

# HURON

## PARKS & RECREATION



## Recreation Guide 2019

*Creating Community through People, Parks & Programs!*

# Community Events



## **Breakfast with the Easter Bunny**

**Sat., April 13**

**8:00 am - 12:00 pm**

**First Presbyterian Church**

Pancake Breakfast provided by the Lions Club.  
Cash donations appreciated, for the Huron  
Food Pantry.

**10:00 am - Magic Show**  
during Breakfast

## **1:00 pm - Egg Hunt**

Egg Hunt with the Bunny  
at the Huron Boat Basin,  
ages 2-8.

Canned food donations for the Huron Food  
Pantry also appreciated.

**First Federal Farmer's Market**  
**Every Thursday, July 18**  
**through October 17**  
**3:30 - 6:30 pm**  
**Huron Boat Basin**

Enjoy fresh, healthy produce from quality  
vendors and support our local growers!  
We are proud to have First Federal Savings of  
Lorain sponsor this event again in 2019.



**Spring City Wide Garage Sale**  
**Sat., June 1st**  
**9 am - 2 pm**  
**Huron Boat Basin**  
\$14/space

**Fun shopping, unique finds!**

Sorry - no food or drink sales are permitted at  
the Community Garages Sale.



**Pumpkin Festival**  
**Sat., October 12**  
**11:00 am - 5:00 pm**  
**Huron Boat Basin**

Great family festival with something for everyone! Enjoy games, entertainment, food, kids' crafts, petting zoo and more!

**Don't miss the Pumpkin Drop at 2:30 pm!!**



**Huron Winter Fest**  
**with Santa & Mrs. Claus**  
**Sat., December 7th**  
**2:00 - 7:00 pm**  
**6:00 pm Fireworks**  
**Huron Boat Basin**



Join Santa, Mrs. Claus at the Huron Boat Basin to celebrate the Season! Don't miss the horse-drawn Carriage rides! Free Admission. Inside the Boat Basin Marina building, check-out the "Warm Hands from Young Hearts" tree decorated with children hats and gloves (In keeping with the season, items are donated to those in-need). We encourage you to add your donations (new items only) to the tree!

Be sure to allow time to explore Main Street to check-out the expanded activities sponsored by local businesses and the Chamber of Commerce ... including crafts, children entertainment and much more! Schedule and details will be posted on the Chamber's website, on the city's website ([cityofhuron.org](http://cityofhuron.org)) and on our Facebook Page. This is a NEW, growing event so exciting details to come!



*Follow us on Facebook!*



# Youth Summer Camps



## Safety Town

**June 10-13 & June 17-20**

(One two-week program,  
Monday-Thursday both weeks)

**9:00 - 11:30 am**

**Shawnee Elementary School**

**\$45 Residents / \$50 Non Residents**

Open to children entering Kindergarten in the fall. Registration Deadline: June 6. Safety Town Registration form must be completed with payment. Participants registered by the deadline will receive Safety Town T-shirts.

The 8-day planned curriculum program incorporates classroom activities and presentations to help familiarize children with the school setting while learning important safety lessons.

## Safety Town "Extended" Camp

Extended Safety Town Fun until 2:30 pm!  
This program is open to kids enrolled in Safety Town

**Week 1 June 10 - 13**

**Mon - Thurs. / 11:30am - 3:00pm**

**Week 2 June 17 - 20**

**Mon - Thurs. / 11:30am - 3:00pm**

**Cost: \$45 Residents /**

**\$50 Non-Residents (per week)**

- Held at Shawnee Elementary School immediately following Safety Town.
- Pack a lunch - Fun planned activities with arts, crafts, indoor and outdoor games! Fun, new activities each week.

 *Follow us on Facebook!*

# Youth Summer Camps

**Junior Explorers Camp**  
**Monday - Friday;**  
**9:00 am to 3:00 pm**  
**Ages: 7-10, Pack a Lunch**  
**Shawnee Elementary School**  
**Cost : \$75 Residents /**  
**\$80 Non Residents**  
**(per child, per week)**

*Sign up for one week or as many as you choose.*

**Every week has NEW, engaging activities!**

Week 1:	Outer Space	July 8-12
Week 2:	Secret Agent	July 15-19
Week 3:	Disney Dreams	July 22-26
Week 4:	Pirate Treasure	July 29 – Aug. 2

These Junior Camps are a great summer break for kids and parents!! They allow the opportunity for kids to interact with other kids their age, make crafts and play games. Each week will be filled with an exciting variety of activities, projects and games.

Parents, this is a great opportunity for you to have your child in a safe, fun environment and allow you the time to complete those daily activities you can't seem to find the time for. Don't forget to pack a lunch for your camper each day!

**Arts & Crafts Camp**  
**June 24-28**  
**Two Age Groups**  
**(see times below)**  
**Shawnee Elementary School**  
**\$60.00 Residents /**  
**\$65.00 Non Residents**

*Supplies and Materials provided.*

**Ages 6-8: 9:30 am – 12:00 pm**  
**Ages 9-12: 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm**

Enjoy arts and craft projects – along with some games; all in the name of fun! A lighthearted Camp for creative young people! Supervised by a certified art teacher.

## Huron Parks & Recreation Department

Phone: 419-433-8487 | Fax: 419-433-0470  
[cityofhuron.org](http://cityofhuron.org)

### 3 Convenient ways to REGISTER



On-line: [cityofhuron.org](http://cityofhuron.org)



Mail-In: 417 Main St., Huron



Drop-Off: 110 Wall St., Huron



# Youth Sports Camps

*When registering your child please use their grade level in the Fall of 2019.*

## **Track Camp**

**June 5-7**

**9:00 - 11:00 am**

**Huron High School**

Ages 6-14

\$50 Residents / \$55 Non Residents

## **Baseball Camp**

**June 10-13**

**9:00 - 11:00 am**

**Fabens Park**

6 – 12 yr. olds

\$65 Residents / \$70 Non Residents

## **Golf Camp**

**June 17-19**

**9:00 - 11:00 am**

**Mudbrook Driving Range**

1st-8th Grade

\$65 Residents / \$70 Non Residents

Please bring your own clubs!

## **Tennis Camp**

**July 8-11**

**9:00 - 10:30 am; 5th-6th grades**

**11:00 - 12:30 pm; 7th-8th grades**

**Fabens Park Tennis Courts**

\$65 Residents / \$70 Non Residents

## **Cheer Camp**

**July 10-12**

**9:00 - 11:00 am**

**Huron High School Stadium**

Grades 1st-6th

\$50 Residents / \$55 Non-Residents

Child must have completed Kindergarten

## **Soccer Camp**

**July 15-18**

**9:00 - 11:00 am**

**McCormick Soccer Complex**

6 yrs.–14 yrs. old

\$65 Residents / \$70 Non-Residents

## **Basketball Camp**

**July 22-25**

**9:30 - 11:30 am; 3rd & 4th Grades**

**12:30 - 2:30 pm; 5th & 6th Grades**

**St. Peter School Gym**

\$65 Residents / \$70 Non Residents

## **Fall Softball & Baseball**

**August 17 – September 29**

**Fabens Park**

Rain Dates: Oct. 5 & 6; Oct. 12 & 13

Baseball on Saturdays; Softball on Sundays

Team Registration Only

**All Sports Camps are led by Huron High School Coaches or former Coaches and assisted by High School Teams.**

*Our thanks to Huron HS Athletics!*



# Swim Lessons

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**\$70. Residents**

**\$80 Non Residents**

**Choose from 3 different sessions!**

**Lessons are held at**

**Huron Lagoons Marina Pool**

**Session I: June 24 - July 3**

**8 classes scheduled; 35 mins. each**

**(6 classes guaranteed)**

**Monday-Friday first week;**

**Monday-Wed. second week**

**8:30-9:05 am                      Ages 6-8**

**9:10-9:45 am                      Ages 4-5**

**9:50-10:25 am                    Ages 6-8**

**10:30-11:05 am                  Ages 4-5**

**Session II: July 8 - July 19**

**10 classes scheduled**

**(8 classes guaranteed)**

**Monday-Friday for two weeks**

**8:25-8:55 am                      Ages 9-11**

**9:00-9:30 am                      Ages 6-8**

**9:35-10:05 am                    Ages 4-5**

**10:10-10:40 am                  Ages 6-8**

**10:45-11:15 am                  Ages 4-5**

**Session III: July 22 - August 2**

**10 classes scheduled**

**(8 classes guaranteed)**

**Monday-Friday for two weeks**

**8:25-8:55 am                      Ages 9-11**

**9:00-9:30 am                      Ages 6-8**

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# Health & Fitness

**Walk your way to Fitness**  
**Monday, Wednesday, Friday**  
**8:00 - 9:00 am**  
**Fabens Park**  
**May 6 - Sept. 20**  
**Free Program**

Even moderate-level activities, like walking, offer many health benefits! So whether this is your first step toward a healthier lifestyle or an addition to your exercise routine, join us to experience the benefits of walking.

**Walking at Woodlands**  
**Mondays - Thursday (only on school days)**  
**6:00 - 7:30 pm**  
**Woodlands Intermediate School**  
**Nov. 4 - April 2020**

Now you can stay fit and continue walking all winter long!! Please contact our office for additional information.

**Beach Yoga**  
**Tuesdays & Thursdays**  
**10:00 - 11:00 am**  
**Lake Front Park**

**Session I: May 21 – June 27**  
**Session II: July 9 – Aug. 15**  
**Session III: Aug. 20 – Sept. 26**  
**(12 classes per session)**

Cost: \$60 Resident / \$65 Non Residents.  
Pre Registration is required.

Enjoy your workout while inspired by the beauty of Lake Front Park! Yoga is excellent for developing flexibility, core strength, muscular strength, balance and stress reduction. Beginners welcome! With Instructor Karen Polvinale. In the event of inclement weather, class will be held at Christ Episcopal Church.

**Fall-Winter Indoor Yoga**  
**Held at the Huron Boat Basin Marina Building, Tuesday Evenings**

Accommodates all skill levels. Beginners Welcome! Schedule typically begins in October. Details and registration information will be published on our website ([cityofhuron.org](http://cityofhuron.org)) or call 419-433-8487.



# Seasonal Programs

## **Fall Ball @ Fabens 2019 Fall Softball & Baseball League**

**BASEBALL on Saturdays**

**8U, 10U, and 12U**

**SOFTBALL on Sundays**

**10U, 12U, 14U and 18U**

**August 17 - September 29, 2019**

**No games on Labor Day weekend**

**Rain Dates: Oct. 5 & 6; Oct. 12 & 13**

**Teams play two games each weekend, weather allowing  
All games held at Andrew L. Fabens Memorial Park**

**TEAM REGISTRATIONS ONLY;** sorry No Individual Registrations.

**TEAM REGISTRATION FORMS** are published by June at [cityofhuron.org](http://cityofhuron.org) – click on Parks & Rec. icon and then choose Fall Ball. Follow us on Facebook for updates. League space is limited. Teams will be registered in the order that the registration form and fee payment are received.

## **Winter – Youth Indoor Soccer Leagues Indoor Soccer @ Shawnee Pre-K through K students, THURSDAY EVENINGS**

**Indoor Soccer @ Woodlands  
Grades 1 through 7,  
SATURDAY LEAGUE**

**January - March 2020**

**Times assigned by grade levels**

Youth Indoor Soccer Program with Huron High School  
Coaches & Players!

Program dates/details are published in the Fall on  
[cityofhuron.org](http://cityofhuron.org) – click on Parks & Rec icon.

Follow-us on Facebook for updates!

Programs have limited spaces – register early!

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# Boppin' on the Basin

July 20

**K96 Summer Jam**  
WKFM.com at 5:00 pm

July 27

**Christmas in July: Rumours**  
A Fleetwood Mac Tribute at 7:30 pm

Aug 3

**The Attraxxion**

All 80's music... high energy Hit Songs at 7:30 pm  
**20th Annual All Classics Festival**  
A celebration of vintage boats & cars. Music, food & fun for the whole family

Aug 10

**SOBOS**

Some of the best Classic Rock of the 70's & 80's at 7:30 pm

Aug 17

**New Decade**

Classic Rock at 7:30 pm

Aug 24

**The Music Room**

Five piece local band playing music from the 50's to the present at 7:30 pm

Aug 31

**Eddie & the Edsels**

Northeast Ohio's #1 Oldies Review at 7:30 pm

Oct 12

**Pumpkin Fest**

Families love this great fall festival from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm

Dec 7

**Winter Fest**

Fireworks 6:00 pm

June 1

**City-wide Garage Sale**  
9:00 am – 2:00 pm  
**Lost State of Franklin**  
Pure "Americana" at 7:30 pm

June 8

**Master TC & the Visitors**  
Rock, Funk and R&B at 7:30 pm

June 15

**Gypsies in the Palace**

Ohio's premier Jimmy Buffet Band at 7:30 pm

June 22

**Sandtown**

Sandusky's own -  
Motown, Oldies and R&B at 7:30 pm

June 28 & 29

**Rotary Fine Arts & Food Truck Festival**

Featuring Hard Candy and Legends of Rock  
huronrotary.org

July 6

**Red, White & Blues Bang**

Featuring The Kingbees at 6:00 pm  
& Rachel Brown and  
the Beatnik Playboys at 8:30 pm  
**Fireworks Saturday at 10:15**

July 12, 13 & 14

**Huron River Fest**

huronriverfest.com  
**Fireworks Friday at 10:15 pm**

*Free Admission thanks to our sponsors!*

**330 N. Main Street • Huron, Ohio 44839**  
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email: boatbasin@cityofhuron.org  
web: cityofhuron.org

# Arts at the Amphitheater

July 14

## Huron River Fest

The region's most popular family event

11:00 am – 6:00 pm

July 21

## Vermilion Community Concert Band

Vermilion's premiere concert band

7:00 pm

*Program details at:  
[cityofhuron.org](http://cityofhuron.org)  
or call 419.433.4848*

July 28

## Pantasia

Music performed on the steel drum, the national instrument of Trinidad and Tobago!

Findlay High School Steel Band

7:00 pm

Aug 4

## Erie County OSU Alumni Band

Go Bucks!

7:00 pm

Aug 11

## WindJammer Big Band

Come on out to enjoy some "Big Band" music and maybe even dance!

7:00 pm

# Movies by the River

July 17 - How to Train Your Dragon

July 24 - The Grinch (2018)

July 31 - The Tigger Movie

Aug 7 - A Wrinkle in Time

Aug 14 - Hotel Transylvania Summer Vacation

*Wednesday Evenings - All movies begin at dusk.*



Huron Boat Basin

# Huron Parks

## **Lake Front Park - N. Center St.**

Scenic views of Lake Erie, the Huron Pier, Cedar Point and the Islands. Features: public beach, playground, gazebo, picnic tables, grills, and restrooms.

## **Nickel Plate Beach - Tiffin Ave., to Nickel Plate Drive**

Large sandy, public beach. Features: picnic shelter, grills, playground, beach volleyball courts, outdoor ping-pong table and cornhole boards (bring your own game supplies). Rentals of kayaks, paddle boards and beach gear. Nickel Plate Beach is dog free from 10am to 6pm daily from Memorial Day through Labor Day.

### **Nickel Plate Beach Parking**

**Parking Fee:** \$6.00 per vehicle daily.

**Season Parking Pass:** \$25 Residents/\$35 Non-Residents

**Huron River Boat Access - Cleveland Rd. (Rt. 6),** at the old ConAgra plant. Free, public boat launching, day parking and restrooms.

**Lake Shore Electric Trail - West end of Jim Campbell Blvd.,** (adjacent to Huron High School Stadium)

This 1.2-mile concrete trail serves walkers, runners and bikers – and is located on the site of the historic Lake Shore Electric Railway route.



Lake Front Park



### **Oklahoma Park - Corner of Wilbor Ave. & Wilder Ave.**

A quaint neighborhood park, offering a playground, picnic shelter with tables and grill, plus a basketball court. No restrooms.

### **Andrew L. Fabens Memorial Park - Adams & Taylor Avenues**

Large athletic park is home to 9 baseball/softball fields, 5 tennis courts, 2 batting cages, a nature trail, playground area, 3 shelters, picnic tables, concession stand, restrooms and a one-mile, paved pedestrian/ biking trail.

### **Mile Long Fishing Pier & Huron Lighthouse - End of N. Main Street**

Remarkable Lake and Lighthouse views; the Huron Pier also features an observation deck.

**Rotary Centennial Park** at the base of the Pier is the place to enjoy a Lake Erie Sunset – while the historical Flemmond’s Landing (Wall St. & N. Main) is the perfect place to observe boat traffic.

## **PARKS FOUNDATION**

The Huron Parks Foundation Fund was established to improve recreational programs and facilities within Huron to enhance the quality of life in our community. The Foundation Fund is a separate account and cannot be used for other purposes. General donations are appreciated, as well as memorial donations (which can include a Memorial Bench or other park amenity).

### **Huron Decal**

(\$5.00 each) revenue is a donation to the Huron Parks Foundation – and a great way to show your community pride!

Please feel free to contact Doug Steinwart at 419-433-4848 (email [doug.steinwart@huronoh.us](mailto:doug.steinwart@huronoh.us)) concerning donations to the Huron Parks Foundation Fund.



# Huron Parks & Recreation

## PEOPLE

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## PARKS

Huron Boat Basin-Amphitheater  
Andrew L. Fabens Memorial Park  
Flemmond's Landing  
Lake Front Park  
Lake Shore Electric Trail  
Huron Lighthouse Pier  
Huron River Public Boat Access  
Nickel Plate Beach  
Oklahoma Park  
Skate Park at McCormick School  
Rotary Centennial Park

## PROGRAMS

- Youth Programs and Sports  
Camps, including Safety Town &  
Summer Camps
- Adult Fitness Programs
- "Boppin on the Basin" and "Arts at  
the Amphitheater"  
Entertainment; "Movies by  
the River"
- Community Programs including  
Farmers Market, City-Wide  
Garage Sale, Breakfast with the  
Easter Bunny and Winter Fest  
with Santa
- Competitive Sport Tournaments

*Creating Community through  
People, Parks, Programs  
and Partnerships!*



# Huron Parks & Recreation

## PARTNERSHIPS

Huron Parks & Recreation serves our community through the partnership of the Huron Joint Recreational District, which is comprised of nine board members, three from each entity – the City of Huron, Huron Township, and the Huron City School District. The Joint Recreational District Board meets January through May and September through December on the first Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm at Huron City Hall. If you are interested in attending a Board meeting, please call 419-433-8487 to be placed on the agenda.



## BOARD MEMBERS

Tim Golling (Chairperson)  
Joe Dike  
Rene' Franklin  
Gordon Hahn  
Jennifer Kilbury  
Jody Mast  
Tom Solberg, Jr.  
Julie Spitzley



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*Check our website this fall for additional seasonal programs*

### **Program Registration**

- Unless otherwise noted, all programs require pre-registration.
- Please register early to avoid cancellation due to low enrollment.
- Payment methods: cash, check, MasterCard & Visa
- Registration forms are available at: [cityofhuron.org](http://cityofhuron.org)

### **Program Registration Options**



**On-line:** [cityofhuron.org](http://cityofhuron.org)



**Mail-In:** 417 Main St., Huron, Ohio 44839



**Drop-Off:** 110 Wall St., Huron, Ohio 44839



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