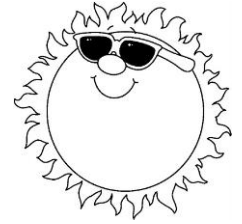




BLUFFTON PARKS AND RECREATION 2022 SUMMER ACTIVITIES



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SWIM LESSON REGISTRATION- Saturday, May 7th, 10 am-noon at City Hall. The cost is \$20 due at registration. Swim lessons are for children who have just finished grades K-12. Class lessons are held Monday through Friday, June 6-17th at either 10-10:50 am or 11-11:50 am OR June 27- July 8th at 11-11:50 am for 10 lessons at the Wells Community Pool. **Diving lessons** June 27th-July 8th 11-11:50 am. Call the pool at 825-1550 for private lesson options beginning May 28th. **Pee Wee Swim Lessons** are for ages 4-pre-K (adult must get in the water with child). The cost is \$6, and lessons will be M-W-F the week of June 20th. Swim time is from 11-11:45 am. Follow the Wells Community Pool Facebook page for weather-related cancellations.

FREE TENNIS LESSONS- Monday – Friday, June 6th - July 15th at Lion's Park, weather permitting. Parents must register students the first day they attend. (Follow Bluffton Parks on Facebook for weather-related delays) Class is determined by the grade the student will enter or by being age 5 by June 1st:

10:30- 11:30 am 5yrs-1st grade (Mondays only)

9:30 - 10:30 am (Mon.-Fri.) 5th-8th grade

10:30 – 11:30 am 2nd - 4th grade (Tue-Fri)

11:30 am – 12:30 pm (Mon.-Fri.) 9th - 12th grade

WELLS COMMUNITY POOL- is located at 310 West Spring Street. Pool hours are 1-6 pm 7-days a week, weather permitting. The pool is available for private rentals by calling 824-6069 or call the pool directly May 28-Aug 7th at 824-1550. **Daily Admissions:** Adult (18+) \$3.50; Youth (3-17yrs) \$3.00; 2 & under free w/ paid ADULT (Limit 3 children per paid adult) Daily discounts are \$2.00 admissions for all ages from 4-6pm only. Ticket Savings Package: 20 tickets for \$50.00. Tickets are suitable for all ages and days.

PICNIC IN THE PARK – Children aged 18 and under are invited to enjoy a free lunch every weekday from 10:30-12:30 pm at Roush Park (925 W Silver) starting June 1st to July 29th. This program is provided by the Bluffton Harrison Metropolitan Schools and is open to youth from any district. No registration is required; simply stop by the park pavilion Monday – Friday for a free balanced meal.

SPLASH PADS - 2 Locations: 304 E Washington Street at Pickett's Run Park & 925 W Silver Street at Roush Park Hours: 11 am-7 pm. Dates: Opening varies on weather and the availability to schedule a startup. Both splash pads close by the 3rd weekend in September or before if the weather turns cold early.

K-9 KOMMONS DOG PARK - Dog Park keys are on sale in the Clerk Treasurer's office in City Hall (128 E Market) for only \$15. Membership runs Jan - Dec each year. You must provide verification that your dog has current vaccinations and parasite preventative. The dog park is located at 805 W Market Street.

BLUFFTON CITY GYM - Becoming a member of the city gym gives you access to the fitness room, locker rooms, saunas, racquetball court, and basketball court. Memberships run from Jan- Dec. and are prorated every three months. A single membership for the year costs \$80, starting in April only \$60, July \$40, and Oct only \$20. To schedule a tour, call 824-6069.

WELLS COUNTY ROCKS - The Bluffton Parks Department has partnered with Wells County Rock (Facebook page) in a community initiative created to spread joy and encourage creativity. Be creative as you paint on rocks and hide them for others to find in our City Parks.

YARN BOMBING - is a form of street art in which the artist transforms public spaces with colorful knits or crocheted yarn. The Bluffton Parks Department would like to thank the artists who worked long hours to create the beautiful display installed this summer on the pedestrian bridge beside State Rd 1.

Summer Activities 2022 – Must pre-register unless the event says "drop-in."

Call 824-6069 or e-mail events@blufftonindiana.gov to register. SPACE IS LIMITED and fills up fast!!

Activity	Ages	Date	Time	Location	Additional Info	Cost
Rock Steady Boxing	adults (w/Parkinson's)	year-round (every M, W, F)	11-12:30 pm	Washington Park	continuous program	\$5
Farm Wagon (fresh food)	all ages (drop-in)	year-round (every Tuesday)	8:45-9:30 am	Life Community Church	stay in your vehicle	FREE
Yoga in the Park	ages (drop-in)	May 2 nd – July 25 th (Mondays)	6:30-7:30 pm	Kehoe Park	bring yoga mat	\$5
Clue Murder in May	all ages (drop-in)	May 3 rd – May 31 st	Any	Parks Dept. Trails	clues online	FREE
Yoga in the Park	ages (drop-in)	May 4 th – July 27 th (Wed.)	6:30-7:30 pm	Kehoe Park	bring yoga mat	\$5
Yoga Brunch and Bubbles	adults-only	May 7 th	9:00 am	Washington Park	bring ID and yoga mat	\$25/\$20
Power Wheels in the Park	3-9 yrs. old	May 14 th	9-11 am	Roush Park	must pre-register	FREE
Kid's Bike Race and Rodeo	children	May 14 th	11am-1pm	Roush Park	bike and helmet	FREE
Fort Wayne Ballet Performance	all ages (drop-in)	May 17 th	7:00 pm	Kehoe Park	bring seating	FREE
Theater Thursday	adults only (drop-in)	May 19 th	10:00 am	Wells Co. Library	In the Heights – PG13	FREE
Hue Can Paint (Minion)	7yrs - 18yrs	May 23 rd	6-7:45 pm	2 nd Floor of City Hall	limited class size	\$15
Nerf Wars	5yrs - 16yrs	May 26 th	5:30-6:30 pm	Bluffton City Gym	must pre-register	\$1
Pedal Wells Challenge	all ages	June 1 st – Aug. 31 st	Any	Any	register online	\$20
Yoga in the Park	all ages (drop-in)	June 1 st – July 27 th (Mon.&Wed.)	6:30-7:30 pm	Kehoe Park	bring yoga mat	\$5
Gagaball	7yrs and up (drop-in)	June 2 nd	2-3 pm	Roush Gagaball Pit	nothing needed	FREE
Intro to Pickleball	16yrs-adults	June 6,13,20,27th	10-11am	Washington Park	Tennis courts	FREE
Craft Club (Safari Animal Magnet)	4yrs – 12yrs (drop-in)	June 6 th	9-10 am	Roush Park	first 48 kids	FREE
Crafting for a Cause	6yrs and up (drop-in)	June 6 th	11–11:45 am	Roush Park	TBA	FREE
Bowling	6yrs – 18yrs	June 6 th	12-2 pm	EZ Bowl	wear socks/pre-register	\$3
Tot Bubble Day	2yrs – 5yrs (drop-in)	June 7 th	9-9:30 am	Roush Park	attend with adult	FREE
Perfect Pet Intro to the Basics	15yrs – adults	June 7 th , 14 th , 21 st	6-7 pm	Perfect Pet	bring vaccine record	FREE
Egg Drop Challenge	7yrs – 18yrs (drop-in)	June 8 th	2-3 pm	Bluffton City Gym	bring 2 raw eggs	FREE
Tot Lego Day	2yrs – 5yrs (drop-in)	June 9 th	9-9:30 am	Roush Park	attend with adult	FREE
Lego Play Day	6yrs – 14yrs (drop-in)	June 9 th	9:30-10:30 am	Roush Park	nothing needed	FREE
Art in the Park (Sport Visor)	2yrs – 12yrs (drop-in)	June 10 th	10:30-11:30am	Roush Park	first 60 kids, bring markers	FREE
Craft Club (Pencil Case)	4yrs – 12yrs (drop-in)	June 13 th	9-10 am	Roush Park	first 60 kids, bring markers	FREE
Crafting for a Cause	6yrs and up (drop-in)	June 13 th	11–11:45 am	Roush Park	TBA	FREE
Candle Making	13yrs – adults	June 13 th	6 - 7 pm	Bijou Gift Boutique	class size limit 10	\$20
Tot Scavenger Hunt	2yrs – 5yrs (drop-in)	June 14 th	9-9:30 am	Roush Park	attend with adult	FREE
Scientific Tuesday	all ages (drop-in)	June 14 th	11-11:45 am	Roush Park	nothing needed	FREE

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5 in 5K Series (Race 1)	all ages	June 14th	7:00 pm	TBA	nothing needed	\$1
Bubble Dash	3yrs-7yrs	June 15 th	12 pm	Pickett's Run	wear swimsuit	\$1
Foam Party	all ages (drop-in)	June 15 th	2:30-3:30 pm	Pickett's Run Splash Pad	swimsuit & towel	FREE
Tot Chalk it up	2yrs – 5yrs (drop-in)	June 16 th	9-9:30 am	Roush Park	attend with adult	FREE
Theater Thursday	adults only (drop-in)	June 16 th	10:00 am	Wells Co. Library	Jungle Cruise-PG13	FREE
Chicks Run 5K (Ladies Only)	all ages	June 16 th	7:00 pm	Pickett's Run	form required bring ID	\$15/\$25
Rock Painting	3yrs – 15yrs (drop-in)	June 17 th	10-10:30 am	Roush Park	wear old clothing	FREE
Art in the Park (Tropical fan)	2yrs – 12yrs (drop-in)	June 17 th	10:30-11:30am	Roush Park	first 60 kids, bring markers	FREE
Craft Club (3D Tropical Island)	4yrs – 12yrs (drop-in)	June 20 th	9-10 am	Roush Park	first 60 kids, bring markers	FREE
Matchbox Car Playday	4yrs – 12yrs (drop-in)	June 20 th	10-11 am	Roush Park	bring matchbox cars	FREE
Crafting for a Cause	6yrs and up (drop-in)	June 20 th	11–11:45 am	Roush Park	TBA	FREE
Animal Explorers	all ages (drop-in)	June 21 st	9-9:30 am	Roush Park	attend with adult	FREE
Scientific Tuesday	all ages (drop-in)	June 21 st	11-11:45 am	Roush Park	nothing needed	FREE
5 in 5K Series (Race 2)	all ages	June 21 st	7:00 pm	TBA	nothing needed	\$1
Fuse Bead Magnets	5yrs – 14yrs	June 22 nd	2-3 pm	Washington Park Inside	nothing needed	FREE
Loom Hot Pad	7yrs – 18yrs	June 22 nd	3-4:30 pm	Washington Park Inside	nothing needed	FREE
Dance Class	3yrs – 6 yrs(drop-in)	June 22 nd	5:30 - 6:00pm	ABC Studio	nothing needed	FREE
Tot Puzzle Day	2yrs – 5yrs (drop-in)	June 23 rd	9-9:30 am	Roush Park	attend with adult	FREE
Ronald McDonald Mobile Health	birth-5yrs (drop-in)	June 23 rd	9 am-4 pm	Roush Park	nothing needed	FREE
Shaving Cream Fight	all ages (drop-in)	June 23 rd	2-2:30 pm	Pickett's Run Park	bring shaving cream	FREE
Wabash River Paddle	all ages (youth w/adult)	June 23 rd	7:00 pm	White Bridge	park at Kehoe	FREE
Art in the Park (Sea Mosaic)	2yrs – 12yrs (drop-in)	June 24 th	10:30-11:30am	Roush Park	first 60 kids, bring markers	FREE
Last Child Concert	all ages (drop-in)	June 24 th (Aerosmith Tribute)	8-10 pm	Kehoe Park	food and beverage sales	FREE
Fastest Kid in Town Race	3yrs – 12yrs	June 25 th	8:30 am	Pickett's Run	nothing needed	\$10
Community Worship Celebration	all ages (drop-in)	June 26 th	7-8:30 pm	Kehoe Park	bring seating	FREE
Craft Club (Animal Tissue Paper)	4yrs – 12yrs (drop-in)	June 27 th	9-10 am	Roush Park	first 60 kids, bring markers	FREE
Stuff and Fluff	all ages	June 27 th	10-10:30 am	Roush Park	pre-order by May 31 st	\$15
Crafting for a Cause	6yrs and up (drop-in)	June 27 th	11–11:45 am	Roush Park	TBA	FREE
River Clean Up	12yrs - adults	June 27 th	5:30 pm	Wabash River Pavilion	behind Hardees	FREE
Tot Messy Art	2yrs – 5yrs (drop-in)	June 28 th	9-9:30 am	Roush Park	with adult wear old clothes	FREE
Scientific Tuesday	all ages (drop-in)	June 28 th	11-11:45 am	Roush Park	nothing needed	FREE
5 in 5K Series (Race 3)	all ages	June 28 th	7:00 pm	TBA	nothing needed	\$1
Dinosaur Dig	5yrs – 12yrs	June 29 th	10:30-11 am	Roush Park	limited to first 36	\$2
Dance Class	7yrs and up (drop-in)	June 29 th	5:30 - 6:00pm	ABC Studio	nothing needed	FREE

Activity	Ages	Date	Time	Location	Additional Info	Cost
Tot Play Day	2yrs – 5yrs (drop-in)	June 30th	9-9:30 am	Roush Park	attend with adult	FREE
Paper skyscraper	7yrs – 18yrs (drop-in)	June 30 th	2-3 pm	Bluffton City Gym	nothing needed	FREE
Moonlight Bike Ride	all ages (child w/adult)	June 30 th	9:00 pm	Pickett’s Run	bike and lights	FREE
Magical Park Opens (drop-in)	all ages	July 1 st -July 31 st	Dawn-Dusk	Lions Park (Wilson field)	mobile device	FREE
Art in the Park (USA Paddleball)	2yrs – 12yrs (drop-in)	July 1 st	10:30-11:30am	Roush Park	first 60 kids, bring markers	FREE
Independence Day	all ages (drop-in)	July 4 th	10pm fireworks	Bluffton Football Field	bring seating	FREE
Scientific Tuesday	all ages (drop-in)	July 5 th	11-11:45 am	Roush Park	nothing needed	FREE
5 in 5K Series (Race 4)	all ages	July 5 th	7:00 pm	TBA	nothing needed	\$1
Yoga in the Park	all ages (drop-in)	July 6 th – July 25 th (Mon.&Wed.)	6:30-7:30 pm	Kehoe Park	bring yoga mat	\$5
Magical Park Scavenger Hunt	all ages	July 7 th	7:00 pm	Lions Park (Wilson field)	mobile device	FREE
Fleetwood Gold	all ages (drop-in)	July 8 th (Fleetwood Mac Tribute)	8-10 pm	Kehoe Park	food and beverage sales	FREE
Superhero Race Family Event	all ages	July 9 th	8:30 am	Pickett’s Run	register online	\$10
Classic Car Cruise	all ages (drop-in)	July 10 th	5 pm	Dutch Mill Parking Lot	sign waiver on site	FREE
Ok Boomer Concert	all ages (drop-in)	July 10 th	7-8:30 pm	Kehoe Park	food and beverage sales	FREE
Crafting for a Cause	6yrs and up (drop-in)	July 11 th	11–11:45 am	Roush Park	TBA	FREE
Jr. Veterinarian Day	all ages	July 12 th	2-3 pm	1890 N Main St	must pre-register	FREE
5 in 5K Series (Race 5)	all ages	July 12 th	7:00 pm	TBA	nothing needed	\$1
Drawing class	7-18yrs	July 13 th , 14 th , 15 th	11 am-12 pm	City Hall 2 nd Floor	pencil and drawing pad	FREE
Bucket Drumming	4yrs– 6yrs	July 13 th	2-2:30 pm	Roush Park	attend with adult	FREE
Bucket Drumming	7yrs – 9yrs	July 13 th	2:45-3:30 pm	Roush Park	nothing needed	FREE
Bucket Drumming	10yrs and up	July 13 th	3:30-4:15 pm	Roush Park	nothing needed	FREE
Beyblade Spin off	7-16yrs	July 14 th	3-4 pm	City Gym	bring Beyblade	FREE
Tumbling Class	3yrs – 5yrs	July 20 th	5:30 - 6pm	St. Joseph Catholic Church	nothing needed	FREE
Theater Thursday	adults only (drop-in)	July 21 st	10:00 am	Wells Co. Library	Wonder Woman:1984-PG-13	FREE
Hue Can Paint (American Flag)	7yrs – 18yrs	July 25 th	6-7:45 pm	2nd floor City Hall	limited class size	\$15
Tumbling Class	6yrs and up (drop-in)	July 27 th	5:30 - 6pm	St. Joseph Catholic Church	nothing needed	FREE
Nerf Wars	5yrs - 16yrs	July 28 th	3-4 pm	Bluffton City Gym	must pre-register	\$1
Simply Elton Concert	all ages (drop-in)	July 29 th (Elton John Tribute)	8-10 pm	Kehoe Park	food and beverage sales	FREE
Sail On Concert	all ages (drop-in)	Aug 5 th (Beach Boys Tribute)	8-10 pm	Kehoe Park	food and beverage sales	FREE
Jeep Cruise-In	all ages (drop-in)	Aug 7 th	5:00 pm	Dutch Mill Parking Lot	sign waiver on site	FREE
Sugar Shot Concert	all ages (drop-in)	Aug 7 th (Country)	7-8:30 pm	Kehoe Park	food and beverage sales	FREE
Theater Thursday	adults only (drop-in)	Aug 18 th	10:00 am	Wells Co. Library	Percy vs. Goliath – PG-13	FREE
Touch A Truck	all ages (drop-in)	Aug 27 th	9 - Noon	Commons Parking Lot	attend with adult	FREE