm

American Red Cross Lifeguard Class

Designed to provide lifeguards with the knowledge and skills necessary to ensure the safety of patrons at aquatic facilities. Participants are required to pass all prerequisites and attend all classes. Text book and CPR mask included in fee. Refunds will not be given if participant does not pass the prerequisites or fails to complete the certification requirements.

Age: 15+

Must Attend All Classes

Resident Fee: \$200; Non-Resident: \$205

North Point Pool, Waldorf

508030-N1

Sat-Sun Jan 26-Feb 3 9:00am-4:00pm

Lackey Pool, Indian Head

508030-L1

Fri Mar 1 4:00-9:00pm

Sat, Sun Mar 2-3 8:00am-4:00pm

Adult Learn to Swim Hour

Designed for adult beginner and intermediate swimmers looking to gain confidence in the water. Each class will focus on basic swimming skills, stroke development, and water safety. Each class will be limited to the first 7 to register per instructor. No refunds or make ups will be issued for missed classes.

No class Feb 16.

Age: 18+

Resident Fee: \$60; Non-Resident Fee: \$65

Lackey Pool, Indian Head

108028-L1 Tu/Th Jan 8-31 7:15-8:15 pm

108028-L2 Sat Jan 12-Mar 9 11:15am-12:15pm

North Point Pool, Waldorf

108028-N1 M/W Feb 11-Mar 6 7:45-8:45pm



Swimming with Santa



Bring your swimsuit, and join Santa in the pool for holiday fun and games. Underwater pictures with Santa are included in the fee!

Lackey Pool, Indian Head
All Ages • 408010-LK

Sat • Dec 15 • 2:00-4:00pm

Admission Fee: \$5/person

Registration accepted at door based on availability.



www.Facebook.com/CharlesCounty

Swim Lessons

Resident Fee: \$60 • Non-Resident: \$65

Online registration available at www.CharlesCountyParks.com. Sessions consist of eight, 35-minute classes. Each session includes one day of basic water safety skills. Children must be able to perform all skills of the previous level before moving on to a higher level. For safety reasons, all class sizes are limited to a maximum number of participants. Classes may be canceled due to low enrollment. Instructors may move children to a different level class if the child is unable to participate in the skill level of the registered class. Please contact the Aquatics Supervisor if health conditions warrant additional accommodations for participation. Registration is on a first-come, first-serve basis.

INFANT/TODDLER

REQUIREMENTS: Age 6-36 mths. Parent/guardian accompanies child in water. **SKILLS:** Teaches parents skills and techniques to encourage/develop comfort level for children in and around water. Includes guided instructional teaching, as well as individual parent/child water exploration.

PRESCHOOL 1

REQUIREMENTS: Age 3-5. **SKILLS:** Designed to teach water safety and intro to basic swimming skills; including submerging, floating, kicking, bobbing, using their arms on both the stomach and back.

PRESCHOOL 2

SKILLS: Age 3-5. Must have successfully completed Preschool 1 skills. Must be able to fully submerge head, and be comfortable with water. **SKILLS:** Works on floating, and introduces combined stroke (arms/legs) on stomach and back.

PRESCHOOL 3

REQUIREMENTS: Age 3-5. Must have successfully completed Preschool 2 skills. Must be comfortable with underwater swimming, able to float unsupported, and swim 5 yds on stomach and back by themselves. **SKILLS:** Continues with combined stroke on stomach and back, introduction of elementary back stroke, and deep water skills.

LEVEL 1

REQUIREMENTS: Age 6+. **SKILLS:** Designed for non-swimmers. Intro to water safety and basic swimming skills. Includes submerging, floating, kicking, bobbing, and alternate arm action.

LEVEL 2

REQUIREMENTS: Must have successfully completed Level 1 skills. Must be able to fully submerge head and be comfortable with water. **SKILLS:** Course works on floating and introduces combined stroke (arms/legs) on stomach and back.



LEVEL 3

REQUIREMENTS: Must have successfully completed Level 2 or Preschool 3 skills. Must be comfortable with underwater swimming, able to float, and swim 15 yds on stomach and back. **SKILLS:** Class builds on acquired combined stroke on stomach and back. Adds deep water skills, elementary backstroke, and beginning diving skills.

LEVEL 4

REQUIREMENTS: Must have successfully completed Level 3 skills. Must be able to swim 25 yds (one length of pool) of front crawl, and back crawl. **SKILLS:** Refine technique of previous skills. Front and back crawl, elementary backstroke, breaststroke, and sidestroke emphasized. Also improve diving from a standing position.

LEVEL 5

REQUIREMENTS: Must have successfully completed Level 4 skills. Must be able to swim 50 yds (two lengths of pool) of front crawl, and back crawl. Must be able to correctly demonstrate elementary backstroke, breaststroke, and sidestroke. **SKILLS:** Builds on skills from previous levels and refines strokes of front crawl, backstroke, breaststroke, sidestroke and diving. Also learn basics of butterfly stroke.

TEEN 1

REQUIREMENTS: Age: 12-16. **SKILLS:** Designed for non-swimmers. Course is an introduction to water safety and basic swimming skills. Includes submerging, floating, kicking, bobbing, and alternate arm action on both the stomach and back.

ADULT BEGINNER/ADVANCED AND INTRO TO FITNESS SWIMMING

Please see previous the page for program descriptions.



WINTER SCHEDULE

North Point

Session 1 • (8 weeks)

Sun • Jan 13-Mar 3

Level 4	.....2:15	.....108607-1A
Preschool 1	.....2:15	.....108601-1A
Preschool 2	.....3:00	.....108602-1A
Level 1	.....3:00	.....108604-1A
Preschool 3	.....3:45	.....108603-1A
Level 2	.....3:45	.....108605-1A
Level 3	.....4:30	.....108606-1A
Preschool 1	.....4:30	.....108601-1B
Level 1	.....5:15	.....108604-1B
Preschool 2	.....5:15	.....108602-1B
Infant/Toddler	.....6:00	.....108600-1A
Preschool 2	.....6:00	.....108602-1C
Teen 1	.....6:00	.....108612-1A
Level 5	.....6:45	.....108609-1A
Level 2	.....6:45	.....108605-1B
Level 3	.....6:45	.....108606-1B

Session 2 • (3 weeks)

Mon/Wed/Fri • Mar 11-27

Preschool 1	.....4:45	.....108601-2A
Level 1	.....4:45	.....108604-2A
Preschool 1	.....5:30	.....108601-2B
Level 2	.....5:30	.....108605-2A
Preschool 2	.....6:15	.....108602-2A
Level 1	.....6:15	.....108604-2B
Preschool 3	.....7:00	.....108603-2A
Level 3	.....7:00	.....108606-2A
Teen 1	.....7:45	.....108612-2A
Level 4/5	.....7:45	.....108608-2A

Lackey

Session 1 • (8 weeks)

Sat • Jan 12-Mar 9 (No class Feb 16)

Infant/Toddler	.....10:30	.....108500-1A
Preschool 1	.....10:30	.....108501-1A
Level 2	.....10:30	.....108505-1A
Preschool 2	.....11:15	.....108502-1A
Level 3	.....11:15	.....108506-1A

Session 2 • (4 weeks)

Tue/Thu • Feb 19-Mar 14

Preschool 2	.....5:30	.....108502-2A
Level 1	.....5:30	.....108504-2A
Preschool 1	.....6:15	.....108501-2A
Level 2	.....6:15	.....108505-2A
Level 4/5	.....7:00	.....108508-2A
Level 3	.....7:00	.....108506-2A

Trips & Tours

For more information, or to register for the trips and tours shown here, please call 301-934-9305 or 301-870-3388, ext. 5159, or visit www.CharlesCountyParks.com.

Brilliant!

Philadelphia Flower Show

The British have a word for something that's inventive, dazzling, extraordinary. The word is "Brilliant!" In 2013, the Philadelphia Flower Show will glow with the majestic beauty and creative genius of Great Britain, and pay tribute to centuries of inspiring, influential culture – culminating in the urbane design of 21st-century London.

Wear your comfortable shoes to the world's largest indoor flower show... it covers 33 acres. Your ticket gets you great gardens, floral showcases, and fabulous shopping. The Flower Show prepares for a British Invasion as the culture and horticulture of the United Kingdom takes center stage. Meals are on your own.

You'll find the experience "Brilliant!"

103025-TR Sat, Mar 9 Registration Deadline: Feb 4
Departure: La Plata Courthouse 6:00am, Waldorf Rt. 301 Park & Ride 6:15am
Est. Return: 7:30pm
Trip Fee: \$95

QVC Studio Tour & Store

West Chester, PA

Do you just LOVE to shop? join us for a studio tour of QVC, as seen on TV, and the Studio Store.

203032-TR Sat, Apr 13 Trip Fee: \$66 Registration Deadline: Mar 8
Departure: La Plata Courthouse 6:00am, Waldorf Rt. 301 Park & Ride 6:15am
Est. Return: 7:30pm

Senior Trips

Senior citizens are invited to enjoy these trips planned especially for them. Registration is accepted at Community Services in Port Tobacco and the Richard R. Clark Senior Center located in La Plata. Trips are open to individuals age 60 and older.

Odyssey Cruise & National Gallery

Washington, D.C.

Savor creative appetizers and entrees prepared fresh onboard daily by our Executive Chef. Dance to live music or sit back and relax as unmatched monumental views drift past your table. A stop will also be made at the National Gallery to view the exhibits.

103108-TR Wed Mar 27 Trip Fee: \$93
Registration Deadline Feb 12
Departure: Clark Senior Center 9:45am, Waldorf Jaycees 10:05am
Est. Return: 5:30pm



Flyaway Trips

Community Services and Collette Vacations is pleased to present the following trips. Trips include air transportation from the Washington area, waiver, and cancellation insurance. Call 301-934-9305 or 301-870-3388, ext. 5159 for detailed itineraries, pricing, and registration forms. All trips out of the country require a passport.

Trains of the Colorado Rockies

9 Days 12 Meals

Experience the majesty of the Colorado Rockies from four trains that celebrate the can-do spirit of the Old West. Scale Pike's Peak on the world's highest cog railway. Climb aboard an 1881 steam train for a journey through the San Juan Mountains. Travel the Trail Ridge Road, the highest continuous highway in the U.S., reaching 12,183 ft. Discover the ancient culture of the Anasazi Indians at Mesa Verde National Park. Relish cowboy culture in an evening of authentic dining and entertainment.

303221-TR Jul 26-Aug 3
Registration Deadline: Feb 19
Per person fee: \$2,814 double, \$3,414 single
Save \$100 per person if booked before Jan 26, 2013

British Landscapes

10 Days 13 Meals

Discover the landscapes on this 10-day journey through England, Scotland and Wales. Sleep in a Welsh castle. Visit the historic town of Cambridge. Discover the beauty of the picturesque Lake District. Walk in the footsteps of William Shakespeare. Explore London and Edinburgh.

403222-TR Oct 24-Nov 2
Registration Deadline: May 17
Per person fee: \$3,919 double, \$4,419 single
Save \$250 per person if booked before Apr 24



SPECIAL OLYMPICS • Charles County



Special Olympics Maryland and Charles County Department of Community Services, in a joint partnership, offer a year-round program for athletic conditioning, training, and competition for individuals with intellectual disabilities who are at least 8 years of age. There is no maximum age limit. All Special Olympics sports activities are free of charge to athletes. Currently, Special Olympics Charles County offers a chance to compete in 10 Olympic-style sports throughout the year. Online registration is available for all current Special Olympics programs at www.CharlesCountyParks.com.

News from SOCC

Join our E-Mail List!

Learn about the latest Special Olympics news by joining our e-mail list. Just send an e-mail to SO_CC@verizon.net to add your e-mail address to our list.

Volunteer to Make a Difference...

Volunteers are an important part of the Special Olympics program. Please consider volunteering your time with this worthwhile program. For more information, please call 301-599-0307.

Coaching Opportunities

Two basketball coaches are needed to continue the basketball training programs. Coaches must be 18 or older and are subject to a criminal background investigation. Training is offered. If interested, please contact George Hoehl at 301-599-0307.

United Way Campaign

It's time for the United Way of Charles County's annual campaign. Please consider making Special Olympics Maryland Charles County your designated donation. This campaign is one of the primary sources of funds for Special Olympics Charles County.

Unified Sports®

Unified Sports® is a unique opportunity for traditional athletes and partners (without intellectual disabilities, with similar ability levels) to train and compete as a team against other Unified Sports® teams. We currently offer this opportunity in basketball, ten-pin bowling, and golf.

Sports Training

Basketball Unified®

Unified partners needed (age 18+). Visit our training session any Monday. Coach Diana Roberts will be grateful for your help. No practice Dec 24 or 31, Jan 21, Feb 18.

Hanson Community Center, Waldorf

Age: 8+ & Unified® Partners
113020-13 Mon Dec 3-Mar 18 6:00-7:30pm
Registration Deadline: Dec 27

Special Olympics Ski Team

Interested athletes may call 301-934-9305, ext 5132, for more information, and volunteer coaches should call George Hoehl at 301-599-0307. There will be a weekend ski trip before the Maryland Competition in Feb 2013. No practice Dec 28.



Somers Community, La Plata

Age: 8+ Thu Dec 6-Feb 21 6:30-7:30pm
Registration Deadline: Dec 27

Alpine 113022-13
Nordic 113023-13
Snowshoes 113024-13

Basketball 5x5 Traditional

Coach Richard Thompson is ready for another year of great games. No practice Dec 27.

Port Tobacco Recreation Center

Age: 8+
113021-13 Tue Jan 8-Mar 18 6:00-8:00pm
Registration Deadline: Dec 27

Spring Training

Registration Deadline: Apr 4

Swimming	213032-13	Sat	Mar 17-Jun 1
Bocce	213033-13	Mon	Mar 18-Jun 3
Track & Field	213034-13	Sat	Mar 23-Jun 1

Special Populations

The Special Populations program area offers a variety of recreational classes and programs designed to meet the needs of individuals with intellectual disabilities. Not all programs in this area will meet the needs and interests of all residents with special needs. We are currently developing programs for those with physical disabilities such as arthritis, minor injury rehabilitations and more. Online registration is available at www.CharlesCountyParks.com.

Dances

Get into the spirit and dance the night away with your friends and loved ones. Plus, it's a great way to work in some physical activity. Not sure how to dance? We'll teach you. Individuals in wheelchairs welcomed to attend. Light refreshments provided.

Henson Community Ctr, Indian Head

Age: 18+
Resident Fee: \$5; Non-Resident: \$6

Pop Sock Hop Night

112010-SP	Fri	Jan 18	6:30-8:30pm
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Registration Deadline: Jan 7

St. Patrick's Day Dance

112013-SP	Fri	Mar 15	6:30-8:30pm
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Registration Deadline: Mar 9

Hanson Community Ctr, Waldorf

Sweetheart Dance

112012-SP	Fri	Feb 8	6:30-8:30pm
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Registration Deadline: Feb 1

Spring Fling

212014-SP	Fri	May 10	6:30-8:30pm
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Registration Deadline: May 3

Sports

Bowling

Take part in one of the best sports! Join us at AMF Bowling Lanes in Waldorf each Sunday. No program on Jan 15.

AMF Bowling Lanes, Waldorf

Age: 6+ Fee: \$62
112015-SP Sun Jan 6-Mar 3 9:30am-Noon

Happy Trails!

Whether you walk, jog, or hike...
ride a horse or a bike...
Parks & Recreation has a
trail for you!



Gilbert Run Park

13140 Charles St.
Charlotte Hall

This 2.5 mile nature trail travels along the edge of the 60 acre Wheatley Lake. Features include: self guided nature walk (pamphlets available at park office), fishing pavilions, numerous boardwalks and bridges, and beaver colony observation deck.

Friendship Farm Park

4705 Friendship Landing Rd • Nanjemoy

This hidden gem located in Western Charles County features two trail loops totaling nearly 4 miles. Features include: miles of waterfront hiking, nature observation decks, and abundant wildlife to observe and enjoy.

Laurel Springs Park

5940 Radio Station Rd • La Plata

Winding around the edges of the athletic complex, this 1.6 mile trail is ideal for jogging or a quick lunch hour stroll.

Oak Ridge Park

13675 Oaks Rd • Hughesville

This 7 mile trail network offers equestrians and hikers a wide variety of trail options. Features include: hilly terrain, creek crossings, bridges, and flat open areas. Oak Ridge Park also features two show-quality riding arenas which are open to the public except during special events.

Maxwell Hall Park

6680 Maxwell Dr • Benedict

This equestrian facility welcomes hikers and nature watchers. Located off Rt. 231 near Benedict, the park offers over 14 miles of horse trails. Features include: flat wide open riding, "intense" and hilly wooded terrain, cross country jumping course, trail obstacle course, and beach front riding along the Patuxent River. \$25 annual membership required to ride at facility. Hikers and birders may use trails free of charge.

INDIAN HEAD

RAIL TRAIL

The Indian Head Rail Trail is a 13-mile recreational trail that connects White Plains with the Town of Indian Head. The smooth paved surface offers excellent opportunities for cycling, walking, and running. The trail also offers an excellent wildlife viewing area.

Stop by and discover why the IHRT is quickly becoming one of the region's most popular recreational facilities.

Various parking areas/trail access points are available.
Open daily during daylight hours.

For information please call 301-932-3470.

Pets are welcome on all of the trails, but must be on a leash. Horseback riding is limited to Oak Ridge and Maxwell Hall Parks. Bicycles are permitted on IHRT, but are not allowed on any other trails



Gilbert Run Park

There's something for everyone at Gilbert Run Park. Whether it's fishing or boating on our 60-acre freshwater lake, playing horseshoes or volleyball, hiking or bird-watching, you'll find it at the Park.



Gilbert Run Park is located off Rt. 6 in Charlotte Hall. Open Monday-Sunday, April-October, and weekends only in March and November. The park closed for the season November 18.

Picnic Pavilion Rentals

Let nature's beauty enhance your next company picnic, reunion, or birthday party. There are six different sites to choose from. Small groups (50) to large groups (up to 450) can be accommodated. To make reservations or if you have questions, please call the park office at 301-932-1083. Entrance Fee: \$4 (April-September, weekends and holidays).

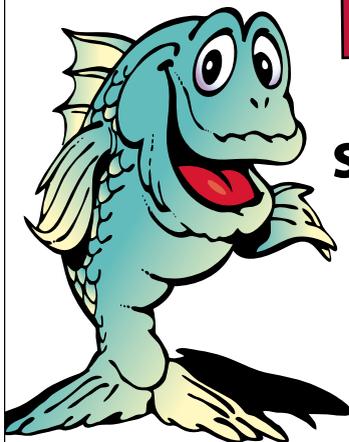


Mark Your Calendar!

Reservations for next season will start February 1, 2013. To make reservations, or if you have questions, please call the park office at 301-932-1083. Entrance Fee: \$4 (April-September, weekends and holidays).

Catch the
EXCITEMENT!

GILBERT RUN PARK FISHIN' BUDDIES DERBY



Sat • May 4
7am-12:30pm

Team Fishing
Entry Fee: \$7/team

Each team must consist of one adult (age 21+) and one child (age 6-15). Awards will be given in two different age divisions. Bank anglers will compete separately from those who choose to fish from a boat.

categories

Largest and Most
Bluegill-Crappie-Bass
Special Award for Trout & Catfish

Preregistration is required. All entries must be received at the Parks Division at 1001 Radio Station Road in La Plata by Noon, May 1.

Registration forms are available at the Park (weekends only), or by calling 301-932-3470 or 301-870-2778.



FREE Boat Launch Facilities

Friendship Farm Park

Nanjemoy Creek • Nanjemoy

Single-lane boat ramp. Parking for approx. 16 trailers. Facility features good access to the main stem of the Potomac and also to the extensive, immediate protected waters of Nanjemoy Creek. Open year-round, dawn to dusk. Directions: From La Plata, take Route 6 West. Left on Route 425. Left on Friendship Landing Road. Follow to end.

Gilbert Run Park (electric motor only)

Wheatley Lake • Dentsville

60 acre fresh water lake with fishing, pedal boating, rowboating, and canoeing. Bass, bluegill, trout and catfish. Ramp for electric motors only. Fishing supplies, licenses and concessions available. Open Mar-Nov with seasonal hours.

Hatton Creek

Wicomico River • Issue

Single-lane ramp gives protected small boat access to river. Open year-round, dawn to dusk. Directions: From La Plata, take Rt. 301 south. Left on Rt. 257 towards Cobb Island. Left on Hatton Creek Road. Follow to end.

Mallows Bay Park – Boat Launch Facility

Nanjemoy/Riverside

Single-lane ramp allows for protected access to the Potomac River. Recommended for small watercraft (shallow water). Gravel parking for 20 trailers. Open 5:30am-Dusk, March-October, and 7:00am-Dusk, November-February. Kayak launch available. Directions: From La Plata, take Route 6 West. Right on Liverpool Point Road. Right on Route 224. Left on Wilson Landing Road. Follow to the end.

Marshall Hall

Potomac River • Bryans Road

Double ramp. Paved trailer parking for 25 boat trailers with available overflow parking. Situated just above Greenway Flats in Mount Vernon area of river. Open year-round, dawn to dusk. Directions: From Route 210 (Indian Head Highway) south make a right turn onto Route 227. Follow to end of road.

For further information, please call 301-932-3470.

Charles County PLAYGROUNDS

Enjoy hours of fun

... at any one of the many Charles County public playgrounds! The play equipment is contemporary, encourages innovative play, and meets all industry standards for safety compliance. Facilities are designed to accommodate all levels of abilities, including special needs.



Bensville Park

6980 Bensville Road • White Plains

Cobb Island Playground

Neale Sound Drive • Cobb Island

Gilbert Run Park*

13140 Charles Street • Charlotte Hall

Laurel Springs Regional Park

5940 Radio Station Road • La Plata

Oak Ridge Park

13675 Oaks Road • Hughesville

Pisgah Park

6645 Mason Springs Road
La Plata

Robert D. Stethem Park*

4250 Piney Church Road • Waldorf

Ruth B. Swann

3100 Ruth B. Swann Drive • Bryans Road

Southern Park

15885 Wilson Road • Newburg

White Plains Regional Park

1015 St. Charles Parkway
White Plains

**Park is closed Dec-Feb.*



For details, please call 301-932-3470, or visit:
www.charlescountyparks.com

Charles County is... Going to the Dog Parks!

Did you know there are **TWO** dog parks in Charles County?



Public off-leash exercise areas, operated and maintained by Charles County Government, help provide safe, legal areas in which dogs can run, play, and socialize. We invite residents to visit with their dogs to enjoy these unique facilities.

The parks offer two separate fenced areas – A large area designed for general dog play and a smaller area for smaller dogs and puppies (at least 4 mos. old). The smaller area is also great for shy dogs not quite ready to socialize in the larger play area.

**For more information,
please call 301-932-3470**

White Plains Dog Park • This dog park is located within the White Plains Regional Park which is at the intersection of St. Charles Parkway and DeMarr Road (1015 St. Charles Parkway). Directions: From Waldorf: travel south on U.S. 301 to White Plains, turn left on DeMarr Road. Travel 1.5 miles to stop sign, turn right on parkway, then turn left into the park. Follow the main entrance road to the athletic complex. The off-leash area is just off of the cul-de-sac at the road's end.

Turkey Hill Dog Park • Located in Turkey Hill Park, this facility is located just north of La Plata (9430 Turkey Hill Road). Directions: From Waldorf: travel south approximately 5 miles on U.S. 301, turn right on Turkey Hill Road. The park is the first entrance on the right. The dog park is directly on the left once you enter the park. From La Plata, travel North on U.S. 301, approximately 2 miles, turn left on Turkey Hill Road.

Hours of Operation • Seven days a week, 8am until dusk (with the exception of Christmas Day and New Year's Day when both parks are closed). Occasionally, the park may be closed during, and after, periods of inclement weather.

Dog Park Brochures • Dog park brochures are available by visiting our website at www.CharlesCountyParks.com.

Charles County

SKATEPARK

At White Plains Park
301-638-5208

**A California
experience on
the East Coast!**

15,000 sq. ft. concrete skatepark!

Open to skateboarders and in-line skaters, this park features various size bowls and a challenging street course.



Now Open for BMX Bikes – Sunday only 9am-Noon

Open to Age 6 & Older
Helmets & Pads Required

Fall Hours • August 27-December 9

Monday-Friday 3:30pm-Dusk
Saturday 11:00am-Dusk
*Saturday Special (age 10 & younger) 11:00am-Noon
Sunday Noon-Dusk
Sunday **BIKES ONLY: 9:00am-Noon**

Winter Hours • December 10-March 9

Friday 3:30pm-Dusk
Saturday 11:00am-Dusk
*Saturday Special (age 10 & younger) 11:00am-Noon
Sunday Noon-Dusk
Sunday **BIKES ONLY: 9:00am-Noon**

Closed during rain/wet conditions. Closed on all major holidays.

Fees & Passes

Youth • Age 6-17	Resident	Non-Resident
Per Session Admission	\$3	\$5
Season Pass	\$75	\$110
Adult • Age 18+	Resident	Non-Resident
Per Session Admission	\$4	\$6
Season Pass	\$95	\$130

SEASON PASS is effective beginning April 1 of each year and is valid for 12 full months (pass cannot be prorated).

Equipment Rental

Helmet\$2 Wrist Guards\$1
Knee Pads.....\$2 Combo/All\$5
Elbow Pads.....\$2

Although the park offers rental helmets and pads, we encourage skaters to provide their own protective equipment.

Facility Rental

The skatepark is available for rentals. This is a great opportunity for birthday parties, clubs, and more. Fee: \$175. Call 301-932-3470 for rental details.

CHARLES COUNTY PARKS

301.932.3470 or 301.870.2778 • www.CharlesCountyParks.com



	BRYANTOWN	BENSVILLE	CHARLES COUNTY SKATE PARK	CHARLIE WRIGHT	FRIENDSHIP FARM	GILBERT RUN	HATTON CREEK	INDIAN HEAD RAIL TRAIL	LAUREL SPRINGS	MALLOWS BAY	MARSHALL HALL	MAXWELL HALL	OAK RIDGE	PINEFIELD	PISGAH	POMONKEY	ROBERT D. STETHEM	RUTH B. SWANN	SOUTHERN	TURKEY HILL	WHITE PLAINS GOLF COURSE & PARK	
Amphitheater																						
Baseball		●		●	●				●				●	●	●		●	●	●			●
Basketball														●					●			
Boat Ramp					●	●	●			●	●											
Boat Rentals						●																
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Dog Park																				●	●	
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Football		●		●					●						●			●		●	●	●
Golf Course																						●
Grills						●			●				●	●				●	●	●	●	●
Horseshoes						●																
Nature Center																						
Trails/Hiking		●			●	●		●	●	●		●	●		●			●				
Multipurpose Fields		●													●			●				
Pavilion	●	●				●			●				●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
Picnic Tables	●	●			●	●		●	●	●			●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
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Restrooms	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●	●		●		●	●	●	●		●	●	●

Some park facilities may require usage permits.

CAPITAL CLUBHOUSE

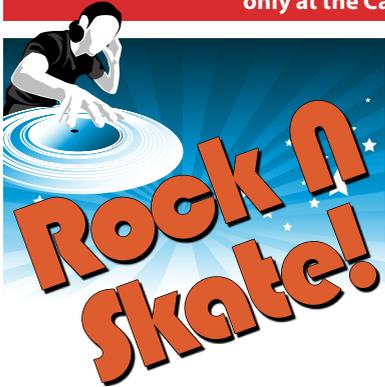
Operated by Rink Management Services Corporation

301.932.4348 • Fax: 301.632.5880 • www.capitalclubhouse.com

10am–10pm (for public skate times, please call or check our website)

Public Skate: \$7 • Skate Rental \$3

Online registration now available at www.capitalclubhouse.com!
Registrations for Capital Clubhouse programs are accepted only at the Capital Clubhouse.



Live DJ every Friday night!

Age: All Each Fri through May 8:30-10:00pm
Admission: \$12 (includes skate rental)
No coupons, passes, or discounts.



Home School Skating Fridays

Program is not held on holidays. Must show proof of home schooling. Schedule subject to change on short notice.

Age: All Fridays 1:30pm-3:00pm
Admission: \$7 (includes skates)

Totsicles

A half-hour of self-paced orientation to movement on ice for ages 2 to 5 with an adult care-giver, followed by a cup of hot cocoa and a story read aloud in our warm lobby. Children may wear skates or shoes for snow and ice (no smooth-sole or open-toe shoes). Adults wear shoes for snow and ice.

Age: 2-5 with adult caregiver
Fri Ongoing 10:30-11:30am
Fee: \$7/visit

Capital Clubhouse Learn To Skate

Divided by skill level/age – beginner through advanced. Learn basic ice skating skills. Sessions include: 30 min. lesson (45 min. for Basic 4 and beyond), rental skates, practice card good for six public skating admissions during your session (\$3 for skate rental), official Basic Skills membership card, record book w/ stickers, member patch, and year patch. Written evaluation at end of session.

Prerequisite: All skaters must be able to stand and walk in skates without assistance while not on the ice. All first-time Academy students are recommended to skate at least once prior to class start to find out correct skate size and fit.

Schedule subject to change without notice.

Program Dates:
Session 3: Jan 6-Feb 11
Session 4: Feb 17-Mar 25

Beginner Skating Levels

Open to age 4+.

Sunday 4:30-5:00pm, 5:05-5:35pm, or
5:40-6:10pm
Monday 6:00-6:30pm or 6:30-7:00pm
Age: 4-5 Snowplow Sam 1, 2, 3
Age: 6-Adult Basic 1, 2, 3
Resident Fee: \$90; Non-Resident: \$105

Intermediate & Advanced Figure Skating Levels

Open to age 4+.

Sunday 5:40-6:25pm
Monday 6:15-7:00pm
Age: 6-Adult Basic 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
Free Skate 1, 2, 3
Resident Fee: \$135; Non-Resident: \$150

Hockey Skating Skills

Must be age 6+, and completed six weeks of Basic 1 class in hockey skates.

Sunday Hockey 1 = 4:30-5:00pm
Hockey 2-3 = 5:05-5:35pm
Monday Hockey 1 = 6:00-6:30pm
Hockey 2-3 = 6:30-7:00pm
Age: 6-Adult Hockey 1, 2, and 3
Fee: \$90/30-min class; \$135/45-min class

Registration Deadline:
7 Days Prior to Start of Class
Add \$15 for non-resident and/or late fee.

Submit your e-mail address when registering. Makeup classes offered with permission from Skating Director; skill levels may be combined due to low enrollment; skill levels available only at listed times.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES AT THE CAPITAL CLUBHOUSE!

Basic & Combo parties available for ice skating, indoor court sports, and rock climbing!

Contact the Clubhouse for details: 301-932-4348

Special Ice Events

Theatre on Ice Holiday Ice Show

Skaters from our Skating Academy perform "Madagascar on Ice."

Age: All

Mon Dec 17 7:00pm Free Admission

National Skating Month Activities

Introductory lessons, information about figure skating and hockey, goodies to take home, information on how to become a U.S. Figure Skating member, parent education, and information sessions. Call for details.

Age: 4+ Sat Jan 12 2:45-4:15pm

6th Annual Glide Into Spring!

Open Basic Skills Skating Competition

Show off your skills for the judges in our competition just for skaters learning the Basic Skills. Competitors can skate to music, demonstrate skills one-by-one, or both. Everyone receives a prize! Rental skates are included with entry fee. Prerequisite: at least one six-week Skating Academy class (includes membership in USFS Basic Skills).

Age: 4+ Sat May 4 8:00am-2:30pm

Entry Deadline: Apr 15

Entry Fee: First Event \$30; Additional Events (each) \$15; late entry fee (add'l) \$30, if space is available

Ice Hockey

Schedules are subject to change. Please check website for days/times, or call 301-932-4348.

Adult Ice Hockey Leagues

Recreational play for A and B-level teams. Contact Hockey League Administrator Christine Brock at 301-932-4348 to register.

Sat, Sun, Wed Ongoing

Adult Pick-up Ice Hockey

90 minutes of informal game time. No referees. Full ice hockey equipment required.

Age: 18+ with proof of age

Ongoing Fee: \$11/player

Stick-N-Puck

Informal stick handling and shooting practice. No instruction. Full ice hockey equipment required for youth and recommended for parents; helmets required for all. Schedule subject to change.

Age: 4+ Sun
Ongoing 7:45am-9:15am
Fee: \$11/player

Sports Court

Schedules are subject to change without notice. Please call to confirm dates/times of all sports court programs.

Inline Hockey Leagues

Developmental leagues. Full equipment required. Contact Amanda Michael at amichael@capitalclubhouse.com for details.

Age: 13u, 18u & Adult
Sun Mar-Jun

Inline Hockey Pickup Sessions

Sun	Ongoing	
Age 13u	6:00-7:00pm	Fee: \$7/player
Age 18u	7:15-8:15pm	Fee: \$7/player
Adult	8:30-10:30pm	Fee: \$10/player

Sports Pickup Sessions

Age: All Ongoing Fee: \$5/player

Basketball	Mon/Wed	3:30pm-5:00pm
Soccer	Mon/Wed	3:30pm-5:00pm
Lacrosse	Tue/Thu	3:30pm-5:00pm
Volleyball	Tue/Thu	3:30pm-5:00pm

Charles County Juniors Volleyball

Youth leagues

Visit www.eteamz.com/ccjuniors for details.

Waldorf Soccer Club

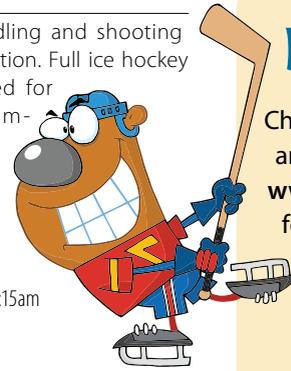
Youth leagues

Visit www.waldorfsoccer.com for details.

Charles County Lacrosse Club

Youth leagues

Learn more at www.charlescountylax.com.



Don't forget...

Check out our daily programs and ongoing activities. Visit www.capitalclubhouse.com for details, dates, and fees.

Daily Programs

Rock-N-Skate Fridays!
Totsicles
Daily Skating Sessions
Home School Fridays
Rock Climbing Wall

Sport Courts Basketball, Soccer, & Field Hockey Pick-Up

For details, please call 301-932-4348, or visit www.capitalclubhouse.com.

Hockey

For details, please contact the Capital Clubhouse's Hockey Director at 301-932-4348.

Ice Hockey • Stick-N-Puck
Ice Hockey Pick-up Games
Adult & Youth Leagues

For more information, or to register for youth hockey leagues at the Capital Clubhouse, please visit www.somdsabres.org.

Programs are developmental for players age 4-HS. Youth Ice Leagues are offered through the Southern Maryland Sabres, the area's premier youth ice hockey club.



Program/Class Registration Policies & Procedures



Online Registration

www.CharlesCountyParks.com

The Charles County Department of Community Services provides online registration to our patrons for most programs.

Please take note of the following regarding your online registration:

Instructions for logging into the system are provided online.

If you have registered for a program since March 15, 2009, your user name is your home phone number on file with us (no dashes or spaces); and your password is the last name of the primary person on the account.

If registering for the first time, you will need to create a new account. Please be sure to enter everyone in the household, including date of birth and grade for everyone registering for programs.

Registration for minors (18 and younger) requires adult input and information.

Not all programs are available for online registration.

Online payments are accepted by MasterCard, Visa and Discover only.

To register for programs not currently offered online, please follow the standard registration process.

Standard Enrollment

Completed and signed registration form along with payment is due at the time of registration.

Checks and money orders must specify the program by code and must be for the exact amount, payable to:

Charles County Commissioners

Checks must include the current address, telephone number, and drivers license number with expiration. Information must be included for the person making payment.

Cash payment is only accepted at the main office at 8190 Port Tobacco Road, Elite Gymnastics, Capital Clubhouse, and the Nanjemoy Community Center. Except for limited programs/activities, cash is not accepted at our Community Centers or the indoor pools.

Discover, MasterCard and Visa payments are accepted by mail, in person, or via fax at all Community Centers and Community Services in Port Tobacco. See page 4 for a listing of Centers in your area with telephone numbers and addresses.

Mail-in payments with a signed registration form are only accepted at:

Department of Community Services
Attn: Registration Office
8190 Port Tobacco Road
Port Tobacco, MD 20677

Transfers

All transfer requests must be received in writing. After a transfer has been made, no additional transfers or refunds will be accepted for that program.

Refund Policies

All requests for refunds must be received, in writing, seven working days prior to the start of a program. Fax requests for refunds are accepted at 301-934-5624.

After the program has begun, a prorated refund, based on participation, may be approved if requested in writing with medical verification received prior to the end of the program.

No refunds will be considered after a program has ended.

For select sports programs, league rules determine program refund amount.

Overnight trips may not qualify for a refund.

Approved refunds will be assessed a \$10 administrative fee regardless of circumstances.

Late fees and T-shirt costs are non-refundable.

Returned Check Fees

Checks returned for insufficient funds or other reason will incur a fee of up to, but not more than, \$35 for each occurrence. We do not re-deposit returned checks; only cash, money order, or credit card accepted for face value of check, plus above-mentioned return check fee.

Persons who fail to rectify this obligation will be denied participation in all Charles County Government programs.

Indoor Youth Sports League Registration Information

—Proof of age required within three (3) days of registration if requested by the Registration Office. There are no exceptions to this rule.

—Carpool requests, practice location requests, or requests for a particular coach cannot be guaranteed.

Refund Policy for Youth Sports League Programs:

—All requests for refunds for youth sports league programs must be received, in writing (Middle School Basketball by March 25). Fax requests for refunds are accepted at 301-934-5624. Late fees are non-refundable. A \$10 administrative fee will be deducted from all approved refunds, regardless of circumstances, unless the program is canceled by Charles County Community Services.



Program Registration Form - Please Print | One Form Per Participant

Registrations for Elite Gymnastics and Capital Clubhouse programs are accepted only at those facilities.

Register to receive timely e-mail/text announcements about upcoming programs and events. Visit www.CharlesCountyMD.gov for details!



This section must be completed—If participant is a minor, this section should list parent or guardian information.

Name				E-Mail Address:			
Mailing Address				City		State	Zip
Phone #'s		Home	Work		Cell		
COUNTY			Emergency Contact Name			Emergency Contact Phone	
Participant/Child's Information				Age	Date of Birth		Sex (circle) M F
First Name				Last Name			
Special Health Conditions				Current School		Grade	

Registration for: Classes & Programs Trips, Sports Programs			
1	Title		
	Date	Code	
	Amount	\$	Trip P/U
2	Title		
	Date	Code	
	Amount	\$	Trip P/U
3	Title		
	Date	Code	
	Amount	\$	Trip P/U
4	Title		
	Date	Code	
	Amount	\$	Trip P/U
5	Title		
	Date	Code	
	Amount	\$	Trip P/U

No confirmations will be sent. You may assume you are registered unless otherwise contacted. Charles County Government is not responsible for program cancellations due to Charles County Public Schools programming. I agree to participate or to allow my child to participate in these programs knowing that safety precautions will be taken but realizing that the Charles County Government does not have accident insurance for participants. I do hereby release and hold harmless Charles County, Maryland, its officials, employees, instructors, and volunteers from any and all liabilities arising from any injuries that might occur during the supervised programs. I also authorize the Charles County Government to take photographs of me/my child for promotional and/or educational purposes. I hereby state and declare that this information is freely, willingly, and voluntarily made.

Forms without signatures will be returned.

Your signature acknowledges that you have read and understand the above statement.

Signature _____

Date _____

Make checks payable to: **Charles County Commissioners**

Fax Registration No. 301-934-5624

Register online at www.CharlesCountyParks.com

Youth Sports League Registration

Program Title			
League Code		Grade	
Middle School			
For Middle School ID information, please see page 18.			
Height		Weight	
Experience in Years <small>(Please provide number of years child has played this sport.)</small>			
I/my child will abide by the Code of Conduct. <small>(Must initial)</small>			Initials
<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if you are interested in coaching.			
Proof of age required within three (3) days if requested by Community Services Registration Office.			
Amount/Fee Due \$ _____			

League Shirt Size Selection

Please **CIRCLE** the proper shirt size if you are registering for the youth sports leagues:

Selecting the proper shirt size is the responsibility of the parent/guardian. **SIZES MAY RUN SMALL.**

Youth Size	Small	Medium	Large
	6-8	10-12	14-16

Adult Sizes	Small	Medium	Large
	XLarge	Other:	

How did you hear about us?

Please let us know how you learned about our programs. Check the method that MOST applies...

<input type="checkbox"/>	The Guide	<input type="checkbox"/>	Visit to a Center
<input type="checkbox"/>	Friend	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other

OFFICE USE ONLY	Cash	Check	M/O	M/C	Visa	Discover	Staff Initial	Reg #	W/I	M	PH	FX
Check/Card Name	Total		\$	Date Entered	Household ID	HA	HE	MA	NCC	PI	SM	
Check/Card #	Card Exp		Security #	SO	ST	WA	DCS	LK	NP			

WP

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PLAINS
GOLF COURSE

1015 St. Charles Parkway • White Plains
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Weekday Specials for Twilight Play • Discount Plans

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April-October: Mon-Fri • 7am-Dusk | Sat-Sun • 7am-Dusk
Tee times recommended

November-March: Mon-Sun • 8am-Dusk

Rated 3 Star by Golf Digest!



Host of the Charles County Open & WMGA Junior Golf Championship

Learn to Play Golf

White Plains Public Golf Course offers a variety of instructional programs for both beginners and more advanced players. Pick up a new lifetime hobby or hone your current golf skills with our popular PGA Pro, Larry Gray. Throughout the golf season, White Plains will conduct group lessons, clinics, and individual instruction.



**For more information,
call 301-645-1300**

Sign up for a beginner's program and
get a free basket of balls!

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Great Rates Start Dec 17

For more information,
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