

Franklin Parks & Recreation

June 2023 Park Board Meeting

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Marketing

- Created and implemented promotions for events such as: Cruisin' the Amp (6/10), Crush (6/23), and Franklin Firecracker Festival (7/3)
- Created bi-weekly Constant Contact emails, created REACH advertisements for the recreation center and aquatic center, and maintained our social media presence on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and TikTok
- Maintained/Updated the Parks website
- Posted June calendars for fitness classes
- Created promotions for the Franklin Family Aquatic Center
- Created promotions for our upcoming Arts at the Amp events including Kids Zumba, Franklin Community Band Concert "Music and Colors", and Karaoke at the Amp (6/20)
- Created promotions for the Farmer's Market "Exercise at the Amp" weekly Saturday workouts
- Created promotions for Free Family Swim Nights at the Franklin Family Aquatic Center every Thursday from 6-8pm in June and July

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ARTS AT THE AMP

FRIDAY, MAY 26 KIDS ZUMBA 9-10am

FRIDAY, JUNE 2 KIDS ZUMBA 9-10am

**THURSDAY, JUNE 8 FRANKLIN COMMUNITY
BAND CONCERT "MUSIC & COLORS"** 7pm

FRIDAY, JUNE 16 KIDS ZUMBA 9-10am

TUESDAY, JUNE 20 KARAOKE AT THE AMP
6-9pm Beer & Wine Garden, Food Trucks

FRIDAY, JUNE 23 KIDS ZUMBA 9-10am

FRIDAY, JUNE 30 KIDS ZUMBA 9-10am

FRIDAY, JULY 7 KIDS ZUMBA 9-10am

FRIDAY, JULY 28 KIDS ZUMBA 9-10am

**SUNDAY, SEPT 10 FRANKLIN COMMUNITY BAND
CONCERT "ART & MUSIC" AND ICE CREAM
SOCIAL** 5:30pm

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Fitness Classes

- Our Summer Schedule is a little different. Silver Steppers will only be Monday and Wednesday
- Zumba will still have a regular schedule. The 2nd session starting July 10th will be cancelled due to low enrollment.
- Water aerobics will be Tuesday/Thursday/Saturday 9:30-10:30AM.
- Our instructors are taking turns at the Farmers Market on Saturdays mornings at 8AM. Check them out!

JUNE



2023 Franklin Parks & Recreation Fitness Class Schedule

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)	2	3 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)
4	5 9AM Silver Steppers 6:15PM Zumba	6 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)	7 9AM Silver Steppers 6:15PM Zumba	8 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)	9	10 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)
11	12 9AM Silver Steppers 6:15PM Zumba	13 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)	14 9AM Silver Steppers 6:15PM Zumba	15 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)	16	17 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)
18	19 9AM Silver Steppers 6:15PM Zumba	20 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)	21 9AM Silver Steppers 6:15PM Zumba	22 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)	23	24 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)
25	26 9AM Silver Steppers 6:15PM Zumba	27 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)	28 9AM Silver Steppers 6:15PM Zumba	29 9:30AM Water Aerobics (Franklin Family Aquatic Center)	30	

SIGN UP FOR A SESSION OR PAY \$10 FOR A DROP-IN!

Kickapoo Kids Camp

KICKAPOO KIDS CAMP

- We are almost half way through camp now!
- Our upcoming field trips for June are Zip City and Rascals Fun Zone
- Our Kickapoo Luau is on June 22nd from 5-7PM, campers and their parents can come listen to music, eat pizza, and enjoy a photo booth!
- The themes that we have had are...
 - Space – Eclipse Orientated
 - Time Travel – Where they learned about different decades and we traveled to Conner Prairie
 - Now Holidays! We have an Easter Egg Hunt and a Halloween Parade. The kids even turned their counselor into a Christmas Tree on Monday with decorations and green crepe paper!



Other Recreation Center Programs

COMMUNITY GARDEN

- We have sold seven spots this year!
- Our maintenance guys are keeping it plowed and roped off for each plot!

OUR TOWN PLAYERS

Community Theater Group

- OTP recently got shirts for their stage crew and production crew. They will now be wearing them at all of their shows!
- Their next show is quickly approaching. The summer show is a kid production!



The poster features a red curtain background with the text "2023 SEASON" in large, glowing yellow letters at the top. On the left is the "OUR TOWN PLAYERS" logo, which includes a stylized sun and moon. Three show posters are displayed: "MOON OVER BUFFALO" by Ken Ludwig (Spring, April 21-23 and April 28-30) with a bison illustration; "The Clumsy Custard Horror Show And Ice Cream Clone Review" by William Gleason (Summer, July 7-9 and July 14-16) with a yellow background; and "FOUR OLD BROADS" by Leslie Kimball (Fall, September 29-October 1 and October 6-8) with an illustration of four elderly women. At the bottom, contact information is provided: www.facebook.com/ourtownplayers and OTPFranklinIN@gmail.com.

Community Events

PROGRAMMING:

I am getting ready to start of planning for 2024! Still have some planning to do for later festivals and events but 2024 bands will be booked by mid-August.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Thurs, June 15 – Dive In Movie at the Franklin Family Aquatic Center
 - Free swim 6-9pm, Movie (“Sing 2”) 9:15pm, DJ will playing music through the ages as part of the City’s Bicentennial Celebration
- Fri, June 16 – Zumba at the Amp (Arts @ The Amp), 9-10am
- Tues, June 20 – Karaoke at the Amp (Arts @ The Amp), 6-9pm, food trucks/Shale Creek, DJ will be running the karaoke portion
- Fri, June 23 – Zumba at the Amp (Arts @ The Amp), 9-10am
- Fri, June 23 – Concert Series (“Crush” – Bon Jovi Tribute Band), 5-10pm, Beer & Wine Garden, Food Vendors
- Thurs, June 29 – Franklin Community Schools
 - FCSC hosting a conference and will have the participants socialize at the amphitheater with food trucks, beer garden and music
- Mon, July 3 – Firecracker Festival
 - 4-10:30pm, fireworks, food trucks, beer/wine garden, City of Franklin Bicentennial giveaways, time capsule dedication, photo booth
- Fri, July 7 – Zumba at the Amp (Arts @ The Amp), 9-10am
- Fri, July 7 – Movie at the Amp (“Top Gun Maverick”), 6-11pm

ECLIPSE

- The committee continues to plan for this historical event in April 2024

Community Events cont.

Concert Series

- Festival Country Indiana, Title Sponsor (\$10,000)
- Horizon Bank, Gold Sponsor (\$5,000)
- HomePro Heating & Cooling, Gold Sponsor (\$5,000)
- Martin Orthodontics, Gold Sponsor (\$5,000)
- Crossroad Engineers, PC, Silver Sponsor (\$2,500)
- Max Service Group, Silver Sponsor (\$2,500)
- Franklin Insurance, Silver Sponsor (\$2,500)
- Astral of Franklin, Silver Sponsor (\$2,500)

Easter Egg Hunt

- Community Baptist Church, Title Sponsor (\$500)
- HomePro Heating & Cooling, Gold Sponsor (\$400)
- Koenig Equipment, Bronze Sponsor (\$100)

Cruisin' the Amp

- Marshall Mechanical, Gold Sponsor (\$2,500)
- Top Notch Pressure Washing – (\$5,000 in kind)

Firecracker Festival

- Marshall Mechanical, Gold Sponsor (\$2,500)
- Lauth Communications, LLC, Silver Sponsor (\$1,000)

Festival Country International Fest

- Festival Country Indiana, Title Sponsor (\$5,000)\

Fall Festival

- Hillview Country Club, Title Sponsor (\$5,000)
- Carpenter Realty, Gold Sponsor (\$2,000)
- Marshall Mechanical, Gold Sponsor (\$2,500)
- Lauth Communications, LLC, Silver Sponsor (\$1,000)
- Koenig Equipment, Bronze Sponsor (\$500)

Halloween Town

- Marshall Mechanical, Gold Sponsorship (\$2,500)
- Koenig Equipment, Bronze Sponsor (\$500)

Family Movie Series

- Johnson County REMC, Title Sponsor (\$5,000)
- Koenig Equipment, Bronze Sponsor (\$500)

Arts @ The Amp Grant from the Branigin Foundation for \$4,790
Ice Skating Rink Grant from Festival Country for \$50,000
Eclipse Festival Grant from Festival Country for \$15,000

Franklin Family Aquatic Center/Aquatics

STAFF TRAINING/IN-SERVICES

- We have had two in-services so far this month and still have one scheduled
- Next month we have 4 scheduled to take place

SUMMER PROGRAMS

- Dive-In Movie and Food Drive
 - Thursday, June 15, Bicentennial celebration, DJ, Sing 2 and more!
- Water Aerobics
 - Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, 9:30-10:30 am
- Lap Swim - outdoors beginning May 20
 - Daily from 9 am-11 am
- Swim lessons – Group, One-on-One, and Aquatots
 - During the month of June



Franklin Family Aquatic Center cont.

MISCELLANEOUS UPDATES

- Birthday party packages and pool rentals are really busy this year. Every weekend time slot has been reserved in June and a few have been reserved during the week. Pool rentals are filling up and there were only a few days for the whole month where the early time slot is open.
- Concessions has been busy at both the pool and Scott Park. After this week, we only have 3 weekends left at Scott Park before everything is over out there.
- Our Dive-In Movie is tonight! We are showing Sing 2, having a DJ, Chick-Fil-A will be there, and there will be giveaways. Should be a well-attended event.
- We have awarded three Guard of the Week's so far:
 - Danielle Hensley (May 30-June 4)
 - Makenzie Thomas (June 5-June 11)
 - Camy Quiggins (June 12-June 18)

Human Resources Report

Franklin Parks & Recreation Department Human Resources Report – May/June 2023

Name	Position	Action	Pay Rate	Date
Rita Bright	Parks Part-Time – Maintenance	Re-Hire	\$14.50/Hour	May 31, 2023
Leyton Tinberg	Athletic & Recreation – Kickapoo Kids Counselor	New Hire	\$14.00/Hour	May 22, 2023
Jenna Hash	Athletic & Recreation – Kickapoo Kids Counselor	Re-Hire	\$14.25/Hour	May 22, 2023
Jolie Engleau	Athletic & Recreation – Kickapoo Kids Counselor	New Hire	\$14.00/Hour	May 27, 2023
Jyllian Antle	Athletic & Recreation – Kickapoo Kids Counselor	New Hire	\$14.00/Hour	May 27, 2023
Nicholas Jackson	Cemetery Part-Time – Groundskeeper	New Hire	\$12.00/Hour	May 27, 2023
Carley Johnson	Athletic & Recreation – Kickapoo Kids Counselor	New Hire	\$14.00/Hour	May 27, 2023
Zachary Reese	Athletic & Recreation – Kickapoo Kids Counselor	New Hire	\$14.00/Hour	May 27, 2023
Christine Smith	Parks Part-Time – Grounds Keeper	Quit	\$12.00/hour	May 26, 2023
Danielle Hensley	Athletic & Recreation – Swim Instructor	Pay Increase	\$16.25/Hour	May 27, 2023
Quentin Richards	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	Fired	\$14.25/Hour	June 11, 2023
George Marten	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	Fired	\$14.25/Hour	June 11, 2023
Kevin Pharis	Parks Part-Time – Maintenance	New Hire	\$12.00/Hour	June 14, 2023
Emily Barnaby	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$10.00/Hour	August 21, 2022
Joy Carlson	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$10.00/Hour	July 6, 2022
Eli Cochrane	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$10.00/Hour	August 14, 2022
Nicholas Coy	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$10.50/Hour	March 21, 2022
Sam Jones	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$11.00/Hour	August 14, 2022
Hayley Doddridge	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$11.00/Hour	August 9, 2022
Maddie Durst	Athletic & Recreation – Front Desk Staff	End of Season	\$10.00/Hour	October 22, 2022
Alexis Ferguson	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$10.50/Hour	August 21, 2022
Vincent Fletcher	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	Last Day	\$10.00/Hour	April 20, 2023
Noah Harris	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$10.00/Hour	July 20, 2022
Michael Heading	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	Last Day	\$10.00/Hour	December 10, 2022
Madelyn Hedges	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$10.00/Hour	July 28, 2022
Zaiden Hoffman	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$10.00/Hour	September 4, 2022
Lillian Lacy	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$10.00/Hour	August 7, 2022
Riley Marten	Parks Part-Time – Lifeguard	End of Season	\$10.00/Hour	August 14, 2022
Will McLaughlin	Athletic & Recreation - Custodian	Last Day	\$15.00/Hour	May 7, 2023