



Parks & Recreation
Live Life Connected

Parks and Recreation June 2022 PRAB Report

2022 INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS



JULY 4 - PARADE 10AM - 12PM

The parade steps off at 4100 Chain Bridge Road, Fairfax, Rain or shine. Among the entries in this year's parade are high school marching bands, large inflatable parade balloons, floats and clowns.

JULY 5 - EVENING SHOW 6:30PM - 9:30PM

Enjoy music and dancing during the Evening show by Party Like It's... at Fairfax High School (3501 Lion Run). A spectacular fireworks display will start at 9:30PM followed by more music from Party Like It's...

SHUTTLE BUSES

We strongly recommend using our shuttle bus service due to limited parking and road closures during the Parade and Evening Show. For a list of shuttle bus locations visit fairfax.gov/july4

SHERWOOD PROGRAMS & CAMPS

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SUMMER CAMP 2022

Registrations now being accepted for in-person camps this summer!

2022 Traditional and Specialty Camp registrations are currently being accepted on a first-come, first-served basis, but many of them are already full! Some camps will begin the week of Jun 13 and run through Aug 19th. Staff training for City staffed camps will be held the week of Jun 13 as well as a virtual parent information night. Many safety protocols will still be We are currently hiring returning and new staff this summer to work at summer camp. Job posting listed on neogov.org.



TRADITIONAL CAMPS 2022	June 21 - July 29 (six weeks)	Enrollment as of 5/27/22
Little School Preschool Camp	Ages 3– Rising K, 9am-1pm Sherwood Center	100% FULL: Waitlist Only
Elementary Camps	Rising 1-5th, 8am-4pm Daniels Run/Providence Elementary Schools	100% FULL: Waitlist Only
Middle School Camp	Rising 6-8th, 8am-4pm K. Johnson Middle School	100% FULL: Waitlist Only

SPECIALTY CAMPS	% Full
Artbug Art Camps	100%
Tekker Laboratory Soccer Camps*	33%
Hi-Five Sports Camps	96%
360Skateboard Camps	98%
Michuchutren Spanish Immersion Camps	78%
Tiny Chef's Cooking Camps	100%
Play-Well Teknologies STEM with Lego	100%
Next Reflex Dance Collective*	100%
CFTC Traditional Drama Camps	64%
CFTC Performing Arts Camp	100%

We are looking forward to having in-person camps this month!

FALL PROGRAMMING

The City of Fairfax Parks and Recreation Staff are currently working on getting our programming for the fall of 2022! We are working very hard to offer even more programs and getting our community centers safely operating back to 'normal'. The next *Parks and Rec Connected!* will be published in July and registration in August. New registration will be in our new system, Vermont Systems/RecTrak (more info to come). New programs will be offered in addition to the ones that have run for years such as music, dance, afterschool, preschool, exercise and more. We look forward to continuing to fill our centers full of happy residents!



TEEN SUMMER DAY TRIPS

AGES: RISING 8TH - 11TH GRADE
INSTRUCTOR: FAIRFAX CITY STAFF
JULY 8: KINGS DOMINION
JULY 14: FUNLAND OF FREDERICKSBURG
JULY 20: KINGS DOMINION

REGISTER NOW!
APP.CAMPDOC.COM/REGISTER/CITYOFFAIRFAX

GREEN ACRES & SENIOR CENTER

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GREEN ACRES



Senior and Adult classes continue at Stacy C Sherwood Community Center and Green Acres

First session of summer classes are successfully taking place as shown by the enrollment table.

Green Acres Fitness room will be closed June 4 & 5 due to the senior center door/wall construction project due to take place at Green Acres this month.

May ENROLLMENTS AT GREEN ACRES

Classes held at Sherwood

Type	2021	2022	Difference
Adult	53	78	+25
Senior	49	183	+134

Senior numbers were higher this year due to the senior center being open and trips running as compared to last May when the senior center remained closed due to COVID.

SENIOR CENTER

MAY SENIOR CENTER STATS

	2021	2022	Difference
New Members	0	17	+17
Total Members	4143	4374	+231
Attendance	0	1199	+1199
Fitness Room	Closed	389	+389
Website Hits	461	1,092	+631



SENIOR CENTER COUNCIL NEWS

2021/2022 Senior Center Advisory Members

Kim Chu, Sam Crumpler, Susan DiMaina, Pat Hyland, Jay Lamb, Jeanette Mason, Pete Pollak, Sigrid Schipper, Charles Spasaro, and Sandy Moshos.

Senior Council Officers :

Sam Crumpler – Chair Charles Spasaro-Secretary
Pat Hyland - Vice Chair Sandy Moshos– Treasurer
Chuck Pacey- PRAB

Election of new Senior Advisory Council Members Due to the unusual circumstances created by Covid, a decision was made to extend the existing council positions through summer 2022. The Council plans to hold the next election in September 2022. Currently looking for new member to serve on the council.

Senior Center News

Older American's Month was a success here at the senior center packed with many wonderful opportunities for our members! Starting with our **Open House** on Wednesday, May 4 with over 100 folks coming through to participate in the activities, vendors, lunch and demos and entertainment.

Mother's Day Tea

Friday, May 6 our senior center volunteer men recognized and served the ladies a special Mother's Day tea. We brought out the finery to honor our mother's with a special vintage tea which included an array of tea sandwiches, teas, and scrumptious desserts.

Bocce at Green Acres Teams are set and the Bocce season is in full swing. The 2022 season opener was on May 5 and will continue each Thursday through September 29 at 10am.

Virtual Senior Programs The City's virtual website learning page had 42 hits in May compared to 55 hits in the month of April <https://www.fairfaxva.gov/government/parks-recreation/new-virtual-center>

UPCOMING SENIOR CENTER Highlights in June

- Father's Day Brunch Tuesday, June 14 at 9:30am
- Senior Bocce -Green Acres-season Thursdays 10am
- Bingo June 3 and 17
- Day trips- see calendar

Please see on line June newsletter—full summer newsletter on website and senior center. [Senior Center Newsletter June 2022 \(govdelivery.com\)](http://www.fairfaxva.gov/govdelivery.com)



(2022 season Bocce players)

CULTURAL ARTS

MEGAN DUBOIS

FREE Summer Family Fun with Cultural Arts at Old Town Square!

Funday Monday (Sponsored by the Commission on the Arts)

Mondays

10:30 a.m.

June 6—Kids Nature Show

June 13— Storytelling Video

June 20—No Program

June 27 —My Gym

Kidz Korner

Saturdays

10:30 a.m.

June 11— Oh Susannah

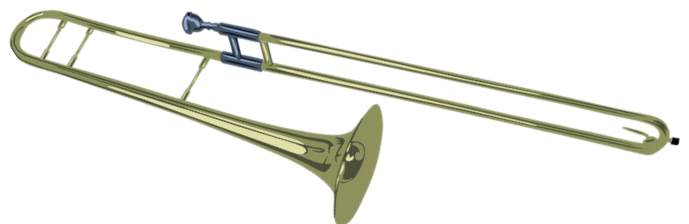
June 18—Groovy Nate

June 25—Mad Science DC



Main Street Community Band Concert

7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 16





With the financial support of the Fairfax City Economic Development Authority, City of Fairfax Cultural Arts joined the American's for the Arts *Arts & Economic Prosperity 6* as a local partner! Over the last 30 years, Americans for the Arts (AFTA) has conducted the Arts & Economic Prosperity study. This study shows the economic impact of the spending of arts and culture organizations in the City and the economic impact of audiences event-related spending. Through *Arts & Economic Prosperity 6* (AEP6) AFTA will look at the economic impact of the arts in the aftermath of the COVID-19 pandemic, which devastated the arts and culture sector. AFTA hopes to show that the arts are a “critically important accelerant for economic recovery”. The arts will be what brings people out of their homes and back into the community.

Survey Collection: From May 1, 2022 – April 20, 2023 Cultural Arts will collect over 800 audience surveys.

The surveys must...

- Surveys must be completed on site. They can't be sent in after the event.
- There are 3 options for surveys
 - Good old fashioned paper surveys
 - QR codes, so mobile devices can take the survey
 - Link for them to completes on a laptop at the event.
- All surveys are anonymous and confidential
- All surveys should be random (ie give one to every 10th person who enters the venue)
- One survey per party, for example a family of 4, just one person will fill out the survey
- Try not to collect more than 50 surveys per event

Cultural Arts will be working with City of Fairfax Band Association, City of Fairfax Theatre Company, Fall for the Book, Fairfax Art League, Asian Festival on Main and other groups in the city to get to our 800 surveys!

SPECIAL EVENTS



Beer in the Burbs: Beach Party Theme

Saturday, June 4 - 12noon– 6pm

Featuring: The Landsharks and Caiso Steel Drum Band

There will be 13 breweries in attendance with other activities such as Sundog selling t-shirts, Fairfax Surf Shop with a trick board, tattoos, and treasurer hunts.

Fido Fest 2022

Saturday, June 11 11 AM - 2 PM

Westmore School Site, 11000 Berry Street

Join us for the ultimutt day out in Furfax City for the whole family (two-legged and four-legged!) We currently have 10 vendors that will be participating.



Movies Under The Moon



Come join us for *fun, free, and safe* outdoor movie nights at Van Dyck Park. *Movies Under The Moon* features films shown on the second Fridays of the month, from June through September:

June 10: *Raya and the Last Dragon*
July 8: *Up*

August 12: *Encanto*
September 9: *Finding Dory*

Movies begin at dark.

2022 Rock The Block

After a year of not having Rock the Block, June will kick off the season.

The schedule is below:

June 24—Perfekt Blend

Sept 23— U.S, Army Downrange

July 22—Bridge Brothers

October 28— Rob Hornfeck

August 26—Ocho de Bastos

Amish Outlaws



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

The Independence Day Celebration Committee will have their last meeting on June 16 before the festivities on July 4. We are very pleased to have 7 marching bands and 12 floats! We are very excited about our 56th Annual Independence Day Celebration. Details regarding the event are listed on the city's website.

SPECIAL EVENTS (cont.)

SPECIAL EVENT PERMITS 2022

Event Permits are coming in slowly this year. Once the weather starts to warm up staff is anticipating seeing an increase in event requests for Old Town Square and Veterans Amphitheater at City Hall. The Cultural Arts Division uses the Veterans Amphitheater for several events during the summer months.

	May 2021	May 2022	Difference
Approved Permits to Date	3	5	+2
Applications Received to Date	3	7	+4
Pending Applications	0	2	+2
Denied Applications	0	0	0

ATHLETICS & FIELDS

ATHLETICS

Tournaments: N/A

We finalized all Winter Permits and are processing Spring Applications. About 80% of the Spring applications have been processed. We will finalized the space toward the end of April.

Requests:

Fields: FYPC and adult groups made up all the Winter field permits

Gyms: We issued gym permits to FPYC and CYO for the Winter Season.

ATHLETICS STATS			
Spring	2021	2022	Difference
Revenue	\$3,117.00	\$5, 148.00	+\$2,031.00
Pending Revenue	TBD	0	0
Field Permits	17	16	-1
Gym Permits	6	14	+8
Applications Received	14	15	+1
Approved Applications	12	14	+2
Denied/Cx Applications	2	1	-1
Tournaments Scheduled	0	0	0
Adult Groups Scheduled	7	7	0
Pending Application	0	0	0

FACILITIES

BRIANNE BAGLINI

JUNE STATISTICS

Old Town Hall	2021	2022	Difference
Utilization Rate for Jun.	25%	10%	-15%
Jun. Rentals	3	1	-2
May Revenue	\$8,626.38	\$300	-\$8,326.38

Sherwood	2021	2022	Difference
Utilization Rate for Jun.	60%	78%	+18%
Jun. Rentals	15	38	+23
May Revenue	\$15,631.88	\$51,653	+\$36,021.12

Blenheim	2021	2022	Difference
Utilization Rate for Jun.	26%	50%	+24%
Jun. Rentals	7	15	+8
May Revenue	\$8,021	\$5,437	-\$2,584

Green Acres	2021	2022	Difference
Utilization Rate for Jun.	45%	76%	+31%
Jun. Rentals	8	59	+51
May Revenue	\$1,650	\$7,888.50	+\$6,238.50