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"America's #1 Arts Destination"
- American Style Magazine

More than Two Dozen Art Galleries  Monthly Gallery Hops  Art Festivals

New Chihuly Collection  The Palladium Theater

Museum of Fine Arts

Future Home Of The New Dalí
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American Stage  Dr. Carter G. Woodson Museum  Public Art

Progress Energy Center for the Arts' Mahaffey Theater

Arts shine in St. Pete

www.stpete.org/stpetearts
Dear residents & friends,

St. Petersburg is a remarkable city, and I invite you to come out and enjoy every part of it in 2011!

Did you know that St. Petersburg has the third largest waterfront park system in North America? Last year we celebrated the 100th anniversary of our waterfront parks. In all, the city boasts more than 150 parks over an impressive 2,500 acres. In this guide, you will find information about some of the more unique parks, such as Boyd Hill Nature Preserve, Dell Holmes Park on Lake Maggiore, the new plaza at the Progress Energy Center for the Arts, and more.

And speaking of the arts, did you also know that St. Petersburg has been voted the Number One Arts Destination for a city of its size by American Style magazine? With this year’s opening of the new Salvador Dali Museum, the addition of the Chihuly Collection, and an already rich collection of performing arts, the Florida Orchestra, hundreds of special events a year, galleries and museums, St. Petersburg has a cultural community second to none. I hope this year, you and your family take advantage of the great arts scene in St. Pete.

Recreation classes, sports leagues, dog parks, skateboard parks, state-of-the-art libraries, a Jai Alai court, golf courses (including a flying disc golf course), Sunken Gardens, The Pier and more – it’s all in St. Pete to explore.

Please enjoy this free At Your Leisure guide to help introduce you to the programs, services and facilities provided to you by the City of St. Petersburg and find year-round updates and more detailed information on our website www.stpete.org.

As Mayor, I welcome you to our city and invite you to discover the many great things St. Petersburg has to offer.

Sincerely,

Bill Foster
Mayor, St. Petersburg
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Parks and Recreation, 1400 19th St. N. 893-7441

Golf Courses Mangrove Bay and Cypress Links

875 62nd Ave. NE 893-7800

**Facilities**

Albert Whitted Airport 107 8th Ave. SE 893-7654

Aquatics Office 1400 19th St. N. 893-7732

Athletics Office 1400 19th St. N. 893-7298

Azalea Recreation Center 1600 72nd St. N. 893-7150

Bay Vista Recreation Center 7000 4th St. S. 893-7124

Boyd Hill Nature Preserve

101 Country Club Way S. 893-7326

Campbell Park Recreation Center

601 14th St. S. 893-7733

Childs Park Recreation 4301 13th Ave. S. 893-7463

Childs Park Library 691 43rd Street South 893-7714

Childs Park Pool 1227 43rd St. S. 892-7730

Coliseum 535 4th Ave. N. 892-5202

Cypress Links at Mangrove Bay

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E.H. McLin Pool 602 14th St. S. 893-7635

Enoch Davis Center 1111 18th Ave. S. 893-7134

Fossil Park Pool 6739 M.L. King Jr. St. N. 893-7440

Frank W. Pierce Recreation Center at Bartlett Park

2000 7th St. S. 893-7731

Gladden Park Recreation Center

3901 30th Ave. N. 893-7458

J.W. Cate Recreation 5801 22nd Ave. N. 893-7751

James Weldon Johnson Branch Library

1059 18th Ave. S. 893-7113

Jennie Hall Pool 1025 26th St. S. 893-7725

Lake Vista Recreation Center

1401 62nd Ave. S. 893-7744

Lake Vista Pool 1450 60th Ave. S. 893-7745

Mahaffey Theater 400 1st St. S. 892-5798

Main Library

3745 9th Ave. N. (TDD 893-7995) 893-7724
Thanks to a recent Penny for Pinellas project, the scenic waterway in Walter Fuller Park in the Historic Jungle Prada area is now part of a 3/4 mile by 8 ft. wide lighted walking trail encircling the natural habitat. Along your walk you will find bridges over the natural flow of the water and three observation decks to enjoy the panoramic view. While you are there, visit the Walter Fuller Recreation Center, pool, ballfields, and dog park situated close by. Walter Fuller Park is also the site of the popular annual Green Thumb Festival and Arbor Day celebration held on April 30 and May 1, 2011. For more information on events, recreation center programming, pool, athletic opportunities and park operations, see Parks and Recreation at www.stpete.org or call 727-893-7441.
Experience the Energy of the Arts!

Nestled on the scenic waters of Tampa Bay, Progress Energy Center’s Mahaffey Theater is the premier entertainment destination in the Tampa Bay Area.

**THE THEATER**
Deemed the “cultural jewel” of St. Petersburg, the Mahaffey Theater features:
- An opulent 2,031-seat Theater drenched in rich Mahogany and gold, with European box-style seating
- “Something for everyone” from Broadway to Beethoven, Pop, Rock, Ballet, Comedy, Children’s shows and more
- A nationally recognized acoustically tuned state-of-the-art sound system
- Amazing views of your favorite artist — wherever you take your seat
- Convenient on-site parking
- Walking distance to some of St. Petersburg’s finest museums, galleries, restaurants, hotels and boutiques

**THE GRAND BALLROOM**
The epitome of elegance, The Grand Ballroom provides:
- Spectacular waterfront views
- The ideal location to meet all of your personal and professional needs
- A multi-purpose room used for wedding receptions, corporate meetings, conferences, banquets, parties and more
- A superb sound system, including audio visual capabilities
- 3,700 square feet and 20 foot ceilings
- A small serving/staging area for catering

**THE BAYVIEW ROOM**
The Theater’s Bayview Room is an intimate, cozy venue that features:
- Availability for concerts, parties, small Theater productions and more
- Private patio overlooking Tampa Bay
- Seating for up to 180 people
- Access to a portable bar and catering kitchen

**THE FOUNDATION**
The Mahaffey Theater Foundation is dedicated to actively supporting arts awareness and arts education through the Class Acts Performing Arts Series and other opportunities in the arts.

Visit Mahaffeytheater.com or call 727.892.5798 for performance information or to book one of our elegant spaces.
Welcome to the Downtown St. Petersburg Waterfront

1,500 feet of berthing space

Latitude 27° 45.35’N

Longitude 082° 37.45’W

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727-893-7053
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- newspaper, magazines, junk mail, phone books
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- plastic bottles
- fluorescent bulbs
- cardboard
- yard waste
- mixed metal
- appliances
- glass bottles

HOW DO I GET RID OF IT?
For more information about...
- recycling/brush site locations
- free removal of appliances and furniture
- free mulch information
- mulch and soil builder delivery
- trash pick-up tips
- Sanitation services directory
- free rodent control
- graffiti removal
- snipe sign removal
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- commercial collection
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Go GREEN with WSI Curbside Recycling in St. Petersburg
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Visit our website at www.stpete.org/sanitation or call 893-7398 for more information.
With 23 miles of recreational trails built, and almost 10 miles of trails opening in 2011, you can enjoy our St. Petersburg CityTrails by foot or bicycle. Our BlueWays system includes almost 70 miles of canoe and kayak trails for your enjoyment on the water. And get around downtown and on Central Avenue with St. Petersburg’s Trolleys. Enjoy our Sunshine City!
St. Petersburg Municipal Marina
In the heart of downtown St. Petersburg
with 660 permanent slips, transient dockage
for vessels up to 120’, and a host of ammenities
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• Slip sizes ranging from 22’ up to 100’
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• A quick walk to downtown St. Pete
• Center of numerous cultural events
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• Hourly dockage for short visits

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727-893-7329 or
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With rushing waterfalls, flowing ponds, lush tropical plantings and exotic blooms, Sunken Gardens provides a relaxing and entertaining glimpse of nature in its many diverse and beautiful forms.

**Admission**

- Adult: $8.00
- Senior (55 & over): $6.00
- Children (3-11): $4.00

Annual Membership Available

**Hours of Operation**

- Monday - Saturday: 10am-4:30pm
- Sunday: Noon - 4:30pm

The outdoor Oak Pavilion - a perfect setting for a cocktail reception

Host your ceremony in the lush tropical gardens

Enjoy the Indoor Garden Room overlooking the gardens for receptions

Or have an outdoor tent reception

Accommodations for up to 200

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**The Historic Coliseum**

**EVENTS**

- Fund Raisers/Banquets
- Concerts
- Trade Shows
- Arts & Crafts Fairs
- Sporting Events
- Training Seminars
- Weddings & Anniversaries
- Boxing
- Corporate Functions
- Your Special Event

**TEA DANCE**

- 1st and 3rd Wednesday $7
- Dance & Dance Instruction $10
- 11:30am - 12:30pm - Lessons
- 12:30pm - 1pm Taped Music
- 1pm - 3:30pm Live Band

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Auditoriums • Pavilions • Over 150 Parks

You Can Rent It
We have the space, staff, and very competitive rates.

727-893-7441
Or call the facility of your choice listed on page 4.
**ADVANTAGE Membership**

**Benefits**
- Take classes at 17 facilities • Join a sports league
- Teen & youth Before & Afterschool and Camp Programs
- Swim lessons and programs at nine pools • Summer Camps
- Local business partners offer discounts

**To Sign Up, Stop by any St. Petersburg Recreation Center**

*St. Pete Residents • Just $10 a year!*

Facility Locator on pages 4 & 5

Be sure to bring two forms of identification for resident verification

Acceptable forms of I.D.: Valid drivers license, Current voter I.D., Water utility bill with address, Residence lease agreement, Property tax statement, Deed to home

**Not a St. Pete Resident - That’s O.K.**

You can join too and take advantage of the quality programs and services for the $125 annual rate prorated monthly from September 1. Get your ADVANTAGE Member Card.

**Buy Local**

When you take classes at city Park and Recreation facilities, you support your city and help keep quality programs in your community. All classes are taught by St. Petersburg area approved instructors who are professionals in martial arts, dance, the arts, aquatics, and much more. Over 100 classes for all ages offered year-round.

Class listing begins on page 31 and are updated on our website monthly at www.stpete.org/recreation.

**We are only children once …**

St. Petersburg Recreation offers supervised, quality, affordable, and enriching experiences right in your neighborhood. Recreation programs for children and youth are approved and certified by Coordinated Child Care of Pinellas and the Pinellas County License Board. You will want to take advantage of our unique youth and teen Before and Afterschool programs as well as our Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall full day camps listed on pages 34 & 35.

**ADVANTAGE** membership is required for all recreation programs and classes.

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**Village Inn**

10% off entire guest ticket

Valid only at Village Inn Restaurant
9107 4th St. North
St. Petersburg
Offer expires on 12/31/11

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**Sunken Gardens**

1825 4th St. N.
St. Petersburg, FL 33704
727-551-3100
Buy 1 Get 1 Free Admission

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**The Pier**

All Day Monday
$1.00 off Price of 2 Admissions

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Daily Admission:
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Children 6 and under are free.
Hours: 10am-8pm Monday-Saturday
Noon-6pm Sunday

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City of St. Petersburg
18 hole par 54
3800 22nd Ave. S. - St. Pete
727-893-7445
Buy 1 Bucket of Range Balls
Get 1 Free on Same Visit
April 1 to September 1, 2011

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**Jart's Pizza**

All Day Monday
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All four locations with Advantage Card.
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Free large drink with entree purchase
Valid only at
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St. Petersburg
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Offers good with proof of City of St. Petersburg Parks and Recreation ADVANTAGE Member card. Not valid with any other offer.
St. Petersburg Parks and Recreation has a long standing tradition of providing residents and visitors with quality of life amenities. Waterfront parks emerged one hundred years ago with the preservation of our waterfront by our forefathers, William Straub, Peter Demens and Perry Snell. They wanted every resident and visitor to have access to the waterfront. In the 1950’s the first recreation center began with a lawn bowling and shuffleboard club at Mirror Lake. St. Petersburg became known for its many beautiful parks and recreation facilities. As St. Petersburg grows, so do the opportunities for activity in all its neighborhoods. The legacy continues today with 17 recreation facilities, 9 swimming pools, over 150 parks, over 70 athletic fields, with programming for all ages and abilities.

This year, we became one of the first cities in Florida to receive national accreditation from the Commission for Accreditation of Park and Recreation Agencies (CAPRA). This was a two year examination process. Out of 155 possible standards, St. Petersburg Parks and Recreation passed all of them.

Introducing our new logo. It is an ever changing, adaptable and fun character that you will spot in our brochures and newly produced marketing materials. It’s very imaginative - always looking for fun things to do and share with friends and family.

In this section, you will also find the new Fitness Center at the Sunshine “Senior” Center, the new walking trail at Walter Fuller Park, TASCO Teen Technology Center and many ideas for your leisure time.

Did you ever wonder how St. Petersburg is able to put on so many special events? Over 90 co-sponsored events are coordinated each year by a small dedicated events staff. This includes St. Pete Cajun Crawfish Fest, Special Olympics, Festival of States, Martin Luther King Parade, Honda Grand Prix, Tampa Bay Bluesfest, Mainsail Arts Festival, St. Anthony’s Triathlon, Green Thumb Festival, Taste of Pinellas, Living Green Expo, Fireworks, Ribfest, Holiday Tree Lighting, Santa Parade and Snowfest, First Night Downtown, First Friday Get Downtown Music Series, and many more. For an updated calendar of all city events, check out our website:

www.stpete.org

Our Mission
To preserve, protect, maintain and enhance the city’s parklands and recreational facilities and engage people in leisure activities that contribute to their quality of life.

Special thanks to our Volunteers
# Nine Swimming Pools

## Aquatics

### Daily admission & resident discount cards available at each facility.

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### Open Swim Prices

- **Public Swim - Neighborhood Pools**
  - $3.50 Children 3-12 • $4.00 Adult
- **Public Swim - North Shore Aquatic Complex**
  - $4.50 Children 3-12 • $5 Adult
- **10 Swim Resident Admission Tickets**
  - Children 3-12 • $31.50 • Adults 13 & up $36 - Neighborhood Pools
  - Children 3-12 • $40.50 • Adults 13 & up $45 - North Shore Pool

Follow us on www.twitter.com @stpeterec
Visit our website www.stpete.org/recreation for information about pool rentals, swim classes, tai chi on the beach, pricing, pool hours and more.

St. Petersburg Aquatics (SPA) is a competitive swim program for ages five and up

Contact Fred Lewis, head coach 727-821-2918 or email swimstpete@aol.com

• year-round swim program at North Shore Aquatic Complex
• summer program held at Fossil Park, McLin, Lake Vista, Northwest, Walter Fuller and Shore Acres
• teaches sportsmanship, teamwork, life skills
• junior team (beginner swimmers) senior I & II

And there’s more...
North Shore Aquatic Complex offers water aerobics, stroke technique classes, adult fitness swimming, Masters swim program, and group swim lessons. 727-893-7727.

Joanne Walker swim lessons (age 3 to adult) at Fossil Park and North Shore Aquatic Complex. 727-525-2914.

Treasure Island Beach
11260 Gulf Blvd., Treasure Island
727-360-3278
Treasure Island Municipal Beach is a City of St. Petersburg owned-and-operated facility open daily, weather permitting. Enjoy a concession stand, volleyball courts, playground, picnic tables, barbeque grill and strolling along the beautiful sandy gulf beach.

The City of St. Petersburg has beach wheelchairs which allow safe, comfortable travel on the beach for those with disabilities. The chairs are available free of charge on a first come basis.

Work with us. Positions start at over $10/hr

Lifeguard Training and Water Safety Instruction Classes Call 727-893-7732
sports

ADULT FLAG FOOTBALL
Leagues are played year round, Monday through Thursday. Registration is conducted prior to each season, with current teams receiving priority. Leagues play by the Florida Sports Foundation 7-on-7 rules.

ADULT CO-ED KICKBALL
Kickball just the way it used to be. Every adult of every skill level is invited to play. Team registration fee is $270. Rules are written to make the game easy and fun to play. Teams compete for league championships with emphasis on socializing and fun. Leagues are year round on weeknights.

ADULT SOFTBALL LEAGUE
Slow pitch softball leagues for men, women, and co-ed are played year-round. Teams are A.S.A. registered and sanctioned. Games are played Monday-Friday nights.

FIELD RENTALS
Fields are rentable. Softball, football, soccer, baseball, rugby, lacrosse. Call 727-893-7298 for more details.

BASKETBALL Indoor Courts, Reg. card required
Improve skills and exercise sportsmanship
Campbell Park MON open play .................... 6-8pm
Childs Park MON & TUE 6-8pm & FRI .......... 6-7pm
Frank Pierce WED open play .................... 6-8pm
Frank Pierce SAT open play ...................... 9:30am-3pm
Gladden Park MON-FRI open play .......... 9am-2pm
Lake Vista MON/WED/THUR open play .... 6-8pm
J.W. Cate TUE open play ...................... 6:45-8:45pm
Roberts Rec. MON-FRI open play ........ 9:30am-1:30pm
Walter Fuller FRI .................................. 5:30-7:30pm
MON - Friday ........................................ 9:30 am to 1 pm
Wildwood TUE/WED/THUR ...................... 6-8pm

BASKETBALL OUTDOOR COURTS
Campbell Park, Childs Park, Frank Pierce, Gladden Park, J.W. Cate, Roberts, Walter Fuller, Wildwood and Willis S. Johns for outdoor courts.

BASKETBALL LEAGUE - Recreation centers listed below offer individual league play.
Childs Park, 4301 13th Ave. S. .... 727-893-7463
Campbell Park, 601 14th St. S. .... 727-893-7733
Wildwood, 1000 28th St. S. .......... 727-893-7750
Walter Fuller, 7891 26th Ave. N. .... 727-893-7443

DISC GOLF COURSE at Maximo Park
Maximo Disc Golf Course, 34th St. S. & Pinellas Point Dr. S. Operates with golf rules with disc instead of ball and club. First come - first served. Open 30 minutes before sunrise and 30 minutes after sunset.

GENERAL INFORMATION
For additional registration, play levels, rules, fees, about athletics 893-7298
Softball ....................... Angela Farber 727-892-5223
OR angela.farber@stpete.org
Adult Kickball, Flag Football
Angela Farber 727-892-5223
OR angela.farber@stpete.org
Youth Sports ................. Sue Tegarden 727-892-5224
OR susan.tegarden@stpete.org
Recreation Centers
Indoor courts, rentals, open play ............. 893-7441

ADVANTAGE MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED
Adult residents pay $10 annually. Non-resident card is $45 per season or $125 per calendar year. Teams may elect to pay a $125 team non-resident fee per season. Returning teams in each league receive priority registration, and new teams are accepted depending on availability. For additional information and for field rental, contact the Athletics office 893-7298.

All youth sport participants must have a city ADVANTAGE Member card and waiver form signed by parent or guardian. The yearly card will have the participant’s name and photo. Resident $10 annually. Non-resident yearly card $125 or pro-rated $12.50 monthly.
HORSESHOES Bring your own shoes. No fee.
Gladden Park daily ............................... 8am-2pm

SHUFFLEBOARD Free
Gladden Park during daylight, 3901 30th Ave. N
Bring your own equipment and enjoy free play.
Friday Nite Shuffle, Sunshine Center, 330 5th St. N.

SAILING Map locator on page 5
St. Petersburg Sailing Center, 250 2nd Ave. SE

ADULT & SENIOR Sailing - $250/year membership;
use of Sailing Center sailboats, lessons offered weekends from 9am to 4pm.

JUNIOR SAILING - $150/year membership
Kids age 5 to 16 learn to sail each summer. Also, year round racing program offered. Call 727-896-8101.

Youth Sports Representatives

FOOTBALL
Azalea Bulldogs ............................... 727-345-4798
www.azaleabulldogs.com
Childs Park Rattlers.......................... 727-744-6725
childsparkrattlers.com
Gibbs Jr. Gladiators .......................... 727-822-5144
Lakewood Jr. Spartans (ljsonline.com) 727-866-6664
Northeast Bandits .............................. 727-522-8191
www.nebandits.com
Silver Raiders ................................. 727-867-6907
freeweb.com/silverraiders
St. Pete Lil’ Devils ............................ 727-327-9988

ST. PETE YOUTH LACROSSE .............. 727-822-3300
www.stpetelacrosse.com

YOUTH BASKETBALL
St. Pete Junior Magic ............................ 727-542-5001
Boys and girls age 8-15. Volunteer coaches needed.
South St. Pete Basketball ........................ 727-698-9521
Boys and girls age 7-14 Wildwood & Lake Vista Ctrs.

BASEBALL/SOFTBALL
Azalea Little League .......................... 727-347-3325
Baypoint Little League ....................... 727-866-2500
Burg Dizzy Dean League ...................... 727-302-9528
www.leaguelineup.com/burg
Fossil Park Dizzy Dean League ............. 727-525-6155
www.fossilparkbaseball.org
Northeast Little League ....................... 727-526-9602
www.northeasttl.com
Northwest Dizzy Dean League ............. 727-345-1902
northwestyouthbaseball.org
Wildwood, Dizzy Dean League ............ 727-321-3714

YOUTH SOCCER
Azalea Youth Soccer ........................... 727-345-0699
www.azaleasoccer.com
Northeast Raiders ............................. 727-249-6078
www.northeast raiders.org
Southside Youth Soccer ...................... 727-865-2255
www.southsidesoccer.net
Strictly Soccer Club .......................... 727-526-9144
www.strictlysoccer.org
Indoor Soccer Wildwood
June though August (boys and girls) ...... age 3-9
FOSSIL SKATE PARK - 6635 M.L. King Jr. St. N. Precast concrete skate park. 6 ft. BMX mini ramp, 3 ft. high quarter pipes, 4 ft. quarter high pipes and various grind rails, banks and platforms designed for a wide range of ages and skill levels.

LAKE VISTA SKATE PARK - 1401 62nd Ave. S. Plaza-style skate course. 8,400 square feet, variety of steps and rails for skaters of all ages and abilities, concrete reinforced edges to accommodate BMX bike riders.

Skaters and bikers register at either location. Parent or guardian signature required for anyone under 18. A consent form must be completed.

Registration card required. Skaters under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Helmets are mandatory and other protective gear is recommended. Open from dawn to 11pm, except during rain.

Fossil Park Skate Park .............. 727-893-7756
Lake Vista Skate Park .............. 727-893-7744

Tennis

Tennis Courts are free and lighted.

66 Hard Courts
Sixty-six courts at 15 sites. Open sunrise until 11pm
Azalea Park........................................... 7200 22nd Ave. N.
Bartlett Park ........................................ 2000 7th St. S.
Campbell Park ..................................... 601 14th St. S.
Childs Park ........................................... 4301 13th Ave. S.
Coquina Key Park............................... 3595 Locust St. SE
Crescent Lake Park ......................... 1350 5th St. N.
Denver Park ................................................. Ohio Ave. & Denver St. NE
Fossil Park................. 6635 M.L. King Jr. St. N. (9th St. N.)
Lake Vista Park................................. 1201 62nd Ave. S.
North Shore Park .................. N. Shore Dr. & 13th Ave. NE
Northwest Park................................. 5801 22nd Ave. N.
Puryear Park ........................................... 5701 Lee St. NE
Walter Fuller ......................................... 7891 26th Ave. N.
Woodlawn Park................................. 1450 16th St. N.
Wildwood Park................................. 1000 28th St. S.

For More Information about Tennis:
727-893-7755
Three Awesome Locations

Mangrove Bay - 18 hole par 72
875 62nd Ave. NE ....... 727-893-7800
Tee Time ...................... 727-893-1790
• Pro Shop Open 6:30am to 6pm Year Round
• Excellent Practice Range and Practice Greens
• Snack Bar
• Fully Stocked Pro Shop
• Individual & Group PGA Instruction
• Award Winning Golf Facility

Twin Brooks - 18 hole par 54
3800 22nd Ave. S. ......... 727-893-7445
• Pro Shop open 7am to 5pm Year Round
• Excellent Practice Range and Practice Greens
• Snack Bar
• Full Pro Shop
• Individual & Group PGA Instruction

Cypress Links - 9 hole par 27
875 62nd Ave. NE .......... 727-551-3333
located next to Mangrove Bay Golf Course
• Pro Shop Open 6:30am to 6pm Year Round
• Excellent Practice Range and Practice Greens
• Pro Shop
• Individual & Group PGA Instruction

THE FIRST TEE St. Petersburg Junior Golf Programs

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ages 6-18 depending on program • tournaments and awards
equipment and materials provided • special needs instruction available
one-hour clinics full-day camp or half-day camps available

Junior Golf Programs are offered
summer, spring, and fall. For dates, times,
cost and registration form call:
727-551-3300

www.thefirstteestpetersburg.org

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lessons

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TEACHING PROFESSIONALS

Ray Pennington
PGA Member, Mangrove Bay

Rick Sopka
PGA Member, Mangrove Bay

Charlaine Tatz
PGA Member, Twin Brooks

Bill Buttner
PGA Member, Twin Brooks

Learn the Principles

Grip • Aim • Stance
Ball Position • Posture
Pivot • Weight Transfer
Natural Swing • Pitching
Inside Moves Outside
Hinge/Release • • Putting
Chipping • Full Swing
Rules & Etiquette • Sand

Skills taught vary depending on level.

www.thefirstteestpetersburg.org

Make your tee time today
a glimpse of Florida natural wildlands

This peaceful oasis is located on the shores of Lake Maggiore. Enjoy walking along the trails and boardwalks that wind thru many unique ecosystems that are homes to over 60 species of amphibians and reptiles, over 50 species of butterflies and over 165 species of birds. Because of this strong diversity of birds, the preserve has been named to the Great Florida Birding Trail.

1101 Country Club Way South
727-893-7326

Hours of Operation and Cost

Tuesday - Friday......................10am-7pm
Saturday.................................7am-7pm
Sunday.................................10am-6pm
Monday..................................Closed

Trails close 1/2 hour before dusk

Closed

Thanksgiving, Christmas & New Year’s Day

Admission

Adults ................................................$3
Children 3 - 16____________________ $1.50
Under 3..............................................free

Annual Membership Available

Find that unique momento
in our gift store.

Before you take the walk on the trails, visit the national award winning exhibit “The Ripple Effect: Understanding Nature’s Connections” at the Lake Maggiore Environmental Education Center. This exhibit is an exciting and innovative depiction that will enlighten the visitor to the natural wonders of the Preserve and Lake Maggiore. As you walk to the trails, you will see our aviary which is home to eleven permanently injured birds of prey including an eagle, hawks and owls. Come visit the aviary and see these magnificent birds up close.
Programs, Nature Walks and Events

MONTHLY WALKS AND PROGRAMS
• Daily Tram Tours
• Bird, Nature and Wildflower Walks
• Night Hikes
• Naturalist Night Out
• Jungle Boogie - age 5 & under
• Natural History Speaker Series
• Pioneer Nights
• Alligator tour

CHILDREN’S CAMPS
• Jungle Boogie Camp - age 3 - 4
• Young Naturalist Camp - entering K - age 6
• Summer Nature Day Camp - age 7 - 13
• Pioneer Camp - age 7 - 13
• Herpetology Camp - age 7 - 11
• Wild Adventure - entering K - age 6

ANNUAL EVENTS
Wildlife Weekend - second weekend of March
Petting zoo, crafts, and butterfly program for kids; educational presentations and programs about birds, birdscaping, butterflies, and native plant gardening; guided tours and more.

Pioneer Music Jamboree - third Saturday of February
Old-fashioned fun, food, music and demonstrations. Authentic pioneer sawmill, blacksmith shop and furnished 19th century home.

Autumn Harvest - third Saturday of October
Visit an early 19th century home, authentic print shop, sawmill and blacksmith shop while shopping at an old time Farmer’s Market and more.

Art Arbor Festival - first weekend of November
Features more than 70 arts and crafts vendors, environmental exhibits, free guided tours of the nature park, a food court, programs highlighting birds, reptiles and animals found at Boyd Hill. Enjoy entertainment from top local bands and performers. Children can enjoy kid’s crafts and games.

Christmas Jamboree - 2nd Saturday of December
Enjoy the old-fashioned festivities of a Victorian holiday. Shop for the holidays among talented artists and craft vendors. Enjoy holiday decor, music, and festivities.

Call 727-893-7326 for more information or visit our website at www.stpete.org/boyd

respect for nature
Whether a night or a day hike, you’ll find many forms of wildlife in Florida’s natural habitat.

It Starts in Parks

Photo by Phi Nguyen

Whether a night or a day hike, you’ll find many forms of wildlife in Florida’s natural habitat.
It Starts in Parks...
St. Petersburg’s city parks offer ideal outdoor venues for family picnics, special events, fitness activities and gatherings.

- 2,400 acres of parkland • 150 parks
- nature preserves • fitness trails
- 77 playground areas • 6 dog parks
- 2 skate parks • picnic areas
- 1 disc golf course • 77 athletic fields
- 21 boat ramps • 5 beaches
- 13 regulation baseball fields
- 66 tennis courts • 11 softball fields
- 18 youth baseball fields
- 33 football/soccer fields
- 28 outdoor basketball courts
- 9 volleyball courts • 1 Jai-Alai court
- 1 splash pad

SPECIAL PROGRAMS
Organizations, businesses and associations can participate in keeping St. Petersburg beautiful by planting flowers, cleaning up, raising funds and reporting vandalism and maintenance problems through the city’s Adopt-A-Park Program.

Gizella Kopsick Palm Arboretum
North Shore Dr. & 10th Ave. NE
The Kopsick Palm Arboretum, with its red brick winding walkways, benches and gazebo offers a quiet respite and tropical gallery of more than 500 palms and approximately 55 cycads representing over 170 species from around the world. The collection is one of the largest palm collections in the State of Florida, and known to be the largest free museum of palms and cycads in the world. Recent expansion of the Arboretum was made possible in part by the commemorative brick program.

Paving the Future Brick Program
You can help fund the expanding collection of palms and plant material and help preserve this special garden for generations to come. Custom engraved bricks are laid in curving walkways around the planting beds in the Arboretum. Each brick costs $50. Contributions are tax deductible.

City Beautiful Commission
- Formed in 1961 as an adjunct commission
- Assists with enforcement of city statutes
- Suggests ordinances to City Council
- With guidance from Parks Department, maintains the Gizella Kopsick Arboretum
- Supervises the Gift Tree Program and Paving the Future Brick Program
- Presents the annual City Beautiful Awards

Gift Tree Program
Contributions can be in any amount and can accumulate toward the price of a tree. Honorees/Donors are inscribed in a leather bound register at City Hall. Acknowledgment cards are sent to donors and families. Contributions are tax deductible.

Reserve a Shelter for your Picnic
$15/hour with a $30 non-refundable permit fee is due at application submission. Permit required 15 days in advance.

ANNUAL EVENTS
Save our Shore Coastal Clean-Up
Spring • Fall - third Saturday in April and September
Help clean our coastal shoreline. Volunteer alone, with your neighborhood, church, civic or social group.
Green Thumb Festival • Walter Fuller Park
April 30 to May First
St. Petersburg Arbor Day and Earth Day Celebration features environmental and horticultural exhibits, free mulch, a flower show, a grow and share program, diagnostic clinic (bring soil and water samples), recycling rally, plant auction, tool sharpening booth, entertainment, children’s programs, other environmental programs and food.

BOAT RAMPS
Open 24 hours:
• Demens Landing Park, Bayshore Dr. & 2nd Ave. S. - 2 ramps
• Grandview Park, 6th St. & 39th Ave. S. - 2 ramps
• Jungle Prada Park, Park St. & Elbow Ln. N. - 2 ramps
• Maximo Park, Pinellas Point Dr. & 34th St. S. - 7 ramps

Open till 11pm each night and 30 minutes before sunrise daily:
• Bay Vista Park, 4th St. & Pinellas Point Dr. S. - 2 ramps
• Coffee Pot Park, 1st St. & 31st Ave. NE - 1 ramp
• Crisp Park, Poplar St. & 35th Ave. NE - 2 ramps
• Lake Maggiore Park, Dr. M.L. King Jr. St. & 38th Ave. S. - 2 ramps
• Sunlit Cove, Sunlit Cove Dr. & Bay St. NE or 89 Ave. & 1st St. NE - 1 ramp
• Operators of commercial vessels: a permit is needed before using certain designated public wharves.

SHORELINE FISHING
8am to 8pm daily at designated lakes in St. Petersburg during the summer from Memorial Day through Labor Day. The lakes are usually stocked with bass, bream, catfish and Nile perch. At other times of the year, fishing is during park hours: from 30 minutes before sunrise to 30 minutes after sunset. Open for fishing year-round:

Shoreline Fishing Locations
• Bartlett Lake - 22nd Ave. & 5th St. S.
• Fossil Park Lake - 70th Ave. & 7th St. N.
• Walter Fuller Lake - 26th Ave. & 78th St. N.
• Lake Maggiore - 38th Ave. & Dr. M.L. King Jr. St. S.
• Lake Eli also known as Little Lake Maggiore - 25th St. & Lamparilla Way S.

For park locations, events, park permits, rules & regulations, athletic league information, or to volunteer, check out our website www.stpete.org/parks
Call 893-7441
or stop by
Parks and Recreation
1400 19th Street North
The Main Library offers:
• 67 public access computers
• 37 comfortable chairs
• electric connections for laptop users
• access to the library’s wireless Internet
• study tables with plugs for more space
• all new computers featuring Internet access
• Microsoft Office 2007 computer applications

The children’s department is attractively decorated with whimsical public art designed by artist Candace Knapp of Brandon, Florida. The Happy Town Players are colorful figures carved from wood that encourage children to use their imagination.

The Teen Scene has been updated with stylish seating and computer workstations for homework or Internet research.

Check out the Novel Idea book store for some great treasures. Many of the books are just like new but the prices are great bargains.

The Main Library is the central hub of the St. Petersburg Public Library System.

Six branch libraries offer
• wireless Internet access
• public computers
• popular reading materials
• children’s programming
• community rooms
- exception: Childs Park Library at Childs Park YMCA

Each library has a distinct personality that reflects its community.

The Johnson Branch Library specializes in African American materials.

North Branch Library is the busiest of the branch locations and has a new computer lab to increase the technology available to its patrons.

The beautiful Mirror Lake Branch Library is an original Carnegie library that has been restored to the grandeur of its era. An addition built in 1998 increased the service area and provided space to offer the same technology as its newer sister libraries. A convenient drive-up window makes it easy to pick up requested items.

South Branch Library offers special programs for the deaf in its community room. Although its floor plan is like that of the Johnson Branch, it contains its own color scheme and artwork created to reflect landmarks in the neighborhood.

West St. Petersburg Community Library is a joint use library in partnership with St. Petersburg College. It contains both public and college library materials and has an intriguing children’s department designed with a water theme.

Childs Park is the smallest and newest of the system’s libraries. Located inside the Childs Park YMCA, it offers computers and a small collection of its own with access to materials from any of the other libraries.

Library resources are at your fingertips 24/7 on the library’s website: www.splibraries.org

Activity times, days and fees are subject to change.
Check out and download an audio book, use the Ask a Librarian reference service or take advantage of the electronic reference resources such as automotive repair information, practice tests for exams such as college entrance and ASVAB, magazine articles, government documents and even an online encyclopedia.

As members of the Pinellas Public Library Cooperative (PPLC) and PALS (Pinellas Automated Library System), St. Petersburg Public Library System cardholders are eligible to borrow materials from any of the libraries. Patrons can enter their requests and materials will be delivered to the library of their choice within a week.

For books that are not available anywhere in the county, patrons may request materials through the library’s Interlibrary Loan (ILL) service, an international loan service that links libraries worldwide for resource sharing. The service also provides copies of journal articles which are often available only through academic libraries.

Log on @ Your Library
www.splibraries.org
**Make a World of Difference @ Your Library**

**Be a Friend**  The Friends of the Library are a not-for-profit organization composed of individuals, families and local businesses with the common goal of supporting libraries. The Friends provide funds for furnishings, books, special programs and outreach. Main Library, Johnson Branch, North Branch, South Branch and West Branch all have friends groups supporting their local library. For more information, check out our Friends Groups on our website.

**Library Youth Services**

Library Youth Services: Programs from birth to 18 years to encourage reading and library use.

- **Mother Goose** for children under the age of 3.
- **Preschool Story times** for ages 3-5.
- **Family story times** for all ages.
- **Teen Advisory Council** for ages 12-18
  Helps develop teen collections and plan teen programs.

The Junior League of St. Petersburg presents a bi-weekly puppet show in the Main Library Auditorium November through April.

Call 727-893-7085 to reserve space for groups of 10 or more.

Florida Library Youth Program – FLYP Summer Reading Program for Ages 8-12.

**Be a Volunteer**

Mirror Lake Friends Group starting now - please call Mirror Lake Branch if you would like to help get it started.

**Stop by a library today, visit our website at www.splibraries.org**

Volunteers are an integral part of our library team. Call your neighborhood library to find out more about becoming a library volunteer.

Activity times, days and fees are subject to change.
Rev. Enoch D. Davis, 1905-1985
The Enoch Davis Center was named for the Rev. Enoch D. Davis, a long time activist and civic leader in the St. Petersburg community, and the pastor of Bethel Community Baptist Church for over 50 years. The building was opened on September 13, 1981, and is operated under the Office on Aging, a division of Parks and Recreation.

Part of our mission is to carry out Rev. Davis’ lifelong dedication to make our community a rich and great place to live.

The Enoch Davis Center is an 18,000 square foot multi-service center located adjacent to the James Weldon Johnson Branch Library. The facility houses:
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* space for human service agencies
* two meeting rooms
* two multi-purpose halls & meeting rooms for rental

Agencies provide direct services at the Enoch Davis Center. These agencies help residents with various social service needs.

Classes
DUNDU DOLE’ AFRICAN DANCE
MON Sept. - Dec......... 7 - 8:30pm 727-481-8091

FINANCIAL EDUCATION - FREE
MONTHLY...............................727-824-0910

Agency Services
BAY AREA LEGAL SERVICES
1st and 3rd MON .......... 3pm-5pm 727-490-4040

MEALS ON WHEELS
MON-FRI .....................9am-Noon 727-573-7773

MEDICARE/MEDICAID HELP
by appointment....................... 727-893-7159

NEIGHBORLY CARE NETWORK Congregate Dining
MON-FRI ......................9am-2pm 727-823-4442

GHETTREAL - HIV Testing & Counseling
TUE 10am-3pm.....................727-323-3764

SUNCOAST CENTER
by appointment ..............727-323-2528 Ext. 3221

THE STOREHOUSE OF AMERICA - Community Outreach
MON-FRI by appointment ..............408-4580

PINELLAS OPPORTUNITY COUNCIL
MON-FRI by appointment.........9am-4pm 822-4492
Utility Assistance and Life Enrichment
SUMMER 2011

PLAYCAMP & TEEN CAMP

Monday, June 13 through Friday, August 19

When do I register?
Residents Willis S. Johns & Shore Acres  ..... Friday, May 6, 2011
Residents All other Locations ................... Saturday, May 7, 2011
Non-residents of St. Petersburg ...... Wednesday, May 11, 2011

Monday through Friday
7:30am to 5:30pm
supervised full day activities
while school is out
breakfast & lunch provided

Children must be entering grades 1-6
$650 for Full 10 Weeks

Teens must be entering grades 7 through 9
$690 for Full 10 Weeks

Specialized classes offered at all locations. Check out our Recreation website for more options.

www.stpete.org/recreation

Prices, dates and times are subject to change.
**Two Unique Age Groups Under One Great Roof**
grades 1-5 & grades 6 through 8

### Before & Afterschool and Holiday Camps

- licensed school age care for youth kindergarten through 8th grade.
- creative planned activities with well trained coaches
- on-site supervision of staff
- sign in/out procedures for participants
- indoor & outdoor rotating activities
- special events
- tutoring available

### How much does it cost?

#### youth entering grades 1-5

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Extended Morning Hours: $26.25/mo. 7-7:30am

Extended Evening Hours: $26.25/mo. 5:30-6pm

Before school camp begins at 7:30am until school starts in the morning. The afterschool camp begins when school is released and continues until 5:30pm.

#### teens entering grades 6 through 8

Before and After School Care Program ..............FREE

Register to reserve your spot.

This grant program is offered to middle school students.

HOURS: Before School ................... 7am to 9:30am

After School ......................... school dismissal till 7pm

### How do they get there?

Bus and walk programs are offered at some locations to transport children to and from school and Before and Afterschool sites. Some camp sites are school bus stops as well. Call us at 727-893-7441 for further details.

### T.G.F.H. Days & Early School Release Days

Thank Goodness for Holidays! When public school is out for the day, or released early, we really know how to celebrate. Organized games, sports, and special events are planned for youth and teens. The program is included for those enrolled in Before or Afterschool Camp when the monthly fee is paid or for teens who are registered in the afterschool program. The cost for anyone not enrolled in the Before & Afterschool Program is $20 per T.G.F.H. day. These days are based on the Pinellas County Schools’ In-service days and professional training days. Full T.G.F.H. day program hours are 7:30am to 5:30pm Camp begins when school is released two hours early and lasts until 5:30pm for youth and 7pm for teens.

### Spring Camp


### Summer Camp

Our very popular camp program is designed to give youth fun, engaging and memorable times while vacationing from school. Extended hours available for an additional fee.

### Fall & Winter Camp

Camps are held during breaks from Pinellas County Schools. Youth camp is held at three locations: J.W. Cate, Wildwood and Roberts. Teen camps will be held at all Recreation Centers. See list on page 32 for site information. Camps are not offered on Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year’s Eve day.

### Registration & Fees

Registration is on a first come, first served basis. Camp application and hold harmless agreement forms must be completed, signed and notarized prior to acceptance. Notary may be available on site. All participants must have an ADVANTAGE Membership Card. Residents pay $10 annually (with proper I.D.) and non-residents pay $12.50/mo. or $125 annually. Details on page 16.

### Coordinated Child Care

CCC provides financial assistance to eligible parents. For details call 727-547-5700. The city offers a Fee Assistance Program for city residents only. Contact center supervisor for specific guidelines.

### Chart Your Course

You can take advantage of other classes, pools, sport leagues and Teen Technical programs. See Children, Teen, Sports & Aquatics pages for more fun ways to enjoy your leisure time.

**follow us on www.twitter.com @stpeteparkrec**
Educational
TUTORING $12-$17/hr Advanced Learning Centers, a partner with the city, offers tutoring to afterschool participants. Students work in small groups with tutors. Free tutoring for eligible participants. Begins this fall. Pinellas County Schools sends enrollment forms home the first week of school. Ask Recreation Center for information.

Dance & Activities $15 reservation fee
Develop coordination, timing and rhythm.

BALLET $30-$45/mo.
Gladden Park TUE ........................................ 6-7pm
Roberts/Adult MON beginner ..................... 4-5pm (age 6-8)
   MON beginner point .......................... 5-6pm (age 8-12)
   MON beginner ......................... 6-7pm (age 12-17)
   MON intermediate point... 7:30-8:55pm (age 12-17)
   TUE intermediate ........................ 4-5pm (age 7-9)
   TUE intermediate ...................... 5-6pm (age 9-11)
   TUE intermediate ..................... 6-7pm (age 9-12)
   TUE intermediate .................. 7-8:15pm (age 10-13)

BALLET/TAP COMBO $30-$45/mo.
Combination class. Basics of simple dance movement for learning to dance.
Azalea TUE begin/intermed 5-6pm (age 4-1/2-6)
   TUE advanced ...................... 6-7:30pm (age 9-12)
   TUE beginner .......................... 4-5pm (age 5-7)
   THUR beginner ........................ 4-5pm (age 3-4)
   THUR intermediate II ............... 5-6pm (age 6-7)
   THUR intermediate III ............ 6-7:30pm (age 7-10)
J.W. Cate MON .................... 3:30-4:30pm (age 8-12)
   MON .................... 4:30-5:30pm (age 8 & up)
   SAT .......................... 10-11am (age 3-4)
   SAT .................................. 11-Noon (age 4-5)
   MON .................... 5:30-7pm (age 8+)
   SAT .......................... 9-10am (age 5-7)
   SAT .................................. Noon-1pm (age 4-6)

BATON $18-$25/mo.
Lake Vista MON ........................................ 6:45-7:15pm
Gladden TUE ........................................... 6:30-7:15pm
Roberts MON ........................................... 6:15-7pm
Shore Acres MON beginner ................... 5-5:45pm
Walter Fuller TUE ................................... 5:30-6:15pm

CHEERLEADING $18-$32/mo.
J.W. Cate WED ........................................... 5:15-6pm (age 6+)
Walter Fuller THUR .................................. 5:15-6pm
Willis S. Johns TUE ............................... 6-6:45pm (age 5-8)

GYMNASTICS $20-$32/mo.
Azalea WED ........................................... 5:45-6:30pm
J.W. Cate  
   MON .................................. 9:30-10:15am (age 15-36 months)
   MON .................................. 10:15-11am (age 3-5)
   SAT .................................. 9-9:45am (age 3-5)
   SAT .................................. 9:45-10:30am (age 6+)
Roberts TUE ........................................ 4:45-5:30pm (age 5-12)
Shore Acres THUR ................. 3:15-4 & 4:45pm
Walter Fuller FRI begin/inter .................. 4:45-5:30pm
Willis S. Johns TUE ... 10:15-11am (age 15 to 35 months)
   TUE .................................. 11-11:45am (age 3-5)
   SAT advanced ..................... 11:30am-12:15pm
   SAT .................................. 10-10:45am (age 3-5)
   SAT .................................. 10:45-11:30am (age 6+)

HIP HOP DANCE $20-$30/mo.
Azalea WED ........................................... 5-6pm
Gladden FRI ............................................. 6-7pm
J.W. Cate THUR .................................. 5-6pm (age 8-12)
THUR ........................................... 6-7pm (age 12+)
Roberts/Adult FRI .. 3-4pm (age 9-14)
Shore Acres MON .................................. 6-7pm (age 5-12)

Activity times, days and fees are subject to change.
HOOP DANCE $25 
Roberts THUR .......................... 3:45-4:30 pm (age 5-12)

JAZZ $30-$45 mo.
Roberts/Adult FRI .......................... 5-6 pm (age 7-13)

LYRICAL DANCE $30/mo.
Roberts / Adult FRI .......................... 4-5 pm

Martial Arts
HANSHI JOSE SOTO $20-35/mo.
Lake Vista MON-THUR .................................. 5:30-6:30 pm
TUE .................................................. 6:30-7:30 pm

KARATE/Kinney $25-$45/mo.
Conditioning, discipline, attitude & self-defense
Azalea MON/WED beginner/intermediate .......................... 6-7 pm
Bay Vista WED beginner/intermediate .................................... 5-6 pm
Gladden Park MON/WED intermediate .......................... 7-8 pm
Lake Vista MON beginner/intermediate .......................... 7-8 pm
J.W. Cate
TUE/THUR beginner .................................. 6-7 pm (age 4+)
TUE/THUR inter/adv. .................................. 7-8 pm (age 4+)
Roberts MON/WED beginner .......................... 6-7 pm (age 5+)
MON/WED intermediate .................................. 7-8 pm
Shore Acres MON/WED .................................. 7-8 pm OR 8-9 pm
Willis S. Johns
TUE/THUR beginner .................................. 6-7 pm
TUE/THUR intermediate .................................. 7-8 pm
TUE/THUR advanced .................................. 8-9 pm

YOSHU KAI $30/mo.
Willis S. Johns MON/THUR .................. 7:30-9 pm

TAE KWON DO $20-$40/mo.
Campbell Park TUE/FRI .......................... 6-7:30 pm (age 5+)
J.W. Cate MON/WED .......................... 5:30-6:30 pm
SAT ................................................. 8:30-9:30 am
Shore Acres TUE/THUR/FRI beginner .................................. 5-6 pm
Walter Fuller MON/WED .......................... 5:30-6:30 pm

Music & Art
GUITAR $40/mo.
Roberts/Adult WED priv. lessons FRI by appt (age 8+)
Walter Fuller ........................................ by appt. (age 8+)

KEYBOARD $35/mo.
Bay Vista THUR ........................................ by appt.
Roberts/Adult FRI .......................... by appt. (age 8+)

PIANO INSTRUCTION private $35-50/mo.
Azalea MON or TUE .......................... by appt.
Bay Vista THUR ........................................ by appt.
Roberts/Adult TUE/FRI (Friday age 8+ only). by appt.

MUSIC Any Instrument (except reed) $40/mo.
Roberts/Adult THUR .......................... by appt. (8 & older)

VOICE LESSONS $35-45/mo.
Roberts/Adult MON .......................... by appt.

Clubs
CHESS CLUB Walter Fuller TUE .......................... 6:30-8:30 pm

Tennis Lessons see information on page 22.

Playgrounds
St. Petersburg currently has 77 playgrounds located in many of our parks. This includes five fully accessible playgrounds at the following park locations:
Lake Vista, Dell Holmes, Campbell, Walter Fuller and Willis S. Johns.
For a list of parks see www.stpete.org/parks
What is TASCO? Teen, Arts, Sports and Cultural Opportunities.
• positive youth opportunities
• teens in grades 6-12
• athletics, education and entertainment

You will find Center Based-Programs
11 Recreation facilities have a dedicated teen room, staff and organized activities that fill teens’ non-school hours with core value opportunities. This includes a free afterschool program. TASCO City Wide Sports Leagues & Events; TASCO Center for Teen Technology; Center Based Programs, OST, Out of School Time Programs are based in the Recreation Center Teen Rooms in Partnership with Coordinated Child Care, Teen Around Town Classes, these classes are offered by local professional instructors at city recreation facilities.

Sports Leagues - Sports include co-ed dodgeball in the fall, flag football in the winter, volleyball in the spring, and basketball in the summer. Teens join at any recreation center or form their own teams. Church groups, schools, non-profit organizations and youth groups are welcome.

Mini-tournaments - TASCO runs various mini-tournaments, including Night Spiker “Glow in the Dark” beach volleyball, kick ball, 3-on-3 basketball, dodge ball and flag football.

Junior Leader Program
• volunteer/job training program for teens entering 10th through 12th grade
• hands on supervised work experience
• earn service hours toward academic credit and college scholarships

Special Events - TASCO events include St. Petersburg First Night New Year’s Eve celebration. TASCO sponsors Field of Screams Halloween Event, Valentine’s dances. TASCO also collaborates with both small and large community organizations to provide interactive teen activities at events.

Summer Extreme - Weekly activities for teens
• entering grades 7 - 12
• a few events are for teen camp participants only
• many events are free to all teens
Events include activities such as rock climbing walls, skateboard ramps, live music, beach events, inflatable games, dances and beach volleyball tournaments.

TASCO also DJ’s events such as, school dances, homecomings, proms, and teen birthday parties.
**After-School Technology Programs**
TASCO offers free after-school technology programs for teens in grades 6 through 12. Programs include Digital Photography, Graphic Arts, Videography, Audio, and Computers. Courses are designed to introduce teens to media techniques and progress to hands-on learning. Participants use digital cameras, camcorders, and computers. Teens receive reference handouts to refer back to. Practical applications are applied throughout the course. Finally a “Family and Friends Night” is held to recognize and showcase the class accomplishments.

**Courses offered during the school year**
- Digital Videography
- Digital Photography/ Graphic Arts
- Digital Audio & Deejaying
- How to build your own computer

**Home School Technology Classes**
Fall and Spring Semester technology courses are offered.

**TASCO Tech Cafe** - Monthly Friday 7 to 10 pm/$5. Teens can Deejay, use the open computer lab, play video games, watch movies, practice photography and video, and more. Food and drinks available for purchase.

**TASCO Summer Teen Technology Camp**
10 week (400+ hours) course designed to teach teens digital video, digital audio, and digital photography/ graphic arts. More in-depth than the after school programs. Participants leave with an intermediate/advanced education in the media field. Thursday TASCO Summer Extreme events and Friday field trips and guest speakers on the week’s related subject are included.

**Adult Technology Courses**
Four week adult courses including Digital Photography, Photoshop, and Internet Security to help keep parents aware of the latest technologies and trends.

**TASCO Center for Teen Technology**
1320 5th Street North, St. Petersburg
Visit us or call 727-892-5877.
Out of School Time Teen Programs
These programs take place at Recreation Centers during non-school hours including:
• free before school program
• afternoon & evening programs
• varied weekend programs

Summer Teen Camp is offered at 11 Recreation Center sites for the weeks school is out during summer break. See page 35 & 35 for detailed information.

Before and After School Care Program
A free program is offered while spots last. Details on page 35.

Teen Drop-In Program
Programs operate Monday - Saturday, hours and weekend activities vary at each site. Activities are listed on monthly calendars and are posted in each teen room.

Each Out of School Time site provides activities that fill teen non-school hours with the focus on:
• community service
• positive family interaction
• weekly teen council meetings
• drug awareness
• educational and career development
• overlay enrichment programs
• technology
• adult role models
• appropriate social opportunities

With structure and guidance, teens are given the authority to make choices and implement their program to include these assets.

TEEN COUNCIL Each teen site has an elected teen council that designs a program format which includes: planning activities, fund raising, balancing a teen trust fund, and implementing positive social opportunities. Each council meets weekly at their recreation center site. Free activities include teen nights, participation in TASCO Sports Leagues and center special events, dances and field trips for teens.

All participants are encouraged to excel in school and are provided a supportive environment to form peer-to-peer study groups.

TASCO Citywide
Center Programs
Technology Ctr.
Campbell Park
Childs Park
Frank Pierce
Gladden Park
J. W. Cate
Lake Vista
Roberts
Shore Acres
Walter Fuller
Wildwood
Willis S. Johns
1350 5th St. N.
1350 5th St. N.
1350 5th St. N.
601 14th St. S.
4301 13th Ave. S.
2000 7th St. S.
3901 30th Ave. N.
5801 22nd Ave. N.
1401 62nd Ave. S.
1246 50th Ave. N.
4230 Shore Acres Blvd. NE
7891 26th Ave. N.
1000 28th St. S.
6635 MLK Jr. St. N.
892-5060
893-7813
892-5877
551-3270
551-3260
551-3274
551-3271
892-5801
551-3273
893-7595
551-3266
551-3095
551-3096
551-3272

Facility Map on pages 4 & 5.

Our Mission
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Classes
Fee classes are taught by local professionals contracted by the city to provide instruction in the respective areas.

Music & Arts
GUITAR LESSONS $40/mo.
Roberts/Adult WED private. ......................by appt.

KEYBOARD $35/mo
Use the center’s or bring your own.
Roberts/Adult FRI ......................................by appt.
Bay Vista THUR ......................................by appt.

PIANO $35-$50/mo.
Azalea MON/TUE private ..............................by appt.
Bay Vista THUR ......................................by appt.
Roberts/Adult FRI/TUE private ......................by appt.

POTTERY $35/mo.
Roberts/Adult WED ..................................1:30-4pm

VOICE LESSONS $45/mo.
Learn to sing or improve your speech.
Roberts/Adult MON private ......................by appt.

Dance & Exercise
BALLET/TAP prices vary
J.W. Cate MON advanced ..............7-8:30pm (age 11-15)

LIFE ENRICHMENT DANCE $35/mo.
Gladden MON ...............................5:30-6:30pm (age 13-16)

Martial Arts
TAE KWON DO/Ferkile’s $15-$52/mo.
Campbell Park TUE/FRI .........................6:30-7:30pm
J.W. Cate MON/WED .........................5:30-6:30pm
SAT ...........................................8:30-9:30am
Walter Fuller MON/WED .....................6:30-7:30pm
Shore Acres TUE/THUR/FRI ..................6:15-7:15pm

TAI CHI / $25 TUE ..........................8-9pm

KARATE/kinney $25-$40 depending on frequency
Azalea MON/WED beginner/intermediate ......6-7pm
Bay Vista WED begin/inter .....................5-6pm
Gladden Park MON/WED intermediate ........7-8pm
J.W. Cate TUE/THUR beginner ...............6-7pm
TUE/THUR intermediate ........................7-8pm
Lake Vista MON ..................................7-8pm
Roberts MON/WED beginner ....................6-7pm
MON/WED intermediate ........................7-8pm
Shore Acres MON/WED beginner .............7-8pm
MON/WED intermediate ........................8-9pm
Willis S. Johns TUE/THUR beginner ..........6-7pm
TUE/THUR intermediate ........................7-8pm
TUE/THUR advance ................................8-9pm
Improves physical, mental & social function.

Sports and Fitness Programs
TEAM SPORTS $10/mo. (age 15+)
Walter Fuller WED .......................... 6:30-8pm

SHUFFLEBOARD $10/mo. (all ages)
St. Pete Shuffleboard courts
THUR Spring and Fall ....................... 6:30-7:30pm

BOWLING LEAGUE $75 (teens & adults)
Sunrise Lanes TUE
Jan-March, Sept-Nov .......................... 6:30-8:30pm

AEROBICS w/JUDY $10/mo. (adults)
Azalea MON ...................................... 6-7pm

Art Programs
ARTS & CRAFTS $10/mo. (adults)
Azalea THUR .......................... 7-8pm

THEATER ARTS $20/mo. (age 14+)
Sunshine Center Auditorium MON .......... 7-8:30pm

FUN WITH BEADS $20/mo. (teens and adults)
Azalea MON .................................. 6:30-8:30pm

COOKING & HOT OFF THE GRILL! $30/session
(age 15+) Azalea TUE Spring & Fall

Monthly Programs
DANCES $3/dance (age 13+)
Gladden Park 1st & 3rd FRI Sept. to May ....... 7-9pm

KARAOKE $3/evening
Azalea 2nd Friday Monthly ....................... 7-9pm

Adapted Equipment for Loan or Rental
Hand crank and tandem bikes and beach wheelchairs may be checked out for $1/day. Beach wheelchairs are available at St. Petersburg’s Treasure Island Municipal Beach and at North Shore Aquatic Complex. Arrange for use at other locations through the Therapeutic Recreation office.

Special Events
ADAPTIVE SAILING & KAYAKING CLINICS $3
April & Nov. St. Petersburg Sailing Center
Pre-registration required.

ADAPTIVE KAYAKING CLINICS Free
Monthly Oct-May, weather permitting. Pre-registration.

U CAN SKI 2 - Free. Adaptive water ski & kayak clinic
May - Lake Seminole Park. Free instruction for those with physical disabilities. Pre-registration required.

CAMP REDBIRD REUNION Therapeutic Recreation family picnic in May. Location to be announced.

ADAPTIVE FITNESS EXPO October
Walter Fuller Park, 7891 26th Avenue North

Special Olympics 2011
SPRING AREA GAMES March 13
GOLF June
SWIM TEAM August
BOWLING September

Outing Groups - Activities focus on community education and social skills development.
TREKKERS - Middle & high school age
OUT ON THE TOWN - Adult

Summer Camp
Camp Redbird day camp for age 6 to adult
June 13 to August 12
Arts & Crafts
CERAMICS $18/mo. price includes firing
Roberts/Adult THUR ........................................ 9-11:30am

CROCHET $20-30/mo.
Roberts/Adult MON ........................................ 10-11am
Bay Vista TUE .............................................. 4:30-5:30pm

DRAWING $12-$45/mo.
Learn basics plus work w/negative space, eraser tool, and resolved image concepts. Learn the fine art of portraits.
Azalea MON .............................................. 11am-1pm
Bay Vista THUR ........................................... 12:45-2:45pm
Shore Acres WED ......................................... 6-7pm

FUSED GLASS $22/mo. Azalea WED .................. 6:30-9pm
Bay Vista TUE workshop ............................... 4:30-5:30pm
Roberts/Adult TUE fused, slumped, stained .......... 6-8pm

KNITTING $20/mo. Bay Vista TUE ...................... 4:30-5:30pm
Roberts/Adult MON ........................................ 10-11am

LAP ROBES FOR NURSING HOMES reg. card FREE
Join this industrious group by lending a hand or donating non-stretch cotton material.
Roberts/Adult FRI ........................................ Noon-2:30pm

OILS AND ACRYLICS $22-40/mo.
Develop your own style & technique, teaches artistry, not copying. Learn picture composition, brush techniques and more.
Bay Vista TUE ........................................... 10:30am-1pm
WED ....................................................... 5:15-7:15pm
Roberts/Adult MON ...................................... 1-3pm

PAINTING $15/mo.
Willis S. Johns
.....SAT One Stroke Painting Noon-2pm

POTTERY $25-35/mo. price includes firing. Fundamentals in handbuilding and pottery wheel, glazes, and glazing.
Azalea TUE ... 12:30-3pm or 3:30-6pm/6:30-9pm
Bay Vista THUR ... 6:30-9pm
Roberts/Adult MON/WED/THUR 6:30-9pm
WED ....................................................... 1:30-4pm

QUILTING $30/mo.
Use a pattern or design your own. Hand or machine sew.
Roberts/Adult MON 9:30am-Noon

SCRAP BOOKING $15/mo.
Azalea 3rd MON 6:30-8:30pm

SEWING LESSONS $40/mo.
beginners to advanced.
Bay Vista TUE ............................................ 10-Noon
Roberts/Adult THUR ...................................... 9:30am-Noon

SEWING SOLUTIONS $5/mo. Are you stuck on a project?
Roberts/Adult MON-FRI by appointment

STAINED GLASS $18-$22/mo. + supply fee
Azalea WED .............................................. 6:30-9pm
Bay Vista TUE ............................................ 6-8:30pm
Roberts/Adult MON ...................................... 10am-Noon

WATERCOLOR $18-$25/mo.
Color theory, values and sketching.
Azalea MON .............................................. 9:30-Noon
Bay Vista TUE ............................................ 1:30-4pm
Roberts/Adult TUE ....................................... 1-3pm
Shore Acres WED ......................................... 7-8pm

WOODCARVING $17/mo.
Whittling to wood sculpting.
Azalea TUE beginner/advanced .......................... Noon-2:30pm

Performing Arts
COMEDY WORKSHOP $36/mo.
Roberts/Adult TUE ........................................ 7:30-8:30pm

Clubs/Socials
LUNCH AROUND $3 + lunch
Enjoy lunch at a different and exciting restaurant monthly.
Roberts/Adult (must preregister) 1st TUE .......... 11:15am

WALKING CLUB Free (reg. card)
Roberts/Adult MON ...................................... 10am
Wildwood ................................................. 6am and 5pm daily

follow us on www.twitter.com @stpeterrec
Comedy Workshop $25/mo.
Roberts/Adult TUE ........................................ 7:30-8:30pm

Creative Writing $36/mo.
Roberts/Adult THUR ........................................ 6:30-8pm

Writing Tutorial $36/mo.
Roberts/Adult THUR ........................................ 6-7pm

Fitness $10-$96/mo. or $1-10/day
Azalea MON/TUE/WED Exercise Club ................. 9-10am
MON/WED Chair Aerobics ................................ 10-11am
Bay Vista WED Yoga ...................................... 6:15-7:15pm
TUE/THUR Exercise Experience ....................... 9-10am
MON/WED/FRI Walking/seasonal ........................ 8am-9am
WED Yoga ..................................................... 6:15-7:15pm
Lake Vista MON/WED Danielcise ...................... 6-7pm
MON/TUE/WED/THUR Pops Pump .................... 8:30-9:30am
Pops $3/day TUE/THUR Stretch ....................... 9-10am
WED/THUR Loose as a Goose .......................... 10:15-11:15am
Pops/Adult
MON/WED Hatha Yoga ................................. 6-7pm or 7:15-8:15pm
MON/WED/FRI Yoga ........................................ 9-10am
Pops/Adult TUE Yoga ..................................... 8-9pm
Wildwood (Pops Pump) TUE/WED/THUR .......... 7-8pm
Pops/Adult MON/WED/THUR Boot Camp ........... 5:30-6:30pm
WED/THUR Stretch ......................................... 9-10am
TUE/THUR Loose as a Goose ......................... 10:15-11:15am
Pops/Adult TUE Yoga ..................................... 8-9pm
Wildwood (Pops Pump) TUE/WED/THUR .......... 7-8pm
Pops/Adult MON/WED/THUR Boot Camp ........... 5:30-6:30pm
WED/THUR Stretch ......................................... 9-10am
Turbo Kick to Fitness THUR ......................... 7-8pm

Tennis See page 22 for listing. Lessons available.

Dance/Exercise $20-35/mo.
Bay Vista TUE/THUR Caribbean aerobics ............... 6:15-7:15pm
Gladden Park Life Enrichment Dance MON ........ 6:45-7:45pm
MON Tea Dance ............................................. 12:45-2:45pm
WED Yoga ...................................................... 10-11am
WED Piloxing ............................................... 6-7pm
J.W. Cate TUE $20/mo. .................................... 10:30-11:30am
Shore Acres TUE $50/10wks ............................ 8-9pm
Pops/Adult MON belly dance ........................... 1-2pm
TUE jazz ....................................................... 7-8pm
TUE swing/ballroom ...................................... 8-9pm
WED ballet beginner ...................................... 7-8pm

Ballet Dance $35-44/mo.
Pops/Adult WED intermediate .......................... 6-7pm
WED ballet beginner ...................................... 7:30-8:30pm

Line Dance
Bay Vista TUE/THUR ....................................... 5-6pm
Pops/Adult TUE beginner ............................... 11:15am-12:15pm
Pops/Adult TUE beginner THUR beginner ........... 7:30-8pm
TUE easy/intermediate .................................. 6-7pm
Wildwood THUR ............................................. 6-7pm

Community
Community Gardens Azalea .............................. $20/hr-6/mo.

Bartlett Park Neighborhood Assn.
Frank Pierce 2nd THUR .................................... 6-7:30pm

Campbell Park Neighborhood Assn.
4th THUR of the month ................................... 7:30pm

Educational
Safe AARP Driving Course
Roberts/Adult 2nd & 3rd MON 9am-Noon ................ pay AARP

Walter Fuller Center club TUE Free .................. 6:30-8:30pm

Chess
Walter Fuller Center club TUE Free .................. 6:30-8:30pm

Cribbage $1/day
Forget how? Learn under free and gentle tutelage.
Roberts/Adult THUR ......................................... 1-3pm

Poker $1/day
Roberts/Adult dealers choice MON .................... 1-3-30pm

Scrabble Social $1/day
Roberts/Adult FRI .......................................... 9-11:30am
ZUMBA AEROBICS $20-35/mo. or $4-10/class
Azalea THUR ...................................................... 6-7pm
J.W. Cate THUR .................................................... 6-7pm
Roberts WED ...................................................... 6-7pm
Walter Fuller TUE .................................................. 6-7pm
SAT .................................................................... 9:30-10:30am
Willis S. Johns FRI .................................................. 6-7pm
MON .................................................................... 6:15-7:15pm
TUE ..................................................................... 7-8pm

Music
GUITAR group lessons $25-45/mo.
Roberts/Adult WED private ........................................ by appt.
J.W. Cate group ....................................................... 6-7pm
Walter Fuller ............................................................ by appt.

KEYBOARD $35/mo.
Bay Vista THUR private ........................................... by appt.
Roberts/Adult FRI private .......................................... by appt.

PIANO $35-50/mo. private 1/2 hr class
Azalea MON/TUE .................................................... by appt.
Bay Vista THUR ........................................................ by appt.
Roberts/Adult TUE/FRI ............................................. by appt.

VOICE $45/mo. Learn breathing, pitch & projection.
Roberts/Adult MON private ...................................... by appt.

Languages
CHINESE, MANDARIN $30/mo.
Roberts/Adult WED .................................................. 6-7pm
FRENCH $20-30/mo.
Azalea THUR beginner .............................................. 5:30-6:30pm
Bay Vista WED intermediate .................................... 6-7pm
Roberts/Adult TUE beginner ..................................... 4:30-5:30pm
GERMAN Roberts/Adult MON private ..................... by appt.
WED .................................................................... 6-7pm
Shore Acres TUE ...................................................... 7-8pm
ITALIAN Roberts/Adult TUE ................................... 6:30-7:30pm
Azalea THUR beginner ............................................. 6:30-7:30pm
Shore Acres TUE ...................................................... 7-8pm
PORTUGUESE $24/mo.
Roberts/Adult TUE beginner .................................. 8-9pm
TUE intermediate .................................................... 7-8pm
SPANISH $20 - $45/mo.
Azalea THUR beginner ............................................. 7:30-8:30pm
Bay Vista WED intermediate .................................... 4-5pm
WED beginner ............................................................ 5-6pm
Roberts/Adult TUE beginner .................................. 2:30-3:30pm
TUE advanced/beginner ........................................... 3:30-4:30pm
TUE intermediate .................................................... 5:30-6:30pm
Shore Acres FRI $45/mo. ........................................... 6:15-7:30pm

PRIVATE TUTORING French, Spanish or Chinese $15/lesson
Roberts/Adult TUE .................................................. by appt.

Martial Arts
KINNEY KARATE $25-$40/mo.
Emphasis on fitness & self-improvement
Azalea MON/WED ................................................... 6-7pm
Bay Vista WED beginner/intermediate .................. 5-6pm
Gladden Park MON/WED ....................................... 7-8pm
Lake Vista MON ..................................................... 7-8pm
J.W. Cate MON ....................................................... 7-8pm
Roberts MON/WED beginner ................................ 6-8pm
Shore Acres MON/WED .......................................... 8-9pm
Willis S. Johns TUE/THUR ...................................... 8-9pm

FERKILE'S TAE KWON DO $45-$52/mo.
Campbell Park TUE/FRI .......................................... 6-8pm
Walter Fuller MON/WED ....................................... 7-8pm
Shore Acres advanced TUE/THUR/FRI .................. 6:30-7:30pm
J.W. Cate SAT .......................................................... 8:30-9:30am

TAI CHI $12-$25/mo. or $4-7/class
Azalea WED beginner ............................................. 7-8pm
Bay Vista TUE ....................................................... 7:30-8:30pm
Roberts/Adult THUR .............................................. 6:30-7:30pm

JAPANESE SWORDSMANSHIP $30
Willis S. Johns FRI .................................................. 7-8:30pm

YOSHU KAI KARATE $24/mo.
Willis S. Johns MON/THUR .................................... 7:30-9pm
SAT ............................................................... 12:30-2pm

Activity times, days and fees are subject to change.
Office on Aging/Sunshine Center
330 5th Street North • 727-893-7101

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS 727-896-5197 by appt

LIONS CLUB SIGHT CLINIC - 727-893-7152
MON/WED/THUR/FRI.......................... 8:30-11am
Referrals for eye examinations and glasses for those eligible.

MEALS ON WHEELS 727-893-7136
MON-FRI................................. 9am-Noon

NEIGHBORLY ADULT CARE - 727-289-5040
Supervised respite and adult day care. Call for rates and info.
MON-FRI........................................ 8:30am-4:30pm

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Agency Services:

AARP FOUNDATION - 727-552-1835
MON-FRI by appt. .................................. 9am-2pm
Employment and job training for low income seniors

AARP MATURE DRIVING $14
Seniors learn ways to improve driving habits & techniques.
Call for registration 727-893-7101
2nd TUE/WED ........................................ 9am-1pm

ACUPUNCTURE - Relieve back pain, arthritis and senior type ailments. Donations accepted. ....................... FRI 9 am

CELL PHONE DISTRIBUTION AND DONATIONS
Cell phone donations help seniors get free phones for 911 emergency calls or seniors obtain phones. 727-893-7102

COMMUNITY LAW PROGRAM Free
First FRI .................................................... 9-11am
Stetson law students and the Community Law Program, helping seniors solve legal problems.

INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE
AARP Volunteers (trained by the IRS) assist with income tax returns on a first come first served basis.
Feb. 11-April 15 Fri. .................................. 9am-12:30pm

NOTARY SERVICES 727-893-7102 MON-FRI ...... by appt.

SENIORS VS. CRIME Florida Attorney General’s Volunteers.
727-552-1807 or 727-552-1808 MON/THUR....... 9–1pm

S.H.I.N.E. COUNSELING 727-893-7102
Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders. Provide help understanding the medical paperwork process. Medicare, Medicaid, HMO’s, and others. FRI by appt ... 9am-3:30pm

SHUFFLEBOARD CLUB - Mirror Lake Recreation Complex
70 courts for club, district, state & national tournaments.
Membership $20/yr. 727-822-2083
Ongoing MON- FRI ........................................ 9am-2pm
FRI Night Open Shuffle........................................ 7pm

SPIFFS St. Petersburg International Folk Fair Society
727-552-1896. Non-profit organization of member ethnic groups. MON-FRI ......................... 9am-4pm

ST. PETERSBURG LAWN BOWLING CLUB
Try this challenging game on historic courts. Lessons. Free.
MON/FRI, Oct. - May................................. 9am-Noon

SUNCOAST CENTER FOR COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH
Professional counseling for those experiencing personal interpersonal problems, bereavement, losses, retirement adjustment, self-esteem, or family problems. 727-893-7107
MON/WED/FRI ...................................... 8:30– 4pm

Hours of Operation:
MON-FRI 8:30 4pm • SAT-SUN CLOSED
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Classes & Activities:
BILLIARD ROOM Free MON-FRI ............................ 9:30–4pm

BASIC FITNESS Free Exercise with the support of a chair.
MON-FRI .......................................................... 9:30–10:15am

BINGO - Shuffleboard Hall MON ......................... 10am-Noon

BRIDGE Intro to duplicate bridge
MON/WED Free ................................................ Noon–1:30pm

THE BUZZ Free. Discussion group with mental health counselor. Today’s issues in a relaxed atmosphere. Good brain activity. THUR .................................................. 10:30-11:30am

CHORUS – Free Sept - May 727-893-7622
To join this Adult Chorus TUE ................................. 10am

COUNTRY CLASSICS BAND Free.
Live band. Old time country classics, audience interaction.
FRI & Every 3rd WED ........................................... 1pm–3pm

CREATIVE WRITING Free Oct. - April THUR ....... 10:30am

CRIBBAGE $1/day THUR ...................................... 10–Noon

COMPUTER CENTER - From open computer lab to classes. Learn basic skills and beyond. Topics range from internet use, Word, and email. Call 727-893-7101 to register for classes.
MON - FRI 8:30am–4pm

DAILY PROGRAM Free. Speakers, programs to entertain and educate. MON-FRI ........................................... 1pm

DANCE - Mindful Moves $20/mo.
Experience movement, flexibility and creativity. WED 1-2pm

DAY TRIPS, price varies - 727-893-7074
Local and far-away overnight trips, all at affordable prices.

DRAMA GROUP Free OCT-APRIL MON ............ 10:30am
Any level of experienced actors needed. Practice a variety of techniques and put on a show!

DUPLICATE SOCIAL BRIDGE $2 Oct. - April THUR.. 10am

KIDS & KUBS SOFTBALL ¾ Century – 75 years old & +
727-893-7108. MON/WED/FRI ............................. 9–Noon

KNIT & CROCHET “SOCIAL” Free
OCT-APRIL THUR ........................................... 10:30–11:30am

PAINTING WORKSHOP Free. Exchange techniques with oils, pastels & acrylics. FRI ............................... 9:30–11:30am

SILVER SCREEN MOVIES Free
Old and recently released movies shown on 72” flat screen, hi-def TV with surround sound or in our popular movie theater style auditorium. Various days ....................... 1–3:30pm

SILVER STARS KARAOKE - Auditorium – anyone can star at this musical program. Sing to video/audio with words projected on screen. Days vary ......................... 1-3pm

EXCEL WITH EXERCISE Free. Aerobic, 2-mile walking program with stretchy bands. TUE/WED/THUR ........... 2:30pm

TABLE TENNIS - ping pong Free. MON - FRI ..... 9am–3pm
TAI CHI $12/mo or $4/class FRI 8:30-9:30 am
All levels - balance, stretch, and good mental health.

Wii GAMES Free
MON / TUE open bowling 10:30am–Noon
WED bowling league – players wanted 10:30am–Noon

YOGA $16/mo. or $5/class
TUE Pelican Room 11am-Noon

SUNSHINE CENTER RENTAL rates vary
Auditorium and meeting rooms fully equipped with state of the art technology, including satellite conferences, surround sound, and more. Large and small conference and meeting rooms, ballroom in a historical setting. 727-893-7074

GREENHOUSE
Plants are sold and proceeds purchase new start-up plants and supplies. MON-FRI 9am-2pm

CHOLESTEROL SCREENING 727-893-7102
Comprehensive monthly cholesterol screening. Fast the night before. Followed by free blood pressure check. Cost $15 2nd FRI 8:30-10:30am

INFORMATION & REFERRAL 727-893-7102
2nd Floor - Assisting senior citizens in finding social service agencies which can best meet their needs.
Year round MON-FRI 9am-3:30pm

SUNSET AVENUE CAFÉ
Full affordable menu. Check out our specials.
MON-FRI 8:30am-2:30pm

MEDICAL EDUCATIONAL LECTURES Free
Guest speaker TUE and 2ND WED of month 1pm

Meetings
COMMISSION ON AGING Pelican Room
Community leaders address aging issues in our community. Work to improve quality of life for older residents. Open to the public. Monthly, 4th WED 3-4:30pm

FRIENDS OF THE SUNSHINE CENTER, INC.
Small Conference Room - Advisory board to the Sunshine Center. Mostly volunteers. Hold fundraisers for Center.
2nd THUR 11am

SPIFFS – General Assembly 727-551-1896
4th TUE 7:30pm

Special Events
THANKSGIVING DINNER
Langer Hall – Courtyard open at 10:30am for ticketholders. Traditional Thanksgiving dinner served at Noon. For details call 893-7101. THUR Nov. 24, 2011 Noon-2pm

HOLIDAY DINNER - Companionship and delicious catered holiday meal. Goodie bag and maybe a visit from St. Nick! Dec. 25 serving dinner at Noon 11am-2pm

HEALTH FAIRS
Variety of health screening, health providers, valuable info. 1st Friday in November & last Friday in May 9am-Noon
At Your Leisure…

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Music Fest by the Bay
Every Sunday afternoon 1:00-4:00 p.m. featuring a different live band each week

Quarterly Classic Auto, Bike & Truck Shows

Tropical Zumba
Wed 6:30-7:30 p.m. and Fri 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Latin Rhythm Social
Fridays 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. $5 per person

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