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Dive Into Something New this Summer

Summer is the perfect time to get adventurous and try something new, and the [Summer 2018 Tempe Opportunities Brochure](#) is filled with lots of great opportunities.

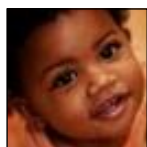
Dive in and you'll find everything from swim lessons and youth sports to health and fitness classes, boating programs to summer camps and special interest activities. It's easy to keep your family active and engaged this summer with a wide range of recreational and educational.

Classes and camps begin the first week in June, and programs are offered to people of all ages and abilities. Registration is now open and youth scholarships are available to help offset the cost of certain programs.

Visit one of the recreational facilities around the city for more information.



CHECK OUT SUMMER PROGRAMS FOR ALL AGES



Tots

Tempe offers a variety of great programs designed to help tots ages 0-5 years develop social, motor and cognitive skills. Little ones will familiarize themselves with colors and shapes in *Little Crafters*, get messy in *Little Painters* or listen to a story in *Little Readers*. Check out pages 6–10 of the brochure for more classes.



Youth

Youth ages 5-12 years can improve their aim, focus and concentration in *Archery 101*. Ballers will improve their offense and defense skills and learn teamwork in *Youth Hoops*. Adventurers can explore fun destinations in the Valley with the Project Quest Summer Trips from the Escalante Community Center. More programs are available on pages 11 – 18 of the brochure.



Teens

Want to learn to juggle? Tackle this new challenge in *JuggleMania*. Learn knot-tying and methods of belaying in *Rock Climbing* or simply drop in and work on your sewing project in *Create It Sewing*. The Teen Summer Adventure Series at Escalante includes pool parties, bowling, trampolines and more. Pages 19–22 of the brochure are filled with other great opportunities for Teens.

SUMMER PROGRAMS FOR ALL AGES (CONTINUED)



Adult

Whether you're looking for a head-to-toe workout, or just want to relax and reinvigorate your body, Tempe has exciting new exercise classes to get you active and feeling strong. Get pumped up with *MixedFit* or tone it down with *Restorative Yoga*.

No matter your interest or skill-level, there is a class for everyone. See pages 30-40 of the brochure for options.



Adult 50+

Adults 50+ can participate in drop-in Zumba classes and a variety of yoga classes. Be sure to check out other great programs featured in the brochure as well, including

painting and technology basics. More options are available on pages 41-47.



Adapted

Friday night social activities are held the first two Fridays of the month for individuals with disabilities age 13 and older. Activities include karaoke, movies, games and the Fabulous Friday Social

Dances. More information is available on pages 48-50.



Aquatics

Cool off this summer and enroll in an aquatics program with the City of Tempe! Quality swim lessons for all ages and abilities are offered at both Kiwanis and Escalante swimming pools. Be sure to

check out swimming pool activities and water fitness programs on pages 51-59 of the brochure.



Camps

Tempe's variety of summer camps allow kids to experience art, theater, sports, science, engineering, technology, foreign languages, field trips and much more – all while having fun!

From full-day recreational camps to focused summer programs, there's something for everyone this summer. Visit www.tempe.gov/SummerCamps for more details.

Registration for any class, camp or program can be completed online at www.tempe.gov/brochure, by mail or in person at most Tempe community centers. For more information, call 480.350.5200.



BEAT THE HEAT IN TEMPE THIS SUMMER

With summer quickly approaching and temperatures starting to rise, we've got six ways to help you and your family stay cool and beat the heat in Tempe! Visit www.tempe.gov/pools for more information.

Neighborhood Splash Pads

Tempe offers three neighborhood splash pads filled with play equipment, water buckets and spray features. Perfect for families and young children to run around and cool off, splash pads can be found at Esquer, Hudson and Jaycee parks. Children should always be watched by an adult while enjoying a neighborhood splash pad. No life-guards or attendants are on duty. Admission is free. Splash pads are open daily from 9 a.m.–9 p.m.



Escalante Pool

The Escalante Pool opens for the season on Saturday, May 26 and features six lanes for lap swimming and a zero-depth entry play pool with play equipment and two slides. Admission is 75 cents for youth ages 6-17 and \$1.25 for adults ages 18 and older. Children ages five years and younger are free. Hours of operation starting May 26 are 1-5 p.m., Saturday -Thursday, and 1-7 p.m. on Fridays.



Coming Soon - Kiwanis Park Splash Playground

The Kiwanis Splash Playground is almost complete and slated to open this summer. It will be Tempe's largest water park amenity. More details to come.

Kiwanis Wave Pool

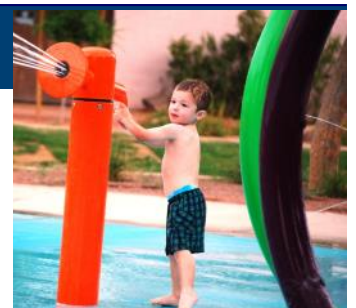
The Kiwanis Wave Pool is an indoor heated pool featuring 3' waves in varying patterns. It has six lanes for lap swimming, zero-depth entry and a 127' long and 15' tall double spiral water slide and splashdown pool. Admission is \$5 for youth ages 2-12 and \$7 for ages 13 and older. Waves are currently rolling from 1–5 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays through May 20. Starting May 26, the wave pool will be open daily.

McClintock Pool

The newly renovated McClintock Pool opens for the season on Saturday, May 26 with diving boards with lanes for lap swimming. Admission is 75 cents for youth ages 6-17 and \$1.25 for adults ages 18 and older. Children ages five years and younger are free. Hours of operation starting May 26 are 6-9 p.m., Saturday -Thursday for recreation swim and 6-9 a.m., Monday - Thursday for lap swim.

HELP CHOOSE SPLASH PLAY FOR MCCLINTOCK POOL

The City of Tempe will offer even more ways to cool down next summer with the addition of a splash play area at McClintock Pool. The new amenity will replace the former "kiddie" pool. Please [click here](#) to provide input on the types of water features you'd like to play in. The survey is open through May 10.



MOVIES IN THE PARK RETURNS ON FRIDAY EVENINGS THIS MONTH

Pack a picnic dinner, grab a blanket, round-up the gang and head over to Kiwanis Park to watch a great family-friendly movie under the stars. Tempe's free movie series, [Movies in the Park](#), returns on Friday evenings in May.

Presented by the City of Tempe and the [Tempe Diablos](#), the movies series is currently in its 41st season and has some fantastic movies scheduled, including:



- May 4** **Coco (PG)**
- May 11** **The Emoji Movie (PG)**
- May 18** **Despicable Me 3 (G)**

Movies begin at dusk, approximately 7 p.m. on the north soccer fields at [Kiwanis Park](#), Baseline Rd. and Ash Ave.

YOUTH PADDLING EXPO

Looking for a new adventure for your child? How about one that includes dragon boats, SUPs and kayaks?

Be sure to join us from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 19 for the [Youth Paddling Expo](#) at Tempe Town Lake.

The fun spring splash is a great way to introduce youth ages 10 years and older to new water activities, as they will have the opportunity to try paddling in kayaks, dragon boats and stand-up paddleboards (SUP). No experience is necessary. The fee is \$15 and registration and be completed at www.tempe.gov/brochure.



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH AVAILABLE THIS SUMMER



Looking to get involved and make new friends this summer?

Join Tempe's Summer Youth Volunteer Program. Opportunities are available for students in middle school, high school and college during June and July.

Volunteers help in a wide variety of programs, including Adapted Recreation, Arts and Culture camps, Junior Lifeguards, Summer Reading, Tempe Time Machine and more! Visit www.tempe.gov/volunteer for more details.



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