



# EYE ON KIRKWOOD

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## GET YOUR POOL PASSES IN APRIL BEFORE THE LONG LINES FORM!

The Kirkwood Recreation Station Aquatic Center will open for the season on Saturday, May 28. The Aquatic Center offers a multitude of activities and instruction for everyone. Enjoy five different bodies of water, each with its own attraction. The Competition Pool allows for lap swimming, diving, and free play. The Family Play Pool is designed for kids and their families, with interactive water play features, beach entry, water playground, and kid-sized slide. For older swimmers, try one of the two water slides, the open air Cannonball Express or the enclosed Runaway Freight Train. Patrons can also lounge on an underwater couch in the Leisure Pool, or float on a tube in the Lazy River. Swim and dive lessons, water aerobics, swim and dive team and much more can be a part of your summer at the Kirkwood Aquatic Center.

### Hours of operation for this summer will be:

May 28 through August 15: Weekdays, Noon to 7:30 p.m. Weekends, 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Memorial Day and Fourth of July: 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

End of Season Hours, August 16 through September 5: Weekdays (Competition pool, family pool, and slides open, half price admission): 4:00 to 7:30 p.m. Weekends (all pools open): 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Labor Day, September 5: 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

### Daily Admission:

Residents: \$5/youth (4-17)\*, \$5/adult (18+), \$4/senior (65+).

Nonresidents (and their guests)\*\*: \$8 for youth, adults, and seniors.

Resident 10-Admission Card: \$45/youth, \$45/adults, \$36/seniors

Nonresident 10-Admission Card: \$72 for youth, adults, and seniors

### Season Passes (Picture ID Card Included in Price):

Resident: \$80/youth; \$95/adult; \$80/senior; \$210/family of 3\*\*\*; \$75/nanny pass

Nonresident: \$120/youth; \$145/adult; \$120/senior; \$315/family of 3\*\*\*; \$115/nanny pass

\*Children 3 and under are free when accompanied by a paid adult. Swimmers under 12 must be accompanied by a responsible person age 15 or older.

\*\*Nonresidents may enter the facility as a guest of a resident or by purchasing a nonresident season pass or nonresident ID card.

\*\*\*Each additional family member: resident/\$20; nonresident/\$30

**Need more information?  
visit [KirkwoodMo.org/Pool](http://KirkwoodMo.org/Pool)  
or call 314-822-5855**



### D Cards Required for Everyone 4 and Older

Resident and nonresident ID cards are available at the Community Center front desk during normal business hours. The cost is: \$5/residents and \$30/nonresidents, both for originals and replacements. Resident ID cards are good for three years from issue date, and nonresident ID cards are valid until the end of each pool season. In order to obtain an ID card, each purchaser 16 and over must present a valid and current Missouri Driver's License showing residential address and a current utility bill (gas, water, electric or phone), bank statement, or voter ID card, issued to his/her home address within the last three months. Purchasers age 15 and under must be accompanied by a person living at the same address who can present the documents listed above. Everyone 4 and older must have an ID card.

### Other Summer Programming:

**Early Morning Lap Swim.** Get your laps in early. Monday thru Friday, May 31 thru August 26, 6:00 to 7:30 a.m. Residents/\$60; nonresidents/\$85. Free for season pass holders.

**Tot Time.** Kids age 5 and under can get on board during this special time for preschoolers in the family play pool. Parents: Bring your ID card, and your child gets into this session for \$2.50, while you get in for free. Nonresident admission is \$4 for tot time (no ID required). Monday thru Friday, May 31 thru August 15, 10:15 to 11:45 a.m.

**NEW! Lifeguard in Training.** Ages 10 to 15. This specialty program trains 'twens and young teens in water rescue and other life skills to prepare them for future employment as lifeguards. Teaching points include water safety, leadership, and personal responsibility. Daily activities include a workout, skill practice, rescue-themed games, and discussion. This class meets Monday through Friday 10 a.m. - 12 noon. Each camper must demonstrate independent swimming and treading ability

on first day of camp. Post-program volunteer opportunities available. Includes junior membership in the United States Lifesaving Association. For additional information, visit [www.backyard-lifeguards.com](http://www.backyard-lifeguards.com). Three sessions: June 6 to 17; June 20 to July 1; July 11 to 22. \$180 per session.

**NEW! Stand-Up Paddleboard Fitness.** Enjoy an interval-style workout, but while standing on a paddleboard. Curls, squats, chest press, planks, abs, even burpees – with active rest between sets. May include duck walking in the pool, prone paddling, or seated kicks, depending on energy of class. STRICT MAXIMUM due to equipment, so sign up early. (Not included in the 10-class punch card.) Meets on Mondays and Wednesdays, 9:00 to 10:15 a.m. Two sessions available. Demo Class (June 6 and 8) session cost: \$26/residents, \$28/nonresidents. Regular class cost (June 13 to July 20): \$156/residents; \$182/nonresidents. Class facilitated by SUP St. Louis.

### Walk the Lazy River with the River Walk Club!

River Walk Club participants walk against the current in the Lazy River. Fee includes unlimited sessions at any of the following times (no class July 4):

Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, 9:00-10:00 a.m., June 1 thru August 26

Tuesdays/Thursdays, 7:40 to 8:40 p.m., May 31 thru August 25

Saturdays, 8:45 to 9:45 a.m., June 4 thru August 27

Full season cost: \$69/residents; \$93/nonresidents.

10-Admission ALL FITNESS Card: \$45/residents; \$55/nonresidents.

### Rent the Pool!

All or part of the Aquatic Center is available for rental after public hours and programs have ended and up until 11:00 p.m. Price is based on size of group and pool being reserved. For more information call 822-5859.

### Swimming Instructors Needed!

We are currently seeking responsible and energetic individuals to teach swim classes and private lessons. Mornings, evenings, and weekend shifts. For more information, contact Kyle at 314-822-5856 or [Henkekk@kirkwoodmo.org](mailto:Henkekk@kirkwoodmo.org).

### Courtney Shupe Scholarship Program

The program is designed to assist young people age 17 and under, whose families or households face economic challenges, in enjoying the program and facilities of the Kirkwood Aquatic Center. This includes swim and dive lessons and season passes. Call 822-5856 for more details.

For information on water polo classes and swim and dive lessons, including classifications, times, and costs, please visit [www.kirkwoodmo.org/pool](http://www.kirkwoodmo.org/pool).

## TAKE A WALK ON THE WILD SIDE: SPRING NATURE WALKS

**Saturday, April 2:** Spring Wildflower Walk. Join us for the annual Spring Wildflower Walk at Emmenegger Nature Park, 11991 Stonewood, 10:00 a.m. Meet at the trailhead kiosk by the creek. Rain or shine. Bring notebook or camera if desired. Easy-to-moderate difficulty on unpaved trails. Free. All ages.

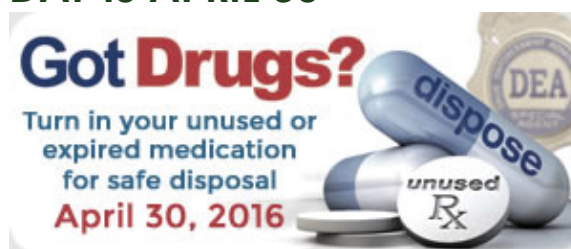
**Saturday, April 16:** "Exploring the Riverfront." Join local naturalist John Christensen for a nature hike along the Meramec River to see what the floods have done and look for signs of recovery. Emmenegger Nature Park, 11991

Stonewood, 10:00 a.m. Meet at trailhead kiosk by creek. Unpaved trail. Possibly muddy conditions. Appropriate footwear recommended. Free. All ages.

**Saturday, April 30:** "The Hidden World in Plain Sight." Join us for a fascinating look at the insects and other creatures that are always around us, yet rarely noticed. Emmenegger Nature Park, 11991 Stonewood, 10:00 a.m. Meet at trailhead kiosk by creek. Rain or shine. Bring notebook or camera if desired. Easy-to-moderate difficulty on unpaved trails. Free. All ages.

## DRUG TAKE-BACK DAY IS APRIL 30

The Kirkwood Police Department will sponsor another Drug Take-Back Day and collection event on Saturday, April 30, 2016, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., at the Police Department, 131. West Madison. Remember: If you cannot make that date, a drug collection box is accessible at the Police Department, in the lobby, 24/7 for anonymous drop-off of prescription and OTC drugs.



### — Kirkwood Meetings Calendar —

- 4/4 Architectural Review Board, 7pm
- 4/6 Planning/Zoning Commission, 7pm
- 4/7 City Council 7pm, WS 6pm
- 4/11 Aquatic Advisory, 6:45pm at Community Center
- 4/11 Board of Adjustment, 7pm
- 4/12 Human Rights Commission, 6:30pm
- 4/13 Landmarks Commission, 6:30pm
- 4/14 Council Work Session, 7am
- 4/18 Park Board, 7pm, at Community Center
- 4/18 Architectural Review Board, 7pm
- 4/19 Arts Commission, 5pm
- 4/20 Library Board, 5:30pm, at Library
- 4/20 Planning/Zoning Commission, 7pm
- 4/21 City Council 7pm, WS 6pm
- 4/26 Urban Forestry, 7pm
- 4/27 Greentree Planning Cmte, 7pm, Community Center

Except where noted, meetings are typically held at Kirkwood City Hall, 139 South Kirkwood Road. Please check the Meetings Calendar on the City's Website for agendas, room locations, or any last-minute changes. Meeting agendas are also posted at City Hall.

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**Kirkwood City Council:** Mayor: Arthur J. McDonnell. Council Members: Gerry Biedenstein, Gina M. Jaksetic, Paul Ward, Bob Sears, Nancy Luetzow, Tim Griffin. **Kirkwood Administration:** Chief Administrative Officer: Russell B. Hawes. City Clerk: Betty Montano. To reach the City Clerk or Council, call 822-5802. To reach City offices, call 822-5800 for a list of extensions. The City Council meets on the first and third Thursdays of the month at 7:00 p.m. at Kirkwood City Hall, 139 S. Kirkwood Road. The public is invited to attend. For information about other meetings, City services, and events, visit the City's Website: [www.kirkwoodmo.org](http://www.kirkwoodmo.org).

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