

PORT HURON PARKS & RECREATION

# 2025 SUMMER EVENT AND PROGRAM GUIDE

MAKE A SPLASH THIS SUMMER WITH PORT HURON REC!  
CITY RESIDENTS, SIGN UP FOR CLASSES STARTING MAY 8.





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## SIGN UP FOR REC PROGRAMS STARTING...

•THURSDAY, MAY 8 FOR CITY OF PORT HURON RESIDENTS•

•FRIDAY, MAY 9 FOR EVERYONE•

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## CLOSED ON...

MEMORIAL DAY,  
MONDAY, MAY 26

JUNETEENTH,  
(OFFICES CLOSED, PROGRAMS RUN AS SCHEDULED)

THURSDAY, JUNE 19

INDEPENDENCE DAY,  
FRIDAY, JULY 4

LABOR DAY,  
MONDAY, SEPT. 1

## PARK UPGRADES: 16TH ST. FREE—PLAY PARK

Sixteenth St. Park now has a beginner level mountain biking/walking trail similar to Sanborn Park. Additionally, the Park will receive many upgrades such as a challenge course, climber, volleyball court, 40-yard dash track, scaled football field, soccer field and more over the next year.



## SPROUT CITY

Our unique children's town and nature park includes a child-sized farmer's market, house, clinic, garage/gas station, fire department, police station, bank/post office and school for the ultimate creative play experience. Also, enjoy raised-bed community gardens, sand play, toddler slide and paved streets for riding. Tricycles and scooters available. Please provide your own helmet. All children must be accompanied by an adult. **FREE!** ★★

### PARK INFO:

AGES: 3—12, RECOMMENDED

DATE: DAILY, MAY—SEPTEMBER

TIME: DAWN TO DUSK

LOCATION: PALMER PARK, 2829 ARMOUR ST.

### TOYS AND VEHICLES:

AGES: 3—12, MUST BE 8 OR OLDER TO RIDE SCOOTER

DATE: DAILY, JUNE 16—AUG. 24

TIME: MONDAYS—FRIDAYS, 8:30 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS, 10 A.M. TO 2 P.M.

## SUPER SLIDE

Hop on one of our specially designed tubes, and fly down our Super Slide for great thrills and outdoor fun! Riders must be able to pull a tube up the hill. **FREE!** ★★

AGES: 5 OR OLDER AND 40 INCHES OR TALLER • DATE: SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS, JUNE 16—AUG. 24 • TIME: 10 A.M. TO 2 P.M. • LOCATION: PALMER PARK, 2829 ARMOUR ST.



## RENTALS

**GAZEBOS:** Pine Grove Park, Knox Park and Lincoln Park

**PAVILIONS:** Lakeside Park, Palmer Park, Pine Grove Park, Knox Park, Mansfield Park, Lincoln Park, Gratiot Park and Optimist Park

**WIFFLE BALL FIELD:** 16th St. Park

**BASEBALL FIELDS:** Pine Grove Park, 16th St. Park, Palmer Park and Knox Park

Are you looking for a space to rent for an upcoming event? Please call the Parks Department at 810.984.9709 to reserve. We have several facilities available to rent including...





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PH PARKS PASSPORT:  
SCAVENGER HUNT EDITION

We are changing up the Parks Passport to include a scavenger hunt! Each park will have a specific task to complete. Visit the Palmer Park Recreation Center between June 2-Aug. 29 to register and pick up a PH Parks Passport. Children, ages 3-18, who visit and take a photo while completing at least six of the scavenger tasks will earn a limited edition "Parks Passport" sticker. Additionally, the child will be entered in a drawing for a chance to win a prize.

Please see the front desk at the Rec Center to verify photos and have your passport stamped. **FREE!**

For more info, please contact us at 810.984.9760.

	PLAY STRUCTURE/SWING SET	BASEBALL FIELD	BASKETBALL COURT	TENNIS COURT	VOLLEYBALL COURT	WALKING/BICYCLE PATH	OUTDOOR FITNESS STATIONS	GAGA BALL PIT	BBQ GRILLS	PICNIC TABLES	BENCHES	PAVILIONS/GRABBERS	BATHROOMS	PARKING LOT	WATERFRONT VIEW	BEACH/WATER ACCESS	SPLASH PAD	OUTDOOR POOL	BICYCLE TOOL STATION	BICYCLE RACK	WIFFLE BALL FIELD
LAKESIDE PARK	X			X				X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X					
SANBORN PARK	X	X	X	X		X			X	X		X	X				X		X		
PALMER PARK	X	X	X				X		X	X	X	X	X						X		
GRATIOT PARK	X		X						X	X	X					X					
LIGHTHOUSE PARK	X				X	X		X	X	X		X	X	X	X			X	X		
INTERNATIONAL FLAG PLAZA					X				X			X	X								
MANSFIELD PARK	X								X	X	X										
RIVERSIDE DR. BOAT RAMP									X			X	X	X	X						
THOMAS EDISON PARKWAY					X					X			X	X							
OPTIMIST PARK	X		X				X		X	X	X	X							X		
PINE GROVE PARK	X	X			X				X	X	X	X	X	X				X			
12TH ST. BOAT RAMP													X	X	X						
HARRISON POINTE PARK	X						X					X									
HAYNES PARK	X		X						X	X											
KIEFER PARK					X					X				X							
JAMES C. ACHESON MARINA					X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X		
MOC WATERFRONT WALKWAY					X					X			X	X							
KIND PARK	X									X											
QUAY ST. DOCKS					X								X	X	X						
FORT ST. DOCKS					X					X			X	X	X				X		
HERITAGE PARK ON THE QUAY					X								X								
SOUTHSIDE DOCKS													X	X							
COURT ST. POOL									X			X	X				X		X		
WHITE PARK	X		X							X											
19TH & DIVISION TOT LOT	X									X											
11TH & DIVISION TOT LOT	X									X	X										
16TH ST. PARK	X	X	X		X				X	X			X							X	
KNOX PARK	X	X	X						X	X	X				X						
RENAISSANCE SOUTH PARK	X								X	X											
LINCOLN PARK	X		X	X				X	X	X	X										
LINCOLN AVE. TURNOUT													X	X							
MCMORRAN PLACE PLAZA													X		X						
7TH ST. KAYAK LAUNCH					X								X	X	X						
POCKET PARK										X			X								



# BOAT LAUNCHES

## BOAT RAMPS: EARLY APRIL TO MID—NOVEMBER

Seasonal permit or daily launch fee required year-round. For daily launch fee, pay at location.

### LAUNCH FEE...

- DAILY: \$6
- SEASONAL: \$24

### SEASONAL LAUNCH PERMITS AVAILABLE AT...

- TREASURER'S OFFICE (FIRST FLOOR) AT 100 MCMORRAN BLVD., 810.984.9722
- ANDERSON PRO BAIT AT 2731 PINE GROVE AVE., 810.984.3232
- JAY'S MARINE HARDWARE AT 207 WATER ST., 810.887.5555

### DOCKS ARE AVAILABLE FROM MAY 1 TO MID—NOVEMBER, WEATHER PERMITTING.

- RESERVATIONS FOR TRANSIENT DOCKS, 800.447.2757
- MARINA OFFICE (YEAR ROUND), 810.982.3990
- JAMES C. ACHESON MARINA (SEASONAL), 810.984.9746



**RIVERSIDE BOAT RAMP**  
ON RIVERSIDE DR. BY I—94 OVERPASS



**12TH ST. BOAT RAMP**  
1131 WATER ST.

# FUN IN THE SUN!

## BEACH PARKING PASSES: MAY 22 TO LABOR DAY, SEPT. 1

Beach parking passes are required to park in the City's beach parking lots during the late spring and summer seasons. Seasonal or single-use beach parking passes for Lighthouse and Lakeside Beaches are available starting Thursday, May 22 at the beach parking booths or at the Palmer Park Recreation Center from Monday, May 19 to Friday, May 23. Vehicle must be obtain to purchase a pass.

Reentry is not available with a single-use beach parking pass at Lakeside and Lighthouse Beaches.

### LIGHTHOUSE/LAKESIDE BEACH SEASONAL PARKING PASS RATE:

- CITY OF PORT HURON RESIDENT: FREE★
- PORT HURON TWP. AND FORT GRATIOT TWP.: FREE★
- ST. CLAIR COUNTY RESIDENT: \$35
- OUT OF COUNTY RESIDENT: PASS NOT AVAILABLE

### LIGHTHOUSE SINGLE—USE BEACH PARKING PASS RATE:

- ST. CLAIR COUNTY RESIDENT: \$5
- OUT OF COUNTY RESIDENT: \$20

### LAKESIDE SINGLE—USE BEACH PARKING PASS RATE:

- ST. CLAIR COUNTY RESIDENT: \$5
- OUT OF COUNTY RESIDENT: \$30

### ★GRILLS

Both Lakeside and Lighthouse Beaches have charcoal grills available to use free of charge on a first come, first served basis. You are welcome to bring your own gas or charcoal grill.

## LIGHTHOUSE BEACH

2900 CONGER ST., PORT HURON, MI

**SUMMER AMENITIES OFFERED:**  
SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, 9 A.M. TO 7 P.M.

## LAKESIDE BEACH

3670 GRATIOT AVE., PORT HURON, MI

**SUMMER AMENITIES OFFERED:**  
DAILY, 9 A.M. TO 7 P.M.  
CONCESSIONS PROVIDED BY MCMORRAN PLACE.

### BEACH RULES

- Smoking and drinking are not allowed.
- No lifeguard on duty. Swim at your own risk.
- No dogs on beach. Leashed dogs allowed on grass.



## 7TH ST. KAYAK LAUNCH★

LOCATED NEAR ERIE ST. AND QUAY ST. • FREE TO LAUNCH • KAYAK RENTALS AVAILABLE  
From May to October, this seasonal kayak launch is free to use. The launch is located near the mouth of the Black River by the Bowl-O-Drome in Port Huron. Free parking is available nearby.

# MAKE A SPLASH!

## ★SPLASH PAD SEASON:

## MEMORIAL DAY, MAY 26 TO LABOR DAY, SEPT. 1

### STEBBINS FAMILY SPLASH PAD AT KNOX PARK

2500 CLEVELAND AVE., PORT HURON, MI  
DAILY, 11 A.M. TO 7 P.M. **FREE!**★

### MCMORRAN PLACE PLAZA SPLASH PAD

701 MCMORRAN BLVD., PORT HURON, MI  
DAILY, 11 A.M. TO 7 P.M. **FREE!**★

### LAKESIDE PARK SPLASH PAD

3670 GRATIOT AVE., PORT HURON, MI  
DAILY, 11 A.M. TO 7 P.M. **FREE**★  
WITH PURCHASE OF BEACH PARKING.

### GRATIOT PARK SPLASH PAD

2538 GRATIOT AVE., PORT HURON, MI  
DAILY, 11 A.M. TO 7 P.M. **FREE!**★

## OPEN SWIM FOR POOLS: JUNE 19—AUG. 15, WEATHER PERMITTING

FREE open swim is available until max capacity is met for City of Port Huron residents. Nonresidents are \$2 per swimmer.★★

### SANBORN POOL

1919 SANBORN ST., PORT HURON, MI  
PHONE: 810.984.9764

### OPEN SWIM HOURS:

SATURDAY—SUNDAY, 2—6:45 P.M.

### COURT STREET POOL

2025 COURT ST., PORT HURON, MI  
PHONE: 810.984.9765

### OPEN SWIM HOURS:

THURSDAY—SUNDAY, 2—6:45 P.M.

## POOL RULES

- Children 15 years or younger must be accompanied by an adult.
- Children under 48 inches may be required to wear a life jacket, which will be provided.



# SIGN UP FOR REC PROGRAMS!

CITY OF PORT HURON RESIDENTS:  
THURSDAY, MAY 8

TOWNSHIP PARTNERS AND OTHERS:  
FRIDAY, MAY 9

## HOW TO REGISTER...

- **ONLINE:** Create/sign into account at [www.porthuronrec.com](http://www.porthuronrec.com). (Credit/debit card required for purchase.)
  - **MAIL:** Send registration form and payment to Palmer Park Recreation Center at 2829 Armour St. Port Huron, MI 48060.
  - **WALK-IN:** Palmer Park Recreation Center, 2829 Armour St., Port Huron, MI 48060
- REGISTRATION FORM:** [www.porthuronrec.com/registration](http://www.porthuronrec.com/registration)  
Please make checks payable to the City of Port Huron.

## WHO ARE TOWNSHIP PARTNERS?



Residents of Burtchville Township, Clyde Township, Port Huron Township, Fort Gratiot Township and Kimball Township pay the resident rate for Rec programs. This perk is due to a partnership between the City of Port Huron and these Townships. For this reason, please be prepared to show proof of residency at the time of registration.

## LOOK FOR ★★ WHICH INDICATES FREE PROGRAMS!

### SCORE SCHOLARSHIPS

St. Clair County Organized Recreation for Everyone (SCORE) scholarship fund is a collaborative effort among the recreation departments of St. Clair, Marine City, Marysville and Port Huron. This scholarship helps participants and families who are in financial need participate in recreational programs at a reduced cost. For more info or to apply for a SCORE scholarship, please contact the Recreation Department.

### REFUND POLICY

If a program is canceled by the Port Huron Recreation Department, you will receive a full refund. Participants wishing to cancel their registration must notify the Recreation Department **one week prior** to the start date of class to receive a credit on account for the full value of the class. This credit on account is good for one year.

## NANCY'S FINAL FAREWELL

After 31 years in the field of recreation, Nancy Winzer, Deputy City Manager and Director of Parks and Recreation for the City of Port Huron, is retiring. Although she is leaving, her passion and innovative programming will ripple throughout the Parks and Recreation Departments for years to come. During her tenure, Nancy raised over three million dollars in grant and sponsorship funds for park upgrades. These effects may be seen at Sprout City, Gratiot, Optimist, 16th St., Haynes, Knox, Palmer and countless other parks.

We cannot begin to express our gratitude for the years of advocacy and service Nancy has provided for the City. She will be missed dearly, and we wish her the best on her next adventure!

# ACTIVE OPPORTUNITIES

## KICK STARTERS

Learn the fundamentals of soccer! Kids will enjoy fun exercises and games focusing on passing, dribbling and shooting with other players and coaches.

**DATE:** SESSION I: TUESDAYS, JUNE 24—JULY 29 • SESSION II: THURSDAYS, JUNE 26—JULY 31 • **TIME:** 11—11:45 A.M.

**LOCATION:** PALMER PARK, 2829 ARMOUR ST. • **AGE:** 6—9

**REGISTER BY:** TUESDAY, JUNE 17 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$25/SESSION • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50/SESSION

## LITTLE HOOPERS

Little Hoopers is a beginner basketball camp designed to teach the basics of basketball. Coaches will focus on dribbling, passing and shooting exercises. Participants will also learn fun, creative basketball-related games.

**DATE:** SESSION I: MONDAYS, JUNE 23—JULY 28 • SESSION II: WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 25—JULY 30 • **TIME:** 11:15—11:45 A.M.

**LOCATION:** SANBORN PARK, 1919 SANBORN ST. • **AGE:** 6—9

**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, JUNE 16 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$25/SESSION • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50/SESSION

## BEACH VOLLEYBALL CAMP

Children of all skill levels are invited to join our instructors for volleyball at Lakeside Beach! Players learn the fundamentals of passing, setting, hitting, serving and why team strategy and technique are important. Players are introduced to six-person team play.

Please bring water, sunscreen and a towel.

**DATE:** TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS, JULY 1—24 • **TIME:** 9:30—10:30 A.M. • **LOCATION:** LAKESIDE BEACH, 3670 GRATIOT AVE. • **AGE:** 8—12

**REGISTER BY:** TUESDAY, JUNE 24 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$40 • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$80

## KARATE KIDZ

Learn basic karate skills designed to teach focus, memory, teamwork, discipline and self-control. This class is brought to us by Blue Water Martial Arts. Last day of class, July 30, will be held at BWMA's dojo at 2700 Pine Grove Ave., suite 14.

In case of inclement weather, class will be canceled. An adult must remain in attendance during class. **FREE!**

**DATE:** WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 25—JULY 30 • **TIME:** 9:30—10 A.M. OR 10:15—10:45 A.M.

**LOCATION:** PINE GROVE PARK PAVILION, 1204 PINE GROVE AVE. • **AGE:** 6—18

**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18 • **RATE:** FREE



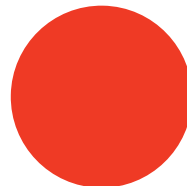
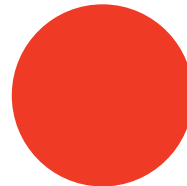
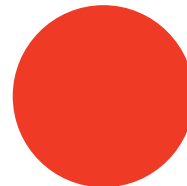
Borrow sports equipment or yard games, such as corn hole and KanJam, from Sport Port, located at the Recreation Center! Equipment must be checked out and returned the same day, unless borrowing for a special event.

For a list of equipment, visit [porthuronrec.com/partner-programs/sportport](http://porthuronrec.com/partner-programs/sportport). **FREE!**

**AGE:** ALL AGES • **LOCATION:** PALMER PARK REC CENTER, 2829 ARMOUR ST. • **HOURS:** MONDAY—FRIDAY, 8:30 A.M. TO 4 P.M.



# ACTIVE OPPORTUNITIES



## INTRO TO WIFFLE BALL

Learn the basics of Wiffle Ball on the 16th St. Park Wiffle Ball Field! In this program, participants will spend a portion of the class practicing their Wiffle Ball skills before being split into teams for a friendly game each week.

**DATE:** THURSDAYS, JUNE 26—JULY 31 • **TIME:** 12:30—1:15 P.M. • **LOCATION:** 16TH ST. PARK, 2600 16TH ST. • **AGE:** 6—10  
**REGISTER BY:** THURSDAY, JUNE 19 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$25 • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50

## BEGINNER BASEBALL

This instructional baseball camp is for ages six to nine looking to learn the basics of baseball. Players will focus on hitting, running, fielding and throwing in a fun-filled atmosphere.

**DATE:** TUESDAYS, JULY 1—AUG. 5 • **TIME:** 12:15—1 P.M. • **LOCATION:** PINE GROVE PARK BALL DIAMOND, 1204 PINE GROVE AVE. • **AGE:** 6—9  
**REGISTER BY:** TUESDAY, JUNE 24 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$25 • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50

## BEGINNER LACROSSE CAMP

Join Port Huron United Lacrosse and Port Huron Waves Lacrosse for a learn-to-play lacrosse camp. Learn lacrosse skills such as passing, catching, ground balls, cradling and shooting. Camp will also include fun games to improve on new skills.

No previous experience necessary and all equipment provided.

**DATE:** JUNE 16—19 • **TIME:** 9—11 A.M. • **LOCATION:** PALMER PARK GRASS FIELD, 2829 ARMOUR ST. • **GRADES:** K—8  
**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, JUNE 9 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$60 • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$120

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WAVES

## BLUE WATER YOUTH LACROSSE LEAGUE

Newer and returning lacrosse players will learn positions and rules and practice fundamentals to use on the lacrosse field. The league is run by Port Huron United Lacrosse and Port Huron Waves Lacrosse coaches and players.

Helmets are strongly recommended. No class on Wednesday, July 2.

**DATE:** WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 25—JULY 30. NO CLASS JULY 2 • **TIME:** 6—7:30 P.M. • **LOCATION:** PALMER PARK GRASS FIELD, 2829 ARMOUR ST. • **GRADES:** K—8  
**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$85 • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$170



## PICKLEBALL LESSONS

Learn the basics of pickleball with the Port Huron Tennis House! These clinics teach pickleball rules, scoring, strokes and strategies.

Limited paddles are available to borrow from the Tennis House on a first come, first served basis.

**DATE/TIME:** SESSION I: TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS, JUNE 17—JULY 3 • SESSION II: TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS, JULY 8—24 • SESSION III: TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS, AUG. 5—21 • **TIME:** 8—9:30 A.M. • **LOCATION:** TENNIS HOUSE, 1903 SANBORN ST. • **AGE:** 12 OR OLDER  
**REGISTER BY:** WEEK BEFORE CLASS • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$120/SESSION • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$180/SESSION



## SPORTIES FOR SHORTIES

Increase your child's coordination and motor skills while sparking their interest in sports, such as T-ball, basketball and soccer. Basics of each sport will be taught.

**AGE:** 3—5 • **REGISTER BY:** WEEK BEFORE CLASS STARTS • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$25/SESSION • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50/SESSION

**DATE:** SESSION I: MONDAYS, JUNE 23—JULY 28 • SESSION II: WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 25—JULY 30 • **TIME:** 9—9:30 A.M. OR 9:45—10:15 A.M.  
**LOCATION:** SANBORN PARK, 1919 SANBORN ST.

**DATE:** SESSION I: TUESDAYS, JUNE 24—JULY 29 • SESSION II: THURSDAYS, JUNE 26—JULY 31 • **TIME:** 4:45—5:15 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** PALMER PARK, 2829 ARMOUR ST.

## SUPER SPORTIES

Super Sporties, structured similarly to Sporties For Shorties, adds an additional day of practice for three to five-year-olds who want more experience learning and playing T-ball, basketball and soccer. Super Sporties class is twice per week.

**AGE:** 3—5 • **REGISTER BY:** WEEK BEFORE CLASS STARTS • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$50/SESSION • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$75/SESSION

**DATE:** MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 23—JULY 30 • **TIME:** 10:30—11 A.M.  
**LOCATION:** SANBORN PARK, 1919 SANBORN ST.

**DATE:** TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS, JUNE 24—JULY 31 • **TIME:** 5:30—6 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** PALMER PARK, 2829 ARMOUR ST.

## ADULT TENNIS

Professionals at the Port Huron Tennis House will teach beginner and intermediate players grips, strokes and strategies to help improve their game.

In case of inclement weather, class will be in the Tennis House. [Rackets are available to borrow from the Tennis House.](#)

**DATE:** SESSION I: MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 16—JULY 2 • SESSION II: MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, JULY 7—23 • SESSION III: MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, AUG. 4—20 • **TIME:** 6—7 P.M. • **LOCATION:** SANBORN PARK COURTS, 1919 SANBORN ST. • **AGE:** 18 OR OLDER  
**REGISTER BY:** WEEK BEFORE CLASS STARTS • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$70/SESSION • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$140/SESSION



## YOUTH TENNIS

Have fun while learning the basics of tennis! Players will be arranged on the courts according to age and skill level.

In case of inclement weather, class will be in the Tennis House. [Rackets are available to borrow from the Tennis House.](#)

**DATE:** SESSION I: MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 16—JULY 2 • SESSION II: MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, JULY 7—23 • SESSION III: MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, AUG. 4—20 • **AGE/TIME:** AGES 4—6; 8—9 A.M. • AGES 7—10; 9—10 A.M. • AGES 11—14; 10—11 A.M.  
**LOCATION:** SANBORN PARK COURTS, 1919 SANBORN ST.  
**REGISTER BY:** WEEK BEFORE CLASS STARTS • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$70/SESSION • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$140/SESSION



# Discovery City Children's Museum special events...

Discover fun and hands-on learning at Discovery City in Port Huron. More info: [www.discoverycityph.com](http://www.discoverycityph.com)



## Sensory Friendly Sundays

Discovery City Children's Museum offers additional tools and support to create a welcoming and comfortable learning environment for families and children of all abilities. During Sensory Friendly Mondays, admission is limited to ensure a more quiet and spacious setting with dimmed lights and quiet play equipment. Sensory bags are also available with noise-canceling headphones, weighted vests, sunglasses, sensory touch tiles, fidgets, and emotions/feelings cards.

An adult must accompany and attend class with the child. Registration includes both a child and one adult. Please register under the child's name.

**Ages:** All ages, and an adult

**Date:** Sundays, June 1, June 29, Aug. 3 and Sept. 7

**Time:** 10-11 a.m.

**Location:** Discovery City Children's Museum, 317 Grand River Ave.

**Rate:** \$5

**Register by:** Week before class

## Craft Lab

Discovery City Children's Museum's Craft Labs are perfect for little artists to explore their imagination while learning. All materials will be provided, and our friendly staff will guide children through the weekly Tuesday activity from 2-3 p.m.. The Craft Lab is free for members, or is included with Museum admission. Activities rotate weekly for this ongoing, drop-in program. For more info, visit [www.discoverycityph.com/event-list](http://www.discoverycityph.com/event-list).

## Discovery Lab

Join Discovery City Children's Museum for an exciting and interactive time at Discovery Lab at 2 p.m. every Thursday. Discovery Labs are designed to spark curiosity, creativity, and hands-on learning with STEM activities. Discovery Lab is free for members, or is included with Museum admission. Activities rotate weekly for this ongoing, drop-in program. For more info visit [www.discoverycityph.com/event-list](http://www.discoverycityph.com/event-list).

## Toddler Time

Age appropriate activities helping children develop physical, cognitive and social skills as they play with other children their age. This program is great for parents/guardians wanting to socialize their child before they attend child care or elementary school.

An adult must accompany and attend class with the child. Registration includes both a child and one adult. Please register under the child's name.

**Ages:** 1-3, and an adult

**Date:** Ongoing, third Monday every month, May 19, June 16, July 21, Aug. 18, Sept. 15, etc.

**Time:** 10-11 a.m.

**Location:** Discovery City Children's Museum, 317 Grand River Ave.

**Rate:** \$5

**Register by:** Week before class

**Hours:** New summer hours start May 26! For hours, please visit [www.discoverycityph.com/visit](http://www.discoverycityph.com/visit). Additionally, Discovery City is closed on Sunday, May 11 and the week of July 4.

## THE ARTS

### MEET AT THE BEACH SERIES

Spend a day at Lakeside Beach relaxing while creating with artist, Cindy Badley. Find treasures on the beach for use in the Wire Wrapped Pendant, Make A Wish Bottles and Mini Zen Garden-Beach Styles programs. Make your own artistic versions of the three varied classes.

These classes will meet at the south (smaller) pavilion at Lakeside Beach at 3670 Gratiot Avenue. Beach parking fee will be waived at the parking booth. If inclement weather, class will be moved to Palmer Park Recreation Center and Cindy will bring the beach to you!

**Ages 9 or younger must be accompanied by an adult for all art classes.**



NEW!

### WISH BOTTLES

Fill your bottle with magic and items from the beach: sand, glitter, fossils, stones, beach and glass. Then, wrap the bottle with woven mesh to hang around your neck or somewhere special as a reminder of your beach adventure. **NEW!**

**AGES:** 14 OR OLDER

**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, AUG. 13

**RESIDENT RATE:** \$25

**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50

**TIME:** 6-8 P.M.

**LOCATION:** LAKESIDE BEACH

PAVILION, 3670 GRATIOT AVE.

**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, AUG. 6



NEW!

### WIRE WRAPPED PENDANT

Make a wearable pendant accentuating your new talent-wire wrapping. We will wrap the same item to start; then, try the wrapping technique on something found at the beach. The basic technique can be repeated with various stones as you hone your practice. **NEW!**



**AGES:** 14 OR OLDER

**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, AUG. 6

**RESIDENT RATE:** \$25

**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50

**TIME:** 6-7:30 P.M.

**LOCATION:** LAKESIDE BEACH

PAVILION, 3670 GRATIOT AVE.

**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, JULY 30



NEW!

### MINI ZEN GARDEN-BEACH STYLE

Enjoy Port Huron's beautiful shoreline with relaxing waves and warm sunshine while you gather sand and rocks to beautify your personal zen garden. Tray and rake included. You may bring 1 inch decorations to add. **NEW!**

**AGES:** ALL AGES

**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, AUG. 20

**RESIDENT RATE:** \$20

**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$40

**TIME:** 5:30-6:30 P.M.

**LOCATION:** LAKESIDE BEACH

PAVILION, 3670 GRATIOT AVE.

**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, AUG. 13





**NEW!**

## FREEFORM MOSAICS

Explore the world of mosaics! Relax and create from your soul with guidance from instructor, Cindy. Cindy has commissioned many mosaics and taught for years. Projects will be grouted and ready for pickup July 9. (This project uses glass.) **NEW!**

**AGES:** 10 OR OLDER  
**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$25  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50

**TIME:** 2:30—4 P.M. OR 6—7:30 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** PALMER PARK PAVILION,  
2829 ARMOUR ST.  
**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18



**NEW!**

## SHRINKY DINK NATURE NECKLACE

The Recreation Department is bringing the '80s back with Shrinky Dinks! Have fun creating and coloring your design; then, watch the magic happen as your art shrinks to a wearable size. **NEW!**

**AGES:** ALL AGES  
**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, JULY 9  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$15  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$30

**TIME:** 1:30—3 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, JULY 2



**NEW!**

## MAGNETS OF NATURE

Make a design with ink, paint or paper and transfer the design onto a glass gem or a rock from the beautiful beach. The gems and rocks will have a magnet attached to the back. Simple project for all ages! **NEW!**

**AGES:** ALL AGES  
**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, JULY 9  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$10  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$20

**TIME:** 3:30—4 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, JULY 2



**NEW!**

## CLAY PLANT MUSHIES

If you love creating with clay, how about some instant gratification? Make clay mushrooms with stakes to add to your fairy gardens or mini scapes, or save them to use in our upcoming Mini Mossy Garden program on Aug. 27! **NEW!**



**AGES:** 14 OR OLDER  
**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, JULY 9  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$25  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50

**TIME:** 6—8 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, JULY 2



**NEW!**

## WATERCOLOR MUSHIE

This is a beginner watercolor adventure for anyone who loves nature and vibrant colors! For those who don't know how to draw, Cindy will create a mushroom image for you to trace and paint. **NEW!**

**AGES:** 14 OR OLDER  
**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, JULY 16  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$25  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50

**TIME:** 6—8 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, JULY 9



**NEW!**

## MINI MOSSY GARDEN

Create a mossy scape to admire. We'll start with a base and then add moss, stones, crystals and wood to make a natural work of art. You may choose to bring your own tiny decorations or add your recently made Clay Plant Mushies from class on July 9. **NEW!**

**AGES:** 14 OR OLDER  
**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, AUG. 27  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$25  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$50

**TIME:** 6—7:30 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** WEDNESDAY, AUG. 20



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# THE ARTS

NEW!

## VASE DECORATING

Join our painting, bracelet and acrylic pours instructor, Kara, as she teaches participants how to decorate a vase with tissue paper and other miscellaneous art supplies. Use your finished project as a vase for flowers or as a utensil holder! **NEW!**



**AGES:** 5 OR OLDER  
**DATE:** SATURDAY, MAY 31  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$20  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$40

**TIME:** 11 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** FRIDAY, MAY 23



Children 9 or younger must be accompanied by an adult.



## BEACH SCENE ACRYLIC POUR

Have fun while learning an alternative way to use acrylic paint! Create a beach oasis on a 11x14 inch canvas and decorate your piece with sand, shells and rocks. Artwork must remain at the Recreation Center for 48 hours to dry before it can be taken home, and artwork must be picked up within a week of class.

**AGES:** 7 OR OLDER  
**DATE:** SATURDAY, JUNE 21  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$45  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$90

**TIME:** 11 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, JUNE 16

Children 9 or younger must be accompanied by an adult.

NEW!

## SUNSET CACTUS PAINT ALONG WITH KARA

Watch, learn and paint along with Kara as she teaches participants how to paint their very own sunset cactus masterpiece with acrylic paints. All materials are provided. Paintings are done on an 8x10 inch canvas. **NEW!**

**AGES:** 5 OR OLDER  
**DATE:** SATURDAY, JULY 26  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$30  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$60

**TIME:** 11 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, JULY 21



Children 9 or younger must be accompanied by an adult.



## BRACELET MAKING

Join our acrylic pours instructor, Kara, as she teaches participants how to make two beaded bracelets with various colors and charms! Use your creativity as you build bracelets that are unique to you, or make them for a friend.

**AGES:** 5 OR OLDER  
**DATE:** SATURDAY, AUG. 16  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$20  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$40

**TIME:** 11 A.M. TO NOON  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, AUG. 11



## CREATIVE MOVEMENT

This exciting class blends the magic of childhood creativity with movement and principles of ballet. Dancers will learn how to plie', tendu' and passe'. **Please wear leotards, tights and ballet shoes or solid T-shirt, fitted black pants and ballet shoes.**

**AGES:** 3—4  
**DATE:** MONDAYS, JUNE 9—AUG. 25  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$72  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$140

**TIME:** 3:45—4:30 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, JUNE 9



## BALLET AND TAP COMBO

Learn the basics of two different dance styles—preballet and tap. Dancers will practice tempo, learn to count music and shuffle. **Please wear leotards, tights and ballet shoes or solid T-shirt, fitted black pants and ballet shoes.**

**AGES:** 5—6  
**DATE:** MONDAYS, JUNE 9—AUG. 25  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$84  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$160

**TIME:** 4:45—5:45 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, JUNE 9

## BEGINNER JAZZ

Learn jazz basics and technique through strength and flexibility exercises, floor progressions and choreography. **Please wear leotard, tights and ballet shoes or solid t-shirt, fitted black pants and ballet shoes. Jazz shoes optional.**

**AGES:** 7—8  
**DATE:** MONDAYS, JUNE 9—AUG. 25  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$84  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$160

**TIME:** 5:45—6:45 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, JUNE 9



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## IRISH DANCE

This class is open to children and adults who want to learn the basics of Irish dancing while having fun and socializing! No previous experience is required. Dancers will learn a variety of Irish dance styles taught by Shannon Irish Dance Academy. **Please wear comfortable/athletic clothes, gym shoes, and bring water! No class on Friday, July 4.**

**AGES:** 3 OR OLDER  
**DATE:** FRIDAYS, JUNE 20—AUG. 15  
**RESIDENT RATE:** \$80  
**NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$160

**TIME:** 6—7 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** UPSTAIRS,  
RECREATION CENTER  
**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, JUNE 9





# AQUATIC PROGRAMS

## DISCOVERY GUARD

AGES 10–15

SESSION I: MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 16–JULY 10 • 9–9:45 A.M.

SESSION II: MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, JULY 21–AUG. 14. • 9–9:45 A.M.

SANBORN POOL, 1919 SANBORN ST.

Want to be a lifeguard someday? Start learning what it takes to be a lifeguard now! Participants will learn basic injury care, emergency protocol, water safety skills and swim endurance.

**THIS CLASS DOES NOT MAKE YOU CPR, FIRST AID, AED OR LIFEGUARD CERTIFIED, it is only intended to prepare you for future lifeguard training and testing.**

**REGISTER BY:** SESSION I: MONDAY, JUNE 2 • SESSION II: MONDAY, JULY 7 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$40/SESSION • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$80/SESSION

## LEARN TO SAIL

AGES 18 OR OLDER

AGES 13–17, ATTEND WITH A PARTICIPATING ADULT

TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS, JUNE 5–JULY 1 • 6–8 P.M.

PORT HURON YACHT CLUB, 212 QUAY ST.



Instructed by Port Huron Yacht Club (PHYC) sailing experts, participants will learn basic knots, sailing terms, fundamentals of wind and weather, parts of the boat and more.

Each class consists of 30 minutes of lecture followed by 1.5 hours of practice on the water. Class meets in the ballroom at the PHYC.

**REGISTER BY:** THURSDAY, MAY 29 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$50 • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$100

NEW!

## WATER VOLLEYBALL

AGES 18 OR OLDER

SATURDAYS, JUNE 21–AUG. 9 • 1–2 P.M.

SANBORN POOL, 1919 SANBORN ST.

Gather a team of 6 friends and come play water volleyball on Saturday afternoons! Get some exercise and stay cool while enjoying this fun, competitive sport in the pool. Teams do not have to participate every Saturday. **NEW!**

**REGISTER BY:** WEEK BEFORE • **RATE:** \$30/TEAM PER DAY

## WATER POLO

AGES 10 OR OLDER

SESSION I: MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 16–JULY 9 • 12–12:45 P.M.

SESSION II: MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS, JULY 21–AUG. 13 • 12–12:45 P.M.

SANBORN POOL, 1919 SANBORN ST.

Learn the basics of water polo, such as offensive and defensive strategies, passing and shooting the ball. Players will learn water polo in a safe and fun atmosphere motivating kids to swim and stay fit. **Players should be able to swim safely across the pool and back.**

**REGISTER BY:** SESSION I: MONDAY, JUNE 2 • SESSION II: MONDAY, JULY 7 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$40/SESSION • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$80/SESSION

## PORT HURON SWIM TEAM

AGES 8 OR OLDER

MONDAYS–THURSDAYS, JUNE 16–AUG. 7 • 8–9 A.M.

SANBORN POOL, 1919 SANBORN ST.

Swim in a fun and competitive environment. Trained coaches work to improve swimmers' skill level, endurance and to promote a healthy lifestyle. All participants must swim one length of the pool (any stroke) to join the swim team.

**No swim meet on Independence Day, Friday, July 4.**

**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, JUNE 9 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$80 • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$160

## AMERICAN RED CROSS LIFEGUARD TRAINING

AGES 15 OR OLDER

JUNE 2–6 • 4–9 P.M. AND  
SATURDAY, JUNE 7 • 9 A.M. TO 1 P.M.

SANBORN POOL, 1919 SANBORN ST.

Learn how to effectively prevent and respond to water emergencies with American Red Cross lifeguard training. Designed to equip students with skills and knowledge to prepare for a variety of scenarios in and around the water, our training teaches how quick response times and effective preparation are vital. Students will learn how to help prevent drownings and injuries.

**Must be at least 15 years old by the last day of class and must pass a precourse swimming skills test on the first day of class before continuing lifeguard training.**

Please bring a bathing suit, towel and dry clothing for classroom activities.

**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, MAY 26 • **CITY OF PORT HURON LIFEGUARD RATE:** FREE • **RATE:** \$300

## DISCOVER SCUBA

AGES 10 OR OLDER

SESSION I: FRIDAY, JUNE 20 • 12–2 P.M.

SESSION II: FRIDAY, JULY 18 • 12–2 P.M.

SESSION III: FRIDAY, JULY 25 • 12–2 P.M.

SESSION IV: FRIDAY, AUG. 1 • 12–2 P.M.

SANBORN POOL, 1919 SANBORN ST.

Learn the basics of what it takes to become SCUBA certified in this one-day class, taught by professional diver and SCUBA instructor: Bruce Diver. This class will consist of learning equipment operation, SCUBA safety and taking your first dive.

After class, those interested in signing up for the official SCUBA certification class with Bruce can sign up on-the-spot.

**Please bring snorkel, mask, fins and swimsuit. Registration is only available in person at the Palmer Park Rec Center.**

For ages under 18, a parent or legal guardian must remain in attendance for the duration of class and sign a waiver.

**Adults 40 or older must pass and present the required SCUBA physical signed by a physician.** Physical forms will be given with registration receipt. Completed physicals must be dropped off at the Rec Center or emailed to recclerk@porthuron.org prior to the start of class.

**REGISTER BY:** SESSION I: FRIDAY, JUNE 13 • SESSION III: FRIDAY, JULY 18 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$85/SESSION • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$170/SESSION  
SESSION II: FRIDAY, JULY 11 • SESSION IV: FRIDAY, JULY 25



## DOG DAY AT THE POOL

AGES 14 OR OLDER

SATURDAY, AUG. 16 • 12–2 P.M.

SANBORN POOL, 1919 SANBORN ST.

Celebrate the dog days of summer with your dog at Sanborn Pool! **Dogs must be dog (and people) friendly.** Canines must be spayed or neutered, have a rabies vaccine and we strongly suggest Distemper/Parvo and Bordetella vaccines. Owners must have written proof of vaccinations at the event–dog tags do not count. **Dogs will not be permitted in the pool without verification.**

**Swimming with dogs is not permitted.**

**REGISTER BY:** MONDAY, AUG. 9 • **RESIDENT RATE:** \$5 • **NONRESIDENT RATE:** \$10





SANBORN POOL SWIM LESSONS

RESIDENT RATE: \$40/SESSION  
NONRESIDENT RATE: \$80/SESSION

SESSION I:  
DATES: JUNE 16—JULY 10  
REGISTER BY: MONDAY, JUNE 2

SESSION II:  
DATES: JULY 21—AUG. 14  
REGISTER BY: MONDAY, JULY 7

CLASS	DESCRIPTION	PREREQUISITE	MON./WED. CLASSES	TUES./THURS. CLASSES
TINY TOTS	This class is designed for one adult and one infant and uses songs and games to encourage little ones to become more comfortable in the water. Children will be introduced to getting their face wet, blowing bubbles, kicking their legs and pulling with their arms. Tiny Tots consists of 25 minutes of instructional time and 5 minutes of free play.	Enroll in this class if your child is... -Ages 6 months to 3 years	12-12:30 p.m. 12:30-1 p.m.	12-12:30 p.m. 12:30-1 p.m.
TOTS	Tots class helps kids develop confidence and comfort in the water as they move from swimming with parents and instructors to just instructors. Participants will learn how to enter and exit the pool safely, blow bubbles, put their face in the water, back float with assistance, and begin to paddle with support. Instructors use games and songs to help teach these skills in a fun way!		9-9:30 a.m. 9:30-10 a.m. 12-12:30 p.m. 3:15-3:45 p.m. 3:45-4:15 p.m. 4:30-5 p.m.	9-9:30 a.m. 9:30-10 a.m. 12-12:30 p.m.
BEGINNER	Beginner class builds confidence in the pool and helps kids become more comfortable with going underwater. Songs and games are used to make learning new skills a fun, stress-free experience!	Enroll in this class if your child can already... -Enter and exit pool safely -Blow bubbles with face in water -Front and back float with support -Holding noodle and kicking legs on front -Holding noodle and kicking legs on back	10:15-10:45 a.m. 10:45-11:15 a.m. 11:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. 2-2:30 p.m. 2:30-3 p.m. 5-5:30 p.m.	10:15-10:45 a.m. 10:45-11:15 a.m. 11:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.
INTRO TO BIG POOL	In our Intro to the Big Pool class, we work to build a stronger foundation of swim skills to help kids feel more confident in the pool. This class is held in the big pool, where kids will stand on platforms if they can't touch.	Enroll in this class if your child can already... -Safely enter and exit pool -Submerge entire head and blow bubbles -Front and back float with little support -Front and back glide with little support -Hold a noodle and flutter kick -Front crawl motion with arms with noodle support	9-9:45 a.m. 10-10:45 a.m. 11-11:45 a.m. 12-12:45 p.m. 2-2:45 p.m. 3-3:45 p.m. 4-4:45 p.m. 5-5:45 p.m.	9-9:45 a.m. 10-10:45 a.m. 11-11:45 a.m. 12-12:45 p.m.
INTERMEDIATE I	Intermediate Level I, previously known as Advanced Beginner, is for kids who are comfortable in the water. Participants will build endurance in this class, working toward the goal of swimming one full length of the pool on their own.	Enroll in this class if your child can already... -Submerge head under water and blow bubbles -Retrieve an object off the bottom of pool -Front float -Back float -Streamline front and back -Flutter kick with board -Front crawl	9-9:45 a.m. 10-10:45 a.m. 11-11:45 a.m. 12-12:45 p.m. 2-2:45 p.m. 3-3:45 p.m. 4-4:45 p.m. 5-5:45 p.m.	9-9:45 a.m. 10-10:45 a.m. 11-11:45 a.m. 12-12:45 p.m.
INTERMEDIATE II	Intermediate Level II, previously known as Intermediate, is for kids who are able to swim entirely on their own, but would like to strengthen their strokes and build further upon their foundation of basic swim skills.	Enroll in this class if your child can already... -Jump into deep water and return to the side of the pool -Bob in and out of water while holding onto the side of the pool -Swim front crawl - 20 feet -Swim on back - 20 feet -Push off into streamline -Back float - 30 seconds -Hold breath, swim to the bottom of the pool and pick up three objects	9-9:45 a.m. 10-10:45 a.m. 11-11:45 a.m. 2-2:45 p.m. 3-3:45 p.m. 4-4:45 p.m. 5-5:45 p.m.	9-9:45 a.m. 10-10:45 a.m. 11-11:45 a.m.
ELITE	Elite Swimmer, formerly Swimmer and Advanced Swimmer, is for kids who can swim independently, but want to refine stroke techniques and build endurance to swim longer distances. Swimmers will work toward swimming 50-100 yards and are introduced to new strokes, such as elementary back stroke.	Enroll in this class if your child can already... -Front crawl 25 yards with an open turn -Back stroke 25 yards with an open turn -Breast stroke 20 yards -Feet first surface dive -Head first surface dive -Dive off diving board, recover and swim to the side of the pool -Tread water for two minutes -Touch bottom of the diving tank	10-10:45 a.m. 11-11:45 a.m. 2-2:45 p.m. 3-3:45 p.m.	10-10:45 a.m. 11-11:45 a.m.



SUPPORT RECREATION!

Port Huron Rec is looking for community partners to help provide quality programming. Here's how you can help...

•SPONSOR A CHILD: Provide a donation that goes towards helping kids access our programs.

•BUSINESS SPONSORSHIP: If you own a business, why not partner with the Rec? We offer ad packages that benefit you, while your funds benefit our programs and the local youth participating in them.



If your business or organization is interested in sponsoring or partnering with the Recreation Department, please email Kati Gardner at [gardnerk@porthuron.org](mailto:gardnerk@porthuron.org) or call 810.984.9760.

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MERMAID CLASS

AGES 13 OR OLDER SANBORN POOL, 1919 SANBORN ST.

Exchange your legs for a bright, colorful mermaid tail in this fantasy-inspired class! Participants slip into their very own tail and learn to swim as gracefully as a mermaid. Be warned, it isn't as easy as it looks!

Mermaid swimming is a core-centric exercise, and in this class, participants will build core strength, coordination and stamina while enjoying a low-impact workout in a creative way.

Please bring goggles. Bring your own mermaid tail with a monofin or borrow one for \$30/session.

DATE: SESSION I: TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS, JUNE 17—JULY 10  
SESSION II: TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS, JULY 22—AUG. 14  
TIME: 12—12:45 P.M.  
REGISTER BY: SESSION I: MONDAY, JUNE 2 • SESSION II: MONDAY, JULY 7  
RESIDENT RATE: \$40/SESSION • NONRESIDENT RATE: \$80/SESSION  
BORROW TAIL RATE: ADDITIONAL \$30/SESSION





## SENIOR PICNIC

AGES 60 OR OLDER

PINE GROVE PARK PAVILION,  
1204 PINE GROVE AVE.

Join the Council on Aging Inc., serving St. Clair County and Port Huron Parks and Recreation for a senior picnic on Tuesday, July 8. Ages 60 or older can enjoy the company of friends and live music at the beautiful Pine Grove Park from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.. Lunch will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.. Please bring a lawn chair.

For cancellations due to inclement weather, tune in to your local radio station or call the Recreation Department at 984-9760. Rain date is Tuesday, July 15. **FREE!**

**DATE:** TUESDAY, JULY 8  
**LUNCH SERVED:** 11:30 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.  
**REGISTER AT:** PINE GROVE PARK STARTING AT 11 A.M.  
**RATE:** FREE FOR AGES 60 OR OLDER



## WETLAND WANDERINGS

ALL AGES

BLUE WATER RIVER  
WALK COUNTY PARK.  
2200 MILITARY ST.

Explore the St. Clair River shoreline with Friends of the St. Clair River! You'll learn how this unique landscape has been transformed from industrial wasteland to thriving wetlands. Dig into the freshwater ponds and hunt for aquatic wildlife that give us clues about water quality. All tools and materials provided.

Children must be accompanied by an adult. Brought to us by Friends of the St. Clair River. For more info, email [melissa@scriver.org](mailto:melissa@scriver.org).

Please meet at the pavilion at Blue Water River Walk County Park. Parking is available at the bottom of the hill, near the Bean Dock, by the south end of the River Walk **FREE!**

**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18 OR WEDNESDAY, AUG. 20  
**TIME:** 6-7 P.M.  
**REGISTER AT:** DAY BEFORE EVENT  
**RATE:** FREE



## PALMER PARK REC CENTER GROUPS/CLUBS

### BELLES, WOMEN'S EUCBRE

This euchre card group meets on Thursdays at 12:30 p.m. at the Palmer Park Recreation Center. Prior knowledge of euchre is required. Please bring \$1 in cash to play.

### FUN BEGINNER BRIDGE

Men and women, of all skill levels, interested in improving their bridge card skills and playing a friendly game may join this bridge card group. This group focuses on bidding and play strategy. This group meets from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Mondays at the Palmer Park Recreation Center. Ages 18 or older may join. Please bring \$1 in cash to play.

### CHESS CLUB

All ages are welcome to play chess with the Port Huron Chess Club on Thursdays at the Palmer Park Recreation Center! **FIRST THURSDAY EVERY MONTH:** Instruction session from 6:30-7:30 p.m., followed by open play until 10 p.m. **REMAINING THURSDAYS:** Tournament and casual play from 6:30-10 p.m.

Membership is required for tournament play and special events. If individuals do not wish to participate in tournaments or special events they are welcome to free open play during this time. **FREE!**

**ADULT MEMBERSHIP RATE:** \$30/YEAR  
**18 OR YOUNGER MEMBERSHIP RATE:** \$15/YEAR

### SENIOR LUNCHES

The Palmer Park Recreation Center is a congregate meal site for the Council on Aging, Inc., serving St. Clair County. Lunches are served at 11:30 a.m. Monday through Friday. A \$2.50 donation is suggested for ages 60 or older. For individuals under 60, lunches are \$4.50.

Registration is necessary through the Council on Aging, Inc., serving St. Clair County at 810.982.4400.



### AMERICAN SEWING GUILD (ASG)

Founded in 1978, the American Sewing Guild (ASG) is a national nonprofit dedicated to promoting and preserving the sewing arts and providing support for sewing enthusiasts. The Port Huron chapter of the ASG is a subchapter of the ASG greater Detroit chapter. Meetings are held once a month on Saturdays at the Palmer Park Recreation Center and consist of a new topic each meeting where members will learn a new skill for practice at home.

For membership rates or for more info, please contact Diane at [drutkofske@sbcglobal.net](mailto:drutkofske@sbcglobal.net) or at 810.388.9252.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

### LAKE SIDE BEACH CLEANUP

Join Friends of the St. Clair River on Sept. 20 to help remove debris and trash from Lakeside Beach. A meeting time and additional details will be determined at a later date. **FREE!**

### JUNIOR RECREATORS

This youth volunteer program, with the help of the James C. Acheson Foundation, is open to ages 12-15 who are looking to gain job skills and experience by volunteering in their community. Applications are available online starting May 1. Spaces for this program fill quickly. Apply early to secure your spot. **FREE!**

### PINE GROVE POLLINATOR PROJECT

Learn how to attract butterflies and other pollinators with native plants and sustainable gardening for use in your garden! Join Friends of the St. Clair River for drop-in workdays to help maintain and transform the Pine Grove Park gardens into beautiful flower beds that double as certified monarch way stations. These workdays include info on how to support wildlife, pollinator habitat and water quality.

All ages are welcome, but children must be accompanied by an adult. Meet at the Blue Star Memorial near the Pine Grove Park parking lot. No prior experience required! Bring gloves and gardening tools or borrow ours. For more info, email [brooke@scriver.org](mailto:brooke@scriver.org). **FREE!**

**AGES:** ALL AGES **LOCATION:** PINE GROVE PARK, 1204 PINE GROVE AVE.

**•CLEAN-UP:** SATURDAY, MAY 3 **TIME:** 9 A.M. TO NOON  
**•PLANTING:** SATURDAY, MAY 17 **REGISTER BY:** DAY BEFORE EVENT

**•WEEKLY WORKDAYS:** THURSDAYS, EVERY OTHER WEEK  
MAY 29-OCT. 29 **TIME:** 10 A.M. TO NOON  
**REGISTER BY:** NO REGISTRATION NEEDED



## ROCKIN' THE RIVERS IS MOVING!

Rockin' The Rivers concerts are the place to be on summer nights! Bring your blankets or lawn chairs and meet at McMorran Place Plaza for free music. Food and beverages will be available for purchase.

**AUG. 7:** SOUL XPRESS  
**AUG. 14:** DIRT ROAD TO NOWHERE  
**AUG. 21:** SUNSET BLVD.  
**AUG. 28:** STONE BLOSSOMS

**AGES:** ALL AGES  
**TIME:** 7 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** MCMORRAN PLACE PLAZA,  
701 MCMORRAN BLVD.







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