

Scottsdale Parks and Recreation Update | Dec. 2016

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Upcoming Events

Holiday Hours & Closures

Please check our comprehensive list of park, pool, community center and trail closures this holiday season.

Happy Holidays!

Activity Registration

7 a.m.

Dec. 5 - Scottsdale Residents

Dec. 6 - Non Residents

Holiday Lights

6:30 - 9 p.m.

Dec. 9 - Jan. 1

(Closed Dec. 24, 25 and 31)

McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park,
7301 E. Indian Bend Road

Spring Activity Registration Starts Dec. 5



Now is the perfect time to sign up for one of our Tennis, Swimming, Art, Dance, Majong or other classes! We have a wide variety of activities for the entire family. Registration starts Dec. 5 at 7 a.m. for Scottsdale residents and Dec. 6 at 7 a.m. for non-residents.

Our program guide can be [found on our website](#), or you can use our [online registration system](#) to search for the class you want.

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Dec. 5 for Scottsdale residents

Dec. 6 for non-residents

Visit Recreation.ScottsdaleAZ.gov or call 480-312-7957 for details.

Holiday Lights at the Railroad Park



The McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park lights up Scottsdale with one of the most unique holiday event in the Valley. Take a ride on the Paradise & Pacific Railroad through a winter wonderland of lights and displays. Opening night festivities on Dec. 9 include live music, a tree lighting ceremony and a visit from Santa, who is at the park nightly through Dec. 23.

Train rides on the Paradise & Pacific Railroad are \$4 and rides on the Charros Carousel are \$2. Children two and under ride free with a paying adult.

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'Long Course' Swimming at Cactus Pool



Cactus Aquatic Center is hosting winter break “long course” swimming sessions Dec. 17-31. Long courses are defined as 50-meter long lanes. Cactus Pool has 8 long course lanes. According to Swimming World magazine, swimming long course creates endurance and builds toughness.

Long course is popular, so check Cactus Pool's schedule for lane availability by visiting www.ScottsdaleAZ.gov and searching “Cactus Pool.”

New Playgrounds at Indian School Park



The playgrounds at Indian School Park are now open for you and your family to enjoy! There are two new play areas: one for those aged 2-5; and one for ages 5 - 12. The tree-house themed structures include slides, climbing walls, interactive play panels and even a piano keyboard! There are two new swing structures as well, one has bucket swings for tots and the other has belt swings for the older kids to enjoy.

We hope you can come to Indian School Park soon to experience the fun!

Indian School Park
4289 N. Hayden Road

We hope you are enjoying Scottsdale Parks & Recreation Newsletter. Please forward this to someone who may wish to know about the many free and low-cost recreation opportunities we have available through the City of Scottsdale. Have something you'd like to share with us? Suggestions and comments are always welcome, we'd love to hear from you, please contact Ann Porter, aporter@ScottsdaleAZ.gov.



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