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

Volunteer Services
We encourage support from parents and members of the communities we serve. If you are interested in volunteer opportunities, call 646-6528.

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

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

For the past 21 years, the Enrichmond Foundation has served as the umbrella non-profit organization for over 60 friends groups, civic organizations, and special initiatives in the City of Richmond. Enrichmond provides critical services to our partners from fiscal sponsorship, marketing, and management and event coordination. Our success is indivisible of their success and their success directly benefits the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities (DPRCF).

The citizen-based support provided by Enrichmond’s partners encompasses almost every public park and open space, the City’s official Earth Day celebration, dog park, hiking and mountain bike trail, garden club, tree planting, community garden, and playground in our beautiful City. Their volunteer stewardship is driven by passion and dedication for some of the regions most valued assets and some of the most recognizable destinations in the Commonwealth of Virginia and beyond. These assets require constant care in order to maintain their beauty, usefulness, and value to future generations. The Foundation and our partners are honored to support the good work and dedication of DPRCF and it’s wonderful staff.

If you would like to support the DPRCF through the Enrichmond Foundation, please go to enrichmond.org and make a donation. Your gift will enhance our City’s most valuable assets: Our People, Parks, and Public Places.
RECREATION AND PARKS

ADVISORY BOARD

Board members serve as advocates on behalf of the residents of the City of Richmond. The board helps the department identify ways to improve programs and facilities. Members also help with fund-raising initiatives. Board members represent each council district and are appointed by City Council. Additional membership includes a representative from the Maymont Foundation, Enrichmond Foundation, and the Monroe Park Advisory Council.

RVA Great Parks
Mobile Park Search Application

Looking for something to do in the City of Richmond? Mayor Dwight C. Jones invites you to visit RVA’s great parks and facilities. We have something for everyone. This easy to use smartphone application provides searchable information, maps and directions to Richmond parks, playgrounds and community centers.

Download the app from the Apple Store or Google Play Store.

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Parents chances are good that your best childhood memories include some great summer adventures like bike riding, fishing, swimming, relay, games, skating, exploring the woods and making new friends. Now your child can also make some of those memories and more through Richmond Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities (PRCF) summer camps. JOIN US and discover why PRCF is the place to bring your imagination to life as we view the wonders of summer camp “Road Trip USA.”

We provide campers with an opportunity to engage in a host of academic, artistic and athletic pursuits that develop new interests and increase self-esteem. Each summer we offer a new theme to children ages 5 through 13 years that allows them to explore the world in a safe, structured, joyful environment. Themes are supported by an array of fun, creative activities, interesting guests, field trips and related music, food, crafts and games. Intertwined is a strong athletic program where children develop skills and tone muscle while learning to eat healthy, swim, play tennis, golf, hike and exercise under the watchful eyes of experienced instructors. An educational component is also built into the daily schedule. Breakfast and lunch will be served daily at 9:00 a.m. and noon respectively courtesy of the USDA Meals for Kids Federal Food program.

NEW THIS YEAR!
- Two brand new facilities (Bellemeade and Broad Rock)
- Age change for “Great Summer Escape” Camp (ages 5 – 11)
- Registration fees
- Exclusive Teen Camp “Generation Z” (ages 12 – 13) Limited spaces.

We are your neighbors! Located in the heart of most communities, our centers are within easy walking distance. This summer is sure to be fun, challenging, exciting, adventurous and safe. Our nine week program will operate Monday – Friday 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. starting June 24 and continue through August 23.

This year we plan to “hit the road and put the pedal to the metal!” as we discover all the wonders that this great country of ours has to offer. Some activities may require an additional fee and permission slip. Parents don’t worry; we’ll be back in plenty of time before school starts.

QUALITY & EXPERIENCE
With many years of summer program experience, we are proud of the exceptional quality and variety of our programs which run from traditional all day, sports, and specialty camps for all ages. Our programs take place at safe and spacious community centers.

FEES
Ages 5 – 11
- $250 - Camp registration for city residents
- $400 - non city residents
Ages 12 – 13 (Generation Z - Teen Camp, details on page 6)
- $300 - Camp registration for city residents only
9 WEEK SCHEDULE

"ROAD TRIP USA" 2013 GREAT SUMMER ESCAPE DAY CAMP

WEEK 3
"Rocky Mountain High" (South Dakota, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah)
With no particular place to go we’ll take the scenic route and explore
» Yellowstone National Park
» Ghost Towns
» Rocky Mountains
» Add the stats for Colorado Rockies MLB team to the wall of fame
» Learn about Native Americans (Sioux, Cheyenne, Crow, Blackfeet)
» Mount Rushmore
» Cooking class (make a meal from bison, maize and wheat)
» Mine for diamonds
» Ice skating

WEEK 4
"California Dreaming" (California)
Everything you ever wanted to know about California.
» Lights, Camera, Action! (participants will take classes in dancing, music, singing and acting)
» Add the stats of MLB teams Dodgers, Angels, Padres, Giants and A’s
» Pan for gold
» Visit Chinatown & make fortune cookies
» Create our own "Walk of Fame" stepping stones
» Movie poster design contest
» The “PRCF Awards Show” (Oscars we can do it better)
» Under the Sea Adventures (water activities)
» Music video (talent contest; winner gets to make a video)
» Escape from Alcatraz (survivor challenge)

WEEK 5
"Are We There Yet" (Hawaiian Cruise)
Park your RV and set sail for deep blue water and island hopping as we head to Hawaii
» Learn about the 8 islands of Hawaii
» Cook Hawaiian ham steaks
» Make leis
» Cruise ship mania
» Learn to hula
» Pearl Harbor (history lesson)
» Water adventures (canoeing, snorkeling, rafting)
» Luau
» Fruit kabobs & Hawaiian breeze smoothies
» Bowling
» Limbo challenge

WEEK 6
"On the Road Again" (Arizona, New Mexico, Texas)
Back on dry land and headed towards the Southwestern region of the country, stopping first in the four corner state of Arizona, then onto New Mexico and Texas.
» Grand Canyon
» Jewelry Making
» Add the stats of Diamondbacks, Rangers and Astros MLB team
» Continue lessons on Native Americans (Apache, Navajo, Hopi, Pueblo)
» Flavors of San Juan, Puerto Rico
» Salsa Dance
» Lone Star State
» Texas two-step
» Ten Gallon Hat
» Great Plains
» Wild, Wild West

WEEK 7
"Delta Blues" (Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Florida)
Creeping through the bayou keeping a watchful eye for anything specious or entertaining
» Music Explosion (jazz, blues, gospel & country)
» Myths & Legends
» NASA
» Add the stats of MLB teams Marlins and Rays
» Princess and the Frog movie
» Catfish & gumbo
» Mardi Gras
» Strawberry overload
» Everglades
» Hotlanta
» Reptiles & amphibians
» Kings Dominion

WEEK 8
"Happy Trails" (Kentucky, Tennessee)
Hang on to your hats as we gallop into Kentucky and Tennessee.
» Make gold bars similar to the ones at Fort Knox
» Compare and contrast the Kentucky Derby verses a Rodeo
» Make horses and design jockey silks for “Western Roundup”
» Design bonnets for derby or hats for rodeo
» Stop off in Nashville (country music)
» Learn about Civil Rights Museum
» Colonial Downs Field trip
» Western Day – dress like a cowboy or girl
» Kentucky Derby meets Western Roundup “Annual PRCF Playground Day” in Byrd Park (horseback riding, rodeo games, horse racing, hat fashion show, chuck wagon lunch)

WEEK 9
"Family Reunion" (Virginia)
Welcome home. Campers will discover what makes Virginia, a state rich in history.
» Discover your “Family Tree”
» Beautiful Baby Picture Contest
» Museum Hop (Virginia, Confederacy and Science)
» Rediscover Richmond Contest (historic sites contest)
» MLB World Series Predictions
» Visit Jamestown & Colonial Williamsburg
» Footsteps of Lincoln
» PRCF Football Draft
» Art show to proudly display all the treasure designed and collected throughout the summer
» Summer closing Family Reunion Picnic
**TEEN SUMMER CAMP “GENERATION Z”**

**TEEN SUMMER CAMP GENERATION**

Ages 12-13  
June 24 – August 23, 2013  
Monday – Friday  
7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

“Generation Z” is more than a teen summer camp! We are all about making memories, fostering lifelong friendships and creating more confident and capable young men and women. Getting to know teens is our biggest priority. “Generation Z” isn’t just about fun; it’s about YOU! We want you to discover your best self, and we believe that the activities we have planned is just the way to do it!

Breakfast and lunch will be served daily at 9:00 a.m. and noon respectively courtesy of the USDA Summer Meals for Kids Federal Food Program.

**BENEFITS**

What’s In It for Teens?

Learning:

- Self-Sufficiency
- Decision-Making
- Conflict Resolution
- Enhance Communication Skills
- Peer Leadership
- Develop Friendships
- Increase Social Skills
- Self-Discovery

**FEES**

$300 - for City residents only, limited spacing (proof of residency required)

Some activities may require an additional fee and permission slip.

**REGISTRATION**

for City residents only at Westover Community Center, 1301 Jahnke Road.

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**9 WEEK SCHEDULE**

**WEEK 1**

**“Unplugged”**

What is your carbon footprint? Teens will learn about environmental awareness.

- Powering Down and Going green for “ONE” week
- Become more aware of how we impact our surroundings and vice versa (no electronic devices, video games, cell phones, cooking, etc.)
- Meet and greet fellow campers through face to face interaction. No tweets, emails or calls
- “Reduce, Reuse & Recycle.” What else can campers do to help the earth? Campers will learn about the world and their effects on it
- Campers will decide on a community service project to complete
- Start a recycling program for the summer
- Trash to treasures art projects
- Old School Games
- Create a summer bucket list

**WEEK 2**

**“I Got You”**

Giving back to those less fortunate through community service; teens will start to implement service projects selected from the week before.

- Volunteer opportunities (nursing home, animal shelter, day-care)
- Know Your History (family tree & elders)
- Assist with Seniors
- Teen Think Tank
- Picnic
- Visit two community centers & read to campers

**WEEK 3**

**“Gear & Racks”**

Vogue! From sneakers to fashion and everything in between.

- Image & Perception – How do others perceive you?
- Fashion Make Over – Exploring the Do’s & Don’ts of Fashion
- Swag on a Budget - Looking fly without breaking the bank
- Mall Excursion – Latest fashion
- Fashion Collage – Creating your look
- Leather Projects

**WEEK 4**

**“Growing Money”**

Starting from the bottom and working our way to the top. Teens will create and run a summer business. Teens will discover future career paths.

- Exploring entrepreneurial projects
- Library and computer research
- College vs. Technical – What options are out there beside college?
- Various career professionals will share their work experiences and hands on activities
- Money Making Careers – Top 10 vocations from the US & Money management
- Occupation sampling (math, science, culinary art, education & recreation)
- Money Management

**WEEK 5**

**“YOLO”**

“You Only Live Once” Adventure week will have you zipping through the tree tops, paddling down the river or catching rays on a dock at the bay. Join the adventure!

- Paint Ball
- Team Building
- Sailing
- Rafting
- Surviving Nature
- Swimming
- Canoeing
- Horseback Riding
- Mountain Biking
- Rock Climbing

**WEEK 6**

**“Turnt Up”**

Being happy and excited about exploring the elegance & glamour of social interaction.

- Social Etiquette – Manners for all occasions
- Dance Class
- Cooking Class
- Photo Scavenger Hunt
- Talk the Talk – Social conversation
- Lunch & Networking – Chance to apply all lessons
- Social Media – Positives & Negatives
- Skating Party

**WEEK 7**

**“I Run This”**

It’s all about me.

- Good vs. Toxic Relationships
- Health & Wellness
- Cooking Class
- Character & Self-Esteem Builders
- Peer Pressure
- Self Expression
- Songs About Me (playlist of songs that describe you)
- Video Game Challenge
- Movies

**WEEK 8**

**“Lights, Camera, Action & Beats”**

Using Adobe Voice to empower teens with real world experiences and 21st century tools to communicate their ideas, exhibit their potential and take action within their communities. Where technology meets traditional camps.

- Writing a mini television script
- Public speaking
- Production management
- Visit television studio
- Visit Virginia State campus
- Digital photography
- Radio station
- Song lyrics & beats
- Recording studio time

**WEEK 9**

**“Getting Rays”**

Continuing our quest for outdoor adventures and recognition. Where traditional turns into exhilaration!

- Amusement Park
- Hadads Lake
- Pool Party
- Bowling
- Go Kart Racing
- Graffiti Art
- The “Z” Awards & Reception

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**PROGRAMS FILL QUICKLY, SO REGISTER EARLY.**
SUMMER PROGRAMS

Tennis Anyone!
Session 1
June 17 - 21
9 a.m. to noon
Byrd Park
Ages: 7 - 17
Session 2
July 8 - 12
5:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Battery Park
Ages: 7 - 17
Cost: $575 per session
This instructional camp is for both beginner and intermediate players. It stresses the fundamentals of the game. Campers learn forehand, backhand, serve and volley. Please indicate which session you wish to attend.

Soccer Camp presented by the Richmond Kickers
July 8 - 12, 9 a.m. - noon
Bryan Park
Ages: 6 - 14
Cost: $75
Learn the basics of soccer, with an emphasis on ball handling skills, passing, shooting and defensive play.

Learn To Swim Camp
Session 1
Randolph Pool
1401 Grayland Avenue
July 8 - 12
5:30 - 6:30 p.m.
Maximum 30 students
Ages: 5 - 17
Session 2
Swansboro Pool
3160 Midlothian Turnpike
Aug. 5 - 9
5:30 - 6:30 p.m.
Maximum 25
Advanced class 6 - 8 max
Ages: 5 - 17
Cost: $25 each session
Facilitated by the Parks, Recreation & Community Facilities Staff

British Soccer Camp presented by Challenger Sports Camps
Bryan Park
Aug. 12 - 16
9 a.m. to noon
Ages: 6 - 14
Cost: $145
All registrations for the British Soccer Camp must be made online at challengersports.com
Register by June 28 and receive a free 2013 jersey.

Learn from British players and coaches. Camp participants receive a free ball, T-shirt and evaluation.

CarMax Summer League
CarMax Summer Basketball League at Pine Camp
4901 Old Brook Road
Monday - Thursday
June 24 - August 2, 6 - 10 p.m.
Ages: Boys and Girls, 17 and younger
Cost: Free
Contact the supervisor at your local community center for exact details about playing on one of our teams or volunteering to help coach. For additional details about the CarMax Summer Basketball League, contact James Beirne, Recreation Sports Specialist at 646-1175.

2013 Traditions of Golf Challenge
Held at First Tee Richmond and Belmont Golf Course, August 2-4, 2013.
This National Tournament is hosted by City of Richmond and the County of Henrico.

Hook a Kid on Golf (HAK)
First Tee Richmond
400 School Street
Monday - Friday, June 24 - July 19
HAK Week July 22 - July 26
HAK Statewide Challenge - August TBA
Ages 8 - 13
Learn the fundamentals of golf, including the proper grip, stance and swing. Golf is an ideal activity for kids of all ages. It’s a comprehensive whole-body exercise, which enhances muscle development. Golf also encourages friendly competition and relies on honesty and courtesy. In general, golf provides an atmosphere in which participants develop principles that will benefit them for years to come.

Challenge Golf League (CGL)
First Tee Richmond
400 School Street
Ages: 8 - 15
Registration/Tryouts: June 5, TBA
Practice: June 20 - July 21, TBA
League Matches: Wednesdays
June 19 & 26, July 10 & 17
Scramble Matches: Saturdays
June 22 & 29, July 13 & 20
Cost: $20
Requirement: completion of HAK program
For more information, contact Donald Coleman at 646-1115

NON-CITY RESIDENT FEE
Non-city residents must pay an additional $20 fee.

FIND US ON FACEBOOK:
RICHMOND VA PARKS AND RECREATION
Swim Lessons
Swansboro Pool
3160 Midlothian Turnpike
Richmond, VA 23235

When it comes to summer safety, nothing is more important than knowing your children will be safe in the water. Be sure you learn to swim with the most trusted name in aquatic safety. The American Red Cross Swimming and Water Safety program combines the best in swim instruction with a strong emphasis on drowning prevention and water safety. City of Richmond’s swim instructors will help each participant progress through the levels of the American Red Cross Learn to Swim program. Courses are available for a variety of ages and skill levels to encourage healthy, lifelong recreational habits and to help keep your family safe.

Choose from courses for children and adults:
- Parent and Child Aquatics (ages 6 months to about 3 years)
- Preschool Aquatics (about ages 4 to 5 years)
- Learn-to-Swim (about 6 years through adults)

Registration for all swim lessons is conducted on the last Friday of each month beginning at 5 p.m. All registrations must be done in person at Swansboro Pool. For more information, please call Terri Book at 646-8088.

Cost is $20 for City residents and $40 for non-City residents.

World’s Largest
Swim Lesson
All city pools
3160 Midlothian Turnpike
Tuesday, June 18
10 a.m.
Ages 1-14
Free

City children between the ages of one and 14 are invited to join the Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities and other children at sites around the world to help set a Guinness World Record for the World’s Largest Swimming Lesson™.

Proper swim attire, to include swimsuits and swim trunks with a liner, is required to swim in all City of Richmond pools. Infants or children not yet potty trained are required to wear swim diapers while at the pool.

GROUP SWIM
Seasonal pools offer group swim during the hours of:
10 a.m. - noon
Monday - Friday
Cost: $1

Each group is allowed 45 minutes of private pool time at the fee of $1 per swimmer. Group swim is offered at all pools except Swansboro, Hotchkiss, and Calhoun. For more information, or to schedule group swim at one of the above pools, please call Alethea Tyler at 646-1174.

OPEN SWIM
Monday - Friday
1 - 4:30 p.m.
Saturday, noon - 5 p.m.
Sunday, 1 - 5 p.m.
Free

Groups wanting to swim during open swim must schedule the days they plan to attend with the pool manager at preferred pool to ensure proper lifeguard supervision. For more information concerning open swims, please call Alethea Tyler at 646-1174 or the pool of your preference in season.

ADULT / FAMILY SWIM HOURS
Monday - Friday, 5 - 8 p.m.

Admission is free during adult/family swim. Participants must be 18 or older. Proper ID may be required to ensure adult and family enjoyment. Parents/guardians must accompany their children during these hours.

YEAR-ROUND AEROBICS

Mike’s Mix Aerobics
Instructor: Mike Hodges
Program Days: Monday & Wednesday
7:15 - 8:15 p.m.
Cost: City of Richmond residents $25
bi-monthly & $40 non-City residents
Great for adults 18 and older looking for a great form of exercise inside the pool
(Moderate-High Impact Class)

YMCA WATER SMARTS
A Partnership with the YMCA of Greater Richmond
Hotchkiss Pool
Session 1: July 8 - 12
Session 2: July 22 - 26
Session 3: July 29 - August 2
Session 4: August 5 - 9
Class Times:
10 – 10:45 a.m.
11 – 11:45 a.m.
Ages 5 - 11
Max 35 per class

Registration deadline June 27. No cost for camp participants

Great Summer Escape camp participants receive four 45 minute lessons which teach basic swimming skills, water and personal safety. Participants learn how to be safe in and around water. A Water Carnival is held on the fifth day. The carnival includes swimming and water safety games, prizes and fun. All Water Smarts instructors are YMCA employees and volunteers.

POOLS AND LOCATIONS

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Seasonal Pools are open June 18 - September 2, 2013

* Private to housing residents. For information on Calhoun Pool schedule, please call 804-780-4866
**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**GOLF ALL YEAR LONG!**

The First Tee of Richmond Golf Complex
400 West School Street

- Driving range with multiple grass tees
- 18 heated covered tees
- Practice putting green
- Chipping green with sand trap
- A six-hole adult course (par three)
- Grass throughout the year
- A clubhouse with a pro-shop
- A snack shop
- Indoor instructional tee

**SUNDAY-SATURDAY**

10 a.m.-10 p.m.
$6.25 for a medium basket of balls
$10 for a large basket.

Call 646-4074 or 646-1115

**BMX Bicycle Racing and Disc Golf**

Gillies Creek Park
4425 Williamsburg Avenue

All ages

Call Arthur Luck at 305-1329 or Wyatt Kingston at 232-1982.

**Discount Theme Park Tickets Available**

Purchase tickets:
May 1 - September 2
Monday - Friday
10 a.m. - noon and 2 - 4 p.m.

Tickets include Kings Dominion, Water Country USA (Williamsburg VA), Busch Gardens (Williamsburg, VA), Six Flags (Maryland). Call 646-6934 for more details.

**Send a Kid to Camp Radiothon**

Thursday
May 9
10 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Join us for our 6th Annual Richmond Radio One Send-A-Kid to Camp Radiothon. Help raise money to send children to summer camp. Call 646-5733 for more details.

**Memorial Day Commemoration**

World War I Memorial Carillon Bell Tower in Byrd Park

Monday, May 27
4 p.m.

Free and Open to the Public

Join us for a concert on the Carillon bells and patriotic tributes to our nation’s veterans. The Carillon will be open for touring. Memorial concerts may also be arranged by calling 646-1031.

**Family Fishing Fair**

Shields Lake at Byrd Park

Friday, June 7
9 a.m.-noon

Ages 5 and older

Free

It’s Virginia’s annual free fishing weekend. No fishing license required. Local fishing experts will teach basic freshwater catch-and-release fishing. Poles and tackle will be available (two per family). Be sure to bring bottled water, fishing pole and a folding chair. Call Wyatt Kingston at 232-1982 for more details.

**Annual Dance Recital**

Center Stage, Carpenter Theater
Friday, June 21 at 7 p.m.

“Cinderella” - All ballet classes.
Saturday, June 22 at 1 p.m.

Includes Tap, Jazz, Hip-Hop, Martial Arts and more

Tickets: $12 for one show, $20 for both

Senior 65 and older and ages 12 and younger 25% discount.

**Richmond Earth Day Festival**

17th Street Farmers’ Market
Saturday, April 20, 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Free admission

Renew your commitment to Mother Earth at this annual Richmond celebration featuring music, food, art, vendors, alternative transportation, environmental education, games and activities.

**Eco-Home (presented by Earth Craft VA)**

Energy efficient home supplies

Contractors/builders

Eco-friendly clothes/fabrics and home services

**Eco-Outdoors**

Eco-friendly lawn care, lumber/play sets

Eco-Kids

Eco-friendly art projects

Hands-on games

**Eco-On-the-Go**

Eco-friendly cars

Bike experts on-hand from Carytown Bikes, Bysolar, Ride Richmond, RA-MORE

**Eco-Marketplace**

Environmentally friendly artists and crafts vendors

Local food producers, farms and wineries

**Eco-Adventure Interactive**

Rock climbing

Segway rides presented by River City Segs

Biking adventures

Interactive art demonstrations

Visit earthdayrichmond.org for details.

**57th Annual Festival of Arts**

Dogwood Dell Amphitheatre, Byrd Park
June - August

Free and Open to the Public

The Dogwood Dell Amphitheatre in Byrd Park hosts its 57th season of music, dance and theater this summer. This event will bring some of the region’s most talented performing artists and musicians to the Dell stage, as well as to our Ha’Penny Children’s series. The schedule will be available in June at richmondgov.com/parks or call the Dogwood Dell Hotline at 646-3355 or the production office at 646-1031.

**MOVIES IN THE PARK 2013**

**MAYOR DWIGHT C. JONES AND PARKS, RECREATION & COMMUNITY FACILITIES PROUDLY PRESENT**

**VISIT OUR WEBSITE: RICHMONDGOV.COM/PARKS**

**FRIDAY, JUNE 21**

**PG ANIMATED**

**MADAGASCAR 3**

Bryd Park
600 S. Boulevard, 23221

**FRIDAY, JUNE 28**

**PG ANIMATED**

**RISE OF THE GUARDIANS**

Blackwell
1450 Maury Street, 23234

**FRIDAY, JULY 5**

**PG ANIMATED**

**PARANORMAN**

Broad Rock Sports Complex
4835 Old Warwick Rd., 23234

**FRIDAY, JULY 12**

**PG ANIMATED**

**HOTEL TRANSYLVANIA**

Jefferson Park
1921 Princess Anne Ave, 23223

**FRIDAY, JULY 19**

**PG-13 ACTION/ADVENTURE**

**THE AMAZING SPIDERMAN**

Hotchkiss
701 E. Brookland Park Blvd., 23227

**FRIDAY, JULY 26**

**PG ANIMATED**

**BRAVE**

Humphrey Calder
414 N. Thompson St., 23221

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 2**

**PG-13 ACTION/ADVENTURE**

**CIRQUE DU SOLEIL**

Abner Clay Park
Leigh St. & 200 W. Clay St., 23219

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 9**

**PG-13 ACTION/ADVENTURE**

**JACK THE GIANT SLAYER**

Battery Park
2003 Dupont Cir., 23222

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 16**

**PG-13 ACTION/ADVENTURE**

**OZ THE GREAT AND POWERFUL**

Forest Hill Park
414 Street and Forest Hill Ave, 23225

**VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT RICHMONDGOV.COM/PARKS OR CALL 646-5733 FOR DETAILS.**

**Bring your refreshments, blankets and chairs and enjoy the movie! Activities at 8 PM and movies begin at 8:30 PM (or when it gets dark). Refreshments will be available for sale.**
DANCE AND DRAMA CAMPS

THE CITY DANCE & DRAMA CLASSES & CAMPS

Contact: Annette Holt at 646-3673

All dance and drama classes and registration are held at: Pine Camp Arts and Community Center, 4901 Old Brook Road, Richmond, VA 23237.

Destination Dance! A Camp for Young Dancers
July 1 - July 19 (no camp on July 4)
Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Ages 8 - 14 years
Cost: $85 any single week
$240 all three weeks
Second Child: $75 any single week
Second Child: $215 all three weeks
Non-Resident Fee: $20

Camp participants will learn the basics of Jazz, Ballet, Tap and Modern Dance. Also included in the curriculum are African Dance, Basic Gymnastics, and Hip-Hop. Lyrical and/or Ethnic dances will also be introduced. Loose, comfortable clothing is suggested. No Jeanswear items.

Girls should not wear skirts. Bring your own dance shoes if you have them. If you wish to borrow Tap shoes, please bring a pair of thin cotton socks to wear with them.

Campers should bring their own lunches daily, except on Fridays, when lunch is provided.

Two healthy and nutritious snacks are also offered each day to campers.

Participants are expected to be cooperative with all staff and to participate fully in each dance experience. A weekly demonstration for parents is held each Friday at 4 p.m.

Campers may also enter their name in a free drawing, which will give the lucky winner a scholarship for the dance program’s fall semester, plus a pair of dance shoes for their favorite class. One week dancers are eligible to enter, and need not be present to win. One final note: last year several of the participants returned for our performance company’s open auditions in the fall, and were accepted as new members. If your child is interested in performing and competing, this is their chance to be seen and invited back to the try-outs!

“Invitation to Dance” EVENING DANCE CLASSES
July 2 - August 8
One Class: $45
Two Classes: $80
Three Classes: $110
Second Child: $5 discount for each class taken

*Please note that the Thursday, July 4th classes will be held on Friday, July 5th
Those preparing for CDT auditions should take Modern, Ballet and Hip-Hop

TUESDAYS
Hippity-Hop
5:30 p.m.
Ages 5-6
Beginning Jazz
6:30 p.m.
Ages 7 and older
Hip-Hop
7:30 p.m.
Ages 9 and older
Creative Movement
5:30 p.m.
Ages 3-5

WEDNESDAYS
Pre-Ballet
5:30 p.m.
Ages 4-6
Beginning Ballet
6:30 p.m.
Ages 7 and older
Intermediate Ballet
7:30 p.m.
Ages 9 and older
Beginning Modern Dance
6:30 p.m.
Ages 8 and older

THURSDAYS
Kindertap
5:30 p.m.
Ages 4-6
Beginning Tap
6:30 p.m.
Ages 7 and older
Intermediate Tap
7:30 p.m.
Ages 9 and older
Intermediate Modern
6:30 p.m.
Ages 10 and older

SUMMER CAMP & REGISTRATION GUIDELINES

Dear parents/Guardians, it is the mission and goal of Richmond Parks, Recreation and Community (PRCF) Facilities that your child’s experience at our summer camp be as pleasant, fun and safe as possible. In an effort to provide a fun and safe environment, we at PRCF would like to make you aware of some of our policies and procedures. We hope you will find them helpful. We are open to any questions or suggestions that you may have concerning any of our policies or procedures. It is our belief that our success is not possible without you.

1) Required documents due at registration:
☐ Completed Application
☐ Proof of city residency (tax or utility bill, lease)
☐ Child’s birth certificate (child must be age 5 at time of registration)
☐ Child’s most recent report card (child must be in kindergarten)
☐ Camp Fee

2) Parents/Guardians must make sure that all information on the registration form is complete and correct. Phone numbers must be correct. Falsifying any information on the registration form could result in your child’s dismissal from the program. In case of an emergency, PRCF will not be responsible for notifying appropriate parent/guardian due to insufficient or inaccurate information on registration form. Parents/Guardians are required to inform PRCF of any address or phone number changes during camp.

3) Drop off and pick up times will be strictly enforced. Parents/Guardians must physically sign-in/out their child each day. We recommend for any unforeseen problem affecting this policy that parents/guardians contact camp staff immediately. Dropping off and leaving campers without signing them in or picking up campers without signing them out, or any other abuse of this policy could result in payment of additional fees and/or your child’s dismissal from the program. Campers will NOT be allowed to sign themselves in or out of camp.

4) No child will be allowed to leave camp with anyone other than his/her parent/guardian without “ADVANCE WRITTEN PERMISSION” from parent/guardian (PHONE CALLS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE).

5) PRCF staff is not allowed to dispense any medication except basic first aid.

6) Please do not send your child to camp dressed inappropriately for camp activities. Campers are required to wear sneakers or shoes to camp daily. No flip flops, crocs or heelies (skate shoes).

7) PRCF recommends that you not allow your child to attend summer camp with expensive items. PRCF will not be responsible for any lost, stolen or damaged property of any kind including without limitation: electronic games, music devices, cell phones, cash, jewelry, clothing, sports equipment and or personal possessions of any kind.

8) PRCF considers attending summer camp a privilege and will not allow unruly or disruptive behavior from any of its attendees. Parents/Guardians are responsible for working with camp staff to prevent disruptive behavior and discipline problems which may result in child’s suspension and/or expulsion from summer camp.

9) PRCF reserves the right to dismiss a camper whose conduct or influence is unsatisfactory or detrimental to the best interest of the camp, as determined entirely at the discretion of PRCF.

10) Parent/Guardian, no environment is risk free. Please instruct your child on the importance of abiding by the camp rules. Make sure that he/she is familiar with these rules and will obey them.

I, ________________________________, have read the policies and procedures listed above and agree to abide by such policies.

Parent/Guardian Signature ________________________________ Date ________________________________
Date ___________________ Name and Address of Community Center (for the Great Summer Escape Day Camp) ________________________________

Participant’s Name: ______________________________

Child’s Birth Date: Month _______ Day _______ Year _______ Grade _______

Parent/Guardian Name: ______________________________

Address: ____________________________________________

City ___________________ State ___________ Zip ___________

Are you a City of Richmond resident? ☐ Yes ☐ No

By city ordinance, non-City residents fee: $20 per camp

Phone Number: D ( _______ ) ____________________________ E ( _______ ) ____________________________

Email: ____________________________________________

T-shirt size (Please check one. T-shirt size, not guaranteed.) ☐ YS ☐ YM ☐ YL ☐ AS ☐ AM ☐ AL ☐ XL ☐ 2X

On which of our mailing lists would you like to be? ☐ Recreation ☐ Art ☐ Dance ☐ Theater ☐ Music ☐ Athletics ☐ Seniors ☐ Newsletter ☐ All

PLEASE NOTE: Program guides will be available at each center and the local public libraries and will not be mailed.

WAIVER: I authorize the Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities staff and volunteers to act according to their best judgment in any emergency requiring medical attention. I hereby waive and release the City of Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities staff and volunteers from any and all liability and cost associated with the program/class/camp. I further understand that my medical insurance carrier or I will be responsible for any expenses arising from said emergency or treatment.

The City of Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities supervises activities at its locations during normal hours of operation. All participants are free to enter and leave the premises without staff permission or supervision. Participants will be expected to follow rules and instructions from staff. Violations and disruptive behavior on a continued basis will result in dismissal. In the event of dismissal, fees will not be refunded. *Fees are not refundable after the first class unless class is cancelled.

Parent/Guardian Signature: ______________________________ Date: __________

Please list any pre-existing medical conditions, allergic reactions, or special qualities that would help us to give the participant a safe and happy experience:

Medical Conditions and Allergies __________________________________________

Medication __________________________________________________________

Family Doctor _____________________________________________ Phone ( _______ ) __________

Hospital Preference: __________________________________________________

Insurance Company: _____________________________________________ Policy Number: __________

Name of Insured: ___________________________________________________

Name of Emergency Contact should parent not be available __________ Phone ( _______ ) __________

I understand that I will be notified if my child becomes ill and I will make every effort to pick him/her up as soon as possible.

NOTICE TO PARENTS

THE CITY OF RICHMOND DOES NOT PERMIT PARTICIPANTS IN ITS RECREATIONAL PROGRAMS TO POSSESS PRESCRIPTION OR NON-PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS ON CITY PROPERTY. CITY OF RICHMOND EMPLOYEES ARE NOT QUALIFIED OR AUTHORIZED TO GIVE PRESCRIPTION OR NON-PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS TO ANY CHILD. CITY OF RICHMOND EMPLOYEES ARE NOT QUALIFIED OR AUTHORIZED TO SUPERVISE ANY CHILD WHO MAY NEED TO TAKE SELF-ADMINISTERED MEDICINE.

My child does not have a medical condition that will require him/her to take either prescription or non-prescription medications during the hours he/she will be participating in this program.

My child has a medical condition that will require him/her to take either prescription or non-prescription medication during the hours he/she will be participating in this program and is old enough, experienced enough and responsible enough to self-administer the medication without assistance. I hereby acknowledge, understand and agree that the City of Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities employees or agents are neither qualified nor authorized to administer medication to my child or to supervise my child in the self-administration of medication.

Photo Release: I hereby grant the City of Richmond permission to use my likeness in photograph(s)/video in any and all of its publications and in any and all other media, whether now known or hereafter existing, controlled by the City of Richmond, in perpetuity, and for other use by the City of Richmond. I will make no monetary or other claim against the City of Richmond for the use of the photograph(s)/video.

Name: ______________________________ Date: __________

Relation to subject (if subject is a minor) ____________________________________________

Signature ______________________________

Please check payment method:

☐ Check ☐ Money Order ☐ MasterCard ☐ VISA ☐ Discover ☐ Full ☐ Payment Plan ☐ Scholarship

Credit Card Number: ____________ ____________ ____________ ____________ ____________ ____________ Check Number: __________

Expiration Date: / _______ / _______

Payments made by credit card will be assessed a convenience fee of 4.5%

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Non-City Resident Fee Paid: ☐ Y ☐ N Receipt Number: ____________ Check Number: __________

Credit Card Payment: (there is a 4.5% surcharge added to payment) ____________ Fee Paid: ____________ Initials: ____________

Requests for refunds must be received 10 days prior to camp start date. No refunds will be granted after the start of programs. Richmond Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities programs and activities are open to everyone without regard to race, religion, sex, national origin, handicap, or political affiliation.
All programs and activities are open to everyone without regard to race, religion, sex, national origin, handicap or political affiliation.