



Parks & Recreation Summer Programming 2025





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.

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.

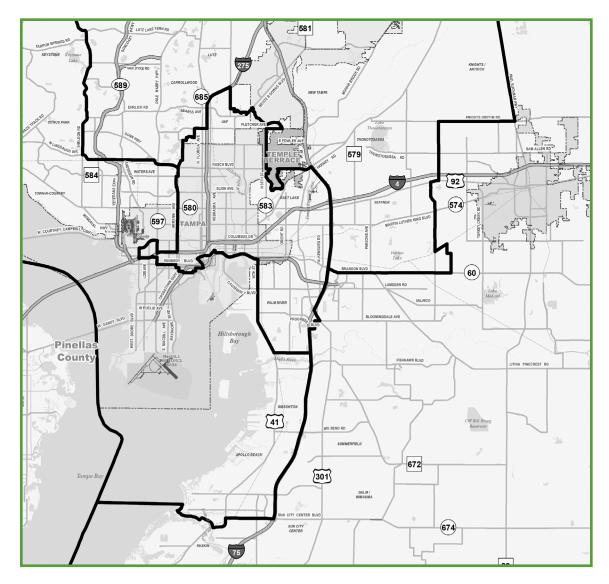
I am honored to lead this team of dedicated individuals and serve the residents of Hillsborough County. We strive to offer programs and activities that engage our neighbors and community. We hope that you have a safe and happy Spring season and participate in the programs detailed in this brochure. Rick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

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Director, Hillsborough County Parks & Recreation

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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.

Purchase one by clicking here.



Apollo Beach Park & Recreation Center (map)

664 Golf and Sea Blvd. Apollo Beach, FL 33572

Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center (map)

5855 S. 78th St. Tampa, FL 33619

Gardenville Park & Recreation Center (map)

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 Ruskin, FL 33570

Victor Crist Community Center Complex (man)

14013 N. 22nd St. Tampa, FL 33613

Westchase Recreation Center (map)

9791 Westchase Dr. Tampa, FL 33626



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.

Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Monday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community Park & Life Center	Wednesday	6 - 8:30 p.m.
Northdale Park & Recreation Center	Tuesday Sunday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 9:30 a.m – 1 p.m.
Victor Crist Community Center Complex	Tuesday	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 6-17

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Site	Day	Start/End Time
Westshare Dark & Description Contact	Saturday	1:30 – 2:30 p.m.
Westchase Park & Recreation Center	Sunday	2:30 – 3:30 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 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.



Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Wednesday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Gardenville Recreation Center	Monday Saturday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Tuesday & Thursday Wednesday Saturday	8:30 – 11:30 a.m. 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 2:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Ruskin Recreation Center	Wednesday Saturday	7:30 – 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Victor Crist Community Center Complex	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Westchase Recreation Center	Friday Saturday Sunday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 1:30 – 4:30 p.m. 3:45 – 5:45 p.m.

(SOAR) Senior's Outdoor Active Recreation

Events designed for active seniors where our staff takes you off the beaten path for guided hikes and other outdoor activities. Get ready to have fun hiking, birdwatching, or even taking a dolphin sightseeing cruise. Parks & Recreation staff plan exciting adventures to enjoy fun-filled days while visiting sites around Florida



HCFL.gov/SOAR



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+.



Site	Day	Start/End Time
Apollo Beach Recreation Center	Wednesday	6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Jackson Springs Park & Community Center	Sunday	3:30 – 4:30 p.m.
Mango Park & Recreation Center	Wednesday	6 – 7:30 p.m.



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.



Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Tuesday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Gardenville Recreation Center	Wednesday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Jackson Spring Community Center	Sunday	10 a.m. – 12 p.m. & 1 – 3 p.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Friday Sunday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.
Ruskin Park & Recreation Center	Wednesday Saturday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 12:30 – 2 p.m.



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



Site	Day	Start/End Time
Apollo Beach Recreation Center	Monday	10 – 11 a.m.
Carrollwood Village Park	Tuesday	8:30 - 9:30 a.m.
Jackson Springs Recreation Center	Monday, Wednesday	9 – 9:45 a.m.
Keystone Park & Recreation Center	Tuesdsay, Thursday	10 - 11 a.m.
Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community Park & Life Center	Thursday	10 - 11 a.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Wednesday	9:30 – 10:30 a.m.
Roy Haynes Recreation Center	Monday	10 – 11 a.m.
Westchase Recreation Center	Wednesday, Friday	9 – 9:45 a.m.



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	Monday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community Park & Life Center	Sunday	9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Monday Sunday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 1:30 – 4:30 p.m
Ruskin Recreation Center	Monday Saturday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 2:30 – 4:30 p.m.
Victor Crist Community Center Complex	Monday Tuesday, Thursday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m. 9 – 11 a.m.
Westchase Recreation Center	Thursday	7 – 9 p.m.

Teen Basketball Open Gym

Teen Open Gym is available for teens in the community that would like to come and learn, play games, and run drills related to basketball. This is a great way for young men and women to be in a safe environment where all playing styles are welcome.

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50+ Basketball Open Gym

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





Our leagues are all about the joy of the game, where kids of all skill levels can have a blast while learning the fundamentals of basketball and the importance of sportsmanship. With excellent coaches and great facilities, we're here to help your kids shine both on and off the court. So, grab your sneakers and join us for some hoops action that's not just about basketball—it's about building skills, teaching teamwork, respect, making friends, and having a whole lot of fun.



Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Thursday	6 – 8 p.m.
Gardenville Recreation Center	Saturday	9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Jackson Springs Community Center	Tuesday, Thursday	6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community Park & Life Center	Saturday	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Saturday	9:30 – 11 a.m. 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Ruskin Park & Recreation Center	Tuesday, Thursday	6 – 8:45 p.m.



Experience the excitement of basketball with the Hillsborough County Parks and Recreation Teen Basketball Leagues! These leagues are designed for teenagers looking to enjoy the game, make new friends, and grow as athletes. Our focus is on fun and learning, where teens can enhance their basketball skills in a friendly and supportive environment. With great facilities and dedicated coaches, we're here to help you enjoy the sport and build lasting memories. So, grab your sneakers, dribble, and shoot your way into a league that's all about camaraderie and the love of basketball!



Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Thursday	8 – 9 p.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Friday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Westchase Park & Recreation Center	Saturday	9 am – 1 p.m.

Adult Basketball Leagues

Each team will consist of up to 10 players of your choosing. The season will have eight regular gamesfollowed by playoffs. All players must be 35+. Cost is \$425 for each team.



Site	Day	Start/End Time
Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center	Friday	6 – 9 p.m.
Northdale Recreation Center	Thursday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.



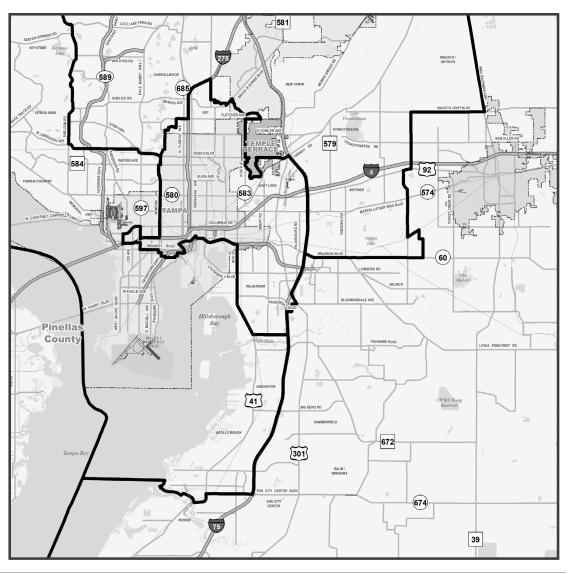
Toddler P.E. is a parent-supervised active program in which the toddlers participate in different games each week that focus on hand-eye coordination, fine and gross motor skills, and most importantly, fun! This program is a great opportunity for children ages 2-5 to socialize and recreate.



Site	Day	Start/End Time
Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community Park & Life Center	Friday	10 – 11 a.m.



- (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
- (map) 5720 Providence Road Riverview, FL 33534





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	6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Carrollwood Village Skate Park	Saturday	9 – 10 a.m.
Providence Skate Park	Saturday	10 – 11 a.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 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
Adaptive Archery	Thursday	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Adaptive Swimming	Monday	4:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Adaptive Youth Basketball	Tuesday	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Para-Powerlifting	Monday	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Veteran's Air Precision	Friday	8:30 – 10 a.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
Bowling	Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community Park & Life Center	Wednesday	3 – 6 p.m.
Girl Scouts	Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community Park & Life Center	Tuesday	6 – 8 p.m.
Swimming	Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community Park & Life Center	Monday	3 – 6 p.m.



Hillsborough County Parks and Recreation offers summer camp programs for children 5 - 15.

The summer camp program runs from 7:30 a.m.* - 6 p.m., Monday – Friday.

* Speciality summer camps begin at 8 a.m.

No matter your child's interest, Hillsborough County has a camp for everyone! From traditional recreation camp, to specialty Eco-Adventure and Skateboard camps, there's something for everyone in parks!

(813) 352-0758

Apollo Beach Recreation Center

664 Golf & Sea Blvd., Apollo Beach, FL 33572 (813) 671-7635

Balm Recreation Center

14747 Balm Wimauma Rd., Wimauma, FL 33598 (813) 258-8816

Bealsville Recreation Center

5009 Nesmith Rd., Plant City, FL 33567 (813) 836-1839

Brandon Recreation Center

502 E. Sadie St., Brandon, FL 33510 (813) 635-8179

Country Place Recreation Center

(Teen Camp only)

15728 Country Lake Dr., Tampa, FL 33624 (813) 264-8956

Egypt Lake

3126 W. Lambright St., Tampa, FL, 33614 (813) 975-2103

Emanuel P. Johnson Recreation Center

5855 S. 78th St., Tampa, FL 33619 (813) 671-7700

Gardenville Recreation Center

(Teen Camp offered)

6219 Symmes Rd., Gibsonton, FL 33534 (813) 672-1120

Jackson Springs Community Center (Teen Camp offered)

8620 Jackson Springs Rd., Tampa, FL 33615 (813) 554-5004

Fees:

Traditional, Adaptive Recreation, and Teen camps

\$120 per child, for session 1 (June 9 - July 3) \$150 per child, for session 2 (July 7 - August 8) Total of \$270 for the 9-week program

Eco-Adventure camps

\$240 per child, for session 1 (June 9 – July 3) \$240 per child, for session 2 (July 7 – August 1) Total of \$480 for the 8-week program

Skateboard camps

\$240 per child, for session 1 (June 9 – July 3) \$300 per child, for session 2 (July 7 – August 8) Total of \$540 for the 9-week program

(813) 744-5531

Keystone Recreation Center

17928 Gunn Hwy., Odessa, FL 33556 (813) 264-3819

Lesley "Les" Miller Jr. All People's Community

Park & Life Center

6105 E. Sligh Ave., Tampa, FL 33617 (813) 744-5978

Mango Recreation Center

11717 Clay Pit Rd., Seffner, FL 33584 (813) 635-7489

Northdale Recreation Center

15510 Hooting Owls Pl., Tampa, FL 33624 (813) 264-8956

Roy Haynes Recreation Center

1902 S. Village Dr., Tampa, FL 33612 (813) 903-3480

Ruskin Recreation Center

(Teen Camp offered)

901 6th Street S.E., Ruskin, FL 33570 (813) 672-7881

Thonotosassa Recreation Center

10132 Skewlee Rd., Thonotosassa, FL 33592 (813) 987-6206

Victor Crist Community Center Complex

14013 N. 22nd St., Tampa, FL 33613, (813) 558-5212

Westchase Recreation Center

9791 Westchase Dr., Tampa, FL 33626 (813) 964-2948



ADAPTIVE* RECREATION

Recreation for residents with disabilities that enables participants to interact and learn in a traditional recreational setting.



SUMMER CAMP

Parks & Recreation

June 9 - August 8 Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Session 1: June 9 - July 3, 2025 - \$120 per child Session 2: July 7 - Aug. 8, 2025 - \$150 per child

Priority registration: March 1, 2025 Registration opens: April 5, 2025

Registration opens at noon.

*Lunch will not be provided **Space is limited.**

For registration and more information, visit HCFL.gov/SummerCamp





Eco-Adventure Camp

Session 1 (June 9 - July 3)
Carrollwood Village Park
4680 W. Village Dr., Tampa, FL 33624
(813) 269-4712

Session 2 (July 7 - Aug. 1)
Riverview Civic Center
11020 Park Dr., Riverview, FL 33569
(813) 599-6469

\$240 per child





2025 SPECIALTY CAMPS

Let the discovery happen!

Priority Registration - March 1, 2025 Open Registration - April 5, 2025 Registration opens at noon. Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

*Lunch will not be provided.

Space is limited.



Skate Camp

Ride the wave of fun and adventure!

Session 1: June 9 - July 3 \$240 per child

Session 2: July 7 - Aug. 8 \$300 per child

Providence Skate Park
5720 Providence Road ,Riverview, FL 33578
(813) 744-5319

All Skate Camps ages 7 - 12

