



Winter Programs 2024 - 2025

AJ SMITH REC CENTER

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Inside you will find our winter offerings for youth and adults from December 2024 through March 2025. Check our website or stop by the AJ Smith Rec Center for a building schedule to see what is offered year-round!



Holiday Lock-in

Drop your kids off with us to finish some last minute shopping, wrap presents, or enjoy a night out! We have an evening full of fun planned for kiddos ages 5 through 12!

When: Friday, Dec. 13th, 2024, from 5:30-8 PM
Where: AJ Smith Rec Center
Cost: \$25 non-resident, \$20 city resident first child,
\$10 each additional child
Pizza & pop included!



Kids Creative Workshops

Do you have a child who loves being creative and thinking outside the box? Have them join us for our Kids Creative Workshops where they can sculpt, tinker, and bring a project to life.

When: Dec. 18, Jan. 22, Feb. 19 & Mar. 19, from 6 - 7 PM
Where: AJ Smith Rec Center
Ages: 6 and up
Cost: \$12 non-resident, \$10 city resident





Youth Bowling

Tecumseh Parks and Recreation partners with Ten Pin Bowling Alley to offer a 9-week bowling league. Participants are placed on teams of four by the staff at Ten Pin Alley; please note on the registration if there is someone you would like your child placed with. Kids will bowl two games each week. Does not meet Feb. 15.

Saturdays, January 4 - March 8
Time: 12 Noon - 1:30 PM
Where: Ten Pin Bowling Alley, 5621 S. Occidental Hwy
Ages: 5 - 14 year olds
Cost: \$100 includes t-shirt, shoe rental, use of house ball
Register by January 4

Sports 4 Squirts

Each 30-minute session will cover a new sport, where parents and kids play together. Equipment needed: Clean tennis shoes, shin guards for soccer, and a big smile!

When: January 7, 8, & 9, from 5:30 - 6 PM
Where: AJ Smith Rec Center
Ages: 3 & 4 year olds
Cost: \$25 non-resident, \$20 city resident

Register by December 28



Tot Time

Join us for Tot Time where we gather to make friends, get creative, and play! We meet the first and third Thursday of every month at the AJ Smith Rec Center.

Dates: Jan. - 2nd & 16th
Feb. - 6th & 20th
Mar. - 6th & 20th
Time: 10 - 11 AM
Ages: 0-4 (with caregiver)
Cost: \$1 per child



Girls Lacrosse

Learn to play in this intro with Coach Lindsey Chase.
Sticks available to borrow.
Best for grades 5th-8th.

Wednesday, January 22
Time: 6:45 - 8 PM
Cost: \$20 non-resident, \$15 city resident



Youth Floor Hockey

This winter favorite is back! We will work on skills and scrimmage each session. Join the fun!
Shin guards required. Pre-registration is required.

Tuesdays, Jan. 14 - Feb. 4
5-7 year olds 5:30 - 6:15 PM
Cost: \$35 non-resident, \$30 city resident

Tuesdays, Jan. 14 - Feb. 4
8-11 year olds 6:40 - 7:40 PM
Cost: \$40 non-resident, \$35 city resident



1st & 2nd Grade Basketball - Session 2

Participants will learn the basics of basketball. Each session will consist of a short practice followed by a scrimmage. Teams are led by a parent volunteer coach. Co-ed program. A t-shirt and their own age appropriate size basketball will be provided for every participant.

Wednesdays, January 15 - February 5
6 - 7:15 PM

Cost: \$60 non-resident, \$50 city resident



Soccer Foot Skills

Grades 1st - 4th from 6 - 6:45 PM
Feb. 11, 18, 25 (Tues. only)
Cost: \$25 non-resident, \$20 city resident

Grades 5th - 8th from 6 - 7 PM
Feb. 12, 19, 26 (Wed. only)
Cost: \$35 non-resident, \$30 city resident





Kids Canvas & Cocoa

Create a seasonal masterpiece on a 12"x16" canvas and enjoy some hot cocoa with friends! Best for ages 7 - 12.

Wednesday, February 12, from 6 - 7 PM
Cost: \$15 per participant

Family Candle Light Hike

Follow the lights along the trails at Indian Crossing Trails to read a story while enjoying a cup of hot chocolate.

5:30 PM hike best for children and families
(Hike for adults see pg. 7)

When: Friday, February 7, from 5:30 - 6:15 PM
Where: Indian Crossing Trails (703 E. Chicago Blvd.)
Cost: \$5 per person



Daughter Day

Celebrate daughters at Ten Pin Bowling Alley for a fun afternoon of glow bowl! Ball, shoes, games, pizza, and drink included!

When: February 15
Time: 12:30 - 2:30 PM
Cost: \$50 non-resident couple,
\$45 city resident couple,
\$15 per additional daughter

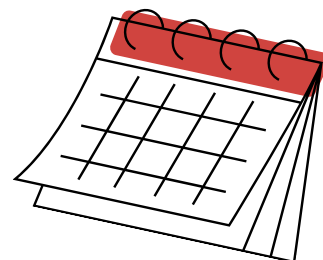
Chess Camp

Kids will learn the game and strategies from chess coach John Smalec. They will then test their skills and play against each other. Grades K - 12.

When: March 25, 26, & 27, from 9 AM - Noon
Where: AJ Smith Rec Center
Cost: \$35 non-resident, \$30 city resident

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events:

- Mom/Son Dodgeball: March 1, 2025
- Spring Craft & Vendor Show: March 15, 2025
- Animal Therapy Workshop: April 5, 2025



To register call 517-423-5602 or online at
<https://tecumsehparksandrec.recdesk.com/Community/Program>

ADULT SPORTS



Volleyball Leagues

Two leagues this winter! Recreational league and competitive league for those looking for faster play. All leagues are co-ed, 4v4. Limit 6 teams per league. 2 females & 2 males on the court at all times. Roster up to 8 players.

Sundays, Jan. 12 through Feb. 23
(no games February 9)

Recreational 1 - 5 PM, Competitive 5 - 9 PM
\$150 per team

Drop-in Basketball



Drop-in and play.
Ages 30 and up.
AJ Smith Rec Center
Tuesdays, 7 - 9 PM

\$5 non-resident,
\$4 city resident

Drop-in Pickleball



Mon: 10 AM - 12 PM
& 7 PM - 9 PM
Wed: 10 AM - 12 PM
Fri: 10 AM - 12 PM

\$4 non-resident,
\$3 city resident

Cornhole League

Teams of two will play 4 weeks of league play with double elimination tournament on week 5.

Two matches a night guaranteed.
Maximum of 10 teams.

Wednesdays, 7 - 8:30 PM

January 29 through February 26

Cost: \$55 non-resident team, \$45 city resident team



PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS



Coffee with a Naturalist

Pull up a chair and grab a cup of coffee for this natural discussion series. Each session we'll explore different ecological topics connected to our Great Lakes home.

Tuesdays 10-11 AM at AJ Smith Rec Center

January 7 & 21

February 4 & 18

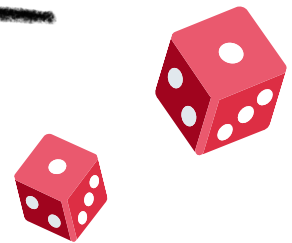
March 4 & 18

\$3 non-resident, \$2 city resident



Adult Game Night

Beat the winter blues!
Friday, March 28th, 7 - 9PM



Dog Classes

This 6-week class teaches dogs and their owners the first steps for training behaviors with positive reinforcement.

Puppy Class: 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Companion Dog 1: 7:45 - 8:45 PM

Tuesdays, February 4th - March 11th

Cost: \$150, \$140 city residents



Adult Art Class

Want to learn more about art but don't know where to start? Join us for our new monthly class!

Tuesdays, 1 - 2 PM

January 28 - Acrylic Painting

February 25 - Drawing

March 18 - 3D Art

\$6 non-resident, \$5 city resident



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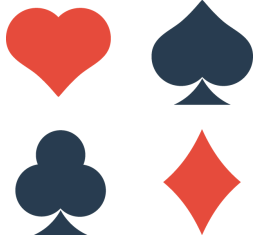


Adult Canvas & Cocoa

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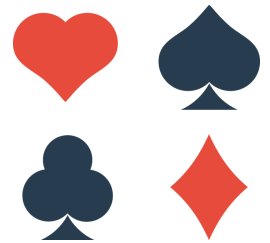
Cost: \$20 per participant



Euchre Tournament

Don't pass on a bower - or this tournament! Best for ages 18+.

More details coming soon!



Also at the AJ Smith Rec Center:

Jazzercise
Cardio Drumming
Fitness is Ageless
Turn Up Dance Fitness

Open Gym
Adult Walking
Line Dancing
Adult Shoot Around

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