City of Alexandria, Virginia

Park & Recreation Commission Meeting

Program Report

September 19, 2019
Summer Camp Participation and Review

Summer Camp Participants

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Summer 2019
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Summer Power-On & Power Up Out-of-School Time Program

Summer Registration

- 2017: 900
- 2018: 1100
- 2019: 1150
Community Outreach

- Police Academy Demo Days
- Kids Cuts & Backpacks
- Safe Place Training
Fall Community Events

- Dog Swim
- Family Sock Hop
- Halloween Events
- Winter Cheerleading Invitational
- Winter Dance Recital
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<td><strong>Friday, Oct. 18</strong></td>
<td><strong>Floating Pumpkin Patch</strong> 6-8pm, All Ages, $5/person, CQRC – Dive in to pick your very own real pumpkin from the pool, then decorate it! Other themed fun will include swimming, a floating obstacle course, and Halloween treats.</td>
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| **Friday, Oct. 25** | **Boo-Fest** 6-8pm, All Ages, Free, CHRC – Enjoy costume parade, carnival games, moon bounce, arts & crafts, stories, and more.  
**Family Masquerade Ball** 6-9pm, Ages 5 & up, $9/person, MVRC – Enjoy dancing, photo opportunities, a costume contest and refreshments.  
**Family October Fest 2019** 4:30-8:30pm, All Ages, $5, PHRC – Haunted House, Arts & Crafts, Spooky Musical Chairs, Face Painting, Scary Movies, Spooky Dance and more. |
| **Saturday, Oct. 26** | **Halloween Strobe Light Painting** 7-11pm, Ages 8 & up, $5, WRRC – Wear a plastic poncho and gloves while painting with conventional and unconventional materials for spooky fun!  
**Fall Halloween Fest** 12-4pm, All Ages, Free, CKRC – Kick off to FALL season with family fun activities by participating in outside activities including games Halloween themed crafts face painting vendors music and costume contests  
**Skate N Scare Glo Party** 6-9pm, All Ages, $9, CBRC – Enjoy family fun with Glo-skating, goolish games, creepy crafts and more! A costume contest and light refreshments will be served. |
| **Sunday, Oct. 27** | **Halloweiner Fest** 2:30-4:30pm, All Ages, $9, CHRC – Furry friends compete for Best Costume, Largest Dog, Smallest Dog, Most Adorable and Coolest Trick. Proof of vaccination required. Dogs must remain on leashes. Refreshments available for sale. |
| **Thursday, Oct. 31** | **Trunk or Treat Block Party** 6:30-8:30pm, Ages 12 & under, Free, NLRC – Treat the whole family to a ghostly time with activities and treats while jamming with a live DJ! |
Out-of-School Time
Fall Programming

- OSTP & ACPS Link Program Partnership
  Ferdinand T. Day Elementary School
  Francis C. Hammond Middle School

- Enrichment Programming
  Tinker Cart
  4H Cooperative Extension
RPCA Job Fair

- Hiring for all seasonal positions
- 50 on the spot interviews
Excellence Awards:
- 115 applications for awards; 14 different categories.
- Judged by a jury of its peers

Best New Program (pop. 100,001-200,000) for Daddy/Daughter Hair Lessons

Best New Special Event (pop. 100,001-200,000) for AfricaFEST

Best New Renovation/Addition (Parks, Playgrounds, Greenways & Trails-pop. 100,001-200,000) for Windmill Hill Park

Alexandria Conference Speakers: Barbara Farrington, Cheryl Ann Colton, Bernie Evans, Bob Williams, Dana Wedeles, Debbie Woodbury, Diane Ruggiero, Jack Browand, Kelly Gilfillen, Michael Johnson
Youth & Adult Sports
Leagues & Programs

- Girls’ Field Hockey League
- Alexandria Titans Track Club
- Johnson & Siebert Teen Basketball League
- Lil Pro Sports
- So You Think You Can Quarterback
- Late Night Basketball League
- Adult Softball Leagues
- Masters Soccer League
Winter Cheerleading Invitational

Save the date! Sunday December 15th, 2019
Thank you!