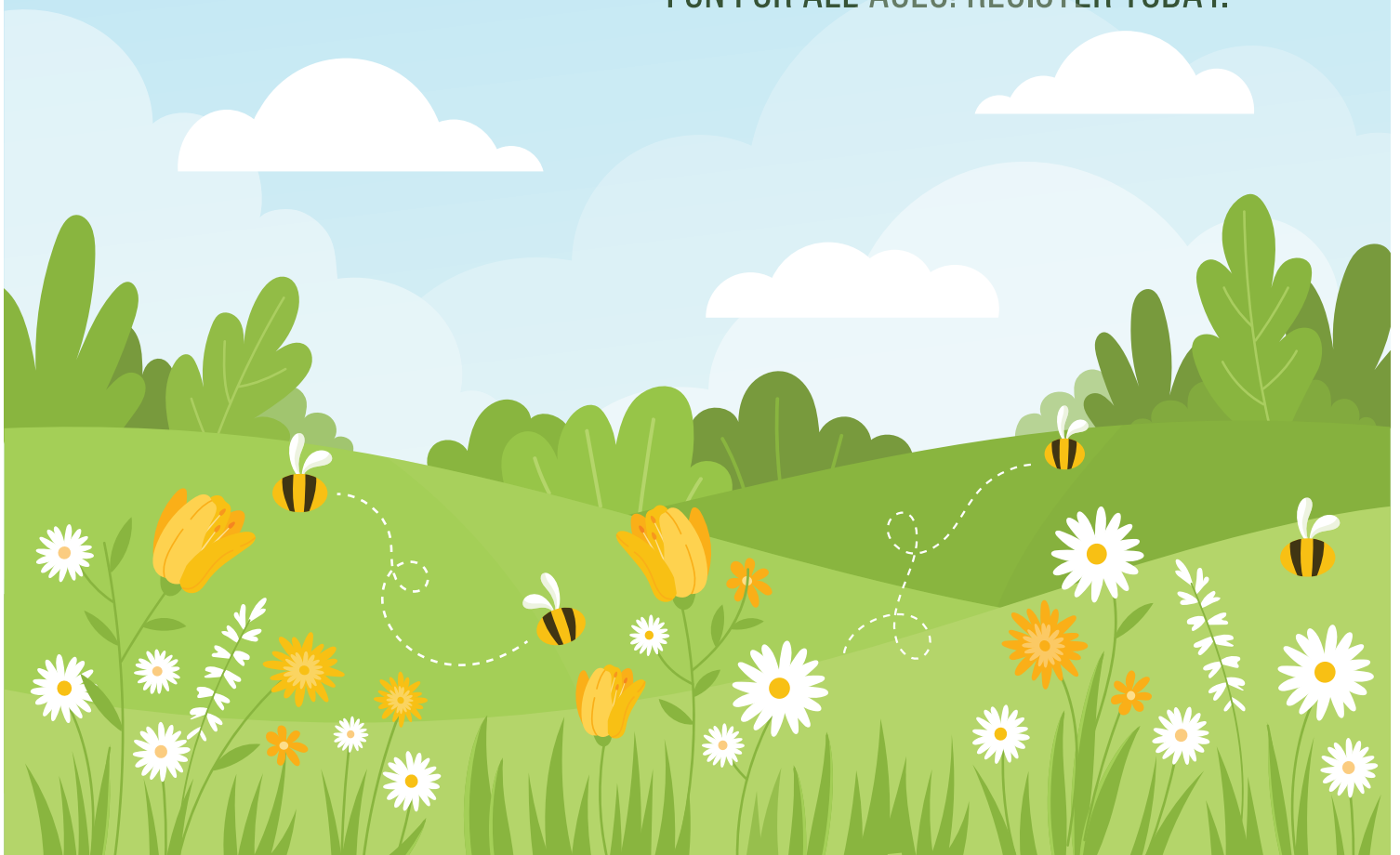


AUBURN RECREATION PRESENTS...

SPRING

2022 PROGRAMS & EVENTS

FUN FOR ALL AGES! REGISTER TODAY.



A MESSAGE TO OUR COMMUNITY

We are excited to share all the fun and exciting programs we have lined up this spring! Our team has done a great job bringing back some old favorites, while maintaining new programs created over the past year. Our goal continues to be providing a variety of programs and events for all ages!

You will see many changes within our programs including a NEW REGISTRATION SYSTEM! See below for information on the online registration process.

As you browse, please keep in mind that all our facilities, programs, and policies are subject to change as a result of COVID-19 and Maine CDC guidelines. Many of the programs listed here are already open for registration, so please give us a call or log onto your CIVIC REC account for info & updates.

WHAT TO KNOW WHEN VISITING OUR FACILITIES

Do not visit an Auburn Recreation facility if you feel sick or have had any symptoms of COVID-19 in the past 48-hours. Be respectful of those that would like to continue to maintain at least 6' of physical distance from others. Face coverings are welcome upon entering facility for those who want to wear one. Hand sanitizer is available throughout the building. Always try to bring your own water bottle. A list of symptoms is available on the Maine CDC website and is posted throughout our facilities.

CIVICREC®

Our conversion to CIVICREC (from Team Sideline) took place in late 2021. If you need any assistance, please reach out to us at 333-6611 or auburnrec@auburnmaine.gov. Using CIVICREC you can...

- View and register for programs
- Manage your account
- View league games and schedules
- Find information about various programs, departments and facilities
- View Facility Schedules

To access CIVICREC, visit: <https://secure.rec1.com/ME/auburn-me/catalog>

TO SET UP A CIVICREC ACCOUNT:

- Select Login/Create Account in the upper left corner, then select light blue button at bottom to create account. On mobile devices, select Account in the upper right corner and click Sign Up.
- Fill out the required information.
- To receive text alerts, indicate your mobile carrier next to your cell number.
- To receive important notifications, opt-in to receive all communication types (courtesy notifications, critical announcements, upcoming events)
- Additional household members (spouse, children, etc.) may be added at any time in your Account Settings. Keep your entire household on one account!
- When you have chosen an activity, select the correct account member before adding it to your cart.

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Register for programs **ONLINE!** Visit www.auburnmaine.gov, or stop by our office located at 48 Pettengill Park, Auburn Maine | Office Hours 8:00am to 4:30pm, Monday - Friday

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OFFICE HOURS

Auburn Recreation Offices are
open 8:00AM - 4:30PM,
Monday - Friday

Facilities Available to Rent or Reserve

Please contact the Auburn Recreation Department to rent or reserve any of the following facilities: 333-6611 or auburnrec@auburnmaine.gov.

HASTY GYMNASIUM: Monday-Friday, 8:00am-4:30pm \$20/hour

HASTY REC ROOM: \$25/hour
[After 5:00pm & weekends \$60/hour]

BIRTHDAY SPECIAL: Gym/Rec Room Combo \$50/hour

HASTY KITCHEN USE: \$60 (additional for birthday or other rentals)

TOT LOT PARK: Full Day Rental \$100

FESTIVAL PLAZA: No charge; application & agreement required

ANNIVERSARY PARK: No charge, application & agreement required

GULLY: No charge, application & agreement required

MUNICIPAL BEACH PICNIC SHELTERS: No charge, application & agreement only (Labor Day to Memorial Day only)

FUTSAL COURT: No charge; application and agreement required.

OUTDOOR FIELDS: Fee is pending upon type of activity, set-up or equipment needs and length of time. (Chestnut, Softball Fields, Cleveland)

MT. APATITE PARK & TRAILS: No charge, application & agreement only

SENIOR COMMUNITY CENTER:
Meeting Room - \$75/hour (minimum of 2 hours) includes 30-minute set-up and 30-minute clean-up

Banquet Room - \$150/hour (min. of 2 hours) includes 30-minute set-up and 30-minute clean-up

Full Hall - \$200/hour (min of 2 hours) includes 30-minute set-up and 30-minute clean-up

Recreation Facilities Building Use Priority

The following building use priority list will be followed when scheduling/renting out Hasty Community Center:

Recreation Programs (priority will be given to programs and activities that are designed for a specific area, i.e. basketball in the gym will take priority over a group meeting). These programs are 100% organized/run through the Recreation Department. Example; Auburn Youth Football, Adult Slow Pitch League, Auburn Rec Senior Trip.

Co-Sponsored Programs are any programs that are organized and programmed at least 50% through the Recreation Department and 50% with an instructor, organization, or local team where the funds and registrations are being collected by the Recreation Dept. but a third party instructor or organization is implementing the program. Also in this category will be any city-sponsored dept. program. Examples include Yoga, Seniors Plus, community meetings, and school-related functions.

Any local (Auburn area) community group, organization, team looking to rent the facility and is not offered through the Rec Department.

Any other external group, organization, or team looking to rent the facility for a NON-COMPETING activity or program. *The Recreation Director will have the final decision on what is considered a competing and non-competing program.*

The Auburn Senior Community Center was designed to enhance the offerings and access for Auburn's senior population (50+) to engage in healthy and active programs. The Auburn Senior Community Center will be utilized in the following capacity and priority:

Auburn Recreation programs that are designed for the senior (50+) population will have the first priority when scheduling/ booking this facility. This includes 100% Recreation programs, where the recreation staff is responsible for organizing, planning, and implementing 100% of the program.

Auburn Recreation Co-Sponsored programs that are designed for the senior (50+) population will have the second priority to schedule the facility. This includes Recreation programs that are organized and programmed at least 50% through the Recreation Department and 50% with an instructor, organization, or local group where the funds and registrations are being collected by the Recreation Department.

Any local community group, organization, or non-profit looking to offer a Senior (50+) related program FREE to the community.

Auburn Recreation program that is offered 100% through the Recreation department that is not designed for Seniors (50+) but for Auburn residents. Recreation Department fundraisers, team banquets, and other City Department events/programs would fall under this category.

Auburn Recreation Co-Sponsored programs that is not designed for the Senior (50+) population. This includes Recreation programs that are organized and programmed at least 50% through the Recreation Department and 50% with an instructor, organization, or local group where the funds and registrations are being collected by the Recreation Department.

Any local (Auburn area) community group, organization, team looking to rent the facility for an activity not currently offered through the Recreation Dept. Auburn Residents will be given priority over Non-Residents. *The Recreation Director will have the final decision on what is considered a competing and non-completing program.*

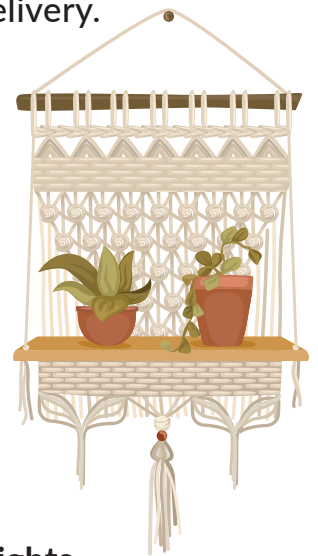
AGE-FRIENDLY PROGRAMMING (50+)

Home Activity Kits

So much fun, let's keep them going! Free for Auburn residents ages 60 and over, these activity kits are fun for everyone and can be done from home, with a small group of friends, or grandkids! Register for pickup at the Auburn Senior Community Center or delivery.

April 12th – Furry Art Velvet Poster Kit
April 26th – Crystal Hanging Suncatcher Kit
May 10th – Mason Jar Planter Kit
May 24th – Ceramic Flower Bowl Craft Kit
June 14th – Macramé Planter Kit
June 28th – Patriotic Sand Art Kit

Tuesday Pickup Time: 12:00-2:00 PM
Tuesday Delivery Time: 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Cost: Free for Auburn residents ages 60+
Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins



Drop-In Fridays

Cribbage, Mahjong, crafts – you name it! The Auburn Senior Community Center will be open with complimentary coffee, tea and plenty of games and puzzles, or you can bring your own. Get together with friends & make new ones.

April 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29
May 13 & 27
June 10 & 24

Time: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM (new time)
Cost: Free for Auburn residents, \$1.00 non-residents
Location: Auburn Senior Community Center
Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

Thursday Adult Craft Nights

Join us at the ASCC! We will be open Thursday nights with plenty of space to work on your crafts. Bring your quilting, rug braiding, paper crafts or stamps and spend time with others in your community. Space is limited and pre-registration is required.
Min: 4/Max: 20

Thursdays, 5:30pm-8:00pm

Monthly Cost: Free for residents or \$10.00 for non-residents
Location: Auburn Senior Community Center
Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

Feature Fridays in April

Running in conjunction with Drop-in Fridays, we will feature a craft, educational session, or activity on the small side of the Auburn Senior Community Center for an hour each Friday. Stop in for the session and stay for the drop in if you would like. Session schedule will be posted monthly.

Time: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Cost: Free for Auburn residents, \$1.00 non-residents. Stay for drop-in, no additional fee.
Location: Auburn Senior Community Center
Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

AGE-FRIENDLY PROGRAMMING (50+)

Tech Talks in April, May & June

Have a technology question? A device you want to know more about? This program is for you! Once a month, come chat with Donna, Adult Services Manager at the Auburn Public Library. This program will be geared around your interests in and curiosities about technology. Bring your questions and your device (laptop, tablet, phone, etc.) or use one of our iPads.

Dates: 4/8, 5/13, & 6/10 Time: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM Cost: Free

Location: Auburn Senior Community Center

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins



Seniors & APL Connect: A Reading & Discussion Group in April & May

The Auburn Senior Community Center, in partnership with the Auburn Public Library, is pleased to continue a reading and discussion book group.

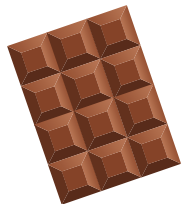
This group will meet monthly at the Auburn Senior Community Center, on the fourth Friday of each month, from 10:00-11:00 a.m. April Book: “Mill Town: Reckoning With What Remains” by Kerri Arsenault. May Book: “Everything Beautiful in its Time: Seasons of Love and Loss” by Jenna Bush Hager. Questions? Contact Jamie and Jody at the Auburn Senior Community Center or Donna at the Auburn Public Library -- 207-333-6640, ext. 4, or email dwallace@auburnpubliclibrary.org.

Dates: 4/22 & 5/27 Time: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM Cost: Free

Location: Auburn Senior Community Center

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

AGE-FRIENDLY & SENIOR TRIPS (50+)



Wilbur's of Maine Tour Trip in Freeport

Did someone say chocolate? We will head to Freeport for a tour of the candy making process at Wilbur's (with samples, of course). There will be some time to shop for your favorite sweet treats. Pre-registration is required. Min. 6/Max. 14

Date: Tuesday, April 5th Depart at 10:00 AM – returning by 1:00 PM

Cost: \$7 for Auburn residents, \$9 for non-residents. Price includes transportation and tour

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

Market Basket Shuttle to Westbrook

This is a monthly trip down to Westbrook to Market Basket to do some grocery shopping. Also nearby: Chick-fil-A (breakfast until 10:30am), The Paper Store (Hallmark), REI Co-op (outdoor sports store). We will have roughly two hours there. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14

Thursday, April 7th | Tuesday, May 3rd | Wednesday, June 29th

Time: 9:00 AM leave time – returning about 12:00 PM

Cost: \$3 for Auburn residents, \$5 for non-residents per trip. Price includes transportation.

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

AGE-FRIENDLY & SENIOR TRIPS (50+)

Colby College Museum of Art in Waterville/Big G's Deli-lunch in Winslow

The Colby College Museum of Art is a teaching museum, a destination for American art, and a place for education and engagement with local, national, and global communities. Exhibition while we are there will be Sarah Cain: hand in hand. After about an hour and a half in the museum we will head to Winslow to Big G's for lunch. Big G's was featured in the November 2005 issue of Down East Magazine as one of "150 Reasons to Give Thanks We Live in Maine". Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14

Date: Friday, April 15th Depart 9:30 AM – returning about 2:30 PM

Cost: \$3.00 for Auburn residents, \$5.00 for non-residents (lunch not included)

Price includes transportation & entrance fee museum is free

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins



Just-In-Time Recreation Bowling Trip in Lewiston

Let's go bowling! You can take the bus from the Auburn Senior Community Center OR meet up there. Once at the bowling alley, games will be \$2.00 each/shoe rental included. If you plan on taking the bus we will leave at 9:45 AM. Pre-registration is required. Min. 6/Max. 14

Date: Thursday, April 21st Time: 9:45 AM leave time

Cost: \$2.00 transportation fee (bowling, extra \$2.00 per game, includes shoe rental). Transportation only. Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

Flea Market Friday Trip

Let's do a little shopping. We will start off by doing a quick stop at Posh Emporium and Café right here in Auburn. Then we will head to The Willows Flea Market in Mechanic Falls where will have at least an hour to shop over 250 Artisans & Vendors all under 2 roof's - 3 floors in the large barn and 1 floor in the Small Barn! Surely you have worked up an appetite. We will stop for a quick bite at Egg-ceptional Restaurant in Mechanic Falls and then head to Oxford for a one-two punch. Right next to one another is Oxford Barn Flea Market and the newly opened Great Kingdom Emporium. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14.

Date: Friday, April 29th Depart 9:30 AM – returning about 3:00 PM

Cost: \$3.00 for Auburn residents, \$5.00 for non-residents (transportation only, lunch not included). Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins.

Michaels/Christmas Tree Shops/Olive Garden in Augusta

Let's see what kind of Spring surprises we can find at these two great home and craft stores! You will have about an hour at each location. Once we have worked up an appetite, we will head over to Olive Garden for a delicious Italian meal with a great family atmosphere. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14

Date: Friday, May 6th Time: 9:00 AM leave time – returning about 2:00 PM

Cost: \$5.00 for Auburn residents, \$7.00 for non-residents (transportation only, lunch not included). Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins.

AGE-FRIENDLY & SENIOR TRIPS (50+)

Maine Botanical Gardens Trip and Lunch at Taste of Maine in Woolwich

Tiptoe through the tulips at the Maine Botanical Gardens! This year, we will take a 2-hour self-guided tour around to gardens, taking in the blooms, visiting the butterfly garden, and searching for the Guardians of the Seeds. Then, we will have lunch at The Taste of Maine in Woolwich. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14

Date: Thursday, May 12th Depart 8:30 AM – returning about 4:00 PM

Cost: \$22.00 for Auburn residents, \$24.00 for non-residents (lunch not included)

Price includes transportation & entrance fee to the Botanical Gardens

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

Full Day at the Maine Botanical Gardens Trip/Hike

Join us for another magical trip to the Maine Botanical Gardens! We will take a 2-hour self-guided tour around to gardens, taking in the blooms, visiting the butterfly garden, and searching for the Guardians of the Seeds. Pack your lunch or plan to purchase something at the café on site. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14

Date: Thursday, May 12th Depart 8:30 AM – returning about 4:00 PM

Cost: \$22.00 for Auburn residents, \$24.00 for non-residents (lunch not included)

Price includes transportation & entrance fee to the Botanical Gardens

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

Sunflower Farm Creamery in Cumberland

Looking for some baby goat cuteness to brighten your day? This is the trip! We will head to Sunflower farm where the baby goats will be weeks old (days, if we are lucky). We will have an hour to play & snuggle with the goats, watch the cuteness and maybe learn a thing or two. Take a walk in the pasture and enjoy this beautiful farm. We'll end our day with a stop at Hodgman's Custard in New Gloucester. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14

Date: Thursday, May 19th Depart 12:00 PM – returning about 3:30 PM

Cost: \$12.00 for Auburn residents, \$15.00 for non-residents (custard not included)

Price includes transportation & entrance fee to Sunflower Farm

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

McLaughlin Garden Lilac Festival in South Paris

Take a guided lilac care garden tour offered at 11:30am, watch demonstrations and participate in activities, find lilac-themed gifts in the gift shop or maybe purchase a plant from the plant sale. Enjoy musical entertainment and the glorious sight and smell of the over 200-tree lilac collection. Pre-registration is required. Min. 6/Max. 28

Date: Friday, May 27 Depart 10:30 AM – returning about 1:30 PM

Cost: \$8.00 for Auburn residents, \$10.00 for non-residents.

Includes transportation & entrance fee.

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins



AGE-FRIENDLY & SENIOR TRIPS (50+)

Tabers Mini Golf and Ice Cream in Auburn

Play a round of mini golf with your friends with a view of Lake Auburn and have a small ice cream after. No experience necessary, just bring your sense of humor and a smile. We will MEET at Tabers, there will be no transportation. Pre-registration is required. Min. 6/Max. 20

Date: Tuesday, May 31st Time: 10:00 AM MEET UP TIME

Cost: \$8.00 for a round of minigolf and a small ice cream at Tabers, Auburn

No transportation provided Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins



Maine Wildlife Park Trip in Gray

Sprawling, low-key reserve nestled in the woods, featuring moose, black bears, bald eagles & more. A visit to the Maine Wildlife Park is a day filled with discovery. There are over 30 species of Maine wildlife to observe and photograph. Walk the paths (some slight inclines) and explore on your own. We will meet at the picnic tables near the entrance for lunch (ham italians, chips & water). Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 28

Date: Friday, June 3rd Depart 10:00 AM – returning about 2:30 PM

Cost: \$10.00 for Auburn residents, \$12.00 for non-residents. Includes

transportation, entrance fee & lunch. Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

Audubon's Gilsland Farm Peony Gardens in Falmouth

Audubon's headquarters features an environmental education center and a 65-acre sanctuary with more than two miles of trails winding along a pond and through forest, meadow, orchard, and salt marsh. All trails are gentle with no steep grades. The Gilsland Farm Peony Gardens are a famous and beloved feature. When they burst into bloom in June, the fragrance fills the air and the colorful flowers announce the start of summer in Maine. Feel free to pack a snack or lunch. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 28

Date: Tuesday, June 7th Depart 9:00 AM – returning about 2:00 PM

Cost: \$3.00 for Auburn residents, \$5.00 for non-residents. Price includes transportation only.

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

NorthEast Charter & Tour Co. Inc. Trip to Salem, MA

We are heading to the city known for the Salem Witch Trials. We will travel in a comfortable 56-passenger motorcoach featuring: bathroom, WIFI, DVD player & outlets. Once we arrive at the Salem Post Office at 2 Margin Street, you will be on your own to visit and explore. We will have plenty of ideas of things for you to do and places to go (and eat). We will meet back up at the Post Office at 7:00pm for our trip home. Secure your spot now with early bird pricing. Must be paid at time of booking. Pre-registration is required. Maximum 56

Date: Saturday, October 22nd (rain or shine) Depart 9:00 AM – returning about 9:00 PM

Early Bird Cost: \$40.00 for Auburn residents, \$50.00 for non-residents

After August 1: \$50.00 for Auburn residents, \$60.00 for non-residents

Price includes transportation only

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

AGE-FRIENDLY & SENIOR WELLNESS

Pickleball

Pickleball has grown so fast we can hardly keep up! This indoor program is best described as “human ping pong.” We are welcoming new players all the time, so come check it out!

Days: Tuesdays & Thursdays, April 5th – June 16th

*No Pickleball April 19th & 21st

Time: 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Cost: \$2.00 Auburn Residents, \$3.00 Non-Auburn Residents (Punch Passes Available)

Location: Hasty Community Center Coordinator: Darcey Gardiner



Walking in Ingersoll

Join us on Tuesday & Thursday mornings for some indoor exercise; walking, jogging, and skipping are all welcome around our indoor turf soccer field!

Day(s): Tuesdays & Thursdays, April 5th – June 16th

Time: 9:00am-10:00am Cost: \$1.00 per person

Location: Ingersoll Turf Facility Coordinator: Darcey Gardiner

Chair Yoga

Chair Yoga is good for people of all ages and abilities. Join instructor Emma Samson and learn the physical, mental, and emotional benefits of yoga while using a chair to assist in balance for standing poses and seated poses that can be done anywhere. Pre-registration is required. Min: 4/Max: 20. *Can't commit to a full session or just want to try it? Drop in anytime for \$10.00*

April Session: April 7, 14, 21 & 28 Time: 1:30 – 2:30 PM

\$30 residents, \$35 non-residents

May Session: May 5, 12, 19 & 26 Time: 1:30 – 2:30 PM

\$30 residents, \$35 non-residents

June Session: June 2, 9, 23 & 30 Time: 2:30 – 3:30 PM (new time)

\$30 residents, \$35 non-residents

Location: Auburn Senior Community Center Instructor: Emma Samson

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins



Outdoor Chair Yoga

Join instructor Emma Samson at Festival Plaza for outdoor chair yoga overlooking the Androscoggin River. Mats and chairs will be provided to assist in balance for standing poses and seated poses that can be done anywhere. Beginners are welcome! Pre-registration is required. Min: 5/Max: 20. *Can't commit to a full session or just want to try it? Drop in anytime for \$10.00*

May/June Session: May 31 and June 7, 21 & 28 Time: 2:30 – 3:30 PM

\$30 residents, \$35 non-residents

Location: Festival Plaza Instructor: Emma Samson

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

AGE-FRIENDLY & SENIOR WELLNESS

Gentle Yoga

Join this gentle Yoga class to either learn or continue to learn about the art of yoga. Focusing on stretching and controlled breathing, this class can offer something for all ability levels.

April 4, 11, & 25 (no class 4/18) 6:00–7:00 PM

Cost: \$10.00 for Auburn residents, \$12.00 non-residents

Location: Auburn Senior Community Center

Ages: 18+ (16+ with parent consent)

Instructor: Emma Samson

Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

Ricker Hill Sunset Yoga

We'll take a trip on our minibus to Ricker Hill in Turner for gentle yoga with Emma. Take in gorgeous views and smells of the orchard while the sun sets over the mountains.

June 13th Time: TBD Cost: \$10.00 for Auburn residents, \$12.00 non-residents

Location: Leave from Hasty Parking Lot

Ages: 18+ (16+ with parent consent)

Instructor: Emma Samson

Coordinators: Jamie Longley/Jody Collins

Maine Nature Hikes

Let's get outside and explore! Join our growing hiking group on the second and fourth Tuesdays each month at 9:00 AM leaving from the Auburn Senior Community Center in one of our mini-buses. Easy to moderate hikes, between 2.5 to 4 miles. Bring your camera, hiking stick, and walking shoes. Min: 4 /Max: 14

Cost: \$3.00 for Auburn residents, \$5.00 non-residents

Dates: 2nd and 4th Tuesdays in April, May & June (weather permitting)

Time: 9:00 AM start from the Auburn Senior Community Center

Location: Locations will be available on our website two weeks prior to the trip. Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins



Social Square Dancing

Social Square Dancing (SSD) is an excellent activity for people of all ages, requires no special skills, except walking at brisk pace and knowing left from right. Experienced dancers join each night to help new dancers learn the moves. Upon completion of the class, dancers will have the skill and knowledge to participate in dances around the state put on by one of the 10 square dance clubs. Dancers completing the SSD course may also continue learn new variations of the calls they have learned and/or new calls in a more advanced program. 90 minutes of square dancing will net you 6,000 to 9,000 steps! All the while, laughing and making new friends. There is no other exercise program this fun!

A 12 week session starts Thursday, May 12, ending August 11 (no class June 30 or July 21), 6:30-8:00. Extended lessons (for graduates) will be 8:00-9:00. Try for free, April 28 and/or May 5. Children free when accompanied by a participating parent or guardian.

Cost for 12-week session: \$60 for Auburn Residents, \$70 for Non-Residents

Cost for Drop-ins: \$6 for Auburn Residents, \$7 for Non-Residents

Dates: Thursdays May 12th- August 11th (no class 6/30 or 7/21)

Time: 6:30-8:00 PM and 8:00-9:00 PM (experienced dancers)

Location: Hasty Community Center

Instructor: Al Hipkins Coordinators: Jamie Longley and Jody Collins

ADULT & YOUNG ADULT SPORTS

Slow Pitch Softball Draft Leagues

Our Draft Leagues are an individual registration for players that get drafted by coaches in a live event in March. All players will receive a team designed jersey and batting stats will be entered into the MLS Draft website. The All-Star game and Home Run Derby events will take place at end of season.

Over 40 Major League Softball (MLS) Draft League (FULL)

Dates: Sunday Nights starting in May Cost: \$65.00 Player Registration Fee

All players will be drafted to a team by captains



Major League Softball (MLS) Draft League (FULL) Competitive 18+

Dates: Monday and Thursday nights starting in May Cost: \$100.00 Player Registration Fee *All players will be drafted to a team by captains*

Coordinator: Heath Crocker

League of Their Own (FULL)

Competitive Women's Slow Pitch Softball

Dates: Wednesday nights starting in May Cost: \$75.00 Player Registration Fee

All players will be drafted to a team by captains

Coordinator: Heath Crocker

Adult Slow Pitch Softball Leagues

Our Adult Softball Leagues start in May and finish late August.

Men's Competitive Dates: Wednesdays Cost: \$850.00

Men's Rec Upper (FULL) Dates: Tuesdays Cost: \$850.00

Men's Rec Lower Dates: Mondays Cost: \$850.00

Coed Upper/Lower Dates: Sunday 8am-12 Cost: \$600.00

Coordinator: Heath Crocker



Coed Basketball - SPRING

Coed Slowdown League (Full) Dates: Thursdays starting March

Time: 6:30-9:30 (game times vary) Cost: \$475.00

Coed Basketball - FALL

Coed Slowdown League

Dates: Sunday Nights Starting September Time: 5pm-8pm Cost: TBA

Coordinator: Heath Crocker

Summer Men's Basketball League

Men's A League (Fastbreak)

Dates: Sundays, starting in June

Time: 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (game times vary)

Cost: \$650.00 per team Age: 18+

Coordinator: Heath Crocker

Men's B League (Slowdown) (Full)

Dates: Tuesdays, starting June

Time: 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (game times vary)

Cost: \$625.00 per team Age: 30+

Coordinator: Heath Crocker

YOUTH SPORTS

Middle School Boys Lacrosse

This is the next level for our LAX program and offers an aggressive practice and game schedule to mirror that of the high school. This program will include a regular practice schedule and a full game schedule starting in late April and ending in June. Each player will sign out a reversible game jersey and game shorts that will be returned at the end of the year. Participants must provide all other necessary equipment.

Dates: April 4th – June 5th ** (Dates are subject to change)

Practice Days: 2-3 Days a Week *Schedule TBD by April

Games: Weekday Evenings & some Weekend Games *Schedule TBD by April

Cost: \$80 Resident/\$90 Non-Resident

Location: Walton (Subject to change)

Head Coach: Bill David - Volunteer Assistant Coaching Positions Available

Coordinator: Darcey Gardiner



Middle School Girls Lacrosse

NEW: Auburn Recreation is offering a middle school team for girls only! This will be a light practice and game schedule as we try our best to get this program off the ground for the first year. Each player will sign out a reversible game jersey and game shorts that will be returned at the end of the year. Participants must provide all other necessary equipment.

Dates: April 4th – June 5th ** (Dates are subject to change)

Practice Days: 2-3 Days a Week *Schedule TBD by April

Games: Weekday Evenings & some Weekend Games *Schedule TBD by April

Cost: \$80 Resident/\$90 Non-Resident

Location: TBD

Stipend Head Coach Position Available – please apply with coordinator Darcey Gardiner

3rd-6th Grade Lacrosse

Lacrosse has become one of the fastest-growing sports in the nation and teams can be found at the professional, college, high school, and recreation levels around the country. This program will include a regular practice schedule and full game schedule starting in late April and ending in June. Each age level provides its own unique approach to teaching the game, and the goal of the program is that every player leaves with more knowledge than they had when they started the season!

Dates: April 4th – June 5th ** (Dates are subject to change)

Practice Days: 2-3 Days a Week *Schedule TBD by April

Games: Home Games always be Sunday afternoons – Away games could be played on Sat/Sun

*Schedule TBD by April

Cost: \$60 resident / \$70 non-resident Practice Location: Cleveland Field

Home Game Location: St.Dom's

VOLUNTEER COACHES NEEDED!

Coordinator: Darcey Gardiner

YOUTH SPORTS

Mini Eddies Lacrosse

Dates: Saturdays, May 6th- June 4th (no clinic May 28th)

Times: 10-11AM Cost: \$50/\$60

Location: Cleveland Ave Field (off of Minot Ave)

Lead Instructor/Coach: Allie Belaire Coordinator: Darcey Gardiner

Indoor Youth Soccer

Ingersoll Turf Facility will be teaming up with Auburn Recreation coaches and past/present ELHS soccer players to help instruct your little athlete in the beginning skills and drills of the game of soccer. Athletes will receive their own soccer jersey and ball to keep and use during the season. Athletes should dress warm, bring their own water bottle and a pair of sneakers/plastic cleats to change into. Mouth guards & shin guards will not be required but are encouraged to get your soccer player used to wearing them!

Sunday afternoons, March 27th – May 8th (6wks, no class Easter Sunday)

Times: 2:00-2:45pm - Ages 3-5 3:00-3:45pm - Ages 6-8

Cost: \$65; Non-Resident \$75

Max Enrollment: 30/session Min: 15/session Coordinator: Darcey Gardiner

Indoor Youth Soccer League

This league will be a nice warm up after a long, cold winter for your son or daughter to get ready for the outdoor soccer season. Athletes will be playing shortened, 6v6 games half-field games within a one-hour time limit. Teams will be assigned by recreation staff, with high school players and volunteers as coaches/officials. If you would like to volunteer to coach, please reach out to Darcey for more information: Dgardiner@auburnmaine.gov

When: Sunday, April 24th – May 22nd (5 weeks)

Divisions: Girls: Ages 9 & 10 – 11 & 12 Boys: Ages 9 & 10 – 11 & 12

Times: 9:00-2:00pm (Subject to Change)

Where: Ingersoll Turf Facility Min. 24/Max. 30/division

Coordinator: Darcey Gardiner

Auburn Recreation Spring Football League

This brand-new program will be a great 8-week warm-up for fall football or a starter for those who might be interested in getting into football. We will have a flag football game once a week and work on skills like tackling during the 1-hr./week practice. This program will be run but Edward Little Football and Auburn Recreation Coaching Staff.

Location: Cleveland Field Divisions: 3rd-5th Grade & 6th - 8th Grade

Practices: Saturdays starting 4/23, 4:00-5:00pm

Games: Sundays starting 4/24, 4:00-6:00pm

Ends: June 19th (No practice/games Memorial Day weekend)

Cost: \$80 / Non-Resident \$90

Coach: CJ Jipson Coordinator: Darcey Gardiner



YOUTH SPORTS



Youth Football Grades 3rd - 6th

Practices will start the week of August 16th. This is a tackle football program. Volunteer coaches are needed!

Head 3/4 Coach: Brendan Fontaine Head 5/6 Coach: Dale Brown
Coordinator: Darcey Gardiner

Auburn Rec Co-Ed Flag Football

We are excited to welcome back Flag Football for grades K-2 as an in-house 5v5 League! Coaches will teach your children the basics of football, and they will hold parent meetings on the first day of practice. This league will start in September! Coordinator: Darcey Gardiner

Summer Cheer Camps

K-4th Grade June 20th-June 24th 5th-8th Grade June 27th – July 1st

Time: 5:30-7:30PM Cost: \$40/\$50

Location: Hasty Community Center (Gym MON, WED-FRI/Rec Room TUE)

Lead Instructor/Coach: Crystal Kirk Coordinator: Dawna Daigle/Sara Perry

Track & Field

Practices: Mondays & Wednesdays June 13th-August 3rd

Meets: Thursdays (specific dates/locations to be announced)*

Cost: \$50/\$60** Location: Edward Little High School Track

*Cost of program includes the meet fees

**Participants are responsible for their USATF membership cost

Instructor/Coach: Angie Jalbert Coordinator: Dawna Daigle/Sara Perry



CHILDCARE PROGRAMS

Vacation Camp

Bring the kids to camp during a week of school vacation. Located right here at the Hasty Community Center, the kids will participate in organized activities ranging from individual activities to team sports. Lunches and snacks are NOT included. There are COVID protocols in-place. We will be following guidelines that have been approved for our Summer Day Camp program.



April Vacation: \$100

Times: 7AM-5:30PM

Location: Hasty Community Center

Coordinator: Sara Perry

CHILDCARE PROGRAMS & EVENTS

Summer Camp 2022

Auburn Rec camp is an 8-week day camp that provides free breakfast and lunch. Trips will depend on what is available for transportation. This is a summer day camp. Staff are background checked, trained on CPR/First aid and mandating reporting, most staff are age 16-30. We ensure all sites have veteran leadership staff and counselors to help guide younger staff. If your child has special needs, please note that ratios are the following: Pre-K & K 1:6, 1st-6th 1:8, 7th & 8th 1:10. Expectations will be the same for ALL campers, our camp code of conduct will be provided along with other paperwork the first day of camp. COVID-19 details will be emailed to all participants that are signed up by May 1st. **June 27- August 18/19.**

1st & 6th (MAX 80 each site) Program runs Mon-Fri 7:30-5:30PM

Cost: \$800 / \$900 Locations : Walton/Park Avenue or AMS

KINDER CAMP: Pre-K/K (MAX 20) Program runs Mon-Fri 7:30-3PM

Cost: \$450/\$550 Location: Hasty Community Center Classrooms

TEEN CAMP: 7th & 8th (MAX 30) Program runs Mon-Thurs 7:30-5:30PM- up to 3 trips per week. Cost: \$800/\$900 Location: Ingersoll Turf

Coordinator: Sara Perry

Fishing Derby

Date: May 28

8 & Under 7AM-9AM (Awards 9-9:15AM)

9-15 Years Old 9:30-11:30PM (Awards 11:30-11:45AM)

CHECK IN STARTS 30-MINUTES PRIOR TO START TIME

Cost: \$5 per child – available online or in-person day of event

Pettengill Park Lead Instructor/Coach: Greg LaBonte Coordinator: Dawna Daigle/Sara Perry



Spring Celebration

Easter Basket pick-up and Pictures with Mr. Bunny

Date: Saturday April 16, 10-12PM

Cost: FREE TO AUBURN RESIDENTS

Location: Pettengill Park (Outside Hasty Community Center) Coordinator: Sara Perry

Maine Backyard Camp Out 2022

JULY is National Parks and Recreation Month! The Maine Recreation and Parks Association is teaming up with Auburn Recreation and other communities to celebrate the BEST and SAFEST way we know how...with a MAINE BACKYARD CAMPOUT! Register early and the first 20 families will receive a FREE Backyard Camping Kit!



Alternative Camping Solutions for those without tents: cooking activities, backyard scavenger hunts, games, microwave smores and so much more! #MaineBackYardCampOut

Date: July 8th – 10th

Coordinator: Sara Perry

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Ingersoll Turf Facility

Come inside and play!

Ingersoll Turf Facility features approximately 20,000 sq feet of in-filled turf surface along with two batting cages. The main field surface is 94' by 186', providing ample space for practice, training, and nearly any activity that is traditionally done outdoors.

Our competitive rates make this space accessible to nearly every team, organization and user group across central and southern Maine! Consider Ingersoll Turf Facility for all your recreational needs.

PEAK SEASON RENTALS (October-April)

Prime Time (full field)	\$165
Non-Prime Time (full field)	\$120
Prime Time (half field)	\$110
Non-Prime Time (half field)	\$80
Batting Cage (no machine)	\$35
Batting Cage (w/machine)	\$45

NON- PEAK RENTALS (May-September)

Prime Time (full field)	\$110
Non-Prime Time (full field)	\$80
Prime Time (half field)	\$75
Non-Prime Time (half field)	\$55
Batting Cage (no machine)	\$25
Batting Cage (w/machine)	\$30

VISIT AUBURNMAINE.GOV FOR MORE INFO

Norway Savings Bank Arena

For all updates on schedules, times and prices, please visit www.norwaysavingsbankarena.com or email rberube@auburnmaine.gov.

FREE SKATE: Free Skate sessions (also known as "Public Skate" or "Open Skate") are currently available on Sunday afternoons at 3:50pm. These \$5 sessions are for everyone! Young and old, hockey or figure - practice your skills or just skate for fun! Additional \$5 for skate rental. *Note: Free Skate time/days change each season, so please check in and watch for updates!

SHINNY: Shinny Hockey is a \$10 drop-in organized scrimmage. Open to all ages unless otherwise specified. The live shinny schedule can be found on our website: www.norwaysavingsbankarena.com.

FREESTYLE: Freestyle is a practice session specifically for figure skaters to take private lessons or to prepare for tests and competitions. schedule can be found on our website: www.norwaysavingsbankarena.com. Email kwomack220@gmail.com with questions.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES: Host your birthday party at the coolest place in town! Parties can be scheduled during existing Public Skating sessions or as your own private rental. Enjoy skating and a sectioned off portion of the Mezzanine for cake and gifts. Contact Robbie Berube at rberube@auburnmaine.gov for availability and a custom quote.

COMMUNITY CONNECTION



Neighborhood Watch

Join the Auburn Police Department for a Neighborhood Watch meeting near you to talk about any park issues, provide suggestions or input on the playground designs or suggest programming!

Contact the Auburn Police Department for more information on Neighborhood Watch: 207.333.6650



Friends of Mt. Apatite

Friends of Mt. Apatite is made up of local outdoor enthusiasts who use the various trails and open spaces at Mt. Apatite year-round. FOMA meets monthly to cover a wide variety of topics including access to the trails, signage, trail improvements, park rules, parking etc. Contact Jeremy Gatcomb, Recreation Director, 333-6611 or jgatcomb@auburnmaine.gov.

GET INVOLVED

The Auburn Parks & Recreation Advisory Board is a committee appointed by the city council that is responsible for providing the Recreation Department, city staff and city council with advice on planning and development for rec programs and spaces. The Board is currently working on several initiatives and projects and need the communities help and support. If you are looking for a way to get involved, but don't have the time to commit to a more formal board try joining one of the various workgroups or projects, such as: the Tot Lot Workgroup, Lake Grove Park Workgroup, Friends of Mount Apatite, Public Art and Art in the Park.

If something listed above does not spark your interest, there are several other committees and boards that may be a better fit:

- Age Friendly Community Committee
- Sustainability & Natural Resource Management Board
- Conservation Working Group
- Complete Streets Committee
- PAL Board of Directors

A full list of Auburn's many boards, committees & commissions can be found at: www.auburnmaine.gov/Pages/Government/Boards-and-Committees

Auburn Recreation Policies and Procedures 2022

Registration: Registration can occur either in person at the Recreation Department [Hasty Community Center 48 Pettengill Park Road] OR online at <https://secure.rec1.com/ME/auburn-me/catalog>

Registration Process: Pre-registration and pre-payment are required for all classes. Programs registrations are accepted in person, mail, online, or over the phone. Payment is expected prior to the start of the program. Individuals may register their own family and one other family for programs unless we have specified otherwise.

Payment: Full payment is required at the time of registration for classes \$50 and under. For programs \$51 - \$100, a minimum of 50% payment at the time of registration is required along with a signed payment plan. For programs \$101 or more there is a minimum \$50 payment at the time of registration required along with a signed payment plan or arrangements to make payment in full before the start of the program.

Payment Plan Policy: Payment Plans are available for programs \$50 or more. These are 90-120 day payment plans and can only be set up in person, in the office. When an account with an outstanding balance doesn't show any payment past 90 days, it will be sent to collections. If you are on a payment plan and stop/miss a payment without communicating with us, we may deny or remove the participant from the activity. If you are on a payment plan and would like to register for a new program, your balance must be under \$200 before registration and new payment plan can occur.

Non-Residents: Participants who do not live in Auburn must pay an additional fee of \$5-100 per class/program (price depends on the program). This includes senior citizen non-residents, unless otherwise specified.

Confirmations: We do not send course confirmations or reminders of enrollment. If you register for a program and do not receive a call from us, you have been accepted into the class and are responsible for knowing class dates, times, and location.

Refunds: If we cancel a class or special event, all fees will be refunded. If you withdraw 3 business days before the first class or one-time event (excluding weekends & holidays), you will receive a full refund. If you withdraw fewer than 3 business days before the first class or one-time event, you will receive a 50% refund. No refunds will be given if you cancel after the class or the one-time event has taken place (unless specified by program coordinator). If you are dissatisfied with a program after the first class of a session, you must let us know before the second class of the session. We will issue a 50% refund at this time. Refunds take about 5-7 business days to process. We do not provide cash refunds. If injury occurs to a participant that prevents the participant from continuing in a class, you may request a pro-rated refund of the activity fee.

Trip Refund: If Auburn Recreation cancels a trip we will refund all fees to the participant. If the participant notifies us 3 or more business days before the scheduled trip we will issue a full refund unless otherwise noted in the brochure. If the participant notifies us fewer than 3 business days before the scheduled trip we will issue a 50% refund. No refunds will be given the day of the trip or after the trip is held.

Inclusion: Auburn Recreation provides reasonable accommodations to qualified individuals with disabilities. In order to accommodate your needs, a request must be made at least 10 days prior to the first day of the program. We ask for a request 14-21 days prior if this is a child participant and/or a possible meeting with program coordinator to ensure the program is appropriate and safe for your child.

Diversity & Equality: Auburn Recreation is committed to fostering, cultivating and preserving a culture of diversity, equity and inclusion. We embrace and encourage our employees' and participants differences in age, color, disability, ethnicity, family or marital status, gender identity or expression, language, national origin, physical and mental ability, race, religion, sexual orientation, veteran status, and other characteristics that make our employees and participants unique.

Discounts: Auburn Recreation does NOT offer a senior discount, sibling discount, or family discount for classes as we attempt to make the classes as low and affordable as possible.

NEW Weather Policy: The Recreation Department has the right to close facilities and/or cancel/postpone or relocate activities at Recreation facilities for public safety in the event of any storm /heat index warnings issued. Cancellations, postponements and relocation of activities will be done in a timely manner. Emergency alert warnings may require prompt cancellations. Depending on the type of weather event and impact, staff will communicate via email, word of mouth, posting on the website, or other media sources regarding any cancellation/postponing information. Cancellations due to temperature may occur IF: outside temperature of 30 degrees or lower (if there is a possibility of icy roads/bad driving conditions), or outside temperature with a heat index of 100 degrees or higher.

NEW Refunds due to Illness: If you or your child are ill, PLEASE stay home. If the program registered for is 1-5 days in-length and the person(s) will be missing the full program, they will be offered 100% refund or credit. Communication MUST be withing 24 hours of the start of the program, if possible. There will be no prorated registration fees for programs that are 6 or more days or that the person has attended partially. Please understand these protocols are in-place for the safety of others and will remain in place indefinitely.

**At Auburn Recreation, our mission is:
To promote a healthy lifestyle through various
recreational activities focused on enhancing
the wellbeing of all Auburn citizens.**



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