

Branch Living

Farmers Branch Parks and Recreation Department

Winter 2016-17

December • January • February

Online registration powered
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is coming this winter.

You'll be able to register for an activity
from any computer or mobile device
at any time of the day or night -
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FARMERS
BRANCH

Welcome



OUR MISSION AT THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH IS TO BUILD A VIBRANT, DYNAMIC COMMUNITY THAT CONSISTENTLY SEEKS TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR OUR RESIDENTS.



This is a wonderful time of year to experience all that Farmers Branch has to offer. We start the holiday season Friday, November 25 with our amazing Christmas Tour of Lights that runs through December 30. In addition, our one-of-a-kind Christmas

Tree Lighting Ceremony at the Historical Park is set for Saturday, December 3. Many of our seasonal activities are held indoors, as well. The Community Recreation Center comes alive with holiday music, dance performances, class demonstrations, children's activities, and more at our Christmas Open House event Friday, December 2. The Recreation Center is also hosting Pancakes and Pajamas, Saturday, December 10. If you can't make it to one of our events to visit Santa, let us send Santa to you with our Santa Makes House Calls program!

Our family-friendly activities continue well into the New Year. Our annual Daddy-Daughter Dance is set for Saturday, February 4. This very special event features live music, dancing, refreshments, a keepsake photo for each daddy-daughter couple, and an abundance of magical moments.

On behalf of the Farmers Branch Parks and Recreation Department, I wish you and your family a blessed holiday season.

Merry Christmas!

Jeff Harting, Parks and Recreation Department Director



Farmers Branch City Council 2016-2017

First row (from left) City Manager Charles S. Cox, Mayor Bob Phelps, Deputy Mayor Pro Tem/District 1 Councilmember Ana Reyes. Second row (from left) District 3 Councilmember John Norwood, District 5 Councilmember Mike Bomgardner, District 4 Councilmember Terry Lynne, Mayor Pro Tem/District 2 Councilmember Harold Froehlich.



Special Events

CHRISTMAS TOUR OF LIGHTS

November 25 - December 30 | 6:30-9:30 pm
Farmers Branch Historical Park
\$5 per vehicle suggested donation

The Tour of Lights is a drive-thru animated display that will amaze you with over half a million twinkling lights. You'll travel through a variety of different scenes, each with their own theme, from fantasy to patriotic. There's festive holiday music and the grand finale is our animated show in the Farmers Branch Historical Park with Santa Claus himself. Be sure to add the Christmas Tour of Lights to your holiday schedule. It's sure to be a treasured holiday tradition for your family! All donations will assist local non-profit agencies.



CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

December 2 | 6:30-8:30 pm
Community Recreation Center
Free admission

Enjoy a visit with Santa, crafts, entertainment, strolling carolers, story time with Mrs. Claus, dance recitals, fitness equipment and class demonstrations, and refreshments.

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING

Saturday, December 3 | 4-8 pm
Farmers Branch Historical Park
Free Admission

Celebrate the season with the annual Farmers Branch Christmas Tree Lighting. Sit on Santa's Lap, slide down a real snow tubing hill and warm up with free hot chocolate and holiday treats. The lighting of the city along with the holiday fireworks finale will begin promptly at 7:30 pm.



SANTA MAKES HOUSE CALLS

December 14-24 | 6:30-9 pm
\$25 Member/\$29 Non-member

Santa will visit your home to deliver gifts to your children (gifts provided in advance by parents). Visits are 15 minutes long and Santa enters through the front door. Timeslots range from 6:30-9:00 pm. Limited to five-mile radius of Farmers Branch Community Recreation Center. Resident reservations begin November 1. Non-resident reservations begin November 25. Please call 972.247.4607 to reserve your timeslot.



PANCAKES AND PAJAMAS

December 10 | 9-11 am
Community Recreation Center
\$3 Member/\$5 Non-member

Register by December 10.

Join us for a pancake bar, holiday craft, visit with Santa, and more. Wear your PJs!

DADDY DAUGHTER DANCE

February 4, 2017 | 6-8 pm
Community Recreation Center
Advance tickets (through February 3)

\$5/Resident per person and \$8/Non-resident per person
\$15/person at the door

Dads and their daughters are in for a magical night! Please be our guest, be our guest as we dance the night away, enjoy refreshments, and receive a keepsake photo with our special attendees. All ages welcome. Dads and daughters only.

Historical Park

972.406.0184

CHRISTMAS TOUR OF THE STRUCTURES

You and your guests are invited to experience Christmas in the Historical Park. The tour will showcase holiday decorations and traditions of the past.

Saturday, December 3

(tours begin at the flagpole)

Saturday, December 10

(tours begin at the flagpole)

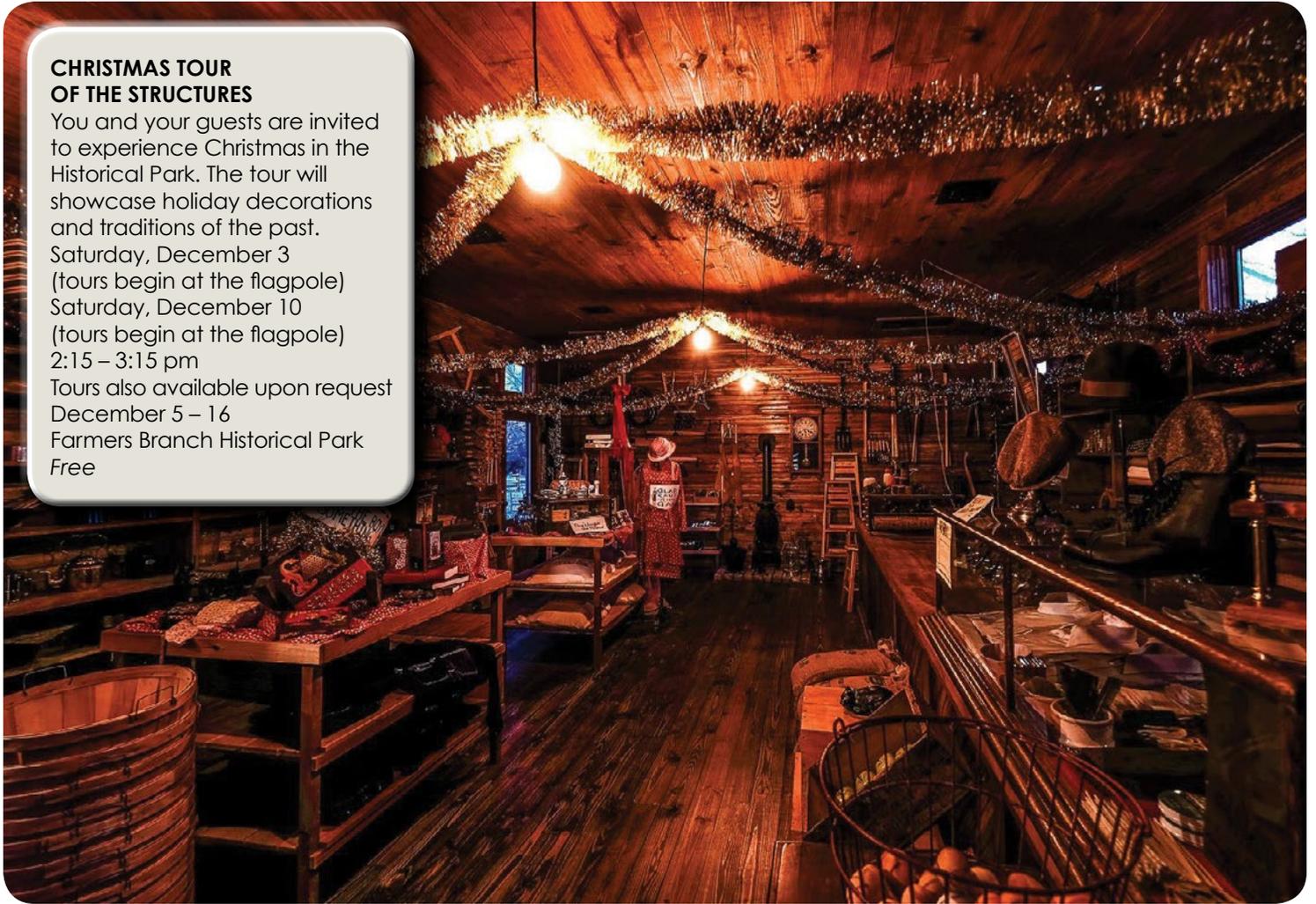
2:15 – 3:15 pm

Tours also available upon request

December 5 – 16

Farmers Branch Historical Park

Free



Bird Counting 101

part of the Great Backyard Bird Count

Saturday, February 18 • 8-10 AM • Farmers Branch Historical Park

RSVP: 972.406.0184

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18

8:00 – 10:00 am

Bird Walk: Bird Counting 101

Join the Farmers Branch Historical Park and Audubon Texas for an all ages Bird Walk. In addition to exploring the Historical Park and related areas, examining bird species and habitats, the Bird Walk will also include counting for the Great Backyard Bird Count, an annual event which helps to map the

distribution and abundance of birds across the world. The Great Backyard Bird Count is February 17-20, 2017. (Learn more here: <http://gbbc.birdcount.org>). Bird enthusiasts of all ages and experience levels are encouraged to join us.

Guests are invited to bring binoculars, but discouraged from bringing pets. Limited space available. RSVP required, call 972.406.0184 or email historicalpark@farmersbranchtx.gov.

FARMERS BRANCH Community Recreation Center

14050 Heartside Place
Farmers Branch, Texas 75234
972.247.4607
www.fbreccenter.com

Facility Hours

Monday – Friday	6 am - 9 pm
Saturday	7 am - 5 pm
Sunday	1 pm - 4 pm

Holiday Hours

December 23	6 am - 5 pm
December 24-25	Closed
December 26	6 am - 5 pm
December 31	7 am - 5 pm
January 1	Closed
January 2	6 am - 5 pm

FARMERS BRANCH Senior Center

14055 Dennis Lane
Farmers Branch, Texas 75234
972.919.8740
www.fbseniorcenter.com

Facility Hours

Monday – Wednesday	8 am - 8:45 pm
Thursday-Friday	8 am - 5 pm
1st, 3rd, & 5th Saturday	1 pm - 5 pm
2nd & 4th Saturday	1 pm - 9:30 pm

Holiday Hours

December 24-25	Closed
December 26	8 am - 5 pm
December 31	8 am - 5 pm
January 1	Closed
January 2	8 am - 5 pm

FARMERS BRANCH Historical Park

2540 Farmers Branch Lane
Farmers Branch, Texas 75234
972.406.0184
www.fbhistoricalpark.com

Facility Hours

Monday – Friday	8 am - 6 pm
Saturday - Sunday	12 pm - 6 pm

Holiday Hours

December 24-25	Closed
December 26	8 am - 5 pm
December 31	12 pm - 5 pm
January 1	Closed
January 2	8 am - 5 pm

FARMERS BRANCH Manske Library

13613 Webb Chapel Road
Farmers Branch, Texas 75234
972.247.2511
www.farmersbranchlibrary.org

Facility Hours

Monday – Thursday	10 am - 9 pm
Friday - Saturday	10 am - 6 pm
Sunday	1 pm - 5 pm

Holiday Hours

December 24-25	Closed
December 31	10 am - 12 pm
January 1	Closed

FARMERS BRANCH Aquatics Center

14032 Heartside Place
Farmers Branch, Texas 75234
972.919.8720
www.fbh2o.com

Facility Hours -

Margaret Young Natatorium

Monday – Thursday	6 am - 8 pm
Friday	6 am - 5 pm
Saturday	7 am - 5 pm
Sunday	1 pm - 4 pm

Holiday Hours -

Margaret Young Natatorium

December 23	6 am - 5 pm
December 24-25	Closed
December 26	6 am - 5 pm
December 31	7 am - 5 pm
January 1	Closed
January 2	6 am - 5 pm



Memberships, Passes, and Fees

FARMERS BRANCH Community Recreation Center

RESIDENT BASIC MEMBERSHIP

\$10 per individual/annual

\$30 per family/annual

RESIDENT FITNESS MEMBERSHIP

\$15 per individual/recurring monthly draft*

\$30 per family/recurring monthly draft*

CORPORATE BASIC MEMBERSHIP

Must work in Farmers Branch

\$25 per individual/annual

\$40 per family/annual

CORPORATE FITNESS MEMBERSHIP

Must work in Farmers Branch

\$20.45 per individual/recurring monthly draft*

\$34 per family/recurring monthly draft*

NON-RESIDENT BASIC MEMBERSHIP

\$30 per individual/annual

\$45 per family/annual

NON-RESIDENT FITNESS MEMBERSHIPS

\$22.50 per individual/recurring monthly draft*

\$37.92 per family/recurring monthly draft*

BASIC MEMBERSHIP includes access to the indoor walking/running track, basketball courts. Age restrictions apply.

FITNESS MEMBERSHIP includes the basic membership amenities, access to the fitness equipment, and flex fitness classes. Age restrictions apply.

*Credit/debit cards or bank draft only. The prorated first month fee is due when registering. May also pay in full annually.

Aquatics family memberships are valid for up to four immediate family members, each additional family member is \$10 for residents and \$15 for non-residents. Immediate family members are defined as adult couples and their dependent children under 18 years of age; exception for full-time college students up to and including 22 years of age. Residency is based on the address listed on a Texas State issued ID or Drivers License.

FARMERS BRANCH Aquatics Center

MARGARET YOUNG NATATORIUM

RESIDENT DAILY FEES

Free 2 years and under

\$3 per resident 3 years and up

NON-RESIDENT DAILY FEES

Free 2 years and under

\$5 per non-resident 3 years and up

RESIDENT MEMBERSHIPS

\$7.50 per individual/recurring monthly draft*

\$15 per family/recurring monthly draft*

\$50 per individual Senior (50+)/annual

NON-RESIDENT MEMBERSHIPS

\$10 per individual/recurring monthly draft*

\$20 per family/recurring monthly draft*

Ask staff about Aquatics and Community Recreation Center combination memberships for residents.

FARMERS BRANCH Senior Center

There is no membership fee or residency requirement. Facility users are required to complete a liability waiver and update contact information annually. Some programs, classes, and events require payment. Individuals 50 years and over are eligible to utilize the facility and participate in programs and classes.

General Information

Class Registration

Youth class registration begins November 1 for December, January, and February classes for residents and members. Non-residents who are non-members may register for classes one week prior to the start of each session.

Adult class registration begins November 1 for December, January, and February classes for all patrons.

Class Fees and Dates

All class fees are based on a four week session per month unless otherwise noted. Classes affected by holidays and other conflicts may be prorated by the instructor or a front desk staff member for details.

Cash, checks, Diner's Club, Discover, Mastercard, and Visa, are accepted as forms of payment.

Class Policies

Only registered participants may enter the activity area. Pre-registration is required for all classes. The enrollment minimum must be met for a class to make. Refunds are available only before a class has started and with approval. To request a refund, contact 972.247.4607. A credit may be issued in place of a refund.

Financial Assistance

Financial assistance is available to qualifying Farmers Branch residents. See staff for information on how to qualify. A maximum of \$100 per child (up to age 18), per fiscal year (October - September) may be received. Financial assistance is limited to one class per session, per child. Payment of 50 percent of class fee is due at time of registration. Ask about financial assistance for supplies as well!



The Parks and Recreation Department is proud to announce that the Community Recreation Center and Margaret Young Natatorium are now participating SilverSneakers facilities! If you're wondering what that means and how you may benefit from SilverSneakers, read the FAQs below.

What is SilverSneakers?

The SilverSneakers Fitness® program is a fun, energizing program that helps older adults take greater control of their health by encouraging physical activity and offering social events.

What do SilverSneakers Members receive at the Farmers Branch Community Recreation Center and Aquatics Center?

SilverSneakers Members receive a free annual fitness membership to the Recreation Center and free access to the Center's Flex Fitness classes. SilverSneakers Members also receive a free annual membership to the Margaret Young Natatorium. For more information, please **call 972.247.4607** for the Recreation Center or **972.919.8720** for the Aquatics Center.

Does my health plan offer SilverSneakers?

Many leading health plans offer SilverSneakers to their members. To determine if your plan has SilverSneakers or if you need additional info about SilverSneakers, please visit **www.silversneakers.com** or **call 1.866.584.7389**.

Community Recreation Center

972.247.4607

YOUTH

Holiday Craze: 2016-2017 School Year

Holiday Craze is a recreational day-camp program operated by the Farmers Branch Parks and Recreation Department. Holiday Craze is open to children ages 6-12 years. The program meets from 7:30 am – 6 pm at the Farmers Branch Community Recreation Center on all non-federal school holidays in the Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD. This winter we can look forward to our annual Christmas Tea Party for the girls, pizza and flag football party for the boys, weekly field trips, on-site entertainment, and much more. Registration for the winter and spring sessions is currently underway.

Summer Funshine Program

Summer Funshine is a recreational day camp program for children 6-12 (as of June 2, 2017). The program meets June 2-August 18 at the Farmers Branch Community Recreation Center Monday through Friday from 7:30 am to 6 pm. Activities include field trips, swimming, character development, community service, arts and crafts, educational classes, fitness programs, reading time, and much more. Free breakfast and lunch provided most days through the C-FBISD's Summer Food Service Program. Registration for Farmers Branch families enrolled in Summer Funshine 2016 begins February 20 at the Farmers Branch Community Recreation Center. Call for additional details.



Gymnastics

Participants will experience the fun-filled world of gymnastics and develop fundamentals of gymnastics on the balance beam, bars, floor, trampoline, and Tumble-Trak. Gymnasts will work their way up through the levels in a non-competitive learning environment. Gayle's classes are taught by qualified instructors under her supervision to help provide the best possible recreational gymnastics experience for your child.

Sessions Dates:

December 5 – 16

January 9 – February 3

February 6 – March 3

Residents may register November 1 for all sessions.

Non-residents may register:
November 28 for December classes
January 2 for January classes
January 30 for February classes

Class Name	Day	Time	Age	Member	Non-Member
Parent Tot Tumblers	T	11:15-12:00 pm	18m-5	\$28	\$32
Kindergym	M	4:00-4:45 pm	4-6	\$28	\$32
	T	4:00-4:45 pm	4-6	\$28	\$32
	T	5:45-6:30 pm	4-6	\$28	\$32
	W	4:00-4:45 pm	4-6	\$28	\$32
PS Level 1	M	5:45-6:30 pm	2.5-5	\$28	\$32
	T	10:30-11:15 am	2.5-5	\$28	\$32
	F	9:15-10:00 am	2.5-5	\$28	\$32
PS Level 1-2	W	5:45-6:30 pm	2.5-5	\$28	\$32
PS Level 2	T	9:00-9:45 am	2.5-5	\$28	\$32
	F	10:00-10:45 am	2.5-5	\$28	\$32
PS Level 2-3	M	5:15-6:00 pm	2.5-5	\$28	\$32
PS Level 3	T	9:45-10:30 am	2.5-5	\$28	\$32
	F	10:45-11:30 am	2.5-5	\$28	\$32
PS Level 4	F	11:30-12:15 pm	2.5-5	\$28	\$32
	Level 1	T	4:45-5:45 pm	5-16	\$32
Level 2	W	4:45-5:45 pm	5-16	\$32	\$36
	M	4:45-5:45 pm	5-16	\$32	\$36
Level 2/3	W	6:30-7:30 pm	5-16	\$32	\$36
Level 3	M	6:00-7:00 pm	5-16	\$32	\$36
Level 3-4	T	6:30-7:30 pm	5-16	\$32	\$36
	W	4:45-5:45 pm	5-16	\$32	\$36
Level 4-5	M	6:30-7:30 pm	5-16	\$32	\$36
	W	5:45-6:45 pm	5-16	\$32	\$36
Level 5-6	M	7:00-8:00 pm	5-16	\$32	\$36
Level 6	W	6:45-7:45 pm	5-16	\$32	\$36

Classes may be updated if needed.

Preschool Arts and Crafts

Cost: \$25 Member/\$29 Non-member per month
Ages: 3-5
Day/Time: Friday 10-10:45 am
Instructor: Tammy Bruner

Preschoolers will create simple arts and crafts projects. A \$5 supply fee will be paid to the instructor at the beginning of each month. If your child is registered for Preschool Arts and Crafts and Play and Learn, your child can stay with the instructor from 10 am to 12 pm.

Preschool Play and Learn

Cost: \$25 Member/\$29 Non-member per month
Ages: 3-5
Day/Time: Friday 11:15am -12 pm
Instructor: Tammy Bruner

Preschoolers will use exciting hands-on activities to learn mathematical and literature skills along with music and story time. A \$5 supply fee will be paid to the instructor at the beginning of each month. If your child is registered for Preschool Arts and Crafts and Play and Learn, your child can stay with the instructor from 10 am to 12 pm.



Music Makers- NEW!

Cost: \$30
Ages: 3-5
Instructor: Amy Grow
Day/Times: Wednesday 5-5:30 pm or Thursday 4:30-5 pm



A music fundamentals class that explores rhythm, dance, and song. Each class will focus on sensory-motor integration and cover basic music skills for developing a more advanced understanding of music in the future, while encouraging growth in social and cognitive areas and providing opportunities to develop self-esteem and confidence through music exploration with others.

The Grow Music and Dance Program – Lower Prices and new offerings!

Cost: \$30 Member/\$34 Non-member per month
Ages: 3-10
Instructor: Amy Grow

Classes focus on age-appropriate technical skills involving basic and intermediate Ballet, Tap, Hip-Hop and Jazz.

Pre-School Ballet & Tap

Ages 3-5
 Wednesday 5:30-6:15 pm
 Saturday 9:45-10:30 am

Ballet & Jazz

Ages 6-8
 Thursday 5:30-6:15 pm

Hip Hop & Jazz

Ages 6-10
 Saturday 10:30-11:15 am

Attire: Leotard, tights, and dance shoes are recommended.

Recital: Winter recital information is provided by Amy during class.

Mommy and Me Dance Workshop

Cost: \$10
Ages: 5+
Day/Time: Saturday February 11; 10:30am-12noon
Instructor: Amy Grow

A day of fun and dance for moms and their little ones! Great for any mom/child duo or trio that loves to dance and laugh together!

Samantha's Footnotes

Cost: \$24 Member/\$28 Non-member per month
Ages: 3-8
Instructor: Samantha Young

Join Samantha Young as she offers dance classes for all ages and levels. Classes concentrate on teaching Ballet and Tap in a fun way that creates beautiful movement.

Pre Ballet and Tap

Ages 3-4
 Tuesday 9:30-10:15 am

Beginner Ballet and Tap

New Students (Ages 4-8)
 Monday 4-4:45 pm

Level 1 Ballet and Tap

1+ years (Ages 4-8)
 Tuesday 4-4:45 pm

Level 2 Ballet and Tap

2+ Years (Ages 4-8)
 Tuesday 4:45-5:30 pm

Attire: Leotard, tights, ballet shoes, and tap shoes are recommended.

Recital: Winter recital information is provided by Samantha during class.



Kids' Night Out is offered **December 10, January 21** and **February 18**.

There are two time options: 4-9 pm and 5-9 pm. See below for cost of each Kids' Night Out session.

	<u>4-9 pm</u>	<u>5-9 pm</u>
First Child	\$28 Member \$32 Non-member	\$23 Member \$27 Non-member
Additional Child	\$22 Member \$26 Non-member	\$18 Member \$22 Non-member

Soccer Tots

Cost: \$40 Member/\$44 Non-member per month

Ages: 3-5

Thursday 10-10:45 am

Instructor: Skyhawks Sports

Soccer Tots is designed to develop soccer skills in children who are ready to embrace the sport. Emphasis is put on individual soccer skills, ball control, and concept of the game. Our goal is to accelerate soccer development, prepare kids for league play, and to have fun!



Rookies

Cost: \$40 Member/\$44 Non-member per month

Ages: 4-6

Thursday 5:30-6:15 pm

Instructor: Skyhawks Sports

An exciting way for your child to learn the basics of t-ball, basketball, soccer, and more. Your child will enjoy this fun and non-competitive environment.

Basketball Tech

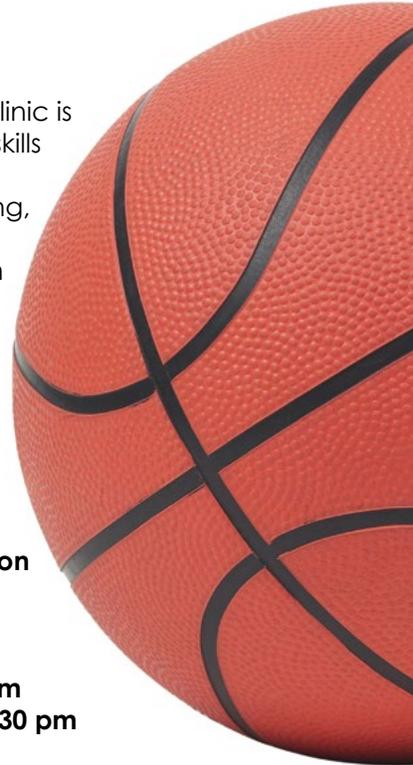
Cost: \$40 Member/\$44 Non-member per month

Ages: 7-12

Thursday 6:30-7:30 pm

Instructor: Skyhawks Sports

This super-fun fast-paced clinic is designed for players of all skills and abilities. Program time focuses on dribbling, passing, shooting, and team play. This is a skill-based program which utilizes drills and games as a way to reinforce skills learned in class.



Red Tiger Karate

Cost: \$60 Member/

\$64 Non-member per session

Session: Jan 17 - Mar 21

(No class March 14)

Ages: 5 and up

Ages 5-12 from 6:30-7:30 pm

Teens & Adults from 7:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Red Tiger Karate

Learn American Karate in this white through black belt program. The junior program develops self-esteem, positive behavior, academic achievement, and respect for others. In addition to practicing karate techniques, abduction prevention training and bully self-defense skills are integrated into the lessons. Adult classes focus on street self-defense, fitness, and personal development. Most adults join to get back in shape, meet new people, and learn self-defense. More info: RedTigerKarate.com or call 817-845-1557.

Flex Fitness

Whether you are looking for the fun of Zumba or the challenge of Indoor Cycling, we offer a flex fitness class that meets your needs. Best of all, these fitness classes are included at no cost with your fitness membership!



ADULT

Cardio N Tone

Mon/Wed/Thurs 9:30-10:30 am

Sculpt your hips, thighs, abdomen, and upper body with a variety of aerobics, weights, floor work, and yoga-like stretching. Class limited to 25 participants.

Indoor Cycling

Tues/Thurs 6-7 pm

Saturday 9-10 am

This indoor cycling class offers a non-impact, highly effective way to build cardiovascular strength and endurance. Class limited to 12 participants.

Yoga

Tuesday 6:30-7:30 pm

Thursday 5:45-6:45 pm

Develop strength and flexibility while finding relaxation and balance of mind and body. This is an active yoga class for all levels. This class explores basic to advanced poses. Class limited to 20 participants.

Walking Yoga

First and Third Saturday (weather permitting) 9-10 am

The first and third Saturday of each month, practice relaxing yoga techniques surrounded by the beautiful Farmers Branch landscape and nature. We will begin at Gussie Field Watterworth Park and make our way through City Hall, walking trails and The Farmers Branch Rose Garden. We will stop and practice yoga in designated areas. Please bring water and a yoga mat. Beginner, intermediate and advanced levels are welcomed. Class limited to 15 participants.

Zumba

Monday 6-7 pm

Wednesday 6:30-7:30 pm

Thursday 7-8 pm

Saturday 9:30-10:30 am

Dance your way to fitness! Zumba is a fusion of Latin and international music that includes dance movements of meringue, salsa, cumbia, reggaeton, hip hop, and more. You don't have to know how to dance to Zumba! Class limited to 25 participants.

Fitness membership is required to participate in flex fitness classes at no additional cost.

Punch cards are available for purchase for non-fitness members. Punch cards are valid for any flex fitness class and expire one year from purchase date. A 5-class punch card is \$30 and a 10-class punch card is \$60.

Fitness Calendar

Flex Fitness Classes* *Flex Classes are Included with your Fitness Membership

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Cardio N Tone 9:30-10:30 am	Indoor Cycling 6-7 pm	Cardio N Tone 9:30-10:30 am	Cardio N Tone 9:30-10:30 am		Indoor Cycling 9-10 am
Zumba 6-7 pm	Yoga 6:30-7:30 pm	Zumba 6:30-7:30 pm	Yoga 5:45-6:45 pm		Zumba 9:30-10:30 am
			Indoor Cycling 6-7 pm		
			Zumba 7-8 pm		

Fee Based Classes

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Vary 8 5:45-6:45 am	Coalition 8:30-9:30 am	Vary 8 5:45-6:45 am	Coalition 8:30-9:30 am	Vary 8 5:45-6:45 am	Coalition 8-9 am
Coalition 6-7 am	Intro to Weight Machines 9:00-9:55 am	Coalition 6-7 am	Intro to Weight Machines 9:00-9:55 am	Coalition 6-7 am	Club Boot Camp 8-9 am
Coalition 8:30-9:30 am	Vary 8 8-9 pm	Intro to Weight Machines 9:00-9:55 am	Coalition 6:30-7:30 pm		Strength Express 9-9:30 am
Intro to Weight Machines 9:00-9:55 am		Coalition 6:30-7:30 pm	Vary 8 8-9 pm		
Coalition 6:30-7:30 pm					

Open Gym

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Intermediate Pickleball 10 am - 1 pm			Volleyball 9:30-11:30 am	Open Pickleball 10 am - 1 pm	

Free play basketball is available during operating hours unless otherwise noted. Contact 972.247.4607 for additional information.

Coalition Fitness and Performance

The CFP team is results driven whether your personal goal is weight loss, performance enhancement, post rehabilitation, or injury reconditioning. Time and effort spent working with CFP trainers will translate into desired results and newly-found abilities.

Group Training

Cost: \$89 Member / \$93 Non-member per month

Ages: 15 and up

Mon/Wed/Fri

6-7 am

Mon/Tues/Thurs

8:30-9:30 am

Mon/Wed/Thurs

6:30-7:30 pm

Saturday

8-9 am

CFP group training considers the limitations of participants. As a result, your body will get stronger, your cardiovascular fitness will improve, and you will see your body change.

Semi-Private Training

Cost: \$125-\$240 Member/

\$129-\$244 Non-member per month

Ages: 15 and up

1 x week \$125 Member/\$129 Non-member

2 x week \$197 Member/\$201 Non-member

3 x week \$240 Member/\$244 Non-member

Similar to that of traditional training with a personal trainer, our semi-private groups offer personalized training programs in a small group setting with 2-5 participants. **Contact Sean Callahan at 214.300.9301 to schedule dates and times after registration.**

Community Recreation Center

972.247.4607

Personal Training

Our personal trainers are:

Cynthia Fritz

972.922.3482 | cynthia@seniorstylefitness.com

Kristin Miller

214.354.8053 | workoutwithkristin@yahoo.com

Sean Callahan

214.300.9301 | sean@teamcfp.com

Community Recreation Center members may choose to have individualized training to meet their fitness goals. Each personal trainer will provide members with a personalized exercise regimen that promotes a healthier lifestyle and delivers results. Personal training sessions are **\$50 per hour**. Discounts are given when training session packages are purchased. Call staff at 972.247.4607 for more information.

Thai Massage

30-minute session fee: \$40 members/\$44 non-members.

60-minute session fee: \$75 members/\$79 non-members.

Thai massage is different from the traditional deep tissue massage in that it's performed without the use of oils and clients are comfortably dressed (typically in athletic shorts and a t-shirt). Thai massage incorporates the use of hands, thumbs, elbows, forearms, knees, and feet to manipulate various body zones with acupressure, deep muscle compression, yoga, stretching, joint mobilization, and reflexology. Reported benefits of Thai Massage include improved circulation, flexibility and muscle tone, tension relief, and aiding the body's detoxification process. Call the Community Recreation Center for more information or to schedule your appointment.

The Vary 8 Method

Cost: \$120-\$175 Member/

\$124-\$179 Non-member per session

Ages: 18 and up

Instructor: Meghan Henderson

Session: January 9 thru March 10

(note that this is NINE weeks)

Mon/Wed/Fri 5:45-6:45 am

3x week \$140 Member/\$144 Non-member

Tues/Thurs 8-9 pm

2x week \$120 Member/\$124 Non-member

Unlimited classes per week \$175/\$179

Club Boot Camp \$34

****no class Saturday 12/24 and 12/31**

Saturdays 8-9 am

Strength Express \$34

****no class Saturday 12/24 and 12/31**

Saturdays 9-9:30 am

Combo of Club Boot Camp + Strength Express = \$44

****no class Saturday 12/24 and 12/31**

This innovative eight-week program uses fitness formats trending in the world of fitness, incorporating elements of boot camp, kickboxing, tabata, pilates, strength training, HIIT, dance, barre method, and more. These unique classes will keep workouts fresh and delivering results. No two classes are ever the same.

ADULT

Cultivate Your Gardening Skills

This series of classes is designed for gardeners of all levels. The classes are stand alone so that you may attend as many as you like. One thing is for certain, each will provide inspiration for your own garden.

The Rose Pruning Clinic is an excellent way to learn how to prune different roses while making a great contribution to The Rose Gardens.

JANUARY 10 – Protecting the Branch Collar and Other Essentials of Tree Pruning

Sam Hill, Board Certified Master Arborist® and owner of Sam Hill Tree Care, will take the mystery out of tree pruning and care.

JANUARY 17 – The Edible Landscape

Utilizing areas in your landscape to grow edibles is a way to add food on your table and reduce your grocery bill. This program teaches you how to incorporate edible plants into your home garden and landscape. You will learn how herbs, fruits and vegetables can add to the colors and textures of your permanent landscape combining both aesthetics' and functionality.

JANUARY 24 – Don't Throw that Orchid Away

Dotty Woodson, a familiar face on NBC on Sunday morning and an orchid enthusiast, will share the secrets of caring for your blooming orchids and coaxing them back into bloom again.

JANUARY 31 – Backyard Composting

Is your trash can full at the end of the week? Did you know that you can reduce the waste carried to landfills by composting more and throwing away less? This program teaches the composting process, the different types and methods of composting, as well as how to compost and its importance. There will be three Shepherd Complete Composters given away as door prizes.

FEBRUARY 18 – Saturday Rose Pruning Clinic

Come out to the Rose Garden and learn how to prune roses or just come to help and spend time with other gardeners. Bring your leather gloves and pruners. 10 am - 12 pm.

**ALL CLASSES ARE FREE AND OPEN TO ALL | 7 PM | FARMERS BRANCH COMMUNITY RECREATION CENTER
14050 HEARTSIDE PL | RESERVE A SPACE FOR ONE OR ALL: 972-247-4607**

Senior Center 50+

972.919.8740

The Senior Center offers a wide variety of programs and activities to meet just about everyone's needs. Visit www.fbseiorcenter.com or facebook.com/farmersbranchseniors for additional information and updates.

Membership

The Farmers Branch Senior Center is open to anyone 50 years of age or older. A variety of activities and special events to promote fun, fellowship and health is offered. There is no membership fee to participate, or residency requirement, but you are required to complete and update registration information each year. You can find our program calendar and current trip schedule at: www.fbseiorcenter.com.

Special Interest Groups

Contact the Senior Center for more information on these groups that meet weekly or monthly. **972-919-8740.**

80 Upper Club	Second Saturday 1:30 pm
Alzheimers Support Group	First Tuesday 6:30 pm
Conversations in Neglected History	Every Friday 9:30 am
Cookin' Club	Second Wednesday 10:30 am
Garden Group	Third Wednesday 10 am
Random Acts of Kindness	Second Thursday 10 am
Rock & Mineral Club	Fourth Thursday 10 am
Shared Moments	Every Monday 10:15 am

Monday Night Dances

The Farmers Branch Senior Center is the place to be on Monday nights. Live music and friendly people make our place the best in the metroplex. Tickets are \$5 at the door and dances run from 7 - 9 p.m. Refreshments are served at intermission.

BAND SCHEDULE

December 5	Swingin' Country	Country
December 12	Jim Baker	Ballroom
December 19	No Dance	
December 26	No Dance	
January 2	No Dance	
January 9	Jim Baker	Ballroom
January 16	J.C. Tippett	Country
January 23	Dave Alexander	Ballroom
January 30	Southern Pride	Country
February 6	Swingin' Country	Country
February 13	Jim Baker	Ballroom
February 20	J.C. Tippett	Country
February 27	Dave Alexander	Ballroom

Crafts

Registration and supply fee are required in some classes. Call for more information **972-919-8740.**

Greeting Cards	Second Tuesday 1 pm
Instructional Quilting	Every Thursday 1 pm
Jewelry Making Classes	Check the program schedule
Polymer Clay	Fourth Tuesday 9:30 am
Quilting Group	Every Friday 10 am
Specialty Crafts	Check the program schedule

Drop-in Recreation

The game room is open during facility hours for open recreation.

Canasta	Jig Saw Puzzles
Cribbage	Mexican Train
Five Crown	Mah Jongg
Hand & Foot Canasta	Checkers
Billiards	Dominoes

Health & Fitness

Registration and fees may be required for health services and screenings.

B12 Shots
Blood Pressure & Glucose Screening
Fitness Equipment Orientation
Fitness Room
Table Tennis

Exercise Classes

Fitness classes are free and require an annual liability waiver.

Stretch & Flex	Tuesday	3 - 4 pm
Strong & Balanced	Tuesday	10 - 11 am
	Thursday	3 - 4 pm
Power Walking	Tues & Fri	8:15 - 9 am
Stretch & Strength	Monday	8:15 - 9 am
Yoga	Tues & Fri	9 - 9:45 am
Not Your Mama's Exercise	Wednesday	6 - 7 pm

Program Highlights

Conversations in Neglected History

Fridays at 9:30 am

Prevailing history is written and approved by the dominant economic-cultural forces, but there is more than one version of historical events. Join this class as they explore past events and topics and discover new ways of viewing history. December 16, guest speaker and book author, Dr. Richard McCaslin from UNT will speak on his book, *J.B. Polley in the Civil War*.



Texas Hold 'em Tournament

Third Thursday of each month 1 pm

Know when to hold 'em; know when to fold 'em. Sign up to participate in this monthly poker tournament. Snacks

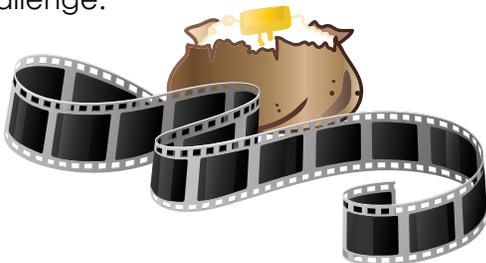
provided by Carrollton Health & Rehabilitation Center.

Spud & a Show: Florence Foster Jenkins

Tuesday, January 24, 11:30 am | Fee: \$2

Get your ticket early for this month's movie and a baked potato with the works.

Starring Meryl Streep and Hugh Grant, this month's movie is a true story of Florence Foster Jenkins, the legendary New York heiress and socialite who obsessively pursued her dream of becoming a great opera singer. The voice she heard in her head was beautiful, but to everyone else it was hilariously awful. Her "husband" and manager, St Clair Bayfield, an aristocratic English actor, was determined to protect his beloved Florence from the truth. But when Florence decided to give a public concert at Carnegie Hall in 1944, St Clair knew he faced his greatest challenge.



"Livin' the 50 Plus Lifestyle in the Branch"

Special Events

Monthly Breakfast

First Monday of each month at 8:15 am | Fee: \$2

Be sure to set your alarm to attend our monthly breakfast with live entertainment.

Menu: sausage, gravy, biscuits, eggs, juice, and coffee
Host: Senior Advisory Board

Birthday Lunch

Third Wednesday of each month at noon.

Fee: \$2 or free if it's your birthday month.

Come enjoy a great meal and help celebrate birthdays each month. The cake is donated by Brookdale Assisted Living in Farmers Branch and the gifts are provided by United Financial Services.

Ugly Christmas Sweater Party

Friday, December 16, 10 am

'Tis the season to don those ugly Christmas sweaters and super tacky outfits and compete to win great prizes in this year's party. There will be games, snacks and plenty of fun for all. You might even get the chance to be famous on our big screen! Sign up today.



Love Is Brewing Valentine Tea

Friday, February 10, 2 pm | Tickets: \$5

"Love is Brewing" at our Valentine's Day Tea. Treat yourself and indulge in delicious canapes and fine tea while you relax and enjoy the company and conversation of others. Entertainment is "Harp Essence." Wear your festive attire for this event, and be sure to bring your favorite tea cup. Resident ticket sales start January 9 at noon; open registration starts January 16 at noon.

DAY TRIPS

New trips are posted each week on Fridays at noon and are available for Farmers Branch residents only the first week. Non-residents and residents may purchase trips starting the following Friday at noon. You can find a listing of trips at www.fbseniorcenter.com or call the front desk at 972-919-8740.

PREVIOUSLY POSTED TRIPS

Check seat availability by calling 972-919-8740.

Uh-Oh, Here Comes Christmas

1:30 at Theater on White Rock Lake

Friday, December 9, 11 am – 5 pm | Fee: \$15

Limited Walking

Don't miss this comedy based on writings on *Everything I Need to Know I Learned in Kindergarten* Author, Robert Fulgrum. Lunch is own your own at the Highland Park Cafeteria before the 1:30 pm performance.

Cruisin' Cuisine

December 15, January 19, February 16,

11 am – 2 pm | Fee: \$3 each date

Limited Walking

Enjoy lunch out with friends at different restaurants throughout the Metroplex each month. Contact the front desk for the choice of restaurant each month: **972-919-8740**

Texas Tenors at the Palace Theater in Grapevine

Saturday, December 17, 11 am – 6:30 p.m. | Fee: \$45

Limited to Moderate Walking

The Texas Tenors are back for a musical celebration of Christmas and more. They perform music from all genres mixed with humor. We leave in time to have lunch and shop before the 2 pm performance.

TRIPS POSTING DECEMBER – FEBRUARY

Kimbell Museum of Art presents Monet: The Early Years

Tuesday, January 10 10 am – 3 pm | Fee: \$14

Moderate to Extended Walking

This groundbreaking exhibition is the first ever devoted to the young genius of Claude Monet. *Monet: The Early Years* will feature approximately 60 paintings from the first phase of the artist's career, from his Normandy debut in 1858 until 1872, when he settled in Argenteuil, on the River Seine near Paris. \$14 includes admission and motor coach transportation. Lunch is own your own at the Kimbell or any local restaurant.

LAUGH at Theatre 3 in Uptown

Wednesday, January 18, noon - 5 pm | Fee: \$15

Limited to Moderate Walking

Enjoy lunch (on your own) at any of the local restaurants before the 2 p.m. matinee. *LAUGH* focuses on two innocents, Mabel and Roscoe, as they set off for Hollywood circa 1920 seeking fame and fortune. The kaleidoscopic array of characters they meet along the way threaten their quest for happiness on the silver screen. Ms. Henley has created a modern day Odyssey where nothing and no one is exactly as they seem. Written with a glorious ear for dialogue and style to burn, *LAUGH* is a truly compelling and fascinating fable.

Fort Worth Stock Show and Rodeo

Friday, January 27 10 a.m. – 6 pm. Fee: \$25

Extended Walking

Don't miss the Fort Worth Stock Show and Rodeo with roping and riding, exhibits and shopping. \$25 includes reserved seating at the Rodeo and transportation. Lunch is on your own.



Farmers Branch Parks and Recreation co-sponsors a variety of youth and adult sports leagues. For information regarding these leagues contact the league representative listed below.

Field Conditions Hotline: 972.919.1455 and Twitter @fbtxsport. For additional information, contact the Athletics Coordinator at 972.919.8755.

Youth Leagues

Youth Volleyball

Carrollton Athletics
972.466.9833
www.teamsideline.com/carrollton

CFB In-line Hockey League

Tony Martin
469.464.7791
www.leaguelineup.com/cfbhockey

Farmers Branch Barracudas Swim Team

Donna Hudson
469.774.4698
www.fbbarracudas.org

CFB Baseball, T-Ball, and Blast Ball League

Rodney Johnson
214.912.4409
www.cfbba.com

Youth Basketball

Carrollton Athletics
972.466.9833
www.teamsideline.com/carrollton

CFB Girls' Softball Association

Scott Larkin
president@cfbgirlssoftball.com
www.cfbgirlssoftball.com

Adult Leagues

Adult Softball League

27 Seventeen Sports
www.quickscores.com/fbsoftball
27seventeensports@gmail.com
972.999.7180

Senior Softball

Don Couch
972.416.6039

Adult Flag Football League

Mixed Breed Football
www.mixedbreedfootball.com
214.714.2961

Pickleball

Jackie James
jj9806@gmail.com

Adult Basketball League

Community Recreation Center
www.fbreccenter.com
972.247.4607

Mustangs Vintage Base Ball

Historical Park
972.406.0184





Special Events



POLAR PLUNGE

FREEZIN' FOR A REASON

Are you brrrrave enough to participate in the Polar Plunge? Recruit your friends, grab a costume and come out to support our athletes in the Greater Dallas area. Raise a minimum of \$60 in donations from friends, family and co-workers in exchange for plunging. Thank you for your support! Together we promote dignity, equality and opportunity for all people. For more information and online registration please visit www.sotx.org/polarplunge.

Plunge Details

Saturday, February 4, 2017

Registration: 8 am

Plunge: 10 am

Dive In Movie-TBD

Time: 6-8:30pm

Date: February 18

Day: Saturday

Price: \$4 Members, \$6 Non-Members

*Pre-Register by February 13



**WE BEGIN ACCEPTING FROG POND RENTALS
STARTING JANUARY 2**

Holiday Gift Certificates available

**First 50 people to purchase
2017 Frog Pond Season Passes receive a gift!**



Swim Lessons

The Farmers Branch Aquatics Center offers a variety of swim lessons for a wide range of ages and abilities. Below is a list of session dates, times, and prices. Not all levels are offered at all times. Refer to the online schedule at fbh2o.com or contact the Aquatics Center front desk at 972.919.8720 for details regarding swim lesson levels, inclement weather, refund policies, and additional information. All participants must be registered before entering the swim area. Patrons not potty trained must wear a swim diaper.

Group Swim Lessons are for ages 6 months to 12 years including Parent-Tot, Preschool, Youth Levels 1-4. Adult swim lessons are also offered.

Group Swim Lesson Session Dates

Weekday Lessons

Session 1- January 3-26
Session 2- January 31-February 23

Saturday Lessons

Session 1- January 7-28
Session 2- February 4-25

Group Swim Lesson Session Times

Weekday Lessons

5-5:30 pm
5:35-6:05 pm
6:10-6:40 pm

Saturday Lessons

10:10-10:40 am
10:45-11:15 am
11:20-11:50 am

Group Lesson Session Pricing

* Aquatics Center members receive resident pricing

Weekday Lessons

\$40/resident
\$53/non-resident

Saturday Lessons

\$20/resident
\$27/non-resident

REGISTRATION BEGINS:

WEEKDAY LESSONS

Farmers Branch Residents:

Session 1 Dec. 12
Session 2 Jan. 16

Non-Residents

Session 1 Dec. 14
Session 2 Jan. 18

SATURDAY LESSONS

Farmers Branch Residents:

Session 1 Dec. 12
Session 2 Jan. 16

Non-Residents

Session 1 Dec. 14
Session 2 Jan. 18

Private/Semi-Private Swim Lessons

Private Swim Lessons available for all ages (including adults)

***Aquatics Center members receive resident pricing**

A private lesson consists of one 30 minute 1-on-1 session with a swim instructor. Semi-Private lessons are available upon request. Contact the Aquatics Center's front desk to schedule a private swim lesson or to obtain additional information.

Private Lesson Pricing

\$40/resident per lesson
\$53/non-resident per lesson

Semi-Private Swim Lesson Pricing

\$65/resident per lesson
\$86/non-resident per lesson





Margaret Young Natatorium Hours

Monday/Wednesday

6:00 – 9:30 am Lap Swim & Self-guided workouts
9:30 – 11:00 am Prime Time (Age 50 years + ONLY)
11:00 – 1:00 pm Lap Swim, Self-guided Workouts & Scheduled Classes
1:00 – 7:00 pm Open Swim (2-4 Lap Lanes Available)
7:00 – 8:00 pm Lap Swim and scheduled classes

Tuesday/Thursday

6:00 – 1:00 pm Lap Swim & Self-guided workouts
1:00 – 5:00 pm Open Swim (2-4 Lap Lanes Available)
5:00 – 8:00 pm Lap Swim and scheduled classes

Friday

6:00 – 9:30 am Lap Swim & Self-guided workouts
9:30 – 11:00 am Prime Time (Age 50 years + ONLY)
11:00 – 1:00 pm Lap Swim, Self-guided Workouts & Scheduled Classes
1:00 – 5:00 pm Open Swim (2-4 Lap Lanes Available)

Saturday

7:00 – 12:00 pm Lap Swim, Self-guided Workouts & Scheduled Classes
12:00 – 5:00 pm Open Swim (2-4 Lap Lanes Available)

Sunday

1:00 – 4:00 pm Open Swim (2-4 Lap Lanes Available)

Specialized Aquatics

The 12 Days of Christmas

Times: 6:30 am-7:30 am
Dates: December 1-16
Days: Monday – Friday
Price: \$45 Members, \$49 Non-Members

Designed for adults (ages 18 years and older) who want to improve fitness and master proper stroke technique to become a faster and more efficient swimmer in a fun environment of encouragement and support. Participants should be comfortable swimming at least a few hundred yards continuously using the freestyle (crawl) stroke. Experience with other competitive strokes is welcomed, but not required. All stroke techniques will be taught during the program.

Water Safety Instructor Course

Times: 9 am-5 pm
Date: December 17-20
Days: Saturday – Tuesday
Prices: \$200 Members, \$225 Non-Members

Course will train Water Safety Candidates how to teach classes in the American Red Cross Swimming and Water Safety program by developing their understanding of how to use course materials, conduct training sessions and evaluate participants' progress. Attendance at all class sessions are required to receive certification.

American Red Cross CPR/AED/First Aid Course

Times: 8 am-5 pm
Date: January 14
Days: Saturday
Prices: \$60 Members, \$75 Non-Members

Adult and pediatric First Aid, CPR, and AED course will help you prepare and give you confidence in an emergency.

Lifeguard Training Course

Times: 1-9 pm, 9 am-6 pm
Date: December 15-17
Days: Thursday-Saturday
Prices: \$165 Members, \$185 Non-Members

This is an American Red Cross Lifeguard Certification class that will certify the participant in Lifeguard Training, CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer and First Aid. CFBISD early release days are December 15-16.

Lifeguard Training Course

Times: 5-10 pm, 9 am-6 pm
Date: February 17-19
Days: Thursday-Saturday
Prices: \$165 Members, \$185 Non-Members

This is an American Red Cross Lifeguard Certification class that will certify the participant in Lifeguard Training, CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer and First Aid.



Aqua Fitness

Aqua Zumba

Times: 7:15 pm to 8 pm

Days: Monday & Wednesday

Prices: \$25 Members, \$29 Non-Members

Splash your way into shape with this invigorating low-impact pool party. Enjoy cardio exercise without the sweat. Natural water resistance helps to tone muscles while getting a fun energetic workout. Suitable for all fitness levels.

Oh Baby! Fitness-H2O Baby

Times: 11-11:45 am

Days: Tuesday

Cost: Register at ohbabyfitness.com

Ages: 18 and up

Instructor: Liza ter Kuile

You and your baby will love this challenging water workout. This action-packed aqua class lets you exercise in the water with your baby at your side. Mom focuses on aerobic conditioning and muscle strengthening while baby has floating fun! Flotation seats are provided for babies.

Aqua Pilates+Cardio

Times: 7-8 pm

Days: Tuesday & Thursday

Prices: \$30 Members, \$34 Non-Members per month

Times: 9-10 am

Days: Saturday

Prices: \$15 Members, \$19 Non-Members per month

To improve core strength, balance, and flexibility. Relieve stress while stretching and toning. Class is done standing in chest deep water and based on principles of pilates, yoga, and cardio.

Water Aerobics Class

Time: 11 am-12 pm

Days: Monday & Wednesday

Cost: \$27 Member/\$31 Non-member per month

Ages: 18 and up

Instructor: Linda Burbank

Energize and maximize your health while exercising and having fun! Eliminate those extra pounds while helping your knees, hips and back. Increase your flexibility, range of motion, lean body mass, and metabolic rate with water exercise.

Water Works

Times: 9:30 am-10:30 am

Days: Monday & Wednesday

Prices: \$15 Members/8 punches,
\$25 Non-Members/ 8 punches

Water Works Punch Card available at the front desk

Let the Water Work to benefit you with increased strength, balance, range of motion/flexibility and cardiovascular endurance. Participants will experience stress reduction. This 30 minute class is for every level, as the instructor will teach each exercise in levels. Let the ideal environment of water benefit your health and well-being.

Aqua Boogie

Times: 11 am-12 pm

Days: Fridays

Prices: \$13 Members, \$17 Non-Members per month

Come "Boogie" in this water workout class that is both challenging and fun! Available for all fitness levels.



Holiday Hours - Margaret Young Natatorium

December 23	6 am - 5 pm
December 24	Closed
December 25	Closed
December 26	6 am - 5 pm
December 31	7 am - 5 pm
January 1	Closed
January 2	6 am - 5 pm





FARMERS BRANCH
aquatics center

MAKE A SPLASH WITH YOUR NEXT BIRTHDAY BASH!

Basic Party Package Includes:

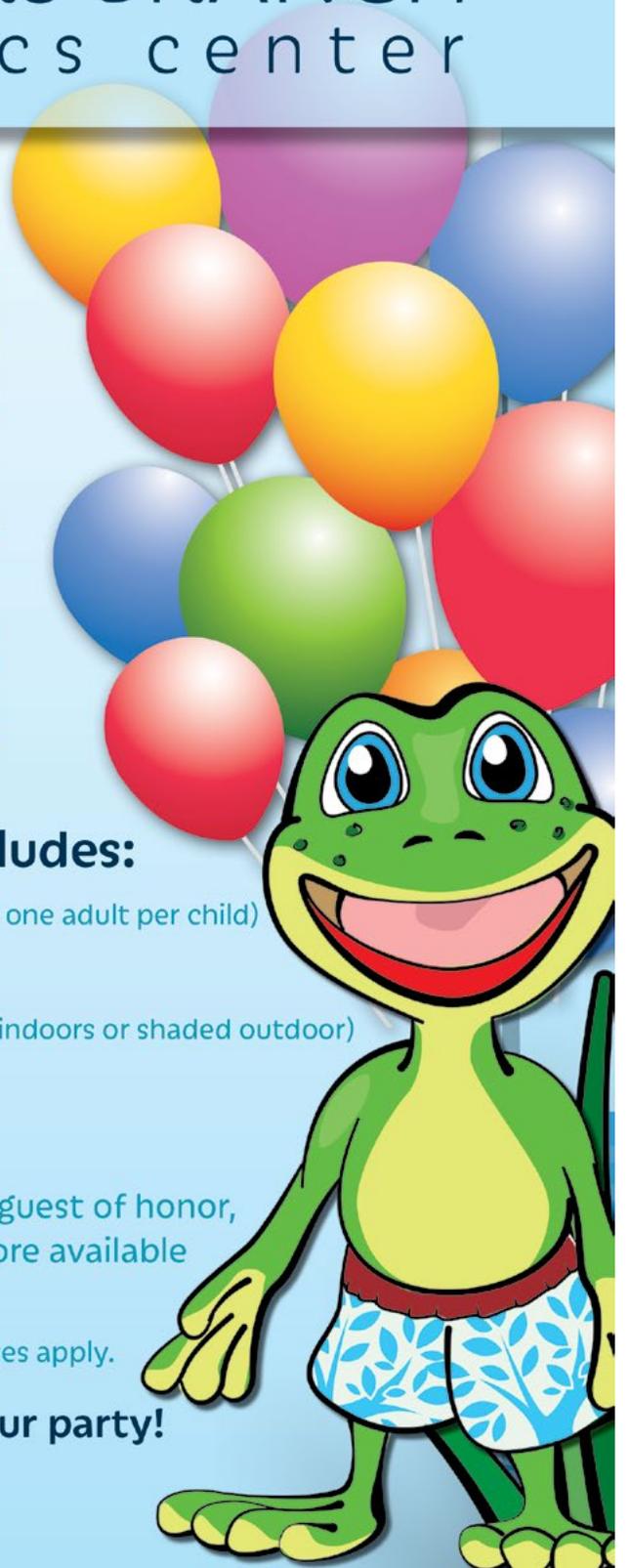
- Admission for 10 guests (includes one adult per child)
- Whole day of swimming
- Reserved party area for 1 hour (indoors or shaded outdoor)
- Party tableware

All for only \$150!

Add-ons such as a balloon for the guest of honor, a birthday announcement, and more available upon request. Fees may apply.

*Additional guest welcome, Residence rates apply.

Call 972.919.8720 to book your party!
www.fbh2o.com



Rentals for Parties, Meetings, Weddings, and more!

Community Recreation Center

The Farmers Branch Community Recreation Center offers rental space for a variety of events. Whether you are planning a wedding reception, baby shower, birthday party, corporate function, or anything in between the Recreation Center can meet your needs. Amenities include audio-visual equipment, tables and chairs, a warming kitchen, and more. Theme parties for children include art, gymnastics, dance, and sports. For rental rates and information, contact the Recreation Center at 972.247.4607.

Park Pavilions



Farmers Branch has two park pavilions available for events. Rentals at the Farmers Branch Park Pavilion include the pavilion area with eight picnic tables and two large grills. Playground equipment, park space, and restrooms are open to the public. There is a \$30 refundable deposit. Rental fees are \$15/hour for Farmers Branch residents and businesses and \$20/hour for non-residents. Two-hour minimum applies. Rentals at the Gussie Field Watterworth Park Pavilion include the pavilion area with 11 picnic tables and two large grills. All-inclusive playground equipment, park space, basketball courts, tennis courts, and restrooms are open to the

public. There is a \$100 refundable deposit. Rental fees are \$25/hour for Farmers Branch residents and businesses, and \$35/hour for non-residents. Four-hour minimum applies. For additional information, contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 972.919.2620.

Rose Garden at Gussie Field Watterworth Park

The Rose Garden at Gussie Field Watterworth Park is operated by the City of Farmers Branch as a division of the Parks and Recreation Department. Due to the changing nature of the garden the City is not able to guarantee or predict when the roses are in bloom. In planning your function, we hope you will explore the beautiful garden and have a most successful wedding, reception, luncheon, tea, or party. We encourage rental activities that are consistent with the variety and beauty of the site. Rental of the garden includes electricity and a beautiful setting to create your unique event. All rentals at the garden are of a non-exclusive nature rental of the garden does not mean exclusive use of the entire garden area or surrounding park areas. For additional information regarding rental rates and regulations, contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 972.919.2620



Historical Park

The Historical Park is a wildly-popular wedding and reception venue. The Park is also a frequently-used site for engagement and family photos. Facilities available to rent are the 1890s Church, 1937 Dodson House, Gazebo, Rose Garden within the Historical Park, and the site grounds. There are different photo and rental package options. Fees vary depending on package and residency status. For additional information, contact the Historical Park at 972.406.0184.

Aquatics Center



The Farmers Branch Aquatics Center has a 480 square foot indoor party room that is available for rent, year-round. The party room includes tables and chairs. The Aquatics Center also has two large outdoor pavilions for rent, year-round. Both the Margaret Young Natatorium and the Frog Pond* are available for after hours rentals. Rentals include full use of the rented facility, along with lifeguard staff to accommodate the party. For rental rates and information or reservations, contact Aquatics Center staff at 972.919.8720 or at the front desk in the Margaret Young Natatorium.

*Seasonally

