



City of Laurel

Department of Parks and Recreation



Special Events
Teen & Adult Excursions
Senior Services
Youth & Adult Classes
Sports Leagues
and More!

WINTER 2023 | **SOMETHING
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PARKS & RECREATION FACILITIES



Alice B. McCullough Field

8th and Montgomery Streets
Regulation softball fields, comfort station, basketball court, outdoor stage, playground, lighted tennis courts, and walking path

Centennial Community Park

913 Montrose Ave
Playground and skate park

Cypress Street Athletic Fields

7901 Cypress Street
Two pavilions, regulation softball fields, and playground

Discovery Community Park & Inclusive Playground

1025 Harrison Drive
Inclusive playground, little free library, waterless port-o-let, solar charging station, and soccer green space

Duniho/Nigh Community Park

15241 Van Dusen Road
Tennis Court and 1/2 Court Basketball

Emancipation Community Park

520 8th Street
Amphitheatre, basketball court, playground, solar charging station, and seasonal water feature

Granville Gude Park & Lakehouse

8300 Mulberry St., 240-294-1302
Group picnic pavilions, walking path, indoor event space, playground, horseshoe puts, adult fitness-playground, Harrison Burton Memorial Stage, snack bar & pedal boat rentals (seasonal)

Greenview Drive Cabana

14403 Greenview Drive
Two-large meeting rooms for rent, small kitchen, gas fireplace and outdoor deck

Greenview Drive Pool Complex (seasonal)

14403 Greenview Drive, 301-604-4042
Main Pool, wade pool, bathhouse, snack stand, picnic pavilion, tennis courts, and Cabana Clubroom

Laurel Armory Anderson & Murphy Community Center

422 Montgomery Street, 301-725-8088
Division of Senior Services and Laurel Helping Hands Offices. Gymnasium, lounge, dance room, fitness room, conference room, gaming lounge

Laurel Municipal Center

8103 Sandy Spring Road, 301-725-5300
City of Laurel Administrative Offices

Laurel Municipal Pool (seasonal)

901 Main Street, 301-776-7419
Four-Pool complex, snack bar, bathhouse, picnic pavilion, and meeting space for rent

Leo E. Wilson Community Park &

Dog Park

7701 Van Dusen Road
Picnic pavilion, playground, waterless Port-o-let, and Dr. Bruce Morley Dog Playground (membership required)

Mulberry Street Tennis Courts

Mulberry Street
Two tennis courts

Parks and Recreation

Maintenance Complex

7705 Old Sandy Spring Road
Maintenance office and equipment yard

Partnership Activity Hall-LPD

811 Fifth Street
Large community room

Riverfront Park

22 Avondale Street
Picnic pavilions with grills, playground, waterless port-o-let, and hiker-biker Path

Robert J. DiPietro Community Center

7901 Cypress Street, 301-497-0300
Gymnasium, fitness room, game room, preschool room, multipurpose room, and dance room available for rent

Roland B. Sweitzer Park

7509 Old Sandy Spring Road
Multi-purpose recreational field, playground, walking path, waterless Port-o-let, and picnic pavilion with grill

Snowden Place Tot Lot

1203 Snowden Place
Playground

Stephen P. Turney Recreation Complex

9801 Fort Meade Road
Lighted regulation softball field

Sturgis/ Moore Recreation Complex

497 8th Street
Soccer fields, comfort station, picnic pavilion, playground, and lighted parking lot

The Mansion at Laurel

13910 Laurel Lakes Ave, 301-725-7800
Beautiful historic house with picturesque grounds, catering kitchen, bridal and groom suite, perfect for your next special occasion.
Laurel Parks & Recreation Administrative Offices

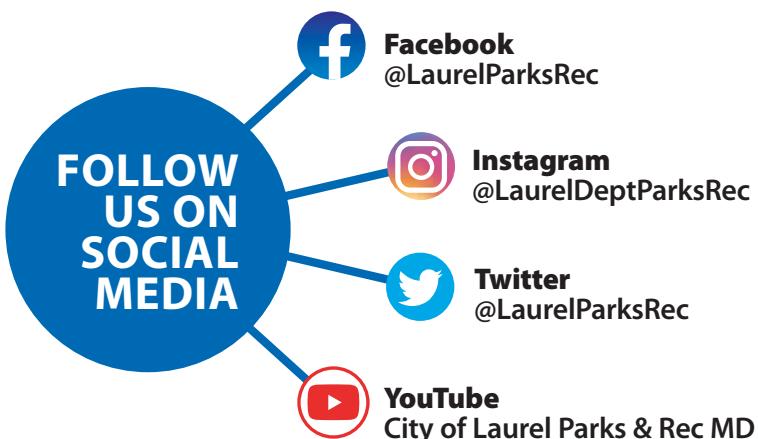
To view our rental facilities, please visit our website at www.cityoflaurel.org/parks. For pricing and to check availability please call our Rental Specialist at 301-725-5300 ext 2317.

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13910 Laurel Lakes Ave., Laurel, MD 20707 (301)725-7800
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COMMUNITY CENTERS

ADMISSION FEES

Take a look at the many different ways you can pay to participate with the Laurel Department of Parks and Recreation.

ANNUAL ADMISSION PASS

	RESIDENT	NON RESIDENT
A. Adults 18-54 yrs. (includes Fitness Room)	\$117.00	\$196.00
B. Youth 8-17 yrs.	\$ 11.00	\$ 32.00
C. Teen (13-17 yrs)*** Teen Fitness Add-on	\$ 77.00	\$ 117.00
D. Sr. Citizen 55+ yrs. (includes Fitness Room)	\$ 77.00	\$117.00
E. Double 18-54 yrs. (includes Fitness Room)	\$159.00	\$281.00
F. Senior Double (includes Fitness Room)	\$ 98.00	\$159.00
G. Replacement Pass	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00

6 MONTH ADMISSION FEES

A. Adults 18-54 yrs. (includes Fitness Room)	\$ 88.00	\$127.00
B. Sr. Citizen 55+ yrs.	\$ 63.00	\$ 85.00

3 MONTH ADMISSION FEES

A. Adults 18-54 yrs. (includes Fitness Room)	\$ 68.00	\$ 88.00
B. Sr. Citizen 55+ yrs. (includes Fitness Room)	\$ 52.00	\$ 63.00

ONE MONTH ADMISSION FEES

A. Adults 18-54 yrs. (includes Fitness Room)	\$ 26.00	\$ 33.00
B. Sr. Citizen 55+ yrs. (Includes Fitness Room)	\$20.00	\$27.00

DAILY ADMISSION FEES

A. Adults 18-54 yrs. (with Fitness Room)	\$ 4.00	\$ 7.00
B. Teen (13-17 yrs)***. (Fitness Room Only)	\$ 5.00	\$ 8.00
C. Sr. Citizen 55+ yrs. (includes Fitness Room)	\$ 3.00	\$ 8.00
C. Sr. Citizen 55+ yrs. (includes Fitness Room)	\$ 3.00	\$ 6.00

*** Customers ages 13-15 require a paying parent/legal guardian to accompany them in the fitness room at all times

DOG PARK ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEES

Yearly Membership	\$30.00	\$35.00
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ADMISSION - to the Community Centers entitles the participant to participate in both open gym and scheduled drop-in activities. Non-Resident rates will be charged unless Proof of Residency is provided.

PASSES ARE GOOD - at both the Laurel Armory Anderson-Murphy Community Center located at 422 Montgomery Street and at the Robert J. DiPietro Community Center located at 7901 Cypress Street. Rates subject to change.

Passes must be presented at the front desk for entry.

NO EXCEPTIONS!

HOURS OF OPERATION

Mon-Fri	9:00 am – 9:00 pm
Saturday	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Sunday	10:00 am – 4:00 pm <i>LAAMCC ONLY</i>

Holiday hours subject to change

Registration Information Registration is held at the Robert J. DiPietro Community Center and the Laurel Armory Anderson-Murphy Community Center during hours of operation. Internet registration is available for some programs once your account has been created. We strongly encourage new customers to visit one of our community centers to create an account. After your account has been created, you may register for classes/programs online at: www.Cityoflaurel.org/parks under our 'Classes & Registration' page.

Please visit our department's Facebook page or City website for the most up-to-date program information. You must be registered to participate, unless a program listing states that no registration is required. Registration will be accepted through the first week of class if space is available. The City of Laurel Department of Parks and Recreation welcomes the participation of individuals with disabilities into all programs. The City will fully comply with the American with Disabilities Act in making reasonable accommodations to encourage participation.

Fees Checks are only accepted for certain activities. Persons paying City of Laurel property taxes pay resident fees. Fees include materials unless otherwise noted. No fee reductions will be made for missed classes.

Scholarships are available for low-income City resident families for some programs. The City also offers vouchers for low income City resident families that may be used towards recreation programs for children, youth and teens with other agencies. Contact the Department of Parks & Recreation at 301-725-7800 for more information.

Inclement Weather The City of Laurel retains the right to close facilities due to inclement weather. For cancellation information due to weather conditions, visit our Facebook or Twitter page as well as our website: www.CityofLaurel.org

Department of Parks & Recreation

Website Visit the City of Laurel's website at www.cityoflaurel.org/parks and visit our registration site under the 'Classes and Registration' tab.

Register Early! It is important to register for each and every program as soon as possible. A majority of our programs must meet a minimum number of participants otherwise it may be cancelled. **We strongly encourage participants to register before the first meeting date for any class or program!**

www.cityoflaurel.org



Looking for a place to host your next event?

Explore the many rental options our department has to offer.
Visit www.cityoflaurel.org for rental information or call
301-725-5300 ext 2317.



The Granville Gude Park Pavilions & Lake House

8300 Mulberry Street

A beautifully landscaped park makes this an ideal location for a variety of activities. The Lake House offers a meeting room with large windows and fireplace with maximum capacity for 40. Two separate picnic pavilions each with a grill are perfect for family reunions, company picnics or birthday parties. Weekend boat rentals during spring and summer months, large playground, walking path and seasonal specials events make this park a fun outdoor experience.

The Laurel Armory Anderson & Murphy Community Center

422 Montgomery Street

The Gymnasium features a full size basketball court with sport court flooring and can accommodate a full size volleyball court. Two conference rooms are available for meetings and seminars. Dance room downstairs with mirrors for small group practices.

Laurel Municipal Pool Meeting Room

901 Main Street

This room is perfect for a small gathering or business meeting. While we don't offer private pool rentals – please consider renting the pavilion at one of our two pools. Pavilion rental includes limited admission and guaranteed use of the pavilion during regular pool operating hours.

The Mansion at Laurel

13910 Laurel Lakes Avenue

The Mansion at Laurel is a historic house and new location for the Department of Parks & Recreation Administrative Office. This historic Greek Revival-Style Farmhouse has been updated but still retains much of its historic charm, making it a perfect venue for your next intimate gathering. The venue includes a separate Bride and Groom suite and large catering kitchen. The surrounding grounds are included with rental of venue. The Mansion at Laurel's picturesque architecture and outdoor space is soon to be the perfect site for small weddings, banquets, showers, and more!

Accepting rentals in December!

The Cabana at Greenview Drive Pool Complex

14403 Greenview Drive

This site is perfect for small wedding receptions, parties or meetings. The beautiful wood floor, abundant natural lighting, gas fireplace and expansive deck is a true gem. The kitchen is equipped with refrigeration, ice machine, warming oven and microwave.

Robert J. DiPietro Community Center

7901 Cypress Street

Multi-Purpose Room will easily lend itself for slide and overhead presentations for your next meeting. This room may also be ideal for small wedding receptions, parties, banquets, etc. The adjoining dance floor and/or small kitchen area may be the perfect complement to your event. Just steps away from off-street parking makes it an ideal location for parties.

Make The Mansion at Laurel Your Next Location for Your Annual Event!

SPECIAL EVENTS FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

ADDITIONAL FUNDING PROVIDED BY M-NCPPC



SAT DEC 3 Breakfast with Santa

Partnership Hall –
Laurel Police Department
811 5th Street
9:00 am

Santa's making a pit stop! Join us for our family classic tradition of Breakfast with Santa. Create memories while enjoying a delicious hot breakfast and a visit from Santa and friends!

Everyone that is attending of ALL AGES must register in order to reserve a seat (exceptions are granted to infants that remain in a parent/guardian's lap during the duration of the event; strollers/carriers cannot be placed in a seat).

Families that wish to sit together must register together under one family name. Seating is determined in advance and cannot be changed the day of the event. If you would like to be seated with another family attending, please send an email to Parks@laurel.md.us of each family's last name and the number of people registered in each party. Seating is not guaranteed.

Registration ongoing until filled.

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SAT DEC 3 FREE Holiday Festival, Parade & Armory Illumination

Laurel Armory
Parade Kick-off 3:45 pm

Kick off the holiday season with our annual Holiday Parade and Armory Illumination! Santa and Friends will be in our Winter Wonderland for pictures and visits! Show your spirit and join our holiday parade as a spectator or participant. To participate in the parade, please send an email to Gwade@laurel.md.us. The Holiday Parade steps off at 3:45pm from the Municipal Center, our Holiday Festival begins at 4:00pm at the Armory and the Armory Lighting is approximately 5:15pm!

FRI DEC 9 FREE Holiday Movie

Partnership Hall –
Laurel Police Department
811 5th Street
6:00 pm

Cozy up with a pillow and blanket and enjoy a showing of The Polar Express (2004). The Academy Award-winning team of Tom Hanks and director Robert

Zemeckis reunite for The Polar Express, an inspiring adventure based on the beloved children's book by Chris Van Allsburg. When a doubting young boy takes an extraordinary train ride to the North Pole, he embarks on a journey of self-discovery that shows him that the wonder of life never fades for those who believe. Concessions will be sold (cash only!).



SAT APR 1 FREE Eggstravaganza

Granville Gude Lakehouse & Park
8300 Mulberry Street
12:00 pm SHARP

Hop into some fun at our Eggstravaganza event! Children up to 12 years old can take part in age-group egg hunts and meet the Easter Bunny! Please arrive well before 12:00 pm as this event only lasts for as long as the eggs are on the ground, and they go FAST. Street parking is available on Mulberry Street. Please also bring a basket, bag, or bucket to collect your eggs. This event is co-sponsored by the Laurel Lions Club.

HOLIDAY DECORATING CONTEST

Have you Decked the Halls on your property to show that you've got the best Holiday Spirit?

Contact the Department of Parks and Recreation by phone or email by December 9th and nominate your home or someone else's. Judging begins after December 9th! Our categories will include residential and commercial properties. Winners will be announced on Facebook. Holiday Decorating Contest is sponsored by the Laurel Civic Improvement Committee. Nominees must reside within City of Laurel limits. Office (301) 725-7800 email Parks@laurel.md.us

The Mayor's Corner

There is always something fun and exciting going on in the City of Laurel! From special events to sports programs and recreational workshops to fitness sessions, the City's imaginative Department of Parks and Recreation once again presents its Winter Program Guide with a great variety of recreational choices for you and your family.

With two full-service Community Centers and beautiful parks all over the City, there's something for everyone, from youths to seniors! Explore and play in one of our parks! Challenge yourself with a new fitness routine! Get creative or learn a new skill!

I hope you'll take advantage of all the City of Laurel has to offer! I look forward to seeing you at one of our many fall and winter community events!

Craig A. Moe, Mayor



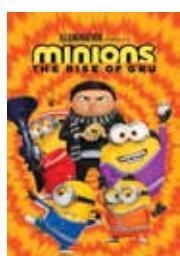
FREE FRIDAY FLICKS

Friday Indoor Movies

Partnership Hall –
Laurel Police Department
811 Fifth Street
7:00 pm

Come in from the cold, cozy up with the family and enjoy a FREE Friday movie at Partnership Hall. Floor seating is available. You may bring your own chair but please sit towards the back of the room to prevent obstructing others' views.

You may bring your own snacks or buy some on site (cash only!).



FRI JAN 20 Minions: The Rise of Gru

In the 1970s, 12-year-old Gru schemes and plots (with the help of the Minions) to become a member of the Vicious 6, an infamous group of supervillains. Chaos, adventure, and hilarity ensue after he manages to steal a valuable object from their headquarters.



FRI FEB 17 The Princess and the Frog

A prince is transformed into a frog and accidentally curses a beautiful princess with an amphibian form as well when he kisses her in an attempt to break the spell. The two then go on a wild journey through the bayous of Louisiana in hopes of finding a voodoo priestess who may be able to restore their true forms.

FAMILY TRIPS

TUE DEC 13 Brookside Garden of Holiday Lights (10+)

#9760, R-\$15, NR-\$20
Departure 5:30 pm/Return 8:45 pm

Stroll through the beautiful Brookside Gardens in Kensington and view the glitter and splendor of the holiday lights adorning the trees and flora all throughout the paradise of nature. Food Truck with hot chocolate and light refreshments will be available outside the gardens. **Deadline to register is December 5th!**

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TRIPS CONTINUED



COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP KITS

The Departments of Parks and Recreation and Economic and Community Development are working together to encourage environmentally minded citizens to **CLEAN UP AND GREEN UP** around the city. Individuals, families, or friends wishing to clean up litter in their own neighborhood or local park can contact The Department of Parks & Recreation at 301-725-7800 and request a **COMMUNITY CLEAN UP KIT**. Kits will contain supplies that you can use to sponsor your own clean up activity. The department will arrange for the collected debris pick up. Events can be one day or an ongoing effort. Reducing litter helps control the rodent population, promotes a safer and healthier habitat for wildlife and improves the quality of life in our community!

Partial funding provided by Clean Up Green Up Maryland Grant



Also check our **SENIOR TRIPS**
for Adults 55+ on Page 19



ADULT TRIPS

SAT JAN 28

Guinness Brewery Tour (21+)

#9863, R\$10, NR \$15

Depart 3:00 pm/Return 8:00 pm

Includes tour of the brewery with optional tasting. Enjoy light food (appetizers and sandwiches) and world-renowned brews at the taproom with an option for elaborate meal at 1876 Restaurant. Food & beer and tasting at your own cost. Designated drivers are provided.

SAT MAR 25

Visit MGM Resort & National Harbor (21+)

#9864, R\$15, NR \$20

Depart 12:00 pm/Return 8:00 pm

Enjoy admittance to the glittering Casino and explore different levels of the opulent building and all its amenities. Check out the Conservatory and take in the beautiful rooftop view with its mesmerizing water fountain overlooking the ports of the National Harbor, Old Town, Alexandria and check out the great vista of our Nation's Capital. If desired, have lunch on your own at one of the restaurants at the casino. We leave MGM at 4:00 pm and head to the National Harbor where one can indulge in alluring sights including the Great Awakening Statue. Enjoy dinner on your own at one of the exquisite restaurants or inexpensive eateries.

Adult & Family Trip Information

- The minimum age to participate in an Adult (18+ or 21+) or Family Trip is specific to each trip and will be listed.
- Any minors who attend a family trip, **must be accompanied by a legal parent/guardian**. Parental permission slips are required for all minors.
- The price listed for a family trip is PER PERSON. All persons attending the trip must register.

All trips are on a first come, first serve basis and are subject to change or cancellation due to insufficient registration. Pre-registration is **MANDATORY**. Registration and payment for all programs/trips can be processed at the Laurel Armory, Robert J. DiPietro Community Center, or The Mansion at Laurel. Online registration is permitted once you are entered into the City registration system; we strongly encourage you to create a Laurel Parks & Recreation account in-person! No adult is permitted to register another child other than their own. Refunds are only issued if a program/trip is cancelled. Registration and monies will not be taken on the day of the trip. Trip costs include transportation and admission unless stated otherwise.



All trips leave from the Robert J. DiPietro Community Center, 7901 Cypress Street, Laurel MD 20707. For questions, contact Trip Coordinator, Robert Giuliani at rogiuliani@aol.com.

OUTDOORS TEEN

ADDITIONAL FUNDING PROVIDED BY M-NCPPC

Exciting Teen Trips for Teens, Ages 13-18

THU DEC 15 Visit the National Christmas Tree, DC

#9752, \$5.00

Depart 5:30 pm – Return 9:30 pm

Visit the National Christmas tree along with the over 50 mini-State-decorated trees and other holiday displays located on the Ellipse behind the White House. Get in the holiday spirit. Prior, we will have a group dinner nearby (not included in price) at Washington's Hard Rock Café. We will also drive to the Capitol Christmas Tree for another photo opportunity.



Please visit our website at www.cityoflaurel.org/parks to view recently added trips!

THU JAN 26 UMD Women's Basketball Game & Driving Tour of UMD Campus

#9859, \$10.00

Depart 4:00 pm – Return 9:15 pm

Calling all college-bound students! See the nationally ranked Lady Terrapins (National Title and Four Final Fours!) play against the Wolverines of Michigan University. We will engage in a driving tour of the campus before the game and stop at the Student Union Food Court for dinner (on your own).

FRI FEB 3 Columbia Ice Skating Rink

#9860, \$10.00

Depart 8:15 pm – Return 11:45 pm

Enjoy a Friday night out with friends and skate to today's hottest music in the coolest place. Tell the DJ to play your favorite song and skate under the lights. Hang with your friends, visit the snack bar, and vibe to the music.

SAT FEB 25 Snowtubing Winter Adventure

#9861 Price TBT

Depart TBT – Return TBT

Enjoy a day on the slopes! We'll take a day trip to a local ski resort to enjoy some winter fun snowtubing! Be sure to

dress warm and bring money for food and hot chocolate to warm up. As more information becomes available you can view specific trip details online.



THU MAR 23 "Little Shop of Horrors" Drama Production

#9862, \$10.00

Depart 6:00 pm – Return 10:00 pm

Calling all drama students! A singing and meat-eating plant, a daring hero, a demented dentist, and a sweet girl all help to create this outrageous Broadway musical performed by the Arundel High Players. **Please bring your student ID!**



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SUMMER CAMP

KEY
RJDCC – Robert J. DiPietro Community Center
R – City Resident, NR – Non Resident



SCHOLARSHIPS –

Scholarships are available for low-income City resident families who meet the criteria. Call 301-725-7800 for guidelines. **Application deadline: Friday, June 2, 2023.**

DISCOUNTS –

Registration during operating hours at the Robert J. DiPietro Community Center. Register and pay in full for four or more of your sessions and receive a **one-time** 10% discount on camp fees.

**Some restrictions apply*

RESIDENTS –

The Department of Parks and Recreation is funded through City tax revenues. Persons living within the City limits and pay Laurel property taxes are given a discount at the resident rate. Residents are also given priority registration to register for camp beginning March 6. Non-residents may register beginning March 13.

Proof of City residency is required.

2023 SUMMER DAY CAMP REGISTRATION

Registration Begins
March 6 for City Residents
March 13 for Non-Residents
Robert J. DiPietro Community Center Only

Day camp will be held from
June 20 – August 11
9:00 am – 4:30 pm

Pre 7:30 – 9:00 am; Post 4:30 – 5:30 pm
Pre & Post care hours available for additional charge.

Day Camp Sessions

SESSIONS	DATE
1	June 20 – June 23*
2	June 26 – June 30
3	July 3 – July 7*
4	July 10 – July 14
5	July 17 – July 21
6	July 24 – July 28
7	July 31 – August 4
8	August 7 – August 11

Dates for day camp subject to change based on school make up schedule.

Fees

Resident \$120.00 per session
Non-Resident \$150.00 per session

* All camps receive a discount for the Juneteenth & Independence Day Holiday. The first day of camp will be Tuesday, June 20. Camp will be closed Tuesday, July 4.

Checks are not accepted. Fees are payable by Cash & Money Order, or Credit Card.

Payment in full is required. A \$20.00 fee may be charged to transfer registration to an alternative week and/or withdraw from a registered week.

Location

Robert J. DiPietro Community Center
7901 Cypress Street
Laurel, MD 20707
(301)497-0300

Age

Day Camp is offered to children ages 5/6 (your child must be entering first grade) – 12 years old. Proof of age and completion of Kindergarten may be required. Teen camp is offered to campers 13-14 years old. Campers who turn age 13 during camp will remain in regular camp throughout the summer.

For ages 3-6 (entering kindergarten) please refer to SUMMER SHENANIGANS.

Important Information

Medical information is required at the time of registration. Physician's name and phone number, and an emergency contact other than parent or guardian are required at time of registration. Additional information such as allergies, behavioral issues, or medical conditions must be noted on the registration form. All forms must be completed at the time of registration and may not be taken home to complete. The more information we have the more successful camp experience your child will have. Day camp is held from 9:00 am - 4:30 pm. Campers must provide their own lunches and drinks (refrigeration not available). Please do not send perishable items in campers' lunch.

Registration

Payments must be paid in full for each session. Spaces will not be held without full payments made. The only way to guarantee a spot is to register early. Registration is only accepted at the Robert J. DiPietro Community Center. Online registration is not available. Please allow yourself at least 30 minutes to complete

the registration process. Transfers must be approved and are also contingent upon space availability; please re-check the sessions you are requesting. **A \$20.00 fee may be charged** to transfer registration to an alternative week and/or withdraw from a currently registered week.

Pre-Camp & Post-Camp Care

Pre-Camp – 7:30 – 8:45 am
R \$20.00 per week, NR \$25.00 per week

Post-Camp – 4:30 – 5:30 pm
R \$20.00 per week, NR \$25.00 per week

NOTE – *Pickups beginning at 4:31pm will result in automatic registration in post camp. Additional fees apply to pick-ups at 5:31pm. Consult Camp Parent Guide for late policy information.*

Teen Camp – Ages 13-14

Hang out for a variety of activities including, games, sports, swimming, cooking, crafts and weekly trips. Space is limited. Participants must be 13 years of age prior to June 21, 2023. Fee includes cost of field trips. Campers must provide their own lunches (refrigeration not available). Please do not send perishable items in camper's lunch.

Session dates are the same as regular Day Camp

FEES Resident \$130.00
Non-Resident \$160.00



Counselor In Training (CIT)

Ages 15-17, Beginning Session 2

Learn to be a Camp Counselor by assisting our counselors with camp activities. Applicants may be selected following an interview held the first week of camp. The number of CITs needed, along with the duration of days, is limited for each session and CIT. Participants must be 15 years of age. This program may be used to fulfill school volunteer hours. Your child must provide their school's learning service hours form at the time of participation. To apply, stop by the Robert J. DiPietro Community Center to complete an application.

SUMMER SHENANIGANS

Summer Fun for Ages 3-6 (Entering Kindergarten)

Children must be 3 years old by January 1, 2023. Children must be toilet trained.

T/W/TH 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Robert J. DiPietro Community Center

SESSION DATE

1	June 20 – June 22
2	June 27 – June 29
3	July 5 – July 6*
4	July 11 – July 13
5	July 18 – July 20
6	July 25 – July 27
7	Aug 1 – August 3
8	Aug 8 – Aug 10

* All camps receive a discount for the Independence Day Holiday. Shenanigans will not meet Tuesday, July 4th.

Children will meet at the Laurel Municipal Pool (9th & Main Street) on Thursdays.

Have your child join with friends to enjoy arts and crafts, songs, story time, snacks, swimming, picnics, parties and more! Before and after care are not available.

FEES R \$40.00, NR \$45.00
Payment is due in full at the time of registration for each session.

HOW TO REGISTER ONLINE

To view a full list of current classes and programs or to register for a program online, visit www.CityofLaurel.org/parks

You may go to either the Robert J. DiPietro Community Center or Laurel Armory Anderson and Murphy Community Center to register for a class or program in person.

You can register for specific classes online through our Activenet registration site. If you have previously registered for a City of Laurel Department of Parks and Recreation program, you may already have an account set up. Visit www.cityoflaurel.org/parks and click "Online Registration." From there, select "Sign In" using your email address and select "Forgot Password" to receive an email to reset your Activenet password. Once your password has been reset, you can register for the available classes online and pay using your credit card.

If you have not created an account or you would like to register for a program for the first time, please visit one of our community centers and our front desk staff can assist you.

For additional information, please contact our offices at (301) 725-7800 or e-mail us at parks@laurel.md.us

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INSIDE THE CENTERS

GAMES CLUBS

Robert J. DiPietro Community Center

Thursdays 6:00-8:45 pm

Innovative, challenging games for teens and adults. Games of all types such as The Resistance, One Night Ultimate Werewolf, Fallout, Carcassonne, Mencala, and more. Share your favorite or learn a new one! 301-497-0300 for information.



Laurel Armory Community Center

Anime Club

Wednesdays 5:00-8:45 pm

Ages 8 and up.

Enjoy your favorite anime with friends.



TEEN CLUBS

Teen Club

Ages 12-17

Friday 7:00-10:00 pm RJDCC

Grab your Teen/Youth Pass Card to join your friends for a variety of activities just for you! We have basketball, games, tournaments and occasionally some food. NO daily drop in fees accepted, you must have an Teen/Youth Annual Pass!

Outdoor Teen Club

Ages 13-18

Exciting teen trips for area teens. See page 9 for a complete list of trips



YOUTH SPORTS ALLIANCE

The Department has partnered with several Youth Sports Organizations in the community. Check out these organizations if you are looking to get your child involved in youth sports.

LAUREL LITTLE LEAGUE – The Laurel Little League provides a fun and positive athletic experience for youth of all ages. Laurel Little League is a chartered affiliate of Little League Baseball, Inc of Williamsport, PA. 301-725-5850.

LAUREL CITY KINGFISH – Competitive summer swim team that participates in the Prince-Mont Swim League. Consult aquatic

W.I.S.E. BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Registration for
Winter 2022-2023 League
Begins Soon!

Coed Ages 7-15 R \$120, NR \$125

The WYBL is a youth basketball league dedicated to teaching basketball fundamentals.

It is a developmental league, supported by the City of Laurel, for girls and boys 7 - 15 years old.

Draft Day is the first day of the league. All athletes must participate in Draft (Skills Assessment) Day.

Athletes not in attendance are subject to league placement.

Registration only
accepted online at: www.winninginsportsandeducation.com

section for additional information
301-497-0300.

W.I.S.E. YOUTH SPORTS LEAGUES – W.I.S.E. stands for Winning in Sports and Education. Youth leagues and clinics continue throughout the year. If interested, please contact James Agbai at 410-656-WISE (9473) or winninginsportsandeducation@gmail.com.

CLASSES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

KEY RJDCC – Robert J. DiPietro Community Center

LAAMCC – Laurel Armory Anderson-Murphy Community Center

R – City Resident, NR – Non Resident



YOUTH & TEENS

INTRODUCTION TO KARATE

NEW

Age 10-16

This class will focus on the basics and early kata of Ai-Mute Shotokan karate. Students will be able to develop endurance, coordination, and strength as they learn to perform combinations of striking and kicking techniques, evasive and offensive movement patterns, and breath control techniques in the pursuance of their yellow belts. Sensei Chris Brown has a first-degree black belt in Isshin-Ryu, as well as a third-degree black belt in Ai Mute Shotokan, and has experience in a variety of additional martial arts. Class is open to beginners as well as experienced students.

LAAMCC- Danceroom – R \$95, NR \$110
#9845 W/Th 5 wks 1/4/23 5:15-6:45 pm
#9846 W/Th 5 wks 3/1/23 5:15-6:45 pm

KIDDIE BASKETBALL **Age 3-4**

In this class, having fun is sure to be a slam-dunk! Enjoy being introduced to beginner basketball concepts (dribbling, passing, and shooting) through exciting and fun-filled games and activities. Parents



REGISTER EARLY! It is important to register for each and every program as soon as possible. A majority of our programs must meet a minimum number of participants otherwise it may be cancelled. We strongly encourage participants to **register before the first meeting date** for any class or program!

are encouraged to follow the coach's instructions to assist in the games and activities. T-Shirt included in class cost.

RJDCC Multipurpose Room – R \$45, NR \$50
#9843 Tue 6 wks 1/3/23 5:30-6:15 pm

KIDZ BASKETBALL **Age 5-6**

In this class, having fun is sure to be a slam-dunk! Enjoy being introduced to beginner basketball concepts (dribbling, passing, and shooting) through exciting and fun-filled games and activities. Parents are encouraged to follow the coach's instructions to assist in the games and activities. T-Shirt included in class cost.

RJDCC Multipurpose Room – R \$45, NR \$50
#9844 Tue 6 wks 1/3/23 6:30-7:15 pm

LITTLE & JUNIOR TRACKSTARS **Age 3-14**

Running, jumping and speed are the basic athletic skills needed to enhance any sport. In this class, your junior runners will learn the basics of track & field events. They will also participate in our warmup routine, running workouts, and cool down exercises in a competitive, fun and fast-paced class. T-Shirts are included in the cost of the class.

LAAMCC Gymnasium – R \$85, NR \$90
#9733 Sat 6 wks 11/12/22 9:30-10:30 am
#9834 Sat 6 wks 11/12/22 10:30-11:30 am
#9841 Sat 6 wks 1/14/23 10:30-11:30 am
#9842 Sat 6 wks 3/11/23 10:30-11:30 am

JMD STUDIOS

This dance program is instructed by the staff of JMD Studios which offers dance classes structured to build confidence and foster a love for dance while learning foundational dance and movement skills. As classes are tailored to each age group, **students must be the designated age by the first day of class**. For more information about the program or if you have questions, please contact Alycia Carlson at 240-343-2623.

PRE-BALLET & TAP **Age 3½ - 5**

This 45-minute whimsical tap and ballet class, especially geared for preschoolers, approach dance in a playful manner. Beginning tap sounds and ballet movements are intertwined with creative activities incorporating props and imagery to emphasize rhythm, coordination, and body awareness. A delightful dance experience for young ones!

Dress Code: Leotards & tights, tap shoes, and leather ballet shoes.

RJDCC - Danceroom – R \$124, NR \$129
#9847 Sat 10 wks 1/14/23 9:30-10:15 am

BEGINNING BALLET & TAP **Age 5½ - 7**

This 45-minute class created for elementary school aged children explores a wide variety of dance genres incorporating ballet & tap skills into every class. Upbeat music will accompany dancers as they learn dance movements and terminology in the center, at the barre, and across the floor. This class will

continues on next page >>>



CLASSES CONTINUED

keep students engaged and challenged while having fun at the same time.
Dress Code: Leotard & tights, tap shoes, and leather ballet shoes

RJDCC - Danceroom
R \$124, NR \$129
#9848 Sat 10 wks 1/24/23 10:15-11:00 am

ADULTS

ART FOR ALL- INCLUSIVE ARTS PROGRAM Age 21+

Art for All is an amazing art experience Compass, Inc. exists to support individuals with developmental disabilities and their families to live the lives they desire in communities of their choice. Art for All is an amazing art experience for all people regardless of skill or ability. The program will encourage creativity and boost self-esteem while encouraging relationship building, socialization, and self-confidence. No experience necessary, just an open heart and mind!

This is a drop-in program with limited seats and is offered on a first-come first-serve basis. You must pay the drop-in fee at the start of class. No pre-registration for this class is accepted.

RJDCC – Multipurpose Room
R \$3, NR \$4 (per class)
Monday & Thursdays 10:00-11:00 am
No class 11/24/22 & 12/26/22

BIO-FITNESS Age 18+
This 60-minute fitness class will improve mobility, condition the cardiovascular system, increase flexibility, improve balance, and strengthen core muscle groups. This program is fun, easy to follow, and the class atmosphere is friendly and inviting. A combination of High/Low impact is included, and you choose according to your fitness level. Mat/floor work includes exercises that will challenge the muscle groups to improve toning and increase strength. Light handheld weights are optional. This fitness class is a great addition to your fitness goals. Our instructors are friendly, experienced, certified and will

welcome you into the class that you choose. Our program is fun and easy to follow. Floor exercises are included so please bring your mat. Visit our website at www.biofitness.us or call 410-956-1084.

RJDCC - Danceroom
R \$67, NR \$72
#9736 M/W 6 wks 11/2/22 6:00-7:00 pm
#9849 M/W 6 wks 1/9/23 6:00-7:00 pm
#9850 M/W 6 wks 2/20/23 6:00-7:00 pm

POWER IN PAUSING YOGA Age 18+ NEW

Stressed? Overwhelmed? Or just looking for a way to slow down and relax? This class is for you. During this 60-minute gentle yoga class, participants will explore the power in pausing. We'll use breathing techniques, gentle yoga postures, relaxation, mellow music and journaling to help us slow down and release stress, tension and tightness from our bodies and minds.

Equipment: For this class, you will need a yoga mat and journal. Yoga blocks and a yoga strap are optional. Instruction by Andrea Burrell.

RJDCC- Multipurpose Room
R \$35, NR \$40
#9855 Mon 3 wks 11/7/22 7:30-8:30 pm
#9856 Mon 3 wks 12/5/22 7:30-8:30pm

R \$70, NR \$75
#9857 Mon 6 wks 1/9/23 7:30-8:30 pm
#9858 Mon 6 wks 3/13/23 7:30-8:30 pm

SOCABOUNCE FITNESS Age 21+
SocaBounce is the newest high-intensity, low-impact fitness crazed cardio workout session on rebound boots commonly known as "Kangoo Jumps" which are designed to absorb up to 80 percent of the pressure off your joints, back, hips, and knees! You'll feel like you are jumping on a trampoline! This all-core, total body workout will help participants to burn hundreds of calories per session while having fun working out to choreographed cardio routines to the latest tunes of the Caribbean's Soca, Afrobeats, R&B, Hip-Hop, and other genres. Instruction by Okeemah Henderson: karnivalbouncecrew@gmail.com

SocaBounce Fitness – w/Boot Rental

No Boot? No problem! Kangoo Jumps rebound boots are provided for every class. To reserve boots, you MUST text the word "LAUREL" to (301) 357-5388 with your name, shoe size, & weight for boots to be individually reserved. Extra boots at the time of class are not guaranteed and therefore must be reserved in advance.

RJDCC – Multipurpose Room

R \$60, NR \$64
#9866 Wed 4 wks 11/16/22 6:30-7:30 pm
(No class 12/7/22)
#9868 Wed 4 wks 12/21/22 6:30-7:30 pm
(Additional classes to be added.)

SocaBounce Fitness –

PLEASE NOTE: This course is only for student who have purchased and own Kangoo Jump rebound boots. For students needing boot rentals, please register for "SocaBounce Fitness w/ Boot Rental".

RJDCC – Multipurpose Room

R \$40, NR \$45
#9865 Wed 4 wks 11/16/22 6:30-7:30 pm
(No class 12/7/22)
#9867 Wed 4 wks 12/21/22 6:30-7:30 pm
(Additional classes to be added.)

ZUMBA Age 16+

Zumba fuses hypnotic Latin rhythms and easy to follow moves to create a dynamic fitness program that will blow you away. Achieve long term benefits while experiencing an absolute blast in one exhilarating hour of caloric-burning, body energizing, awe-inspiring movements meant to engage and captivate for life! Instruction by Carol Ortiz.

RJDCC – R \$90, NR \$95
Tue & Thu 7:30-8:30 pm, Sat 10:30-11:30 am
18 classes
#9741 T/Th/Sat 18 classes 11/26/22
#9876 T/Th/Sat 18 classes 1/17/23
#9877 T/Th/Sat 18 classes 3/4/23

LAAMCC – R \$60, NR \$65

Mon/Wed 7:00-8:00 pm
12 classes
#9743 M/W 12 classes 11/23/22
#9878 M/W 12 classes 1/9/23
#9879 M/W 12 classes 2/22/23

PRESCHOOL

3-5 YEAR OLDS

DOG CLASSES

HAVE FUN WITH TRICKS

Main Street Pool Meeting Room

Tricks are not only fun for you and your dog, but they also help gain confidence, focus and coordination. This class will teach your dog basic tricks (shake, roll over, spin, etc.) and some advanced tricks (paws up, "Say your prayers," and jump through arms). Have fun with your dog and impress your friends with your dog's new skills!

Prerequisites: The class is for dogs 5 months and older. All dogs must be people and dog-friendly and up to date on their vaccinations to attend class. Veterinarian records will be required before class start date.

PRICES & DATES TBA

TEACHING FIDO BASIC MANNERS

Main Street Pool Meeting Room

Teaching your dog should be a fun and positive experience for both you and your dog. This 7-week class is designed to teach the basic cues (sit, down, stay and come) and then apply those cues to "life skills" such as meet & greet while leashed, wait at the door, settle on a mat, loose-leash walking, give it/take it, & leave it. Classes have no more than 5 dogs, so you feel as if you are receiving "one-on-one" training.

Prerequisites: The class is for dogs 5 months and older. All dogs must be people and dog-friendly and up to date on their vaccinations to attend class.

Veterinarian records will be required before class start date.

PRICES & DATES TBA

Classes are taught by Jody Broughton, CPDT-KA, Social Tailwaggers Dog Training and Behavior Consultant. It is important in a class environment that all dogs are both dog and people friendly. Please contact Jody Broughton if you have questions on whether this class is appropriate for your dog, or, and questions at (240) 882-4765 or email socialtailwaggers@gmail.com

KEY

R – City Resident

NR – Non Resident

WINTER 2023

#9761 4's Class – M/W/F

R \$320, NR \$340

January 2 – February 17, 2023

Closed 1/16 – MLK Day

Closed 2/20 – Presidents Day

Closed 2/21–28 – Snow make-up days

#9762 3's Class – T/TH

R \$240, NR \$255

January 3 – February 21, 2023

Closed 2/21–28 – Snow make-up days

PRIORITY REGISTRATION for Spring 2023

is due by January 30, 2023. The preschool program may choose to close registration for the remainder of the school year depending on current enrollment.

SPRING/SUMMER 2023

SPRING

#9851 4's Class – M/W/F

R \$352, NR \$374

March 1 – April 28, 2023

Closed 4/3 – 4/10 – Spring Break

#9852 3's Class – T/TH

R \$240, NR \$255

March 1 – April 28, 2023

Closed 4/3 – 4/10 – Spring break

SUMMER

#9853 4's Class – M/W/F

R \$256, NR \$272

May 1 – June 7, 2023

Closed 5/29 – Memorial Day

6/7 – Family Fun Day (3's & 4's)

6/9 – Graduation (4's only)

#9854 3's Class – T/TH

R \$192, NR \$204

May 2 - June 6, 2023

6/7 – Family Fun Day (3's & 4's)

DROP-IN PROGRAMS

Additional Funding Provided by M-NCCPC

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RJDCC – Robert J. DiPietro
Community Center
LAAMCC – Laurel Armory
Anderson-Murphy Community Center
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YOUTH & TEEN AFTER SCHOOL

LAAMCC AND RJDCC

All participants must purchase a Teen/Youth Annual pass. NO daily admissions will be accepted. Participants may enter and exit drop-in programs at will. The drop-in program is not a licensed school aged childcare program. Policies regarding the drop-in program reflect the State of Maryland's Family Law Article. The Centers, on occasion, may close due to scheduling conflicts or inclement weather.



OPEN GYM & GAMEROOM

Ages 8-11

Monday – Friday 3:30-4:30 pm
Saturday 1:00-5:00 pm

Ages 12-17

Monday – Friday 4:30-5:30 pm
Saturday 1:00-5:00 pm
Friday 7:00-10:00 pm Teen Club at RJDCC

FAMILY DROP-IN BASKETBALL

Spend some family time together at our Family Drop-in Basketball on Sunday mornings from 10:30 am until 12:00 noon. The gym will be available to youth and teens ages 8-17 who are accompanied by a legal parent/guardian. Youth/Teens must have a valid membership and parents may participate by presenting a valid membership or pay a drop-in fee: Resident- \$4/Non-Resident-\$7



ADULTS

RJDCC

Ages 18 + unless otherwise indicated

Participation in a drop-in program requires one of the following:

Annual, 6, 3, or 1 Month Admission Pass for unlimited participation. A Daily Admission Pass is required for a one-time participation.

BASKETBALL RJDCC

Saturday	9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Monday	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Tuesday	10:00 am – 3:30 pm 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Wednesday	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Thursday	10:00 am – 3:30 pm 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Contact the Centers for additional drop in times

OPEN GYM TIME

Open gym time is held at both the Robert J. DiPietro Community Center and the Laurel Armory Anderson Murphy Community Center based upon space availability. The department reserves the right to cancel or reschedule activities without notification. Call the center(s) to confirm drop-in schedule. No one under the age of 18 is permitted in the gym during adult drop-in.

required to qualify for the resident rate. Please bring your own paddles and balls.

**Pickleball schedule is subject to change during basketball season. Please check online or contact the centers for the most up-to-date information regarding Pickleball schedule.*

WALK & TALK

Tuesdays & Thursdays 9:00-10:00 am

RJDCC

Drop-in Fee R \$2, NR \$3 or Facility Membership Card

Join us for some indoor walking exercise in a friendly environment and regularly open facility as the weather begins to turn chilly.

PICKLEBALL

Tuesday 6:00-9:00 pm LAAMCC*
Wednesday 6:00-9:00 pm RJDCC*

Drop-in Fee R \$3, NR \$5 or Facility Membership Card

Come down with family or friends to enjoy a game or two of the sport that's sweeping the nation. Each person must pay a drop-in fee or hold a current facility membership card. Proof of residency is



LEAGUES & REGISTRATION DATES

WINTER 2023

BASKETBALL (MEN'S)

Registration Ends 1/20/23*

RECREATIONAL MEN'S 5-ON-5 BASKETBALL (Intermediate Level)

#9869

Sundays beginning 1/29/23

Game Times 12:00-9:30 pm

Robert J. DiPietro Community Center

Franchise Fee \$550.00 per team

* Teams who register for the Winter Basketball League will receive their scheduled starting times for Sunday, January 29th via email to team managers. Team packets and schedules will be distributed the first night of play on Sunday, January 29th

CORNHOLE (COED) NEW

Registration Ends 1/6/23

RECREATIONAL CORNHOLE **#9870**

Sundays beginning 1/15/23

Game Times 1:00-4:00 pm

Fee \$100.00 per team

Everyone loves cornhole at tailgates and backyard bbq's. Why not perfect your skills and come join Laurel Parks and Recreation Cornhole League! Teams meet weekly at the Laurel Armory Anderson & Murphy Community Center.



QUESTIONS?

E-mail the league commissioner:
shehir-keys@laurel.md.us

Visit Our Sports Website for up to date programs and current league information including standings, schedules, and more at: www.cityoflaurel.org/parks/adult-sports-activities



FUTSAL (COED) NEW

Registration Ends 1/6/23

RECREATIONAL FUTSAL

#9871

Fridays beginning 1/13/23

Game Times 6:00-9:00 pm

Fee \$400.00 per teams

Time to get your teams together to compete in our indoor futsal league! Enjoy this exciting, fast paced indoor soccer game and polish up on skills before Spring arrives at the Laurel Armory Anderson & Murphy Community Center.

SPRING/ SUMMER 2023

BASKETBALL (MEN'S)

Registration Ends 6/2/23*

RECREATIONAL MEN'S 5-ON-5 BASKETBALL

#9872

Sundays beginning 6/11/23

Game Times 12:00 – 9:30 pm

City of Laurel Community Centers

Franchise Fee: \$550.00

* Teams who register for the Spring/Summer Basketball League will receive their scheduled starting times for Sunday, June 11th games via email to team managers. Team packets and schedules will be distributed the first night of play on Sunday, June 11th.

SOFTBALL (COED)

Registration Ends 3/25/22 *

RECREATIONAL COED SOFTBALL

#9873 (Mondays)

Mondays beginning 4/3/23

Game Times 6:30 – 9:30 pm

Franchise Fee: \$550.00 per team

#9874 (Wednesdays)

Wednesdays beginning 4/5/23

Game Times 6:30 – 9:30 pm

Stephen P. Turney Recreation Complex

Franchise Fee: \$550.00 per team

* Teams who register for the Spring softball leagues should pick up their team packets starting Friday, March 31st , 2023 between 10:00 am and 9:00 pm. or before their first scheduled game at the Robert J. DiPietro Community Center located at 7901 Cypress Street.

NEW

TENNIS LADDER (COED)

Registration Ends 3/31/23

RECREATIONAL TENNIS

#9875

Fridays beginning 4/1/23

R \$15, NR \$20

Play singles matches, any day, any court. Players must challenge with other players through email/phone and set up a tennis match on your own time. At season's start 1 free challenge is allowed by ALL players anywhere on the ladder, after that, players can challenge players 3 places above. Maximum 16 players accepted.

ADDITIONAL LEAGUE INFORMATION

- All players must be 18 years or older.
- The city reserves the right to use photographs of Department programs.
- All players participate at their own risk.

Extended registration will be determined on a league to league basis. Call (301) 497-0300 for registration availability or for further information.



CITY OF LAUREL COMMUNITY GARDEN

Do you want to grow your own fruits and vegetables?

Be a part of the City of Laurel's Community Garden in Spring 2023. Choose between four plot sizes ranging from 3x12' up to 20x20'. No prior gardening experience is necessary. We will offer free gardening classes to get you started. Come grow with us and join a group of gardeners dedicated to eating healthy and giving back to our local food pantries. Space in the community garden is limited, email Laurel.Community.Garden@gmail.com to receive updates and more information. Also, like us on Facebook under "City of Laurel Community Garden". Please call or email for the one-time membership fee per plot, as well as a yearly plot fee.

2023 Registration Dates

January 23 - February 3 – Returning Members/Existing Plot Owners
February 6-10 – City of Laurel Residents/Laurel Presbyterian Members
February 13 – Open Registration

LAUREL HELPING HANDS

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Youth Services Bureau Strengthening Families, Helping Youth Thrive.

Your Laurel Helping Hands counselors are here to help you deal with any emotional challenges that you or your family members may be facing. We provide services in-person and via telehealth, in English and Spanish.

So, whether your child is getting in trouble in school or at home, or is simply struggling to cope with life, Laurel Helping Hands can help you get a handle on the situation. We equip parents with the necessary skills to meet the developmental and mental health needs of their children, so that youth can maximize their potential at home, in school and in the community.

And if you need help to navigate the challenges of adult life or to successfully live with mental illness, our counselors work with adults to address various issues. Our goal is to help you and your family to live your best life possible.

We Provide

INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY COUNSELING

Our counselors work with children, teens, adults, and families on a wide variety of issues e.g., parenting, family conflict, divorce/separation, relationship difficulties, anger management, anxiety, depression, grief and loss, personal growth etc.

GROUP COUNSELING – Our counseling and psycho-educational groups teach skills like impulse-control, anger management and communication.



CRISIS INTERVENTION –

Sudden changes e.g., sudden death, can cause us to feel lost, even suicidal, and make it difficult for us to function in our lives. Our counselors can work with you to develop a short-term plan, and connect you with resources so you can get your life back on track.

SUBSTANCE USE ASSESSMENT –

This program is a partnership with PGCPS to provide an alternative to expulsion for students who are in violation of school drug policy. Students are assessed for their level of substance use, the impact it is having on their life, and an exploration of their reasons for use. We provide recommendations and referrals for further treatment if necessary.

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL SERVICES

– And when you need more than we can provide, we help you identify the best type of service for your needs and connect you to available resources. For more information about our program or to request service email LHH@laurel.md.us Call 240-294-1304 or stop by the Laurel Armory at 422 Montgomery Street. We have Spanish-speaking counselors. Services are available in-person and via Telehealth.

FEES

- Substance Use Assessments are \$15 per session. A 2-session minimum is required by PGCPS.
- Individual & Family Counseling - We accept CareFirst insurance and Medicaid. For those who do not have insurance, we offer a sliding scale to Prince George's County residents, that is based on household income and size.

HOURS

Monday & Wednesday: 12:00-9:00 pm
Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm

SENIOR PROGRAMS



Senior Service Transportation **301-323-8096**

Remember that if you have transportation questions, after 12:00 noon Monday–Friday, evenings and weekends, please call 301-725-8088

Programs and Classes at Various Locations in Laurel

The City of Laurel Department of Parks and Recreation Division of Senior Services provide recreational leisure opportunities at multiple locations within the City of Laurel. We are here to serve seniors 55+ as well as disabled adults. Please call 301-776-6168 with questions and for more information. Senior Services Office is in the Laurel Armory Anderson Murphy Community Center. You can register for all of our programs at the Laurel Armory or Robert J. DiPietro Community. If interested, please sign up at least two weeks prior to the event or trip. Additional trips and senior programs can be found in the Division of Senior Services Newsletter.

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SENIOR CITIZENS PROGRAMS

(301) 776-6168 Senior Services Office
(301) 323-8096 Transportation
Monday-Friday 9:00-12:00 pm
(301) 725-8088 Laurel Armory
seniors@laurel.md.us

Laurel Armory
422 Montgomery Street
Laurel, MD 20707

TRIPS, TRAVELS & TOURS

City of Laurel Department of Parks and Recreation Division of Senior Services trips will leave from the Robert J. DiPietro Community Center at 7901 Cypress Street, Laurel, MD. If you require additional transportation to and from the drop off point, register as a van rider with the department. The fee is \$30 for the year for curb-to-curb transportation within the City. Another option is to pay the \$3 pick-up & return per trip fee. This will get you to the RJDCC and home again.

Additional Funding Provided by M-NCCPC



UPCOMING SENIOR TRIPS & TEAS

WED DEC 14

December Tea Social at the Cabana

#9769 \$10.00

Event Time 1:00 pm

Join our trendy and tasty tea social with a nice variety of teas and treats to enjoy.

THU DEC 15

Symphony of Lights, MD

#9769 \$10.00

Depart 4:00 pm

Dazzling lights on winter nights will put you in the mood for the holiday season. Dine on your own before the lights at Clove & Cardamom Restaurant.

THU DEC 29

Enchantment: Christmas

Maze of Lights, DC

#9767 \$15.00

Depart 4:00 pm

We produce the World's Largest Christmas Light Maze using light, art, and story to create over 10 acres of adventure - and a magical Village featuring ice skating, dining, gift shopping, and photo visits with Santa and Mrs. Claus.

WED JAN 11

January Tea Social at the Cabana

#9834 \$10.00

Event Time 1:00 pm

Join our trendy and tasty tea social with a nice variety of teas and treats to enjoy.

FRI JAN 13

Jazz Night, DC

#9835 Admission - \$15.00

Transportation Fee - \$10.00

Depart 1:00 pm

Join us for talented jazz musicians from the DMV. Dine on your own at the Café.

SUN JAN 15

Mike's Seafood

Annapolis, MD

#9836 \$10.00

Depart 1:00 pm

Casual restaurant offering traditional Maryland-style seafood in a spacious, riverfront setting. Dine on your own.

For a full list of Senior Programs, you can view the senior newsletter online under the 'Seniors' section at www.CityofLaurel.org/parks. To join the senior newsletter mailing list, contact the Division of Senior Services at 301-776-6168.



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**Do you have a program idea or an interest
in learning more about the broadcast industry?**

The City of Laurel has a local Public Access Channel, Laurel TV, airing on Verizon FiOS and Comcast. Its purpose is to keep residents, business owners and visitors informed about all things Laurel. The station relies heavily on Volunteers in the community to shoot and edit stories on local events.

Laurel TV offers training in photography and editing and has television equipment the community can borrow to shoot their own programs once they have gone through the proper training. Laurel TV also airs all government meetings. Community event notices are broadcast on the station's bulletin board, in English and now in Spanish too.

Comcast Channel SD 71 Comcast Channel HD 996

Verizon FiOS Channel 12

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