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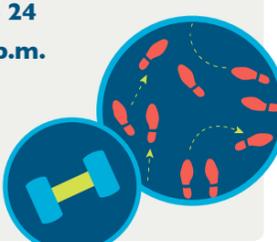
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COMMUNITY CENTER CALENDAR



The YMCA offers fitness classes and league play to YMCA members every week at the Riverside Community Center. The full schedule is available online at www.RiversideMo.com

FITNESS CLASSES		SENIOR DANCES	
Sun. 1-5 p.m. & Mon.-Thurs. 2-5 p.m. Open Gym	Mon./Wed. 12:15-1 p.m. Express Strength	Tues./Thurs. 11-3 p.m. Hand & Foot Card Game <i>No YMCA Membership Required</i>	<p><i>No YMCA Membership Required</i></p> <p>April 8 April 29 May 6 May 27 June 3 June 24 1-3 p.m.</p> 
Mon./Wed./Fri. 8-9:30 a.m. Aerobic, Toning, Yoga	Mon./Wed. 5:15-6 p.m. Yoga	Tues./Thurs. 5-7 p.m. Pickleball	
Mon./Thurs./Fri 10-11 a.m. Line Dance & Weights	Mon. 6-7 p.m. Zumba	Wed. 10-11 a.m. Chair Assisted Strength Training	
Mon./Tues./Wed. 9-10 a.m. Tai Chi for Beginners	Tues. 12:15-1 p.m. Core	Wed. 6-7 p.m. Zumba Kids	
Mon./Wed. 10-11 a.m. Intermediate/Advanced Tai Chi	Tues./Thurs. 8-9 a.m. Zumba	Wed. 6:15-6:45 p.m. Fitness Court	
	Tues./Thurs. 10-11 a.m. Silver Sneakers Classic	Thurs. 12:15-1 p.m. Yoga	
	Tues./Thurs. 11 a.m.-12 p.m. Silver Sneakers Yoga		

Artists Selected for Monarch Sculptures

Park Board Continues Initiative Celebrating Monarch Migration Through Riverside

As you walk the Line Creek Trail in Riverside this fall, you'll be joined by more beautiful monarchs than before – but these won't fly away. Riverside's Monarch Migration Walk initiative is moving forward with three commissioned art pieces.

The Park Board has selected three designs for Monarch Migration-themed sculptures to be installed along the Walk. They include:

- "Migrating Monarchs," designed by Donald Gialanella, will feature a seven-foot-tall, 18-foot-wide flock of monarchs fluttering through Renner Brenner Park.
- "Grand Monarch," also by Donald Gialanella, has a name that speaks for itself. It features a 10-foot-tall, 11-foot-wide monarch set to land at the southeast corner of NW Vivion Road and Cliffview Drive.
- The third sculpture, by local artist Jake Balcom, features monarchs resting on a bouquet of 16-foot-tall flowers and will be planted in E.H. Young Riverfront Park.

The goal of the initiative is to educate park visitors on the importance of pollinators in the environment and celebrate the butterflies' migration pattern, which travels through Riverside each year.

The Park Board is looking for other opportunities to celebrate the monarchs throughout Riverside, including a collaborative art piece. Riverside community members can play a role as artists too, by helping construct an origami butterfly display. Thousands of gold, yellow, orange, copper and bronze origami butterflies will fill the atrium ceiling at the Community Center. Folding stations at the Community Center and Mid-Continent Public Library are open for anyone who wants to participate.

Look out for these new art installations, flying in to Riverside late this summer or early this fall.



"Migrating Monarchs"
by Donald Gialanella



"Grand Monarch"
by Donald Gialanella



Flower Sculpture
by Jake Balcom

Play it Safe: Fireworks Safety

Fireworks are Allowed:

June 26-July 2, July 5
10 a.m. - 10 p.m.

July 3 & 4
10 a.m. to midnight



It's the Law:

- Shooting fireworks on City property, including City parks, is strictly prohibited.
- Bottle rockets are prohibited.
- Fireworks may not be used within 600 feet of churches, schools, public library or day cares; within 300 feet of a structure where fireworks are stored or offered for sale; within 300 feet of gasoline pumps, propane tanks, flammable liquids or solids or a structure marked with flammable or water reactive.

Trail Update

Jump Into Trail Season with Conservation and Safety in Mind

This year, the City of Riverside plans to complete the Vivion Road Trail from St. Joseph Boulevard to Kansas City city limits and the Jumping Branch Trail from Vivion Road to NW 50th St. Running alongside the Jumping Branch Creek, the trail will connect to Renner Brenner Park and the Line Creek Trail. While you enjoy this and the rest of Riverside's interconnected trail system, remember these tips to keep them beautiful and our residents safe:



Stay to the right when you are walking, running or cycling.

Pass with courtesy by calling out "on your left" when you are passing others on foot or bicycle.

Leash your dog, as mandated by City ordinance.

Be aware of your surroundings at all times.

Be prepared and carry a mobile phone in case of emergency.

Take nothing but photos. If you admire a flower, don't pick it: snap a photo so others may enjoy it too.

Leave nothing but footprints. No littering; and pick up after your pet.

2019 Summer Fun Guide

Summer Kick-Off, Community Center

Sat., May 18, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Get ready for summer! Sign up for a variety of summer programs at this event.

YMCA Swim Lessons, Riverside City Pool

The City of Riverside and YMCA will offer free swimming lessons to residents this summer. Lessons, offered for both children and adults, will run at various times in June and July. Contact the Platte County Community Center at (816) 505-2622 or sign up at the Summer Kick-Off.

Aqua Zumba, Riverside City Pool

June 12, 19, 26 - 11-11:45 a.m.

Riverside City Pool Opens, May 25

12-8 p.m. Mon.-Sat., 12-6 p.m. Sun.

Admission is \$3 for ages 12 and older and \$1 for kids 3-11. Those under the age of 14 must be accompanied by someone age 16 or older. Children 5 and under must be within arm's reach of someone age 16 and older. Purchase season passes from the receptionist before the pool opens or from a pool attendant during operating hours.

Kids in the Kitchen - FREE, Community Center

Tues., June 11, 18, 25 and July 9, 16, 23 - 9-10 a.m.

Help your kids eat healthier and learn about cooking in a fun and safe environment. The Kids in the Kitchen workshop series covers how to make healthy food choices, food preparation and cooking, and food safety.

Pre-registration required!

Sign up at the Summer Kick-Off.



Fire Department Deploys New Life-saving Device

The Riverside Fire Department has put a new piece of equipment, the Auto Pulse, into action to make sure cardiac patients make it home to their friends and families.

The Riverside FD is the first in the region to develop treatment protocols and deploy the Auto Pulse, which provides consistent chest compressions that mimics the natural heartbeat to keep blood flowing through the body. The portable device's ability to eliminate staff fatigue and patient transfer or transport issues has been shown to lead to a nearly 50% increase in survival rates for cardiac patients.



Mark Your Calendars: F/PAL Events for April - June

Power Play

Fri., April 12, 6 - 8 p.m.
Power Play Metro North

RSVP at thass@riversidemo.com. Includes one-time entry to the Incredible Buffet, as well as PowerPlay Cards (2 Attractions, 32 Points). One adult is required to attend, buffet is included for one adult per group.



Easter Egg Hunt

Sat., April 20, 10 a.m. Sharp
E.H. Young Park

Join the City of Riverside and Riverside F/PAL for our Annual FREE Easter Egg hunt and pictures with the Easter Bunny. Kids ages 2-10, bring an Easter basket! Call (816) 741-4172 for more information or possible weather cancellation.



Pool Party

Thurs., June 20, 6 - 8 p.m.
Community Center

Don't miss the first pool party of the summer! Refreshments, music and fun times are all included. Admission is free for F/PAL members.

