



Hillsborough
County Florida

Parks & Recreation *Winter Programming 24-25*



Welcome

Welcome to Hillsborough County Parks & Recreation. We offer quality programs and parks throughout the Tampa Bay area. We are proud to be a place that provides health and well-being to our community, whether that be through our walking trails, open court time, exercise classes, or social time with friends. We look forward to seeing you at the park.

For more information, visit [HCFL.gov/Parks](https://www.hcfl.gov/Parks).

Director's Message



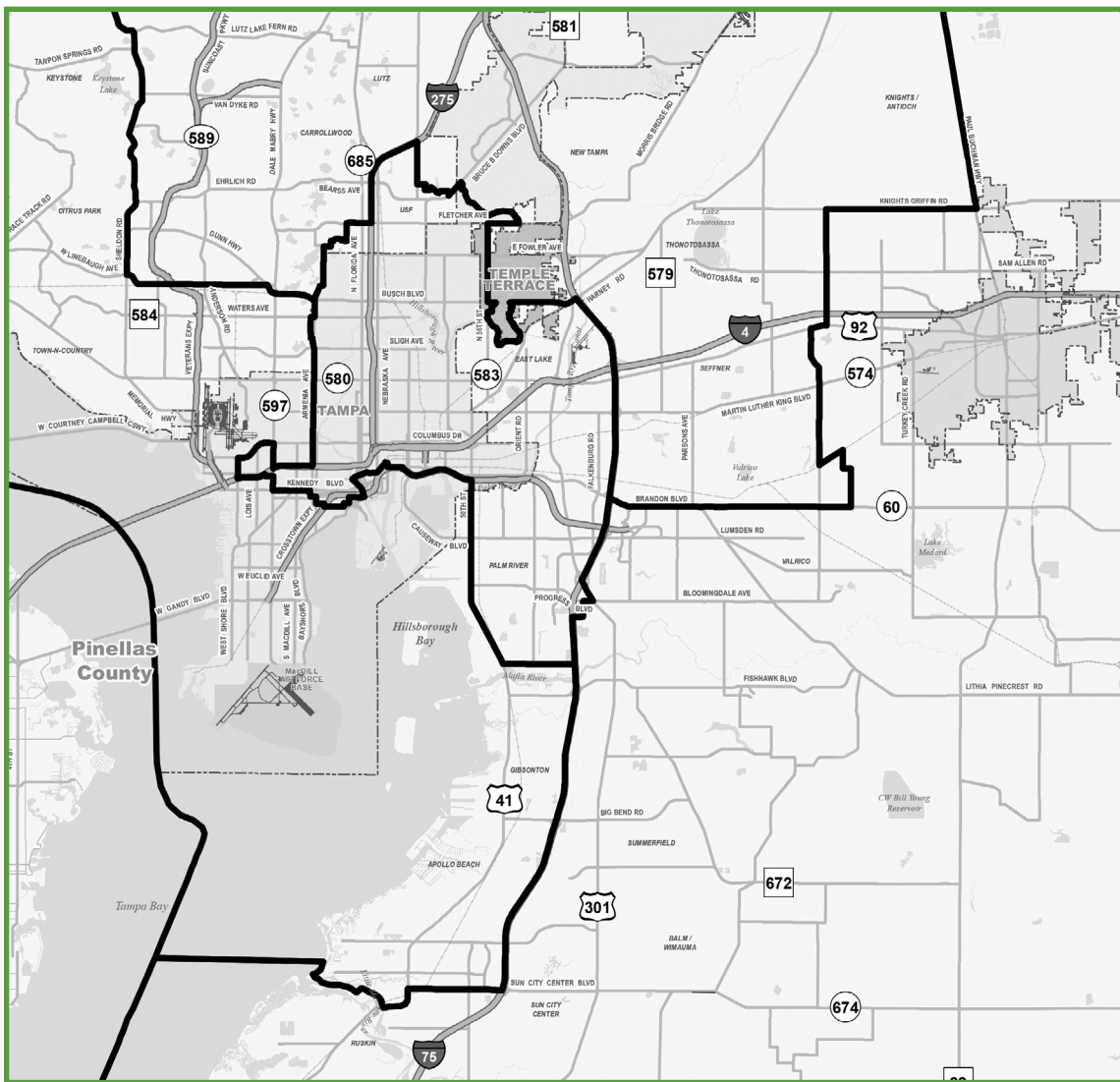
Hillsborough County Parks & Recreation is proud to be a 2022, 2023, and 2024 Gold Medal Finalist for National Recreation and Parks Association. We were also the winner of the Florida Recreation and Parks Association's 2020 Agency Excellence Award and excited to show you why we are honored to receive this recognition. We pride ourselves on creating fun and innovative ways for our community to enjoy recreation centers, parks, playgrounds, and athletic fields.

I am honored to lead this team of dedicated individuals and serve the residents of Hillsborough County. We strive to offer programs and activities that engage our neighbors and community. We hope that you have a safe and happy Spring season and participate in the programs detailed in this brochure. Rick Valdez Director, Hillsborough County Parks & Recreation

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Director, Hillsborough County Parks & Recreation

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Fitness Centers

**Must have a Wellness Access Pass for the center*



Wellness Access Pass

The *Wellness Access Pass* gives guests 18 years old and up access to specific indoor amenities, programs, and fitness rooms at select locations. The pass is \$10 + tax per month and allows users to participate in activities like indoor pickleball, badminton, volleyball, and more throughout the county.

The *Wellness Access Pass* is a requirement to sign up and attend certain activity offerings, and there will be no additional fees to sign up for those programs denoted in the brochure and the park webpage.

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664 Golf and Sea Blvd.
Apollo Beach, FL 33572

Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center ([map](#))

5855 S. 78th St.
Tampa, FL 33619

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6219 Symmes Road
Gibsonton, FL 33534

Jackson Springs Community Center ([map](#))

8620 Jackson Springs Road
Tampa, FL 33615

Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community Park & Life Center ([map](#))

6105 E. Sligh Ave.
Tampa, FL 33617

Northdale Park & Recreation Center ([map](#))

15510 Hooting Owls Pl.
Tampa, FL 33624

Ruskin Park & Recreation Center ([map](#))

901 6th St. SE
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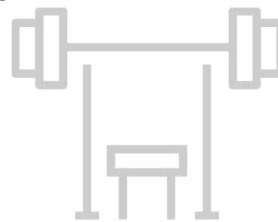
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Tampa, FL 33626

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Badminton

Badminton is a sport where the players use racquets to hit a shuttlecock across a net. All two-hour sessions will be open play. For ages 18+.

Wellness Access Pass required for activity.

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Monday & Wednesday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Lesley “Les” Miller Jr. All People’s Community Park & Life Center	Monday Wednesday	9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. 12:30 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Northdale Park & Recreation Center	Tuesday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Victor Crist Community Center Complex	Tuesday & Friday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Westchase Park & Recreation Center	Wednesday Saturday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 1:30 – 3:30 P.m.

Youth Badminton

Come play and enjoy the sport of badminton in an open format with you peers. All sessions will be open play for ages 10-17

Site	Day	Start/End Time
Westchase Park & Recreation Center	Saturday	3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Athletic Field Rentals

Hillsborough County has a variety of athletic facilities, including baseball, cricket, football, lacrosse, soccer, softball, and syntheticturf multipurpose fields, available to rent for a one-time (single day) events or weekly practices for sports teams.

For more information or to reserve a field, email PRK-Fields@HCFL.gov or call (813) 635-3500.

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Pickleball

Pickleball is a paddleball sport that combines elements of badminton, table tennis, and tennis. All sessions will be open play. For ages 18+.

Wellness Access Pass required for activity.

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Monday & Tuesday Saturday	9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m. 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Gardenville Recreation Center	Monday Tuesday & Saturday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Jackson Springs Community Center	Tuesday & Thursday	9:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Lesley “Les” Miller Jr. All People’s Community Park & Life Center	Monday & Sunday	9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Tuesday & Thursday Wednesday Saturday	9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.
Ruskin Recreation Center	Wednesday, Thursday Saturday	9:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Victor Crist Community Center Complex	Monday, Wednesday	10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Westchase Recreation Center	Monday, Wednesday, Friday Saturday	10 a.m. – 12 p.m. 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Pickleball Lessons

Come learn the sport of Pickleball, one of the fastest growing sports in America. Participants will learn fundamentals, basic skills, and strategy. For ages 18+.

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Apollo Beach Recreation Center	Wednesday	6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Bealsville Park & Recreation Center	Thursday	10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Brandon Park & Recreation Center	Monday	9:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Emanuel P. Johnson Park & Recreation Center	Friday	10 – 11 a.m.
Gardenville Park & Recreation Center	Monday	11 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Jackson Springs Park & Community Center	Sunday	3:30 – 4:30 p.m.
Keystone Park & Recreation Center	Wednesday	10 – 11 a.m.
Mango Park & Recreation Center	Tuesday	10:30 – 12:30 p.m.
Northdale Park & Recreation Center	Monday	9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Ruskin Park & Recreation Center	Tuesday	10 – 11 a.m.
Westchase Park & Recreation Center	Wednesday	10 – 10:45 a.m.



Volleyball

Adult, co-ed, indoor volleyball played with teams of six people. All sessions will be open play. For ages 18+.

Wellness Access Pass required for activity.

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Tuesday Saturday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 3:30 – 5:30 p.m.
Gardenville Recreation Center	Wednesday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Friday Sunday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 2:30 – 6 p.m.
Ruskin Park & Recreation Center	Wednesday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.



Adult Co-ed Kickball League

Teams are guaranteed eight games, which includes a seven-game season followed by playoffs. A maximum of 15 players per roster allowed with 10 field players with at least four females at any one time. Teams may bat up to 15 players, with a maximum of two males in a row. Cost is \$300 per team. All players must be 18+.

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Brandon Recreation Center	Friday	6 – 8:30 p.m.



Youth Ball Hockey

Designed to teach the basics of ball hockey in a recreational setting for kids ages 9 – 11 years old. Players will participate in weekly games and practices while focusing on good sportsmanship, fun, and teaching life lessons through sport.

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Brandon Recreation Center	Tuesday, Thursday	5:15 – 7 p.m.
Ruskin Recreation Center	Monday, Wednesday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.



Tone and Stretch

This instructor-led program teaches low impact and easy stretches to increase range of movement and flexibility. For ages 18+.

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Apollo Beach Recreation Center	Monday	9:30 – 10:30 a.m.
Brandon Recreation Center	Thursday	10:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Carrollwood Village Park	Tuesday, Thursday	8:30 - 9:15 a.m.
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Thursday	10 – 11 a.m.
Gardenville Recreation Center	Wednesday	10 – 11 a.m.
Jackson Springs Recreation Center	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	9 – 9:45 a.m.
Keystone Park & Recreation Center	Tuesday, Thursday	10 - 11 a.m.
Lesley “Les” Miller Jr. All People’s Community Park & Life Center	Wednesday	10 - 11 a.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Wednesday	9:30 – 10:30 a.m.
Roy Haynes Recreation Center	Monday	10 – 11 a.m.
Ruskin Recreation Center	Tuesday	10 – 11 a.m.
Westchase Recreation Center	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	9 – 9:45 a.m.



Basketball – Open Gym

All two-hour sessions will be open play. For ages 18+. **Wellness Access Pass required for activity.**

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Wednesday	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Gardenville Recreation Center	Tuesday & Thursday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Jackson Springs Recreation Center	Tuesday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Monday Sunday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.
Ruskin Recreation Center	Monday Saturday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 2:30 – 4:30 p.m.
Ruskin Recreation Center	Monday, Wednesday Saturday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 1 – 4 p.m.
Victor Crist Community Center Complex	Monday Tuesday, Thursday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.

50+ Basketball Open Gym

All two-hour sessions will be open play. For ages 50+. **Wellness Access Pass required for activity.**

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Tuesday	9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Ruskin Recreation Center	Saturday	12 – 2 p.m.



Youth Basketball Leagues

Designed for boys and girls ages 5 - 16, our basketball clinic is designed to sharpen abilities on the court, with dynamic drills, interactive sessions, and friendly competitions. Our coaches help improve participants basketball fundamentals, enhance teamwork, and ignite a passion for basketball.



Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Thursday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Gardenville Recreation Center	Saturday	9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Jackson Springs Park & Community Center	Monday, Wednesday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Northdale Park & Recreation Center	Saturday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Ruskin Park & Recreation Center	Tuesday, Thursday	6:15 – 8:15 p.m.
Westchase Park & Recreation Center	Saturday	9 am – 1 p.m.

Teen Basketball Leagues

Designed for boys and girls ages 13 - 16, our basketball clinic is designed to sharpen abilities on the court, with dynamic drills, interactive sessions, and friendly competitions. Our coaches help improve participants basketball fundamentals, enhance teamwork, and ignite a passion for basketball.



Site	Day	Start/End Time
Brandon Park Recreation Center	Monday, Wednesday	6 – 7 p.m.
Northdale Park & Recreation Center	Friday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.



Toddler PE

Toddler P.E. is a parent-supervised active program in which the toddlers participate in different games each week that focus on hand-eye coordination, fine and gross motor skills, and most importantly, fun! This program is a great opportunity for children ages 2-5 to socialize and recreate.

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Apollo Beach Recreation Center	Tuesday	10 – 11 a.m.
Brandon Recreation Center	Thursday	10 – 11 a.m.
Emanuel P Johnson Recreation Center	Wednesday	10 – 11 a.m.
Gardenville Recreation Center	Monday	10 – 11 a.m.
Keystone Park & Recreation Center	Monday	10:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Lesley “Les” Miller Jr. All People’s Community Park & Life Center	Friday	10 – 11 a.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Wednesday	10 – 11 a.m.
Roy Haynes Recreation Center	Wednesday	10:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Westchase Recreation Center	Tuesday	10:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Homeschool PE



Homeschool PE is a parent-supervised active program designed for children ages 5-12. Participants meet weekly and participate in staff-led activities. The program is geared towards teaching fundamentals, stressing good sportsmanship, and fostering physical, mental, and social-emotional growth.

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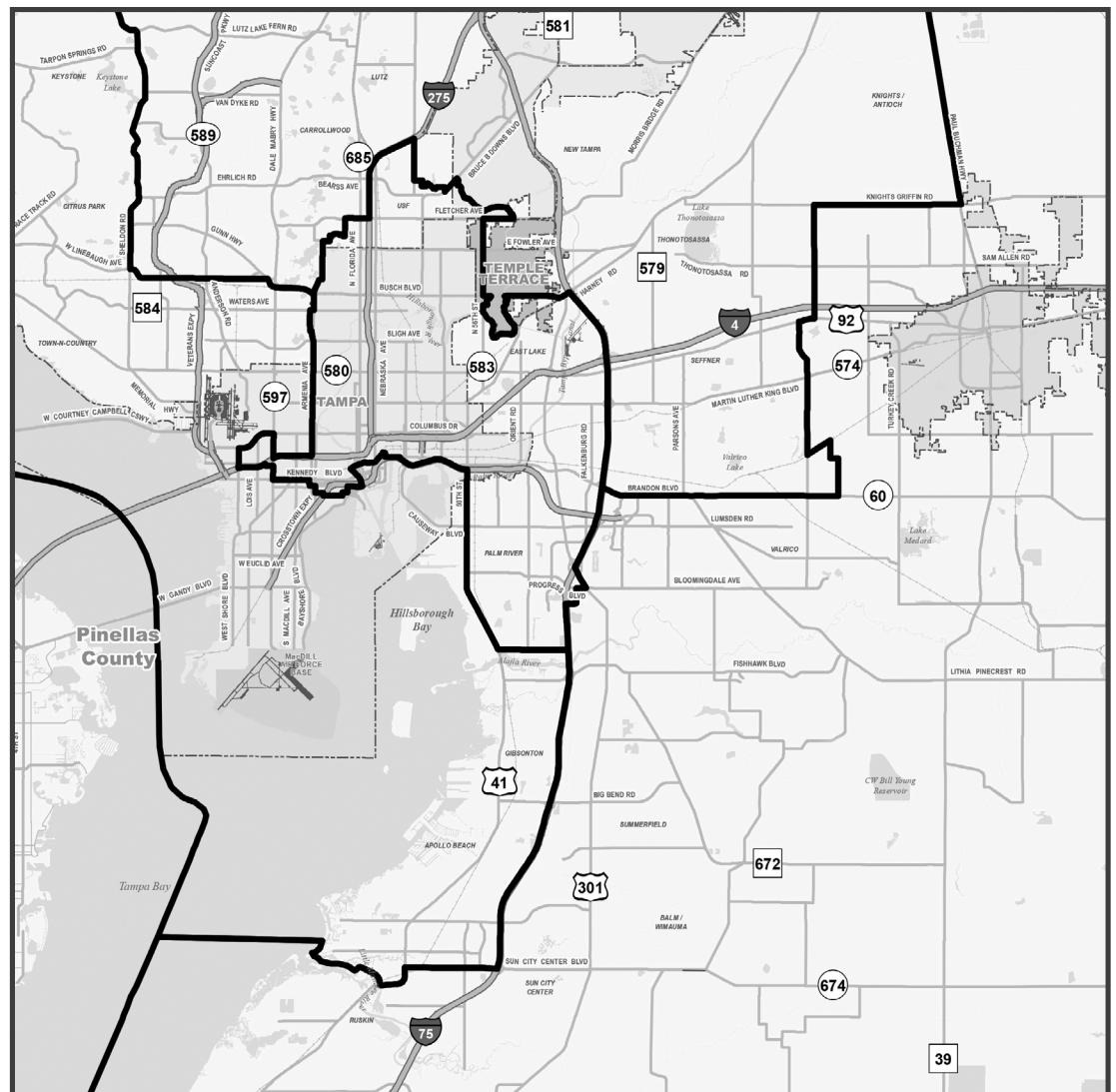
Site	Day	Start/End Time
Balm Park & Recreation Center	Thursday	11 a.m. – 12 p.m
Brandon Recreation Center	Wednesday	11 a.m. – 12 p.m
Keystone Park & Recreation Center	Tuesday	11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m
Mango Recreation Center	Wednesday	10 – 11 a.m.
Northdale Park & Recreation Center	Monday	10 – 11 a.m
Roy Haynes Recreation Center	Friday	12:30 – 1:30 p.m.
Ruskin Recreation Center	Tuesday	11 a.m. – 12 p.m
Westchase Recreation Center	Thursday	10:30 – 11:30 a.m. 11:30 – 12:30 p.m.



Hillsborough County Skate Parks

Hillsborough County has five skate parks that are free and open to the public. These parks have different levels of difficulty and amenities for beginners to advance riders. Three of these parks offer programs and skate lessons. Visit [HCFL.gov/Skate](https://www.hcfl.gov/Skate) for more information.

- 1 Apollo Beach Skate Park** ([map](#))
664 Golf and Sea Blvd.
Apollo Beach, FL 33572
- 2 FishHawk Skate Park** ([map](#))
5720 Osprey Ridge Drive
Lithia, FL 33547
- 3 Carrollwood Village Skate Park** ([map](#))
4680 West Village Drive
Tampa, FL 33624
- 4 Jackson Springs Skate Park** ([map](#))
8612 Jackson Springs Road
Tampa, FL 33615
- 5 Providence Skate Park** ([map](#))
5720 Providence Road
Riverview, FL 33534





Youth Skateboard Lessons

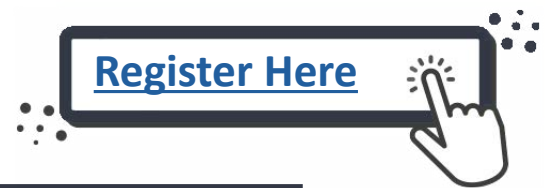
Our skilled staff have designed our skateboard lessons to help participants not only get comfortable on a board and with the features in our parks, but assist with basic tricks, techniques, terminology, and teach skate park etiquette. Lessons are designed for first-timers to intermediate participants. Lessons are \$5 each hour.



Site	Day	Start / End Time
Apollo Beach Park & Recreation Center	Friday	5:30 – 7:45 p.m.
Carrollwood Village Skate Park	Saturday	9 – 10 a.m.
Providence Skate Park	Monday, Saturday Thursday	10 – 11 a.m. 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Girl Skateboard Lessons

Our skilled staff have designed our skateboard lessons to help participants not only get comfortable on a board and with the features in our parks, but assist with basic tricks, techniques, terminology, and teach skate park etiquette. Lessons are designed for first-timers to intermediate participants. Lessons are \$5 each hour.



Site	Day	Start / End Time
Providence Skate Park	Thursday	6:30 – 7:30 p.m.



HC Adaptive Sports

HCHC Adaptive Sports provides year-round sports and recreation programs that promote physical activity, healthy lifestyles, and recreational and competitive sports opportunities for area children and adults with physical disabilities. Coaches work with individuals to find creative and beneficial ways for participants to engage in different sports.

All People’s Life Center is the location for all HC Adaptive Sports.



Sport	Day	Start/End Time
Intro To Adaptive Sports	Tuesday	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Wheelchair Basketball	Tuesday, Friday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Indoor Archery	Monday	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Sport	Day	Start/End Time
Youth Wheelchair Basketball	Thursday	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Veterans’ Archery & Air Precision	Friday	9 – 11 a.m.
Veterans’ Table Tennis	Thursday	10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Hillsborough County Special Olympics

Special Olympics’ mission is to provide year-round sports training and competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, giving them opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in athletic competitions.



Sport	Site	Day	Start/End Time
Basketball	Lesley “Les” Miller Jr. All People’s Community Park & Life Center	Monday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Bocce	Lesley “Les” Miller Jr. All People’s Community Park & Life Center	Tuesday	4:30 – 5:30 p.m.
Cornhole	Lesley “Les” Miller Jr. All People’s Community Park & Life Center	Monday	3 – 5 p.m.
Cycling	Flatwoods Conservation Park	Wednesday	3:30 – 5:30 p.m.
Girl Scouts	Lesley “Les” Miller Jr. All People’s Community Park & Life Center	Tuesday	6 – 8 p.m.



Child Care Programs

Hillsborough County Parks and Recreation offers child care programs for after-school and summer camp for ages K -5. The after-school program runs from the time children get out of school until 6 p.m., Monday – Friday. Discounts are available for students with free or reduced lunch letters.

Adaptive after school options are also available for children with disabilities. Camp Sparks is a program designed solely for children with disabilities that need a smaller staff to child ratio (6:1). Our Inclusion program brings children with disabilities into our Traditional Camp setting with trained staff that will help adapt activities to ensure the individual is included in the after school program.

Fees:

- \$60 every two weeks

For more information, visit [HCFL.gov/AfterSchool](https://www.hcfl.gov/AfterSchool).

After-School Program Locations

Location	Traditional After-School Program	Adaptive After-School Program
Alexander Park & Recreation Center 5620 N. Lois Ave., Tampa, FL 336147	✓	✓
Apollo Beach Park & Recreation Center 664 Golf & Sea Blvd., Apollo Beach, FL 33572	✓	
Balm Park & Recreation Center 14747 Balm / Wimauma Rd., Wimauma, FL 3359		
Carrollwood Meadows Park 13918 S. Farmington Blvd., Tampa, FL 33625		✓
Egypt Lake Recreation Center 3126 W. Lambright St., Tampa, FL 33614	✓	
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center 5855 S. 78th St., Tampa, FL 33619		
Gardenville Recreation Center 6219 Symmes Rd., Gibsonton, FL 33534	✓	✓
Jackson Springs Community Center 8620 Jackson Springs Rd., Tampa, FL 33615	✓	✓
Kenly Park & Recreation Center 3101 N. 66th St., Tampa, FL 33619	✓	
Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community Park & Life Center 6105 E. Sligh Ave., Tampa, FL 33617	✓	✓
Mango Recreation Center 11717 Clay Pit Rd., Seffner, FL 33584	✓	
Northdale Recreation Center 15550 Spring Pine Dr., Tampa, FL 33624	✓	✓
Roy Haynes Recreation Center 1902 South Village Ave., Tampa, FL 33612	✓	
Ruskin Recreation Center 901 6th St. SE, Ruskin, FL 33570	✓	✓
Thonotosassa Recreation Center 10132 Skewlee Rd., Thonotosassa, FL 33592	✓	
Westchase Recreation Center 9791 Westchase Dr., Tampa, FL 33626	✓	