CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION



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CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT SEPTEMBER 2017 – DECEMBER 2017 RECKY CORNER

Volunteers Needed: All Instructors, Coaches, Tutors, Trainers, Mentors or Lecturers

Do you have a special skill or talent and would like to share those talents? Please contact the City of Riviera Beach Parks and Recreation Department @ 561-845-4070.

ADA COMPLIANCE

The City of Riviera Beach complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, Public Law 101-336 (ADA), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability. The ADA, as applied to cities, countries, and other local governmental entities, requires that no qualified individual with a disability shall, on the basis of a disability, be denied the benefits of local government services, programs or activities.

Accordingly, the City of Riviera Beach will not refuse to allow a person with a disability to participate in a local government service, program or activity simply because the person has a disability. The City of Riviera Beach will operate its programs so that, when viewed in their entirety, they are readily accessible to and usable by individuals with disabilities.

If you require special assistance in order to participate in any of our programs, please contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 561-845-4070 at least one week prior to the start of the program. We will do our best to provide you with whatever assistance you need.

The Parks and Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel or re-schedule any program or activity.

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Mission Statement

To provide, promote, and maintain a safe and easily accessible system of recreational facilities and recreational programs as well as promote and maintain world class facilities to further the City as a great place to live, work, and play.

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OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY – FRIDAY 8:00AM – 5:00PM

WELLS RECREATION CENTER

2409 AVENUE H WEST RIVIERA BEACH, FL 33404

MONDAY - THURSDAY: 2:00PM - 10:00PM; SATURDAY: 9:00AM - 5:00PM

DAN CALLOWAY "TATE" RECREATIONAL COMPLEX

1420 WEST 10TH STREET RIVIERA BEACH, FL 33404

MONDAY - THURSDAY: 2:00PM - 10:00PM; SATURDAY: 9:00AM - 5:00PM

BARRACUDA BAY AQUATIC COMPLEX

1621 W BLUE HERON BLVD RIVIERA BEACH, FL 33404

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY 10:00AM – 5:00PM (During Season) SATURDAY 10:00AM – 6:00PM (During Season)

LINDSEY DAVIS SR. COMMUNITY CENTER

561-840-3170

1550 WEST 28TH STREET RIVIERA BEACH, FL 33404

 S.T.A.R.S. PROGRAM
 9:00AM - 2:00PM

 MONDAY - THURSDAY
 2:00PM - 10:00PM

 SATURDAY
 10:00AM - 2:00PM

ALL INDICATED HOURS OF OPERATION ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE



CHEER AND DANCE SHOWCASE

The City of Riviera Beach Parks & Recreation Department cheer and dance team will be hosting a fundraiser showcase for the community so come out, have fun, enjoy yourselves and support the lady chargers as they show you what they're working with.

Who: All Ages

When: October 27, 2017

Time: 7:00pm—8:00pm

Location: Wells Recreation Center

Fee: \$1 for youth & \$3 for adults





Flea Market

FLEA MARKET

Buy or Sell Items! The choice is yours. We will be renting spaces to people who want to sell or barter merchandise. 10 x 20 spaces for only \$20. Food court spaces for \$50-\$100. Bring your own table, tent, and whatever you need to sell your products. Vendor fees are due the Friday prior to the event before 5pm.

Who: All Ages

When: The 2nd Saturday of each month

Starting November 11, 2017

Time: 8:00am-2:00pm

Location: Wells Recreation Center

Fee: FREE ADMISSION!!!

Registration: 2nd Friday of every month

Vendor applications will be available on the City website.



GIRLS & BOYS YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

This recreational league stresses fun, basketball fundamentals, rules, skills, and team sportsmanship. Participants will be assigned to teams based on league age. League age is the child's age as of September 1, 2017 (must be 4 and cannot turn 15 by January 1, 2018

When: Games will be played on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

and Saturday beginning December 9, 2017

Time: 6:00pm to 9:00pm and

Saturdays 9:00am – 5:00pm beginning December 9, 2017

Ages: 4-6, 7-8, 9-11, and 12-14 years

Location: Wells Recreation & Dan Calloway Recreation Center

Cost: \$55.00/Residents and \$65.00/Non- residents

Registration: October 1 thru November 1, 2017



FREE YOUTH BASKETBALL CLINIC

The Parks and Recreation Department will be preparing for the upcoming 2017/18 Youth Basketball League. The clinics will feature four weeks of fundamental training. Each week guest volunteer coaches from the area will be part of the coaching staff at the clinics. Join us and prepare to be the best that you can be on and off the field.

When: October 16 thru November 15, 2017

Time: Mon & Wed 6:00pm to 8:00pm; Sat 10:00am to 12:00pm

Ages: 4-6, 7-8, 9-11, and 12-14 years old Location: Dan Calloway Recreation Center

Cost: Free!!!

Registration: Must pre-register

UPCOMING EVENTS mark your calendars

THANKSGIVING DINNER

This Thanksgiving the City of Riviera Beach Parks & Recreation Department would like to celebrate the season of giving thanks by delivering dinners to family in need in hope of putting a smile on their faces.

Who: All Ages

When: November 23, 2017

Location: Wells Recreation Center

Fee: FREE!!!

Registration: October 16, 2017



WINTER WONDERLAND

Calling all Family and friends. Come out and join the City of Riviera Beach Parks and Recreation Winter Wonderland Toy Give-A-Way. The Parks and Recreation Department I teaming up with Operation Hope this year. This event is designed for children 2 to 13 years.

Who: Ages 3-14 Years Old

When: December 16, 2017

Time: 10:00am-1:00pm

Location: Dan Calloway 'Tate" Recreation Center

Fee: FREE!!!

Registration: November 1, 2017





21TH ANNUAL JR. VARISTY GIRLS AND BOY

BASETBALL TOURNAMENT

The City of Riviera Beach Parks and Recreation Department is hosting our 21th ANNUAL BOYS & GIRLS JR. VARSITY BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT. The tournament will consist of 22 Boys and 10 Girls teams from Palm Beach, Dade, Broward, Martin and St. Lucie Counties.

Who: High School Jr. Varsity Teams

When: January 2, 2017-January 4, 2017

Time: 8:00am-9:00pm

Location: Wells & Dan Calloway "Tate" Recreation Center

Fee: FREE!!!

Registration: September 11, 2017



"It Starts In Parks"



Are you ready to make a difference?

Volunteering is a great way to help serve the community. Whether through one of our sports programs our helping out at the gyms; the Parks and Recreation Department has a variety of ways that you can give your time, talents, and experience.

We look forward to hearing from you!

For more information contact the Parks and Recreation office @ 561-845-4070 Monday thru Friday; 8:00 am to 5:00 pm



A.R.E AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

Parents come on out and register your child/children for the City of Riviera Beach Parks & Recreation Department afterschool program,. This programs offers bus transportation, homework assistance, mentoring programs, Recky reading club, stem programs, and more at an affordable price. The A.R.E program is one of a kind and it will be a great way for your child/children to make life long friends, have new experiences, and broaden their horizon.

Who: Ages 5-13 Years Old

When: August 14, 2017

Time: 2:00pm-6:00pm

Location: Dan Calloway "Tate" Recreation

Center

Fee: \$15 Annual Registration Fee

\$30 Weekly Fee

Registration: July 24, 2017-August 14, 2017



A.R.E AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM FALL FESTIVAL

Come join our A.R.E After School Program as we present our 1st annual Fall Festival. Creep into the Tate Recreation Center for a night of spooks, fun, games and treats. Prizes and treats for everyone! Ghost stories, face painting, pin the skull on the skeleton, and much more!

Who: Ages 5-13 years old (family and friends of A.R.E participants only)

When: Starting October 31, 2017

Time: 6:00pm-7:30pm

Location: Dan Calloway "Tate" Recreation Center

Fee: FREE ADMISSION!!!



ADULT CO-ED SOFTBALL LEAGUE

The City of Riviera Beach Parks and Recreation Department presents the Adult Co-Ed Softball League for ages 18 & Up. If you love the game come out and have some fun with the Riviera Beach Parks and Recreation Department. The league will consist of 8 teams.

Who: Ages 18 & Older

When: Sunday, November 12, 2017

Time: Sundays 4:00pm - 8:00pm

Location: Dan Calloway "Tate" Recreation

Center

Fee: \$300.00 per team

Registration: September 18 thru -November 6, 2017



FAMILY AFFAIR SUNDAYS

The City of Riviera Beach Parks and Recreation Department presents The Family Affair Sundays. Get your family members together and come enjoy a day of family activities featuring kick ball, spades, doge ball, line dancing, roller skating, remote control cars, a variety of food trucks, and live music.

Who: All Ages

When: 4th Sunday of every month, Starting November 26, 2017

Time: 4:00pm-9:30pm

Location: Dan Calloway "Tate" Recreation Center

Fee: FREE ADMISSION!!!





ADULT FLAG FOOTBALL

Come out and join the City of Riviera Beach Parks & Recreation Department adult flag football league. There are 8 team slots available so get your teams together and come ready to have fun.

Who: 18 Years Old and Up

When: November 12, 2017 – January 21, 2018

Time: Sundays 12:00pm –4:00pm

Location: Wells Recreation Center

Fee: \$300 per Team

Registration: September 25, 2017 – November 6, 2017



WELLS WEIGHT ROOM

The challenge continues! If walking is or isn't your thing, come enjoy your tour to body sculpting. Our fitness center at Wells Recreation Center offers you a clean, well-equipped center. Feel and see the effects of your success from head to toe at no cost. Take time to relieve the stress, momentarily forget the rest, and get your body back to its best. Towel and athletic shoes are required for entry.

Use at your own risk, for 16 or older only please.

Who: Ages 15 & older

When: Monday - Saturday

Time: Mondays - Thursdays 2:00pm – 9:30pm

Fridays 2:00pm - 5:30pm

Saturdays 9:00am - 4:30pm

Location: Wells Recreation Center

Fee: FREE!!!





MOVIES IN THE PARK

Enjoy a movie under the stars with your family and friends. Movies will be show on giant inflatable screen with the speakers to match. Look for our first showing coming soon!

Who: All Ages

When: 2nd Saturday of every month, Starting November 11, 2017

Time: 5:00pm-11:00pm

Location: Municipal Beach

Fee: FREE!!!



FITNESS BOOT CAMP

Knocking off those stubborn pounds can be done best by participating in our new fitness boot camp. Our fitness boot camp involves all the fat burning exercises. It has enough variety to keep you interested long enough. This class can be a great motivating factor for you and thereby help you shed that excess weight.

Who: Ages 18 & older

When: Tuesdays and Thursdays

Time: 6:30pm - 7:30pm

Location: Wells Recreation Center

Fee: \$30 Per Monthly Session

(8 Sessions Per Month)

Registration: The last day of every month



Academic Recreation and Enrichment Year Round Afterschool Program

(A.R.E.)



What is the A.R.E. Afterschool Program?

The City of Riviera Beach A.R.E. program will be dedicated to offering parents a first-class, year round aftercare program that will focus on academic development, recreation & sports and youth enrichment & wellness activities in a supervised and structured environment.

Activities include homework assistance, arts and crafts, fitness and health education, youth mentoring, field trips, maritime /boating program and a whole lot more!

Fun! Fun! Fun!

Transportation will be provided for all participants.

Reserve your spot today! Limited slots!

For more information, please call the Parks and Recreation Administration Office at 561-845-4070.

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BARRACUDA BAY AQUATIC COMPLEX

Come see the newly renovated Activity, Plunge and Competition Pools! Barracuda Bay is now open on Saturdays only until the summer. We have an interactive activity pool for the little ones, slides for the older kids, and a competition pool for everyone. Barracuda Bay is the perfect place to hold your next event. Rent out the entire facility or birthday packages are available during operating hours. Come join us for some fun under the sun.

Ages: All ages

When: Saturdays, 10:00am—6:00pm. Until September 30, 2017

Barracuda Bay will be open Labor Day Weekend. September 2, 3 & 4, 2017

Location: Barracuda Bay Aquatic Complex

Cost: Residents: \$3.00 per person, Non-Residents: \$4.00 per person

Group Rate: 10 – 25 people = \$50.00; 26-50 people = \$100.00

Any child under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult

Proper Swimsuits are mandatory

BARRACUDA BAY BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Surprise! Spend your special day at Barracuda Bay. Invite your closest friends and we'll do the rest. The birthday package includes full access to the Barracuda Bay Aquatic Complex, a covered seating area and choice of meals.

Cost: \$50.00 Reservation fee

\$65.00 Activity fee – Includes 2 hour time slot and covers up to 10 children ages 14

and under. \$7.00 each additional child.





LEARN TO SWIM – AMERICAN RED CROSS

It is never too late to learn to swim. Come join us for our 2017 swim season. We have levels for ages 6 months and up. The focus of the American Red Cross program is to give participants the physical skills and safety knowledge necessary to increase their enjoyment and safety in the water. The City of Riviera Beach is partnering with the Palm Beach County Drowning Coalition to provide swim lessons for qualified applicants free of charge.

Ages: 6 month and older

When: Session 14: September 25 – Oct 26, 2017

Session 15: October 9 – 20, 2017 Session 16: October 23 – Nov 3, 2017 (Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays)

Location: Barracuda Bay Aquatic Complex

Cost: \$25.00 Residents (Per session), \$30.00 Non-residents (Per session)

Private swim lessons are available.

Drowning Prevention Coalition of Palm Beach County

405 Pike Rd, West Palm Beach, FL 33411 Email: astewart@pbcgov.org

> Phone: 561-616-7068 Fax: 561-616-7084





RECREATIONAL SWIM TEAM

Do your kids enjoy swimming? Swimming is very popular as an all-around fitness routine as well as a competitive sport. This program is open to anyone between the ages of 5 and 17 with moderate to advance swimming skills. Our goal is to teach and improve the competitive strokes, promote physical fitness, promote team spirit, and develop a positive attitude towards competition. Participants of this team will become a member of, and swim in the South Florida Recreational Swim League.

Ages: Ages 5-17

When: August 14, 2017—December 14, 2017

Time: 6:45 – 7:45PM (Monday, Wednesday and Fridays)

Swim meets on Saturdays

Location: Barracuda Bay Aquatic Complex

Cost: \$85.00 per person (Includes a swimsuit)



STROKE AND TURN CLINIC

Designed to provide for the competitive swimmers who wishes to improve their swimming skills. Intensive skill workouts using drills are emphasized during the sessions.

Who: Boys and girls 5 – 17 years old

When: Saturday, November 4, 2017

Time: 9:00am – 12:00pm

Where: Barracuda Bay Aquatic Complex

Cost: \$30.00 per person

*Free for swim team participants





CERTIFICATION CLASSES – RED CROSS

The Parks and Recreation Department offers a assortment of American Red Cross certification classes at the Barracuda Bay Aquatic Complex. Classes include CPR, AED, O2, Water Safety Instructor and 1st Aid/Lifeguard.

When: Call for appointment

Who: Ages 15 and older

Location: Barracuda Bay Aquatic Complex

Cost: \$75.00 Class Fee Includes - Red Cross Fees, Course Materials, Certification and

Pool Fee



LIFEGUARD CLASS - RED CROSS

Are you looking for a job? Love the sun and being outside? Why not be a Lifeguard? The Parks and Recreation Department offers a Lifeguard certification class that will get you on your way to being a Lifeguard.

When: Call for appointment

Where: Barracuda Bay Aquatic Complex

Who: Ages 15 and older

Cost: \$235.00 Class Fee Includes - Red Cross fees, course materials, certification and

pool fee



WATER AEROBICS

Water Aerobics is a fun way to ease the stressful pounding on the joints and safely and effectively workout and burn calories. Aerobics will help you maintain a healthy body weight and prevent disease.

When: Session 6: November 2 – 30, 2017

Time: Tuesdays & Thursdays; 9:00am – 10:00am & 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Saturdays; 8:00am - 9:00am

Where: 1621 West Blue Heron Blvd., Riviera Beach, FL 33404

Cost: \$50.00 per session



MASTERS SWIM TEAM

For the adults of our community. This program consist of organized swimming workouts, competitions, clinics and social functions. The program provides an inspiring, team atmosphere for a healthy and fun lifestyle.

When: Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays; Starting November 1, 2017

Time: 7:00am - 8:00am & 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Ages: Men and Women 18 and older

Where: Barracuda Bay Aquatic Complex

Cost: \$50.00 Residents (Per month) & \$70.00 Non-residents (Per month)

FACILITY & PAVILION RENTALS

Are you looking for a great location to have your next function? The Parks and Recreation Department has plenty of options for you to choose from.

- ❖The Aqua Spray Area is a safe and unique play structure where water is sprayed from mounted structures and geysers. The Spray Area consist of interactive water features like water cannons, a piano that produce music by stepping on different water holes, and a flute that you can play by plugging holes with your hand. There is also a walk through water shower and numerous ground-level geysers that shoot water up in the air from all different directions.
- ❖This multipurpose skating rink is set up for playing hockey, basketball, or to just roller skate. Want to play hockey? The rink is already lined for that. Have younger kids that want to play basketball? Not only is the rink lined for that, but it also has backboards that can be lowered to accommodate all age and height levels.
- ❖We have pavilions available at the Municipal Beach and numerous other parks. Most of the pavilions have picnic tables and access to grills.
- ❖ Have your next event at Barracuda Bay Aquatic Complex! Birthday packages are offered during business hours. Packages include your own private covered area, food choices, a picture with Barry the barracuda, and access to the entire water park. Barracuda Bay is also available for private rental after business hours and days not open to the public. We have an interactive pool for the kids, a large competition pool, and two slides for those looking for a thrill.
- **❖**Looking for something indoors? We offer three facilities that provide a wide range of planning options. For large events, we have Wells Gym and Tate's Gym. These two facilities have a capacity of 400 people and can be decorated to your taste. Lindsey Davis is the third facility; with a capacity of 75 people, it is the perfect location for smaller events.



Recreational Swim Team

Once again the City of Riviera Beach was proud to present the Barracuda Bay Recreational Swim Team by facilitating their competition for another consecutive year. The swim season, which runs from the month of April to August, was indeed a very productive one. It was marked by discipline, dedication and determination. The individuals that participated in this season's training and competition possessed a relatively broad age range. Some individuals were as young as five, while some were as old as fifteen. What the Barracudas stood for this season is the very definition of the word "Teamwork". The time and effort set forth by the swim coach, the swim team, and the parents throughout the summer was recognized in a final weekend of competition called the "South Florida Recreational Swim League Championships". The Mighty Barracudas placed 1st in small group division and the Barracuda girls placed 1st in small division. The swimmers swam for fun, but also for the very thing sportsmanship is built on; respect.



2017 Triathlon/Duathlon

The City of Riviera Beach and Multirace Inc. hosted its 12th annual Triathlon event on Saturday, May 20, 2017. A triathlon consists of a ¼ mile swim, 10 mile bike ride and a 3.1 mile run to finish it off. We had over 360 athletes participate in the race. Athletes; ages 13 to 59 years old took part in this grueling test of endurance. Start training now and join us next year!



A.R.E. AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM IS ON THE MOVE AGAIN!

Providing our program in a safe and engaging environment is A.R.E's highest priority. We work in partnership with our community, local schools, Primetime Palm Beach County, and families to design a program that meets their specific needs. We have created the most effective academic, recreational and enrichment environment by way of a technology lab and game room. We offer literacy skills, mathematics help, homework and tutoring assistance, physical fitness, and life skill programs to challenge children and make learning fun after hours. As a plus, we offer Field Trips on all No-School days and provide a healthy snack daily.





Team Elam Charity Weekend

This Summer the Parks & Recreation Department hosted the 10th Anniversary of the Team Elam Charity Weekend. It was a two day event that consisted of a football skills camp and a cheerleading camp. There was also a 7 on 7 championship football game, boot camp and talent show. The event was a success as it featured the appearance of a NFL football players which included: Jacoby Brissett from the New England Patriots, Tommy Lee Lewis from the New Orleans Saints and Curt Maggit from the Indianapolis Colt. Hopeful with the collective efforts of city staff and Team Elam this event will be an event bigger success in the years to come.



2017 Basketball Academy

The Parks & Recreation Department hosted its 4th Annual Basketball Academy this summer. The academy provided a structured program for 13-18 year old middle and high school boys and girls. The program was facilitated at the Dan Callow Recreation Complex for ten weeks of the summer. Under the instruction and mentoring of volunteers, former NBA All Star Kenny Anderson and Riviera Beach sports legend Richard Rellford this year's program attracted recreation basketball teams from Royal Palm Beach and Stuart . The program was a success and we hope that to have even more participants next year.



2017 Back to School Bash

The Parks & Recreation Department hosted it's Annual Back To School Bash on August 5, 2017 and it was a huge success. We had over 1,500 participants in attendance this year. Not only did we give away book bags, but we also had community businesses who offered their services free of cost. There was a barber giving free hair cuts, nail technicians doing free manicures, face painting, free food, and much more. We were very thankful for the volunteers as well as the staff who were all responsible for the success of this event. Hopefully next year with the collective effort of the staff and volunteers we will be even more successful.



FORMS OF PAYMENT ACCEPTED BY THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT:

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MONEY ORDER

COMPANY CHECK

AND NOW!!!

CREDIT/DEBIT CARDS

TRANSACTION FEES MAY APPLY



