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The Age of Creativity

Pops of color. New uses for public spaces. Trash turned treasure.

These are all examples of creativity, and in Oak Park we are embracing it all, and more. Oak Park is in a transformative phase, one that is bringing in new businesses, new parks, new art and new opportunities.

Our transformation is inspiring, but so is all that has had made us transformative.

A trip down Nine Mile, east of Coolidge, is a perfect example of this. The structure of and the play equipment on the Linear Park pushes the boundaries of what most may think is a traditional park. But, in Oak Park, we saw opportunity to create something unique, useful and enjoyable.

The public art along the Linear Park further pushes that creativity envelope. The pieces made from reclaimed material are works of art I am honored to have claim Oak Park as home. "Hoops the Kid" and "Zyla: Girl from Earth IV" are not only vibrant, complex pieces of art that allow the viewer to find something new about the piece at every turn, but they also encourage deeper conversation. Sustainability, diversity and more are at Oak Park's core and it is vital we not only create conversations around our values, but also highlight them.

And, as if these pieces of art aren't already great, they were created by none other than an Oak Park resident, Dale Teachout. The other awe-inspiring pieces of work enhancing Nine Mile Road are The Dog by Dale Rogers and Foster Willey's Indigenous Oak.

Clearly, we are in the age of creativity here in Oak Park, and we are only gaining more steam. From the Elevate Oak Park project where we will be reimagining our parks and recreation opportunities in the City to the life that has been brought to what is now known as the Water Tower Social District to the rebirth of the former Detroit Armory site, we have proven opportunities are endless in Oak Park. We have also proven that creative minds, perseverance and a strong love for a community and its success brings nothing short of excellence.

Sincerely,

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Local Festival to Make Summer a Blast

Summer is about to be a blast, especially the weekend of June 17-19!

That's right, the long-awaited Summer Blast will debut in Oak Park near the Community Center and Shepherd Park!

The event will feature a carnival, including a Ferris wheel, a mini-pub, a variety of food vendors and plenty of entertainment!

This is a family friendly event so bring your kids, grandkids, neighbors, cousins and whoever is looking to create a newfound tradition! Admission is free and for those looking to enjoy ride-after-ride-after-ride daily armbands are \$20 per day.

In addition to the carnival and entertainment, Summer Blast weekend will also feature the 10th annual BBQ Battle. This event, put on in conjunction with Oakland County Parks has 36 teams who compete against each other to earn the title of best BBQ around! This year, competitors can BBQ ribs for a \$50 entry fee or wings for a \$25 entry fee. The Battle is being held on Saturday, June 18, with check-in occurring between 7-9 am; wings are turned in at 2:30 pm for judging and ribs at 3:30 pm. Spectators are welcome to watch and those interested in battling off can call (248) 691-2357.

Sunday, June 19 will also bring an additional celebration. From 12:30-1:30 pm the Second Annual Juneteenth Celebration will be held in conjunction with Summer Blast. The celebration will feature songs, dances, a performance reflecting on moments in Black History, recognition of the Juneteenth Essay and Flag Contest winners, a tribute to local fathers and grandfathers and more. A one-mile walk will also be held in the morning at Shepherd Park, with registration beginning at 9:30 am.

So, to say this summer will be a blast is an understatement!

Check out oakparkmi.gov for more information!



The Parade is Back!

The long-loved tradition of spending the Fourth of July watching and participating in the Oak Park Independence Day Parade has returned!

For 2022 the day will begin at 8 am with the Mayor’s 5K RUN/WALK, which is \$20 for pre-registration and \$25 for registration. Each participant receives a t-shirt and post-race snack and refreshment.

Following the race is the Oak Park Youth Assistance Pancake Breakfast from 9-11 am in Shelter 1 at Shepherd Park. This is the place to fill up before heading to the parade route!

The Independence Day Parade kicks off at 11 am, beginning at Coolidge Highway and Nine Mile Road and ending at Shepherd Park. This is a celebrated tradition in our community and we cannot wait to welcome our friends and neighbors back for the fun.

The fun for the day continues after the parade with Fun Fest taking place in the park between 11 am and 3 pm. This is a family-friendly event with live music, inflatables, a petting zoo, pony rides and more.

Mark your calendars now to welcome back this Oak Park tradition!



Community Resource Center Now Open



The City of Oak Park’s Community Resource Center is meant to be your one-stop-shop to answer common questions related to City operations, request services and streamline communications, and it is now open!

“After a six-month comprehensive audit and redesign, I

am excited for the residents of Oak Park to have an improved way to communicate with the City,” said Resident Services Coordinator Tim Ciechorski. “The Community Resource Center is a great way to make requests, report problems, and find answers. This system will also allow us to track where issues are occurring in the city;

allowing us to target the delivery of communications and educational information.”

The Community Resource Center is an online portal that can be accessed at bit.ly/OP-CRC or by using the QR Code.

OAK PARK AWARDED

Federal Funding for Body Worn Camera Project

The City of Oak Park will receive \$560,000 in federal funding for body worn/in-car cameras through funds Congresswoman Brenda Lawrence earmarked as part of the 2022 appropriations bill.

This is a welcomed announcement for the City, as it helps ensure continued safety for the Oak Park community and the City's Public Safety Officers. Additionally, the allocation of these federal funds will primarily fund the project.

"We are thankful and fortunate to have a great partner and advocate in Congresswoman

Brenda Lawrence," said City Manager Erik Tungate. "She consistently advocates for the needs of the Oak Park community."

Currently, Oak Park's Public Safety does not have body cameras, but the need for them has long been recognized.

"The Oak Park Department of Public Safety is extremely grateful and excited to have been awarded funding by the United States Congress for the department's Body Worn Camera Project," said Public Safety Director Steve Cooper. "Having this tool will greatly assist the department in creating another level of transparency and trust with the citizens we so proudly serve."

The Oak Park Department of Public Safety does have in-car cameras, which are helpful during traffic stops. However, the in-car cameras cannot go inside locations with the officers.

"With the body cams, they are very mobile and we can take them pretty much anywhere," said Cooper. "We're very proud of the work and

the service we provide here at the Oak Park Public Safety Department. We have very strong support from our community, and we have for decades. This is something we want to continue and body cams are an excellent way to continue to instill that trust in the community and in our officers."

Currently, the Oak Park Department of Public Safety has 53 sworn officers.

The 2022 appropriations bill was approved by Congress on March 10. Congresswoman Lawrence serves in the House of Representatives and tirelessly worked to secure funding for the communities she represents.

"As the Vice Chair of the House Appropriations Committee, I'm proud to have voted for this funding bill that reflects the values and priorities of Michiganders," Congresswoman Lawrence said in a press release. "I'm especially excited that this bill includes all 10 Community Project Funding Requests for the district."

Congresswoman Lawrence's Community Project Funding requests were part of a change in the budgeting process that allowed members of Congress to request specific items for local projects. This is the first time such requests were taken and approved in over a decade.



Save the Date for the
City of Oak Park

State of the City Address
Nine Mile Linear Park Kickoff

Tuesday, June 28, 2022
4:30 pm: Explore the Nine Mile Linear Park
6 pm: State of the City Address

Nine Mile Linear Park
(at the future connector park)

Scan QR Code

REGISTER NOW

Daily rates apply.
Season passes available.
Recreation Office at
(248) 691-7555

Oak Park Pool
**GRAND
OPENING**
Saturday, June 11, 1:00 to 6:00 pm





Oak Park Again Recognized

FOR SUPPORTING BUSINESS COMMUNITY

The City of Oak Park has again been recognized as a five-star eCities community by the University of Michigan-Dearborn's Center for Innovation Research.

This designation further exemplifies the City's successes and efforts in contributing to Michigan's entrepreneurial growth and economic development.

The annual eCities study is conducted by researchers at iLabs, University of Michigan-Dearborn's Center for Innovation Research and Oak Park was one of 97 other Michigan communities to be honored as a five-star community.

"We continue to execute our vision that we set for Oak Park over the last decade. Our City has become a leader in attracting and maintaining a stable business community, one that serves the residents and business owners while also garnering positive attention throughout the Detroit region and state," said Oak Park City Manager Erik Tungate. "We always strive for excellence in Oak Park and

I am proud to see our economic development efforts receive this important designation."

The City's Planning and Economic Development Department is led by Director Kimberly Marrone; through her strong knowledge and experience she has laid a solid foundation for current businesses to thrive and for new business owners to be supported in their journey to success. Expedited and streamlined processes that allow the City's economic and community development to grow are further made possible through the collaboration that occurs between the Planning and Economic Development and Building departments. In 2021 the Oak Park's economic landscape flourished in the following ways:

- Added 22 new businesses, including breweries and restaurants in the new Oak Park Water Tower Social District, several new

businesses in the industrial district, and a variety of new businesses throughout the City's commercial corridor;

- Was and continues to be actively involved in the new SOAR Chamber, further encouraging networking and support for area businesses;
- Hosted an Oakland County Small Business Association workshop;
- Hosted a webinar and Open House for Oak Park small businesses;
- Hosted Urban Main training and discussion sessions with local businesses.

"The City of Oak Park has a reputation for expediting projects and working with developers to meet their goals and timelines. The City has a very supportive Planning Commission and City Council which welcomes new development and allows the department to work effectively with developers without throwing roadblocks in the way."

eCities Study

The eCities study analyzed publicly available data from 277 communities from 54 counties in Michigan. Researchers focused on the five-year changes in property values, community assets, and tax rates, which can demonstrate the growth, investments, and cost of doing business within the community. For example, over the five-year period of 2016-2020, these communities increased their capital assets by an average of 2.9 percent per year by investments such as park facilities, water and sewer infrastructure projects, and emergency vehicles, while property tax rates increased by less than 3 percent on average per year.



OAK PARK FARMERS MARKET

**WEDNESDAYS 9AM - 2PM
JULY 6 - SEPTEMBER 28**

Fresh Michigan produce, baked goods, honey, earn market bucks with Power of Produce program for children and adults.

FREE Yoga classes for adults.

FREE yoga mats for the first 25 registered participants. Call 248-691-7555

Location: 13701 Oak Park Blvd (Oak Park High School)

Call for Information 248-691-2357

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Special Event Dates:

July 27 Family Market Day

August 24 Senior Market Day

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Former Detroit Armory Site

SCHEDULED TO BE FULLY DEVELOPED



The former Detroit Armory will soon be fully developed as construction is set to begin soon for a 275,401 square-foot speculative industrial building owned by Opus Group (Opus).

“To have the former Detroit Artillery Amory site fully leased and built out is a long-term dream I am beyond excited to see realized,” said Oak Park City Manager Erik Tungate. “This will provide new job opportunities for our residents, and an additional tax base for the City of Oak Park. Businesses that embrace advanced and modern technology and operational approaches are welcome in Oak Park and this new development exemplifies what we look for as we continue to move down our path of excellence.”

Prior to construction even beginning, the originally planned speculative building has already been leased to Tire Wholesalers Inc. (TWI). The business is moving its Troy, Michigan distribution center to a new, custom-built location in Oak Park.

“The business has really grown in the past five years, and we’re grateful to move to a new location with more space, where we can further update our warehouse technology and logistics systems. We expect these improvements to our systems to improve our customer’s experience,” said TWI Founder Ross Kogel Sr.

The building will be located at 15100 Eight Mile Rd. and will feature a 32-foot clear height, 44 dock doors, 57 trailer parking stalls and 196 auto parking stalls.

The project is slated for completion in December of 2022.

“We are excited to be developing a modern distribution facility on this parcel,” said Mike Robinson, senior director of real estate development for Opus. “This facility is in a prime infill location with superior access to freeway routes.”

Rounding out the full development of the site will be a future Savvy Sliders, a gourmet slider establishment, along with an additional building that will house retail or restaurant operations.

Development of the former Armory site began nearly 10 years ago with the building of the FedEx Ground Distribution Center; it was this development that helped shift Oak Park from a surviving community to one that is thriving.

The site’s development not only adds to Oak Park’s growing business community, but also contribute to the City’s overall tax revenue.

The Forgotten Harvest headquarters, a non-profit organization, will also be located at the former Armory site, further proving Oak Park continues to welcome a diverse set of businesses and organizations.

About The Opus Group:

The Opus Group® is a family of commercial real estate development, construction and design companies headquartered in Minneapolis with offices and projects across the country. Opus operates as an integrated, multidisciplinary team with expertise in development, capital markets and finance; project management and construction; architecture, engineering and interior design. The Opus Group includes Opus Holding, L.L.C. and its operating subsidiaries: Opus Development Company, L.L.C., Opus Design Build, L.L.C. and Opus AE Group, L.L.C. Specializing in industrial, office, residential, retail and institutional projects, The Opus Group has broad capabilities, deep experience and a proven design-build model that delivers solutions for customers on time and on budget. For more information, visit opus-group.com.

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- ✓ Park Ranger
- ✓ Recreation Assistant
- ✓ Field Supervisor
- ✓ Day Camp Counselor
- ✓ Building Monitor
- ✓ Multiple Pool Positions including:
 - Lifeguard
 - Cashier
 - Multiple Management Positions



- DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS -

- ✓ Public Service Worker



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Now!**







Oak Park Public Library

CONTACT US!

(248) 691-7480
reference@oakparkmi.gov

HOURS: Monday-Thursday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Friday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday Closed, Sunday 1 to 5 p.m.

Kimberly Schaaf, Director

 @ Oak Park Library
 @ oakparkmilibrary

YOUTH EVENTS

EXTREME WATERCOLOR PAINTING**Ages 6-12****Wednesday, June 22, 2 pm**

Combine paint and water at this fun family event for ages 6-12! Swing by the library and we'll show you how to create an amazing work of art! Please dress accordingly or bring a paint shirt. Registration required.

CHALK IT UP - UNDERWATER EDITION**Monday, July 25, 6 pm****All Ages Family Event!**

Come channel your inner artist with this underwater themed chalk drawing event! Who can draw the best ocean themed chalk art?

TAKE HOME CRAFTS

Craft kits are available during first full week of each month. Stop by the information desk to take one home!

- June: Octopus Streamer
- July: Paper Plate Shark
- Aug.: Paper Bowl Jellyfish

SUMMER STORYTIMES!**Tot Time Play Group:**

Tuesdays, June 14-Aug. 30, 10:15am, OPPL

Farmer's Market:

Wednesdays, July 6-Aug. 31, 10:15am, OPHS

Traditional Storytime:

Thursdays, June 16-Aug. 25, 10:15am, OPPL

TEEN EVENTS

TEENS ROCK!**Monday, July 18, 4 pm**

Paint a provided rock and include a #oakparkrocks tag on the back, then hide it around town and encourage friends and family to find it, take a selfie and then find a new location to hide it. Post photos online with the tag #oakparkrocks and track your rock.

WORLD MUSIC CONCERT WITH SEAN BLACKMAN!**Sunday, July 10, 3 pm**

Sean Blackman's unique World Music style is influenced by his deep passion for traditional ethnic music from around the world and of course, growing up in Detroit — Jazz, Blues, Rock and Soul. Blackman works with internationally renowned performers as well as Detroit's finest and always brings a cross-culture approach to his shows and recordings. Registration suggested.

In partnership with Michigan Humanities and the National Endowment for the Humanities, OPPL is pleased to present this exciting series of musical guests, each bringing rich cultural traditions to Oak Park! Funding for these grants has been provided by Michigan Humanities and the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) as part of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security (CARES) Act economic stabilization plan.

Memorial Donations

- Kenneth Sherman, in honor of Duster
- Howard Faber, in support of our youth department.

If you'd like to support the library, please call our director at 248-691-7480.

FAMILY EVENTS

1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN Throughout 2022, Ages 0 to Pre-K Receive a free book when you register!

The 1,000 Books before Kindergarten program is dedicated to promoting reading to newborns, infants and toddlers to successfully prepare them for formal education in kindergarten.

ADULT EVENTS

SUMMER BOOK CLUB Wednesday, Aug. 3, 6 pm

August's selection, *Long Road to Mercy*, by David Baldacci can be picked up at the circulation desk starting the first week of July! Registration required.

DETROIT HISTORICAL SOCIETY PRESENTS: THE GREEN BOOK Tuesday, June 7, 6 pm – via ZOOM

Join Detroit Historical Society and "walk" through Midtown and downtown Detroit and discover the safe havens, swinging spots and surprising stories that helped African Americans from Detroit and all over the country navigate the city. Registration required.

1-ON-1 TECH ASSISTANCE

Need some help with your new mobile device, phone, or laptop? We can help! Make a technology appointment with a librarian by calling 248-691-7480 or send an email to reference@oakparkmi.gov.

FRIENDS OF THE OAK PARK LIBRARY

The Friends of OPPL have generously paid for the very popular BookPage magazine for 2022! If you're interested in knowing more about this 501(c)(3) charity that supports the library, please call (248)691-7480 or email friends.oakparklibrary@gmail.com.

Huge Summer Book Sale! June 23 – 28



SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2022

June 12-Aug. 14

Sponsored by Friends of the Oak Park Public Library

Summer Reading Kick-off Party Sunday, June 12, 1-5 pm

We're hosting LIVE animals from around the world – and you can see them up close at our Summer Reading Challenge Kick-Off party! Adults, teens, and kids can register for the program, receive your free gift, see and touch some amazing animals and enjoy some provided snacks! Live animal show begins at 2 pm, be sure to arrive early!

Children, Ages 0-12, Register Starting June 12

Read 600 minutes during the summer to earn a free book and reading certificate. Those who participate will receive a free book and bag with their reading log and other fun things to get started! Twenty minutes at a time is all it takes to reach 600 minutes of reading and to win chances at one of the final prizes!

Teens, Ages 12-17, Register Starting May 31

Are you up for the challenge? Earn chances to win great prizes each time you complete a reading challenge! Registration starts Tuesday, May 31 at our Teen Preview, details below!

Adults

Adults have their very own prizes and chances to win this year with Summer Reading BINGO! The more BINGO's an individual gets the more chances to win they earn! Registration begins Sunday, June 12 at the Summer Reading Kick-off party!

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE TEEN PREVIEW Gratitude Steel Band, LIVE CONCERT! Tuesday, May 31, 4-5 pm

Teens and families are welcome to attend this energetic steel drum concert after school to learn all about Caribbean culture through music. When you're here you can register early for Summer Reading Challenge 2022 and receive your free gift! This concert is funded in part by Michigan Humanities, an affiliate of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Utility Bill Assistance Organizations and Programs

If you are in need of utility bill assistance consider contacting one of the organizations below. This list can also be found at oakparkmi.gov.

- **AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ASSISTANCE**
(517) 373-8080
WWW.HOUSE.GOV/HFA
- **COVID EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (CERA)**
1-888-441-1742
WWW.OAKLANDHOMELESS.ORG/CERA
196 CESAR EAST CHAVEZ AVE, PONTIAC, MI 48342
- **DETROIT WATER PROJECT**
DETROITWATERPROJECT.ORG
- **DHS-MADISON HEIGHTS**
(248) 542-5860
[HTTPS://BIT.LY/3xG450Q](https://bit.ly/3xG450Q)
30755 MONTPELIER, MADISON HEIGHTS, MI 48071
- **HOSPITALITY HOUSE FOOD PANTRY**
(248) 960-9975
PROGADMIN@HHFP.ORG
- **MICHIGAN HOMEOWNER ASSISTANCE**
1-866-946-7432
WWW.STEPFORWARDMICHIGAN.ORG
PO BOX 30632 LANSING MICHIGAN 48909
- **OAKLAND COUNTY CARES ACT**
(248) 858-0730
OAKGOV.COM/COVID/GRANTS
- **OAKLAND COUNTY FAIR HOUSING**
1-888-350-0900
OAKGOV.COM/FAIRHOUSINGSURVEY
- **OLSHA-OAKLAND**
(248) 542-5860
30755 MONTPELIER, MADISON HEIGHTS 48342
- **OUR LADY OF FATIMA**
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
(248) 545-2310
- **PEOPLE'S WATER BOARD COALITION**
(833) 882-7766
- **SALVATION ARMY**
(248) 585-5600
3015 NORTH MAIN, ROYAL OAK, MI 48073
- **THE HEAT AND WATER FUND (THAW)**
1-800-866-8429
535 GRISWOLD ST, STE 200, DETROIT 48226
- **WRAP PROGRAM**
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Monday-Thursday
9 a.m.-1 p.m. and 2-5 p.m.
Every Other Friday
8 a.m.-4 p.m.

THE MISSION OF THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT IS TO ENRICH THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR OUR DIVERSE COMMUNITY WHILE ESTABLISHING A HIGH STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE IN OUR PROGRAMS, ACTIVITIES, PARKS AND SERVICES.

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PAYMENT METHODS

We accept checks or money orders made payable to the City of Oak Park, cash paid in-person, and the following credit cards:

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Oak Park Recreation



Recreation

4 Ways to Register for Recreation Programs

ONLINE REGISTRATION

Register online for activities by clicking on the "Click Here to Register" button on the Recreation Department's page of the City's website, at www.OakParkMI.gov. Or, go directly to the online registration page at <http://bitly.com/OPRegisterOnline>. When registering online, follow these easy steps:

1. Visit <http://bitly.com/OPRegisterOnline>.
2. Enter the required information to generate your customer identification and password.
3. Click on the activities you want to register for.
4. Pay with a credit card, print your receipt, and receive an instant email confirmation of your purchase.

MAIL-IN REGISTRATION

A mail-in registration is available for most activities, except when athletic contracts are required for registration. For athletic contracts, register in person. To register via mail:

1. Complete the Recreation Registration Form, see form on adjacent page.
2. Include check or money order payable to the City of Oak Park. Do not include cash or credit card numbers.
3. When a birth certificate is required for registration, a copy of the birth certificate can be mailed or the original can be delivered in-person to the Recreation Department.

IN-PERSON REGISTRATION

Register in-person during regularly scheduled business hours. The Recreation Department is located in the City's Community Center at **14300 Oak Park Blvd., Oak Park**.

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Closed 1 to 2 p.m.)

Open every other Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

June 10 and 24, July 8 and 22.

Closed on May 30 and July 4.

BY PHONE

Register by phone with a credit card (American Express®, Visa®, MasterCard® or Discover®) by calling (248) 691-7555.

Classes are filled on a first-come, first-serve basis. Register early! Refund policies apply.



FALL YOUTH SOCCER

Saturdays, Aug. 27 to Oct. 29 | 9 to 11 a.m. | 9 weeks
Registration Begins: June 1
Registration Ends: Aug. 8

Games are every Saturday and some week nights
 Practices take place in Oak Park, Games take place in Ferndale.

Oak Park will participate in the Quad-City Alliance Soccer League. They compete with teams from Ferndale, Hazel Park and Pleasant Ridge. This is a co-ed soccer league. Participants are provided with jersey, shorts, and soccer socks. Shin guards are not provided but must be worn at all games and practices.

U4 SOCCER

Fee: \$40 Resident/\$45 Non-Resident
Course: 1000FW22

U6 SOCCER

Fee: \$50 Resident/\$55 Non-Resident
Course: 1002FW22

U8 SOCCER

Fee: \$60 Resident/\$65 Non-Resident
Course: 1001FW22

U10 SOCCER

Fee: \$65 Resident/\$70 Non-Resident
Course: 1003FW22

MARTIAL ARTS

GO-TI YOUTH MARTIAL ARTS
Tuesday and Thursday, 7:15 to 8:15 p.m.
\$65 Resident/\$70 Non-Resident | 8 weeks
Ages: 8-13 | Community Center

GO-TI Youth Karate is a class specifically designed for beginner through intermediate skill levels. It enhances a child's focus, memory, teamwork skills, discipline, self-control, fitness, balance, and coordination. All of this is achieved through exciting and fun games and activities. Students should dress in gym attire. Participants will be assessed on their overall skills on the first day of class. A responsible adult must remain in attendance during class. Instructor: Grand Master Dereke Batten.

May 24 - July 14
July 19 - Sept. 13 (no class 8/2)



ADULT ACTIVITIES

FALL ADULT KICKBALL

6 to 10 p.m. | Ages 18+
\$200 + \$50 Refundable Team Forfeit Fee
Location: David Shepherd Park

Games will be played at Joe Forbes Field and City Park #2. Teams pay a \$13 umpire fee at each game in addition to the league fee. This is a coed double-header league game league plus end of season playoff tournament. For more information, please contact the Recreation Office at (248) 691-7555.

Fridays, Aug. 26 through Oct. 14
Registration begins June 1



DAY CAMP & LATCHKEY

JUNE 13 to AUG. 5

Enrollment is on a first come, first served basis. Fees must be paid in advance. We do not take deposits. Latchkey participants must be enrolled in Summer Day Camp or Tot Lot Day Camp to be enrolled in the Latchkey program. For additional information call Oak Park Recreation at (248) 691-7555.

TOT LOT DAY CAMP (Age 5-6) | Summer Day Camp (Ages 7-12)

Full Week (5 Days)

Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
\$120 per week, Resident prior to June 30; \$135 after July 1
\$130 per week, Non-Resident prior to June 30; \$145 after July 1

July 5-8 (4 Days, Closed on July 4)

\$96 Resident, prior to June 30; \$108 after July 1
\$106 Non-Resident, prior to June 30; \$118 after July 1

LATCHKEY (Ages 5-12)

AM Latchkey: 8 to 9 am prior to June 30

Full Week (5 Days)
Monday-Friday | \$20/Resident, \$25/Non-Resident
4 Day Week (4 Days, Closed July 4)
July 1, 2, 3 and 5 | \$16/Resident, \$21/Non-Resident

AM Latchkey: 8 to 9 am after July 1

Full Week (5 Days)
Monday-Friday | \$25/Resident, \$30/Non-Resident
4 Day Week (4 Days, Closed July 4)
July 1, 2, 3 and 5 | \$20/Resident, \$25/Non-Resident

PM Latchkey: 4-5 p.m. prior to June 30

Full Week (5 Days)
Monday-Friday | \$20/Resident, \$25/Non-Resident
4 Day Week (4 Days, Closed July 4)
July 1, 2, 3 and 5 | \$16/Resident, \$21/Non-Resident

PM Latchkey: 4-5 p.m. after July 1

Full Week (5 Days)
Monday-Friday | \$25/Resident, \$30/Non-Resident
4 Day Week (4 Days, Closed July 4)
July 1, 2, 3 and 5 | \$20/Resident, \$25/Non-Resident

Make a Difference in the Lives of Our Youth

BECOME A VOLUNTEER

Are you interested in making a difference in the lives of the youth of our community? Become a volunteer coach. Even if you are not an expert in the sport, we need more positive role models in the lives of our youth to help them develop into well-rounded individuals. Oak Park administrators will help provide you with practice plans and provide you with the equipment you need. If you have any interest, Please contact the Recreation Office at (248) 691-7555.

BECOME A SPONSOR

Interested in sponsoring a team? Donate money to your favorite youth sport and get your logo on the back of each player's jersey. Contact our office at (248) 691-7555.

Summer Pool Season Through Aug. 20



We are excited for the summer pool season to begin! Information regarding all of our pool programs including Water Aerobics, Swim Lessons, Lap Swim, and Pool Rentals are listed below. We appreciate all suggestions from the community and are doing our best to provide the finest summer experience possible at the Oak Park Pool.

POOL EVENTS

GRAND OPENING - Saturday, June 11

DAILY RATES

DAILY RATES

Open Swim Daily Fee - Resident:

- Ages 3 and Under, FREE
- Ages 4-54, \$4 per day
- Ages 55 & Up, \$3 per day

Open Swim Daily Fee - Non-Resident:

- Ages 3 and Under, FREE
- Ages 4-54, \$5 per day (\$6 after July 1)
- Ages 55 and Up, \$4 per day (\$5 after July 1)

SEASON POOL PASSES

Resident: Ages 4-54, \$30 | Ages 55 and Up, \$20 | 10 punches

Non-Resident: Ages 4-54, \$50 | Ages 55 and Up, \$40 | 10 punches

Women's & Men's Only: 20 punches | Resident \$50/Non-Resident \$60

Women's & Men's Only: 40 punches | Resident \$90/Non-Resident \$110

Resident rates apply to residents of Oak Park, Ferndale, and Hazel Park.

HOURS OF OPERATION

Sunday, 1 to 6 p.m.	Thursday, 2 to 7 p.m.
Monday, 2 to 7 p.m.	Friday, 1 to 8 p.m.
Tuesday, 2 to 7 p.m.	Saturday, 1 to 6 p.m.
Wednesday, 2 to 7 p.m.	

SPECIAL POOL HOURS

WOMEN-ONLY AND MEN-ONLY SWIM

Oak Park Pool will be hosting separate female-only and male-only swim hours. For any number of reasons including faith or personal preference, some women and girls may prefer to swim without being in the presence of men. And, vice versa, men and boys may prefer to swim without being in the presence of females. More times/hours may be added throughout the pool season, check back for more details.

Female-Only Swim:

Female lifeguards will be assigned during women-only swim.

Monday-Wednesday, 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Sundays, 10:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Fee: \$2 Resident/\$4 Non-Resident or Season Pass
(after July 1: \$3 Resident/\$4 Non-Resident)

Male-Only Swim:

Male lifeguards will be assigned during men-only swim.

Tuesday and Thursdays, 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Fee: \$2 Resident/\$4 Non-Resident or Season Pass.
(after July 1: \$3 Resident/\$4 Non-Resident)

ADULT-ONLY LAP SWIM

Fee: \$2 Resident/\$4 Non-Resident or Season Pass.

One lane will be available. More times/hours may be added throughout the pool season, check back for more details. Additional lanes may be added based on pool attendance.

Morning: Monday/Wednesday/Friday from 9 to 10:30 a.m.

Afternoon: Monday-Thursday from 4:30-6:30 p.m.
Friday from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Weekend: Saturday & Sunday from 3:30-5:30 p.m.



WATER AEROBICS

June 13 through Aug. 19 | \$3 Resident/\$4 Non-Resident

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9 to 10 a.m.
Sunday (Female-Only): June 12-Aug. 14 from 9 to 10 a.m.

This fun and energetic class is geared towards improving your overall health and well-being. Water aerobics uses all aspects of a typical aerobics class but with the added health benefits of using water as a natural form of resistance, creating an excellent full-body workout with great heart benefits and endurance development.

SWIM LESSONS

Classes will begin the week of June 20 with morning sessions at 10 a.m. For more information, including start times, contact the Recreation Office at (248) 691-7555.

5 to 8 years old, 9 to 15 years old, and adults.
Mondays and Wednesdays | 10 a.m. | 30 minutes
\$48 Residents/\$53 Non-Residents

Session 1: June 20 to July 6

Session 2: July 18 to Aug. 3

Parent/Tot (Ages 1-4)
Saturdays at Noon | 30 minutes | 4 weeks
\$30 Residents./\$35 Non-Residents

Session 1: June 25 to July 16

Session 2: July 23 to Aug. 13

DOG DAY AT THE POOL

DOG DAY AT THE POOL

Sunday, Aug. 21 from noon to 3 p.m.

Cost: \$15/dog pre-registered, \$20/dog day-of registration

Each registered dog receives a gift and a 55-minute dog-only swim session. Must have proof of current vaccinations and a dog license before entry is allowed. For the safety and enjoyment of the dogs, we offer separate swim times for various size dogs. They are:

#DDAP122 Small Sized Dogs (under 30 lbs.) Noon to 12:55 p.m.

#DDAP222 Medium Sized Dogs (under 30-69 lbs.) 1 to 1:55 p.m.

#DDAP322 Large Sized Dogs (70 lbs. and up) 2 to 2:55 p.m.



POOL RENTALS

Are you planning a party, baby shower, family reunion, or any special event and looking for a unique, fun venue to host it at? Consider renting the Oak Park Pool. It's sure to be a welcome splash! For more information on pool rentals and to make your reservations, call the Recreation Department at (248) 691-7555.

Availability:

Saturdays: 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. | Sundays: 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Rental Fees

Up to 75 people
 76 to 100 people
 101 to 200
 201 to 400

Through June 30

\$350 Resident/\$400 Non-Resident for three hours
 \$400 Resident/\$450 Non-Resident for three hours
 \$450 Resident/\$500 Non-Resident for three hours
 \$500 Resident/\$550 Non-Resident for three hours

Rental Fees

Up to 75 people
 76 to 100 people
 101 to 200
 201 to 400

After July 1

\$360 Resident/\$410 Non-Resident for three hours
 \$410 Resident/\$460 Non-Resident for three hours
 \$460 Resident/\$510 Non-Resident for three hours
 \$600 Resident/\$650 Non-Resident for three hours

A \$75.00 deposit is required on all pool rentals. All pool rentals MUST be paid in full on the booking date to reserve the date and time.

CALLING ALL LIFEGUARDS!

Oak Park Recreation is seeking responsible pool operators and lifeguards. We provide all the training you need to be successful. As long as you are a strong swimmer and a responsible individual, no experience necessary! We certify you in First-Aid, CPR, and other essential lifeguarding skills. Help us provide a safe, clean, and accident-free environment for your community by joining our exciting team... because it's more than just a paycheck!





CLASSES

BASIC HATHA YOGA

Thursday from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Ages 50 and up | \$32 Resident/\$37 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

There must be a minimum of five participants for class to run. This class provides a basic yoga foundation. Instruction is personalized around the unique needs of those enrolled. Don't forget to bring your own mat. Instructor: Bob Smith.

Course: Hatha Yoga May22 - Thursday

GENTLE CHAIR YOGA

Mondays from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Ages 50 and up | \$24 Resident/\$29 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

There must be a minimum of five participants for class to run. Gentle Chair Yoga provides gentle therapeutic yoga exercise while reducing stress on joints and muscles. Instructor: Bobby Calhoun.

Course: Gentle Chair Aug22 - Monday, Aug. 1-Sept. 26

TAI CHI FOR BEGINNERS

Tai Chi will be on summer vacation from July 6 through Aug. 31. Classes will resume September 6. You may sign up for classes Aug. 18.

TAI CHI FOR RETURNING STUDENTS

Tai Chi will be on summer vacation from July 6 through Aug. 31. Classes will resume September 6. You may sign up for classes Aug. 18.

SENIORS IN MOTION

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9 to 10 a.m.

Ages: 50 and up | \$40 Resident/\$45 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

Raymond DeFoe, the energetic guru of senior exercise will be providing these morning classes designed to energize your day! The class includes warm up, cool-down, low impact aerobics, strength and balance training and flexibility exercises. Each class maintains core fitness exercises that have been proven effective in assisting participants to maintain and improve strength, balance, posture, flexibility and stamina. The SIM program allows instructors to be creative with their aerobic routines and provide modified exercises to match the participants' varying levels of ability. Instructor: Raymond DeFoe

Course: Seniors July22 - July 19-Sept. 6

YOGA IS FOR EVERY BODY

Mondays from 7:15 to 8:45 p.m.

Ages: 18 and up | \$56 Resident/\$61 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

There must be a minimum of five participants for class to run. Yoga is for EVERY BODY! This course is designed to fit the needs of the beginner as well as the returning student. Emphasis is placed on stretching and strengthening the muscles, improving posture, breathing and deep relaxation. Reducing stress is an important benefit! Bring a mat and wear loose clothing. Instructor: Sherry Stone.

Course: Yoga Every Body Aug22 - Aug. 1-Sept. 26

SOULFUL FLOW

Mondays from 6-6:45 p.m.

\$50 resident/ \$55 non-resident

Our Soulful Flow a bit more rhythm and soul than a regular YIN yoga class! Slow deep breaths will guide you through our Soulful Flow. One breath, one movement while holding poses longer while flowing. Gently nurture your body through a series of physical postures to stretch and tone the muscles, release pressure in the joints, and align and strengthen the spine. This class is perfect for those who just want to relax, release and FLOW! Bring a mat.

Course: Soulful June22 - June 6-Aug. 1 (no class 7/4)

KICKBOXING

Wednesdays from 6-6:45 p.m.

\$50 resident/ \$55 non-resident | 8 weeks

All Levels: You'll have a blast getting into knockout shape—learning hard-hitting combos and losing yourself in the fun, fast rhythms of the pump-it-up music. Torch fat and carve lean muscle. The class consists of 45 min of punches and kicks combos followed by a lower body and core sections. From the amped-up music to the incredible energy, you'll leave every class dripping sweat and ready to conquer anything! Bring hand weights and a mat.

Course: Kickboxing June22 - June 8-July 27

ZUMBA GOLD (Morning Session)

Tuesdays from 9 to 10 a.m.

\$48 Resident/\$53 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

It's time to live your life like it's golden! This is perfect for active older adults who are looking for a modified Zumba class that recreates the original moves you love at a lower intensity. The class introduces easy to follow choreography that focuses on balance, range of motion, and coordination. Whether you are new to Zumba or just looking to have fun and move, come ready to sweat and prepare to leave feeling empowered and feeling strong! Instructor: Renee Wilson

Course: ZumbaGoldAM July22 - July 12-Aug. 30

ZUMBA GOLD CHAIR

Thursdays from 5 to 6 p.m.

\$48 Resident/\$53 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

Zumba Gold can be done standing or sitting in a chair. This class is perfect for people who have mobility or balance problems or for people who just want to start in a chair. These classes typically run 30 minutes which is usually enough time for people. You will be surprised on just how much can be done in a chair! Let's have fun dancing to some great music while in a chair! Instructor: Renee Wilson

Course: Zumba Chair July22 - July 21-Sept. 8

ZUMBA GOLD (Evening Session)

Thursdays from 6 to 7 p.m.

\$48 Resident/\$55 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

It's time to live your life like it's golden! This is perfect for active older adults who are looking for a modified Zumba class that recreates the original moves you love at a lower intensity. The class introduces easy to follow choreography that focuses on balance, range of motion, and coordination. Whether you are new to Zumba or just looking to have fun and move, come ready to sweat and prepare to leave feeling empowered and feeling strong! Instructor: Renee Wilson

Course: ZumbaGoldPM July22 - July 21-Sept. 8

ZUMBA FOR ALL

Tuesdays from 6 to 7 p.m.

\$25 Resident/\$30 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

Forget your working out and join a dance party atmosphere full of Latin and international music. Zumba combines high energy and motivating music to create a fun and energetic workout that is just infectious! Bring a towel, water, and yourself. Ditch the workout and join the party! Instructor: Alicia Jackson

Course: ZumbaJuly22 - July 12-Aug. 30

MIDDLE EASTERN BELLY DANCE

Mondays and Wednesdays from 6 to 7 p.m.

\$75 Resident/\$80 Non-Resident | Ages: 20 and Up | 8 weeks

There must be a minimum of five participants for class to run. This class attracts participants of all shapes and sizes who come dressed in comfortable clothing to learn the art of belly dance. Express yourself through dance and learn fun ways to maintain health. Enjoy the physical and personal benefits of belly dancing - abdominal toning, leg strengthening, self-esteem, and an essence of sensuality. No experience necessary. Instructor: Dee Watkins

Course: BellyMonAug22 - Aug. 1-Sept. 26

Course: BellyWedJun22 - June 1-July 20

Course: BellyWedJuly22 - July 27-Sept. 14

HUSTLE CLASS

Wednesdays from 6 to 7 p.m.

\$40 Resident/\$45 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

This is a choreographed dance wherein a group of people dance along to a repeating sequence of steps while arranged in one or more rows. The dancers are not in contact with each other, and you do not need a partner. Each dance is usually associated with and named for a specific song. We dance to the popular music styles of rhythm & blues, jazz, and music that mixes in mild Rap. Instructor: Maurice Adams

Course: HustleJuly22 - July 27-Sept. 14

Only
\$5 per
class!

BALLROOM DANCE BEGINNERS

Fridays from 6 to 7:15 p.m.

\$40 Resident/\$45 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

Learn Detroit Style Ballroom dance—a partner dance where the cha-cha is the basic step. It's not the formal traditional ballroom dance like the waltz and Foxtrot. The dance is easy and lots of fun. This style of dance originated over 60 years ago and is still popular, not only in Detroit, but around the country. You'll learn new dance steps get your steps in for getting into shape. Imagine the next social event where you'll be able to showcase your ballroom moves. Bring a partner or come alone. Yes, even you can learn to dance. Instructor: Maurice Adams

Course: BallroomBegAug22 - Aug. 5-Sept. 23

Only
\$5 per
class!

BALLROOM DANCE ADVANCED

Fridays, 7:30 to 9 p.m.

\$45 Resident/\$50 Non-Resident | 8 weeks

Must have taken the beginner ballroom, or be familiar with the basic Detroit Style Ballroom beginner steps. This class builds from where the Beginner class left off with more sophisticated combinations of dance moves. Bring your partner or come without a partner. Instructor: Maurice Adams

Course: BallroomAdvJuly22 - Aug. 5-Sept. 23

Only
\$5 per
class!

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SUMMER BLAST



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Friday, June 17 | 5 to 11 pm
Saturday, June 18 | 11 am to 11 pm
Sunday, June 19 | 12 noon to 6 pm



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Elevate Oak Park



Learn about the your neighbors' ideas for our City's parks and recreation system and share what you think is missing!

**JUNE 1: ELEVATE OAK PARK COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT OPEN HOUSE
5:30-7 PM @ OAK PARK COMMUNITY CENTER**

**JUNE 2: ELEVATE OAK PARK COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT OPEN HOUSE
10-11:30 AM @ OAK PARK COMMUNITY CENTER**



SUMMER BLAST

June 17-19, 2022

NEW this year! A three-day event designed for fun for the whole family! Summer Blast will host Skerbeck Family Carnival, which has a \$20 daily unlimited ride armband. There will be a full midway experience with numerous rides, fun games, concessions, mini-pub, music and more!

Friday June 17 from 5-11 p.m.

Saturday June 18 from 11 a.m.-11 p.m.

Sunday June 19 from Noon-6 p.m.

In partnership with Oakland County Parks, FPJ Investments, Fortson Dental

Sponsorships Available

Contact Maralee (248) 691-2357

Oak Park Community Center

14300 Oak Park Blvd., Oak Park, MI 48237

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

The recreation department is seeking volunteers to help make this special three day event run smoothly and safely. No experience necessary but a smile and a welcoming attitude. We will train. Sit down jobs available as well. Call Maralee at 248-691-2357 for a list of potential Oak Park Ambassador positions.

FARMERS MARKET

Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
from July 6 through Sept. 28

at Oak Park High School, Coolidge Highway side.

The Oak Park Farmers Market is entering its fifth year of operation! The city, in partnership with Humana Inc., Beaumont Community Health and the Oak Park High School has seen a tremendous growth over the years. Fresh Michigan produce from locally sourced family farms, fresh breads, baked goods, coffee, teas and more will be on hand. The Power of Produce program returns with a whole new look, where you can earn money just by signing up! Meet up with old friends while you meet new ones as you enjoy lunch and live music each market day.

Call Maralee for more information at 248-691-2357



4th OF JULY

MAYOR'S 5K RUN /WALK

Monday, July 4, 8 a.m. **START**

\$20 pre-registration/\$25 day-of-registration.

Divisions are split up based on age, and medals are awarded to the first 25 female and 25 male finishers. Winners in each division receive a special award. Each participant will receive a t-shirt, along with post-race snacks and refreshments. This race is for all levels, whether you regularly participate in distance runs or you just want to take a morning walk through beautiful Shepherd Park. Call for more information: 248-691-7555.

Course: Mayors5K2022

OPYA PANCAKE BREAKFAST

From 9 to 11 a.m. at the Shelter 1, David H. Shepherd Park

INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE

11 a.m. to Noon

Route begins at Coolidge Highway and Nine Mile Road and ends at David H. Shepherd Park

One of Oak Parks' oldest and most celebrated annual tradition is the Independence Day Parade. We welcome thousands of people from all over southeast Oakland County for this event. Park your lawn chair on Coolidge Hwy or Oak Park Blvd along with your shads and sunscreen. The parade ends at Shepherd Park where the Fun Fest is!

FUN FEST

11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at David H. Shepherd Park

We'll have plenty of family-friendly fun for all ages. Live musical entertainment, inflatables from Oakland County Parks, a great food court with Kosher food available.



ENTERTAINMENT SERIES

David H. Shepherd Park will once again be the site for our outdoor movies and concert series, so mark your calendar for the 2022 Summer Entertainment Series. These events are for everyone! All you need is a blanket and lawn chair; Topp Dogg will be on hand for food to purchase.

All events start at 7 pm

- July 7: Outdoor Movie: Space Jam: A New Legacy
- July 14: Concert featuring Smoke Jones Band
- July 21: Concert featuring Tosha Owens
- July 28: Concert featuring Roots Vibration
- Aug. 4: Concert featuring Mainstreet Soul
- Aug. 11: Outdoor Movie: Encanto

A big thank you to our sponsors:

- Jim Shaffer and Associates Realtors
- Dedicated Senior Medical Centers



DROP-IN PROGRAMS

50 UP CLUB MEMBERSHIP

Fee: \$6 Res./\$12 Non-Res. | Calendar Year Renewal

The mission of the 50 Up Club Membership is to provide Oak Park's diverse, mature population with education, exercise, and recreation programs to challenge the mind and body to greater heights of personal achievement. Join our Senior 50 Up Club and enjoy our weekly senior drop-in sessions at the Community Center, at 14300 Oak Park Blvd, Oak Park. Call (248) 691-7555 for more information. Membership registration began Sept. 4, 2021.

HOURS

Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Closed 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. for lunch)
Every other Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

You must be a 50 Up Club Member to enjoy the following drop-in programs:

MONDAY

Ping Pong, Noon to 2 p.m., Free
Bingo, every Monday, 11:30 to 1:30 p.m., Inquire about fee

TUESDAY

Watercolor Drop-In, 12 to 3 p.m., Free
Contemporary Quilters, every third Tuesday, 1 to 3 p.m., Free

WEDNESDAY

Ping Pong, Noon to 2 p.m., Free
Scrabble Club, 1 to 5 p.m., Free

THURSDAY

Bid Whist, 1 to 4 p.m., Free
Drop In Hustle, Noon to 1:30 p.m., \$5/resident; \$7/non-resident

FRIDAY

Pickleball, Noon to 3 p.m., \$3/resident; \$5/non-resident

SPECIAL CLASSES

ESTATE PLANNING CLINIC

**Thursdays, May 19 through June 23 and July 21
1 to 3 p.m. | Free**

What is Estate Planning? Why do I need it? Do I need to hire a lawyer? Is this the same as Medicaid planning? Join Paula Zimmer from Lakeshore Legal Aide as she answers these questions and more! Call 248-691-7555 to sign up today.

Location: Oak Park Community Center Room B
Light refreshments will be served.

SENIOR FOCUS GROUP: ELEVATE OAK PARK

The Oak Park Senior Programming division is looking for individuals who are 55+ to participate in a Senior Focus Group with this one specifically focused on the Elevate Oak Park project. The purpose of this group is to explore the needs and wants of our senior population as they age in place and to maintain the quality of life regarding their recreational and leisure pursuits. Topics include but are not restricted to:

- Recreational programming,
- Outdoor as well as indoor recreational spaces,
- Improvement to our existing parks, trails, green spaces and amenities
- Transportation

We value your feedback and strive to obtain as much community input as possible.

Thursday, June 2 from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

VIRTUAL HEALTH

FREE Virtual Classes. Presented by Beaumont Health.
 Visit classes.beaumont.org to register or call 800-633-7377.

HBP CONTROL:

A Hypertension Self-Management Program

Are you suffering from high blood pressure? Learn strategies to control it through a workshop that will teach you the basics of hypertension, stress management, improving your nutrition, physical activity, and more. You can even enjoy it from the comfort of your own home.

CHRONIC PAIN PATH

(Personal Action Toward Health)

Chronic pain got you down? Pick yourself up with this FREE, six-week program you can enjoy from the comfort of your own home. Learn skills for day-to-day management of your pain including how to balance physical activity and rest.

WALK WITH EASE

There are so many benefits to walking including weight loss, pain relief, increased energy levels, stress relief, and boosting your immune system. With the guidance of a coach, this FREE six-week, self-guided program will help you build up to walking at least 30 minutes per day for three days out of the week to improve your overall health.



DIABETES PATH (Personal Action Toward Health)

Helping you take charge of your diabetes

Are you currently living with type 2 diabetes? This FREE interactive program will help you manage all aspects of your diabetes so you can live a healthier, happier life. Take charge of your Diabetes. Learn skills to help you manage your diabetes so you can move more easily by doing exercises that work for you. Improve your nutrition and manage your stress. DO the things YOU like to do. Be more independent. Communicate better with your health team.

DIABETES PREVENTION PROGRAM

Are you at risk for type 2 diabetes? Make healthier choices this year. Make this the year of prioritizing your health. Having #prediabetes puts you at higher risk for developing #type2diabetes. Lower your risk by 58% with the support of a lifestyle coach through the Beaumont Diabetes Prevention Program. The lifestyle coaches and fellow participants of the Beaumont Diabetes Prevention Program will help you! Join this free evidence-based program that you can enjoy from the comfort of your own home.



JUNETEENTH 2022 JUBILEE CELEBRATION
SUNDAY, JUNE 19 12:30-1:30 PM

SUMMER BLAST STAGE NEAR THE COMMUNITY CENTER

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT, A REFLECTION ON MOMENTS IN BLACK HISTORY, AN AWARD CEREMONY FOR THE WINNERS OF THE ESSAY AND FLAG CONTESTS, RECOGNITION OF OAK PARK FATHERS AND GRANDFATHERS IN THE COMMUNITY AND MORE WILL TAKE PLACE!

THE "WALK A MILE IN MY SHOES" WALK WILL ALSO TAKE PLACE THAT MORNING IN SHEPHERD PARK WITH REGISTRATION BEGINNING AT 9:30 AM. A HEALTH FAIR WILL ALSO TAKE PLACE DURING THE DAY.



JUNETEENTH SUMMER BLAST



SENIOR MEALS

MEALS ON WHEELS “More than just a meal”

Meals on Wheels home delivery is available in Oak Park as long as you call at least one week in advance. Lunch can be served with a pre-ordered meal. For more information, call Senior Meals on Wheels at (248) 689-0001.

SMART TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM

The Oak Park Recreation Department provides transportation through a partnership with SMART buses for residents who are seniors, age 50 or above, and individuals who have a disability.

Our transportation hours have a brand new start time! We now are able to begin scheduled pick-ups at 8 a.m. with return time no later than 4:30 p.m. (when prior arrangements are made), Monday through Fridays.

In addition to our regular Kroger and Meijer trip days, we are adding shopping opportunities to Target, Walmart, Aldi and Marshall's! Qualified individuals can contact (248) 691-7555. to schedule transport.

GARDENING WORKSHOPS

For all ages. Owner/operator Ed Blondin is a Master Gardener with horticultural training from Michigan State University. He has worked with homeowners and corporate clients in southeast Michigan for more than 30 years. There are several small classes to get you going to enjoy your backyard “oasis” that will be presented this spring and summer.

HYPERTUFA WORKSHOP

Thursday June 23 | 11 to 1 p.m. | \$55/pot

Hyper-WAAAHTTT? Hypertufa! The term “hypertufa” refers to a type of artificial stone, and is a conglomerate of the words “tufa,” a natural volcanic rock, and “hyper,” a prefix meaning excessively or extremely; hypertufa are extremely rock-like containers. These containers are a mixture of peat, perlite and Portland cement and are durable enough to withstand the winters and light enough to move.

Included: Hypertufa forming Mix, Assorted size molds, latex work gloves (small & medium) around the garden. Hypertufa are perfect troughs for herb, vegetable, flower and faerey gardens.

To Bring: Items to decorate with ie: shells, rocks, tiles, leaves for imprints etc. Avoid sharp edge materials.

GARDEN STEPPING STONE WORKSHOP

Saturday July 9 | 11 to 2 p.m. | \$35/stone

Make memories for someone special in your life by making your own garden stepping stone! This class is designed for parents or grandparents to make a garden stone together with children/grandchildren, or for anyone that wants to grace their own garden with a decorative art piece. Program includes stepping stone form and assorted decorating materials. Feel free to bring anything you might have, and of course, bring your hands to press into the cement!

Included: Cement Mix, Assorted size molds, latex work gloves (small & medium)

To Bring: Items to decorate with ie: shells, rocks, leaves for imprints, marbles, etc. Avoid sharp edge materials.

LET'S DO LUNCH!

After a long hiatus the beloved lunch trips are BACK! Time to re-group, and visit some of our past favorite restaurant stops as well as line up new destinations. “Good Food & Better Company” is our motto!

**Three Cats Café & Shopping at Leon & Lulu,
and Eclectic Home
June 22**

Lunch on your own

Bus fee \$6 | Limited seating, register early

EXTENDED TRIPS

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SAULT STE MARIE

Wednesday, July 20 through Friday, July 22 | 3 Days/2 Nights

\$455 per person/double occupancy

Deluxe highway motor coach, 2 nights at the Kewadin Casino and Hotel in Sault Ste Marie. Casino time plus Tower History tour, Museum Ship Valley Camp tour, shopping in downtown Sault Ste Marie, Soo Locks Boat Cruise, shopping at Mackinaw Crossing and more. Register early to secure your spot.

Course: SSMarie222

Four Winds Casino Resort & Gun Lake Casino

Sunday, Aug. 14 to Monday, Aug. 15 | 2 Days/1Night

\$299 per person/double occupancy

1 night stay at Four Winds Casino Resort, \$10 food vouchers at both casinos. Gun Lake Casino everyone will receive a \$10 food and beverage voucher and a \$10 slot lay voucher. Four Winds Casino Resort everyone will receive a \$25 slot credit and a \$10 food voucher.

Course: Fourwinds22

THEATRE TRIPS

The Fisher Theatre and Broadway In Detroit and Michigan Opera Theatre requires proof of Covid vaccination to enter the theatre. When ordering your tickets with the Recreation Department you may be requested to show proof of vaccination for us to process your ticket purchase.

FISHER THEATER

Ain't Too Proud To Beg (August) as soon as they become available. Please check the Recreation Lobby for the most up-to-date information.



DAY TRIPS

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HURON LADY II

Friday, July 15 from 9 a.m. to 6:45 p.m.

\$86/person

Spend a day in Port Huron, Michigan. Transportation via deluxe motor coach. Lunch will be held at The Voyager, which flanks the St. Clair River. The Voyager grants an elegant view of the waterway, with fine cuisine that compliments the fresh landscape. You have a choice of several lunch menus complete with dessert. After lunch we will board the Huron Lady II to cruise from beautiful downtown Port Huron on an informative narrated tour of the Blue Water Area. View Great Lake Freighters, the two Blue Water Bridges and more! Register today to secure your spot on this fabulous day trip!

Course: HuronLady22:

MYSTERY TRIP

Thursday, Aug. 11 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

\$114/person

You have never been on the Oak Park Mystery Trips? Really? The day is always filled with several "fun" stops, some are indoors some, are outdoors. There may be some walking involved, some resting involved. Lunch is always the highlight of the day! Lots of surprises along the way. Make a summer memory 2022 you won't soon forget. Register today to reserve your spot, these trips fill up quickly.

Course: Mystery2022

2021 WATER QUALITY REPORT

CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT

Drinking water quality is important to our community and the region. The City of Oak Park and the Great Lakes Water Authority (GLWA) are committed to meeting state and federal water quality standards including the Lead and Copper Rule. With the Great Lakes as our water source and proven treatment technologies, the GLWA consistently delivers safe drinking water to our community. Oak Park operates the system of water mains that carry this water to your home's service line. This year's Water Quality Report highlights the performance of GLWA and Oak Park water professionals in delivering some of the nation's best drinking water. Together, we remain committed to protecting public health and maintaining open communication with the public about our drinking water.

WHERE DOES MY WATER COME FROM?

Your source water comes from the Detroit River, situated within the Lake St. Clair, Clinton River, Detroit River, Rouge River, Ecorse River, watersheds in the U.S. and parts of the Thames River, Little River, Turkey Creek and Sydenham watersheds in Canada. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality in partnership with the U.S. Geological Survey, the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department, and the Michigan Public Health Institute performed a source water assessment in 2004 to determine the susceptibility of GLWA's Detroit River source water for potential contamination. The susceptibility rating is based on a seven-tiered scale and ranges from very low to very high determined primarily using geologic sensitivity, water chemistry, and potential contaminant sources. The report described GLWA's Detroit river intakes as highly susceptible to potential contamination. However, all four GLWA water treatment plants that service the city of Detroit and draw water from the Detroit River have historically provided satisfactory treatment and meet drinking water standards.

GLWA has initiated source-water protection activities that include chemical containment, spill response, and a mercury reduction program. GLWA participates in the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit discharge program and has an emergency response management plan. In 2021, the Michigan Department of Environmental,

Great Lakes and Energy approved the GLWA's Updated Surface Water Intake Protection plan for the Belle Isle intake. The plan has seven elements that include: roles and duties of government units and water supply agencies, delineation of a source water protection areas, identification of potential sources of contamination, management approaches for protection, contingency plans, siting of new water sources, public participation, and public education activities. If you would like to know more information about the Source Water Assessment report, please, contact GLWA at (313) 926-8102.

CRYPTOSPORIDIUM FACTS

Cryptosporidium is a microbial pathogen found in surface water throughout the U.S. Although filtration removes Cryptosporidium, the most commonly used filtration methods cannot guarantee 100 percent removal. Our monitoring indicates the presence of these organisms in our source water. Cryptosporidium was detected once, during a twelve-month period at our Detroit River intake plants. Current test methods do not allow us to determine if the organisms are dead or if they are capable of causing disease. Ingestion of Cryptosporidium may cause cryptosporidiosis, an abdominal infection. Symptoms of infection include nausea, diarrhea, and abdominal cramps. Most healthy individuals can overcome the disease within a few weeks. However, immuno-compromised people, infants and small children, and the elderly are at greater risk of developing life-threatening illness. We encourage immuno-compromised individuals to consult their doctor regarding appropriate precautions to take to avoid infection. Cryptosporidium must be ingested to cause disease, and it may be spread through means other than drinking water.

Unregulated contaminants are those for which the EPA has not established drinking water standards. Monitoring helps EPA to determine where certain contaminants occur and whether it needs to regulate those contaminants. Beginning in July of 2008, the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department (DWSD) began monitoring quarterly for unregulated contaminants under the Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule 2 (UCMR2.) All the UCMR2 contaminants monitored on List 1 and List 2 in 2008 were undetected.

SPECIAL HEALTH CONCERNS

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as person with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800) 426-4791.

SUBSTANCES EXPECTED TO BE IN DRINKING WATER

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at (800) 426-4791.

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- **Microbial contaminants**, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.
- **Inorganic contaminants**, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- **Pesticides and herbicides**, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff, and residential uses.

For more information on safe drinking water, visit
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency at www.epa.gov/safewater

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- **Organic chemical contaminants**, including synthetic and volatile organics, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff and septic systems.

- **Radioactive contaminants**, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. The Food and Drug Administration, or FDA, regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which must provide the same protection for public health.

QUALITY AND SAFETY

As mandated by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, the City of Oak Park is proud to present our latest Water Quality Report. Developed to provide you with valuable information about your drinking water, you will see as you review this report that your drinking water meets or exceeds all governmental standards set for water quality and safety. The Department of Public Works is proud of that fact and wants you to know they are committed to delivering the highest quality drinking water possible.

SAFEGUARDS

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health. The State and the EPA both require us to test our water on a regular basis to ensure its safety.

LEAD AND COPPER MONITORING

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Oak Park is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components.

When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead



exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using the water for drinking or cooking. If you have a lead service line it is recommended that you run your water for 5 minutes to flush water from both your home plumbing and the lead service line. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800) 462-4791 or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

Safe drinking water is a shared responsibility. The water that GLWA delivers to our community does not contain lead. Lead can leach into drinking water through home plumbing fixtures, and in some cases, customer service lines. Corrosion control reduces the risk of lead and copper from leaching into your water. Orthophosphates are added during the treatment process as a corrosion control method to create a protective coating in service pipes throughout the system, including in your home or business. The City of Oak Park is proud to have completed the replacement of all known lead services lines. Additionally, the City of Oak Park performs required lead and copper sampling and testing in our community. Water consumers also have a responsibility to maintain the plumbing in their homes and businesses, and can take steps to limit their exposure to lead.

Infants and children who drink water containing lead could experience delays in their physical or mental development. Children could show slight deficits in

attention span and learning abilities. Adults who drink this water over many years could develop kidney problems or high blood pressure.

Copper is an essential nutrient, but some people who drink water containing copper in excess of the action level over a relatively short amount of time could experience gastrointestinal distress. Some people who drink water containing copper in excess of the action level over many years could suffer liver or kidney damage. People with Wilson's Disease should consult their personal doctor.

As of December 31, 2021, the City of Oak Park has the following service line inventory:

- Total number of lead service lines: 0
- Total number of service lines with unknown material: 9,411
- Total number of service lines: 10,701

CONCLUSION

The City of Oak Park and the Great Lakes Water Authority are committed to safeguarding our water supply and delivering the highest quality drinking water to protect public health. Please contact David DeCoster, at (248) 691-7497, if you have any questions or concerns about your water. As always, public participation is welcome. The Oak Park City Council meets at 7 pm on the first and third Monday of each month. The meetings are held at the Oak Park City Hall, located at 14000 Oak Park Blvd., Oak Park, MI 48237.

Source: Water Quality Work Group. This messaging was developed collaboratively between GLWA and its wholesale water customers as part of the GLWA Customer Outreach effort in 2016.

2021 SPRINGWELLS REGULATED DETECTED CONTAMINANTS TABLES

2021 Inorganic Chemicals – Annual Monitoring at Plant Finished Tap									
Regulated Contaminant	Test Date	Unit	Health Goal MCLG	Allowed Level MCL	Highest Level Detected	Range of Detection	Violation	Major Sources in Drinking Water	
Fluoride	4/13/2021	ppm	4	4	0.52	n/a	no	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive, which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.	
Nitrate	4/13/2021	ppm	10	10	0.34	n/a	no	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits.	
Barium	5/16/2017	ppm	2	2	0.01	n/a	no	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits	

Lead and Copper Monitoring at the Customer's Tap in 2021								
Regulated Contaminant	Unit	Year Sampled	Health Goal MCLG	Action Level AL	90th Percentile Value*	Range of Individual Sample Results	Number of Samples Over AL	Major Sources in Drinking Water
Lead	ppb	2021	0	15	0	0-51	1**	Lead services lines, corrosion of household plumbing including fittings and fixtures; erosion of natural deposits Corrosion of household plumbing system; Erosion of natural deposits
Copper	ppm	2021	1.3	1.3	0.3	0-4.1	1**	

* The 90th percentile value means 90 percent of the homes tested have lead and copper levels below the given 90th percentile value. If the 90th percentile value is above the AL additional requirements must be met.

** One home did sample above the AL in both lead and copper. This home had previously had their lead service line replaced with copper by the City of Oak Park.

2021 Disinfectant Residual – Monitoring in the Distribution System									
Regulated Contaminant	Test Date	Unit	Health Goal MRDLG	Allowed Level MRDL	Highest Level RAA	Range of Qnty Results	Violation	Major Sources in Drinking Water	
Total Chlorine Residual	2021	ppm	4	4	0.69	0.59-076	no	Water additive used to control microbes	

2021 Disinfection By-Products – Stage 2 Disinfection By-Products Monitoring in the Distribution System									
Regulated Contaminant	Test Date	Unit	Health Goal MCLG	Allowed Level MCL	Highest Level LRAA	Range of Qnty Results	Violation yes/no	Major Sources in Drinking Water	
Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM)	2021	ppb	n/a	80	26.25	17-35	no	By-product of drinking water chlorination	
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	2021	ppb	n/a	60	11.08	6.3-13	no	By-product of drinking water chlorination	

2021 Turbidity – Monitored every 4 hours at Plant Finished Water Tap				
Highest Single Measurement Cannot exceed 1 NTU	Lowest Monthly % of Samples Meeting Turbidity Limit of 0.3 NTU (minimum 95%)	Violation	Major Sources in Drinking Water	
0.20 NTU	100%	no	Soil Runoff	

Turbidity has no health effects. However, turbidity can interfere with disinfection and provide a medium for microbial growth. Turbidity may indicate the presence of disease-causing organisms. These organisms include bacteria, viruses, and parasites that can cause symptoms such as nausea, cramps, diarrhea, and associated headaches.

2021 Special Monitoring						
Contaminant	Test Date	Unit	MCLG	MCL	Highest Level Detected	Source of Contamination
Sodium	4/13/2021	ppm	n/a	n/a	4.36	Erosion of natural deposits

Regulated Contaminant	Treatment Technique	Typical Source of Contaminant
Total Organic Carbon (ppm)	The Total Organic Carbon (TOC) removal ratio is calculated as the ratio between the actual TOC removal and the TOC removal requirements. The TOC was measured each quarter and because the level was low, there is no requirement for TOC removal.	Erosion of natural deposits

These tables are based on tests conducted by GLWA in the year 2021 or the most recent testing done within the last five calendar years. GLWA conducts tests throughout the year only tests that show the presence of a substance or require special monitoring are presented in these tables. The State allows us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants are not expected to vary significantly from year to year. The data is representative of the water quality, but some are more than one year old.

Violation Note from GLWA

GLWA is required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether our drinking water meets health standards. We routinely monitor your water for turbidity (cloudiness). This tells us whether we are effectively filtering the water supply. We did not produce a filter profile for EGLE review within 7 days of an August 1, 2021, individual filter exceedance at the GLWA Springwells Water Treatment Plant as required by law. A filter profile is a summary of the turbidity and flow through the filter and is used to identify any trends in filter performance.

*Turbidity has no health effects. However, turbidity can interfere with disinfection and provide a medium for microbial growth. Turbidity may indicate the presence of disease-causing organisms. These organisms include bacteria, viruses, and parasites which can cause symptoms such as nausea, cramps, diarrhea, and associated headaches.
* These symptoms are not caused only by organisms in drinking water. If you experience any of these symptoms and they persist, you may want to seek medical advice.

What should I do? There is nothing you need to do currently. This is not an emergency. You do not need to boil water or use an alternative source of water currently. Even though this is not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened and what we did to correct the situation.

What happened? What is being done? The filter profile has since been produced and submitted to EGLE and additional response actions have been implemented at the plant. We are making every effort to ensure this does not happen again.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail. This notice is being sent to you by GLWA.

For more information, please contact the GLWA Water Quality Manager, at 313 926-8102



YOUR TAP WATER MEETS OR SURPASSES ALL FEDERAL AND STATE STANDARDS FOR WATER QUALITY

ABOUT UNREGULATED CONTAMINANT MONITORING

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2021 Springwells Tap Water Mineral Analysis

Parameter	Units	Max.	Min.	Avg.
Turbidity	NTU	0.12	0.03	0.07
Total Solids	ppm	174	94	135
Total Dissolved Solids	ppm	146	75	120
Aluminum	ppm	0.082	0.012	0.037
Iron	ppm	0.3	0.1	0.2
Copper	ppm	0.003	ND	0.000
Magnesium	ppm	8.3	6.1	7.3
Calcium	ppm	29.1	21.3	25.1
Sodium	ppm	8.4	4.4	5.3
Potassium	ppm	1.3	0.8	1.0
Manganese	ppm	0.004	ND	0.000
Lead	ppm	ND	ND	0.000
Zinc	ppm	0.001	ND	0.000
Silica	ppm	2.8	1.8	2.2
Sulfate	ppm	32	22.6	25.9
Chloride	ppm	12.9	8.9	10.4

Parameter	Units	Max.	Min.	Avg.
Phosphorus	ppm	0.67	0.37	0.50
Free Carbon Dioxide	ppm	12.1	8.8	10.2
Total Hardness	ppm	106	82	99
Total Alkalinity	ppm	76	64	70
Carbonate Alkalinity	ppm	0	0	0
Bi-Carbonate Alkalinity	ppm	76	64	70
Non-Carbonate Hardness	ppm	35	18	29
Chemical Oxygen Demand	ppm	3.3	ND	1.5
Dissolved Oxygen	ppm	13.4	8.9	10.9
Nitrite Nitrogen	ppm	ND	ND	0.0
Nitrate Nitrogen	ppm	0.45	0.23	0.32
Fluoride	ppm	0.71	0.38	0.55
pH		7.20	7.07	6.54
Specific Conductance @ 25 °C.	µmhos	238	191	224
Temperature	°C	24.3	3.7	14.5

KEY TO THE DETECTED CONTAMINANTS TABLE

SYMBOL	ABBREVIATION	DEFINITION/EXPLANATION
AL	Action Level	The concentration of a contaminant, which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
°C	Celsius	A scale of temperature in which water freezes at 0° and boils at 100° under standard conditions.
>	Greater than	
HAA5	Haloacetic Acids	HAA5 is the total of bromoacetic, chloroacetic, dibromoacetic, dichloroacetic, and trichloroacetic acids. Compliance is based on the total.
Level 1	Level 1 Assessment	A Level 1 assessment is a study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system.
LRAA	Locational Running Annual Average	The average of analytical results for samples at a particular monitoring location during the previous four quarters.
MCL	Maximum Contaminant Level	The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
MCLG	Maximum Contaminant Level Goal	The level of contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow a margin of safety.
MRDL	Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level	The highest level of disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
MRDLG	Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal	The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLG's do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
n/a	not applicable	
ND	Not Detected	
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Units	Measures the cloudiness of water.
pCi/L	Picocuries Per Liter	A measure of radioactivity
ppb	Parts Per Billion (one in one billion)	The ppb is equivalent to micrograms per liter. A microgram = 1/1000 milligram.
ppm	Parts Per Million (one in one million)	The ppm is equivalent to milligrams per liter. A milligram = 1/1000 gram.
RAA	Running Annual Average	The average of all analytical results for all samples during the previous four quarters.
SMCL	Secondary Maximum Contaminant Level	
TT	Treatment Technique	A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.
TTHM	Total Trihalomethanes	Total Trihalomethanes is the sum of chloroform, bromodichloromethane, dibromochloromethane and bromoform. Compliance is based on the total.
µmhos	Micromhos	Measure of electrical conductance of water

Public Works Department

The Public Works Department is able to assist residents with questions about the quality of their water. Office hours are Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

10600 Capital | (248) 691-7497

Utility Billing Department

The Utility Department assists residents with utility billing and payment issues. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday and every other Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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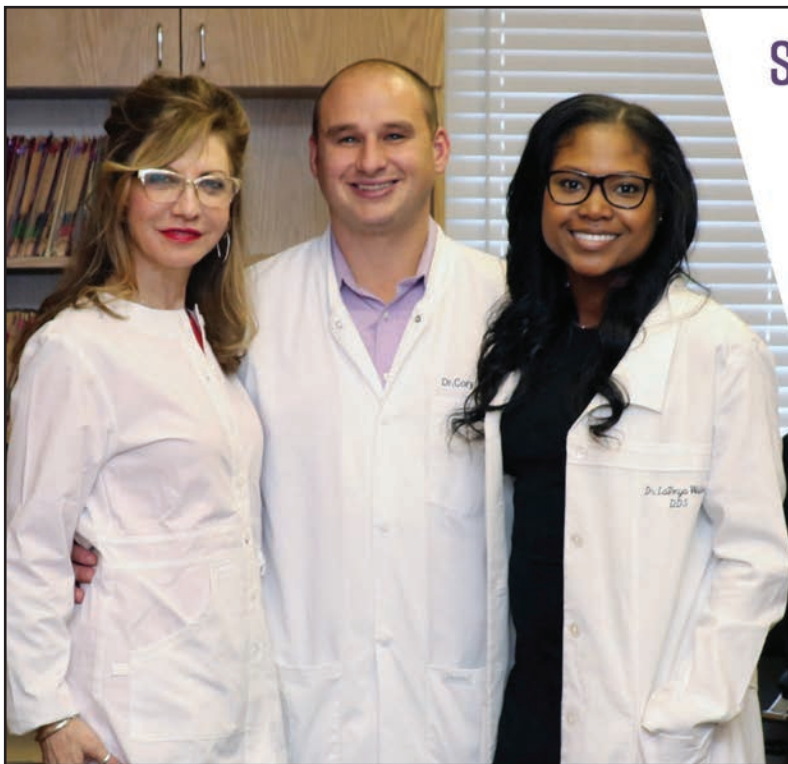
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