

CRESTWOOD NEWSLETTER

JUNE/JULY 2023



AMBULANCE SERVICE TO BEGIN JULY 1ST

When Crestwood voters approved a one-quarter of a cent fire protection sales tax increase in April 2022, they did so with the direct intention of establishing a City-run ambulance service.

This goal will officially become a reality on July 1 when the City will put the ambulance – designated as 1217 – into service, for the first time in Crestwood's history.

The ambulance will be staffed 24/7, 365 days a year with two firefighter/paramedics, where they will be able to provide advance life care services to the sick and injured citizens of the community.

This new ambulance service allows the firefighter/paramedic to maintain a constant level of care – from the time of contact with the patient until such time they arrive at the hospital.

"The Fire Department is excited for this new chapter for the Fire Department," Fire Chief Leo Meyer said. "Many of our citizens in Crestwood have utilized the fire department in the past for a number of reasons. We are proud to continue that service to the community and are excited to extend that care during transport to a hospital."

The easiest way to describe the ambulance is a mini-Emergency Room on wheels. The paramedics on the ambulance are trained to handle traumatic and medical emergencies for every demographic within the community. As in the past, the ambulance will also be supported by the firetruck on certain emergencies where more manpower is needed.

The ambulance itself was built by Osage Ambulance, out of Linn, MO, where the ambulance box was built on a 2022 Ford F-550 chassis. Osage Ambulance even offers a lifetime warranty on the ambulance box portion, which allows for that portion to be removed from an older chassis and mounted onto a new chassis when it is time to replace the unit. This will be a significant savings to the City over time.

The Fire Department will rely on mutual aid agreements to supplement its ambulance service. The City is also currently waiting on its other ambulance to be finished being built, which will likely be completed in late 2024, but will have contractual agreements in place to borrow a backup ambulance from other departments should that be necessary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT'S NEW DEPUTY CHIEFS



Earlier this year, Fire Chief Leo Meyer led the largest transition of Fire Department leadership since the City stopped being a volunteer force, more than fifty years ago.

Newly promoted himself – after having spent more than four years as Assistant Chief/Fire Marshal here in Crestwood, and more than 30 years of experience throughout his career – Chief Meyer determined the best direction of the City would be in the promotion of three Deputy Chiefs.

This led to the swearing-in of Deputy Chiefs Rob Shaffrey, Larry Ostertag, and Tim Broyles. Together, these three individuals have a combined 75 years of service to the City of Crestwood.

Deputy Chief Shaffrey, who will work the "A" shift, will be the department's Training Officer ensuring that all firefighter/paramedics receive the proper education that allows them to think in the most serious of conditions.

Deputy Chief Ostertag, who will work the "B" shift, will be the department's Medical Officer ensuring that the ambulance and all paramedics are put in the best position to succeed.

Deputy Chief Broyles, who will work the "C" shift, will be the department's Fire Prevention Officer ensuring that all commercial and residential buildings are as safe as possible for the health/safety of those in the Crestwood community.

NEWS BLURBS

PARKS MASTER PLAN

The Parks and Recreation Master Plan is currently in front of the Board of Aldermen for final approval. This Master Plan will guide the City as it makes park improvements for the next 10-15 years.

For more details on the plan, which are subject to change before being formally approved, the proposed Master Plan can be found on the City's website at www.cityofcrestwood.org/parks-masterplan or by scanning this QR code:



PUBLIC WORKS HIRING

The Public Works Department is looking for qualified applicants for the Street Maintenance Worker I & II position. The position offers a competitive wage, strong benefits package, and will even train the right applicant for their CDL. For more information or to apply, please contact Janet Gravagna at jgravagna@cityofcrestwood.org.

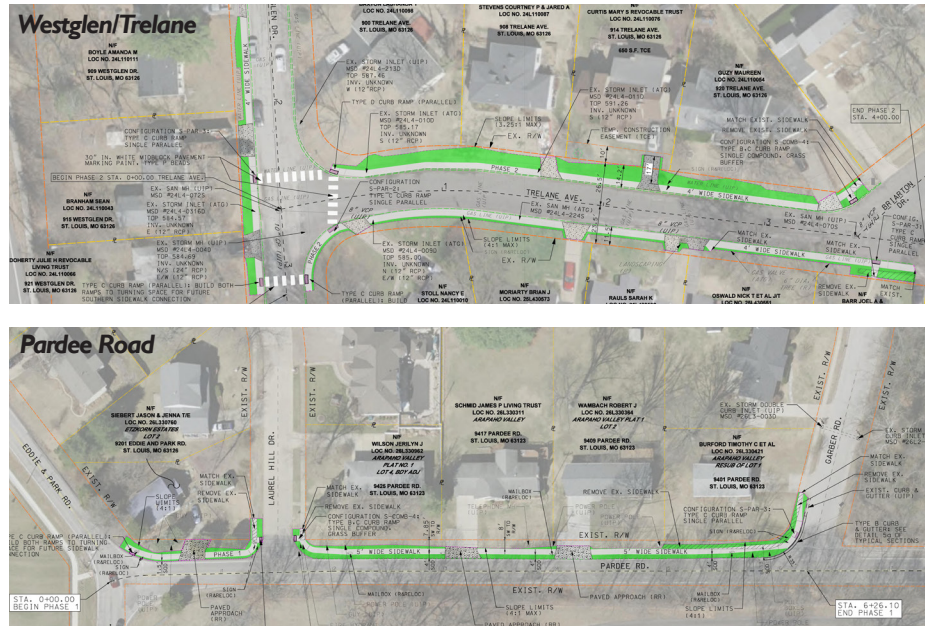
SHRED DATES SCHEDULED

The City of Crestwood will be providing a paper shredding event on Saturday, August 26 and an electronics recycling event on Saturday, September 9. Additional information will be forthcoming on the City's website. This year's events were made possible by a grant from Saint Louis County Department of Public Health, utilizing County landfill surcharge funds. Please mark your calendars!

CODE ENFORCEMENT CORNER

The Department of Public Works would like to remind everyone to keep your pets healthy, and in accordance with St. Louis County's Animal Control Code. This includes keeping them on a leash at all times, when they are away from your property - including at any Crestwood-area park. The City partners with Sunset Hills for use of Kitun Dog Park on Eddie and Park, if you are looking for an off-leash play area. For more details, please call 314-842-7265.

CITY CAPITAL PROJECTS FY2023 UPDATE



The City of Crestwood will be seeing some large scale capital projects underway in the coming months.

Currently underway and running until the projects are completed are/will be several public works capital projects including pavement preservation, sidewalk slab replacement, and nearly \$1 million in street slab replacement. The more than 13,000 square yards of concrete streets scheduled for slab replacement include Buxton Drive, Del Vista Drive, Joshua Drive, Laramie Drive, Lavant Drive, Rusticwood Trail and Sun Country Trail.

Additionally, this summer, the City is planning a large expansion of its sidewalk network. This includes nearly 1,000 feet of sidewalk along the streets of Elmout Lane, Westglen Drive, and Trelane Avenue (within walking distance of Crestwood Elementary and Grant's Trail), as well as more than 600 feet of sidewalk along Pardee Road, connecting Eddie and Park Road to Garber Road (within walking distance of Sappington Elementary). The City worked in partnership with Lindbergh Schools to expand walkability for area residents to these local elementary schools.

The City would also be remiss not to thank those from the community who

provided feedback in regards to addition streetlights within City limits. With those comments in mind, as well as observations from the Police Department, the City selected the first 10 streetlights to be added to the community in nearly 20 years.

Parks and Recreation Department

Crestwood Parks will also be going through some major improvements this year. Starting in May, the Community Center will have 25 new, LED solar lights installed on the parking lot to improve lighting for all guests. Staff is also completing a grant to help fund improvements to the lower quarry area of Whitecliff.

This fall, with assistance of a U.S. Department of Transportation grant, the Whitecliff Park entrance bridge will be removed and replaced – a project that will be completed in 2024. This bridge work will temporarily detour all park visitors to a Vauk Lane entrance/exit that will be further established as the project nears its start date (updates forthcoming).

The Sanders Park bridge, connecting the Park to the residents on the other side of Gravois Creek, is also scheduled to be completed this fall, dependent on any pending supply chain issues.

PD GETS NEW DRONE



The Police Department recently purchased a drone to expand their patrol capabilities. Drones have become an affordable way to gather aerial insights while searching for suspects, locating missing persons, mapping crime scenes, and reconstructing accidents. The drone's camera has numerous displays, which includes forward looking infrared, so the drone can be used day and night.

"The PD is always looking at new innovative ways to enhance public safety in Crestwood," Chief Williams said. "The drone gives our officers an enhanced perspective when handling critical incidents."

This professional-grade drone requires all police officers who will be flying the drone to obtain their unmanned aerial vehicle (UAV) license through the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA). In addition to its use among the police department, the drone will also be used by the Fire, Public Works, and Parks Departments.

PARKS AND RECREATION CORNER

CRESTWOOD
Parks and Recreation

SUMMER EVENTS

JUNE 23 **MOVIE IN THE PARK**
MINIONS: RISE OF GRU
8:45 PM AT CRESTWOOD PARK

JULY 1-31 **PARK SCAVENGER HUNT**
MONTH OF JULY (SEE PG. 8)

JULY 14 **WHITECLIFF MUSIC @ THE MARKET**
5:00 PM - 9:00 PM

JULY 20 **CHRISTMAS IN JULY**
CRESTWOOD AQUATIC CENTER



REGISTER HERE



WWW.CITYOFCRESTWOOD.ORG



(314) 729-4860



9245 WHITECLIFF PARK LANE
CRESTWOOD, MO 63126

FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK @
CITY OF CRESTWOOD PARKS AND
RECREATION DEPARTMENT

SAPP HOUSE EVENTS

The summer again looks busy at the Historic Sappington House.

June kicks off with two fundraising concerts including Ticket to the Beatles on Saturday, June 3 and SappingTones on Friday, June 9. The Historic St. Louis "Landscapes of a Summertime Past" Home and Garden Open House will take place on Saturday, June 10.

For more information about the Historic Sappington House or any of the events held on the site, please contact them directly at 314-822-8171.

SAPPINGTON HOUSE PRESENTS:

SappingTones Outdoor Concert

June 9, 2023

Sappington House

Winner of the Battle of the Rock Bands 2022! This concert is one of many fundraisers for our major renovation project- 1816 Joseph Sappington LOG House. Bring your own lawn chair or blanket.

At the gate: Adults \$20; Children FREE
Mystery boxes and 50/50 chances will be available.



314-822-8171
www.HistoricSappingtonHouse.org

Historic Saint Louis presents:
"Landscapes of Summertime Past"
Home and Garden Open House



"All gardening is landscape painting."
Plant sale; Seed exchange
Plein air artists; Missouri Fiddlers
Refreshments

Adults \$8; Children under 12 \$1
Parking Crestwood Elementary or off Reco Ave
Crestwood component of 20-plus site Historic Saint Louis' signature event
www.historicsaintlouis.org/participating-sites-summer



UPCOMING EVENTS

Please check the City website at
www.cityofcrestwood.org
for any updates and cancellations.

CITY OFFICES CLOSED

All Day, JUL 4

BOARD OF ALDERMEN MEETINGS

7 P.M., JUN 27, JUL 25

MOVIE IN THE PARK

8:45 P.M., JUN 23

MUSIC @ THE MARKET

5:00 P.M., JUL 14

CHRISTMAS IN JULY

All Day, JUL 20

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Non Emergency:
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cityofcrestwood.org/parks

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TheCrestwoodPoliceDepartment



SUMMER & FALL

REC CONNECT
ACTIVITY GUIDE

2023

GENERAL INFORMATION



Parks and Recreation

Crestwood Community Center
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SCAN FOR MORE
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MASTER PLAN

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INCLUSIVE RECREATION SERVICES - AMERICAN WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA)

Crestwood Parks and Recreation Department invites people with and without disabilities to participate in our programs and events. Please notify us when you register, or at least three days in advance of the program/event date, if modifications due to a disability are needed to facilitate your participation and/or if there are medications or allergies in which we should be aware. If an inclusion support person is needed to assist the program participant with a disability, it may take up to two weeks or more to provide this type of modification. If we are unable to meet your needs, there is a grievance procedure available for ADA concerns. For assistance in arranging modifications for your participation or to notify us of medical concerns, please contact Terri Johnson, TRS/ CPRP, Executive Director of Municipal Partners for Inclusive Recreation at (314)835-6157, use Relay Missouri 711 or email her at tjohnson@desperesmo.org to discuss your participation.

PROGRAM REFUND POLICY

The Crestwood Parks and Recreation Department strives to provide quality recreation programs for you and your family. If you register for a program and are not be able to attend the class, contact the Parks and Recreation Department a minimum of five days in advance of the program start date to receive a refund. If you are unable to participate in a recreation program due to a health reason, present a physician's statement as proof of illness and/or injury and a refund will be issued. If the program is in progress the fee will be prorated based on remaining classes. If we cancel a program or change the program dates or times not allowing you to participate, a full refund will be issued. Refunds for registrations made with cash or check will be sent by mail to the address on file. Refunds for registrations made with credit card will be credited back to your account. This can take up to 10 days. Trips, camps and special events are exempt from this policy. Once a class starts no refunds will be given.



Facebook
City of Crestwood Parks and Recreation
Instagram
[@crestwoodparksandrecreation](https://www.instagram.com/@crestwoodparksandrecreation)

MEMBERSHIPS

PASS TYPES	RESIDENT	LINDBERGH RESIDENT BUSINESS	NON- RESIDENT
All-Facility Individual Pass	\$138	\$220	\$248
All-Facility Family Pass	\$330	\$495	\$550
Additional Person	\$50	\$50	\$50
Recreation Individual Pass	\$115	\$125	\$144
Recreation Family Pass	\$175	\$238	\$256
Additional Person	\$20	\$20	\$20
Tennis Pass	\$50	\$65	\$70
ID Card	\$5	\$10	\$10
Recreation 10 Visit Pass	\$25	\$50	\$50

COMMUNITY CENTER HOURS OF OPERATION

Monday-Thursday	8:00am-9:00pm
Friday	8:00am-6:00pm
Saturday	8:00am-4:00pm
Sunday	Closed

SPECIAL HOURS

July 4	11:00am-4:00pm
Sept 4	Closed

COMMUNITY CENTER DAILY FEES

\$3/ Resident*

\$6/ Non-Resident

*Residents are required to have a current ID Card to receive resident rates on daily fees and facility reservations.

ALL FACILITY PASS

Includes Recreation and Aquatic Pass privileges.

RECREATION PASS

Access to Fitness Center, Gymnasium, Racquetball Courts and same privileges as Tennis Court Pass. It will serve as ID for Aquatic Center, allowing residents to pay resident rates.

TENNIS PASS

Allows passholder to make tennis reservations a maximum of one week in advance.

NANNY/ BABYSITTER PASS

Available to All Facility Family or Family Aquatic Center Passes. Pass holder must apply with the family that is employing them and provide proof of employment. **Pass can only be used when the holder is with a family member.** Pass holder must be age 16 and older.

ADDITIONAL PERSON

This can be added to the Family Passes. Must follow the rules of family status.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

When the Lindbergh School District cancels school for the day, or if they delay start of the day, due to inclement weather all morning programs and activities at the Crestwood Community Center will be canceled and the center will not open until 10 am.

This policy also applies if Lindbergh School District changes to virtual learning for the day due to inclement weather. We will make a determination on all afternoon and evening classes by 11 am. Please watch or listen to our local media for school closures. We will also have the most up to date information on the City of Crestwood Parks and Recreation Facebook and Instagram pages. The Community Center staff will NOT call program participants to notify the of cancellations covered under this policy.

SENIOR MEMBERSHIPS

A 10% discount is extended to all seniors age 62 or over.

Does not apply to ID card or daily admission fees

AQUATIC CENTER PASS

See page 4 for Aquatic Center passes.

RACQUETBALL COURT USE

All-Facility or Recreation Pass holders may make one racquetball court reservation per day, up to one week in advance. Non-members may play on a walk in basis only. Community Center daily fees apply.

FITNESS CENTER

The fitness room is open during normal operating hour of the Community Center. A guardian must accompany youth ages 12 to 14. Individuals 15 to 17 year old must have a parent release form on file at the Community Center to use the facility on their own. No one under the age of 12 will be allowed in the fitness room.

PROOF OF RESIDENCY - ID CARD

Two forms of identification that include your name and address must be provided. One item must be a current photo ID. To qualify for Lindbergh School District rates, Lindbergh residents will need to verify two forms of current residency. Business Membership categories are available to anybody employed by a business located within the appropriate boundaries, with proof of current employment such as current pay stub.

FAMILY STATUS

A Family is defined as no more than two adults and two dependent children under the age of 23 residing at the same address. Anyone over the age of 16 being included on the pass will need to show proof of residency by the use of a photo ID and/or any other record of residency.

KITUN DOG PARK

The 2 acre dog park is located at 12343 Eddie and Park Road. The park has separate areas for small and large dogs. Crestwood residents receive resident rates for annual memberships. Tags are available at the Sunset Hills Community Center 3915 South Lindbergh, Sunset Hills, MO 63127. **Membership valid Jan 1-Nov 30, 2023.**

Park Hours: Dawn to Dusk

Annual Fee: \$50R/\$65NR; \$10/additional dog

FACILITY & RENTALS

PICNIC PAVILION RESERVATIONS

A current resident ID Card or membership is required to receive resident rates.

All pavilions can accommodate up to 75 people. Reservations may be made up to one year in advance. Only residents may reserve Whitecliff Park Pavilion #2 or Crestwood Park Lower Pavilion more than 60 days in advance. All reservations must be made in person at the Community Center during operating hours. Reservations cannot be made less than 72 hours prior to the desired date. There are no refunds or rescheduling of reservations due to inclement weather. All pavilions except Whitecliff #1 have electrical service. A Special Use Permit is required if you are using a city park and will have: inflatables, tents or other structures, live music, charge a fee or sell anything, or are having a special event. Contact the Community Center to see if this applies to your reservation.

Pavilion rental dates are Apr 1-Oct 31

Restrooms are winterized and closed annually Nov 1-Mar 31

RESIDENT RATE		NON-RESIDENT RATE
\$60/day	Quarry Pavilion- NEW	\$120/day
\$60/day	Whitecliff Pavilion & Rotary Pavilion	\$120/day
\$60/day	Crestwood Upper & Lower Pavilion	\$120/day
\$30/hour	Ballfield with lights	\$40/hour
\$15/hour	Ballfield without lights	\$20/hour
\$6/hour	Whitecliff Sand Volleyball	\$10/hour

BALLFIELDS

Whitecliff Park has one dirt ballfield available for rental on an hourly basis. Price is based on both residency and the use of ballfield lights. Crestwood Park has grass fields, with no lights available. Field rentals start in early spring.

TENNIS COURTS

All-Facility, Recreation and Tennis Pass holders may make tennis court reservations for the Whitecliff Park courts by calling the Community Center one-week in advance. Reservations must be made by 4:00pm for the next day, or by 4:00pm on Friday for Saturday, Sunday, and Monday reservations. Courts will not be cleared of snow or ice in the winter.

PARK HOURS

Whitecliff Park is open all year from 5:30am-11:00pm

All other Crestwood Parks are open 6:00am-9:00pm Sept-April
6:00am-10:00pm May-Aug

All Restrooms Closed Nov 1-March 31



Scan to learn more about the parks.

ROOM RENTALS

COMMUNITY CENTER HOURLY RENTAL FEES	RESIDENT OPEN HOURS RATE	RESIDENT CLOSED HOUR RATE	NON-RESIDENT / RESIDENT BUSINESS OPEN HOURS RATE	NON-RESIDENT CLOSED HOUR RATE	NON-RESIDENT BUSINESS OPEN HOUR RATE	NON-RESIDENT BUSINESS CLOSED HOUR RATE
1 Meeting Room	\$30	\$55	\$45	\$70	\$55	\$80
2 Meeting Rooms	\$40	\$65	\$55	\$80	\$70	\$95
3 Meeting Rooms	\$55	\$80	\$75	\$100	\$90	\$115
Multi-purpose	\$70	\$95	\$85	\$120	\$105	\$130
Athletic (1 court)	\$30	NA	\$35	NA	\$43	NA
Athletic (2 courts)	\$60	\$85	\$70	\$105	\$85	\$110

The Community Center has small meeting rooms, the multipurpose room and lounge that are available for rentals. Room 106 and 107 can be rented together to make one large room. Rentals can be made up to one year in advance and must be booked at least two weeks prior to the event.

Please note There is an additional fee of \$25/ hour for non-business hour rentals. Minimum of 3 hours required for non-business hour rentals. *Must have valid Resident ID Card

AQUATICS



HOURS OF OPERATION

May 27 - August 21

Mon-Thurs	11:30am-7:00pm
Fri & Sat	11:00am-8:00pm
Sun	11:00am-7:00pm
Memorial Day	11:00am-6:00pm
July 4th	11:00am-6:00pm

August 22 - September 4

Mon-Thurs	Closed
Fri	4:00-8:00pm
(Competition and Kiddie Pools only)	
Sat	11:00am-8:00pm
Sun	11:00am-7:00pm
Labor Day	11:00am-6:00pm

*Dates and time of hours of operation may change.

Stay up to date by following us on Facebook!

Schedule Adjustments Due to Swim & Dive Meets Closures

Competition Pool	2:00pm
Entire facility	5:00pm
Late openings	Noon

AQUATIC CENTER PASS FEES

Pass Type	Fee
Resident Individual Pass	\$85
Lindbergh & Res Business Individual Pass	\$135
Non-Resident Individual Pass	\$155
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Resident Family Pass	\$225
Lindbergh Family Pass	\$360
Non-Resident Family Pass	\$410
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Additional Family Pass Person	\$30
Nanny/ Babysitter Pass	\$30

FAMILY STATUS

A Family is defined as no more than two adults and two dependent children under the age of 23 residing at the same address. Anyone over the age of 16 being included on the pass will need to show proof of residency by the use of a photo ID and/or any other record of residency.

AQUATIC CENTER PASS GUESTS

Family Resident, Lindbergh, & Non-Resident Pass holders may bring up to four paid guests daily to the Crestwood Aquatic Center per pass holder.

DAILY ADMISSION

The Aquatic Center is a Membership only pool. Residents and Non-Residents must have a current ID or Membership card to gain entry to the Aquatics Center. Those with a current ID card (ID pricing on page 2) are able to pay daily admission.

All Crestwood residents are required to have a Crestwood ID in order to pay the daily Resident rate at the pool; no other identification will be accepted.

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Adult	\$8	\$10
Child (age 4-11)	\$6	\$8
Senior (age 62+)	\$6	\$8
Age 3 and Under	Free	Free
Active-duty military personnel with a military identification card	\$1	\$1

Half price after 4:30pm on Daily Admission

EARLY CLOSINGS

On days with cool/inclement weather and/or low patron usage (below 20 patrons), the Aquatic Center or portions of the facility may not be available.

If the temperature is below 75 degrees at 11:00am, only the Competition Pool may be open.

NANNY/BABYSITTER PASS

Available to Family All Facility or Family Aquatic Center Passes. Pass holder must apply with the family that is employing them and provide proof of employment. Pass can only be used when the holder is with a family member. Pass holder must be age 16 or older. Nanny must be with child/children. Not to be used for Fitness Center usage.

BIRTHDAY PARTY PAVILION

The Playground and Rotary pavilions at Whitecliff Park can be reserved from Memorial to Labor Day weekends in conjunction with the Aquatic Center for birthday parties. A valid ID card or Aquatic Pass is required in order to reserve the pavilion to gain Aquatic Center entrance rates for guests. All guests entering the Aquatic Center will pay the non-resident daily rate unless they have their own resident ID card or Aquatic Center pass. Confirmation of number of guests that will enter the Aquatic Center is required at least seven days in advance of the party date. Any guests entering the Aquatic Center will need to pay an admission fee regardless of swimming. Reservations can be made at the Crestwood Community Center.

AQUATICS

RIVER WALKING

Come and join us as we exercise in the not so lazy river to walk against or with the current. Some days are subject to be cancelled due to Swim & Dive meets and cool/inclement weather. Follow us on Facebook and Instagram for weather updates!

June 5 - Aug 10 M-TH 7:15-8:00pm
(No River Walking June 14 & 27, July 4)
June 6 - Aug 8 T 9:00-9:45am
June 10 - Aug 13 S & SU 10:00-10:45am
Ages 14+
Drop-In Rates: \$5R/\$7NR

Punch Cards
10 visits \$30R/\$40NR
20 visits \$40R/\$60NR
30 visits \$50R/\$70NR

Punch cards may not be shared between other people. Visits expire at the end of the 2023 season. Additional visits can be purchased. No refunds will be given for unused visits.



GROUP SWIM LESSONS

Swim lessons are based on age and skill level. Deadline to register is one week prior to start date. All classes are 30 minutes in length, and will consist of 8 classes. Additional time will be added to the other classes to make up for the missed class.
\$60/R \$71/NR



For Group Swim Lesson descriptions and schedules, scan the QR code!



THE DOGGIE DIVE

Come join us for a puppy pool party that will help support Crestwood Animal Shelter! Dogs will be allowed to splash, splash and doggie paddle around the pool. Vaccination records are required at time of registration. Each dog must have a handler over the age of 14.

Sept 6 W
Reg. by 4:00pm
At the Gate

EARLY BIRD LAP SWIM

Start your day with a splash! The competition pool will be available for lap swim. Pay daily or purchase a 2023 Lap Swim Pass and enter at the Aquatic Center main gate. On days with cool or inclement weather, Lap Swim may be cancelled.

Free with your All-Facility and Aquatic Center membership. Free with your SilverSneakers, Prime, OnePass or Renew Active membership!

June 6 - Aug 3 T/TH 6:05-6:45am
June 10 - Aug 6 S/SU 10:00-10:45am

Drop-in Rates: \$4R/\$6NR

Punch Cards
10 visits \$22R/\$26NR
20 visits \$38R/\$46NR

Punch cards may not be shared between other people. Visits expire at the end of the season. Additional visits can be purchased and no refunds will be given for unused visits.

AQUATIC EVENTS



ANNUAL LAZY RIVER DUCK RACE

Join us for the Annual Lazy River Duck Race. Purchase of a duck benefits Whitecliff Summer Playhouse.

Duck Sales begin June 1
July 4 T

\$5 Each
2:00pm

CHRISTMAS IN JULY

Happy Hula-days at Crestwood Aquatic Center! Enjoy a day filled with holiday music, games, dress up contests, carol karaoke contest and special holiday treats! We will be also have special visitors for a festive good time!

July 20 TH
Free with admission

All Day



CAMPS

FUTURE VETERINARIAN SUMMER CAMP (DOG/CAT)

5 Days

Ages 6-11

Become a paw-some and purr-fect veterinarian! In our 25hr Future Veterinarian Summer Camp, students will role-play the key responsibilities of a veterinarian and learn how to care for a dog and a cat. These future veterinarians will learn how to remove ticks, perform a nose-to-tail exam, understand proper animal nutrition and hydration, practice administering medication, comprehend the types of animal body language, and discuss the steps to become a vet. Bring a lunch and water bottle daily.

July 10-14 M-F 9:00am-3:00pm
\$175R/\$215NR

MAD SCIENCE GROSS OUT SCIENCE CAMP

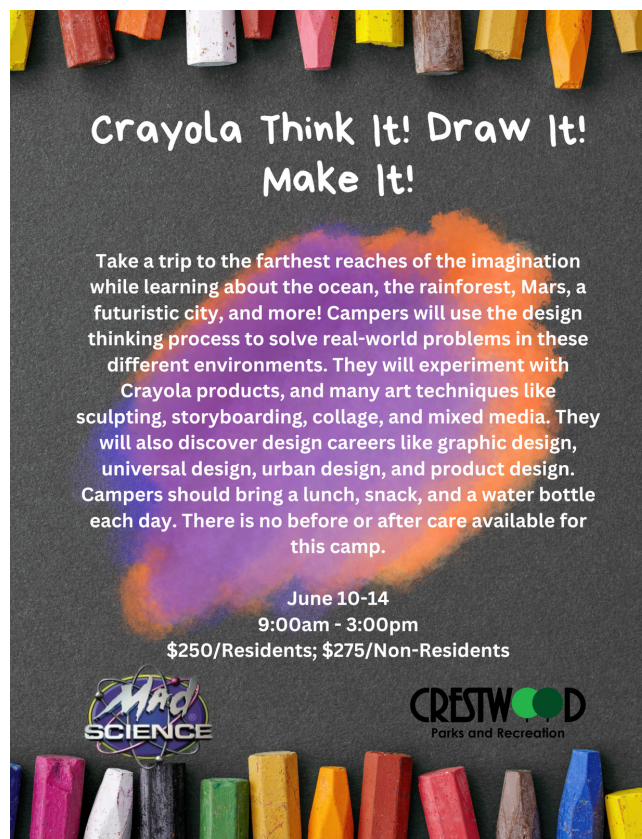
5 Days

Ages 5-11

Miss Manners might not approve, but your child definitely will! Gross out camp is a week of learning about our gross bodily functions. Burping, boogers, excrement, gas, saliva, germs and how our brain, cells, heart, organs and blood contribute to this. Kids will make exploding "toothpaste", edible excrement and handmade ice cream, and take their own slimy "boogers" and a kids lab coat.

There is no before or after care available for this camp.

July 17-21 M-F 9:00am-3:00pm
\$250R/\$275NR

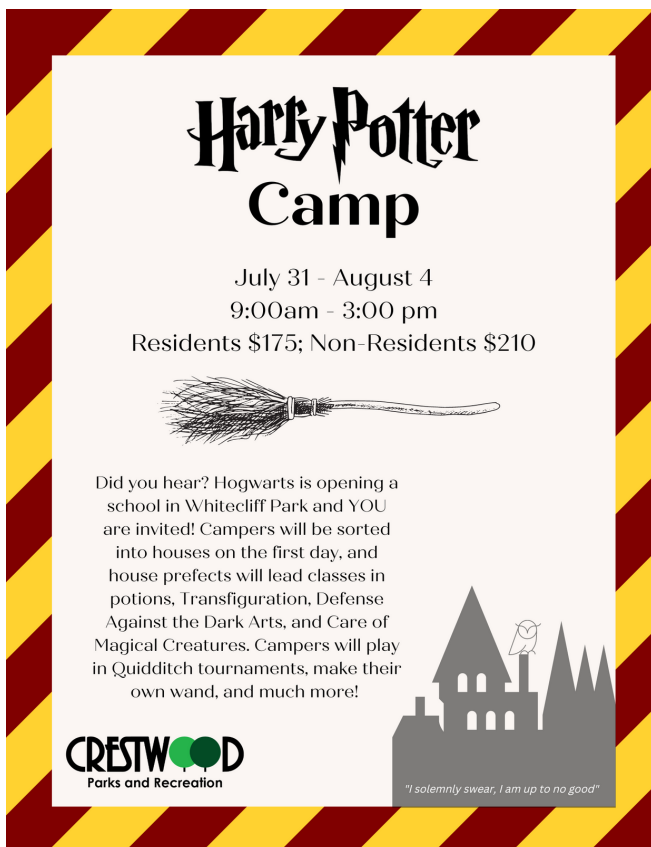


Crayola Think It! Draw It! Make It!

Take a trip to the farthest reaches of the imagination while learning about the ocean, the rainforest, Mars, a futuristic city, and more! Campers will use the design thinking process to solve real-world problems in these different environments. They will experiment with Crayola products, and many art techniques like sculpting, storyboarding, collage, and mixed media. They will also discover design careers like graphic design, universal design, urban design, and product design. Campers should bring a lunch, snack, and a water bottle each day. There is no before or after care available for this camp.

June 10-14
9:00am - 3:00pm
\$250/Residents; \$275/Non-Residents

MAD SCIENCE
CRESTWOOD
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Harry Potter Camp

July 31 - August 4
9:00am - 3:00 pm
Residents \$175; Non-Residents \$210

Did you hear? Hogwarts is opening a school in Whitecliff Park and YOU are invited! Campers will be sorted into houses on the first day, and house prefects will lead classes in potions, Transfiguration, Defense Against the Dark Arts, and Care of Magical Creatures. Campers will play in Quidditch tournaments, make their own wand, and much more!

CRESTWOOD
Parks and Recreation

"I solemnly swear, I am up to no good"

SWIM-VENTURE AQUATICS CAMP

5 Days

Grades 1-6

Come and join us for a week's worth of water exploration! Swim-Venture Camp will consist of arts & crafts, open swim time, games, and more! Pre-registration is required by July 20. Register online or at the Crestwood Community Center. Swim-Venture Aquatic Camp is open for those entering 1st grade through those entering 6th grade this fall. Space is limited to 30 campers. A "Welcome Letter" will be emailed to participants the week before the first day for fun-themed days.

Aug 7-Aug 11 M-F 9:00am-3:00pm
\$140R/\$165NR
After Care M-F 3:00-5:00pm
\$40R/\$46NR

SPORTS SAMPLER CAMP

5 Days

Ages 6-10

This camp will explore different sports and is a great way for kids to try them out. Each day a new sport will be played. The rules will be explained and campers will play the sport after basic instruction is given. Sports to include basketball, Pickleball, soccer, tennis and kickball. There is no before or after care available for this camp.

July 31-Aug 4 M-F 9:00am-3:00pm
\$100 R/\$125 NR

SPECIAL EVENTS

JULY PARK SCAVENGER HUNT

Join us as we celebrate National Parks and Recreation Month during **July** in Crestwood. We will have a list of locations for you to check out. At each location you will be able to punch your card. Once the card is completed you can bring it back to the Crestwood Community Center for a special prize. Cards will be available on July 1st and must be returned by August 1st.

Entire month of July **\$5/person**

MOVIES IN THE PARK

Come see movies on the big screen! Grab some popcorn, your blanket, and watch a free movie with us! Enjoying family friendly movies in your neighborhood park is a good way to relax and enjoy the summer nights. Movies will start playing at DUSK and could be cancelled due to weather conditions. Please check social media for updates.

FREE!

August 25 **F** **8:15pm**

DC League of Super Pets @ Sanders Park

September 29 **F** **7:15pm**

Raya & the Last Dragon @ Whitecliff Park

WHITECLIFF'S MUSIC AT THE MARKET

Pull out your air guitar and join us for our summer concerts at Whitecliff Park! While you listen to the tunes, browse a market of handmade, homemade or homegrown products and grab dinner and ice cream from the food trucks. Coolers, snacks and drinks are welcome, but no glass please. Vendors may fill out an application at www.cityofcrestwood.org

A concert may be cancelled or rescheduled in the event of bad weather. FREE!

July 14- The Apollo's **F** **7:00-9:00pm**

Market 5:00-8:30pm

Food Trucks 6:00-9:00pm: Speedway Eatery

August 11- Last Gnome Standing **F** **7:00-9:00pm**

Market 5:00-8:30pm

Food Trucks 6:00-9:00pm: Scoops of Joy

TOUCH A TRUCK

Put your toy trucks away- it's time to see the real thing! Climb in, hop on and honk the horns of some really big trucks and other vehicles during Touch-a-Truck. Keep an eye on our social media and city newsletters for additional information closer to the event date!

Sept 9 **S** **3:00-5:00pm**
FREE



CITYWIDE YARD SALE

Spring cleaning is here and now is your chance to participate in Crestwood's city-wide yard sale. Visit the Crestwood Community Center or online at cityofcrestwood.org to complete the registration form. Registration deadline is Wednesday, September 13. Maps and a list of addresses will be available starting on Friday, September 15.

Sept 30 **Sa** **8:00am-12:00pm**
FREE



HALLOWEEN FAMILY FEST

They did the mash- they did the *Monster Mash*! It's starting to feel like Halloween at Whitecliff Park, and we want you to celebrate with us! There will be bounce houses, a DJ, hayrides, face painting, food trucks and more to get everyone in the fall spirit! Attendees are encouraged to dress up and participate in the costume contest at 1pm. Admission will be charged for children only.

Oct 28 **S** **11:00am-2:00pm**
\$5/child

SCAN HERE FOR ONLINE
REGISTRATION OR ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION ON RECREATION
PROGRAMS



SPECIAL EVENTS

FAMILY BINGO

ALL AGES

Gather up your family and join us at the Crestwood Community Center for an evening of Bingo! This program is family friendly and all ages are welcome. Pizza and refreshments will be served. 10 rounds of Bingo will be played with a prize for each round winner.

August 9	W	6:00-7:30pm
October 11	W	6:00-7:30pm
\$10/per person		

NERF WARS

ALL AGES

Let the battle begin! Grab your Nerf gun and your family and friends for an evening of fun! Safety glasses are required. Glasses and Nerf darts are provided. No automatic weapons. Registration is required prior to the event.

Location	Crestwood Lower Pavilion
August 4	F 6:30-8:00pm
\$15/per person	

KID'S TRIATHLON

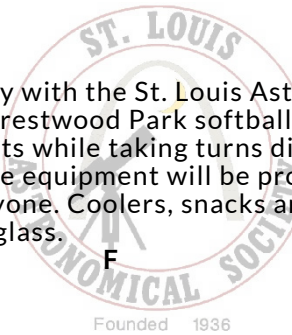
The Crestwood Parks Department is proud to put on the triathlon once again! Kids ages 5-12 will be grouped by age and compete in each of the 3 events. The distance of each event will vary by age group. Event prizes awarded for the top finishers in each age group. Each participant registered by August 1 is guaranteed a t-shirt and medal. Registration closes August 4.

August 20	Su	8:00am
\$50R/\$55NR		

STAR PARTY

Explore the galaxy with the St. Louis Astronomical Society. On the Crestwood Park softball fields, bring chairs and blankets while taking turns discovering the sky above. The equipment will be provided and available to everyone. Coolers, snacks and drinks welcome, but no glass.

September 22	F	7:00-9:00pm
FREE		



HISTORIC SAPPINGTON HOUSE

NOSTALGIA - MOTOWN OUTDOOR, FUNDRAISING CONCERT

See the flash of four smooth operators who croon soul and pop sounds, and all the time supporting Joe – the Sappington House Foundation's newest preservation project. Mystery gift cards boxes and 50/50 chances on sale. Bring your own food, drink and lawn chairs. Parking at Crestwood Elementary School and in the overflow lot off Reco Avenue, south of the pond. Call 314-822-8171 for more information.

September 8	F	6:00-9:00 pm	\$20 for Adults; Free for Children under 12
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ROCK OPERA OUTDOOR, FUNDRAISING CONCERT-RESCHEDULED!

Rock Opera, five performers, replicate the greatest rock hits with intricate vocal harmonies and an array of instrumentation, including the anthems, rhythms and grooves of the sixties, seventies and beyond. Sing along, dance, and support Joe – the newly acquired log house! Mystery gift card boxes and 50/50 chances on sale. Bring your lawn chair, food & drink (no glass containers). Parking located at Crestwood Elementary School and in the overflow lot off Reco Avenue, south of the pond.

September 30	S	5:00-8:00pm
\$20 Adult/12 & Under FREE		

SPIRITS OF SAPPINGTON HOUSE

Come inside and listen to the Spirits of Sappington House as they talk about their lives and times that occurred in these very rooms 200 years ago. The event also features colonial surgeon Dr. John Murphy showing off his medical equipment including rusty hacksaws and blood-sucking leeches. Tours of nearby Father Dickson Cemetery will be conducted by lantern light. S'mores and cider will be served. Additional parking is available across the street at Crestwood Elementary School and south of the pond off Reco Avenue. For more information, call 314-822-8171.

October 21	S	6:30-8:30pm	Adults/\$8; Children under 12/\$1
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SAPPINGTON HOUSE MUSEUM TOURS

Explore the historic 1808 two and a half-story brick Thomas Sappington house. Group tours may be arranged through the Resident Manager, Sally Cakouros, at (314) 822-8171. A 19-minute DVD of the tour is also available for viewing in the Library of Americana and Decorative Arts for individuals unable to tour the home. Visit the Loft Gift Shop to discover home and garden décor.

W-F & 3rd S 11:00am-2:00pm \$5Adult/\$1Child



RENTAL INFORMATION

The Historic Sappington House Park is the idyllic setting for your outdoor wedding, party, or family reunion and The Barn restaurant offers a delightful venue for catered events. For more information call (314) 822-8171 or (314) 966-8387.

SENIOR WELLNESS

SILVER SNEAKERS®

The Crestwood Community Center is a partner with the SilverSneakers® fitness program. SilverSneakers® is a benefit for seniors that comes FREE with qualifying Medicare health plans, giving members unlimited access to fitness locations across the country.

RENEW ACTIVE®

Renew Active® is a program for seniors to take greater control of their health. By participating, seniors will be able to become a Crestwood Community Center member for FREE. This FREE fitness membership is offered in partnership with United Healthcare plans.

PRIME FITNESS®

Prime® Fitness is a commercial fitness program and is available to individuals in the 18 to 64 age group, inspiring participants to take charge of their own health and fitness, stay motivated and active. Prime Fitness is available to members of participating health plans and employer groups.



50+ FITNESS

This class is designed for people in the prime of their life who want to maintain their fitness level. Class consists of stretching and toning exercises to an audio tape. Please bring a large towel or mat. (Included in SilverSneakers, Renew Active, OnePass, and Prime membership. Please scan pass before each class.) (30 classes)

Aug 28-Nov 6

(No class Sept 4)

M/W/F

9:00-9:50am

\$17R/\$23NR

PICKLEBALL

Join the Pickleball craze! This paddle sport was created for all ages and skill levels. Pickleball is a fun sport that combines many elements of tennis, badminton and ping pong. The rules are simple and the game is quick, fast-paced and easy for beginners to learn. Ask about joining our Pickleball email list to receive any updates, changes or cancelations. Open play for all levels.

M/W

12:00-3:00pm

W (Beginner only)

9:00-11:30am

T/TH

9:00am-12:00pm

\$3/R&NR

WHAT IS INCLUDED WITH MY INSURANCE BASED PASS?

Fitness Center

Pickleball

Racquetball

50+ Fitness Class

Senior Dance

Early Bird Lap Swim (seasonal)

Open Gym

**TO REGISTER AT OUR LOCATION,
PLEASE BRING YOUR INSURANCE
CARD AND A LICENSE.**

MAH JONGG CLUB

Come join us on Wednesdays from 12:00-3:00pm to play Mah Jongg. Our group plays American Mah Jongg (using the annual National Mah Jongg League card and jokers). If you don't know how to play and have been wanting to learn, this is your chance! We will be happy to teach anyone who is just getting started and we would also be happy to learn Asian or any other style of Mah Jongg if you are willing to teach us! If you have your own Mah Jongg set, bring it along with you. You can choose to pay annually or per visit.

Annual option: \$15/R \$22/NR

Per visit option: \$1 per visit/R & NR

PINOCHLE CLUB

Every Monday afternoon friends meet from 11:00 am-3:00 pm to play the wonderful card game of pinochle. All skill levels are welcome. You can choose to pay annually or per visit.

Ongoing

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11:00am-3:00pm

Annual option: \$15/R \$22/NR

Per visit option: \$1 per visit/R & NR

LUNCH AND BINGO

Lunch and Bingo is held the first Thursday of the month. Meet for two hours of bingo, socializing, and lunch. Advance registration is required. **All lunch and bingos are held at Webster Groves Recreation Complex,**

33 E. Glendale Rd. To register by phone, call (314) 963-5600. **1st Thursday of the Month 11:30am-1:30pm**

Fee: \$10 (advance registration required)

Registration Deadline: Monday prior to date

WELLNESS & ATHLETICS

CARDIO KICKBOXING

AGES 16+

No bags, no gloves, just a killer workout. This is a dynamic and explosive class that incorporates kickboxing techniques with an intense cardio workout. This class will undoubtedly improve your endurance and cardiovascular fitness, tone muscles and shred your abs.

Instructor: GymGuyz (26 classes)

Session 2

Aug 8-Oct 26 T/TH 5:15-6:05pm
\$130R/\$156NR

REV&FLOW

REV + Flow focuses on increasing overall strength, power, flexibility, coordination, balance, and mobility. This one-of-a-kind fitness format is kind to your joints without compromising the intensity of your workout. The movements will challenge you in inspirational and motivational way. Instructor: Marie Valentine-Elam (10 classes)

Summer Session 1 S June 17-August 26
(No Class July 1) 8:30am-9:30am
Fall Session 2 S Sept 9th-Nov 11
\$60R/\$70NR 8:30am-9:30am



For more information on
Psychocalistenic
Stretching with Tyus
Tillman.
scan the QR code!

HATHA YOGA

AGES 16+

Improve your strength, flexibility, balance, and peace at any age and any level. Yoga encourages the mind and body to be both energized and relaxed. It is a beautiful combination. Instructor: Beronica Mead, ACE, AFAA

Session 2 (28 classes)

Aug 9-Nov 15 M/W 5:30-6:20pm
(No class Sept 4)
\$145R/\$174NR

BALANCE & FLEXIBILITY

This class is structured to help older adults avoid one of the biggest fears of aging-injury from falling. In this class, you will perform exercises that will help develop balance and a strong core. (10 classes)

Session 3 Aug 18-Oct 20
Ages 50+ F 10:00-10:50am
\$60R/\$72NR

TAEKWONDO (ADULTS)

AGES 13+

Taekwondo is a martial art that stresses discipline, conditioning, stretching and kicking. This is an excellent program for the whole family and is a superb vehicle to develop self-confidence. Due to the physical nature of the program, a uniform is required (approximate cost of \$40).

Instructor: Grant Meenach - 6th Degree Black Belt

Summer Session (22 classes)

July 11-Sept 21 T/TH 7:00-8:00pm
\$66R/\$88NR

PICKLEBALL LEAGUE

AGES 18+

We offer 2v2 Coed, for Intermediate Players and above. League plays two matches per night & will play 3 of 3 sets. Each set is to 11 points. Subs may be used during regular season play, however, only your roster players may participate in the playoff portion. Participants are expected to bring their own paddles. Balls will be provided.

Fall Session

Oct 13 -Nov10 F 5:30-7:30pm
\$80R/ \$100NR

YOUTH TENNIS LESSONS

Instructors from Mark Platt's Beginners World Tennis will teach all the fundamentals of tennis. His program is one of the top rated community tennis programs in the United States, and has won numerous awards.

Kids will learn forehand, backhand, serve and volleying skills through the latest Quickstart method. The Quickstart program gets kids playing tennis fast and keeps them playing! Each session will consist of 5 classes.

Summer Session 2

Ages 4-6 July 18-Aug 22 8:00-9:00am
Ages 7-10 July 18-Aug 22 T 9:00-10:00am
Ages 11-14 July 18-Aug 22 10:00-11:00am
\$67R/\$78NR

TAEKWONDO (YOUTH)

AGES 13+

Taekwondo is a martial art that stresses discipline, conditioning, stretching and kicking. This is an excellent program for the whole family, and is a superb vehicle to develop self-confidence. Due to the physical nature of the program, a uniform is required; approximate cost is \$40. Instructors: Grant Meenach - 6th Degree Black Belt

Summer Session (22 classes)

July 11- Sept 21 T/TH 6:00-7:00pm
\$61R/\$83NR

WHEELS UP YOUTH & ADULT LEARN TO JUMP CLINIC

Topics covered for both clinics include:

- Body position
- Advanced Wheel Lifts
- The Stomp
- Downward Lunge
- Intro to Drops
- Jumping (wedges & kickers)



Youth (Ages 8-17)

August 2 W 5:00-7:30pm
\$50R/\$55NR

Participant must be on at least a 24" bike for this clinic.

Adult (Ages 18+)

August 16 W 5:00-7:30pm
\$50R/\$55NR

YOUTH PROGRAMS

WHITECLIFF SUMMER PLAYHOUSE

Produced in joint cooperation by the Crestwood Parks and Recreation Department and Playhouse Productions Inc. The award winning Whitecliff Summer Playhouse provides live musical theatre for the entire family on the outdoor stage in Whitecliff Park.



PERFORMANCES

All Whitecliff Summer Playhouse performances take place outdoors on the Whitecliff stage. **Tickets go on sale starting at 6:30pm before each performance.** Bring your own lawn chair or blanket to enjoy the summer stock musical theatre at its best. Concessions are available or bring your own food and drinks (no glass containers).

Tickets \$3/Child \$5/ Adult
Joseph and the Technicolor
Dreamcoat: July 6, 7, 8, & 9
Spamalot: July 20, 21, 22 & 23

DANCE

5-6-7-8 grab your shoes and do a little turn on the dance floor! From beginners to advanced dancers, this community based program offers children the chance to experience dance with 6 classes. Although no specific leotard is required for class, leotard and tights are mandatory. Pink ballet shoes and black tap shoes required for all classes.*All summer dance classes have an extra week built into the schedule for instructor absence. Only 6 classes total will take place. Instructor: Sandy Book.
\$45R/\$51NR



GYMNASTICS

TUMBLING TOTS GYMNASTICS

This class will encourage gross motor coordination through the use of gymnastics equipment and skill. Your little one will start learning the beginner stages of tumbling and experience all of the different gymnastics apparatus like balance beam, along with many different gross motor activities. Instructor: Just This, LLC

LEVEL 1 GYMNASTICS (5 Classes)

This program will introduce your child to the sport of gymnastics. Each student will learn skills on the balance beam, uneven bars, and vault, Instructor: Just This, LLC

LEVEL 1 & 2 GYMNASTICS (5 Classes)

This program is for students with previous gymnastics experience. Must have previously taken Level 1 and have coaches recommendation. Instructor: Just This, LLC

STORY TIME IN THE PARK



St. Louis County Library

Join us on **Wednesdays at 2:00 pm** for outdoor stories and songs with the St. Louis County Library before enjoying a snack and playtime in the park!

June 28

Sanders Park

July 5

Rayburn Park

FREE

The City of Crestwood is a proud partner of the St. Louis County Library Summer Reading Club. Summer Reading Club will kick-off on June 1 and run through August 5. This popular club offers fun activities and great prizes for the whole family. Participation is free. Visit www.slcl.org for more details and to sign-up.

PINT SIZE PARTY

AGES 2-5

Let's have a party! Parties will consist of a themed arts, crafts, snack, game and free-play. Pre-Registration and parent involvement is required. Registrations are due by 5:00pm the Friday before the party.

July 11	Summer Fun!	T	10:00-11:00am
Aug 19	Back to School	S	10:00-11:00am
Sept 18	Fall Fun!	M	6:00-7:00pm
\$6R/\$8NR			

TRAIL TIME FOR TOTS

AGES 2-8

Trail Time for Tots is a unique opportunity for children and their parents or guardians to make new friends while learning about nature through trail walks and outdoor activities. Come together with other families to sing songs, play games, and enjoy Whitecliff Park!

Oct 7	S	10:00-11:00am
Nov 4	S	10:00-11:00am
\$6R/\$8NR		



For Gymnastics and Dance class schedules, scan the QR code!

