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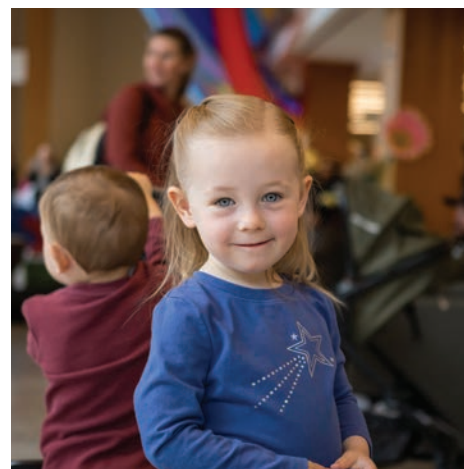
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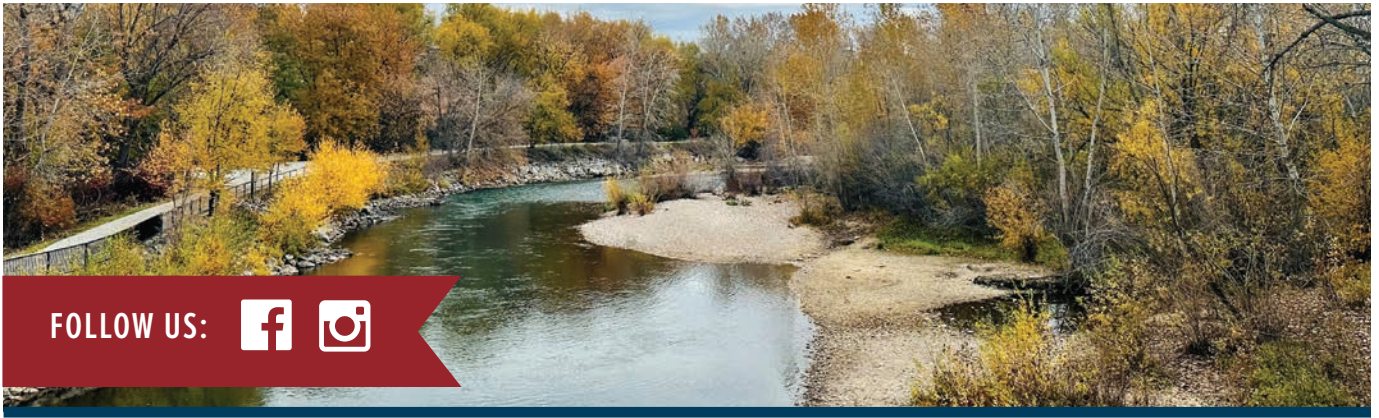
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"It's an honor and a privilege to serve the residents of Boise. Thank you for your support and your trust as we work to build the best Parks and Recreation system in the country."

–Doug Holloway, Director





PRESCHOOL (WALKING-AGE 5)

ART – ADULT/CHILD

All materials are provided. Fees include both adult and child.

ART START

AGES 2.5-5 Preschoolers will be introduced to all kinds of fun art projects using a variety of materials such as clay, paint, textiles, pastels and more.

ART DO-IT-TOGETHER

AGES 5-7 Create one-of-a-kind clay sculptures, make a colorful batik project, draw with pastels and paint with watercolors.

CLAY CLASS FOR CREATIVE KIDS

AGES 2.5-5 Have fun making plates, figures, vases and wall hangings. Students will decorate and glaze their one-of-a-kind clay creations.

HOLIDAY CRAFTS

AGES 2.5-5 Use a variety of materials to create extra special holiday crafts that your family will cherish for years to come.

STORIES THAT COME ALIVE

AGES 2.5-5 Create art projects centered around special stories for children, using a variety of materials including clay, paint and more!



**SCHOLARSHIPS
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scholarships](http://cityofboise.org/scholarships)



Clay Class for Creative Kids

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
2.5-5 + Adult	ART START	Tu	10:30-11:15AM	Sep 30-Nov 4	Fort Boise CC	Karen Hedger	\$67/\$103.30	102701-01
2.5-5 + Adult	CLAY CLASS FOR CREATIVE KIDS	Tu	9:30-10:15AM	Sep 30-Nov 4	Fort Boise CC	Karen Hedger	\$67/\$103.30	102713-01
2.5-5 + Adult	HOLIDAY CRAFTS	Tu	9:30-10:15AM	Nov 25-Dec 9	Fort Boise CC	Karen Hedger	\$34/\$52.15	102703-01
			10:30-11:15AM					102703-02
			11:30-12:15PM					102703-03
2.5-5 + Adult	STORIES THAT COME ALIVE	Tu	11:30-12:15PM	Sep 30-Nov 4	Fort Boise CC	Karen Hedger	\$67/\$103.30	102705-01
2.5-5 + Adult	ART DO-IT TOGETHER	W	4:15-5:15PM	Oct 1-Nov 5	Fort Boise CC	Karen Hedger	\$89.08/\$137.50	102704-01

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

CITY OF BOISE OUTDOOR PRESCHOOL – FLC & BUGS

AGES 3.5-5 Immerse your child in the foothills (FLC) or garden (BUGS). Children will explore the surrounding ecosystem, learn through STEM-based activities and develop interpersonal skills, and independence. We spend most of our class time outside but have access to an indoor facility if needed. Program runs August 25, 2025 - May 14, 2026. Registering reserves your spot and commits your child for the full school year. You will be billed monthly. Children must be fully independent in all aspects of toileting before enrollment. Pull-ups or training pants are not permitted. More information will be emailed.

BOISE URBAN GARDEN SCHOOL

GROW TOGETHER GARDENING – Adult/Child

AGES 2-4 + ADULT Spend a morning in our garden exploring the natural world. Instructors will facilitate activities and garden tasks that will have you and your child working and learning together. Fee includes child and adult.

FOOTHILLS LEARNING CENTER

BOISE BIRDING

ALL AGES + ADULT Beginner to expert birders welcome to this free class. The first hour will be a birding presentation by Terry Rich followed by the option to go birding. Binoculars available to borrow.

EXPLORE NATURE – Adult/Child

AGES 2.5-4 + ADULT Join your child for an exploration in nature! Children should dress for the weather and be accompanied by an adult. Fee includes child and adult.

HIKE & LEARN

ALL AGES + ADULT Join us for a family hike to explore seasonal topics. Fee is per person attending. September session focuses on native pollinators; October session will cover native plants and seeds.

FOOTHILLS FAMILY DAYS

ALL AGES Venture to the Foothills Learning Center for hours of family fun. Entrance is free but may be limited due to capacity. Register

ahead of time at cityofboise.org/foothills-learning-center.

WATERSHED

WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT

ALL AGES The WaterShed is offering bonus programming during long weekends for local school districts. Drop in and join us for free all-ages activities, crafts and scientific demonstrations. This is a free drop-in activity; no pre-registration is required.

WATERSHED STORY TIME

AGES 2-5 + ADULT Come learn and listen with us at our free Story Time at the WaterShed. Designed for children ages 2-5 to learn and play, but all ages are welcome. Pre-registration is required through the Eventbrite link on our event calendar at boisewatershed.org.

WATERSHED WEEKEND

ALL AGES Join the WaterShed and community partners for WaterShed Weekends. Participants will enjoy hands-on crafts, science lessons, activities and more. This is a free public drop-in activity; no pre-registration is required.

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
3.5-5	BOISE OUTDOOR PRESCHOOL – BUGS	Tu-Th	9AM-12PM	Aug 26-May 14	BUGS	\$360/\$3,600*	124014-01
	BOISE OUTDOOR PRESCHOOL – FLC	M-Th	9AM-1PM	Aug 25-May 14	Foothills LC	\$600/\$6,000**	125061-01
BOISE URBAN GARDEN SCHOOL							
2-4 + Adult	GROW TOGETHER GARDENING	Sa	10-11:30AM	Sept 20 Oct 18	BUGS	\$10	124003-01 124003-02
FOOTHILLS LEARNING CENTER							
2.5-4 + Adult	EXPLORE NATURE	F	10-11AM	Sept 12 Sept 26 Oct 10 Oct 24	Foothills LC	\$9	125965-01 125965-02 125965-03 125965-04
All Ages + Adult	BOISE BIRDING	F	9-10AM	Sept 5 Oct 3 Nov 7 Dec 5	Foothills LC	FREE	N/A
All Ages + Adult	HIKE & LEARN	Th	5:30-6:30PM	Sept 25 Oct 23	Foothills LC	\$6	119965-01 119965-02
All Ages	FOOTHILLS FAMILY DAYS	Sa	10AM-1PM	Oct 4	Foothills LC	FREE	RSVP at cityofboise.org/foothills-learning-center
WATERSHED							
2-5 + Adult	WATERSHED STORY TIME – Insects	M	10-11AM	Sept 15	The WaterShed	FREE	Pre-register at boisewatershed.org
	WATERSHED STORY TIME – Birds			Oct 20			
	WATERSHED STORY TIME – Beavers			Nov 17			
	WATERSHED STORY TIME – Animals in Winter			Dec 15			
All Ages	WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT – Bike Extravaganza	Th	1-3PM	Oct 17	The WaterShed	FREE	N/A
	WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT – Snow Science	Tu, W	10AM-12PM	Nov 4-5			
All Ages	WATERSHED WEEKEND – Micron STEM Day	Sa	10AM-1PM	Oct 11	The WaterShed	FREE	N/A

*\$360 or **\$600 will be charged at the time of registration, then *\$360 or **\$600 on the 1st of every month thereafter

GOLF



Golf Lessons

GOLF LESSONS

AGES 5-7 Classes will cover full-swing, stance, grip, short game, chipping and putting. All classes are open to any skill level from beginner to advanced. Clubs will be provided during class time.



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AUGUST 4 (Residents)

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AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
5-7	GOLF LESSONS – Quail Hollow	Tu-Th	4:15-5:15PM	Sept 16-18	Quail Hollow GC	\$79	170001-01
5-7	GOLF LESSONS – Warm Springs	Tu-Th	9:30-10:30AM	Sept 9-11	Warm Springs GC	\$79	180001-01
				Sept 16-18			180001-02
				Oct 7-9			180001-03

HOMESCHOOL ADVENTURES



Homeschool Zoo

HOMESCHOOL ZOO

AGES 5-6 The Homeschool Zoo program series provides a unique learning experience for students schooled at home. The course consists of classroom discussion, laboratory activities, animal encounters and specialized zoo tours. Classes align with Idaho State Science Standards and focus on topics and principles based on grade level. Themes emphasize looking at animal groups and taxonomy, adaptations, habitats and ecology. Each individual household must register their child for the class. Kids only! Please bring a small snack for a 15-minute break during class.

WATERSHED HOMESCHOOL DAYS

ALL AGES Calling all homeschools! We offer FREE programs catered to children ages 5-12, but all ages are welcome. Pre-register thru the Eventbrite link on our event calendar at boisewatershed.org.



**SCHOLARSHIPS
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scholarships](http://cityofboise.org/scholarships)

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/ NR	ACTIVITY#
All Ages	BWS HOMESCHOOL DAY – Micron STEM Day	Th	10AM-12PM	Oct 9	The WaterShed	FREE	Pre-register at boisewatershed.org
			1-3PM				
	BWS HOMESCHOOL DAY – Changing Snow	M	10AM-12PM	Nov 3			
			1-3PM				
KINDER & 1ST GRADE							
5-6	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Animal Necessities	W	9-11AM	Sept 10	Zoo Boise	\$18*	130550-01
	Oct 8			130550-02			
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Hot in the Rainforest			Nov 5			130550-03

**This activity qualifies for the FoZB discount*



Boise Park Playground Checklist



Download the
playground
checklist here:



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challenge and try to visit them all!

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media channel to share your
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FLC-Parks@cityofboise.org
TTY: 800-377-3529
208-608-7810

BOISE URBAN GARDEN
SCHOOL (BUGS)
BUGS@cityofboise.org
TTY: 800-377-3529
208-972-8630



CITYOFBOISE.ORG/OUTDOOR-PRESCHOOL

Free Digital Resources with your Boise Public Library Card!

Find news from the *Idaho Statesman*, a movie to watch with the kids, or
an idea for dinner with *The New York Times Cooking*. There's something
for everyone at your fingertips!



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digital-resources

ICE HOCKEY/ ICE SKATING

ICE HOCKEY

EQUIPMENT

Full Hockey Equipment is Required! A one-time \$35 fee will be charged to rent hockey equipment when enrolled in Learn to Play. **Helmets, neck guards, and sticks are NOT included and MUST be provided by the player.**

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 1 (H1)

AGES 4-7 Players will learn how to sit on ice and stand up, proper stance, march forward, forward two-foot glide, dip, squat, scooter pushes, T-push, forward swizzles, snowplow stop and backwards skating. Full equipment required. Helmet and neck guard must be provided by skater. No sticks allowed.

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 2 (H2)

Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 1 (H1)

AGES 4-7 Players will learn backward stance, skating forward using full strides, forward one-foot glides, backward hustle, backward swizzles, glide turns and moving snowplow stops. Full equipment required. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 3 (H3)

Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 2 (H2)

AGES 4-7 Players will learn one-foot snowplow stop, introduce hips with ¼ turn twist to hockey stop, full strides using 45-degree V-Push, shuffle stride, backwards hustle, backward C-Cuts, power pushes, backward outside edge glide, forward C-Cuts, C-push glide, forward outside & inside edges, gliding 2-foot turn and lateral crossover march. Classes will be structured following USA Hockey American Development Model (ADM) Program. Full equipment required. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY (H4)

Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 3 (H3)

AGES 4-7 Class includes on-ice coaching instruction and scrimmages. Full hockey equipment is required. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

PROGRAMS

Hockey Learn to Play

The focus and goal of the Hockey Learn to Play curriculum is to teach beginner hockey players the fundamentals of skating. It is important for these developing players to become comfortable on the ice, learn the basic hockey stance, stride, knee bend, use of edges and how to hold a stick before moving into a 6U or 8U full hockey curriculum. Players need to be able to participate in class independently from parent. Scholarships are available for these classes.

A USA Hockey Membership is required for all participants to be allowed on the ice and can be purchased from usahockey.com/membership. The child's USA Hockey Membership number is required at time of enrollment into the activity.

HOCKEY EQUIPMENT RENTAL

Idaho IceWorld will provide hockey rental equipment for a one-time equipment rental fee of \$35. This rental fee will be charged per child, one time for the duration of their participation in the Hockey Learn to Play program. This fee will be assessed at the time the equipment is picked up or assigned. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

PROGRAM

Learn to Skate

Recognized by Learn to Skate USA® as a top program in the country, Idaho IceWorld's Learn to Skate program provides a fun and structured way for skaters to be physically active and improve their skills under the professional eyes of certified instructors. We have group classes for all levels and ages. Check out the curriculum for each level at LearnToSkateUSA.com. All students of Idaho IceWorld's Learn to Skate program must have a current Learn to Skate USA® membership. Annual memberships are valid July 1-June 30 each year. With your annual fee of \$18.50 you will:

- Be a member of the best skating program endorsed by U.S. Figure Skating, USA Hockey, and US Speedskating.
- Gain great information to make sure your first glides on ice are successful ones.
- Receive a Welcome Packet in the mail, which includes a subscription to Learn To Skate USA® The Magazine valued at \$3 (allow 2-4 weeks for delivery)
- Receive secondary sport accident insurance
- Participate in lessons, performances, competitions, and all activities associated with Learn to Skate USA®.

Ice skates will be provided for all enrolled participants of the Learn to Skate program for use during class time.

Go to www.learntoskateusa.com to purchase before registering for class.

ICE SKATING

Check out the curriculum for each Snowplow level at learntoskateusa.com

SPUDS AND TATER TOTS (Adult/Child Class)

AGES 2-3 + ADULT On ice adult participation is REQUIRED! Designed for children ages 2-3 and their accompanying adult. Basic skating skills will be taught to the children while allowing adults to offer support and security. Both adults and children are required to wear ice skates.

SNOWPLOW SAM 1 (Beginners)

AGES 4-6 Beginning skaters will learn how to sit and stand up with their skates both on and off the ice. They will master marching in place, marching forward, going from marching to a two-foot glide and dipping in place. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Snowplow Sam 2 and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Snowplow Sam 1 badge.

ICE HOCKEY/ ICE SKATING CONT'D

SNOWPLOW SAM 2 (Prerequisite Snowplow Sam 1)

AGES 4-6 Skaters will learn how to march followed by a long glide, dip while moving, do backward walking and wiggles, forward swizzles, beginning snowplow stop motion and the two-foot hop in place. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Snowplow Sam 3 and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Snowplow Sam 2 badge.

SNOWPLOW SAM 3 (Prerequisite Snowplow Sam 2)

AGES 4-6 Skaters will learn how to skate forward, do a forward one-foot glide, forward swizzles, backward swizzles, backward two-foot glide, moving forward snowplow stop and curves. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Snowplow Sam 4 or Basic 2 (based on age and ability) and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Snowplow Sam 3 badge.

SNOWPLOW SAM 4 (Prerequisite Snowplow Sam 3)

AGES 4-6 Skaters will learn how to skate forward, advanced one-foot glide, backward swizzles, rocking horse, two-foot turns from forward to backward and two-foot hop. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Basic 2 or 3 (based on instructor recommendation) and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Snowplow Sam 4 badge.

ICE SHOW CAST MEMBER

AGES 4+ The 2025 Annual Boise Ice Show consists of 3 performances that will take place at Idaho IceWorld scheduled for Friday, December 5 at 7PM and Saturday, December 6 at 3PM and 6PM. Participation requires registration for BOTH fall sessions. All Learn to Skate students are eligible to participate in the annual ice show cast. Practices for the Snowplow Sam and Basic Skills groups will be every Wednesday from 6:45-7:30PM beginning September 3. Teen and Adult group practice will be every Monday from 7:15-7:45PM beginning September 8. Two

additional mandatory dress rehearsals are tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, November 18 & Sunday, November 30, time TBD. Maintaining this practice/rehearsal plan is our goal, but subject to change. This show is professionally choreographed and co-produced by Idaho IceWorld and the Boise Figure Skating Club. Students receive extra on and off ice instruction and have loads of fun! Being a cast member is a huge commitment of time and energy. Ensure that every practice and rehearsal are top priorities when scheduling your family activities. This is a ticketed event requiring spectators to pay for entry. The \$161 participation fee includes 1 parent/guardian entry into each performance. Please note that this is a ticketed event, and all other spectators will be required to purchase tickets for entry. Costume fees are additional and TBD. Check IdahoIceWorld.com for updates. City of Boise Parks and Recreation Scholarships do not apply to this activity. Learn to Skate USA membership required. REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS AUGUST 31.

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
ICE HOCKEY							
4-7	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 1 (H1) Beginners	Tu	5:30-6PM	Sept 9-Oct 21 Nov 4-Dec 16	Idaho IceWorld	\$155/7 classes	160000-01 160000-03
4-7	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 2 (H2) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 1 (H1)	Tu	5:30-6PM	Sept 9-Oct 21 Nov 4-Dec 16	Idaho IceWorld	\$155/7 classes	160001-01 160001-03
4-7	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 3 (H3) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 2 (H2)	Tu	6:15-7:15PM	Sept 9-Oct 21 Nov 4-Dec 16	Idaho IceWorld	\$225/7 classes	160002-01 160002-03
4-7	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 4 (H4) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 3 (H3)	Tu	6:15-7:15PM	Sept 9-Oct 21 Nov 4-Dec 16	Idaho IceWorld	\$225/7 classes	160003-01 160003-03
ICE SKATING							
2-3 + Adult	SPUDS AND TATER TOTS (On-Ice Adult Participation Is Required)	M	5:45-6:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6* Oct 20-Dec 8**	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161000-01 161000-02
4-6	SNOWPLOW SAM 1 (Beginners)	M W M W	5:45-6:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6* Aug 20-Oct 8 Oct 20-Dec 8** Oct 22-Dec 10**	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes \$161/8 classes \$141/7 classes	161001-01 161001-02 161001-03 161001-04
4-6	SNOWPLOW SAM 2 (Prerequisite Snowplow Sam 1)	M W M W	5:45-6:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6* Aug 20-Oct 8 Oct 20-Dec 8** Oct 22-Dec 10**	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes \$161/8 classes \$141/7 classes	161002-01 161002-02 161002-03 161002-04
4-6	SNOWPLOW SAM 3 (Prerequisite Snowplow Sam 2)	M W M W	5:45-6:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6* Aug 20-Oct 8 Oct 20-Dec 8** Oct 22-Dec 10**	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes \$161/8 classes \$141/7 classes	161003-01 161003-02 161003-03 161003-04
4-6	SNOWPLOW SAM 4 (Prerequisite Snowplow Sam 3)	W	5:45-6:15PM	Aug 20-Oct 8 Oct 22-Dec 10**	Idaho IceWorld	\$161/8 classes \$141/7 classes	161013-01 161013-02
4-12	ICE SHOW CAST - Snowplow Sam & Basic Practice	W	6:45-7:30PM	Sept 4-Dec 3*	Idaho IceWorld	\$161	161110***

*No class Sept 1 **No classes Nov 24-28 ***Registration deadline is Aug 31

PERFORMING ARTS/DANCE

BALLET – Musical

AGES 3.5-5 This fun introduction to dance and ballet is great for boys and girls alike! Through basic steps, terminology, creative movement, storytelling dances and ballet, we will encourage creativity, coordination and self-esteem.

BALLET, JAZZ & CHEER

AGES 3.5-5 This is the perfect class for those who just want to have fun moving and performing with music, but aren't sure how! Students will learn the basics of ballet, jazz and cheer. Come ready to move and have a great time. No special shoes or clothing required.

NEW JUMPS, WIGGLES, AND GIGGLES – Creative Movement

AGES 3.5-5 Young dancers will be introduced to basic steps, terminology and creative movement through music and games that foster physical development, social skills and self-esteem.

STORY DRAMA

AGES 3.5-5 We will build theatrical skills such as confidence and imagination while bringing some of your favorite fantasy stories to life! We will explore characters from classic storybooks, then use the context of the story to present a problem. Students will go through theatrical games and exercises to explore different tactics and solve the problem. At the end of each week, friends and family will get to join our last class for an awesome sharing showcase.

TAP – Youth Beginner/Intermediate

AGES 5-7 What could be better than having fun while making music with your feet? Tap helps develop strong legs, balance and quick feet. Students will have a tremendous amount of fun learning the basics in a fun, positive environment. Tap shoes are needed. For information on where to purchase, please contact Clay Lee, 208-608-7684.



**REGISTER FOR CLASSES
STARTING AT 7AM:
cityofboise.org/parks**

AUGUST 4 (Residents)

AUGUST 6 (Non-residents)

PROGRAM Youth Performing Arts

Through weekly dance classes, we will work on the amazing physical benefits of dance and the role dance classes take in the development of young people. Depending on the age of our dancers, we will work on spatial awareness, taking turns, learning right from left, following directions, creative thinking, respecting each other, problem solving and more. We will use dance to learn, grow and get ready for the next big step in your dancer's life.



Jumps, Wiggles, and Giggles

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
3.5-5	BALLET – Musical	Tu	11-11:45AM	Sep 9-Oct 21	Fort Boise CC	Shannon Peterson	\$40.41/\$59.17	112717-01
				Oct 28-Dec 16*			\$35.53/\$51.61	112717-02
		W	10-10:45AM	Sep 10-Oct 22			\$40.41/\$59.17	112717-03
				Oct 29-Dec 17**				112717-04
		Th	11-11:45AM	Sep 11-Oct 23				112717-05
				Oct 30-Dec 18**				112717-06
3.5-5	BALLET, JAZZ & CHEER	Th	4:30-5:15PM	Sep 11-Oct 23	Fort Boise CC	Lucy Singer	\$40.41/\$59.17	112866-01
				Oct 30-Dec 18**				112866-02
3.5-5	JUMPS, WIGGLES, AND GIGGLES – Creative Movement	Tu	10-10:45AM	Sep 9-Oct 21	Fort Boise CC	Shannon Peterson	\$40.41/\$59.17	112701-01
				Oct 28-Dec 16*			\$35.53/\$51.61	112701-02
		W	11-11:45AM	Sep 10-Oct 22			\$40.41/\$59.17	112701-03
				Oct 29-Dec 17**				112701-04
		Th	10-10:45AM	Sep 11-Oct 23				112701-05
				Oct 30-Dec 18**				112701-06
3.5-5	STORY DRAMA	Sa	9-10:30AM	Oct 11-Nov 8	Fort Boise CC	Alexis Williams	\$55/\$81.80	112107-01
				Nov 15-Dec 20**				112107-02
5-7	TAP – Beginner/Intermediate	W	5:30-6:15PM	Sep 10-Oct 22	Fort Boise CC	Shannon Peterson	\$40.41/\$59.17	112004-01
				Oct 29-Dec 17**				112004-02

*No classes Nov 11 or 24-28 **No class Nov 24-28

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BOISE PARKS AND RECREATION

SPORTS/FITNESS



Multi-Sport

PROGRAM

Mountain Biking – Get in Gear

Look for more information online at cityofboise.org/parks!

Boise Parks and Recreation is proud to partner with 'Get in Gear Mountain Bike School'. Camps emphasize learning to navigate our Ridge to Rivers trail system, proper etiquette, respect for nature, how to be a good teammate and having fun! We will cover basic bike maintenance and first aid skills. For questions on what level is appropriate for your rider please contact Sheree Chaffin at sheree@getingear.us

Riders need to bring a Maintained Mountain Bike, snacks, and water bottle each day. BMX, fixed geared, Electronic (E-Bikes) or training/strider bikes will not work on the trails. Participants must be able to ride a bike without assistance. For information on what trails are E-Bike accessible please visit ridgetorivers.org

GEARLINGS MOUNTAIN BIKE CAMP – Beginner

AGES 4-5 Learn about bike basics, brakes, gears, how to communicate, and explore the feel of riding on dirt trails. We will learn how to maneuver up and down hills using assistants with a TowWhee if needed. Participants must be able to ride a bike, no Strider style bikes allowed without pedals.

MULTI-SPORT – TOTS & ADULT

AGES 2-3.5 + ADULT & 4-5 Kickstart your child's athletic journey with Multi-SportTots! Suitable for kids aged 2-5, this program offers a variety of sports through fun, age-appropriate activities, enhancing balance, coordination and fitness. Adult participation is required for ages 2 to 3.5. This is a dynamic introduction to sports, packed with learning and teamwork! 2 weeks of each sport (soccer, baseball, football)!

CHEER – Beginner

AGES 5-8 Get ready to rally! This fun-filled program teaches a variety of cheers, hand and body movements and jumping techniques, all stunt-free. Students will learn valuable teamwork and leadership skills. The program ends with a performance where each cheerleader shines.

TENNIS – Adult/Child

AGES 5-12 Adults will learn beginner skills while children are taught separately. Proper technique is emphasized along with racquet control, cooperation and movement. Lessons are incorporated into fun games to help children stay focused and interested while learning to play. Only register child and provide parent's name at time of registration.

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
2-3.5 + Adult	MULTI-SPORT – Tots & Adult	W	3:20-4PM	Sep 10-Oct 15	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$63.64/\$81.58	120447-01
				Oct 22-Nov 26				120447-02
		Sa	9-9:40AM	Sep 13-Oct 18				120447-03
				Oct 25-Nov 29				120447-04
4-5	GEARLINGS MOUNTAIN BIKE CAMP – Beginner	Tu-Th	5-7PM	Sep 23-25	Cottonwood Trailhead	Tahnee Miller	\$54.50/\$78.44	120704-01
				Oct 14-16		Rachel McFarland		120704-02
4-5	MULTI-SPORT – Tots	W	4:15-5PM	Sep 10-Oct 15	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$63.64/\$81.58	120447-05
				Oct 22-Nov 26				120447-06
		Sa	9:50-10:35AM	Sep 13-Oct 18				120447-07
				Oct 25-Nov 29				120447-08
5-8	CHEER – Beginner	Tu	4:10-5PM	Sep 9-Oct 14	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$63.64/\$81.58	112523-01
		M		Sep 29-Oct 27			\$58.20/\$73.15	112523-02
5-12	TENNIS – Adult/Child	Tu	6-7:30PM	Sept 2-23	Fort Boise Park	Duane Stotland	\$62.92/\$96.96	150015-01
				Oct 7-28				150015-02

ZOO BOISE

ADAPTIVE EVENING AT THE ZOO

ALL AGES Join us for an after-hours zoo experience designed for individuals with disabilities and their families and friends! Stations are focused on varying degrees of sensory input and will include self-guided animal artifact exploration, guided zoo exploration time (please note, some animals have an early bedtime), up-close animal encounters and art activities. Everyone is welcome to enroll!

STROLLER SAFARI

AGES 3 & Under + Adult Activities may include mini zoo tours, movement activities, listening to stories, crafts, touching artifacts and activities that build skills that can be used for a lifetime. Each week will uncover new wonders and provide great tips for nature exploration! Maximum of 2 children per enrolled adult. For everyone's safety and enjoyment, unregistered children (including siblings) may not attend. Zoo admission not included outside of program hours.

PRESCHOOL ZOO

AGES 3-5 + Adult Both must register individually. Get to know our Zoo Boise animals better in this series of programs designed for adults and preschoolers. Each week features a different animal. Activities are designed to be multi-sensory and may include mini zoo tours, movement activities, listening to stories, crafts, touching artifacts, and meeting live animals. All children must be accompanied by an enrolled, paying adult and who is ready to take part in the activities. Maximum of 2 children per enrolled adult. For everyone's safety and enjoyment, unregistered children (including siblings) may not attend. All children must be at least 3 years old. Zoo admission not included outside of program hours.

SCHOOL BREAK CAMPS

CRITTER COLLEGE

AGES 5-7 This 3-hour drop-off mini-camp is perfect for starting the week with wild educational activities! Designed for young animal lovers and future conservationists; Kids only. Please bring a small snack for a 15-minute break during class. Each month, children will explore a new theme:

RED PANDA CELEBRATION: Young explorers discover what makes red pandas so special and how we can help protect them in the wild.

SLOTH BEAR CELEBRATION: Uncover the secrets of these shaggy bears and learn how to help protect their wild homes.

WINTER WONDERS: Learn how animals survive and thrive in cold-weather habitats around the world.

DR. ZOOLITTLE

AGES 5-7 Learn the language of veterinarians using imaginative play, build a treatment plan for your sick "stuffed patient", read x-rays, plan diets and learn about the care provided for hundreds of animals.

ZOOKEEPING CAMPS

AGES 5-7 What is it like to work at a zoo? Learn exhibit design, plan diets, identify scat, "train animals", make enrichment and find out how zoos (and you) protect animals in the wild.

ZOOLOGY CAMPS

AGES 5-7 Explore the amazing diversity of the zoo's residents, from the smallest insects to the mightiest big cats. Learn what it takes to live in the wild, from "tracking animals" on a scavenger hunt, nature crafts and animal encounters.

Friends of Zoo Boise

ZOO PROGRAM REGISTRATION

To register for Zoo Boise programs, see Register for Classes at cityofboise.org/parks, stop by Fort Boise Community Center (700 Robbins Road), or call 208-608-7680. Registration is not available through Zoo Boise.

DISCOUNTS

Friends of Zoo Boise Annual Pass Holders receive discounts on some classes. If you are a Friends of Zoo Boise (FoZB) pass holder, please enter your discount coupon code to receive your FoZB discount rate. A current pass is required and must be available for proof with identification at program check-in.

FoZB pass holders receive discounts on some zoo classes. If you are a FoZB pass holder, please enroll in the class you are interested in and enter the code in the coupon area at checkout. A current pass is required to receive a coupon code for DISCOUNTED ZOO BOISE CLASSES. Need help applying your code? Call Fort Boise Community Center at 208-608-7680. To get your membership code or purchase a FoZB annual pass, call Morgan at 208-608-7765, email maaron-nl@cityofboise.org or go online to zooboise.org/support/annual-membership.

All Zoo Boise classes are taught by Friends of Zoo Boise (FoZB) staff.
FoZB = Friends of Zoo Boise

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
All Ages	ADAPTIVE EVENING AT THE ZOO	Th	6-8PM	Sept 11	Zoo Boise	\$8*	TICKETS
3 & Under + Adult	STROLLER SAFARI – What's for Breakfast?	Th	9:15-10AM	Sept 18	Zoo Boise	\$8*	130180-01
	STROLLER SAFARI – Nocturnal Animals			Oct 9			130180-02
	STROLLER SAFARI – Home Sweet Home			Nov 6			130180-03
3-5	PRESCHOOL ZOO: SERIES 1 – (Lizards, Red Pandas, Hawks)	Tu	9-10AM	Sept 9-23	Zoo Boise	\$16*	130201-01
		Sa		Sept 13-27			130201-02
	PRESCHOOL ZOO: SERIES 2 – (Assassin Bugs, Frogs, Giraffes)	Tu		Oct 7-21			130202-01
		Sa		Oct 4-18			130202-02
	PRESCHOOL ZOO: SERIES 3 – (Meerkats, Pied Crows, Snakes)	Tu		Nov 4-18			130203-01
		Sa		Nov 8-22			130203-02
SCHOOL BREAK CAMPS							
5-7	CRITTER COLLEGE – Red Panda Celebration	Su	12:30-3:30PM	Sept 14	Zoo Boise	\$26.50*	130890-01
	CRITTER COLLEGE – Sloth Bear Celebration			Oct 12			130890-02
	CRITTER COLLEGE – Winter Wonders			Nov 16			130890-03
5-7	DR. ZOOLITTLE	Tu	9AM-4PM	Nov 4	Zoo Boise	\$60*	130404-01
5-7	JUNIOR ZOOKEEPING	Th-F	9AM-4PM	Oct 16-17	Zoo Boise	\$119*	130408-01
5-7	ZOOLOGY CAMP – Fur, Feathers, Scales	F	9AM-4PM	Oct 10	Zoo Boise	\$60*	130402-01

*This activity qualifies for the FoZB discount



YOUTH (AGES 6-12)

AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Kid City After School Programs

AGES 6-12 After a \$20 registration fee, Boise Parks and Recreation's Kid City will be providing FREE after school programming at several elementary schools in the Boise and West Ada School Districts starting Monday, August 18. This program will run after school until 6PM during the 2025-2026 school year (closed on non-school days). Programs are available for registered students in 1st-6th grade. Before-school care is currently not available. Due to high demand and long waitlists for several of these programs, participants are required to attend at least three days per week. Failure to meet this attendance requirement may result in the forfeiture of their spot. This helps ensure that as many people as possible have the chance to participate. We anticipate these programs will fill quickly, and registration will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited spaces available at each site. Cost: \$20 non-refundable registration fee but free for the program. Scholarships are available. To Register: Please call 208-608-7680 or visit CITYOFBOISE.ORG/PARKS

GRACE JORDAN COMMUNITY CENTER
6411 W. Fairfield Ave.

HILLCREST KID CITY CENTER
2045 S. Pond St.

JEFFERSON KID CITY CENTER
200 S. Latah St.

MCMILLAN KID CITY CENTER
(West Ada School Dist.)
10901 W. McMillan Rd.

MORLEY NELSON COMMUNITY CENTER
7701 W. Northview St.

TAFT KID CITY CENTER,
3722 W. Anderson St.

WHITNEY COMMUNITY CENTER
1609 S. Owyhee St.

WHITTIER COMMUNITY CENTER
255 N. 29th St.

REGISTRATION

Limited spaces available at each site. Registration will begin on Monday, August 4 for Boise residents and Wednesday, August 6 for non-residents.

COST: \$20 non-refundable registration fee but FREE this school year. Scholarships are available.



Kid City After School Programs

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY #
6-12**	Grace Jordan Kid City	M-F	3:15-6PM	Aug 18-May 15*	Grace Jordan CC	\$20	113590-01
6-12**	Hillcrest Kid City	M-F	3:45-6PM	Aug 18-May 15*	Hillcrest Kid City Center	\$20	113598-01
6-12**	Jefferson Kid City	M-F	3:15-6PM	Aug 18-May 15*	Jefferson Kid City Center	\$20	113596-01
6-11**	McMillan Kid City	M-F	3:55-6PM	Aug 18-May 15*	McMillan Kid City Center	\$20	113595-01
6-12**	Morley Nelson Kid City	M-F	3:45-6PM	Aug 18-May 15*	Morley Nelson CC	\$20	113591-01
6-12**	Taft Kid City	M-F	3:15-6PM	Aug 18-May 15*	Taft Kid City Center	\$20	113592-01
6-12**	Whitney Kid City	M-F	3:15-6PM	Aug 18-May 15*	Whitney CC	\$20	113593-01
6-12**	Whittier Kid City	M-F	3:45-6PM	Aug 18-May 15*	Whittier CC	\$20	113594-01

*Closed on no school days & holidays **Programs are for registered students in 1st-6th grade only

ART

All materials are provided.

ART SAMPLER

AGES 6-8 Create one-of-a-kind clay sculptures, make a colorful batik project, draw with pastels, paint with watercolors and more. We will explore different art materials each week.

CLAY

AGES 6-8 Pinch, coil, slab and sculpt your way to fun! Students will create interesting pots, creatures and everyday objects using hand-built clay techniques and fired glazes.

DRAWING & PAINTING

AGES 6-8 and 9-12 Learn the fundamentals of drawing and painting in this beginning class. Explore drawing techniques, technical skills and color using brushes, pencils, inks, chalks, charcoal, watercolor and acrylics.

MIXED MEDIA EXPLORATION

AGES 10-13 Students will learn to express themselves in a variety of ways using numerous mediums such as clay, collage, printmaking and more.

POTTERY FOR KIDS

AGES 9-12 Create original pots by forming clay on an electric potter's wheel. Make unique and more advanced hand-built projects and learn how to apply colored glazes onto your completed masterpieces

PROCESS & PLAY

AGES 9-12 Dive into process-based projects that emphasize exploration, imagination, and teamwork. Students will design board games, paint with super-sized brushes and create collaborative works of art. From building with unexpected materials to inventing new ways to draw and play, this class is all about the joy of making - not just the final masterpiece.

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
6-8	ART SAMPLER	Tu	4:15-5:45PM	Sep 30-Nov 18	Fort Boise CC	Maddy Lucas	\$87/\$134.28	102709-01
6-8	CLAY	W	4:15-5:45PM	Oct 1-Nov 19	Fort Boise CC	Kelly Cox	\$102.90/\$150.18	102708-01
6-8	DRAWING & PAINTING	Th	4:15-5:45PM	Oct 2-Nov 20	Fort Boise CC	Dorothy Martin	\$87/\$134.28	102720-01
9-12		M		Sep 29-Nov 17		Chris Miller		102721-01
9-12	POTTERY FOR KIDS	Tu	4:15-5:45PM	Sep 30-Nov 18	Fort Boise CC	Temple Gladstarr	\$102.90/\$150.18	102728-02
		Th		Oct 2-Nov 20		Devon Ruscito		102728-03
		F		Oct 3-Nov 21		Kelly Cox		102728-04
9-12	PROCESS & PLAY	Tu	4:15-5:45PM	Sep 30-Nov 18	Fort Boise CC	Devon Ruscito	\$87/\$134.28	102725-01
10-13	MIXED MEDIA EXPLORATION	W	4:15-5:45PM	Oct 1-Nov 19	Fort Boise CC	Dorothy Martin	\$87/\$134.28	102722-01
11-14	POTTERY FOR KIDS	M	4:15-5:45PM	Sept 29-Nov 17	Fort Boise CC	Kelly Cox	\$102.90/\$150.18	102728-01

CAMPS

NEW LEGO® LEAGUE BOISE CLUB!

AGES 9-15 We are a brand-new LEGO® League Challenge Team excited to dive into the world of robotics, innovation and teamwork! As first-year competitors, we're learning how to design, build and program LEGO® robotics to complete missions. We're here to grow our skills, have fun and show what's possible when passion and perseverance come together.

ENKIDS STEM – Science Wonders Workshop

AGES 5-7 Dive into the world of STEM through hands-on learning and age-appropriate activities! These fun-filled sessions introduce young learners to simple chemistry reactions and exciting physics experiments like creating homemade volcanoes, building water filtration systems, exploring sound waves and more. With each activity designed to engage their curiosity, kids will develop problem-solving skills and build a love for science and discovery – all while having fun!

ENKIDS STEM – Explorers Lab

AGES 8-12 Inspire curiosity and creativity through engaging, hands-on learning experiences. Students will build simple machines, explore chemical reactions, and gain practical knowledge and problem-solving skills. Classes make learning fun while developing critical thinking, teamwork and a love for discovery!



SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE:
cityofboise.org/scholarships

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
5-7	ENKIDS STEM – Science Wonders Workshop	Tu	4:15-5:10PM	Sep 9-Oct 21	Dick Eardley SC	Staff	\$48.11/\$71.17	119497-01
				Oct 28-Dec 16*			\$42.13/\$61.89	119497-02
8-12	ENKIDS STEM – Explorers Lab	Tu	5:30-6:25PM	Sep 9-Oct 21	Dick Eardley SC	ENKIDS	\$48.11/\$71.17	119498-01
				Oct 28-Dec 16*			\$42.13/\$61.89	119498-02
9-15	LEGO® – Club	F	6-8PM	Sep 12-Oct 24	Dick Eardley SC	Jackie Stafford	\$104.25/\$158.15	119314-01
				Nov 7-Dec 19**	Fort Boise CC		\$90.25/\$136.45	119314-02

*No class Nov 11 or 24-28 **No class Nov 24-28

COOKING

KIDS' CULINARY SERIES

AGES 9-14 Hone cooking skills, learn simple and delicious recipes and explore basic culinary techniques in our Kids' Culinary classes.

FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES

ALL AGES + ADULT Join us in the kitchen to whip up delicious and delightful garden-to-table recipes! Students under 16 must be accompanied by a paying adult. The cost is per person and each participant must be registered.



Friends & Family Night Out

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
9-14	KIDS' CULINARY SERIES – Picasso Focaccia	M	4-6PM	Sept 15	BUGS	\$25	124011-01
	KIDS' CULINARY SERIES – Finger Foods			Oct 13			124011-02
	KIDS' CULINARY SERIES – Garden Pastry			Nov 10			124011-03
	KIDS' CULINARY SERIES – Dumplings			Dec 8			124011-04
All Ages + Adult	FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Street Tacos & Salsas	Tu	5-7PM	Sept 16	BUGS	\$25	124201-01
	FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Halloween Spooktacular Treats	W		Sept 23			124201-02
		Th		Oct 8			124201-03
	FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Veggie Pot Pies	Th		Oct 16			124201-04
		M		Nov 13			124201-05
	FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Ramen from Scratch	Th		Nov 17			124201-06
		Th		Dec 4			124201-07
		W		Dec 10			124201-08

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

FOOTHILLS LEARNING CENTER

BOISE BIRDING

ALL AGES + ADULT Beginner to expert birders welcome to this free class. The first hour will be a birding presentation by Terry Rich, followed by the option to go birding. Binoculars available to borrow.

HIKE & LEARN

ALL AGES + ADULT Join us for a family hike to explore seasonal topics. Fee is per person attending. September session focuses on native pollinators; the October session will cover native plants and seeds.

FOOTHILLS FAMILY DAYS

ALL AGES Venture to the Foothills Learning Center for hours of family fun. Entrance is free but may be limited due to capacity. Register ahead of time at cityofboise.org/foothills-learning-center.

NEW FOLK ART SERIES: NATURAL ROPE MAKING

AGE 7-12 + ADULT Families will work together to make natural rope out of milkweed. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

NEW FOLK ART SERIES: FIRE STARTING

AGE 7-12 + ADULT Fire has been with us since the dawn of recorded history but matches and lighters only became widely available during the 1800s. Learn how to use an emergency fire sparker to start a fire the old-fashioned way with flint and steel. We'll discuss how fire can be both helpful and harmful to an ecosystem and how to use fire responsibly.

NEW FOLK ART SERIES: SPOON CARVING

AGE 7-12 + ADULT Making your own spoons is as fun as it is simple! Great for those interested in whittling and not sure where to begin, or just looking for a practical new hobby. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

NEW FOLK ART SERIES: CORDAGE FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS

AGES 10-12 Make one section of cordage long enough to fit around your wrist and wear as a friendship bracelet.

WATERSHED

WATER RENEWAL FACILITY TOURS AT THE WATERSHED

AGES 5+ Join us the 2nd Tuesday or 2nd Saturday of each month for a tour of the West Boise Water Renewal Facility. This 60-minute walking tour gives a behind-the-scenes view of what happens when you flush! Learn how the City of Boise is renewing used water, recovering valuable resources and ultimately protecting the health of the Boise River. Closed-toe shoes required, ages 5 and up. Pre-registration is required through the Eventbrite link on our event calendar at boisewatershed.org.

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CONT'D

WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT

ALL AGES The WaterShed is offering bonus programming during long weekends for local school districts. Drop in and join us for free all-ages activities, crafts and scientific demonstrations with community partners. This is a public drop-in activity; no pre-registration is required.

WATERSHED WEEKEND

ALL AGES Join the WaterShed and community partners for WaterShed Weekends. Enjoy hands-on crafts, science lessons, activities and more. This is a free public drop-in activity; no pre-registration is required.



REGISTER ONLINE:
cityofboise.org/parks

AUGUST 4 (Residents)
AUGUST 6 (Non-residents)



**SCHOLARSHIPS
AVAILABLE:**
[cityofboise.org/
scholarships](http://cityofboise.org/scholarships)



WaterShed Weekend

AGES	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES	ACTIVITY#
FOOTHILLS LEARNING CENTER							
7-12 + Adult	FOLK ART SERIES – Natural Rope Making	Sa	9AM-12PM	Sept 27	Foothills LC	\$21	125093-01
	FOLK ART SERIES – Fire Starting			Nov 1			125093-02
	FOLK ART SERIES – Spoon Carving			Nov 8			125093-03
10-12	FOLK ART SERIES – Cordage Friendship Bracelets			Oct 4			125092-01
All Ages + Adult	BOISE BIRDING	F	9-10AM	Sept 5	Foothills LC	FREE	N/A
				Oct 3			
				Nov 7			
				Dec 5			
All Ages + Adult	HIKE & LEARN	Th	5:30-6:30PM	Sept 25	Foothills LC	\$6	119965-01
				Oct 23			119965-02
All Ages	FOOTHILLS FAMILY DAYS	Sa	10AM-1PM	Oct 4	Foothills LC	FREE	RSVP at cityofboise.org/foothills-learning-center
WATERSHED							
5+	WATER RENEWAL FACILITY TOURS	Tu	9-10AM	Sept 9	The WaterShed	FREE	Pre-register at boisewatershed.org
		Sa	9:30-10:30AM	Sept 13			
				Oct 11			
		Tu	9-10AM	Oct 14			
		Sa	9:30-10:30AM	Nov 8			
		Tu	9-10AM	Dec 9			
All Ages	WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT – Bike Extravaganza	Th	1-3PM	Oct 17	The WaterShed	FREE	N/A
	WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT – Snow Science	Tu, W	10AM-12PM	Nov 4-5			
All Ages	WATERSHED WEEKEND – Micron STEM Day	Sa	10AM-1PM	Oct 11	The WaterShed	FREE	N/A

GOLF

GOLF LESSONS

AGES 5-13 Classes will cover full-swing, stance, grip, short game, chipping and putting. All classes are open to any skill level from beginner to advanced. Clubs provided for students during class time.



**REGISTER FOR CLASSES
STARTING AT 7AM :**
cityofboise.org/parks

AUGUST 4 (Residents)
AUGUST 6 (Non-residents)



**SCHOLARSHIPS
AVAILABLE:**
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scholarships](http://cityofboise.org/scholarships)



Golf Lessons

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
5-7	GOLF LESSONS – Quail Hollow	Tu-Th	4:15-5:15PM	Sept 16-18	Quail Hollow GC	\$79	170001-01
5-7	GOLF LESSONS – Warm Springs	Tu-Th	9:30-10:30AM	Sept 9-11	Warm Springs GC	\$79	180001-01
				Sept 16-18			180001-02
				Oct 7-9			180001-03
				Aug 12-14			470004-05
7-13	GOLF LESSONS – Quail Hollow	Tu-Th	4:15-5:15PM	Aug 19-21	Quail Hollow GC	\$79	470004-06
				Aug 26-28			470004-07
				Sept 2-4			470004-08
				Sept 9-11			170004-01
				Sept 30-Oct 2			170004-02
				Oct 7-9			170004-03
				Oct 21-23			170004-04
				Aug 12-14			480004-08
7-13	GOLF LESSONS – Warm Springs	Tu-Th	4:15-5:15PM	Aug 19-21	Warm Springs GC	\$79	480004-09
				Aug 26-28			480004-10
				Sept 2-4			480004-11
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				Sept 23-25			180004-03
				Sept 30-Oct 2			180004-04
				Oct 7-9			180004-05
				Oct 14-16			180004-06
				Oct 21-23			180004-07

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Please check website or call for facility information.

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IT'S FIELD TRIP SEASON

at Zoo Boise, Boise Urban Garden School and Foothills Learning Center!

Contact us early to get on the schedule. We have a variety of programs available to meet the Idaho State Science Standards within each grade level.

Additionally, we could tailor a program to help you meet other requirements or to expand your content area.



FOR MORE INFORMATION, CURRENT PRICING AND TO DISCUSS DISCOUNT FOR TITLE I SCHOOLS, VISIT OUR WEBSITES:

Zoo Boise:



ZooBoise.org/Education-Programs/Schools-Youth-Groups

BUGS:



CityOfBoise.org/Bugs-Tours

FLC:



CityOfBoise.org/Foothills-Tours

HOMESCHOOL ADVENTURES

BUGS HOMESCHOOL DAYS – A Garden for All Seasons

AGES 6-12 Join us as we explore hands-on garden topics and discover the joy of the garden in all seasons. The first class teaches about hidden garden helpers who work together to create a robust ecosystem. In the second class, join us harvesting, preserving and preparing garden fresh foods. During the last class, learn all the ways we keep our soil healthy, from compost to cover crops, in our regenerative garden.

HOMESCHOOL DAYS – Foothills Learning Center

AGES 6-11 Each session follows a different seasonal theme: Foothills Ecology, Sustainability & Stewardship, and Winter Adaptations. Come dressed for the weather. Closed-toe shoes and a sealable water bottle are a must.

HOMESCHOOL ZOO

AGES 5-13 The Homeschool Zoo program series provides a unique learning experience for students schooled at home. The course consists of classroom discussion, laboratory activities, animal encounters and specialized zoo tours. Classes align with Idaho State

Science Standards and focus on topics and principles based on grade level. Themes emphasize looking at animal groups and taxonomy, adaptations, habitats and ecology. Each individual household must register their child for the class. Kids only. Please bring a small snack for a 15-minute break during class.

WATERSHED HOME SCHOOL DAYS

ALL AGES Calling all homeschools! We're offering FREE programs catered to children ages 5-12, but all ages are welcome. Pre-register thru the Eventbrite link on our event calendar at boisewatershed.org.



BUGS Homeschool Days

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
6-12	BUGS HOMESCHOOL DAYS – The Garden Ecosystem	Tu	12:30-2PM	Sept 16	BUGS	\$10	124104-01
	BUGS HOMESCHOOL DAYS – Farm to Table			Oct 7			124104-02
	BUGS HOMESCHOOL DAYS – Sustaining the Soil			Nov 4			124104-03
6-11	HOMESCHOOL DAYS – Foothills Learning Center	M	1:30-3PM	Sept 8	Foothills LC	\$11	125095-01
				Oct 13			125095-02
				Nov 10			125095-03
All Ages	BWS HOMESCHOOL DAY – Micron STEM Day	Th	10AM-12PM 1-3PM	Oct 9	The WaterShed	FREE	Pre-register at boisewatershed.org
	BWS HOMESCHOOL DAY – Changing Snow	M	10AM-12PM 1-3PM	Nov 3			
KINDER & 1ST GRADE							
5-6	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Animal Necessities	W	9-11AM	Sept 10	Zoo Boise	\$18*	130550-01
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Fuzzy Fixes			Oct 8			130550-02
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Hot in the Rainforest			Nov 5			130550-03
2ND & 3RD GRADE							
7-8	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Helping in Families	W	9-11AM	Sept 17	Zoo Boise	\$18*	130551-01
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Parents to Children			Oct 15			130551-02
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Enviro Effects			Nov 12			130551-03
4TH & 5TH GRADE							
9-10	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Structures & Functions	W	9AM-12PM	Sept 24	Zoo Boise	\$26.50*	130552-01
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Actions & Reactions			Oct 22			130552-02
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Super Senses			Nov 19			130552-03
6TH & 8TH GRADE							
11-13	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – The Gorongosa Story	W	9AM-12PM	Oct 1	Zoo Boise	\$26.50*	130553-01
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Pass the Genes			Oct 29			130553-02
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – What Happens to Panda Snacks?			Dec 3			130553-03

*This activity qualifies for the FoZB discount.



IDAHO TENNIS ASSOCIATION

JUNIOR TENNIS

Looking to get started with junior tennis in the Treasure Valley? The Idaho Tennis Association offers free introduction to tennis classes, tournaments, Junior Social Tennis and other play/learning opportunities.

See website for information or contact Ryan Stewart, rstewart@idtennis.com or 208-322-5150 ex. 206.

ADULT SOCIAL TENNIS

New to tennis or an experienced player who wants to play without the structure of USTA leagues? Social tennis is for you! An on-court instructor organizes live match play and provides tips to improve your game.

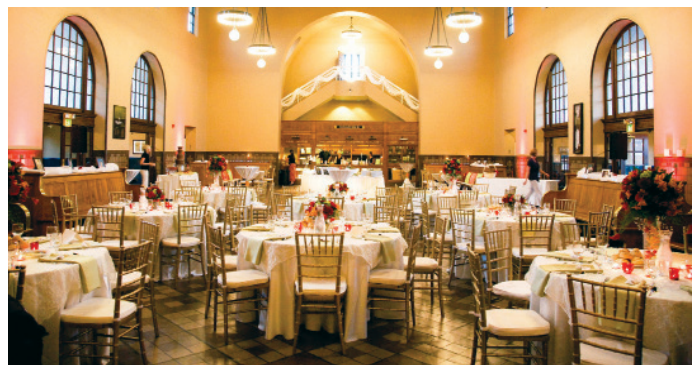
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ICE HOCKEY/ICE SKATING

ICE HOCKEY

GOAL!

Hockey Learn to Play

Find more information on page 8.

EQUIPMENT

Full Hockey Equipment is Required! A one-time \$35 fee will be charged to rent hockey equipment when enrolled in Learn to Play. **Helmets, neck guards, and sticks are NOT included and MUST be provided by the player.**

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 1-4 (H1-H4)

AGES 4-7 For a full class description, find more information on page 8.

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 1 (H1)

AGES 8-17 Players will learn how to sit on ice and stand up, proper stance, march forward, forward two-foot glide, dip or squat, scooter pushes or T-push, forward swizzles, snowplow stop and backwards skating. Full equipment required. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 2 (H2) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 1 (H1)

AGES 8-17 Players will learn backward stance, skating forward using full strides, forward one-foot glides, backward hustle, backward swizzles, glide turns and moving snowplow stops. Full equipment required. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 3 (H3) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 2 (H2)

AGES 8-17 Players will learn one-foot snowplow stop, introduce hips with ¼ turn twist to hockey stop, full strides using 45-degree V-Push, shuffle stride, backwards hustle, backward C-Cuts or power pushes, backward outside edge glide, forward C-Cuts, C-push glide, forward outside & inside edges, gliding 2 foot turn and lateral crossover march. Classes will be structured following USA Hockey American Development Model (ADM) Program. Full equipment required. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 4 (H4) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 3 (H3)

AGES 8-17 This is the first step to playing organized hockey. Full hockey equipment is required. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

ICE SKATING

PROGRAM

Learn to Skate

Find more information on page 8.

Check out the curriculum for each level at learntoskateusa.com

Skates are included with the cost of the class.

SPUDS AND TATER TOTS (Adult/Child Class)

AGES 2-3 + ADULT On-ice adult participation is REQUIRED. Designed for children ages 2-3 and their accompanying adult. Basic skating skills will be taught to children while adults offer support and security. Both adults and children are required to wear ice skates.

SNOWPLOW SAM 1-4

AGES 4-6 For a full class description, find more information on page 8.

BASIC 1 (Beginners)

AGES 7-12 Beginning skaters will learn the proper way to fall and get up, march, forward two-foot glide, dip, forward swizzles, backward wiggles, snowplow stop and a two-foot hop in place. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Basic 2 and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Basic 1 badge.

BASIC 2 (Prerequisite Snowplow Sam 4 or Basic 1)

AGES 7-12 Skaters will learn scooter pushes, forward one-foot glides, backward two-foot glides, rocking horse, backward swizzles, two-foot turns from forward and backward, moving snowplow stop and curves. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Basic 3 and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Basic 2 badge.

BASIC 3 (Prerequisite Basic 2)

AGES 7-12 Advancing skaters will learn forward stroking, half swizzle pumps on a circle, moving two-foot turn, backward one-foot glides,

backward snowplow stop, forward slalom and forward pivots. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Basic 4 and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Basic 3 badge.

BASIC 4 (Prerequisite Basic 3)

AGES 7-12 Advancing skaters will learn forward outside and inside edges on a circle, forward crossovers, backward half swizzle pumps on a circle, backward one-foot glides, beginning two-foot spin and forward lunges. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Basic 5 and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Basic 4 badge.

BASIC 5 (Prerequisite Basic 4)

AGES 7-12 Advancing skaters will learn backward outside and inside edges on a circle, backward crossovers, forward outside three-turn, advanced two-foot spin, hockey stop and a side toe hop. Once skills are mastered, skaters advance to Basic 6 and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Basic 5 badge.

BASIC 6 (Prerequisite Basic 5)

AGES 7-12 Learn forward inside three-turn, backward to forward two-foot turn on a circle, backward stroking, beginning one-foot spin, T-stops, bunny hop, forward spiral on a straight line and shoot the duck. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Pre-Free Skate and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Basic 6 badge.

PRE-FREE SKATE (Prerequisite Basic 6)

AGES 5-12 Learn a forward inside open Mohawk from a standstill position, backward crossovers to a backward outside edge glide, backward outside edge to a forward outside edge transition, basic combination footwork, one-foot upright spin, Mazurka, Waltz jump and backward inside pivots. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Free Skate 1 and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Pre-Free Skate badge.

FREE SKATE 1-4 (Prerequisite Pre-Free Skate)

AGES 5-12 Designed to introduce the skater to the next level of figure skating. Class will concentrate on beginning jumps, spin techniques and Moves in the Field. Skaters must have mastered Pre-Free Skate elements. Once skills are mastered at a level, skaters advance to the next Free Skate level and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a badge. After completion of Free Skate 6, skaters generally focus on private instruction.

ICE HOCKEY/ICE SKATING CONT'D

ICE SHOW CAST MEMBER

The 2025 Annual Boise Ice Show consists of 3 performances that will take place at Idaho IceWorld scheduled for Friday, December 5 at 7PM and Saturday, December 6 at 3PM and 6PM. Participation requires registration for BOTH fall sessions. All Learn to Skate students are eligible to participate in the annual ice show cast. Practices for the Snowplow Sam and Basic Skills groups will be every Wednesdays from 6:45-7:30PM beginning September 3. Teen and Adult group practice will be every Monday from 7:15-7:45PM beginning September 8. Two additional mandatory dress rehearsals are

tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, November 18 & Sunday, November 30, time TBD. Maintaining this practice/rehearsal plan is our goal, but subject to change. This show is professionally choreographed and co-produced by Idaho IceWorld and the Boise Figure Skating Club. Students receive extra on and off ice instruction and have loads of fun! Being a cast member is a huge commitment of time and energy. Ensure that every practice and rehearsal are top priorities when scheduling your family activities. This is a ticketed event requiring spectators to pay for entry. The \$161 participation fee includes 1 parent/guardian entry into each performance.

Please note that this is a ticketed event, and all other spectators will be required to purchase tickets for entry. Costume fees are additional and TBD. Check IdahoIceWorld.com for updates. City of Boise Parks and Recreation Scholarships do not apply to this activity. Learn to Skate USA membership required. REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS AUGUST 31.



**SCHOLARSHIPS
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AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
ICE HOCKEY							
4-7	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 1-4 – <i>Class information on page 9</i>						
8-17	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 1 (H1) Beginners	Tu	7:30-8:30PM	Sept 9-Oct 21	Idaho IceWorld	\$225/7 classes	160004-01
				Nov 4-Dec 16			160004-03
8-17	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 2 (H2) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 1 (H1)	Tu	7:30-8:30PM	Sept 9-Oct 21	Idaho IceWorld	\$225/7 classes	160005-01
				Nov 4-Dec 16			160005-03
8-17	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 3 (H3) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 2 (H2)	Tu	7:30-8:30PM	Sept 9-Oct 21	Idaho IceWorld	\$225/7 classes	160006-01
				Nov 4-Dec 16			160006-03
8-17	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 4 (H4) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 3 (H3)	Tu	7:30-8:30PM	Sept 9-Oct 21	Idaho IceWorld	\$225/7 classes	160007-01
				Nov 4-Dec 16			160007-03
ICE SKATING							
4-6	SNOWPLOW SAM 1-4 – <i>Class information on page 9</i>						
7-12	BASIC 1 (Beginners)	M	5:45-6:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6*	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161004-01
		W		Aug 20-Oct 8		\$161/8 classes	161004-02
		M		Oct 20-Dec 8**		\$141/7 classes	161004-03
		W		Oct 22-Dec 10**			161004-04
7-12	BASIC 3 (Prerequisite Basic 2)	M	6:15-6:45PM	Aug 18-Oct 6*	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161006-01
		W		Aug 20-Oct 8		\$161/8 classes	161006-02
		M		Oct 20-Dec 8**		\$141/7 classes	161006-03
		W		Oct 22-Dec 10**			161006-04
7-12	BASIC 4 (Prerequisite Basic 3)	M	6:15-6:45PM	Aug 18-Oct 6*	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161007-01
		W		Aug 20-Oct 8		\$161/8 classes	161007-02
		M		Oct 20-Dec 8**		\$141/7 classes	161007-03
		W		Oct 22-Dec 10**			161007-04
7-12	BASIC 5 (Prerequisite Basic 4)	M	6:15-6:45PM	Aug 18-Oct 6*	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161008-01
		W		Aug 20-Oct 8		\$161/8 classes	161008-02
		M		Oct 20-Dec 8**		\$141/7 classes	161008-03
		W		Oct 22-Dec 10**			161008-04
7-12	BASIC 6 (Prerequisite Basic 5)	W	6:15-6:45PM	Aug 20-Oct 8	Idaho IceWorld	\$161/8 classes	161009-01
				Oct 22-Dec 10**		\$141/7 classes	161009-02
4-12	ICE SHOW CAST - Snowplow Sam & Basic Practice	W	6:45-7:30PM	Sept 4-Dec 3*	Idaho IceWorld	\$161	161110***
5-12	ICE SKATING – Pre-Free Skate (Prerequisite Basic 6)	Th	5:45-6:15PM	Aug 21-Oct 9	Idaho IceWorld	\$161/8 classes	161010-01
				Oct 23-Dec 11**		\$141/7 classes	161010-02
5-12	ICE SKATING – Free Skate 1-4	Th	5:45-6:15PM	Aug 21-Oct 9	Idaho IceWorld	\$161/8 classes	161100-01
				Oct 23-Dec 11**		\$141/7 classes	161100-02

*No Class Sept 1 **No classes Nov 24-28 ***Registration deadline is Aug 31

PERFORMING ARTS

CONTEMPORARY DANCE – Beginner

AGES 10-14 Explore the expressive world of contemporary dance in this beginner-friendly class! Designed for those new to dance, class focuses on fundamental techniques, fluid movements and creative expression. No prior experience or special shoes/clothing required – just bring your enthusiasm and willingness to move.

GUITAR – Beginner & Intermediate

AGES 12+ Learning to play the guitar is challenging and fun. Classes will be song-based and include songs selected by the class. Both electric and acoustic guitar students are welcome. Participants must provide their own guitars.

HIP HOP

AGES 8-12 and 12-17 Hip Hop is a fun high-energy dance style that will have everyone up and moving! Music is fun and hip but age appropriate. Come ready to move and learn some cool new moves.

JAZZ DANCE – Beginner

AGES 7-12 Step into the energetic and vibrant world of jazz dance! Perfect for those new to dance, this class introduces fundamental jazz techniques, dynamic movements and lively choreography. Participants will learn basic steps, improve their coordination and build confidence.

TAP – Beginner/Intermediate

AGES 5-7 What could be better than having fun while making music with your feet? Students will have a tremendous amount of fun learning the basics in a fun, positive environment. Tap shoes are needed; for information on where to purchase, please contact Clay Lee, 208-608-7684.

TAP/BALLET COMBO

AGES 6-8 Dancers will learn the basics of Tap and Ballet with fun warmups, basic technique and maybe a short routine to show off our moves! Dancers need tap shoes and ballet shoes. For information on attire, please contact Clay Lee, 208-608-7684.

TAP – Musical Theater

AGES 15+ Tap is an energetic form of dance that focuses on rhythm and percussion. Classes will include across-the-floor exercises that teach choreography and improvisation. Class will help develop the elements of tap vocabulary and individual style. The goal is to develop coordination, clarity and rhythm with musical theater emphasis.

THEATER CLASS – Rising Stars

AGES 9-12 This 7-week program dives into advanced acting skills using scripts to explore character goals, obstacles and tactics. Through engaging activities and script work, students will develop confidence, stage presence and the ability to bring characters to life. Adults are invited to a special “showcase” of improv games on the final day.

THEATER CLASS – Stage Sprouts

AGES 6-8 Young performers will explore the exciting basics of improvisation while building confidence in acting fundamentals like stage presence and projection. We'll laugh and learn through engaging activities and games designed to spark imagination and teamwork. Adults are invited to a special “showcase” of improv games on the final day.

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
5-7	TAP – Beginner/Intermediate	W	5:30-6:15PM	Sep 10-Oct 22	Fort Boise CC	Shannon Peterson	\$40.41/\$59.17	112004-01
				Oct 29-Dec 17**				112004-02
6-8	TAP/BALLET COMBO	Tu	4:30-5:30PM	Sep 9-Oct 21	Fort Boise CC	Shannon Peterson	\$51.75/\$76.81	112605-01
				Oct 28-Dec 16*			\$45.25/\$66.73	112605-02
6-8	THEATER CLASS – Stage Sprouts	M	5-6PM	Sep 8-Oct 20	Dick Eardley SC	Lexi Johns	\$51.75/\$76.81	112108-01
				Oct 27-Dec 15**				112108-02
7-12	JAZZ DANCE – Beginner	M	6:45-7:30PM	Sep 8-Oct 20	Fort Boise CC	Alexa Duvalis	\$40.41/\$59.17	112022-01
				Oct 27-Dec 15**				112022-02
8-12	HIP HOP	M	6-6:45PM	Sep 8-Oct 20	Fort Boise CC	Alexa Duvalis	\$40.41/\$59.17	112703-01
				Oct 27-Dec 15**				112703-02
		Th		Sep 11-Oct 23		Lucy Singer		112703-03
				Oct 30-Dec 18**				112703-04
9-12	THEATER CLASS – Rising Stars	M	6-7PM	Sep 8-Oct 20	Dick Eardley SC	Lexi Johns	\$51.75/\$76.81	112109-01
				Oct 27-Dec 15**				112109-02
10-14	CONTEMPORARY DANCE – Beginner	M	7:30-8:15PM	Sep 8-Oct 20	Fort Boise CC	Alexa Duvalis	\$40.41/\$59.17	111226-01
				Oct 27-Dec 15**				111226-02
12+	GUITAR – Beginner	Tu	6-7:15PM	Sep 9-Oct 21	Dick Eardley SC	George Rowe	\$63.13/\$94.46	120110-01
				Oct 28-Dec 16*			\$55/\$81.85	120110-02
12+	GUITAR – Intermediate	Tu	7:30-8:45PM	Sep 9-Oct 21	Dick Eardley SC	George Rowe	\$63.13/\$94.46	120110-03
				Oct 28-Dec 16*			\$55/\$81.85	120110-04
12-17	HIP HOP	Th	6:45-7:30PM	Sep 11-Oct 23	Fort Boise CC	Lucy Singer	\$40.41/\$59.17	112023-01
				Oct 30-Dec 18**				112023-02
15+	TAP – Musical Theater	W	6:15-7PM	Sep 10-Oct 22	Fort Boise CC	Shannon Peterson	\$40.41/\$59.17	112114-01
				Oct 29-Dec 17**				112114-02

*No classes Nov 11 or 24-28 **No class Nov 24-28

SCHOOL BREAK PROGRAMS

FOOTHILLS EXPLORERS CAMP

AGES 6-11 Through hands-on activities and outdoor play, campers will experience the foothills and discover nature as we explore local animals, rocks, plants and more. We will be indoors and outdoors. Campers should come dressed for the weather. Closed-toe shoes, a snack and lunch, and sealable water bottle are a must.

GARDEN TO TABLE – Break Camps

AGES 6-10 When school's out, come learn and cook with us in the BUGS garden and kitchen! We will explore the garden ecosystem, sustainable food systems and gain valuable and empowering culinary skills. Each camp will be unique with different activities and recipes.

LEGO® ANIMATION

AGES 9-14 Come create and build your own mini movie set out of LEGO® and anything else to help create your own animated movie! Use technology to make a LEGO® animated movie with complete editing capabilities, effects, music and narration all through iMovie and Stop Motion. Kids will have a video to keep and share with friends and family.

LEGO® WE DO ROBOTICS 2.0

AGES 6-9 Attention all LEGO® lovers! Kids will learn and explore using LEGO® and create,

document and share their projects. Come build Milo the space rover and help him create a base on the moon, a LEGO® car to learn about speed, a LEGO® frog to learn their metamorphosis, or a LEGO® flood gate to help keep the waters down. This LEGO® class is full of science, technology and LEGO®.

LEGO® SPIKE

AGES 9-14 Come check out this fun way to combine your love of LEGO® with easy coding. Spike has colorful LEGO® building elements, easy-to-use hardware and an intuitive drag and drop coding language based on Scratch. Spike Prime uses playful learning activities to engage kiddos to think critically and solve complex problems, regardless of their learning level.

“REC ‘EM” THANKSGIVING & HOLIDAY CAMP

AGES 8-11 Come enjoy some of the fun, kid-friendly recreational activities found in the Boise area! Campers will be transported to various locations to explore and experience both traditional and non-traditional recreation activities. A tentative schedule will be emailed the week before camp starts.

WINTER BREAK CAMPS

AGES 6-11 Make new friends and have fun at the Winter Break Camps located inside our

community centers. Camps offer recreational games, crafts, hands-on science projects and much more! Camp staff have previous experience working with youth and are trained in CPR/first Aid to ensure that your child has a safe and positive experience. Camp is for youth in 1st-6th grade only.

ZOOLOGY CAMPS

AGES 5-7 and 8-10 Explore the amazing diversity of the zoo's residents, from the smallest insects to the mightiest big cats. Learn what it takes to live in the wild. From “tracking animals” on a scavenger hunt, nature crafts and animal encounters. Ready to unlock the mysteries of the animal kingdom and become an expert adventurer? Let's get wild!

ZOOKEEPING CAMPS

AGES 5-7 and 8-10 What is it like to work at a zoo? Learn exhibit design, plan diets, identify scat, “train animals”, make enrichment and find out how zoos (and you) protect animals in the wild.

DR. ZOOLITTLE

AGES 5-7 Learn the language of veterinarians using imaginative play, build a treatment plan for your sick “stuffedie patient”, read x-rays, plan diets and learn about the care provided for hundreds of animals.

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#	
5-7	FUR-FEATHERS-SCALES	F	9AM-4PM	Oct 10	Zoo Boise	\$60***	130402-01	
5-7	JUNIOR ZOOKEEPING	Th, F	9AM-4PM	Oct 16-17	Zoo Boise	\$119***	130408-01	
5-7	DR. ZOOLITTLE	Tu	9AM-4PM	Nov 4	Zoo Boise	\$60***	130404-01	
6-9	LEGO® – We Do Robotics	M-W	10AM-12PM	Nov 24-26	Fort Boise CC	\$48.25/\$71.35	119311-01	
6-10	GARDEN TO TABLE – Break Camps	Th, F	9AM-12PM	Oct 16-17	BUGS	\$64	124012-01	
		M, Tu		Nov 24-25			124012-02	
		Dec 22-23		124012-03				
6-11	FOOTHILLS EXPLOERS CAMPS	F	9AM-3PM	Oct 10	Foothills LC	\$37	119963-01	
		Th, F		Oct 16-17		\$73	119963-02	
		M, Tu		Nov 24-25			119963-03	
				Dec 22-23			119963-04	
				Dec 29-30			119963-05	
6-11	WINTER BREAK CAMPS – Whitney CC	M-W	8AM-5PM	Dec 22-24*	Whitney CC	\$76/\$117.25	113000-01	
	Dec 29-31**			113000-02				
	WINTER BREAK CAMPS – Whittier CC			Dec 22-24*			Whittier CC	113001-01
	Dec 29-31**			113001-02				
8-10	ZOOLOGICA – A Wild Adventure	F	9AM-4PM	Oct 10	Zoo Boise	\$60***	130403-01	
8-10	ZOOKEEPING 101	Th, F	9AM-4PM	Oct 16-17	Zoo Boise	\$119***	130405-01	
8-11	“REC ‘EM” THANKSGIVING & HOLIDAY CAMP	M-W	9AM-4PM	Nov 24-26	Fort Boise CC	\$124.75/\$179.77	119707-01	
				Dec 22-24			119707-02	
				Dec 29-31			119707-03	
9-14	LEGO® – Animation	M-W	9AM-12PM	Dec 22-24	Fort Boise CC	\$69.25/\$103.90	119419-01	
				Dec 29-31			119419-02	
9-14	LEGO® – Spike	M-W	1-4PM	Dec 29-31	Fort Boise CC	\$69.25/\$103.90	119319-01	

*Early Release Dec 24 at 3PM **Early Release Dec 31 at 3PM ***This activity qualifies for the FoZB discount

SPORTS/FITNESS

CHEER – Beginner

AGES 5-8 and 9-12 Get ready to rally! This fun-filled program teaches a variety of cheers, hand/body movements and jumping techniques, all stunt-free. Students also learn valuable teamwork and leadership skills. The program ends with a performance where each cheerleader shines.

FIELD HOCKEY – Beginner

AGES 6-8 & 9-12 Join us for an exciting introduction to Field Hockey, a sport with global appeal! Developed with USA Field Hockey, this program teaches basics like stick-handling and passing in a game-based environment. Perfect for young athletes looking for a fast-paced sport that focuses on teamwork.

FLAG RUGBY – Beginner

AGES 6-8 and 9-12 Crouch, bind, set into a thrilling Skyhawks Flag Rugby experience, in partnership with Imagine Rugby and Major League Rugby! This program focuses on fun,

safety and fundamental skills like passing and flag-pulling. Skyhawks Flag Rugby also teaches life skills while emphasizing teamwork and sportsmanship. It's an exciting mix of sport and character development for memorable flag rugby moments.

GEAR GRINDERS MOUNTAIN BIKE CAMP – Beginner

AGES 6-8 Young riders will learn to correctly use front brakes, rear brakes and appropriate use of gears. Participants will encourage each other and use teamwork while being introduced to climbing and descending safely.

GEAR SMASHERS MOUNTAIN BIKE CAMP – Intermediate

AGES 6-8 Riders will continue to build confidence in using front/rear brakes and gears while we introduce the 5-core mountain bike skills, body position, braking, climbing, descending and cornering.

GEAR GREASERS MOUNTAIN BIKE CAMP – Beginner

AGES 9-12 We will learn to execute the 5-core mountain bike skills, body position, braking, climbing, descending and cornering. Riders will gain confidence in braking and using gears at the appropriate times and focusing on climbing with proper body mechanics before learning how to safely descend.

GEAR MASTERS MOUNTAIN BIKE CAMP – Intermediate

AGES 9-12 Riders will begin to advance the 5-core mountain bike skills, body position, braking, climbing, descending and cornering. We will introduce how to handle rocks, gain speed while in control, and climb/descend safely and confidently.

MARTIAL ARTS – Karate Shotokan – Mixed Level

AGES 7-12 & 13+ Learn traditional Shotokan Karate including; dojo etiquette, warm-up, Kihon, Katas and Kumite. Class will focus on Kihon or basic techniques (blocks, punches, kicks and stances) and Katas or prearrange forms (formal exercise) and Kumite or sparring as students progress.

Tennis – Adult/Child

AGES 5-12 + ADULT Adults will learn beginner skills while children are taught separately. Proper technique is emphasized along with racquet control, cooperation and movement. Lessons are incorporated into fun games to help children stay focused and interested while learning to play. Only register child; please provide parent's name at time of registration.

Tennis – Rallies

AGES 8-11 This for both beginner and intermediate players ready to play on a slightly larger court. Classes build athletic skills while teaching the skills necessary to serve, rally and score. Players gain an understanding of proper technique and maintain that technique during point and match play.

Tennis – Hitters

AGES 12-15 Intermediate-level players will progress their skills in a fun and competitive environment. Players must have prior experience and aspirations of playing Jr. High and High School tennis. Stroke development, footwork, doubles and singles strategies will all be taught. Lessons at Ann Morrison Park will have match play on Thursdays.

Tennis – Higher Level Varsity

AGES 15-18 This program is for teens playing high school varsity tennis. This is an intense program designed for competitive high school players. On-court drills will include point play, live ball drills, fitness drills and mental toughness skills. Need instructor approval to enroll.

PROGRAMS

Tennis

Instructor reserves the right to move children to the appropriate level.

Youth Mountain Biking – Get In Gear!

Look for more information online at cityofboise.org/parks!!

Boise Parks and Recreation is proud to partner with 'Get in Gear Mountain Bike School'. Camps emphasize learning to navigate our Ridge to Rivers trail system, proper etiquette, respect for nature, how to be a good teammate and having fun! We will cover some basic bike maintenance and first aid skills. For questions on what level is appropriate for your rider please contact Sheree Chaffin at sheree@gettingear.us

Riders need to bring a Maintained Mountain Bike, snacks, and water bottle each day. BMX, fixed geared, Electronic (E-Bikes) or training/strider bikes will not work on the trails. Participants must be able to ride a bike without assistance. For information on what trails are E-Bike accessible please visit <https://www.ridgetorivers.org/>



Cheer

SPORTS/FITNESS CONT'D

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
5-8	CHEER – Beginner	Tu	4:10-5PM	Sep 9-Oct 14	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$63.64/\$81.58	112523-01
		M		Sep 29-Oct 27			\$58.20/\$73.15	112523-02
5-12 + Adult	TENNIS – Adult/Child	Tu	6-7:30PM	Sept 2-23	Fort Boise Park	Duane Stotland	\$62.92/\$96.96	150015-01
				Oct 7-28				150015-02
6-8	FIELD HOCKEY – Beginner	Th	4:10-5PM	Sep 11-Oct 16	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$63.64/\$81.58	120714-01
6-8	FLAG RUGBY	W	4:10-5PM	Sep 10-Oct 15	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$63.64/\$81.58	120712-01
6-8	GEAR GRINDERS MOUNTAIN BIKE CAMP – Beginner	Tu-Th	5-7PM	Sep 2-4	Fort Boise CC	Rachel McFarland	\$54.50/\$78.44	120706-01
				Sep 16-18		Tahnee Miller		120706-02
				Oct 7-9				120706-03
6-8	GEAR SMASHERS MOUNTAIN BIKE CAMP – Intermediate	Tu-Th	5-7PM	Sep 2-4	Fort Boise CC	Rachel McFarland	\$54.50/\$78.44	120707-01
				Sep 16-18		Tahnee Miller		120707-02
				Oct 14-16				120707-03
6-12	FIELD HOCKEY – Beginner	Th	4:10-5PM	Oct 23-Nov 20	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$58.20/\$73.15	120714-03
6-12	FLAG RUGBY	W	4:10-5PM	Oct 22-Nov 26	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$63.64/\$81.58	120712-03
7-12	MARTIAL ARTS – Karate Shotokan – Mixed Level	M, W	5:30-6:30PM	Sep 3-Oct 29	Dick Eardley SC	Alvin Sablan, Jennifer Harrington	\$40.25/\$58.95	120333-01
				Nov 3-Dec 17*			\$30.25/\$43.45	120333-02
8-11	TENNIS – Rallies	Tu	4:30-6PM	Sept 2-23	Fort Boise Park	Duane Stotland	\$56/\$86.24	150013-01
				Oct 7-28				150013-02
9-12	CHEER – Beginner	Tu	5:10-6PM	Sep 9-Oct 14	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$63.64/\$81.58	112523-03
		M		Sep 29-Oct 27			\$58.20/\$73.15	112523-04
9-12	GEAR GREASERS MOUNTAIN BIKE CAMP – Beginner	Tu-Th	5-7PM	Sep 9-11	Fort Boise CC	Sheree Chaffin	\$54.50/\$78.44	120709-01
				Oct 7-9		Rachel McFarland		120709-02
9-12	GEAR MASTERS MOUNTAIN BIKE CAMP – Intermediate	Tu-Th	5-7PM	Sep 23-25	Fort Boise CC	Sheree Chaffin	\$54.50/\$78.44	120710-01
				Oct 7-9				120710-02
13+	MARTIAL ARTS – Karate Shotokan – Mixed Level	M, W	5:30-7:30PM	Sep 3-Oct 29	Dick Eardley SC	Alvin Sablan, Jennifer Harrington	\$74.25/\$111.65	120334-01
				Nov 3-Dec 17*			\$54.25/\$80.65	120334-02
9-12	FIELD HOCKEY – Beginner	Th	5:10-6PM	Sep 11-Oct 16	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$63.64/\$81.58	120714-02
9-12	FLAG RUGBY	W	5:10-6PM	Sep 10-Oct 15	Fort Boise Park	TVYS Staff	\$63.64/\$81.58	120712-02
12-15	TENNIS – Hitters	Th	4:30-6PM	Sept 4-25	Fort Boise Park	Duane Stotland	\$56/\$86.24	150014-01
				Oct 9-30				150014-02
15-18	TENNIS – Higher Level Varsity	Th	6-7:30PM	Sept 4-25	Fort Boise Park	Duane Stotland	\$83.56/\$127.96	150016-01
				Oct 9-30				150016-02

*No class Nov 24 or 26

ZOO BOISE

CRITTER COLLEGE

AGES 5-7 For a full class description, find more information on page 13.

FRIENDS OF ZOO BOISE

For more information see page 13.
FoZB = Friends of Zoo Boise



Critter College

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
5-7	CRITTER COLLEGE – Class information on page 13							

*This activity qualifies for the FoZB discount



TEENS

(AGE 13-17)

AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS

NEW TEEN CITY AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

AGES 12-15 Teen City is an enrichment afterschool program hosted at junior highs for teens 7th-9th grade. The program offers social space, music, games, crafts and field trips.

NEW FORT FRIDAYS

AGES 12-15 Start your weekend off at Fort Boise Teen Activity Center (TAC)! Connect with local teens for food and fun.

GAMES & GRUB: Play video, board and card games, plus snack and drinks.

MILKSHAKES & MOVIES: Catch a movie and go out for milkshakes.

POTTERY & PIZZA: Learn how to make pottery and eat pizza – Two Friday sessions.

HOLIDAYS & HANGOUT: Make crafts and holiday favorite dishes and just hang out. Two Friday sessions.



Fort Fridays



SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE:
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scholarships



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AUGUST 4 (Residents)

AUGUST 6 (Non-residents)

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#	
12-15	Teen City – South	M-Th	2:30-5:30PM	Aug 18-Dec 11	South Jr High	Teen Staff	FREE	110806-01	
	Teen City – Hillside				Hillside Jr High			110805-01	
12-15	FORT FRIDAYS – Games & Grub	F	3:30-6:30PM	Sept 12	Fort Boise CC	Teen Staff	\$5/\$7.75	112834-01	
	FORT FRIDAYS – Milkshakes & Movies		3:30-7PM	Sept 19				112834-02	
	FORT FRIDAYS – Pottery & Pizza		3:30-7:30PM	Oct 3-10			\$10/\$14.95	112834-03	
	FORT FRIDAYS – Games & Grub		3:30-6:30PM	Oct 24			\$5/\$7.75	112834-04	
	FORT FRIDAYS – Milkshakes & Movies		3:30-7PM	Nov 7				112834-05	
	FORT FRIDAYS – Holiday & Hangout		3:30-6:30PM	Nov 14-21			\$10/\$14.95	112834-06	
				Dec 5-12				112834-07	

*Closed when school is closed

ART

All materials are provided. 15 years and up can now take adult art classes. Please visit Adult Art for more info.

MIXED MEDIA EXPLORATION

AGES 10-13 Class provides opportunities for students to express themselves in a variety of ways using mediums such as clay, collage, printmaking and more.

POTTERY FOR KIDS

AGES 11-14 Create original pots by forming clay on an electric potter's wheel and make unique and more advanced hand-built projects. Learn how to apply colored glazes onto their completed masterpieces.



Pottery for Kids

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
10-13	MIXED MEDIA EXPLORATION	W	4:15-5:45PM	Oct 1-Nov 19	Fort Boise CC	Dorothy Martin	\$87/\$134.28	102722-01
11-14	POTTERY FOR KIDS	M	4:15-5:45PM	Sept 29-Nov 17	Fort Boise CC	Kelly Cox	\$102.90/\$150.18	102728-01

COOKING

FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES

ALL AGES + ADULT Join us in the kitchen to whip up some delicious and delightful garden-to-table recipes. Cooking is better with friends! Students under the age of 16 must be accompanied by a paying adult. The cost is per person and each participant must be registered.

THE JOYFUL KITCHEN CULINARY SERIES

AGES 14+ This class series is designed for older teens and adults to inspire creativity, expand knowledge and create empowerment through learning versatile, fun and useful farm to table culinary skills.



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AUGUST 4 (Residents)
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AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
All Ages + Adult	FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Street Tacos & Salsas	Tu	5-7PM	Sept 16	BUGS	\$25	124201-01
				Sept 23			124201-02
	FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Halloween Spooktacular Treats	W		Oct 8			124201-03
		Th		Oct 16			124201-04
	FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Veggie Pot Pies	Th		Nov 13			124201-05
		M		Nov 17			124201-06
	FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Ramen from Scratch	Th		Dec 4			124201-07
		W		Dec 10			124201-08
14+	THE JOYFUL KITCHEN – Eggplant Parm	M	5:30-7:30PM	Sept 22	BUGS	\$25	124203-01
	THE JOYFUL KITCHEN – Sourdough	W		Oct 15			124203-02
	THE JOYFUL KITCHEN – Thanksgiving Sides			Nov 5			124203-03

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

BOISE URBAN GARDEN SCHOOL

GARDEN PLANNING

AGES 14+ Join the BUGS gardening experts to learn about maximizing your garden yield while creating a personalized plan for your garden for eating and enjoyment.

FOOTHILLS LEARNING CENTER

BOISE BIRDING

ALL AGES + ADULT Beginner to expert birders welcome to this free class. The first hour will be a birding presentation by Terry Rich followed by the option to go birding. Binoculars available to borrow.

FOLK ART SERIES: MILKWEED CORDAGE

AGES 15+ Learn how to find and responsibly harvest milkweed, then how to process the milkweed into fibers and turn those fibers into cordage.

FOLK ART SERIES: FIRE STARTING

AGES 15+ Fire has been with us since the dawn of recorded history, but matches and lighters only became widely available during the 1800s. So how were people making fire? Join us to learn about primitive fire-starting techniques and their relationship to the ecosystem of the Foothills.



Boise Birding

FOLK ART SERIES: SPOON CARVING

AGES 15+ Making your own spoons is as fun as it is simple! Great for people interested in whittling and not sure where to begin or just looking for a practical new hobby. Participants will split a rectangle of wood, whittle it down, use specialized knives to carve out the bowl, then sand it all down for a spoon that's as beautiful as it is practical.

HIKE & LEARN

ALL AGES + ADULT Join us for a family hike to explore seasonal topics. Fee is per person attending. September session focuses on native pollinators and the October session will cover native plants and seeds.

FOOTHILLS FAMILY DAYS

ALL AGES Venture to the Foothills Learning Center for hours of family fun. Entrance is free but may be limited due to capacity. Register ahead of time through our website.

WATERSHED

WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT

ALL AGES The WaterShed is offering bonus programming during long weekends for local school districts. Drop in and join us for free all-ages activities, crafts and scientific demonstrations with community partners. This is a free public drop-in activity, no pre-registration is required.

WATERSHED WEEKEND

ALL AGES Join The WaterShed and community partners for WaterShed Weekends. Enjoy hands-on crafts, science lessons, activities and more. This is a free public drop-in activity, no pre-registration is required.

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
BOISE URBAN GARDEN SCHOOL							
14+	GARDEN PLANNING – Seed Starting & Fall Gardening	Sa	9-11AM	Aug 23	BUGS	\$25	124108-01
	Oct 25			124108-02			
	Nov 8			124108-03			
FOOTHILLS LEARNING CENTER							
All Ages + Adult	BOISE BIRDING	F	9-10AM	Sept 5	Foothills LC	FREE	N/A
				Oct 3			
				Nov 7			
				Dec 5			
All Ages + Adult	HIKE AND LEARN	Th	5:30-6:30PM	Sept 25	Foothills LC	\$6	119965-01
				Oct 23			119965-02
All Ages	FOOTHILLS FAMILY DAYS	Sa	10AM-1 PM	Oct 4	Foothills LC	FREE	RSVP at cityofboise.org/foothills-learning-center
15+	FOLK ART SERIES – Milkweed Cordage	Sa	9AM-12PM	Sept 13	Foothills LC	\$21	125094-01
	Oct 25			125094-02			
	FOLK ART SERIES – Spoon Carving			Nov 15			125094-03
WATERSHED							
All Ages	WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT – Bike Extravaganza	Th	1-3PM	Oct 17	The WaterShed	FREE	N/A
	WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT – Snow Science	Tu, W	10AM-12PM	Nov 4-5			
All Ages	WATERSHED WEEKEND – Micron STEM Day	Sa	10AM-1PM	Oct 11	The WaterShed	FREE	N/A

HOMESCHOOL ADVENTURES

WATERSHED HOME SCHOOL DAYS

ALL AGES Calling all homeschools! We're offering FREE programs catered to children ages 5 – 12, but all ages are welcome. Pre-register thru the Eventbrite link found on our event calendar at boisewatershed.org.



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AUGUST 4 (Residents)

AUGUST 6 (Non-residents)



WaterShed Homeschool Days

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
All Ages	BWS HOMESCHOOL DAY – Micron STEM Day	Th	10AM-12PM	Oct 9	The WaterShed	FREE	Pre-register at boisewatershed.org
			1-3PM				
	BWS HOMESCHOOL DAY – Changing Snow	M	10AM-12PM	Nov 3			
			1-3PM				



ANNUAL KIDS HOLIDAY SHOPPING SPREE



DONATIONS ACCEPTED ALL YEAR

Donations are needed to take youth from Boise Parks and Recreation's after school programs shopping for holiday gifts for themselves and their families.

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PARKS AND
RECREATION

TEEN CITY LOCATIONS:
SOUTH | HILLSIDE JUNIOR HIGH
BUS DAY EVER!
FORT FRIDAYS
 visit **TEEN** section to learn more

PERFORMING ARTS

CONTEMPORARY DANCE – Beginner

AGES 10-14 Explore the expressive world of contemporary dance in this beginner-friendly class! Students will learn basic steps, develop body awareness and gain confidence in their movements. Through engaging choreography and guided improvisation, you'll discover your unique style. No prior experience or special shoes/clothing required – just bring your enthusiasm and willingness to move!

GUITAR – Beginner & Intermediate

AGES 12+ Learning to play the guitar is challenging and fun. Classes will be song-based and include songs selected by the class. Both electric and acoustic guitar students are welcome. Participants must provide their own guitars.

HIP HOP

AGES 12-17 Hip Hop is a fun high-energy dance style that will have everyone up and moving! Music is fun and hip but age appropriate. Come ready to move and learn some cool new moves. Classes are great exercise and great fun!

TAP – Musical Theater

AGES 15+ Tap is an energetic form of dance that focuses on rhythm and percussion. Classes will include across-the-floor exercises that teach choreography and improvisation. Class will help develop the elements of tap vocabulary and individual style. The goal is to develop coordination, clarity and rhythm with musical theater emphasis.



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AUGUST 4 (Residents)

AUGUST 6 (Non-residents)



Hip Hop

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
10-14	CONTEMPORARY DANCE – Beginner	M	7:30-8:15PM	Sep 8-Oct 20	Fort Boise CC	Alexa Duvalis	\$40.41/\$59.17	111226-01
				Oct 27-Dec 15**				111226-02
12+	GUITAR – Beginner	Tu	6-7:15PM	Sep 9-Oct 21	Dick Eardley SC	George Rowe	\$63.13/\$94.46	120110-01
				Oct 28-Dec 16*			\$55/\$81.85	120110-02
12+	GUITAR – Intermediate	Tu	7:30-8:45PM	Sep 9-Oct 21	Dick Eardley SC	George Rowe	\$63.13/\$94.46	120110-03
				Oct 28-Dec 16*			\$55/\$81.85	120110-04
12-17	HIP HOP	Th	6:45-7:30PM	Sep 11-Oct 23	Fort Boise CC	Lucy Singer	\$40.41/\$59.17	112023-01
				Oct 30-Dec 18**				112023-02
15+	TAP – Musical Theater	W	6:15-7PM	Sep 10-Oct 22	Fort Boise CC	Shannon Peterson	\$40.41/\$59.17	112114-01
				Oct 29-Dec 17**				112114-02

*No classes Nov 11 or 24-28 **No class Nov 24-28

SCHOOL BREAK PROGRAMS

NEW BUS DAY EVER!

AGES 12-16 School will be out Oct. 17. Teens meet at Fort Boise's Teen Activity Center (TAC) and voyage across the city while learning how to navigate Valley Ride's city busses and hunting for geocaches and treats.



**SCHOLARSHIPS
AVAILABLE:
[cityofboise.org/
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AUGUST 4 (Residents)

AUGUST 6 (Non-residents)

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
12-16	BUS DAY EVER	F	9AM-5PM	Oct 17	Fort Boise CC	\$5/\$7.75	119713-01

NEWS

Library!

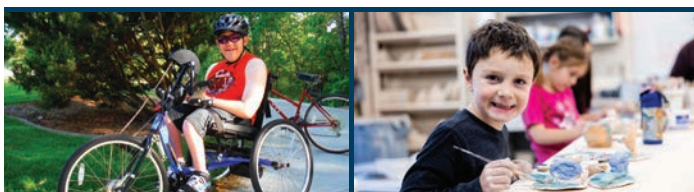
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SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE



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PARKS AND
RECREATION

CUSTOM CULINARY EXPERIENCES AT BUGS



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PHONE: 208-972-8630

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PARKS AND
RECREATION

SPORTS/FITNESS

HOCKEY

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 1 (H1)

AGES 8-17 Players will learn how to sit on ice and stand up, proper stance, march forward, forward two-foot glide, dip or squat, scooter pushes or T-push, forward swizzles, snowplow stop, and backwards skating. Full equipment required. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 2 (H2)

Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 1 (H1)

AGES 8-17 Players will learn backward stance, skating forward using full strides, forward one-foot glides, backward hustle, backward swizzles, glide turns, and moving snowplow stops. Full equipment required. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 3 (H3)

Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 2 (H2)

AGES 8-17 Players will learn one-foot snowplow stop, introduce hips with ¼ turn twist to hockey stop, full strides using 45-degree V-Push, shuffle stride, backwards hustle, backward C-Cuts or power pushes, backward outside edge glide, forward C-Cuts, C-push glide, forward outside & inside edges, gliding 2 foot turn, and lateral crossover march. Classes will be structured following USA Hockey American Development Model (ADM) Program. Full equipment required. Helmet, neck guard, and stick must be provided by skater.

GOAL!

Hockey Learn to Play

Find more information on page 8.

ICE SKATING

Learn to Skate

Find more information on page 8.

Check out the curriculum for each level at learntoskateusa.com

PROGRAM

Tennis

Instructor reserves the right to move teens to the appropriate level.



Martial Arts

HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 4 (H4)

Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 3 (H3)

AGES 8-17 This is the first step to playing organized hockey. Full hockey equipment is required. Helmet, neck guard and stick must be provided by skater.

ICE SKATING

ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 1-6

AGES 13+ will enjoy these classes which follow the more progressive Learn to Skate USA Adult curriculum. Beginners through experienced recreation skaters will receive instruction appropriate to their skill levels. Level placement will take place at the first class if skater is uncertain where they fit in. Instruction will include the skills outlined in the Adult 1-6 curriculum found at LearntoSkateUSA.com. A current Learn to Skate membership is required to register.

PRE-FREE SKATE (Teen/Adult 6)

AGES 13+ Learn a forward inside open Mohawk from a standstill position, backward crossovers to a backward outside edge glide, backward outside edge to a forward outside edge transition, basic combination footwork, one-foot upright spin, Mazurka, Waltz jump and backward inside pivots. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Free Skate 1 and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Pre-Free Skate badge.

FREE SKATE 1-4

(Prerequisite Pre-Free Skate)

AGES 13+ Designed to introduce the skater to the next level of figure skating. Class will concentrate on beginning jumps, spin techniques and Moves in the Field. Skaters must have mastered Pre-Free Skate elements. Once skills are mastered at a level, skaters advance to the next Free Skate level and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a badge. After completion of Free Skate 6, skaters generally focus on private instruction.

MARTIAL ARTS

MARTIAL ARTS –

Karate Shotokan – Mixed Level

AGES 13+ Learn traditional Shotokan Karate including; dojo etiquette, warm-up, Kihon, Katas and Kumite. Class will focus on Kihon or basic techniques (blocks, punches, kicks and stances) and Katas or prearrange forms (formal exercise) and Kumite or sparring as students progress.

TENNIS

TENNIS COMPETITION PLAY – All Levels

AGES 12-18 Program is designed for competition play. The ability to play full court tennis matches is required to enroll. Students will be placed in the appropriate level the day of competition play. Players will need permission from academy coach Duane Stotland before registering. For questions regarding competition play, please call Kerri Porritt at 208-608-7683.

TENNIS – Hitters

AGES 12-15 Dedicated to providing an opportunity for intermediate-level players to progress their skills in a fun and competitive environment. Players must have prior experience and aspirations of playing Jr. High and High School tennis. Stroke development, footwork, doubles and singles strategies will all be taught. Lessons at Ann Morrison Park will have match play on Thursdays.

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SPORTS/FITNESS

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
HOCKEY							
8-17	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 1 (H1) Beginners	Tu	7:30-8:30PM	Sept 9-Oct 21 Nov 4-Dec 16	Idaho IceWorld	\$225/7 classes	160004-01 160004-03
8-17	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 2 (H2) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 1 (H1)	Tu	7:30-8:30PM	Sept 9-Oct 21 Nov 4-Dec 16	Idaho IceWorld	\$225/7 classes	160005-01 160005-03
8-17	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 3 (H3) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 2 (H2)	Tu	7:30-8:30PM	Sept 9-Oct 21 Nov 4-Dec 16	Idaho IceWorld	\$225/7 classes	160006-01 160006-03
8-17	HOCKEY LEARN TO PLAY 4 (H4) Prerequisite: Hockey Learn to Play 3 (H3)	Tu	7:30-8:30PM	Sept 9-Oct 21 Nov 4-Dec 16	Idaho IceWorld	\$225/7 classes	160007-01 160007-03
ICE SKATING							
13+	ICE SKATING – Pre-Free Skate (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 6)	Th	6:15-6:45PM	Aug 21-Oct 9 Oct 23-Dec 11**	Idaho IceWorld	\$161/8 classes \$141/7 classes	161011-01 161011-02
13+	ICE SKATING – Free Skate 1-4	Th	6:15-6:45PM	Aug 21-Oct 09 Oct 23-Dec 11**	Idaho IceWorld	\$161/8 classes \$141/7 classes	161109-01 161109-02
13+	ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult Skate 1 (Beginners)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6* Oct 20-Dec 8**	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161101-01 161101-02
13+	ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 2 (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 1)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6* Oct 20-Dec 8**	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161101-03 161101-04
13+	ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 3 (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 2)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6* Oct 20-Dec 8**	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161101-05 161101-06
13+	ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 4 (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 3)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6* Oct 20-Dec 8**	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161101-07 161101-08
13+	ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 5 (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 4)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6* Oct 20-Dec 8**	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161101-09 161101-10
13+	ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 6 (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 5)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6* Oct 20-Dec 8**	Idaho IceWorld	\$141/7 classes	161101-11 161101-12
MARTIAL ARTS							
13+	MARTIAL ARTS – Karate Shotokan – Mixed Level	M, W	5:30-7:30PM	Sep 3-Oct 29 Nov 3-Dec 17*	Dick Eardley SC	\$74.25/\$111.65 \$54.25/\$80.65	120334-01 120334-02
TENNIS							
12-15	TENNIS – Hitters	Th	4:30-6PM	Sept 4-25 Oct 9-30	Fort Boise Park	\$56/\$86.24	150014-01 150014-02
12-18	TENNIS – Competition Play	Sa	12-3PM	Oct 11	Julia Davis Park	\$21.64/\$32.99	150017-01
15-18	TENNIS – Higher Level Varsity	Th	6-7:30PM	Sept 4-25 Oct 9-30	Fort Boise Park	\$83.56/\$127.96	150016-01 150016-02

*No class Sept 1 **No classes Nov 24-28

ZOO BOISE

HOMESCHOOL ZOO

AGES 14-17 The Homeschool Zoo program series provides a unique learning experience for students schooled at home. The course consists of classroom discussion, laboratory

activities, animal encounters and specialized zoo tours. Classes align with Idaho State Science Standards and focus on topics and principles based on grade level. Themes emphasize looking at animal groups and

taxonomy, adaptations, habitats and ecology. Each individual household must register their child for the class. Kids only! Please bring a small snack for a 15-minute break during class.

AGE	CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
14-17	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – The Gorongosa Story	W	9AM-12PM	Oct 1	Zoo Boise	\$26.50*	130554-01
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – Pass the Genes			Oct 29			130554-02
	HOMESCHOOL ZOO – What Happens to Panda Snacks?			Dec 3			130554-03

*This activity qualifies for the FoZB discount.



ART (15+)

CLASSES Art

A supply list for classes will be available at the first class.

DRAWING – All Levels

Drawing uses the simplest tools and is the most basic of the art forms, yet it can also be the most intimidating. Students will improve both drawing and observation skills by learning about the fundamentals of line, shape, value, perspective and proportion. This is a fun, low-pressure, relaxing class: no experience (or drawing ability) is required!

DRAWING – Fall Botanical

Botanical drawing is an introduction to the principals of drawing from life. Students will work on creating value and texture, framing a solid composition, building color and using the traditional materials used by botanical illustrators: pencil, colored pencils and watercolor. Specimens will include fall leaves, harvest fruits and other autumnal delicacies. All skill levels welcome. All materials provided.

ENAMELING – Beginner

Vitreous enameling, defined as fusing glass to metal using high temperatures, is an ancient art dating back to the 13th century B.C. Students will explore a variety of techniques to create small and lovely works of art. All materials provided.

ENAMELING – Open Studio

The enameling open studio gives people the opportunity to work on projects of their

own design, following their own interests. Enameling teacher will be on hand to set up the studio, answer questions and assist students as needed. Basic materials provided.

GLASS MOSAICS – Intro

Class covers the basics of creating mosaics including types of glass, tools, rendering/cutting and grouting. Each student will create a wonderful glass mosaic piece! All materials provided.

GLASS MOSAICS – Intermediate

This Intermediate Outdoor Stepping-Stone Mosaic class uses skills and knowledge learned in the Intro to Mosaic class. Students will design and render a steppingstone project using materials suited for outdoor/wet application. *Students MUST have previous mosaic experience, as no beginner techniques will be taught in this class. All materials provided.

GLASS FUSING – Intro

Learn the basics of fusing glass, including detailed instruction on glass safety, cutting, layering and firing, and gain an understanding of how glass moves in the kiln. All students will complete functional glass pieces of their own design. All materials provided.

INTRODUCTION TO PAINTING – Beginners

Course is designed for beginning students who need an introduction to painting to feel confident enough to take one of our “all levels” painting courses. Students will learn the basics of painting including detailed instruction on brushes, materials, painting mediums, mixing colors and mapping out paintings. Students will

use acrylic, watercolor and possibly oil paints. All materials provided.

PAINTING, ACRYLIC – All Levels

Beginning students will learn the basics of acrylic painting including techniques of color, composition, texture and layering. Intermediate/advanced painters will refine their skills and receive feedback on what areas they should focus on to improve. A variety of styles and subject matter such as still-life, landscape, portrait and abstraction will be explored.

PAINTING, OIL – All Levels

Beginners will learn the basics of oil painting. Intermediate/advanced painters will refine their skills in traditional techniques such as underpainting, glazing and alla prima painting. No prior experience is necessary. Supply list will be available at the first class.

MINHWA PAINTING WORKSHOP

In this traditional Korean “Minhwa” painting workshop, you will learn how to mix and use Korean watercolor and learn the basics of Minhwa. All supplies are provided and your artwork will be mounted on a 12”x12” panel to take home at the end of the 2-day workshop. All materials provided.

PAINTING, PORTRAITS – Intermediate/Advanced

Intermediate/advanced painting students will learn about traditional methods of portrait painting in the medium of their choice. Course will cover anatomy, proportions, lighting, color and composition. Please bring the materials you need in your medium of choice (acrylics, oils, watercolor).

ART (15+)

POTTERY – All Levels

Beginner potters will learn basic techniques of hand-built and wheel-thrown pottery, along with glazing and firing methods. Experienced students will continue to refine their skills of wheel throwing and hand-building. Wheels, glazes and firing services are provided.

POTTERY – Hand-building

Students of all levels will enjoy the rich tradition of pottery and sculpture being made with hand-building techniques such as pinch, coil and slabs. Learn beautiful decorating processes that have been used throughout the world for centuries. Glazes and firings are provided.

POTTERY – Level I

Beginning potters will learn basic techniques for hand-built and wheel-thrown pottery along with glazing and firing methods. Wheels, glazes and firing services are provided.

POTTERY – Level II

This class is for potters with previous experience. Class focuses on refining skills

of throwing on the wheel and developing better hand-building construction techniques. Students will also explore advanced techniques of glazing and learn Raku and Cone 10 reduction firing. Students must have basic wheel and hand-building skills. Wheels, glazes and firings are provided.

POTTERY – Open Studio

Open studio sessions are available for potters to work independently on throwing, hand-building or glazing. Fee covers glazes and firing but students must provide clay and tools. The studio is open daily and a schedule will be emailed to customer as well as available at the Art Center.

POTTERY – Wood-Fire

This five-day workshop will provide students with the opportunity to fire our wood kiln! Students of all skill levels are welcome. Thursday will consist of glazing work and loading the kiln. Friday - Sunday will consist of firing the kiln doing round-the-clock wood stoking. Firings will take anywhere from 36-60

hours. The following Sunday, students will unload the kiln, evaluate the pots from the firing and perform kiln clean-up. Students will have up to 5 cu. ft. of firing space in the kiln and should plan on being available all day each day without conflicts. Fee covers glazes and firing; students must provide clay.

WATERCOLOR – All Levels

This class offers instruction in watercolor techniques of exploring various types of washes and composition as well as more in-depth techniques of painting will be covered for those with previous experience.

CLASS (15+)	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
DRAWING – All Levels	Tu	1-3PM	Sept 30-Nov 18	Fort Boise CC	Devon Ruscito	\$130/\$200.95	101712-01
DRAWING – Fall Botanical	Tu	6:30-8:30PM	Sept 30-Nov 4	Foothills LC	Kelly Cox	\$118.20/\$171.00	101743-01
ENAMELING – Beginner	W	6:30-9PM	Oct 1-Nov 19	Fort Boise CC	Rick Friesen	\$183.45/\$272.14	101102-01
ENAMELING – Open Studio	Th	6:30-9PM	Sept 25-Nov 13	Fort Boise CC	Rick Friesen	\$142.20/\$208.20	101104-01
GLASS MOSAICS – Intro	M	6:30-9:30PM	Sept 29-Nov 3	Fort Boise CC	Boise Mosaic Works	\$145/\$224.20	101728-01
GLASS MOSAICS – Intermediate	M	6:30-9:30PM	Nov 10-Dec 15	Fort Boise CC	Boise Mosaic Works	\$145/\$224.20	101729-01
GLASS FUSING – Intro	Tu, Th	6:30-9:30PM	Dec 2-11	Fort Boise CC	Tad Bradley	\$150.75/\$203.96	101730-01
PAINTING – Beginners	Sa, Su	10AM-2PM	Sept 20-21	Fort Boise CC	Devon Ruscito	\$86.70/\$122.18	101105-01
PAINTING, ACRYLIC – All Levels	Th	6:30-8:30PM	Sept 25-Nov 13	Fort Boise CC	Devon Ruscito	\$130/\$200.95	101101-01
PAINTING, OIL – All Levels	Tu	6:30-8:30PM	Sept 30-Nov 18	Fort Boise CC	Rick Friesen	\$130/\$200.95	101720-01
MINHWA PAINTING WORKSHOP	Sa, Su	10AM-2PM	Oct 25-26	Fort Boise CC	Mina Kwak	\$86.70/\$122.18	101751-01
PAINTING, PORTRAITS – Intermediate/Advanced	M, W	6:30-8:30PM	Nov 24-Dec 17*	Fort Boise CC	Rick Friesen	\$113.88/\$175.96	101721-01
POTTERY – All Levels	Th	6:30-9:30PM	Sept 25-Nov 13	Fort Boise CC	Cole Calvin	\$233.40/\$337.90	101723-01
	Tu		Sept 30-Nov 18				101723-02
	W	12:30-3:30PM	Oct 1-Nov 19		Kevin Flynn		101723-03
	Tu, Th	6:30-9:30PM	Nov 25-Dec 18*		Cole Calvin	\$209.65/\$301.09	101723-04
POTTERY – Hand-building	M	6:30-9:30PM	Sept 29-Nov 17	Fort Boise CC	Kelly Cox	\$233.40/\$337.90	101727-01
POTTERY – Level I	W	9AM-12PM	Oct 1-Nov 19	Fort Boise CC	Cole Calvin	\$233.40/\$337.90	101722-01
POTTERY – Level II	W	6:30-9:30PM	Oct 1-Nov 19	Fort Boise CC	David Scott	\$233.40/\$337.90	101724-01
POTTERY – Level II	Th	11AM-2PM	Oct 2-Nov 20	Fort Boise CC	Jill Lawley	\$233.40/\$337.90	101724-02
POTTERY – Open Studio	See Posted Schedule		Sept 29-Nov 23	Fort Boise CC	Staff	\$180.14/\$255.35	101731-01
			Nov 24-Jan 11				101731-02
POTTERY – Wood-Fire	Th-Su, Su	All Day	Oct 9-12 & 19	Fort Boise CC	Chris Kranz	\$51.00/\$78.50	101733-01
			Nov 6-9 & 16				101733-02
			Dec 4-7 & 14				101733-03
WATERCOLOR – All Levels	M	6:30-8:30PM	Sept 29-Nov 17	Fort Boise CC	Rick Friesen	\$130/\$200.95	101739-01
	Tu	9:30-11:30AM	Sept 30-Nov 18				101739-02
	W	9:30-11:30AM	Oct 1-Nov 19				101739-03

*No class Nov 26-27

COOKING (18+)

FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES

ALL AGES +ADULT Join us in the kitchen to whip up some delicious and delightful garden to table recipes. Cooking is better with our friends! Students under the age of 16 must be accompanied by a paying adult. The cost is per person and each participant must be registered.

GARDEN SOCIAL SERIES

Create community, meet new friends, and learn new skills while immersed in a variety of hands-on garden and culinary topics.

THE JOYFUL KITCHEN CULINARY SERIES

AGES 14+ This class series is designed for older teens and adults to inspire creativity, expand knowledge and create empowerment through learning versatile, fun and useful culinary skills.

CLASS (18+)	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#		
FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Street Tacos & Salsas (All Ages + Adult)	Tu	5-7PM	Sept 16 Sept 23	BUGS	\$25	124201-01 124201-02		
FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Halloween Spooktacular Treats (All Ages +Adult)	W Th	5-7PM	Oct 8 Oct 16			124201-03 124201-04		
FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Veggie Pot Pies (All Ages + Adult)	Th M	5-7PM	Nov 13 Nov 17			124201-05 124201-06		
FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT OUT SERIES – Ramen from Scratch (All Ages + Adult)	Th W	5-7PM	Dec 4 Dec 10			124201-07 124201-08		
GARDEN SOCIAL SERIES – Medicinal Herbs – Teas & Tinctures	Sa	3-5PM	Sept 20			BUGS	\$25	124106-01
GARDEN SOCIAL SERIES – Flower Gardens & Arranging			Oct 4					124106-02
GARDEN SOCIAL SERIES – Culinary Date Night – Garden Tarts			Nov 8					124106-03
THE JOYFUL KITCHEN – Eggplant Parm (14+)	M	5:30-7:30PM	Sept 22			BUGS	\$25	124203-01
THE JOYFUL KITCHEN – Sourdough (14+)	W		Oct 15	124203-02				
THE JOYFUL KITCHEN – Thanksgiving Sides (14+)			Nov 5	124203-03				



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WHEELCHAIR RUGBY + BASKETBALL

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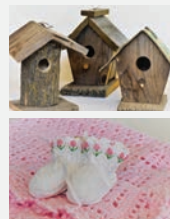
Sports wheelchairs are provided. You don't need to use a wheelchair to participate.

Get a great workout and try something new! Dates and details on page 67 of the Activity Guide or call 208-608-7680 to learn more.



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ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION (18+)



Boise Birding

BOISE URBAN GARDEN SCHOOL

GARDEN PLANNING

AGES 14+ Join the BUGS gardening experts to learn about maximizing your garden yield while creating a personalized plan for your garden for eating and enjoyment.

BOOK CLUB

READING WILDLY: BOOK CLUB FOR THE ECO-CURIOUS

Join fellow readers and the City of Boise Climate Action team for our book club, Reading Wildly. On the months we aren't reading, we take a local field trip related to our book through the Exploring Wildly program. Pre-registration is required through the Eventbrite link found on our event calendar at boisewatershed.org.

FOOTHILLS LEARNING CENTER

BOISE BIRDING

ALL AGES + ADULT Beginner to expert birders welcome to this free class. The first hour will be a birding presentation by Terry Rich, followed by the option to go birding. Binoculars available to borrow.

FOLK ART SERIES: MILKWEED CORDAGE

AGES 15+ Participants will learn how to find and responsibly harvest milkweed, then how to process the milkweed into fibers and turn those fibers into cordage.

FOLK ART SERIES: FIRE STARTING

AGES 15+ Fire has been with us since the dawn of recorded history, but matches and lighters only became widely available during the 1800s. So how were people making fire? Join us to learn about primitive fire-starting techniques and their relationship to the ecosystem of the Foothills.

FOLK ART SERIES: SPOON CARVING

AGES 15+ Making your own spoons is as fun as it is simple! Great for people interested in whittling and not sure where to begin or just looking for a practical new hobby. Participants will split a rectangle of wood, whittle it down, use specialized knives to carve out the bowl, then sand it all down for a spoon that's as beautiful as it is practical.

FOOTHILLS FAMILY DAYS

ALL AGES Venture to the Foothills Learning Center for hours of family fun. Entrance is free but may be limited due to capacity. Register at cityofboise.org/foothills-learning-center.

HIKE & LEARN

ALL AGES + ADULT Join us for a family hike to explore seasonal topics. Fee is per person. September session focuses on native pollinators and the October session will cover native plants and seeds.

SEASONAL NATURE BOUQUETS

Using locally foraged materials, create a unique and beautiful seasonal arrangement. Participants will use pre-collected items and thrifted containers but are welcome to bring additional materials and containers of their own.

WREATH MAKING CLASS

Using locally foraged plant materials, create a unique and beautiful holiday wreath. Participants are welcome to bring their own metal or foam wreath forms, or we will provide branches to build one. We will provide evergreen branches, accent plants, wire and ribbon. Bring any materials you would like in addition to those provided.

IDAHO CONSERVATION LEAGUE

TOURS OF THE RESERVES

Get to know your backyard through these Idaho Conservation League-led "tours" of city-owned natural reserves. Hikes are no more than 3 miles long and suitable for most abilities.

WATERSHED

SCHOOL'S OUT, DROP IN AT THE WATERSHED!

ALL AGES The WaterShed is offering bonus programming during long weekends for local school districts. Drop in and join us for free all-ages activities, crafts and scientific demonstrations with community partners. This is a free public drop-in activity; no pre-registration is required.

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION (18+)

FREAKY FLUSH WATER RENEWAL TOUR

Come to the West Boise Water Renewal Facility for an adult, Halloween-themed tour. You will hear scary stories, do creepy crafts, and eat tasty treats.

WATERSHED WEEKEND

ALL AGES Join The WaterShed and community partners for WaterShed Weekends. Participants will enjoy hands on crafts, science lessons, activities and more. This is a free public drop-in



**TO PURCHASE
TICKETS VISIT:**
bit.ly/Fall-Tour-of-the-Reserves

WATERSHED HOME SCHOOL DAYS

ALL AGES Calling all homeschools! We're offering FREE programs catered to children ages 5 – 12, but all ages are welcome. Pre-register thru the Eventbrite link found on our event calendar at boisewatershed.org.

CLASS (18+)	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/ NR	ACTIVITY#
BOISE URBAN GARDEN SCHOOL						
GARDEN PLANNING – Seed Starting & Fall Gardening (14+)	Sa	9-11AM	Aug 23	BUGS	\$25	124108-01
GARDEN PLANNING – Edible Landscaping (14+)			Oct 25			124108-02
GARDEN PLANNING – Garden Planning (14+)			Nov 8			124108-03
BOOK CLUB						
READING WILDLY – Down River by Heather Hansman	Su	3-4PM	Sep 14	Java Downtown	FREE	Pre-register at boisewatershed.org
READING WILDLY – Water Renewal Tour	W	5:30-7PM	Oct 15	The WaterShed		
READING WILDLY – Curbing Traffic: The Human Case for Fewer Cars in Our Lives by Melissa Bruntlett	Su	3-4PM	Nov 9	Alchemist Coffee		
READING WILDLY – Motherload Documentary Showing	W	5:30-7PM	Dec 17	Library at Hillcrest		
FOOTHILLS LEARNING CENTER						
BOISE BIRDING (All Ages +Adult)	F	9-10AM	Sept 5	Foothills LC	FREE	N/A
			Oct 3			
			Nov 7			
			Dec 5			
FOLK ART SERIES: Milkweed Cordage (15+)	Sa	9AM-12PM	Sept 13	Foothills LC	\$21	125094-01
FOLK ART SERIES: Fire Starting (15+)			Oct 25			125094-02
FOLK ART SERIES: Spoon Carving (15+)			Nov 15			125094-03
HIKE & LEARN (All Ages + Adult)	Th	5:30-6:30PM	Sept 25	Foothills LC	\$6	119965-01
			Oct 23			119965-02
SEASONAL NATURE BOUQUETS	F	5:30-7PM	Oct 24	Foothills LC	\$16	119970-01
WREATH MAKING CLASS	F	5:30-7PM	Dec 5	Foothills LC	\$26	119969-01
			Dec 12			119969-02
FOOTHILLS FAMILY DAY (All Ages)	Sa	10AM-1PM	Oct 4	Foothills LC	FREE	RSVP through at cityofboise.org/foothills-learning-center
IDAHO CONSERVATION LEAGUE						
TOURS OF THE RESERVES	Th	5:30-6:30PM	Sept 18	Hawkins Range Reserve*	FREE	https://bit.ly/Fall-Tour-of-the-Reserves
			Oct 16	Mesa Reserve**		
WATERSHED						
WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT – Bike Extravaganza (All Ages)	Th	1-3PM	Oct 17	The WaterShed	FREE	N/A
WATERSHED SCHOOL'S OUT – Snow Science (All Ages)	Tu, W	10AM-12PM	Nov 4-5			
FREAKY FLUSH WATER RENEWAL TOUR	Th	6-9:30PM	Oct 30	The WaterShed	\$10	125007-01
BWS HOMESCHOOL DAY – Micron STEM Day (All Ages)	Th	10AM-12PM 1-3PM	Oct 9	The WaterShed	FREE	Pre-register at boisewatershed.org
BWS HOMESCHOOL DAY – Changing Snow (All Ages)	M	10AM-12PM 1-3PM	Nov 3			
WATERSHED WEEKEND – Micron STEM Day (All Ages)	Sa	10AM-1PM	Oct 11	The WaterShed	FREE	N/A

*Meet at the Hawkins Range Reserve trailhead, about 7 miles up Bogus Basin Rd

**Meet at the Warm Springs Golf Course parking lot, across the street from the Tram Trail trailhead

GOLF (18+)



Golf

GOLF LESSONS

Classes will cover full-swing, stance, grip, short game, chipping and putting. All classes are open to any skill level, from beginner to advanced and will have on-course instruction.

ONE-DAY GOLF SCHOOL WITH A PGA PRO

A comprehensive workshop for a smaller group of golfers who want to spend a day with two golf professionals! This program will be instructed by Peter Nichenko, PGA Golf Professional, Stu Hampton, PGA Golf Professional or John Russell, Assistant Golf Professional.

CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
GOLF LESSONS – Quail Hollow (Evenings)	Tu-Th	5:30-7PM	Aug 12-14	Quail Hollow GC	\$110	471001-08
			Aug 19-21			471001-10
			Aug 26-28			471001-09
			Sept 2-4			471001-11
			Sept 9-11			171001-01
			Sept 16-18			171001-02
			Sept 23-25			171001-03
			Sept 30-Oct 2			171001-04
			Oct 7-9			171001-05
GOLF LESSONS – Quail Hollow (Mornings)	Tu-Th	10:30AM-12PM	Aug 19-21	Quail Hollow GC	\$110	471002-01
			Sept 2-4			471002-02
			Sept 16-18			171002-01
			Sept 30-Oct 2			171002-02
			Oct 14-16			171002-03
GOLF LESSONS – Warm Springs (Evenings)	Tu-Th	5:30-7PM	Aug 12-14	Warm Springs GC	\$110	481001-11
			Aug 19-21			481001-12
			Aug 26-28			481001-13
			Sept 2-4			481001-14
			Sept 9-11			181001-01
			Sept 16-18			181001-02
			Sept 23-25			181001-03
			Sept 30-Oct 2			181001-04
			Oct 7-9			181001-05
GOLF LESSONS – Warm Springs (Mornings)	Tu-Th	10:30AM-12PM	Aug 12-14	Warm Springs GC	\$110	481002-01
			Aug 19-21			481002-02
			Aug 26-28			481002-03
			Sept 2-4			481002-04
			Sept 9-11			181002-01
			Sept 16-18			181002-02
			Sept 30-Oct 2			181002-03
			Oct 7-9			181002-04
			Oct 14-16			181002-05
ONE-DAY GOLF SCHOOL WITH A PGA PRO	Th	9AM-4PM	Aug 21	Quail Hollow GC	\$199	471101-02
			Sept 4			471101-03
			Sept 18			171101-01
			Oct 2			171101-02
			Oct 16			171101-03

PERFORMING ARTS (18+)

AFRICAN INSPIRED DANCE – Beginner

This beginner level class will explore the rhythm and movements inspired by Guinea West Africa. Class time will be spent igniting joy, passion and a sense of community while dancing barefoot to (recorded) drumming and other popular music. Come dressed comfortably and ready to move!

BALLET – Beginner

This class is for those who have always dreamed of learning ballet but never had the chance. This unique class will give you the opportunity to enter the world of classical ballet for the first time and from the most basic level. No special clothing required, just come ready to move and dressed comfortably.

TAP ADULT

These classes are fun, challenging, and guaranteed to make you feel like you have had a great workout! BEGINNER class is for those who have never tapped before or tapped when very young. Dancers who have tapped awhile and are ready for the next level of skill sets, then the INTERMEDIATE class is perfect for you. If you are unsure what level is best for you, feel free to speak with the instructor.

TAP – Advanced Masters

If you are a serious tap dancer with six or more years of tap training and you want to be challenged, push yourself, learn some different tap choreography and have some great fun, then this is the class for you! Choreography will be anything from blues tap to rock to jazz tap and musical theater tap.

TAP DANCING DIVAS – Experienced

AGES 55+ Dancing has no age limit! Move your feet and make your spirits soar. The choreography is low impact yet challenging. The music is upbeat and fun to tap to.

INFORMATION Dance

Adult performing arts is an ongoing learning experience helping to enhance strength, flexibility and coordination while having a tremendous amount of fun in a friendly environment!



Tap

CLASS (18+)	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
AFRICAN INSPIRED DANCE – Beginner	Th	6:15-7:15PM	Sep 11-Oct 23	Dick Eardley SC	Brenda Kruller	\$71/\$103.76	111743-01
			Oct 30-Dec 18**				111743-02
BALLET – Beginner	M	5:45-6:45PM	Sep 8-Oct 20	Dick Eardley SC	Stephanie Hinton	\$71/\$103.76	111502-01
			Oct 27-Dec 15**				111502-02
TAP – Beginner	Th	7-8PM	Sep 11-Oct 23	Fort Boise CC	Kay Mack	\$71/\$103.76	111734-01
			Oct 30-Dec 18**				111734-02
TAP – Intermediate	Th	6-7PM	Sep 11-Oct 23	Fort Boise CC	Kay Mack	\$71/\$103.76	111734-09
			Oct 30-Dec 18**				111734-10
TAP ADVANCED MASTERS	Tu	6-7PM	Sep 9-Oct 21	Fort Boise CC	Kay Mack	\$71/\$103.76	111735-01
			Oct 28-Dec 16*			\$62.50/\$90.58	111735-02
TAP DANCING DIVAS – Experienced (55+)	Th	1-2PM	Sep 11-Oct 23	Fort Boise CC	Kay Mack	\$71/\$103.76	111701-01
			Oct 30-Dec 18**				111701-02

*No Classes Nov 11 or 24-28 **No Class Nov 24-28

SOCIAL PARTNER DANCING (18+)



CLASSES

Social Partner Dancing

Boise Parks and Recreation is proud to continue partnering with Heirloom Dance Studio. Joel and Stephanie bring 20+ years of Social Partner dancing and instruction, their signature style and method will get you movin' and groovin' in no time. Whether you're headed to a wedding or out on the town, these classes will give you the edge you need to feel confident on the dance floor. **MUST REGISTER WITH A PARTNER!**

COUNTRY SWING – BEGINNER

Country Swing is a great place to start learning partner dancing. The patterns are easy to pick up and students will be able to jump onto the dance floor with confidence in no time! No experience necessary.

SWING LINDY HOP – BEGINNER

This class will focus on the Swing dance that started it all... Lindy Hop! This dance was created in the late 1920s as a variation on the Charleston. Named after Charles Lindberg and his famous 'Hop' over the Atlantic, the Lindy Hop was danced to the Big Bands of the 30s and 40s.

SWING WEST COAST – BEGINNER

West Coast Swing is a modern dance defined by its smooth style, versatility and playful nature. Whether you enjoy, Top 40, Country or Hip Hop, this is the dance for you!

CLASS (18+)	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
COUNTRY SWING – Beginner	W	7-8PM	Sep 10-Oct 1	Dick Eardley SC	\$45.50/\$64.22	111547-01
			Oct 8-29			111547-02
			Nov 5-19		\$37/\$51.04	111547-03
			Dec 3-17			111547-04
SWING LINDY HOP – Beginner	W	6-7PM	Sep 10-Oct 1	Dick Eardley SC	\$45.50/\$64.22	111736-01
			Oct 8-29			111736-02
			Nov 5-19		\$37/\$51.04	111736-03
			Dec 3-17			111736-04
SWING WEST COAST – Beginner	W	8-9PM	Sep 10-Oct 1	Dick Eardley SC	\$45.50/\$64.22	111745-01
			Oct 8-29			111745-02
			Nov 5-19		\$37/\$51.04	111745-03
			Dec 3-17			111745-04

SPORTS/FITNESS (18+)

HOCKEY LEAGUE BEGINNER ADULT DEVELOPMENT (B.A.D.)

Our goal is to provide a positive, fun, safe learning environment for adults learning to play hockey. Professional coaches will teach the fundamental skills required to play, with a heavy focus on learning proper skating skills and creating a team atmosphere. NO skating experience expected. Full hockey equipment and USA hockey membership required.

ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 1-6

AGES 13+ Enjoy these classes which follow the more progressive Learn to Skate USA Adult curriculum. Beginners through experienced recreation skaters will receive instruction appropriate to their skill levels. Level placement will take place at the first class if skater is uncertain where they fit in. Instruction will

include the skills outlined in the Adult 1-6 curriculum found at LearntoSkateUSA.com. A current Learn to Skate membership is required to register.

MARTIAL ARTS – Karate Shotokan – Mixed Level

AGES 13+ Learn traditional Shotokan Karate including; dojo etiquette, warm-up, Kihon, Katas and Kumite. Class will focus on Kihon or basic techniques (blocks, punches, kicks and stances) and Katas or prearrange forms (formal exercise) and Kumite or sparring as students progress.

PRE-FREE SKATE (Teen/Adult 6)

AGES 13+ Learn a forward inside open Mohawk from a standstill position, backward crossovers to a backward outside edge glide, backward outside edge to a forward outside

edge transition, basic combination footwork, one-foot upright spin, Mazurka, Waltz jump and backward inside pivots. Once all skills are mastered, skaters advance to Free Skate 1 and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a Pre-Free Skate badge.

FREE SKATE 1-4 (Prerequisite Pre-Free Skate)

AGES 13+ Designed to introduce skaters to the next level of figure skating. Class will concentrate on beginning jumps, spin techniques and moves in the field. Skaters must have mastered Pre-Free Skate elements. Once skills are mastered at a level, skaters advance to the next Free Skate level and receive a Certificate of Achievement and a badge. After completion of Free Skate 6, skaters generally focus on private instruction.

SPORTS/FITNESS (18+) CONT'D

ICE SHOW CAST MEMBER

The 2025 Annual Boise Ice Show is three performances that will take place at Idaho IceWorld on Friday, Dec 5 at 7PM and Saturday, Dec 6 at 3PM and 6PM. Participation requires registration for BOTH fall sessions. All Learn to Skate students are eligible to participate in the annual ice show cast. In addition to scheduled practices, two additional mandatory dress rehearsals are tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, November 18 & Sunday, November 30, time TBD. Maintaining this practice/rehearsal plan is our goal, but subject to change. This show is professionally choreographed and co-produced by Idaho IceWorld and the Boise Figure Skating Club. Students receive extra on and off ice instruction and have loads of fun! Being a cast member is a huge commitment of time and energy. Ensure that every practice and rehearsal are top priorities when scheduling your family activities. This is a ticketed event requiring spectators to pay for entry. The \$161 participation fee includes 1 parent/guardian entry into each performance. Please note that this is a ticketed event, and all other spectators will be required to purchase tickets for entry. Costume fees are additional and TBD. Check IdahoIceWorld.com for updates. City of Boise Parks and Recreation Scholarships do not apply to this activity. Learn to Skate USA membership required. REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS AUGUST 31.



Hockey League Beginner Adult Development (B.A.D.)

CLASS (18+)	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
B.A.D – BEGINNER ADULT DEVELOPMENT CLINIC	Tu	8:45-9:45PM	Sept 9-Oct 21	Idaho IceWorld	Kory Scoran	\$253/7 classes	160101-01
			Nov 4-Dec 16				160101-02
ICE SHOW CAST – Teen/ Practice (13+)	M	7:15-7:45PM	Sept 8-Dec 3*	Idaho IceWorld	Staff	\$161	161110***
ICE SKATING – Pre-Free Skate (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 6) (13+)	Th	6:15-6:45PM	Aug 21-Oct 9	Idaho IceWorld	Staff	\$161/8 classes	161011-01
			Oct 23-Dec 11**			\$141/7 classes	161011-02
ICE SKATING – Free Skate 1-4	Th	6:15-6:45PM	Aug 21-Oct 09	Idaho IceWorld	Staff	\$161/8 classes	161109-01
			Oct 23-Dec 11**			\$141/7 classes	161109-02
ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult Skate 1 (Beginners)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6*	Idaho IceWorld	Staff	\$141/7 classes	161101-01
			Oct 20-Dec 8**				161101-02
ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 2 (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 1) (13+)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6*	Idaho IceWorld	Staff	\$141/7 classes	161101-03
			Oct 20-Dec 8**				161101-04
ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 3 (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 2) (13+)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6*	Idaho IceWorld	Staff	\$141/7 classes	161101-05
			Oct 20-Dec 8**				161101-06
ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 4 (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 3) (13+)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6*	Idaho IceWorld	Staff	\$141/7 classes	161101-07
			Oct 20-Dec 8**				161101-08
ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 5 (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 4) (13+)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6*	Idaho IceWorld	Staff	\$141/7 classes	161101-09
			Oct 20-Dec 8**				161101-10
ICE SKATING – Teen & Adult 6 (Prerequisite Teen/Adult 5) (13+)	M	6:45-7:15PM	Aug 18-Oct 6*	Idaho IceWorld	Staff	\$141/7 classes	161101-11
			Oct 20-Dec 8**				161101-12
ICE SHOW CAST – Adult Practice	M	7:15-7:45PM	Sept 8-Dec 3*	Idaho IceWorld	Staff	\$161	161110***
MARTIAL ARTS – KARATE SHOTOKAN – MIXED LEVEL (13+)	M, W	5:30-7:30PM	Sep 3-Oct 29	Dick Eardley SC	Alvin Sablan, Jennifer Harrington	\$74.25/\$111.65	120334-01
			Nov 3-Dec 17*			\$54.25/\$80.65	120334-02

*No Class Sept 1

**No classes Nov 24-28

***Registration deadline is Aug 31

SPORTS/FITNESS (18+) CONT'D

PASSES

Fort Boise
Community Center

A pass at FBCC includes the exercise/weight room, showers, dressing rooms, as well as the gymnasium for drop-in basketball and volleyball. Our exercise/weight room contains rower, stair machines, exercise bikes, universal-style weight stations, treadmills, elliptical cross-trainers, free weights and exercise benches. Passes are offered at the rates (including sales tax) listed below.

DAILY DROP-IN PASS (includes sales tax)

Teen Priority Time* (12-17)	\$1.50
Youth** (12-17)	\$3.50
Adult (18-61)	\$5
Senior (62+)	\$4

YOUTH (9-17)* (includes sales tax)

Monthly Pass – Resident	\$12
Monthly Pass – Non-Resident . . .	\$18.60
Annual Pass – Resident	\$140
Annual Pass – Non-Resident	\$217

ADULT (18-61) (includes sales tax)

Monthly Pass – Resident	\$26
Monthly Pass – Non-Resident . . .	\$40.30
Annual Pass – Resident	\$250
Annual Pass – Non-Resident . . .	\$387.50

SENIOR (62+) (includes sales tax)

Monthly Pass – Resident	\$20
Monthly Pass – Non-Resident	\$31
Annual Pass – Resident	\$209
Annual Pass – Non-Resident . . .	\$323.95

**Teen Priority Time 3-6PM. Pass includes access to cardio equipment and weight room for those over 16. Gym access is free to teens from 3-5PM and Teen Activity Center is open from 3-6PM.*

***Youth pass includes access to gym & dance rooms if available. Ages 12+ may also access cardio equipment if used correctly. Ages 14+ may access weight room with guardian/adult supervision.*



Pickleball

LESSONS
Pickleball

Students may sign up for more than one session, bring your own paddle. Paddles may be available for use at the site.

ADULT PICKLEBALL LESSONS – Beginner

Beginner: Brand new to pickleball, never played or want a better understanding of the basics? Learn basic rules, scoring and strokes. Class prepares you for beginner drop-in play.

ADULT PICKLEBALL LESSONS – Advanced Beginner

Advanced Beginners have played some pickleball, possibly even taken a class or two yet are still unsure of their game. This class will help develop your skills and make it more comfortable to go out and play with others.

ADULT PICKLEBALL LESSONS – Beginner/Advanced Beginner

This class is for both new players and players that have previously taken a beginner class. Learn the basics of pickleball if you are a beginner or enhance your skills to become a higher-level player if you have taken a beginner course already. Each class ends with match play.

ADULT PICKLEBALL LESSONS – Lower Intermediate

Players that have played quite a bit and have the basic skills. This class will work on drills and game strategy.

ADULT PICKLEBALL LESSONS – Intermediate

Players that have played pickleball longer and are looking to refine their skills and become more consistent on the court.

PICKLEBALL BOOTCAMP – Beginner/Advance Beginner

This 3-hour boot camp is for both the new player and the player that has previously taken a beginner class. You will learn the basics of pickleball if you are a beginner or enhance your skills to become a higher-level player if you have taken a beginner course already. Class ends with match play.

PICKLEBALL BOOTCAMP – Low Intermediate/Intermediate

This 3-hour bootcamp for low intermediate and intermediate players will focus on learning game strategy, tactics and movement patterns. The day ends with round robin play.

PICKLEBALL LADDER LEAGUES

AGES 16+ Ladders leagues are organized leagues in which players with similar skills compete against each other in a competitive, structured and weekly format. Think of a pickleball “ladder” as a graphical representation of a player’s ranking (by skill and performance) over a period of time. The rungs on the ladder represent a player’s current position (ranking) on the ladder relative to the other players, with the top rung of the ladder being the individual currently ranked the highest (the best winning percentage) and the bottom rung being the lowest-ranked individual or team. The ultimate goal is to climb the ladder to the highest rung. Please see the online registration site for a complete description.

SPORTS/FITNESS (18+) CONT'D

MEDITATION

Start the day out right! Class explores mindfulness with a variety of techniques to be calm with your thoughts and to feel stillness. Beginners welcome. Students may need to do some stretching and slow walking. Bring a blanket to stay warm and something firm to sit on like a cushion or yoga bolster.

PILATES

Enjoy a series of non-impact exercises to develop strength, flexibility, balance and inner awareness while strengthening abs, obliques and back muscles. Muscles are strengthened

and lengthened without creating bulk which is helpful in preventing and rehabilitating from injuries.

STRENGTH & TONE – Early Risers

Looking for a light to moderate intensity class? This is for you! With a light cardio warm up, we use strength training to tone your body with resistance bands, light weights and body weights.

TAI CHI & QIGONG – Beginner

This course is an introduction to a version of Yang Style Tai Chi as modified and taught by Cheng Manching. Students will learn the basic principles of Tai Chi and how to do this Tai Chi form. In addition, students will learn an 18 movement Qigong (Chi gong) routine.

TAI CHI & QIGONG – Intermediate

Students will learn the entire 37 Posture Form as taught by Cheng Manching. Students must complete the beginner course or get approval from the instructor to enroll in the intermediate course.

CLASS (18+)	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
PICKLEBALL – Beginner	Tu	10-11:30AM	Sept 2-23	Hobble Creek Park	Jennifer Hunt	\$58/\$89.36	150137-01
	M		Sept 1-22	Mt. View Park			150137-02
PICKLEBALL – Advanced Beginner	Tu	11:30AM-1PM	Sept 2-23	Hobble Creek Park	Jennifer Hunt	\$58/\$89.36	150137-03
	M		Sept 1-22	Mt. View Park			150137-04
PICKLEBALL – Beg/Adv Beg	W	9:30-11AM	Oct 8-29	Fort Boise CC	Duane Stotland	\$58/\$89.36	150137-05
			Nov 5-Dec 3*				150137-06
PICKLEBALL – Lower Intermediate	W	11:30AM-1PM	Sept 3-24	Phillippi Park	Duane Stotland	\$58/\$89.36	150138-01
		11AM-12:30PM	Oct 8-29	Fort Boise CC			150138-02
			Nov 5-Dec 3*				150138-03
PICKLEBALL – Intermediate	W	10-11:30AM	Sept 3-24	Phillippi Park	Duane Stotland	\$58/\$89.36	150138-04
		12:30-2PM	Oct 8-29	Fort Boise CC			150138-05
			Nov 5-Dec 3*		Tony Keife		150138-06
PICKLEBALL BOOTCAMP – Beg/Adv Beg	Su	1-4PM	Sept 7	Hobble Creek Park	Duane Stotland	\$29.50/\$45.19	150139-01
			Oct 12				150139-02
PICKLEBALL BOOTCAMP – Low Intermediate/Intermediate	Su	1-4PM	Sept 21	Hobble Creek Park	Duane Stotland	\$29.50/\$45.19	150139-03
LADDER LEAGUE 2.5 (16+)	W	9-10AM	Sept 10-Oct 1	Willow Lane AC	Staff	\$30/\$45.95	150140-01
	Th	6-7PM	Sept 11-Oct 2				150140-02
LADDER LEAGUE 3.0 (16+)	M	10-11AM	Sept 8-Sept 29	Hobble Creek Park	Staff	\$30/\$45.95	150141-01
	Th	6-7PM	Sept 11-Oct 2				150141-02
	Tu	9-10AM	Sept 9-Sept 30				Manitou Park
LADDER LEAGUE 3.5 (16+)	M	6-7PM	Sept 8-Sept 29	Hobble Creek Park	Staff	\$30/\$45.95	150142-01
	Tu	5:45-6:45PM	Sept 9-Sept 30	Manitou Park			150142-02
	Th	9-10AM	Sept 11-Oct 2				150142-03
MEDITATION	Th	10-10:30AM	Sept 4-25	Fort Boise CC	Mike McClenahan	\$17/\$25.80	105714- 01
			Oct 2-30			\$21/\$32	105714-02
			Nov 6-20			\$13/\$19.60	105714-03
			Dec 4-18			\$13/\$19.60	105714-04
PILATES	W	12-1PM	Sept 3-24	Fort Boise CC	Mike McClenahan	\$33/\$50.60	105701-01
			Oct 1-29			\$41/\$63	105701-02
			Nov 5-19			\$25/\$38.20	105701-03
			Dec 3-31			\$41/\$63	105701-04
STRENGTH & TONE – Early Risers	Tu, Th	8-8:45AM	Sept 2-25	Fort Boise CC	Andrew Robertson	\$45/\$69.24	105716-01
			Sept 30-Oct 23				105716-02
			Oct 28-Nov 25**				105716-03
			Dec 2-18			\$34/\$52.18	105716-04
TAI CHI AND QIGONG – Beginner	W	1-2PM	Sept 17-Oct 22	Dick Eardley SC	Doug Myers	\$43/\$66.10	115009-01
			Nov 5-Dec 17*				115009-02
TAI CHI AND QIGONG – Intermediate	W	12-1PM	Sept 17-Oct 22	Dick Eardley SC	Doug Myers	\$43/\$66.10	115019-01
			Nov 5-Dec 17*				115019-02

*No class Nov 26 **No class Nov 11

SPORTS/FITNESS (18+) CONT'D

TENNIS ADULT – Intermediate

For athletic students who lack consistency in a rally but can coordinate footwork when contacting the ball on the forehand and backhand. These students keep score, serve (but double fault frequently) and understand the basic rules.

WOMEN'S COMPETITION PLAY – 3.0 or 3.5 level

This program is designed for ladies at the 3.0 and 3.5 level for competition play. Each class begins with a quick warm-up drill and coaching followed by competition play. You must have a USTA rating of 3.0 or 3.5 to register. If you currently do not have a USTA rating, please call Kerri Porritt to set up an evaluation, 208-608-7683.

MEN'S COMPETITION PLAY – 3.0 or 3.5 level

This program is designed for men at the 3.0 and 3.5 level for competition play. Each class begins with a quick warm-up drill and coaching followed by competition play. You must have a USTA rating of 3.0 or 3.5 to register. If you currently do not have a USTA rating, please call Kerri Porritt to set up an evaluation, 208-608-7683.

YOGA – ALL LEVELS

Yoga improves flexibility, strength and balance and builds awareness and the ability to relax. Students need to bring a mat and dense blanket. Beginners are welcome.

YOGA – GENTLE

Beginners welcome. Movements will be adapted to a variety of fitness levels. Class will use chairs and other props for support. Improve your flexibility, balance and strength. This class does not get down on the floor.



Yoga

Fort Boise Community Center Adult Drop-In Activities

REMEMBER! NO ADDITIONAL FEE FOR MONTHLY OR ANNUAL PASS HOLDERS.

BADMINTON

All skill levels welcome.

AGES	16+
DAY/TIME*	F / 6-9PM Sept 5-Apr 24 Su / 2-5PM Oct 5-April 26
LOCATION	Fort Boise CC
FEE	\$5/day Adult, \$4/day Senior (62+)



PICKLEBALL

All skill levels welcome. Some paddles will be available for use. Please bring paddles if you have your own.

AGES	16+
DAY/TIME*	Tu, Th / 11AM-3PM Oct 6-April 28 F / 9AM-2PM Oct 3-April 24
LOCATION	Fort Boise CC
FEE	\$5/day Adult, \$4/day Senior (62+)

VOLLEYBALL

Indoor court, locker room and showers provided. No registration necessary. All skill levels welcome.

AGES	16+
DAY/TIME*	Sa / 9AM-1PM Su / 10AM-2PM
DATES	Oct 4-April 26
LOCATION	Fort Boise CC
FEE	\$5/day Adult, \$4/day Senior (62+)

BASKETBALL

Indoor court, locker room and showers provided. No registration necessary. All skill levels welcome.

AGES	16+
DAY/TIME*	M / 11:30AM-2PM
DATES	Continuous
LOCATION	Fort Boise CC
FEE	\$5/day Adult, \$4/day Senior (62+)

VOLLEYBALL FOR SENIORS

All skill levels welcome.

AGES	50+
DAY/TIME*	M / 9-11:30AM
LOCATION	Fort Boise CC
DATES	Continuous
FEE	\$5/day Adult, \$4/day Senior (62+)

*Dates and times are subject to change

SPORTS/FITNESS (18+) CONT'D

CLASS (18+)	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
TENNIS – Intermediate	Tu	7:30-9PM	Sept 2-23 Oct 7-28	Fort Boise Park	Duane Stotland	\$58/\$89.36	151048-01 151048-02
TENNIS COMPETITION PLAY – Women's 3.0	F	5:30-7pm	Sept 5-19	Fort Boise Park	Duane Stotland	\$43.75/\$67.27	150049-01
TENNIS COMPETITION PLAY – Women's 3.5	F	7-8:30pm	Sept 5-19	Fort Boise Park	Duane Stotland	\$43.75/\$67.27	150049-02
TENNIS COMPETITION PLAY – Men's 3.0	F	5:30-7pm	Oct 17-24	Fort Boise Park	Duane Stotland	\$29.50/\$45.18	150050-01
TENNIS COMPETITION PLAY – Men's 3.5	F	7-8:30pm	Oct 17-24	Fort Boise Park	Duane Stotland	\$29.50/\$45.18	150050-02
YOGA – All Levels	Tu	12-1PM	Sept 2-30	Fort Boise CC	Mike McClenahan	\$41/\$63	105704-01
			Oct 7-28			\$33/\$50.60	105704-02
			Nov 4-25			\$41/\$63	105704-03
			Dec 2-30			\$41/\$63	105704-04
	Th	9-10AM	Sept 4-25			\$33/\$50.60	105704-05
			Oct 2-30			\$41/\$63	105704-06
			Nov 6-20			\$25/\$38.20	105704-07
			Dec 4-18			\$25/\$38.20	105704-08
YOGA – Gentle	W	10:30-11:30AM	Sept 3-24	Dick Eardley SC	Mike McClenahan	\$29/\$44.40	115007-01
			Oct 1-22			\$29/\$44.40	115007-02
			Oct 29-Nov 19			\$29/\$44.40	115007-03
			Dec 3-17			\$22/\$33.55	115007-04

League Play (16+)

BASKETBALL

5-ON-5 BASKETBALL LEAGUE

This league is open for all levels of basketball play; from competitive down to friendly rec leagues. Rosters can include up to 13 players, with 5 on the court. This league plays 1 game per week; games are M-Th between 6-9pm and are located at Boise School District Jr High and High Schools. The city provides 2 officials and a scorekeeper per game. The league includes 10 games and an optional end of season tournament.

ELIGIBILITY:	(16+) Men's and Women's
LEAGUE PLAY:	Dec 1- March 14
LOCATION:	Boise School District Jr High/High Schools
SCHEDULE:	Teams play M-F evenings and can submit special schedule requests.
FEES:	\$810 Team Fee; \$20 Non-Resident Player Fee
REGISTRATION:	Oct 13-Nov 3
END OF SEASON TOURNAMENT (OPTIONAL):	\$120

VOLLEYBALL

COED WINTER ADULT VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE

This league is open to players of all abilities, Power division is our most competitive and Competitive 7 is our most recreational league. Teams play one game per week on the assigned night of your division. The city provides one referee per game and the top 50% in each division will move into a single elimination bracket.

DIVISIONS:	Coed Power, Competitive 1-7
ELIGIBILITY:	(16+) Men's and Women's
LEAGUE PLAY:	Dec 1-Feb 20. Top 50% of each division move into a single elimination tournament.
LOCATION:	Fort Boise Community Center, Fairmont Jr. High, North Jr. High, South Jr. High, Timberline High
SCHEDULE:	M: Power/C4 T: C1/C5 W: C2/C6 Th: C3/C7
FEES:	\$416 Team Fee; \$20 Non-Resident Player Fee
REGISTRATION:	Oct 13-Nov 3

ZOO BOISE (18+)



Spooky Safari

SPOOKY SAFARI

AGES 21+ All Hallows' Eve for adults! Bring your friends, don your creature costumes and join us for an after-hours expedition. Embark with us on a guided tour to see our animals and their nighttime behaviors once the zoo is closed. Whoo whoo gets wild at twilight? Beer, cider and wine will be available for purchase (must be 21+).

TRIVIA: ZOO KNOW IT ALL?

AGES 21+ Gather your pride and flock to Zoo Boise for a wild 21+ Trivia Night! Sip, snack and show off your smarts as you compete in animal-themed rounds and guided tours to explore the zoo after hours. Beer, cider and wine will be available for purchase (must be 21+ to attend).



**TO PURCHASE
TICKETS VISIT:**
bit.ly/Zoo-Boise-Evening

CLASS	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
SPOOKY SAFARI (21+)	Th	6-8PM	Oct 30	Zoo Boise	\$25*	Tickets
WILD AT TWILIGHT (21+)	Th	6-8PM	Sept 25	Zoo Boise	\$20*	Tickets

**This activity qualifies for the FoZB discount.*

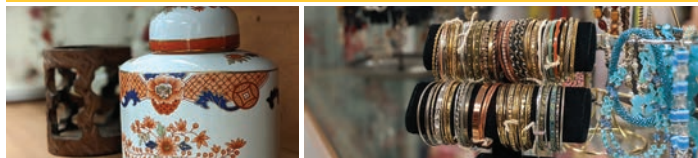
SENIOR CENTER THRIFT STORE



The prices can't be beat! Check out our selection of clothing, accessories, housewares, home décor and more.

Donations benefit local seniors.

Shop Monday-Friday | 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.



DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER
690 Robbins Rd.




ERMA HAYMAN
River St. Neighborhood HOUSE Boise, Idaho

Learn about Boise's historic River Street Neighborhood, the most ethnically and culturally diverse area in Boise for much of the 20th century, through the story of long-time resident and community advocate, Erma Hayman, and her house. Daily guided tour at 1 p.m.

More at ermahaymanhouse.org





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BoisePublicLibrary.org/BCAF

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BOISE PUBLIC LIBRARY FOUNDATION

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Illustrations by Rose Bousamra



OLDER ADULTS (AGE 62+)

Lifetime and Leisure Programs

One-day adult education, leisure and social programs offer a variety of opportunities to get out and enjoy Boise and the surrounding area. Come with us and explore the hidden gems in Boise and learn more about our great City.


Transportation for programs provided from one or more of the Community Centers. If minimum enrollment is not met at one site, you may be asked to meet at a different location for transportation. Return times for many programs are approximate as travel and question/answer time can vary.



Seating on the shuttle will be based on registration. Please contact the program staff if you have concerns.




ACTIVITY LEVEL GUIDE

Some day trips require a lot of standing, walking or climbing stairs. Please refer to the key below for activity level of each activity.

 = this activity involves stairs

 = light standing or walking

  = long periods of standing, light walking

   = walking 1 mile or more, or standing on hard surfaces

LOCATION KEY:

DESC – Dick Eardley Senior Center (690 Robbins Rd)

WCC – Whitney Community Center (1609 S Owyhee St)

MNCC – Morley Nelson Community Center (7701 W Northview St)

LIFETIME AND LEISURE (62+)

ART IN THE PARK

Enjoy this Boise tradition and leave the driving to us! Grab a friend and join others for a fun afternoon in the park. Art, food, friends and fun! Fees are for transportation only.

BASQUE CHRISTMAS MARKET

Celebrate the season at the Eguberriko Azoka (Basque Christmas Market) in the heart of the Basque Block. Enjoy festive shopping, live performances and music from Txantxangorriak. Savor traditional holiday treats like chocolate and churros, chorizo and talo, roasted chestnuts and more! Purchases are on your own.

BOISE LITTLE THEATER – A Sherlock Carol

Join us for A Sherlock Carol, a clever holiday mystery where the worlds of Sherlock Holmes and Charles Dickens come together in a witty and heartwarming twist. Follow the legendary detective as he investigates the mysterious death of Ebenezer Scrooge. We'll enjoy dinner before the show. Cost of dinner is on your own.

BOISE LITTLE THEATER – Dracula: Comedy of Terror

Get ready for laughs and thrills with Dracula: Comedy of Terrors, a hilarious twist on the

classic vampire tale. This fast-paced theater show blends gothic horror with outrageous comedy, delivering unexpected laughs and clever surprises. We'll have dinner before the show. Cost of dinner is on your own.

BOWLING

Join us for bowling at Emerald Lanes! Knock down some pins and enjoy a full bar and delicious finger foods right at your lane, along with other menu options. Cost includes one hour of bowling plus equipment. Food and drinks are available for purchase separately.

LIFETIME AND LEISURE (62+)

CAFÉ DE COCO 🍌 🍌

Tucked away in Historic Downtown Nampa, Café de Coco is a hidden gem offering unique teas and coffees for every visitor. Delight in their homemade quiches, sandwiches and delectable desserts, and explore their charming gift shop. Cost of lunch is on your own.

CEMETERY TOUR 🍌 🍌

Join us for a tour of the oldest cemetery in continuous use in Boise. Pioneer Cemetery first came into unsanctioned use as a burial ground soon after the area was settled in 1863. Learn about the history of the land as well as those who are buried there. Tour is free, please register in advance.

CRAFT & CHOCOLATE AFFAIRE 🍌 🍌

Kick off the holiday season at Nampa's Craft and Chocolate Affaire, where over 100 local artisans showcase handmade gifts, cozy décor, unique jewelry and more. Enjoy delicious treats and shopping. Purchases are on your own.

ERMA HAYMAN HOUSE TOUR 🍌

The Erma Hayman House is a historical site and cultural center that preserves, contextualizes, and interprets the history of Boise's River Street Neighborhood. Learn about Boise history, then join us for a happy hour at a nearby eatery. Cost of happy hour treats are on your own.

FALL IN MCCALL 🍌 🍌

Spend a day in McCall exploring the Farmers Market, where you can shop for farm-fresh produce and support local growers. Enjoy live music as you browse unique arts and crafts from talented local artists. Purchases are on your own.

HOLIDAY LIGHTS 🍌

Hop aboard for a festive tour of the Treasure Valley's most dazzling Christmas light displays and soak in the holiday cheer. We'll make cozy stops for snacks and warm beverages along the way. Purchases are on your own.

IDAHO CITY HOT SPRINGS 🍌 🍌

Drive up Highway 21 to Idaho City where we will enjoy lunch, then soak at The Springs. Cost covers transportation and hot springs fees. Lunch and snacks at the Hot Springs are on your own.

IDAHO SPICE COMPANY 🍌 🍌

Discover bold flavors from Idaho Spice Company, a locally owned shop crafting over 30 unique blends, rubs, teas and spice mixes. From cornbread and brownies to custom seasoning creations, their products are made with care and creativity right here in Idaho.

IDAHO STATE MUSEUM 🍌 🍌

Explore Idaho's rich history with a 45-minute guided tour led by a certified guide, highlighting key exhibits and stories that define the Gem State. Dive into permanent galleries like Origins, featuring Idaho's five federally recognized tribes and The Land & Its People, which connects personal stories to the broader Idaho experience.

LUNCH CLUB 🍌

Join us as we discover a new culinary gem in the Treasure Valley! Each outing features a different local restaurant, offering a fun and flavorful dining experience. Call ahead to find out the location—or come ready for a tasty surprise. Cost of lunch is on your own.

PAYETTE LAKE CRUISE 🍌 🍌

Travel to McCall for lunch and a sightseeing cruise around Payette Lake. We will stop in McCall for lunch with a choice of restaurants, then take a 90-minute lake cruise before returning to Boise. Cost of lunch is on your own.

POTATO DAYS 🍌 🍌

Join us to celebrate Idaho's famous potato with food, music, games, and family-friendly fun in honor of our state's spud-tacular agricultural heritage. Cost of lunch is on your own.



LIFETIME AND LEISURE BONUS PROGRAMS

In Boise, many fun events are not advertised until just before they happen. Sometimes interest grows for a specific activity after the schedule has been printed. The BONUS programs will be one or more additional programs announced each month where we will provide transportation and assistance. To find out about monthly bonus programs, be sure you are on our email list. If you prefer a phone call instead of email, just let us know! Please contact us at seniorcenter@cityofboise.org or 208-608-7580.

Some bonus trips we are working on this season: Movie night at the Flicks and a tour of the Wassmuth Center for Human Rights new education center.

LIFETIME AND LEISURE (62+)

PUBLIC ART WALKING TOUR



Join us for a 90-minute guided walking tour that explores 160 years of the city's rich and diverse past. From cultural identities and activist movements to environmental influences, discover the key forces that have shaped Boise. Tour covers 1.5 miles.

SCENIC FALL DRIVE



It's a sightseeing adventure! This trip will take us from Boise to Horseshoe Bend, then to Emmett where we will stop for lunch. After lunch we will continue to Payette and Wilder, then stop at one of the wineries along Sunny Slope before returning to Boise. Cost of lunch and other purchases are on your own.

SHOSHONE FALLS POWER PLANT



Explore the history and innovation of one of Idaho's earliest hydroelectric sites, built in 1907 on the Snake River near Twin Falls. This facility has powered the region for over a century, preserving many original features while incorporating modern upgrades. Lunch is included—please submit your lunch order by September 8.

SPIRIT OF BOISE NITE GLOW



Experience the magic of Nite Glow, a fan-favorite event of the Spirit of Boise Balloon Classic. Enjoy an evening surrounded by glowing balloons, uplifting music and local radio stations creating an unforgettable atmosphere where we'll have

exclusive parking and front-row seats! Picnic dinner is included. Sign up by August 22 to submit your dinner order.

STEIN LUMINARY



The Keith and Catherine Stein Luminary is an all-digital museum space, producing a range of interactive and sensory experiences. It combines touch-activated screens and immersive projection, delivering cutting-edge content focused on visual and performing arts and cultural exhibitions for the Boise State community. *Date may change.

WATERSHED TOUR



Take a 60-minute walking tour of the West Boise Water Renewal Facility and discover what really happens after you flush. Go behind the scenes to learn how Boise renews used water, recovers valuable resources, and protects the health of the Boise River. Closed-toe shoes are required for this fascinating, up-close look at the city's water renewal process.

WEISER CLASSIC CANDY



Celebrate caramel apple season with a sweet trip to Weiser where we will visit Weiser Classic Candy, a small-batch gourmet chocolatier known for confections crafted the old-fashioned way, by hand. Indulge in one of their original caramel apples or treat yourself to a rich, chocolate-dipped gourmet version.

WINERY - Koenig



Experience traditional table-side wine tastings in Koenig Vineyard's elegant tasting room

or enjoy bottle service on the scenic terrace or picnic lawn. Founded in 1995, Koenig crafts small-lot wines that showcase the unique terroir of Idaho's Sunny Slope District through time-honored methods and minimal intervention. Purchases are on your own. \$10 tasting fee.

WINERY - Laissez Faire



Join us for a visit to Laissez Faire Wine Co., a charming wine bar located in the new Boardwalk building in Garden City. Inspired by European traditions, enjoy a relaxed atmosphere where thoughtfully made wines (and beers) meet flavorful, bite-sized pairings. Purchases are on your own.

WINERY - Sawtooth



Nestled in Idaho's Snake River Valley, Sawtooth Winery offers a relaxed, boutique-style tasting experience with stunning views of the Owyhee Mountains. Founded in 1987, this award-winning estate is known for its exceptional Riesling, Syrah, and other varietals, crafted by acclaimed winemaker Meredith Smith and inspired by the region's adventurous spirit and natural beauty. Purchases are on your own.

WINERY - Veer Wine Project



Veer Wine Project is a bold exploration of style and place. Recently named Idaho Winery of the Year, Veer also took home Best of Show for its 2022 Garnacha at the Idaho Wine and Cider Competition. Located in Garden City. Purchases are on your own.



Winery

LIFETIME AND LEISURE (62+)

WINTER GARDEN AGLOW



Every year the Idaho Botanical Gardens is transformed into a twinkling wonderland with over 600,000 lights. Enjoy the beautiful views at the garden, a hot cocoa or coffee, and a social outing to celebrate the season. We will stop for dinner on our way to the garden. Cost of dinner is on your own.



**SCHOLARSHIPS
AVAILABLE:**
[cityofboise.org/
scholarships](http://cityofboise.org/scholarships)



**REGISTER FOR CLASSES
STARTING AT 7AM :**
cityofboise.org/parks
AUGUST 4 (Residents)
AUGUST 6 (Non-residents)

DATE	OUTING 62+	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
Aug 26	PAYETTE LAKE CRUISE	Tu	8:30AM-5:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$75/\$115.70	103035-01
Aug 29	SPIRIT OF BOISE NITE GLOW	F	6:30-10PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$25/\$38.20	103074-01
Sept 5	ART IN THE PARK	F	1-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	103073-01
Sept 9	WATERSHED TOUR	Tu	8:30-11AM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	104052-01
Sept 11	ERMA HAYMAN HOUSE TOUR	Th	12:30-4:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	103365-01
Sept 12	WINERY – Laissez Faire	F	1:30-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	103027-01
Sept 16	CEMETERY TOUR	Tu	10-11:30AM	Pioneer Cemetery	FREE	104067-01
Sept 17	SHOSHONE FALLS POWER PLANT	W	9AM-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$40/\$61.45	104074-01
Sept 20	POTATO DAYS	Sa	9:30AM-1PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	103060-01
Sept 23	LUNCH CLUB	Tu	12:30-3:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	104076-01
Sept 25	BOWLING	Th	2-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$30/\$45.95	104117-01
Sept 30	IDAHO CITY HOT SPRINGS	Tu	11AM-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$49/\$75.40	104050-01
Oct 4	FALL IN MCCALL	Sa	9AM-5:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$40/\$61.45	103248-01
Oct 7*	STEIN LUMINARY	Tu	12:30-3PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	104057-01
Oct 10	WINERY – Veer Wine Project	F	1-4PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	103027-02
Oct 16	SCENIC FALL DRIVE	Th	10AM-5:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$25/\$38.20	103043-01
Oct 17	IDAHO CITY HOT SPRINGS	F	11AM-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$49/\$75.40	104050-02
Oct 18	PUBLIC ART WALKING TOUR	Sa	10:30AM-1PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$25/\$38.20	103072-01
Oct 21	LUNCH CLUB	Tu	12:30-3:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	104076-02
Oct 23	BOISE LITTLE THEATER – Dracula: Comedy of Terror	Th	5-10PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$38/\$58.35	105012-01
Oct 28	WEISER CLASSIC CANDY	Tu	9AM-2PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$20/\$30.45	103047-01
Nov 4	BOWLING	Tu	2-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$30/\$45.95	104117-02
Nov 6	CAFÉ DE COCO	Th	11:30AM-2:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$20/\$30.45	103058-01
Nov 8	CRAFT & CHOCOLATE AFFAIRE	Sa	9AM-1PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$20/\$30.45	103054-01
Nov 13	IDAHO SPICE COMPANY	Th	1-4PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	103053-01
Nov 14	WINERY – Koenig	F	1-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$20/\$30.45	103027-03
Nov 18	IDAHO CITY HOT SPRINGS	Tu	11AM-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$49/\$75.40	104050-03
Nov 20	LUNCH CLUB	Th	12:30-3:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	104076-03
Dec 2	LUNCH CLUB	Tu	12:30-3:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	104076-04
Dec 4	BOISE LITTLE THEATER – A Sherlock Carol	Th	5-10PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$38/\$58.35	105012-02
Dec 5	WINERY – Sawtooth	F	1-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$20/\$30.45	103027-04
Dec 7	BASQUE CHRISTMAS MARKET	Su	10:30AM-1:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$18/\$27.35	105016-01
Dec 9	IDAHO STATE MUSEUM	Tu	2:45-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$20/\$30.45	104081-01
Dec 12	HOLIDAY LIGHTS	F	4:30-8:45PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$20/\$30.45	104028-01
Dec 16	HOLIDAY LIGHTS	Th	4:30-8:45PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$20/\$30.45	104028-02
Dec 18	WINTER GARDEN AGLOW	W	4:30-7:30PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$25/\$38.20	103048-01
Dec 19	IDAHO CITY HOT SPRINGS	F	11AM-5PM	Dick Eardley SC	\$49/\$75.40	104050-04

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DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER DROP-IN PROGRAMS (62+)



ABOUT

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The Dick Eardley Senior Center is a meeting place where older adults can participate in a variety of programs, classes, activities and services focused on health, life-long learning, recreation and more. It is a lively place that connects older adults to the community, where they can take classes, share a meal, engage in games and activities, and socialize. We offer a welcome orientation and facility tour on the second Wednesday of each month beginning at 11AM. Join us!

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Boise Parks and Recreation offers financial scholarships to qualified adults age 62 and older. Scholarships can help pay for classes and activities. To find out if you qualify, apply in advance at the Dick Eardley Senior Center or Fort Boise Community Center.

ON-SITE SHOPPING

The center features a craft boutique offering one-of-a-kind items that are made locally by people age 50 and older. There is also a community thrift store on site where donations of new and slightly used items are always welcome. Proceeds from the thrift store help provide programs and services for seniors. Both stores are open 10AM-2PM Monday-Friday.

DONATIONS

We accept donations of new and gently used items to sell in our thrift store. All proceeds stay at the Senior Center and are used to offer unique and creative programming as well as scholarships to older adults who have financial difficulties. Thrift store donations are accepted during regular business hours. We also accept tax-deductible monetary donations. Those can be mailed to Dick Eardley Senior Center, c/o Boise Parks and Recreation, 690 Robbins Road, Boise, ID 83702.

DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER

ADDRESS: 690 Robbins Road

PHONE: 208-608-7580

EMAIL: seniorcenter@cityofboise.org

WEB: cityofboise.org/senior-center

HOURS: Monday-Friday from 9AM-5PM.

LUNCH: Lunch is prepared on site by Meals on Wheels Metro Boise and served weekdays from 12-12:30PM. For Meals on Wheels information, call 208-321-0031.

HOLIDAY CLOSURES:

Labor Day, September 1

Veterans Day, November 11

Thanksgiving, November 27 & 28

Christmas Eve and Day, December 24 & 25

New Year's Day, January 1

CARDS

BRIDGE

Monday & Thursday 1-4PM, \$2 per visit.

CANASTA

Wednesday 1-5PM, \$2 per visit.

CRIBBAGE

Wednesday 10AM-12PM, \$2 per visit.

EUCHRE

Tuesday 1-4PM, \$2 per visit.

MAHJONG

Tuesday 1-4PM, \$2 per visit.

MEXICAN TRAIN

Monday, 1-4PM, \$2 per visit.

PINOCHLE

Friday 10AM-2PM, \$2 per visit.

INTRO TO PINOCHLE

Friday 2-5PM, \$2 per visit.

RUMMIKUB

Thursday, 11AM-3PM, \$2 per visit.

FITNESS

FIT AND FALL PROOF

Tuesday & Friday 1-2PM, FREE. Offered through a partnership with Central District Health.

LONGEVITY STICK

Tuesday 10:30-11:30AM, \$2 per visit. Longevity stick incorporates movements designed to improve balance, flexibility, strength and mental focus.

WALK YOUR SOCKS OFF

Monday & Friday, 9-11AM, 2-5PM. Tuesday, 2-5PM, FREE.

See other classes in Adult section

FOR YOUR HEALTH

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

2nd & 4th Thursdays 11AM-12:30PM, FREE.

MEDITATION FOR OPTIMAL HEALTH

2nd Fridays 11-11:45AM, FREE. Instructor Michelle Wood focuses on the science and power of group meditation to facilitate health and wellness.



TRAVEL WITH US

UPCOMING TRAVEL OPPORTUNITIES

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Alpine Lakes & Scenic Trains of Switzerland
Wonders of Ancient Greece

 **DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER**
Call 208-608-7580 for details
TTY: 1-800-377-3529



JOIN US FOR LUNCH

MEALS ON WHEELS

METRO BOISE

is proud to partner with the Dick Eardley Senior Center.

- Lunch served weekdays: 12:00-12:30 p.m.
- \$5 for ages 60+ (suggested donation)
- \$8 under age 60

(208) 321-0030
MetroMealsOnWheels.net




SENIOR HEALTH + SAFETY FAIR

OCTOBER 14 | 10:30AM-12PM

- Enjoy **HEALTH + SAFETY-RELATED INFORMATION** and displays
- Meet local **SERVICE PROVIDERS**
- Sample **HEALTHY SNACKS**
- Take home **FUN GIVEAWAYS**
- Clinics include enhanced **FLU SHOTS, BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS** and **HEARING TESTS**

DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER
690 Robbins Road, Boise | 208-608-7580

CONNECTION CLUB

At the Dick Eardley Senior Center

The Dick Eardley Senior Center is now offering adult day care services for local families.

Supervised activities include

- arts & crafts
- games
- lunch
- snacks
- camaraderie with other Senior Center participants.

Call 208-608-7578 for more information.

DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER
690 Robbins Rd.



DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER DROP-IN PROGRAMS (62+)

FOR YOUR HEALTH CONT'D

PET THERAPY VISITS

Last Thursday of each month, 11AM-12:30PM, FREE. Come and give good-dog pats to Taco the Chocolate Lab and enjoy the therapeutic benefits, including reduced stress, decreased loneliness and isolation, improved mental health and increased socialization.

LIVING WELL WITH CHRONIC PAIN

Tuesdays, Aug. 5-Sept. 9, 10AM-12PM, FREE. We've partnered with the Southwest Idaho Area Agency on Aging to offer this free 6-week workshop designed to help participants live well with an ongoing health condition. Learn self-management tools such as physical activity and exercise, evaluating treatment options, managing difficult emotions, action-planning and more. Space is limited and registration is required. Call 208-608-7580 to reserve your spot.

SENIOR HEALTH & SAFETY FAIR,

Tuesday, Oct. 14, 10:30AM-12PM FREE. If you're age 55 or better, this health fair is for you. Enjoy health & safety information and displays, meet local service providers, sample healthy snacks and pick up some fun giveaways. Clinics include enhanced flu shots, blood pressure checks and hearing tests.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

HOUSING 101

2nd Tuesday 11AM-12PM FREE. Meet with Paige Doyle, a seniors real estate specialist for help and information.

LEGAL COUNSEL

3rd Wednesday, 11AM-12PM, FREE service provided by local attorneys. Call for appointment, 208-608-7580.

WELCOME TOUR

2nd Wednesday 11AM, FREE. Come take a tour and learn about the programs available. Includes lunch for new visitors!

SOCIAL

BILLIARDS

Monday-Friday 9AM-5PM, \$2 per visit.

BINGO

Thursday 10-11AM, FREE.

BOOK CLUB

Monthly, FREE. Call the front desk for information.

CHAT-N-CHEW SOCIAL GROUP

Thursday 10-11:30AM, \$2 per visit.

DRUMMING DIVAS

Thursday 11:30AM-12:30PM, \$2 per visit. Drumming circle. Bring a drum or borrow one.

HAPPY HOOKERS KNIT/CROCHET

Wednesday 10AM-12PM, \$2 per visit.

IN THE MOMENT IMPROVISATIONAL THEATER

3rd Friday 10:30AM-12PM, FREE.

WIDOW/WIDOWER SUPPORT GROUP

2nd and 4th Friday, 10-11:30AM, FREE.

TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION

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Opportunities to enhance your technology skills are made possible through a partnership between LEARN Idaho and AARP's Senior Planet. Sign up for our monthly newsletter to stay up to date on course offerings. Call at 208-608-7580.

ABOUT

Drop-In Programs

We offer daily programs for older adults. Most classes have a small fee which can be paid at the start of each class. A punch card is available with \$20 worth of classes. Those with a punch card do not need to bring money each day; instead, they can just use their card which can be stored at the front desk.

Educational Opportunities

The Dick Eardley Senior Center offers a variety of educational opportunities to challenge the mind, learn a new skill, or engage with like-minded individuals. Sign up for the monthly newsletter or call the front desk for current information, 208-608-7580.

SPECIAL EVENTS

NATIONAL SENIOR CITIZENS DAY, Thursday, Aug. 21, 11:30AM-12:30PM

First declared a holiday by President Ronald Reagan in 1988, National Senior Citizens Day is a great time to let the older adults in our community know how much we value their contributions to our everyday lives. Join us for fun photos and yummy treats. Event sponsored by Kelly Svevad and Clarity Insurance Solutions.

AUTUMN JAMBOREE, Thursday, Sept. 25, 4-6PM

Join us for music, dancing and light snacks. A no-host beer and wine bar will be available for sale. Tickets are \$5 each, in advance or at the door. Advanced purchase required by 5PM on Sept. 23. Event is sponsored by FirstLight Home Care of Boise.

HALLOWEEN COSTUME CONTEST, Friday, Oct. 31, 12PM

Come dressed in your Halloween best and you just might win a prize! We'll rely on the applause-o-meter to pick this year's winners. Categories are Funniest, Spookiest, Best Couples/Group and Wow! Everyone is invited.

VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION, Monday, Nov. 10, 12PM

Veterans and their families are invited to join us for a lunchtime celebration. Staff will play the Armed Forces Medley on the piano, and veterans will be encouraged to stand while their military branch song is played. Veterans will receive a lapel pin to wear for the day and a commemorative coin and American flag from our event sponsor, Copper Falls Hospice. Thank you, veterans!

44th ANNUAL HOLIDAY BAZAAR, Saturday, Nov. 22, 10AM-3PM

Deck the halls and get your Christmas shopping off to a solid start! We'll host dozens of crafters, artists and distributors so you can find what you need to decorate for the holidays and give the perfect gift to everyone on your list. Be sure to visit our thrift store while you're here. Snack items and beverages will be available to purchase.

HAPPY HOLIDAY HOP, Thursday, Dec. 11, 4-6PM

Join us for music, dancing and appetizers in a festive holiday setting. A no-host beer and wine bar will be available for cash sales. Tickets are \$5 each. Advanced purchase required by 5PM on Dec. 9.

DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER DROP-IN PROGRAMS (62+)

SPORTS/FITNESS

SENIOR BOCCE LEAGUE

Bocce! The game anyone can play! Senior Bocce league will run for 4 weeks, 2 games per night. Playoff games the final week. All players must be age 50 or over. Teams of 4 players, team captain responsible for registering the team and paying league fees. Subs or single players can register on the sub list. Play not guaranteed for subs.

SENIOR LINE DANCING – All Levels

Looking for a fun, old-style country line dance class? This is it. Learn dances like Boot Scootin' Boogie, Good Time, and many more. No experience or partner needed. This low impact class is great to get you on that dance floor!

TRAVEL

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Boise Parks and Recreation partners with travel companies to present senior-friendly tours to different parts of the U.S. and around the world. We are currently registering travelers for Discover South Pacific Wonders, Alpine Lakes & Scenic Trains of Switzerland and Wonders of Ancient Greece. Call 208-608-7580 for details.

TRAVEL PRESENTATION, Aug. 4, 10-11:30AM.

Collette Travel will share details and answer questions about upcoming trips. Reserve your spot by calling 208-608-7580. Are you on our email list? Be the first to know as new travel opportunities are added. Email seniorcenter@cityofboise.org.



**REGISTER FOR CLASSES
STARTING AT 7AM :**
cityofboise.org/parks

AUGUST 4 (Residents)
AUGUST 6 (Non-residents)



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scholarships](http://cityofboise.org/scholarships)

CLASS (18+)	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE RES/NR	ACTIVITY#
SENIOR BOCCE LEAGUE	M	5:30-7:30PM	Sept 8-29	KA Park Bocce courts	Staff	\$40/\$61.45	404559-03
SENIOR BOCCE SUB	M	5:30-7:30PM	Sept 8-29	KA Park Bocce courts	Staff	\$5/\$7.75	404559-03B
SENIOR LINE DANCING	F	2-3PM	Sept 5-26	Dick Eardley SC	Annie Hocking	\$28/\$42.85	104562-01
			Oct 3-24				104562-02
			Oct 31-Nov 21				104562-03

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ADAPTIVE RECREATION

THIS PROGRAM IS DESIGNED FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES, HOWEVER, EVERYONE IS WELCOME.



PROGRAMS & SERVICES

Boise Parks and Recreation's AdVenture Program provides a wide range of programs for youth and adults with disabilities. We also offer inclusion services in which modifications may be provided so that an individual with a disability can fully participate in Boise Parks and Recreation's programs. Services such as sign language interpreters, additional staff, adaptive equipment, etc. may be provided with a minimum of three or more weeks advanced notice of the program start date with no cost to the participant. To inquire about inclusion services, please contact Emily Kovarik at 208-608-7687 (TTY: 1-800-377-3529) or ekovarik@cityofboise.org. Reasonable modifications are based on individuals' needs and abilities.

PARTICIPANT PERSONAL NEEDS

The adaptive recreation staff and volunteers provide leadership for the program but are unable to provide assistance with self-care needs (feeding, toileting assistance, etc.). Care providers should accompany participants who need personal care. Participants who have behavioral issues may be asked to participate with an aide in attendance. Please let us know upon registration if you will be bringing your own aide as fees for aides may be waived or may vary depending on the activity. Participants should enjoy meeting new people, be able to function in a group setting and need to be able to adjust to new routines and environments. Please call 208-608-7680 to learn more.

AGES

Many of our programs welcome people under the specified age range. However, an adult may need to sign up with them. Please call 208-608-7680 to learn more.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Boise Parks and Recreation offers financial scholarships to qualified youth, seniors and adults with disabilities. To find out if you qualify to receive a scholarship, which will help pay for a class or activity, apply in advance at Fort Boise Community Center or cityofboise.org/Adaptive-Recreation.

DONATIONS WELCOME

We rely on donations so that we can offer scholarships to adults with disabilities who have financial difficulties. Please send tax-deductible donations to the AdVenture Heritage Fund, Boise Parks and Recreation, 700 Robbins Road, Boise, Idaho 83702. Thank you, your support is greatly appreciated!

VOLUNTEER

If you are age 18 and older, the AdVenture program could use your help! Please consider volunteering, it is a great way to give back to the community and someone who needs a hand. Please contact Seth Hoffman at 208-608-7582 or by e-mail at shoffman@cityofboise.org to learn more about upcoming volunteer opportunities.



ADAPTIVE RECREATION

Customized Activities for Groups

AdVenture offers a variety of adaptive recreation opportunities for groups including art, dance, disc golf, music, adaptive bike rides, outdoor adventures and more. We use the expertise and resources of the AdVenture program to customize recreation programs that meet your group's specific need and goals. For more information, please call 208-608-7687 or email ekovarik@cityofboise.org.

CLASSES & CLUBS

ADAPTIVE ART

AGES 15+ This is the perfect class for participants with disabilities to explore several different forms of art ranging from pottery, drawing, painting and more! Fee includes instruction and supplies.

ADAPTIVE COOKING CLASS

AGES 15+ Help prepare meals that we will eat together as a group. We will improve our cooking skills, socialize with friends and take part in clean-up duties. Participants will practice following directions, learning about healthy food options, safe food preparation and table manners. Due to the nature of the class, we are unable to accommodate special diets. Please call 208-608-7582 if you have any questions.

ADAPTIVE FITNESS CLASS

AGES 15+ Work on stretching, band workouts and aerobic activity. This is a great opportunity to get fit in a supportive and fun environment. Classes are structured for different levels of ability. The 4PM class will focus on more advanced techniques and students will need to follow two-step directions.

ADAPTIVE WALKING CLUB

AGES 16+ Join us for a leisurely walk in the park. The club is designed for individuals with disabilities who enjoy being outdoors, getting exercise and who can stay with the group. We will meet at Fort Boise Community Center and drive to a different park each week. The club will be held rain or shine.

ADAPTIVE YOGA

AGES 15+ Yoga helps improve flexibility, strength and balance and provides an opportunity to work on body awareness and the ability to relax. This class is designed for individuals who have disabilities, and our instructor is great at adapting the yoga poses for people of all abilities.

BOWLING CLUB

AGES 16+ The Adventure Bowling Club is a fun, noncompetitive group offering socialization opportunities for individuals with disabilities. The fee covers bowling, shoe rental and staff supervision. This activity meets at the Bowling Alley in the BSU Student Union Building.

DANCE ABILITY

AGES 12+ This class will explore various styles of dancing, rhythm and music. Students will learn to increase their strength, flexibility and coordination through dance.

GROUP SINGING CLASS

AGES 12+ Do you love to sing popular songs with other people? Then this activity will be a great fit! Percussion instruments are provided.

ICE SKATING – ADAPTIVE

AGES 5+ This adaptive recreation program is designed to give individuals with disabilities the opportunity to develop their ice-skating skills. Students will receive instruction based upon their individual needs and goals. Some adaptive equipment is available for use at no extra cost. Scholarships are available. *Various days and times available. Call 208-608-7718 to learn more and to register.

CLASS	AGE	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
ADAPTIVE ART	15+	M	4:15-5:15PM	Sept 15-Oct 20 Oct 27-Dec 8*	Fort Boise CC	\$46.50	100539-01 100539-02
ADAPTIVE COOKING CLASS	15+	Tu Th	5:30-7:30PM	Sept 16-Oct 21 Oct 28-Dec 9** Sept 18-Oct 23 Oct 30-Dec 11*	Fort Boise CC	\$83 \$69.33 \$83	100729-01 100729-02 100729-03 100729-04
ADAPTIVE FITNESS CLASS	15+	Tu, Th	3-4PM 4-5PM 3-4PM 4-5PM	Sept 16-Oct 23 Sept 16-Oct 23 Oct 28-Dec 18** Oct 28-Dec 18**	Fort Boise CC	\$52 \$56.25	100728-01 100728-02 100728-03 100728-04
ADAPTIVE WALKING CLUB	16+	M	5:30-7:30PM	Sept 15-Oct 20	Fort Boise CC	\$50	100800-01
ADAPTIVE YOGA	15+	M	5:30-6:30PM	Sept 15-Oct 20 Oct 27-Dec 8*	Dick Eardley SC	\$44.50	100753-01 100753-02
BOWLING CLUB	16+	M Tu M Tu	7-8:30PM	Sept 15-Oct 20 Sept 16-Oct 21 Oct 27-Dec 8* Oct 28-Dec 16**	BSU SUB	\$52	100730-01 100730-02 100730-03 100730-04
DANCE ABILITY	12+	W	3:15-4:15PM 4:15-5:15PM 3:15-4:15PM 4:15-5:15PM	Sept 17-Oct 22 Sept 17-Oct 22 Oct 29-Dec 10* Oct 29-Dec 10*	Fort Boise CC	\$33	100538-01 100538-02 100538-03 100538-04
GROUP SINGING CLASS	12+	Th	4-4:55PM 5-5:55PM 4-4:55PM 5-5:55PM	Sept 18-Oct 23*** Sept 18-Oct 23*** Oct 30-Dec 11* Oct 30-Dec 11*	Dick Eardley SC	\$28.50 \$34	100111-01 100111-02 100111-03 100111-04
ICE SKATING – Adaptive	5+	Varies	Varies	Sept/Oct Session Nov/Dec Session	Idaho IceWorld	Varies	Call 208-608-7718 to register

*No class/club Nov 24-28 **No class/club Nov 11 or 24-28 ***No class Oct 2

CLASSES & CLUBS CONT'D

ICE SKATING – ICE SHOW CAST MEMBER

AGES 5+ The 2025 Annual Boise Ice Show is 3 performances that will take place at Idaho IceWorld scheduled for Friday, December 5 at 7PM and Saturday, December 6 at 3PM and 6PM. Participation requires registration for BOTH fall sessions. All Learn to Skate students are eligible to participate in the annual ice show cast. Practices for the Snowplow Sam and Basic Skills groups will be every Wednesday from 6:45-7:30PM beginning September 3. Teen and Adult group practice will be every Monday from 7:15-7:45PM beginning September 8. Two additional mandatory dress rehearsals are tentatively

scheduled for Tuesday, November 18 and Sunday, November 30, time TBD. This practice/rehearsal plan may be subject to change. This show is professionally choreographed and co-produced by Idaho IceWorld and the Boise Figure Skating Club. Students receive extra on and off ice instruction and have loads of fun! Being a cast member is a huge commitment of time and energy. Practice and rehearsal are top priorities when scheduling your family activities. The \$161 participation fee includes 1 parent/guardian entry into each performance. Please note that this is a ticketed event and all other spectators will be required to purchase tickets for entry. Costume fees are additional and TBD.

Check IdahoIceWorld.com for updates. City of Boise Parks and Recreation Scholarships do not apply to this activity. Learn to Skate USA membership required. REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS AUGUST 31.

SOCIAL CLUBS

AGES 18+ These clubs are ideal social opportunities for adults with disabilities. Activities may include sporting events, movie night, bowling and more! Members of the club will need to bring \$4-\$7 for each day to cover activity costs. Prior to the start of the club, a detailed schedule and fee break down will be available.

CLASS	AGE	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
ICE SKATING – SHOW CAST – Adaptive Practice	5+	M	7:15-7:45PM	TBD – Dec 1*	Idaho IceWorld	\$161	161110***
SOCIAL CLUB – Tuesday	18+	Tu	6-8:30PM	Sept 9-Oct 21	Dick Eardley SC	\$88.50	100330-01
				Oct 28-Dec 16**		\$76	100330-02
SOCIAL CLUB – Wednesday	18+	W	6-8:30PM	Sept 10-Oct 22	Morley Nelson CC	\$88.50	100320-01
				Oct 29-Dec 17*			100320-02
SOCIAL CLUB – Thursday	18+	Th	6-8:30PM	Sept 11-Oct 23	Whitney CC	\$88.50	100300-01
				Oct 30-Dec 18*			100300-02
SOCIAL CLUB – Friday	18-32	F	6:30-9PM	Sept 12-Oct 24	Dick Eardley SC	\$88.50	100310-01
				Oct 31-Dec 19*			100310-02

*No class/club Nov 24-28 **No class/club Nov 11 or 24-28 ***Registration deadline is Aug 31

ONE-DAY ACTIVITIES

ADAPTIVE BIKE FITTING

AGES 16+ Not sure what adaptive cycle will work for you during an AdVenture bike ride? Schedule an adaptive bike fitting with one of our Adaptive Recreation staff. During this 30-45 minute session, we can show you a variety of adaptive cycles that are part of our fleet. Please note, we do not sell bikes; this is for educational purposes only. Bike fittings cost \$5 per person and must be scheduled in advance by calling 208-608-7582.

ADAPTIVE BIKE RIDE

AGES 16+ Join us for an hour-long adaptive bike ride along the beautiful Boise Greenbelt. Bring your own bike or use one of our adaptive hand cycles, adult tricycles, recumbent tricycles, tandem bikes or trikes (call 208-608-7680 for bike availability and reservations). These rides are designed as supervised group rides and are not bike riding lessons; however, proper trail manners and safety will be addressed. Participants must be able to follow directions and stay with the group or attend with someone who can assist. *Youth under 16 are welcome but must attend with an adult.

NEW APPLE PICKING & DESSERT

AGES 18+ Celebrate Fall with apple picking at a local orchard! Depending on the orchard, we may drive for up to an hour. After, we will bake an apple dessert and socialize over a pizza lunch.

AQUARIUM & LUNCH

AGES 16+ Explore and learn about the animals and marine life that live at the Boise Aquarium. After our visit we will socialize over lunch.

ARCADE & LUNCH

AGES 16+ During this fun day we will go to Pojos Arcade. Each participant will get \$10 worth of tokens. After playing at the arcade, we will eat lunch.

BIRDS OF PREY TRIP

AGES 18+ Learn about the local birds of prey and if the weather allows, watch the flight show at the World Center for Birds of Prey. After checking out the birds we will socialize over lunch.

BOWLING & DINNER

AGES 16+ Don't "spare" a moment to sign up for this strikingly fun program. The cost

includes transportation from Fort Boise Community Center, dinner and bowling.

COMEDY SPORTZ NIGHT

AGES 16+ Cheer on two teams as they compete for your laughs at improv comedy! A referee takes fan suggestions and makes sure everything that happens stays suitable for all audiences (PG-PG13 material). Before the show we will go out to dinner.

CORN MAZE ADVENTURE

AGES 16+ Navigate your way through an elaborate maze cut through a local corn field. Before taking a journey through the corn maze we will go out to eat. Participants must be able to stay with the group or attend with someone to assist who also enrolls.

DANCING & PIZZA

AGES 18+ Join AdVenture at two separate Arc Inc. dances. In October, dress up in your best costume for the Halloween Dance and in December, celebrate the holiday season at the Holiday Ball. Before the dance we will socialize over a pizza dinner.

ONE-DAY ACTIVITIES CONT'D

DINE & DECORATE

AGES 16+ Get creative with AdVenture! We will socialize over a meal and then create seasonally-themed arts and crafts projects.

DINNER & A MOVIE

AGES 18+ Enjoy dinner and a movie during these fun Friday evenings! We will go out to dinner and then watch a movie (rated G-PG13) at a local movie theater.

FARMERS MARKET & LUNCH

AGES 18+ Check out our local farmer's market with AdVenture! Participants must be able to stay with the group. We will go to lunch afterwards.

FOOTHILLS HIKE & DINNER

AGES 16+ Socialize over dinner and then go on a relaxed hike in the beautiful Boise Foothills.

GAMES & DINNER AT THE PARK

AGES 16+ Try out the fun and relaxed sport of bocce, disc golf and more at the park! We will also eat takeout dinner in the park.

GAME NIGHT & DINNER

AGES 16+ It's game night with AdVenture! We will play board games, BINGO, shuffleboard and more. We will also eat pizza and make ice cream sundaes.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

AGES 16+ Celebrate Halloween by having a pizza dinner, doing an art project and carving a pumpkin. Fee includes dinner and all supplies. Participants are welcome to dress up!



Foothills Hike & Dinner

CLASS	AGE	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
ADAPTIVE BIKE RIDE	16+	W	5:30-7PM	Sept 10	Kristin Armstrong Municipal Park	\$8.50	100737-01
				Sept 17			100737-02
				Sept 24			100737-03
			5-6:30PM	Oct 8			100737-04
				Oct 15			100737-05
APPLE PICKING & DESSERT	18+	Sa	9AM-1:30PM	Oct 18	Fort Boise CC	\$35	100204-01
AQUARIUM & LUNCH	16+	F	9:30AM-1PM	Sept 26	Fort Boise CC	\$35	100721-01
ARCADE & LUNCH	16+	Sa	10:30AM-2PM	Nov 8	Fort Boise CC	\$32	100536-01
BIRDS OF PREY TRIP	18+	Sa	9:30AM-2PM	Oct 4	Fort Boise CC	\$35.50	100530-01
BOWLING & DINNER	16+	W	5:30-9PM	Oct 29	Fort Boise CC	\$31	100722-01
		F		Nov 14			100722-02
COMEDY SPORTZ NIGHT	18+	Sa	5:30-9:45PM	Nov 15	Fort Boise CC	\$35.50	100531-01
CORN MAZE ADVENTURE	18+	W	11AM-3PM	Oct 22	Fort Boise CC	\$32	100515-01
DANCING & PIZZA	18+	F	5:30-9:30PM	Oct 24	Dick Eardley SC	\$22	100710-01
				Dec 19			100710-02
DINE & DECORATE - Thanksgiving Decor	15+	W	5:30-8PM	Nov 19	Dick Eardley SC	\$30	100545-01
DINE & DECORATE - Gingerbread Houses				Dec 10			100545-02
DINNER & A MOVIE - Qdoba*	18+	F	5-9:30PM	Sept 5	Fort Boise CC	\$31	100203-01
DINNER & A MOVIE - Mongolian BBQ*				Sept 19			100203-02
DINNER & A MOVIE - Chick-Fil-A*				Oct 3			100203-03
DINNER & A MOVIE - Big Jud's*				Oct 17			100203-04
DINNER & A MOVIE - Eddie's Restaurant*				Nov 7			100203-05
DINNER & A MOVIE - Chapala Mexican*				Nov 21			100203-06
DINNER & A MOVIE - Freddy's*				Dec 12			100203-07
FARMERS MARKET & LUNCH	18+	Sa	10AM-1PM	Sept 27	Fort Boise CC	\$30	100562-01
FOOTHILLS HIKE & DINNER	16+	F	5:30-8PM	Sept 12	Fort Boise CC	\$26	100620-01
GAMES & DINNER AT THE PARK	16+	Sa	5-7:30PM	Sept 20	Kristin Armstrong Municipal Park	\$26	100716-01
GAME NIGHT & DINNER	16+	F	5-7:30PM	Oct 10	Dick Eardley SC	\$22	100510-01
HALLOWEEN PARTY	16+	Sa	5-7:30PM	Oct 25	Dick Eardley SC	\$31	100522-01

* Restaurant location could change due to availability

ONE-DAY ACTIVITIES

HOLIDAY CRAFTS & PIZZA

AGES 16+ We will decorate cookies, create holiday crafts and cards that you get to take home and socialize over a pizza lunch.

HOLIDAY LIGHTS & DINNER

AGES 16+ Join us for dinner and a trip to the beautiful Winter Garden aGlow at the Idaho Botanical Gardens. This dazzling, festive display has almost 250,000 lights arranged throughout the garden and is sure to amaze you!

HOLIDAY PARTY

ALL AGES We will celebrate the holidays by offering entertainment featuring games, crafts, music and activities for everyone. This party is fun for the whole family and there will be great prizes as well as dinner. We think Santa will even show up to spread holiday cheer! Cost is \$7 if you register before Dec. 4 and \$10 on Dec. 5.

HOT SPRINGS TRIP

AGES 18+ Soak in a beautiful Idaho hot spring resort with AdVenture. This fun outing also includes a late lunch in Idaho City. The cost includes transportation from Fort Boise Community Center, lunch and the hot springs entrance fee. The hot spring is accessible and has a lift; however, there is no lifeguard on duty so participants should know their swimming limits.

ICE SKATING SHOW AND LUNCH

AGES 16+ Join us for an ice-skating performance at Idaho IceWorld. The performance features all of Idaho IceWorld's

ice skating lessons put together into a fabulous and fun holiday event. Before the show, we will have a late lunch.

IDAHO CITY TRIP

AGES 18+ Check out the beautiful fall leaves and visit historic Idaho City. We will explore the sites in town, eat lunch and visit the historic cemetery. Food and transportation to and from Fort Boise Community Center and Idaho City are included. Please be ready for an active day of exploring.

IDAHO SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL

AGES 18+ You can't beat live theater in the beautiful outdoors! We are attending a show called 'Peter and the Starcatcher.' Participants must have the ability to sit quietly through a two-hour play. Our tickets are in a chair section and this event is wheelchair accessible. Dinner and transportation are included in enrollment.

KARAOKE & DINNER

AGES 16+ We will dine on take-out dinner then have a blast singing karaoke!

MINI GOLF & MEAL

AGES 16+ Join us for a social day playing mini golf and going out to eat. The course is mostly accessible, however there are many uneven surfaces and small ledges. Please call 208-608-7582 for details.

PLANETARIUM & LUNCH

AGES 18+ Check out the College of Idaho's planetarium in Caldwell and go out to lunch on this fun adventure.

PUMPKIN CARVING & LUNCH

AGES 16+ Join us for a fall pumpkin day! We will pick out the perfect pumpkin, go out to lunch and then get creative carving our pumpkins.

THEATER & LUNCH

AGES 18+ Let's see a play at Boise Little Theater! Before going to the theater, we will socialize over a meal. Participants must have the ability to sit quietly through a two-hour play. In September we will see "Something Rotten" and in December we will see "A Sherlock Carol" Before enrolling, please view play descriptions at boiselittletheater.org to make sure the play is a good fit for you

WALK FOR DOWN SYNDROME

AGES 18+ Join us as we walk with hundreds of other participants to bring community awareness to Down Syndrome. The Walk for Down Syndrome is one-mile long and takes place along Indian Creek in Caldwell. Enrollment fee includes the walk registration, an event T-shirt and a picnic lunch to follow.

ZOO BOISE ADAPTIVE EVENING & DINNER

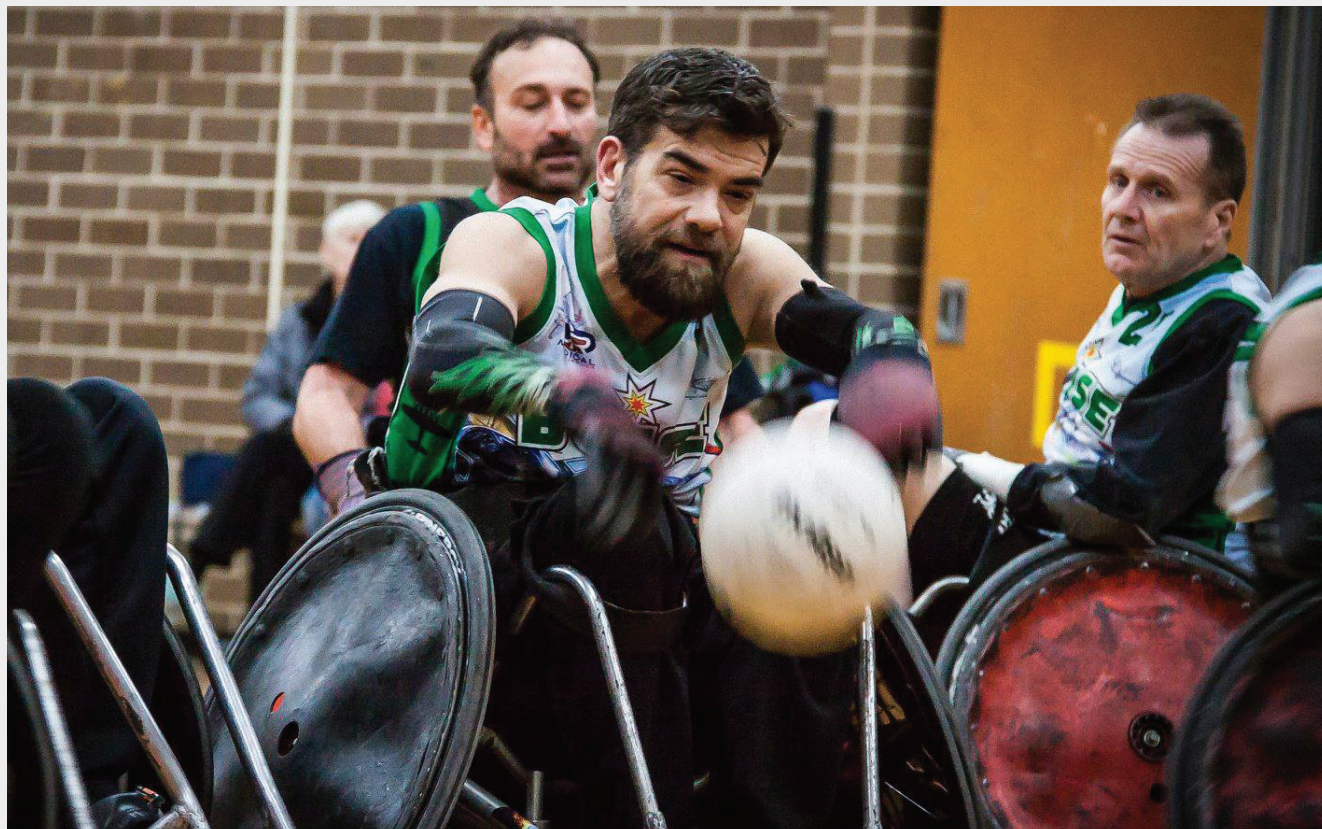
AGES 16+ AdVenture is taking a group to the "Adaptive Evening at the Zoo" which is a special event that includes a tour, up-close animal encounters and more. We will socialize over dinner before going to the zoo. This activity will be held mostly outdoors and participants must be able to stay with the group.

CLASS	AGE	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
HOLIDAY CRAFTS & PIZZA	16+	Sa	10AM-12:30PM	Dec 13	Dick Eardley SC	\$28	100745-01
HOLIDAY LIGHTS & DINNER	16+	W	5:30-8:30PM	Dec 3	Fort Boise CC	\$30.50	100535-01
				Dec 17			100535-02
HOLIDAY PARTY	All*	F	6-9PM	Dec 5	Dick Eardley SC	\$7	100526-01
HOT SPRINGS TRIP	18+	Sa	9AM-3:30PM	Nov 1	Fort Boise CC	\$54.50	100713-01
ICE SKATING SHOW AND LUNCH	16+	Sa	12:30-5PM	Dec 6	Fort Boise CC	\$31.50	100523-01
IDAHO CITY TRIP	18+	F	10AM-4PM	Oct 17	Fort Boise CC	\$37	100570-01
IDAHO SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL	18+	F	5-10:30PM	Sept 26	Fort Boise CC	\$35.50	100758-01
KARAOKE & DINNER	16+	W	5:30-8PM	Nov 5	Dick Eardley SC	\$23	100548-01
MINI GOLF & MEAL	16+	W	5-8:30PM	Oct 1	Fort Boise CC	\$32.50	100720-01
PLANETARIUM & LUNCH	18+	F	9AM-2PM	Nov 14	Fort Boise CC	\$31	100302-01
PUMPKIN CARVING & LUNCH	16+	Sa	10AM-2:30PM	Oct 11	Dick Eardley SC	\$34	100525-01
THEATER & LUNCH	18+	Sa	12-4:30PM	Sept 13	Fort Boise CC	\$35.50	100303-01
				Dec 20			100303-02
WALK FOR DOWN SYNDROME	18+	Sa	9AM-2PM	Sept 13	Fort Boise CC	\$35.50	100802-01
ZOO BOISE ADAPTIVE EVENING & DINNER	16+	Th	5-8:30PM	Sept 11	Fort Boise CC	\$32.50	100559-01

*Youth under age 18 are welcome but must attend with an adult who also enrolls

ADVENTURE SEEKER PROGRAM

INDIVIDUALS WITH PHYSICAL DISABILITIES ARE WELCOME TO SIGN UP FOR ANY PROGRAMS MENTIONED IN THIS ACTIVITY GUIDE. HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING 'ADVENTURE SEEKER' PROGRAMS ARE DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY FOR PEOPLE WITH PHYSICAL DISABILITIES AND THEIR FRIENDS/FAMILY.



Wheelchair Rugby

ADAPTIVE CYCLING

AdVenture offers many adaptive bike rides and participants can use one of our adaptive cycles (handcycles, recumbent trikes, tandems etc.) or bring their own. Please see page 62 for dates or call 208-608-7680 to learn more.

WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL – Skills & Drills

AGES 6+ Learn how to play wheelchair basketball. Beginners and experts of all ages are welcome at this wheelchair basketball skills development class. You do not have

to have a disability to play and basketball wheelchairs are provided. Please register for the session, drop-in is not available.

WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL

AGES 18+** Come play pick-up wheelchair basketball. The first hour is designed for beginning and intermediate players and the second hour will be more competitive. You do not have to have a disability to play and wheelchairs are provided. Drop-in fee is \$5 or enroll in the session.

WHEELCHAIR RUGBY

AGES 18+** This Paralympic Sport is a fast-paced and high-contact team sport that is a lot of fun! Typically played by people with physical disabilities, the wheelchair rugby team loves when people without disabilities join as well! During practice you will learn the rules, develop your skills and scrimmage during this competitive practice time. Rugby wheelchairs are provided. Drop-in fee is \$5 or enroll in the session. Call 208-608-7681 to learn more.

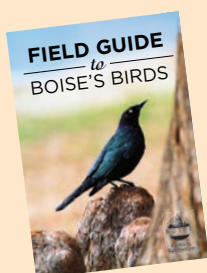
CLASS	AGE	DAY	TIME	DATE	LOCATION	FEE	ACTIVITY#
WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL – Skills & Drills	6+	Sa	4:15-5:15PM	Sept 13-Oct 18	Fort Boise CC	\$25	100780-01
				Oct 25-Dec 13*		\$29	100780-02
WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL	18+**	Sa	5:30-7:30PM	Sept 13-Oct 18	Fort Boise CC	\$25	100708-01
				Oct 25-Dec 13*		\$29	100708-02
WHEELCHAIR RUGBY	18+**	Sa	1:15-3:45PM	Sept 13-Oct 18	Fort Boise CC	\$28	100706-01
				Oct 25-Dec 13*		\$32.50	100706-02

*No Practice Nov 29 **Teens under 18 may enroll if accompanied by an adult.



VOLUNTEER (ALL AGES)

VOLUNTEER



FIELD GUIDE To Boise's Birds

Birds are found in nearly every city setting, from urban micro parks to the sprawling foothills that border our northeastern edge. Birds visit backyard feeders, perch in low shrubs and on tall structures, swim in our river, lakes and ponds, nest in our trees and soar overhead. A variety of Boise's habitats attract and support hundreds of species, and we invite you to explore some of the area's most common birds. The Field Guide to Boise's Birds is available for free online. Printed versions can be purchased at the Boise Parks and Recreation Administration Office for \$8 plus tax.

Have a love of the outdoors and wondering what to do with your spare time? Boise Parks and Recreation's volunteer program will get you out communing with nature and meeting people with similar interests.

EDUCATION

IDAHO MASTER NATURALISTS

Calling all nature nuts! The City of Trees Idaho Master Naturalist chapter is now seeking participants for its 2026 class. The Idaho Master Naturalist program is an adult environmental education and volunteer program that engages participants in the stewardship of Idaho's natural world. Participants certify as an Idaho Master Naturalist by completing 40 hours of education and 40 hours of volunteer service with the City of Trees chapter. Classes take place twice a month on Wednesday mornings, 9AM-12PM from March – October, and there is a \$100 participant fee. For more information, please contact Jerry Pugh at 208-608-7617, jpugh@cityofboise.org.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

NATIONAL PUBLIC LANDS DAY, September 27

Join us on National Public Lands Day, 9AM-12PM, to help care for your local public lands. National Public Lands Day is a national event sponsored by the National Environmental Education Foundation, where thousands of volunteers across the country help care for their public lands.

CONTACT:

Jerry Pugh
Community Programs Coordinator

Boise Parks and Recreation
208-608-7617
jpugh@cityofboise.org

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES
cityofboise.org/caringforparks

VOLUNTEER

POLLINATOR POSSE, Tuesday Mornings through October; 9-11 A.M.

Pollinators are essential in producing healthy food and maintaining vibrant, thriving ecosystems. Unfortunately, many pollinator populations have experienced steep declines in recent decades. Boise Parks and Recreation is working hard to provide high quality, pollinator habitat by planting, monitoring and maintaining dedicated pollinator areas in Boise parks. Beginning March 25th and finishing up October 29th, weekly work parties are held on Tuesday mornings, from 9-11AM, during which our dedicated team of volunteers prune, remove weeds, plant new pollinator plants as needed, and monitor for pollinator use. Location details will be sent out weekly to all registered participants.

TREE WRAPPING, Tuesdays; 10 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.

The Boise River riparian corridor provides critical habitat for a wide range of species, including Bald eagles. Black cottonwoods and willows are critical components of this habitat and unfortunately are also a favorite food and construction resource for the American beaver. Beginning in November, we could use your help protecting trees from beaver damage by wrapping them with wire and replacing old wire. Volunteers may assist with noxious and invasive species control as well as other riparian stewardship projects. We will tackle a different section of the river corridor each week on Tuesdays, 10AM-12PM.



Tree planting photo courtesy of Treasure Valley Canopy Network

2025 TREE STEWARDS, Thursday Mornings; 9-11 A.M.

Do you have a love for trees or simply want to learn more about them? Boise Parks and Recreation is currently seeking participants for its 2025 Tree Steward program. Tree Stewards provides opportunity for citizens to learn about and care for our community's trees through a combination of training and hands-on experience. Volunteers will complete an orientation in late March/early April 2025, during which trained and certified tree care professionals inform participants on how to identify trees, how trees grow, proper planting techniques, pruning basics, and how to diagnose common tree problems. Participants will then help care for park trees on Thursday mornings through October. Participants that

complete 30 hours of service during the year become certified Tree Stewards.

SERVICE PROJECTS

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Service projects can be scheduled throughout the season. These are typically one-time efforts that range from 3-4 hours, depending on location and group size. Common projects include park spruce-ups, weed removal, garden care, tree mulching, amenity painting and repair, trash pick-up and tree wrapping. Please contact Jerru Pugh, jpugh@cityofboise.org for more information.

VOLUNTEER & CONTRIBUTE TO WILDLIFE CONSERVATION

Zoo Boise

At Zoo Boise, our mission is to connect our community with wildlife conservation worldwide. We are looking for passionate, conservation-driven volunteers to provide a fun and educational experience for our visitors. Volunteer opportunities include:

- Spending an afternoon driving the Conservation Cruise as a boat captain
- Raising funds for wildlife conservation at the Sloth Bear and Giraffe feeding stations as a Zoo Naturalist
- Welcoming, hosting and educating visitors as a Zoo Ambassador
- Sharing & teaching your pre-teen the value of volunteerism with the Zoo's family volunteer opportunities
- Assisting zookeeping staff with animal care duties

Visit zoo Boise.org to find out about these and other Zoo Boise volunteer opportunities!



Facility Rentals



Boise Urban Garden School (BUGS)

BOISE DEPOT

The Boise Depot will be closed until November 2025 for a series of renovations and repairs. The Boise Depot is a unique venue for weddings, parties, corporate and fundraising events. A beautiful historic Spanish-style structure, the Depot was opened in 1925 to elaborate fanfare in the capital city. The Great Hall, a 3,542-square-foot space with a soaring multi-story atrium, once served as the building's waiting room. The original 1925 Barkalow Brothers Newsstand has been slightly restored and is featured on the west wall. With a splendid panoramic view of the Boise Front, the grounds include Platt Gardens, a lovely park with pathways, a gazebo and ponds. **The Great Hall may be reserved 365 days in advance. Maximum occupancy is 300 or 165 for sit-down events.**

RENTAL PACKAGES

APRIL 1 – OCTOBER 31

Tuesday – Saturday \$1,904 **
includes 10 hrs. for Great Hall, North Plaza, and 4 hrs. for Bell Tower

Sunday – Monday \$1,174 **
includes 6 hrs. for Great Hall, North Plaza, and 2 hrs. for Bell Tower

Holidays \$2,750 **
includes 12 hrs. for Great Hall, North Plaza, and 4 hrs. for Bell Tower

NOVEMBER 1 – MARCH 31

Tuesday – Saturday \$1,554 **
includes 10 hrs. for Great Hall and 4 hrs. for Bell Tower

Sunday – Monday \$910 **
includes 6 hrs. for Great Hall and 2 hrs. for Bell Tower

Holidays \$2,400 **
includes 12 hrs. for Great Hall and 4 hrs. for Bell Tower

DEPOT LIMITED EVENTS

Meeting Station Rental, Rehearsals or Setups

2 Hour rental. \$284
Additional hours \$142

Additional amenities and hours can be added to any rental package. For more information or to reserve the Depot, call 208-608-7600 or email reserve@cityofboise.org.

BOISE URBAN GARDEN SCHOOL (BUGS)

BUGS houses a Grade A kitchen that can be rented out for birthday parties, meetings, and other gatherings. Our outdoor space is beautiful spring through fall. Our indoor space can accommodate groups of 20 or less.

FACILITY RENTAL RATES*

Hourly. \$79.50

**All fees include tax. A deposit, liability insurance and additional staff fees may be added to the rental. Alcohol is permitted with a permit and rental.*

Call 208-972-8630 or email bugs@cityofboise.org for more information.

DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER & FORT BOISE COMMUNITY CENTER

The Dick Eardley Senior Center and Fort Boise Community Center not only provide recreational and social opportunities, but also provide room rental opportunities. When rooms aren't used for regular activities and classes, certain rooms may be rented during and after business hours.

Dick Eardley Senior Center Fees*

MONDAY-FRIDAY, 8AM-5PM

A/B Room, C Room, or Gold Room (first two hours) \$45**

MONDAY-FRIDAY, EVENINGS; SATURDAY-SUNDAY, ALL DAY

Entire Facility (first 4 hours) \$1,000**

Dining Room (4 hour minimum) \$105**

A/B Room, C Room, or Gold Room (2 hour minimum) \$62.50**

For more information or to reserve a room, call 208-608-7580 or email seniorcenter@cityofboise.org. Alcohol is permitted with a permit and rental.

**All fees include tax. A deposit and additional staff fees may be added to the rental. Prices quoted are for Boise City Residents. Non-residents are subject to non resident rental rates. Please call for non-resident rates.*

**** As of Oct 1, 2025**

**Fees include tax.*

***Rentals require a \$300 refundable deposit and liability insurance.*



Jim Hall Foothills Learning Center

Fort Boise Community Center Fees*

For-profit organizations/coaches must carry liability insurance. Call for for-profit rental rates.

ROOM	NON-PROFIT RENTAL RATES
Gym	\$51.50/hr
Dance/Multi-Purpose Room	\$19.50/hr
Teen Center	\$38.75/hr

Please call for details and to check availability, 208-608-7680.

**All fees include tax. A deposit and additional staff fees may be added to the rental. Non-residents are subject to non-resident rental rates. Prices quoted are for Boise City residents. Please call for non-resident rates.*

JIM HALL FOOTHILLS LEARNING CENTER

Situated in the heart of the Boise Foothills, the Foothills Learning Center is surrounded by nature, making it a great facility for educational programs. When the Foothills Learning Center isn't used for environmental education programs, the facility can be rented out.

The classroom can accommodate up to 25 guests while the conference room can accommodate up to 15 guests.

FACILITY RENTAL RATES*

Half Day (up to 4 hours):	\$131.50
Full Day (4-8 hours):	\$262

**All fees include tax. A deposit, liability insurance and additional staff fees may be added to the rental. Alcohol is permitted with a permit and rental.*

For more information or to reserve a room, call 208-608-7810 or email flc-parks@cityofboise.org.

QUAIL HOLLOW GOLF COURSE

Whatever your occasion, from corporate functions to wedding receptions, celebrations of life, parties and special events, Quail Hollow is a unique venue to host your event. The Banquet and Board Rooms offer an intimate setting for any occasion. Both rooms open to a balcony overlooking Quail Hollow Golf Course and panoramic views of the Boise Foothills.

The Banquet Room is a 1,000 square-foot space that can accommodate 80 guests, 60 seated and the Board Room is a 300 square-foot space that can accommodate between 18 and 26 guests depending on the setup. All catering is provided by The Foothills Grill.

BANQUET ROOM RENTAL RATES*

First 4 Hours	\$370 plus tax
Additional Hours	\$150/hr plus tax
Additional Staff	\$40/hr for each additional staff
Security Deposit	\$300
Reservation Charge Fee	\$50

BOARD ROOM RENTAL RATES*

First 4 Hours	\$210 plus tax
Additional Hours	\$150/hr plus tax
Additional Staff	\$40/hr for each additional staff
Security Deposit	\$300
Reservation Charge Fee	\$50

All prices subject to change without notice.

**Please contact our event coordinator for a more detailed cost breakdown.*

For more information or to reserve a room, call 208-972-8590 or email qhgfevent@cityofboise.org.

Locations



Boise Depot

ART CENTER

700 Robbins Rd
208-608-7680
activities@cityofboise.org

BOISE COMMUNITY FORESTRY

4969 Dorman St
208-608-7700
forestryinfo@cityofboise.org

BOISE DEPOT

2603 Eastover Terrace
208-608-7644
reserve@cityofboise.org

BOISE URBAN GARDEN SCHOOL

(BUGS)
2995 N Five Mile Rd
208-972-8630
boiseurbangardenschool.org

BORAH POOL

801 Aurora Dr
208-608-7675
cityofboise.org/aquatics

DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER

(Dick Eardley SC)
690 Robbins Rd
208-608-7580
seniorcenter@cityofboise.org
cityofboise.org/senior-center

FAIRMONT POOL

7929 W Northview St
208-608-7675
cityofboise.org/aquatics

FORT BOISE COMMUNITY CENTER

(Fort Boise CC)
700 Robbins Rd
208-608-7680
activities@cityofboise.org
cityofboise.org/fort-boise

M-F: 8AM-9PM,
Sa: 9AM-3PM, Su: 10AM-5PM
Closed weekends May-Sept.

GRACE JORDAN COMMUNITY CENTER

(Grace Jordan CC)
6411 W Fairfield Ave
208-854-4910

HILLCREST KID CITY

2045 S Pond St
208-608-7652

IDAHO ICEWORLD

7072 S Eisenman Rd
208-608-7716
iiwinfo@cityofboise.org
idahoiceworld.com

IVYWILD POOL

2250 S Leadville Ave
208-608-7675
cityofboise.org/aquatics

JEFFERSON KID CITY

200 S Latah St
208-854-2514

JIM HALL FOOTHILLS LEARNING CENTER

(Foothills LC)
3188 Sunset Peak Rd
208-608-7810
flc-parks@cityofboise.org

MCMILLAN KID CITY

10901 W McMillan Rd
208-855-4481

MONROE ELEMENTARY

3615 W Cassia St

MORLEY NELSON COMMUNITY CENTER

(Morley Nelson CC)
7701 W Northview St
208-854-4917

NATATORIUM POOL & HYDROTUBE

1811 E Warm Springs Ave
208-608-7675
cityofboise.org/aquatics

PARKS AND RECREATION ADMINISTRATION

1104 Royal Blvd
208-608-7600
bpr@cityofboise.org
cityofboise.org/parks

M-F: 8AM-5PM, closed legal holidays

QUAIL HOLLOW GOLF COURSE

(Quail Hollow GC)
4720 N 36th St
208-972-8590
quailhollowboise.com

TAFT KID CITY

3722 W Anderson St
208-854-6218

THE WATERSHED ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTER

(The WaterShed, BWS)
11818 W Joplin Rd
208-608-7300
bw@cityofboise.org
boisewatershed.org

WARM SPRINGS GOLF COURSE

(Warm Springs GC)
2495 Warm Springs Ave
208-972-8600
warmspringsgolfcourse.com

WHITNEY COMMUNITY CENTER

(Whitney CC)
1609 S Owyhee St
208-854-6625

WHITTIER KID CITY

225 N 29th St
208-472-2073

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355 Julia Davis Dr
208-608-7760
zooboise.org
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9AM-5PM June-Aug



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Park Reservations



Veterans Memorial Park

PAVILIONS	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	LOCATIONS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
HALF DAY 9AM-2PM; 3-8PM	\$140	\$217	Ann Morrison 'Old Timers' Pavilion, Esther Simplot West and Central Pavilions, Julia Davis Boise, Agriculture and Celebration Pavilions, Veterans Memorial Pavilion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> These sites can be reserved Jan. 1 Amplified Sound can be added when reserving one of these sites
FULL DAY 9AM-8PM	\$275	\$426.25		
SHELTERS	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	LOCATIONS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
HALF DAY 9AM-2PM; 3-8PM	\$95	\$147.25	Borah, Camel's Back, Cassia, Eagle Rock, Esther Simplot Pier, Ivywild, Kristin Armstrong Municipal, Marianne Williams, Phillippi, Veterans Memorial Picnic, Winstead Parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Most sites can be reserved 365 days in advance Esther Simplot Pier & Veterans Memorial Picnic can be reserved Jan. 1 Discount applies to Boise City Residents, excludes holidays
FULL DAY 9AM-8PM	\$185	\$286.75		
DISCOUNTED RATE MON-THURS 9AM-2PM	\$70			
GARDENS	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	LOCATIONS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
HALF DAY 9AM-2PM; 3-8PM	\$110	\$170.50	C.W. Moore, Esther Simplot Friendship Island, Julia Davis Rose Garden, Kathryn Albertson Eyrie and Rookery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> These sites are for formal ceremonies Receptions aren't permitted but a beer/wine permit can be purchased for a toast
FULL DAY 9AM-8PM	\$215	\$333.25		

PARK FEES

Payment is required to finalize a reservation. All major credit cards, checks, cash, and money orders are accepted. Rates include sales tax except for gardens/gazebos.

MISCELLANEOUS PERMITS

AMPLIFIED SOUND for private events	\$35
BEER/WINE PERMIT	\$10
INFLATABLE PERMIT	No charge

(Must apply for permit and choose from approved list of vendors.)

REFUNDS & CANCELLATIONS

Refunds are only provided if the cancellations are made prior to ten (10) calendar days of the reservation. A \$15 processing fee is collected for any cancellation. An event cannot be rescheduled within ten (10) calendar days of the reservation. **Refunds or rescheduling is not granted due to poor weather conditions or acts of nature.**

SPECIAL EVENTS

If you are interested in having a special event in a city park, please call 208-608-7600 or email parksspecialevents@cityofboise.org.

CONTACT US

PHONE: 208-608-7600

EMAIL: reserve@cityofboise.org

WALK IN: Boise Parks and Recreation Administration Office,
1104 Royal Blvd, Boise, ID 83706, 8AM-5PM, Monday-Friday.
Office is closed all legal holidays.

4 Ways to Register

- 1. ONLINE:** cityofboise.org/parks.
- 2. MAIL-IN:** Check or money order. Make checks payable to: City of Boise.
Mail to Fort Boise Community Center, **700 Robbins Rd**, Boise ID 83702.
- 3. WALK-IN:** Fort Boise Community Center, **700 Robbins Rd**, Boise ID 83702.
Cash, credit/debit cards, check or money order.
- 4. PHONE-IN:** Credit cards only: **208-608-7680** or **1-800-377-3529** (TTY).

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Full payment is required prior to enrollment. Registrations cannot be accepted from participants with past due balances. Do not mail cash. Returned checks are subject to a \$20 handling fee.

REFUND & CANCELLATION POLICY

We rely on your enrollment for a successful class! Please plan your schedule carefully. Classes that do not meet minimum enrollment are subject to cancellation.

Refunds are issued:

- Refunds are issued in full if the class or program is canceled by Boise Parks and Recreation.
- Staff will make every effort to reschedule a class canceled due to weather.
- Transfers to another class are offered when requested at least 10 calendar days prior to the start date of the class.
- A \$15 per household member processing fee is charged for all cancellations made at least 10 calendar days prior to the start date of the class. Refunds are issued as:
 - Back to the original payment method (allow three to four weeks for processing).
 - Added as a credit to your account.

Refunds and transfers are not issued:

- When requested less than 10 calendar days before the start date of the class.
- If the fee paid for the program is less than the \$15 processing fee.
- If a class is rescheduled due to weather.
- For missed, sick, or suspended days.
- For team fees after registration closes.
- For all team sports player fees.

WHO IS A RESIDENT?

Boise residents live within the city limits and pay Boise city taxes. The boundaries that the U.S. Post Office uses and those that determine the city limits are not the same. Even though you may have a Boise mailing address, you may not live within the Boise City limits. Questions about residency? Please call customer service staff at **208-608-7680** or **208-608-7600**.

**REGISTRATION
BEGINS 7AM ON:**

**AUGUST 4
FOR RESIDENTS**

**AUGUST 6
FOR NON-RESIDENTS**

NON-RESIDENT POLICY

Boise residents directly contribute to the operations of Boise Parks and Recreation Department's programs and services by payment of their property taxes. The Fair-Share Policy (Non-resident Fee) allocates an additional fee to non-resident users so that they also contribute, on an equitable basis, to the overall financing of the department's operations.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

- Partial scholarships are available for youth, seniors and adults with disabilities. Call **208-608-7680** for details or download an application form from cityofboise.org/scholarships.
- You can help ensure all young people in Boise have the same opportunity to participate by adding \$1, \$5, \$10 or more to your registration payment. Donations are tax deductible.

ACCOMMODATION

We support the Americans with Disabilities Act and encourage participation by everyone. If you require modifications to participate in our programs or use our recreation facilities, please call **208-608-7687** or **1-800-377-3529** (TTY) or check the appropriate box on your registration form. At least three weeks notification to class date is required.

PERSONAL RELEASE STATEMENT

When you register for a recreation class with the City of Boise, this Personal Release Statement is implied: *I understand that the registered activities and services may have an element of hazard or inherent danger and I take full responsibility for my actions and physical condition. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the City of Boise and its employees from any liability loss, cost or expense (including attorney's fees, medical and ambulance costs) that I may incur while participating in the recreation activities. I give my consent to use any photographs or videotape taken of me in future promotional or marketing materials.*

REGISTRATION FORM

(Please print clearly, thank you!)

Name (Parent/Guardian/Adult Participant)	Email	Phone ()	
Mailing Address	City	State	Zip

☐ Please check here if you need a modification because of a disability to effectively participate in an activity.

ACTIVITY NUMBER	ACTIVITY NAME	PARTICIPANT NAME	BIRTH DATE (MM/DD/YR)	FEE

☐ YES I would like to donate to Boise Parks and Recreation Accessibility Scholarship Program:

For adults with disabilities \$

To help a child in need \$

TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED \$

I have read and agree to the **PERSONAL RELEASE STATEMENT** above.

Parent/Guardian/Adult Participant Signature _____ Date _____

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