

SUMMER 2016

CITY OF NEW ALBANY PARKS & RECREATION

Griffin Center
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New Albany, IN 47150
Follow the signs at State
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River Run Family
Water Park
224 West Daisy Lane
New Albany, IN 47150
PHONE: 812-948-5380
WEBSITE: nariverrun.com

PROGRAM REGISTRATION: Griffin Center | Begins May 23rd and runs weekdays from 10:00am - 4:00pm.

• The New Albany Recreation department is not responsible for any loss and/or injuries while participating in our activities. • Refunds will not be issued unless notice is given two weeks prior to the beginning of class. • A \$5.00 refund processing fee will be assessed for all customer cancellations. • Class sizes vary, if minimums are not met, classes will be cancelled. • Fees will not be adjusted for classes missed. **PLEASE NOTE** - New Albany Parks and Recreation provides persons with disabilities equal access to community-based leisure and cultural activities. For assistance in fulfilling your special needs, contact 812-948-5361.

Register for classes at their listed site location. • Park shelter rentals will be issued at the Silver Street Park Office.

FAMILY EVENTS

STORYTIME AND CRAFT

Join us at Silver Street Park with our friends from the New Albany-Floyd County Public Library for stories and activities at the park. We'll share some stories and do an activity or craft on each day! All ages welcome!

DATES: Wednesday, June 8th - We'll explore bubbles and circles.

Wednesday, June 22nd - Join us as we release the butterflies we've raised at the library this summer.

Wednesday, July 13th - Dig in to gardening and flowers

TIME: 10:00am

LOCATION: Silver Street Park-Shelter #4 (large shelter) • **COST:** FREE



New Albany-Floyd County
Public Library

NEIGHBORHOOD FAMILY MOVIE NIGHTS

DATES: Thursday, June 23 - The Good Dinosaur - Parkview Recreation Center

Thursday, July 7 - Inside Out - Beechwood Recreation Center

Thursday, July 21 - Zootopia - Riverside Recreation Center

TIME: 6:30pm - 8:30pm • **LOCATION:** See specific dates above

COST: Free event sponsored by New Albany Housing Authority

INDIANA WILD

Come celebrate human-animal cultural connections with Indiana Wild. Using four of your five senses, Indiana Wild will take you on a hands-on, interactive adventure where you will meet some of their furry, scaly, even slimy animal ambassadors. Join us for a program you won't soon forget!

DATE: Tuesday, June 28th • **TIME:** 10:00am

LOCATION: Griffin Recreation Center • **COST:** FREE - Must call in to reserve a seat!



PRINCESS PARTY

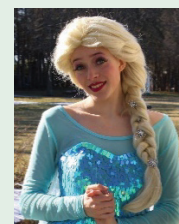
On July 23rd come "Let It Go" with us! The Snow Queen will be visiting and you are on the guest list! The morning will include tea and cookies, singing songs, learning how to be a Princess, a craft along with plenty of time to take a photo and get an autograph! Princess or dressy attire is encouraged. Don't forget to bring your camera! Space is limited to the first 80 people. Must pre-register for this event.

DATE: Saturday, July 23rd

TIME: 10:30am (doors will open at 10:15am)

LOCATION: Griffin Recreation Center

COST: \$10 for children, \$5 for adults



SUMMER LEFTOVERS

Join us while we make a masterpiece out of a variety of arts and crafts we have used throughout the summer months! This is a chance to use your imaginations and make something great! Parents/guardians will accompany their children during this event.

DATE: Monday, July 25th

TIME: 11:30am

LOCATION: Griffin Recreation Center

COST: FREE -Must call in to reserve a seat!

RIVER RUN FAMILY WATERPARK

Opening Day at River Run Waterpark is Saturday, May 28th at 11:00am

Hours of Operation: Monday-Thursday: 11:00am-7:00pm

Friday & Saturday: 11:00am-8:00pm • Sunday: 12:00noon-6:00pm

Rates for New Albany/Floyd County Residents:

Daily admission: \$7.00 • Annual pass: \$65.00

Family annual pass: \$225 (up to 2 adults and 3 children living as family unit); \$45 per additional child

Group rate (15 or more): \$5.00 per person not-for-profit; \$6.00 per person for profit. Must be confirmed at least 48 hours in advance.

Birthday Parties: \$175 (up to 15 children and 4 adults).

Party reservation times are: 1:00pm, 2:30pm and 4:00pm

After hours group rental is available Sundays only 6:30pm-8:30pm. Limited to a maximum of 300 people. No concessions. Call for additional information.

Children 10 and under must be accompanied by an adult in swim attire. Children under 12 months are free. Patrons must be 48" or taller to ride body and tube slides.

Please call 812-948-5381 or access our website www.nariverrun.com for additional information.



PRESCHOOL/YOUTH

GLITZ & GLITTER

Who doesn't like glitter? The object of this class is to glitter and rhinestone a photo frame. The frame can hold photos or a mirror. Limit 10 kids.

DATE: Tuesday, June 7th

TIME: 10:00am - 3 - 5 years old
11:15am - 6 - 12 years old

COST: \$7 • **LOCATION:** Griffin Recreation Center

PILLOWCASE ART

White pillowcases look great when you add your own artwork! Personalize with fabric markers and paint to create and take home your very own masterpiece! Limit 10 kids.

DATE: Tuesday, July 5th

TIME: 10:00am - 3 - 5 years old
11:15am - 6 - 12 years old

COST: \$7 • **LOCATION:** Griffin Recreation Center

WORKS OF ART

Youth will be guided in creating a painting using acrylic on canvas. Pre-school class will use objects to help them create shapes for their masterpieces. Limit 10 kids.

DATE: Tuesday, July 12th

AGES: 10:00am - 3 - 5 years old
11:15am - 6 - 12 years old

COST: \$7 • **LOCATION:** Griffin Recreation Center

FAIRY GARDEN

Create and take home your own fairy garden. All the supplies you will need will be provided. Limit 10 kids.

DATE: Tuesday, July 19th

TIME: 10:00am - 3 - 5 years old
11:15am - 6 - 12 years old

COST: \$7 • **LOCATION:** Griffin Recreation Center

FUN WITH FOOD

Cook something tasty in this pour and stir kid's cooking workshop. A variety of foods will be introduced in this 2 week session. Youth ages 6-10.

DATES: Tuesday, June 21st & June 28th

TIME: 1:00pm

COST: \$10 per child

LOCATION: Griffin Recreation Center



STRETCH-N-GROW PRESCHOOL FITNESS

Each class emphasizes the basics of exercise:

Warm-up, endurance, resistance, stretching & cool-down. Continuous, action packed & age appropriate movement led by Certified Youth Fitness Instructors! Dynamic discussions on important topics: Exercise, Health & Nutrition! Two sessions to choose from!

DATES: 4 Fridays in June or first 4 Fridays in July

TIME: 10:00am - 10:30am 3 - 5 years old

COST: \$16 per session

LOCATION: Griffin Recreation Center

WIGGLES & GIGGLES INDOOR PLAY AREAS

Attention youngsters ages 5 and under!

Come wiggle and giggle in our playroom and indoor playground at the Griffin Recreation Center! Kids will love play time with our chalk board, felt storyboard, reading in story corner, having fun with age appropriate toys and climbing on our indoor playground! It's FREE!

• Every Monday the playroom is open
10:00am - 12:00noon

• Every Thursday the playroom and indoor playground are open 10:00am - 12:00noon

IMPORTANT NOTE: *The playground and playroom is UNSUPERVISED. Parents and caregivers are responsible for their children at all times.*

Wiggles Special Event Days - Second Thursday of every month starting at 10am unless otherwise noted.

June 9th - "Block Party" with the Floyd County Extension Office

July 14th - Superhero Event

August 11th - Fire Prevention (starts at 11:00am)

September 8th -TBA



ADULT ACTIVITIES

ART ON CANVAS

Join us for an evening of Art on Canvas! Come and spend the evening with us painting your own masterpiece. Step-by-step instructions will be given by a qualified instructor. Light refreshments will be provided. Call the Griffin Recreation Center for more details. The painting is a beach sunset scene.

DATE: Saturday, August 20th • **TIME:** 5:30pm Please plan to come 15 minutes early in order to get your station set up

COST: \$20 per person or \$35 for two people (registering at the same time)
Must pre-register by Monday, August 15th

FREE SUMMER RECREATION CENTERS

Community recreation sites provide safe, supervised activities for school age boys and girls throughout the winter. Weekly programs include arts & crafts, drama, enrichment, field trips & get fit classes. The program is free and open to youth ages 5-12. For a weekly schedule of activities, stop by a neighborhood center. Lunch and snack are included. All sites are open **Monday thru Friday from 11:00am - 4:00pm at the following locations:**

- Beechwood Center - 210 Kelly Drive
- Griffin Activity Center - 1140 Griffin Street
- Parkview Center - 300 Erni Avenue
- Riverside Center - 55 Riverside Drive

For a weekly schedule of activities, stop by a neighborhood center.

GET UP AND DANCE

This is a high energy block party. The newest dance moves will be taught. Youth ages 5-12.

DATES: Friday, June 17th

(Beechwood Center-210 Kelly Dr)

Friday, July 15th

(Parkview Center-300 Erni Ave)

TIME: 6:00pm

COST: Free event sponsored by
New Albany Housing Authority

NATURE & OUTDOORS

Exploring nature can be fun. Instructor Ronda Eiler will entertain and educate kids with stories and a challenging science project. Youth ages 7-11.

DATE: Tuesday, July 12th • **TIME:** 2:00pm

COST: \$8 • **LOCATION:** Griffin Recreation Center

JUMP & SHOUT CHEERLEADING CAMP

Join us for a fun-filled evening learning basic cheerleading skills, along with tumbling instruction. For ages 5-12. Participants will be split up into various age groups. Camp activities under the direction of Linda Geiger

DATES: Monday, June 13th or Monday, July 11th

TIME: 6:00pm - 8:00 pm

COST: \$10.00 PER DAY

LOCATION: Griffin Recreation Center

OUT TO LUNCH BUNCH

Join other seniors as we try out new restaurants each month. Call today to get your name on the trip list. Participants are responsible for the cost of their meals. Mini-bus trips leave from the Griffin Recreation Center at 10:30am sharp! Seating is limited. Call 949-PARK to register.

Friday, August 5th

Friday, August 12th

Friday, August 26th

Friday, September 2nd

Mike Linnings, Louisville, KY

Crickets Café, Sellersburg, IN

W. W. Cousins, Louisville, KY

Wild Eggs, Jeffersonville, IN



YOUTH/TEEN SPORTS



YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL

(boys and girls - ages 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 & 10-11 years old)

Join our inaugural youth flag football League where we will teach the basic fundamentals of football at Silver Street Park football field. We will teach holding, throwing and catching the football and other basics of football fundamentals in an effort to build game awareness and improved bodily motor movements. League will begin on Sunday, September 11th. For the 4-5 year old age group, 30 minutes of practice will be followed a 30-minute "game". Registration will begin on Monday, May 30th and close Monday, August 29th.

DATE: Sunday, September 11th • **TIME:** TBD

LOCATION: Silver Street Park (outdoors) • **COST:** \$40.00 per child

3-ON-3 OUTDOOR BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Come join us Saturday, August 6th and Sunday, August 7th for our inaugural 3-on-3 basketball tournament! We will play at numerous parks throughout New Albany with championships being played at Silver Street Park. There is a 4-player roster max. Age divisions in boys and girls: junior high (6th-8th grades); high school (9th-12th grades); 18 and over; and 35 and over. Registration will begin Monday, June 6th and end on Monday, July 25th.

DATES: Saturday, August 6th-Sunday, August 7th • **TIME:** TBD

LOCATION: VARIOUS PARKS • **COST:** \$120.00 per team

JUNIOR BULLDOG YOUTH FOOTBALL CAMP

(boys and girls - camps vary by age)

Please join us as we host the Junior Bulldog Youth Football Camps this spring to try and build the knowledge and awareness of youth football in our community!

DATES: May 9th, 10th, & 12th (*middle schoolers)

May 17th, 18th, & 19th (3rd to 8th graders)

May 24th, May 25th, & May 26th (1st and 2nd graders)

TIME: 6:00pm - 8:00pm except middle schoolers* from 6:00pm - 7:30pm

LOCATION: Silver Street Park • **COST:** FREE

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL & BASKETBALL

Beginners and advanced girls can learn from this experience! Ball control, passing and shooting techniques will be the format for this summer sports camp. Designed for girl ages 8-13 years old who want to improve their skill level. Denise Parrish Beckwith is the instructor. First 3 weeks will be basketball followed by 2 weeks of volleyball.

DATES: Wednesdays, June 8th, 15th, 22nd, July 13th & 20th

TIME: 5:00pm

LOCATION: Griffin Recreation Center • **COST:** \$15

ADULT FITNESS

ZUMBA CLASS*

DATES: Tuesdays and Thursdays • **TIME:** 5:20pm-6:20pm

COST: \$2 per class • **LOCATION:** Griffin Recreation Center

**Zumba & Yoga classes are on-going unless participation lacks. No contracts!*

YOGA CLASS*

Will resume September 8th



ADULT LEAGUES

New Albany Parks and Recreation will be introducing a number of adult leagues throughout 2016. New leagues forming will include: Flag Football, Kickball, Whiffle Ball, Dodgeball, Ultimate Frisbee and Soccer. All leagues will have indoor and outdoor sessions throughout different parts of the year. All leagues will have a men's co-ed and women's league available at time of signups. Four teams are needed to start leagues.

Sign up for three or all of our leagues for a grand total of \$500! You must sign up in person to receive this special discount! Only one team per league (e.g. one softball, one kickball, one Frisbee) applies for this discount.

SLOW-PITCH SOFTBALL

The 2016 fall softball slow-pitch league registration will open on Monday, June 27th & close on Monday, August 8th. Games will be played on Monday (men's competitive and co-ed competitive), Tuesday (men's recreational and co-ed recreational) and Thursday's (church league ONLY). Registration forms will not be accepted without full payment. Leagues will begin the week of August 15th. If you sign up by Monday, July 25th, you will receive a \$50 discount on league fee! Parks staff has the right to place teams into their appropriate league based on previous season's results.

DATE: Monday, August 15th • **TIME:** TBD

LOCATION: Anderson Park • **COST:** \$325.00 per team

INDOOR KICKBALL

Come join our inaugural kickball league at Silver Street Park beginning on Thursday, August 25th. The league will play on Thursday nights! Signups will begin on Monday, July 11th and end on Thursday, August 18th. **If you sign up by Thursday, August 4th, you will receive a \$50 discount on league fee!** Limited to 6 teams due to one field and time constraints!

DATE: Thursday, August 25th • **TIME:** TBD

LOCATION: Silver Street Park • **COST:** \$200.00 per team

INDOOR WHIFFLEBALL

After a successful first Whiffle ball league, you are sure to want to join our indoor Whiffle ball League at Silver Street Park beginning on Thursday, June 23rd with league play on Thursday nights. Signups will begin on Monday, May 16th and end on Friday, June 17th. **If you sign up by Friday, June 10th, you will receive a \$50 discount on league fee!** Limited to 8 teams!

DATE: Thursday, June 23rd • **TIME:** TBD

LOCATION: Silver Street Park • **COST:** \$200.00 per team

OUTDOOR 7-ON-7 FLAG FOOTBALL

Come join in on the exciting flag football action at our Silver Street Park field and play on our Bermuda field beginning on Tuesday, September 6th. The league will be played on Tuesday nights. Signups will begin on Monday, June 20th and end on Monday, August 22nd. **If you sign up by Monday, August 1st you will receive a \$50 discount on the league fee!** We will have both competitive and recreational divisions. League is limited to first 8 teams in each division. Parks staff has the right to place teams into their appropriate league based on previous season's results.

DATE: Tuesday, September 6th • **TIME:** TBD

LOCATION: Silver Street Park (outdoors) • **COST:** \$275.00 per team

For information on all leagues, please contact the Parks & Recreation office at parks@cityofnewalbany.com

It's Summer in New Albany, and our parks department has some wonderful programs and facilities ready to keep you and your family active and healthy throughout the warm months ahead.

Wanting to cool off? The splash pads at Silver Street Park are a great place to spend an afternoon. If you're looking for an entire day full of fun, be sure to check out River Run Family Waterpark when it opens on May 28th. Last year, we welcomed over 30,000 visitors to River Run, and we are eager to break that number this year.

We also have some great events ready for this Summer. Love music? The Boomtown Ball and Festival is scheduled for Sunday May 29th in downtown New Albany. Our Bicentennial Park Summer Concert series will also return in June to downtown. And don't forget to come see the fireworks at our Riverfront Independence Day Celebration on July 3rd at the Riverfront Amphitheater!

Looking for a new program or class to take? This brochure is packed with activities for all ages. I'm sure if you take a few moments to browse this brochure, you will find something new to enjoy this summer!




Jeff Gahan, Mayor
City of New Albany

SHELTER/FACILITY RENTALS

OUTDOOR SHELTERS

Bicknell Park - 315 Silver Street (1 shelter)

Fairmont Park - 1725 Abbie Dell (1 shelter)

Ritter Park - 1218 Culbertson Avenue (1 shelter)

Sertoma Park - 1315 Mill Road (1 shelter)

Silver Street Park - 2043 Silver Street (3 regular shelters and 1 large shelter)

COST: \$50.00 for the first 4 hours and \$25.00 per hour for each additional hour. Full day fee is \$150.

EXCEPTION: The large shelter at Silver Street Park (nearest the Monon railroad tracks) is \$100.00 for 4 hours and \$25.00 for each additional hour. The full day fee is \$250 for the large shelter at Silver Street Park. To reserve a shelter, please visit Silver Street Park.

INDOOR FACILITIES

Griffin Recreation Center

The Griffin Recreation Center is available for rentals and accommodates up to 200 guests during evenings or weekends. Round and banquet tables are available. The facility is ideal for baby showers, birthday parties, receptions, meetings, anniversaries and family gatherings. To reserve a date, please visit Griffin Recreation Center.

COST: \$35.00 per hour

Silver Street Park Indoor Turf

Full Field Rental/ Half Field Rental	1.5 hour rental	2.5 hour rental
Weekday rates (year round, 8:00am-3:00pm)	\$75/\$60	\$125/\$100
Peak season (Nov-Mar)	\$150/\$100	\$250/175
Down season (Apr-Oct)	\$100/\$75	\$175/125

OPPORTUNITIES FOR DISABLED ADULTS

A BETTER ME CLUB

A social gathering program designed for people with disabilities. Call for a schedule of events.

DATES: Meets each Monday • **TIME:** 1:30 pm • **COST:** FREE

LOCATION: Griffin Recreation Center, 1140 Griffin Street

SPECIAL FRIENDS CLUB

A program designed for people with disabilities to socialize and enjoy games and activities.

TIME: See below • **COST:** FREE • **LOCATION:** Griffin Recreation Center, 1140 Griffin Street

Saturday, June 4th - Cookout & Games 11:00am - 1:00pm

Saturday, July 16th - Bingo and Ice Cream Social 12 - 1:30pm

Mondays, August, 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd - *Bowling

Please call Sherry at 812-786-0340 to register and/or cancel

*Bowling held at Hoosier Lanes Strike & Bowl, 4:00pm-5:30pm, \$10 for all four dates.

No checks please.

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HANDS OF ART

Hands of art offers hope and wonder for individuals who have had a world of limitations and impairment. This program will offer special needs individuals an opportunity to enrich their lives through color, tactile and visual art exploration.

DATES: Friday, July 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th

Thursday, August 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th

TIME: 10:30am in July, 9:30am in August

LOCATION: Flynn Center, 2005 East Market Street in New Albany

COST: FREE