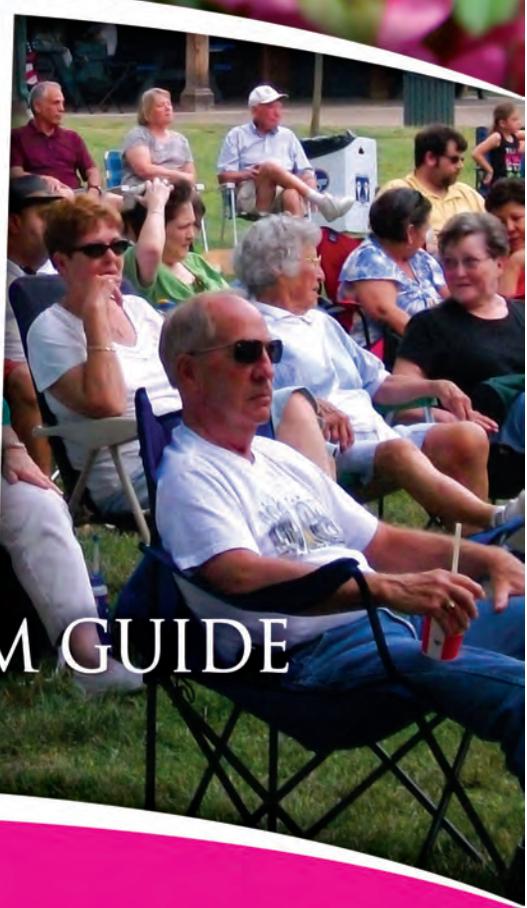




# THE GATEWAY

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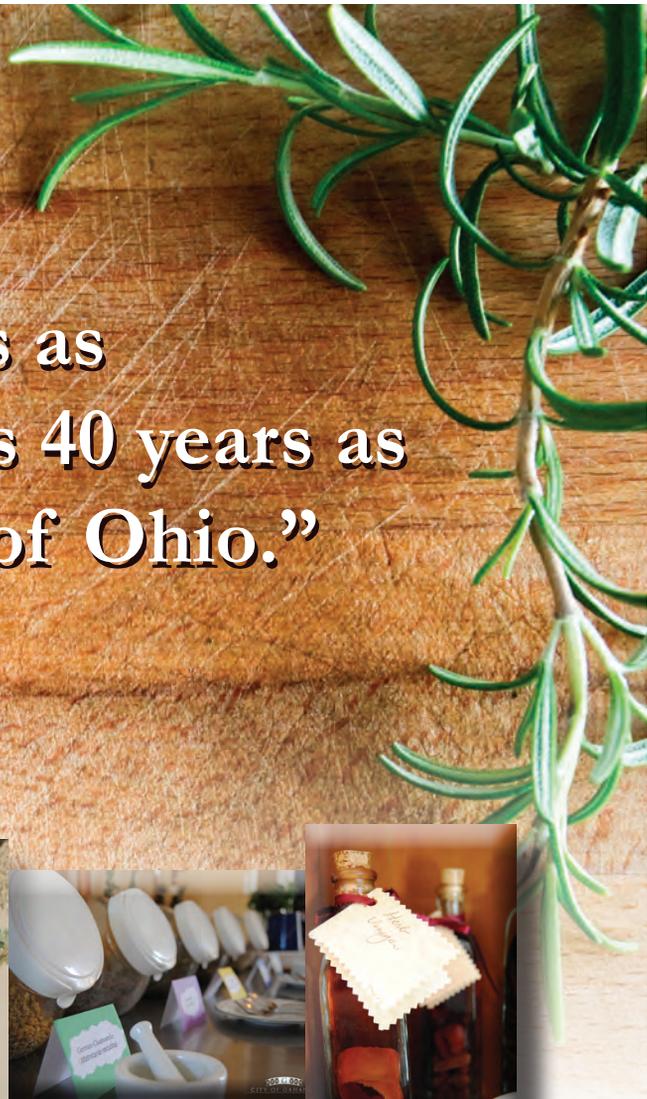


## SUMMER 2012 PROGRAM GUIDE

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# Come grow with us as Gahanna celebrates 40 years as the “Herb Capital of Ohio.”



In 1972 the Ohio Legislature designated Gahanna as “Herb Capital of Ohio.” One woman, Jane “Bunnie” Geroux, made it all possible through her tireless efforts, knowledge and passion for herbs. She soon founded and became director of the Ohio Herb Education Foundation, established in the Ridenour house, a historic Gahanna home on W. Johnstown Rd.

The herb program expanded with the addition of the Gahanna Department of Parks & Recreation’s Ohio Herb Education Center (OHEC) located in the heart of Gahanna’s Creekside District in the Nafzger-Miller house which is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.



For more information and classes, visit [www.ohioherbcenter.org](http://www.ohioherbcenter.org)  
614-342-4380

# THE GATEWAY

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### 2012 Civic Leaders

**Mayor:**            **Becky Stinchcomb**

**City Attorney:** **Shane W. Ewald**

**Gahanna City Council:**

**Ward 1:**           **Stephen A. Renner**

**Ward 2:**           **Brandon Wright**

**Ward 3:**           **Brian Larick**

**Ward 4:**           **Beryl D. Anderson**

**At Large:**       **Karen J. Angelou**  
                       **Ryan P. Jolley**  
                       **David Samuel**

### Parks & Recreation Board

Meetings held at 7pm on the first Wednesday of each month at City Hall unless otherwise noted. All meetings are open to the public.

Jan Ross, Chair  
 Luke Messinger, Vice Chair  
 Cynthia Franzmann,  
 Eric Miller  
 Laurel Naegele  
 Jill Schuler  
 Vincent Tremante

### Gahanna Landscape Board

Meetings held at 6pm on the first Wednesday of each month at City Hall unless otherwise noted. All meetings are open to the public.

Melissa Hyde, Chair  
 Jane Allinder, Vice Chair  
 Mark DiGiando  
 Frank O'Hare  
 Ken Shepherd

### Parks & Recreation Staff

Tony Collins, Director  
 Troy Euton, Deputy Director  
 Pam Ripley, Administrative Assistant

Mike Musser, Parks Superintendent  
 Jim Ferguson, Parks Foreman  
 Rob Wendling, Parks Technician - Forestry  
 Marty White, Facilities Foreman

Shannon Clonch, Recreation Superintendent  
 Kate Mattison, Recreation Supervisor  
 Danise Hall, Senior Services Supervisor  
 Laura Brewer, Recreation Specialist  
 Zac Guthrie, Recreation Specialist

### Part-Time Staff

Crickett Anderson, Birthday Party Coordinator  
 Sophia Dimofski, Senior Center Coordinator  
 Denny Evans, Facilities Coordinator  
 Valerie Hamill, Recreation Coordinator  
 Joe Hebdo, Parks Coordinator  
 Jean Langkamp, Senior Center Coordinator  
 Bill Loebick, Parks Naturalist  
 Janet Mizera, Front Desk Coordinator  
 Norm Sellers, Golf Course Coordinator  
 Summer Denius, Front Desk Coordinator

# COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD

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## Gahanna Cleans Green

*Records shredding, E-recycling and GRIN collection!*

Saturday, April 21, 2012  
 9am - 12 noon  
 Gahanna City Hall parking lot  
 200 S. Hamilton Rd.  
 Event held rain or shine  
 NO SERVICE PRIOR TO 9am

**Records shredding:** Residents can bring family records for free shredding by Ohio Mobile Shredding (no business records, please). Shreddings are unreadable and recycled.

**E-recycling:** Residents can bring computers and accessories, e-entertainment devices, and mobile communication devices for recycling by Intechra.

**GRIN collection:** Voluntary donations of non-perishable food or money will be accepted for Gahanna Residents in Need (GRIN).

For information about what to shred and when, or questions about the event: 342-4090 or sharon.montgomery@gahanna.gov

Watch local papers, city web site and e-newsletter, cable TV for more information closer to the event date.

## Employment

**Summer Aquatics, Camp Staff & Event Staff**  
 Secure a summer job today! Parks & Recreation needs lifeguards, camp counselors, coordinators, and office workers for 2012.  
 Apply online at cityofgahannajobs.com.

## Volunteer Advisory Committees

The Parks & Recreation Board created the following advisory committees to assist the Department of Parks & Recreation with facilitating planning, promotion and implementation with the assistance of volunteer residents. Please call 342-4250 if interested in volunteering on any of these committees.

### Aquatics Advisory Committee

The Aquatics Advisory Committee offers guidance and recommendations for Gahanna's city-run pools.

### Bicycle Advisory Committee

The Bicycle Advisory Committee, originally formed in 1995, is instrumental to the formation of our Bikeway Plan. This committee is meeting on a regular basis to update the original plan.

### Natural Resources Advisory Committee

The Natural Resources Advisory Committee is tasked to inventory the natural resources in each of Gahanna's parks.

# VOLUNTEER

## Golf Course

Volunteer at the Gahanna Golf Course as a player assistant, ranger/marshall/starter, or greeter! Must commit to two days a week and have golf experience as well as wonderful people skills. Contact Kate at kate.mattison@gahanna.gov for information.

## Events & Programs

The Department is always seeking volunteers to help at events and programs. Opportunities range from event setup, community clean ups, running a children's activity station, and more. For a list of volunteer opportunities, please visit our website, www.gahanna.gov or call 614-342-4250. Contact Zac at zac.guthrie@gahanna.gov for information.

## Aquatics

Family night volunteers are needed during the summer at the pools in 2012. Contact Kate at kate.mattison@gahanna.gov for more information.

## Ohio Herb Education Center

Volunteers are needed, hours available to assist with the Gardens, events, programs and more! Call 614-342-4380 or email zac.guthrie@gahanna.gov.



# HONOR OUR VETERANS

That have served or are currently serving in the armed forces

To honor those who have served our country, buy a brick to be placed at the Gahanna Veterans Memorial Park. The cost is \$25 per brick. A commemorative certificate is available upon request for an additional \$2. Bricks are dedicated on Memorial Day and Veterans Day.

## 2012 DATES

MEMORIAL DAY  
 MONDAY, MAY 28, 1PM

VETERANS DAY  
 SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 11AM



# AQUATICS FACILITIES



## 2012 Membership Prices

**Be one of the first 500 households to buy your membership and receive a Discount Card!**

Early Bird pricing is available **NOW** through Friday April 27, 2012! The "Sneak Peak" rate is available between Saturday, April 28 through 8pm on Thursday, June 7. Full price memberships will be offered beginning at 8am on Friday, June 8th.

Membership Types valid at <b>BOTH</b> pools	Gahanna Resident Rate			Standard Rate		
	Early Bird Until Apr 27	Sneek Peak Apr 28-Jun 7	Regular Beginning Jun 8	Early Bird Until Apr 27	Sneek Peak Apr 28-Jun 7	Regular Beginning Jun 8
<b>Single:</b> Ages 12+ or on swim team	\$140	\$170	\$195	\$175	\$195	\$215
<b>Couple:</b> 2 people, same household	\$190	\$220	\$250	\$240	\$255	\$270
<b>Family:</b> 3+ people, same household	\$225	\$265	\$300	\$280	\$305	\$330
<b>Senior:</b> ages 55+	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$60	\$60	\$60
<b>Provider Pass:</b> Add to Couple or Family, must be 16 years or older	\$70	\$80	\$90	\$85	\$100	\$110

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### Daily Gate Passes

Lower public admission day rates AND the same price at both pools!

Daily	\$9	Daily w/member	\$7
After 4pm	\$7	Daily w/member	\$5

### 7 Visit Pass Rates

Good at **BOTH** locations.  
Good for 7 individual visits.

Member rate	\$37
Non-member rate	\$47

### Mark Your Calendar!

#### Dive In Movies

June 8, July 13, & August 10.  
Stay tuned for movie titles.

#### Ice Cream Nights at Hunters Ridge Pool

Tuesdays, 6-8pm June 12-August 14

#### Hot Dog Nights at Gahanna Swimming Pool

Thursdays, 6-8:30pm June 7-August 16

### Pre-Summer Hours of Operation

(Effective May 26-June 6)

	Hunters Ridge Pool	Gahanna Swimming Pool
Sat. May 26	12pm-6pm	12pm-6pm
Sun. May 27	1pm-6pm	1pm-6pm
Mon. May 28	12pm-6pm	12pm-6pm
May 29-June 1	4pm-8pm	Closed
Sat. June 2	12pm-6pm	12pm-6pm
Sun. June 3	1pm-6pm	1pm-6pm
June 4-6	4pm-8pm	Closed

### Summer Hours of Operation

(Effective June 7 – August 21)

	Hunters Ridge Pool	Gahanna Swimming Pool
Sunday	11am-6pm	1pm-8pm
Monday	12pm-8pm	11am-8pm
Tuesday	12pm-8pm	11am-8pm
Wednesday	12pm-8pm	11am-8pm
Thursday	12pm-8pm	11am-8:30pm
Friday	10am-8pm	11am-8pm
Saturday	10am-8pm	11am-8pm

Hunters Ridge will close at 3:30pm on June 20, July 5 and July 11 for swim meets.

The Back Pool at the Gahanna Swimming Pool will be closed on three Wednesdays in June and July for swim meets. The back pool will also be closed on June 15, 16 and 17th for a regional swim meet.

## American Red Cross Lifeguarding Class

Join our team this summer! We always need lifeguards; this is your opportunity to get certified in lifeguarding and become a Parks & Recreation employee. Must be able to pass all prerequisites for consideration in hiring process.

### Prerequisites:

- Must be 15 years of age or older
- Swim 300 yards continuously demonstrating breath control and rhythmic breathing.
- Tread water for 2 minutes using only the legs.
- Submerge to a depth of 4 to 5 feet to retrieve a 10-pound object.

Location: Hunters Ridge Pool

Class: 380401A

Staff rate: \$50

Dates: May 13 (prerequisite testing)  
1:30pm-3:00pm

May 14-17, 3:30-8:00pm

May 19 TBA – Skill Out/Test Day

# Family Fun Nights over Summer Break!

## Activities at BOTH Pools!

**FREE for members**

**\$5 per person**

**Begins at 4pm!**

### Ice Cream Nights!

Tuesdays at HRP, 5pm-8pm

\$1 Bowls of Ice Cream & Summer Time Fun

Every Tuesday from June 12 – August 14

### Hotdog Nights!

Thursdays at GSP, 5-8:30pm

\$1 Hotdogs, DJ

Every Thursday from June 14 – August 16

### Dive-In Movies at HRP

Discounted admission (\$5 per person) starts at 4pm, movies start at approximately 8:30pm

June 8 Chicken Little (G)

July 13 Twilight (PG-13)

August 10 Free Willy (PG)

## Adult Swim Nights! at HRP

No kids allowed! Discounted admission (\$5 per person) begins at 4pm, adult swim starts at 8pm. Adult swim nights will give those 18 years of age and older a chance to take to the water and really relax and enjoy themselves. Please bring your ID as patrons will be carded upon entering. Food, music, swimming, and fun!

June 21, 8pm-10:30pm

July 27, 8pm-10:30pm

## Make a Splash!

This USA Swimming Foundation program is being run by the Greater Columbus Swim School to educate the public on the importance of learning to swim. Make a Splash is designed to bring swimming to those children (12 and under) who may not otherwise have the funding or opportunity to do so. This program is free but registration is required.

Class Day Time Location

380501A June 30 11am-1pm GSP

380501B July 14 11am-1pm HRP

380501C July 28 11am-1pm GSP

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## Need a little shade from the sun? Rent a shelter at one of our pools!

Shelter rentals include 3 hours in the shelter (setup and tear down must be included in this time) and gate admission for 20 guests (HRP) or 30 guests (GSP) non-members during regular business hours.

Additional admission passes are available for purchase for \$4 (GSP) or \$3 (HRP).

### Shelter Capacities

Large shelter at GSP: 60 guests

Shelter at HRP: 20 guests

## Gahanna Aquatics Facilities are available for private events!

Rentals include 1-3 hour(s) private pool rental and gate entry for patrons **during non-business hours**. Additional hours may be purchased by contacting the department. Rentals at Gahanna Swimming Pool may not extend past daylight hours; rentals at Hunters Ridge Pool are available until 11pm (music is prohibited after 9:30pm).

Pricing and amenities depend on membership status, residency, and size of party. For pricing information and details please visit the aquatics page on [www.gahanna.gov](http://www.gahanna.gov).

Alcohol is prohibited in all city parks including the Hunters Ridge Pool & the Gahanna Swimming Pool.

## HRP Seahorses Recreational Swim Team

The Hunters Ridge Seahorses swim team offers youth the opportunity to refine the strokes learned in swim lessons. Members will begin to learn the skills of competitive swimming and enjoy the friendly, supportive atmosphere of a recreational team. Participants should be comfortable with the skills taught through Level 4 of the HRP swim lessons. Paperwork and payment must be received prior to participating in practice sessions.

Cost: \$65 Members. \$85 Residents. \$95 Non Residents.

Refundable Staffing Deposit: \$50 per family, must be paid by check (Parents/guardians are required to volunteer at swim team meets and/or events. Details will be provided at the parent meeting.)

## Mandatory Swim Team Parent Meeting

*Youth please come in suits, ready to swim*

Date: Wednesday, May 30

Time: 6:30 – 8pm

Location: Hunters Ridge Pool Shelter

Optional Practices prior to official swim season: 6pm-8pm 5/30, 6/1, 6/5, 6/6, 6/7

## Mandatory Practices begin Monday, June 11

Varsity Practice: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 8:45-9:50am

Junior Varsity Practice: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 10:00-10:50am

Joint Practices (JV & Varsity): Wednesday 9-10:15am; Tuesday, Thursday: 7-8pm

Meets are on Wednesday nights throughout the season. Championships will be held on July 18, 19, and 21.

Class: 380201A

# 2012 HRP Swim Lessons

## Hunters Ridge Swimming Pool - 341 Harrow Blvd

### Swim Lesson Assessments

Unsure what level swim lessons your child should enroll in? Let us help you figure it out at a swim lesson assessment; you can meet our staff, ask questions and register for classes! Sign up for an assessment at the pool! Please note: Assessment participants will be admitted free of charge for purpose of assessments only. If you wish to enter the pool earlier, payment of the daily pass rate or a membership is required. Thank you!

#### Assessment Dates

Session 1: June 12, 5pm or June 13, 6pm  
 Session 2: June 30, 11am or July 3, 6pm  
 Session 3: July 14, 11am or July 18, 6pm  
 Session 4: July 28, 11am or August 1, 6pm



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### Hunters Ridge Pool

#### Rates:

Member	RDR	SR
\$50	\$60	\$70

#### Session 1: June 18-June 29

Morning classes: Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

Class	Level	Time
380101A	Parent/Toddler	11:10am-11:50am
380101B	Level 1	10:10am-11:00am
380101D	Level 2	11:10-11:50am
380101F	Level 3	9:30-10:10am
380101H	Level 4	9:30-10:10am

Evening classes: Mondays, Tuesdays & Thursdays

Class	Level	Time
380101C	Level 1	5:40-6:20pm
380101E	Level 2	6:30-7:10pm
380101G	Level 3	7:20-8pm
380101J	Level 4	7:20-8pm

#### Session 2: July 9-July 20

Morning classes: Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

Class	Level	Time
380102B	Level 1	9:30-10:10am
380102D	Level 2	10:20-11:00am
380102F	Level 3	11:10-11:50am
380102H	Level 4	11:10-11:50am

Evening classes: Mondays, Tuesdays & Thursdays

Class	Level	Time
380102-A	Parent/Toddler	5:40-6:20pm
380102C	Level 1	6:30-7:10pm
380102E	Level 2	5:40-6:20pm
380102G	Level 3	7:20-8pm
380102J	Level 4	7:20-8pm

#### Session 3: July 23-August 3

Morning classes: Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

Class	Level	Time
380103A	Parent/Toddler	11:10-11:50am
380103B	Level 1	11:10-11:50am
380103D	Level 2	10:20-11:00am
380103F	Level 3	9:30-10:10am
380103H	Level 4	9:30-10:10am

Evening classes: Mondays, Tuesdays & Thursdays

Class	Level	Time
380103C	Level 1	5:40-6:20pm
380103E	Level 2	6:30-7:10pm
380103G	Level 3	7:20-8pm
380103J	Level 4	7:20-8pm

#### Session 4: August 6-August 17

Morning classes: Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

Class	Level	Time
380104B	Level 1	9:30-10:10am
380104D	Level 2	10:20-11:00am
380104F	Level 3	11:10-11:50am
380104H	Level 4	11:10-11:50am

Evening classes: Mondays, Tuesdays & Thursdays

Class	Level	Time
380104A	Parent/Toddler	5:40-6:20pm
380104C	Level 1	6:30-7:10pm
380104E	Level 2	7:20-8pm
380104G	Level 3	5:40-6:20pm
380104J	Level 4	5:40-6:20pm

### Private Swim Lessons

Private swim lessons are available as 30 minute classes for any age. For more information or to register, please call 614.342.4250 or email Elizabeth Wilhelm (Swim Lesson Coordinator), elizabeth.wilhelm@gahanna.gov

Rates	Member	RDR	SR
Per Lsn:	\$20	\$30	\$40

For 5 Lessons:	Member	RDR	SR
	\$75	\$85	\$95



# GAHANNA SWIMMING POOL - 148 Parkland Drive Sea Lions Summer Swim Team & GCSTO Swim Lessons

Please contact Steve Nye at [stevanye@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stevanye@sbcglobal.net) or (614) 478-5445 for level information, times, rates & to register.

GCSTO's summer season starts June 11 (immediately following spring programming). Athletes are allowed 1-week to try the program; this allows them the opportunity to see the quality programming the team has to offer. Try out week is June 4-8, 2012. GCSTO is a member of USA Swimming. This is a year-round club program, highly recognized for its accomplishments in the sport. GCSTO practices at the Gahanna Swimming Pool in the summer, offering a wide variety of morning and evening practice times throughout for athletes ranging from 7 to 19 years of age.

### Swim OR Dive Team Cost

Until May 1: \$65  
After May 1: \$70

### Swim AND Dive Team Cost

Until May 1: \$95  
After May 1: \$100

\*\$170 cap per family until May 1, \$185 cap after May 1

For questions regarding the Sea Lions Swim & Dive Team contact Janice Clegg at [jclegg@columbus.rr.com](mailto:jclegg@columbus.rr.com)

### Informational meeting

Sunday, April 29th from 4-6pm at the Gahanna Municipal Golf Course, 220 Olde Ridenour Rd.

### Eligibility

You must be 18 or younger to join the team. You may be 19 if you are a 2012 high school graduate. Athletes only must be a member of the Gahanna Swimming Pool; family membership is not required.

### Dive Team

You must know at least 2 dives to join the team. Dive Team is not intended to be used as lessons.

### Swim Team

10 yrs and under swimmers must know 2 strokes and have the ability to swim across the pool without stopping. 11 yrs and older must know at least 3 of the competitive strokes and be able to dive into water and swim several laps without stopping.

### Booster Club Fees

\$10 for your first child and then \$5 for each child after that with a \$20 cap per family on this fee. This is applicable to both swimmers and divers.

### Volunteer Requirements

Each family is required to volunteer 3 times during the season at the meets. If you do not work 3 times you will be charged \$25 PER MISSED SESSION. Signup sheets will be at team meeting and at the first week of practice. SIGN UP EARLY TO GET THE POSITIONS YOU WANT!

## Sea Lions Swim Team Practice Schedule

### June 4th – June 8th

#### Swim Team

Juniors: M, Tu & W 4-5 pm  
Seniors: M, Tu & W 5-6:30 pm

#### Dive Team

Juniors & Seniors: M, Tu & W 7-8pm

### Practice from June 11th – End of Season

#### Swim team

Juniors: M, Tu, W & F 10:45 am-12 pm  
Seniors: M, Tu, W & F 9-11 am

#### Dive Team

Juniors: M, Tu, W & F 12pm-1pm  
Seniors: M, Tu, W & F 11am-12pm

(The week of championships we will practice on Thursday)

\*Juniors are 10 and under. Seniors are 11 and over.

Meets are held each Wednesday through the summer. Dive Championships: Friday July 20 & 21. Swim Championships: July 23 & 24.

## Greater Columbus Swim Team Organization Swim Lessons

Cost \$60 for members/\$77 for non-members

### 2 Week Summer Sessions

30 Minute Morning Classes: Between 8:30 and 10:45 am Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri or  
40 Minute Evening Classes: Between 5:00 and 8:00 pm Mon, Tues, & Fri

Weekday Summer Session #1 – June 11 to June 22 (June 15 evening cancelled, makeup June 13)

Weekday Summer Session #2 – June 28 to July 12 (no classes July 3 & 4)

Weekday Summer Session #3 – July 19 to 31, 2012

Weekday Summer Session #4 – August 6 to August 17

### 4 Week Saturday Sessions

60 Minute Classes: Between 8:30 and 10:45 am

Saturday Summer Session #1 – June 9 to July 7

Saturday Summer Session #2 – July 14 to August 11

Head Instructor – Brian Tann (614-312-8323 or [irelander1848@gmail.com](mailto:irelander1848@gmail.com))

Please contact Steve Nye at [stevanye@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stevanye@sbcglobal.net) or (614) 478-5445 for level information, times, rates & to register.

## Technique Stroke Camp

Cost: \$40 per 2 hr session. Or \$36 for those swimming for GCSTO.

Swimmers will be grouped by ability level and all will receive excellent individual attention from our staff. Please arrive to the pool 10 minutes in advance of the start of their session to prepare for the camp that day. Parents please be present by the end of your child's session to pick up your swimmers. Parents are welcome to remain at the pool and watch from the bleachers.

Butterfly Camp		Backstroke Camp		Breaststroke Camp	
June 12	12:30-2:30 pm	June 14	12:30-2:30 pm	June 19	12:30-2:30 pm
June 26	12:30-2:30 pm	June 29	12:30-2:30 pm	June 28	12:30-2:30 pm
Freestyle Camp		Start, Turn & Finish Camp			
June 21	12:30-2:30 pm	June 22	12:30-2:30 pm		
July 2	12:30-2:30 pm	July 6	12:30-2:30 pm		

Please contact Steve Nye at [stevanye@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stevanye@sbcglobal.net) or (614) 478-5445 for further information and to register. Visit [www.gcsto.com](http://www.gcsto.com) for more information.

# MUNICIPAL GOLF COURSE

220 Olde Ridenour Rd. Pro Shop - 614-342-4270  
 Gahanna Parks & Recreation - 614-342-4250

## Annual Membership Rates

The annual season is March through November, weather permitting. Call ahead for tee times. Throughout the season the course hosts league play weekday afternoons/evenings. Tee times are not available during league play hours.

RATES	RDR	SR
Adult	\$357	\$407
Couple	\$510	\$610
Junior (under 18)	\$255	\$305
Senior (55+)	\$255	\$305
Senior Couple	\$408	\$508
Midday Membership	\$255	\$305

**Midday Memberships** include unlimited golf from 9am-3pm Monday through Friday, excluding holidays.

**Family Memberships are available. Cost begins at couples rate and each additional child is \$87.**

### Green Fees (per person)

	Junior/ Senior	Adult
Weekday:	\$8	\$10
Weekend/Holiday:	\$10	\$10
Additional 9 holes:	\$4	\$4

### Rental Fees (per person)

Motor Cart – 9 holes	\$5
Motor Cart – 18 holes	\$10
Pull Cart	\$2
Golf Clubs	\$5



MUNICIPAL GOLF COURSE

### Golf Outings

The Gahanna Golf Course is available to host your next event! Golf Outings are perfect for family and class reunions, birthday parties, employee functions and more. We can create an affordable package to suit your needs. Contact Kate Mattison, Recreation Supervisor, to plan your outing; [kate.mattison@gahanna.gov](mailto:kate.mattison@gahanna.gov)

### Corporate Tournament

This 9-hole golf tournament is meant for anyone who works in Gahanna. Grab your friends from work and participate in this laid-back fun tournament. Cost includes greens fees, cart rental, and food. To register your foursome, please call the golf course; 614.342.4270.

Day	Time	Member/Non-Member
July 27	8-9:15am	\$10/\$20

### US Kids Golf

This 5 week program is designed to make playing and learning the game of golf more fun! US Kids Golf employs modern techniques including games, team competition and skills challenges to teach all aspects of the game. Participants will receive booklet, pin and certificate, bag tag, and a hat.

Session 1: June 11 – July 9

Class	Ages	Day	Time	RDR/SR
300402A	7-10	Mon	8-9:15am	\$60/\$70
300402B	11-15	Mon	9:30-10:45am	\$60/\$70
300402C	16yrs+	Mon	11am-12:15pm	\$60/\$70

### Grandparents & Golf:

This new program encourages grandparents to get their grandkids out on the course for a fun and active experience. We'll play some golf, enjoy some games and lunch will be provided. Cost is per person.

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
321701C	Aug. 10	10am-12pm	\$5/\$10

### NEW Lunch Break Special

**Monday–Thursday 11am-1pm, 9 holes with cart for \$12!**

### Don't miss the Senior Golf Tournament!

**Thursday, September 6 at 9:00am**

**Come join the fun of our annual 9-hole tournament. Scramble begins at 9:00am shot gun start; great door prizes and awards for the top 3 teams!**



# OHIO HERB EDUCATION CENTER

110 MILL STREET



**Herb Center Classes are always open to the public!**  
**Non-members may receive credit for the cost of the class to join the Herb Society.**  
**Find the rosemary  in the OHEC section of the Gateway, on page 20!**

OHIO HERB EDUCATION CENTER

614.342.4380  
 www.ohioherbcenter.org

### Center Hours of Operation:

Wednesday-Friday: 12 noon–6pm  
 Saturday: 12 noon–4pm  
 Sunday-Tuesday: by appointment only

### Facility Rental Information and Tour Information

Scheduled custom tours, private classes, events and facility rentals available. The rental includes kitchen with a refrigerator, stove top, and outlets. Tables and chairs are available for up to 30 people. The facility is perfect for meetings, baby showers, bridal showers, meetings and parties.

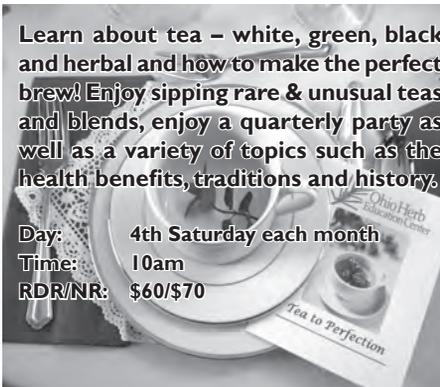
	RDR	SR
<b>Fees(3 hour rental) :</b>		
M-Thur	\$105	\$150
Additional hrs	\$35	\$50
Fri-Sun	\$150	\$225
Additional hrs	\$50	\$75

Rental time MUST INCLUDE your setup and cleanup time. Non-profit rates are available. Renter is required to provide own utensils, paperware and supplies.

## OHEC Tea Guild

Learn about tea – white, green, black and herbal and how to make the perfect brew! Enjoy sipping rare & unusual teas and blends, enjoy a quarterly party as well as a variety of topics such as the health benefits, traditions and history,

Day: 4th Saturday each month  
 Time: 10am  
 RDR/NR: \$60/\$70



**Join the Herb Society!**  
**Membership Fee: \$60 RDR/ \$70 SR**  
**2nd Tuesday of the month, 6:30pm**

Each monthly meeting will include a program/class at no additional charge for members. Learn how to blend herbs for teas or rubs, aromatherapy techniques and the health benefits of essential oils, and cooking tips to help bring out the most flavor from foods are just a few of the classes planned for 2012.

The Gahanna Herb Society meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm.

The herb of the year is Rose. Each monthly meeting will spend 7-10 minutes learning about the different properties, benefits and uses of roses, as well as 7-10 minutes of information on the top 12 kitchen herbs. *Subcommittees and volunteer opportunities!*

- Herbal Gardening (will include planning, planting and maintenance of the Creekside goosefoot garden.
- Herbal remedies for pets
- Social Media and Marketing of OHEC
- Community Outreach and Group Tours at OHEC and the Geroux Gardens.
- Fundraising
- Herbs to the Max! More intense and in-depth study of herbs...not for the beginner.
- Members will decide the curriculum for 2012.

*The information provided by the OHEC is primarily for reference and education. It is not intended to be a substitute for the advice of your personal physician. The Center does not advocate self-diagnosis or self medication; nor does the OHEC endorse alternative medicine in lieu of traditional medicine; it urges anyone with continuing symptoms, however minor, to seek medical advice. Please be aware that any plant substance, whether used as food or medicine, externally or internally may cause an allergic reaction. Consult your primary care physician before making changes to your lifestyle.*



### Herb Society Meeting Topics

#### May

**Wedding Flower legends and folklore**  
 Learn how brides and lovers have “said it with flowers”! From the wedding herbs of the Middle Ages to the secret flower code of the Turkish harem, come explore the traditions of wedding herbs and flowers! You will also craft a “Tussie Mussie” a small, tight bouquet, too! Herb of the month – Tarragon.

#### June

**How to Eat a Rose!** “Herb – Any of various often aromatic plants used especially in medicine or as seasoning.” American Heritage Dictionary, Second College Edition. This class will explore the kinds of roses that should be used for food, how and when to pick roses, and samplings of rose honey and syrup! Recipes and tips from “How to Eat a Rose”, by Jim Long. Herbs of the month – Rose and Mint.

#### July

**Herb of the month – Basil.** The king of herbs, basil is one of the oldest and popular herbal plants. is originally native to Iran, India and other tropical regions of Asia.

#### August

**Herb of the month – Dill.** One of the few herbs where the seeds and the leaves are used in cooking. The dill plant is native to Southern Europe, the Mediterranean and Russia but is most popular in Scandinavian and Eastern European cuisines.

**Join us at Herb Day on May 12! See page 20 for details!**

# FACILITY RENTAL INFORMATION

➤ **Shelters and Clubhouse are rented on a first-come, first serve basis.** Payment, deposit and reservation form is required to reserve the facility or shelter.

➤ **Shelter and clubhouse rentals require a \$100 refundable deposit at the time of payment.** Deposits must be check form, and will be returned after the facility has been checked for damage. Checks are available for pick up after 12 noon on the first business day after the rental. Separate deposit checks are required for each rental.

➤ **Facilities and shelters are available for rent one calendar year in advance.** For example, if you are interested in renting a facility for April 30 2013, you may do so on April 30, 2012. Payment and deposit must accompany paperwork at the time of rental.

➤ **Special consideration** may be given for non-profit, youth sports leagues and Gahanna Jefferson school district rates. Please contact the Department of Parks & Recreation office at 342-4250.

➤ **To rent a facility:** Reservation forms are available at the Department of Parks & Recreation office or online at [www.gahanna.gov](http://www.gahanna.gov). Please call 342-4250 to check for availability.

➤ **Cancellation/Change Policy:** Reservations canceled more than 30 days in advance of the registration date will receive a refund, less at \$10 administrative fee. Cancellations 14-29 days in advance will receive a 50% refund; cancellations less than 13 days receive no refund. Changes or rescheduled reservations are subject to a \$10 administrative fee.

- **Consumption of alcohol is prohibited in all parks.**
- **Consumption of alcohol and smoking are prohibited at the Clubhouse.**

## Golf Course Clubhouse Rental

The Gahanna Municipal Golf Course Clubhouse is located at 220 Olde Ridenour Road. Clubhouse rental includes a wood-burning fireplace\*, kitchen with a refrigerator, microwave, plenty of counter space, outlets and ample parking. Tables and chairs are available for up to 100 people. The facility is perfect for meetings, family reunions, team banquets, wedding receptions, parties, etc.

	<b>RDR/hour</b>	<b>SR/hour</b>
<b>Fees(2-hour min per day) :</b>	\$60/hour	\$120/hour
<b>All Day Rental (8am-11pm)</b>	\$480	\$960
<b>Refundable deposit:</b>	\$100	\$100

Rental time **MUST INCLUDE** your setup and cleanup time. Non-profit rates are available.

\*Renters must provide the wood and clean the fireplace after use.



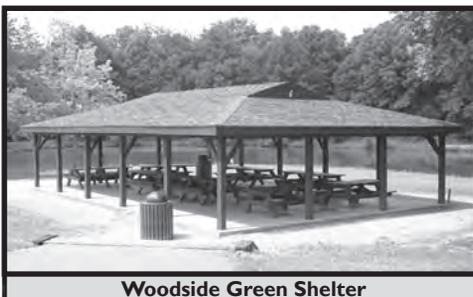
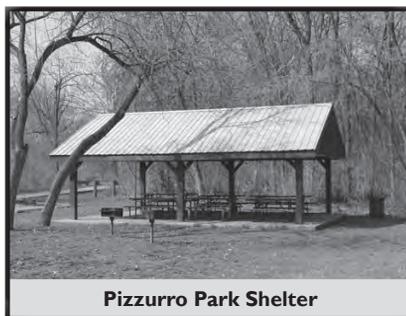
FACILITY RENTAL INFORMATION

## Park Shelter & Athletic Field Rental

Park shelters and athletic fields may be reserved for recreational outings throughout the year. Groups that wish to reserve a park shelter must complete a reservation form, pay the reservation fee, and provide a security deposit. Reservation forms are available at the Department of Parks & Recreation office or online at [www.gahanna.gov](http://www.gahanna.gov). Contact the Parks & Recreation office for information regarding athletic field rental.

**Time Slot:** 10am-2pm and 4pm-8pm  
**Seating:** Tables seat 6-8 persons each  
**Refundable deposit:** \$100

<b>Park</b>	<b>RDR per slot</b>	<b>SR Per slot</b>
Friendship Park Shelter 14 tables	\$60	\$120
Friendship Park Gazebo 2 tables	\$20	\$40
Hannah Park Shelter 20 tables	\$60	\$120
Woodside Green Shelter 8 tables	\$40	\$80
Pizzurro Park Shelter Reserveable for dog events only 6 tables	\$20	\$40
Athletic Fields	\$50/2 hours	



# SPECIAL EVENTS



## Spring Fling

Join Gahanna Parks & Recreation as we welcome spring back. Spring Fling will kick off the season at Woodside Green Park with live music, outdoor adventures (fishing and hiking), grilled cheese sale by Youth Council, games provided by Games 2U, interactive activities and crafts provided by Gahanna Parks & Recreation!

### April 28th

10am-1pm  
Woodside Green Park, 213 Camrose Court

## HERB DAY! 9am-4pm

May Herb Day offers a variety of herbal activities and speakers relating to herbs with fantastic herbal vendors and lots of great foods to sample and purchase. This annual celebration features: daylong Herb Sales, herbal related vendors, children's activities, food, forums, music and more! For a complete event schedule go to [www.ohioherbcenter.org](http://www.ohioherbcenter.org)

### May 12

Tentative Workshop Schedule:

11am – Botany of the Rose. Rose is the Herb of the Year, so come and learn about this versatile, useful and beautiful plant. Suzanne Lucas, Gahanna Herb Society Member and herbalist extraordinaire, will showcase this special herb!

12pm – Cooking with herbs – add flavor to your meals!

1pm – Top 10 kitchen herbs and their uses in the home!

2pm – Dogs and Cats – what can herbs do for your special pets!

## Party in Your Park

Gahanna Parks & Recreation hosts this FREE family oriented “pocket” park event that includes games, activities and food.

7-9pm

### June 20th

Galloway Reserve, 289 Rocky Fork Drive S

### July 18th

Ambassador Commons, 639 Gahanna Highlands Dr

### August 15th

Trapp Park, 756 Trapp Drive

## Freedom Festival

### July 4th

6:30p-11p  
Gahanna Municipal Golf Course  
220 Olde Ridenour Rd.

## Gahanna's Great Outdoors with Cinema Under the Stars – NEW 2012

Gahanna Parks & Recreation hosts this outdoor event series that connects, engages and highlights Gahanna's parks to the Gahanna community. Each evening will include an outdoor cinema under the stars, interactive outdoor experiences (canoeing, fishing, creek, hiking), family friendly games, food trucks and entertainment by Games 2U. Occurs first Saturday of the month rotated through 3 parks, from 7pm-11pm.

### June 2nd

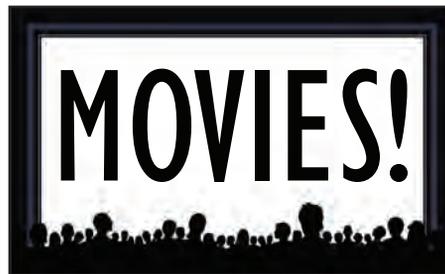
Location: Woodside Green Park, 213 Camrose Ct.  
Movie – “UP” PG

### July 7th

Location: Hannah Park, 6547 Clark State Rd.  
Movie – “Adventures of Tintin” PG

### August 4th

Location: Friendship Park, 150 Oklahoma Ave.  
Movie – “Cool Runnings” PG



## 2nd Saturdays presented by the Gahanna Rotary

A summer event series that is “unique” to Gahanna attracting families and people of all ages. 2nd Saturdays personifies the values and beliefs of the community. The event includes a variety of programs throughout the day including: family friendly games and music, engaging outdoor activities; exposure to a variety of cultures & influences; fun, active fitness concepts along with an eating/buying “local” focus.

Location: Creekside Park & Plaza

Event Dates & Themes:

June 9th Rock The Creek

July 14th Blast Off

Aug 11 Olympics

Sept 8 Game Day

Tentative Schedule of activities

10am-2pm - Creekside Park - outdoor adventures, fishing, trail walks and art programming

2pm-3:30pm - Rotary Stage Disney theatre by Shots

In the Dark

3pm-6pm - Creekside Plaza - games, crafts and activities by Gahanna Parks & Recreation

3pm-6pm - Creekside Plaza - ArtSpeak - showcase featuring a variety of local vendors

4pm-6pm - Rotary Stage - Music Performance

7pm-9pm - Rotary Stage - Concerts on the Creek



## Save the date

Touch a Truck

Friday After Five

Creekside Festival

Harvest Day

Tree Lighting

Winter Wonderland

August 25th

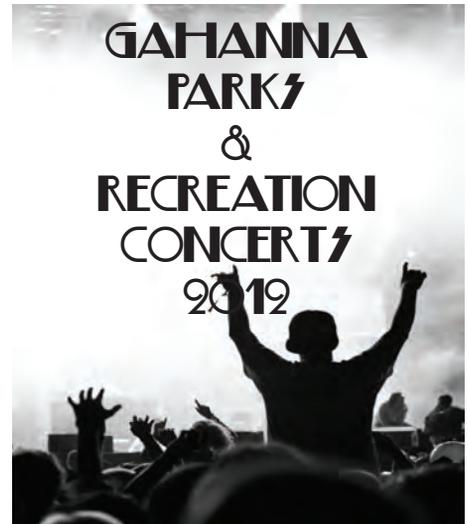
September 21st

October 10th

October 13th

November 10th

Nov. 10th - Jan. 2nd



## Music in the Park

Gahanna Parks & Recreation hosts this FREE family oriented summer concert series Fridays, May through August.

7-9pm

Friendship Park, 150 Oklahoma Ave.

May 25 – The Shaw Brothers – Folk

June 1 – Soul Kitch'N - Funk

June 8 – Christian Howes -Violin

June 15- (Creekside Blues & Jazz Festival)

June 22 – Freebooters – Classic Rock

June 29 – Song Birds - Country

July 6 – Change It Up Charlie - Swing

July 13 – Lonnie Freeman as Elvis - Oldies

July 20 – Grassahol - Bluegrass

July 27 – Pett Crow - Jazz

Aug 3 – Lords of Literature – Classic Rock

Aug 10 – Phillip Fox Band – Country Fried Rock

Aug 17 – Lone Raven - Celtic

## Concerts on the Creek

Gahanna Parks & Recreation hosts this FREE summer concert series on the Rotary Stage on the Second and Fourth Saturday's; 7-9pm  
Rotary Stage at Creekside, 123 Mill Street

June 9 – The David Gerald Band – Detroit Blues

June 23 – Eric Dove & Green Light Go – Country

July 14 – The Andy Shaw Band – Raggea Rock

July 28 – Clear Blue Sunday – Celtic Americana

Aug 11 – The Floorwalkers – Alternative Rock

Aug 25 – Parrots of the Caribbean – Buffet Tribute

Sept 8 – Spike Drivers – Americana Rock

## Fireside Fridays

Following Music in the Park once a month GP&R will be hosting this campfire series. Light snacks and refreshments will be provided. The program is appropriate for all ages. Hurry – space is limited!

Location: Friendship Park

Time: 9-10pm

Cost: \$3/person RDR \$5/person SR

June 22

July 27

August 17

# OUTDOOR ADVENTURES



## Creekside Paddle Boat Hours

Hours of Operation

	Pre-Summer Hours	Summer Hours
	May 12–June 8	June 9–August 17
Mondays	CLOSED	CLOSED
Tues–Fri	CLOSED	4pm–8pm
Saturdays	12pm–8pm	12pm–8pm
Sundays	12pm–6pm	12pm–6pm

\*Schedule is weather dependent. Special hours possible during Creekside events.

## The Community Garden at Friendship Park

Friendship Park

150 Oklahoma Ave

Opening Day: Sat, April 28 \*weather pending\*

Closing Day: Sat, October 6

New! The community garden has been converted to raised beds! Raised beds reduce weeds and soil compaction and allow for closer spacing of plants. The 1' raised beds will be filled with new soil and bordered by wood chip paths. Compost bins and a water source are available on site.

Raised beds will be available in two sizes:

4' x 4' beds - \$13 each  
 4' x 8' beds - \$17 each

A limited number of handicapped accessible beds (2' height) are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

A limited number of 4'x8' plots constructed with untreated lumber are available for an additional \$5/plot. These plots are intended to be pesticide free

Program participants are responsible for removing all organic plant material from their plots by Saturday, October 6th. A \$20 clean-up fee will be assigned for each individual plot not cleaned and cleared by Saturday, October 6th

## Backyard Campout

Experience the fun of a backyard campout in your local park! Pitch a tent with your neighbors and enjoy family games and activities, campfire cooking, a night hike and more. Equipment is not provided. Cost is per person.

Ages: All ages  
 Location: Hannah Park, 6547 Clark State Rd

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
330501B	Sept. 22-23	4pm-10am	\$8/\$11



## Paddling Series!

American Canoe Association certified instructors will teach participants how to safely enjoy their time on the water. Come dressed in closed-toe shoes and be prepared to get wet. All equipment is provided. Youth (under age 13) must be accompanied by an adult and all participants must be able to assist in lifting and carrying the canoes.

Location: Woodside Green Park, 213 Camrose Ct.

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
330801A	Sat Jun 2	5-6:30pm	\$5/\$10

Hannah Park, 6547 Clark State Rd

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
330801B	Sat Jul 7	5-6:30pm	\$5/\$10

Gahanna Swim Pool, 148 Parkland Dr.

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
330801C	Sat Aug 25	9-11am	\$5/\$10



## More Paddling Opportunities!

Do you have a group that would be interested in a paddling education program? The Department of Parks & Recreation is excited to offer American Canoe Association canoeing programs for youth and adults! Programs can be tailored to meet your needs. Please contact the department at 342-4250 for more information.

## NEW! Grandparents Series

Grandparents and grandchildren get outside and get active in this new summer series. Bring your favorite "grand" out to the parks to fish, garden and golf. A picnic lunch will be provided!

Cost is per person, per program.  
 Time for all sessions: 10am-12p

### Grandparents & Guppies

Woodside Green Park, 213 Camrose Ct.  
 Try to catch a big one on the Woodside Green pond! Equipment, bait and instruction provided.

Class	Ages	Day	RDR/SR
321701A	All Ages	Fri Jun 22	\$5/\$8

### Grandparents & Gardening

Geroux Herb Garden, 200 S. Hamilton Rd.  
 Have fun while learning about food, herbs, and gardening. This interactive session includes a pot-a-plant craft, herb food challenge and demonstration on why Gahanna is the Herb Capital of Ohio!

Class	Ages	Day	RDR/SR
321701B	All Ages	Fri Jul 20	\$5/\$8

### Grandparents & Golf

Gahanna Golf Course, 220 Olde Ridenour Rd.  
 Share a love for the game of golf as we putt around the greens and practice our swings. Bring your clubs if you have them!

Class	Ages	Day	RDR/SR
321701C	All Ages	Fri Aug 10	\$5/\$8



## Family Fishing at Creekside

Join us before Second Saturdays for family fishing on the creek! We will provide all bait and tackle as well as an activity for the whole family to enjoy! Space is limited to the first 20 registered participants.

Location: Creekside Park, 123 Mill St  
 Day: Saturdays

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
330401A	June 9	10am-12n	Free/\$5
330401B	July 14	10am-12n	Free/\$5
330401C	Aug 11	10am-12n	Free/\$5
330401D	Sept 8	10am-12n	Free/\$5

# YOUTH PROGRAMS

## Tumblin' 4 Kids

The enthusiastic Tumblin' 4 Kids staff lead these motivational tumbling and gymnastics classes at the Golf Course Clubhouse. Participants will learn proper stretching, tumbling and apparatus skills in a fun, encouraging environment! Visit [www.tumblin4kids.com](http://www.tumblin4kids.com) for information on instructors and weekly lesson plans.

Location: Golf Course Clubhouse  
220 Olde Ridenour Rd.  
Cost: \$64 RDR/ \$74 SR

Session I – 8 Weeks

Day	Dates	Instructor
Mon	Jun 11-Aug 6 (Off July 2)	Jenny Cohen
Wed	Jun 13-Aug 8 (Off July 4)	Jenny Cohen

Class	Title/Age	Day/Time
300101-A	Tmb Tots 2-3	Mon 10-10:30am
300101-B	Tmb Tots 2-3	Wed 5:30-6pm
300102-A	Tmb Tykes 3-4	Mon 9:30-10am
300102-B	Tmb Tykes 3-4	Wed 6-6:30pm
300103-A	Tmb Kids I 4-5	Mon 10:30-11am
300103-B	Tmb Kids I 4-5	Wed 6:30-7pm
300104-A	Tmb Kids II 5-6	Mon 11-11:30am
300104-B	Tmb Kids II 5-6	Wed 7-7:30pm
300108-A	Turb Tmb 7-12	Mon 11:30a-12p
300108-B	Turb Tmb 7-12	Wed 7:30-8pm

## Create & Play

Creative time for you and your tot! Join our Recreation staff and enjoy stories, games, songs, and crafts while exploring the natural world. Register for the whole session or one day at a time! On-site registrations are accepted; no late fees apply.

Location: Woodside Green Park, 213 Camrose Ct  
Session I: May 3-June 7 (6 weeks)  
Session II: July 5-Aug 9 (6 weeks)  
Ages: 2-5

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
302102	Thursdays	10am	\$3/\$5 per child

Register for an entire session and pay a discounted rate of only \$15/\$25!

## Jump Start Sports

Jump Start Sports offers creative sports programs that teach fundamentals, fair play and teamwork. Qualified instructors provide youth with a foundation for growth and nurture their love of sport in an environment that focuses on fun and learning rather than competition. All programs include a t-shirt. More information is available at [www.jumpstartsports.com](http://www.jumpstartsports.com).

### T-Birds T-Ball

A fun and instructional league, where all fundamentals will be taught, including throwing, catching, batting and base running. Whether your child is an experienced player or a complete novice, they will have fun learning about the sport. \*Schedule TBA before start of season, each player will be placed on a team. Includes a MLB hat, team shirt, and trophy.

Location: Woodside Green Park, 213 Camrose Ct.  
Day: Thursdays  
Ages: 3-4 years

Class	Time	Dates	RDR/SR
341302	See *	May 17-Jun 21	\$65/\$75

\*5:30-6:30 or 6:30-7:30 based on team schedule

### Junior Sports Summer Camp

Jumpstart will lead players through a week of sports fun while learning fundamentals of some of their favorite sports including football, baseball, soccer and lacrosse. Includes shirt and award. Water bottle, sunscreen, snack required.

Location: Academy Park, 1201 Cherry Bottom Rd.  
Dates: June 25-June 29

Class	Age	Time	RDR/SR
341305A	4-7	9am-12pm	\$115/\$135



### Summer Soccer

Have fun learning the basics of soccer. Each session consists of instruction in each aspect of the game, participation in fun drills that are designed to teach skills, and low-key, non-competitive game. All coaching will be conducted by Jump Start Sports staff, but parents may assist. Includes team shirt and trophy or medal. Shin guards required.

Location: Headley Park, 1031 Challis Springs Drive  
Day: Sunday  
Dates: June 10-July 15

Class	Age	Time	RDR/SR
341304-A	3-4	3:30pm-4:30pm	\$60/\$70
341304-B	5-6	2:30pm-3:30pm	\$60/\$70
341304-C	7-9	1pm-2:15pm	\$60/\$70

## S&P Academy



SCHELOTTO & PADULA SOCCER ACADEMY  
THE ACADEMY OF COLUMBUS SOCCER CHAMPIONS.

### The Schelotto & Padula Soccer Summer Camp

The Schelotto & Padula Soccer Academy, with Gahanna Parks & Recreation, is offering the S&P Columbus Soccer Champions Summer Camp for boys and girls ages U7-U18. The camp is directed by Guillermo Barros Schelotto and Gino Padula, former Columbus Crew stars, 2008 MLS Cup Champions, and founders of the Schelotto & Padula Soccer Academy. It will consist of one two-hour training session per day, 8 hours total. For more details, please visit the Schelotto & Padula Soccer Academy website at [www.sapsoccer.com](http://www.sapsoccer.com).

Location: Headley Park, 1031 Challis Springs Dr.  
Dates: July 16-19

Class	Age	Time	RDR/SR
341501.01	U7-U12	9am-11am	\$65/\$75
341501.02	U13-U18	6pm-8pm	\$65/\$75

# Sky Hawks Summer Camps

## Tiny Hawk - Soccer & Basketball

Tiny-Hawk Multi-Sport programs help 3 and 4 year olds fine-tune their motor skills in soccer and basketball. No pressure, just lots of fun while these tiny athletes learn the basics through unique Skyhawks games. Our Tiny-Hawk coaching staff is trained to meet the special needs of young children. Children must be potty-trained to attend. Pull-ups are not permitted. Participant-to-coach ratio is approximately 6:1.

Ages:	3-4		
Class	Dates	Time	RDR/SR
340324.01	Jun 11-15	12:30-1:30pm	\$65/\$75
340324.02	July 30-Aug 3	8-8:45am	\$65/\$75

## Mini-Hawk Multi-Sport (Soccer, Baseball and Basketball)

This multi-sport program was developed to give young children ages 4 to 7 a positive first step into athletics. The essentials of baseball, basketball and soccer are taught in a safe, structured environment with lots of encouragement and a focus on fun. Our Mini-hawk games and activities were designed to allow campers to explore balance, movement, hand/eye coordination and skill development at their own pace. The participant-to-coach ratio is approximately 8:1. Shin guards and baseball gloves are encouraged.

Ages:	4-7		
Class	Dates	Time	RDR/SR
340306.01	June 11- 15	9am-12pm	\$115/\$135
340306.02	July 30-Aug 3	9am-12pm	\$115/\$135

## Football Camp

Athletes are introduced to offensive and defensive positions. The camp introduces the core skills of passing, catching, and de-flagging or defensive positioning, all presented in a fun training environment. The week concludes with the Skyhawks Sports Bowl.

Age:	6-12		
Class	Dates	Time	RDR/SR
340313.01	July 9-13	9am-12pm	\$115/\$135

## Basketball Camp

Skyhawks basketball camp breaks down this sport into fundamental skills that all athletes, no matter their skill level, need to succeed. Coaches will lead the athletes through game-speed drills and exercises, focusing on ball handling, passing, shooting, defense, and rebounding. Having fun while developing a refined player who knows how to combine these skills is the goal of every Skyhawks Sports basketball program. Athletes will put their skills to the test in an end-of-the-week tournament! All campers will receive a t-shirt and a merit award!

### Location:

**Thompson Park, 5600 Thompson Rd., Gahanna**

Age:	6-12		
Class	Dates	Time	RDR/SR
340312.01	Aug 13-17	9am-12p	\$115/\$135



## Skyhawks Summer Camps

Sports youth sports camps are committed to providing a Safe, Fun, and Skill-focused experience for kids between the ages of 3 and 12. We are a national youth sports camp company with local camps in over 500 communities and is proud to be the leader in youth sports since 1979 and maintains a proven safety track record. Under the expert care of our sports camp coaches, kids not only learn individual, sport-oriented skills, but also develop personally and socially, learning teamwork and building character and life skills through sports. Participants should bring: Appropriate clothing, two snacks, water bottle, running shoes and sunscreen. All campers will receive a t-shirt and a merit award!

**CAMPS ARE LOCATED AT:  
ACADEMY PARK,  
1201 CHERRYBOTTOM RD  
UNLESS NOTED DIFFERENTLY**

## Cheerleading Camp

Skyhawks Sports cheerleading teaches young athletes all the essential skills to lead the crowd and support the team while preparing for competition. Each athlete will learn Skyhawks Sports cheers, as well as the proper hand and body movements and jumping techniques that make cheering the competitive sport it is today. Each week concludes with a choreographed performance and perhaps a chance to cheer at a Skyhawks Sports football or basketball tournament!

Age:	5-9		
Class	Dates	Time	RDR/SR
340308.01	July 9-13	9am-12pm	\$115/\$135

## Sky Hawks Sports Recreation (Soccer, Baseball, Basketball & Flag Football)

Multi-sport camps are designed to introduce young athletes to a number of different sports in one camp. Sport sampling will allow them to learn, have fun and begin to formulate their passion for a particular sport. Designed to motivate children to lead a healthy active lifestyle while giving them the fundamental skill sets needed to succeed and grow in whichever sport they choose.

Age:	6-12		
Class	Dates	Time	RDR/SR
340320.01	July 16-20	9am-3pm	\$155/\$175

## Multi-Sport

Multi-sport camps are designed to introduce young athletes to a number of different sports in one camp. Sport sampling will allow them to learn, have fun and begin to formulate their passion for a particular sport. Designed to motivate children to lead a healthy active lifestyle while giving them the fundamental skill sets needed to succeed and grow in whichever sport they choose.

Age:	6-12		
<i>Soccer, Basketball, Baseball</i>			
Class	Dates	Time	RDR/SR
340323.01	June 11- 15	9am-3pm	\$155/\$175
<i>Football, Golf, Soccer</i>			
Class	Dates	Time	RDR/SR
340323.03	Aug 6-10	9am-3pm	\$155/\$175

## Beginning Golf Camp

Skyhawks Sports Golf focuses on building the confidence of young athletes through training in proper technique and foundational skills. Golf is a challenging and lifelong sport, so young athletes need proper focus on the essentials of a good swing, putting, and body positioning. To assist in this training, Skyhawks Sports has adopted the SNAG (Starting New At Golf) technology to its curriculum. SNAG utilizes a set of equipment designed for beginning golfers, including over sized plastic club heads and "mini tennis balls" to help build confidence and to have fun. For safety, Skyhawks Sports will be utilizing golf helmets for protection. The participant-to-coach ratio is approximately 8:1. Please do not bring your own clubs. **Friday session will be held at the Gahanna Golf Course, 220 Olde Rinenour Road.**

Class	Agess	Dates	Time	RDR/SR
340301.01	5-9	June 18- 22	9a-12p	\$115/\$135
340301.02	4-7	July 23-27	12:30p-1:30p	\$65/\$75
340301.03	7-10	July 23-27	9a-12p	\$115/\$135



# Gahanna Youth Council

*is seeking new members!*

Youth Council is seeking new members with fresh ideas about how to make Gahanna a better place for teens! Gahanna students in grades 9-12 are invited join and help organize events like TeenFest and the Prom Dress Drive. Make a difference in your community – join Youth Council today!

Youth Council meets every Wednesday at 3pm at Gahanna City Hall. Email [laura.brewer@gahanna.gov](mailto:laura.brewer@gahanna.gov) for more information.



Let us throw your child's next party! Parents relax and enjoy their child's birthday while Gahanna Parks & Recreation helps with the rest.

To schedule a party, contact Crickett Anderson, Birthday Party Coordinator at 342-4250. Please leave a message and your call will be returned as soon as possible.

**Standard Party (Ages 3-11)**

RDR: \$149/SR \$169

This package includes basic party games followed by cup cakes, juice and opening of presents. Ask how this package can reflect your child's interests. Non-themed birthday party.

**Themed Party (Ages 3-11)**

RDR: \$199/SR \$225

This package includes themed party games and decorations, followed by cup cakes, juice and opening of presents. Many different themes available!

**Specialty Parties**

**Tumblin' 4 Kids Birthday Party (Ages 3-12)**

RDR: \$249/SR \$275

**Herb Garden Party (Ages 12-16) Resident**

RDR: \$249/SR \$275

**Packages include:**

- Fun for up to 12 children (more children may be added for an additional cost);
- A Birthday Party Coordinator who takes care of planning, setup, cleanup and last minute details;
- Paper products, decorations, 12 balloons;
- 60 minutes of fun and 30 minutes for cake, juice and opening presents.

**Pool Party (Shelter reservation required, No on-site coordinator)**

RDR: \$75/SR \$95

**Add-on Pool Package includes:**

- Fun for up to 12 children (more children may be added for an additional cost);
- Paper products, decorations, 12 balloons;
- Day pool pass
- Drinks and cupcakes for 12 ppl.
- Pool shelter reservation required.

*Additional cost per person based on party selected. Party packages are subject to change.*

## YOUTH COUNCIL FUNDRAISERS

### GRILLED CHEESE SALE at SPRING FLING APRIL 28TH, 10:30A-1P

### PANCAKE BREAKFAST at HERB DAY MAY 12TH, 8A-11A

## C.O.R.E. -Creating Opportunities through Recreation Experiences

Camp, hike, fish, canoe and more! CORE is a non-stop summer of adventure for youth ages 13-14. The program is designed to foster youth development and teach valuable leadership skills through a variety of recreational opportunities. CORE is an engaging experience focused around the developmental assets that teens need to become caring, healthy and responsible adults.

**Ages:** 13-14  
**Location:** Friendship Park  
 150 Oklahoma Ave  
**Days:** Monday-Friday  
**Times:** 9am-4pm  
 Pre Care: 7-9am, After Care: 4-6pm

Class	Dates	RDR/SR
370501-A	June 11-15	\$150/\$170
370501-B	June 18-22	\$150/\$170
370501-C	June 25-29	\$150/\$170
370501-D	July 2-6 *no camp July 4*	\$150/\$170
370501-E	July 9-13	\$150/\$170
370501-F	July 16-20	\$150/\$170
370501-G	July 23-27	\$150/\$170
370501-H	July 30-Aug 3	\$150/\$170
370501-I	Aug 6-10	\$150/\$170
370501-J	Aug 13-17	\$150/\$170



**Important Information**

Participants MUST be signed in/out of the program daily by a parent/guardian. In order to participate in offsite programming, youth must meet established behavior and performance expectations.

YOUTH

# Camp Friendship: ADVENTURE CALLS!



Visit [gahanna.gov](http://gahanna.gov) and click on "Camps" for registration forms and details!

- ➔ Cost of camp ALWAYS includes all trip fees, extended care hours and daily snacks!
- ➔ We now offer TEN weeks of camp AND a discount if you register for all ten weeks!

Ages: 5-12  
 Location: Friendship Park, 150 Oklahoma Ave  
 Hannah Park, 6547 Clark State Rd  
 Hours: 9am-3pm (Pre-Care 7-9am; After-Care 3-6pm)

Early Bird Fees: (3/31/12-4/27/12) RDR-\$150/week  
 SR-\$170/week  
 Regular Fees: (After 4/27/12) RDR-\$170/week  
 SR-\$190/week



## NEW REGISTRATION OPTIONS!

**"Adventure Calls All Summer" Special!**  
 Get 10 weeks of camp for the price of 9! Register during the Early Bird period for all 10 weeks and pay only \$135 a week for residents or \$155 a week for non-residents. This makes camp cheaper per week than the 2011 price!

\*Special refund restrictions apply.

Camp Date	Weekly Theme	Field Trip
June 11-15	Rock the Summit	Vertical Adventures
June 18-22	On Safari	The Wilds
June 25-29	Happy Trails	Franklin Co. Metroparks
July 2-6 *no camp July 4	Up Up & Away	Skyzone
July 9-13	Lions & Tigers & Bears	Columbus Zoo
July 16-20	Journey in Time	Sunwatch Village
July 23-27	Dig It	The Works
July 30-Aug 3	Ride the Waves	Groveport Aquatics
Aug 6-10	Into the Woods	Dawes Arboretum
Aug 13-17	Long Live Summer	Gahanna Lanes

NOTE: Camp registrations are not accepted within 5 business days of the start of each week of camp.

### Important Information

The cost of each week of camp includes: Pre-Care and After-Care, all programming including pool day and fieldtrips, and two healthy snacks per day. Lunch is NOT provided. A non-refrigerated lunch and water bottle need to be sent with each camper every day. One t-shirt will be provided to each camper enrolled in camp; extra shirts may be purchased for an additional charge. Camp t-shirts MUST be worn in order for campers to leave the park on fieldtrips. Campers must be 5 years old by the first day of the camp in which they are enrolled, and may attend camp until their 13th birthday. Campers MUST be 100% potty trained to attend camp; campers who experience accidents will be removed from camp and no refund will be issued.

### Pool Day

All campers will visit the Gahanna Swimming Pool (148 Parkland Dr) on WEDNESDAYS. Campers registered at Hannah Park will need to be picked up at the Gahanna Swimming Pool. **Transportation will not be provided back to Hannah Park.** Campers registered at Friendship Park will walk to and from the pool and may be picked up from Friendship Park after 3:30pm.

### Parent Handbook

Camp policies and procedures are outlined in the Parent Handbook. Copies are available at registration or at [www.gahanna.gov](http://www.gahanna.gov).



### Youth Scholarship Program

The Department of Parks & Recreation is proud to offer a youth scholarship program, funded by the Gahanna Parks & Recreation Foundation. Scholarships can help make camp more accessible by partially covering the cost of up to 2 weeks of camp per child for Gahanna residents who qualify. Families that qualify for the free/reduced school lunch program may receive funding as follows: Reduced Lunch – 50% of camp fees covered; Free Lunch – 75% of camp fees covered. The remaining balance must be paid at time of application. Scholarships are awarded on a first-come, first-serve basis.

# ADULT PROGRAMS

(ages 18 and over unless noted)

ADULT

## Gahanna Scrapbook Crop

Calling all scrapbook enthusiasts!

Please bring all your scrapping supplies with you - stay all day or just a couple of hours. There will be door prizes throughout the day and scrapbook/stamping vendors if you need supplies.

The cost includes lunch and drinks. This activity is for those ages 16 and over. Space is limited so register soon. No walk in registration. (Register by Sept. 18th to avoid a late fee)

\*Holly Shearer, Licensed Massage Therapist will be offering \$1 a minute massages to help work out those cropping kinks.

Location: The Center, 480 Rocky Fork Blvd  
Gahanna OH 43230

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
411201A	Sept. 22	9am-9pm	\$10/\$15

## Spring Adult Flag Football

The Department of Parks & Recreation presents adult recreational outdoor flag football leagues. Each season will include seven season games (includes 2-22 minute halves) and a playoff for top teams in each division. For complete listing of rules go to [www.gahanna.gov](http://www.gahanna.gov). Prior to the season a required captain's meeting will be scheduled.

Divisions: 6 vs. 6 18+ Recreational Men's , 6 vs. 6 18+ Coed Recreational  
Dates: July 8-Aug 26  
Location: McCorkle Park

Approximate game times: 4pm, 5pm, 6pm  
Per Team Fee: \$395 (plus non-resident fees)  
Seven games, top four teams in each division playoff.

## Gahanna Get Moving Team

The Gahanna Get Moving Team has walked thousands of miles over the past few years, training and talking their way to fun and fitness. Liz Plott leads this group and will share her wisdom on walking and healthy lifestyles. The group meets at Creekside Park on every Saturday morning at 7:30 am, rain or shine. Registration is good for all year and includes a training shirt.

Location: Creekside Park  
123 Mill St.

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
760000	Saturdays	7:30am	\$20/\$25

## Hatha Yoga

Sue Johnson, RYT 500, RMT Certified Instructor  
Lori Bower, RYT200, RMT Certified Instructor

All Classes: Gahanna Municipal Golf Course  
220 Olde Ridenour Road

### Hatha Yoga ABC's

Explore the benefits of ASANA (yoga postures) to gently stretch and strengthen the body. Breathing techniques quietly relax the mind and emotions and develop a deep level of consciousness. You will become more aware of patterns that facilitate a healthy spine and a more relaxed and easeful body, mind and spirit.

Led by Sue Johnson  
Session I: May 8-Jun 19  
Session II: July 10-Aug 21  
Beginner

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
310102A	Tues Ses I	5:45-6:55pm	\$75/\$85
310102B	Tues Ses II	5:45-6:55pm	\$75/\$85

Experienced

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
310102C	Tues Ses I	7:00-8:15pm	\$75/\$85
310102D	Tues Ses II	7:00-8:15pm	\$75/\$85

## Mom & Daughter Yoga

Yoga for teens & moms is a fun, upbeat class designed to increase fitness, flexibility and body awareness. This class introduces relaxation and breathing exercises to help release stress and tension to achieve a more balanced life. To enjoy your yoga experience, please bring a yoga "sticky" mat.

Led by Lori Bower  
Session I: May 10-Jun 21  
Session II: Jul 12-Aug 23

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
311103A	Thur Ses I	6:55-7:55pm	\$75/\$85
311103B	Thur Ses II	6:55-7:55pm	\$75/\$85

## Navigating the Market's Ups and Downs

Maura Holowchak  
Wells Fargo Advisors, LLC, Member SIPC

Lately the ups and downs of the stock market could make a person's head spin. Don't let a faltering economy undermine your future! A smart investment strategy can help you make the most of market advances and help limit your risk during market declines. Join Maura Holowchak, financial advisor with Wells Fargo Advisors for an educational workshop on managing your portfolio in a volatile market. We will discuss different investment personalities, investment styles and strategies for navigating the stock market in light of recent activity.

Location: The Center at 480 Rocky Fork Blvd,

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
312301.02	Tues, May 15	6:30-8:30pm	\$15/\$20



## Slow Flow Hatha Yoga

Gentle, slow flowing warm ups get the body and mind ready to move into a variety of more challenging flow series, including sun salutations and other creative flow movements. Meditation and breath work incorporated. Modifications provided for all student levels. This class will leave you feeling refreshed, relaxed, and energized. To enjoy your yoga experience, please bring a yoga "sticky" mat and 2 firm blankets.

Led by Sue Johnson  
Session I: May 9 to June 20  
Session II: July 11 to August 22

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
310101A	Wed Ses I	10:30-11:45am	\$75/\$85
310101B	Wed Ses II	10:30-11:45am	\$75/\$85

## NEW! Restorative Yoga

A gentle, therapeutic style of yoga that uses props to deepen the benefits of the poses. Restorative yoga provides an opportunity to reduce stress, restore health and move toward balance. This class is appropriate for students of all levels.

Led by Lori Bower  
Session I: May 10-Jun 21  
Session II: Jul 12-Aug 23

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
311102A	Thur Ses I	5:30-6:45pm	\$75/\$85
311102A	Thur Ses II	5:30-6:45pm	\$75/\$85

## Can I Retire?

Maura Holowchak  
Wells Fargo Advisors, LLC, Member SIPC

When it's time to ask, "Can I retire?" will you know the answer? Join Maura Holowchak, financial advisor with Wells Fargo Advisors and investigate a four-stage approach to creating and implementing a personalized individual retirement strategy. Each stage of the discussion focuses on specific issues, including family needs, personal priorities, financial objectives, income sources, healthcare costs and timing considerations. Whether you are near or in retirement, you have many significant financial decisions to make. Why not enter this stage of your life with a clear road map?

Location: The Center at 480 Rocky Fork Blvd,

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
312301.01	Tues, May 8	6:30-8:30pm	\$15/\$20

# ADULT PROGRAMS

(ages 18 and over unless noted)

## Whole Living Wellness Classes

Jacki Mann, RN, CHWC

All Classes: The Center at 480 Rocky Fork Blvd,

Session I: May 14-July 2 (skip May 28)

Session II: July 16 - August 27

## Hula Hooping Fitness

Enjoy this fun childhood past-time as an adult as a way to get moving and be FIT! Tone the abs, waist, glutes and thighs; increase flexibility and get the heart pumping! No prior experience needed. Special fitness hoops (which are larger than plastic ones and easier to use) are provided. Bring a yoga mat.

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
310702A	Mon, Ses I	6pm-7pm	\$75/\$85
310702B	Mon, Ses II	6pm-7pm	\$75/\$85



## Tai Chi Easy

This method of Tai Chi is easy, fun and beneficial right away and is designed to bring balance, vitality and energy to mind and body through gentle movements and focused breathing. It enhances one's overall health and well-being and is a great stress reducer.

Class	Day	Time	RDR/SR
310703A	Mon, Ses I	7:15-8:15pm	\$75/\$85
310703A	Mon, Ses II	7:15-8:15pm	\$75/\$85



# OHEC PROGRAMS

## Classes at OHEC

Registration Required

### Mother/Daughter Tea Party

Celebrate the mother's day with your loved ones! The party will include sweet and savory treats, beautiful china, and a special bonding experience for the special lady in your life!

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
351101A	May 13	1pm	\$15/\$20

### Jamaica me crazy...Caribbean summer get-away

Jerk Cornish Game Hen & Caribbean Salsa, hibiscus flavored delights - come experience A taste of the island with John Reese, graduate of The Culinary Institute of America. John will transport you to the slow & easy style of the tropics through his cooking!

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
350601B	June 16	4pm	\$30/\$40

### Daddy/Daughter BBQ Party

Honor fathers with this hands-on BBQ. Learn how to blend a meat rub! Enjoy delicious samplings of foods you love to cook on the grill...with a fresh twist of herbs! Kick the flavors of foods up a notch with fun recipes and thirst-quenching lavender lemonade & cocoa powder spice mix meat rub.

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
350601A	June 17	1pm	\$15/\$20

### Celebrate America's Independence

To celebrate our Nation's birthday, learn about the herbs that were on George and Martha Washington's Dinner Table! Program will include herb of the month basil.

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
350602A	July 7	2pm	\$15/\$20
350602B	July 10	6:30pm	\$15/\$20

### Dog Days of Summer

Herbs for your pet! During the Dog Days of Summer, learn how to treat and/or prevent those nasty insects that "bug" our pets!

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
350603A	August 2	5:30pm	\$15/\$20
350603B	August 2	7:00pm	\$15/\$20
350603C	August 14	6:30pm	\$15/\$20

### Herb Craft of the Month

Available during regular shop hours  
Wed-Fri 12-6, Sat 12-4

Every month at the Herb Center we feature a new Do-It-Yourself Herb Craft of the Month! Just follow our simple step-by-step do-it-yourself directions. All supplies are included for just \$5! Crafts are family friendly and no reservations are required. Fee: \$5.00 each.

### 2012 Monthly Craft Schedule:

**April Craft:** Homemade Soft Scrub for cleaning

**May Craft:** Rose Petal Sugar; Tussie Mussies

**June Craft:** Cool Music Mint Lemonade Herbal Tea & Hot Jazz Barbeque Spice Rub (in honor of the Blues & Jazz Festival).

**July Craft:** Garni Bouquets for cooking

### Featured Tea of the Month

Each month, a special tea blend will be available for free sampling at OHEC.

**March:** Irish Breakfast - This blend of Assam teas makes for tea that is sure to start your day with the luck of the Irish!

**April:** Vanilla Rooibos - A smooth, unfermented Rooibos tea flavored with organic Vanilla flavoring and pure organic Vanilla beans.

**May:** Herbal Surrender - The Ohio Herb Education Center Signature Blend! Calming, soothing, yet energizing. Wedding Tea - created exclusively for weddings! Enjoy Mutan white tea with pink rosebuds, vanilla and lemon.

**June:** Blues & Jazz Tea - Hot Cinnamon Spice - Black tea with three types of cinnamon, orange peel, and sweet cloves. Indian Spice - A unique blend of Assam tea with cinnamon, cardamom, and nutmeg for a delightful chai.

**July:** Tropical Green - Hand-blended green teas from India with tropical flavors

**August:** Yellow & Blue - Celebrate summer with this floral rapture blended with Chamomile, Lavender and Corn Flowers.

## HERB DAY MAY 12! 9am-4pm

May Herb Day offers a variety of herbal activities and speakers relating to herbs with fantastic herbal vendors and lots of great foods to sample and purchase. This annual celebration features: daylong Herb Sales, herbal related vendors, children's activities, food, forums, music & more! For a complete event schedule go to [www.ohioherbcenter.org](http://www.ohioherbcenter.org)

### Workshop Schedule\*:

11am - Botany of the Rose. Rose is the Herb of the Year, so come & learn about this versatile, useful and beautiful plant. Suzanne Lucas, Gahanna Herb Society Member and herbalist extraordinaire, will showcase this special herb!

12pm - Cooking with herbs - add flavor to meals!  
1pm - Top 10 kitchen herbs and their uses in the kitchen & the home!

2pm - Dogs and and Cats - what can herbs do for your special pets!

\*subject to change

# OHEC PROGRAMS

All classes are located at the Ohio Herb Education Center, 110 Mill St.  
See page 10 for more information

OHEC PROGRAMS

## Herb Society Classes



Classes with the Rosemary Sprig are offered through the Gahanna Herb Society and are free to Herb Society members. If you attend a class and decide to join the Herb Society, your class cost will be credited to the cost of the membership!

### May Wedding Flower legends & folklore

Learn how brides and lovers have "said it with flowers"! From the wedding herbs of the Middle Ages to the secret flower code of the Turkish harem, come explore the traditions of wedding herbs and flowers! You will also craft a "Tussie Mussie" a small, tight bouquet, too! Herb of the month – Tarragon.

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
351403A	Tues May 8	6:30-7:30pm	\$15/\$20

### June How to Eat a Rose! As the Herb of the Year, the Rose fits the definition perfectly!

This class will explore the kinds of roses that should be used for food, how and when to pick roses, and samplings of rose honey and syrup, as well as soup, salad and sandwiches! And of course, a Rose Petal Cake for dessert! Recipes and tips from "How to Eat a Rose", by Jim Long. Herbs of the month – Rose & Mint

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
351403B	Tues Jun 12	6:30-7:30pm	\$15/\$20

### July Celebrate America's Independence

Learn about the herbs that were on George & Martha Washington's Dinner Table!  
Herb of the month – Basil

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
350602B	Tues Jul 10	6:30-7:30pm	\$15/\$20

### August Herb of the month – Dill.

One of the few herbs where the seeds and the leaves are used in cooking. The dill plant is native to Southern Europe, the Mediterranean and Russia but is most popular in Scandinavian and Eastern European cuisines.

Class	Date	Time	RDR/SR
351403D	Tues Aug 14	6:30-7:30pm	\$15/\$20

**SAVE THE DATE:  
OCTOBER 13  
HARVEST DAY!**

### Field Trips

\*HSM = Herb Society Member

#### Mockingbird Meadows

Explore the gardens and business of Central Ohio's premier herbal health farm and one of our favorite small-business owners! The farm is designated as a United Plant Savers Botanical Sanctuary with farming practices guided by biodynamic principles and Hippocrates' prescription for healthy food. The field trip will include a tour of the herb gardens, taste samplings of a variety of delicious custom-blended honeys and a tasty lunch.

Class	Date	Time	HSM/RDR/SR
352401A	June 9	10am-2pm	\$20/\$30/\$40

#### Jorgensen Farms

Join us for a tour and lunch at Jorgensen Farms, a 65 acre farm located in Plain Township (between Westerville and New Albany). The farm has been continuously certified organic since 2002 - to protect the environment, including Rocky Fork Creek.

Class	Date	Time	HSM/RDR/SR
352401B	July 21	9am-12pm	\$20/\$30/\$40

#### Chadwick Arboretum & the Learning Gardens at the Ohio State University

The Chadwick Arboretum and Learning Gardens is a green reserve on the Ohio State University campus within an urban setting. The Arboretum's various gardens, are well-designed models of annuals, perennials, trees and shrubs, native and non-native for the central Ohio climate.

Class	Date	Time	HSM/RDR/SR
352401C	Aug 4	10a-2p	\$10/\$15/\$20

**May Herb Day**  
**The Herbal Kitchen**  
**May 12, 9am-4pm**



Creekside Park & Plaza & Ohio Herb Education Center  
123 Mill Street & 110 Mill Street

#### NEW – Herb Hotline!

Do you have questions about a certain herb or need to know which herbs go best in spaghetti sauce, over fish, or in iced tea? Call the herb hotline at 614-342-4380 & one of our knowledgeable volunteers will respond with an answer within 48 hours.

The information provided by the Ohio Herb Education Center is primarily for reference and education. It is not intended to be a substitute for the advice of your personal physician. The Center does not advocate self-diagnosis or self medication; nor does the Ohio Herb Education Center endorse alternative medicine in lieu of traditional medicine; it urges anyone with continuing symptoms, however minor, to seek medical advice. Please be aware that any plant substance, whether used as food or medicine, externally or internally may cause an allergic reaction. Consult your primary care physician before making changes to your lifestyle.



# 2nd Saturdays

June 9 • July 14 • August 11 • Sept. 8

10am-9pm  
Creekside Park & Plaza

**GET OUTSIDE.GET ACTIVE**

More information at [www.gahanna.gov](http://www.gahanna.gov)  
Or call 614.342.4250.

Gahanna Parks & Recreation presents 2nd Saturdays—a summer event series that is “unique” to Gahanna attracting families and people of all ages from the central Ohio community. 2nd Saturdays engage Olde Gahanna and Creekside with the local community along with attracting residents of Central Ohio to the downtown area. 2nd Saturdays personifies the values & beliefs of the community and the Gahanna Parks & Recreation. The event includes a variety of programs throughout the day including: family friendly focus with interactive games and music, engaging outdoor activities; exposure to a variety of cultures & influences; fun, active fitness & healthy living concepts along with an eating/buying “local” focus.



## Friday after Five

Hosted by the Gahanna Parks & Recreation Foundation

Friday, September 21, 2012, 5:30-9:00pm  
Creekside Park, 123 Mill Street, Gahanna

- Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres, entertainment and live auctions.
  - Proceeds to benefit programs supported by the Gahanna Parks & Recreation Foundation.
- Tickets can be purchased over the phone at 614.342.4250, or by check payable to GPRF and sent to 200 S. Hamilton Rd. Gahanna, Ohio 43230



June 15-17

Olde Gahanna and Creekside Park & Plaza

The Creekside Blues & Jazz Festival is the showcase for the best blues and jazz music in Ohio, if not the Midwest. Centered around Creekside Park and Olde Gahanna, the Creekside Blues & Jazz Festival promises something for everyone with more than 90 hours of entertainment on five stages, Rising Stars Contest, Sunday Jazz Brunch, Musical Discovery Zone, children's activities, amusement rides, vendors and of course, great food!

- General admission: \$4. Children under 12: free
- Members of the military & their immediate family members: free (ID required)
- Weekend pass: \$10 (may be pre-purchased or at entry gate, Friday night only)
- Enjoy FREE admission on Sunday from 12-2 pm with a donation of nonperishable food items to the Mid-Ohio Foodbank

Hours: Friday, 5-11 pm Saturday, 11 am – 11 pm Sunday, 12-6 pm

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

CONTACT THE GAHANNA CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU  
(614) 418-9114 OR CREEKSIDEBLUESANDJAZZ.COM



July 4, 2012  
Freedom Festival  
6:30-11pm  
Gahanna Municipal Golf Course



# SENIOR CENTER



480 Rocky Fork Blvd. 614-342-4265

## General Information

Please register for all Senior Programs in person at the Senior Center.

The Gahanna Senior Center, located at 480 Rocky Fork Boulevard, is a multi-purpose facility open to all senior adults ages 55 and over. The Center offers a wide variety of programs and services in such areas as recreation, education, health and human services, physical fitness, community programs and many volunteer opportunities. The Center's annual membership fee is \$10 for residents and \$15 for non-residents.

The primary goal of the Gahanna Senior Center is to provide programs and services to senior adults to help them remain active, independent, and contributing citizens within the community.

For further information you may contact the Gahanna Senior Center at 342-4265 or stop by Monday-Friday between the hours of 8:30am-4:30pm.

## Program & Trip Reservation Policy

**No Reservations will be taken until Monday, Monday, May 7, 2012!**

- Gahanna residents who are Senior Center members have the opportunity to register for programs before nonresident members.
- All trips and programs are filled on a first-come, first-serve basis.
- Reservations **MUST** be made at the Senior Center - no phone reservations accepted.
- All checks are made out to the City of Gahanna unless otherwise noted. If you are paying in cash, please bring the EXACT amount.
- A reservation is a firm agreement. Refunds may be made **ONLY** if your vacancy is filled.
- To cancel your reservation, call as soon as possible. You may **NOT** fill the reservation. Cancellations are filled from a waiting list.
- You must sign up for you and/or your spouse.

## Member Services

Members of the Senior Center are eligible for a variety of services for free or at reduced cost. Below is a list of services provided from May through August. Contact the Senior Center at 342-4265 for details on these services.

- COTA Mainstream
- Dietician – nutrition and hydration discussions
- Hearing Check and Hearing Aid Clean & Service
- Agency Information and Referral Services
- Lifecare Meals
- Options for Elders – Franklin County Services
- Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (R.S.V.P.)
- OSHIIP Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program
- Grief Support Group



## Member Activities

A variety of activities are offered to Senior Center members for free or for a nominal fee. Get active, meet new friends or start a new hobby! Call the Senior Center at 342-4265 for program times, costs and registration information. Programs offered from May through August include:

- |                           |                         |                       |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| • Aerobics                | • Ceramics              | • Pinochle            |
| • Art Classes             | • Chair Yoga            | • Poker               |
| • Balance & Stretch Class | • Craft/Sewing Projects | • Quilting Guild      |
| • Bead Jewelry            | • Creative Cards        | • Roaring Lions Lunch |
| • Bean Bag Baseball       | • Duplicate Bridge      | • Tai Chi             |
| • Bingo                   | • Euchre                | • Table Tennis        |
| • Blackjack               | • Kitchen Band          | • Tap Dance Class     |
| • Book Review Group       | • Line Dance            | • Wii Games           |
| • Bridge (Party)          | • Lite Lunch            | • Yoga                |

SENIOR

# Summer Programs

## NEW! Grandparents Series

Grandparents and grandchildren get outside and get active in this new summer series. Bring your favorite "grand" out to the parks to fish, garden and golf. A picnic lunch will be provided!

Cost is per person, per program.  
Time for all sessions: 10am-12p

### Grandparents & Guppies

Woodside Green Park  
213 Camrose Ct.

Try to catch a big one on the Woodside Green pond! Equipment, bait and instruction provided.

Class	Ages	Day	RDR/SR
321701A	All Ages	Fri Jun 22	\$5/\$8

### Grandparents & Gardening

Geroux Herb Garden  
200 S. Hamilton Rd.

Have fun while learning about food, herbs, and gardening. This interactive session includes a pot-a-plant craft, herb food challenge and demonstration on why Gahanna is the Herb Capital of Ohio!

Class	Ages	Day	RDR/SR
321701B	All Ages	Fri Jul 20	\$5/\$8

### Grandparents & Golf

Gahanna Golf Course  
220 Olde Ridenour Rd.

Share a love for the game of golf as we putt around the greens and practice our swings. Bring your clubs if you have them!

Class	Ages	Day	RDR/SR
321701C	All Ages	Fri Aug 10	\$5/\$8

## Lunch Bunch

### May 16

Florentine Restaurant  
(West Broad)

### June 20

Milestone 229  
(Scioto Mile)  
Depart at 10:30am

### July 18

Cranberry Point Buckeye Lake  
(\$7 pizza, salad, drink, dessert)

### August 15

Clintonville Women's Club

LUNCH BUNCH DEPARTS AT 10:45AM  
YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COST OF  
YOUR LUNCH ONCE A RESERVATION IS MADE!

## Ophthalmology Association

Friday, May 18, 1:00pm

The Columbus Ophthalmology Association, Inc. is offering free eye screening from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Please call for an appointment.

## Senior Citizens Day Celebration

Wednesday, May 23, 1:00pm

Join us for live musical entertainment. Enjoy Creative Art Work, Ceramics and Calligraphy on display by our talented seniors. Refreshments provided by Traditions at Stygler Road. There will be an annual membership meeting and election of officers. Please register.

## Columbus Arts Festival

Friday, June 1, 11:00am

Welcome to Summer! Art, crafts, food and entertainment downtown on the Scioto Mile.

Transportation \$2. Please register.

## Summer Picnic and Pot Luck

Wednesday, June 6, 11:30am

Pot Luck Picnic and summer fun at Hannah Park! Bring a dish to share, and your own drink. Plates, napkins and plastic ware will be provided. We will play games, take a hike and just have a GREAT time. Let us know what you plan to bring when you register.

## Volunteer Appreciation Program

Wednesday July 11, 1:00p.m.

Attention all Senior Center Volunteers! Enjoy an afternoon of entertainment and lunch held at Kensington Place. Transportation will be provided. Must register.

## Summer Cook Out

Friday, July 27, 11:30am

Brats, chips and drinks—join the fun as we celebrate the Summer Season. Sponsored by Allen Meyer, Investment Representative with Edward Jones. No need to register.

## Columbus Clippers Ball Game

Tuesday, July 31, 11:00am

Reserved seats at the new Huntington Park. Ticket cost \$7. Transportation \$2. Reservations are necessary and limited.

## Euchre Roundup

Wednesday, August 1, 1:00 p.m.

Enjoy an afternoon of ten rounds of Euchre play. Cost \$1.00—all money returned in prizes. Rules for play will be reviewed at roundup. Participants must have a partner. Please register.



## Gahanna Garnet Gems

Red Hat Society Events

Check the registration book at the center for all details on the activities for the summer. Wear your RED HAT and PURPLE DRESS and join in the fun!

## Sandwich Tuesday

Second Tuesday

of each month 11:30 am  
Enjoy a sandwich and a side with your senior center friends.

Hurry in---first come first serve.  
Cost \$1

## Lunch and Learn

### June 14

Organizing and  
Downsizing your Home

### July 12

Wills, Advance Directives etc.

### August 9

Have an Emergency Plan

Program and lunch will begin at 11:30 on the above dates. This program is sponsored by Traditions at Stygler Road.

Must register.  
Limited space, no charge.

SENIOR

# 2012 Senior Travel Forecast

2012-2013

TRAVEL PRESENTATION

June 13, 2012---1:00PM

Registration Required 342-4265

**PAYMENT MUST  
ACCOMPANY  
RESERVATION**

SENIOR

**Put in Bay**

July 19, 2012

Cost \$106

Motorcoach to Port Clinton, OH. Lunch stop at the Mon Ami Restaurant, Jet Express to Put in Bay, tram ride for a one hour island tour. There will be time for shopping on the Island and a stop at Cheese Haven on the way home.

**Roscoe Village**

August 8, 2012

Cost \$84

Motorcoach to Coshocton, OH. Brunch at Medberry Market in the Village, Scavenger hunt and Dessert Creations Cooking demonstration, Byesville Scenic Railway ride and stop at Georgetown Winery for wine tasting and shopping.

**Washington and Oregon**

August 17-26, 2012

Cost \$2899

Airfare to Seattle, WA, return from Portland, OR. Nine hotel nights, nine breakfasts, one lunch and six dinners included. Sightseeing at Pike Place Market, Space Needle, Mount Rainier National Park, Olympia, Tacoma, Mt. St. Helens, Fort Clatsop, Multnomah Falls, Willamette Valley, Yaquina Bay, and Oregon Dunes National Recreation area. Tour director, insurance and gratuities included.

**Cowabunga**

Sept 12, 2012

Cost \$89

Motorcoach transportation to Belmont County for a Texas Longhorn Country guided tour and lunch in the pavilion. Feed the bulls, explore the store and gift shop. Ice cream stop, Pottery Outlet and gratuities included.

**West Virginia Trains**

October 1-4, 2012

Cost \$899

Motorcoach transportation to Elkins, WV. Enjoy a continental breakfast each morning and one buffet lunch at Hawks Nest State Park. WV. Take an aerial tram ride over New River Gorge, jet boat on the New River, dinner at Graceland Inn, and Cheat Mountain, Durbin Rocket and Cass scenic train rides. Taxes and gratuities included.

**Old Man River and Casino**

October 18-19, 2012

Cost \$232 double

Motorcoach to Bellevue KY. Five-hour Queen City Riverboat cruise with lunch and snacks, entertainment, limited open bar and cash bingo. Overnight at Grand Victoria Casino and Resort including dinner and breakfast buffet, taxes and gratuities.

**Kalightscope Christmas at Galt House**

November 29-30, 2012

Cost \$339

Motorcoach to the Galt House in Louisville, KY. Holiday Luminary Experience, dinner show, Gingerbread Village and Mistletoe Marketplace admission. Lights under Louisville Tour, Visit to Fabulous Fur Store and Duke Energy Train display. All taxes and gratuities included.

**Christmas at The Greenbrier**

December 9-11, 2012

Cost \$799

Motorcoach transportation to WV. Two night accommodations at the Greenbrier Hotel including breakfast and dinner daily, culinary demonstration, afternoon tea, historical tour, nightly movies, all taxes and gratuities included.

**Panama Canal Cruise**

January 17- February 2, 2013

Cost \$2995-\$4299

Transfers to Airport, airfare, one night Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., 14 night cruise aboard Celebrity "Century", taxes, gratuities and insurance included. Ports include Cartagena, Columbia, Colon, Panama, Puntarenas, Costa Rica, Puerto Quetzal, Guatemala, Puerto Vallarta, and Cabo San Lucas, Mexico



# **GAHANNA PARKS & RECREATION 2012 CONCERT SERIES**

## **MUSIC IN THE PARK FRIENDSHIP PARK 7PM**

**MAY 25 SHAW BROTHERS  
JUNE 1 SOUL KITCHN  
JUNE 8 CHRISTIAN HOWES  
JUNE 22 FREE BOOTERS  
JUNE 29 SONG BIRDS  
JULY 6 CHANGE IT UP CHARLIE  
JULY 13 JAY FREEMAN  
JULY 20 GRASSAHOL  
JULY 27 PETT CROW  
AUGUST 3 LORDS OF LITERATURE  
AUGUST 10 PHILLIP FOX BAND  
AUGUST 17 LONE RAVEN**

## **CONCERTS ON THE CREEK ROTARY STAGE ★ CREEKSIDE 7PM**

**JUNE 9 DAVID GERALD BAND  
JUNE 23 ERIC DOVE WITH GREENLIGHTGO  
JULY 14 THE ANDY SHAW BAND  
JULY 28 CLEAR BLUE SUNDAY  
AUGUST 11 THE FLOOR WALKERS  
AUGUST 25 PARROTS OF THE CARIBBEAN  
SEPTEMBER 8 THE SPIKE DRIVERS**

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# **OUTDOOR ADVENTURES**

HIKING

FISHING

CANOETING

OUTDOOR MOVIES

FIRESIDE FRIDAYS

BACKYARD CAMPOUTS

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# 6 Easy Ways to Register!

## 1 Online

Register for selected classes and programs on-line! Submit an On-line Registration Form, get your user name and password, and get started! To receive an On-line Registration Form, visit [www.gahanna.gov](http://www.gahanna.gov) or call Parks & Recreation at 342-4250.

## 2 Phone

Call our office at 342-4250 to register for classes over the phone. Please have your registration form completed to expedite the registration process.

## 3 In Person

Registrations are accepted at the Gahanna City Hall Parks & Recreation Office, 200 S. Hamilton Rd., Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm.

## 4 Mail

Complete and sign the registration form. Enclose fee payment (check or credit card number). Check must be made payable to City of Gahanna. Mail to Gahanna Parks & Recreation, 200 S. Hamilton Road, Gahanna, OH 43230.

## 5 Drop Box

Complete and sign the registration form. Enclose fee payment (check or credit card number). Checks must be made payable to City of Gahanna. Drop the registration in the drop box located to the left of the front doors of the Municipal Building, 200 S. Hamilton Road.

## 6 Fax

For credit card payments only. Complete and sign the registration form with the credit card number. Fax to 342-4351 or 342-4100, attention Parks & Recreation.

These policies and forms apply to Parks & Recreation and Ohio Herb Education Center programs *only* (not Senior Center programs).

## Contact Gahanna Parks & Recreation

Phone: (614) 342-4250

Fax: (614) 342-4351

Address: 200 S. Hamilton Road  
Gahanna, OH 43230

Email: [parksandrec@gahanna.gov](mailto:parksandrec@gahanna.gov)

Website: [www.gahanna.gov/departments/parks](http://www.gahanna.gov/departments/parks)

## Class Policies

- If the Gahanna-Jefferson Schools close due to inclement weather, all Gahanna Parks & Recreation Programs will be cancelled and rescheduled at a later date.

- The Gahanna Department of Parks & Recreation requires participants registering for age or grade-specific programs to be the **minimum** age or grade listed by the **first day** of the program.

- The Gahanna Department of Parks & Recreation will regularly photograph the classes and their participants. The photographs may be used in publications and on the web site. **If you wish not to be photographed, please indicate so on the registration form.**

## Registration Policies

### Fee Structure

- The City of Gahanna Department of Parks & Recreation is funded primarily through income taxes paid to the City of Gahanna. For this reason, any person residing in the City of Gahanna, or who is an employee of a business located within the City of Gahanna (which also includes a spouse and/or child of such employee), will pay the **resident discount rate** when registering for a program or when reserving a Park and/or Golf Course facility. All others will be required to pay the **standard rate** otherwise noted. *Please note that even if you have a Gahanna mailing address and/or live within the Gahanna-Jefferson School District, you **MAY NOT** be a qualifying resident of the City of Gahanna.*

- In order to receive the **resident discount rate**, a person must live within the Gahanna City limits and **may be required** to verify proof of residency by showing a current City of Gahanna water bill, along with any valid photo identification. A full-time employee (spouse or child) of a business located within the City of Gahanna **must** provide proof of employment on company letterhead (with Gahanna address) signed by the personnel director or president of the company. Presentation of a valid photo identification of the employee is also required.

- Fees must be paid at the time of registration. Only receipt of payment reserves enrollment. **All programs have limited enrollment.**

- **“LAST MINUTE” REGISTRATION FEE** : If registering for a class within five (3) business days of the start of class, an **additional \$10 fee** will be added above the resident discount rate/standard rate cost of the class, **UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED IN THE DESCRIPTION.**

## Cancellation, Refund and Credit Policies

- **CLASS CANCELLATIONS:** We will contact you if a class has been cancelled or filled to maximum capacity prior to processing your registration. If you do not hear from us, please attend the first class.

- **FACILITY CANCELLATIONS:** Reservations canceled more than 30 days in advance of the registration date will receive a refund, less at \$10 administrative fee. Cancellations 14-29 days in advance will receive a 50% refund; cancellations less than 13 days receive no refund. Changes or rescheduled reservations are subject to a \$10 administrative fee. No refunds for inclement weather.

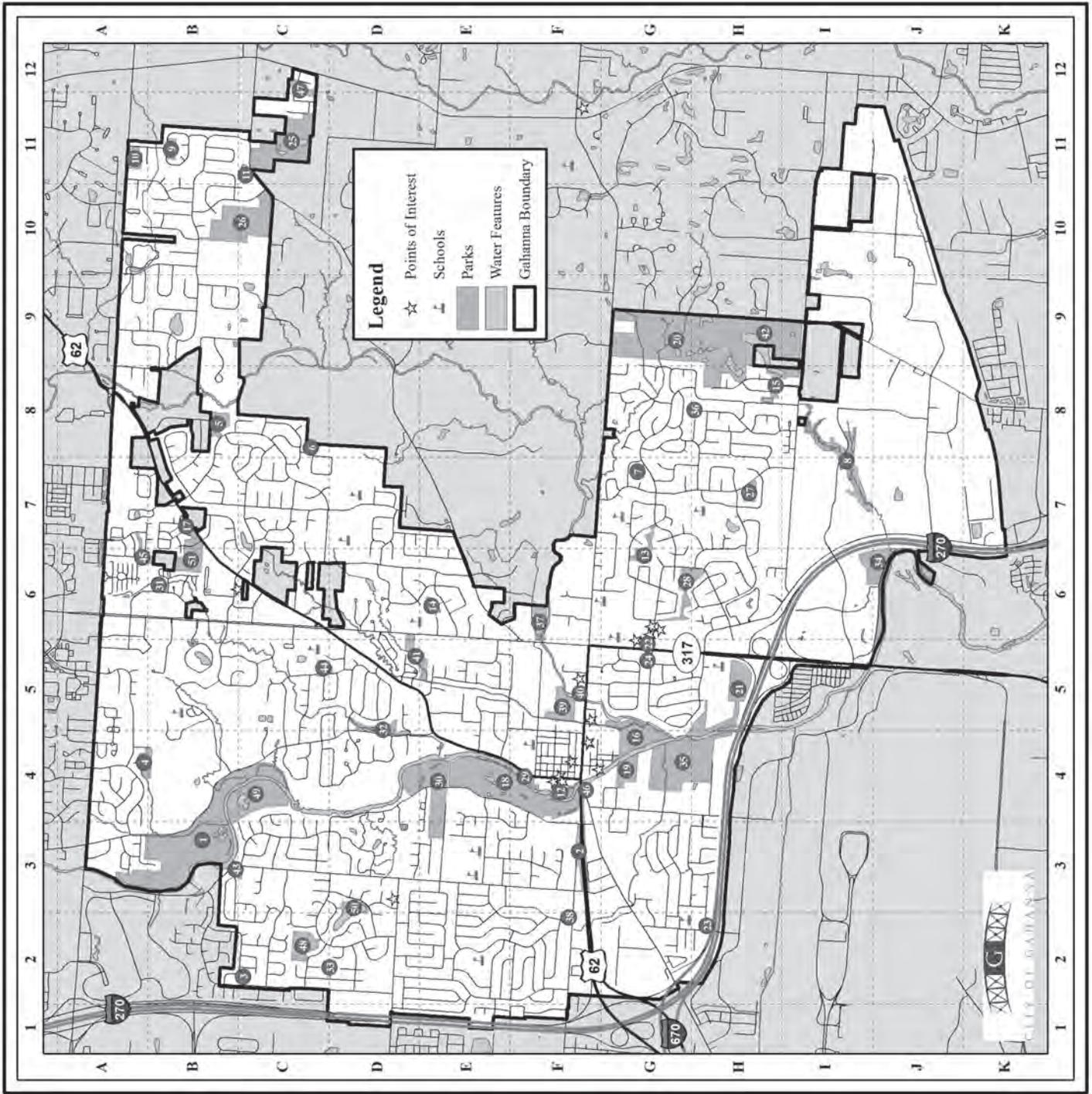
- **PROGRAM REFUNDS and CREDITS:** Refunds are only issued in instances when a class/program has been cancelled by the Department.

- Credits issued may only be applied to a future registration of the **same** membership, facility rental, program or class for which they were originally purchased. For example, a facility rental credit may **ONLY** be used for a future facility rental, a swim class credit for a future swim class, etc. **Credits expire one year from the date issued.**

- **Absolutely no refunds will be issued for customer requested cancellations, classes and programs.**

# Map of the City of Gahanna

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# PARKS & FACILITIES

## Community Park Highlight Woodside Green Park

Woodside Green Park is located at 213 Camrose Ct., this beautiful 32.82 acre park offers both passive and leisure opportunities for your enjoyment. Amenities such as a playground, canoe launch into the Big Walnut Creek, softball and baseball fields, basketball court, pond (catch and release fishing), heated restrooms, rentable shelter house with grill and ample parking.

The multipurpose trails at Woodside Green Park connects to the Big Walnut Trail north to Academy Park and south to the Gahanna Municipal Golf Course, providing a scenic nature hike or bike ride close to home. Enjoy a leisurely stroll or bike ride in the beautiful setting where wildflowers paint an amazing picture in the springtime.



## Gahanna Parks & Recreation Parks Division Overview

PARKS & FACILITIES



The Parks & Facilities Division is responsible for 750+ acres of parkland and open space, as well as shelters and park facilities, athletic fields, two aquatics centers, 12+ miles of bike trails and routes, the Gahanna Municipal Golf Course, the Gahanna Senior Center, the Ohio Herb Education Center, Geroux Herb Gardens and Creekside Park & Plaza.

The Parks Division maintains 26 community and neighborhood parks

and facilities, including a skate park (Shull), dog park (Pizzurro), state nature preserve (Gahanna Woods), veterans park (Veterans Memorial), athletic parks (Academy, Headley and McCorkle) and four multi-use community parks (Creekside, Friendship, Hannah, and Woodside Green). Additionally, the Division maintains 21 preserves, reserves greenways and open spaces, and increasing pedestrian and cycling connectivity through developing the Big Walnut Creek Trail.

**Academy Park** - Nature trails, fishing, playground and are just some of the highlights available.

**Creekside Park & Plaza** - Oasis of nature for walking, biking, fishing and paddle boats.

**Friendship Park** - Play a game of tennis or basketball, fish from your canoe, explore this beautiful park or have your next event in our rentable picnic shelter and gazebo.

**Gahanna Woods** - Explore 50 acres of nature trails and open meadows includes a Swamp forest with excellent spring wildflowers and woodland pools.

**Hannah Park** - The Park features tennis and basketball courts, playground, ball field, and just over one mile of walking trails. There is also plenty of green space, ponds, and a rentable, covered shelter.

**Headley Park** - Play at one of 12 soccer fields, one softball field, or play on the playground.

**McCorkle Park** - Catch and Release fishing, hiking trails and playground are available here as well as three football fields and a soccer field.

**Pizzurro Park and "Dog Park"** - The "Dog Park" area is a 4 acre fenced area where dogs may run off leash. Canoe launch and fishing are found at Pizzurro Park.

**Shull Park and "The B.A.S.E."** - Skate Park, Soccer Fields, and Inline Hockey.

**Veterans Memorial Park** - The park was dedicated on Veterans Day in 1998. The park was built to allow for the placement of engraved bricks honoring veterans.

**Woodside Green Park** - Choose from a variety of activities including baseball, basketball, canoe launch, fishing and shelter rentals.

**The Ohio Herb Education Center** - The center includes a gift shop, parlor and kitchen and is used for classes, parties, meetings and rentals.



**SUMMER DREAMING?**

**Gahanna Aquatics Memberships - 2 Pools for 1 Price!**

The image features a large, stylized thought bubble on the left side, containing the text 'SUMMER DREAMING?'. The background is a vibrant photograph of a swimming pool with a yellow and blue water slide. The text 'Gahanna Aquatics Memberships - 2 Pools for 1 Price!' is overlaid in the bottom right corner of the image.



**Golf Gahanna!**

**Memberships NOW Available!**

**Call 614-342-4250 to get yours TODAY!**

The image shows a lush green golf course with several people and golf carts. The text 'Golf Gahanna!' is written in large, bold, yellow letters with a black outline at the top. Below it, 'Memberships NOW Available!' is written in green and yellow. At the bottom, 'Call 614-342-4250 to get yours TODAY!' is written in black and red.



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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS & RECREATION

200 S. Hamilton Road  
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## CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

### Summer-long Fun!

**Music In The Park** Fridays, May 25-Aug 17, 7-9 pm, (no concert June 15) Friendship Park

**Gahanna's Great Outdoors & Cinema Under the Stars** Saturdays 7-11pm, June 2 Woodside Green Park, July 7 Hannah Park, August 4 Friendship Park

**Concerts on the Creek** Saturdays 7-9pm, June 9, June 23, July 14, July 28, August 11, August 25, September 8, Rotary Stage at Creekside

**2nd Saturdays** Saturday, June 9, July 14, August 11, September 8, 10am-9pm Creekside Park & Plaza

**Party in your Park** June 20 Galloway Reserve; July 18 Ambassador Commons; August 15 Trapp Park

**Fireside Fridays** Fridays 9-10pm, June 22, July 27, August 17 (registration required), Friendship Park

**Paddling Series** Saturdays, June 2 Woodside Green Park 5p-6:30p, July 7 Hannah Park 5p-6:30p, Aug 5 Gahanna Swimming Pool 9-11am

**Family Fishing at Creekside** Saturdays, June 9, July 14, Aug 11, Sept 8, 10am-12pm (registration required)

### Summer Events

Apr 28 **Spring Fling** Woodside Green Park, 10-1pm

May 12 **Herb Day** Creekside Plaza/ Ohio Herb Education Center, 9am-4pm

May 12 **Paddle Boats Open**

May 25 **Story Trail Ribbon Cutting** Friendship Park, 7pm

May 25 **Hunters Ridge & Gahanna Swimming Pools Open!** Dive-in movies, hot dog nights & Ice Cream Nights

July 4 **Freedom Festival** Gahanna Municipal Golf Course 6:30-10:15pm

Aug 25 **Touch-a-Truck** Hannah Park, 9am-1pm

Sep 22-23 **Backyard Campout** Hannah Park, 4pm-10am (registration required)