



MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Brookhaven Parks and Recreation Department is to provide quality services and facilities that answer the needs of a diverse community and preserve the focus on partnerships, innovation and modernized leadership.

HOURS OF OPERATION

Administrative Hours

Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.
Saturday CLOSED
Sunday CLOSED

PHONE DIRECTORY

Main Line	404-637-0542
FAX Line	404-637-0535
Lynwood Community Center	404-637-0542
Briarwood Recreation Center	404-637-0510
City Hall Main Line	404-637-0500

Community Center Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 9 p.m. Friday-Saturday 8:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Sunday 1 p.m. - 6 p.m.

2018 HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

New Year's Day	Monday, Jan. 1
MLK Day	Monday, Jan. 15
President's Day	Monday, Feb. 19
Memorial Day	Monday, May 28

STAFF DIRECTORY

Brian Borden, Director
Louis Boestfleisch, Assistant Director
Jason Collins, Aquatics Coordinator
Taylor Davis, Athletic Coordinator
Philip Mitchell, Recreation Coordinator
Cassandra Bryant, Recreation Leader
Raquel McClendon, Executive Assistant

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HOW TO REGISTER FOR ACTIVITIES, PROGRAMS & FACILITIES

ONLINE www.brookhavenga.gov/city-departments/parks-recreation

FAX 404-637-0535

MAIL 3360 Osborne Road NE, Brookhaven, GA 30319

IN PERSON Lynwood Park Community Center

REFUND POLICIES

Any activity or rental cancelled by Parks and Recreation will be refunded in full. To request a refund, visit us in person or online at: www.brookhavenga.gov/city-departments/parks-recreation

Class Refund Policy

Refunds requested two or more business days prior to activity start date will receive a full refund/credit. 50% of the activity fee will be refunded if requested before the 2nd meeting of the program. No refund/credit after 2nd meeting.

Athletic Leagues Policy

No refunds will be issued for teams except under special circumstances as approved by the manager/department heads.

Facility Rental Policy

Refunds must be requested 10 days prior to date of rental, after which no refunds will be granted. The damage deposit (refundable) and the rental payment must both be paid in full at the time of booking. The damage deposit will be refunded after the rental period pending condition of the facility.

ON THE COVER:

The winning entry from the 3rd annual Paint the Park in September 2017.

The piece, by Manning Kingery, depicts Blackburn Park, where the event took place.

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FACILITY RENTAL INFORMATION

ATHLETIC FIELD RENTAL RATES					
Adult Baseball/Softball Fields: Blackburn Park	Multi-Purpose Fields: Blackburn Park, Skyland Park, Lynwood Park				
R-\$40/HR NR- \$80/HR Field Preparation- \$50	R-\$40/HR Tournament Rentals- \$225/field per day NR- \$80/HR Staff: 25/hour Field Preparation- \$25/field Lights- \$25/hour per field				
Youth Baseball/Softball Fields: Skyland Park, Georgian Hills Park	Gyms: Briarwood/Lynwood Parks				
R-\$25/HR NR- \$50/HR Field Preparation- \$50	R-\$60/HR NR-\$120/HR				

PAVILION RENTAL RATES

Blackburn Park (1) - R-\$40/HR, NR-\$80/HR

Murphey Candler Park (MCP West 1-3/MCP East 1-3) - R-\$25/HR, NR-\$50/HR

Georgian Hills Park (1) - R-\$25/HR, NR-\$50/HR

Lynwood Park (2) - R-\$25/HR, NR-\$50/HR

ACTIVITY BUILDING RENTAL RATES

Ashford Park Activity Building: R-\$50/HR NR-\$100/HR

CLASSROOM/COMMUNITY ROOM RENTAL RATES

Lynwood Park Community Center Community Room-R-\$35/HR, NR-\$70/HR

Briarwood Community Center Classrooms - R-\$25/HR, NR-\$50/HR

TENNIS COURTS (Except Blackburn Tennis Center)

R- \$7/HR, NR- \$10/HR (Per Court)

All rentals are subject to the following refundable deposits:
Athletic Fields/Gyms-\$100
Activity Buildings-\$100
Pavilions-\$50
Classrooms/Community Rooms- \$100

R = Resident NR = Non-Resident



OPEN GYM INFORMATION

Brookhaven Parks and Recreation

Spring 2018

Open Gym Rules

- ZERO TOLERANCE: Unsportsmanlike conduct, verbal or physical abuse directed towards park staff, officials, spectators, or other patrons will not be tolerated.
- No smoking, alcohol, or drugs allowed anywhere inside the facility.
- Gym users are required to sign-in at each visit.
- No sandals, open toed, or open backed shoes permitted during play.
- Water only is permitted provided it is in a sealable non-glass container. No food is allowed in the gym.
- Please keep track of your belongings. The Recreation staff is not responsible for lost or stolen items.
- NO HANGING ON THE RIM. This will result in a 24 hour suspension.
- The Recreation Department reserves the right to refuse service to any member who violates any rule or regulation, or engages in any verbal and/or physical abuse of staff or other patrons.
- Those who participate in recreation programs and activities do so at their own risk. BPRD is not responsible for any injury that may occur to individuals participating in any physical activity. Medical clearance before participating in physical activity is recommended.

Gym Schedule

To check on open gym hours and availability, please visit brookhavenga.gov > City Departments > Parks and Recreation > Open Gym.

Open Gym Passes

Gym users have the option to purchase a pass that will allow easier access during open gym hours. Fees are listed in the table below. There is a discounted rate for Brookhaven residents for 30 day and 6 month pass options. Passes are available in the office at both Lynwood and Briarwood Community Centers.

Prices are listed as Resident/Non-Resident	Daily Drop-In	30 Day Pass	6 Month Pass
18 and up	\$2	\$10 / \$20	\$30 / \$60
13-17	\$1	\$5 / \$10	\$15 / \$30

Open Gym is FREE for ages 12 and under. Must be accompanied by an adult

SPECIAL EVENTS

MLK Day Dinner & Celebration

PRICE: \$10

DATE: Monday, Jan. 15 **TIME:** 5:30-8 p.m.

LOCATION: Lynwood Park

DETAILS: The City of Brookhaven's annual MLK Day event and dinner honors the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and the "Lynwood Integrators." More details to follow. Tickets will be on sale at Lynwood. For more information, call 404-637-0542.

Parent's Night Out

PRICE: \$15 for one child, \$10 for each

additional

DATES: Feb. 16, March 9, April 20

TIME: 6:30-9 p.m. **AGES:** 5-12

LOCATION: Lynwood Community Center **DETAILS:** Parent's Night Out is a great way for parents to drop off the kids on a Friday and get some time to themselves. We will provide dinner as well as games, activities, and plenty of options to keep the kids entertained. Pre-registration is required by the preceding Wednesday and pickup is promptly at 9.

"My Princess and Me" Daddy Daughter Valentine's Dance

PRICE: \$25 per family DATES: Saturday, Feb. 10 TIME: 6:30-8:30 p.m. AGES: Girls 5-15

LOCATION: Lynwood Community Center **DETAILS:** A memorable evening for Daddys and Daughters to dance the night away to a live DJ that will be playing the latest songs and special requests. The event will include dinner, giveaways, and keepsakes to take home. Please register by Feb. 5.

Community Yard Sale

DATES: Saturday, March 3 **TIME:** 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

LOCATION: Briarwood Community Center DETAILS: Instead of traveling all over town to find the best yard sales, why not visit them all in one place? Event is free to attend, or you can purchase a table to sell your own unwanted items. Cost to vendors is \$20 for one 8' table or \$30 for two tables. Contact Philip at 404-637-0512 for more

information.

Brookhaven Cherry Blossom

Festival

PRICE: FREE

DATE: Saturday-Sunday, March 24-25

LOCATION: Blackburn Park

DETAILS: The City of Brookhaven invites residents and visitors to join us at Blackburn Park for our fourth annual Cherry Blossom Festival. The fun includes musical performances, food trucks, arts and crafts vendors, a children's area and pet parade and activities.

Brookhaven Easter Egg Scramble

PRICE: FREE

DATE: Saturday, March 31st

TIME: 9:30-11 a.m.

LOCATION: Blackburn Park

DETAILS: Brookhaven Parks and Recreation invites all families to join us at Blackburn Park for our fourth annual Easter Egg Scramble. Light breakfast will be provided and the egg hunt will begin at 10. Egg hunters will be split into age groups (3 & Under, 4-6, 7+) and have separate hunting areas for each.

Junior Miss Pageant & Talent Show

PRICE: \$15 per entry DATE: Saturday, April 28

TIME: 4- 7 p.m. **AGES:** 4-13

LOCATION: Lynwood Community Center **DETAILS:** BPRD's annual Junior Miss Pageant and Talent Show. Age groups will be split into 4 and 5 year olds, 6 and 7, 8 through 11, and 12 and 13. Refreshments and finger foods will be on hand. Participants will get to show off their favorite talent or skill for the chance to win prizes and a trophy, and all participants will get to ride in a parade the following week!

Lynwood Park Community Day

PRICE: FREE

DATE: Saturday, May 5

TIME: 12-5 p.m.

LOCATION: Lynwood Park

DETAILS: This annual celebration will kick off with a parade at noon going from Lynwood United Church of God in Christ to Lynwood Community Center. The event is open to all ages and will include a cookout, live music, and fun games and activities for the whole family.



YOUTH ATHLETICS

2018 SPRING BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL LEAGUES

Registration is now currently open for all interested participants. For fees, registration dates and ages offered, please visit the specific youth association websites listed below.





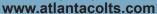


www.murpheycandler.org

PARTNER YOUTH ATHLETIC ASSOCIATIONS

ATLANTA COLT YOUTH ASSOCIATION

ACYA has a long-standing and proud football program that offers recreational flag football leagues, recreational intra-league football, Division 1 Travel Football and cheerleading. Visit the website for more information on upcoming leagues and programs.





CONCORDE FIRE SOCCER CLUB

Concorde Fire offers youth soccer leagues for all ages and skill levels. Youth soccer camps and academies are also available for beginners to advanced athletes.





BASKETBALL TRAINING

Former UConn Women's Basketball Player and WNBA All-Star, Rita Williams is the director of Elevate Sports Academy.

Basketball Training & Skill Development

DATES: March 6-May 24 **TIME:** 5-6:30 p.m.

DAYS: Tuesday and Thursday

LOCATION: Lynwood Recreation Center Once per week: 12 sessions = \$260 Twice per week: 24 sessions = \$480

REGISTRATION: www.elevatesportsacademy.com or

678-744-7688

Spring Basketball League

DATES: March-May weekend weekday evening

games

LOCATION: Lynwood Recreation Center

AGES: 4th-10th grades

REGISTRATION: Individual or team registration at www.elevatesportsacademy.com or 678-744-7688

AQUATIC SWIM LEAGUES

BRIARWOOD BARRACUDAS

http://briarwoodbarracudas.weebly.com/

Briarwood Barracudas Swim Team is open to any swimmer through the age of 18 who looking for a recreational-based swim league that builds self-confidence and self-discipline while working on stroke techniques and racing skills.



MURPHEY CANDLER MARLINS

www.mcmarlins.com

Murphey Candler Marlins Swim Team is open to any swimmer ages 5 to 18. The MC Marlins are young, vibrant swim teams with currently over 70 swimmers participating. Competition, confidence, stroke and breathing techniques are the areas



of focus, with the intent to provide a fun, recreational experience for any beginner to advanced athlete.

INSTRUCTIONAL SPORTS PROGRAMS

Hummingbirds Soccer

3- through 6-year-olds have fun and learn the basics of soccer: dribbling, passing, trapping, shooting, defense and positioning. Each session consists of instruction in all aspects of the game, participation in fun drills that are designed to teach fundamental skills to young children, and low-key, non-competitive games. All coaching will be conducted by Jump Start Sports. Other than shin guards, all equipment will be provided.

GENDER/AGE GROUP: 3-4 y/o boys and girls and 5-6 y/o boys and girls

DAYS: Tuesdays, March 6-April 17 (5-6p.m.)

(skip 4/3)

LOCATION: Lynwood Park Multipurpose Field

PRICE: \$95/6 week session



Flag Football

Children will have a blast learning football basics. Players will be grouped by age, coached at their level of understanding, and play fun, low-competition games under adult supervision. Players will learn the basic fundamentals of offense and defense, and will be introduced to speed and agility training. Parent coaches can assist with instruction and will call the plays for their teams during the games each week. Instructors will supervise all games to ensure equal playing time, a rotation of players in various positions and to help teach context within the game.

GENDER/AGE GROUP: Girls and boys grade PK-5 **DAYS:** Sundays, April 8-May 13 (1:30-2:30 p.m.) **LOCATION:** Lynwood Park Multipurpose Field

PRICE: \$95/6 week session



Introductory Lacrosse

A creative, age appropriate, fun oriented, highly instructional lacrosse program. Players are introduced to the great sport of lacrosse through instruction, fun games and drills, and low competitive, non-contact, game-like situations. Players will be broken down by age group and coached to their level of understanding. All equipment is provided.

GENDER/AGE GROUP: Boys and girls in grade

PK-5

DAYS: Mondays, March 5-April 16 from 5:30-6:30

p.m. (skip 4/2)

LOCATION: Lynwood Park Multipurpose Field

PRICE: \$95/6 week session

Introductory Volleyball

This volleyball program is a fun-oriented, highly instructional, recreational volleyball program designed for children in PK-5th grade. The goal of this program is to get children excited about playing volleyball, understand the rules of the game, and gain the fundamental skills they will build upon in the future.

GENDER/AGE GROUP: Boys and girls in grades PK-5

DAYS: Sundays, Feb. 4-March 25 from 1:30-2:30

p.m. (skip 2/11 & 2/25)

LOCATION: Briarwood Park Recreation Center

PRICE: \$95/6 week session



BLACKBURN TENNIS CENTER



UNIVERSAL TENNIS ACADEMY www.utatennis.com/blackburn

The Blackburn Tennis Center with 18-lighted courts offers adult and junior tennis programs as well as league play throughout the year. Universal Tennis Academy (UTA) manages the tennis programs at the Blackburn Tennis Center and has a staff of highly trained tennis professionals at your service. We have 48-hour stringing service and a sell a variety of tennis rackets and accessories.

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Monday-Thursday: 9 a.m.-10 p.m.

Friday: 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Saturday: 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday: 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

COURT RATES:

(hourly rates per person)
Weekday (before 6 p.m.): \$3
Weekday (after 6 p.m.): \$4

Weekend: \$4

Reservations taken 72 hours in ad-

vance.

Ball Machine Rental - \$15 for 30 minutes or \$25 for hour (includes court fee)

UTA JUNIOR TENNIS TRAINING

UTA offers junior classes to children of all ages and abilities. We have classes for children desiring to play ALTA/USTA leagues, high school, college or professional tennis. For a free evaluation and class trial, please email Patti O'Reilly at pattioreilly@utateninis.com. You may also call the Blackburn Tennis Center at 770-451-5226 or visit utatennis.com/blackburn. The schedule for junior classes is as follows:

	GROUP NAME	GROUP DESCRIPTION	GROUP DAYS & TIMES
	6 & UNDER	The first stage in Tennis Development. This group teaches the younger players the basic skills of a UTA player.	Mon/Wed/Fri 4:00 - 5:00 PM Sat 2:30 - 3:30 PM
	10 & UNDER OPTION #1	This group is for players age 7-10. It is for beginner/intermediate players and will use primarily Orange low compression balls on a 60' court with some Green Dot balls on regular Court.	Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri 4:00 - 5:30 PM Wed/Sat 3:30 - 5:00 PM
	COMPETITIVE	Competitive is for intermediate players between ages of 11-14. Regular & Green dot balls are used on regular court.	Mon/Wed/Fri 5:00 - 7:00 PM Saturday 2:00 - 5:00 PM
	JUNIOR EXCELLENCE	ages or to 15 time hold state or coomen	
	HIGH SCHOOL	This group is for players from 14-18 who are intermediate/advanced. They may play tournaments, but their main source of competition is their high school tennis.	Mon/Thurs 4:30 - 7:00 PM Saturday 2:00 - 5:00 PM
A STATE OF THE STA	This group is for advanced players between the ages of 11-18. These players are competing year-round & have Southern or National Rankings. These players expect to play college tennis.		Tues/Thurs 4:30 - 7:00 PM Wed 5:00 - 7:00 PM Saturday 2:00 - 5:00 PM
THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO IS NOT THE OWNER.	HOME SCHOOL/EARLY RELEASE	This group is for Excellence Level players who are Home Schooled or have early release programs.	Mon/Tues/Wed/Thurs 1:30 - 3:30 PM + Excellence drill times

Come get started in tennis! Up4Tennis spring programs start the week of Feb. 12

at Lynwood, Briarwood and Ashford Parks. Don't miss out on a great opportunity to play in your neighborhood. We offer something for everyone,



ages 2.5 and up. Prices and times vary depending on the class. If room is available you may be prorated to join us at any time during a session.

Spring Schedule:

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Class	Day	Duration of Class	Ages	Length of Session
Mommy & Me	Tues-Sat	1/2 hour	2.5-3	8
Twinkling Stars	Mon-Sat	1/2 hour	3-4	8
Lil Stars	Mon-Sat	1 hour	4-6	12
Shining Stars I	Mon-Sat	1 hour	7-9	12
Shining Stars II	Mon-Fri	1 hour	9-12	12
Future Stars	Mon/Wed/Fri	1.5 hours	12-16	12
Adult Classes	Mon-Sat	1-1.5 hours	adult	8

Call us for your FREE class for our winter or spring classes today, or for more information email us at up4tennisinfo@gmail. com, call 404-617-1305, or visit us at www.up4tennis.com.

SUMMER KIDS CAMPS:

2018 Summer camp registration is currently open - camps start the last week in May through the second week in August.

SCHOOL'S OUT CAMPS

Fun oriented sports camps held during School Holidays week. Camps may be "half day" (9 a.m.-noon), "full day" (9 a.m.-3 p.m.), and may or may not include

'extended care" (8-9 a.m. and 3-5 p.m.)

Gender/Age Group: Boys and girls ages 4-12. **Equipment Provided:** All equipment is provided.

Dates: Friday, Feb. 16 and Monday, Feb. 19

(School Holiday Camp)

Friday, March 9 (School Holiday Camp)

April 2-6 (Spring Break Camp)

Times: Normal Camp Hours: 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Before Care: 8-9 a.m. After Care: 3-5 p.m.

Location: Briarwood Park (School Holiday Camp)

Lynwood Park (Spring Break Camp)

Price: \$45/day

\$90 for 2 day camps

\$180/week

ADULT ATHLETIC LEAGUES

2017 SPRING SOFTBALL

Team fee: \$500/team

Leagues:

Monday- Men's Open B, Men's Open D

Tuesday- Men's Open C

Wednesday- Men's Open C, Men's Open D

Registration dates: Monday, Jan. 15-Friday, Feb. 9

Packet pickup: Wednesday, Feb. 14 League play begins: Monday, Feb. 19

2017 SUMMER SOFTBALL

Team fee: \$500/team

Leagues:

Monday- Men's Open B, Men's Open D

Tuesday- Men's Open C

Wednesday- Men's Open C, Men's Open D

Registration dates: Monday, May 7 - Friday, May 18 **Packet pickup:** Wednesday, May 30, 6:30 p.m. at

Lynwood Park Recreation Center **League play begins:** Monday, June 4

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Adult League General Information:

All adult leagues registration must be completed at Lynwood Community Center or online at www. brookhavenga.gov. Registration is open until leagues reach capacity or listed deadline. All organizational meetings will take place at Lynwood Park Community Center. For more information about the Adult Athletic leagues, contact: Jason Collins, Phone: (404)637-0493, email: Jason.collins@brookhavenga.gov

2018 ADULT KICKBALL LEAGUES

GOKickball is "America's Premier Social Experience!" GOKickball is a social co-ed adult sports organization that joins 55,000+ outgoing, active, social men and women to play a weekly game of kickball, adult dodgeball and to experience great, local Brookhaven parks. To view current leagues and to register for other activities, please visit the website.

LOCATIONS: Lynwood Multi-Purpose Fields

DAYS: Tuesday-Thursday

DATES: March 13- May 10 (Registration closes

3/5/18)

TIME: 6:15-8:30 p.m.
LEAGUE FEES:
Early Bird Registration

Early Bird Registration:

\$59/player

Regular Registration:

\$64/player

Final Week Registration:

\$67/player

**Includes cost for entire season, standard team t-shirt, all game equip-

e www.gokickball.com/atlanta

ment and referees / field supervisors. Fees do not

include \$3.95 processing fee**

FITNESS CLASSES

Gentle Yoga Flow

Join our growing Yoga Community to find balance, flexibility and mindfulness in the unity of movement and breath. Octavia (ERYT 500) will lead the classes with modifications for all levels from beginners to experienced practitioners. Octavia has been a dedicated yoga practitioner for 14 years and has completed her teacher certification in classical yoga through Peachtree Yoga Center in Atlanta. She is also trained in Kriya Yoga, Vedic Chanting, and Meditation through Parmarth Niketan Ashram in Rishikesh, India. Tuesdays from 6:30-7:45 p.m. at Lynwood Community Center. Jan. 16-May 29. Register for a four-visit pass for \$45 and come to any four Tuesdays you would like. Drop-ins welcome for \$15.

Zumba Toning

Zumba brings the party to Briarwood Park.
Follow along to fun calorie-burning moves inspired

by Latin music and the latest radio hits. Taught by a highly energetic certified Zumba instructor, this class uses weights to focus on toning with an emphasis on resistance training. Saturdays from 10:30-11:30 a.m. at Briarwood Recreation Center. Sessions offered 1/13-2/3, 2/10-3/3, and 3/10-3/31. \$35 for a monthly session, or \$10 for drop-ins. Pre-registration is highly encouraged.

Zumba

This Zumba session will have you moving and grooving to fast and slow rhythms to really break a sweat. Music from this class has an emphasis on hip hop to pump

up the energy level.
Saturdays from 11:30
a.m.-12:30 p.m. at
Briarwood Recreation
Center. Sessions offered
1/13-2/3, 2/10-3/3, and 3/10-3/31.

\$35 for a monthly session, or \$10 for drop-ins. Pre-registration is highly encouraged.

SENIOR PROGRAMS

Older, Wiser, & Fitter with Ageless Grace

PRICE: \$32 for 4 weeks/\$10 drop-in. FREE for

ageless (race

Timeless Fitness for the Body & Mind

SilverSneakers members. **DATES:** Wednesdays

TIME: 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

AGES: 50+

LOCATION: Briarwood Recreation Center

DETAILS: Join us for movement with meaning to find comfort and ease in your body. Aerobics, strength training, flexibility and balance all while movin' and groovin' to the hits of the 40s, 50s and 60s through today. Perfect for all fitness abilities, standing or seated. You'll feel like a teenager again. Based on the science of Neuroplasticity, all the Ageless Grace movements address the movement requirements of the physical body while strengthening the five functions of the brain.

Cardio and Strength

PRICE: \$5 for drop-ins. FREE for SilverSneakers

members

DATES: Tuesdays and Fridays

TIME: 1:15 p.m.-2 p.m.

LOCATION: Briarwood Recreation Center

DETAILS: Easy-to-follow low-impact aerobic movement, balance, upper-body strength, abdominal conditioning, stretching and relaxation exercises designed to energize your active lifestyle. A chair is used for standing support, stretching and relaxation exercises.

Senior Stretch

PRICE: \$5 for drop-ins. FREE for SilverSneakers

members.

DATES: Mondays and Thursdays

TIME: Mondays, 1:15-2 p.m.; Thursdays, 12:30-

1:15 p.m.

LOCATION: Briarwood Recreation Center

DETAILS: Move your whole body through a complete series of seated and standing yoga poses. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of seated and standing postures designed to increase flexibility, balance and range of movement. Restorative breathing exercises and final relaxation will promote stress reduction and mental clarity.

ART CLASSES

Young Rembrandts Drawing for ages 4-6

ALL NEW LESSONS for 2018. Young Rembrandts teaches Pre-K and Kindergarten children how to use lines, shapes and colors to create familiar images such as animals, vehicles, toys and other fun subjects. While practicing drawing and coloring skills, your child will also develop fine motor skills, focus, listening and spatial organization. \$10 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of coloring 3:20.4:15 p.m. at the Applied Bark Community Contor Seedie



Young Rembrandt

organization. \$10 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class. Mondays 3:30-4:15 p.m. at the Ashford Park Community Center. Sessions offered Jan. 22-March 19 (no class 2/19) and March 26-May 21 (no class 4/2). \$100.

Young Rembrandts Drawing and Cartooning for ages 7-10

ALL NEW LESSONS for 2018. Young Rembrandts teaches elementary age children the technical skills of drawing using a step-by-step method that proves anyone can draw. Drawings will include cartoons, still life, graphics, and art history. Your child will love the fun new lessons planned for Winter and Spring. \$10 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class. Mondays 4:30-5:30 p.m. at the Ashford Park Community Center. Sessions offered January 22-March 19 (no class 2/19) and March 26-May 21 (no class 4/2). \$112.

ECO-ART

Vamos Chicos and the Eco-Art Bus

DATES: Jan. 9-Feb. 27; March 6-May 22

PRICE: \$130 for Jan-Feb session; \$195 for Mar-May

session

TIME: Tuesdays. 3-4 p.m. (preschool) / 4-5 p.m. (all ages)

LOCATION: Lynwood Park

CONTACT: info@vamoschicos.com / www.vamoschicos.com / 678-512-9170 DETAILS: Vamos Chicos is a unique program that aims to instill a love of the arts, science and the awareness of nature to everyone. We do this in a fun way in a dual lingual setting on our converted studio bus. Our program is a fusion of Spanish, English, Science and Arts along with project-based activities to create Eco-Arts & Eco-Theater. Open to all ages and levels of Spanish.

DANCE CLASSES

Spring Salsa & Latin Dance 101/102

Have you always wanted to learn to dance? Then come join this Latin and Salsa partner dance class. You'll learn the basics of two Latin dances, including how to find the rhythm and add your own style. Class is perfect for beginners, those who is



VAMOS CHICOS

THE ECO STUDIO - BUS

BILINGUAL ARTS & MAKERS SPACE

add your own style. Class is perfect for beginners, those who want a refresher, or those who want a chance to practice the basics. This class will give you a solid foundation in partner dancing which will help you learn other dances more easily. If you have attended the earlier classes, there will be plenty of new rhythms and steps to learn in a relaxed social environment. Teacher will organize at least one salsa dance outing during the series. No partner required. Thursdays, 7-8 p.m., 2/22-3/29 at the Ashford Park Community Center. \$60 for six weeks; pre-registration is required to ensure course minimum is met.

Creative Movement and Dance www.creativemovementanddance.com

info@creativemovementanddance.com; 678-482-2264

Creative Movement and Dance, based in Atlanta, was founded over 35 years ago. Their professional instructors teach classes and camps at hundreds of locations throughout the Southeast. We are proud to announce that they have joined with the City of Brookhaven to bring their expertise to our community. Visit the website for more information or to register.

Saturdays, Jan. 6-May 19 (no class 3/31)
Pre-Ballet (ages 2.5-4): Sat, 9:30 a.m., Lynwood

Tap-Ballet (ages 4-7): Sat, 9.30 a.m., Lynwood

CREATIVE MOVEMENT AND DANCE

PET EDUCATION CLASSES

First Aid for Dogs & Cats

PRICE: \$80

DATES: Jan. 13 and March 25

TIME: 9 a.m.-2 p.m.
LOCATION: Ashford Park
Community Center

DETAILS: This hands-on class will cover a number of valuable skills. You will learn how to perform CPR and rescue breathing,

what to do when your dog/cat is



choking, how to treat bleeding or shock, and much more. We will practice CPR, rescue breathing and bandaging techniques with a simulator mannequin. Each student will receive a handbook and certificate. By attending this Pet Tech Class, you increase the chances of becoming a true lifesaver for your pet. Register at www.dobiemom.com or contact Nicole@DobieMom.com (678-938-5996) for more information.

Lifestyle, Nutrition, and Care for Dogs

PRICE: \$80

DATES: Feb. 25 and May 5

TIME: 9 a.m.-2 p.m. LOCATION: Ashford Park Community Center

DETAILS: By living with us humans our pets share the same

lifestyle and are exposed to toxins in our

environment.
They suffer



from the same diseases and are harmed by nutrient-deficient food. If you are a conscious, concerned dog parent or you already have a sick dog at home, this class is for you. We will discuss how we can create a healthier lifestyle for our four-legged family members. You will learn how to evaluate all diets (kibble, canned/cooked and raw). It is a knowledge-packed program that will give you unbiased information to make healthier choices. Register at www.dobiemom.com or contact Nicole@DobieMom. com or 678-938-5996 for more information.

GYMNASTICS • CHEERLEADING

TWIN ELITE TUMBLING/CHEER CLASSES

Recreational Cheer Prep Class

During this six-week class, athletes will learn the basics of cheerleading, including jumps, tumbling, stunting and motion technique. Thursdays, 6-7 p.m. at Briarwood Recreation Center. Session offered 2/8-3/15. Ages 6-15, \$100.

Spring Break Cheer Camp

Come join the fun! At TEA Cheer Camp, USASF-certified coaches will train your girls and boys on proper technique for tumbling, jumps, dance, motions, stunting and engaging in team-building activities. General

itinerary is listed below. Monday through Friday, 4/2-4/6. 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m. at Briarwood Recreation Center. \$215, ages 6-15.



9-9:30: Arrive, warm up, stretch and condition

9:30-10:30: Learn new cheer skills 10:30-11:30: Tumbling session

11:30-12: Lunch break 12-1: Daily activity

1-1:30: Wrap-up and dismissal

BACK2BASICS GYMNASTICS

Wee Wobblers

This parent-assisted class encourages exploring, discovering and parent/child GYMNASTICS ACADEM bonding. Movement exploration, climbing up and down safely, and body and spatial awareness are all areas of focus. A precious learning time for you and your child. Tuesday, Thursday or Friday, 9:30-10:10 a.m. at Lynwood Gym. Week of 1/22-4/16 (no class week of 4/2). 18 mos-2, \$210.

Tiny Tumblers

A caring and experienced Back 2 Basics instructor will lead you and your child in this fast-paced, parent-assisted class full of fun obstacles. Introduces the structure you may see at an academic preschool in small increments and begins preparing children for the next steps of independence. You will be amazed how much your child learns in this class. Tuesday, Thursday or Friday, 10:30-11:10 a.m. at Lynwood Gym. Week of 1/22-4/16 (no class week of 4/2). Ages 2-3, \$210.

Mini Hoppers

An enthusiastic instructor helps to foster independence by offering fun yet challenging activities. Parents are invited "as needed," but our goal is to foster healthy independence as children grow. Students increase their self-confidence, body awareness, strength and agility in an exciting and safe gymnastics class that also includes music, rhyming and all things that kids love. Tuesday, Thursday or Friday, 11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m. at Lynwood Gym. Week of 1/22-4/16 (no class week of 4/2). Ages 3-4, \$225.



Participants will use all the gymnastics equipment including uneven bars, balance beams and trampolines. They will practice and develop such gymnastics skills as rolling in all directions as well as beginner handstands, cartwheels and pullovers. These gymnastics classes enhance self-confidence, teach life lessons and nurture character development while building healthy bodies and minds. Tuesday, Thursday or Friday, 12:30-1:15 p.m. at Lynwood Gym. Week of 1/22-4/16 (no class week of 4/2). Ages 4-5, \$225.

Elementary 1

For beginners and students with previous experience (cartwheel, bridge and handstand). Children will develop strength, flexibility, proper form and body positioning, and the foundational skills needed to progress to high-

er gymnastics levels. This is a beginner-level class where students will gain confidence in their abilities and develop

self-esteem in a fun, safe environment. Tuesday, Thursday or Friday, 3-4 p.m. at Lynwood Gym. Week of 1/22-4/16 (no class week of 4/2). Ages 5-8, \$240.



DIGITAL MEDIA CLASSES

Freshi Learning Online provides students with digital media software and pre-recorded, self-paced lesson plans. Students will be able to complete these courses at their own pace and are not required to attend scheduled online sessions. Freshi lessons are available 24/7/365. Our digital media software is compatible with Mac and PC computers. Contact tyler.shoemaker@freshimedia.com for more information.

Video Game Coding & Design

PRICE: \$89 (3 month subscription + Multimedia

Fusion 2.5 software) **DATES:** Spring **AGES:** 8-18

Freshi Learning Online

LOCATION: Learn from home, self-paced online course

DETAILS: Learn to create a video game from home or on the go. Using Freshi Learning Online lessons and Multimedia Fusion software, students will make characters interact with the game environment, move around the screen and much more.

Introduction to Computer Coding

PRICE: \$59 (3 month subscription + Visual Studio Code Online Access)

DATES: Spring **AGES:** 8-18

LOCATION: Learn from home, self-paced online course

DETAILS: FLO's Introduction to Coding is a great starter course for kids interested in computer coding. Students will explore four different coding "languages" (HTML, CSS, JavaScript and Python) and discover how they work. If your child is interested

in computer coding, check out Introduction to Coding today.

LANGUAGE TUTORING

Les Ecoliers

This five-week course offers French tutoring with curriculum designed by instructor Sylvie Nzendong. For children and adults, tutoring will be conducted individually or in small group settings. Areas of emphasis include pronunciation, sentence structure. games, reading and listening comprehension, and so much more. Saturdays at the Ashford Park Community Center. Ages 4-12 from 1-2 p.m., ages 13+ from 2-3 p.m. Feb. 24-March 24. \$80 for the 4-12-year-old class, \$100 for the 13+ class.

PLAY-WELL LEGO WORKSHOPS

LEGO Engineering Workshop: Battle Tracks

Compete for the title of Battle Track Champion. Build a motorized train that will take on other competitors on our monorail tracks. Students can let their imagination

run wild with designing, building and testing different mechanisms until the right parts are combined into the ultimate machine. Wednesday, Jan. 3, from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. at Briarwood Recreation Center. Ages 6-10, \$40.



LEGO Engineering Workshop:

Recreation Center. Ages 6-10, \$40.

Amusement Park

The fair is coming to town! Build swings, gravitrons and other fast-spinning rides. Complete the scene with ticket booths and food stands, and a fair isn't complete without some funnel cake! Saturday, April 7, from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. at Briarwood Recreation Center. Ages 6-10, \$40.

Friday, March 9, from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. at Briarwood

LEGO Engineering Workshop: Bots and Walkers

Bring your engineering and creative thinking skills as we create some crazy motorized creatures. Students will be introduced to a variety of methods of movements through a series of intriguing projects. Taking inspiration from the movement of insects, sea creatures and even our own bodies, we will have fun creating some life-like crawlers, wobblers and walkers.

LEGO Engineering Workshop: Belt and Pulley Car

How can we make a car move using just LEGO pieces? Find out when we learn about transmissions and belt drive vehicles. Build your car then decorate, race across the room or take on Mount Doom, the steepest mountain in the land. Saturday, May 5, from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. at Briarwood Recreation Center. Ages 6-10, \$40.

Any individual/group/organization interested in volunteering within City of Brookhaven parks, recreation centers, or for our numerous programs or specials events please contact our main Lynwood Park office. Staff can assist in getting you in contact with the individual relating to your specific request. (404) 637-0542.

Park Conservancy/Friends Group Contacts

For those wishing to become involved within one of the numerous park conservancies or friends groups see the list below. Several City of Brookhaven Parks have garnered support from local volunteers with interest in supporting, advocating, and improving local parks.

Upcoming volunteer opportunities with Murphey Candler Park Conservancy: Trees Atlanta / WABE tree planting - Saturday, Feb. 17 MCPC Earth Day Food Trucks Social - Friday, April 20 www.murpheycandlerpark.org







www.murpheycandlerpark.org www.briarwoodparkga.org

www.friendsofblackburnpark.org

Eagle Scout Projects

Are you a current scout planning or seeking a potential project to earn your upcoming Eagle Scout? Brookhaven Parks and Recreation has partnered with numerous scouts to complete projects. Please contact Assistant Director Louis Boestfleisch with inquiries at louis.boest@ brookhavenga.gov.

Parks/Wildlife Conservation

Fishing from the Murphey Candler Park shoreline and dock is fun for all ages to enjoy. The lake is habitat to a variety of fish including largemouth bass. bream and catfish. Only manually powered watercraft are allowed on the lake.

All bodies of water within City of Brookhaven parks follow current Georgia Department of Natural Resources Fishing Regulations.

Please be kind and use the monofilament line recycling posts within the park to dispose of waste. It is very hazardous to waterfowl and other wildlife within parks.

Park Memorial Program

Interested in donating a park bench or specimen tree in honor of someone you know? You will be asked to complete our memorial program application prior to coordinating with parks and recreation staff. Please contact Assistant Director Louis Boestfleisch with inquiries at louis. boest@brookhavenga.gov.

Please... don't feed waterfowl.



REGULAR FEEDING CAN CAUSE:

- Poor nutrition
- Pollution
- Spread of disease
 - Overcrowding
- Unnatural behavior
 Delayed migration

Many people enjoy feeding waterfowl, but the effects of this seemingly generous act can be harmful. If you care about waterfowl, please stop feeding them . . . allow them to return to their natural habitats.

Support federal, state and private organizations and their efforts to conserve waterfowl and their natural habits.

For more information about the effects of feeding waterfowl, please visit www. brookhavenga.gov/city-departments/ parks-recreation.

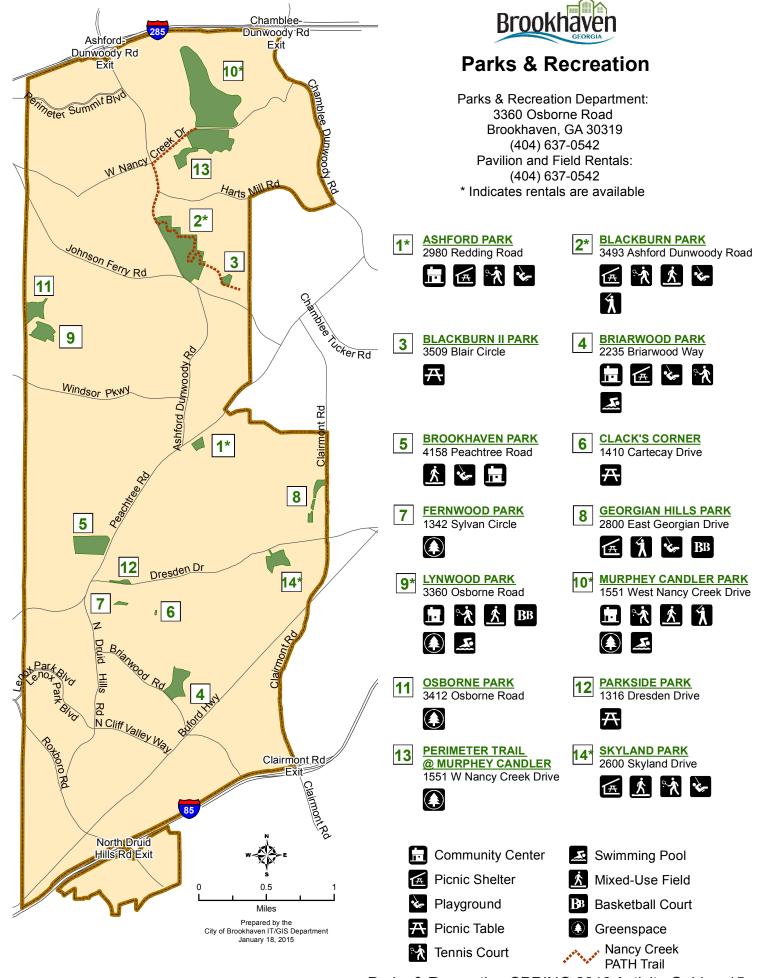
Brookhaven Keep wildlife wild.

Trail Rules

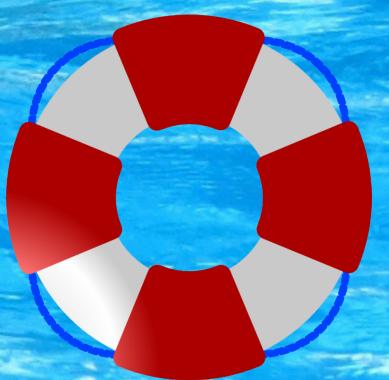
- The trail is open to all non-motorized users. Motorized wheelchairs are permitted.
- The trail is closed from dusk to dawn.
- · Trail users must stay on trail. No trespassing on private property.
- Alcoholic beverages, drugs, and unlicensed firearms are not allowed on trail.
- Vandalism and theft of trail amenities will result in prosecution.
- Reckless behavior that endangers other trail users is prohibited.
- · No camping along trail.

Trail Etiquette

- Yield to pedestrians.
 - Pedestrians always have the right-of-way.
- · Keep right; pass on the left
 - The trail is like a roadway.
- Announce yourself; for example, "On your left!"
 - Warn trail users as you approach from behind.
- · If you stop, get off the trail
 - Always allow other trail users to pass on the left.
- Report crime and maintenance problems at 404-637-0500 or parksandrec@brookhavenga.gov.
 - Obey all signs and rules.
 - Stop at intersections.
- Travel at safe speeds.
- Keep right.
- Keep the trail clean.
- Don't use the trail at night.
- Keep animals under control
- Keep pets on a short leash.
- Walk pets on right shoul-
- Clean animal waste.



We're hiring! Lifeguards & Pool Managers



\$9-12/hour

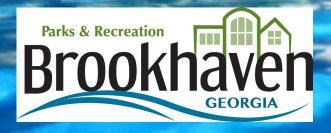
Part-time

schedule

Uniforms &

training provided

Seasonal (Memorial Day-Labor Day)



Email jason.collins@brookhavenga.gov for more information.