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& CULTURAL RESOURCES**



WINTER-SPRING

2026



**EXPERIENCE AN
ACTIVE & ENGAGING
WINTER-SPRING IN
CARRBORO!**

Inside is a listing of programs and events for January through April.

“ OUR MISSION

is to enrich the leisure needs and quality of life for citizens by providing accessible facilities, creative and diverse recreation opportunities and a safe public park system. ”

Registration Begins January 7, 2026
for Carrboro Residents.
All others, January 8, 2026.

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RECREATION, PARKS &
CULTURAL RESOURCES

MAIN OFFICE LOCATION

Drakeford Library Complex
203 S Greensboro St.
Carrboro, NC 27510

MAILING ADDRESS

Carrboro Recreation, Parks &
Cultural Resources Department
301 W. Main St.
Carrboro, NC 27510

OFFICE HOURS

8:30 am - 5:00 pm - Monday - Friday
Office closed on major holidays

ADMINISTRATIVE PHONE NUMBERS

Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Office(919) 918-7364
Weather Information Line(919) 918-7373
E-mail.....RecParks@carrboronc.gov
Facility Reservations (919) 918-7385

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carrbororec.org

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We are also fortunate to have the assistance of over 100 part-time employees and volunteers to directly provide leisure programs to the community.

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YOUR COMMENTS COUNT!

If you have a question or comment about Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department's activities, facilities or services, please call, write or stop by our offices and let us know.



CARRBORO RESIDENTS ONLY: JANUARY 7, 2026

ALL OTHERS: JANUARY 8, 2026

Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis.

THREE WAYS TO REGISTER FOR PROGRAMS

ONLINE REGISTRATION

Online registration requires a Log-in I.D.

Go to: carrbororec.org and click on →



Previously Registered for Programs?
(via walk-in or mail-in)

**An account has been created for you and you can access online registration by using your current email address and phone number.

Do not create a new account.

Currently Have an Online Account and Forgot Your Password?

Choose "Forgot Password" and your information will be sent to your email.

Do not create a new account.

New to Our Programs?

Create a New Account online. Your Log-in I.D. is your email address and your password is your phone number.

Please allow 2-3 business days to process.

**Unsure if you already have an account? or need assistance...contact the Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Office at (919) 918-7364, during office hours.

***If you do not receive a receipt, you may not be registered.**

If this happens, contact the Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Office at (919) 918-7364, during office hours.

WALK-IN REGISTRATION

Walk-in registration is accepted at the Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources office at 203 S. Greensboro St. in Carrboro. We accept cash, check, Visa, MasterCard and Discover. Office Hours are Monday-Friday 8:30am-5:00pm.

MAIL-IN REGISTRATION

Mail completed registration form on page 41 along with a check payable to the "Town of Carrboro" to the address below.

MAIL TO:

Carrboro Recreation
Parks & Cultural Resources
301 W. Main St.
Carrboro, NC 27510

FEES: Fees are charged for most programs and facility rentals to help defray program costs. Please be aware that fees may change after July 1st.

OUT OF COUNTY FEE: An additional fee is charged for those residing outside Orange County: \$27 for a single general program or a single sport or \$81 for unlimited programs. Note: Out of County fee could change after July 1st.

FEE WAIVER/REDUCTIONS: Financial Assistance Program: Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources wants all Orange County families to be able to participate in our programs. Fee reductions and waivers are available for those meeting established income criteria. Call (919) 918-7366 or visit carrbororec.org and view the Financial Assistance Program under General Information.

INCLUSIVITY STATEMENT: The Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department strives to create a welcoming and inclusive environment that enhances the overall social, physical, and mental well-being of our entire community. We welcome participation of all individuals and groups regardless of race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, gender, gender identity, disability, genetic information, sexual orientation, citizenship, familial status, socio-economic level or veteran status. Please join us in fostering a welcoming and inclusive environment for all.

REFUNDS: Refunds are automatic for any programs canceled by the department. Other refunds will be considered upon written request and must meet the criteria of the refund policy. A \$5 administrative fee will be charged for all refunds with the exception of indoor facilities (10% of rental fee) and Summer Camps, where the Camp administrative fee is \$40 if requested less than 4 weeks prior to the camp. For more information call (919) 918-7364 or visit carrbororec.org and view the Refund policy under General Information.

WEATHER POLICY: Recreation Department Administration will make decisions regarding program cancellations as needed and typically not determined until 4pm weekdays and 7am on weekends. A notice will be posted on the weather line at (919) 918-7373 prior to 5pm/weekdays, 7:30am/Saturdays, or 11am/Sunday when activities are canceled.

Last minute cancellations do occur. In this case after 5pm/weekdays, 8:15am/Saturday, or 11am/Sunday, staff will decide the cancellation of an activity and no message will be posted on the weather line. Participants are encouraged to proceed to the activity as scheduled unless contacted by the Department or one of its representatives.

LEAGUES



League Registration Information

Openings are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Registration forms must be completed & signed by a parent or guardian.

Please Note: Athletic programs have various age cut-off dates that are used to determine a participant's eligibility and league placement.

Spring Baseball

Teams practice once a week (Monday-Thursday during the evening hours) and Saturday during the day beginning in mid-March. Games begin in mid-April and run into early June.

Ages as of August, 31st, 2025.

Please Note: Days, times, and sites of practices and games will vary.

FEE:	\$65 Orange Co. Residents; \$92 Non-Orange Co. Residents	
AGES:	6-8 League	Course Code: 206105-A
	9-10 League	Course Code: 206106-A
	11-12 League	Course Code: 206107-A



Girls Field Hockey League

The Girls Field Hockey League will be entering its 31st season. Early registration is encouraged. Teams will be formed in March with practice beginning later that month. Teams will practice or play 2-3 times per week throughout the season. **Ages as of August, 31st, 2025.**

Season: March – Early June

FEE:	\$65 Orange Co. Residents; \$92 Non-Orange Co. Residents	
AGES:	10-14 Girls	Course Code: 206113-A



Adult Co-Rec Softball League

This adult co-ed league plays on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at Hank Anderson Park from late March through June. Teams will play 1-2 games each week. Regular season will be followed by a double-elimination tournament. Individuals or groups looking for a team or wishing to form a team can contact Ryan Reed at rreed@carrboronc.gov. **Ages as of April, 1st, 2025.**

Please Note: All registrations must be received no later than 5:00pm on Friday, March 13th. Final fee will be based on number of teams and league format.

FEE:	\$500-600/team	📍 Hank Anderson Park
	\$200 Non-Refundable Deposit/per team to register	
	\$27 Non-Orange Co. residents to pay fee to participate	
AGES:	16+	Course Code: 206115-A



Adult Co-Rec Ultimate Frisbee

This adult co-ed spring league plays on Monday & Wednesday evenings at Hank Anderson Park. League runs March-May. Teams will play 1-2 games each week. League registration is on a first-come, first-served basis until the league registration deadline or when the league fills. Participants will be drafted onto teams by volunteer team captains based on observation during open play nights and a self-evaluation which will be sent to each participant. **Ages as of March, 1st, 2025.**

Please Note: All registrations must be received no later than 5:00pm on Friday, March 6th.

FEE:	\$42	📍 Hank Anderson Park
AGES:	16+	
	Monday & Wednesday March-May	
	Course Code: 206117-A - Female Matching Player	
	Course Code: 206117-B - Male Matching Player	

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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- YOUTH BASEBALL UMPIRES
- ADULT SOFTBALL UMPIRES
- SUMMER DAY CAMP STAFF
- FACILITY/ACTIVITY SUPERVISORS

Please visit www.carrboronc.gov and click on the Jobs button. For specific questions regarding the position, call (919) 918-7377.

**See pg 28 for additional Employment Opportunities*

INSTRUCTIONAL

Girls Softball Instructional Program

Participants will learn the basic skills of softball. This clinic will serve as an introduction to the game for those who are new to the sport and for existing players seeking extra work on their skills.

Instructor: **Corrina Johnson**

FEE: \$40  **Hank Anderson Park**

AGES: 6-12 (As of January, 1st, 2026)

Apr 12 - May 10 | 5 weeks | Sundays, 2:00 - 4:00pm

Course Code: **206116-A**

CLASS - Baseball

A class designed to introduce the fundamentals of baseball to the participant and parent.

Instructor Pat Currin guides both the child and parent in understanding the skills of throwing, catching, fielding, and hitting. Parent and child will be encouraged to practice the skills learned at home. Parent participation is a major part of this program.



FEE: \$50  **Hank Anderson Park**

AGES: 4-6

April 11 - May 9 | 5 weeks | Saturdays, 9:00 - 10:00am

Course Code: **206302-A**

CLASS - Basketball

A class designed to introduce the fundamentals of basketball to the participant and parent. The basketball instructor guides both the child and parent in understanding the skills of passing, dribbling, and shooting. Parent and child will be encouraged to practice the skills learned at home. Parent participation is a major part of this program.

FEE: \$50  **Carrboro Elementary School**

AGES: 4-6

February 7 - 28 | 4 weeks | Saturdays, 9:00 - 10:00am

Course Code: **206303-A**

Sunday Series - Basketball Clinics

Basketball instructor and Coach Rodney Carter will guide each player on the aspects of basketball fundamentals. Focus is on skill development.

Shooting

FEE: \$20  **Culbreth Middle School**

AGES: 6-10

Sunday, February 8 | 2:00 - 3:15 pm

Course Code: **206301-A**

Ball Handling

FEE: \$20  **Culbreth Middle School**

AGES: 6-10

Sunday, February 22 | 2:00 - 3:15 pm

Course Code: **206301-B**

Ultimate - Learn to Play & Youth Rec League

Co-sponsored by Triangle Ultimate and USA Ultimate



This series teaches the fundamentals of ultimate Frisbee. Each session will consist of skills development and drills to practice the fundamentals of ultimate, as well as playing games and scrimmaging. Learn to Play & Youth Rec League now offers a Pay-What-You-Can program (triangleultimate.org/level-the-playing-field). To register, visit triangleultimate.org.

FEE: \$65  **Smith Soccer Field 3B**

AGES: 7-18

March 4 - April 29 | 8 weeks | Wednesdays, 6:00 - 8:00pm

ATHLETIC VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

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At this time, the Department is currently recruiting volunteers to work a number of positions, which include:

- **ATHLETIC COACHES** - Baseball (Spring)
- **ATHLETIC COACHES** - Girls Field Hockey (Spring)

If you have an interest in volunteering for any of the above positions or other opportunities, please visit www.carrbororec.org and click on Volunteer Opportunities. For additional information, please contact the Volunteer Coordinator at (919) 918-7370 or volunteer@carrboronc.gov.

**See pg 28 for additional Volunteer Opportunities*



INSTRUCTIONAL

Tennis Play Day

Co-sponsored with Durham Orange Community Tennis Association

Participants will learn tennis skills and be able to test those skills in games and challenges. This event will have activities for the oldest and youngest members of your family, so bring everyone along. Come prepared for fun! Prior tennis experience not necessary! **Please bring a racquet that is age/size appropriate.**

FEE: Free  Wilson Park

AGES: 5+

Saturday, March 7 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 406308-B



Senior Tennis Play Day

Join us for a lively and welcoming tennis event designed especially for players aged 50 and above! Whether you're a seasoned player or just getting back into the swing of things, this is a great opportunity to meet fellow tennis enthusiasts from the local community, enjoy friendly matches in singles or doubles format. Bring a friend—or two—for even more fun, relax, and recharge with light refreshments provided on-site. **Please remember to bring your racquet.** We look forward to seeing you on the court!

FEE: Free  Wilson Park

AGES: 50+

Wednesday, March 25 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 406203-B

NEW!

Pickleball Play Day

Pickleball is a great way to improve your strength, balance, and agility! Whether you're new to the sport or a seasoned player, come join us as we "dink" around the courts at Wilson Park. This fun and social program welcomes all skill levels and offers a great opportunity to stay active, meet new people, and enjoy the game in a supportive environment.

FEE: Free  Wilson Park

AGES: 18+

Friday, March 6 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 406204-A

FEE: Free  Wilson Park

AGES: 18+

Wednesday, April 29 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 406204-B



Youth Tennis (Beginner)

This class will introduce players to the basics of tennis, emphasizing FUN activities that address fitness and hand-eye development. Participants will work on developing basic strokes of forehand, backhand and volleys and serves while practicing live ball rallies, traditional and age-level scoring using pressureless balls. **Please bring a racquet that is age/size appropriate.**

FEE: \$45  Wilson Park

AGES: 9-14

March 3 - 19 | 3 weeks | Tue/Thur, 6:00 - 7:00pm

Course Code: 206313-A

Adult Tennis (Beginner)

This class is for those who have not played before or are just getting started. You will learn all the basics of the game including: strokes, rules, scoring, footwork and tennis etiquette. Classes will include ball feeding drills, live-ball hitting with other classmates, and personal stroke instruction. By the end of the session, you will have learned the basic stroke of the forehand, backhand, serve, and volley. **Please bring a racquet that is age/size appropriate.**

FEE: \$45  Wilson Park

AGES: 16+

March 3 - 19 | 3 weeks | Tue/Thur, 7:15 - 8:15pm

Course Code: 206309-A

Youth Tennis (Intermediate)

Our Intermediate classes are designed for students who have experience and can hit a tossed ball consistently. Players are expected to have knowledge of the basic strokes and are ready for the next level of play. Emphasis is also placed on moving and hitting. Designed to be fun, game oriented, and supportive. **Please bring a racquet that is age/size appropriate.**

FEE: \$45  Wilson Park

AGES: 9-14

April 7 - 23 | 3 weeks | Tue/Thur, 6:00 - 7:00pm

Course Code: 206314-A

INSTRUCTIONAL **Adult Tennis** *(Intermediate)*

To join this class, you should have established a good tennis foundation on which to build. Intermediates have reliable and repeatable strokes with a good understanding of the game. This class can involve players who have not played for a number of years or who are strong in some areas, but need help in other areas, and players who have previously taken beginning classes. We will focus on all essential areas of the game: Stroke techniques, fitness/movement, and strategy. **Please bring a racquet that is age/size appropriate.**

FEE: \$45  **Wilson Park**

AGES: 16+

April 7 - 23 | 3 weeks | Tue/Thur, 7:15 - 8:15pm

Course Code: **206310-A**

Lunchtime Tennis *(Beginner)*

New to tennis? Have experience, but find it difficult to develop reliable and repeatable strokes? Need to build fitness for better play, or wondering how to get the most out of practice? Build a good foundation for tennis by addressing the four important areas of focus: stroke techniques, strategy in games, fitness/movement, and concentration/self-assessment. You will find out how to improve progressively in way that is good for your body and satisfying for your soul. Although designed for beginners, you can also benefit if you've had some previous experience. There will be time for individual attention. **Please bring a racquet that is age/size appropriate.**

FEE: \$45  **Wilson Park**

AGES: 16+

A **March 3 - 19 | 3 weeks | Tue/Thur, 11:30am - 12:30pm**

Course Code: **206311-A**

FEE: \$45  **Wilson Park**

AGES: 16+

B **April 7 - 23 | 3 weeks | Tue/Thur, 11:30am - 12:30pm**

Course Code: **206311-B**



If a class/classes are cancelled due to inclement weather during a session, the class or classes will be made up at end of the session on regular class days.

Lunchtime Tennis *(Intermediate)*

To join this class, you should have established a good tennis foundation on which to build. Intermediates have somewhat reliable and repeatable strokes with a good understanding of the game. This can involve players who have not played for a number of years or who are strong in some areas, but need help in other areas, and players who have previously taken beginning classes and are highly motivated to improve. We will focus on all essential areas of the game: Stroke techniques, fitness/movement, strategy, mental awareness. You will be shown how to assess you own game and be able to follow a customized program for improvement. More advanced players are welcome as well.

Please bring a racquet that is age/size appropriate.

FEE: \$45  **Wilson Park**

AGES: 9-14

A **March 3 - 19 | 3 weeks | Tue/Thur, 12:30 - 1:30pm**

Course Code: **206312-A**

FEE: \$45  **Wilson Park**

AGES: 16+

B **April 7 - 23 | 3 weeks | Tue/Thur, 12:30 - 1:30pm**

Course Code: **206312-B**

5 and Under Tennis

These four-week clinics meet once a week and last only 30 minutes. By using fun games and activities to develop, hand-eye coordination movement needed to play tennis. Child must be 3 by August 31, 2025. **Please bring a racquet that is age/size appropriate.**

FEE: \$35  **Wilson Park**

AGES: 3-5

March 1 - 22 | 4 weeks | Sundays, 1:00 - 1:30pm

Course Code: **206316-A**

8 and Under Tennis

These hour clinics meet once a week and teach children the hand-eye coordination needed to play tennis. These clinics are designed for players with limited tennis experience. Age is as of August 31, 2025. **Please bring a racquet that is age/size appropriate.**

FEE: \$35  **Wilson Park**

AGES: 6-8

A **March 1 - 22 | 4 weeks | Sundays, 1:45 - 2:45pm**

Course Code: **206317-A**

FEE: \$35  **Wilson Park**

AGES: 6-8

B **March 1 - 22 | 4 weeks | Sundays, 3:00 - 4:00pm**

Course Code: **206317-B**

PARENT / CHILD EVENTS



Fishing Clinics

Parent(s) and children will learn the basics about fishing including different equipment, techniques, sites, and regulations. You may even meet a fishing buddy or two! Supplies furnished. Bring a pole if you have one. **Parent(s) and youth must both be present to participate.**

Instructor: TBD

FEE: \$5  **Hank Anderson Park**

AGES: 5-15

A Saturday, March 21 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 206503-A

B Saturday, April 18 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 206503-B

C Saturday, May 9 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 206503-C

D Saturday, June 6 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 206503-D



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(919) 918-7364 during business hours

SPORTS CAMPS

All camps open for registration on January 7th. Age is determined by the start date of each camp. Payment of a \$40 Camp Administrative Fee (non-refundable), per camp, per child will reserve a space. The remaining balance must be paid 4 weeks prior to camp or you will lose your space. Registration within 4 weeks of camp requires all payments in full. Please note the \$40 Camp Administrative Fee will be deducted from any refunds made less than 4 weeks prior to the start of the camp.



Swing Into Summer Tennis Camp

This tennis camp is designed for novices looking to take up the game of tennis. All aspects of the game will be covered in a fun group setting. Please bring a racquet that is age/size appropriate.

FEE: \$105 Wilson Park

AGES: 8-12

A June 15 -18 | 4 days | Mon-Thu, 8:30 - 11:30am
Course Code: 307301-A

FEE: \$105 Wilson Park

AGES: 8-12

B June 22 - 25 | 4 days | Mon-Thu, 8:30 - 11:30am
Course Code: 307301-B

FEE: \$105 Wilson Park

AGES: 8-12

C July 6 - 9 | 4 days | Mon-Thu, 8:30 - 11:30am
Course Code: 307301-C

FEE: \$105 Wilson Park

AGES: 8-12

D July 13 - 16 | 4 days | Mon-Thu, 8:30 - 11:30am
Course Code: 307301-D

Field Hockey

Designed to introduce the fundamentals of field hockey to the first time participant or players with less than 3 seasons of experience, the instructor guides the participant in understanding the skills of passing, dribbling, trapping, and shooting.

FEE: \$100 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 10-13

June 22 - 26 | 1 week | Daily, 8:00 - 11:00am
Course Code: 307303-A

Ultimate Frisbee Camp

Co-sponsored by Triangle Ultimate and USA Ultimate

Ultimate Frisbee Camp for girls and boys 9-15 years of age. Explore the benefits and joys of the game of Ultimate - Skills development, exercise, friendships, mini games & scrimmages, character building, teamwork, and lots of fun! Tee-shirt and Ultimate Disc included with camp registration. Financial Assistance available, to register, visit visit triangleultimate.org.

FEE: \$175 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 9-15

June 22 - 26 | 1 Week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am

June 29 - July 3 | 1 Week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am

July 6 - 10 | 1 Week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am

July 13 - 17 | 1 Week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am

July 20 - 24 | 1 Week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am

July 27 - 31 | 1 Week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am

August 3 - 7 | 1 Week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am

August 10 - 14 | 1 Week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am

August 17 - 21 | 1 Week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am

Flag Football

Fundamentals of flag football with a focus on passing, receiving, running routes, defensive coverage, and flag pulling. Each day ends with scrimmage or game play.

FEE: \$100 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 9-12

A June 22 - 26 | 1 week | Daily, 8:00 - 11:00am
Course Code: 307310-A

FEE: \$100 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 9-12

B July 27 - 31 | 1 week | Daily, 8:00 - 11:00am
Course Code: 307310-B



SPORTS CAMPS

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Baseball

CO-SPONSORED BY PC BASEBALL

Baseball camps will emphasize the fundamentals of throwing, catching, fielding, hitting, & base running benefiting boys and girls of all ability levels while also playing in various mini-games. To register, please visit www.pcbaseballnc.com. Financial assistance available.

FEE: \$105 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 7-9

June 22 - 26 | 1 week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:00am

FEE: \$125 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 10-12

July 13 - 17 | 1 week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am



Basketball

Fundamentals of basketball will be emphasized through the skills of shooting, passing, dribbling, and rebounding. Each day ends with scrimmage or game play.

FEE: \$70 TBD

AGES: 7-8

July 13-17 | 1 week | Daily, 8:30 - 10:30am

Course Code: 307306-A

FEE: \$100 TBD

AGES: 9-11

July 20 - 24 | 1 week | Daily, 8:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 307307-A

Fishing Camp (Ages 8-11)

This catch and release fishing camp teaches young anglers the basics of rigging rods and lines, baiting and casting, and tying fishing knots. Instruction will be provided throughout the day. Participants can look forward to catching various species of native North Carolina fish such as Bass, Bream, Catfish and more. **Equipment needed 4 1/2 to 6 ft. lightweight freshwater spinning rod.**

FEE: \$110 Hank Anderson Park Pond

AGES: 8-11

June 22 - 26 | 1 week | Daily, 2:30 - 5:00pm

Course Code: 307104-A

Fishing Camp (Ages 11-14)

This catch and release fishing camp teaches young anglers the basics of rigging rods and lines, baiting and casting, and tying fishing knots. Instruction will be provided throughout the day. Participants can look forward to catching various species of native North Carolina fish such as Bass, Bream, Catfish and more. **Equipment needed 4 1/2 to 6 ft. lightweight freshwater spinning rod.**

FEE: \$110 Hank Anderson Park Pond

AGES: 11-14

July 20 - 24 | 1 week | Daily, 2:00 - 5:00pm

Course Code: 307101-A



NEED HELP SCHEDULING CAMPS?

Do you need help finding what camps may be paired together to help with your summer scheduling?

CONTACT DANA HUGHES AT 919.918.7372

THEME CAMPS

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Kinderventures

Kinderventures Camp is a summer filled with fun, excitement, crafts, games, music, and more. Activities are designed to enhance fine motor skills, communication, and cooperation skills. Kinderventures activities are held in a stimulating atmosphere with trained, friendly staff. Some themes may include Winter Wonderland, Magical/Fantasy, Superheroes, Around the World and much more! **Early drop off is 7:30 - 8:30am, camp activities will start at 8:30am.**



FEE: \$105 Wilson Park

AGES: 4-5

A June 22 - 26 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm
Course Code: 307202-A

FEE: \$105 Wilson Park

AGES: 4-5

B June 29 - July 3 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm
Course Code: 307202-B

FEE: \$105 Century Center

AGES: 3-5

A July 6 - 10 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm
Course Code: 307201-A

FEE: \$105 Century Center

AGES: 3-5

B July 13 - 17 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm
Course Code: 307201-B

FEE: \$105 Century Center

AGES: 3-5

C July 20 - 24 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm
Course Code: 307201-C

Scientific Discovery

Discover what makes our planet such a fascinating place! Each day we will explore a different area of scientific discovery with hands-on science activities, crafts and experiments. Examples of topics include volcanoes, lightning & tornadoes, marine biology, chemistry, animals and outer space.

FEE: \$105 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 6-9

June 22 - 26 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm
Course Code: 307110-A

Art Extravaganza

You imagine the projects and counselors will help create them using crayons, markers, paint, Plaster of Paris, clay and more. Each day, campers will tackle a different medium. Your artist will be engaged in both individual and group projects.

FEE: \$105 Century Center

AGES: 6-9

June 29 - July 3 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm
Course Code: 307111-A



Water Fun Week

Get your swimsuits on and get ready to be splashed! This week will consist of water art projects, water experiments, water relay games, making bubbles and bubble wands, water balloon toss, and more! Bring a change of clothes and towel daily.

FEE: \$105

..... Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 6-9

July 6 - 10 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm
Course Code: 307112-A



Outdoor Challenge Week (Ages 6-8)

Register with a friend or by yourself and see if you can survive a week of Carrboro's fun and exciting challenges. The camp staff will put your skills to the test with obstacle courses, treasure hunts and many more games and activities.

FEE: \$110 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 6-8

July 13 - 17 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm
Course Code: 307108-A

THEME CAMPS

All camps open for registration on January 7th. Age is determined by the start date of each camp. Payment of a \$40 Camp Administrative Fee (non-refundable), per camp, per child will reserve a space. The remaining balance must be paid 4 weeks prior to camp or you will lose your space. Registration within 4 weeks of camp requires all payments in full. Please note the \$40 Camp Administrative Fee will be deducted from any refunds made less than 4 weeks prior to the start of the camp.

Outdoor Challenge Week (Ages 9-12)

The challenges in this camp will be geared toward older youth. Register with a friend or by yourself and see if you can survive a week of Carrboro's fun and exciting challenges. The camp staff will put your skills to the test with obstacle courses, treasure hunts and many more games and activities.

FEE: \$105📍 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 9-12

July 13 - 17 | 1 week | Daily, 1:30 - 5:30pm

Course Code: 307108-B

Summer Beach Blast

Have you ever wondered how do pineapples grow? Where mangos come from? What is inside a coconut? What a star fruit taste like? Come find out the answers as you have the opportunity to try these tasty fruits! This camp is all about celebrating Fun in the Sun! Some activities include making leis and grass skirts, land surfing contest, sand art, message in a bottle, beach volleyball and more!

FEE: \$105📍 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: 6-9

July 20 - 24 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm

Course Code: 307109-A

Invent - Create - Play Camp

This camp has a little bit to offer for everyone. Use your creative skills to come up with different designs, then create and test out your inventions. Campers will work on individual and team projects. Camp staff will also have several challenges for the campers throughout the week!

FEE: \$105📍 Century Center

AGES: 6-9

July 27 - 31 | 1 week | Daily, 7:30am - 12:30pm

Course Code: 307113-A

Dino Design using LEGO® Materials

Travel back to the Jurassic era in this hands-on STEM adventure powered by LEGO®! Guided by our enthusiastic Play-Well instructors, young builders will return to the age of dinosaurs, using LEGO® to bring the time of the dinosaurs to life. Design and engineer secure habitats for gentle herbivores, embark on daring expeditions to track down elusive species, and uncover the secrets of powerful predator dinosaurs. Get ready for a dino-size adventure packed with building, problem-solving, and imagination!

FEE: \$175📍 Century Center

AGES: 5-7

June 15 - 18 | 4 days | Mon - Thu, 8:30 - 11:30am

Course Code: 307128-A

Machine Mayhem using LEGO® Materials

Design your custom LEGO® creation to take on any challenge. Mix and match chassis designs using wheels, treads, or walking legs and then combine these with tools like drills, hammers, and battering rams. You will refine your masterpiece by sparring with friends and overcoming obstacles all while applying real-world engineering and physics concepts to help you bash and crash your way to victory!

FEE: \$175📍 Century Center

AGES: 8-12

June 15 - 18 | 4 days | Mon - Thu, 12:00 - 3:00pm

Course Code: 307129-A

Radical Rides using LEGO® Materials

Start your engines with tens of thousands of LEGO® parts as you dive into the vast world of vehicles! Build and design an array of exciting machines, traversing land, sea, and air, with the assistance of experienced Play-Well instructors. Learn about the engineering principles behind motors, gears, and everything that vrooms and zooms!

FEE: \$195📍 Century Center

AGES: 5-7

August 3 - 7 | 1 week | Daily, 8:30 - 11:30am

Course Code: 307130-A



Engineering Design Challenge using LEGO® Materials

Ready to put your skills to the test? Join our instructors as they guide you through the fundamentals of mechanisms that will inspire your creativity, then, it's your turn to innovate! Working with unique design parameters, you'll construct structures and vehicles, push them to their limits, and see what they can withstand. Compete head-to-head and put real-world concepts into action with exciting LEGO® challenges!

FEE: \$195📍 Century Center

AGES: 8-12

August 3 - 7 | 1 week | Daily, 12:00 - 3:00pm

Course Code: 307131-A

THEME CAMPS FOR TEENS

All camps open for registration on January 7th. Age is determined by the start date of each camp. Payment of a \$40 Camp Administrative Fee (non-refundable), per camp, per child will reserve a space. The remaining balance must be paid 4 weeks prior to camp or you will lose your space. Registration within 4 weeks of camp requires all payments in full. Please note the \$40 Camp Administrative Fee will be deducted from any refunds made less than 4 weeks prior to the start of the camp.

Intro to Mountain Biking Camp

Love mountain biking, or want to learn? Youth will first learn the mechanics of the bicycle and then the proper techniques of shifting, braking, hill climbing and descent, body and pedal position, and navigating minor obstacles. Then we'll take to the trails to practice our safe bike handling skills. You will need your bike, helmet, a snack, a super-stoked attitude and some way to stay hydrated (water bottle or hydration pack). Please make sure to have a free bike safety check at Back Alley Bikes prior to camp. Instructions will be provided via email. **Session B enrollment is for girls and we also welcome non-binary and non-conforming participants.** Please see our inclusivity statement on page 1 or email jpoythress@carrboronc.gov for questions regarding enrollment.

Instructor: **Tamara Sanders**

FEE: \$110 **Dr. MLK Jr. Park**

AGES: 11-17

A June 15 - 18 | 4 days | Mon - Thu, 8:00 - 11:30am
Course Code: 307106-A

FEE: \$110 **Dr. MLK Jr. Park**

AGES: 11-17

B June 29 - July 2 | 4 days | Mon - Thu, 8:00 - 11:30am
Course Code: 307106-B



Mountain Biking Camp

This course is designed for experienced riders that have previously participated in our Mountain Biking Camps. You must enroll in-person at the Century Center with permission from the instructor or supervisor. Should you have questions regarding enrolling in this camp, please contact jpoythress@carrboronc.gov for more information. A bike, helmet, a snack, and some way to stay hydrated (water bottle or hydration pack) are required. Please make sure to have a free bike safety check at Back Alley Bikes prior to camp. Instructions will be provided via email.

Instructor: **Tamara Sanders**

FEE: \$110 **Dr. MLK Jr. Park**

AGES: 11-17

A June 13 - 16 | 4 days | Mon - Thu, 8:00 - 11:30am
Course Code: 307102-A

FEE: \$110 **Dr. MLK Jr. Park**

AGES: 11-17

B August 3 - 6 | 4 days | Mon - Thu, 8:00 - 11:30am
Course Code: 307102-B

Extreme Drama

Before the summer is over, express yourself in a fun and unique way through writing, games, music, dance, monologues, and scenes, as we explore the individual-as-an-artist in this two-week camp. Find your true voice and develop both character and performance skills in this creative and supportive environment as we put together a play from start to finish! Camp wraps up with a showcase of talent for the whole family to attend.

Instructor: **Meghan Gambling**

FEE: \$165 **Century Center**

AGES: 11-14

July 20 - 31 | 2 weeks | Daily, 8:00 - 11:30am
Course Code: 307103-A



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Young Gymnast - Beginner (Ages 3-5)

Participants between the ages of 3-5 will learn tumbling skills such as handstands, cartwheels and rolls, plus games and other activities to develop spatial awareness, coordination, and agility. This introduction to tumbling improves conditioning, strength, flexibility, and skill development.

Instructor: **Anjeannette Fox**

FEE: \$70 Century Center

AGES: 3-5

- A** Jan 20 - Feb 17 | 5 weeks | Tuesdays, 3:30 - 4:15pm
Course Code: 201108-A
- B** Jan 21 - Feb 18 | 5 weeks | Wednesdays, 3:15 - 4:00pm
Course Code: 201108-B
- C** Jan 22 - Feb 19 | 5 weeks | Thursdays, 3:30 - 4:15pm
Course Code: 201108-C
- D** Mar 10 - Apr 14 | 5 weeks | Tuesdays, 3:30 - 4:15pm
No Class: 3/31
Course Code: 201108-D
- E** Mar 11 - Apr 15 | 5 weeks | Wednesdays, 3:15 - 4:00pm
No Class: 4/1
Course Code: 201108-E
- F** Mar 12 - Apr 16 | 5 weeks | Thursdays, 3:30 - 4:15pm
No Class: 4/2
Course Code: 201108-F



Young Gymnast - Beginner (Ages 6-12)

This introductory course for ages 6-12 provides basic tumbling instruction such as handstands, cartwheels, and rolls. Students will also develop spatial awareness, coordination, and agility. This course will prime participants for the next level of gymnastics instruction where they can improve their skills.

Instructor: **Anjeannette Fox**

FEE: \$70 Century Center

AGES: 6-12

- A** Jan 20 - Feb 17 | 5 weeks | Tuesdays, 4:30 - 5:30pm
Course Code: 201109-A
- B** Jan 22 - Feb 19 | 5 weeks | Thursdays, 4:30 - 5:30pm
Course Code: 201109-B
- C** Mar 10 - Apr 14 | 5 weeks | Tuesdays, 4:30 - 5:30pm
No Class: 3/31
Course Code: 201109-C
- D** Mar 12 - Apr 16 | 5 weeks | Thursdays, 4:30 - 5:30pm
No Class: 4/2
Course Code: 201109-D

Young Gymnast - Advanced (Ages 5-14)

This class is for students that have mastered basic gymnastic skills in our prior classes. In this class students will continue learning and mastering past skills and begin combining them into basic routines. **Instructor will advise if child has permission** and is ready for this Advanced class based on assessed skill level. If you do not have permission, please enroll in Beginner classes. For questions, please contact the supervisor. Registration must be in-person.

Instructor: **Anjeannette Fox**

FEE: \$70 Century Center

AGES: 5-14

- A** Jan 21 - Feb 18 | 5 weeks | Wednesdays, 4:05 - 5:30pm
Course Code: 201110-A
- B** March 11 - Apr 12 | 5 weeks | Wednesdays, 4:05 - 5:30pm
No Class: 4/1
Course Code: 201110-B

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Storytime and Playtime

Parents and young children (5 & under) can come enjoy story time with the Orange County Southern Branch Library from 10:30-11:00am followed by some unstructured playtime in the Performance Space of the Drakeford Library Complex. There will be music to dance to, books, blocks, crawl tunnels, and other toys to play with and plenty of space. It will be a great opportunity to meet new friends and playmates.

No registration required. Storytime can occur outside of these dates in other locations from 10:30-11:00am. Please check with the Orange County Southern Branch Library for more information at www.orangecountync.librarycalendar.com/events

FEE: Free📍 Drakeford

AGES: 1-5

Jan 15 - Apr 30 | Weekly | Thursdays, 10:30 - 12:00pm
Course Code: 201201-A



Piano - Beginner 1

This beginner piano class features a small group format to provide music theory and individual keyboard instruction for beginners.

\$10.00 fee for instruction manual paid at the first class.

Instructor: **Hector Aizpurúa**

FEE: \$120📍 Drakeford

AGES: 6-12

Jan 20 - Mar 24 | 10 weeks | Tuesdays, 3:30 - 4:30pm
Course Code: 201105-A



Piano - Beginner 2

This class is for participants that have completed Piano - Beginner 1 class or an equivalent class. The class will include practice in scale playing, rhythm, chord playing, articulation, phrasing, and tone. These skills will be taught according to individual students' ability.

Instructor: **Hector Aizpurúa**

FEE: \$120📍 Drakeford

AGES: 6-12

Jan 20 - Mar 24 | 10 weeks | Tuesdays, 4:45 - 5:45pm
Course Code: 201106-A

Piano - Beginner 3

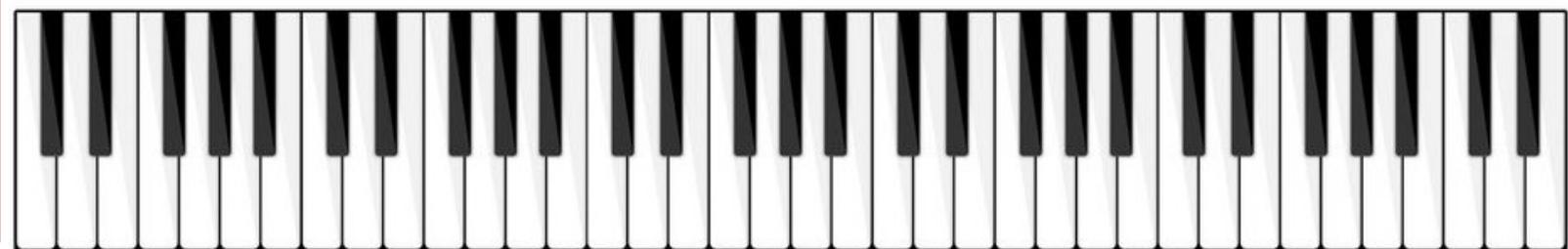
This class is for participants that have completed Piano - Beginner 1 class or an equivalent class. The class will include practice in scale playing, rhythm, chord playing, articulation, phrasing, and tone. These skills will be taught according to individual students' ability.

Instructor: **Hector Aizpurúa**

FEE: \$120📍 Drakeford

AGES: 6-12

Jan 20 - Mar 24 | 10 weeks | Tuesdays, 6:00 - 7:00pm
Course Code: 201107-A



Carrboro Youth Council

Want experience working with local government? Want to have fun? Come join the Carrboro Youth Council and be involved in a variety of volunteer opportunities and special event planning with the Carrboro Recreation, Parks and Cultural Resources Department. The Youth Council provides a creative outlet for youth in the community and a voice and input for future recreation programs and events. Members are required to attend meetings. Contact (919) 918-7392 for more information or to reserve a space.

FEE: Free📍 Drakeford

AGES: 13-17

Meetings are typically held on the third Wednesday

7:00 - 7:45pm

Course Code: 403202-A



NEW! Authentic Italian Cooking for Beginners Fresh Sauces

Join Bob Alfieri for this hands-on class where participants will learn to make his mother's Italian-American sauce with meatballs, as well as a traditional Bolognese sauce. We will sample these using homemade pastas (covered in future classes). **Both teens and adults are welcome to attend this class.**

Instructor: **Bob Alfieri**

FEE: \$30📍 Century Center

AGES: 13+

Sunday, January 18 | 1 day | 4:00 - 6:30pm

Course Code: 201119-A

Authentic Italian Cooking for Beginners

Risotto

Risotto, is a classic dish of Italy. During this class participants will learn to cook a couple vegetarian risotti. Afterward we will sample our creations and discuss how to apply the same techniques to other risotti. **Both teens and adults are welcome to attend this class.**

Instructor: **Bob Alfieri**

FEE: \$30📍 Drakeford and Century Center

AGES: 13+

Sunday, February 22 | 1 day | 4:00 - 6:30pm

Course Code: 201119-B

Authentic Italian Cooking for Beginners

Homemade Pasta

Learn to make homemade egg pasta from scratch. We will roll out and cut the dough using a couple different methods: a pasta machine, and a long rolling pin (preferred method). We will make fettuccini as well as stuffed pastas such as ravioli and tortellini. Afterward, if time permits, we will sample our creations using very simple sauces such as basil pesto and sage and butter. You will take home the rest! **Both teens and adults are welcome to attend this class.**

Instructor: **Bob Alfieri**

FEE: \$30📍 Drakeford and Century Center

AGES: 13+

Sunday, March 15 | 1 day | 4:00 - 6:30pm

Course Code: 201119-C



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Guild of Adventures Dungeons and Dragons

Dungeons and Dragons, or D&D, is a tabletop roleplaying game where you create a character and take on the role of them in a story played out over multiple sessions. The story is mostly a series of encounters and situations that you are walked through by a Dungeon Master. This could be as simple as, can you haggle down the price of this bag of holding? But can be as dire as a fight for your life against an Owlbear. Your outcomes of the game are based on dice rolls which are modified by the character stats you chose!

Instructor: **Nick Shepard**

FEE: \$125 Drakeford

AGES: 11-15

A Jan 20 - Feb 24 | 6 weeks | Tuesdays, 4:30 - 6:30pm
Course Code: 201118-A

B Mar 3 - Apr 7 | 6 weeks | Tuesdays, 4:30 - 6:30pm
Course Code: 201118-B



Bikes! Maintenance and Best Practices The Basics

Learn how your bike works and how to keep it in good order. Participants will learn basic bike maintenance and solutions to common problems. We will go over tires, tubes, chains, and how to incorporate learned concepts into safe bike riding. We will also discuss and demo how to clean the overall bike with a follow up question and answer session. Adults are also encouraged to sign-up and participate. Please bring your bike. Tools are not required.

Instructor: **Tamara Sanders**

FEE: \$30 Dr. MLK Jr. Park

AGES: 10+

Wednesday, March 18 | 1 Day | 4:00 - 6:00pm
Course Code: 202129-A

Riding the Wave! Pump Track Riding

We have a super cool re-designed pump track at our Dr. MLK King Jr Park! Come learn how to “pump” your bike to gain momentum on this continuous trail through rolling mounds and berms. Youth under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult.

Instructor: **Tamara Sanders**

FEE: \$30 Dr. MLK Jr. Park

AGES: 10+

Saturday, March 21 | 1 Day | 9:00 - 10:30am
Course Code: 203115-A

NEW! ReCYCLERY Bike Safety Class

This class on the ABCs of bike safety and maintenance will teach you what to look for on your bicycle before every ride to ensure that it is safe to ride. You’ll learn how to properly inflate your tires, perform a simple brake test, check your drivetrain and check your wheels are correctly attached. If you have a bicycle, feel free to bring it and follow along. The Recyclery will have mechanics available after the class to help assist if we should find any issues with your bike that you may find during the class.

Instructor: **ReCYCLERY**

FEE: Free Dr. MLK Jr. Park

AGES: All

Sunday, April 11 | 1 day | 10:00 - 11:00am
Course Code: 202144-A



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Yoga

The practice of Yoga can help you release tension, stretch and strengthen your body, relax your mind and lift your spirits. During this class, poses will be on the floor. Wear comfortable clothing and bring an exercise or yoga mat (some available for class use). Ideal for those who enjoy a gentler practice or who are new or just returning to yoga.

Instructor: **Soren Johnsen**

FEE: \$42 **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

A **Jan 20 - Feb 24 | 6 weeks | Tuesdays, 6:00 - 7:00pm**
Course Code: 202102-A

FEE: \$56 **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

B **Mar 10 - Apr 28 | 8 weeks | Tuesdays, 6:00 - 7:00pm**
Course Code: 202102-B

NEW! **Advancing Your Yoga Practice**

This intermediate to advanced yoga class is designed for practitioners ready to deepen their practice in a safe and supportive environment. Each session will break down more challenging asanas, allowing you to explore your potential while respecting your boundaries. In addition to physical postures, classes will incorporate pranayama (breathwork) and mindfulness exercises to cultivate inner awareness and balance.

Instructor: **Ely Nature**

FEE: \$42 **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

Jan 22 - Feb 26 | 6 weeks | Thursdays, 6:00 - 7:00pm
Course Code: 202141-A

NEW! **Yoga - All Levels**

This welcoming class is designed for students of all experience levels—from complete beginners to seasoned practitioners. We will explore foundational yoga poses (asanas) and introduce simple breathing techniques (pranayama) to support relaxation and focus. Props such as yoga blocks, straps, and blankets will be available to enhance comfort and alignment. Experienced yoga participants are encouraged to deepen their practice by refining postures and breathwork through mindful variations.

Instructor: **Ely Nature**

FEE: \$56 **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

Mar 5 - Apr 30 | 8 weeks | Thursdays, 6:00 - 7:00pm

No Class: 4/2

Course Code: 202142-A

Morning Yoga

Each week we will have a creative mix of traditional yoga sequences designed to develop new levels of strength, endurance and mental focus as you connect to your body and breath. We will also work on increasing flexibility in the hips and spine. Class will end on the mat with restorative poses and savasana. A class for all levels. Start your day by feeling energized and relaxed!

Instructor: **Iryna Meredith**

FEE: \$42 **Drakeford**

AGES: 18+

A **Jan 22 - Feb 26 | 6 weeks | Thursdays, 8:30 - 9:30am**
Course Code: 202128-A

FEE: \$56 **Drakeford**

AGES: 18+

B **Mar 12 - Apr 30 | 8 weeks | Thursdays, 8:30 - 9:30am**
Course Code: 202128-B

Slow Flow Yoga

Class starts with warming up the body. Then we will practice slow flowing yoga sequences to increase flexibility, strength and stamina. We will also practice some standing poses and finish with restorative poses.

Instructor: **Soren Johnsen**

FEE: \$42 **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

A **Jan 21 - Feb 25 | 6 weeks | Wednesdays, 7:00 - 8:00pm**
Course Code: 202103-A

FEE: \$56 **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

B **Mar 11 - Apr 29 | 8 weeks | Wednesdays, 7:00 - 8:00pm**
Course Code: 202103-B

NEW!

Chair Yoga for Adults

Discover the benefits of gentle movement and mindful breathing in this accessible yoga class designed for adults of all ages and abilities. Chair Yoga offers a supportive environment where participants perform seated and standing poses using a chair for balance and stability. Whether you're new to yoga, recovering from an injury, or simply looking for a low-impact way to stay active, this class helps improve flexibility, strength, posture, and relaxation. No prior yoga experience is necessary. Please wear comfortable clothing and bring water. Chairs are provided. Come as you are and leave feeling refreshed, centered, and empowered!

Instructor: **Jime Rodrigues Ribeiro**

FEE: \$42  **Drakeford**

AGES: 18+

A Jan 26 - Mar 2 | 6 weeks | Mondays, 5:30 - 6:30pm
Course Code: 202143-A

FEE: \$56  **Drakeford**

AGES: 18+

B Mar 23 - Apr 27 | 8 weeks | Mondays, 5:30 - 6:30pm
Course Code: 202143-B



NIA

NIA is a sensory-based movement practice that draws from martial arts, dance arts and healing arts. It empowers people of all shapes and sizes by connecting the body, mind, emotions and spirit. Classes are taken barefoot to soul-stirring music. Step into your own joyful journey with NIA, and positively shape the way you feel, look, think and live. Every person can discover, explore, unleash and enhance their individual potential to live a fulfilling and meaningful life by engaging their senses and listening to their bodies. Come experience the Joy of Movement!

Instructor: **Laurie LaBean**

FEE: \$48  **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

A Jan 21 - Feb 25 | 6 weeks | Wednesdays, 5:45 - 6:45pm
Course Code: 202105-A

FEE: \$64  **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

B Mar 11 - Apr 29 | 8 weeks | Wednesdays, 5:45 - 6:45pm
Course Code: 202105-B

Zumba

Are you ready for a dance party that is also “exercise in disguise”? Then join us for a Zumba class! When participants see a Zumba class in action, they can't wait to give it a try. Zumba classes use high-energy Latin and International music to create an energetic, easy-to-follow, modifiable, and fun dance fitness class. No previous dance experience is necessary. Come dance around the world with Zumba!

Instructor: **Liz Wozniak**



FEE: \$42  **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

A Jan 22 - Feb 26 | 6 weeks | Thursdays, 7:15 - 8:15pm
Course Code: 202101-A

FEE: \$56  **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

C Mar 5 - Apr 30 | 8 weeks | Thursdays, 7:15 - 8:15pm
Course Code: 202101-C

Qi Gong

Qi Gong is a healing art form rooted in the ancient Taoist tradition yet extremely helpful for our contemporary lives. Through slow meditative movements, breath work, and your focused attention, Qi Gong helps to balance mind, body, spirit. These gentle yet powerful healing practices are usually done in a standing position (like standing meditation) and promote wellbeing and connectedness. Participants in this class will learn: Qi Gong breathing; various Qi Gong movements, Taoist principles of Qi Gong; causes of energy blockages and Qi Gong practices to help clear those blockages. This style of Qi Gong is based in the lineage of Master Chun Yi Lin and Spring Forest Qi Gong. These movements can also be done sitting or lying down.

Instructor: **Rhea Colmar**

FEE: \$42  **Century Center**

AGES: 18+

Mar 10 - Apr 14 | 6 weeks | Tuesdays, 7:30 - 8:30pm
Course Code: 202136-A



Body Strength and Conditioning Class

Full Body Strength and Conditioning class combines the principles of traditional strength training and conditioning while combining it with mobility and flexibility stretching. You only need your body and a mat or blanket to stand and lie on. This class does

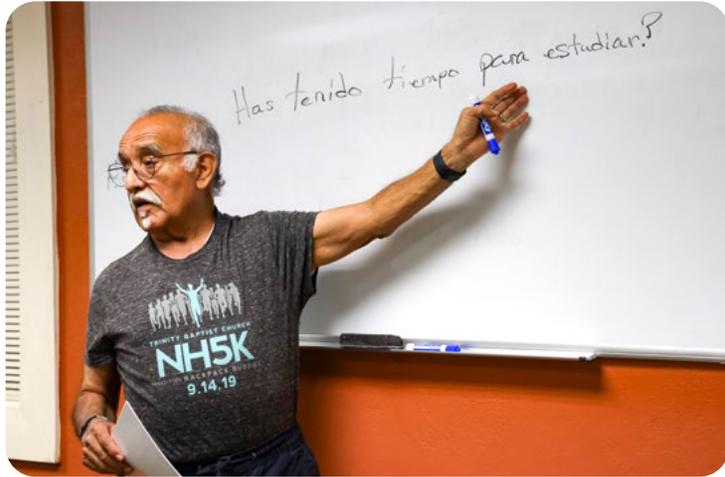
not require you to be flexible or strong as we practice body awareness and honoring where your body is at this time and place and movement can be modified to work for your abilities!

Instructor: **She Quick**

FEE: \$42  **Drakeford**

AGES: 18+

Mar 17 - Apr 21 | 6 weeks | Tuesdays, 10:00 - 11:00am
Course Code: 202137-B



Spanish for Beginners

Learn the essentials for everyday conversation and workplace including vocabulary and expressions. Rey's authentic and practical approaches have won the highest of praises from his students. These classes feature practical exercises, longer sessions to boost your skills.

Instructor: **Rey Ramirez**

FEE: \$85 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

A Jan 21 - Apr 8 | 12 weeks | Wednesdays, 11:15am - 1:15pm
Course Code: 202110-A

FEE: \$85 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

B Jan 26 - Apr 13 | 12 weeks | Mondays, 6:00 - 8:00pm
Course Code: 202110-B

Spanish Beginners Conversational

This class is designed for those students who have completed the Beginning Spanish class with Mr. Ramirez or have learned basic Spanish skills from other classes. The course will involve composition, listening skills, verb conjugation and daily basic conversation.

Instructor: **Rey Ramirez**

FEE: \$85 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

A Jan 21 - Apr 8 | 12 weeks | Wednesdays, 6:00 - 8:00pm
Course Code: 202111-A

FEE: \$85 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

B Jan 22 - Apr 16 | 12 weeks | Thursdays, 9:00 - 11:00am
No Class: 4/2
Course Code: 202111-B

Spanish Conversational

This class is designed for those students who have completed Beginning Spanish Conversational. Rey's authentic and practical approaches have won the highest praises from his students. These classes feature practical exercises, longer sessions to boost your skills.

Instructor: **Rey Ramirez**

FEE: \$85 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

A Jan 21 - Apr 8 | 12 weeks | Wednesdays, 9:00 - 11:00am
Course Code: 202112-A

FEE: \$85 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

B Jan 22 - Apr 16 | 12 weeks | Thursdays, 6:00 - 8:00pm
No Class: 4/2
Course Code: 202112-B

Contact Improv

Contact Improvisation (CI) is ever evolving and each person brings to their dance a unique combination of background and interests. Some focus on it being a creative and expressive dance form, others explore what it is like to be in contact with yourself and another person. In this class we'll work with safely having fun by the kinesthetic learning of connection, being off balance, and counterbalancing. One component of safety in CI is extending one's awareness to include your connection to the earth, partner and environment. Listening for and respecting boundaries and limits, your own and others, is integral to the practice. John Bainbridge's deep passion for CI started with a class in 1990 and he's been a student of the form ever since. He comes to share what he's learned and facilitate student's exploration of their interests in the moment.

Instructor: **John Bainbridge**

FEE: \$48 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

A Jan 20 - Feb 24 | 6 weeks | Tuesdays, 6:00 - 7:00pm
Course Code: 202138-A

FEE: \$48 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

B Mar 10 - Apr 14 | 6 weeks | Tuesdays, 6:00 - 7:00pm
Course Code: 202138-B

**IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE A RECEIPT,
YOU MAY NOT BE REGISTERED.**

If this happens, contact our main office at
(919) 918-7364 during business hours



Bikes! Maintenance and Best Practices *The Basics*

Learn how your bike works and how to keep it in good order. Participants will learn basic bike maintenance and solutions to common problems. We will go over tires, tubes, chains, and how to incorporate learned concepts into safe bike riding. We will also discuss and demo how to clean the overall bike with a follow up question and answer session. Adults are also encouraged to sign-up and participate. Please bring your bike. Tools are not required.

Instructor: **Tamara Sanders**

FEE: \$30📍 **Dr. MLK Jr. Park**
AGES: 10+
Wednesday, March 18 | 1 Day | 4:00 - 6:00pm
 Course Code: **202129-A**

Indian Cooking

Learn about the variety and many ways of cooking the traditional and ethnic fare of India. Cook exotic foods, filled with fresh produce and herbs, delicate spices, hot curries, and homemade dairy products and semi-homemade ingredients. The course introduces ingredients for making both vegetarian and non-vegetarian recipes, main and side dishes, and desserts.



Instructor: **Rani Imandi**

FEE: \$91📍 **Century Center**
AGES: 18+
A April 21 - 29 | 2 weeks | Tuesdays, 6:00 - 9:00pm
 Course Code: **202115-A**
B May 12 - 19 | 2 weeks | Tuesdays, 6:00 - 9:00pm
 Course Code: **202115-B**

NEW! Authentic Italian Cooking for Beginners *Fresh Sauces*

Join Bob Alfieri for this hands-on class where participants will learn to make his mother's Italian-American sauce with meatballs, as well as a traditional Bolognese sauce. We will sample these using homemade pastas (covered in future classes). **Both teens and adults are welcome to attend this class.**

Instructor: **Bob Alfieri**

FEE: \$30📍 **Century Center**
AGES: 13+
Sunday, January 18 | 1 day | 4:00 - 6:30pm
 Course Code: **201119-A**

Authentic Italian Cooking for Beginners *Risotto*



Risotto, is a classic dish of Italy. During this class participants will learn to cook a couple vegetarian risotti. Afterward we will sample our creations and discuss how to apply the same techniques to other risotti. **Both teens and adults are welcome to attend this class.**

Instructor: **Bob Alfieri**

FEE: \$30📍 **Drakeford and Century Center**
AGES: 13+
Sunday, February 22 | 1 day | 4:00 - 6:30pm
 Course Code: **201119-B**

Authentic Italian Cooking for Beginners *Homemade Pasta*

Learn to make homemade egg pasta from scratch. We will roll out and cut the dough using a couple different methods: a pasta machine, and a long rolling pin (preferred method). We will make fettuccini as well as stuffed pastas such as ravioli and tortellini. Afterward, if time permits, we will sample our creations using very simple sauces such as basil pesto and sage and butter. You will take home the rest! **Both teens and adults are welcome to attend this class.**

Instructor: **Bob Alfieri**

FEE: \$30📍 **Drakeford and Century Center**
AGES: 13+
Sunday, March 15 | 1 day | 4:00 - 6:30pm
 Course Code: **201119-C**



Liquid Color Magic: Acrylic Pour Canvas Workshop

Ever been mesmerized by the swirling beauty of pour paintings? Now's your chance to create your own! In this hands-on workshop, you'll learn the basics of acrylic pouring—a vibrant, fluid art technique that's perfect for beginners and seasoned creatives alike. No brushes, no rules—just color, movement, and a little magic. You'll walk away with two stunning 8x10 canvases that showcase your unique style. All materials provided.

FEE: \$20 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

Monday, May 4 | 10:00am - 12:00pm

Course Code: 204402-A

Finding Your Voice: A Creative Writing Class

Want to write a short story but can't seem to get started? Halfway through a novel but feel like you'll never finish? This generative writing class is for those who are ready to dive in and create new work! Whether you have no idea what your next project is, or you're determined to get the first seeds of an idea out of your brain and onto the page, in this course you'll participate in exercises and discussion tailored to spark momentum, clarity and progress in your writing.

Instructor: **Meghan Gambling**

FEE: \$125 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

Feb 5 - Mar 12 | 6 weeks | Thursdays, 6:00 - 8:00pm

Course Code: 202139-A

Intro to Playwriting: Science of the Scene

This class focuses on scene construction: what is happening in a scene, to whom, and why. You'll use in-class exercises, examples, and discussion to identify the story you're trying to tell and learn how to convey it in a clear and compelling manner. Classes will include writing and workshopping scenes since performance and practice are integral to determining what's working (and what's not). Beginners are welcome, as are those with previous theatrical writing experience who are looking to create and connect with others. No acting skills required.

Instructor: **Meghan Gambling**

FEE: \$125 Drakeford

AGES: 18+

Feb 1 - Mar 15 | 6 weeks | Sundays, 2:00 - 4:00pm

No Class: 2/15

Course Code: 202140-A

NEW!

ReCYCLERY Bike Safety Class

This class on the ABCs of bike safety and maintenance will teach you what to look for on your bicycle before every ride to ensure that it is safe to ride. You'll learn how to properly inflate your tires, perform a simple brake test, check your drivetrain and check your wheels are correctly attached. If you have a bicycle, feel free to bring it and follow along. The Recyclery will have mechanics available after the class to help assist if we should find any issues with your bike that you may find during the class.

Instructor: **ReCYCLERY**

FEE: Free Dr. MLK Jr. Par

AGES: All

Sunday, April 11 | 1 day | 10:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 202144-A

**KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR NEW ART PROGRAMS
COMING THIS WINTER-SPRING!**

Go to Carrbororec.org or contact Grayce Curry
at (919) 918-7376 for more information.

**IS THERE A CLASS OR PROGRAM THAT
YOU WOULD LIKE TO PARTICIPATE IN
THAT WE DO NOT CURRENTLY OFFER?**

Do you have an idea for a class or
program that you would like to teach?

SEND US YOUR SUGGESTIONS!

Call us at (919) 918-7364 or email us at RecParks@carrboronc.gov

Bingo

Get ready to shout “BINGO” and enjoy a snack! Whether you’re a seasoned player or a first-time player, this event promises fun, friendship, and a little friendly competition with 10 chances to win a prize.



FEE: Free 📍 Drakeford

AGES: 50+

A Wednesday, January 14 | 2:00 - 3:30pm

Course Code: 204101-A

B Monday, February 16 | 2:00 - 3:30pm

Course Code: 204101-B

C Thursday, March 26 | 2:00 - 3:30pm

Course Code: 204101-C

D Monday, April 27 | 2:00 - 3:30pm

Course Code: 204101-D

Black History Month Bingo

Bingo can be played many ways, this month the theme will be “Black History Month”. As we play several games, you can test your knowledge on black history events, people and places. Get ready to shout “BINGO” to win the prize and enjoy a snack!

FEE: Free 📍 Drakeford

AGES: 50+

Wednesday, February 4 | 10:00 - 11:30am

Course Code: 204101-E

No Sew Blanket Making

Let’s give to the children! Join us at Covenant Place to assemble no sew fleece blankets to be donated to the Ronald McDonald House. Carrboro Recreation and Parks will provide the material; however, we need you to help do the work. Don’t forget to register to help us out with this great service project!

FEE: Free 📍 Covenant Place

AGES: 50+

Tuesday, January 20 | 2:00 - 4:00pm

Course Code: 204106-A



NEW!

Pickleball Play Day

Pickleball is a great way to improve your strength, balance, and agility! Whether you’re new to the sport or a seasoned player, come join us as we “dink” around the courts at Wilson Park. This fun and social program welcomes all skill levels and offers a great opportunity to stay active, meet new people, and enjoy the game in a supportive environment.

FEE: Free 📍 Wilson Park

AGES: 18+

A Friday, March 6 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 406204-A

B Wednesday, April 29 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 406204-B



Senior Tennis Play Day

Join us for a lively and welcoming tennis event designed especially for players aged 50 and above! Whether you’re a seasoned player or just getting back into the swing of things, this is a great opportunity to meet fellow tennis enthusiasts from the local community, enjoy friendly matches in singles or doubles format. Bring a friend—or two—for even more fun, relax, and recharge with light refreshments provided on-site. Please remember to bring your racquet. We look forward to seeing you on the court!

FEE: Free 📍 Wilson Park

AGES: 50+

Wednesday, March 25 | 9:00 - 11:00am

Course Code: 406203-B



Game Day at Covenant Place

Co-sponsored with Covenant Place

Carrboro Recreation and Parks and Covenant Place have teamed up to bring you several chances to socialize while playing or learning how to play Bunco, Dominos, Quiddler and Yahtzee, Card Games or Wii. No experience is needed so come out and learn something new or just sit and chat with your friends.

FEE: Free  **Covenant Place**
AGES: 50+

- A** **Thursday, January 15 | 1:00 - 2:00pm**
Course Code: **204102-A**
- B** **Thursday, February 19 | 1:00 - 2:00pm**
Course Code: **204102-B**
- C** **Thursday, March 19 | 1:00 - 2:00pm**
Course Code: **204102-C**
- D** **Thursday, April 16 | 1:00 - 2:00pm**
Course Code: **204102-D**



Dementia Basics

Co-sponsored with Orange County Department on Aging and UNC Health

This four-part series will provide basic information about dementia to individuals with memory concerns, their caregivers, family members, friends, & community members. Each week covers a new dementia-related topic. Register by phone or email: 919-968-2087, agingtransitions@orangecountync.gov

- 1: Brain Health
- 2: Types & Stages of Dementia
- 3: Communication
- 4: Preparing for the Journey Ahead

FEE: Free  **Drakeford**
AGES: 18+

January 8 - 29 | 4 weeks | Thursdays, 10:00am - 12:00pm

Music Trivia

Music defines culture. Throughout the years, we've seen lots of artists and songs come and go, helping shape our society. Join us for an afternoon of fun and laughter as we test our music knowledge of the past and present.



FEE: Free  **Covenant Place**
AGES: 50+

Thursday, January 8 | 3:00 - 4:30pm
 Course Code: **204109-A**

Joyful Gentle Movement

with Kate Finlayson

Bring the joy of movement to all your Joints! Join movement teacher Kate Finlayson as she blends motivating, inspiring music with diverse, playful choreography. This is a unique circle class blending relaxing breath work with fun simple movements from dance, sports, martial arts and yoga to bring joyful self-expression to healthy cardiovascular exercise! Being present in our bodies with healing movement is vitally important as we age. Keeping the joints lubricated with gentle motion and activating muscular strength enhances basic 'every day' functioning. Other benefits include increased stability, balance, flexibility and agility, which brings more comfort, and ease into our lives.

Kate has been teaching Nia dance and movement classes for 19 years locally and in New Orleans. She was a Nia Education Trainer for ten years, the creator of Dancing the Enneagram, and has led movement workshops all over the US, Brazil, Greece, South Africa and Nicaragua. Joyful Gentle Movement can be done in a chair or on your feet. Join in the Fun! Wear comfortable clothing to move in and bring a water bottle.

FEE: \$3  **Covenant Place**
AGES: 50+

- A** **Tuesday, January 13 | 10:00 - 11:00am**
Course Code: **204705-A**
- B** **Tuesday, February 10 | 10:00 - 11:00am**
Course Code: **204705-B**
- C** **Tuesday, March 10 | 10:00 - 11:00am**
Course Code: **204705-C**
- D** **Tuesday, April 14 | 10:00 - 11:00am**
Course Code: **204705-D**
- A** **Tuesday, May 19 | 10:00 - 11:00am**
Course Code: **304705-A**



Covenant Place is located at
 **103 Culbreth Road**
Chapel Hill, NC 27516



Creative Canvas,
Where Everyone's an Artist

Unleash your inner Picasso and let your imagination run wild! Join us for a vibrant morning of color, creativity, and connection! Whether you're a seasoned painter or just curious to try something new, this joyful gathering is all about self-expression and fun. We'll provide everything you need—an 8x10 canvas, brushes, and a rainbow of paints. All you need to bring is your enthusiasm!

FEE: \$5📍 Drakeford
AGES: 50+
Monday, January 26 | 10:00am - 12:00pm
 Course Code: 204401-A
Tuesday, March 31 | 10:00am - 12:00pm
 Course Code: 204401-B

Orange County Senior Games

Senior Games is a year-round health promotion program for adults ages 50+. Activities include clinics, sports, competitions/tournaments, social activities, SilverArts – including visual, heritage (woodworking, basket weaving, ceramic glass, etc.), and performance- dance-as well as local and state competitions. For more information, call Latonya Brown, Senior Games Coordinator, 919-245-4270. The Recreation and Parks Departments of Carrboro, Chapel Hill and the Orange County Department on Aging are the local sponsors.



The 2026 Orange County Senior Games' Athletic Event and Silver Arts will be held in the Spring. Registration will begin in late January.

Dates: **April 16-May 6, 2026**
 SilverArts Dates: **April 16-May 6, 2026**
 Registration Deadline: **March 20, 2026**

Winter - Spring Lunch Restaurant Exploration

Join us as we explore some local restaurants this Winter - Spring. We will visit some of the wonderful restaurants in our area, try new things and experience new places. Registration is required. Cost covers transportation. Each individual will be responsible for entrée, dessert, and any additional purchases.

FEE: \$5📍 Meet at Town Commons
AGES: 50+
Wed, Jan 28 | Monterrey Mexican Grill | 11:15 - 1:45pm
 Course Code: 204302-A
Tuesday, Feb 24 | The Pig | 11:15 - 1:45pm
 Course Code: 204302-B
Monday, Mar 16 | Mediterranean Deli | 11:15 - 1:45pm
 Course Code: 204302-C

Valentine's Day Party

Celebrate the love of your choice with us this year. Life, grandchildren, pets, a sweetie, chocolate, nature, and art are all contenders! This sweet little party promises entertainment, refreshments and games...all in the name of love. Space is limited; please call (919) 918-7364 to register.

FEE: Free📍 Century Center
AGES: 50+
Friday, February 13 | 2:00 - 4:00pm
 Course Code: 204201-A



Winter Gathering - Cocoa & Cake

Looking for something to do on a cold winter's day? Stop by and socialize with your friends and the staff from Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department. Enjoy a cup of cocoa and slice of cake and see what fun winter-spring activities will be offered this year. Pre-registration required.

FEE: Free📍 Covenant Place
AGES: 50+
Tuesday, February 10 | 1:00 - 2:30pm
 Course Code: 204203-A

Spring Fling Social

Get ready to shake off the winter blues and welcome the sunshine with our Spring Fling Social — a vibrant celebration of community, laughter, and springtime joy! The social will include games and refreshments. Pre-registration required.

FEE: Free📍 **Dr. MLK Jr. Park**

AGES: 50+

Friday, April 17 | 2:00 - 4:00pm

Course Code: **204202-A**

Pre Cinco de Mayo

Join us for a vibrant celebration of Mexican culture! Delicious Mexican food, lively fellowship and a toast to history and heritage, commemorating Mexico's victory at the Battle of Puebla. Pre-registration required by April 17th.



FEE: Free📍 **Dr. MLK Jr. Park**

AGES: 50+

Friday, May 1 | 12:00 - 2:00pm

Course Code: **204201-B**



Trivia

The Ultimate Brain Brawl

Bring your thinking caps-and your most gloriously useless knowledge—for a fun filled showdown of trivia mastery! Solo players will

battle it out across a wild mix of categories including current events, movies, music, sports, history, and more. Whether you're a pop culture junkie, a history buff, or just someone who remembers weird facts for no reason, this is your time to shine. Expect surprises, friendly competition, and plenty of bragging rights. No pressure, no prizes—just pure FUN!

FEE: Free📍 **Covenant Place**

AGES: 50+

Thursday, May 7 | 3:00 - 4:30pm

Course Code: **404103-A**

Liquid Color Magic:

Acrylic Pour Canvas Workshop

Ever been mesmerized by the swirling beauty of pour paintings? Now's your chance to create your own! In this hands-on workshop, you'll learn the basics of acrylic pouring—a vibrant, fluid art technique that's perfect for beginners and seasoned creatives alike. No brushes, no rules-just color, movement, and a little magic. You'll walk away with two stunning 8x10 canvases that showcase your unique style. All materials provided.

FEE: Free📍 **Drakeford**

AGES: 18+

Monday, May 4 | 10:00am - 12:00pm

Course Code: **204402-A**

GOLDEN TRAILS SERIES

This adult oriented walking group gets you out and about on local trails. The company of others, the gains from a little physical endeavor and the joys of being in a natural environment are possible rewards. A small fee helps cover accompanying staff costs. Transportation from a central point is offered or individuals can meet or follow us to the trailhead. Binoculars are always encouraged. Water is always a must bring! As with any exercise, your physician's recommendation for your participation is encouraged. Please feel free to call Dana Hughes at (919) 918-7372 to find out more specific trail difficulty information so that you can make a good choice.

Pre-Registration required for all trips.

Cates Farm and Panther Branch Hike

Are you ready for a hike? Join us for a rejuvenating journey through Mebane's newest and most picturesque park—Cates Farm. Once a bustling pickle farm, this stunning 54-acre property is now being transformed into a sanctuary for the mind, body, and spirit. With 2.0 miles of scenic trails winding through lush landscapes, Cates Farm offers the perfect escape into nature. To cap off our adventure, we'll explore the final mile at the Panther Branch Natural Area along the Running-cedar Loop Trail. Bring a snack and water.

FEE: \$4📍 **Town Commons Parking Lot**

AGES: 50+

Wednesday, March 18 | 9:00am - 1:30pm

Course Code: **204501-A**

Jordan Lake State Recreation Area - Seaforth

with Kate Finlayson

Join Kate Finlayson as we step into spring on Jordan Lake in Chatham County. The hike is an easy 2 miles loop. Along the Pond Trail, we will enjoy glimpses of the lake while walking through loblolly pines, hardwoods, old fields and past three ponds. These ponds are a haven for waterfowl and offer chances to view herons hunting for food and Bald Eagles soaring overhead. A long boardwalk crosses a wetland teeming with buttonbush, black needle rush and other water loving vegetation. We end at a picnic shelter so bring a snack, binoculars and water.

FEE: \$10📍 **Town Commons Parking Lot**

AGES: 50+

Thursday, April 9 | 8:30am - 12:30pm

Course Code: **204501-B**



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Mason Farm Birds of Spring Hike

with Kate Finlayson

This is our annual birding outing to Mason Farm with Audubon Guide Kate Finlayson. Many avian travelers will just be back from the tropics and we hope to see colorful indigo buntings, summer tanagers, and prairie warblers just to name a few. The new boardwalk will be finished that takes us through Siler’s Bog and we will look for signs of snakes and frogs. This hike is relatively flat and is estimated at 1.5 miles. Bring water and if you’d like, binoculars.

FEE: \$10📍 Town Commons Parking Lot

AGES: 50+

Tuesday, May 5 | 8:30am - 12:30pm
 Course Code: 204501-C

EXCURSIONS

Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources trips are known for their fine company, back road ambling, and interest-piquing destinations. Take advantage of a one-day outing and leave the driving to someone else! All trips are geared for adults. Transportation by van, departing from Carrboro Town Hall and return times are approximate. Please inquire regarding wheelchair accessibility.

In order to receive a refund, you must cancel 2 weeks prior to the trip.

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Temple Theatre

“Side by Side by Sondheim”

This revue celebrates the wit and genius of musical theatre’s most influential artist. Get ready to laugh, cry and fall in love with lyrics that are heartbreakingly true and music that captures the soaring emotions of a new generation with Side by Side by Sondheim. We will stop for lunch on the way (lunch is not included in price).

FEE: \$39📍 Town Commons Parking Lot

AGES: 50+

Friday, January 23 | 10:45am - 5:15pm
 Course Code: 209101-A



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Hayti Heritage Center and Briggs Restaurant



Join us for a cultural and educational excursion to the Hayti Heritage Center in Durham, North Carolina—a historic landmark dedicated to preserving and celebrating African American heritage, arts, and community. The trip will consist of a 45-minute tour and then we will have lunch at Briggs Restaurant (lunch not included in the price).

FEE: \$10📍 Town Commons Parking Lot

AGES: 50+

Friday, February 6 | 10:00am - 3:00pm
 Course Code: 209101-B

NC Escape

Escape Room back by request! Time to put your minds to work and see if the group can escape. Bring your inner genius, a great attitude and a good sense of humor! Everyone will have something to contribute as we try to beat the clock. Space is limited for this trip.

FEE: \$35📍 **Town Commons Parking Lot**
AGES: 50+

Monday, March 23 | 2:00 - 4:45pm
 Course Code: 209101-C



Greensboro Science Center

Join us for an exciting day of exploration at the Greensboro Science Center—a unique destination that combines a hands-on science museum with a vibrant zoological park. Whether you’re marveling at marine life like sharks, stingrays, and penguins, or observing playful meerkats, gibbons, and lemurs, there’s something for everyone to enjoy. When it’s time to refuel, grab a bite at the onsite MeeRKaT Café. Be sure to bring money if you plan to purchase food or souvenirs.

FEE: \$24📍 **Town Commons Parking Lot**
AGES: 50+

Thursday, April 23 | 10:00am - 4:00pm
 Course Code: 209101-D



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Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources offers programs specifically designed for individuals with developmental and multiple disabilities, including mental health, but anyone and everyone are welcome and encouraged to join in the fun!

Please Note: Must Register For All Programs.



Initial Canvas Painting

Release your inner artist and make your mark—literally! In this colorful, creativity-packed hour, all painters will design and decorate their very own initial-themed canvas masterpiece. Whether your name starts with an A, Z, or anything in between, we'll guide you step-by-step to turn your letter into a bold, bright, and totally YOU piece of art. No experience needed—just bring your favorite letter and your biggest smile!

FEE: \$5 📍 Drakeford

AGES: 8+

Wednesday, January 21 | 4:00 - 5:00pm

Course Code: 208101-A

Creative Clay: Sculpt & Express

Unleash your imagination and experience the therapeutic joy of working with your hands in Creative Clay: Sculpt & Express. Participants will use air-dry clay to create their own unique masterpiece—whether it's a sculpture, a decorative object, or an abstract design. This engaging activity is more than just art—it's a calming and enriching experience that offers a variety of benefits! All materials are provided, and no experience is necessary.

FEE: \$5 📍 Drakeford

AGES: 8+

Wednesday, February 25 | 4:00 - 5:00pm

Course Code: 208201-B

St. Patrick's Day Textile Crafts

Join us for a fun and festive St. Patrick's Day craft session where we will be using a variety of textiles and materials to bring the magic of the holiday to life! Whether you're young or young-at-heart, this workshop is perfect for crafters of all skill levels. Participants will have the opportunity to make a Shamrock, Pot of Gold and Leprechaun! All materials are provided, just bring your creativity and St. Paddy's spirit!



FEE: \$5 📍 Drakeford

AGES: 8+

Wednesday, March 11 | 4:00 - 5:00pm

Course Code: 208201-A

Spring Flowerpot Painting

Celebrate the season of blooms by joining us for a fun and relaxing Spring Flower Pot Painting event! Whether you are an experienced artist or just looking to try something new, this is the perfect way to welcome spring with color and creativity. Participants will paint and decorate their own terracotta flowerpot.

FEE: \$5 📍 Drakeford

AGES: 8+

Thursday, April 22 | 4:00 - 5:00pm

Course Code: 208301-A



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SIGNATURE EVENTS

Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources offers special events that are free or inexpensive and provide a great way to enjoy your leisure time with friends or family. Some programs may require registration.



BLACK HISTORY MONTH EVENTS

February 1-28	28 Days of Black History Trivia <i>See page 29</i>
February 1-28	Inspiring Black History Month Quotes To Remember <i>See page 29</i>
February 1, 15 & 22	Black History Month Concert Series <i>See page 29</i>
February 2	“A Century of Black History Commemorations” SPEAKERS: Amos Quick III and Dr. Ivey Taylor <i>See page 29</i>
February 3	Poet’s Open Mic <i>See page 33</i>
February 4	Black History Month Senior Bingo <i>See page 21</i>
February 6	Hayti Heritage Center Trip <i>See page 25</i>
February 9	“A Century of Black History Commemorations” SPEAKERS: Dasan Ahanu and Dr. Freddy Parker <i>See page 29</i>
February 15	“Black History Hall of Fame” Theatre Production (Family Fun Sunday Series) <i>See page 32</i>
February 28	Health & Wellness Fair <i>See page 30</i>

*Go to the Community Events Calendar (www.carrboronc.gov) for other community events.

Carrboro Day & Earth Day Celebration

Celebrate sustainability and Carrboro with an event that brings people together for an afternoon of eco-friendly activities and outdoor fun. Enjoy car-free streets transformed into vibrant spaces for cycling, walking, and exploring green initiatives, all while learning how we can protect our planet. Moving forward, Carrboro Day and Earth Day will be celebrated together as one event.



FEE: Free  **Weaver Street and Town Commons**
AGES: All
Sunday, April 19 | 12:00 - 4:00pm
 Course Code: **205106-A**



Carrboro Film Festival

The 20th Annual Carrboro Film Festival is a celebration of the film and video creativity we have both right here in NC and across the South. All filmmakers, from beginners to well-established professionals, are welcome to submit a production. For more information and a full schedule of events, please visit: www.CarrboroFilm.org.

FEE: TBD  **Drakeford Library Complex**
AGES: All
January 23 - 25 | Times TBD
 Course Code: **105103-A**

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

The Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department offers a variety of volunteer opportunities throughout the year. At this time, the Department is currently recruiting volunteers to work a number of positions, which include:

Special Event Assistants:

- KITE FLY (March 8th)
- CARRBORO COMMUNITY EGG HUNT CELEBRATION (March 28th)
- CARRBORO DAY & EARTH DAY CELEBRATION (April 19th)
- KEEP CARRBORO BEAUTIFUL (April 22nd)

Volunteers:

- SUMMER CAMPS (June-August)
- SPORTS CAMPS (June-August)

If you have an interest in volunteering for any of the above positions or other opportunities, please visit www.carrbororec.org and click on Volunteer Opportunities. For additional information, please contact the Volunteer Coordinator at (919) 918-7370 or volunteer@carrboronc.gov.

*See pg 2 for additional Athletic Volunteer Opportunities

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Do you have an idea for a class or program that you would like to teach? The Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department is seeking experienced individuals for the following positions:

- INSTRUCTORS
- PERFORMERS
- SPEAKERS

If you are interested in any of the above positions, please visit www.carrboronc.gov and fill out a Services Proposal Application under Forms & Applications. For additional information, call our main desk at (919) 918-7364.

*See pg 2 for additional Employment Opportunities

FAMILY EVENTS

Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources offer special events that are free or inexpensive and provide a great way to enjoy your leisure time with friends or family. Some programs may require registration.

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration

This youth planned event strives to bring the community together to celebrate the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

FEE: Free  Century Center
AGES: All
Saturday, January 17
1:00 – 3:00pm
 Course Code: 205317-A



28 Days of Black History Trivia

February is dedicated as Black History Month, honoring the triumphs and struggles of African Americans throughout U.S. history, including civil rights movements, cultural and political achievements. Test your knowledge for the 28 days in February. There will be one trivia question and answer posted each day on Carrboro Recreation, Parks, & Cultural Resources Department’s Facebook page www.facebook.com/carrbororec.

FEE: Free  Online
AGES: All
February 1 - 28
 Course Code: 203601-A

Inspiring Black History Month Quotes to Remember

Need a little inspiration to start your day? Check out these wonderful inspirational quotes from civil rights icons. One quote will be posted each day on Carrboro Recreation, Parks, & Cultural Resources Department’s Facebook page www.facebook.com/carrbororec.

FEE: Free  Online
AGES: All
February 1 - 28
 Course Code: 203601-B

“A Century of Black History Commemorations”

Join us this February, for our Speaker Series, as we mark the centennial of national **Commemoration of Black History**. Established in 1915 by Dr. Carter G. Woodson and his colleagues, the Association for the Study of African American Life and History (ASALH) institutionalized the recognition, research, and teaching of Black life and culture, first through Negro History Week and eventually evolving into Black History Month.

FEE: Free  Drakeford
AGES: All
SPEAKERS: Dr. Ivey Taylor
 UNC-Chapel Hill Local Relations Director
 Senior Pastor, Calvary Baptist Church, Lexington NC
 Amos Quick III
 North Carolina House of Representatives, District 58

A **Monday, February 2 | 6:00 - 8:00pm**
 Course Code: 205318-A

SPEAKERS: Dasan Ahanu
 North Carolina-based cultural organizer, artist, and scholar
 Dr. Freddy Parker
 Professor Emeritus of History at NCCU

B **Monday, February 9 | 6:00 - 8:00pm**
 Course Code: 205318-B

Black History Month Concert Series

Celebrate Black History Month with a **three-part concert series** highlighting **diverse music genres, rich culture, and talented artists** from across the state. Each show pays tribute to the sounds and stories that define Black excellence in music.

FEE: Free  Century Hall
AGES: All
A **Kay Marion & The Neo Symphony**
Neo Soul/Classical Songstress
Sunday, February 1 | 3:00 - 4:30pm
 Course Code: 205320-A

FEE: Free  Century Hall
AGES: All
B **Melodies for Healing**
R&B/ Jazz / Old School
Sunday, February 15 | 3:00 - 4:30pm
 Course Code: 205320-B

FEE: Free  Drakeford
AGES: All
C **The Four Seasons**
Gospel
Sunday, February 22 | 3:00 - 4:30pm
 Course Code: 205320-C

Health & Wellness Fair

Please join us as we host the 2026 Health & Wellness Fair. Free Community event to gain knowledge and receive information about best practices for a healthy lifestyle. Screenings, blood pressure checks, food, raffles.

FEE: Free📍 Century Hall

AGES: All

Saturday February 28 | 10:00am - 2:00pm

Course Code: 205321-A



Carrboro Annual Kite Fly

Since 1982, Carrboro has welcomed spring with a sky full of color at its beloved Annual Kite Fly! Join us as we kick off National Kite Flying Month a couple of weeks early with a celebration that's perfect for all ages—whether you're 2 or 90, kite flying is timeless fun. Bring your own kite or borrow one of the few available on-site and help us fill the skies with vibrant designs and joyful energy. This free, family-friendly event is a great way to enjoy the outdoors, connect with the community, and celebrate the changing season. This event will be cancelled in case of rain.

FEE: Free📍 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: All

Sunday, March 8 | 1:00 - 3:00pm

Course Code: 205313-A

Women's History Month Program

Rise & Rhythms

A celebration of women's impact through spoken word, music and speeches honoring trailblazing women. Showcase minority/women owned businesses (vendors).

FEE: Free📍 Drakeford

AGES: All

Friday, March 13 | 6:00pm - 9:00pm

Course Code: 205404-A



Carrboro Community Egg Hunt Celebration

The Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department will sponsor a spring celebration for children ages 2-10 years. Free activities including a Giant Egg Hunt for three age groups. Fun for the whole family!

FEE: Free📍 Hank Anderson Park

AGES: All

Saturday, March 28 | 12:00 - 2:00pm

Course Code: 205302-A

Flashlight Egg Hunt

Just because kids are older doesn't mean that you can't enjoy an Egg Hunt! Youth ages 11 to 14 are invited to bring their flashlights out and enjoy a fun Egg Hunt in the dark! "Special Golden Eggs" will be hidden for special prizes! Registration at 8:00pm, Rules and info at 8:10pm, Egg Hunt at Dark.

Please Note: Youth MUST bring their own flashlight and bag/basket to collect the eggs.

FEE: Free📍 Wilson Park

AGES: All

Saturday, March 28 | 8:00 - 8:45pm

Course Code: 205403-A

Keep Carrboro Beautiful/Earth Day Cleanup

Bring the family out to help clean-up the Town of Carrboro and prevent trash from entering our local streams. Bring your work gloves and dress to be outside. Volunteers will meet at the Drakeford at 5:30pm and clean-up supplies are provided. Groups are welcome to participate.

FEE: Free📍 Drakeford

AGES: All

Tuesday, April 22

5:30 - 7:30pm

Course Code: 205306-A



ENTERTAINMENT

Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources offer special events that are free or inexpensive and provide a great way to enjoy your leisure time with friends or family. Some programs may require registration.

Lollipop Series for Young Children

A special series of performances for younger children and the young at heart.

FEE: \$3*  **Drakeford Library Complex**

*Children 12 months and under admitted free.

AGES: All



Savvy Scales

Savvy Scales is a hands-on, interactive reptile education event! Participants will have the opportunity to meet, learn about, and safely interact with a variety of fascinating reptile ambassadors. Come out and hear exciting facts, experience up-close encounters, and make unforgettable memories as you take photos with these fascinating reptiles. This event will be both educational and entertaining for all ages. See you there!

Wednesday, January 28 | 10:30 - 11:30am

Course Code: **205402-A**



Captain Jim Is Magic

The Captain's performances are like a good movie, gripping, keeping you on the edge of your seat. You will be amazed and excited, you will laugh, you will hear good music, you will be inspired and you may even shed a tear. Captain Jim's performance has been described as "exciting for children, entertaining for adults" - Greensboro News & Record, and as an "astounding local magician, soon to go national" - Winston Salem Journal.

Wednesday, April 8 | 10:30 - 11:30am

Course Code: **205402-B**



Columbia Marionette Theatre presents "Build It Better With The Three Little Pigs"

Watch as three of our favorite storybook characters "Build a Better World" for themselves by combining their resources and working together to keep the Big Bad Wolf at bay. Special cameo appearance by Little Red Riding Hood.

Wednesday, May 13 | 10:30 - 11:30am

Course Code: **205402-D**

IS THERE A PERFORMER OR PROGRAM THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE US OFFER?

Do you have a performer you have seen elsewhere that you would like us to potentially book in Carrboro?

SEND US YOUR SUGGESTIONS!

Call us at (919) 918-7364 or email us at RecParks@carrboronc.gov

Family Fun Sunday

FEE: \$3*📍 Drakeford Library Complex

*Children 12 months and under admitted free.

AGES: All

Grey Seal Puppets in "The Emperor's New Clothes"

What's big and pink and loves to dress up in fancy clothes? Give up? It's the Emperor himself in Grey Seal Puppet's clever adaptation of The Emperor's New Clothes. Not only is this Emperor big and pink, he just happens to be a pig. The Hans Christian Andersen story takes on a whole new dimension as this classic tale is transformed into a fable. The crafty tailors are foxes; the prime minister is a near-sighted camel; and the councilor is a befuddled old walrus. Even the audience takes part - as animals, of course.

Sunday, January 18 | 2:00 - 3:00pm

Course Code: 205401-A

Bright Star Touring Theatre in "Black History Hall of Fame"

Join Bright Star Touring Theatre as they take us on a journey through Black History as we meet Maya Angelou, Aretha Franklin, Mae Jemison, the Buffalo Soldiers and more. So many people to meet with so little time.

Sunday, February 15 | 2:00 - 3:00pm

Course Code: 205401-B

Showtime Canines

Showtime Canines are here to wow you with their high energy show. They will impress you with high jumps, agility racing, free style dancing, frisbee stunts and jaw-dropping tricks. All dogs in the show are rescues and have their very own rescue story. Come and see what can be achieved with love, a second chance, and training.

Sunday, March 8 | 2:00 - 3:00pm | 📍 Town Commons

Course Code: 205401-C



Music Explorium Presents: Puppet and Rhythm Fun

Do you enjoy puppets? Do you enjoy playing or listening to percussion instruments? If the answer is yes to either question, then I'll see you at the Drakeford. Witness what fun can be had when you merge percussion with puppets. Come and express your creativity and have fun engaging with Cathy.

Sunday, April 5 | 2:00 - 3:00pm

Course Code: 205401-D

Family Bingo

Bring the whole family to Family Bingo. Bingo is one of the few games, where mom, dad, sisters, brothers, and grandparents can all come together, play and enjoy an afternoon together. There will be great prizes for youth and adults. Hope to see you there!



Sunday, May 31 | 2:00 - 3:00pm

Course Code: 205401-E



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PERFORMING ARTS

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Poet's Open Mic Night

Join Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department on ZOOM for POETS OPEN MIC NIGHT. This is a night where poets can engage with others and share the power and diversity of poetry. This program will provide the opportunity for people to celebrate, to share, and to encourage the writing, reading, and listening of poetry. To celebrate Black History Month in February, Women's History Month in March and National Poetry Month in April, feel free to come out and share related poetry with other local poets. For information on this program, please call (919) 918-7372.

FEE: Free  ZOOM

AGES: 16+

B Tuesday, February 3 | 7:00 - 9:00pm

Course Code: 205205-B

C Tuesday, March 3 | 7:00 - 9:00pm

Course Code: 205205-C

D Tuesday, April 7 | 7:00 - 9:00pm

Course Code: 205205-D

E Tuesday, May 5 | 7:00 - 9:00pm

Course Code: 205205-E

Poetry, Popcorn and Pie

Celebrate National Poetry Month at the Drakeford Library Complex featuring a few poets reading and a Poets Open Mic! To start the evening a few local poets will read from their works. Then we will kick off our Poets Open Mic! There will be 20 spaces available for the Open Mic, signups start 30 minutes prior to the event. Poets may read one poem with a five-minute maximum time limit. Come out and feast on an evening of poetry with popcorn and pie!

FEE: Free  Drakeford

AGES: 16+

Monday, April 27 | 6:30 - 8:30pm

Course Code: 205206-A

Jam Session Series

FEE: \$3*  Century Center

AGES: 11+

Celtic Jam

Tim Smith and Eileen Regan have been playing Irish music together for or over 40 years, ever since they met at an Irish jam session at the "Zoo Bar" in Washington, D.C. Tim plays piano, tin whistle, Irish flute and English concertina and Eileen plays fiddle, guitar and Celtic harp. Eileen has been leading an Irish tune jam at High Strung Music in Durham for a number of years and has even kept it going by Zoom during the pandemic. Tim and Eileen play in a band called Big Celtic Fun which has performed many times at the Carrboro Music Festival and for contra dances all over North Carolina and Virginia. They firmly believe in "big fun" and welcome you to come jam with them! Dancers and those who just appreciate listening to good music are also welcome to attend.

Led by: **Tim Smith and Eileen Regan**

A Friday, January 30 | 7:00 - 8:30pm

Course Code: 205204-A

D Friday, April 17 | 7:00 - 8:30pm

Course Code: 205204-D



Drum Circle Jam

Everyone is invited to experience the awesome power of community drumming! All levels are welcome and those who have never drummed with others are especially encouraged to feel the spirit of rhythm and dance with a group. It will lift up your soul! Some drums will be provided but bring your own if you can. No Experience Necessary!

Instructor: **Tony Griffin**

Friday, February 20

7:00 - 8:30pm

Course Code: 205204-B



Jam Session Series

FEE: \$3* Century Center

AGES: 11+

Latin Dance Jam for Beginners

Come join Betto as he teaches popular Latin dances, such as Mambo, Salsa, Cha Cha, Merengue and more. Experienced and non-experienced participants are encouraged to attend.

No Partner Needed.

Instructor: **Norberto Herrera**

Friday, March 6 | 7:00 - 8:30pm

Course Code: **205204-C**



West African Dance Jam

The West African Jam will offer an exciting workout with live drummers and adapted dance movements from various regions of West Africa. The moves can be modified for all fitness levels! By the end of class, participants will be familiar with specific rhythms and choreographed moves. Come feel the rhythm!

Instructor: **Natikwa Gonzalez**

Friday, May 29 | 7:00 - 8:30pm

Course Code: **205204-E**



PROGRAM AND EVENT UPDATES

38th Bi-Annual **CARRBORO CD AND RECORD SHOW**

Sunday, April 9th from Noon till 6:00pm

42 TABLES OF NEW AND USED CDS,
VINYL RECORDS AND MUSIC MEMORABILIA

Free Admission- Early Shopping OK!

 Carrboro Century Center: Century Hall (2nd floor)
100 North Greensboro St. Carrboro NC 27510
(Intersection of Greensboro Street with Main & Weaver Streets.)



For info: 919-260-0661

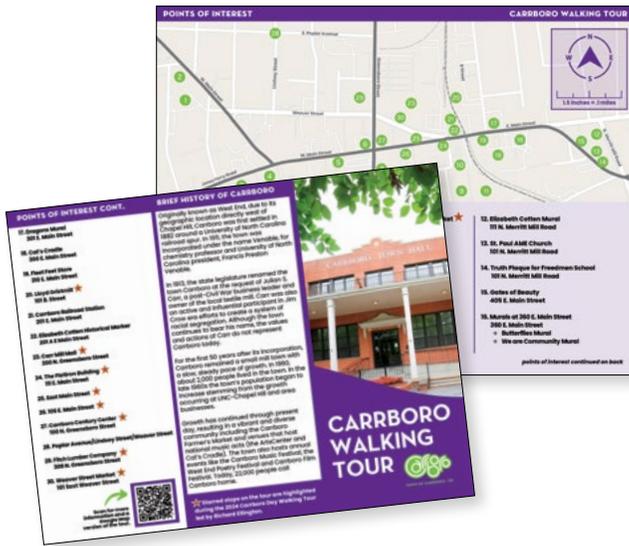
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SELF DIRECTED ACTIVITIES



Carrboro Historic Walking Trail

The Town of Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources has created a self-guided walking tour of Historic Downtown Carrboro. We invite you to download the brochure and map at www.carrboronc.gov/2491/Walking-Tour and spend an afternoon visiting the cultural and historical landmarks that make Carrboro unique! Large print editions are available.



Fishing Tackle Loaner Program

Offered In Conjunction with the NC Wildlife Resources Commission

Go fishing. It's fun! Borrow a rod and reel from the main office located in the Drakeford Library Complex. Children receive a tackle box and bag of accessories. Pond located at Hank Anderson Park, off Hwy 54 west of Carrboro.

Tennis Loaner Program

Check out a couple of tennis racquets and some tennis balls from the main office located in the Drakeford Library Complex Tennis Courts located at Hank Anderson Park and Wilson Park.

***All borrowed equipment must be returned the following business day.**

TOWN UPDATES

Engage CARRBORO



VISIT THE ENGAGE CARRBORO WEBPAGE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT ALL THE ISSUES AND ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES UNDERWAY.

 CarrboroNC.gov/Engage

VISITE LA PÁGINA WEB COMPROMETERSE CARRBORO PARA SABER MÁS SOBRE TODOS LOS TEMAS Y LAS OPORTUNIDADES DE PARTICIPACIÓN EN CURSO.

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2nd Friday Art Walk

Downtown Carrboro and Chapel Hill will showcase The Carrboro-Chapel Hill 2nd Friday Art Walk.

Explore art galleries, artist studios, shops and restaurants. There will also be live music, performances, spoken word poetry and more. Venues are generally open late afternoon and evening hours. Exhibits at Carrboro Town Hall and the Drakeford Library Complex are open from 6:00-8:00pm.



? Where is the Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department office?

203 South Greensboro St., Carrboro, NC 27510
Drakeford Library Complex - Lower Level

? What are your office hours?

Monday – Friday • 8:30am-5:00pm (Closed on major holidays)

? How can I contact the office without coming in to the office?

(919) 918-7364 or recparks@carrboronc.gov

? How can I find out about Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Programs and Events?

During the year, we offer three programming sessions (Fall, Winter/Spring, Summer). Programs / Events are advertised and promoted in the following ways: Three times a year, brochures listing our programs / events are released prior to the start of registration (December, April, and August).

Brochures are mailed to current and past registered participants. Brochures may be mailed to the general public upon request. Copies are also available at the Recreation Office and at many sites throughout the area.

Our website: www.carrbororec.org
On Facebook: www.facebook.com/carrbororec

Peachjar is used to distribute program information to the Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools.

A Monthly Newsletter listing upcoming programs / events is distributed via email. To request being placed on the email listserv, please email KKessler@carrboronc.gov.

Flyers are often distributed to promote specific activities.

Banners and Signs are often placed around Carrboro to advertise upcoming events.

? How do I register for a program or class?

- ONLINE REGISTRATION:
 - www.carrbororec.org, and click on Rec-Connect button, email and phone # required.
- WALK-IN REGISTRATION:
 - 203 S. Greensboro Street, Carrboro, NC 27510
 - Monday - Friday 8:30am-5:00pm
- MAIL-IN REGISTRATION: Mail completed registration form along with a check payable to "Town of Carrboro"

? How does one register for a Youth Athletic program?

Registration in our youth leagues is accepted on an individual basis. All participants must register for each season/program. The league that the youth participant is eligible to participate in is determined by their age or school grade. In some programs, a parent or guardian may request that a participant "play up" into the next age group if they are in their final year for the league that their age falls.

? How do I find out where my child is on the waiting list?

By calling the Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Office @ (919) 918-7364 or contacting the supervisor in charge of the program.

? What is the Refund Process?

Refunds are automatic for any programs canceled by the department. Other refunds will be considered upon written request and must meet the criteria of the refund policy. A \$5 administrative fee will be charged for all refunds with the exception of Summer Camps, where the camp administrative fee is \$40. For more information call (919) 918-7364 or review the refund policy on our website www.carrbororec.org/953/Refund-Policy.

? Are there minimum and maximum participant numbers for classes?

Many of the Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department's classes have a minimum number of participants required before the class will be held. If the maximum limit of participants has been reached, you can always ask to be placed on a waitlist. The department will notify you if a space becomes available.

? How will I know when a program is cancelled?

The department will send out an email or call you if a class has been cancelled. If we cancel the program you will receive a full refund. If the cancellation is weather related, we may place a message on our Weather Information Line at (919) 918-7373.

? Where do I obtain an application for Employment?

Online at: www.carrboronc.gov and click on the Jobs button.

? How can I Volunteer with Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department?

View our current needs on Volunteer Match: www.volunteermatch.org/search/org483329.jsp

Complete our online Volunteer Application: www.carrboronc.gov/507/Volunteer-Opportunities

Contact Volunteer Coordinator, volunteer@carrboronc.gov, or (919) 918-7370 for more information.

? How does one apply to become a Volunteer Head Coach in our Youth Athletic Leagues?

Each season, people interested in becoming a head coach must submit a Volunteer Application. Applications may be submitted online, by mail, or in person. *See information above.

? Do you have to reserve Picnic Shelters?

Yes. Picnic shelters located at Anderson, Wilson and Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parks can be reserved for daylight hours. Each shelter accommodates 50-60 adults with picnic tables and grills. Restrooms on-site. Make reservations in person at the Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources, or go online to www.carrbororec.org, click on Rec-Connect button and click on Browse Facilities. Fee is required at the time of reservation.

FEES: \$45 | NR \$58.50 | 0-4 hours
\$55 | NR \$71.50 | 4+ hours/full day

Dr. MLK Jr. Park Large shelter

\$50 | NR \$65 | 2-hour minimum.



Drakeford Library Complex
Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department

- 1 Adams Tract**
Access via Wilson Park
- 2 Hank Anderson Park**
302 Hwy 54 West
- 3 Baldwin Park**
400 Broad St.
- 4 Brewer Lane Park**
102 Hargraves St.
- 5 Carrboro Elementary School Park**
400 Shelton St. *Special Hours: Weekdays 3pm-DARK
- 6 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Park**
1120 Hillsborough Rd.
- 7 Simpson Park**
301 Simpson St.
- 8 Smith Soccer Field**
1709 High School Rd., Chapel Hill
*Special Hours: OPEN PLAY Fridays after 4pm
- 9 Town Commons**
301 W. Main St. at Carrboro Town Hall
- 10 Wilson Park**
101 Williams St. (off N. Greensboro St.)
- 11 Civic Club**
108 Bim St.
- 12 Century Center**
100 N. Greensboro St.
- 13 Drakeford Library Complex**
203 S. Greensboro St.

Interactive Parks Locator Map

Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources has partnered with Orange County and Chapel Hill to create an Interactive Parks Locator Map. This on-line tool allows citizens to view all park facilities in Orange County, search for park amenities, and link to department websites for more information.

Visit gis.orangecountync.gov/parklocator to learn more about all the recreation opportunities in Orange County.

RESERVATION GUIDELINES

1. **Reservation requests may be made up to 12 months in advance, but no less than 14 days prior to the requested date.**
2. **Rental fee(s) will be based on the scheduled fees in place that are adopted by Town Council. Minimum hourly requirement varies by facility.**
3. **Resident rate applies to all Town of Carrboro and Orange County citizens. Non-Resident (NR) rate applies to all other citizens.**
4. **Picnic shelters are available for reservation during daylight hours.**
5. **Athletic facility reservations may have the ability to add lights for an additional fee. (Depends on location).**
6. **Tournament reservations are available at additional cost.**

Call (919) 918-7365 or visit carrbororec.org for more information.

Carrboro Century Center

The Century Center is a great spot for community gatherings, large celebrations, and community dances. Its space includes a large event hall and a catering kitchen. The 4,236 sq. ft. Century Hall can be configured to suit any type of event from weddings to performances.

HOURLY RATES: \$140 | NR \$170 | 3 hour minimum



Drakeford Library Complex

This versatile new facility offers dynamic spaces designed for a variety of gatherings. Whether you're hosting a presentation, putting on a performance, or organizing a workshop in our makerspace, this new community hub is the place to be!

HOURLY RATES:

Performance Space - M-F Daytime | \$100 | NR \$130 | 3 hour min

Performance Space - After 5/Weekend | \$120 | NR \$150 | 3 hour min

Maker's Space - M-F Daytime | \$40 | NR \$52 | 2 hour min

Maker's Space - After 5/Weekend | \$60 | NR \$78 | 2 hour min

Multipurpose Room (one side) | \$50 | NR \$65 | 2 hr min

Multipurpose Room (both sides) - M-F Daytime | \$100 | NR \$130 | 2 hour min

Multipurpose Room (one side) - After 5/Weekend | \$70 | NR \$91 | 2 hour min

Multipurpose Room (both sides) - After 5/Weekend | \$120 | NR \$150 | 2 hour min

Terrace - M-F Daytime | \$70 | NR \$91 | 1 hour min

Terrace - After 5/Weekend | \$90 | NR \$117 | 1 hour min



INDOOR FACILITIES

Carrboro Civic Club

This is a cozy space that is perfect for meetings and small gatherings. This space fits 24 people with tables and up to 50 people for theatre style.

HOURLY RATES: \$40 | NR \$52 | 2 hour min



OUTDOOR FACILITIES

Our outdoor spaces include beautiful parks, trails and greenways, community gardens, a serene fishing pond, 27 acres of Adam’s Tract Woodland Preserve, and so much more! We offer picnic shelter reservations that are perfect for your next gathering, athletic fields for your next sporting event, and amble walking and biking paths.

PARK FACILITY HOURS: 7am until sunset, unless noted.
Lighted facilities close at 11pm.

FACILITY FEATURES	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	ADAMS TRACT	HANK ANDERSON PARK	BALDWIN PARK	BREWER LANE PARK	CARRBORO ELEMENTARY	DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. PARK	SIMPSON STREET PARK	SMITH SOCCER FIELD	TOWN COMMONS	WILSON PARK
Baseball Fields		●			●					●
Multi-Purpose Fields		●								
Soccer Field							●			
Softball Field		●								
Tennis Courts		●								●
Playgrounds		●	●		●	●	●		●	●
Horseshoe Pits		●								
Fishing Pond		●								
Trails	●	●								
Fenced Dog Park		●								
Basketball Courts		●	●	●	●					
Restrooms		●				●			●	●
Open Space		●	●	●	●	●	●		●	
Track - Dirt Surface					●	●				
Community Garden			●		●	●				
Disc Golf Course		●								
Volleyball Court		●								
Pavilions/Shelters		●	●			●			●	●
Picnic Tables		●			●	●	●			●
Grills		●	●		●	●				●
Pump Track						●				
Amphitheater						●				
Band Stand								●		

Baldwin Park (playground, picnic shelter, basketball court, community garden)



Athletic Fields

Athletic fields are available for reservations for your sporting event. All reservations must be authorized by the Department’s Facilities Division. Call (919) 918-7364 for information regarding availability and specific dates

HOURLY RATES:

Athletic Fields \$20 | NR \$26 | 2 hour min

Athletic Courts \$20 | NR \$26 | 1 hour min

Outdoor Reservation Fees

Picnic Shelter - Half Day | \$45 | NR \$58.50 | Flat fee

Picnic Shelter - Full Day | \$55 | NR \$71.50 | Flat fee

HOURLY RATES:

MLK Large Picnic Shelter | \$50 | NR \$65 | 2 hour min

MLK Amphitheater | \$50 | NR \$65 | 1 hour min

Town Commons

301 W. Main Street at Carrboro Town Hall

INCLUDES:

- Covered pavilions
- Playground equipment
- Restrooms
- Lots of green space
- Electric and water upon request

HOURLY RATES: \$75 | NR \$97.50 | 2 hour min

Open Saturdays Year-Round & Wednesdays Seasonally

Located at Carrboro Town Commons
 Visit us online for programming & events!
 CarrboroFarmersMarket.com | @CarrboroFarmersMarket

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THE BAZAAR

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CARRBORO COMMONS
 HENNA ★ FACE PAINTING ★ FAIRY HAIR
 MUSIC ★ HOOPING ★ FOOD & BEV
 SHOP HANDMADE → NOON-5PM

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Mail-In Registration Form

Please complete a registration for for each individual.

Participant Name LAST _____ FIRST _____ MI _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Carrboro Resident Yes No Orange County Resident Yes No Ethnicity _____
 E-mail _____
 Phone: HOME (_____) _____ WORK (_____) _____ CELL (_____) _____
 Parent Name (if a minor) _____
 Contact Phone: (_____) _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____
 M F N-B

DEPARTMENT USE	
AMT PAID:	_____
CHECK NO:	_____
STAFF:	_____
DATE:	_____

CODE	ACTIVITY NAME	START DATE	LEAGUE NAME	TEAM PLACEMENT	FEE

TOTAL	
OUT OF COUNTY FEE (IF APPLICABLE)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$27 for a single general program <input type="checkbox"/> \$27 for a single sport <input type="checkbox"/> \$81 unlimited
TOTAL DUE	

GENERAL WAIVER AND RELEASE

- During activities where parents are a part of the supervision process, we ask that parents be responsible for their children before, during, and after any event or activity. This is due to the nature of public recreation programs and the heavy emphasis placed on the use of volunteers. We feel that it is important to communicate this to you since supervision must be the parent's responsibility and cannot be reasonably imposed upon volunteers or employees working with the various programs. Please make certain that your child is adequately supervised at all times. In agreeing to take this responsibility as a parent we believe that your child's participation in our youth recreation program will be a safe and rewarding experience.
- During activities where parents are not a part of the supervision process, we ask that parents be responsible for their child before and after any event or activity.
- Special requests (car-pooling, team placement, scheduling, etc.) are not guaranteed.
- A valid proof of age may be required for participation in some Athletic programs.
- Photographs may be taken of Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department programs/participants and used for Town of Carrboro promotional purposes.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT, MEDICAL RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY: (To be signed by a participant or guardian if participant is a minor.)

I hereby acknowledge my receipt and understanding of the information disclosed on my registration form. I hereby grant permission to the Carrboro Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources Department volunteers or Town employees to obtain medical care from any licensed physician, hospital, medical clinic or emergency medical service organization for the individuals named on my registration forms at such times as deemed necessary for physical health purposes. I waive all claims against and agree to not sue the Town of Carrboro, its officers, agents, and employees as a result of participation in the activities registered for including any decision or action regarding medical care for me or member of my family.

Print Name _____ Date ____/____/____
 Signature _____ Staff Initials _____ Registration # _____

**NOTE for MAIL-IN Credit or Debit Card PAYMENTS ONLY, please complete this section*
 PAYMENT INFORMATION: Place beside type of payment: Credit Card: _____ Debit Card: _____
 Staff will contact you via telephone for your credit or debit card information. Do not include that information on this form
 Cardholder Signature _____

MAIL TO:
Carrboro Recreation,
Parks & Cultural Resources
301 W. Main St.
Carrboro, NC 27510

Financial Assistance Application

NOTE: Application must be approved prior to registration. Annual renewals are available.

APPROVED DENIED
 REASON _____

NAME OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS	DATE OF BIRTH	ETHNICITY	ANNUAL GROSS INCOME*	MINOR
				Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
				Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
				Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
				Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Head of Household Name LAST _____ FIRST _____ MI _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 E-mail _____ Phone: (H) _____ (W) _____ (C) _____

I certify that all the information on this application is true and correct to my knowledge and that all income is reported.

Signature _____ Date _____

*Annual Gross Income Includes: Child Support/Alimony, SSI, Unemployment, Foster Care Payments, Work First, Rents, Work Study, Scholarships, Grants, Income from Estate or Trust, and other sources of income not listed. Documentation will be requested to verify income and eligibility. Two different forms of documentation of income are needed when using Federal Income Tax, current pay stubs, unemployment compensation, etc. or only one of the following: OCSS approval letter, Verification Letter from school social worker or full address if you live in public housing.



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Drakeford Library Complex
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Carrboro, NC 27510

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All others, January 8th



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