

Patton Park

Summer Park Program

2020

Hamilton-Wenham



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REGISTRATON OPENS MARCH 2nd

IMPORTANT PARK INFORMATION

CONTACT INFORMATION

Recreation Office (prior to start of Program): 978-468-2178

Patton Park Summer Program Office: 978-626-5271

Patton Park Summer Program Email: summer.pattonpark@gmail.com

LOCATION

The Summer Park Program will be held at Patton Park in Hamilton. We will be utilizing the tennis courts, basketball courts, playground, baseball diamonds, gazebo, and the Swimming Pool.

PATTON PARK SUMMER PROGRAM OFFICE HOURS

Recreation Department Staff will be available at the pool office from 8am – 9am, during the days of the program for any summer park program office needs

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

If heavy rain and/or severe weather is forecasted participants will be notified in the morning and the park program will be held at two locations. The Tiny Tanks and Little Generals program will be held at The Community House (284 Bay Road, Hamilton) all other groups will have the program at the Recreation Center (16 Union Street, Hamilton) In the instance that sever weather strikes while the program is at Patton Park, children will be escorted across the street to the Community House and/or the Winthrop School for shelter

NUT FREE

The Patton Park Summer Park Program is completely nut free.

SWIMMING POOL ACCESS

Each group will have a minimum of 30 minutes of swim time each day. Swim time could increase based upon weather or specially planned activities. As part of the park registration fee the Tiny Tanks & Little Generals groups will receive instructional/structured swim. ALL other groups will have free swim during their scheduled swim time. If your child does not wish to swim they must stay with their group, staff will plan activities accordingly during the period. In order to swim in the deep end participants must pass a swim test administered by a lifeguard. Anyone who fails the swim test or chooses not to take it must swim in the shallow end or kiddie area. Based upon your child's swimming ability the lifeguards may require that the child stay only in the kiddie area, where his/her feet can touch the bottom of the pool. Life jackets are available though participants may bring a personal flotation device if they wish.

FIELD TRIPS

The All Stars and Jr. All stars will be going on weekly field trips, permission slips will be provided at the start of the week and be due before the field trip is set to leave. PLEASE NOTE, the field trips will extend the day beyond 1:15. Some field trips have the potential to return as late as 4:30-5pm. All Field Trips are on the Thursday of each week (unless otherwise noted)

PARENT MANUAL

All Parents/Guardians will receive a parent manual prior to the start of the program. The manual will provide parent with contact information, drop off and pick up locations, daily schedules, and all other pertinent information regarding the program.

WHAT TO BRING

Participants should bring a lunch, snack, bathing suit, towel, flotation device (if needed) tennis racket, sun tan lotion and plenty of water.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration can be made online at www.hwrecreation.com. Non-Refundable deposits of \$25 per session can be made with all balances being due by June 1st. Payment can be made in the form of credit card or check. No cash payments will be accepted. Checks can be made out to: Town of Hamilton.

PARK GROUPS

TINY TANKS

This program will be geared to our younger participants and feature age appropriate games and activities. All participants will receive Instructional swim during their swimming time.

GRADE ENTERING:	Pre-K		
TIME:	8:45am - 1:30pm		
DURATION:	8 weekly sessions		
COST:	\$92 for Session 1	\$115 for Session 2-8	\$840 All 8 Sessions

LITTLE GENERALS

The Little Generals program provides supervised, safe, and fun programming for children. It is our goal for each child to create great park memories by providing an active outlet for both physical and social needs. Participants will engage in activities such as arts & crafts, swimming, tennis, sports, playground time and weekly special events and themes. Little General participants receive swim lessons (3 days week) as part of their park day. Participants should bring a snack, lunch, tennis racket, bathing suit and plenty of water.

GRADE ENTERING:	K		
TIME:	8:45am - 1:30pm		
DURATION:	8 weekly sessions		
COST:	\$87 for Session 1	\$108 for Session 2-8	\$789 All 8 Sessions

FROG CATCHERS

This program incorporates sports & games, arts & crafts, swimming, tennis and more into a day of laughing, friends, and memories. Children enjoy open swim, flotation devices will be made available at the pool if needed.

GRADE ENTERING:	1 st		
TIME:	8:45am - 1:30pm		
DURATION:	8 weekly sessions		
COST:	\$87 for Session 1	\$108 for Session 2-8	\$789 All 8 Sessions

SWAMP DUCKS

This program incorporates sports & games, arts & crafts, swimming, tennis and more into a day of laughing, friends, and memories. Children enjoy open swim, flotation devices will be made available at the pool if needed.

GRADE ENTERING:	2 nd		
TIME:	8:45am - 1:30pm		
DURATION:	8 weekly sessions		
COST:	\$87 for Session 1	\$108 for Session 2-8	\$789 All 8 Sessions

YOUNG EXPLORERS

Let kids be kids! This program incorporates sports & games, arts & crafts, playground play, open swim, tennis and more into a day of laughing, friends and memories. Participants should bring a snack, lunch, tennis racket bathing suit and plenty of water.

GRADE ENTERING:	3 rd		
TIME:	8:45am - 1:30pm		
DURATION:	8 weekly sessions		
COST:	\$87 for Session 1	\$108 for Session 2-8	\$789 All 8 Sessions

JR. ALL STARS 4th GRADE

The Jr. All -Stars program incorporates all the fun of the regular program but adds age appropriate field trips and activities each week. Participants will get at least 30 minutes of free swim time each day; all participants must pass a swim test to swim in the deep end. Participants should bring a snack, lunch, tennis racket, bathing suit and plenty of water. Children receive a Summer Park Program T-Shirt.

GRADE ENTERING: 4th
TIME: 8:45am - 1:30pm
DURATION: 8 weekly sessions
COST: \$107 for Session 1 \$134 for Session 2-8 \$978 All 8 Sessions

JR. ALL STARS 5th GRADE

The Jr. All -Stars program incorporates all the fun of the regular program but adds age appropriate field trips and activities each week. Participants will get at least 30 minutes of free swim time each day; all participants must pass a swim test to swim in the deep end. Participants should bring a snack, lunch, tennis racket, bathing suit and plenty of water. Children receive a Summer Park Program T-Shirt.

GRADE ENTERING: 5th
TIME: 8:45am - 1:30pm
DURATION: 8 weekly sessions
COST: \$107 for Session 1 \$134 for Session 2-8 \$978 All 8 Sessions

ALL STARS

Getting too old for Patton Park? Try the Patton Park ALL-STARS program. We will be going on one field trip each session to someplace where the older kids can really have a great time! Each child gets their own Summer Park Program T-Shirt. Participants will get at least 30 minutes of free swim time each day; all participants must pass a swim test to swim in the deep end. Participants should bring a snack, lunch, tennis racket, bathing suit and plenty of water.

GRADE ENTERING: 6th & 7th
TIME: 8:45am - 1:30pm
DURATION: 8 weekly sessions
COST: \$107 for Session 1 \$134 for Session 2-8 \$978 All 8 Sessions

BEFORE AND AFTER PARK PROGRAMS

EARLY MORNING DROP OFF

Staff will be available to supervise your children starting at 8am. There will be one organized activity per morning leading up to the Park Program.

AGES: 5-12
TIME: 8:00am - 8:45am
DURATION: 8 weekly sessions
COST: \$25 for sessions 1 \$20 for Session 2

PM PARKSTERS

Looking for something to do between 1:15 and 3:30 pm this summer? Come join P.M. Parksters! Each afternoon will be divided into two activity periods and one games period. Each P.M. Parkster will be provided a snack each day. The program allows families to have activities planned for their children from 9:00am - 3:30 pm Monday thru Friday.

AGES: 5-12
TIME: 1:15pm - 3:30pm
DURATION: 8 weekly sessions*
COST: \$60 Session 1 \$48 Session 2 \$400 for all 8 sessions

NEW in 2020! THE COMMUNITY HOUSE AFTER CARE*

The fun continues after the park at The Community House! Register for The Kids Community's NEW summer aftercare program, 3:30-6pm daily (TCH and HW Rec will coordinate the transition- no need to worry about transportation). Staffed by familiar TKC staff, tuition includes snack.

Contact Tracey Sacco, Program Director, for more info (tracey@communityhouse.org, 978-468-4818 x14)

Summer TKC After-Park Pricing =

\$100 for 5 days
\$85 for 4 days
\$75 for 3 days
\$50 for 2 days

PARK THEMES AND SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

SESSION 1 - JUNE 29TH – JULY 2ND (NO PROGRAM 7/3)

Holiday Week: Welcome to the Patton Park Summer Program! As the kick off week, we will be celebrating some of our favorite Holidays On "dress day" come to the park dressed up in your best Halloween costume for our first ever Patton Park Summer Program Trunk of Treat!

SESSION 2 – JULY 6TH – JULY 10TH

Super Hero Week: We will have themed games and crafts to accompany our favorite Super Heroes! On the "dress day" come to the park dress as your favorite super hero and take on an inflatable obstacle course.

SESSION 3 – JULY 13TH – JULY 17TH

Sports Week: This week we will have different sports and challenges during tennis, swimming, and art and crafts. On the "dress day" come to the park wearing your favorite teams gear!. We will have some guest visitors to challenge the participants with various games and activities.

SESSION 4 - JULY 20TH – JULY 24TH

Carnival Week: This week we will be hosting the Patton Park Summer Penny Carnival including all of our favorite carnival games and activities. We may even have a dunk tank so the parksters can dunk their favorite counselors!

SESSION 5 - JULY 27TH – JULY 31ST

Animal Week: We will learn about different animals around the world, while playing games and activities with animal themes. Curious Creatures will be stopping by for a live animal show!

SESSION 6 - AUGUST 3RD – AUGUST 7TH

Water Week: Cool off this week with plenty of water games and a dip in the pool. On one of the days we will have a large inflatable water slide to help us beat the heat!

SESSION 7 - AUGUST 10TH – AUGUST 14TH

Science and Magic Week: Put on your lab coat as we explore different science experiments, theories and myths. Get ready for a wacky week of icky, sticky, silly stuff created by you! We will end the week with a Magic Show!

SESSION 8 - AUGUST 17TH – AUGUST 21ST

Color Wars: Make sure you bring your talent with you this week. All week long we will be listening to music and singing songs. Children will also be treated to an end of the summer make-your-own-sundae party!

FIELD TRIPS (ALL STARS & JR. ALL STARS)

SESSION 1: THURSDAY, JULY 2ND – LASER CRAZE, WOBURN, MA

Participants will engage in one 4-game session of laser tag as well as receive tokens for the arcade room. A waiver form from laser craze is needed to participate; information on this will be sent at the start of the program.

<https://www.lasercraze.us/directions-woburn/>

SESSION 2: THURSDAY, JULY 9TH –BOSTON PIZZA TOURS, BOSTON, MA

Participants will explore Boston's oldest neighborhood, which today is affectionately known as Little Italy. Walk in the footsteps of Paul Revere and Samuel Adams as you Experience FIVE different Freedom Trail sites! Along the way, we'll mix-in slices from some of Boston's very best Pizzerias.

<https://www.bostonpizzatours.com/>

SESSION 3: WEDNESDAY, JULY 15TH – LOWELL SPINNERS GAME, LOWELL MA

Participants will be bussed to the Lowell Spinners "Camp Day" game which starts at 11am. All children attending will also receive a food voucher. Student/camper ratio will be 5:1).

www.lowellspinners.com

SESSION 4: THURSDAY, JULY 23RD – CANOBIE LAKE PARK, SALEM NH

Participants will be broken into smaller groups (5:1 student to counselor ratio) and explore all the park has to offer

<http://www.canobie.com/>

SESSION 5: THURSDAY, JULY 30TH – FRANKLIN PARK ZOO, BOSTON, MA

Participants will visit the zoo where they will meet hundreds of exotic animals from all around the world!

<https://www.zoonewengland.org/franklin-park-zoo/>

SESSION 6: THURSDAY, AUGUST 6TH – WATER COUNTRY, PORTSMOUTH, NH

Participants will be broken into smaller groups (5:1 student to counselor ratio) and explore all the park has to offer.

<https://www.watercountry.com/>

SESSION 7: THURSDAY, AUGUST 13TH – TAKE FLIGHT ADVENTURE AERIAL PARK, KITTERY, ME

Participants will engage in Take Flight's adventure course which has over 65 different elements.

<https://takeflightadv.com/>

SESSION 8: THURSDAY, AUGUST 20TH – KIMBALL FARMS, WESTFORD, MA

Participants will engage in 2 of the following activities (TBD): Mini Golf, Batting Cage, Bumper Boats, Driving Range, Driving range or Bumper Boats. Children will also receive an ice cream.

<http://kimballfarm.com/westford/>

TEEN TRIPS & COUNSELOR IN TRAINING

TEEN TRIPS (GRADES ENTERING 7TH, 8TH, & 9TH)

TUESDAY, JULY 7TH – BREAKOUT GAMES: WOBURN, MA

Participants will need to work together to “escape” one of many rooms that Breakout Games has to offer. After, we will head to a local pizza joint for lunch.

Bus Departs @ 9:30am

<https://breakoutgames.com/boston/bookings/woburn>

TUESDAY, JULY 21st – FUNTOWN SPLASHTOWN: SACO, ME

Participants will be able to explore both the water park and ride park which is sure to be a fun filled day.

Bus Departs @ 8:00am

<https://www.funtownsplashtownusa.com/>

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4TH – APEX ENTERTAINMENT: MARLBOROUGH, MA

Participants will get 1 hour of bowling, 30 minutes of arcade and a choice of one of the following: laser tag, ropes course or bumper cars.

Bus Departs @ 9:00am

<https://www.apexentertainment.com/>

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11TH – TAKE FLIGHT: KITTERY, ME

Participants will engage in Take Flight’s adventure course which has over 65 different elements.

<https://takeflightadv.com/>

Bus Departs @ 8:45am

C.I.T.

The CIT program is an educational program, with a curriculum designed to develop the people and technical skills necessary to be an effective camp counselor.

AGE:	13 - 15
TIME:	8:45am - 1:30pm
DURATION:	Two 4 week sessions
COST:	\$50 per session

C.I.T. & TEEN TRIPS

C.I.T.’S who wish to attend the teen field trips may do so by registering for this program. Trips are included in the total price and are discounted. Only trips within the session are included.

Session 1: \$140

Session 2: \$150