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MISSOULA PARKS AND RECREATION PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

For immediate release through December 8, 2019

Parks and Recreation fun for the week of December 2

Join Missoula Parks and Recreation this week for [youth and adult swim lessons](#), [Currents' Parents Night Out](#), [the Skills and Drills Pickleball Clinic](#), and so much more! Register online at www.missoulaparks.org/register. For more information, or to register in person, call 721-PARK (7275) or stop by [Currents Aquatics Center](#) in McCormick Park. [Share The Fun Recreation Grants](#) are available for families who need financial assistance.

Learn more in the [Winter Recreation Guide](#) at www.missoulaparks.org.

Coming Soon: Currents Dive-In Movie!

Currents Dive-In Movie • December 13, all ages

What do you get when you cross a popular animated film with waterpark fun? A Dive-In Movie, of course! Join us at Currents on Friday, December 13, at 5 or 7:30 p.m. Admission is \$4 per person. Visit our website at www.missoulaparks.org to see which hit family movie we're showing—in the pool! The Dive-In Movie features food and drinks available for purchase and a fun crafting station! Purchase advance tickets Currents Aquatics Center; quantities are limited. The next Dive-In Movie is February 21, 2020.

Week of December 2

Learn to Swim at Currents Aquatics Center

Quality instruction for ages 6 months through adults. Evening and weekend classes available. Currents' zero-depth entry and warm water make learning to swim easy and fun. Dates, times, fees vary.

Currents Adult Swim Development & Fitness School • Dec. 2 - 18, ages 14+

Knowledgeable instructors teach you to swim or help you achieve your aquatics fitness goals. Meets M/W, 6:45 – 7:30 p.m., the registration fee is \$33, or \$27 with CityCard resident discount.

Missoula Movers Coffee Walks • Mondays, for active adults

Enjoy the company of new friends on guided walks through Missoula's conservation lands, parks, and trails. After the walk, enjoy a hot drink with fellow hikers! Meets Mondays at Currents, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Registration is \$7 per session. (Sorry, no CityCard discount.)

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Discovery Corp Afterschool Adventures • Weekdays, Grades K-5

We provide afterschool transportation from Chief Charlo, Lewis and Clark, Lowell, Jeannette Rankin, Paxson, Rattlesnake, and Russell and provide adventure-filled active programming for your child. Parents pick up at McCormick Park between 5-5:30 p.m. daily. Fee is \$16.50 per day, Share The Fun Youth Recreation Grants available.

Parent's Night Out at Currents • Dec. 6, ages 7+

Enjoy your dinner date and explore First Friday without the kids in tow! Drop the kids at Currents for supervised fun in the pool and a pizza dinner. The program meets 5 to 8 p.m.; registration is \$15 per child.

Skills and Drills Pickleball Clinic • Dec. 7, ages 12+

For advanced beginners and up to work on specific skills, shots, footwork. All necessary equipment (paddles, balls, nets) provided. Pre-registration is required, \$6 per session. Clinic meets 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the City Life Gym, 1515 Fairview.

Free! Sign up for Kiwanis Basketball • Register by Dec. 16, grades 6-8

Parks and Recreation is hosting Kiwanis Basketball sign-ups this year. It's the same great free program for boys and girls in grades 6-8. Parks and Recreation will sign you up and Kiwanis will do the rest! Season runs January-March, games are weekday evenings. Register by December 16 online or give us a call at 721-PARK. For more information, please visit missoulakiwanis.com.

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Learn to Play Pickleball Level 1 Clinics • Dec. 14, ages 12+

Learn the basics of the game and get ready for open or league play. All necessary equipment (paddles, balls, nets) provided. If you've never played pickleball, this is the place to start. Pre-registration is required, \$6 per session. Clinic meets 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the City Life Gym, 1515 Fairview.

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Ongoing programs

Currents Open Swim

10 a.m. to 8 p.m. weekdays, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday.

Currents Swim Lessons • Ongoing, all ages

Professional, affordable aquatics instruction for ages six months through adult at Currents or Splash Montana.

Currents Swim Squad • Ongoing, ages 6+

Kids will improve their swimming skills and build endurance in a supportive team environment.

Aquacize! at Currents • Ongoing, ages 16+

Increase flexibility, improve cardio fitness, and tone muscles in our fun water aerobics classes.

Ripples Party Room at Currents

Includes all-day swimming and bakery or ice cream cake, or bring your own treats!

Pickleball Open Play • Ongoing, ages 12+

At City Life Gym, 1515 Fairview.

Preschool Portable Parties

Strider bikes, portable playground and games at the Sports and Wellness gym, a City park, or your location.

Ropes Course Birthday Parties

Includes High Ropes Course and Climbing Wall, ages 5+.

MORE Build Your Own Adventure! • Ongoing, all ages

Top-of-the-line instruction for people of all abilities and ages in a wide variety of outdoor recreation pursuits, plus ropes course and team-building activities. Contact Meg Whicher at 552-6271 or mwhicher@ci.missoula.mt.us.

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