

Park Press

Park and Community

Program Guide



David A. Wood, Mayor

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Mishawaka Parks and Recreation Facility Information

Facility	Address	Phone	Fax	Hours		
Mishawaka Parks & Recreation Office	904 N. Main St	574.258.1664	574.258.1736	M-F	8:00am-5:00pm	All Year
Battell Community Center	904 N. Main St	574.258.1667	574.258.1736	M-Th Friday	8:00am-9:00pm 8:00am-5:00pm	All Year
Eberhart-Petro Golf Course	801 N. State St	574.255.5508		Sun-Sat	8:00am-8:00pm Weather Permitting	March - December
George Wilson Hill	2605 Clover Rd	574.258.1707		Sun-Sat	10:00am-10:00pm Weather Permitting	All Year
Mary Gibbard Pool	1024 Somerset Ave	574.258.1721		Sun & Wed M, T, Th, Sat	6:00-9:00pm 1:00-5:00pm	May - August
Merrifield Complex	1000 E. Mishawaka Ave	574.258.1665		Friday Sat/Sun Sun-Sat	1:00-8:00pm 12:00-4:00pm 4:30-9:00pm 12:00-4:00pm 6:00-9:00pm	November - March May - August

Program Refund Policy

- You must have your “original” white receipt to begin any paperwork to receive a refund. If you paid for a class and have original white receipt, a refund will be given.
- Battell Center reserves the right to cancel, postpone, combine classes, or change instructors. If insufficient enrollment causes a class to be cancelled notification will be given.
- A 50% refund will be given if a class is cancelled by the participant, five working days prior to the first class. No refund will be allowed after this time.
- Refunds will not be given for session absences.

Registration and Policies

- A Participant Waiver form must be filled out in order to be in any groups or classes with the Battell Community Center and Mishawaka Parks and Recreation Department.
- Payment must be made in person at the Mishawaka Parks Office. (Cash, check, money order) Credit cards not accepted for class registrations.
- Pre-registration may be required for some programs. If you are unable to register for a program due to full enrollment capacity, you may request to have your name placed on a waiting list. If any openings become available, we will refer to the waiting list first to fill current programs
- A resident of the City of Mishawaka has an address within the city limits and is eligible to vote for elected City officials.
- The senior class rate will apply to persons 55 years and older.
- The class drop-in rate is charged per hour.; \$3.00 for seniors and \$5.00 for non-seniors. For example, If a senior drops in to a 3 hour class, the rate would be \$9.00 for that day.

Battell Center & City Offices Closed

January 1, 2014	November 11, 2014
April 18, 2014	November 27, 2014
May 26, 2014	November 28, 2014
July 4, 2014	December 24, 2014
September 11, 2014	December 25, 2014

LETTER FROM THE MAYOR

Dear Citizens of Mishawaka,

The City of Mishawaka is still thawing out after the harsh winter we experienced this year. The arrival of Santa into downtown Mishawaka with the lighting of the Christmas Tree was another successful event followed by the ever-popular “Winterfest in our Hometown” in Merrifield Park. Over 100 inches of snow was recorded which provided for a perfect tubing season at George Wilson Hill. With the “extreme” polar vortex temperatures, attendance was down at Merrifield Ice Rink; however, the romantic Valentine Skate on February 14th was well attended. The annual Daddy Daughter Dance with it’s “*Once Upon a Time*” theme was enjoyed by over 200 people. Now is the time to look forward, not back, and see what is on the horizon for the City of Mishawaka with Spring and Summer, hopefully, on its way.

New this year for the Eberhart Golf Course, we have hired a Director of Golf Operations. Their focus will be on improving customer service for daily golfers as well as our outings and tournaments. We are looking to improve our programming for Junior golf. The Clubhouse Restaurant will be licensed to improve our food and beverage offerings and service to the public. Weather permitting, the tentative open date for disc golf will be April 4th with the “Mishawaka Meltdown” disc golf tournament to be held on April 19th. The tournament will be a PDGA (Professional Disc Golf Association) B-Tier event and is open to professional and amateur classes. Dates and locations have also been set for Mishawaka Park’s outreach camp entitled, “Fun in the Sun”. This year’s locations will rotate between Hums, Borley and Hillis Hans Parks. They will run for nine consecutive weeks throughout the summer on Monday’s from 11:00am to 2:00pm. The program will offer free lunch, crafts and games for children.

Don’t forget to “save the date” for the 31st Annual Summerfest which will be taking place in Merrifield Park on June 28th. It will feature handmade crafts, food vendors, KidZone, Cookie Baking Contest, entertainment of all shapes and sizes throughout the day and will end with a featured band and a fireworks display.

A July 4th fireworks celebration will also take place on Friday, July 4th in downtown Beutter Park. The 2014 Summer Concert Series is currently being booked with bands at Battell Band Shell and Beutter Park venue locations. The Mishawaka Parks is again hosting the Urban Adventures game. The Merrifield and Mary Gibbard pools and the local splash pads will be in full swing. The Mishawaka Riverwalk will be open and ready to be enjoyed by all!

The City of Mishawaka is the place to be for summer fun! Who better to host it than our Mishawaka Parks Department? A complete list of summer events can be found online at <http://www.mishawaka.in.gov> or by becoming a fan of the City of Mishawaka on Facebook.



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RENTALS

Building Rentals

The Mishawaka Parks Department has three indoor facilities for your event needs. Castle Manor, Eberhart Golf Course Clubhouse and Wilson's Warming Room. Castle Manor and the Wilson Warming Room allow you to bring in your own food and drink. All rentals of the Eberhart Golf Course Clubhouse require purchase of food and beverages; no carry in of food, drink or alcohol allowed. To book any of these facilities call the Mishawaka Parks Office.

Weddings

Wedding gardens may be reserved for your ceremony in 2-hour blocks of time. All activity must begin and conclude within the reserved 2-hours. Reservations for the current calendar year may be done at any time. Dates may be reserved up to one (1) year in advance. To check availability please contact the Park Office.

The Battell Center Auditorium is an additional wedding ceremony venue!

Building	Address	Capacity	Resident Fee	Non-Res Fee	Garden	Address	Resident Fee	Non-Res Fee
Castle Manor	1000 E Mishawaka Ave	100	\$200.00	\$250.00	Battell Rock Garden and Gazebo	301 W Mishawaka Ave	\$100.00	\$150.00
Eberhart Golf Course	801 N State St	100	\$250.00	\$300.00	Battell Bandshell	301 W Mishawaka Ave	\$80.00	\$105.00
Wilson Warming Room Shelter	2605 S Clover Road	50-75	\$175.00	\$200.00	Beutter Park and Stage	400 N Spring St	\$200.00	\$250.00
					Kate's Garden and Gazebo	1122 Lincolnway W	\$50.00	\$75.00
					Shiojiri Garden & Teahouse	Corner of Mishawaka Ave & Niles Ave	\$100.00	\$150.00



Go to page 6 for more rental space available at the Battell Community Center!

RENTALS

Park Pavilions



Pavilions at parks listed below must be reserved and permitted in order to use for any planned event. Pavilions are rented per day from 7:00 am-10:00 pm. Payment is due in full at time of reservation. Payment can be made by cash, check, or credit/debit card. To reserve a park pavilion please contact the Mishawaka Parks Office.

Pavilion	Address	Capacity	Resident Fee	Non-Res Fee
Bendix	300 S Delorenzi	100	\$55.00	\$80.00
Henry Frank	731 Day Road	75	\$40.00	\$65.00
Hillis Hans	600 E 13th St	100	\$55.00	\$80.00
Crawford	1000 E Mish. Ave	100	\$55.00	\$80.00
Normain	200 E McKinley	100	\$55.00	\$80.00
Margaret Prickett Marina	13108 E Jefferson	100	\$55.00	\$80.00
Rose North	1400 Southwest St	100	\$55.00	\$80.00
Rose South	1400 Southwest St	100	\$55.00	\$80.00
Twin Branch	3900 Lincolnway E	100	\$55.00	\$80.00

Ball Diamond Rentals

To rent a ball diamond contact the Mishawaka Parks Department. Ball diamond rental is first-come, first-serve. Rentals should be made in advance.

Ball Diamonds	Time	Fee
Lighted Central Normain Rose South Rose West Twin Branch	2 hrs	\$20.00
Non-Lighted Rose North	2 hrs	\$10.00
Little League Borley Hums Temple Merrifield North Twin Branch Henry Frank	2 hrs	\$5.00
Tournament	\$150.00 (15 team minimum)	

BATTELL CENTER



Many spaces are available to rent at the Battell Community Center including a gymnasium, three dance studio rooms, and several meeting rooms. Reservations for rentals must be made in advance.

For more information or to rent a space from the Battell Center call 574.258.1667.

Rental Rates

Community Room

Accommodates 100 people

Monday through Friday	8:00am-9:00 pm	\$100.00
Saturday or Sunday	Varies	\$175.00

Gymnasium

Accommodates 200 people

Sports Rental Monday through Friday	8:00am-9:00 pm	\$25.00/hr
Saturday or Sunday	8:00am-9:00 pm	\$35.00/hr

Large Rental *(i.e. Dances, Receptions, etc.)*

Saturday or Sunday	Varies	\$250.00
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Meeting Rooms

Monday through Friday	8:00am-9:00 pm	\$15.00/hr
Non-Profit Organizations (Mon through Fri)	8:00am-9:00 pm	\$10.00/hr
Saturday or Sunday	8:00am-9:00 pm	\$80.00/hr

*4 hour rental minimum

Staffing Fee

Fee is charged Mon-Thurs after 9:00 pm when production causes staff to work over regularly scheduled hours. Fee is charged for Saturday and Sunday events. \$10.00/hr

Maintenance OT Fee

Fee is charged Mon-Thurs after 9:00 pm when production causes staff to work over regularly scheduled hours. Fee is charged if Union Maintenance staff is required for events Saturday and Sunday. \$40.00/hr



BATTELL CENTER AUDITORIUM

UPCOMING EVENTS

Michiana Concert Band

April 27, 2014 at 3:00 pm

FREE ADMISSION

National Day of Prayer

May 1, 2014 at Noon

ALL ARE WELCOME

Is There a Chain-Breaker in the House?

May 17, 2014 at 6:30 pm

Tickets: \$10.00 adults & \$7.00 children, Group Rates Available

For tickets call: 574.252.6207

Fortune Feimster Comedy Tour

June 19, 2014 at 7:30 pm

Tickets: \$25.00 - For tickets visit: <http://www.showclix.com/event/Fortunefeim>

One of the hottest performers in comedy!

Logan Center presents The Lorax

August 9, 2014 at 6:30 pm

FREE ADMISSION

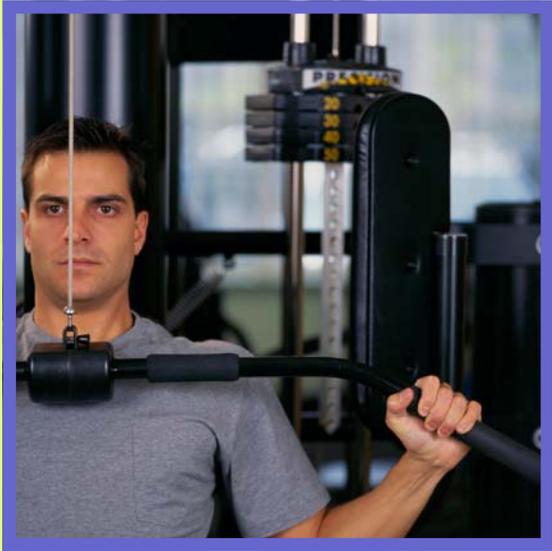
Show dates and times are not final until an official Rental Agreement is signed and on file with the office.



Battell Center Auditorium is available for rental. Are you interested in holding a musical, play, seminar, meeting, or wedding? If you are interested in renting the auditorium please contact 574.258.1667.

AT THE BATTELL CENTER

Battell Community Center hosts many recreation activities and groups for people of all ages. Groups do not require a fee unless noted. For all groups, **small donations are encouraged and appreciated.** The donation will be collected at each group meeting. If you have any questions about the groups listed below please contact the Mishawaka Parks and Recreation Office.



Fitness Room

Day	Hours	Fees per Month	
Mon-Thurs	7:30am-8:00pm	Resident	\$10.00
Friday	7:30am-4:30pm	Non-Resident	\$15.00

A Doctor's Release and a Battell Center Participant Waiver are mandatory for fitness room users. Come to the Parks Office in the Battell Center for registration and physician consent forms. Must be 18 years or older.

8-Ball Pool

Mondays & Fridays | 11:00am-1:00pm | Lion's Room
Wednesdays | 9:00am-11:00am | Lion's Room

Bingo

2nd Tuesday of every month | 12:30 pm
Community Room

Bid Euchre

Thursdays | 12:30-4:30 pm
Lion's Room

Duplicate Bridge

Thursdays | 11:30 am
Contractor's Room

Euchre

Mondays & Tuesdays | 1:00 pm | Rotary Room
Mondays | 6:00 pm | Rotary Room
Thursdays | 1:00 pm | Voorheis Room

Exercise for Arthritis

Fridays | 10:15-11:15 am | 1st Floor Gym

Don't let arthritis get in your way! Join Charlotte as she offers a low-impact workout while still burning those calories. No cost for this class but donations are appreciated!

Friendship Quilt Club

Wednesday | 6:00-8:00 pm | Community Room

Everyone is welcome to join this wonderful quilt making group, from beginners to advancers sewers and quilters. This is a go at your own pace class. ALL WELCOME!

New to activities at Battell? All groups are open for anyone interested!

AT THE BATTELL CENTER

Line Dancing

Monday & Wednesday | 8:00 am | Dance Room I

Join Pat Sell in a morning of dancing and music. This group performs at area events throughout the year. It's a lively fun-loving group welcome to all! \$1.00/class donation is appreciated!

Line Dancing

Tuesday | 9:30 am | 1st Floor Gym

Join Helen Althoff and Thelma Nelson in a morning of dancing and music. The group is open to all skill levels and is always looking for new dancers to join! Donations appreciated.

Michiana Deaf Club for Seniors

1st Wednesday each month | 12:00 pm | Rotary Room

Ping Pong

Tuesday & Friday | 1:30-4:30 pm | 1st Floor Gym

Need a little exercise? Don't be hasty, come on down to the Battell Center gym for ping pong. Please bring a donation and your game face!

Pinochle

Tuesdays | 12:30-4:30 pm | Lion's Room

Senior Shape-Up

Monday & Wednesday | 10:15 am | 1st Floor Gym

Senior Shape-Up is a low-impact aerobics class. All exercises are done while sitting in a chair or standing near the chair. There is no cost, but donations are appreciated!



Nutrition Site

The Nutrition Site at Battell serves lunches in the Community Room at 11:30 am.

The suggested donation is \$4.25 for seniors and it isn't so much a cost, as a suggested donation. All contributions are happily accepted. Lunch is offered at \$8.25 for those under 60.

Reservations MUST be made one day in advance by calling 574.256.2325.

Senior Co-Ed Volleyball

Mon., Wed., & Fri., | 8:00 am | 1st Floor Gym

Do you miss playing volleyball? Well, bring your sneakers and a donation to this group. Be ready to bump, set, and spike the morning away!

Table Shuffleboard

Thursdays | 12:30-4:30 pm | Lion's Room

Tonk

Mondays & Tuesdays | 11:30 am-1:00 pm | Rotary Room

T.O.P.S. #96

Wednesday | 9:15 am | Rotary Room

T.O.P.S. stands for Taking Off Pounds Sensibly. A meeting is held every week to have a private weigh-in. If you are interested in joining T.O.P.S. come to a meeting!

Uniroyal Social Club

1st Thursday each month | 1:30 pm | Community Room

All group meetings are held at the Battell Community Center.

CLASSES

ART

MUSIC

CREATIVE WATERCOLOR**

Instructor: Ted Vanderbeek

Session Dates	Time	Location	Senior	General
Thursday March 13-April 24	9:00am-Noon	Rotary Room	\$31.50	\$63.00

Are you interested in learning to paint with watercolor? Join this class for a wonderful experience learning the art of watercolor.

PORTRAITS & FLORALS**

Instructor: Rosemary Bella

Session Dates	Time	Location	Senior	General
Tuesday May 20-June 24	1:00-4:00 pm	Contractor's Room	\$27.00	\$54.00

Join and work at your own pace pastels only art class. The class focuses on portraits and florals. If you don't do portraits, many other options are available in florals. Join the fun!

WATERCOLOR**

Instructor: Peggy Vaughn

Session Dates	Time	Location	Senior	General
Tuesday May 20-June 24	5:00-8:00pm	Community Room	\$27.00	\$54.00

This class is open to beginners and intermediate artists looking to use nontraditional colors with watercolor.

DRAWING & PAINTING

Instructor: David Allen

Session Dates	Time	Location	Contact
January-December	10:00am-Noon	Voorheis Room	David for cost of class.

Local artist David Allen offers art classes in whatever medium you use—oil, watercolor, etc. Open format, from where you are to the next level. For more information contact David at 574-440-5017.

LEARN TO PAINT LANDSCAPES

Instructor: Cathy McCormick

Session Dates	Time	Location	Contact
January-December	10:00am-Noon	Rotary Room	Cathy for cost of class.

Cathy McCormick, president of the Northern Indiana Pastel Society, offers a class in painting landscapes with soft pastels. For more information contact Cathy at camccorm@aol.com or 574.271.6919.

MIDDLE EASTERN DANCE III

Instructor: Ruby Jazayre

Session Dates	Time	Location	Fee
Monday May 5-June 30	6:00-7:30 pm	Dance Room I	\$54.00
Monday July 7-August 18	6:00-7:30 pm	Dance Room I	\$47.25

Middle Eastern Belly Dance for fitness and fun for all ages! Level III is for those approved by instructor to take this class.

All classes are held at the Battell Community Center, 904 N. Main St.

CLASSES



DANCE

MIDDLE EASTERN DANCE I*

Instructor: Ruby Jazayre

Session Dates	Time	Location	Fee
Wednesday May 7-June 25	6:00-7:00 pm	Dance Room I	\$36.00
Wednesday July 9-August 20	6:00-7:00 pm	Dance Room I	\$31.50

Middle Eastern Belly Dance for fitness and fun for all ages!
Level I is for those new to belly dancing!

MIDDLE EASTERN DANCE II*

Instructor: Ruby Jazayre

Session Dates	Time	Location	Fee
Wednesday May 7-June 25	7:15-8:15 pm	Dance Room I	\$36.00
Wednesday July 9-August 20	7:15-8:15 pm	Dance Room I	\$31.50

Middle Eastern Belly Dance for fitness and fun for all ages!
Level II is for intermediate and advanced belly dancers.

LEARN TO PLAY ORGAN**

Instructor: Isabelle Biggs

Session Dates	Time	Location	Senior	General
Thursday May 22-August 21	10:00-11:00 am	Contractor's Room	\$21.00	\$42.00

Have you ever wanted to learn to play the organ? Now you can!
Join this beginner's class where you will enjoy an hour of learning
fun with friends.

To register for any of the art, music, health,
or fitness classes contact the Mishawaka Parks Office.
If you would like to teach a class contact the Battell
Community Center at 574-258-1667.

**Want to try a class?
Drop in!**

Drop-in class rates:

* \$5.00/hr

** \$3.00/hr Seniors or \$5.00/hr

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When building is closed classes will not run. Check with
instructor for class cancellation dates.

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CLASSES

HEALTH



AEROBIC DANCE**

Instructor: Ellie Clark

Session Dates	Time	Location	Senior	General
Mon. & Wed. May 19-August 20	9:00-10:00 am	Dance Room I	\$40.50	\$81.00

Aerobic dance is a class for women of all ages who want to stay fit, and learn some rhythmic dance moves! Great upbeat music to start your day!

ADULT BALLET

Instructor: Lisa Macri

Session Dates	Time	Location	Fee
Dates and times are flexible-contact instructor for details		Dance Room I	Contact Lisa for the cost of class

No previous dance experience necessary to indulge that secret life-long desire to be a ballet dancer! Class consists predominantly of exercises while holding the bar, and stretching. Amount of time spent dancing center is determined by student desire. Opportunity to work en-pointe. Lisa: 574.233.7619

AEROBICIZE**

Instructor: Theweah Hartig

Session Dates	Time	Location	Senior	General
Mon & Wed May 19-August 20	9:00-10:00 am	Centennial Room	\$40.50	\$81.00

Aerobicize is a light aerobics class incorporating weights, mats, and a variety of exercises. All are welcome to join in on a morning hour of upbeat exercise!

BLOOD PRESSURE TESTING

Sponsored by: Waterford at Edison Lakes

Session Dates	Time	Location	Fee
1st Tuesday each month	11:00 am	1st Floor	FREE

Come to the first floor for free blood pressure testing!

Improve Your Mental Health and Mood

Regular physical activity can help keep your thinking, learning, and judgment skills sharp as you age. It can also reduce your risk of depression and may help you sleep better. Research has shown that doing aerobic or a mix of aerobic and muscle-strengthening activities 3 to 5 times a week for 30 to 60 minutes can give you these mental health benefits. Some scientific evidence has also shown that even lower levels of physical activity can be beneficial.

<http://www.cdc.gov/physicalactivity/everyone/health/>



All classes are held at the Battell Community Center, 904 N. Main St.

CLASSES

FITNESS

CONDITION THE CORE

Instructor: Kathy Fahrenkrug

Session Dates	Time	Location	Fee
Mondays May thru August	6:00-7:00 pm	Dance Room II	\$10.00/per class

This new class is a mix of pilates and cardio. Bring a mat, tennis shoes, and hand weights. Fee is paid to instructor each class. Contact Kathy.fahrenkrug@yahoo.com for more info.

If interested in any of the art, music, health, or fitness classes you can register at the Mishawaka Parks Office. If you would like to teach a class contact the Battell Community Center at (574) 258-1667.

YOGA*

Instructor: Courtney Canfield

Session Dates	Time	Location	Fee
Tuesday May 6-June 24	6:15-7:15 pm	Centennial Room	\$36.00
Wednesday May 7-June 25	1:30-2:30 pm	Centennial Room	\$36.00
Tuesday July 8-Aug 12	6:15-7:15 pm	Centennial Room	\$27.00
Wednesday July 9-Aug 13	1:30-2:30 pm	Centennial Room	\$27.00

This yoga class will help you develop strength, balance and flexibility and reduce stress. Bring a mat if you have one; the instructor has a few extra mats and will provide any other props needed for class (blocks and straps).

Want to try a class?

Drop in!

Drop-in class rates:

* \$5.00/hr

** \$3.00/hr Seniors or \$5.00/hr

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YOUTH ACTIVITIES

YOUTH SPORTS

School City of Mishawaka students are only allowed to participate in these sports. If you would like your child to participate register at the Mishawaka Parks Office. Registration will begin in April for both sports.

A physical is required for tackle football.

For additional information and dates for each sport, visit our website at <http://www.mishawaka.in.gov/sportsrecreation>.



Sport	Season	Grades	Fee
Tackle Football	Aug. - Oct.	3rd - 6th	\$75.00
Flag Football	Sept. - Oct.	K-2	\$25.00

Are you interested in coaching one of these sports?

Fill out a Volunteer Form in the Mishawaka Parks Office.

Angela Sturm's Creative Arts Camps

Looking for something fun to do this summer?

Check out Angela's Creative Arts Camp in Dance, Arts, Music, and Theatre. Camp will run

Monday thru Friday June-Aug. in weekly sessions. Available for ages 3-6, 7-10, 11-14, and 15-18. Mini-camps can run 2 hrs/day in weekly sessions. Dance only or art only.

Please indicate interest by emailing saasturm@gmail.com.

Challenger Sports Soccer Camp

August 4-August 8 @ Crawford Park

For more information & to register go to:

[http://www.challengersports.com/
britishsocceramps.aspx](http://www.challengersports.com/britishsocceramps.aspx)

AND fill out a registration form at the Mishawaka Parks Office.

CHALLENGER YOUR TOTAL
SPORTS™ SOCCER SOLUTION.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

FREE programs for children and their families!

A Participant Waiver form must be filled out and signed before taking part in any of these activities. For more information and to pre-register call 574.258.1664.

Baton Twirling I & II

Thursday	5:00-6:00 pm (Ages 5-7)	Gym
May 15-August 28	6:00-7:30 pm (8 & up)	

Baton twirling fundamentals basic twirls, marching, and preparation for performing will be taught in this beginner session. Ongoing classes will provide the opportunities to perform in parades and events. Children in Baton Twirling II will learn routines and prepare for performances with a parade corps. Batons can be purchased from the instructor.



Ballet and Jazz Class

Thursday	10:15-11:00 am (Age 3)	Dance Room I
June 12-August 28		
Monday	3:45-4:45pm (Ages 4-7)	Centennial Room
May 12-August 25		
Monday	5:00-6:00 pm (Ages 8-12)	Centennial Room
May 12-June 16		
Monday and Thursday		
June 23-August 28		

This class is a ballet and jazz class where children will learn basics of each style of dance. Limited availability you MUST pre-register prior to class.

Preschool Hour

Friday	10:00 -11:30 am	Dance Room II
May 30-Aug 22		

Children 3-4 years old are welcome to join in on the fun! Limited availability, MUST pre-register for each session in the Battell Center Office at 574.258.1664. This class will include stories, songs, finger plays, and activities.

Self-Defense for Beginners

Monday	3:30-4:15 pm (Ages 4-7)	Dance Room I
May 12-August 25	4:30-5:15 pm (8 & up)	

A fun, dynamic approach to learn basic martial arts & self defense! Please have children wear flat bottomed shoes or children can go barefoot, and loose fitting athletic pants.

Zumba

Tuesday	6:00-6:45 pm	Gym
May 13-August 26		

Do you like dance? Do you like to workout and have fun at the same time? Zumba is the class for you! Bring your friends and family for 45 minutes of dancing fun! This is a family style Zumba!

No pre-registration needed.

Get Active!

Mishawaka Summerfest

June 28, 2014

"Your Hometown Picnic in the Park"

Summerfest will be a one-day event held only in Merrifield Park North this year. The 5K Run/Fun Walk will begin at 8:00 am. The festival will open at 9:00 am and end after the fireworks display.



Racing Pigs!



Fireworks!



Classic Car Show!

Events and Attractions

Summerfest Race

5K Run/Fun Walk

NEW THIS YEAR – Ultra RFID Timing

Also a NEW Race Course!

The 5K Race, Cookie Baking Contest and Handmade Craft Section require pre-registration and need participants.

If interested call (574)258-1664.

KidZone

Summerfest Car Show

Handmade Crafts

Historic Bus Tour

Musical Entertainment

Fireworks

Cookie Baking Contest

Delicious Food and Drink

Mishawaka Riverwalk Tours

Inflatables

Children's Treasure Hunt

Racing Pigs

Are you interested in sponsoring an event or activity at Summerfest? Contact Lou Ann Hazen at (574)258-1601 or by e-mail at lahazen@mishawaka.in.gov.

SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Firekeepers Casino

July 21 | 9:00 am-5:30 pm

The trip includes round-trip motor coach, \$20.00 casino cash and a \$5.00 lunch voucher. Fun-filled day and responsible gambling! A \$25.00 payment per person is due at time of registration. Space is limited so hurry and reserve your spot! Please RSVP by July 3rd in order to receive the casino cash and lunch voucher. No refunds will be dispersed.

Sign up at the Mishawaka Parks Office today!

Movie Night in the Park

June 20, July 18, Aug 18 | Dusk

June 20th - Hillis Hans Park

"Frozen"

July 18th - George Wilson Park

"The Nut Job"

August 18th - Battell Bandshell

"The Searchers"



Young Rembrandts Class

Wednesday May 21-June 11 | 6:00-7:00 pm
Battell Community Center - Rotary Room

Encourage your elementary student's enthusiasm for art and help develop their drawing skills with a Young Rembrandts drawing class. Our colorful drawing of bugs will help develop our students' sense of color. During the month of June, our students will create desert-themed imagery. A detailed drawing of a Navajo blanket will challenge our students' artistic sensibilities. All this and more await your artist in a Young Rembrandts classroom!

Sign up today at www.youngrembrandts.com/Michiana.

Young Rembrandts Class

Wednesday Aug 20-Sept 10 | 6:00-7:00 pm
Battell Community Center - Rotary Room

Celebrate the diversity of our planet's animal life with a Young Rembrandts drawing class. We'll create challenging, yet fun drawings. A colorful illustration of an aquarium will introduce your child to proper coloring and shading techniques. We'll also create a vibrant marker illustration as we draw adorable dogs. Open up your child's eyes to the artistic side of animal life. All this and more await your artist in a Young Rembrandts classroom!

Enroll today at www.youngrembrandts.com/Michiana.

U CAN PAINT 2 Event

June 12 | 6:00 pm
Battell Community Center - Community Room



All supplies will be provided! You'll enjoy step by step instructions to paint your masterpiece from a local artist. Refreshments provided. Painting is Peony Passion. Cost: \$35.00
To register visit <https://u-canpaint2.com>, click on the Event Calendar, then click on the Battell event on June 12.

For info contact Angela at angela@u-canpaint2.com.

Dining with Diabetes

July 15, 22, 29 & Aug 5 | 2:00-4:00 pm
Battell Community Center - Community Room

Join the Purdue Extension at the Battell Community Center for a four week session on eating and living with Type 2 Diabetes. For more information call the Purdue Extension Office at 574.235.9604. For registration information call 574.258.1664.

\$25.00 per person which includes the meal and materials
\$40.00 per couple if sharing a book.

SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Rockin' by the River Day Camp

The camp is located at Castle Manor in Merrifield Park. Day camp is a great alternative to day care. Campers will go swimming, do crafts, play games, play in the park, and much more! Must pre-register at the Mishawaka Parks and Recreation Office.

June 9-13	Let's Move Healthy Lifestyle
June 16-20	Goin' Green
June 23-27	Survivor Skills @ George Wilson Park
June 30-July 3 CLOSED 4th	Let's Get Movin' & Groovin' Karaoke
July 7-11	Let's Move Sports Fun & Fitness
July 14-18	Wizard Week
July 21-25	Paws & Claws
July 28-Aug.1	Working Together
August 4-8	Super Heroes
August 11-15	Let's Move at the Beach

COST	Basic		Extended	
	9:15	am-3:30 pm	7:30	am-5:30 pm
3-Day	\$75.00		\$90.00	
5-Day	\$120.00		\$140.00	

Fun in the Sun



Join the Mishawaka Parks Department at various parks for fun, games, food, and crafts! All events are free and will be held from 11 am-2 pm.

Borley Park

June 23rd, July 14th, & August 4th

Hillis Hans Park

June 30th, July 21st, & August 11th

Hums Park

June 16th, July 7th, & July 28th



Summer Food Service Program

The Food Service Department of Penn-Harris-Madison School Corporation is providing FREE MEALS to children 18 years of age and under, or persons more than 18 who are determined by a state or local public education agency to be mentally or physically disabled and who participate in a public or non-profit private school program established for the mentally or physically disabled.

Meadow's Edge Elementary	16333 Kern Road	10:45AM-11:30AM 7:45AM-8:15AM Breakfast
Walt Disney Elementary	4015 N. Filbert	10:45AM-11:30AM 7:45AM-8:15AM Breakfast
Battell Park	200 W Mish. Ave	11:00AM-11:45AM
Merrifield North Park	1000 E Mish. Ave	11:30AM-12:00PM
Mary Gibbard Park	1024 Somerset	12:30PM-1:15PM
Crawford Park	1000 E Merrifield St	12:00PM-12:45PM
LaSalle Elementary Playground	1511 Milburn Blvd.	11:30AM-12:15PM 3:00-3:15PM Snack
Rose Park	200 W 15 th St.	11:00AM-11:45AM
Village Green Mobile Home Park	1727 E 12 th St.	12:30PM-1:15PM
Battell Elementary Playground	715 E. Broadway	12:00PM-12:45PM 3:00-3:15PM Snack

SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

May - June

Relay For Life

May 17 | 10:00 am
Mishawaka High School



Memorial Day Parade

May 26 | 9:00 am

Battell Concert Series Begins

June 2 | 7:00 pm
Battell Park



Beutter Park Concert Series Begins

June 5 | 6:30 pm
Beutter Park

Susan G. Komen Concert for a Cure with the Whistle Pigs

June 13 | 7:00 pm
Beutter Park



Summerfest

June 28 | 8:00 am
Merrifield Park North

SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

July - August



July 4th Celebration

July 4 | Dusk
Beutter Park

Kamm Island Fest

July 23 | 5:00 pm
Kamm Island



Notre Dame Shakespeare Festival

August 3 | 7:00 pm
Battell Park

Eberhart Concert Series Begins

TBA | 8:00 pm
Eberhart Clubhouse



Renaissance Festival

August 23-24 | 10:00 am - 6:00 pm
Kamm Island

Harvest Dance

August 25 | 7:00 pm
Battell Park Bandshell

Mishawaka Parks Department

The Parks Department hosts enjoyable evenings of musical entertainment each summer. Bring a lawn chair and relax to the sweet sounds wafting in the night breeze. Below are the featured performers in this years series. Mark your calendars now!

Beutter Park Concert Series

Thursdays at 6:30 pm

June 5	Everday People
June 12	Soul Funkshun
June 19	Van Dyke Revue
June 26	Out By 8
July 4	Alligator Blackbird
July 10	Johnny Dawson
July 17	Ground Control
July 24	Top Secret
July 31	Melodious Funk
August 7	River City Band
August 14	Rain Date



SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

Summer Concert Series

Battell Park Concert Series

Mondays at 7:00 pm

June 2	Ron Wiggins Quartet
June 9	Michiana Concert Band
June 16	Kellirae and Craig
June 23	Jazz Assemblage
June 30	Gene Van Trio with Vince Del Prete and Jim Bollero
July 7	The Sophisticated Jazz Trio
July 14	Michiana Concert Band
July 21	Da Bears
July 28	Twin Cities/IUSB Concert
August 4	The Pat Heiden Quartet
August 11	Michiana Concert Band
August 18	Valleyaires Barbershop Chorus
August 25	Harvest Dance Everyday People



Eberhart Music on the River

Dates and times to be determined.

Check the City of Mishawaka website:

www.mishawaka.in.gov/parksandrecreation

for updates!

EBERHART-PETRO GOLF COURSE

Eberhart-Petro Municipal Golf Course is

located between State Street on the west and Linden Ave on the east. The entrance is at the north end of State St., north of East Mishawaka Avenue. Our 18-hole golf course provides avid golfers a round of golf along the peaceful, scenic St. Joseph River. Season passes can be purchased at the Mishawaka Parks Office in the Battell Center.

For questions and to make tee times contact Eberhart at 574.255.5508.

Daily Rates

M-F 9-holes	\$11.00
M-F Junior 18-holes (7-17)	\$11.00
M-F Adult 18-holes (18-61)	\$16.00
M-F Senior 18-holes (62 and fully retired)	\$11.00
Weekday Twilight (after 6 p.m.)	\$11.00
Wknd/Holiday	\$20.00
Wknd/Holiday/Twilight	\$14.00

Cart Fees

Electric 9-holes (single)	\$8.00
Electric 9-holes (2 people)	\$16.00
Electric 18-holes (single)	\$14.00
Electric 18-holes (2 people)	\$28.00
Pull Cart 9-holes	\$2.00
Pull Cart 18-holes	\$3.00

Fall Special Rates

18-hole with 1/2 cart	\$25.00
18-hole without cart	\$13.00

Season Pass

Resident

Non-Res

Juniors (7-22 w/valid college ID)	\$100.00	\$150.00
Adult (18+)	\$375.00	\$525.00
Adult Couples (18+)	\$450.00	\$625.00
Senior (62 and fully retired)	\$285.00	\$425.00
Senior Couple (62 and fully retired)	\$325.00	\$500.00
Family	\$500.00	\$650.00
Other		
League	\$11.00	



Fees and charges subject to change without prior notice.

PUBLIC SWIMMING FACILITIES

Merrifield Complex is located at 1000 E. Mishawaka Ave, in Merrifield Park. Merrifield is an Olympic sized pool and the complex has a slide, kiddie pool, and sand volleyball court. It is a great place to cool off from the hot summer sun! Bring the whole family for a day of fun in the sun and relaxing in the pool. Merrifield Pool will tentatively open June 9, 2014. Swim lessons will be offered in June and July. For more information call 574.258.1665.

Public Swim Hours

Daily

(Weather Permitting)

12-4PM & 6-9PM

- Closed on June 28th

- July 4th-12-4 PM

Daily Fees	Resident	Non-Res
Children (6 & under)	FREE with paid adult	FREE with paid adult
Junior (7-17)	\$2.50	\$5.00
Adult (18-61)	\$3.00	\$6.00
Senior (62+ & fully retired)	\$2.50	\$5.00
Family Weekday	\$6.50	\$15.50
Re-Entry (same day)	\$1.00	\$1.00
Group Fee* (groups of 10)	\$20.00	\$20.00
Group Fee* (Qty > 10)	\$20.00 + \$1.00 ea	\$20.00 + \$1.00 ea
Group Supervisor	\$3.00	\$3.00
Lap Swim (11am-12pm) Merrifield Complex ONLY	\$2.00	\$3.00

Fees	Resident	Non-Res
Season Pass Junior (Ages 7+)	\$45.00	\$97.00
Season Pass Adult	\$55.00	\$113.00
Season Pass Senior (62+ & fully retired)	\$50.00	\$110.00
Resident Guest Pass	\$30.00	N/A
Photo ID	\$5.00	\$10.00
Replacement ID	\$3.00	\$3.00

All patrons, ages 7 and up, are required to have a Park Department issued Photo ID or a Season Pass to enter Merrifield and Mary Gibbard Pool. Photo IDs are valid for 5 years from date of purchase at Merrifield ONLY.



Cash and check are accepted forms of payment.
Fees and charges are subject to change without prior notice.

*For groups of 10 you must have a Supervisor who has paid the Supervisor Rate and has a Park Dept. issued Photo ID. The supervisor of a group must purchase Park Photo ID along with an entrance fee of \$3.00.

Mary Gibbard Pool is located at 1024 Somerset Ave, next to Mary Gibbard Park. Mary Gibbard's main pool has a maximum depth of 5 feet and a great water slide. The complex has a kiddie pool and picnic area. Great for families with small children! Mary Gibbard Pool will tentatively open June 11, 2014. For more information call 574.258.1721.

Public Swim Hours

Sun & Wed 6-9PM

Mon-Tues/Thurs-Sat

11AM-5PM

- July 4th – 11A-5P

Rent The Pool

Contact Bradleah Mick or Shauna DelRegno at Merrifield Complex at 574.258.1665 or by e-mail at bmick@mishawaka.in.gov or sdelregno@mishawaka.in.gov to reserve your date today. Dates book quickly!

Rental Days	Time	Rate
Mon-Tues, Thu-Sat	5:30-9:00 pm	\$45.00/first hr & \$30.00/subsequent hr
Sunday & Wednesday	12:00-5:30 pm	\$45.00/first hr & \$30.00/subsequent hr

GEORGE WILSON PARK

George Wilson Hill Named for a popular high school coach, the park features excellent tubing and cross-country skiing opportunities in the winter months along with a newly-expanded warming shelter that includes both furnace heat and a stone fireplace. The park is lighted at night and has ample parking, drinking fountains, a 55-foot teepee-like windbreak, picnic tables, play equipment, and nature trails. In the non-winter months, an 18-hole, par 66 Disc Golf course is open until dusk with discs for sale in the Gate House.

Location: 2605 Clover Road | **Gate House #:** 574.258.1707

Daily Hours

10:00 am-Dusk
Weather Permitting

Daily Fees	Resident	Non-Res
Entrance	\$2.00	\$3.00
Tube Rental	\$2.00	\$2.00
Group Fee*	\$.50	\$.50

Wilson Tubing Hill

NO SLEDS ALLOWED.
INFLATABLES ONLY!



*Group Fee is per person; must have 10 or more with supervisor for every 10 persons.

Fees	Resident	Non-Res	Disc Fees	
Season Pass	\$45.00	\$60.00	Discs	\$10.00 - \$14.00
Family Season Pass	\$100.00	\$150.00	INOVA Discs	\$17.00- \$18.00
Regular Admission	\$2.00	\$3.00		
Group Fee*	\$1.00	\$1.00		

Wilson Disc Golf

Taking A Group To The Hill?

Groups are always welcome at the “Hill” for tubing. However, in order to ensure safety on the Hill, we ask those wishing to bring groups to please contact the Park Office regarding the intended date. This will assist us in properly staffing your event for the day.

Rental Fees	Resident	Non-Res
Wilson Park	\$200.00	\$200.00
Wilson Warming Room Shelter	\$175.00	\$200.00

Rent The Park For A Day

Contact the Mishawaka Parks Office for availability of renting George Wilson Park.



Fees and charges are subject to change without prior notice.

MERRIFIELD ICE RINK

Merrifield Ice Rink is located in Merrifield Park off of Mishawaka Ave. The ice rink will open around Thanksgiving, weather permitting and close in early March depending on the weather as well. During the winter months Merrifield's Ice Rink is fun and inviting. Season passes are available to individuals and to families. For daily admission, without a season pass, all are required to purchase a Mishawaka Parks issued photo ID which can be purchased at the Ice Rink. The rink is available for rental Monday-Thursday.

For more information call 574.258.1665.

Open Skate Hours

Friday	1:00 - 8:00pm
Weekends	12:00 - 4:00pm 4:30 - 9:00pm

Daily Fees	Resident	Non-Res
Children (6 & under)	FREE with paid adult	FREE with paid adult
Junior (7-17)	\$2.00	\$3.50
Adult (18-61)	\$3.00	\$5.50
Senior (62+ & fully retired)	\$3.00	\$5.50
Re-Entry (same day)	\$1.00	\$1.00
Group Fee	\$1.00	\$1.00
Skate Rental	\$2.00	\$2.00
Skate Sharpening	\$3.00	\$3.00
Rink Rental	\$95.00/hr	\$95.00/hr

Fees and charges are subject to change without prior notice.

*For groups of 10 you must have a Supervisor who has paid the Supervisor Rate and has a Park Dept. issued Photo ID.

The supervisor of a group must purchase Park Photo ID along with an entrance fee of \$3.00.

Other Fees	Resident	Non-Res
Photo ID	\$5.00	\$10.00
Replacement ID	\$3.00	\$3.00

All patrons, ages 7 and up, are required to have a Park Department issued Photo ID or a Season Pass to enter Merrifield Skate Rink. Photo IDs are valid for 5 years from date of purchase.



Season Pass Fees	Resident	Non-Res
Individual (Ages 7+)	\$30.00	\$50.00
Family	\$45.00	\$65.00
Resident Guest Pass	\$30.00	\$30.00

Season passes are valid for one skate season which is November through March.

Resident Guest Passes are available for purchase by Mishawaka Residents for \$30.00. These are good for 10 admissions into the ice rink. There is no expiration date and the user of the Guest Pass does not need a Park issued photo ID. If the purchaser does not already have a Park issued Resident Photo ID, one will be required for the purchaser. Guest Passes may be purchased at the Merrifield Rink.



PARK AMENITIES



MISHAWAKA PARKS & RECREATION 574-258-1664

		Acreage	Ball Field	Basketball Court	Boat Launch/Canoe Portage	Disc Golf Course/Tubing Hill	Fishing	Garden	Golf Course	Grills	Historic Site	Ice Skating	Lake/Pond/River	Off-Leash Dog Run	Picnic Area	Playground	Public Art	Restroom Facilities	Riverwalk/Trails	Shelter/Pavilion/Gazebo	Soccer Field	Splash Pad	Swimming Pool	Tennis Court	Volleyball Court
Ball Band Memorial Park	115 W Mishawaka Ave	1.0																							
Battell Park	301 W Mishawaka Ave	11.1																							
Bendix Park	300 S Delorenzi	75.0																							
Bingham Park	600 E Third St (City Hall)	0.3																							
Borley Park	Borley & Merrifield	7.1																							
Central Park	295 E Mishawaka Ave	12.8																							
Crawford Park (South of Avenue)	1000 Block E Mishawaka Ave	13.0																							
Eberhart-Petro Municipal Golf Course	801 N State St	89.1																							
Fred J. Hums Park	3200 Harrison Rd	12.0																							
George Wilson Park	2605 Clover Rd	54.3																							
Henry Frank Park	731 Day Rd	12.8																							
Hillis Hans Park	601 E 13th St	5.2																							
Honor Park	Normandy Drive	0.2																							
Hydro Dam/Park	Power Drive	0.8																							
Immigrant Island	Being Relocated/Construction	0.0																							
Kamm Island Park	600 W Front St	7.5																							
Kate's Garden	1122 Lincolnway West	1.5																							
Laing Park	2749 Lincolnway East	2.4																							
Lincoln Park	930 Lincoln Park Road	0.0																							
Margaret Prickett Park	13108 E Jefferson Blvd	15.0																							
Mary Gibbard Park	1024 Somerset St	3.1																							
Merrifield Park (North of Avenue)	1000 Block E Mishawaka Ave	12.0																							
Miami "Monkey" Island	801 N State St	5.0																							
Normain Park	200 E McKinley	7.2																							
Robert C. Beutter Riverfront Park	400 N Spring Street	7.0																							
Rose Park	1400 S West St	18.4																							
Shiojiri Niwa	1000 Block E Mishawaka Ave	1.3																							
Temple Park	500 E Edgar	5.7																							
Twin Branch Park	3900 Lincolnway East	12.0																							

OFF-LEASH DOG RUN

Located at: Margaret H. Prickett Marina Park

Small dog park area available for dogs 15” and below at the shoulder.

Rules and Regulations

- Year Round Run Hours: Dawn to Dusk
- Owners are legally responsible for their dogs and any injuries caused by them. This run is not patrolled on a regular basis. By entering the Off-Leash Dog Run, you acknowledge that the City is not responsible for the safety of your pet, person, or property.
- Although the City has made an attempt to provide a secure fenced facility, owners should be aware that the perimeter fence is not monitored on a regular basis for holes dug by animals or other accidental damage or wear that may cause a breach in security. Please report damage.
- To report problems during normal business hours, contact the City of Mishawaka Parks Department at (574) 258-1664. After hours, leave a message or e-mail parks@mishawaka.in.gov. In case of an emergency- Dial 911.
- All dogs must be properly licensed per the City of Mishawaka Municipal Code, inoculated and healthy. To obtain a license, please contact the City of Mishawaka Finance Department at (574) 258-1622.
- All dogs must wear a collar and ID tags at all times.
- Owners must clean up after their dogs. Failure to pick up after your dog could lead to the closure of the dog run. This run relies on the contributions from patrons for clean plastic bags to pick up waste. Please contribute by depositing clean bags in the labeled container.
- Dogs showing aggression towards people or other animals are not allowed in the run.
- Puppies using the run must be at least four months old.
- Owners should not leave their dog(s) unattended or allowed out of sight.
- We recommend that young children not enter the run. Children in the dog run should be under constant adult supervision.
- Dogs in heat are not allowed inside the run.
- Owners must carry a leash at all times. Dogs should be leashed before entering and prior to leaving the park.
- The restrooms (including any water supply) provided for this facility is seasonal and is not available on a year-round basis. Owners are encouraged to bring water from home when water is not available.
- Violators will be subject to fines and penalties as permitted by law. Repeated violators could be subject to a suspension of park privileges. We encourage patrons to remind other patrons of the obligations contained herein.
- Repeated problems could also lead to the closure of the Off-Leash Dog Run for everyone.

CONTACT US



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2014 Park Board Meetings/May-August

Meetings are held 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month at 4:30 p.m. in the Community Room at Battell Community Center.

May 12, 2014	July 14, 2014
May 27, 2014	July 28, 2014
June 9, 2014	August 11, 2014
June 23, 2014	August 25, 2014



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