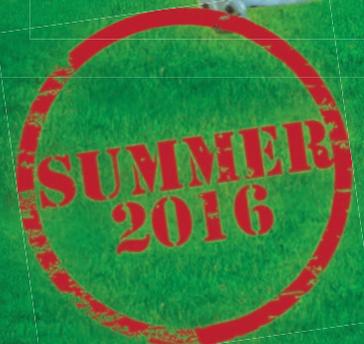
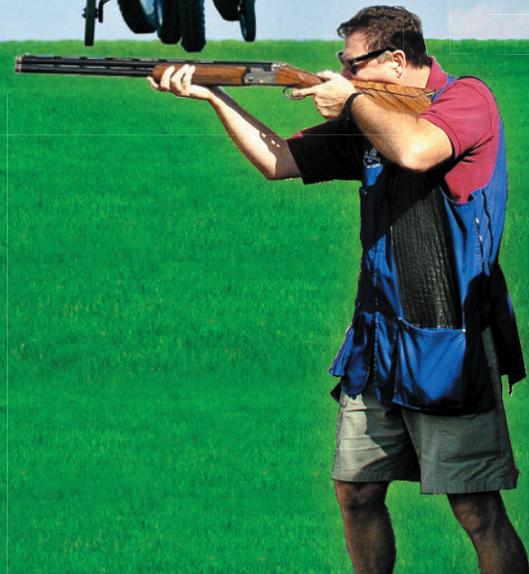


GRAND ISLAND PARKS AND RECREATION

Putting the stamp on
your summer fun!



PROGRAM REGISTRATION

April 2 - June 3

Register Online at:

www.grand-island.com/recreation

*Online registration closes
at 5:00 pm on June 3.*

June 6 - July 22

Walk-in Registration at:

**Parks & Recreation Office
City Hall, 100 East 1st Street**

**Online registration is
recommended because of the
popularity and
limited space in summer
youth programs.**

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Park Maintenance Shop.....	(308) 385-5426
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Lincoln Pool.....	(308) 385-5458
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Jackrabbit Run Maintenance Shop.....	(308) 385-5342
Cemetery Office.....	(308) 385-5359
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YOUTH ACTIVITIES CONTACTS

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www.gigirlssoftball.org	(308) 379-0181
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Heartland Soccer Club.....	www.giheartlandsoccer.com

KINDER KAMP



\$10
PER CHILD
PER SESSION

For 3½ to 6 years of age

Sports, games, arts, crafts and special events are all included in this program. Sessions are two weeks in length and meet Monday through Friday. Drop-off and pick-up locations are at the following parks:

- Stolley Park Wading Pool
- George Park Northwest Picnic Shelter
- Grace Abbott Band Stand

You must pre-register your child for each camp they participate in. Minimum number of campers is 8.

All Camp Members Must Be Potty Trained. Campers are encouraged to bring a small snack and drink each day.

FIRST SESSION

Monday through Friday, June 13 - 24

Stolley Park	10 am - 12 pm
George Park	10 am - 12 pm
Grace Abbott Park	10 am - 12 pm

SECOND SESSION

Monday through Friday, June 27 - July 8

Stolley Park	10 am - 12 pm
George Park	10 am - 12 pm
Grace Abbott Park	10 am - 12 pm

THIRD SESSION

Monday through Friday, July 11 - 22

Stolley Park	10 am - 12 pm
George Park	10 am - 12 pm

FOURTH SESSION

Monday through Friday, July 25 - August 5

Stolley Park	10 am - 12 pm
George Park	10 am - 12 pm

PLAYGROUND PALS



\$10
PER CHILD
PER SESSION

For 7 to 12 years of age

Sports, games, arts, crafts and special events are all included in this program. Sessions are two weeks in length and meet Monday through Friday. Drop-off and pick-up locations are at the following parks:

- Stolley Park Wading Pool
- George Park Northwest Picnic Shelter

Campers are encouraged to bring a small snack and drink each day.

FIRST SESSION

Monday through Friday, June 13 - 24

George Park	1:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Stolley Park	1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

SECOND SESSION

Monday through Friday, June 27 - July 8

Stolley Park	1:00 pm - 3:30 pm
George Park	1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

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June 6 - July 22 at: Parks & Recreation Office, City Hall (100 East, 1st Street): Walk-ins Only**

ONE & TWO WEEK CAMPS



EXPLORE ARCHERY CAMP

After seeing the movie 'Hunger Games', do you have an interest in trying the sport of archery? Come explore archery with

the Grand Island Parks and Recreation Department in this one week camp! "Explore Archery" is a versatile archery education program that is fun, rewarding, progressive, and most important - safe! Equipment will be provided or you can bring your own. Don't miss out on this great fun filled opportunity! The camp will fill up quickly so register soon!

For more information contact Jeremy at 308-389-0298 or jeremyb@grand-island.com.

Dates: Tuesday - Friday, June 6 - 10

Ages: 7 - 10 Time: 10 am - 12 pm Fee: \$50

Ages: 11 - 15 Time: 1 pm - 3 pm Fee: \$50

Place: Heartland Public Shooting Park

TERRIFIC TEAMWORK



This NEW one-week camp will focus on teamwork and the importance of working together to complete an objective. 'Terrific Teamwork' will include a variety of sports, games and activities that teach and reinforce the importance of working cooperatively toward a shared goal! Participants should leave this camp truly understanding the phrase "There is no I in TEAM".

Dates: Monday - Friday, June 6 - 10

Ages: 7 - 10 Time: 10 am - 12 pm Fee: \$25

Ages: 11 - 15 Time: 1 pm - 3 pm Fee: \$25

Place: Stolley Park

MAD SCIENTIST'S WEEK

We've expanded one of our most popular programs into a



week-long adventure! Get ready for some wild and messy creations in this science workshop! Participants will get the opportunity to try out a variety of science experiments and will dive head-first into amazing

projects. This should fill quickly, don't wait!.

Dates: Monday - Friday, June 13 - 17

Ages: 7 - 10 Time: 10 am - 12 pm Fee: \$30

Ages: 11 - 15 Time: 1 pm - 3 pm Fee: \$30

Place: Stolley Park Sweet Tooth Shoppe

OUTDOOR ADVENTURES CAMP

Participants will get first-hand experience as they find out how fun outdoor activities can be! Each day, campers will experience activities such as camping, hiking, nature identification, bike riding and other outdoor sports. Campers will meet at L.E. Ray Park at the first parking area/picnic shelter each day.

Dates: Monday - Friday, July 11 - July 22

Time: 1 pm - 3:30 pm Place: L.E. Ray Park

Ages: 8 - 14 Fee: \$25

ISLAND RATS CAMP

Summer Camp at Island Oasis!

Keep cool this summer with the Playground Program staff. Campers will spend each day at the water park and will participate in activities including crafts, special aquatic games and sand volleyball. Lifeguards and playground staff will team-up to teach water safety skills and participants will get a "behind the scenes" look at some of their favorite water park attractions. Drop-off/pick-up location is the grass area next to the the main entrance. Fee for the two-week session is \$75. Season pass holders may register at a reduced cost of \$35.00.

Dates: Monday - Friday, June 20 - July 1

Time: 1 pm - 4 pm Place: Island Oasis Water Park

Ages: 8 - 14 Fee: \$75 (Season Pass Holders \$35)

2016 GRAND ISLAND YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES

Just in time for the 2016 Olympic Games, this NEW program will give participants from our community the opportunity to experience the fun and competition of such a grand event. Participants will be immersed in a spectacle that will provide a substantial amount of education, recreation, and most importantly FUN! Don't miss out!



Date: Monday - Friday, July 25 - August 5

Time: 1 pm - 4 pm Place: Stolley Park

Ages: 11 - 15 Fee: \$25

HOW TO REGISTER

Online Registration Available April 2 - June 3.

To register, go to:

www.grand-island.com/recreation

SUMMER MENTOR PROGRAM

This program provides teenagers the opportunity to gain great experience as a mentor for the youth participating in our summer activities! Mentors will provide supervision and assistance with a variety of camps, and will be responsible for their own unique activity during our Friday Funday! For more information, contact Steve at stevefa@grand-island.com

FATHERS AND SONS

Time for the boys to be boys - this camp will give both fathers and sons a unique bonding experience!

Date: *Wednesday, June 22* **Time:** *10 am - 12 pm*
Place: *Stolley Park Sweet Tooth Shoppe*
Ages: *4 - 8* **Fee:** *\$10*

JEWELRY WORKSHOP

Try out a variety of jewelry making styles, everything from beads to natural fiber jewelry. Design something that fits you.

Date: *Thursday, June 23* **Time:** *10 am - 12 pm*
Place: *Stolley Park Sweet Tooth Shoppe*
Ages: *7 - 12* **Fee:** *\$10*

ROCKETS

Blast off!!! Come build your own rocket. Decorate it, make it yours, then watch it fly into the sky. Time will vary for this project. We will finish once all rockets have been ignited.

1st Date: *Friday, June 24* **Time:** *9:30 am - 12 pm*
2nd Date: *Thursday, July 14* **Time:** *1 pm - 3:30 pm*
Place: *Stolley Park Sweet Tooth Shoppe*
Ages: *9 - 14* **Fee:** *\$10*

CREATE YOUR OWN BOARD GAME

Check out this unique program that's sure to entertain your family and friends for years to come! Participants will use their own creativity and assistance from our Playground Program Staff to come up with a new family favorite for Board Game Night. Participants should bring pictures of family, friends, pets, interests and anything else to help make their board game as one-of-a-kind as possible!

Date: *Tuesday, June 21* **Time:** *10 am - 12 pm*
Place: *Stolley Park Sweet Tooth Shoppe*
Ages: *7-12* **Fee:** *\$10*

DINOSAUR DAY

Is there anything cooler than DINOSAURS?! Participants will be immersed in a prehistoric experience that includes unique crafts, fun group games and even a dig for dinosaur bones!

Date: *Wednesday, June 29* **Time:** *10 am - 12 pm*
Place: *George Park*
Ages: *7 - 12* **Fee:** *\$10*



PRINCESS FOR A DAY PROGRAM

Don't miss your chance to dress up in your favorite dress and join us for this royal "tea" party! Participants will make a tiara craft and have a lesson in manners before a snack fit for a princess.

1st Date: *Monday, June 20* **Time:** *10 am - 12 pm*
2nd Date: *Wednesday, July 13* **Time:** *1 pm - 3 pm*
Place: *Stolley Park Sweet Tooth Shoppe*

Ages: *4 - 8* **Fee:** *\$10*

MOTHERS AND DAUGHTERS

This camp will provide both mothers and daughters the chance to bond amongst numerous crafts and activities sure to bring a smile to both faces.

Date: *Tuesday, June 28* **Time:** *10 am - 12 pm*
Place: *Stolley Park Sweet Tooth Shoppe*
Ages: *4 - 8* **Fee:** *\$10*

SUPERHERO FOR A DAY

The citizens of Grand Island believed they were safe after the capture of Sinister Steve and Heath the Horrible in the Great Stolley Battle of 2015. However, a new leader of the Stolley Seven has emerged, and his goal is clear: free the supervillains and assist in their plans of chaos! Participants should arrive in their favorite Superhero attire and be ready to work together with other heroes to stop the villains before it's too late!

Date: *Tuesday, July 12* **Time:** *1 pm - 3 pm*
Place: *Stolley Park Sweet Tooth Shoppe*
Ages: *6 - 9* **Fee:** *\$10*

LIL' CHEFS

I scream, you scream, kids will love making ice cream! Learn about cooking while whipping up a delicious batch of paper bag ice cream. We'll bring the spoons and sprinkles, you bring your appetite.

Date: *Monday, June 27* **Time:** *10 am - 12 pm*
Place: *Stolley Park Sweet Tooth Shoppe*
Ages: *7 - 12* **Fee:** *\$10*

BLACK FLAG CAMP

Ahoy! Campers will have a blast in a pirate camp designed for ages 6-9. Pillage and plunder with the Playground Program Staff amidst a variety of activities and crafts that will capture the feel of "Pirates of the Caribbean". Be sure to wear clothes that can get dirty.

Date: *Thursday, June 30* **Time:** *10 am - 12 pm*
Place: *L.E. Ray Park*
Ages: *6 - 9* **Fee:** *\$10*

CHILDREN'S THEATRE

This program is open to children ages 7 to 15. There is no pre-registration required and no fee involved. Your child must attend one of the auditions for that individual play. Performances are free and open to the public. **Rehearsals for both shows will be held from 3:30 pm - 5 pm Tuesdays thru Thursdays.**



GRACE ABBOTT PARK

<i>Audition Date:</i>	<i>Time:</i>
Monday, May 23	4:00-5:00 pm
Tuesday, May 24	5:00-6:00 pm
<i>Performance Date:</i>	<i>Time:</i>
Sunday, June 26	7:00 pm



BUECHLER PARK

<i>Audition Date:</i>	<i>Time:</i>
Monday, June 27	4:00-5:00 pm
<i>Performance Date:</i>	<i>Time:</i>
Sunday, July 17	7:00 pm

SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

A lawn chair or blanket is all you'll need for these Thursday evening concerts! Come listen to the sounds of various musicians.



June 9

8 pm - 9 pm

Rock & Roll, Country, Waltzes and special requests.

Mohanna with Red Shoes

Grace Abbott Park

June 16

7 pm - 8 pm

TBA

Nebraska Veterans Home Park

June 23

8 pm - 9 pm

Bring your dancing shoes! Upbeat & lively polka - dance style.

Kava's Polish Band

Buechler Park

June 30

8 pm - 9 pm

Bases Loaded

Grace Abbott Park

July 14

8 pm - 9 pm

Thalken, Tesdall, Thalken

Buechler Park

July 21

7 pm - 8 pm

Blue Plate Special

Nebraska Veterans Home Park

TENNIS

Two four-week sessions of tennis instruction will be offered to Students age 5-18 years of age. Racquets will be provided if needed. Each session consists of 12 lessons (3 per week). Players will learn the basics and fundamentals of tennis through this USTA sanctioned program.

If you have questions about the lessons, contact Matt Westfall (308) 675-1616. Fee is \$72 per session. For interest in intermediate, advanced and adult lessons, leagues, camps and tournaments, please contact Matt Westfall at the Grand Island Tennis Center or go to our website at www.grandislandtenniscenter.com.

SESSION 1: JUNE 6 - JULY 1 • SESSION 2: JULY 11 - AUG 5

ALL LESSONS WILL BE AT RYDER PARK THIS YEAR.

All times are Monday/Wednesday/Friday (3 lessons per week)

Ages 5-8 8:00-9:00 am

Ages 9-12 9:00-10:00 am

Ages 12+ 10:00-11:00 am



We will divide those age groups up based on skill levels, as we will have 4 courts and 3-4 instructors for each age group.

GITC is offering a high performance tennis academy, every other Friday, from 1-4pm as well, starting June 3rd. Please contact Matt Westfall for further information.

Presented by: GI Parks & Recreation, GI Tennis Association, NE Tennis Association, US Tennis Association & The Grand Island Tennis Center

Please register for these lessons through:

Grand Island Tennis Center
 2204 Bellwood Dr., Grand Island, NE 68801
 (308) 675-1616 • mjwest10s@gmail.com

REGISTRATION FORM:

Cost \$72 per session - Checks payable to GITC

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ Age: _____

Session time: _____

Please mail registration and payment to above address.

ALL ABOARD

STOLLEY PARK RAILROAD

All aboard! The Stolley Park Railroad is the perfect way to spend a summer afternoon or evening. Riders will enjoy two trips around Stolley Park on Central Nebraska's only life size garden-scale railroad.

The Sweet Tooth Shoppe will be available to park go-ers offering a wide range of concession items.

A visit to the Stolley Park Railroad is a great way to celebrate your child's birthday, company picnic, or group outings!



All riders in the month of April may enter to win a FREE 10-ride Punch Card

Before or after season call (308) 385-5444 ext. 290

Individual Passenger Rates:

Under 2 free with paying adult

1.00 ages 2 - 3 years old

\$2.00 ages 4 years and older

10 ride punch card \$17.50 (a savings of \$2.50)

25 ride punch card \$37.50 (a savings of \$12.50)

50 ride punch card \$62.50 (a savings of \$37.50)

\$100 per hour for unlimited riders

Spring Hours:

April 2 - May 29

Saturday & Sunday 1 - 9 pm

Summer Hours:

June 1 - August 14

Monday & Tuesday Closed

Wednesday & Thursday 4 - 9 pm

Friday through Sunday 1 - 9 pm

Memorial Day, May 30 10 am - 4 pm

All dates are weather permitting



The Stolley Park Railroad is the perfect way to celebrate a child's birthday! Take advantage of our group rates for your child's special day. Children will love the train ride and the opportunity to play in Kids Kingdom!

Eliminates the stress of having the party in your own home! For more information call (308) 385-5459 or www.grand-island.com/train

SWIMMING LESSONS



Listed below is a description of what your child will learn while participating in that particular level of the Learn To Swim Program. You must pre-register your child for each individual class. **Cost is \$25 per child. Due to the limited number of children per class, no early registrations accepted. No phone registrations accepted.**

Our **Learn-to-Swim** offers something for everybody. Instructors are trained and certified by the American Red Cross, so swimmers of all ages and abilities are in good hands.

The pre-requisite for each level is the successful demonstration of the skills from the preceding level, except for Level 1, which has no pre-requisite. Each level of Learn-to-Swim includes training in basic water safety and helping others in an emergency, in addition to the skills outlined below:

PARENT & CHILD AQUATICS

Builds basic water safety skills for both parents and children, helping infants and young children ages 6 months to about 3 years become comfortable in the water so they are willing and ready to learn to swim. These basic skills include adjusting to the water environment, showing comfort while maintaining a front or back position in the water and demonstrating breath control, including blowing bubbles or voluntarily submerging under water.

Participant skills include: Getting wet with toys and kicking • Enter water by lifting in and walking in • Out-of-water and in-water exploration • Exit water by lifting out and walking out • Blowing bubbles on the surface • Blowing bubbles with mouth and nose submerged • Underwater exploration • Submerging mouth, nose and eyes • Front and back floats and glides • Roll from front to back and back to front • Passing from instructor to parent • Leg actions on front and back • The importance of wearing a life jacket • How to call for help and the importance of knowing first aid and CPR • Basic water safety rules • General water safety around the home • Recreational water illnesses • Sun safety

PRESCHOOL AQUATICS

Gives young children about ages 4 and 5 a positive, developmentally appropriate aquatic learning experience that emphasizes water safety, survival and foundational swimming concepts. Skills are age-appropriate, helping participants achieve success on a regular basis while in a class environment with their peers.

Participant skills include: Enter water by jumping in • Fully submerging and holding breath • Bobbing • Front, jellyfish and tuck floats • Back float and glide • Recover from a front and back float or glide to a vertical position • Change direction of travel while swimming on front or back • Tread water using arm and leg actions • Combined arm and leg actions on front and back • Finning arm action on back • Staying safe around aquatic environments • Don't just pack it, wear your jacket • Recognizing an emergency • How to call for help • Too much sun is no fun • Look before you leap • Think so you don't sink • Reach or throw, don't go

LEVEL 1: INTRODUCTION TO WATER SKILLS

Helps participants feel comfortable in the water.

Participant skills include: Enter and exit water using ladder, steps or side • Blow bubbles through mouth and nose • Bobbing • Open eyes under water and retrieve submerged objects • Front and back glides and back float • Recover to vertical position from a front glide and back float or glide • Roll from front to back and back to front • Tread water using arm and hand actions • Alternating and simultaneous leg actions on front and back • Alternating and simultaneous arm actions on front and back • Combined arm and leg actions on front and back • Staying safe around aquatic environments • Recognizing the lifeguards • Don't just pack it, wear your jacket • Recognizing an emergency • How to call for help • Too much sun is no fun

LEVEL 2: PRIMARY SKILLS

Gives participants success with fundamental skills.

Participant skills include: Enter water by stepping or jumping from the side • Exit water using ladder, steps or side • Fully submerge and hold breath • Bobbing • Open eyes under water and retrieve submerged objects • Front, jellyfish and tuck floats • Front and back glides and back float • Recover from a front and back float or glide to a vertical position • Roll from front to back and back to front • Change direction of travel while swimming on front or back • Tread water using arm and leg actions • Combined arm and leg actions on front and back • Finning arm action on back • Staying safe around aquatic environments • Don't just pack it, wear your jacket • Recognizing an emergency • How to call for help • Too much sun is no fun • Look before you leap • Think so you don't sink • Reach or throw, don't go

LEVEL 3: STROKE DEVELOPMENT

Builds on the skills in Level 2 through additional guided practice in deeper waters.

Participant skills include: Enter water by jumping from the side • Headfirst entry from the side in sitting and kneeling positions • Bobbing while moving toward safety • Rotary breathing • Survival float • Back float • Change

from vertical to horizontal position on front and back • Tread water • Push off in a streamlined position then begin flutter and dolphin kicks on front • Front crawl and elementary backstroke • Scissors kick • Reach or throw, don't go • Think twice before going near cold water or ice • Look before you leap

LEVEL 4: STROKE IMPROVEMENT

Develops confidence in the skills learned and improves other aquatic skills.

Participant skills include: Headfirst entry from the side in compact and stride positions • Swim under water • Feet first surface dive • Survival swimming • Front crawl and backstroke open turns • Tread water using 2 different kicks • Front and back crawl, elementary backstroke, breaststroke, sidestroke and butterfly • Push off in a streamlined position then begin flutter and dolphin kicks on back • Reach or throw, don't go • Recreational water illnesses • Think so you don't sink • Look before you leap

LEVEL 5: STROKE REFINEMENT

Provides further coordination and refinement of strokes.

Participant skills include: Shallow-angle dive from the side • Shallow-angle dive from the side then glide and begin a front stroke • Tuck and pike surface dives • Front flip turn and backstroke flip turn while swimming • Tread water • Front and back crawl, elementary backstroke, breaststroke, sidestroke and butterfly • Standard scull • How to call for help and the importance of knowing first aid and CPR • Recreational water illnesses • Reach or throw, don't go • Look before you leap • Think so you don't sink • Think twice before going near cold water or ice • Wave, tide or ride, follow the guide

LEVEL 6: SWIMMING & SKILL PROFICIENCY

Level 6 is designed with "menu" options that focus on preparing participants for lifetime fitness and safety, as well as more advanced courses, such as the Water Safety Instructor course, or other aquatic activities, including competitive swimming or diving.

Options include: Personal Water Safety • Fitness Swimmer • Fundamentals of Diving

LINCOLN POOL

SWIMMING LESSONS	SESSION ONE June 13 - 24	SESSION TWO June 27 - July 8	SESSION THREE July 11 - 22	SESSION FOUR July 25 - Aug 5
Parent & Child Aquatics <i>Ages 6 months - 3 years</i> <i>*Parent participation required</i>	6:10 - 6:45 PM	6:10 - 6:45 PM	6:10 - 6:45 PM	6:10 - 6:45 PM
Preschool Aquatics <i>Ages 4 to 5 years *See description</i>	6:50 - 7:25 PM	6:10 - 6:45 PM	6:50 - 7:25 PM 7:30 - 8:05 PM	6:10 - 6:45 PM
Level 1 <i>Ages 5 to 6 years *See description</i>	6:10 - 6:45 PM	10:30 - 11:05 AM 6:50 - 7:25 PM	10:30 - 11:05 AM 6:10 - 6:45 PM	6:50 - 7:25 PM 7:30 - 8:05 PM
Level 2 <i>Primary Skills</i>	6:10 - 6:45 PM 6:50 - 7:25 PM	10:30 - 11:05 AM 6:10 - 6:45 PM 6:50 - 7:25 PM	10:30 - 11:05 AM 6:10 - 6:45 PM 6:50 - 7:25 PM	6:10 - 6:45 PM 6:50 - 7:25 PM
Level 3 <i>Stroke Development</i>	6:10 - 6:55 PM	10:30 - 11:15 AM 7:00 - 7:45 PM 7:50 - 8:35 PM	10:30 - 11:15 AM 6:10 - 6:55 PM	6:10 - 6:55 PM
Level 4 <i>Stroke Improvement</i>	7:00 - 7:45 PM	6:10 - 6:55 PM	7:00 - 7:45 PM 7:50 - 8:35 PM	7:50 - 8:35 PM
Level 5 <i>Stroke Refinement</i>				7:00 - 7:45 PM



APRIL 2 - JUNE 3 ONLINE ONLY AT: www.grand-island.com/recreation
 JUNE 6 - JULY 22 WALK-INS ONLY AT: PARKS & RECREATION OFFICE, CITY HALL (100 E. 1ST ST.)
 FEE: \$25.00

ISLAND OASIS

SWIMMING LESSONS	SESSION ONE June 13 - 24	SESSION TWO June 27 - July 8	SESSION THREE July 11 - 22	SESSION FOUR July 25 - Aug 5
Parent & Child Aquatics <i>Ages 6 months - 3 years</i> <i>*Parent participation required</i>		10:10 - 10:45	10:10 - 10:45	10:10 - 10:45 10:50 - 11:25
Preschool Aquatics <i>Ages 4 to 5 years *See description</i>	9:30 - 10:05 10:10 - 10:45	9:30 - 10:05 10:10 - 10:45	9:30 - 10:05 10:50 - 11:25	9:30 - 10:05 10:50 - 11:25
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Level 2 <i>Primary Skills</i>	9:30 - 10:05 10:10 - 10:45 10:50 - 11:25			
Level 3 <i>Stroke Development</i>	9:30 - 10:15 10:10 - 10:55 10:30 - 11:15			
Level 4 <i>Stroke Improvement</i>	9:30 - 10:15 10:30 - 11:15			
Level 5 <i>Stroke Refinement</i>	9:30 - 10:15	10:30 - 11:15	10:30 - 11:15	9:30 - 10:15
Level 6 <i>Skill Proficiency</i>		9:30 - 10:15		

SWIMMING POOLS



321 E. Fonner Park Road
(308)385-5381



Open 7 days a week.
12:00 pm to 9:00 pm,
weather permitting



Island Oasis offers over six acres of refreshing family fun! Guests can brave the waves in the 350 thousand-gallon wave pool or relax and unwind in our 750-foot lazy river. More adventurous thrill seekers will experience the force of gravity firsthand when they ride one of two six story high-speed slides! Adventurers can also attempt to tackle four giant 150-foot slides. Children will love zero depth areas that include spraying fountains and a wacky wet otter slide. Plus they can build sand castles in the sand, stroll across the lily pads, or test their skills on the log walk. Enjoy a match of sand volleyball then drop your anchor and feed the crew at our full concession and patio area.

ADMISSION PRICES

- Children (4 & Under) Free with paying adult
- Youth (5 to 15 years)\$7
- Adult (16 to 54 years)\$8
- Senior (55 & Older).....\$7
- Family\$24
(includes 2 adults and 4 children of an immediate family)

ISLAND OASIS NIGHTLY SPECIALS

(All specials happen after 5 pm.)

- 2 for 1 Mondays - 2 admissions for the price of one (must be equal or lesser value)
- Tuesdays Family Night - \$3 admission per person as well as discounts on concession items

OTHER SPECIALS:

- \$2 off admission after 6 pm Wednesday through Sunday.

FATHER'S DAY - JUNE 19

All dads allowed into the water park for free! Be sure to invite your dad and spend some quality time together at this special event. This is sure to become an annual family tradition.

GI BASEBALL & SOFTBALL DAY - JUNE 18

Attention all Grand Island Baseball and Softball players! Island Oasis invites you to spend some fun time off the field. Players will receive \$1.00 off regular admission and your coaches will get in for FREE all day!

BIRTHDAY PARTIES AT THE ISLAND

Free admission for birthday boy or girl with groups of 5 or more!

- A birthday party in your own reserved picnic shelter for two hours! Your choice of pizza or hot dog, chips and a drink provided.
- Free birthday photo!
- Birthday cookie provided for all!
- Party rates: Children: \$11 • Adults: \$12

DISCOVER THE ATTRACTIONS

- Two Speed Slides - six stories high and almost 300-foot long
- Two Flume Slides - 150-foot long with swimming pool splash down area
- Two Enclosed Slides - 150-foot dark tunnel slides
- Wave Pool - 350-thousand gallons of water
- Lazy River - 750-foot continuous river with sprays, bubbles, fountains and showers
- Lily Pad and Log Walk - Children's area with overhead strung cargo net
- Otter Slide - Kiddy Slide
- Zero Depth Access - walk in access for all ages
- Sand Play Area
- Sand Volleyball Court
- Plus much, much more!

2016 AQUATIC SEASON PASSES

<i>Island Oasis Season Pass</i>	<i>Standard Pass</i>	<i>Gold Pass</i>
• Youth (5 to 15 years)	\$75	\$95
• Adult (16 to 54 years)	\$85	\$105
• Senior (55 & Older)	\$75	\$95
• Single Parent Family (Immediate family only)	\$160	\$200
• Family (Immediate family only)	\$190	\$235

* Gold Season Pass includes free locker rental, innertube rental and a 10% discount on concession items!

* Aquatic Season Passes may only be purchased at Island Oasis starting Saturday, May 28. For more information call the Parks & Recreation Office at (308)385-5444 ext. 290.

LINCOLN POOL
 1018 E. 7th St. • (308) 385-5458
 Opening date: Saturday, May 28

ZERO DEPTH ENTRY
1 METER DIVING BOARD
3 METER DIVING BOARD
SHADED STRUCTURES



ADMISSION PRICES:

- Children (4 & Under) Free with paying adult
- Youth (5 to 15 years)\$3.00
- Adult (16 to 54 years).....\$4.00
- Senior (55 & Older).....\$3.00
- Pool Rental \$125.00/hr.

LINCOLN POOL ONLY SEASON PASS:

- Youth (5 to 15 years)\$40.00
- Adult (16 to 54 years).....\$50.00
- Senior (55 & Older).....\$40.00
- Single Parent Family (Immediate family only)\$90.00
- Family (Immediate family only)\$115.00



WANNA BE A LIFEGUARD?

City lifeguards will be reimbursed the cost of the class



LIFEGUARD CLASSES

The American Red Cross Lifeguard course allows participants to gain the necessary certifications to work this summer at Island Oasis and Lincoln Pool!

Lincoln Park Swimming Pool

May 23 - 27..... 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

For more information or to register for the class, contact the Grand Island Parks & Recreation Office at (308)385-5444 ext. 290 or email jeremyb@grand-island.com

GRAND ISLAND WADING POOLS

Opening Date: Saturday, May 28

11:30 am to 7:30 pm • FREE

NO LIFEGUARD ON DUTY

Lincoln Park
 Eighth & Beal Streets
Grace Abbott Park
 State & Cleburn Streets

Pier Park
 Oak & Ashton Streets
Stolley Park
 Stolley Park Rd. & Park St

TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIP



• GRAND ISLAND •
MONDAY, MAY 16, 2016
For kids 8-13 years old
As of December 31, 2016



- **TIME:** 4:30 p.m.
- **REGISTRATION INFORMATION:** This event is free, however participants need to **pre-register by completing the form below by Friday, May 13**. Please deliver or mail the registration form and birth certificate to: Grand Island Parks and Recreation Department, 100 1st St., P.O. Box 1968, Grand Island, NE, 68801. Call 385-5444 ext. 290 for more information.
- **MEET LOCATION:** Grand Island Senior High Track.
- **AWARDS:** Ribbons will be awarded to the top four finishers in each event.
- **CHAMPIONSHIP MEET:** 1st-4nd place finishers from each local meet will advance to compete at the Central Nebraska Youth Track & Field Meet Championships. The Championship will rotate amongst the five cities from year to year. The 2015 Championship Meet will be held in York on Saturday, June 18.

A RECREATIONAL TRACK & FIELD MEET FOR KIDS FROM CENTRAL NEBRASKA!

Cut here and save top portion for your information.

2016 Central Nebraska Youth Track & Field Meet Grand Island Entry Form

For Office Use Only:

Please check age and gender with Birth Certificate.

Age Gender

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY (This form must be entirely completed to be eligible)

NAME (Last)	(First)	(Middle Initial)	Boy	Girl
ADDRESS (Street)		(City)	(Zip Code)	
Day Phone Number	Date of Birth	Age as of 12/31/16	School Currently Attending	

⇒ **IMPORTANT** – Participants can enter up to four events using either of the following combinations: two (2) dash/run events, one (1) track relay and one (1) field event, OR one (1) dash/run event, one (1) track relay and two (2) field events. Please circle the events you wish to participate under the correct age group. Relay team members do not have to be in the same age group, but will compete in the division of the oldest person. Relay teams must be of the same gender.

Register according to your age as of December 31, 2016

**8-9 year olds
(DOB 2007-08)**

- 50 Meter Dash
- 100 Meter Dash
- 200 Meter Dash
- 400 Meter Dash
- *4x100 Meter Relay
- *800 Medley Relay (100m, 100m, 200m, 400m)
- Standing Long Jump (Field)
- Softball Throw (Field)

**10-11 year olds
(DOB 2005-06)**

- 100 Meter Dash
- 200 Meter Dash
- 400 Meter Dash
- 800 Meter Run
- *4x100 Meter Relay
- *800 Medley Relay (100m, 100m, 200m, 400m)
- Standing Long Jump (Field)
- Softball Throw (Field)

**12-13 year olds
(DOB 2003-04)**

- 100 Meter Dash
- 200 Meter Dash
- 800 Meter Run
- 1600 Meter Run
- *4x100 Meter Relay
- *800 Medley Relay (100m, 100m, 200m, 400m)
- Running Long Jump (Field)
- Softball Throw (Field)

* **RELAY TEAM** - List full name and age of each team member. Must have four entrants. Will compete in the division of the oldest team member.

1. _____ age _____ 3. _____ age _____
2. _____ age _____ 4. _____ age _____

2015 Waiver Release Form and Emergency Information

Name of Parent or Guardian

Phone #

The named participant and the participant's parent/guardian have requested registration of the participant in the Central Nebraska Youth Track & Field Meet. In consideration of such registration, the right of the participant to compete in the Central Nebraska Youth Track & Field Meet and the use by the participant of the sponsoring agency's facilities and equipment, both participant and the parent/guardian each acknowledge that the participant will be competing in the Central Nebraska Youth Track & Field Meet and sponsoring agency's facilities at the participant's sole risk and the participant on his or her own behalf and on behalf of his or her heirs, executors, administrators and assigns hereby release, discharge and agree to hold harmless the City of Kearney, City of Grand Island, City of Hastings, City of York, City of North Platte, and Grand Island Public Schools. We also agree to allow the Recreation Departments to use and reproduce the participant's name and/or likeness and/or information concerning the participant and to circulate the same for any and all purposes in any manner. We certify that the information on this participation form is correct.

IMPORTANT: In order for the participant to be officially registered, the entry form must be completed entirely the waiver must be signed by a parent or guardian, by 5:00pm, Friday, May 13th.

Signature of Parent or Guardian



SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 2016
11:00 AM
WEBB ROAD ATHLETIC COMPLEX
1212 S. WEBB ROAD • GRAND ISLAND

Scotts Major League Baseball® PITCH HIT & RUN™ provides youngsters across the country an opportunity to participate in an exciting baseball/softball skills competition. This national initiative gives boys and girls, ages 7-14, the chance to showcase their pitching, hitting and running abilities. **There are two separate divisions of PITCH HIT & RUN™: baseball and softball. Participants may compete in either division.**

Scotts Major League Baseball® PITCH HIT & RUN™ is intended to encourage youth participation and emphasize the “FUN” element of baseball/softball. Since there is no registration fee, everyone has the opportunity to participate.

Scotts Major League Baseball® PITCH HIT & RUN™ tests three of the most fundamental aspects of baseball/softball - pitching, hitting and running.

Go to Parks & Rec on grand-island.com for more information.

REGISTRATION FORM:

PARTICIPANT

Name: _____

Gender: Male _____ or Female _____

Division: Baseball _____ or Softball _____

Birthdate: ____/____/____

Age as of July 17, 2016: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Mobile Phone #: _____

Home Phone #: _____

*Email Address _____

Organization Affiliation (Little League, ASA, Parks & Rec, etc.) _____

***FOR PARENT/GUARDIAN USE ONLY**

I, the parent/guardian identified above, would like to receive Scotts promotional emails and alerts via email.

PITCH HIT & RUN – Participant Release, Waiver, Grant and Certification

I acknowledge that by signing this Release, Waiver, Grant and Certification, I am acting on behalf of myself and a child under 18 years old for whom I am his/her legal parent/guardian ("My Child"). I acknowledge that participation by My Child in any activities at any level in connection with Pitch Hit & Run (collectively, the "Event") is voluntary. I represent that I understand the nature of the activities associated with the Event and that My Child is in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in the Event. I acknowledge that if I believe Event conditions are unsafe, I will immediately discontinue My Child's participation in the Event. I fully understand that participation in the Event involves risks of serious bodily injury, illness, or property damage, including permanent disability, paralysis, and death, which may be caused by My Child's own actions or inactions, those of others participating in the Event (directly or indirectly) ("Participants"), the conditions in which the Event takes place, and the negligence of the released persons and entities stated below. I understand, accept, and assume all risks and dangers inherent and relating to My Child's participation in the Event.

In consideration of My Child's participation in the Event, on behalf of myself and My Child, I hereby release, forever discharge, and covenant not to sue Major League Baseball Properties, Inc., the Office of the Commissioner of Baseball, the Baseball Clubs, MLB Advanced Media, L.P., LEJ Sports Group, LLC, The Scotts Company LLC, any entities hosting any Event activities, any Event venues, and other Event-affiliated entities (collectively, "MLB"), and its and their related entities, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, partners, owners, shareholders, agents, officials, employees, Participants, successors, assigns, volunteers, rightsholders, sponsors, and/or licensees (the "MLB Persons"), and such persons and entities shall not be responsible for any death, illness, personal injury, property damage, or other loss suffered by me or My Child in connection with the Event, including as a result of the negligence of MLB or any MLB Person. The foregoing shall constitute a release and waiver of all liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity, arising from My Child's participation in, and my attendance at, the Event.

I further agree that by signing below, I hereby forever release, discharge and covenant not to sue MLB and the MLB Persons, and I will indemnify and defend the MLB and MLB Persons from and against any and all liability arising from My Child's participation in, and my attendance at, the Event. I hereby provide the foregoing release and waiver for My Child, myself, my personal representatives, assigns, heirs, next of kin and any other person/ entity that may make such a claim on My Child or me. I further agree that if, despite this release, waiver of liability and assumption of risk I, or anyone on my/My Child's behalf, makes a claim against any of MLB or the MLB Persons, I will indemnify, save, and hold harmless each of such persons and/or entities from any claim, loss, liability, damage, or cost, including attorneys' fees, incurred by any such persons or entities defending against such claims.

By signing below, I hereby grant MLB and the MLB Persons the irrevocable and assignable right to depict, without compensation and in perpetuity, in any and all media now or hereafter known, my/My Child's likeness, image, name, words, voice and/or biographical information (collectively "Images") in photographic or other works for purposes of promoting, advertising, or marketing current or future activities related to baseball, MLB and/or the Event. I agree that such Images may be used by MLB (or its rightsholders, sponsors and/or licensees) for all purposes without notice or compensation to me. I hereby release and waive any action or cause of action that I may assert in connection with the use of the Images including, but not limited to, any claims for invasion of privacy, defamation, violation of any right of publicity, or any other cause of action arising out of the production, reproduction, distribution, transmission, publication, public performance, broadcast, or exhibition of the Images in advertisements, promotions, programs and/or materials.

I hereby certify that My Child will abide by the rules and regulations of the Event. Any violation of such rules and regulations, or any false statement made in My Child's registration material, subjects My Child to immediate disqualification from the Event. I certify that My Child has participated in only one local competition and only one division of the Event. I understand the process of advancement in the Event and that there is no automatic advancement to the Team Championship level upon being declared a Sectional Champion, and no automatic advancement to the National Finals upon being declared a Team Champion.

This release and certification shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York, without regard to applicable conflicts of laws provisions or the principles of comity. I expressly waive and relinquish any and all rights or benefits that I/My Child may now have, or in the future may have as to these matters released herein. This release and waiver is intended to cover all claims in connection with and/or arising out of My Child's participation and my attendance at the Event. Should any claims be deemed not to be covered by this release and waiver, I agree that all legal claims against MLB or any MLB Person, including any dispute over the terms of coverage of this release, waiver, grant and certification, may be brought on an individual basis only through confidential, final and binding arbitration before a private and impartial arbitrator (conducted in accordance with the then-current American Arbitration Association Rules & Procedures), and I hereby waive my right to commence, or be a party to, any class or collective claims or to bring jointly with any other person any claim against MLB or any MLB Person. I agree that any such claims must be brought against the Office of the Commissioner of Baseball only and may not be brought against any other MLB entity. I agree that the arbitrator shall have the power to award any remedies, including attorneys' fees and costs, available under applicable law. In agreeing to submit all disputes for resolution by arbitration, I acknowledge that such agreement is given in exchange for the rights to which I/My Child am not otherwise entitled: namely being permitted to participate at the Event and the more expeditious and confidential resolution of any such disputes.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE, WAIVER, GRANT AND CERTIFICATION AND HAVE VOLUNTARILY SIGNED BELOW. I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT NO ORAL REPRESENTATIONS, STATEMENTS OR INDUCEMENTS APART FROM THE FOREGOING WRITTEN STATEMENT HAVE BEEN MADE OR OFFERED TO ME BY MLB OR MLB PERSONS.

Participant's Name (print)	Parent/ Guardian's Name (print)	Parent/ Guardian's Signature
_____	_____	_____
Date: _____	Date: _____	Date: _____

GRAND ISLAND GAMES



JULY 29 - 30, 2016

The Grand Island Games (GIG) is an exciting team Olympic style event! The goal of this weekend event is to allow participants a chance to experience a wide variety of recreational activities, meet new people, build company pride, promote community unity, and have some good old fashioned fun!

- Cost is \$20 per person
- Includes Free GIG T-Shirt and Free Dinner

- Team members must be 18 years old or older.
- Teams may be comprised of co-workers, spouses, service clubs, churches, friends, etc.
- Teams must consist of at least six people, but no more than 30. (It is recommended for teams that wish to compete in most or all the events to have at least 10 participants on the team roster.)

2016 Events
Sand Volleyball
Obstacle Course
Texas Hold'em
Billiards
Running
Bowling
Putt-Putt
Scavenger Hunt
Tug of War
Home Run Derby
Family Fued
Darts
Horseshoes
and more!

Team sponsorships are available - call for info!

For more information on the games, rules, sponsorships, etc., contact the Grand Island Parks & Recreation Department or go online at www.grand-island.com/gig

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JULY 1
GI PARKS & RECREATION OFFICE**

MEN'S 7 ON 7 FLAG FOOTBALL



Dates: Sundays, August 14 - October 9

Time: TBA

Place: Webb Athletic Fields

Ages: 18 and over

Fee: \$325 per team (8-10 games)

- Games will consist of two 20-minute halves
- There will be three leagues: A, B & C

REGISTRATIONS DUE BY JULY 22

There will be a \$100 deposit required with registration.

For more information contact:

Jeremy Bachmann at 308.389.0298 or jeremyb@grand-island.com

COED KICKBALL LEAGUE

Dates: Sundays, May 1 - June 26

Time: TBA (Afternoons)

Place: George Park

Ages: 18 and over

Fee: \$200 per team (8-10 games)

- Games will consist of 5 men and 5 women on the field at any time
- Only 8 spots available - REGISTER ASAP!

REGISTRATIONS DUE BY APRIL 15

There will be a \$100 deposit required with registration.

For more information contact:

Jeremy Bachmann at 308.389.0298 or jeremyb@grand-island.com



April 2 - June 3 Online ONLY at: www.grand-island.com/recreation or
June 6 - July 22 at: Parks & Recreation Office, City Hall (100 East, 1st Street): Walk-ins Only

VOLUNTEER INFORMATION

YOUR PARKS NEED YOU!

You are invited to become a part of the Grand Island Parks and Recreation Department's Volunteer Program and "enhance" your community. You may volunteer as an individual or as part of a group on a one-time or ongoing basis. Individuals, families, students, businesses and organizations have an opportunity to contribute time, talents and resources to our City Park Facilities. Volunteer opportunities include: Being a youth coach, leisure companion, safety range officer, helping with a special event, working with plants in the greenhouse and more!

ADOPT A PARK TODAY!

Adopting a park or trail isn't just about work, it's about fun! Your group's time at your adopted park could include a picnic, outdoor games, or a fishing outing. Best of all, it's an opportunity to get to know one another better.

THANK YOU TO THESE LOCAL GROUPS FOR ADOPTING CITY PARKS!

ORGANIZATION

LOCATION

Mosaic.....	Stolley Park
Owen's Day Reporting Center.....	Ashley Park
Silo Skateboards & Footwear.....	Pier Skate Park
Dodge Elementary School.....	Pier Park
Gates Kids Saving the Earth Club.....	Augustine Park
Messiah Lutheran Church.....	Grace Abbott Park
Kiwanis Club.....	Buechler Park
Integrated Life Choices.....	George Park
Integrated Life Choices.....	Stuhr Museum Trail
Coca Cola.....	Broadwell Park
Leon Van Winkle.....	Stolley Park Horseshoe Area

For More Information Visit:
grand-island.com/volunteer
 or call
Parks and Recreation:
(308) 385-5444 ext. 290.

IT JUST GOT EASIER TO SUPPORT YOUR PARKS!

Citizens can now make an online donation to support your parks! Your donation will be used for park improvements such as playground equipment, trails and picnic areas. By making a donation to the City Parks and Recreation Department, you provide a lasting and meaningful gift for friends, family and your community. Donate today at grand-island.com/parkgift.

TRAVEL THE TRAILS

Get out, get moving, and have a great time exploring Grand Island's hike and bike trails! Get a passport and visit healthy activity stations along the trail. Visit all stations to be entered into a drawing to win prizes! Hike and bike trail maps will be available. For more information, call Amy Houser with Central District Health Department at 308-385-5175 ext. 101.



CAUTION: PLEASE DON'T FEED THE WATERFOWL!

Feeding the waterfowl can cause:

- **Poor nutrition**
- **Pollution**
- **Spread of disease**
- **Overcrowding**
- **Aggressive 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.

Let's keep wildlife wild!



SOMETHING TO BARK ABOUT

Dog Island opened to the public last fall, Grand Island's first dog park features over three acres of off-leash space for our K-9 friends. Pooches love designated areas for large and small dogs, doggie play equipment, a shower, drinking fountain, and great beach areas to play in! Located inside LE Ray Park, at the corner of Hwy 34 and Blaine Street.



GEORGE PARK IMPROVEMENTS



Last spring a new trail was constructed connecting the east-west parking areas and the ball fields. The new trail improved park access and helped with drainage issues.

In the fall Parks staff added 500 tons of infield soil conditioner to the two east fields. The infield conditioner will dramatically limit the number of rainout games this summer.

NEW PARK UNDER CONSTRUCTION



Construction began last year on the new Sterling Estates Park. The new park is located behind Grand Island Walmart North. This new seven acre neighborhood park is planned to be a four year project. The park will eventually connect to the City trail system with a perimeter walking trail and have picnic areas, two playgrounds, a basketball court, and a backstop. Limited use of the park is estimated to be available for public use this fall.



TENNIS COURT PROJECT UNDERWAY



Construction began in the fall to demo three existing tennis courts at Ryder Park and replace them with four new courts. In a partnership with the Grand Island Tennis Association and the City of Grand Island, the four new courts are expected to be ready for play this summer. The courts are planned to have lights for night use, bleachers, and covered benches.



STOLLEY PARK PICNIC PAVILION

Stolley Park Picnic Pavilion is an 80'x60' covered picnic shelter capable of accommodating groups of up to 220 people. This picnic shelter is located north of the concession stand next to Kids Kingdom. Rental reservations are accepted Monday thru Friday (8:00-5:00) at the Grand Island Parks and Recreation Office located on the 2nd floor of City Hall. Groups smaller than 50 will not be eligible to rent this shelter and are encouraged to use one of the smaller picnic shelters in the park. Reservations should be made a minimum of 48 hours and not more than 12 months in advance. Rental fees range from \$25 to \$100 depending on the groups' facility needs. For more information, call the Parks & Recreation office at 308-398-0290.

SIGN UP TODAY FOR THE JACKRABBIT RUN JUNIOR GOLF PROGRAM

Jackrabbit Run Golf Course • 2800 N. Shady Bend Road • (308) 385-5340

- Junior golfers will receive clinics prior to start of the league. League runs every Tuesday morning May 29th through July 26th.
- Registration fee is \$60 if paid prior to May 29th and \$65 if paid May 30th or later.
- Registration fee includes a T-shirt and weekly snacks and drinks for all junior golfers.
- For more information and registration, contact Don Kruse at 308-385-5340 or go to www.jackrabbitrungolf.com.



For the past 15 years, Golf Digest has selected the Jackrabbit Run Golf Course as 3 or 3 ½ Star Award winner of Places to Play. The Omaha World Herald selected Jackrabbit Run Golf Course as one of the top 5 Midlands Public Courses. This 18 hole Championship Course is one that any golfer will enjoy. It offers a practice facility, rental golf carts, a snack bar and a golf shop with a complete line of merchandise. A P.G.A. professional is available to answer questions and offer suggestions. Leagues, tournaments and handicapping services are available through the following associations: men's, ladies, seniors and junior programs. This course is open year round, weather permitting. Starting times are available one week in advance. 18 holes at this golf course is normally played in four hours or less.



2016 JUNIOR GOLF PROMOTION
Kids 15 and under play for \$3.00. Ride for Free!
(Must be accompanied by a paying adult.)



SUMMER HOURS: WEEKDAYS 7:00 AM - SUNSET • WEEKENDS: SUNRISE - SUNSET

<i>Green fees:</i>	Weekdays.....	9 holes \$15	18 holes \$21	27 holes \$27
	Weekends.....	9 holes \$17	18 holes \$23	27 holes \$29
	Junior	9 holes \$10	18 holes \$16*	

(*Junior-weekdays & after 1 pm on weekends)

<i>Season passes:</i>	Family.....	\$785.00	Individual - 7 day.....	\$545
	Individual 5 day (weekday and non holidays).....			\$410
	Senior (weekdays & after 1 pm on weekends).....			\$315
	Additional (same type of pass as original person)...			\$240
	Junior/Full time college student (weekdays & after 1 pm on weekends).....			\$170

<i>Golf Cart Rental per Rider:</i>	9 hole.....	\$10	18 holes.....	\$15
	9 hole punch card (17 punches).....			\$125 (save \$45)
	18 hole punch card (17 punches).....			\$195 (save \$60)

<i>Driving Range:</i>	Per Bag - \$4.68	10 Punch Card - \$30.00	30 Punch Card - \$79.50	50 Punch Card - \$115.00
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<i>Private Lessons:</i>	PGA Golf Professionals, Don Kruse and Mark Christensen - \$40.00	Junior Lesson - \$35.00
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*Please call to schedule a lesson. (308) 385-5340

HEARTLAND PUBLIC SHOOTING PARK

6788 W. Husker Highway • (308) 385-5048 • hpsp@grand-island.com

The Heartland Public Shooting Park offers:

- Skeet Ranges
- Sporting Clays Range
- Trap Ranges
- Activity Center
- Cowboy Action
- Archery
- Registered Targets
- Instruction/Shooting Clinics
- Ammunition - 12, 20, 28 and 410 gauge Shotgun Shells/Pistol & Rifle Cartridges
- Eye and Ear Protection Required
- Youth, Lady and Regular 12 and 20 gauge rental shotguns
- Model Airplane Flying Club
- Shooting carts available for easy access to our shooting complex
- Rifle and Pistol Ranges from 25 to 600 yards
- 3-D Archery Range

Heartland Park's normal hours of operation are shown below for the specified disciplines. It should be noted that league shooting, registered shooting, special events and corporate events may be conducted outside of these regularly scheduled hours of operation.



GENERAL PARK SUMMER HOURS (APRIL 1 - OCT. 31):

- Closed Monday & Tuesday
- Wednesday - Friday: 3 pm - 9 pm
- Saturday: 9 am - 5 pm
- Sunday: Noon - 5 pm

SHOTGUN FEES:

All shotgun spots are open during general park hours. Current fees for Shotgun Disciplines per round. To qualify for youth pricing you must be under 18 years old.

DISCIPLINE	ADULT	YOUTH
Trap	\$6.25	\$4.75
5-Stand	\$7.00	\$5.00
Skeet	\$6.25	\$4.75
Sporting Clays	\$18.00	\$13.00

RIFLE/HANDGUN RANGE FEES:

Adult Daily	\$11
Youth Daily	\$6
Family Season Pass	\$175
Adult Punch Card	\$45/6 days

RIFLE/HANDGUN RANGE:

- Current fees for Rifle Range are per shooter
- To qualify for youth pricing you must be under 18 years old
- Family and individual passes will be available in the future
- We furnish target stands and targets
- Range safety officer on duty during open hours

RIFLE/HANDGUN RANGE SUMMER HOURS:

- Closed Monday & Tuesday
- Wednesday - Friday: 3:00 pm to 9pm
- Saturday: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
- Sunday: Noon to 5:00 pm

3-D ARCHERY RANGE:

Adult Daily	\$15
Youth Daily	\$8

RV Park

Concrete pads and 50 amp electrical service.
Fee: \$25 per night.

Remember, ear and eye protection is mandatory. Each firearm used on this range must also have an "empty chamber indicator". This device is available at the activity center for \$1.00/each and may be kept and reused over and over again.
Please ask about opportunities for free and reduced rate shooting with our volunteer program.
Please see our website for FREE shooting instructional videos.

GRAND ISLAND PARKS AND RECREATION FACILITIES

GENERAL PARK INFORMATION

The City of Grand Island Parks & Recreation Department maintains approximately 700 acres of public park land. Our parks are open year round, however some facilities are operated on a seasonal basis. Park hours are 5:30 a.m. - 11 p.m. daily. Restrooms are scheduled to open May 1st and close October 1st. Dates may change due to weather.

PARKS	FACILITIES														Acreages								
	Ball Diamonds	Bandstands	Basketball Courts	Hike/Bike Path	Boating	Concessions Stand	Disc Golf	Drinking Water	Electricity	Fishing	Grills	Horseshoe Courts	Picnic Shelters	Picnic Tables		Playground Equip.	Restrooms	Skateboard Area	Sledding Areas	Swimming Pools	Tennis Courts	Wading Pools	Flower Gardens
Ashley Park - 220 W. Capital Ave.	•		•					•	•	•		•	•	•	•							•	19.6
Augustine Park - 500 S. Blaine													•					•					2.0
Broadwell Park - 2003 W. 6th													•	•	•								2.1
Buechler Park - 2316 W. Division		•							•				•	•						•			3.0
Cedar Hills Park - 2909 S. North Rd.			•	•				•	•	•		•	•	•	•								8.0
Eagle Scout Park - 3050 N. Broadwell				•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•							•	65.0
George Park - 2221 Independence Ave.	•		•			•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•					•		•	32.8
Grace Abbott Park - 601 W. State	•	•						•	•	•			•	•	•					•	•	•	5.4
L.E. Ray Park - 3315 S. Blaine					•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•								73.4
Lincoln Park - 715 N. Beal								•	•			•	•	•	•				•		•		8.6
Lions Club Park - 511 N. Sycamore			•										•	•									2.3
Memorial Park - 2000 W. 3rd											•	•	•	•								•	4.5
Pier Park - 500 S. Oak	•							•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				•	•	•	30.9
Pioneer Park - 615 W. 2nd																						•	2.1
Ryder Park - 202 N. Custer/121 N. Piper	•					•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•		•			45.4
Schuff Park - 930 E. Bismark																						•	0.5
Shoemaker Park - 370 Redwood Rd.												•	•	•									5.0
Sothman Park - 2315 Brentwood Blvd.			•									•	•	•						•			4.4
Stolley Park - 2103 W. Stolley Park Rd.	•		•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•					•	•	•	33.0
Sucks Lake - 809 S. Harrison/1707 W. Oklahoma			•						•	•	•	•	•	•	•								6.0



PARK RULES

1. Alcoholic beverages are prohibited.
2. Fireworks are prohibited at all times.
3. Motor vehicles are restricted to established roads and parking lots.
4. Horses are prohibited.
5. Fires are restricted to fire pits and grills.
6. Posting of posters and advertisements are prohibited.
7. Please clean up after your pets.
8. Fishing is only allowed in Pier Park, L.E. Ray Lake, Sucks Lake and Eagle Scout Park. A Nebraska fishing license is required.
9. Swimming is not allowed in lakes and ponds.

MINI PARKS

	Picnic Shelters	Picnic Tables	Playground Equip.	Sledding Areas	Acreage
Capital Heights Mini Park - 4254 Vermont Ave.	•	•	•		0.5
Capital & Webb - 2425 N. Webb Rd.					3.1
Custer & George St. - 215 N. Custer			•		1.6
Custer & Faidley St. - 2515 W. Faidley Ave.			•	•	3.0
Custer & Tenth St. - 904 N. Custer			•		1.6
Custer & Fifteenth St. - 1450 N. Custer			•		1.6
Custer & Eighteenth St. - 1716 N. Custer			•	•	1.6
Custer & Forrest St. - 2311 N. Custer			•		1.6
North-Side Fun Park - 2405 N. Lafayette		•	•		1.0
O'Neill Cell - 1414 Hope St.			•	•	3.3
Piper & Eighteenth St. - 1725 N. Piper			•		3.0
Skate Park - 300 S. Pine - Pier Park	•	•	•		
White & Faidley St. - 2010 W. Faidley				•	1.6

