

ALVIN *Adventure* GUIDE

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PARKS AND
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Have a talent you would like to share?
We are always looking for new and fun
instructors to start new programs! To
submit your program idea or to find out
more about teaching, contact
Michelle Nesrsta at 281-388-4327 or
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The Friends of Alvin Park Foundation

A non-profit 501C-3 organization, is established to benefit the Alvin Parks and Recreation Department. Want to contribute to the Quality of Life in Alvin? Donations can be made to the Foundation on behalf of yourself or in memory of a loved one. Call 281-388-4299 for more information.

As a partner with The City of Alvin Parks and Recreation Department, Alvin ISD is distributing the following information to our students.

Staying Informed

Registration for programs & events:
www.booking.ca/bkalvinrecreationpub

Parks & Recreation Social Media:
www.facebook.com/alvinparksandrecreation/
www.twitter.com/AlvinParks
www.youtube.com Channel: Alvin Parks & Recreation

City of Alvin:
www.facebook.com/cityofalvingov
www.twitter.com/cityofalvintx
www.alvin-tx.gov

How to Sign up for E-Alerts
Go to www.alvin-tx.gov, Click on Online Services
Select Event & Recreation News

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Alvin Parks and Recreation Department is to provide consistent superior service to all Alvin community members in the areas of Recreation, Administration, Park and Facility Maintenance as well as through the Alvin Senior Center.



Special Interests

Home Buying 101

We will thoroughly discuss how to get a mortgage. The topics we will touch on will include minimum credit score and items needed from you to be fully qualified for a home loan. We will introduce our down payment assistance programs as well as discuss the do's and don'ts that revolve around purchasing property of your own. Other topics to be covered will include how to pick the right price range, finding the home that matches your needs and loan types as well as apps you can download to make the process easy and stress free.

Date: June 14
Time: 6 pm
Fee: \$5
Location: Alvin Senior Center

Handgun License Class

Upon successful completion of this class, students will be able to apply for a Texas Handgun License recognized in 36 states. Class covers all state required topics, Basic Firearms Safety, Safe Handling and Storage, Non-Violent Dispute Resolution, Use of Force Laws, Civil and Criminal Liability (Texas Law Shield presentation), and Texas Handgun Laws. All students must successfully complete a written test and live fire qualification. Students should be familiar with their pistol and know how to operate it safely. Accommodations can be made for those needing additional assistance or encouragement. Range fee, targets, and safety equipment are included. Rental handguns are available.

Additional State Fees, Paperwork & Fingerprinting Required

Visit www.goheeled.com/apr for more info
One Session Required to Obtain Certification

Session I

Date: June 25

Session II

Date: July 23

Session III

Date: August 27

Time: 4 - 9:30 pm

Fee: \$79

Location: Big Kountry Shooting Range
1204 FM 1462

Essential Oils

Spring is in the Air

Ah-Choo! Has pollen and other seasonal annoyances gotcha down? In this Springtime class, come learn how to use Essential Oils to tackle those issues for both babies and adults. *This class will be making 2-3 items utilizing Essential Oils that you will be taking home.

Date: April 28
Time: 7 pm
Fee: \$15
Location: Alvin Depot

Surviving Summer without Toxic Chemicals

Texas heat can be brutal! In this summer themed class, we will explore Essential Oils to tame the summer heat, cool you off and help you enjoy outdoor family time away from pesky critters. As always, the options discussed will be toxic free and safe for the WHOLE family.

*This class will be making 2-3 items utilizing Essential Oils that you will be taking home.

Date: June 11
Time: 10 am
Fee: \$15
Location: Alvin Depot

Back to School with Essential Oils

Ready for the stress of homework, germs being shared and tests that need to be taken? Send the kids back to school prepared! In this class, you will learn how Essential Oils can help Parents, Teachers and Students get their year off to a great start! We will go over oils that can help your student with concentration and focus, as well as oils that support the Immune System and more!

*This class will be making 2-3 items utilizing Essential Oils that you will be taking home.

Date: August 2
Time: 7 pm
Fee: \$15
Location: Alvin Depot

Register for all three classes save 10%



WSI Certification

The Alvin Parks and Recreation Department is offering a Red Cross Water Safety Instructor Certification Course. This class will give you the skills to work as a Learn to Swim instructor. You must be at least 17 years old to take this course. Limited space available, register early. Please contact the Parks and Recreation office for more information. 281-388-4299.

Date: May 13 - 16
Time: Fri. & Mon. 4 - 9pm
Sat. & Sun. 8 am - 6 pm
Fee : \$200
Location: Bob S Owen Municipal Pool
Online training is apart of this course

Lifeguard Certification

The Alvin Parks and Recreation Department is offering a Red Cross Lifeguard Certification Course May 6 - 9. This blended learning class will give you the life saving skills to work as a Lifeguard. Learn CPR/First Aid rescue techniques and more. You must be at least 16 years old to be employed by the City of Alvin. Limited space available, register early. Please contact the Parks and Recreation office for more information. 281-388-4299.

Date: May 6 -9
Time: Fri. & Mon. 4 -9 pm, Sat. & Sun. 6 - 9 pm
Fee : \$150
Location: Bob S Owen Municipal Pool
Online portion must be completed before start date

Music Lessons

Classically trained violin and piano teacher. Teaches anything you need from bare knowledge to reviewing students. I believe in being able to understand everything about your instrument and about a piece of music. I require you to have a

notebook and an instrument to practice on. We will go from there!

Fee: \$165 1/2 hr 6 weeks
\$264 1 hr 6 weeks
Location: Alvin Senior Center
Times for this program vary please call to set up your private lesson 281-388-4299.

Outdoor Programs



Fruit Tree Insects & Diseases

Learn the What, When, Wheres, and Whys of fruit tree insects and diseases

Date: May 7
Time: 9 - 11 am
Fee: \$18
Location: Froberg's Tree Nursery

City of Alvin Community Garden

The City of Alvin community garden is a place for the community to gather and enjoy the fruits of our labor! We encourage the entire community young and old to come and volunteer. For each hour you volunteer you will receive 1 pound of "fruit" ! To be a part of something bigger sign up today to volunteer!

Family Outdoor Adventure

This 2 hour outdoor adventure will feature family friendly activities for ages 5 and up! Join us for bird watching, animal tracking, and try out archery! The day would not be complete with out s'mores and a campfire!

Date: July 16
Time: 6 - 8 pm
Fee: \$20.00 per family
Location:

Fall Planting Day - September 24 at 9 am
Garden Club - 3rd Saturday of each month
Harvest Days will be announced as the garden grows.

To register to volunteer call 281-388-4299

Art Programs

Youth Art

Mother's Day Projects

Each child will create up to four Mother's Day cards and one special keepsake painting craft using their handprint. All supplies are included. (Children under age 6 must have an adult caregiver to assist)

Date: May 7
Time: 10 am - 12 pm
or 1 - 3 pm
Ages: 3 & up
Fee: \$15
Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon

Father's Day Projects

Each child will create up to four Father's Day cards and one special keepsake painting craft using their handprint. (Children under age 6 must have an adult caregiver to assist)

Date: June 18
Time: 10 am - 12 pm
or 1 - 3 pm
Ages: 3 & up
Fee: \$15
Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon

Painting on Canvas: Summer Fireworks

An experienced art instructor will guide children in painting a summer fireworks scene on canvas. Children will learn how to prepare their workspace, use and care of tools and proper clean up as part of this fun workshop.

Date: June 25
Time: 10 - 11:30 am
Ages: 8 & up
Fee: \$30
Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon

Painting on Canvas: Sandcastle on the Beach

An experienced art instructor will guide children in painting a sandcastle on canvas. Children will learn how to prepare their workspace, use and care of tools and proper clean up as part of this fun workshop.

Date: July 23
Time: 10 - 11:30 am
Ages: 8 & up
Fee: \$30
Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon

Paint Your Pet's Portrait

Each pet will be pre-sketched for the artist. Kids will then be guided in painting techniques to complete the painting. Children will learn how to prepare their workspace, use and care of tools and proper clean up as part of this fun workshop. *All registrants must register by June 30 and provide Gander Studio a color photo of their pet, with the face as the prominent feature.

Date: August 15
Time: 10 - 11:30 am
Ages: 8 & up
Fee: \$35
Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon

Confections for Kids with Melissa from 3 Messy Bakers

Cookie Decorating

Children will learn to decorate cookies using a method they can easily take home & use again to impress friends and family. Basic use of tools and food safety will be discussed. Each child will decorate several cookies to take home & enjoy.

Date: June 22
Time: 1 - 3 pm
Ages: 6 & up
Fee: \$15
Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon

Cupcake Decorating

Children will learn to decorate cupcakes using basic decorating techniques. Basic use of tools and food safety will be discussed. Each child will decorate several cupcakes to take home & enjoy.

Date: July 20
Time: 1 - 3 pm
Ages: 6 & up
Fee: \$15
Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon

Cake Decorating

Children will learn to decorate a small cake using basic cake decorating techniques. Basic use of tools and food safety will be discussed. Each child will decorate a small round cake to take home & enjoy.

Date: August 10
Time: 1 - 3 pm
Ages: 6 & up
Fee: \$15
Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon



Adult Art

Paint & Sip!: Wooden Sign

You'll create your choice of a wooden sign.

Kitchen: Many Have Eaten Here, Few Have Died

Laundry: Self Service Laundry Open 24 Hours

Home: Home or Love, substituting a silhouette of the State of Texas for the "o" Stencils provided for all signs. BYOB, food, and snacks welcome. (Participants will have time to make up to 2 projects)

Date: June 13

Time: 6 - 9 pm

Ages: 18 & up

Fee: \$35 per project

Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon

Paint & Sip! Summer Door Hanger

You'll paint 1 of 4 cute summer designs on wood.

Choices are: Popsicle, Anchor, Beach Ball, Mason Jar (must be requested at time of registration). Stencils provided. Participants may request custom stencils if request is provided to Gander Studio by June 22.

BYOB, food, and snacks welcome.

Date: June 24

Time: 6 - 9 pm

Ages: 18 & up

Fee: \$35

Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon

Paint & Sip!: Wine Glass & Beer Steins

Come create custom wine glasses or beer steins. You will be able to paint two with a design completely your own! We will have an Idea Board with lots of inspiration to get you started. Included will be instructions on curing your glasses so you may enjoy them & drink from them! BYOB, food, and snacks welcome.

Date: July 22

Time: 6 - 9 pm

Ages: 18 & up

Fee: \$35

Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon

Paint & Sip!: Mixed Media Bird

This workshop is a little bit collage, a little bit mosaic, a little bit painting, and a whole lot of fun. You will be creating beautiful mixed media bird on Canvas. BYOB, food, and snacks welcome.

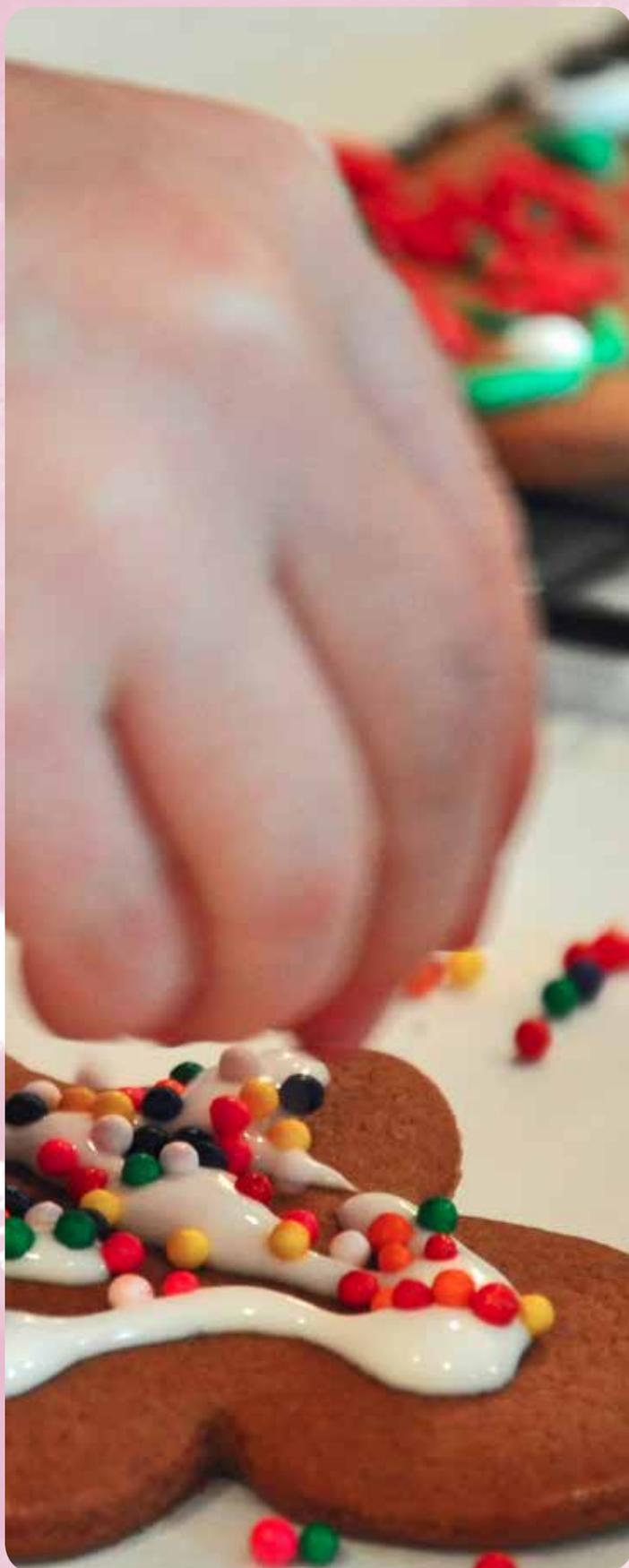
Date: August 19

Time: 6 - 9 pm

Ages: 18 & up

Fee: \$35

Location: Gander Studio, 415 S. Gordon



Summer Camps

TOT Summer Camp



TOT camp is a unique basketball ball handling and dribbling camp for kids 3-6 years of age (Pk3 and Kdg.) TOT kids use their

imagination to improve agility, fine and gross motor skills and coordination. TOT classes include Games, Skills, Crafts, Education and Movement. Basketballs, a variety of manipulatives, and fun music are used in each theme based action packed lesson. Hurry and sign up. Class sizes are limited!

Session 1

Date: June 6 - 9

Dino-mite Camp/Dinosaur Themed

Session 2

Date: July 11 - 14

Summer Fun/Cowboy/Americana/All Star Athletes Themed

Session 3

Date: August 1 - 4

Camp TOT is Out of This World/Space Themed

Time: 9 - 10am

Fee: \$55 per session/ camp

Location: Girl Scout House

Next Level Speed and Agility Camp

Are you ready to level the playing field! This two week camp taught by former NFL player Reggie Rusk, owner of Next Level sports, will have you running faster, reaction time quicker, and improve agility. This two week camp is designed with athletes of all sports in mind and will help improve your game! Athletes will run drills, condition and gain confidence! This camp will bring your summer to the Next Level!

Date: June 13 - 23 Mon., Tues., Thurs.

Time: 5:30 - 7 pm

Ages: 5-12

Fee: \$120 Early bird (by May 31)

\$130 Ask about a sibling discount

Location: Briscoe Park

Tennis Tykes

Is your little one ready to "ace" summer? Are you ready to start them in a sport that they can play for life? Then join us for Tennis Tykes where players will learn fundamentals like serving and returning, proper racquet handling, conditioning and most importantly a love of the sport! Each two week session is taught by USPTA certified coaches and will be tailored to each individual ability. Participants will be paired with players to compete in matches. Tennis Tykes will allow your little one to serve summer a ..game...set...match!

Session 1

Date: June 6 - 16

Time: 9 - 10 am Mon. - Thurs.

or 6 - 7 pm Mon. - Thurs.

Session 2

Date: June 20 - 30

Time: 9 - 10 am Mon. - Thurs.

or 6 - 7 pm Mon. - Thurs.

Fee: \$115.00 per camp Ages 5-12

Location: AHS Tennis Courts

Survival Tactics Boot Camp

Wrapped in games and adventure, unique challenges await your child. During survival situations, the four basic needs become shelter, water, fire, and food. By introducing basic techniques, your child will learn how to purify water, signal for help, search for edible food, set up shelter and even learn Army chants! Our team Survival games will keep the training light and fun! Designed for children 8-12, this class is essential for kids who like to work and play outside! Enlist now before it's too late!

Date: June 6th-10th

Time: 2 - 4 pm

Ages: 8 - 12

Fee: \$95

Location: Girl Scout House



Theater Camp

Camp activities include a talent show, painting sets and a dress rehearsal with a performance on Friday! The camp is designed for the beginning actor to experience the thrill of being on stage, being challenged with memorizing lines, remembering when to move and where to go. Participants will learn to be part of a theater team, to learn basic fundamentals of theater and acting, and learn the basics about sets, costumes, makeup and stage directions. The final stage is a production of their play Descendants and Star Wars for family and friends on the final day of the class. Children bring their own lunch, snacks and drinks each day .

Date: June 6 - 10

Time: 9 am - 4 pm Mon. - Fri.*

**Show will take place at the Purple Box Theater limited tickets available and will be based on the number of students*

Ages: 5-12

Fee: \$150

Location: Girl Scout House

Camp G - Art Day Camp

Immerse your child in four fun-filled days, packed with art projects, lessons about famous artists, tips on setting up an organized art area at home, and fun art projects to make throughout the summer. All kids will experience painting with acrylics, watercolor, creating a mosaic, 3-D projects, using recycled and found objects in art, and more. Day Camp for both age groups will take place at the same time, but the two groups will create separately. A healthy snack will be served each day. If your child has any food allergies, please plan accordingly. On day 1, please bring an old, adult size button down, solid color shirt to decorate & use as their paint shirt throughout the week. Thursday, 6/16- Artist Showcase at Noon. Parents, friends, & family are invited to come to view the children's artwork.

Group 1: Ages 5 - 8, min. 5, max. 10

Group 2: Artistically mature age 8 & up, min. 5, max. 10

Date: June 13 - 16 or July 11 - 14

Time: 9 am - 12 pm

Ages: 5 and up

Fee: \$100

Location: Gander Studios 415 S Gordon

Lego Mania

No builder can say "Lego my Lego!" when engaged in the creative activities of LEGO MANIA! "Zillions" of pieces ensure that there is always enough Lego's for everyone! This innovative program for Lego buffs provides opportunities for imagination and hands-on learning under the guidance of a certified educator. Over 15 new games, projects, and activities not found in stores, will be planned and engineered. Enrichment in the areas of personal creativity, following instructions, eye-hand coordination, problem solving, critical thinking and learning will be experienced as your child has the opportunity to construct dinosaurs, rockets, castles, airplanes, forts, cars and much more.

Date: June 6 - 10

Time: 9 - 11 am

Ages: 4 - 7

Fee: \$95

Location: Girl Scout House

Lego Logo

Lego Logo will bring your child into a creative and engineering environment that will develop him/her into a little technician! Hands-on construction is learned and executed with our special and unique Lego Logo kits not found in stores. With our certified educator and detailed technical plans; your child will learn how to build robots, racecars, four-by-four trucks, cranes, pulleys, levers and much more. Your child will participate in an energized week of discovery, motivated by creativity, fun and success. The young builder will expand his/her knowledge in math, science and technology in an exploratory cooperative environment.

Date: June 6 - 10

Time: 11:30 am - 2 pm

Ages: 8 - 12

Fee: \$95

Location: Girl Scout House

Summer Camps

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Intro to Ju Jitsu:

Guerra's House of Warriors Summer Camp is an intense 4 day Program created specifically for children between the ages of 5-14 years old. The camp training is set up to build campers self esteem, teach anti-bullying techniques, and self-defense. The curriculum is designed for all levels of students. This allows easy adaptability for students and non-members. Current and advanced students are also given the opportunity to learn new techniques that they can incorporate in their regular training and competitions. Each day of camp is compacted into a 3.5 hour program with multiple water breaks, a mid-session motivational speech while the students snack (the snack is fruit supplied by the Camp) and summed up by a selected student demonstration and re-cap by the Coach/Sensei.

Date: June 13 - 16
Time: 8:30 am - 12 pm
Ages: 5-14
Fee: \$99
Location: Guerra's House of Warriors

Intro to MMA

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Date: July 18 - 21
Time: 8:30 am - 12 pm
Ages: 5-14
Fee: \$99.00
Location: Guerra's House of Warriors

Sports



Adult Kickball

Kick it with us every Sunday this Summer in an Adult Co-ed Kickball League! Grab your friends and family and create a team! Have a ball creating your team name, unique uniform, and lots of outdoor fun. You must be at least 17 years old to play. Each team will need to consist of equal numbers of males and females with no less than 10 on a team and no more than 20 on a team. A team manager will need to be appointed for each team. A final roster will need to be set by the third week of play.

Summer Season

Date: June 5 - August 7
Playoff August 14
Games on Sunday afternoon
(no games June 21 or July 3)
Fee: \$300 per team
Location: Morgan Park

Adult Flag Football

Are you ready for some Football! Join us for our Men's 8 on 8 Flag Football League. The league will run for six weeks followed by a single elimination playoff. T-shirts and trophies will go to the top two teams in each division. Games are played on Thursdays for the Division. Games will start at 6:30pm and will run every hour on the hour with a start time no later than 9:30, and will follow Texas Amateur Athletic Federation (T.A.A.F.) Flag Football rules. All games will be played at Briscoe Park. If you do not have a team and would like to play call 281-388-4299 to sign up to be a free agent.

Date: Thursdays, June 11-July 30th
No Games July 2nd
Playoff July 30th
Time: 6:30 - 9:30 pm
at scheduled game time
Fee: \$240
\$20 Ref Fee per game per team
Location: Briscoe Park Football Field

Aquatics



Learn to Swim Fees

Parent Child \$35 (Resident)
& Preschool: \$45 (Non-Resident)
Levels I-VI: \$45 (Resident)
 \$55 (Non-Resident)
Private Lesson: \$70 (Residents)
 \$90 (Non-Resident)
One Week Refresher Classes *NEW*
(not a certificate class)
 \$35 (Resident)
 \$45 (Non-Resident)

Learn to Swim schedule is listed on page 12.

Free Pool Fridays Hosted by Stephen F Austin Clinic

Nothing is better than a refreshing dip in the pool on a hot dayunless its free admission! Thanks to SFA Clinic, Free Pool Fridays are back! Enjoy complimentary admission during open swim
Open swim hours 12:30 - 6 pm
Friday, July 8
Friday, July 15
Friday, July 22

Aquatic Programs

2 Hot Tuesdays

It's summer in Texas ..its going to be HOT! Cool off with us every Tuesday this summer for 2 Hot Tuesday! Enjoy \$2 admission to the Bob S Owen pool and late open swim hours. (Starts June 9)

Normal Open swim hours:

12:30 - 6 pm

Extended open swim hours for

2 Hot Tuesday

7 - 10 pm

All Day Tuesday \$2 Admission

Lap Swim

This program will close on May 26 and re-open September 6



Aquatics

Learn to Swim

As a parent, enrolling your children in swim lessons is one of the most important decisions you can make for you and your child. Our staff includes American Red Cross Water Safety Instructors with an extensive aquatic background who are trained to effectively teach you and your child how to swim and be safe in a water environment. Whether you

are trying to get your infant acquainted with water for the first time or perfect your child's strokes, there is a class for you. Check out the course descriptions on the following page to evaluate which level best fits your needs. Class registration opens on April 18 online or starting at 7 am in the Recreation office at 1100 W Hwy 6.

Refresher Classes: May 23 - 26

Level I Refresher	Mon. - Thur.	4 - 4:50 pm
Level II Refresher	Mon. - Thur.	4 - 4:50 pm
Level I Refresher	Mon. - Thur.	5 - 5:50 pm
Level II Refresher	Mon. - Thur.	5 - 5:50 pm

Session 1: May 23 - June 3

Parent & Child	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:25 pm
Preschool	Mon. - Thur.	6:30 - 6:55 pm
Level I	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:50 pm
Level II	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:50 pm
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:25 pm
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	6:30 - 6:55 pm
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:25 pm
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	6:30 - 6:55 pm

Session 2: June 6 - 16

Parent & Child	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:25 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:25 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:25 pm
Preschool	Mon. - Thur.	10:30 - 10:55 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11:30 - 11:55 am
Level I	Mon. - Thur.	6:30 - 6:55 pm
	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:50 pm
Level II	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:50 pm
Level III	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:50 pm
Level IV	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:50 pm
Level V	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:50 am
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:25 am
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:55 am
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:25 am
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Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:25 am
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:55 am
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:25 pm
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:25 pm
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:55 pm
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:55 pm

Session 3: June 22 - July 2

Session 4: July 6 - 16

Parent & Child	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:25 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:25 pm
Preschool	Mon. - Thur.	10:30 - 10:55 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:25 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11:30 - 11:55 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6:30 - 6:55 pm
Level I	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:50 pm
Level II	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:50 pm
Level III	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:50 pm
Level IV	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:50 pm
Level V	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:50 am
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:25 am
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	9:30 - 9:55 am
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:25 am
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	10:30 - 10:55 am
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:25 am
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	11:30 - 11:55 am
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:25 pm
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:25 pm
Private Lessons	Mon. - Thur.	6 - 6:55 pm
Private Lesson	Mon. - Thur.	6:30 - 6:55 pm

Session 5: July 20 - July 30

Preschool	Mon. - Thur.	10:30 - 10:55 am
Level I	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:50 am
Level II	Mon. - Thur.	10 - 10:50 am
	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:50 am
Level III	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:50 a.m.
Level IV	Mon. - Thur.	9 - 9:50 a.m.
Level V	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:50 a.m.
Level VI	Mon. - Thur.	11 - 11:50 a.m.

Learn to Swim fees are listed on page 11.





Bob S. Owen Municipal Pool, 919 Bayou Dr.

Help your child learn essential motor skills while developing an awareness for the water, increasing their self confidence while having fun! Enroll your child in any of our many Red Cross Learn-To-Swim Classes.

Red Cross Certified

Our Learn-to-Swim Instructors are American Red Cross Certified. Water Safety Instructors' are persons 16 years or older with swimming experience who have gone through 36+ hours of instruction to effectively teach you or your child to swim and be safe in a water environment.

Weather Policy

The Bob S. Owen Municipal Pool will be closed during electrical storms and other dangerous weather conditions. Swimming lessons will be made up on the Friday following the rain-out. In the event of extended days of poor weather, free day passes or partial refunds will be given at the discretion of the Recreation Manager.

First Day Evaluations

On the first day of each session, students will be informally evaluated to determine whether or not they are in the appropriate class.

Parent & Child: 9 - 36 Months

This class helps familiarize young children to the water and prepare them swim in the Preschool Class and LTS Levels I-VI. It is not designed to teach them to be good swimmers or to survive in the water on their own.

Preschool: 4 - 5 Years

These lessons are designed to orient preschool aged children to the aquatic environment and help them acquire rudimentary levels of basic aquatic skills.

Level I & II Refresher

This one week lesson is for swimmers that have already had formal level I or II lessons. It will help refresh the student on skills learned in previous classes to prepare for the next level or to help refresh previously learned skills.

Level I

These lessons are for first time swimmers and focus on the orientation of participants to the aquatic environment. It will help develop positive attitudes, good swimming habits and safe practices in and around water.

Level II

This class is designed for swimmers who have successfully completed Level I and are ready to build on the basic water skills including learning how to float without support.

Level III

This class is designed for swimmers who have successfully completed Level II. These swimmers should be ready for additional guided practice in deeper water.

Level IV

This class is designed for swimmers who have successfully completed Level III. The students will develop confidence in strokes learned in Level III and improve other aquatic skills.

Level V

This class is designed to coordinate and refine key strokes presented in the Learn-to-Swim program and to introduce many skills used in competitive swimming.

Level VI

This class is designed for swimmers to strengthen and polish their strokes, learn personal safety and rescue skills (this training does not certify the student as a professional rescuer).

Private Lessons

This class is designed for swimmers who are in need of one on one instruction. This class will be tailored to the individual swimmer.

Special Events

Mother Daughter Sleepover

Ladies 12 & under are invited to bring their mom to the Eighth Annual Mother Daughter Sleep Over. This is an evening sure to make lasting memories and strengthen that mother - daughter bond. Food, fun and a fabulous good time await you, so don't miss out on this one of a kind opportunity!

Date: May 6 - 7
Time: May 6 - 6 pm Check-In
May 7 - 8 am Check-Out
Location: Fun Jump!
Fee: \$20/ per person includes dinner and breakfast

Tickets Must Be Purchased by May 5

Mother Son Summer Blast

Come have a blast at the Sixth Annual Mother Son Summer Blast! Mothers and sons (5-12) team up to play Outdoor Modern Warfare Laser Tag! Enjoy dinner and some competitive fun. Put your game face on and leave the skirts at home!

Date: September 16
Time: 6 - 8 pm
Fee: \$20.00 Per Person
Location: National Oak Park

Tickets Must Be Purchased in Advance

Great Alvin Clean up

Bulk trash drop off and shredding services Available for all City of Alvin residents. Bring your water bill for proof of residence. E-Cycle available for all Brazoria County residents. For more info call 281-388-4299.

Date : May 7
Time: 8 am - 1 pm
Location : ACC Campus

4th of July Celebration



Date: July 4
Time: 7:30 pm (Alvin Community Band)
9 pm (Fireworks)
Location: Briscoe Park

Back to School Splash

It's a Labor Day weekend worth staying in town for! Enjoy free refreshments while saying farewell to summer. Bring your friends and family and have a blast at the pool for the last time in 2016! **THIS IS A FREE EVENT!**

Date: August 21
Time: 12:30 - 6 pm
Location: Bob S. Owen Municipal Pool





Summer Movie Series

Come enjoy a family movie at Alvin Memorial Stadium ! Pack a picnic, bring your blankets and chairs and enjoy a movie in the summer night air! Movies will begin around dusk. Come early for Blanket Bingo!
THIS IS A FREE EVENT!

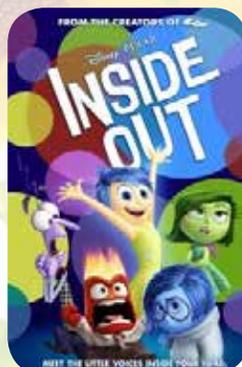
Movie: MINIONS
Date: June 24
Time: 8 pm

Minions Stuart, Kevin and Bob are recruited by Scarlet Overkill, a super-villain who, alongside her inventor husband Herb, hatches a plot to take over the world.



Movie: INSIDE OUT
Date: July 15
Time: 8 pm

After young Riley is uprooted from her Midwest life and moved to San Francisco, her emotions - Joy, Fear, Anger, Disgust and Sadness - conflict on how best to navigate a new city, house, and school.



Movie: ZOOTOPIA
Date: August 12
Time: 8 pm

In a city of anthropomorphic animals, a rookie bunny cop and a cynical con artist fox must work together to uncover a conspiracy.
Movie subject to change based on availability.



Blanket Bingo

Time: 6 pm
Location: Alvin Memorial Stadium

Operation Recreation

Your mission if you choose to accept it... Have a fun filled summer with Alvin Parks and Recreation! Join us once a month for a FREE come and go afternoon of activities, treats and lots of outdoor fun! Your summer boredom will self destruct in 3...2...FUN!

THIS IS A FREE EVENT!

Date: June 23rd The Great Outdoors
Time: 11 am - 2 pm
Location: Morgan Park

Date: July 21st Water Sports
Time: 11 am - 2 pm
Location: Briscoe Park

Date: August 11th Epic Summer End
Time: 11 am - 2 pm
Location: National Oak Park

Sponsored by Alvin Parks & Recreation

ACTIVSTARS OUTREACH
A Non-Profit Organization 501(c)(3)

Open to Boys & Girls, Ages 4-15

Martial Arts/Karate

- Self Defense
- Essential Life Skills - Respect and Discipline
- Safety Awareness, Abduction Prevention, and Anti Bullying
- Advancement through Black Belt
- Certified Black Belt Instructors

- Register at class or online.
- Checks/Cash/Money Order accepted.
- Pay weekly or prepay for the entire semester.
- Students may register during the first three weeks.
- Registration fee: \$10.00, non-refundable.

LOCATION	ADDRESS	CLASS DAY	DATES	REGISTRATION START TIME	Orientation & First Class
Alvin Senior Center West Meeting Room	309 W. Sealy Alvin, TX 77511	Monday (once per week)	June 6 th - Aug. 15 th (10 weeks)	5:15 p.m. Beginners	5:45 - 6:30 p.m.
				6:30 p.m. Colored Belts	7:00 - 7:45 p.m.

Beginner classes are \$7 each. Class times are for the 1st night only. Uniforms are available for purchase.

For more information call toll-free, 1-888-904-4386.
For information and/or registration, visit www.ACTIVSTARS.org
PARA ESPAÑOL POR FAVOR LLAME 1-888-904-4386, O VISITE NUESTRA PAGINA www.ACTIVSTARS.org

Introduction to Foil Fencing

From the gladiators of Rome to the Three Musketeers to the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio, those who have mastered the sword have set themselves apart. This class is designed for the absolute beginner. No prior knowledge or experience is required. Students will learn the very physical footwork, the intricate bladework and the mental discipline required of the modern fencer. All equipment provided.

Session 1

May 5 - June 9

Time: 6 - 7:15pm (Ages 8 - 12)

Time: 7:30 - 9 (Ages 13 & up)

Fee: \$40 per session

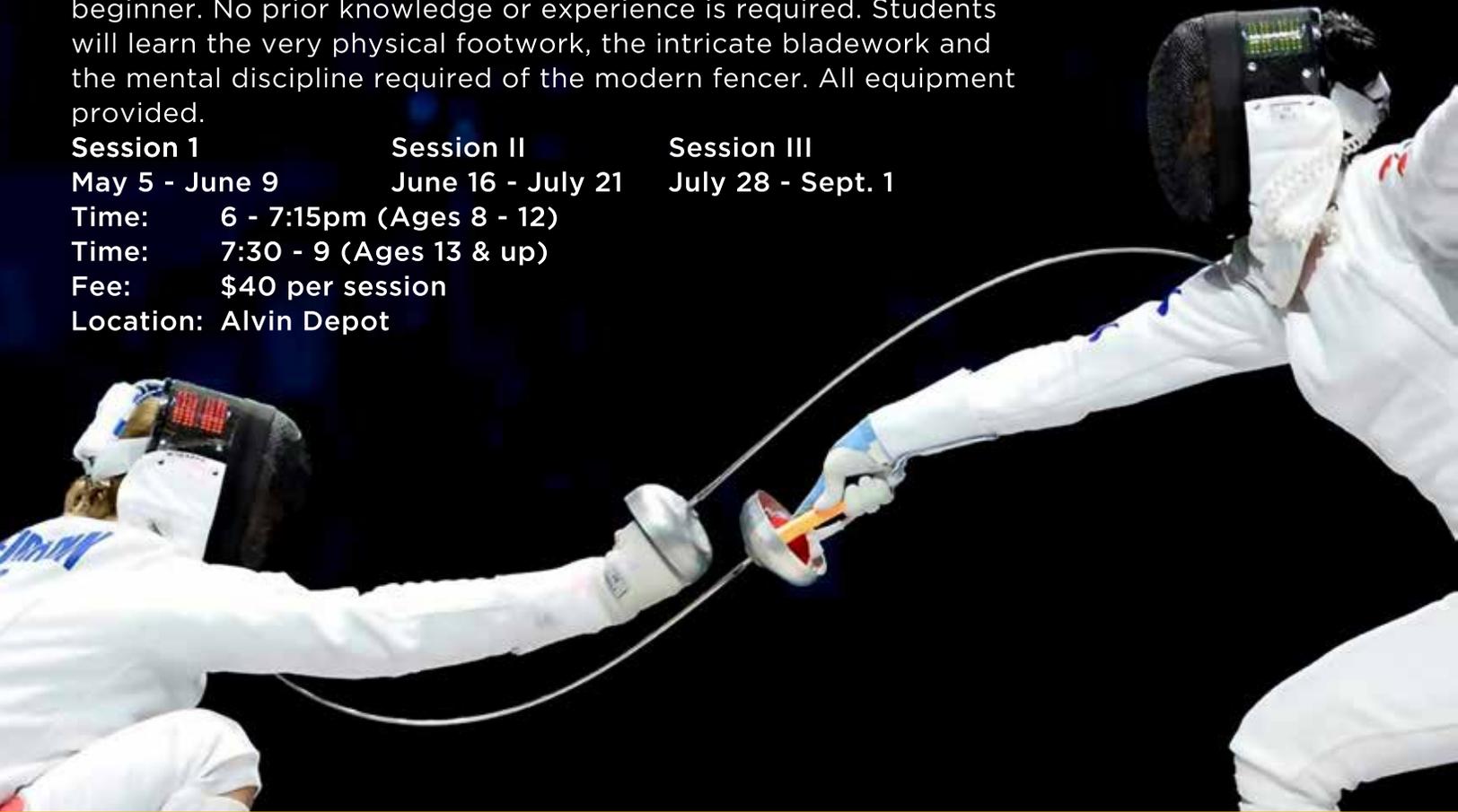
Location: Alvin Depot

Session II

June 16 - July 21

Session III

July 28 - Sept. 1



**ALVIN
YOUTH
FOOTBALL
COMBINE**

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**Saturday
May 21, 2016
9 am - 2 pm
Briscoe Park**

Combine events for both boys and girls ages 5 - 13. Awards will be given to winners of each age category. Events will include 40-yard dash, long jump, pass and punt for distance and more!

Youth & Adult Fun Runs • Vendors • Moonwalks & Face Painting • Silent Auction • Food & Drinks • and more

For more information and/or to register for Fun Runs/Combine/Vendors visit our website at www.leaguelineup.com/alvinyouthjackets

Summer Classes

Guerra's House of Warriors
206 E House



Fitness Boot Camp

We raise your level of fitness with NO BORING ROUTINES! Designed to help with hand & eye coordination, foot speed, strength, conditioning and endurance. This is superior mental and physical conditioning. We guarantee weight loss and great results! (Purchase of gym shirt required)

Session I: May 2 - June 2

Session II: June 13 - July 14

Session III: July 25 - August 25

Time: Mon. - Thur. 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Fee: \$65

Location: Guerra's House of Warriors

Kickboxing / Boxing

This program is designed to develop physical fitness, fun punching and kicking skills! Have fun while getting fit! Instruction is passed down from former 5X World Champion, Adam Guerra who has competed on the World stages of Japan, Mexico & USA. (Purchase of gym shirt required)

Session I: May 2 - June 2

Session II: June 13 - July 14

Session III: July 25h - August 25

Time: Mon. - Thur. 7:30 - 8:30 pm

Fee: \$65

Location: Guerra's House of Warriors

Intro to MMA

MMA program at GHOW is designed to give you a foundation in technique and fitness. Mixed Martial Arts incorporates several facets of martial arts, Judo, Ju-Jitsu, Boxing, Kickboxing and Wrestling, to make you a well-rounded martial artist. This class offers its participants top-notch physical workouts. Our MMA class is a great way to get in shape, improve strength and conditioning, while learning excellent self-defense skills. (2 enrollees per session, meeting required with instructor, purchase of uniform required)

Session I: May 3 - June 2

Session II: June 14 - July 14

Session III: July 26 - August 25

Time: Tues. & Thurs. 5:30 pm (Ages 4-11)

Tues. & Thurs. 6:30 pm (Ages 12+)

Fee: \$65

Location: Guerra's House of Warriors

Intro to Ju Jitsu

Intro to Jujitsu for sport or competition. This program is designed to teach defense from all angles. Intro to Ju-Jitsu will instill a high-level of confidence, discipline, self-control and safety. (2 enrollees per session, meeting required with instructor, purchase of uniform required)

Session I: May 2 - June 1

Session II: June 13 - July 13

Session III: July 25 - August 24

Time: Mon. & Wed. 5:30 pm (Ages 4-11)

Mon. & Wed. 6:30 pm (Ages 12+)

Fee: \$65

Location: Guerra's House of Warriors

Awareness and Basic & Advanced Life-saving Techniques

Self-Defense Seminar

Minimum of 10 enrollees

Date: July 15

Time: 9 am - 12:30 pm

Fee: \$40

Location: Guerra's House of Warriors

Alvin Parks & Recreation

Depot Market Days



Farmer's Market

Picture this ...Old fashioned produce stands, sweet treats, unique handmade gifts, you leisurely shop and enjoy the local fare....Sound like a perfect Saturday? Join us as we start Depot Market Days the third Saturday of every month!

Dates: May 21, June 18, July 16, August 20, September 17

Time: 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Location: Alvin Train Depot (200 Depot Centre Blvd)

Event is held rain or shine!

If you are interested in being a vendor
please call 281-388-4299 for more information.

ALVIN GIRLS SOFTBALL

FALL 2016 REGISTRATION

ONLINE REGISTRATION
IS NOW OPEN



Register Now!

We
Honor
the
Game
Here

REGISTRATION COST:
6U-14U = \$100 PER PLAYER
T-BALL = \$75 PER PLAYER
Online Credit or Debit Card Only
www.alvingirlssoftball.com

IN PERSON REGISTRATION

PLACE: PEARSON PARK, 2 Story Building(Field1)

WHEN: SATURDAY, AUGUST 6TH, 9:00AM - 12:00PM

** Play for FREE Details **

All players 6u and up will be given a book of 20 raffle tickets to sell at \$5.00 per ticket. (Tee-ball players will be given a book of 15 raffle tickets.) Ticket stubs are due to your coach by a date to be determined later. Players can keep the money they have collected from the sale of the ticket to cover their registration fees paid during registration.

Tentative Dates

Fall season is from August - November. Fall games are played every other Saturday in Alvin or Friendswood. Official schedule will be created after the last registration.

*Open to GIRLS ages 3 - 18 (Must be 3 by Dec. 31, 2015) / Birth Cert. Required for all first time players, board member or coach to verify before first practice.

ONLINE
REGISTRATION
ENDS MONDAY,
AUGUST 1ST.

Online registrants
can pickup raffle
tickets at the in
person registration.

ALVIN GIRLS SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION
www.alvingirlssoftball.com

AGSA

For More Information Please Contact:
Registrar: Kelly Minton

Phone: 832-546-7658

Email: registration@alvingirlssoftball.com

Park & Facility Information

Bob S. Owen Municipal Pool

919 Bayou Dr • (281) 388-4352

The pool is open to the public Saturday, May 23 - August 21, 2016. The Bob S Owen Municipal pool features: mushroom fountain, outdoor showers, pavilions, picnic tables, shade area, three tube slides and a zero depth splash area.

ADMISSION

Gate Price: **\$4 (resident)**
 \$5 (non-resident)

Summer Pass: **\$50 (resident)**
 \$60 (non-resident)

Family **\$90 (resident)**
Summer Pass: **\$100 (non-resident)**

Passes can be purchased at the pool or at the Alvin Parks and Recreation Office
1100 W Hwy 6, 281-388-4299.

POOL HOURS

Beginning June 9
Mon. - Sun. 12:30 - 6 pm
Tues. 7 - 10 pm

POOL RENTAL

The Bob S. Owen pool is available for rentals from 7 - 9 pm, 9 - 11 pm, or 7 - 11 pm and Saturday mornings only from 10 am - 12 pm during the summer season . Reservations accepted starting April 18. Payment must be made in full at time of reservation.

Fee: **\$125 (resident)**
 \$145 (non-resident)/2 hours
 \$250 (resident)
 \$290 (non-resident)/4hours
 Add \$15 for parties of over 100



Alvin Senior Center

309 W. Sealy • (281) 388-4298

The Alvin Senior Center is open to the public year round. This 10,000 square foot facility features two large meeting rooms, a music room, a computer room with 4 internet ready computers, a TV lounge, and craft room.

CENTER HOURS

Mon. - Fri. 7:30 am - 4:30 pm

CENTER RENTAL

The Alvin Senior Center is a great facility for birthdays, weddings, graduation parties, baby showers, or any type of event. All of the many different size meeting rooms are available for your next event! Please call (281) 388-4298 for rental rates and date availability.

Pavilion Rentals

All pavilions are available for rentals on a first come, first serve basis and have a two hour minimum. (includes electricity if available)*

Small Pavilion (up to 700 sq. ft.)

Per hour - two hour minimum

\$15 (resident)

\$30 (non-resident)

Large Pavilion (more than 701 sq. ft.)

Per hour - two hour minimum

\$30 (resident)

\$45 (non resident)

Restroom Rental

(non portable structures only)

\$50

**National Oak, Bob Briscoe and Ruben Adame Parks are the only pavilions with electricity.*

Refund Policy

Cancellation or Rescheduling

Most classes have a minimum number of students in order to be held. The Parks and Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel, combine, change time, date, change instructors or make any revisions, which may be deemed necessary.

Refund / Transfer Policy

Recreation Programming

When the Department cancels a class, you may choose to transfer to another class that is not full or receive a full refund. Participants requesting to withdraw or transfer classes must do so fourteen (14) calendar days prior to the start of the original class, providing space is available in the requested class. There will be NO refunds to participants who withdraw within fourteen (14) calendar days. Participants who develop a medical condition that impairs their ability to benefit from a class may request, and be prepared to provide a doctor's note to the Alvin Recreation Department. Credit toward a future recreation program in lieu of a refund is preferred.

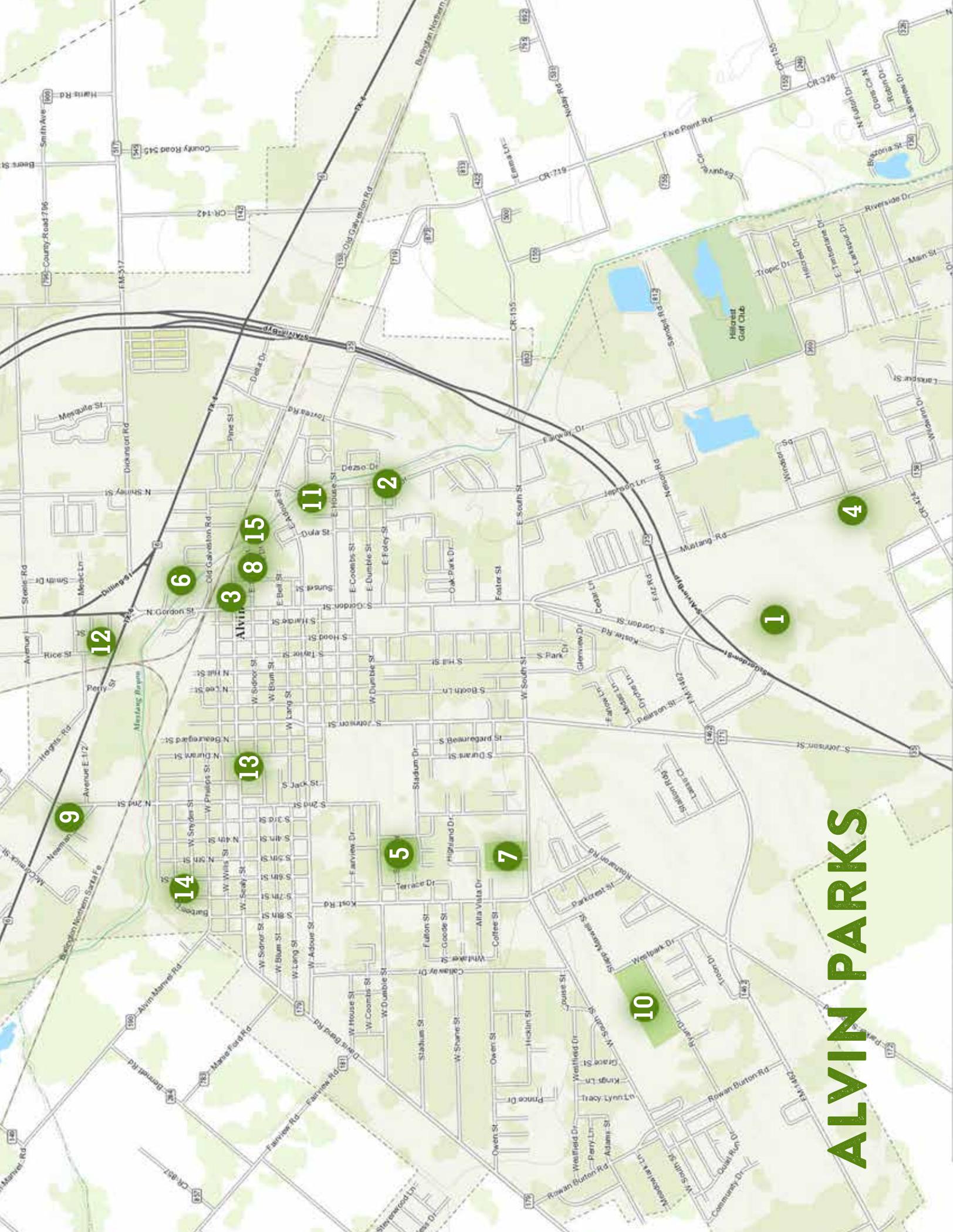
Park Pavilion, Pool Rentals and Passes

Rental fees are required to be paid in full at the time the reservation is made. Patrons requesting to cancel or transfer their prepaid reservation date(s) may do so unless the request occurs within fourteen (14) calendar days of the date of reservation, then a \$25 refund processing fee will apply for changes to the reservation date and/or forfeiture of all or part of the entire fee for cancellation. Full or partial refunds will be considered for rentals canceled by the Parks and Recreation Department due to bad weather, mechanical or chemical problems. Patrons are encouraged to reschedule to another open date in lieu of a refund. Pool passes are non-refundable.

Types of Refund Methods

Payments made by cash, check, credit card or money order shall be refunded in the form of a check from the City of Alvin payable to the original name making the registration(s) and/or reservation(s) less any applicable refund processing fees AND E-Commerce fee.

A \$25 processing fee will apply to refunds.



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Beautiful little green space in the heart of downtown.



TUNES ON THE TRACKS

Presented by the Alvin Convention & Visitors Bureau and the Alvin Parks & Recreation Department.

Join us the third Saturday in May and June for live music by local artists! Pack a picnic, bring blankets and chairs and enjoy some tunes by the tracks at the Historic Depot Centre.

May 21

5 - 7 pm

Tommy Lewis and Friends

Country - Folk - Bluegrass

7 - 9 pm

Los Cuatro Amigos

Classic Rock

June 18

5 - 9 pm

Amber and the Old Rascals

60s and 70s Country and Rock