

CITY OF BAKERSFIELD

FALL 2021

Recreation & Parks

COMMUNITY EVENTS, ACTIVITIES & PARKS INFORMATION

Pickleball Clinics 2021



BAKERSFIELD
RECREATION & PARKS

WWW.BAKERSFIELDPARKS.US

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CUSTOMER SERVICE LOCATIONS

No transactions will be taken 30 minutes prior to closing

City Hall North

Administration Offices

Monday - Friday • 8:00am - 5:00pm
1600 Truxtun Ave.
Bakersfield, CA 93301
(661) 326-FUNN (3866)
Fax: (661) 852-2140

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Center

Monday - Friday • 8:00am - 4:50pm
1000 So. Owens St., Bakersfield, CA 93307
(661) 322-9874 • Fax: (661) 852-2179

McMurtrey Aquatic Center

Monday - Friday • 8:00am - 5:00pm
1325 Q St. Suite 200, Bakersfield, CA 93301
(661) 852-7430 • Fax: (661) 852-7434

Silver Creek Community Center

Monday - Friday • 11:00am - 4:00pm
7011 Harris Rd., Bakersfield, CA 93313
(661) 665-8033 • Fax: (661) 852-2033

WAYS TO PAY FOR PLAY

Online

Register online at www.bakersfieldparks.us
Click on Registration tab to sign in.
First-time users: Call 326-3866 for household username and password.

Mail-In

Registration Form is on page 12. Mail completed form with check made payable to "City of Bakersfield" to:

Recreation and Parks

**1600 Truxtun Avenue 3rd Floor
Bakersfield, CA 93301**

Stop by and register at an office near you.
Office locations and hours above.



Residency Status

Fees vary for some activities and rentals depending on residency status. City residents, anyone living within the City limits, not including County pockets, must provide acceptable documentation such as driver's license, imprinted checks, utility bills, etc.

Solicitations

The City of Bakersfield Department of Recreation and Parks staff do not solicit funds door-to-door. Please report any suspicious solicitation to the Bakersfield Police Department at (661) 327-7111.

Fees

All rental and registration fees are subject to change pending City Council approval.

CONTENT

Program offerings and protocols have been updated and modified in accordance with Kern County Health Orders, California Department of Public Health, and California's Blueprint for a Safer Economy. We will be updating our brochure and website as more programs and activities are added throughout the Fall season.

Please continue to check the website and our Facebook for updates of current events and services. Your local parks are open; please follow current guidelines from the CDC on the types of activities permitted for your health and safety.

OUR MISSION:

Recreation and Parks enhances the quality of life through a variety of programs, parks, and partnerships.



MAYOR
Karen Goh
CITY MANAGER
Christian Clegg

COUNCILMEMBERS
Ward 1, Eric Arias
Ward 2, Andrae Gonzales
Ward 3, Ken Weir
Ward 4, Bob Smith
Ward 5, Bruce Freeman
Ward 6, Patty Gray
Ward 7, Chris Parlier

VOLUNTEER TO ADOPT - A - PARK

VOLUNTEER GUIDELINES

- 1 year Adoption Agreement
 - 6 minimum cleanups per year
 - Open to families, organizations and agencies
- The Park at River Walk, Kaiser Permanente Sports Village, and Mesa Marin Sports Complex are not available to adopt.*

THE CITY WILL PROVIDE:

- Signage in designated park
 - Gloves
 - Trash bags
 - Hauling
- Call 661-326-3866 or visit our website for more info!*

PLAYGROUND REHAB: SEASONS PARK

Be sure to check our website and Facebook to see which other parks will be receiving updates and renovations throughout the year!



SILVER CREEK COMMUNITY CENTER

7011 Harris Rd.

(661)665-8033

Located in Silver Creek Park at the corner of Harris Rd. and Reliance Dr.

The following amenities are available for rental when such use does not conflict with activities programmed by Recreation and Parks. Reservations must be made at least 3 weeks in advance and require a minimum \$200 cleaning deposit.

***Hourly Rental Fees - 2 hr. Minimum**

Meeting Room	\$104 per hr.
(Maximum capacity is 100)	
Kitchen (w/ room)	\$38 per hr.
Pavilion (no chairs)	\$47 per hr.
Table & Chair Set-up	\$86 for event (100 chairs, 12 tables)



Silver Creek Summer Camp 2021

BONSAI

10 + yrs \$10

Learn how to grow and maintain bonsai. A materials list with locations to purchase will be provided at the first class. *Held at SC. Instructed by Jack Reynolds.*

Activity # 330054

3rd Wednesday of each month

6:30-9:00pm

A: September 15- January 19

B: February 16- June 15

It is recommended that you sign up for both sessions.

CLOGGING

7+ yr \$6/\$20

This fast-paced class will teach traditional American folk dance. Clogging develops balance, coordination, and flexibility, and builds stamina. Held at SC.

Instructed by Loni O'Donley.

Activity # 330010

Thursdays

Class Times

A: Beginners 6:30 - 7pm

B: Easy Interm. 7 - 7:45pm

C: Interm./Adv. 7:45 - 8:30pm

Session Dates

1: September 9- September 30

2: October 7- October 28

\$16 for ages 15 and under

\$20 for ages 16 and up

ZUMBA WITH ROSIE

10+ yrs \$5/ \$25

This fast-paced program is for youth and adults. Zumba fuses hypnotic Latin and international rhythms and easy to follow moves to create a dynamic fitness program that tones and sculpts the body. Participants should wear comfortable clothes and tennis shoes, and bring water and a hand towel. *Instructed by Rosie Vasquez.*

Activity # 330058

Tuesdays & Thursdays

5:30 - 6:30pm

Session Dates

1: Sept. 7 - Sept. 30

2: October 5- October 28

ZUMBA WITH MIKE

13+ yrs, FREE

If you are looking for a great workout ranging from medium to high intensity then come join my class. You will not regret it. Nothing is more important to us than our health, safety and well-being in our community. People need to move, they need to dance and even NOW more than EVER. One of the most important things you can do right now is exercise. WE NEED OUR FITNESS COMMUNITY. During times of stress dancing is a great medicine for us. *Instructed by Mike Audie.*

Tuesdays 9am

Wednesdays 6:30- 7:30pm

3rd Wednesday of the month will only be at 9am

Beginning September 7

SAUNDERS RECREATIONAL FACILITY

3300 Palm St.

**For inquiries call Silver Creek Community Center
(661)665-8033**

Located in Saunders Park, this lighted and covered recreational facility contains an 85' by 185' roller/inline hockey rink on a manufactured sports floor. This venue is ideal for a wide range of activities including roller hockey, indoor soccer, volleyball, fitness, dance, or to rent for a special party or corporate event. Reservations must be made at least 3 weeks in advance and require a minimum \$200 cleaning deposit.

ROLLER HOCKEY PROGRAMS

CONTACT: GLEN MEARS

SAUNDERS.INLINE@GMAIL.COM



All Roller Hockey participants must have USA Roller Sports Insurance and own equipment.

ADULT PICK-UP

14+ yrs. \$5

Drop in and bring your friends! This program is open to all adults. Participants pay on site and must have their own equipment. Held at SRF.

Thursdays: 7:30- 9:00pm

Begins September 21

ROLLER HOCKEY LEAGUE

14+ yrs.

\$120

Keep fit while having fun in this competitive league! Registration includes pre-season game, 10 season games, all-star game, and playoffs. Held at SRF.

Activity # 337027

Dates: Sept. 21 - Dec. 14

Tuesdays: 7:00 & 8:00

**INTERESTED IN TEACHING A
CLASS FOR THE CITY?
SHARE YOUR TALENT WITH
OTHERS!
CALL 661-326-3866**

SPORTS

BEGINNER'S PICKLEBALL CLINIC

You will learn the fundamentals of the game and have fun too! Dinks, drops, third shots, ground strokes, serves, returns, overhands, blocks, movements, strategy to scoring and more!

Participants must provide their own paddle.

Instructed by: Maddie Jayne

Activity # 321040-02

Age Range: 18+

Dates: Wednesday 9/8, 9/15, 9/22, 9/29

Time: 8:30am- 10:00am

Location: Jastro Park

Fee: \$104 per Person

Online Registration ONLY @ bakersfieldcity.us

Deadline to register: September 3, 2021



2021 KERN COUNTY YOUTH CROSS COUNTRY

City of Bakersfield/Fast Track Lamont/Kern Track club

Date: Saturday, September 25

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Location: Yokuts Park

For more info call 322-9874

DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. CENTER

1000 South Owens St. (661) 322-9874

Some of these areas are available for rental when such use does not conflict with activities programmed by Recreation and Parks. Reservations must be made at least 3 weeks in advance and require a minimum \$100 cleaning deposit.

*Hourly Rental Fees - 2 hr. Minimum

Meeting Room \$54 per hr. (Maximum capacity is 80)

Kitchen (w/ room) \$17 per hr.

Gymnasium \$68 per hr.

Table & Chair Set-up \$86 for event



ADULT FITNESS CENTER

16+ yrs. *FREE*

Weight lifting and fitness training equipment offered! Available equipment:

- Lateral Pull Down
- Pectoral Machine
- Abdomen Machine
- Leg Press
- Treadmills
- Bench Curl
- Chest Press
- Shoulder Press
- Biceps Curl
- Leg Extension
- Incline Sit-ups

Monday - Friday 8am - 12:30pm

APPOINTMENTS ONLY: Please call the center to make an appointment.

FREE MEALS PROGRAM

2 - 18 yrs. *FREE*

The MLK Center will host a free meals program in partnership with the Kern County Superintendent of Schools. Thanks to a federally funded program, all children ages 2 to 18 may receive a nutritious meal free of charge. Stick around for the fun-filled activities. Learn how to grow and eat healthy foods and play physically active games. Held at MLK.

Monday - Friday

Kern County
Superintendent
of Schools
Office of Christine Lizardi Frazier
...advocates for children

DROP-IN BASKETBALL

6+ yrs. *FREE*

Looking for some recreational fun? The gymnasium opens for drop-in basketball for youth and adults. This supervised activity is a great way to burn off that excess energy! Held at MLK.

Mon/ Wed/ Friday

Adults Only: 8:00am - 12:30am

All Ages: 2:30 - 4:45pm

APPOINTMENTS ONLY: Please call the center to make an appointment.

PARENT ENRICHMENT

- *Parents with participating children, FREE*
- This program is designed to give parents the opportunity to embrace the MLK Community Center's after-school program. Parents will be able to participate in the scheduled activities with their children such as, our Healthy Cooking Program, After-school arts and crafts, as well as our STEM Academy. Parents will also be able to participate in other parent centered activities!
- Activity Code: 421004
- **Tuesdays 3-4pm**

QUILTING SOCIAL

18+yrs. *FREE*

Work on your individual project while socializing with others who share your same interest! This class is for those who already know basic quilting and want to share techniques with others. There is no instructor. Participants must provide their own sewing machine and supplies. Held at MLK

Wednesdays 9am - 12pm

Activity Code: 421001

DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. CENTER

CULTURAL ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

9 - 17 yrs. FREE

This program centers around five weekly activities during the calendar year. Activities include tutoring, puzzles, arts and crafts, read-a-thons, and cultural enrichment. Students will make decorations that will be displayed at the annual Kwanzaa Celebration. Tutoring uses worksheets to provide drill and repetition on basics, read-a-thons are held to promote a love of reading, and cultural enrichment will expand knowledge of African-American history, heritage, and culture. This program is co-sponsored by The Sankofa Collective, a non-profit organization. Held at MLK. Instructed by Bakari Sanyu.

Mon & Wed 3:00 - 4:30pm

MLK J.E.T. PROGRAM

(Junior Executive Training)

7th- 12th grade, FREE

The Junior Executive Training program looks to increase student personal growth development, self-confidence and leadership abilities. Students will work in an academic environment that promotes educational equity, embraces diversity, and fosters respect. The program will ensure that students are well rounded and academically equipped to compete in a technological workforce and global economy, through leadership workshops, games, guest speakers and educational activities.

Wednesdays 2:00 - 3:30pm

Begins September 22

Activity Code: 421003

HOMEWORK HELP

5 - 12 yrs. FREE

Stuck on a homework assignment? Have to write a paper? Need help with new math? Get involved in our homework help program. Through our after-school homework help program, children can complete assignments, work one-on-one with a mentor, and earn prizes for hard work. Our program leaders will help children to understand and complete their homework daily. Help your child excel in school!

Monday- Friday 2:30 - 4:50pm

HEALTHY COOKING FOR KIDS

5 - 17 yrs. FREE

Learn to cook your way to good health! This class will teach children how to make simple yet delicious food with fresh fruits, vegetables, and whole grains, using food they have grown in the garden. Participants have the opportunity to be chosen as the Supreme Chef for the month to prepare their special dish for the rest of the group. Held at MLK. Instructed by Ms. Ruby Harris.

Thursdays 3- 4pm

Begins September 23

AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITIES

5 - 15 yrs. FREE

The MLK Center is open after school for fun activities. Enjoy arts and crafts, sports, music, special events, and games. The game room also offers foosball, ping pong, table hockey, board games, and puzzles. This program is not designed as a day camp or child care. Children can participate in organized activities, play on their own in the park, and come and go as they wish. Afterschool and dinner snacks provided every day, thanks to a federally funded program provided by Kern County Superintendent of Schools. Held at MLK. Supervised by MLK staff.

Monday - Friday (School Days) 2:30 - 4:45pm



Camp King 2021

MCMURTREY AQUATIC CENTER

1325 Q St.
(661) 852-7430

Located at the corner of Q St. and 13th St., this aquatic facility features:

- Olympic Size Competition Pool
- Water Slides (Must be at least 48" to ride)
- Zero Depth Entry with Child Play Features
- 1-Meter Diving Boards (Diving Programs/Special Events Only)
- Locker Rooms with Showers (Bring Your Own Lock)
- Picnic Areas for Public Use
- Snack Bar (Outside Food and Drinks Not Allowed)



Please note that the Aquatics program is following the current COVID-19 health orders of the California Department of Public Health. Updates may occur during the season.

LAP SWIMMING & WATER WALKING

12+ yrs. \$5

Water based exercise is one of the best cardiovascular physical activities available. Lap swim and water walking are offered year-round in the competition pool at McMurtry Aquatic Center. Lane availability may vary based on scheduled activities in the pool. Participants must be able to swim 25 yards non-stop and *must be willing to share a lane* as needed. Short course only.

Fees:

\$5 per visit

30 Visit Pass:

\$120 Residents

\$130 Non-residents

Unlimited Annual Pass:

\$406 Residents

\$416 Non-Residents

LAP SWIM SCHEDULE

DAYS	TIME
M-Th	5:30am - 7:30am
M-Th	10:00am - 1:00pm
M-Th	6:30pm - 8:30pm
Friday	5:30am - 7:30am
Friday	10:00am - 1:00pm
Sat	9:00am - 12:00pm

100 MILE CLUB

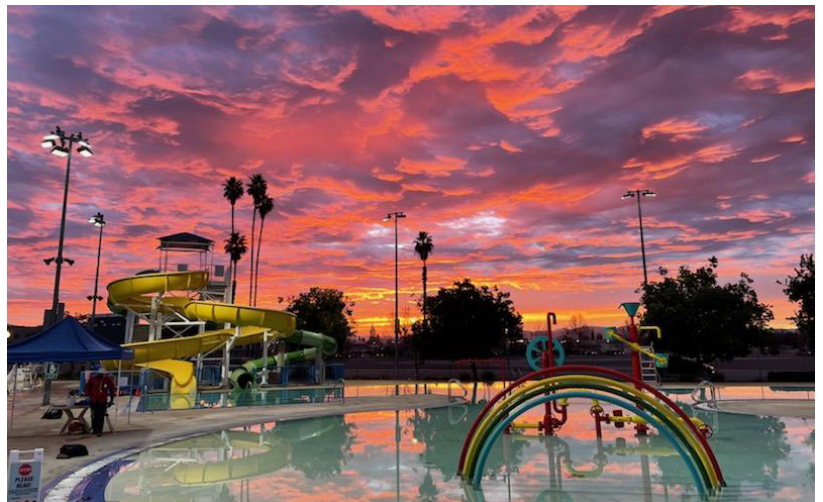
12+ yrs.

Swim 100 miles to better health. While enjoying your workout, remember to keep track of yards or laps completed. Fill out a Yard Tracking Log and receive weekly progress updates.

First 100 miles earns:

- 1 free lap swim pass
- 100 Mile Club t-shirt
- Your name on website

Prizes awarded for additional milestones.



AQUATICS

COVID-19 UPDATES

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and COVID19.Ca.Gov;

Masks are not required for fully vaccinated individuals

Additionally, masks are required** for unvaccinated individuals in indoor public settings and businesses (examples: retail, restaurants, theaters, family entertainment centers, meetings, state and local government offices serving the public).

Exemptions to masks requirements

The following individuals are exempt from wearing masks at all times:

- Persons younger than two years old. Very young children must not wear a mask because of the risk of suffocation.
- Persons with a medical condition, mental health condition, or disability that prevents wearing a mask. This includes persons with a medical condition for whom wearing a mask could obstruct breathing or who are unconscious, incapacitated, or otherwise unable to remove a mask without assistance.
- Persons who are hearing impaired, or communicating with a person who is hearing impaired, where the ability to see the mouth is essential for communication.
- Persons for whom wearing a mask would create a risk to the person related to their work, as determined by local, state, or federal regulators or workplace safety guidelines.

SYMPTOMS OF COVID-19:

- Fever or chills
- Cough
- Shortness of breath
- Fatigue
- Muscle/ Body Aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell

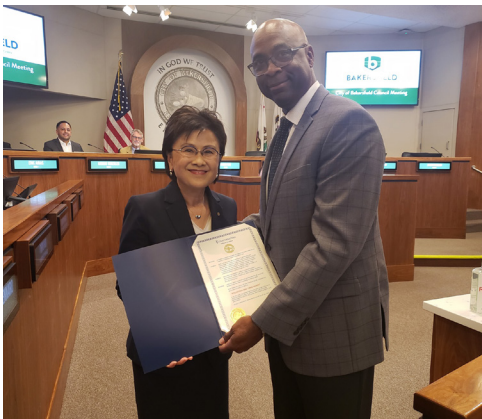
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

This list does not include all possible symptoms.

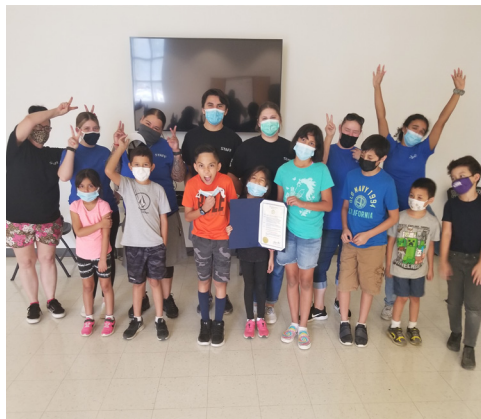
CDC will continue to update this list as we learn more about COVID- 19.

Parks and Recreation month!

Mayor Goh proclaimed July 2021 to be Recreation & Parks month



*Mayor Goh and Recreation and Parks
Director, Rick Anthony*



Silver Creek Summer Camp



Parks Staff

CITY OF BAKERSFIELD ANIMAL CONTROL DIVISION

2021 VACCINE, LICENSING & MICROCHIP CLINICS

Clinics will be held on the following dates at these locations on Saturdays from 9:00am to noon:

The line may be cut off as early as 11am due to limited supplies

SEPTEMBER

Saturday 9/04/21

Beale Park

500 Oleander Ave.

Saturday 9/18/21

Silver Creek Park

7011 Harris Rd.

OCTOBER

Saturday 10/02/21

Central Park at Mill Creek

600 19th St.

NOVEMBER

Saturday 11/06/21

Kroll Park

7500 Kroll Way

DECEMBER

Saturday 12/04/21

Liberty Park

11225 Brimhall Rd.

Reduced Vaccination Fees (must purchase a license at the same time, see license fees):

Rabies Vaccine: \$10.00 DAPP Vaccine: \$10.00 Bordetella Vaccine (Kennel Cough): \$10.00

Please come prepared with cash or check.

***ALL FEES/DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE BEFORE ATTENDING A CLINIC FOR POSSIBLE ADJUSTMENTS OR MODIFICATIONS TO THIS SCHEDULE.**

*****MASKS ARE REQUIRED.**

WHY SHOULD I LICENSE MY DOG?

California requires all dogs over the age of three months to be vaccinated and licensed as a rabies control measure. However, there are other reasons why you should license your pet, such as:

- A license provides proof that your pet has been vaccinated for rabies, which is a fatal viral disease that can be prevented by vaccination.
- Anyone finding a lost dog can contact Animal Control with the license number, and Animal Control can find the owner.
- Proof of rabies vaccinations can be useful if your pet is involved in a bite incident.

EASY STEPS TO FOLLOW FOR VACCINATING & LICENSING

- If you attend one of our low-cost monthly clinics, your dog can be vaccinated at a reduced cost. A license **MUST** be purchased at the same time, the fees are listed below.
- If you do **NOT** attend a clinic, have your dog vaccinated by a licensed veterinarian. Then promptly return a copy of your dog's rabies vaccination certificate, spay/neuter certificate (if applicable) and the fee payment to the City of Bakersfield. A license will be mailed or given to you.

DOG LICENSE FEES

Spayed or Neutered

One year license-\$15.00

Three year license-\$30.00

Natural Dogs

One year license-\$60.00

Three year license-\$120.00

Senior Rates (62 and older):

Dogs **MUST** be spayed or neutered for discount!

1 year license- \$5.00

3 year license-\$15.00

Temporary License:

Dogs **MUST** be spayed or neutered within 60 days!

1 year license- \$15.00

1 year Senior license-\$5.00

WHERE TO PURCHASE A LICENSE

if your dog already has vaccinations.

City Hall North - Treasury Department

1600 Truxtun Ave.

661-326-3762

Mon-Fri, 8-5

City of Bakersfield Animal Care Center

201 S. Mt. Vernon Ave.

661-832-PETS (7387)

Tues-Sat, 10-4

GENERAL INFO

OFF-LEASH DOG PARKS

Centennial Dog Park (Central Bakersfield)

400 Montclair Street

Coffee Road Dog Park (Northwest Bakersfield)

6101 Coffee Road

Kroll Dog Park (SW Bakersfield)

7500 Kroll Way

Mesa Marin Sports Complex Dog Park (East Bakersfield)

Eastside of Bedford Green Drive. Between State Route 178 and Kern Canyon Road

Seasons Dog Park (SW Bakersfield)

5601 Harris Road

University Dog Park (East Bakersfield)

4301 University Avenue

Wilson Dog Park (Southwest Bakersfield)

2400 Wilson Road

DOG PARK RULES

- Dogs must display a valid license and up-to-date vaccines, including a rabies vaccination tag. (BMC § 6.04.04A and § 6.04.05C).
- Keep your dog on a leash until you reach the off-leash area and keep your dog within sight and under voice control.
- If your dog becomes unruly or displays a change in behavior, leash your dog, regain control, and leave the off-leash area.
- Owners must clean up after their dogs and dispose of waste properly.
- Children must be closely supervised at all times.
- Parks are open from 5:00am to 10:00pm.

PROHIBITED FROM DOG PARKS AT ALL TIMES

- Aggressive dogs
- Dogs under 4 months of age
- Food
- Motorized vehicles
- Rollerblades
- Bicycles
- Female dogs in heat
- Glass containers
- Pets other than dogs
- Skateboards

The City of Bakersfield is not responsible and shall have no liability for the acts or omissions of individuals or their animals that utilize the dog park. You are responsible for any injury or damage caused by your animal.

Enter park at your own risk! Park locations are listed on page 16.



Did someone say..... park?!

City of Bakersfield Animal Control Division: 661-326-3436
City of Bakersfield Recreation and Parks Dept.: 661-326-3866

REGISTRATION FORM

Activity Registration Form

Participant Registration Information

First Name	Last Name	M/F	DOB	Activity Title	Activity/Session#	Fees

*Additional fees apply to all cancellations and refunds. A participant may be transferred to another program as long as the request is made 5 business days prior to the 1st day of the program. An administrative fee of \$8 applies.

TOTAL:

Contact Information (Parent/Guardian if participant is a minor)

First Name _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Email Address: _____ Youth Sports Shirt Size: _____

Emergency Contact Name & Phone: _____

Special Information

(Required) Does the participant require special needs/disability accommodations for this program? YES NO ☐ ☐

(Required) Does the participant require scheduled medication? YES NO ☐ ☐

(Required) Does the participant have allergies? YES NO ☐ ☐

Allergies, if applicable: _____

NOTE: If YES to the above, in order for staff to best support your child you will be required to fill out a supplemental accommodation form, available online and at program locations. Your application will not be considered complete until the accommodation form is signed by both yourself and a Recreation Supervisor. If you have not reached out to staff regarding your accommodation before the start of the program, the child will not be able to participate until this process is complete.

Release/Assumption of Risk

Participants are required to read and sign the following declaration:

THE UNDERSIGNED DOES HEREBY, and for his/her heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, release, waive, acquit and forever discharge the City of Bakersfield, its Mayor, Council, officers, agents and employees from any and all claims, actions, causes of action, rights, damages, costs, expenses and compensation whatsoever, which the undersigned may hereafter accrue, on account of or in any way growing out of any and all known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen bodily and personal injuries, death, or property damage occurring to the undersigned or the undersigned's child(ren) as a result of participation in this event.

IT IS FURTHER UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED that the undersigned voluntarily assumes all risk(s), inherent or otherwise, known or unknown, associated with this event and that this waiver, release and assumption of risk is to be binding on my or my child(ren)'s heirs and assigns.

I agree to indemnify and hold free and harmless the foregoing parties from any loss, liability, damage or expense which may incur as a result of any death, injuries, maintenance or property damage that may be sustained by me or my child(ren).

IN ADDITION, I realize that all participants and spectators of any department programs are subject to being photographed and such photographs may be used by the City of Bakersfield without any obligation to provide compensation to those photographed.

I HAVE READ ALL APPLICABLE FORMS FOR PARTICIPATION IN THIS EVENT. I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY, AND I SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

If participant is under 18, parent or guardian listed above must sign.

Print Name: _____

Please complete if Paying by Credit Card (Mail-In registrations only)

We accept:

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____ Security Code: _____ Signature: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY Initials: _____ Date: _____ Receipt #: _____ Amount: _____ Check Cash Credit

The City of Bakersfield shall make reasonable modifications in policies, practices, or procedures when the modification is necessary to avoid discrimination on the basis of disability, unless the City of Bakersfield can demonstrate that making the modifications would fundamentally alter the nature of the service, program, or activity.

PROGRAM INFORMATION & POLICIES

PROGRAM REFUND POLICY

If withdrawal from a program is made 5 business days prior to the 1st day of program, a full refund less \$8 administrative fee will be processed. If withdrawal is made less than 5 business days before the 1st day of program, a 50% refund less \$8 administrative fee will be processed. Registrants failing to be present for the program will forfeit all fees paid. Withdrawals after the 1st day of program will not receive a refund except: for extenuating circumstances - prorated refund less \$8 administrative fee; or misalliance - must notify the City before second day of program to receive a 50% refund less \$8 administrative fee. No refunds for a single day program or after the second day of program. Please allow 2 - 3 weeks for refunds to be processed. A participant may be transferred to another program as long as the request is made 5 business days prior to the 1st day of the program. An administrative fee of \$8 applies. Refund policy does not apply to specified programs.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK

The Assumption of Risk located at the bottom of the Activity Registration Form must be signed for all programs at the time of registration.

BROCHURE ADVERTISING

Market your business to thousands who participate in sports, special events, leisure classes, after school programs, aquatic activities, and use City Parks. Advertising dollars help promote health and wellness, foster human development, provide recreational experiences, and enrich the lives of all citizens.



Registration will be accepted from the date this catalog is released, unless otherwise specified. Schedules are subject to change and classes may be cancelled if minimum enrollment requirements are not met. Non-resident rates may apply. Proper identification is required to verify City residency. All fees are subject to change pending City Council approval.



AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

The Department of Recreation and Parks complies with the American Disabilities Act (ADA) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of a disability. Reasonable accommodations will be made in recreation programs and facilities to enable participation by an individual with a disability. If you, or your child, are in need of special accommodations, please notify us. CRS provides specially trained operators to relay telephone conversations between people who are deaf, hard of hearing, or speech disabled and those they wish to communicate with. Dial 711 for assistance.

PHOTO POLICY

Please be advised that all participants involved in any department program or special events are subject to being photographed. Such photographs may be used by the City of Bakersfield without any obligation to provide compensation to those photographed.

FILMING OF OR WITHIN CITY PARKS AND FACILITIES

A film permit is required for all activities used for advertising and/or other commercial use.

SPONSORSHIPS

Information on how your business can help support one of the many exciting events, facilities, or programs is available. Please contact 326-3866.

AMPLIFIED MUSIC

A permit must be obtained to have amplified music in the parks. Ten parks are zoned for amplified music/sound: Beach, Central, MLK, Patriots, Silver Creek, The Park at Riverwalk, Yokuts, Kaiser Permanente Sports Complex, Mesa Marin Sports Complex and Saunders Recreational Facility. Permits must be requested no later than 3 weeks in advance. Insurance and additional non-refundable fees are required.

PROGRAM INFORMATION & POLICIES

PARK RENTAL REFUNDS AND RESCHEDULING

Reservation cancellations more than 5 business days prior to the event will be refunded, less a cancellation fee of \$31. Please allow 2 - 3 weeks for refund to be processed. Some permits are not refundable. Cancellations less than 5 business days in advance will result in all fees being forfeited. Changes to reservations must be made in person by 1:00pm at least 2 business days before the date of the event, and are subject to a \$21 rescheduling fee. In the event of inclement weather, the reservation must be rescheduled the next business day, no refunds provided.

SALES AND FEES

Only 501(c)3 organizations are eligible to obtain a permit to conduct sales, collect fees, and otherwise solicit funds in City Parks. Other organizations and businesses are required to obtain an agreement with the Department of Recreation and Parks to conduct similar activities. Per Municipal Code 12.56.

ADOPT-A-BENCH

Memorialize or honor a friend or family member by adopting a bench. Any existing concrete bench in any City park can be adopted, or purchase a new bench with a plaque and place it in a favorite park location. *Excludes The Park at River Walk.*

SMOKING NEAR PLAYGROUNDS PROHIBITED

State law prohibits any person from smoking within 25 feet of any playground or tot lot sandbox area. Violations of this law are punishable by a fine of \$250 or more for each violation. (California Health and Safety Code Section 104495). Please be respectful of this law.



JUMPERS & STRUCTURES

An area must be reserved to have a portable structure set up at any City park. Additional fees and insurance may be required. A list of those companies who have current insurance for portable structures in City parks is available at any customer service location. Insurance and deposit are required to have privately owned inflatables in any City park. Generators are required. Jumpers and structures are prohibited at The Park at Riverwalk.

ALCOHOL PERMIT

To consume alcohol in any City park or facility, a non-refundable permit is required. Permits must be obtained by 1:00pm at least 2 business days prior to the date needed. No glass containers allowed.

PARK WATCH

Become a part of Park Watch. Report any suspicious behavior to the Bakersfield Police Department at (661) 327-7111. To report graffiti call (661) 32-ERASE (37273).

ONLINE PARK RESERVATION NOW AVAILABLE!

The City of Bakersfield is proud to announce our program offering online reservations of the following park facilities:

Beale Park	Planz Park
Centennial Park	Pin Oak Park
City in the Hills	Saunders Park
Deer Peak Park	Siemon Park
Greystone Park	Wayside Park
Grissom Park	Wilson Park
Jastro Park	Windemere Park
Lowell Park	Windsor Park



PARKS & SPORTS FIELD RENTALS

Located throughout the City are 61 parks, including the Kern River Parkway. Many of these parks have facilities available for use when such use does not conflict with programmed City activities and events. All permits and reservation policy requirements are available at the department office or any customer service location. Parks and facilities are available for standard rental up to 120 calendar days in advance - no later than 1:00pm two business days prior to the date needed; special events are available 364 calendar days in advance - no later than three weeks prior to the date needed. Insurance, necessary documents, and additional fees may be required depending on the type of event. City residents must provide acceptable documentation. Reservations must be made in person. All fees subject to change pending City Council approval.

*Electric outlets are provided at most reservable areas, however, electricity is not guaranteed.
Updated fees as of August 2021.*

PARK AREA RENTAL FEES

(Non-residents add \$25 per reservation)

Picnic Areas *without* Serving Shelters

Picnic Area Half Day \$91*

Morning Block: 7:00am - 2:00pm

Afternoon Block: 3:00pm - 10:00pm

Picnic Area Full Day 7am -10pm.....\$182*

Picnic Areas *with* Serving Shelters

Half Day \$120

Full Day \$240

Special Event Use of Park Half Day\$467

Special Event Use of Park Full Day\$936

If you are unsure if the park you want to reserve has a Serving Shelter, please refer to page 18.

SISTER CITIES

Hourly Rate (4 hour block)..... \$137

Deposit..... \$200

PERMITS/ADDITIONAL CHARGES

Late Fee..... \$32*

Cancellation Fee..... \$31

Rescheduling Fee \$21

Alcohol Permit with rental... \$21

Alcohol Permit without rental\$31

Special Event Permit* \$137*

Special Event = Events open to the public , and/or including the sale or promotion of goods or services of any kind.

Sound Permit* \$31

**Special events and events with sound permits require additional fees, permits, and documentation.*

SAUNDERS RECREATIONAL FACILITY

Hourly Rate (2 hr. minimum)... \$68

Deposit..... \$200

EVENTS INVOLVING CITY STAFF

Any event or rental which involves City Staff will be charged labor on an hourly basis at current costs.

REGIONAL PARK AREA RENTAL FEES

(Non-residents add \$25 per reservation)

The Park at River Walk

Kaiser Permanente Sports Village

Mesa Marin Sports Complex

Picnic Area Half Day \$156

Morning Block:7:00am - 2:00pm

Afternoon Block: 3:00pm - 10:00pm

Picnic Area Full Day 7am - 10pm.....\$312

Special Event Use of Park Half Day*\$936

Special Event Use of Park Full Day* \$1,872

All Regional Park Area Rentals are not available for online reservation. Exclusive use Rentals excludes sport fields & Dignity Health Amphitheatre.

Dignity Health Amphitheatre can be booked through AEG at (661) 852-7300.

SPORTS FIELD RENTAL

**Non-residents add \$25 per reservation*

Fields are available for rental provided they are not in use for City leagues or a day of recovery for the fields. There are 10 lighted softball fields: Mesa Marin Sports Complex (4), and Beach, MLK, Patriots (2), Planz, and Wayside Parks. There are 2 lighted soccer/rugby fields: Beach and Yokuts Parks. There is one unlighted soccer/rugby field at Beach Park.

Hourly Rate* (2 hr. minimum) \$26

Lights per hour (2 hr. minimum) \$15

Softball Field Preparation\$41

Mesa Marin Sports Complex or Tournament rentals, please call the Sports Division at (661) 322-9874.

Kaiser Permanente Sports Village soccer field rentals, contact Julio Velez at (661) 809-9985, region73rc@gmail.com, or www.region73.org

PARK HOURS

5:00am - 10:00pm

7 days a week

PARK ADDRESSES

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1. Aera Park..... 100 Jewetta Avenue
2. Amberton Park 7000 School House Lane
3. Amtrak Station Playground..... 601 Truxtun Ave.
4. Beach Park 3400 21st St.
5. Beale Park 500 Oleander Ave.
6. Belcourt Park..... 3801 Windermere St.
7. Bill Park Greens Park 14001 Veracruz Dr.
8. Bridle Creek Park 7100 Pine Flat Dr.
9. Campus Park North..... 3700 Park View Dr.
10. Campus Park South..... 8800 District Boulevard
11. Castle Park 5900 Wilson Rd.
12. Centennial Park 400 Montclair St.
13. Centennial Plaza 1001 Truxtun Ave.
14. Central Park at Mill Creek..... 600 19th St.
15. Challenger Park..... 5700 Akers Rd.
16. City in the Hills Park..... 10000 City Hills Dr.
17. Coffee Rd. (Small Dog Park)N. of Olive along Coffee
18. Coral Keys Park..... 6200 Harris Rd.
19. Corvallis Park..... 3101 Corvallis Lane
20. Deer Peak Park..... 1200 Beckenham Parkway
21. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Park1000 So. Owens St.
22. Garden Park 8400 So. Laureglen Blvd.
23. Granite Pointe Park ... 7914 Granite Pointe Pkwy.
24. Greystone Park..... 5709 Mountain Vista Dr.
25. Grissom Park 5400 White Ln.
26. Haggin Oaks Park..... 9200 McInnes Boulevard
27. Jastro Park..... 2900 Truxtun Ave.
28. Jefferson Park 801 Bernard St.
29. Joshua Park 505 Homaker Place
30. Kaiser Permanente Sports Village 9001 Ashe Rd.
31. Kern River Parkway and Trail..... 32 miles
32. Kroll Park 7501 Kroll Way
33. Lowell Park..... 800 4th St.
34. McMurtrey Aquatic Center..... 1325 Q St.
35. Mesa Marin Sports Complex..10315 Highway 178
36. Patriots Park..... 1600 New Stine/5500 Ming

37. Pin Oak Park..... 3101 Pin Oak Park Blvd.
38. Planz Park 1601 Planz Rd.
39. Quailwood Park 7400 Quailwood Dr.
40. River Oaks Park 12608 Monterey Beach Dr.
41. Saunders Park..... 3300 Palm St.
42. Seasons Park..... 5425 Harris Rd.
43. Siemon Park..... 3300 Redlands Dr.
44. Silver Creek Park..... 7011 Harris Rd.
45. Solera Gardens Park..... 6010 Miramonte Dr.
46. Stiern Park..... 5201 Monitor St.
47. Stone Creek Park 8515 Akers Rd.
48. Tevis Park..... 3701 Saddle Dr.
49. The Park at River Walk.... 11200 Stockdale Hwy.
50. Tradewinds Park 5510 Beach Rose Dr.
51. University Park 4301 University Ave.
52. Uplands of the KR Pkwy..... 4415 Chester Ave.
53. Wayside Park 1200 Ming Ave.
54. Weill Park..... 2601 Q. St.
55. Weston Park 9215 Golden Wheat Dr.
56. Westwold Park..... 7906 Westwold Dr.
57. Wilderness Park 5720 Wilderness Dr.
58. Wilson Park..... 2400 Wilson Rd.
59. Windermere Park 3101 Bromley Way
60. Windsor Park 515 Windsor Park Dr.
61. Yokuts Park..... 4200 Empire Dr.

PLACES OF INTEREST

- A. Police Officers Memorial..... 1601 Truxtun Ave.
- B. Garces Memorial Circle... Chester Ave. & 30th St.
- C. Kern Veterans Memorial..... 515 Truxtun Ave.
- D. Korean Veterans Memorial 2900 Truxtun Ave.
- E. Liberty Garden..... 1501 Truxtun Ave.
- F. Liberty Tree..... 515 Truxtun Ave.
- G. San Miguel Comm. GroveManor St. & Denise Ave.
- H. Sister City Gardens..... 525 18th St.

BAKERSFIELD MOBILE APP

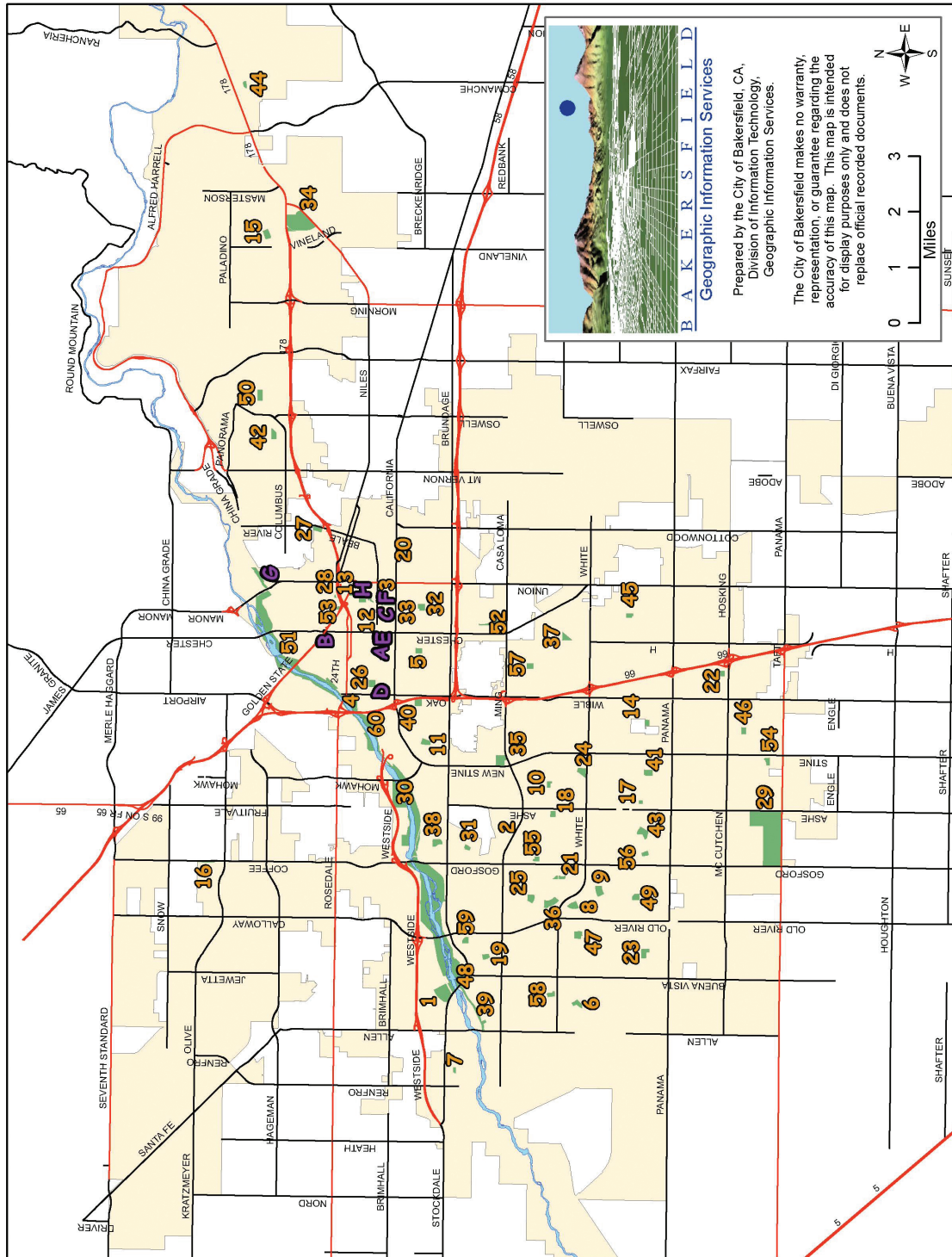
The City of Bakersfield has been improving citizen accessibility with its innovative Bakersfield mobile application since its launch in July 2014.

You can report the following items directly to City staff via the online reporting application:

- Deceased Animals
- Encampments
- Parks Equipment Issue
- Parks Irrigation Issue
- Illegal Dumping
- Graffiti
- Landscaping
- Malfunctioning Street Lights
- Malfunctioning Traffic Signals
- Occupied Boarded Building
- Potholes
- Water Waste
- Shopping Cart (abandoned)



PARK LOCATIONS



DRONES PROHIBITED IN CITY PARKS

City of Bakersfield Municipal Code (§12.56.050) prohibits drones from being flown in City Parks. Within the limits of any park, it is unlawful for any person, other than a duly authorized city employee in the performance of his or her duty, to do any of the following:

Play or practice golf or archery, fly motor-driven model aircraft, or throw a javelin, shotput, hammer, boomerang, or other dangerous projectile or launch any type of rocket device, regardless of the power source.

PARK AMENITIES

Park Amenities Guide	Size in Acres	# of Group Picnic Areas	Serving Shelter	Barbecue Grills	Restrooms	Playgrounds	Leash Free Area	Amphitheatre	Wi-Fi	Multi-Purpose Room	Softball Field (lighted)	Backstop	Soccer/Rugby Field (lighted)	Soccer/Rugby Field (unlighted)	Basketball Courts	Gymnasium	Tennis Courts	Volleyball Courts	Pavilion	Swimming Pool	Water Spray Park	Skate Park	Horseshoe Pits	Disc Golf Course	Exercise Stations	Pickleball Courts
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3. Amtrak Station Playground																										
4. Beach Park	32	1																								
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7. Bill Park Greens Park	3																									
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