

Guide to Leisure Services

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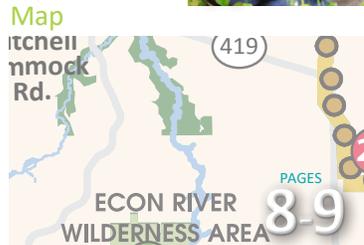


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Calendar Highlights





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Use the icons, to help you identify our exciting programs by categories!

UF/IFAS Extension Services
407.665.5560

Greenways and Natural Lands
407.665.2211

Seminole County Public Library System
Central Branch Library:
407.665.1500

East Branch Library:
407.665.1560

North Branch Library:
407.665.1620

Northwest Branch Library:
407.665.1640

West Branch Library:
407.665.1670

Parks and Recreation
407.665.2180

Red Bug Lake: 407.665.2190

Sanlando: 407.665.2100

Softball Complex:
407.665.1990

BOOMBAAH Soldiers Creek Park:
407.665. 2199

BOOMBAAH Sports Complex:
407.665.2050

Sylvan Lake: 407.665.2180

Museum: 407.665.2489

Visit us on the Web at:
www.seminolecountyfl.gov/leisure

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OUR MISSION: "Enriching lives through outstanding cultural, educational, environmental, and recreational experiences."

This Guide to Leisure Services covers activities and programs from May through August 2020.

Summer 2020

Stay Connected



Events and Activities for All Ages

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Museum of Seminole County History

Hours: Tuesday - Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information call 407.665.2489. 300 Eslinger Way, Sanford FL
Museum Admission: \$3 for adults, \$1 for students, seniors, and military, plus tax. Children under 4 years get in for free.

From Humors to Healthcare: Medicine in Seminole County

From ancient times to the modern era, see how our knowledge of healing has changed over the centuries, and how those changes directly affected Central Florida! Archaic wisdom and strange superstition intersect in this timeline of medical tools and technology.

Dates: **July 15-October 31** during open hours

Location: Museum of Seminole County History

Cost: Museum Admission



Seminole County Guided Hikes

Join Natural Lands staff and volunteers on some of our most beautiful wilderness areas and experience the trails at night! Advance registration required, space is limited. Children must be at least 7 years of age and accompanied by an adult. Register online at recreation.seminolecountyfl.gov or at any active park. Call 407.665.2211 for more information.

Cost: \$3

Natural Lands Special Programs

Advance Registration is required for the program listed below. Register online at: recreation.seminolecountyfl.gov or at any active park. Call 407.665.2211 for more information.

Crazy Cool Craniums

Come play nature CSI and learn to identify animal skulls by looking at all the clues! Examining the teeth, eyes and other adaptations will help us discover whether they were carnivores, herbivores or omnivores oh my! You'll have the chance to handle real and replica skulls and even dissect an owl pellet in search of little rodent craniums!

Date/Time: Saturday, **August 15**, 9 - 11 a.m.

Location: Ed Yarborough Nature Center, 3485 N CR 426, Geneva

Cost: \$5 per person

Ages: 9+ (children must be accompanied by an adult).

★ **Little Wars - ONLINE, June 13 - 20**

Join us online for a week of arts, crafts, history, and games!

HG Wells invented Little Wars in 1913, and over the course of the 20th century his pastime evolved into computer and console gaming, from Strategy Games to RPGs. Learn more as we take our annual event online, and show us how you play! We will post a craft video series on this fun and challenging pastime via the Museum's Website and Facebook Page, and we invite you to share your campaign exploits with us virtually.

Dates: **June 13-20**

Cost: Free!

DID YOU KNOW...



Seminole County's past is on display at the Museum of Seminole County History. Pictured on the left is a photograph of local Doctor Norman DeVere Howard bandaging a leg; he practiced in Seminole County from the Reconstruction era until his death in 1923.

Events and Activities for All Ages continued

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★ Visit Your Local Library

Make the Library one of your regular stops (in person or on your computer). Find an up-to-date collection of materials for all ages. Enjoy free access to millions of titles including, large print, audio, magazines, newspapers and online databases. See map on page 8 & 9 to locate a library close to you! Or visit our Virtual Library Branch at <http://seminolelibrary.org> for downloading eBooks, audio books, videos, streaming music, or to do research.

This Summer at your library you can:

- Want to read a magazine at the pool? With your library card and the Flipster app, you read all of the latest issues for free!
- Check out the 914's for current travel guides so you can plan a fabulous vacation
- Use the library's BookMyne app to renew or reserve library books from your phone
- Spending a lot of time at home? Now is the perfect time to learn a new language! Our Mango Languages database is a fun way to expand your brain and learn another language.
- Text or Live Chat your questions to a Reference Librarian
- Learn a multitude of computer programs with DIY Learning on Lynda.com
- Use the Libby app and download an audiobook that the whole family will enjoy.
- Stormy afternoon? Enjoy interactive storybooks, puzzles & games on TumbleBooks.



★ "Imagine Your Story" this Summer (Adults)

Summer Reading is for adults, too! Participate in our reading challenge and enter book reviews to be entered for prizes and an end-of-summer grand prize. Starts **May 26!** Stop by your local branch for details or visit: <http://seminolelibrary.readsquared.com/>

Cost: Free



Youth Enrichment

Seminole County 4-H

4-H is the youth development program of the University of Florida IFAS Extension and a part of Florida 4-H. In 4-H we inspire kids to do through hands-on learning experiences guided by 4-H mentors in a safe and inclusive environment. Youth 5 - 18 years of age may participate in 4-H clubs, camps, day camps, educational events, and career & leadership opportunities.

Find out more about 4-H by viewing our website: <http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/4-H>

★ 4-H Open House

Come explore the many opportunities available to youth through Seminole County 4-H.

Seminole County 4-H will be holding its annual Open House. This event is open to the public to come explore the many opportunities available to youth through 4-H. Find out how to start your own 4-H club



and speak with current Seminole County 4-H members and volunteers. This event is free and open to the public.

RSVP: <https://4-hopenhouse2020.eventbrite.com>

Location: UF/IFAS Seminole Extension - 250 West County Home Rd. Sanford, FL 32773

Date: Thursday, **August 27**, 6 - 8 p.m.

Youth Enrichment continued

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★ Summer Reading @ the Library: Now Online! (for all ages)

BRAND NEW THIS YEAR, you can register for Summer Reading at: <http://seminolelibrary.readsquared.com>

- There are versions of the program customized for ages 0-4, ages 5-12, teens, and adults. The program can be completed entirely online.
- Our theme this summer is "Imagine Your Story," so we are celebrating the fantasy genre, all kinds of imaginary creatures, and mythology!
- All four programs invite participants to log reading, earn points, and "level up." Bonus points and special badges can be earned by completing additional reading challenges.
- Once you earn 1000 points in the Summer Reading Program, you'll receive a certificate of completion you can print or share.
- Families can sign up together and log reading for multiple children with the same account login.
- The Library will hold surprise raffles for prizes throughout the summer, but you have to be registered and reading to win!
- Just visit our Summer Reading Program website above, click "Register" in the upper right-hand corner, and follow the prompts. You can also access your Summer Reading account by downloading the READSquared app on your mobile device, and logging your reading on the go!

SCPL librarians are always happy to answer Summer Reading questions or help families register if they need help. Happy reading!

Cost: FREE

★ Virtual Teen Volunteering @ the Library (for Teens, 13+)

Although the Library is not currently accepting "in person" Teen Volunteers, we have a brand-new Virtual Teen Volunteer Program for Summer 2020. Teens can earn volunteer hours toward their Bright Futures Scholarship by helping the Library build up its online teen community, participating in virtual programs, reviewing books, promoting Summer Reading participation, and more!

Contact any of the Seminole County Public Library branches for details.

Cost: FREE

★ LIVE "Growing Readers" Early Literacy Programs (Storytimes for ages 0-5)

Presented via Zoom by the Seminole County Public Library

Join the SCPL Youth Services Librarians you know and love for socially distanced storytimes on Zoom! Visit the Events Calendar at <http://seminolelibrary.org> to register for a specific program and receive the Zoom URL.

Cost: FREE



★ 1000 Books Before Kindergarten (for Pre-Kindergarten children)

The Library encourages families to participate in this national challenge! The goal is to read 1000 books to your child before your little one starts Kindergarten (repeat reads are just fine). Keep track of the books that are read to your child, and bring your book log to the Library. Show your book log to a librarian, and your child receives a sticker for every 100 books read. When you reach 1000 books, your child will receive a small prize, a completion certificate, and will be featured in the Library's 1000 Books Before Kindergarten Hall of Fame. For more information and a downloadable book log, visit the Kids section of our website:

<http://seminolelibrary.org>

For more information on the national 1000 Books Before Kindergarten challenge, visit:

<https://1000booksbeforekindergarten.org/>

Cost: Free



DID YOU KNOW...



Being friendly to kids with special needs is one of the best ways to be helpful. As you get to know them, they may help you understand what it's like to be in their shoes. And you'll be helping fill a very special need, one that everybody has - the need for good friends.

*Source: Kids With Special Needs at: <https://kidshealth.org/en/kids/special-needs.html?WT.ac=ctg>

Youth Enrichment

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Summer Adventure Eco Camps (Ages 7 - 12) & Biology Bootcamp! (Ages 13 - 15)

At Summer Adventure Eco Camp you'll have fun while learning about the natural world! If your child enjoys being outdoors, this is the camp for him or her. Our week long day camps offer hands-on creative programming including hiking, nature crafts, hands-on experience with plants and animals, projects, experiments, arts & crafts, plus lots of fun and games! Have fun getting to know the animals that live at the Nature Center and be prepared to see amazing wildlife on the trails!

Location: Ed Yarborough Nature Center/Geneva Wilderness Area
Dates/Times: **June 15 - July 24**, Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
(extended care available - drop off as early as 7:30 a.m. and pick up as late as 5:30 p.m.)

Cost: \$132 per week, (\$15 per week additional for extended care)

Pre-registration required. Call 407.665.2211 for more information. Register at: recreation.seminolecountyfl.gov

Week 1	June 15 - 19	Lights, Camera, Nature! (ages 7 - 12)
Week 2	June 22 - 26	Animal Architects (ages 7 - 12)
Week 3	June 29 - July 2	Furry Friends (No camp July 3rd)
Week 4	July 6 - 10	Solving Problems in Nature.. Adaptations (ages 7 - 12)
Week 5	July 13 - 17	Designing with Nature (ages 7 - 12)
Week 6	July 20 - 24	Survival Week (ages 7 - 12)

History Camp! (Ages 8 - 12)

Florida has hosted many different kinds of people who thought about and interacted with the world around them in different ways. Our four-day camp highlights different historical periods with crafts, activities, and challenges! We look at the cultural influences of Mayaca natives, Spaniards, the British and their Seminole Allies, and United States settlers on local Florida History. Camp begins at 9 a.m., and runs until 3 p.m. daily. The cost is \$100 for all four days, lunch is included. Limit of 10 campers, recommended ages 6-12. Scholarships are available, contact the Museum for more details.

Location: Museum of Seminole County History
Dates/Time: Tuesday - Friday, **July 7 - 10**, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Cost: \$100 per child, lunch included. Scholarships available, call for details.

Summer Fun Tennis Camps (Ages 5 - 18)

Seminole County is offering ten fun-filled theme weeks of summer tennis camps for all skill levels! Summer Fun Tennis Camp is designed to help kids get comfortable learning or expanding their tennis skills in a "camp" like setting. Participants will also enjoy arts and crafts, guest speakers and other fun activities as they learn the sport of tennis. Weekly morning programs for youth ages 3 - 18 of all ability levels. From QuickStart and Development lessons to the advanced junior training program; join our national award winning facilities and staff for weekly themes, special events, fun games and activities galore. Compete in the "4 Houses of Potter," "Olympics," "Pirate Week" and "Grand Slams" Around the World!

Contact the parks for specific dates and times.
Camps are held at Red Bug Lake Park 407.665.2190, Sanlando Park 407.665.2100, and Sylvan Lake Park 407.665.2180.

Date: Camps start the week of **June 1** and are held Mondays through Thursdays.

Youth Enrichment continued

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MORE SUMMER CAMPS FOR YOUTH



Teen Entomology Camp

The University of Florida IFAS Extension office in Seminole County will be holding a virtual camp focused on Entomology. This camp is for 4-H youth ages 12-18 in District VIII (Lake, Orange, Osceola, Seminole, and Volusia). During this virtual camp, teens will learn how to catch and identify bugs, preserve them, and start their own collection. Teens will receive their own pinning equipment and learn how to create an insect habitat. Finally, youth will learn from professionals in the community about the many jobs available in entomology.

Starting **July 6th-31st** with weekly Monday and Friday virtual sessions.

Eventbrite link: <https://teenbugcamp.eventbrite.com>

Cost: Free



DID YOU KNOW...

BENEFITS OF A SUMMER CAMP

Camp helps kids build a unique interest. There aren't many schools that offer game design classes, archery, or entrepreneurship. But, there are a number of camps that specialize in these activities (up to 14,000 camps in the US actually, as estimated by the American Camp Association).

So if your child has an interest in anything outside of the core school subjects or sports, where do they go to learn or gain experience? There might be a few after-school options like a robotics club, etc., but even then, you're adding one more thing onto the plate of a student who already has homework and other commitments to juggle.

So, camp is one very good, distraction-free option, and allows for a time for kids to kick the tires on a new interest. From there, you never know what that interest might turn into...



SOURCE: <https://www.idtech.com/blog/benefits-of-summer-camp-infographic>

Facility List & Map:

1 Big Tree Park
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset
761 General Hutchison Parkway,
Longwood

2 Black Bear Wilderness Area
407.665.2211 • Open daylight hours
5298 Michigan Avenue, Sanford

3 Black Hammock Wilderness Area
407.665.2211 • Open daylight hours
3276 Howard Avenue, Geneva

4 Black Hammock Trailhead
407.665.2180 • Open daylight hours
1571 E. State Road 434, Winter Springs

5 Bookertown Park
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset
4640 Richard Allen Street, Sanford

6 BOOMBAH Soldiers Creek Park
407.665.2199 • Open Mon - Fri
11 a.m. - 10 p.m., Sat 8 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Sun 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
2400 State Road 419, Longwood

7 BOOMBAH Sports Complex
407.665.2050 • Open Mon - Sat
8 a.m. - 10 p.m., Sun 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
3450 E. Lake Mary Blvd, Sanford

8 C. S. Lee Park
407.665.2180 • Open 24 hours
4600 East State Road 46, Geneva

9 Cameron Wight Park
407.665.2180 • Open 24 hours
5502 Old Geneva Road, Sanford

10 Chuluota Wilderness Area
407.665.2211 • Open daylight hours
3895 Curryville Road, Chuluota

11 East Branch Library
407.665.1560 • Open Mon - Thurs
9 a.m. - 8 p.m. Fri & Sat 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sun 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.
310 Division Street, Oviedo

12 Econ River Wilderness Area
407.665.2211 • Open daylight hours
3795 Old Lockwood Road, Oviedo

13 Ed Yarborough Nature Center
407.665.2211 • *Open by appointment only*
3485 North County Road 426, Geneva

14 Environmental Studies Center
(Operated by Seminole County Public Schools)
407.320.0467 • *Open by appointment only*
2985 Osprey Trail, Longwood

15 Geneva Wilderness Area
407.665.2211 • Open daylight hours
3501 County Road 426, Geneva

16 Greenwood Lakes Park
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.
660 Greenway Blvd, Lake Mary

17 Jones Trailhead
407.665.2180 • Open daylight hours
2993 Markham Woods Rd., Longwood

18 Jean Rhein Central Branch Library
407.665.1500 • Open Sun 1 - 5 p.m.
Mon - Thurs 9 a.m. - 8 p.m., Fri & Sat
9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
215 N. Oxford Road, Casselberry

19 Jamestown Park
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.
2135 South Street, Oviedo

20 Kewannee Park
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset
1505 Kewannee Trail, Casselberry

21 Lake Dot Park
407.665.2180 • Open daylight hours
100 Lake Dot Drive, Sanford

**22 Lake Harney Wilderness Area &
St. Johns River Trailhead**
407.665.2211 • Open daylight hours
2395 Osceola Fish Camp Rd, Geneva

23 Lake Jesup Park
407.665.2180 • Open 24 hours
5951 South Sanford Avenue, Sanford

24 Lake Jesup Wilderness Area
407.665.2211 • Open daylight hours
5951 South Sanford Avenue, Sanford

25 Lake Mills Park
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset
1301 Tropical Avenue, Chuluota

26 Lake Monroe Wayside Park
407.665.2180 • Open 24 hours
4150 Northwest U. S. Hwy 17/92, Sanford

27 Lake Proctor Wilderness Area
407.665.2211 • Open daylight hours
920 State Road 46, Geneva

28 Little Big Econ Canoe Launch
407.665.2180 • Open daylight hours
3799 Willingham Rd, Oviedo

29 Markham Trailhead
407.665.2180 • Open daylight hours
8515 Longwood Markham Road, Sanford

30 Midway Park
407.665.2180 • Open daylight hours
2045 Hurston Avenue, Sanford

31 Moore Station Road Fields
407.665.2050 • Open 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
841 Cameron Avenue, Sanford
Use by reservation only.

32 Mullet Lake Park
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset
2368 Mullet Lake Park Road, Geneva

**33 Museum of Seminole
County History**
407.665.2489 • Open Tues - Sat
10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
300 Eslinger Way, Sanford

34 North Branch Library
407.665.1620 • Open Mon - Thurs
9 a.m. - 8 p.m., Fri & Sat 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sun 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.
150 N. Palmetto Avenue, Sanford

35 Northwest Branch Library
407.665.1640 • Open Sun 1 - 5 p.m.
Mon - Thurs 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.,
Fri & Sat 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
580 Greenway Blvd, Lake Mary

36 Overlook Park
407.665.2180 • Open daylight hours
1998 Spring Avenue, Oviedo

37 Red Bug Lake Park
407.665.2190 • Open Mon - Fri
8 a.m. - 10 p.m., Sat & Sun 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
3600 Red Bug Lake Road, Casselberry

38 Rolling Hills Community Park
(under construction)
1749 Art Hagen Place, Longwood

39 Roseland Park
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.
1898 Roseberry Lane, Sanford

40 San Sebastian Trailhead
407.665.2180 • Open daylight hours
371 San Sebastian Prado, Altamonte
Springs

41 Sanlando Park
407.665.2100 • Open Mon - Fri 8 a.m.
10 p.m., Sat & Sun 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.,
401 W Highland St, Altamonte Springs

42 Seminole County Softball Complex
407.665.1990 • Open Mon - Fri
11 a.m. - 10 p.m., Sat 8 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Sun 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
2200 North St, Altamonte Springs

- 43** **Snow Hill Trailhead**
407.665.2180 • Open daylight hours
3290 Snow Hill Rd, Chuluota

- 44** **Spring Hammock Preserve**
407.665.2211 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset
State Road 419, Longwood

- 45** **Sunland Park**
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.
180 Collins Dr, Sanford

- 46** **Sylvan Lake Park & Sports Training Center**
407.665.2180 • Open Mon - Fri 8 a.m. - 10 p.m., Sat & Sun 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
845 Lake Markham Rd, Sanford

- 47** **UF/IFAS Seminole County Extension Services & Teaching Gardens**
407.665.5560 • Open Mon - Fri 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
250 West County Home Rd, Sanford

- 48** **West Branch Library**
407.665.1670 • Open Mon - Thurs 9 a.m. - 8 p.m., Fri & Sat 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Sun 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.
245 N. Hunt Club Blvd, Longwood

- 49** **Wilson's Landing Park**
407.665.2180 • Open daylight hours
379 Malekean Trail, Sanford

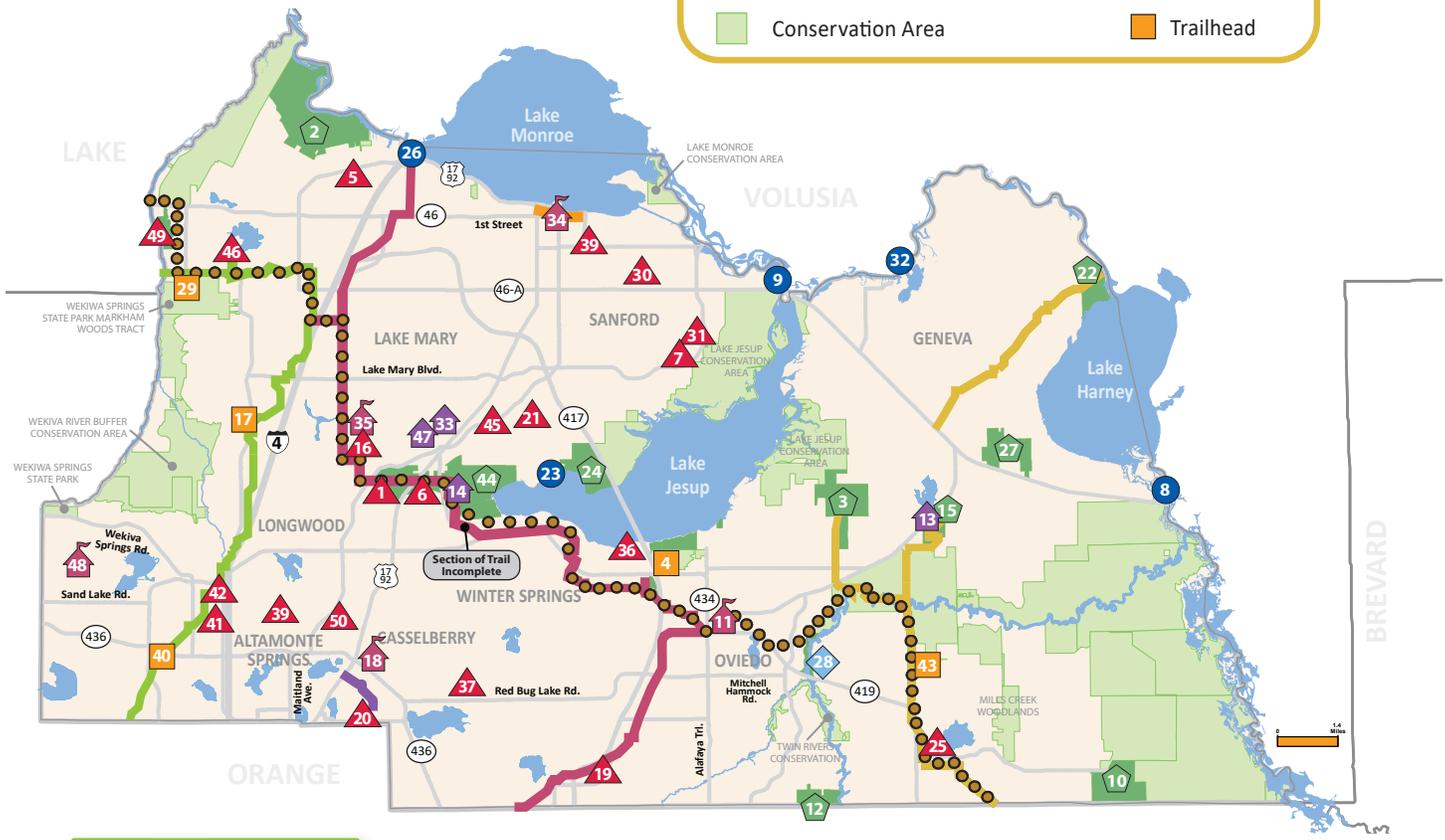
- 50** **Winwood Park**
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.
931 Morse St, Altamonte Springs



Healthy habits start at home. Encourage your family to enjoy the outdoors while creating wholesome moments to cherish.

FACILITIES

City of Sanford's RiverWalk	Boat Ramp
Cross Seminole "Purple Heart" Trail	Canoe Launch
Flagler Trail	Library
Florida National Scenic Trail	Natural Area
Kewannee Trail	Park
Seminole Wekiva Trail	Specialty
Conservation Area	Trailhead



Persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any program or service should contact the human resources, ADA Coordinator 48 hours in advance of the program, event or meeting at 407.665.7940.

Adult & Youth Sports and Fitness

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♥ Youth Tennis

Junior Development Program

Series of group lessons where FUN is a priority as participants “play to learn”, developing skills through a positive learning experience and with a sense of accomplishment. Certified professionals provide a great learning environment for the developmental learning stages. Players will focus on movement, balance, throwing and catching the ball, swing motions, making contact, grips and stroke development. As players continue to improve additional skill sets will focus on coordinating movement and balance, and hitting the ball with purpose and direction. Game concepts and scoring will be introduced. United States Tennis Association (USTA) 10 & Under QuickStart teaching methodology and concepts are used by trained QuickStart tennis professionals.

Age Groups: 3 & 4 year olds (36' court, foam balls, 19" & 21" rackets)
5 - 7 year olds (36' court, red compression ball, 21" & 23" rackets)
8 - 10 year olds (60' court, orange compression ball, 25" rackets)
11+ middle school and high school.

Locations: Red Bug Lake, Sanlando and Sylvan Lake and Greenwood Lake Parks (See contact numbers on page 2)

Cost: \$84 (weekly summer camp: Mon - Thurs morning sessions)
Theme weeks include: American Ninja Warrior, water & beach week, and many more. \$72 (Saturday group lessons held one hour per week for 8 wks), \$36 (weekday held one hour, for 4 wks)

♥ Special Event Adult Round Robin

Wimbledon Fest

Location: Red Bug Lake Park

Date: Sunday, **July 13**, registration: 6:30 p.m.

Play: 7 - 9 p.m. snacks provided

Tailgate Event

Location: Red Bug Lake Park

Date: Sunday, **September 14**, registration: 6:30 p.m.

Play: 7 - 9 p.m. snacks provided

♥ Red Bug Lake Park Summer Softball League

USSSA Adult Softball Registration **begins July 6 and ends August 23**. League Play begins week of **August 24**, 10 game season plus playoffs for top 4 teams. Manager's meeting will be on Thursday, **August 20** at 7 p.m. For more information please call park office at 407.665.2190

Cost: \$450

♥ Kickball @ Boombah Soldier's Creek Park

Let's Kick It! Seminole County's newest program brings you back to your childhood with the classic game of kickball. League is 10 game season plus playoffs. In addition, there will be a special theme night during the season! For further information, please call park office at 407.665.2199 or visit recreation.seminolecountyfl.gov.

Fall Season: **Starts September 8**, Registration opens **July 7**

Cost is \$325 per team

♥ Tennis for the "Health of It"

Tennis is the sport of a lifetime and you are never too old to start. It provides aerobic fitness by burning fat and improving your cardiovascular fitness and maintaining high levels of energy. It provides anaerobic fitness by offering short, intense bursts of activity followed by short periods of rest which helps muscles use oxygen efficiently. It strengthens bones of younger players and helps prevent osteoporosis in older ones. Certified professionals help make this program fun and provide a great learning environment for the early stages of competition.

Have fun and stay fit!

Levels:

Beginner: Grips, footwork, forehand and backhand groundstroke's, volleys and serve will be introduced.

Intermediate: Participants will focus on coordinating movement and balance, hitting the ball with purpose and direction, and improvement of their skill level through strengthening of the fundamentals learned in the beginner level.

Advanced: Emphasis will be on incorporating skills into playing situations. Top spin and slice will be introduced. Drills and playing situations to include ball movement and control of varying ball speeds with shot anticipation.

Strategy: Singles and Doubles. Improve your match results and competitive tennis experience. Doubles to include serve and volley, poaching moving as a team, return strategy and different formations. Learn the different styles of play and find out what type of game you want to perfect!

Locations: Red Bug Lake, Sanlando, Sylvan Lake,

Cost: \$72 for 8 weeks, one hour per week

♥ Junior Training Program

Four exciting levels designed for the continued development of new junior team tennis and tournament players, to the high school team and elite tournament players. The Seminole County training programs are USTA approved “Local Excellence Training Centers” and incorporate the concepts and methods used by the USTA for elite junior players. Emphasis is on the Four (4) “F’s”: Fundamentals, Footwork, Fitness, and Fun. The daily format combines instruction with practice and match play and includes structured drills and on court games to improve player skills, tactics, and techniques. Participation is based on ability and experience and subject to the tennis pro's approval.

Locations: Red Bug Lake, Sanlando, and Sylvan Lake Parks.

Cost: \$84 (weekly summer camp: Mon through Thurs morning sessions) \$104 month (two hours, two times per week for 4 weeks).

Adult Resources & Enrichment

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Residential Horticulture

Master Gardener Volunteer Plant Clinic

Do you have gardening questions? Contact us by phone or e-mail to have them answered!

Phone Number: 407-665-5550

E-mail: mastergardener@seminolecountyfl.gov

Make sure to take good pictures and include all the information you can to help us diagnose your problem.

Florida Friendly Landscaping Classes

You can schedule a program for your Home Owners Association or a group of 10 people or more! Programs can address specific "problem" areas faced by your community, such as erosion, Stormwater Pond enhancement or implementing Florida-Friendly Landscaping in communal areas. Call 407-665-5575, email kmcintyre02@seminolecountyfl.gov for more information.

Fertilizing Effectively In Sandy Florida Soils

★ FREE WEBINAR, FREE FERTILIZER* and FREE CEUs**!

Do you want to have an outstanding yard while still protecting our lakes, rivers and streams that add to property values? Are you struggling with maintaining healthy turf? The University of Florida IFAS Extension in Seminole County invites you to learn the best ways to maintain your lawn while saving money and protecting our precious natural resources. We will offer participants turf tips and tricks, and tell them how they can comply with county regulations.

Each registered participant that is a Seminole County resident* will receive a FREE bag of Florida-Friendly fertilizer! Professional landscapers, yard enthusiasts, home owners and the general public are all welcome to attend!

* Address of registered participant must be a Seminole County address and complete the survey. To ensure the safety of our residents and staff, fertilizer pick up will be arranged BY APPOINTMENT ONLY; after the webinar, qualifying participants will be contacted by email.

**All Licensed Limited Commercial Fertilizer Applicators with an FDACS License in the State of Florida will receive 2 CEUs after the completion of the webinar and the survey

RSVP: https://ufl.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_t0rtGFtsREOmcj8MHZFYBA

Date/Time: Monday, **June 26**, 2020, 2 p.m.

Cost: Free



★ Water Wednesdays on Facebook Live:

Irrigation or Irritation?

Learn simple steps to maintain an effective irrigation system More info here: <https://www.facebook.com/WaterCentralFlorida/>

Date/Time: **July 1**, 2 p.m.-

Easy Irrigation Calibration: Save Water & Money!

More info here: <https://www.facebook.com/WaterCentralFlorida/>

Date/Time: **July 8**, 2 p.m.-

How to Build Your Own Rain Barrel

<https://www.facebook.com/events/3841506035921064/>

Date/Time: **July 29**, 2 p.m.

★ Invasive Species Webinar

Do you have plants in your yard that seem to grow over night? Maybe they are invasive or maybe they are native. You can learn more about specific plant species and how to manage them in this free and education webinar. Join Florida-Friendly Landscaping Agent, Tina McIntyre and Amanda Lindsay, Senior Biologist with Landscape & Natural Resources at the University of Central Florida to explore common invasive species and the best ways to eradicate them from your yard or managed property. Professional landscapers, yard enthusiasts, home owners, renters, land managers and the general public are all welcome to attend!

Register in advance for this webinar:

https://ufl.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_mkSaTuY2RdWERKqfmpqphw

Date/Time: July 16, 2:45 p.m.

★ Backyard Chickens

Producing your own eggs in suburban backyard settings has become a nationwide phenomenon. Hens kept in a coop are a sustainable combination with home gardening. Come learn about including chickens in your backyard!

Date/Time: Wednesday, **June 24**, 2020, 10:00 a.m.

Zoom webinar: https://ufl.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3eHvbk1wRw7fBtj

Cost: Free

Adult Resources & Enrichment continued

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★ Library Virtual Programs

We are transitioning as many of our programs as possible to meet virtually. Please continue to check the library's Events Calendar for our most current offerings:

<http://seminolelibrary.org>

Cost: Free

★ Book Clubs

Love to Read? Want to Talk About It? We have several book clubs that are meeting virtually! Enjoy lively discussions & interact with new people. Check our Library Events Calendar for titles, dates & locations,

<http://seminolelibrary.org>

Cost: Free

★ Yak & Yarn

Join us online with your latest knitting or crochet project and work together online with other yarn lovers on the first and third Thursday of each month, 5:30-6:30 PM. Hosted by the East Branch Library in Oviedo. For information about joining online contact them at : 407.665.1560

Cost: Free

★ Do You Have a Library Card?

Don't miss out on all that a library card can do for you! Stream a movie on Hoopla. Download digital magazines with the Flipster app. Learn C++ programming on lynda.com. Check out an eBook from Overdrive/Libby. All Seminole County residents are eligible for a free library card. For more information, ask at your local library or request one on online. <http://seminolelibrary.org>

Cost: Free

★ Imagine Your Story

Our summer reading theme is *Imagine Your Story*, and we'll be embracing "our stories" all summer long. Plus adults can try our reading challenges and write book reviews to be entered in prize drawings.

<http://seminolelibrary.readsquared.com/>

Cost: Free

★ Writing Groups

Writer's Block and *Write Your Heart Out* are programs for aspiring adult writers. If you have ever had the urge to write, we would love to support your endeavors. Join one of our groups and begin putting your story to paper today! We are currently meeting virtually. Check our Library Events Calendar for times and locations,

<http://seminolelibrary.org>

Cost: Free



Facility Rentals

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Court and Field Rentals

Athletic Fields: Located at Moore Station Road Field, Red Bug Lake Park, Sylvan Lake Park, Soldiers Creek, Seminole County Softball Complex, Seminole County Sports Complex.

Field Rental 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. \$25 per hour + tax
Field Rental 5 - 10 p.m. \$35 per hour + tax
*Please note that turf fields may be closed for repairs and sodding

Basketball (located at Red Bug Lake and Sanlando Parks)
Court Fee \$6 per hour per court + tax

Walk-on play is free of charge. Priority use is given to reserved users. Fees for basketball court usage are only charged for reservations made in advance. Fees are due in advance of rental.

Racquetball (located at Red Bug Lake, Sanlando, and Sylvan Lake Parks)
Court Fee \$6 per hour per court + tax
Balls \$3 per can + tax

Roller Hockey (located at Greenwood Lakes Park)
8 a.m. - 5 p.m. \$16 per hour + tax
5 - 10 p.m. \$32 per hour + tax

Open-skate is free of charge. Priority use is given to reserved users. Fees for rink usage are charged for reservations made in advance. Fees are due at time of reservation. Reservations and payment can be made at Sylvan Lake Park.

Pickleball Courts (Red Bug Lake Park only)
Court Fee (per hour per court + tax)
8 a.m. - 5 p.m. \$4
5 - 10 p.m. \$6

Ping Pong (Table Tennis) (located at Red Bug Lake)
Court Fee: \$6 per hour per court + tax

Sand Volleyball at Red Bug Lake Park
Court Fee: 8 a.m. - 5p.m. \$25 /hr + tax
5 - 10 p.m. \$35/hr + tax

Petanque Courts
Cost: Free (courts may be reserved with rental of adjacent pavilion)
Petanque courts are available for use at Sylvan Lake Park. Courts are located in Picnic Area B and can be used for tournaments or general play. For more information about usage please contact Sylvan Lake Park Office at 407.665.2180.

Sand Volleyball courts available for use at Red Bug Lake Park. Walk-on play is free of charge. Priority use is given to reserved users. Fees for volleyball court usage are only charged for reservations made in advance. Fees are due in advance of rental.

Tennis
Court Fee (per hour per court + tax)
8 a.m. - 5 p.m. \$4 • 5 - 10 p.m. \$6
Ball Machine Court (Sanlando, Red Bug) \$11 per hour + tax
Ball Machine (Sylvan) \$5 per hour + court fee + tax
Balls \$3 per can + tax

Courts can be reserved in advance for Greenwood Lakes, Red Bug Lake, Sanlando, and Sylvan Lake Park locations. Court reservations for Greenwood Lakes Park must be made and paid for at Sylvan Lake Park. Ball machines are located at Red Bug Lake, Sanlando and Sylvan Lake Park locations.

For details about facility rentals call 407.665.2180 for Sylvan Lake Park; 407.665.2100 for Sanlando Park; 407.665.2190 for Red Bug Park; 407.665.2050 for Seminole County Sports Complex; 407.665.1990 for Seminole County Softball Complex.



Camping

Seminole County offers primitive camping at Lake Mills, Mullet Lake Park and the Geneva Wilderness area. Mullet Lake Park and Geneva Wilderness Area offer no vehicle access to the campsites (hike-in only). Lake Mills Park has vehicular access, one vehicle per site and campsites with overflow parking available. Individual sites are at Mullet Lake Park, Lake Mills Park and Geneva Wilderness Area.

Black Bear Wilderness Area is a primitive campsite for up to 4 people. No bathrooms, no running water. No vehicle access to the campsite. You must hike in approximately 3 miles to the campsite. Group camping is available at Mullet Lake Park and Lake Mills Park. Call 407.665.2211 for more information.

New Opportunity for group tent camping at the Geneva Wilderness Area! Includes a large pavilion, restrooms and BBQ grill for up to 40 people. Call 407.665.2211 for details.

Ed Yarborough Nature Center Campus at the Geneva Wilderness Area

Looking for a unique place to hold a meeting, birthday party, event, program or retreat for groups up to 40? The Ed Yarborough Nature Center Campus at the Geneva Wilderness Area sits in the middle of 180 acres and is surrounded by Florida's natural beauty! This venue includes an air-conditioned building/nature center with a small kitchen, telephone, 50" tv, laptop and restrooms, as well as, a 50 seat outdoor pavilion with restrooms, a fishing pier and nature trails. For more information please call 407.665.2211. Nature based programs and activities can be provided for your event. Please call for details.

Location: 3485 N. County Road 426, Geneva 32732
Cost: \$32/hour + tax

Pavilion Rentals

Great venue for birthday parties, family reunions or corporate events. Pavilion reservations and payment must be made in advance. Priority use is given to reserved users. Pavilions are first come first served if reservations have not been confirmed. Large pavilions can fit up to 100 people. For details call 407.665.2180 for Sylvan Lake Park; 407.665.2100 for Sanlando Park; 407.665.2190 for Red Bug Park.

Locations: Red Bug Lake Park, Sanlando Park, Sylvan Lake Park, Greenwood Lakes, Lake Mills, Wilson's Landing & Geneva Wilderness Area (large pavilion only).

Cost: Large Half Day.....\$60 + tax
(8 a.m. to 1 p.m. or 2 p.m. to dusk)
Full Day.....\$100 + tax
Small Half Day.....\$40 + tax
(8 a.m. to 1 p.m. or 2 p.m. to dusk)
Full Day.....\$60 + tax

Facility Rentals continued

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Meeting Rooms at the Park

Consider one of Seminole County's unique meeting room for your next organization, homeowners association, or community meeting. Call 407.665.1990 for Softball Complex, 407.665.2199 for Soldiers Creek Park or 407.665.2050 for Sports Complex.

Location: Seminole County Softball Complex, Soldiers Creek Park, Seminole County Sports Complex

Cost: Ranges from \$16 to \$32/hour + tax

Nature Adventure Birthday Parties

Create a birthday party experience your child will never forget! A trained staff member will welcome your party guests, present an exciting program with live animals, and take the group for a hike on our 180 acre property. You will have time in the center for exploration and to enjoy your refreshments. Parties are held in the Ed Yarborough Nature Center in the Geneva Wilderness Area just minutes from Sanford, Lake Mary and Oviedo. Call 407.665.2211 for more information.



*Birthdays
are much more
fun outdoors!*



Library Meeting Rooms

Locations: Casselberry, Oviedo, Lake Mary, Longwood and Sanford libraries. For more information, call 407.665.1500 or visit <http://seminolelibrary.org>

Cost: \$32 per hour for For-Profit or free for Not-for-Profit organizations.

Museum of Seminole County History Courtyard and Meeting Room

Consider the beautiful courtyard or the meeting room for your next organization, homeowners association, or community meeting. Call 407.665.2489 for more information.

Location: Museum of Seminole County History
Cost: Ranges from \$16 to \$32/hour + tax

Community Partnerships

Seminole County Leisure Services provides opportunities for business sponsorships that provide enhanced programs and services to the citizens and visitors as well as great visibility for the local business. For details call 407.665.2172. We appreciate our community business partner

CareerSource Central Florida
CLASS Athlete
Goodwill Job Connection Centers
Iron Doll Fitness
Orlando Luxury Homes
Seminole County Bar
Association-Legal Aide Society
Seminole County Public School System

Seminole State College
SHINE- Florida Department
of Elder Affairs
United States Tennis Association
University of Central Florida
E Tennis
MidFlorida Credit Union
Kidtown USA- Tuskawilla

Scholarship Seminole Program

The Seminole County Leisure Services Department is committed to providing quality recreational opportunities to all residents of the county regardless of their economic status. Scholarships apply to youth programs managed by Seminole County Leisure Services only. Scholarships do not apply to programs that are contracted with outside providers. For more information about Scholarship Seminole Program please contact 407.665.2170.



Adopt A Park

Interested in demonstrating community pride and making a positive statement for clean, attractive leisure areas? Participate in the Adopt a Park Program. Facilitate the monitoring, clean up and enhancement of parks, natural lands, trails and trailheads maintained by Seminole County. The County's park system includes over 8,000 acres of parks and natural lands as well as approximately 100 miles of paved and unpaved trails and trailheads.

For more information please about the program please call 407.665.2170 or at: <http://www.seminole-countyfl.gov/departments-services/leisure-services/parks-recreation/adopt-a-park-program.stml>

Summer 2020

Calendar Highlights



Participant & Spectator Code of Conduct

1. Demonstrate good Sportsmanship. Always be respectful toward players, coaches and officials.
2. Act appropriately; do not taunt or disturb other fans; Enjoy the game together.
3. Cheer in a positive manner and encourage fair play.
4. Be supportive after the game - win or lose. Recognize good effort, teamwork and sportsmanship.
5. Follow facility guidelines, help keep the facility safe and clean, be respectful of the facility at all times.

Video & Photo Policy

Occasionally, video and photos may be taken of participants in programs, classes or activities at our facilities. Please be aware that these photos may be used in future program promotional materials.

Connect with Leisure Services on the Internet



www.seminolecountyfl.gov/leisure

Check out the Library Website, visit <http://seminolelibrary.org>

Visiting the area? Visit www.doorlandnorth.com

Register for programs at: recreation.seminolecountyfl.gov



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June

- June 1 **Summer Fun Tennis Camps** - Red Bug Lake, Sanlando and Sylvan Lake Park
- June 15 - 26 **Summer Adventure Eco Camp (Ages 7 - 12)**
- June 20 - 22 **Level 6 USTA Tournament (ID #150050420)** Red Bug Lake Park

July

- June 29 - July 24 **Summer Adventure Eco Camp (Ages 7 - 12)**
- July 7 - 10 **History Camp** at the Museum of Seminole County History
- July 20 - 22 **"Buggin Out" Entomology Camp**

August

- August 15 **Crazy Cool Craniums:** Play nature CSI and learn to identify animal skulls by looking at all the clues! You'll handle real and replica skulls and even dissect an owl pellet in search of little rodent craniums!
- August 29 **Level 8 USTA Tournament (ID #1500721120)** at Red Bug Lake Park

September

- September 14 **Tennis Tailgate Event** at Red Bug Lake Park, 6:30 p.m.

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FEATURES

- Reserve courts, pavilions, and campsites
- Register for activities (tennis classes, softball leagues, nature programs, etc.)
- PAY WITH A CREDIT CARD!
- View your softball league schedule, scores, and standings
- Rainout and activity updates

3 EASY STEPS

- Visit the website link listed above
- Create an online profile for you and your family
- Choose your activity and pay instantly! 15