

CITY OF TROY Recreation



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are almost here!*

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REGISTER FOR CAMPS



JOIN A SPORTS LEAGUE





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To our Valued Customers,

The Recreation Department is excited to move into the spring season. We are hiring for all positions at the Aquatic Center, Community Center, and Summer Camps. Troy Rec is a great place to work in the summer: Get outdoors, get to know your community, and have fun! Lifeguards now start at \$16/hour and Pool Managers at \$20/hour. Apply now at troymi.gov/jobopenings or stop in to one of our Hiring Fairs in March and April. Details are on page 7.

Check out our spring events that include Family Magic Show, Puzzle Palooza, Swift-Tea Celebration, Dueling Pianos, and Bunny & Barks at Daisy Knight Park. Join a Sports League this year (page 26–27) and register early for our 2024 Summer Camps (page 8–15).

The Community Center will have special open swims during Troy School's Spring Break. Check rec.troymi.gov/hours for the hours.

We look forward to seeing you at our programs this spring.

Brian Goul, Recreation Director
 248.524.3484, goulb@troymi.gov



REMINDER:

All programs and events require advanced registration unless otherwise noted. Look for register by dates throughout this guide.
 Learn how to register on pages 50–51.



GET IN TOUCH!

We work year-round to provide programs and services to meet our residents' needs. Get in touch anytime you have a question about program offerings or have ideas for something new. Contact staff by calling 248.524.3484 during admin hours or email them at the email addresses below.

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Just have a general comment? Fill out a digital comment card at: rec.troymi.gov/contactus

REGISTRATION DATES

Registration opens **in person and online** on the following dates unless otherwise noted:

Residents: Tuesday, February 20 at 8 am | **Non-Residents:** Thursday, February 22 at 8 am

Learn how to create your household account and register on page 51.

HOW TO REACH US

REC ADMIN HOURS

- **Monday–Friday** | 8 am–5 pm
- **Saturday & Sunday** | Closed
- **Adjusted Hours** | 8 am–7 pm, 2/20–2/23

Please email us or leave a voicemail during off hours.

HOLIDAY HOURS

- **TROY COMMUNITY CENTER CLOSED:**
Mon, May 27
- **ADMIN CLOSED:** Fri, March 29
- See page 18 for adjusted Fitness Center hours

CALL TROY REC

- Admin/Front Desk: 248.524.3484
- Fitness Desk: 248.526.2655
- Rainbow Preschool: 248.524.3482
- Indoor Pool Office: 248.619.7270

CONNECT ONLINE

- <https://rec.troymi.gov>
- parksandreconline@troymi.gov
- [@troyrecreation](https://www.facebook.com/troyrecreation) [@TroyCommunityCenter](https://www.facebook.com/TroyCommunityCenter)
- [@troyrecmi](https://www.instagram.com/troyrecmi)

WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

- Sign up for alerts: rec.troymi.gov/alerts
- See our weather policy: rec.troymi.gov/weather

HELPFUL NUMBERS

- City Hall: 248.524.3300
- City Clerk: 248.524.3316
- Community Affairs: 248.524.1147
- Fire Dept. (non-emergency): 248.524.3419
- Police Dept. (non-emergency): 248.524.3477
- Recycling/Solid Waste: 248.524.3399
- Troy Public Library: 248.524.3538
- Department of Public Works: 248.524.3392
- Troy Historic Village: 248.524.3570
- Stage Nature Center: 248.688.9703
- Golf Troy: 248.619.7600
- Troy School District: 248.823.4000
- Troy Continuing Ed: 248.823.5100

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ON THE COVER...



EVENTS

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Blackthorn Concert

**WEDNESDAY,
MARCH 13**

7:30–9 pm
\$15 Res, \$20 NR
All Ages

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with one of the most popular Irish-American bands! Traditional songs of emigration, sea shanties, lively jigs and reels, and ancient airs combine with some of Ireland's best contemporary songs for a musical experience that captures the history and legend of Ireland and its people. What makes a Blackthorn show unique is the variety of tunes, tempos and textures. Each member of the band plays multiple instruments, including wooden flute, accordion, tin whistle, five string banjo, cittern, bones and more. Doors open at 7 pm.

REGISTER: Act #6535-C1



FEELING OUT OF THE LOOP?



**BUNNY & BARKS
SATURDAY,
MARCH 16**

12–2 pm · Fees below
All Ages

LOCATION: Daisy Knight Dog Park

The Easter Bunny will be back for photos for our third annual Bunny & Barks. The small dog area will be closed for the event and only those registered for the event will be allowed in. Must have proof of dog license at check-in.

FEES PER DOG (no refunds):

- Dog Park Members: \$6
- Residents: \$9
- Non-Resident \$12

REGISTER:

- 5202-A2: Over 50 lbs, 12–12:30 pm
- 5202-B2: 25–50 lbs, 12:45–1:15 pm
- 5202-C2: Under 25 lbs, 1:30–2 pm

Registration closes 3/15. No aggressive dogs or dogs in heat allowed at the event. No rain date; if cancelled due to weather a full refund will be provided.

Family
MAGIC
Show

**FRIDAY,
MARCH 22**

5–6 pm · \$5 Res, \$10 NR
All Ages

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Hold onto your hats and don't blink an eye! Gordon Russ and his trusty sidekick, George the Raccoon, have traveled the globe in search of smiles, laughs, and fun. But this time, instead of China, England, Israel, Japan, or Australia, Gordon is bringing his unique brand of illusion right to the Troy Community Center. A master at audience involvement, Gordon "invents" magic on the spot, using the most ordinary items imaginable. Come along with Gordon on his fantastic adventure and see magic the way it was meant to be—for the fun of it!

REGISTER: Act #5151-A2

Register by 3/20. Children under 2 are free. ALL family members must register.

Stay connected with Troy Rec and never miss an event!



Subscribe to our bi-weekly e-newsletter at rec.troymi.gov/enewsletter. Sent every other Monday.



Follow us on social media. We're on Instagram and Facebook as Troy Parks & Recreation!



Check the website calendar! All events and programs are listed, with complete registration information. See it at rec.troymi.gov/calendar.

REGISTRATION OPENS: 2/20 RESIDENTS, 2/22 NON-RESIDENTS

Butterfly Breeze Bash

**SATURDAY,
APRIL 6**

6–8 pm · \$10 Res, \$15 NR,
or FREE for TCC
Fitness Members
Ages 3–12

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Finally, spring is here! Celebrate butterflies, bees, and spring-time flowers at the Troy Community Center! Enjoy open play in the gym and open swim at the indoor pool! Includes goodie bag while supplies last. The gym will have a variety of balls, hoops, scooters, parachute, and more! Parents must stay with children for duration of the event. Geared towards children ages 3–12. No refunds. Adults and children must pay at door if not active members.

NO ADVANCE REGISTRATION

Pay at the door



**FRIDAY,
APRIL 12**

6–8 pm · \$20 per team
All Ages

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Teams of 2, 3, or 4 can sign up to compete in our first ever Puzzle Palooza. Gather your friends and family and prepare for some fun, friendly competition. Teams will compete against each other to see who can finish a 500-piece jigsaw puzzle the quickest. Team fee includes puzzles to compete with and light snacks/refreshments. A prize will be awarded to the team that completes their puzzle first.

REGISTER: Act #5151-B2

Register by 4/9. Only one person needs to register, then you will be prompted to list your additional team members.

Swift-Tea

**SATURDAY,
MAY 4**

11:30 am–2 pm
\$25 per pair*
Ages 4 and up

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Calling all Taylor Swift Lovers: No need to stay out 'til Midnight to enjoy this Fearless Swiftie Event! Dress up in "Style" in your favorite Taylor era. Our DJ will supply music from all ten albums, so come ready to dance and sing along. You'll have the chance to visit our friendship bracelet making stations, but feel free to wear your own to trade too. Brunch menu including scrambled eggs, hash browns, bagels, coffee and tea, and dessert of Red Velvet cupcakes provided. We have just one question, are you "...Ready For It?"

REGISTER: Act #6530-A2

**\$10 per additional person. Register by 5/1. Only one person needs to register, then you will be prompted to list the additional person(s) in your party.
Ages 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult age 18+*

SPRING EGG HUNT

MARCH 22 & 23 · Times & Fees Vary

LOCATION: Troy Historic Village

Hop on over for an EGGstra special day at the Village. Collect eggs to trade for goodies, make a craft, get your EGGercise with our HOPstacle course, and play carnival-style games with your family! Egg collection at Spring Egg Hunt is structured, with each family collecting eggs in a designated lane. The event is held rain or shine and has outdoor elements, so please dress accordingly. Families can expect to spend 60–90 minutes at the Village.

**HOSTED BY TROY HISTORIC VILLAGE,
MORE DETAILS ON PAGE 38.**



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SATURDAYS, MARCH 2, 9 & 16

Fees Vary
All Ages

LOCATION: Stage Nature Center

Take a hike through the sugar bush of the Stage Nature Center! Discover how maple trees make sugar and people through the ages have harvested it. This outdoor, interactive program highlights natural and local history of our region. Learn how people processed maple sugar in the past and see similarities in the collecting, boiling, and drawing off maple syrup today. Small groups will be guided along the trail and participate in activities to learn more about maple syrup making.

SNC HOSTED BY STAGE NATURE
CENTER, MORE DETAILS
ON PAGE 43.

BEGINNING MARCH 1: GROUP RESERVATIONS AT THE INDOOR POOL

Planning to bring a group of 20 or more to the indoor pool at Troy Community Center? Starting Friday, March 1, you can book a reservation in advance for a rate of \$8 per person.

Visit rec.troymi.gov/aquatics for more information and look for the online form to request a reservation.

MOBILE DUELING PIANOS

**FRIDAY,
APRIL 19**

7–9 pm · \$15 Res, \$20 NR
Adults

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Dueling Pianos is a highly interactive musical comedy extravaganza! Two highly skilled musicians take the stage with a blank canvas for a set list. The guests can request all of their favorite songs at any time during the show. Everything from the Beatles to Cardi B, and everything in between might be played before the night is over. Singing and clapping along are highly encouraged!

REGISTER: Act #6535-A2



THURSDAY, JUNE 13

10 am–2 pm · FREE
All Ages

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Stop in at this fundraising event in room 304 benefiting the Friends of Troy Seniors. They will have an assortment of gently used purses and jewelry at bargain prices. Donations will be taken beginning May 20 at the Troy Community Center front desk.

NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

LEARN OUR LINGO

Feeling a little lost reading this guide?

There's a lot going on at Troy Rec, so sometimes we keep it brief! Here are a few abbreviations and phrases you'll see throughout the guide.

- Act #:** This refers to the "Activity Number" you will need to search for when registering. Note that the first four numbers are the Activity Number, and those after the dash are the Section.
- Res/NR:** Abbreviation of Resident/Non-Resident, referring to the different fees charged for a program or event.
- Registration Opens:** Unless otherwise noted, all programs and events in this guide open on February 20 at 8 am for residents. This gives everyone a chance to see the guide online or in the mail before registration fills up.

Learn how to register or create your online account at [rec.troymi.gov/welcome!](http://rec.troymi.gov/welcome)

REGISTRATION OPENS: 2/20 RESIDENTS, 2/22 NON-RESIDENTS

SUMMER HIRING FAIRS

Work at Troy Rec this summer!

Apply and interview at a Hiring Fair! No registration required

Get to know our supervisors, learn more about the positions, and interview for a job. Apply online ahead of time or fill out an application on the spot. Light refreshments will be provided. Hiring Fairs will be in the Banquet Center at Troy Community Center on the following dates:

- Thu, March 14: 2–4 pm
- Thu, March 21: 2–4 pm
- Thu, March 28: 2–4 pm
- Sat, March 23: 10 am–1 pm
- Thu, April 4: 2–4 pm
- Thu, April 11: 2–4 pm
- Sat, April 13: 10 am–1 pm
- Thu, April 18: 2–4 pm
- Thu, April 25: 2–4 pm (last chance!)



BRING A BUDDY

Work with your friends this summer!
Apply together at a Hiring Fair.



We're hiring for the following seasonal positions:

- Lifeguards (outdoor and indoor)
- Swim Instructors
- Assistant Pool Managers
- Cashiers
- Harvey's Hut Concession Aide
- Harvey's Hut Assistant Manager
- Day Camp & Safety Town Leaders
- Day Camp & Safety Town Coordinators

Training for most positions will begin in April or May. Most positions are for ages 15 and up, some are 18 and up.

The City of Troy is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Learn more about the Hiring Fairs at rec.troymi.gov/hiring

APPLY ONLINE 24/7

Apply now for these positions and more
[at troymi.gov/jobopenings](http://troymi.gov/jobopenings) or scan the QR code:



EVENTS

2024 Summer Camps

Register early: Camps fill fast!

Troy Recreation offers more than 45 camps for ages 3 and up. Most camps meet at Troy Community Center. There's something for everyone: Art, sports, science, and more! If a camp is full, add yourself to the waitlist.

New this season: All refund requests will be minus a \$10 fee per program, per person.
See our refund policy on page 50.



DAY CAMPS

AGES 5–7 & 8–12

Day Camp Details

ALL DAY CAMPS MEET: Mon–Fri, 9 am–4 pm

FEE PER CAMP: \$240 Res, \$250 Non-Res

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

DEADLINE: Registration closes the Friday before each camp begins at 4 pm.

Registration fees for all Day Camps include: supervision, camp shirt, and entry fees for field trips. Before and after care available separately (details to the right). Refunds and transfer requests must be done five business days prior to the start of camp.

Each camp will have one pizza party lunch during the week. Weather permitting, campers will swim outside at Troy Family Aquatic Center two out of the five days of camp.

All Campers will need to bring a water bottle, healthy lunch and snack, sunscreen, swimsuit, towel, and tennis shoes. All camps go off-site for one field trip during the week. **Field trip locations are subject to change, details on the next page.**

Day Camp Before & After Care

- Before and after care is offered Monday–Friday, 7:30–9 am and 4–5:30 pm **for Day Camps listed on pages 8–9 only.**
- Refunds must be requested five business days prior to the first day of camp.
- Registration for care covers both morning and afternoon care.

FEE: \$85 Res, \$95 NR

Late fees will be assessed for late pick ups.

Act #	Dates
3508-A3	6/17–6/21
3508-B3	6/24–6/28
3508-C3	7/8–7/12
3508-D3	7/15–7/19
3508-E3	7/22–7/26
3508-F3	7/29–8/2
3508-G3	8/5–8/9
3508-H3	8/12–8/16



REGISTRATION OPENS: 2/20 RESIDENTS, 2/22 NON-RESIDENTS

DAY CAMPS

Camps for Ages 5–7

Backyard Adventure Camp

Camp will include outdoor play or gym time, swim games, face painting, a visit from a magician and a field trip.

Act #	Dates	Field Trip
3500-A3	7/22–7/26	Historic Village
3500-B3	8/12–8/16	Outdoor Adventure Center

Animal Adventure Camp

Campers will make animal-themed crafts, play games outdoors or in the gym, swim, learn from Dan the Critter Man, and go on a field trip.

Act #	Dates	Field Trip
3503-A3	6/17–6/21	Outdoor Adventure
3503-B3	7/15–7/19	Stage Nature Center
3503-C3	7/29–8/2	Detroit Zoo

Space Adventure Camp

Children will engage in space-themed crafts, play games outdoors or in the gym, visit the pool, and visit the Planetarium at Cranbook Institute.

Act #	Dates	Field Trip
3509-A3	6/24–6/28	Cranbrook
3509-B3	7/8–7/12	Cranbrook
3509-C3	8/5–8/9	Cranbrook

Camps for Ages 8–12

Challenger Camp

This camp will focus on team building, competitions, relay races, and will each include an active field trip.

Act #	Dates	Field Trip
3504-A3	6/24–6/28	Urban Air
3504-B3	7/15–7/19	Top Golf
3504-C3	8/5–8/9	Urban Air

Summer Blast Camp

Campers will create lots of crafts and have gym time each day. Field trips to local attractions included.

Act #	Dates	Field Trip
3501-A3	6/17–6/21	Detroit Zoo
3501-B3	7/8–7/12	Jimmy Johns Field
3501-C3	7/29–8/2	Red Oaks Water Park

Mad Science Camp

Campers will experience all the Day Camp fun, engage in science experiences, and visit the Michigan Science Center.

Act #	Dates	Field Trip
3502-A3	7/22–7/26	MI Science Center
3502-B3	8/12–8/16	MI Science Center

AGES 5–7 & 8–12



Counselor in Training Camp: For Ages 13–15

FEE: \$110 Res, \$120 NR

Do you have a child that has aged out of our day camps? Are they interested in becoming a camp counselor themselves one day? Each week will expose your child to what it takes to be a camp counselor! They will get to help with our 5–7-year-old camps and Safety Town camps all while having a fun week at camp themselves. Includes a counselor in training t-shirt, entrance into the Aquatic Center for one day of swimming, and one-off site field trip.

Register early: These camps will have a maximum of 10 campers.

Act #	Dates	Field Trip
3510-A3	6/17–6/21	Outdoor Adventure
3510-B3	6/24–6/28	Cranbrook
3510-C3	7/8–7/12	Cranbrook
3510-D3	7/15–7/19	Stage Nature Center
3510-E3	7/22–7/26	Historic Village
3510-F3	7/29–8/2	Detroit Zoo
3510-G3	8/5–8/9	Cranbrook
3510-H3	8/12–8/16	Outdoor Adventure

REGISTER EARLY & SAVE: Register for camps listed on page 8–9 by June 7, 2024 and save \$10 off each camp!

House full of kids? Use this chart to help you plan their weekly schedules!

	AGES 5–7			AGES 8–12		
	BACKYARD ADVENTURE	ANIMAL ADVENTURE	SPACE ADVENTURE	CHALLENGER	SUMMER BLAST	MAD SCIENCE
JUNE 17–21		Act #3503-A3			Act #3501-A3	
JUNE 24–28			Act #3509-A3	Act #3504-A3		
JULY 8–12			Act #3509-B3		Act #3501-B3	
JULY 15–19		Act #3503-B3		Act #3504-B3		
JULY 22–26	Act #3500-A3					Act #3502-A3
JULY 29–AUG 2		Act #3503-C3			Act #3501-C3	
AUG 5–9			Act #3509-C3	Act #3504-C3		
AUG 12–16	Act #3500-B3					Act #3502-B3

CAMPS

SAFETY TOWN

GRADES K–I

Safety Town Details

ALL SAFETY TOWN CAMPS MEET: Mon–Thu, 9 am–2 pm**FEE PER CAMP:** \$140 Residents, \$150 Non-Residents**LOCATION:** Troy Community Center

PLEASE NOTE: If your child is **entering Kindergarten**, you will need to call the Rec Dept to enter their grade into your household for the first time. We recommend calling ahead of registration day.

Safety Town 1:

Entering Kindergarten

Our program is designed to educate youngsters on personal safety. It takes on the challenge by introducing kids to the rules of the road in our mock town. Fire, electrical, playground, prescription drugs, household and stranger safety are covered. A field trip to learn bus safety and visits from the fire and police department included.

Act #	Grade	Dates
6302-A3	Kindergarten	6/17–6/20
6302-B3	Kindergarten	7/8–7/11
6302-C3	Kindergarten	7/22–7/25
6302-D3	Kindergarten	8/5–8/8

Safety Town 2:

Entering 1st Grade

Topics such as water safety, gun safety, children's safe circles, and how to identify fishy behavior will be covered. Our mock town returns to refresh rules of the road and a field trip to Troy Family Aquatic Center to focus on water safety.

Act #	Grade	Dates
6303-A3	1st	6/24–6/27
6303-B3	1st	7/15–7/18
6303-C3	1st	7/29–8/1
6303-D3	1st	8/12–8/15



FAME CAMP

GRADES Pre-K–8

Fame Performing Arts Camp Details

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Experience a week-long odyssey into the world of jazz, dance, theatre, music and art. Children will master the foundations of performing arts discipline. The week culminates with an on-stage performance for parents. Campers are grouped by age and experience. Bring a daily sack lunch for the full day program.

Act #	Grade	Days	Dates	Time	Res	NR
6301-A3	Pre-K–1**	M–Th	6/24–6/27	9:30 am–12 pm	\$90	\$100
6301-B3	2–6	M–F*	7/8–7/12	9 am–2:30 pm	\$165	\$175
6301-C3	3–8	M–F*	7/15–7/19	9 am–2:30 pm	\$165	\$175

*Fridays meet 9 am–1 pm **Snack provided



New to Troy Rec Camps?

If your child is entering Kindergarten, you will need to call us to update their grade. Please call ahead of registration day so you don't get stuck online!

REGISTRATION OPENS: 2/20 RESIDENTS, 2/22 NON-RESIDENTS

RAINBOW PRESCHOOL CAMPS

AGES 3–5

Preschool Camp Details

ALL PRESCHOOL CAMPS MEET: Mon–Thu, 9:30–11:30 am

FEE PER CAMP: \$115 Residents, \$125 Non-Residents

LOCATION: Rainbow Preschool inside Troy Community Center

Camps include: free play, circle time, outdoor play time, and themed crafts. A small snack will be provided at the end of each day. Children must be fully potty trained to attend these camps. Camps are led by Rainbow Preschool teachers. Fee includes: instruction, supplies, and a Rainbow Preschool shirt.

Summer Blast Off

Join us for lots of summer fun! Children will have several sensory experiences, and create summer-themed crafts

Act #	Dates	Time
2310-A3	6/17–6/20	9:30–11:30 am

Music and Movement

Need to get those wiggles out? Build musical instruments and move, dance, and sway to different types of music.

Act #	Dates	Time
2310-B3	6/24–6/27	9:30–11:30 am

Down on the Farm

Learn about various farm animals through several creative and hands-on experiences.

Act #	Dates	Time
2310-C3	7/8–7/11	9:30–11:30 am

Camping Adventures

Join us and we embark on an indoor camping adventure. Children will create camping themed crafts.

Act #	Dates	Time
2310-D3	7/15–7/18	9:30–11:30 am



REGISTER EARLY

Preschool camps fill quickly! Add yourself to the waitlist if camps are full.

STAGE NATURE CENTER CAMPS

AGES 6–11

Register for the below camps at stagenaturecenter.org. Details on page 51.



NATURE CENTER

Nature Camp Details

LOCATION: Stage Nature Center, 6685 Coolidge Hwy

Camps are held rain or shine. Bring a sack lunch each day. We will provide beverages and an afternoon snack. Register for these camps with Stage Nature Center at stagenaturecenter.org. Find more information on Stage Nature Center on pages 42–45.

Summer Ecology Days

Give your child a special opportunity to explore the science of ecology - the study of the interrelationships between living things and their environment. Every adventure filled day will include fun interactive games, activities, and crafts. Children will sweep for insects in the meadow, explore the forest, experience the darkness of underground, look for signs of wildlife along the trail and much more!

Fee: \$190, TNS Member Fee: \$175

Ages	Dates	Time
6–8 years	T–F, 6/18–21	9 am–4 pm
9–11 years	T–F, 6/25–28	9 am–4 pm

Nature Adventure Camp

Children will explore animals, including insects, wildflowers, and other wonders of nature. Catching and observing insects, hiking the trails, watching birds and other animals, playing simple nature games, and making crafts with a nature theme are some of the activities that will take place. Each child will take home a “bug” box and an insect net.

Fee: \$98, TNS Member Fee: \$88

Ages	Dates	Time
4–5 years	T–F, 7/16–19	9:30–11:30 am

Stirring Up Science Camp

Captivate your child's creativity this summer with our camps full of science surprises! Children will dive-in “hands first” to amazing science projects that incorporate STEM educational practices. They will learn the secret formulas to mixtures like slime, putty, moon sand, and more. Children will explore the sun and the energy it gives to the earth. Do not miss out on the chance to discover simple yet startling science phenomena—sign up now!

Fee: \$190, TNS Member Fee: \$175

Ages	Dates	Time
6–8 years	T–F, 8/13–16	9 am–4 pm
9–11 years	T–F, 8/13–16	9 am–4 pm

CAMPS

SNAPOLEGY CAMPS

AGES 5–14

Snapology Camp Details

ALL SNAPOLEGY CAMPS: Meet 5 days unless otherwise noted

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

DEADLINE: Registration closes at 4 pm the Friday before each camp begins

Snapology Camps meet in the mornings and afternoons. For those registering for both sessions, creative play will occur from 9 am–4 pm. Pick up can occur as late as 5 pm for afternoon camps. Children should bring a packed lunch if attending both camps.



Amusement Park Engineering

Use LEGO® bricks and other building materials to learn how to make coasters and other awesome rides.

FEE: \$189 Res, \$199 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-A3	6–12	6/17–6/21	9 am–12 pm

Basic Mining & Building

Join us as we bring Minecraft® to life using LEGO® bricks. Create your own world, including animals, creepers, and your very own Minecraft® character.

FEE: \$189 Res, \$199 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-B3	6–12	6/17–6/21	1–4 pm

Animation Studios

Children will work in teams to produce their very own stop motion movie with dialogue and sound effects. Movies are uploaded to a secure site for family and friends to see!

FEE: \$199 Res, \$209 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-C3	7–14	6/24–6/28	9 am–12 pm

Combat Robots

Learn engineering strategies for building sturdy structures using LEGO® bricks and then build a robot for friendly competition.

FEE: \$199 Res, \$209 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-D3	7–14	6/24–6/28	1–4 pm

Junior Scientists (3 days)

Explore the animal world while gaining social, motor, and developmental skills. Examine the different insects, life cycles, and more using Kid K'NEX® pieces.

FEE: \$114 Res, \$124 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-E3	5–7	7/1–7/3	9 am–12 pm

Kinderbots (3 days)

Children will begin to explore the world of robotics as they build simple models that teach the fundamentals of robotic design.

FEE: \$119 Res, \$129 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-F3	5–7	7/1–7/3	1–4 pm

Ninjas

Learn the history, culture, skills, and tactics of ninja warriors. Students will learn about shinobi through a variety of building activities, games, and projects

FEE: \$189 Res, \$199 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-G3	5–10	7/8–7/12	9 am–12 pm

Creature Creator Robotics

Create your own animal inspired robotic models. Learn about gear ratio, sensors, simple, machines, and programming as they create insects and animals

FEE: \$199 Res, \$209 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-H3	5–10	7/8–7/12	1–4 pm

Wonderful Wizards

Inspired by Harry Potter, this class will spark their imaginations and encourage creative reasoning. Create castles, secret rooms, and a coat of arms.

FEE: \$189 Res, \$199 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-I3	6–12	7/15–7/19	9 am–12 pm

Superstructure

Students will learn how to take an idea from their head and turn it into a building in the real world using LEGO® bricks. The perfect camp for young architects!

FEE: \$189 Res, \$199 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-J3	6–12	7/15–7/19	1–4 pm



REGISTER ONLINE:

Learn how to create your Household Account and register on page 51 or visit rec.troymi.gov/welcome.

REGISTRATION OPENS: 2/20 RESIDENTS, 2/22 NON-RESIDENTS

SNAPOLOGY CAMPS

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Space Wars Robotics (3 Days)

Students will build robotic models inspired by Star Wars and space travel. They'll be building, programming, and using their imagination with LEGO bricks.

FEE: \$119 Res, \$129 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-K3	6–12	7/22–7/24	9 am–12 pm

Jedi Masters (3 Days)

Students will use teamwork to build battles, drones, and AT-Walkers, and if they're skills are up to par, make their very own lightsaber! May the force be with your young Padawan.

FEE: \$114 Res, \$124 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-L3	6–12	7/22–7/24	1–4 pm

Attack Bots Robotics: Beginner Coding

Students will learn important foundational coding skills while building military inspired robots. Children will learn about sequencing commands, value and sensor inputs, and loops.

FEE: \$199 Res, \$209 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-M3	5–10	8/12–8/16	9 am–12 pm

Castles and Kingdoms

Students will use LEGO® bricks to design their medieval fantasies while also bringing the real history to life! They will build their understanding of the medieval time period.

FEE: \$189 Res, \$199 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-N3	5–10	8/12–8/16	1–4 pm

Science of Superpowers

Children will learn about the science behind their favorite heroes' powers. They will learn about gravity, aerodynamics, forces, and motion, as they build models with LEGO® bricks.

FEE: \$189 Res, \$199 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-O3	5–10	8/19–8/23	9 am–12 pm

Game Bots Robotics

Students will learn about gear ratio, sensors, programming, and pulleys as they create games such as a catapult, duck hunt, or a ring toss game.

FEE: \$199 Res, \$209 Res

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time
6300-P3	5–10	8/19–8/23	1–4 pm

ART CAMPS

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Art Camp Details

ALL ART CAMPS MEET: Two days, 1–3 pm

FEE PER CAMP: \$59 Residents, \$69 Non-Residents

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

All supplies included. No experience necessary! Art Camps are taught by Jan Lindell-Meinhard, who has a Bachelor of Fine Arts and a Master of Arts from Wayne State University, and is an experienced and enthusiastic art instructor.

Sketchbook

We will use color, line, texture, composition and lots of fun to express ourselves. A sketchbook helps focus your thoughts and teaches you new ways to put them on paper.

Act #	Days	Dates	Time
6305-A3	M/Tu	7/8–7/9	1–3 pm

Create & Color

During this class, children will have the opportunity to create their own personalized coloring book.

Act #	Days	Dates	Time
6305-B3	W/Th	7/10–7/11	1–3 pm

Water Colors

Bring out your creative side by exploring new watercolor techniques to make your paintings pop!

Act #	Days	Dates	Time
6305-C3	M/Tu	7/15–7/16	1–3 pm

Oil Pastels

Use rich pastels to create layers in your portraits and landscapes.

Act #	Days	Dates	Time
6305-D3	W/Th	7/17–7/18	1–3 pm

Pastels

Spend your time trying different pastel colors and make them into beautiful and delicate landscapes, still life, and portraits!

Act #	Days	Dates	Time
6305-E3	M/Tu	7/22–7/23	1–3 pm

Acrylics

A fun way to create art, learn about composition, and how to work the paint to get results.

Act #	Days	Dates	Time
6305-F3	W/Th	7/24–7/25	1–3 pm

Colored Pencils

Using a rainbow of colored pencils, create your masterpiece using different techniques of blending and shading.

Act #	Days	Dates	Time
6305-G3	M/Tu	7/29–7/30	1–3 pm

Drawing

New this summer! We will cover how to start a drawing and improve our skills. Lots of fun as we make your art even more detailed.

Act #	Days	Dates	Time
6305-H3	W/Th	7/31–8/1	1–3 pm

Sports Camp Details

ALL SPORTS CAMPS: Bring a water bottle and dress accordingly for the program (athletic shorts, gym shoes or cleats). Each camp includes a t-shirt.

LOCATION: Troy Schools and Parks, see locations below

GRADES/AGES: Register for grade entering 2024–2025 school year.

DEADLINE: Registration closes at 4 pm the Friday before each camp begins

Troy Sports Camps are brought to you by Troy School District and Troy Recreation. All camps are coordinated by a “Blue Ribbon” coaching staff including many state and area Coach of the Year recipients.



Basketball

Participants will be taught dribbling, passing, shooting, and movement skills. Camp includes a basketball to keep.

Junior Basketball

FEE: \$110 Res, \$120 NR

LOCATION: Costello Elementary

COACH: B. Brennan

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4702-A3	K–2, Beginner	M–F	6/17–6/21	9–11 am
4702-B3	K–2, Intermediate	M–F	6/17–6/21	12–2 pm
4702-C3	K–2, Beginner	M–F	7/29–8/2	9–11 am
4702-D3	K–2, Intermediate	M–F	7/29–8/2	12–2 pm

Girl's Basketball

Offense and defense techniques will be included.

FEE: \$110 Res, \$120 NR

LOCATION: Athens High School

COACH: B. Brennan

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4702-E3	3–5	M–F	6/24–6/28	9–11 am
4702-F3	6–8	M–F	6/24–6/28	12–2 pm
4702-G3	3–5	M–F	8/5–8/9	9–11 am
4702-H3	6–8	M–F	8/5–8/9	12–2 pm

Boy's Basketball

FEE: \$110 Res, \$120 NR

LOCATION: Troy High School

COACH: G. Fralick

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4702-I3	3–8	M–Th	6/24–6/27	1–3:30 pm

Football

Athletes will learn techniques for both offense and defense from high school coaches, middle school coaches, and varsity athletes. Camp includes a football to keep.

FEE: \$88 Res, \$98 NR

Athens Football Camp

LOCATION: Athens High School

COACH: T. Cook

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4708-A3	3–8	M–Th	6/17–6/20	10:30 am–12:30 pm

Troy High Football Camp

LOCATION: Troy High School

COACH: C. Frasier

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4708-B3	1–8	M–Th	7/8–7/11	9–11 am

Cheerleading

Learn the basics and fundamentals of cheer. Kids will be prepared to cheer at the middle or high school level by end of camp. Brand new cheers each year will incorporate chants, dance, and skills. Stunts taught in the older division.

FEE: Varies, See below

LOCATION: Athens High School

COACH: S. Mularski

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time	Res/NR
4705-A3	K–3	M–F	7/29–8/3	9–10:30 am	\$83/\$93
4705-B3	4–8	M–F	7/29–8/3	9 am–12 pm	\$165/\$175

Disc Golf

Disc Golf Summer Camp is designed for both new and experienced players. We will cover rules of the game, putting and driving techniques, and sportsmanship through practice games, competitive rounds, and a tournament on our final day. Optional: Participants may bring their own equipment if they choose - make sure discs are clearly marked with names.

FEE: \$110 Res, \$120, NR

LOCATION: Raintree Park

COACH: B. Fahlenstock

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4721-A3	7–12	M–Th	6/17–6/20	10 am–12:30 pm

Extreme Recess

This program combines classic recess games with an hour of pool time each day. From tag and kickball to water games, this camp will keep kids active this summer. Be sure to pack a swimsuit and bag lunch.

FEE: \$245 Res, \$255 NR

LOCATION: Athens High School

COACHES: B. Larose & M. Larose

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4706-A3	5–8	M–F	6/24–6/28	9 am–2 pm
4706-B3	1–4	M–F	7/8–7/12	9 am–2 pm

Recess

Experience the essence of play. Jump into classic recess games like tag, kickball, and jump rope, or learn something new. Campers will have fun while socializing and learning teamwork.

FEE: \$150 Res, \$160 NR

LOCATION: Athens High School

COACHES: B. Larose & M. Larose

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4706-C3	5–8	M–F	7/29–8/2	9 am–12 pm
4706-D3	1–4	M–F	8/5–8/9	9 am–12 pm

REGISTRATION OPENS: 2/20 RESIDENTS, 2/22 NON-RESIDENTS

Rugby

Introduction to Rugby: A non-contact camp for those new to the sport (no sports experience necessary). Learn fundamentals, skills, play games with the coaches (and players) of Troy United Rugby.

FEE: \$83 Res, \$93 NR

LOCATION: Boulan Middle School

COACH: R. Anderson

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4722-A3	5–8	M–F	6/17–6/21	5:30–7 pm

Soccer

Campers will learn technical soccer skills such as defending, dribbling, passing, and shooting. They will also grow in their understanding of the game and will have a blast with other campers at the same time! Camp includes a soccer ball to keep.

FEE: \$83 Res, \$93 NR

LOCATION: Firefighters Park

COACH: M. Mendola

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4713-A3	PreK–K	M–F	6/17–6/21	9:30–11 am
4713-B3	1–2	M–F	6/17–6/21	10–11:30 am
4713-C3	3–5	M–F	6/17–6/21	10:30 am–12 pm
4713-D3	PreK–K	M–F	8/5–8/9	9:30–11 am
4713-E3	1–2	M–F	8/5–8/9	10–11:30 am
4713-F3	3–5	M–F	8/5–8/9	10:30 am–12 pm

Speed & Agility

Increase speed, agility, and body strength to outrun opponents and improve reactions and maneuvering in sport situations.

FEE: \$66 Res, \$76 NR

LOCATION: Troy High School

COACH: R. Dawood

Act #	Ages	Day	Dates	Time
4715-A3	5–15 years	M–Th	8/5–8/8	1–2:30 pm

Tennis

Learn the fundamentals of tennis including proper techniques, grips, movement, and development of large motor skills.

FEE: Varies, See below

LOCATION: Troy High School

COACH: B. Miska

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time	Res/NR
4725-A3	1–3	M–F	6/24–6/28	9–10 am	\$55/\$65
4725-B3	4–6	M–F	6/24–6/28	10–11:30 am	\$83/\$93
4725-C3	7–9	M–F	7/15–7/19	10:30 am–12 pm	\$83/\$93
4725-D3	1–3	M–F	7/29–8/2	9–10 am	\$55/\$65
4725-E3	4–6	M–F	7/29–8/2	10–11:30 am	\$83/\$93



Track & Field

Proper form, technique and hurdle skills will be taught. All field and track events will be covered, including: Springs, hurdles, long jump, high jump, and throwing events. Mini track meet on Friday.

FEE: \$138 Res, \$148 NR

LOCATION: Troy High School

COACH: S. DuFresne

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4716-A3	2–5	M–F	6/17–6/21	9–11:30 am
4716-B3	6–8	M–F	7/15–7/19	9–11:30 am

Volleyball

Participants will be taught the basic skills of volleyball including passing, serving, hitting and game strategies. Groups will be divided by ability. Camp includes a volleyball to keep.

FEE: \$165 Res, \$175 NR

LOCATION: Boulan Middle School

COACH: S. Germansky

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4718-A3	3–5	M–F	7/15–7/19	9 am–12 pm
4718-B3	6–8	M–F	7/22–7/26	9 am–12 pm
4718-C3	3–5	M–F	7/29–8/3	9 am–12 pm
4718-D3	6–8	M–F	8/5–8/9	9 am–12 pm

Wrestling

Designed for new and experienced wrestlers, this camp will focus on essential skills including holds, footwork, and knowledge of rules and strategies.

FEE: \$110 Res, \$120 NR

LOCATION: Athens High School

COACH: C. Panoff

Act #	Grades	Day	Dates	Time
4723-A3	K–7	M–F	7/22–7/26	5–7 pm

Golf Camps: Register at Sanctuary Lake Golf Course!

New players and those wanting to expand skills and improve on-course play are welcome! Personalized instruction on all aspects of the game, with emphasis on golf fundamentals and fun. Daily camp activities include practices, challenges, and skill-development inspired games to help juniors have fun and feel confident on the course.

Camps are for grades 3–8. Weekly camps are offered starting June 17 through the week of August 5.

Registration is done through Sanctuary Lake in person at 1540 E South Blvd, or online at toskigolfacademy.com/junior-golf-camp. Questions, Please call: 248.563.3561



RAINBOW PRESCHOOL TROY RECREATION

Rainbow Preschool, located in Troy Community Center, is licensed by the State of Michigan and has provided quality programs since 1977. Our preschool rooms offer over 2,200 square feet of learning space and all gender restrooms within the classrooms. The fenced in playground was updated in 2023. Our teaching staff are highly experienced in the field of Early Childhood Education and are ready for a wonderful school year. Our curriculum is designed to promote self-help skills, independence, social interactions, and creative expression experiences through play.

How to Enroll

1. Register online or in person at Troy Community Center. You will pay the non-refundable enrollment fee of \$100 Res/\$125 NR in addition to first and last month's tuition. This confirms your child's spot for the 2024–2025 school year. **Please note:** All credit card purchases are charged a non-refundable 3% convenience fee. To avoid this fee, you may sign up for ACH payments out of your checking account by bringing in a blank, voided check when you come in to register.
2. You will receive a Welcome Packet in July. This packet will have all the details on the upcoming school year.
3. The school year runs September 9, 2024–May 30, 2025.

Eligibility

- Children who are eligible for three-year-old preschool must be three by 9/1/2024.
- Children who are eligible for four-year-old preschool must be four by 9/1/2024 and planning to start kindergarten in 2025.
- Children who are eligible for Kindergarten Readiness must be four by 12/1/2024.
- Children must be fully potty-trained.
- **The completion of these classes does not ensure entrance into Kindergarten for the 2025–2026 school year.**

2024–2025 SCHOOL YEAR

ENROLLMENT OPENS TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Preschool

Act #	Age	Day	Time	Ratios	Tuition
2024-AA	4 years	M–F	8:30–11:30 am	1:8	\$4,050/year \$450/month
2024-BB	4 years	M/W/F	12:30–3:30 pm	1:8	\$2,790/year \$310/month
2023-AA	3 years	M/W/F	8:45–11:15 am	1:7	\$2,430/year \$270/month
2023-BB	3 years	M/W/F	8:45–11:15 am	1:7	\$2,430/year \$270/month

Kindergarten Readiness Class

Although this class is designed for children that will be a younger 5-year-old when entering kindergarten, it is a great 2-day preschool option for any 4-year-old. Taught by an elementary degreed teacher. Learning activities will help them achieve academic success and enhance their critical thinking skills.

Act #	Age	Day	Time	Ratio	Tuition
2024-CC	4 years	T/Th	12:30–4 pm	1:8	\$2,385/year \$265/month

***Must be 4 years old by 12/1/2024**



REGISTRATION OPENS: 2/20 RESIDENTS, 2/22 NON-RESIDENTS

REGISTER EARLY AT OUR OPEN HOUSE:

Tuesday, February 13 · 5–6:30 pm

Stop in to our open house and if you like what you see, register early! Early registration for the 2024–2025 school year will be available during this event. Meet our teachers, tour the classrooms, and ask questions. Bring the kids along to explore the rooms and activities, too! No registration required, drop in.

The next open house opportunity will be on **Tuesday, May 7**.

Schedule a Tour

If you can't make either of our open houses, contact Amy Campeau at Amy.Campeau@troymi.gov to schedule a tour. See a brief video of the Rainbow Preschool space at rec.troymi.gov/preschool or scan the QR code.



Rainbow Preschool Parent & Tot Programs

Our parent and tot programs are designed to enhance group interaction and bonding. Our classes are taught by one of our 3-year-old preschool teachers. Come support your child as they participate in activities that encourage social development. A small snack will be provided. Make up classes will not be offered. Siblings, including infants, must be eligible and registered in order to be in class.

PARENT/ADULT REQUIRED TO ATTEND WITH CHILD



Busy Bees

Parents and their older toddlers will engage in songs, stories, shape and color recognition, creative projects, and gross motor opportunities.

**AGES: 18 months–2½ years
8 WEEKS FEE: \$110 Res, \$120 NR**

Act #	Day	Date	Time
2020-D2	Tue	3/5–4/30*	9–10:15 am
2020-E2	Thu	3/7–5/2*	9–10:15 am

*No class week of March 25



Busy Bears

Parents and children will explore, share, and learn within a group setting. Foster your child's independence and confidence before entering preschool. Focus on colors, shapes, numbers, social interactions, and more.

**AGES: 2 years & 7 months–3½ years
8 WEEKS FEE: \$166 Res, \$176 NR**

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
2021-D2	Tu/Th	3/5–5/2*	10:30 am–12 pm

Fitness Center



3179 LIVERNOIS

FITNESS CENTER HOURS

Monday–Friday 5 am–9 pm

Saturday: 7 am–5 pm

Sunday: 8 am–5 pm

CLOSED

Memorial Day: Mon, May 27

ANNUAL MAINTENANCE SHUTDOWN

Mon, June 10–Sun, June 16

Fitness Center access requires a membership or purchase of a pass. Each of these options includes access to: Fitness area, gymnasium, indoor pool, and locker rooms.

Fitness Classes are not included, purchase classes separately.

Passes

Day Passes

\$10 Residents

\$15 Non-Residents

Photo ID required for day pass purchase (License, State ID, Student ID)

30-Day Pass

\$39 Residents

\$63 Non-Residents

Access for 30 days. Does not auto-renew. Ages 3 and up.

Senior Mondays & Fridays

Every Monday and Friday:

\$8 for Troy residents ages 60+

Learn more about Fitness Center Memberships at rec.troymi.gov/memberships or scan the QR code:



Fitness Membership Pricing

MEMBERSHIP TYPE	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Adults (18–59)	*Annual: \$297 **Monthly: \$27	Annual: \$451 Monthly: \$41
Youth (3–17)	Annual: \$187 Monthly: \$17	Annual: \$286 Monthly: \$26
Seniors (60+)	Annual: \$275 Monthly: \$25	Annual: \$451 Monthly: \$41
Matinee: M–F, 8 am–3 pm	Annual: \$242 Monthly: \$22	Annual: \$363 Monthly: \$33

- Children under 3 are free.
- *Annual rate is a one-time payment for the year. No refunds. 12 months for the price of 11.
- **Monthly option is paid through an EFT payment plan associated with a checking account or credit card (Visa or MasterCard.) Cancel anytime (prior to the 25th of the following month to avoid another charge)

Membership Options

- **Fitness Membership:** Unlimited access to fitness area, gymnasium, indoor pool, and locker rooms.
- **Matinee Membership:** Access to fitness area, gymnasium, indoor pool, and locker rooms Monday–Friday, 8 am–3 pm only.

Frequently Asked Questions

- **How can I purchase a membership?** Purchase memberships in person at Troy Community Center during Fitness Center Hours. When purchasing any type of fitness membership for the first time, patrons must complete an application and provide photo ID. The household's parent or guardian must sign for persons 17 or younger.
- **How do I receive the resident rate?** A Michigan Driver's License is required for verification (or other proof of residency).
- **Can my child play drop in basketball without me?** Children under 10 must be accompanied and supervised by an individual 16 or older in all areas. Any individuals entering the fitness area must have a membership or buy a day pass.
- **How old do you have to be to use the fitness area (weights and machines)?** The minimum age to use the fitness room is 13. Must complete a Fitness Room Orientation prior to using the fitness equipment.

Personal Training

\$35/half-hour, \$70/hour, or a package of 12/1-hour sessions for \$720
(Package fee must be paid in full in advance)

Work with one of our personal trainers who will design a program specifically to meet your needs and goals. Sessions are scheduled with your choice of personal trainer. **Session cancellations require 24 hour notice!**

Meet the Trainers



Teresa Ehlert

Available evenings and weekends

Education/Certifications:
AFAA Personal Training

Certification

Areas of Expertise: General Conditioning, Strength Training, Senior Fitness, Youth Conditioning, Nutrition/Weight Loss Management.



Demorne Deaver

Available by appointment

Education/Certifications:
ACE American Council of Exercise, TRX Suspension Training certified

Areas of Expertise: Weight loss, Strength Training, Functional Movement Training, Increased Mobility, Flexibility, Core Training, Improved Balance, and Stability.

DROP IN POOL AND OPEN GYM ARE INCLUDED WITH YOUR MEMBERSHIP!

Indoor Pool

The indoor leisure pool (82–84°) includes slides, kiddie water features, and lap lanes (20 yards long, 44 laps = 1 mile) at a depth of 4 feet. Separate therapy pool (88–91°) available at a depth of 3.5 feet. Programs include water aerobics classes, swim lessons (private and group), and special events. See swim lessons on pages 18–19. If you have any questions, please call 248.619.7270.

Open Gym Recreation

Recreation sports are open to Fitness Center members and day pass visitors according to the gym schedule. Pickleball, badminton, basketball, volleyball, and toddler open play are offered. During ALL AGES time: All ages welcome to play. Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied and supervised by an individual aged 16 or older. All other time slots are for adults 18 and up only. See the schedule at the link below for more information.



Gym and pool schedules are available online. Pick up a printed schedule at the Fitness Center or view it anytime at rec.troymi.gov/hours.



DMC Physical Therapy & Sports Medicine clinic is located in the Fitness Center of the Community Center and offers the following services:

- Physical Therapy
- Sports Medicine
- Healthy & Active Lifestyle
- Orthopedic Therapy

Call 248.619.0321 to make an appointment or see what Juliana Kass, DPT, can do for you.



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TROY COMMUNITY CENTER

Troy Swim School

The Troy Swim School Curriculum is designed for students ages 6 months to adult. Benchmarks are established at each stage in the program that combines both swimming and safety skills.

Students participate in experiential learning activities that allow them to explore the water in a creative and comfortable environment. Learn more about our program at rec.troymi.gov/tss.



PRESCHOOL: AGES 3–5 YEARS

6 CLASSES FEE: \$84 Res, \$94 NR
CLASS RATIOS: 1:3

PRESCHOOL 1

Beginning Stage

Class Focus: Moving around and going under water independently.

Skill Concentration: Breath control, floating, submersion.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
5521-A2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	8:15–8:45 am
5521-B2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	10:55–11:25 am
5521-C2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	8:15–8:45 am
5521-D2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	10:55–11:25 am

PRESCHOOL 2

Beginner/Intermediate

Stage Class Focus: Independence getting in and out, and floating.

Skill Concentration: Floating, rolling, jumping in, climbing out, kicking.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
5522-A2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	10:15–10:45 am
5522-B2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	10:15–10:45 am

PRESCHOOL 3

Intermediate Stage

Class Focus: Moving around the water independently (kicking & reaching)

Skill Concentration: Kicking, reaching, glides.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
5523-A2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	9:35–10:05 am
5523-B2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	9:35–10:05 am

ELEMENTARY: AGES 6–12 YEARS

6 CLASSES | \$84 Res, \$94 NR | CLASS RATIOS: 1:4 unless otherwise noted

ELEMENTARY 1

Beginner

Class Focus: Going under water independently, enter and exit independently, float independently.

Skill Concentration: Breath control, floating, rolling, submersion.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
5531-A2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	8:55–9:25 am
5531-B2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	10:15–10:45 am
5531-C2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	8:55–9:25 am
5531-D2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	10:15–10:45 am

ELEMENTARY 2

Intermediate

Class Focus: Moving around in the water, away from the wall.

Skill Concentration: Glides, kicking, and reaching arms.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
5532-A2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	9:35–10:05 am
5532-B2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	10:55–11:25 am
5532-C2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	9:35–10:05 am
5532-D2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	10:55–11:25 am

ELEMENTARY 3

Advanced

Class Focus: Building readiness for learning strokes and swimming distances.

Skill Concentration: Body position, breathing patterns, front crawl.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
5533-A2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	8:15–8:45 am
5533-B2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	8:15–8:45 am

ELEMENTARY 5

Stroke Introduction

Class Ratio: 1:5

Class Focus: Butterfly and Breaststroke.

Skill Concentration: Butterfly and Breaststroke techniques.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
5535-A2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	11:35 am–12:05 pm
5535-B2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	11:35 am–12:05 pm

*FOR ALL LESSONS:

All classes on this page will not meet March 29–31.

What level should my 3–5-year-old enroll for?

Can your child go under water without assistance?

No **Preschool 1**

Yes **Next Question**

Can your child get in/out of pool and float independently?

No **Preschool 2**

Yes **Next Question**

Can your child move in water independently?

No **Preschool 3**

Yes **Next Question**

Does your child feel ready for strokes and distances?

No **Preschool 3**

Yes **Elementary 3***

*Must be 6–12 years old

 **REGISTRATION OPENS: 2/20 RESIDENTS, 2/22 NON-RESIDENTS**



SWIM

SPOTS LIMITED: Please note that all swim lessons fill fast! More lessons are offered in the summer.

NEW SWIMMERS

6 CLASSES FEE: \$84 Res, \$94 NR
CLASS RATIOS: 1:6

Parent Assisted:
Ages 6–36 Months with parent

Requires 1 adult per child in the water:
Parents will learn how to have fun in the water with their child. They will learn water safety topics and skills to help develop a love of water. Child will build skills to prepare them for learning to swim in programs.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
5525-A2	Thu	2/29–4/11	10:15–10:45 am
5525-B2	Sat	3/2–4/13*	8:55–9:25 am
5525-C2	Sun	3/3–4/14*	8:55–9:25 am

*FOR ALL LESSONS:

All classes on this page will not meet March 29–31.

PRIVATE LESSONS

4 CLASSES

FEE: \$104 Res, \$114 NR

Private lessons are for any child, teen, or adult seeking lessons at a beginner or intermediate level. Lessons are one student and one instructor. Semi-private available with same instructor if in the same household.

AGES 3–12

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
5554-A2	Sat	3/9–4/6*	12:45–1:30 pm
5554-B2	Sat	3/9–4/6*	1:45–2:30 pm
5554-C2	Sun	3/10–4/7*	12:45–1:30 pm
5554-D2	Sun	3/10–4/7*	1:45–2:30 pm
5554-E2	Sat	4/13–5/4	12:45–1:30 pm
5554-F2	Sat	4/13–5/4	1:45–2:30 pm
5554-G2	Sun	4/14–5/5	12:45–1:30 pm
5554-H2	Sun	4/14–5/5	1:45–2:30 pm

AGES 13+

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
5554-I2	Fri	3/8–4/5*	4:15–5 pm
5554-J2	Fri	3/8–4/5*	5:15–6 pm
5554-K2	Fri	3/8–4/5*	6:15–7 pm
5554-L2	Sat	3/9–4/6*	2:45–3:30 pm
5554-M2	Sat	3/9–4/6*	3:45–4:30 pm
5554-N2	Sun	3/10–4/7*	2:45–3:30 pm
5554-O2	Sun	3/10–4/7*	3:45–4:30 pm
5554-P2	Fri	4/12–5/3	4:15–5 pm
5554-Q2	Fri	4/12–5/3	5:15–6 pm
5554-R2	Fri	4/12–5/3	6:15–7 pm
5554-S2	Sat	4/13–5/4	2:45–3:30 pm
5554-T2	Sat	4/13–5/4	3:45–4:30 pm
5554-U2	Sun	4/14–5/5	2:45–3:30 pm
5554-V2	Sun	4/14–5/5	3:45–4:30 pm

PLEASE NOTE: Children in the same household may meet at the same time with one instructor (individual registration required for each student and students should be at similar swimming abilities). If signing up more than one child, register the first child and put the additional child(ren) on a waitlist. Then, email Morgan Thrasher at Morgan.Thrasher@troymi.gov for further instruction. \$20 discount for multiple children in a private lesson.

What level should my 6–12-year-old enroll for?

Can your child go under water, get in/out of pool, and float independently?

No **Elementary 1**

Yes **Next Question**

Can your child move in water independently?

No **Elementary 2**

Yes **Next Question**

Can your child front crawl?

No **Elementary 3**

Yes **Next Question**

Can your child swim freestyle and backstroke with proper form?

No **Elementary 4**

Yes **Next Question**

Can your child swim butterfly and breaststroke with proper form?

No **Elementary 5**

Yes **Next Question**

FITNESS CLASSES

248.524.3484 rec.troymi.gov/fitnessclasses

Flex into Fitness

Flex into Fitness is one package for over 30 classes each week! Drop in anytime during the session dates. Check rec.troymi.gov/fitnessclasses or scan the QR code for class descriptions and schedule closer to start date. All classes take place at Troy Community Center.

Spring Session:

Act #3774-A2

Mon, April 8–Sat, June 1

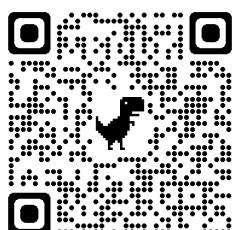
No class Mon, May 27

8 WEEKS: \$89 Res, \$109 NR

\$10 discount for active TCC Fitness Members

Where is the Flex into Fitness schedule?

With the session date so far away, we are not able to finalize it before printing this publication. **Schedules will be available closer to the start date of the session.** All fitness classes are now featured in one schedule, available no later than one week prior to start date of the session. Note that all classes listed online may not necessarily be offered each season.



PLEASE NOTE: If you register for Flex into Fitness online, make sure to get your key fob when you come to your first class! Scan in for all future classes in the session.



Specialty Fitness for Adults

These classes cannot be mixed and matched. They are not included in the Flex into Fitness Pass. \$10 discount for active TCC Fitness Members.

Essentrics



This equipment-free, low-impact workout will restore flexibility and range of motion in your joints, strengthen your muscles, improve posture, and help relieve pain. Please bring a mat.

MONDAYS, 10:30–11:25 AM

INSTRUCTOR: Robin

Act #	Dates	Weeks	Res/NR
3775-A2	4/8–5/20	7	\$69/\$89

WEDNESDAYS, 10:30–11:25 AM

INSTRUCTOR: Robin

Act #	Dates	Weeks	Res/NR
3775-B2	4/10–5/29	8	\$79/\$99

Vinyasa Yoga



A series of postures, one flowing seamlessly into the next. Designed as a moving meditation, every class is unique, creating the opportunity to become stronger, more flexible, and balanced. This is a class for participants of any level, but is recommended that you have baseline knowledge of yoga.

TUESDAYS, 7–7:55 PM

INSTRUCTOR: Kris

Act #	Dates	Weeks	Res/NR
3775-C2	4/9–5/28	8	\$79/\$99

CLASS INTENSITY SCALE:

● = LOW | ● ● = MILD | ● ● ● = MODERATE | ● ● ● ● = HIGH

JOIN NOW & SAVE

Fitness Members receive discounts on all fitness classes! Details listed above. See membership information on pages 18–19 or learn more at rec.troymi.gov/memberships.



Park Shelters

2024 Park Shelter Registration Dates:

- Tuesday, March 5 for residents
- Tuesday, March 12 for non-residents

Rec Admin will be open 8 am–7 pm on these dates!

Park Shelters can only be reserved in person at Troy Community Center for dates between May 1–October 31, 2024

Reservations are on a first come, first served basis. All shelters are open air with one large barbecue grill (coals not provided), tables that seat 8–10 and one 20-amp, two-plug electrical outlet. A Special Use Permit is required for large events, company parties, or fundraising events with a copy of liability insurance. Additional fees will apply.

2024 PRICING		
DAYS	RESIDENT FULL DAY	NON-RES FULL DAY
Mon–Fri	\$160	\$200
Sat, Sun & Holidays	\$180	\$220

An additional \$150 Security Deposit will be taken for all shelters. See details below on how deposits are refunded.

Shelter Locations

- Boulan Park (2 options, 250 guests each)
- Brinston Park (100 guests)
- Firefighters Park (250 guests)
- Jaycee Park (250 guests)
- Milverton Park (80 guests)
- Raintree Park (250 guests)
- Jeanne Stine Park (80 guests, weekends only)

Frequently Asked Questions

Can I have inflatables and extra tents at my event?

Yes, for an additional fee of \$40 per special request. No privately owned inflatables. Liability insurance will apply for all vendors. More exclusions may apply.

Can I serve alcohol at my event?

Yes. Those 21 and older can request a Beer/Wine permit with their shelter reservation. Kegs, cans, or boxed wine only. No glass containers. Additional \$40 fee and liability insurance required.

How do I get my Security Deposit back?

You must leave the shelter the way you found it and follow all shelter policies. Policies include no driving on the grass, no confetti, no tape on tables, etc. A full list will be provided upon reservation. Deposits are paid by credit card and will be refunded after date of event upon review of shelter by Parks staff. They will be refunded in full only once it is determined that the pavilion was left in the same condition as when you arrived and that there is no damage. Credit card security deposits will be refunded within one week following the event date. If we are unable to process a refund to your credit card, a check will be mailed in 4–6 weeks following the event date.

What type of insurance do I need to provide for my special requests?

For each vendor/company, you will need a copy of \$1,000,000 liability insurance & endorsement. These need to be provided when you make your reservation, we cannot hold the date. See an example of this at rec.troymi.gov/insurancesample.

Daisy Knight Dog Park Memberships

FEE: \$35 Residents, \$45 Non-Residents annually

Annual Memberships are available for dogs four months and older and are valid annually from date of purchase. Fees are per household. Purchase a membership at Troy Community Center during admin hours. You must be 18 or older to register for a membership. To register you will need your current dog license for each dog. Once you've completed your paperwork and paid for your membership, you will be issued a key fob. Replacement key fobs are \$3. Memberships are nontransferable, non-refundable and are not pro-rated.

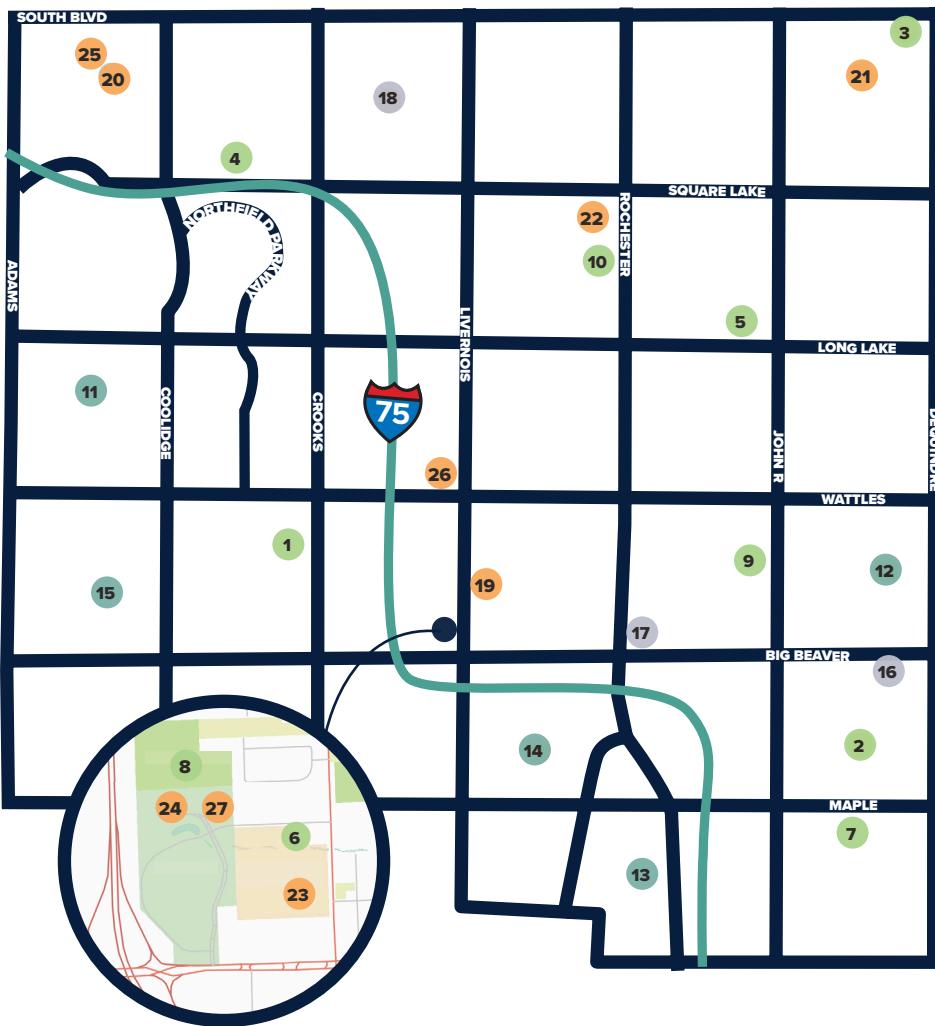


PARKS & AMENITIES

		ACRES	BASEBALL/SOFTBALL	SOCER FIELDS	TENNIS COURTS	SAND VOLLEYBALL	BASKETBALL	DISC GOLF	WALKING PATH	FISHING	PLAY STRUCTURE	SWINGS	PARK SHELTER	BUCCESHUFFLEBOARD	RESTROOMS	PICKLEBALL	TROY TRAIL	FITNESS EQUIPMENT	SKATE PARK
COMMUNITY PARKS	1 Boulan Park 1898 Boulan Park Dr	63	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	●	✓		●	●				
	2 Brinston Park 2262 Brinston Dr	18	●	●	●	●		●		●	●	✓		●	●				
	3 Donald J. Flynn Park 1710 E. South Blvd	25	●							●				●					
	4 Firefighters Park 1800 W. Square Lake Rd	96	●	●		●		●	●	●	●	✓			●				
	5 Jaycee Park 1755 E Long Lake Rd	43	●	●		●			●	●	●	✓		●	●	●			
	6 Jeanne M Stine Park 241 Town Center Dr	8.3							●			✓						●	
	7 Milverton Park 2384 E Maple	15						●		●	●	✓		●			●		
	8 Phillip J. Huber Park 3500 Civic Center Dr	31						●											
	9 Raintree Park 3775 John R Rd	41	●	●		●		●	●	●	●	✓		●					
	10 Sylvan Glen Lake Park 5725 Rochester Rd	40						●	●					●	●				
NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS	11 Beach Road Park 4651 Beach Rd	10	●	●						●	●			●					
	12 Beaver Trail Park 3458 Pasadena	7			●			●		●	●	●							
	13 Redwood Park 750 Redwood Dr	3	●							●	●	●			●				
	14 Robinwood Park 640 Robinwood Dr	18			●			●		●	●	●							
	15 Schroeder Park 3500 Beach Rd	12		●				●											
MINI PARKS	16 Big Beaver Road Park 2923 Thames	4						●											
	17 Gateway Park 3044 Rochester Rd	1						●											
	18 North Glen Park 6500 Elmoor	10						●											
SPECIAL USE PARKS & FACILITIES	19 Daisy Knight Dog Park ★ 3410 Livernois	19						●			●			●	●				
	20 Lloyd A. Stage Nature Center 6685 Coolidge	23						●		●		✓			●				
	21 Sanctuary Lake Golf Course ★ 1450 E South Blvd	200													●				
	22 Sylvan Glen Golf Course ★ 5501 Rochester Rd	143													●				
	23 Troy Community Center 3179 Livernois	12	●				★		●				●	●	●	★			
	24 Troy Family Aquatic Center ★ 3425 Civic Center Dr	4				●				●					●				
	25 Troy Farm ★ 3305 South Blvd	71						●											
	26 Troy Historic Village ★ 60 W Wattles Rd	5							●						●				
	27 Troy Racquet Club ★ 3400 Civic Center Dr				●										●	●			

✓ = Requires reservation.
Learn more on page 23.

★ = Requires fee/membership for use



Troy Parks

Troy has more than 900 acres of parkland facilities for all to enjoy and explore! All parks are open daily from sunrise to sunset. See all the available amenities in the chart on the previous page.

Learn more about Troy parks at rec.troymi.gov/parks or scan the QR code:



Community Gardens at Troy Farm

Tentative 2024 Season: Monday, April 29–Sunday, October 13

Limit one per household. Must be age 18 or older. Tilling and water access included. Water is only guaranteed until September 30. Water access is dependent on weather conditions after that—potential to be shut off at any point after 9/30. No refunds after 4/26.

Registration Dates:

- Returning gardeners in good standing: 2/20 residents, 2/22 non-residents.
- New gardeners (spots limited): 3/26 residents, 4/9 non-residents.

Registered gardeners must ensure their email address on file is up to date. This email is used for all community gardens communication.

Act #	Type	Approximate Size	Res/NR
8008-A2	Ground	18'x18'	\$109/\$159
8008-B2	Raised	4'x12'	\$109/\$159

Learn more about Community Gardens at rec.troymi.gov/gardens

Updates & Park Improvements

Troy Jeanne M. Stine Community Park Pavilion and Ice Skating Amenity: Opening Date Slated for End of Year

As of the print date of this publication, the current timeline for construction indicates that we will not be opening the ice amenity for use this season. This is due to construction delays such as weather and delays in materials. Although we were hoping to open this amenity for a soft opening at this time of year, we are excited to plan a grand opening for the end of the year. Stay tuned at rec.troymi.gov/icerink and in future Recreation Guides for updates.

Firefighters Park: Stream Bank and Habitat Revitalization Project

This project began in early January and is anticipated to be completed by the end of summer 2024. The park will remain open through the project, but some areas within the work zone will be unavailable. Please be cautious of all warnings and signs when you visit the park this year. See complete details on this project at rec.troymi.gov/parks.

Sports Leagues

All league dates are subject to change with notice. For the most up-to-date information on our leagues including registration, schedules, rules, and specifics not listed in this guide, please visit rec.troymi.gov/leagues.



For leagues listed below and Kickball: One team manager will register for the team and be responsible for fees and rostering their teammates. Individuals interested in being added to a team may register at no cost until placed on a team. Placement on a team is not guaranteed.

18+ BASKETBALL

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:**TUE, MARCH 5****SEASON DATES:**
MARCH 11–MAY 15**PLAYOFFS:**
WEEK OF MAY 20

All games are played at Troy Community Center on Mondays or Wednesdays. Games begin at 8:30 pm or 9:30 pm.

FEES:

- \$475 Resident Teams,
- \$525 Non-Resident Teams
- Additional fees due to officials at game site.

REGISTRATION OPENS:

- Returning teams can register now. \$75 discount for teams returning for a 3rd season (from fall and winter 2023).
- New teams can register beginning Tue, February 20.

Act #	League	Day
4970-A2	A (Division II)	Mon
4970-B2	B (Division III)	Wed
4970-C2	Free Agent Interest	

LOOKING AHEAD: FALL 2024 SPORTS LEAGUES

- 18+ Kickball
 - 18+ Basketball
 - 18+ Double-header Softball
 - Additional Leagues TBD
- More information available in our Summer 2024 Guide or online at rec.troymi.gov/leagues

18+ SOFTBALL

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:**FRI, APRIL 19****SEASON DATES:**
MAY 6–AUGUST 15**PLAYOFFS:**
AUGUST 13–29

14 weeks + 2 week double-elimination playoffs for top 4 teams in each division. All games are played at Flynn Park. Game times start at 6:15 pm, 7:20 pm, 8:25 pm, or 9:30 pm.

FEES:

- \$300 deposit at sign up +
- \$325 Resident Teams,
- \$375 Non-Resident Teams Due 2 weeks prior to first game
- Additional fees due to officials at game site.

REGISTRATION OPENS:

- Returning teams from summer/fall 2023 can register now.
- New teams can register beginning Tue, February 20.

Act #	League**	Day
4955-A2	Men's 18+ - E	Mon*
4955-B2	Co-ed 18+ - E	Tue
4955-C2	Co-ed 18+ - C	Tue
4955-D2	Men's 18+ - C	Thu*
4955-E2	Men's 18+ - D	Thu*
4955-F2	Individual Player Interest	

***No games 5/27 or 7/4**

****Leagues are defined by home run limits in each division:**

- E League = 1 home run/game
- D League = 3 home run/game
- C League = 5 home run/game

18+ SOCCER

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:**TUE, MAY 28****SEASON DATES**
JUNE 10–AUGUST 22**NO PLAYOFFS**

10 weeks of games. The last game of the season will be a “position night.” Games are played at Firefighters Park and Boulan Park. All games kick-off at 6:15 pm.

FEES:

- \$325 Resident Teams,
- \$375 Non-Resident Teams
- Additional fees due to officials at game site.

REGISTRATION OPENS:

- Returning teams from summer 2023 can register beginning April 30.
- New teams can register beginning May 14.

Act #	League	Day
4960-A2	Men's 18+	Mon
4960-B2	Men's 30+	Wed*
4960-C2	Men's 40+	Thu*
4960-D2	Men's 50+	Mon
4960-E2	Women's 18+	Tue
4960-F2	Women's 30+	Thu*
4960-G2	Women's 40+	Tue
4960-H2	Women's 50+	Wed*
4960-I2	Individual Player Interest	

***No games 6/19, 7/4**
Some league divisions tentative based on league enrollment.

A resident team is classified as a team with at least 70% residents on their roster.
Teams with fewer than 70% residents must pay the non-resident team fee.



REGISTRATION DATES VARY, SEE DETAILS BELOW



18+ TENNIS

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:
FRI, APRIL 19

SEASON DATES
MAY 5–JULY 21
NO PLAYOFFS

10 weeks of games. All leagues are intermediate–3.0 USTA Rating. Max of 8 players or doubles per league. All games are played at Boulan park. Game times vary per league: Earliest games begin at 4 pm, latest games begin at 7:45 pm.

FEES:

- Singles: \$50 Res, \$60 NR
- Doubles: \$90 Res, \$100 NR

REGISTRATION OPENS:

- February 20 for all players

Act #	League	Day
4990-A2	Mixed Doubles 18+	Sun*
4990-B2	Men's 30+	Mon*
4990-C2	Women's 30+	Tue
4990-D2	Men's 40+	Wed
4990-E2	Women's 40+	Thu*

*No matches 5/26, 5/27, 7/4, 7/7

SPORTS ALERTS

Receive text/email alerts for weather cancellations and other important announcements. Subscribe or unsubscribe anytime at rec.troymi.gov/alerts



YOUTH BASKETBALL SUMMER LEAGUE

Youth Basketball league will build skills in practice and game environments. One practice/week on either Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, or Sunday, determined by coach and based on facility availability. Games will take place on Saturday or Sunday afternoon/evenings. All games and practices take place at the Troy Community Center Gym.

Summer Leagues offered for grades 4–12. Some league divisions tentative based on league enrollment.

Volunteer coaches will receive a Team T-Shirt and their child's registration fee back at the end of the season (once per team coached). If interested in coaching, please contact sportsinfo@troymi.gov.

- Registration Deadline: 6/21
- Season practices start: Week of 7/8 on respective practice day.
- Games Start: 7/20 & 7/21
- Register for grade entering 24/25 school year
- Season Dates: 7/8–8/24
- Playoffs: 8/25

FEE: \$80 Res, \$90 NR

Act #	League
4100-A3	Boys 4/5
4100-B3	Girls 4/5
4100-C3	Boys 6–8
4100-D3	Girls 6–8
4100-E3	Boys 9–12
4100-F3	Girls 9–12



50+ SOFTBALL

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:
MON, APRIL 29

SEASON DATES
MAY 16–JULY 25

PLAYOFFS:
AUG 1 & 8

10 weeks + 2 week double-elimination playoffs for top 4 teams. All games are played at Boulan Park. Game times start at 6 pm, 7:10 pm, 8:20 pm, or 9:30 pm. Managers should register under Team Manager Activity Number, and players should register under Rostered Players Activity Number and indicate team name upon sign up.

FEES:

\$35 Residents, \$55 Non-Residents per person

REGISTRATION OPENS:

- Returning teams from summer 2023 can register now.
- New teams can register beginning Tue, February 20.

Act # League Day

4955-G2	Managers	Thu
4955-H2	Rostered Players	Thu
4955-I2	Individual Player Interest	

No games 7/4



SPORTS

248.524.3484 rec.troymi.gov/leagues

Group Pickleball Lessons

Pickleball 101: Intro for Beginners

No prior experience or knowledge necessary. Instructor will teach the basic rules, strokes, scoring, and strategies of the game. Participants will be ready to play after finishing the class. Please wear exercise clothing and gym shoes. Paddles and balls provided. No refunds.

ONE SESSION FEE: \$20 Res, \$25 NR
LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Act #	Day	Date	Time
7215-A2	Mon	4/8	9–11 am
7215-B2	Mon	6/3	9–11 am

Pickleball 102: Learn & Play for Beginners

Similar to 101, this 2-day class provides one additional day of supervised playing experience after learning the basic techniques, rules and scoring system on the first day. No prior knowledge required. Paddles and balls provided.

2 WEEKS FEE: \$40 Res, \$45 NR
LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
7216-A2	Mon	4/29 & 5/6	2–4 pm
7216-B2	Mon	5/13 & 5/20	9–11 am
7216-C2	Thu	5/30 & 6/6	6–8 pm

Pickleball Ladders

18+ and 50+ Ladder for Intermediate/Advanced (USAP 3.0–4.0 skill level)* players. Play three games with three different partners. Scores will be kept and players will compete against similar skill levels and attempt to move up the ladder.

9 WEEKS, TUESDAYS
\$10 discount with active TCC Fitness Center Membership
LOCATION: Troy Community Center Gym

Act #	Age	Player Type	Dates	Time
7233-C1	50+	League	3/12–5/7	1–3 pm
7233-D1	18+	League	3/12–5/7	8–10 pm
7233-E1	50+	Sub List**		
7233-F1	18+	Sub List**		

*For information on USAP Ratings, please visit: usapickleball.org/tournaments/tournament-player-ratings/player-skill-rating-definitions

**There is no cost to register for the Sub list. Substitute players are not guaranteed play time, but may be contacted to fill-in as needed. Subs must be rostered to play.



= Youth Program



= Adult Program



= Youth/Adult Program



Private Lessons



Private Pickleball Lessons

Taught by experienced Certified Pickleball Professionals. Fast track your game with individual attention focusing on what you want to accomplish. Private lessons are for 1–4 players. No Resident Discounts given.

To Register: Have you or a member of your group use **Act #7269-A2** to request a session. Sessions are subject to instructor and court availability and not guaranteed until confirmed. Once confirmed, players will be sent instructions on how to pay. **Must register at least 1 week in advance.**

ONE SESSION

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Lesson Type	Session	Fee
1 person	60 minutes	\$70
2 person	60 minutes	\$90
3 person group	90 minutes	\$125
4 person group	90 minutes	\$145

REGISTER EARLY!

Pickleball lessons fill fast! If you can't get a spot, try a private lesson or learn as you go with drop in pickleball at Troy Community Center (details on page 19).

First come, first served at our Parks: Courts are lined at Boulan, Brinston, and Redwood Parks.

Karate Lessons



Sanchin-Ryu Karate

YOUTH (Ages 4–14) Kids Karate, Self Defense, and Project: Secure Child. Achieve self-confidence and leadership through physical techniques, mental strategies, drills, and exercises.

FAMILY KARATE (Parent/Child)

Sanchin-Ryu teaches students to use their whole body. Learn physical techniques with drills and exercises.

All family members must register—however you will only be charged for the first two registrations, additional family members are free.

ADULT KARATE (Ages 14+) Learn strikes, advanced combinations, and how to counter different grabs and other scenarios. Uniforms are available, but not required.

7 WEEKS, WEDNESDAYS

Fee: \$55 Res, \$65 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

YOUTH (4–14)

Act #	Dates	Time
6720-D1	2/28–4/17*	6:30–7:15 pm
6720-A2	4/24–6/5	6:30–7:15 pm

FAMILY

Act #	Dates	Time
6720-E1	2/28–4/17*	7:15–8 pm
6720-B2	4/24–6/5	7:15–8 pm

ADULT (AGES 14+)

Act #	Dates	Time
6720-F1	2/28–4/17*	8–8:45 pm
6720-C2	4/24–6/5	8–8:45 pm

*Register now, No class 3/27

Tai Chi



7 WEEKS, TUESDAYS

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Fee: \$73 Res, \$83 NR

Chair Wu Style Tai Chi Chu'an

Suitable for those contending with balance or stability, or can only do seated activities. The chair form of Tai Chi maintains the “meditation in motion” principles and qualities of the standing form. The practice of Tai Chi Chu'an is endorsed by the Arthritis Foundation.

Act#	Dates	Time
3210-D1	3/5–4/16*	2:30–3:30 pm
3210-A2	5/7–6/18	2:30–3:30 pm
3210-B2	7/9–8/20	2:30–3:30 pm

Japanese Shotokan Karate

A traditional Japanese art focusing on strong basic blocks, punches, and kicks. Learn self-defense, controlled sparring, and Kata. Develop balance, coordination, discipline, confidence, courtesy, and endurance. Students wear loose fitting clothes, no jewelry, long hair tied back. Uniforms available for purchase from instructors at classes. Students need to purchase strike-pads on the first day for an additional \$20. Pay cash or check made to “Brian Moon.”

- **MMSK Karate Kidz:** Introduction class to karate for 5 and 6 year olds in an informal and fun atmosphere, Strike pads are not needed for MMSK Karate Kidz.
- **Beginner:** Age 7–12 years
- **Intermediate:** Age 7–12 years. Must have previous experience with Metro Michigan Shotokan Karate.
- **Adult:** Age 13+ years. Under 13 with permission from instructor.

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

MONDAYS: 9 WEEKS

Act #	Class	Dates	Time	Res	NR
6730-A2	Karate Kidz	4/8–6/10*	5:15–5:45 pm	\$99	\$109
6730-B2	Beginner	4/8–6/10*	6–6:50 pm	\$99	\$109
6730-C2	Intermediate	4/8–6/10*	7–7:50 pm	\$99	\$109
6730-D2	Advanced	4/8–6/10*	8–8:50 pm	\$99	\$109

*No class 5/27

THURSDAYS: 10 WEEKS

Act #	Class	Dates	Time	Res	NR
6730-E2	Beginner	4/11–6/13	6–6:50 pm	\$110	\$120
6730-F2	Intermediate	4/11–6/13	7–7:50 pm	\$110	\$120
6730-G2	Advanced	4/11–6/13	8–8:50 pm	\$110	\$120



REGISTER ONLINE:

Learn how to create your Household Account and register on page 51 or visit rec.troymi.gov/welcome.

Wu Style Tai Chi Chu'an 12 Form

Wu Tai Chi Chuan, a family lineage martial art, is a complete system of training that develops health and well-being through a sequence of low-impact, coordinated movements to relax and strengthen mind, body, and spirit. Supports coordination and balance. **Loose clothing, flat soled, smooth bottomed shoes recommended.**

Act # Level Dates Time

3210-E1	1	3/5–4/16*	4–5 pm
3210-F1	2**	3/5–4/16*	5:30–6:30 pm
3210-C2	1	5/7–6/18	4–5 pm
3210-D2	1	7/9–8/20	4–5 pm
3210-E2	2**	5/7–6/18	5:30–6:30 pm
3210-F2	2**	7/9–8/20	5:30–6:30 pm

*Registration open now **Must have completed 12 Form 1

SPORTS



Coach Dave Intro to Sports

Coach Dave classes introduce kids to sports such as soccer, football, volleyball, tee ball, lacrosse, hockey, and more! Through fun, positive instruction and silly sports-games, kids will build fundamentals for the future. Wear gym shoes and bring a water bottle.

6 WEEKS

FEE: \$90 Res, \$100 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center Gym

Sports Starters (Ages 3–5 years)

A first introduction for kids who have had little to no prior sport experiences. Kids must be three by the first day of class.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
6110-A2	Sat	4/13–5/18	9–9:50 am

Kiddie Sports & Games (Ages 4–6 years)

Build on sports basics, and progress towards friendly competition playing scrimmages. Kids must be four by the first day of class.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
6110-B2	Sat	4/13–5/18	10–10:50 am

Sampler Sports (Ages 3.5–6 years)

Continue to explore a variety of sports and deepen experiences with time spent on multiple sports. Kids must be 3.5 years by the first day of class.

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
6110-C2	Sat	4/13–5/18	11–11:50 am

 248.524.3484  rec.troymi.gov/leagues

Learn to Ice Skate

Students will be divided by age and skill level during the first class. 8–10 students per teacher. Skate rental is available for \$4/class. For questions call 248.689.6600.

AGES 3–ADULT

FEES VARY

LOCATION: Buffalo Wild Wings Arena, 1819 E Big Beaver

INSTRUCTOR: Marta Markiewicz

SPRING SESSION 1

Act #	Day	Dates	Time	Res	NR
6710-A2	Mon	2/26–4/15	6–6:45 pm	\$152	\$157
6710-B2	Wed	2/28–4/17	10–10:45 am	\$152	\$157
6710-C2	Wed	2/28–4/17	1–1:45 pm	\$152	\$157
6710-D2	Wed	2/28–4/17	6–6:45 pm	\$152	\$157
6710-E2	Sat	3/2–4/20	10–10:45 am	\$152	\$157
6710-F2	Sun	3/3–4/21*	2–2:45 pm	\$133	\$138

*No class 3/31

SPRING SESSION 2

Act #	Day	Dates	Time	Res	NR
6710-G2	Mon	4/29–6/10*	6–6:45 pm	\$114	\$119
6710-H2	Wed	5/1–6/12	10–10:45 am	\$133	\$138
6710-I2	Wed	5/1–6/12	1–1:45 pm	\$133	\$138
6710-J2	Wed	5/1–6/12	6–6:45 pm	\$133	\$138
6710-K2	Sun	5/12–6/16**	2–2:45 pm	\$95	\$100

*No class 5/27 **No class 5/19

SPRING BREAK CAMP

Act #	Days	Dates	Time	Res	NR
6710-L2	M–F	3/25–3/29	10–10:45 am	\$95	\$105

Subscribe to Rec Alerts

When Troy schools close due to inclement weather, we cancel our programs as well. We always post weather updates on our website and notify the primary account holder via email when this happens, but we also send text and email alerts to Rec Alert subscribers. Subscribe or unsubscribe as you need to when you're participating in our programs.

- **Subscribe or unsubscribe at: rec.troymi.gov/alerts**
- **Learn more about our weather policy at: rec.troymi.gov/weather**



= Youth Program



= Adult Program



= Youth/Adult Program

ENRICHMENT

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Youth Art Classes

Youth Pottery: Ages 6–13

Let's explore, create, and have fun with clay. Students will experience the joys of working with clay while letting their imaginations soar.

4 WEEKS, WEDNESDAYS

FEE: \$85 Res, \$95 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Act #	Dates	Time
6633-C1*	3/20–4/17	5:30–7 pm
6633-A2	4/24–5/15	5:30–7 pm
6633-B2	5/29–6/19	5:30–7 pm

Amazing Art: Ages 6–13

Express yourself! Come try different styles and new techniques that will help bring out the inner artist in you. We will supply the paint, paper, and encouragement, while you learn new things each class. Be prepared to get messy!

3 WEEKS, SATURDAYS

FEE: \$45 Res, \$55 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Act #	Dates	Time
6630-B1*	3/9–3/23	10:30–11:30 am
6630-A2	4/6–4/27**	10:30–11:30 am
6630-B2	5/4–5/18	10:30–11:30 am

PeeWee Picasso:

Ages 3–5 w/parent

Your little ones will participate in a variety of art activities, encouraging curiosity, discovery, and self-expression. This session is perfect for kids looking to explore new ways to expand their creative side. Each class provides the opportunity to create brand new projects.

3 WEEKS, SATURDAYS

FEE: \$45 Res, \$55 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Act #	Dates	Time
6632-B1*	3/9–3/23	9:15–10 am
6632-A2	4/6–4/27**	9:15–10 am
6632-B2	5/4–5/18	9:15–10 am



Spring Break Youth Art Camps

No school? No problem! Enjoy these fun 1-day art camps provided by Kidcreate Studio. All materials are supplied, and included in session fee.

Roblox: Ages 5–12

Calling all Robloxians: Take a step out of the virtual world and into the coolest art class ever! We'll create with clay, paint, and more as we sculpt a classic Roblox Noob. Whether you're a hardcore gamer or more of a Noob, this is the perfect class for you.

FEE: \$50 Res, \$60 NR

Act #	Day	Date	Time
6637-A2	Mon	3/25	1–4 pm

Labradoodle Love: Ages 5–12

They're fuzzy, furry, and a kid's best friend... what could be cuter than a labradoodle? In this workshop, artists will learn to draw an adorable labradoodle puppy, then paint it onto a real canvas board.

FEE: \$50 Res, \$60 NR

Act #	Day	Date	Time
6637-B2	Thu	3/28	1–4 pm

April Fool's Day Fun: Ages 4–9

We'll get simply silly as we get ready to celebrate April Fool's Day by creating some unbelievably hilarious craft pranks. Get ready for a good time—this class is sure to tickle your funny bone!

FEE: \$45 Res, \$55 NR

Act #	Day	Date	Time
6637-C2	Fri	3/29	1–4 pm

Take Home Activities

Busy Mystery Boxes

Like our Busy Boxes? Here is a chance to grab four random activities from those boxes. Supplies for four random activities from previous Busy Boxes are included in every Mystery Box. Great for weekends and school breaks. Register by the dates listed below and boxes will be available at 12 pm on the pick-up date at the Rec Admin Desk at Troy Community Center. Boxes are held for 2 weeks after the pick-up date

FEE: \$16 Res, \$19 NR

PICK UP: Troy Community Center

Act #	Register By	Pick-Up Date
2000-A2	3/13	3/18
2000-B2	4/17	4/22
2000-C2	5/15	5/20

Fairy/Gnome Garden Kits

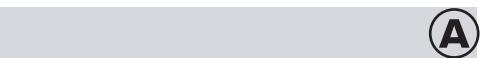
Create a fairy and gnome garden at home! We have packed a box filled with all the materials needed to create your garden. These tiny gardens foster imaginative play and creativity. All boxes include a fairy and gnome to add to the garden.

FEE: \$20 Res, \$25 NR

PICK UP: Troy Community Center

Act #	Register By	Pick-Up Date
2700-A2	3/15	3/20

ENRICHMENT



Adult Arts & Crafts Classes

Drawing Sessions

Students can expect to build observational skills, learn about line, shape, value, proportion, perspective, and more. Different drawing media will be introduced. Develop self-expression and strong drawing skills through exploration and practice. Class is designed for beginner students seeking refresher and returning students, as they challenge and build their drawing skills.

5 WEEKS, TUESDAYS

FEE: \$92 Res, \$102 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

First class: Bring pencil, pen, eraser, and a few sheets of paper (any size, any kind). Full supply list provided at first class.

Act #	Dates	Time
7009-A2	3/12-4/9	10 am-12 pm
7009-B2	4/23-5/21*	10 am-12 pm

***Landscape Drawing – encouraged to bring your own photos**



Basket Weaving

Beginners welcome! Instructor Kathy McMinn is the owner of The Basket Sampler, and has over 20 years of basket weaving experience.

LARGE TOTE BASKET WITH LEATHER HANDLES:

This is a beautiful, useful basket that can go anywhere. It has a filled in bottom, so it can hold a lot.

FEE: \$78 Res, \$88 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

All materials are supplied, and included in session fee.

Act #	Day	Date	Time
8040-A2	Sat	3/23	9 am-4 pm



Watercolor

This watercolor class is for people who love to paint or who are ready to start learning! We will explore various painting techniques and how to improve our final pictures. Experience the joy and excitement of creativity, color, and water interacting!

4 WEEKS, WEDNESDAYS

FEE: \$40 Res, \$50 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

A supply list will be provided upon registration. Supplies not included.

Act #	Dates	Time
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6635-C1* 3/6-3/27 1-3:30 pm

6635-A2 4/10-5/1 1-3:30 pm

6635-B2 5/8-5/29 1-3:30 pm

***Register now**

Acrylic & Oil Painting

These classes, led by instructor Marat Paransky, are designed for beginners through advanced painters. There are both group demonstrations and individual instruction if needed.

8 WEEKS, TUESDAYS

FEE: \$80 Res, \$90 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

A supply list will be provided upon registration. Supplies not included.

Act #	Dates	Time
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7010-A2 3/12-5/14* 12-3 pm

***No class 3/26 and 4/30**

***Register now, \$75/\$85**

Have a teen interested in one of our adult art classes?

Contact us about permission to register! Most instructors will allow teens to participate with approval from our staff. Email us at parksandreconline@troymi.gov if interested.



= Youth Program



= Adult Program



= Youth/Adult Program

 **REGISTRATION OPENS:** 2/20 RESIDENTS, 2/22 NON-RESIDENTS

Adult Arts & Crafts Classes

NEW THIS SEASON!

Succulent Garden Making

NEW

Express yourself and explore your imagination in this creative, one-of-a-kind succulent garden class! You will be able to design this living work of art with colorful succulents, plus an adorable mushroom figure that adds a whimsical touch. Not only is it fun, but you can proudly show off your masterpiece at home or give it as a special gift for someone close, cultivating an appreciation for both nature and art.

FEE: \$50 Res, \$60 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

All materials are supplied, and included in session fee.

Act #	Day	Date	Time
6638-A2	Thu	3/14	6–7:30 pm

Glow-in-the-Dark Aurora Borealis

NEW

Come explore blending as we create a mixed-media landscape featuring nature's most magnificent light show: Aurora Borealis. Just like the real Northern Lights, this project will actually glow in the dark!

FEE: \$30 Res, \$40 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

All materials are supplied, and included in session fee.

Act #	Day	Date	Time
6638-B2	Thu	3/28	6–7:30 pm

Adult Dance Classes

Evening Ballroom Lessons

BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE SOCIAL

DANCE: This class will introduce students to the fundamentals. We will focus on proper posture, footwork, leading, and following. Students will learn a variety of basic dance figures incorporating proper technique.

INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED

BALLROOM DANCE: We explore intermediate and advanced ballroom figures while improving movement. Familiarity with basic dance figures is encouraged. We will also focus on dance frame, posture, rotation, dance positions, and alignments.

6 WEEKS, FRIDAYS

FEE: \$79 Res, \$89 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

INSTRUCTOR: Jim Berg

No partner required.

Act #	Class	Dates	Time
7050-A2	Beg/Int	3/29–5/3	7–8 pm
7051-A2	Int/Adv	3/29–5/3	8–9 pm
7050-B2	Beg/Int	5/10–6/14	7–8 pm
7051-B2	Int/Adv	5/10–6/14	8–9 pm

Tap Lessons

BEGINNER: No experience necessary! Learn basic tap steps and combinations while having a fun physical and mental workout.

INTERMEDIATE: If you have tapped before, and feel comfortable knocking out a time step, this is the class for you.

8 WEEKS, TUESDAYS

FEE: \$72 Res, \$82 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

INSTRUCTOR: Terry Slater

Tap shoes required by 2nd week. Not included in fee.

Act #	Class	Dates	Time
7060-A2	Beg	3/26–5/14	1:30–2:30 pm
7061-A2	Int	3/26–5/14	2:30–3:30 pm

No partner required!



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Adaptive Recreation

Our Adaptive Recreation program provides quality recreational opportunities for community members with disabilities. This specialized programming offers those with physical, cognitive, developmental, or other acquired disabilities the chance to fully participate in their community, with focus on health, wellness, and recreation for all.

ATTENTION AIDES & CAREGIVERS

If an individual requires one-on-one attention or personal care assistance, they should plan to provide an aide/caregiver for the duration of the program as our staff is unable to provide these services. Unless otherwise specified, there is no cost for aides/caregivers.



Daytime Programming

Daytime Friendship Club

This program is for persons 18+ with developmental disabilities or other cognitive impairments. Activities include: exercise, swimming, crafts, games, social activities, and more.

MULTIPLE WEEKS

FEES BELOW

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Act #	Day	Dates	Weeks	Time	Res	NR
7310-A2	Tue	4/30-6/25	9	10 am-3 pm	\$205	\$225
7310-B2	Thu	5/2-6/27*	8	10 am-3 pm	\$180	\$200

*No class 5/16

SAVE THE DATE: Registration for July–October will open with Summer Registration (5/14 Res & 5/16 NR)

Adaptive Sports

Bowling

Each week, two games of bowling and shoes are included with registration. Basic group instruction and activity modifications will be provided, as needed. Ages 5+ welcome. Those under 18 must have a responsible caregiver on site for the duration of the program.

3 WEEKS

FEE: \$40 Res, \$50 NR

LOCATION: 5 Star Lanes, 2666 Metro Parkway

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
7327-C1*	Mon	3/4-3/18	4-6 pm
7327-A2	Mon	4/1-4/15	4-6 pm
7327-B2	Mon	4/29-5/13	4-6 pm
7327-C2	Mon	6/3-6/17	4-6 pm

*Registration open now

Field Trips

A Day at the Movies

Join a group for an outing to the Movie Theater. Movie title and exact timing to be determined at least 2 weeks prior. Movie rating will be PG-13 or below and family friendly. Fee includes a snack and drink for participants only. All attending must register. Deadline to register is: Wednesday, 2/21. Appropriate for ages 18+.

ONE SESSION

FEE: \$25 Res & NR; \$12 Caregiver

LOCATION: MJR Troy Grand Cinema, 100 E Maple Rd

Act #	Ticket Type	Day	Date
7373-A1	PARTICIPANT	Thu	2/29
7373-B1	CAREGIVER	Thu	2/29

Detroit Outdoor Adventure Center

Join a group for an encounter with nature and recreation. Explore the indoor adventure center and enjoy a guided program where we will learn about city-based wildlife. Wear comfortable clothes, and pack a BAG lunch. Meet at the Community Center and bus downtown together. Deadline to register is: Thursday, 5/9.

ONE SESSION

FEE: \$25 Res, \$30 NR; \$15 Caregiver

LOCATION: Meet at Troy Community Center for bus pick up

Act #	Ticket Type	Day	Date	Time
7373-A2	PARTICIPANT	Thu	5/16	10:30 am-2 pm
7373-B2	CAREGIVER	Thu	5/16	10:30 am-2 pm

REGISTRATION OPENS: 2/20 RESIDENTS, 2/22 NON-RESIDENTS



Socials & Events

Monday Mingle

This Adaptive Social Night hosts: group games, music, pizza, and fun with friends. Ages 14+ welcome. Those under 18 must have a responsible caregiver on site for the duration of the program. No refunds given.

ONE SESSION

FEE: \$12 Res, \$15 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Act #	Dates	Time
7376-B1*	2/26	5:30–7 pm
7376-C1*	3/25	5:30–7 pm
7376-D1*	4/22	5:30–7 pm
7376-A2	5/20	5:30–7 pm
7376-B2	6/24	5:30–7 pm

***Registration open now**

Friday Frolic Dance

A social dance event with a live DJ for adults 18+ with disabilities. All dances provide light snack (chips & pop) for participants. No refunds. Pre-registration OR punch card required. Register at least 24-hours in advance, or show your punch card at the door.

Select Fridays

FEE: \$10 or Punch Card

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Act #	Date	Time	Theme
7375-B1*	4/12	7–9 pm	Spring Fling
7375-A2	6/14	7–9 pm	Summer Jam
7375-B2	8/9	7–9 pm	Tropical

***Registration open now**

Friday Frolic Punch Card: \$60 per card

Punch card is good for 6 admissions to Friday Frolic Dances. No Resident discounts given. Troy Recreation is not responsible for lost or stolen cards. Fees are non-refundable. Card expires 2 years from the date of purchase. Purchase at the Front Desk during admin hours. Or, save time by registering in advance online.

ADAPTIVE

NoteABLE Youth

NoteABLE Youth Programs

NoteABLE Youth is a Troy nonprofit dedicated to providing inclusive and adaptive musical experiences to youth of all abilities. The classes below are for youth with special needs and their families. Fee is per family and includes a songbook and audio recordings for families to take home.

NoteABLE: Fun with Music (Ages 8 and under)

Have fun with music! Using the nationally renowned Music Together family-oriented curriculum, students and parents/caregivers will be guided through music exploration by listening, singing, moving, and using rhythm instruments. Miss Jenna has 20 years of experience engaging mixed age groups.

9 WEEKS

FEE: \$110 Res, \$112 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
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7306-A2 Wed 4/3–5/29 6–6:50 pm

NoteABLE: Rhythm Kids (Ages 8–12)

With nationally renowned Music Together curriculum, experience music development by drumming, singing, dancing, playing rhythm instruments, and participating in music-based games.

9 WEEKS

FEE: \$110 Res, \$112 NR

LOCATION: Troy Community Center

Act #	Day	Dates	Time
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7306-B2 Wed 4/3–5/29 7–7:50 pm



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TROY FAMILY AQUATIC CENTER

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3425 CIVIC CENTER



Pass Holders Only: Friday, May 24

NO DAY PASSES ON OPENING DAY

Get your season pass early to kick off your summer with us!

Regular sales for day passes will begin Sunday, May 26

SEASON
PASSES
GO ON SALE
WEDNESDAY,
MAY 1

OPENING WEEKEND HOURS

FRI, 5/24	3:30–7:30 PM: SEASON PASS HOLDERS ONLY
SAT, 5/25	11:30 AM–7:30 PM: SEASON PASS HOLDERS ONLY
SUN, 5/26	*11:30 AM–7:30 PM: ALL
MON, 5/27	*11:30 AM–7:30 PM: ALL

**Season pass holders can enter at 11 am*

Hours will be limited until school lets out on Friday, June 16. Our full season hours will be available on the website in May and in the Summer Recreation Guide.

Group/Shelter Rentals Begin Friday, March 1

Rent out one of our cabana areas for your group! Two areas available for reservation inside the facility or rent the shelter area outside the gates. Learn more and complete the Rental Application at rec.troymi.gov/tfac.

2024 RENTAL RATES

- Shelters: \$50/Hour Res, \$75/Hour NR
- Groups of 20–49: \$6 Res, \$10 NR per person
- Groups of 50 or more: \$5 Res, \$9 NR per person



More information will be available in the Summer Guide.

Find more info and FAQ at rec.troymi.gov/tfac or scan the QR code:



2024 PRICING

PASS TYPE	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
FAMILY PASS (4)	\$324	\$620
INDIV SEASON PASS	\$96	\$160
DAY PASS	\$12	\$20

Returning pass holder? Bring last year's key fob, you can reuse it!

Become a Pass Holder! Perks include: Pass Holder Only days, 30-minute early entrance, pass holder entrance line, discount at Harvey's Hut, and last 100 admissions are held for pass holders before we hit capacity. Purchase your season pass at Troy Community Center starting May 1. Purchase at the Aquatic Center starting opening day.

INDIVIDUAL SEASON PASS: A discounted pass for one person to visit the Aquatic Center all season. No add-ons.

FAMILY SEASON PASS: A discounted pass for 4 family members in the same household to visit the Aquatic Center all season. Additional members can be added (unlimited).

FAMILY SEASON PASS ADD-ON: When you purchase one family pass you can add additional people in your household to it for **\$86 residents, \$150 non-residents**. Rates ONLY apply after one original family pass is purchased. Pass(es) must be added on and assigned at the time of Family Pass purchase.

Have someone who is watching the kids all summer? You can add a nanny, babysitter, or grandparent to your family pass. This would be one of the assigned spots of the 4 original members. One add-on per household.

Children under 3 are free! If you are buying a season pass and your child turns 3 prior to opening day, then they will need to be added to your family pass or need a pass purchased for them.

Find Senior Programs in the Fifty Forward newsletter

Our Fifty Forward is packed with even more senior programs like computer classes, trips, lectures, and more! You can pick up a copy at the Troy Community Center and other City of Troy buildings, or download at rec.troymi.gov/fiftyforward. Spring highlights include: Local trips with Rybicki Tours, monthly trips to the DIA, one-on-one Computer/Smart Phone Tutoring for Android and Apple, a monthly lecture series, and more!



The cover of the Fifty Forward newsletter features a large marquee sign with the words "ELVIS TRIBUTE CONCERT" in red lights. Below the sign, text reads "Wednesday, January 17 • 7 pm at Troy Community Center \$15 Residents, \$20 Non-Residents - Details on page 4". To the left is a thumbnail for "Valentine's Luncheon with Michael Bell" and to the right is a thumbnail for "TUESDAY TUNES". At the bottom, it says "Winter 2023-24 • November-February RECREATION REGISTRATION OPENS TUE, NOV 14 FOR RESIDENTS".

Me & My Grand

Me and My Grand programs, put on monthly by Troy Recreation, aim to offer quality time opportunities for grandparents and grandchildren to connect in fun and engaging ways. We hope these activities provide nurturing and meaningful family bonding moments for participants. Please note that grandparent will register for pair and a waiver must be signed by a parent/guardian.

CLASS FEES: \$10 per pair (1 grandparent & 1 grandchild), \$3 per additional person. No refunds. All supplies included.

LOCATIONS VARY, SEE DESCRIPTIONS BELOW

Me & My Grand Play Spring Themed Bingo!

It's officially spring time! Enjoy time together with your loved one while playing spring themed bingo! Small bingo prizes will be given to winners. Light snacks and refreshments will be provided.

Act #	Date	Time
8500-A2	Wed, 3/20	4:30–5:30 pm

Me & My Grand Make Bird Feeders

Be creative with your grand while making bird feeders for our feathered friends to enjoy in the spring weather. Light snacks and refreshments will be provided.

Act #	Date	Time
8500-B2	Wed, 4/24	4:30–5:30 pm

Me & My Grand Take a Trip to Troy Historic Village!

Enjoy a trip back in time! Staff from the Village will have awesome artifacts—including when grandparents were younger! For example, what is a rotary phone? Learn, have fun, and share memories with your grand!

Act #	Date	Time
8500-C2	Wed, 5/22	4:30–5:30 pm

50+ Golf

Golfers play nine holes, starting in the morning with a shotgun format. Golfers are divided into flights based on average score for nine holes. All skill levels are welcome. The season begins the last week of April or first week in May. Administration and greens fees are paid to the league in the spring. Subs play as needed, when available, and need to pay the registration fee plus green/cart fees. There are no refunds.

18–20 WEEKS

LOCATION: Sylvan Glen Golf Course

Registration dates:

- Returning players from 2023: January 22–February 13
- New golfers: February 20 residents, February 22 non-residents

Act #	Day	League Type	Res	NR
8090-A2	Mon	League	\$10	\$15
8090-B2	Mon	Sub List	\$5	\$10
8091-A2	Wed	League	\$10	\$15
8091-B2	Wed	Sub List	\$5	\$10

Welcome Orientation to 50+ Programs

Join Recreation Supervisor for Senior Programs, Lyndsey Ramsay, for a short presentation and opportunity for discussion to learn about programs and amenities offered for people ages 50 and up at the Troy Community Center. This is a great opportunity for Troy Residents that are new to the area as well as folks that have lived here for years and aren't too sure about what is offered. Free to attend, but please register so we have a head count.

LOCATION: Troy Community Center **FEE:** FREE

Act #	Day	Date	Time
8000-A2	Wed	3/6	1–2 pm



REGISTER ONLINE:

Learn how to create your Household Account and register on page 51.



Subscribe to our bi-weekly Fifty Forward e-newsletter: rec.troymi.gov/fiftyforwardemail



Troy Historic Village

60 W. WATTLES RD



⌚ HOURS ⌚

- Year-Round: Mon–Fri, 10 am–3 pm
- Select Saturdays and Sundays for special events and rentals
- **CLOSED: Monday, May 27**

The Village offers accessible parking spaces and entry into historic buildings. Go to TroyHistoricVillage.org/About/Accessibility for more details about accessibility at our site.

☑ REGISTRATION ☑

Some programs require advance registration. Look for the above icon. Register for Troy Historic Village programs online at troyhistoricvillage.org or call 248.524.3570. More details on page 51.

☎ 248.524.3570 ↗ troyhistoricvillage.org

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SPRING EGG HUNT

**Friday March 22, 4–7:30pm
& Saturday March 23, 11 am–3 pm**

Early registration: \$7/THS Member or \$9/Non-member

At the door: \$8/THS Member or \$10/Non-member

Free for children under 2

Hop on over for an EGGstra special day at the Village. Collect eggs to trade for goodies, make a craft, get your EGGSercise with our HOPstacle course, and play carnival-style games with your family! Egg collection at Spring Egg Hunt is structured, with each family collecting eggs in a designated lane. The event is held rain or shine and has outdoor elements, so please dress accordingly. Families can expect to spend 60–90 minutes at the Village.



Programs are brought to you by the Oakland County Bar Foundation; Michigan Arts and Culture Council; the Michigan Humanities Council, an affiliate of the National Endowment for the Humanities and the National Endowment for the Arts; and the Kresge Foundation.



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Civil War Saturday Fair

Saturday, May 11 | 11 am–6 pm

Early registration: \$8/THS Member or \$10/Non-member | At the door: \$10/THS Member or \$12/Non-member

During the Civil War, local soldiers' aid societies held fairs to raise funds for hospitals, food, clothing, and other supplies. Join us for a soldiers' aid-style fair and enjoy Civil War-era dancing, music, a curiosity shop of war items, performances, and more! Activities for kids and opportunities to participate in some of the events will be available. Food will be available for sale, along with historic toys and candies. Events are scheduled throughout the day, so guests may expect to spend 1-4 hours depending on how much of the event you would like to see. Schedule of events will be available on the Village website closer to the date. Proceeds will go to the Troy Historical Society. Event is held rain or shine.

Constitution Cafés

Sundays, March 10, April 14, May 5 | 2 pm | FREE

Utilizing the Socratic Method of inquiry, engage in civil discourse to explore different aspects of the Constitution each month. *Sponsored by the Oakland County Bar Foundation.*

Preservation Conversations

Mondays, 2 pm | THS Member: FREE | Non-Member: \$7

Do you enjoy old houses, good stories, and great places to visit locally and nationally? Come join the conversation as we learn more about preserving and utilizing our historic assets! Join us on select Mondays for the following topics:

- **MARCH 25: MHPN (Michigan Historic Preservation Network).** How does this organization advocate for historic places across the state of Michigan?
- **APRIL 22: Park Masters.** Explore landscape architects like Frederick Olmstead, Jens Jensen, and Genevieve Gillette with Stephanie Arwady. A perfect topic for Earth Day!
- **MAY 20: Navigating a World Not Built for All.** Architect Ron Campbell and Advocate Erica Coulston will discuss how historic structures aren't always accessible and share some creative ways this has been overcome.

Thursday Teas



2 pm | THS Member: \$9 | Non-Member: \$10

Join us on select Thursdays each month for history talks led by guest presenters or Village staff on a variety of topics. *Sponsored by Oakmont Manor and Oakmont Sterling.*

- **MARCH 28: The Delicious History of Detroit Style Pizza** Author Karen Dybis shares the story of Detroit-style pizza's humble origins, starting with Gus Guerra putting the first square pie in Buddy's oven, to the International Pizza Expo in Las Vegas, where a pizza evangelist spread the word about Detroit Style, and beyond!
- **APRIL 25: Play & Protect: A History of Our National Parks** Since 1916, the National Parks Service has had to strike a balance between preserving natural and historical resources while making them accessible to scores of visitors. THV Adult Programs Director Stephanie Arwady tells this story with a special focus on Michigan.
- **MAY 30: Waterways, Trails, Artifacts and Wild Rice: Indigenous Connections to Oakland County** Evidence of Oakland County's Indigenous past includes stone tools, abandoned sugar camps, a network of trails and much more. Explore this often-neglected history with Oakland County Parks Historian Carol Bacak-Egbo.



OAKMONT

Senior Communities

TROY HISTORIC VILLAGE



Book Your Own Adventure: Scouts & Homeschoolers

Individuals, families, homeschool groups, and scout troops/packs will enjoy these engaging, educational programs. To book your group's adventure, call 248.524.3598 or email ypd@thvmail.org.



Shopping Back-in-Time

Private booking available upon request
Price: \$9 per person
Approximately 60 minutes

Visit the Village and join our costumed interpreters as they lead you through a make-believe shopping trip at our 1910s general store. Students will be given various scenarios involving math, history, and economics (such as needs vs. wants, scarcity, bartering, and incentives). Children will also be given an old-fashioned candy or toy to take home!

Tin Crafts

Private Booking available upon request
Price: \$8/adult, \$10 /scout
Approximately 60 minutes

Learn about the importance of tin products in the 1800s as well as today's households. You'll also learn about the job of a tinsmith. Children will be taught how to punch patterns on tin and make crafts to take home.

Pioneer Kids: Chores

Private booking available upon request
Price: \$9/person
Approximately 90 minutes

Learn about life in a cabin on the frontier. Kids had a lot of chores to do back then; get hands on with history as you spend time in a log cabin and experience the life of a pioneer kid by doing the chores they would have done. Appropriate for 1st grade and older.

Letterboxing

Private booking available upon request
Price: \$8/adult, \$11/scout
Approximately 60-90 minutes

Find clues leading to hidden "letterboxes" all over the Village. You'll create your own personalized stamp, then trade and collect stamp images as you follow the clues. Remind you of geocaching? Ages 7 and up (readers). Meets "Letterboxer" merit badge requirements.

Playing the Past

Private booking available upon request
\$9/person
Approximately 90 minutes

Be a student in the one-room school. Spend time in our Log Cabin while the fire blazes. Try chores from the past like making butter and carrying water with a yoke. Have some old-fashioned fun! Meets "Playing the Past" merit badge requirements.

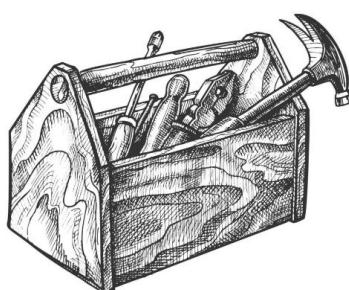
Scouts Woodworking

Available upon request with minimum 3 weeks-notice | \$8/adult, \$14/scout
Approximately 90-120 minutes
Cut, hammer, and build as Cadette Scouts and Bear Scouts make an individual project, and one birdhouse for the den or troop. To schedule your troop or den, please give at least three weeks' notice for us to prepare materials. Meets GS Cadette "Woodworker" and Cub Scout "Baloo the Builder" requirements.

Earth Rocks for Scouts

Private booking available upon request.
\$8/adult, \$12/scout; "Polish your own Petoskey stone" kit available for additional \$2/person. Please notify Village at time of booking if you would like to include the kits.

Approximately 90 minutes
Utilize maps, minerals, and materials to show how Michigan rock resources are used. Scouts learn a S.I.M.P.L.E. introduction to Geology. Explore Troy Historic Village with rocks and minerals in mind. Map Michigan's mining resources. Use a rock hammer to see what is hiding inside the stones and take home rock samples. This program has outdoor elements. Available March–October.



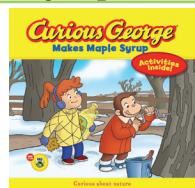
Cheddar's Preschool Story Time

Select Wednesdays | 10:30 am |
Ages 2–5 accompanied by an adult
THS Members: \$5/child, \$3/adult |
Non-members: \$6/child, \$4/adult

Join Cheddar the Village Mouse and Mrs. Laura for story time! This monthly program for preschool-aged kids features stories, games, activities, songs, crafts, and snacks that connect with each month's theme. Themes, stories, and activities are carefully chosen to be age appropriate and help kids have fun while they develop skills and learn about the world around them.

March 6: Maple Syrup

This month's book:
Curious George Makes Maple Syrup
by Margret and H.A. Rey



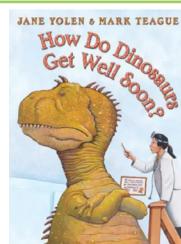
Make a model Makuk basket like those used by Native Americans. Play Bingo with pictures of artifacts used long ago. Learn about the uses and names of tools used for collecting and processing sap. Snack on cornbread, maple cream, and syrup. Do other hands-on activities with numbers and imaginative play.



April 3: Dinosaurs!

This month's book:
How Do Dinosaurs Get Well Soon? by Jane Yolen

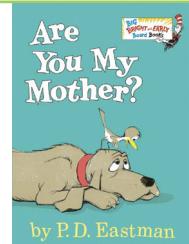
Count and make patterns with tiny colorful dinosaurs, play Dinosaur Simon Says, and create a dinosaur craft. Look for fossils in the sand. Play a matching game with dino cards. Everyone will be taking home a small plastic dinosaur.



May 1: Feathered Friends

This month's book:
Are You My Mother?
By P.D. Eastman

Make a fun bird craft, play Springtime Bingo, and match numbered birds to their nests. Create flowers with buttons and have fun with play dough. Snack on skinny pretzels and fruit.



Blacksmithing Classes

Learn the art of blacksmithing in our historic Wagon Shop.

Basic Blacksmithing Level 1

Choose from:

- Saturdays, May 4–June 15 (no class on 5/25), 1:30–4pm
 - Mondays, May 13–June 24 (no class on 5/27), 6:30–9 pm
- THS Member: \$310 or Non-member: \$360

During this six-week introductory course focusing on the fundamental processes of traditional blacksmithing, you will learn 12 basic hand-forging techniques as you make your own trowel. Learn how to properly swing a hammer, operate a coal forge, and pump a centuries-old bellows. Ages 12 & up. No prerequisite.



Watercolor Classes

Wednesdays, dates below | 4:30–6:30 pm | Ages 16 & up

THS Member: \$40/class or \$200/6-class series
Non-Member: \$45/class or \$250/6-class series

Artist and art teacher Megan Swoyer guides students in using a variety of watercolor techniques to create springtime scenes. No experience is necessary; all supplies will be provided. Classes are geared toward ages 16 and up.

- April 3: Poppy Pop!
- April 10: Alstroemeria Adoration
- April 24: Savoring Succulents
- May 1: Cosmic Cosmos
- May 8: Bachelor Button Beauty
- May 15: The Pleasing Plover and the Sweet Sanderling



Thursday Walking Group

Thursdays | FREE

5 pm in March | 6 pm in April & May

Weekly walks cover a variety of scenic 1.5–3 mile routes in or around Troy. Program is free, and all ages and levels of fitness are welcome! For meeting locations, route details, or to sign up for our email list, visit:

troyhistoricvillage.org/programs/walking-group/.

Sponsored by:



Stage Nature Center

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⌚ HOURS ⌚

Building Hours:

- **Tue–Fri:** 9 am–3 pm
- **Sat:** 10 am–4 pm
- **CLOSED:** March 29–31 & May 25–27

Trails:

- Open daily from dawn to dusk.
- Walking only—no pets, biking, running, or collecting.
- For your safety, please stay on the trails.

☑ REGISTRATION ☑

Registration is required for all programs. Register for Stage Nature Center programs online at stagenaturecenter.org.

Register early! Program space may be limited. Call 248.688.9703 to check program availability.

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Mindfulness at Stage

NATURE-BASED MENTAL WELLNESS ACTIVITIES

FREE Teen/Adult & Family Workshops

Come develop your mindfulness practice at the Stage Nature Center's 100-acre nature preserve. The Mindfulness at Stage Teen/Adult and Family Workshops are developed by mental health professionals and mindfulness facilitators from Corewell Health and Henry

Ford Health along with naturalists from the Troy Nature Society. Each workshop is designed to cultivate mindfulness exercises by bringing your attention to the natural world. During the workshop, participants will focus on nature, connect with their senses, and practice self-care in order to support mental well-being. These programs are not intended as therapy or treatment.

These in-person guided mindfulness workshops will be held several times per month. Participants are invited to attend numerous sessions based on space availability. While the core workshop format remains the same, the experience for each workshop will vary based on the facilitator and what we observe in nature.

The workshops will take place mostly outside—please dress for the weather and walking on trails.

These are complimentary programs made possible with grant funding from various foundations. For information about upcoming workshops, visit: troynaturesociety.org/mindfulness-at-stage



Programs are all offered by the Troy Nature Society, a nonprofit organization that has an agreement with the City of Troy to conduct educational nature programs at the SNC. Registration information can be found on page 51 or at stagenaturecenter.org.



Maple Syrup Time

Saturdays, March 2, 9 & 16

**Teens & Adults: \$10 | TNS & THS Members: \$7
Children ages 4–12: \$7 | Children under 4: Free**

Take a hike through the sugar bush of the Stage Nature Center! Discover how maple trees make sugar and how people through the ages have harvested it. This outdoor, interactive program highlights natural and local history of our region. Learn how people processed maple sugar in the past and see similarities in the collecting, boiling, and drawing off maple syrup today. Small groups will be guided along the trail and participate in activities to learn more about maple syrup making. Visit a historic sugar camp. Stop for a short visit to the

Sugar Shed to see our wood-stoked evaporator in action. There will be maple syrup and maple cream to sample and a “take-home” children’s craft. Shop for Michigan-made maple syrup, cream, and more sold by the Troy Historic Village.

Tours last approximately 1½ hours and start every quarter hour between 9 am and 3 pm. Register in advance for a specific day and time at stagenaturecenter.org.



Saturday, May 18

8–10 am: Spring Bird Hike | Ages: All | Fee: \$5

Spring migration is in its peak and brings with it a spectacular opportunity to see several amazing birds. Some of the birds will be summer residents; others will be just passing through on their trip north. Join us as we hike the trails and look for our migrating feathered friends. Bring binoculars or borrow ours. All experience levels welcome. Advance registration required.

11 am–12 pm: Peregrine Falcon Conservation and the Art of Falconry | Ages: 14–Adult | Fee: \$5

Peregrine falcons have gone from the edge of extinction to conquering concrete jungles. During this program, we will dive into the history of the world’s fastest animal. Follow along and learn about this amazing raptor’s journey to recovery and how falconry, the sport of kings, played a pivotal role. Advance registration required.

**1–2 pm: Owl Pellet Exploration & Meet a Live Owl!
Ages 5–Adult | Fee: \$8**

Join us to learn about owls and their adaptations for predation while meeting a live owl! We will get up close and personal with their feeding habits by dissecting owl pellets to discover which animals they eat. Each person will dissect an owl pellet and have the opportunity to take home the bones found in them. Advance registration required.

10 am–2 pm: Visit with vendors and participate in fun bird activities

Sugar Moon

**Thu, Mar 14 | 6:30–8:30 pm | Ages 21+
TNS Member: \$17 | Non-Member: \$20**

March was referred to as the Sugar Moon by some Ojibwe groups as that was often the time for making maple sugar. Join us for an adult evening of maple syrup making. Learn the history, folklore, and present-day practices of Michigan’s maple syrup industry. Take a short hike on the Sugar Maple Loop and discover how the trees were tapped to collect the sweet sap. Visit the Sugar Shed to see maple syrup being made over the wood-stoked evaporator. The program will conclude with a chance to sample several maple products, including maple wine, maple tea, maple cream, maple salsa, baked goods made with maple syrup, maple candy and maple syrup on ice cream. Product sampling will take place outside at the nature center pavilion.

Invasive Plant Removal & Spring Clean Up Days

**Sat, Apr 20 | 9 am–12 pm
Ages 14–Adult**

We are seeking volunteers (age 14-adult) to help us preserve our native flora by eradicating invasive non-native plants. We’ll also work to improve the nature trails and clean up the grounds. Work gloves, old clothes, and “old fashioned elbow grease” are recommended. Bring a kneeling pad, if desired. Help us observe Earth Day by participating on this date!



STAGE NATURE CENTER



Photo Walks by TNS Photo Club

**Saturdays: Mar 2, Apr 6, May 4, June 1
8–10 am | Ages: All**

TNS Member: Free | Non-Member: \$2

Guided hikes through the SNC. Meet in the parking lot by 8 am. Bring your camera. Dress for the weather.

Woodcock Walk

**Sat, Apr 13 & Fri, April 19 | 7:30–9:30 pm
Ages 7–Adult**

TNS Member: \$5 | Non-Member: \$7

A sure sign of spring is the wonderful and slightly wacky courtship display of the American Woodcock. Join us for a sunset stroll to their display area at the SNC to marvel at the dance and bizarre flights of these amazing birds. Dress in layers for warmth and wear boots for wet and muddy trails. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Each participant must enroll and pay the fee.

Walk with a Naturalist

Sat, April 20 | 2–3 pm

Ages: 3–Adult

Fee: \$3 (No refunds for this program)

Take a relaxing walk on the SNC trails through various natural communities. Get answers to your nature questions. Pre-register online. Adults should remain with their children. Each person participating should enroll and pay the fee. Join us to celebrate Earth Day by participating on this date.

Knee-High Naturalists

10–11:30 am | Ages: 2–4

TNS Member: \$11.50

Non-Member: \$14.50

Children with a free adult partner can attend one or more of the following programs. Each session includes a nature story, hike, activities, craft, and a snack.

- Bird Beaks:** Discover the amazing things birds do with their beaks.
- Sensing Spring:** Learn about our senses by searching for signs of spring like flowers, new leaves and animals waking up from their winter sleep.
- Froggy Adventure:** Come wearing sturdy boots as we will be searching for frogs, fish, and other creatures in the water.

Section	Date
Bird Beaks	Thu, Mar 7
Bird Beaks	Fri, Mar 8
Sensing Spring	Thu, Apr 11
Sensing Spring	Fri, Apr 12
Froggy Adventure	Thu, May 16
Froggy Adventure	Fri, May 17

Little Acorns

Wed, Mar 20 & Sat, May 4

11 am–12 pm Ages: 2–4

TNS Member: \$4 | Non-Member: \$6

Let your child explore the sights and sounds of nature through outdoor activities. This program will take place outside, except in the event of inclement weather. You may choose to bring children in strollers or sleds that are sturdy enough for a wood chipped trail. The adult partner is free and must accompany the child throughout the program.

Owl Encounters

Dates Below | Ages: 5–Adult | Fee: \$5

Join us on one of these tours to visit the rehabilitated owls that call the Stage Nature Center home. This tour gives you a chance to learn more about the different owl species, reasons why they each live in captivity, explore their different personalities, and get your owl questions answered. Children must be accompanied by a registered adult. Space is limited. Registrations may fill before the day of the program.

Date	Time
Sat, Mar 23	11 am–12 pm
Sat, Apr 13	2–3 pm
Fri, May 10	6–7 pm

Nature Explorers

Ages: All (best for 5 & up)

TNS Member: \$5, Non-Member: \$7

Enjoy some screen-free time while exploring the natural world! Together we will participate in hands-on, outdoor experiences to investigate different nature-related topics. Adults must register and remain with their children.

Date	Time	Theme
Sat, May 11	1:30–3 pm	Spring Scavenger Hunt

School and Group Field Trips and Outreach Programs

The Nature Center offers a variety of programs both on-site and at your facility. Visit our website or call us at 248.688.9703 for information about programs and how to book one for your class or group.



Scout It Out!

FEE: \$11/scout

Scouts: come and complete your nature-related badge or adventure! All or most requirements are met; however, the badge itself is not included. Register as an individual scout, den, pack, or troop. Please dress for the weather. Leaders or chaperones are free and need to remain with their scouts. No refunds for these programs. Contact us for other scout programs that we can offer for your group.

Section	Time	Date
Tiger Cub: My Tiger Jungle	10 am–12 pm	Sat, Apr 13
Daisy GS: Clover Petal	10 am–12 pm	Sat, Apr 27
Brownie: Bugs	9:30 am–12 pm	Sat, May 11

Homeschool Nature Classes

10 am–12 pm | Ages: 5–10

TNS Member: \$7/child, Non-Member: \$9/child

For homeschooled children and a free parent partner. Participants should dress for the weather.

- **Maple Syrup:** Follow the path from summer sunshine to sweet syrup and discover how nature's food factories (leaves) produce sugar through photosynthesis. Students will also participate in several trail side demonstrations while learning about the basics of sugar bush operation and forest ecology.
- **Senses:** Explore the world of nature using all five senses. We will use magnifiers to discover tiny natural objects, listen for sounds along the nature trails, taste sweet maple syrup on a salty pretzel and participate in other sensory activities.
- **Animal Forensics:** Solve engaging mysteries with dastardly animal culprits in this interactive forensic exercise! Students will piece together unique clues to nab the furry (or feathered) perpetrator, and gain a better understanding of the behavior, appearance, and complexity of animals along the way.

Section

Maple Syrup

Date

Thu, Mar 12

Senses

Thu, Apr 18

Animal Forensics

Thu, May 23

SAVE THE DATES

Watch for details on the SNC website and in Summer issues of Troy Recreation Guide and Troy Today.

Native Plant Sale: Sat, June 1, 9 am–12 pm

Plan to help support a healthy ecosystem by planting natives! Brendan Nolan of Plants for Ecology, plantsforecology.com, a producer of locally sourced native plants, will have a wide variety of trees, shrubs, and plants available for purchase.

2024 Run for Nature Fundraiser: Sun, June 9 at Troy Farm



Golf Troy



Sanctuary Lake Sylvan Glen

Troy is home to two golf courses.
As long as weather permits, the
links are open for play!



Sanctuary Lake

Golf Troy Est.1922

📍 1450 E SOUTH BLVD

Sanctuary Lake offers one of the most unique golf experiences in all of Oakland County. A par 71 links-style setting offers four sets of tees ranging from 4,750 to 6,555 yards. Sanctuary Lake is built on 190 acres of rolling landscape with 80 strategically placed bunkers and small undulating bent grass greens.



Sylvan Glen

Golf Troy Est.1922

📍 5725 ROCHESTER RD

Sylvan Glen is a traditional tree-lined golf course offering four sets of tees, ranging from 5,000 to 6,700 yards, with a natural setting where you're likely to see a variety of wildlife. Perfect for both experienced golfers and beginners.

golftr.com 248.619.7600



Practice Facility

The Practice Facility at Sanctuary Lake boasts 70 hitting stations, 5 target greens, and both natural and artificial hitting surfaces. In addition to the range, the practice facility also features a short game area, to allow patrons a separate area to work on both putting and chipping.

Individual Buckets

- Small Bucket (25-30 BALLS) \$6
- Medium Bucket (55-60 BALLS) \$10
- Large Bucket (85-90 BALLS) \$13

Range Bucket Punch Cards

We all know that practice makes perfect. Prepay for your range buckets and save!

- 10 large buckets for \$100
- 30 large buckets for \$285
- 50 large buckets for \$450

LEARN MORE AT: golftr.com/practice-facility

Book A Round

Book your golf outing or league today! Call the golf shops or email info@golftr.com for further inquiries. As a reminder, the golf courses are open all year, pending weather and playing conditions.

LEARN MORE AND BOOK A TEE TIME AT:
golftr.com

Golf Lessons

A wide variety of instructional programs are offered for the beginner to the accomplished amateur competitor at Toski Golf Academy at Sanctuary Lake. For a complete list of all programs offered at the Academy and to register, visit toskigolfacademy.com. Contact Paul Toski (PGA Professional) at 248.619.7668 or toskigolfacademy@gmail.com.

LEARN MORE AND REGISTER AT:
toskigolfacademy.com

Troy Racquet Club

3400 CIVIC CENTER DR 248.860.6775

TENNIS REGISTRATION IS THROUGH RACQUET CLUB WEBSITE: <https://trc.academy>

Troy Racquet Club Academy offers fun, enthusiastic, and knowledgeable instruction with qualified instructors! Tennis balls provided. Bring your own racquet, water bottle, and wear tennis shoes. Use description below when selecting a tennis class. **Call 248.860.6775 or email trcacademy1@gmail.com for more info.**



Juniors 6–17 Tennis

- Peewees
- Red 1 (formerly Beginner I and Beginner II). Ages 5–8 years.
- Red 2 (formerly Adv Beginner) Ages 5–8 years
- Orange I (formerly Beginner I and Beginner II)
Ages 8–11 years
- Orange 2 (formerly Adv Beginner) Ages 8–11 years
- Teen Starter (formerly Beginner I/II) Ages 11+ year:
- Green 1 (formerly Adv Beginner) Ages 11+ years
- Green 2 (formerly Intermediate and Adv Intermediate):
- Jr. Excellence
- Futures
- Accelerated
- Select Class

Adults 17 and Up

- Beginner I
- Beginner II
- Advanced Beginner
- Intermediate
- Advanced Intermediate



How to Register

Register online at <https://trc.academy>

Questions? Call 248.860.6775 or email us at
trcacademy1@gmail.com

TRCA Session 4 (8 weeks)

March 11–May 12

Register online by March 6 and receive an automatic 8% discount. No classes held March 25–31,

- 1 hour: \$224 member or \$240 non-member
- 1½ hour: \$304 member or \$328 non-member
- 2 hour: \$400 member or \$432 non-member

TRCA Session 5 (4 weeks)

May 13–June 16

May 13–26 indoor held indoor, June 3–16 held outdoor. Register online by May 8 and receive an automatic 8% discount (No classes held May 27–June 2)

- 1 hour: \$112 member or \$120 non-member
- 1½ hour: \$152 member or \$164 non-member
- 2 hour: \$200 member or \$216 non-member

Jr's in classes Jr Excellence and above, AND adults require a TRC membership to receive member pricing.

Spring Break Camp for Juniors

March 26, 27 & 28

Register online by March 20 and receive an automatic 8% discount

- Red 1/2: 3–3:55 pm, \$75
- Orange 1/2: 4–4:55 pm, \$75
- Teen Start/Green 1: 3–3:55 pm, \$75
- Green 2: 4–4:55 pm, \$75
- Jr. Excel/Futures: 3–4:55 pm, \$135
- Accelerated: 3–4:55 pm, \$135

More Sports Organizations in Troy

Troy Youth Soccer League

Bob Scott |
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Troy Baseball Boosters

Alan Wilson |
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Troy Cowboys Football & Cheer

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CITY EVENTS

BLOOD DRIVES

Community Center Rooms 304 & 305



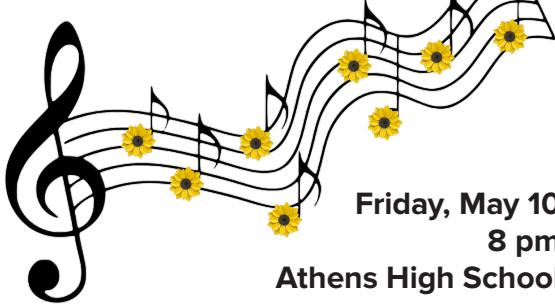
- Thu, March 21 1–7 pm
Mon, April 1 1–7 pm
Wed, April 3 9 am–3 pm
Fri, April 5 9 am–3 pm
Thu, April 18 1–7 pm
Mon, April 22 1–7 pm
Tues, April 30 10 am–4 pm

Tue, May 7 1–7 pm
Wed, May 8 1–7 pm
Tue, May 14 1–7 pm
Fri, May 17 9 am–3 pm
Wed, May 29 1–7 pm
Fri, May 31 9 am–3 pm

The Troy Community Chorus will present their

Spring Concert

under the direction of Jonathan Lowrie and
accompanied by Min Sook Chung

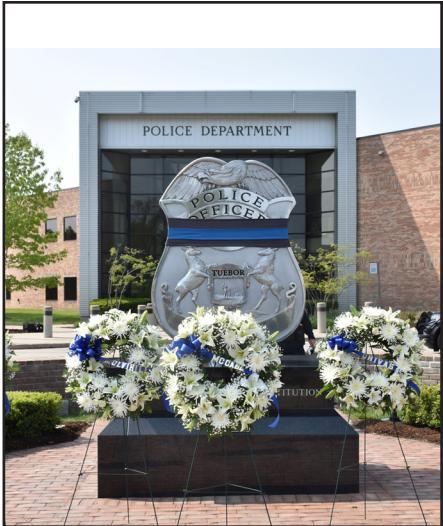


**Friday, May 10
8 pm**

**Athens High School
4333 John R Road**

Ticket prices: Advance tickets: \$12/adults,
\$10/seniors & students ages 6-12, free/children
5 & under. All tickets \$15 at the door. For
tickets call Gina Sweet at 248.762.6862 or
ginasweet@gmail.com.

POLICE Memorial Day



May 14 | 10 am
Troy Police Department Plaza

Memorial Day CEREMONY



May 27 | 10 am
Veterans Plaza

RECREATION DEPARTMENT DETAILS

Equal Access

No participant shall, on the basis of race, sex, creed, national origin, or disability, be denied equal access to programs, activities, services or benefits. With advance notice, program modifications and reasonable accommodations can be made for persons with disabilities. Please indicate whether you require accommodations when registering, or email adaptive@troymi.gov if you have questions.

Lost and Found

Items lost or found at one of our programs are kept at that location. Items found at the Community Center, Aquatic Center or Golf Courses remain at these sites. Items found at a school are stored at the Community Center, but check with the staff at the site where you lost the item first. The items are kept a maximum of 30 days and then given to a charitable organization.

Confirmations/Receipts are Emailed

Make sure your email address is up to date and spelled correctly in your household at all times. Confirmations and receipts are emailed to the primary account holder when registering online. We will email a confirmation to you as soon as your registration has been processed if you register by mail. This may take 3–5 days after we begin processing paper registrations. You can update your account online or contact the Recreation Department office anytime. **Add us to your address book so receipts and emails don't go to junk mail:** parksandreconline@troymi.gov.

Photo Policy

Photographers commonly take pictures of Recreation Department activities, which are subsequently used in flyers, promotional materials, on our website, in *Troy Recreation*, *Troy Today*, and by sponsors. If you prefer not to be included in such photos, please let the photographer know before he/she begins taking the pictures.

Court/Diamond Usage

Sand volleyball courts, pickleball courts, and tennis courts are available on a first come, first serve basis. Troy Recreation programs, leagues, or lessons will take precedence over walk up play. Lined fields are not available for use. Unlined fields are available for use on a first come, first serve basis. For more information on diamond rentals, please email sportsinfo@troymi.gov.

Scholarships

The Troy Recreation Department has a policy that no child in Troy be excluded from a program because of inability to pay a fee. Confidential application may be made to the Director of Recreation, and if a hardship exists, the applicant may be granted a full scholarship, reduction in fee, or payment plan. Please call 248.524.3484 for scholarship information. Please note: We are not able to waive fees for some programs and special facilities. For Troy residents only.

Parks and Recreation Board

The Parks and Recreation Advisory Board is appointed by the City Council to make recommendations regarding recreation programs and park and facility development for the City of Troy. The Board meets February, April, September, and November at the Troy Community Center. Meetings are open to the public. Call 248.524.3484 for a current meeting schedule.

Chairperson: Mike Brady, mjbrady@comcast.net

Employment Opportunities

Each season, the Recreation Department is in search of recreation leaders and instructors with special skills and interests. We offer part-time employment opportunities in many areas. Applications are available at the Community Center or online.

To find a complete list of job openings, visit: troymi.gov/jobopenings

To volunteer to coach, visit: rec.troymi.gov/volunteercoach

Gift Cards Available

Gift cards are good toward the purchase of a Community Center membership, a swim class, a personal trainer, and more. Stop by the Recreation Department desk to purchase a gift card today.

Text/Email Alerts

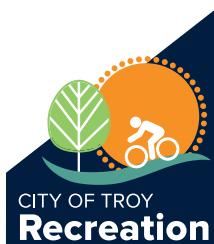
Receive text or email updates for your desired program. Visit rec.troymi.gov/alerts. Using the drop down arrow, choose either text alert or email alert. Select to receive one or all of the following alerts: "Recreation Alerts", "Sports Alerts", or "TFAC Alerts". Unsubscribe at anytime by following the same process and unchecking the alerts you no longer wish to receive.

EDITORIAL POLICY

Although the Troy Recreation Department goes to great lengths to ensure that all information in this magazine is accurate, errors occasionally occur and last minute changes in programs, classes or activities—such as dates, times and locations—may be necessary. We apologize for any inconvenience and thank you for your patience and understanding.

This publication was sent to print on 1/25/24. Changes post-print can be found at rec.troymi.gov/guide.

RECREATION REGISTRATION



SPRING 2024 REGISTRATION DATES

Tuesday, February 20 for Residents

Thursday, February 22 for Non-Residents

Registration opens at 8 am online and in person.

You will not be able to register online prior to this date and time.

REGISTER ONLINE

rec.troymi.gov/login

To register online, **you must have a Household account**. If you have registered with us in the past or are a TCC Fitness Member, you already have a Household account. If you're new to Troy Rec, see how to create your household on the next page. Still having trouble? Give us a call at 248.524.3484 or stop in during admin hours.

REGISTER IN PERSON

Mon–Fri, 8 am–5 pm

Extended hours at bottom of page

Register in person at Troy Community Center anytime during the above hours. Register at the Front Desk, located just inside the south entrance. You can create your Household account, too. Proof of residency required for resident rates.

MAIL IN REGISTRATION

Mail to: Troy Recreation,
3179 Livernois, Troy, MI 48083

Mail a completed registration form and check made out to "City of Troy" to the above address. Download and print a registration form at rec.troymi.gov/welcome. **Mail-in registration does not guarantee priority registration.**

WE CANNOT TAKE REGISTRATION OVER THE PHONE.

REGISTRATION POLICIES

- In order to receive the resident rate, you must provide the Recreation Department with proof of residency such as: Driver's license, lease agreement with your name listed, or utility bills. **You will be charged the non-resident rate if you register before providing proof of residency. The difference is non-refundable.**
- Past due balances must be paid in full before you can register for additional programs.** Check your balance by going to MY ACCOUNT> History & Balances > Pay Old Balances.
- Falsification of Information:** Participants falsifying information will be dismissed from the program and no refund granted.
- You can only register for family members permanently living in your household.

New to Troy?

You'll need a household! Learn how to make yours on the next page or visit rec.troymi.gov/welcome:



REFUNDS/CANCELLATIONS

Programs will be cancelled three business days prior to the start date if enrollment is insufficient or for unforeseen circumstances (weather, instructor illness, etc), unless otherwise noted. You will be contacted by email and receive a full refund in these scenarios. **Please make sure your email on file is up to date.**

The following applies to all programs unless otherwise noted:

- All refunds will be assessed a **\$10 administrative fee per person, per activity. Effective Feb 20, 2024.**
- Refunds will only be granted if requested **at least five business days** prior to the start of class, activity, or camp.
- All refunds/transfers requested after the five-day period must be accompanied by a doctor's note.
- Refunds are issued to head of household of the person registered for the class.
- Refunds will be returned in the form of the original payment. Credit card refunds are processed in 3–5 business days. Cash or check refunds take 3–4 weeks to process and will be sent to the head of household's address on file.
- We do not process refunds if the amount due after the administrative fee and prorated amount is less than \$10.
- The 3% convenience fee charged to call credit card purchases does not go to the City, so it is not refundable.

Still having trouble or need Household account information? Call the Recreation Department at 248.524.3484 during admin hours. Email us at parksandreconline@troymi.gov or leave a voicemail during our off hours.

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE HOURS

Mon–Fri | 8 am–5 pm

Sat–Sun | Closed

Extended hours 2/20–2/23: 8 am–7 pm

PLEASE NOTE

Information on this page is **not applicable** to Troy Historic Village, Stage Nature Center, Golf Troy, and Troy Racquet Club programs. See their registration information on pages 30, 31, and 35.

ONLINE REGISTRATION

Troy Rec Registration: Household Account Required

Create your Household ID#/Account before registering!

Household accounts help us keep track of resident status and ages of participants. You may create your household online or in person at the Troy Community Center during admin hours (hours listed on page 3).

To learn how to create a household online, visit rec.troymi.gov/welcome.

- Troy residents require proof of residency. After creating your account online, please email a copy of your driver's license or other proof to parksandreconline@troymi.gov. Wait for confirmation of your status before registering. **You will automatically be designated a non-resident and will be charged the non-resident rates until you provide proof. Refunds will not be given if you sign up before verifying residency.**
- Enter all information for yourself and all members of your household (including infants). Please enter all information in all caps.

To register online, go to rec.troymi.gov/login and log in with your Household ID#/Account

1. Once you have logged in, select **SHOP** to search for a specific section. The "Activity Code" is the Activity #, listed throughout this book. You **must** include the section letter or it will not be a valid search. See the example of how to search to the right.
2. Next, choose the family member(s) you are signing up. Fill in any roster notes if needed and "Add to Cart". Repeat for each individual family member.
3. Once complete, click Proceed to Check Out and pay for your programs.

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Section: *	<input type="text" value="A1"/>

Helpful tips:

- To browse all sections of a program, select **SEARCH** and then **Activity Search**. Search by activity #s, class titles, keywords, etc. Add programs to the cart by selecting the plus sign to the left.
- Always make sure you are referencing the most up to date Troy Recreation Guide. This can be found on the Recreation website at rec.troymi.gov/guide.
- Only hit **SUBMIT** once when paying! It may take a moment to load, but once it is selected, your payment will process.
- Call us at 248.524.3484 during admin hours with any questions. Leave a voicemail during off hours and we'll get back to you the next business day.

**The Recreation Department CANNOT take registrations for
Troy Historic Village or Stage Nature Center programs.**

Troy Historic Village Registration

Some programs require registration at Troy Historic Village while others may allow walk up registration.

Register in advance online at troyhistoricvillage.org. Click Events & Classes to view upcoming programs. You may also call 248.524.3570.

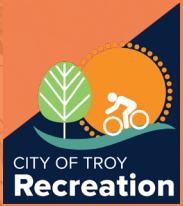
Save on THV programs by becoming a Troy Historical Society member. Learn how at: troyhistoricvillage.org/membership

Stage Nature Center Registration

Registration is required for all Stage Nature Center programs. Register online at stagenaturecenter.org. Click the Calendar under the "Learn & Enjoy" tab to view upcoming programs and register.

Register early! Program space may be limited. Call 248.688.9703 to check program availability.

Save on SNC programs by becoming a Troy Nature Society member. Learn how at: troynaturesociety.org/get-involved/membership



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TROY TOP TEN

***Check these off
your list this season!***

- 1** Apply for a summer job at a Hiring Fair (p. 7)
- 2** Trade friendship bracelets at the Swift-Tea (p. 5)
- 3** Join a sports league with your friends (p. 26–27)
- 4** Get your Aquatic Center season pass in May (p. 36)
- 5** Celebrate the season at Butterfly Breeze Bash (p. 5)
- 6** Claim your spot(s) for 2024 Summer Camps (p. 8–15)
- 7** Tap maple syrup at Stage Nature Center (p. 43)
- 8** Hunt for eggs at Troy Historic Village (p. 38)
- 9** Try a new fitness class (p. 22)
- 10** Learn how to make a succulent garden (p. 33)

