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From Your Mayor



The summer is nearly here, and it's time to enjoy all that Ballwin has to offer! From our parks to programs to pools, you're sure to make a memorable summer with us here in Ballwin!

Speaking of pools, it's time to celebrate North Pointe's 20th Season! Join us all summer long as we celebrate our City's fabulous outdoor pool, with parties, prizes

and special pricing. You can find out more about the fun we have in store on page 22.

As the summer progresses, please be patient with us as construction continues on several projects. New Ballwin Road construction is slated to be finished up by this fall, and will resurface the road between Manchester Road and Twigwood Drive. We're also excited to see the progress underway at Holloway Park. A new playground is being put in, along with pickleball courts, a pavilion and a new bathroom facility. There are other construction projects on neighborhood and residential streets slated for the summer throughout the City.

We're also excited to be nearing completion on our new Ballwin Police Department! We will be holding an Open House this summer so the public can take a look at our newest space, which will allow officers a better facility to work and train in. Stay tuned to our social media channels for more on the Open House.

I hope you and your family have a safe and fun summer, and I hope to see you at Ballwin's facilities and events this season!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tim Pogue'. The signature is stylized and written in a cursive-like font.

Tim Pogue

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Questions? Please send an email to mfreeman@ballwin.mo.us

Activities for May - August

May 9: (6:00-7:00 p.m.) Community Event series @ The Pointe

- Photo restoration techniques
- Demonstration of Adobe Photoshop Elements software

May 19-20: Historic Sites in St. Louis meet-up group tours

- Schmidt-Harrison-Dahlke log home
- Old Ballwin Schoolhouse

May 26: (5-8 p.m.): Rootenanny @ Old Ballwin Schoolhouse

- “Roots” musicians perform (hosted by Donner Rusk & Teresa Penrose)
- Open house (with BHC docents) for Old Ballwin Schoolhouse

May 29: (11:15 a.m.-1:00 p.m.) at the Peace Memorial in Vlassis Park

- VFW Post 6274 & City of Ballwin presentations
- Patriotic music by The Donneresas

June 13: (6:00-7:00 p.m.) Community Event series @ The Pointe

- St. Louis County library’s department of history & genealogy presentation
- DNA & Genealogy databases

June 23: (5-8 p.m.): Rootenanny @ Old Ballwin Schoolhouse

- “Roots” musicians perform (hosted by Donner Rusk & Teresa Penrose)
- Open house (with BHC docents) for Old Ballwin Schoolhouse

July 11: (6:00-7:00 p.m.) Community Event series (photo restoration) @ The Pointe

- “Best practices” in handling and storage of historical artifacts
- “Best practices” in online storage of digital images of historical artifacts

July 28: (5-8 p.m.): Rootenanny @ Old Ballwin Schoolhouse

- “Roots” musicians perform (hosted by Donner Rusk & Teresa Penrose)
- Open house (with BHC docents) for Old Ballwin Schoolhouse

August 8: (6:00-7:00 p.m.) Community Event series (photo restoration) @ The Pointe

- Local graveyards
- Find-a-Grave presentation

August 25: (5-8 p.m.): Rootenanny @ Old Ballwin Schoolhouse

- “Roots” musicians perform (hosted by Donner Rusk & Teresa Penrose)
- Open house (with BHC docents) for Old Ballwin Schoolhouse



the **b** **i** **z** Spotlight

There's a whole slate of new businesses around Ballwin!
Check out these new establishments in person today!



Royal Banks of Missouri opened a new branch at 15495 Clayton Road at Claymont Center.



Rally House opened a new location at Central Plaza. Stop by their store at 15329 Manchester Road today!



First Bank opened up a new location at 14446 Clayton Road at Ballwin Grove.



Marco's Pizza opened up a new location in Ballwin Village East. Grab some pizza at 15003 Manchester Village Road!

Election Results

The City of Ballwin would like to congratulate the following individuals on their election/re-election to serve as Mayor and Aldermen for the City of Ballwin. They will each serve a two-year term.

Mayor Tim Pogue
Alderman Mike Utt (Ward 1)
Alderman Mark Stallmann (Ward 2)
Alderman Mark Weaver (Ward 3)
Alderman Ross Bullington (Ward 4)

Proposition M was also approved in the City of Ballwin, adding a 3% retail sales tax on adult use marijuana sold in the City of Ballwin. The funds will be designated to the public safety needs of the City of Ballwin.



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Running the Streets of Ballwin



When Brian Mitchell started looking for a new challenge at the beginning of this year, he hit the ground running. Literally.

The Ballwin resident decided to run every mile of every street in Ballwin. The St. Charles native and his Ballwin native wife have called Ballwin home for the last 11 years.

His running challenges started back in 2019, just before the pandemic hit. When the world shut down, “I needed a challenge that would specifically force me to be outside,” Brian says.

He started running. “So in 2020, I did 750 miles, and I was like, wow that’s cool. And then I increased it to 800 and some, and then so last year, in 2022, I did 1,000,” he says. “I was kind of looking for what else to do.”

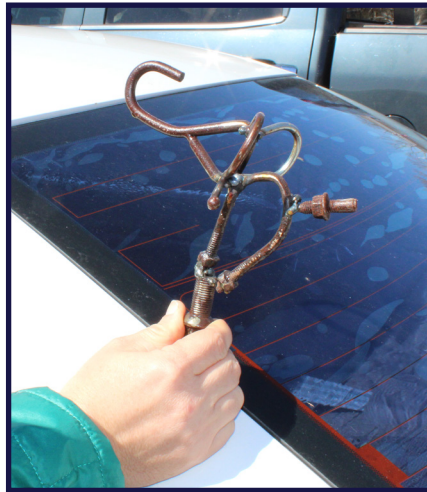
So he turned to our City streets, pounding the pavement and visiting every square inch of the City’s 508 streets.





In total, that makes 150 miles of streets. But Brian logs far more miles than that, since he added in a twist. All runs have to start and end at his home on the City's north side. So he treks back and forth across areas he's already run to be able to cross off another street on his map. "(I'll) put in 9 miles to get a mile of new coverage," Brian explains.

But his colorful map is not the only product of his runs across town.



He's also an artist, who sees the beauty in discarded junk while cleaning up the roads at the same time. "While I run I pick up whatever little metal stuff I find on the road," he says of his sculptures.

He makes metal sculptures out of what he finds, shaping them into runners, archers, elephants, whales and anything else that comes to mind. "I like to joke that the whole city had a part in making this," he says.

Brian hopes to finish his City running project by the end of the year. He's a little less than halfway through right now.

You can check out 2 of Brian's sculptures at the Ballwin Government Center. You can also check out some of his work on his Instagram @steelcraftstudio.

Chief's Corner



Gratitude: a very underutilized emotion. Growing up my parents instilled in my brother and I several terms that we were to use on a regular basis. These included Yes Ma'am, Yes Sir, Please, and Thank you. If we failed to use those terms when they were called for, we would receive a not-so-gentle reminder. Today these words are a permanent part of our vocabulary. (Thank, Mom and Dad)

Recently I was driving back from Chicago when I pulled into a rest area. When I entered the restroom there was a man cleaning. He was checking the stalls, emptying the trash, wiping down the sinks, etc. I greeted him and thanked him for what he was doing. This began a short conversation that didn't contain an information exchange of anything important but he did ask what I did for a living. When I told him that I was a police chief, he immediately thanked me for my service. He then said something that got my attention. He mentioned that he would not want to do my job "in today's environment".

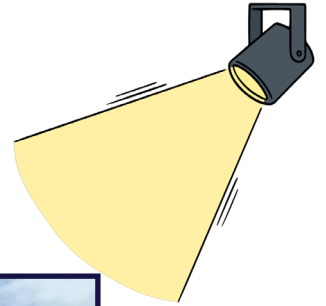
There I was, standing in a rest area restroom, speaking with a guy who is cleaning up after everyone, while telling me he wouldn't want my job. As I was leaving I said good-bye. He said "God bless you, be safe". I could see that he truly meant what he said, and his gratitude really struck me. In the City of Ballwin we are blessed with residents and business owners who go out of their way to support our Police Department. On a daily basis we have someone thank us for what we do. We receive gifts of food sent to us at the station, thank you letters arrive on a regular basis and waves are given as we drive by.

So now it's my turn. First, THANK YOU to all of you for your support in a time when many would rather point an accusing finger rather than shaking a hand and giving a smile. Second, THANK YOU to our elected officials who are giving their time and effort to keep our department funded and well equipped. Finally, and most important for me, THANK YOU to the Ballwin Police Officers, Communications Officers and Clerical Staff. You have dedicated yourselves to a career that causes you to miss holidays and family events. And you do it for the good of others! THANK YOU!

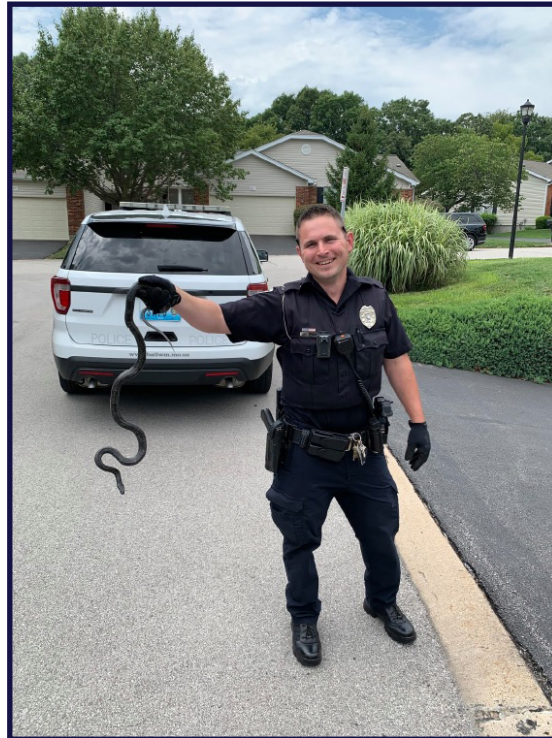
- Chief Doug Schaeffler



SPOTLIGHT



DETECTIVE RAY RADER



We sat down with Detective Ray Rader and how the transition to the bureau is, what types of cases intrigue him the most, and what he believes he brings to the table to the bureau and how he can build on an already promising career.

A few months back, the Ballwin Police Department filled a position within the Bureau of Investigation. Detective Rader, who has been a police officer for the City of Ballwin for more than 8 years was reassigned from patrol. Detective Rader is a field training officer, crime scene investigator, CIT, and a firearms instructor. He has worn many hats while on patrol and in his short but promising career.

As of now, he is the newest detective within the bureau. Fortunately for him, he wore many hats while on patrol that have given him a solid foundation for his new adventure. Detective Rader described the transition as a change of pace from patrol. He spends his time now calling people to gather additional information, looking at surveillance footage, knocking on doors, and typing new reports.

Detective Rader says he aims to be the best officer he can be, so he can provide the residents of Ballwin with the highest quality of service possible.

Vacation Checks

With school almost at an end, longer days around the corner, and summer nearly here, many may have family vacations planned. Planning a vacation and the itinerary to go along with it can be very stressful. To make matters worse, now you need to make plans for the dogs, cats, or fish, mail, possibly the yard, and even your home. There are just not enough hours in a day for someone to manage all that, and without possibly forgetting something. Not to mention the stress of worrying if your house will be safe while you're gone. That's where Ballwin Police Department will step in.

The Ballwin Police Department offers a variety of programs that are listed on our city website. One of those programs that can benefit you, your family, and limit your stress levels is the Vacation Check. The vacation check program is a small form that can be filled out electronically. The form will ask for dates, an alarm system, security cameras, lights on/off, vehicles on the property, if anyone will have a key and or stay on the property, as well as emergency contact information.

Any vacation that is less than three weeks, officers will check the residence every day. They will log the results on a form with date and time, as well as log the call in our CAD system. If you have a vacation planned, please give us a call and let us help you to alleviate some of that stress.



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Parenting, Social Media, Internet, and Screen Time



SNAPCHAT
One of the most popular social networking apps on the market. The app is built with the idea the user can take a photo/video and it will disappear, once it has been viewed. Snapchat also provides a location tracking feature.




INSTAGRAM
Instagram is a photo and video sharing app. Users can snap, edit, and share content to public and private followers. It is very easy to create fake accounts to hide from parents.



TIK TOK
Tik Tok is a popular video sharing app. It can also provide a live streaming service. Currently one of the top video streaming services on the market.



WHATSAPP
WhatsApp is a text message, photo, and video sharing service.



REDDIT
Reddit is a forum based site, that is used by mainly used by adults. Since adults mainly used this service, there can be inappropriate content. Reddit does have parental controls, which you can set to limit what your children are looking at.


Not long ago, the biggest worry for parents for their children was the possibility of getting hurt outside. As the world, technology, and time change the list of worries has gotten even longer.

A lot of children these days are worried about being popular. They don't want to miss out on a new trend, the popular shoes, games, dances, etc... So in order for them to stay on top of the ever changing trends of the world, they require many phone apps and social media accounts. That can lead to hours of screen time looking at a phone, laptop, or TV.

With having all these accounts, and apps, a parent's worry grows exponentially. The curiosity of what my child is looking at or who they are talking to can eat away at some. It is important to have boundaries and talk about what is acceptable and appropriate.




TINDER
Tinder is a networking app. It allows users to meet new people by viewing their photos. Tinder also provides a messaging service as well.




OMEGLE
Omegle is an anonymous video chatting platform that pairs you with a complete stranger anywhere in the world. This app does not have any restrictions which can be allowed during video streaming.



WHISPER
Whisper is an anonymous social network that allows for users to share information with strangers. This is done by placing text over a photo. The allows public and private communication.



VAULT APPS
Vault applications are ones that appear to be a stock or standard applications. Some have a standard functions when opening, but hold a secret section that can store photos, videos, or files, which can be password protected.



DISCORD
Discord is a huge place for teens and adults to use. It is typically used for gaming, but can still expose kids to inappropriate content, ranging from hate speech, porn, bullying, and online predators.

The questions a parent should consider are the following:

- What websites are they visiting?
- Who are they talking to or texting?
- What apps are they using?
- What games do they play (are they age appropriate)?
- How much time do they spend looking at a screen?

Just like police work, every situation is different, and each child has different needs. The list of apps, games, and websites, is an ever changing list and can be a chore in itself to stay on top of. By setting up the boundaries and having an open discussion with your children, it could help ease some of the worry of your child's safety. If you have any questions, feel free to contact the Community Outreach Unit or one of our School Resource Officers at (636) 227-9636.

The Pointe at Ballwin Commons



Information

#1 Ballwin Commons Circle
Ballwin, MO 63021
(636) 227-8950

Hours of Operation

Monday - Friday 5:15 a.m. - 9 p.m.*
Saturday/Sunday 7 a.m. - 6 p.m.

*summer hour start June 5

Monday - Friday 5:15 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Saturday/Sunday 7 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Holiday Hours

May 29 5:15 a.m. - 1 p.m.
July 4 5:15 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Pointe Play Center* (3 months - 10 years)

Monday - Saturday 8:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Monday - Thursday 5 - 7:30 p.m.

*\$4/child (max. stay 2hrs). Hours subject to change.

Memberships (see next page for rates)

To receive Resident rates, you must have a current Resident ID Card. If a card is needed, bring a utility bill to The Pointe's welcome desk. Additional information:

- 1) Monthly options involve a \$20 activation fee.
- 2) Family memberships may include children living at home through the age of 23, and may not have more than two adults per household.
- 3) Senior Couple memberships only require one person be 62 or older.
- 4) Hero (Police, Fire, EMS, Veterans, and Active Military) memberships are only available for individuals.

20-Visit Swipe Cards

Youth, 3 - 18	\$110	\$170
Adult, 19 - 61	\$130	\$170
Senior, 62+	\$110	\$170
Hero	\$40	\$60

Fitness Center

The Pointe is home to a state-of-the-art fitness center including a full-service cardio section, Cybex circuit, and free-weight area. Whether your goal is to find a gym to help you build strength, lose weight, or just have a safe place to walk on an indoor track near your home, you need to get to The Pointe.

Indoor Pool

The indoor pool at The Pointe features three lap lanes, a two-story water slide, an indoor water playground, lazy river, and vortex. The Pointe offers swim lessons, water aerobics, and more. Please review the Indoor Pool Schedule on our website to ensure the pool is open for the purpose you wish to use it.

Indoor Pool Special Hours

May 29:	CLOSED
July 4:	CLOSED



Residents	Platinum Yearly	Platinum Monthly*	Pointe Yearly	Pointe Monthly*	Pointe Daily Visit	North Pointe Daily Visit	North Pointe Pool Pass
Youth (3-18)	\$372	\$33	\$216	\$20	\$6	\$6	\$97
Adult (19-61)	\$564	\$49	\$372	\$33	\$7	\$7	\$125
Senior (62+)	\$408	\$36	\$204	\$19	\$6	\$6	\$97
Senior Couple	\$528	\$46	\$288	\$26	N/A	N/A	\$153
Single+ One	\$828	\$71	\$468	\$41	N/A	N/A	\$205
Family	\$912	\$78	\$528	\$46	N/A	N/A	\$239
Hero	\$408	\$36	\$204	\$19	\$5	\$5	\$97

Non-Residents	Platinum Yearly	Platinum Monthly*	Pointe Yearly	Pointe Monthly	Pointe Daily Visit	North Pointe Daily Visit	North Pointe Pool Pass
Youth (3-18)	\$528	\$46	\$348	\$31	\$9	\$15	\$153
Adult (19-61)	\$816	\$70	\$576	\$50	\$9	\$15	\$216
Senior (62+)	\$576	\$50	\$360	\$32	\$9	\$15	\$153
Senior Couple	\$768	\$66	\$492	\$43	N/A	N/A	\$233
Single+ One	\$984	\$84	\$732	\$63	N/A	N/A	\$341
Family	\$1,176	\$100	\$816	\$70	N/A	N/A	\$364
Hero	\$576	\$50	\$360	\$32	\$8	\$9	\$153

*See membership section on previous page for more details

Membership Specials

May

Visit Card Special - Receive two (2) additional visits for each card purchased!

JR Golf + Swim Pass - Unlimited use at Ballwin Golf Course (Green Fees Only) and North Pointe May 1 - Sept. 15

Pointe 3 month Student Membership - VIP/Resident: \$99, Non-residents: \$135

June

JR Golf + Swim Pass - Unlimited use at Ballwin Golf Course (Green Fees Only) and North Pointe through Sept. 15

Pointe 3 month Student Membership - VIP/Resident: \$99, Non-residents: \$135

Parks & Recreation Programs

VIP pricing is given to Ballwin Residents with a current Parks & Recreation Resident ID card & individuals with a Platinum or Pointe membership. Regular pricing is given to anyone without a membership or valid Parks & Recreation Resident ID card. To learn more about Parks & Recreation Resident ID Cards, visit www.ballwin.mo.us/Resident-ID-Cards/ or call (636) 227-8950.

Color Code:	Kids	Any Age	Adults	Aquatic
HabitNu	The Pointe is partnering with HabitNu to offer a CDC Recognized Diabetes Prevention Program. Make lasting lifestyle changes with HabitNu's Medicare approved Diabetes Prevention Program. The program is a fully covered benefit for qualified individuals. To find out more and to sign up, go to habitnu.com/signup .	Cinco de Mayo Wine & Paint Party This amateur wine, painting and canvas class features simple step-by-step instructions to help you create a stunning acrylic painting on 16x20 stretched canvas. Bring your favorite wine or beer and snacks and then enjoy our relaxed yet structured atmosphere with music where you become the artist! All supplies and instruction will be provided. Pre-registration is required by May 1.	Taekwondo - 13003 Beginner & Intermediate Students learn respect, responsibility, and discipline in addition to basic hand and foot techniques. A uniform is purchased from the instructor.	
Dates: Ongoing (13406-01) Days: Thursdays Times: 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. Fee: VIP/Reg FREE for qualified individuals Ages: 18 + Location: The Pointe	Little Explorers - 14017 Designed for ages 2-5 this parent/child experience will get you and your toddler outside and investigating! Every class will include a craft, snack, and activities to get your toddler moving, thinking, and exploring! Parents and guardians are free. Themes: 5/3: Nature Art at Ferris Park, 5/17: Animals at Ferris Park, 6/7: The Backyard Bug at New Ballwin Park, 6/21: Weather at New Ballwin Park, 7/5: Fourth of July at Vlasik Park Pavilion #1, 7/19: Winter in July at Vlasik Park Pavilion #1, 8/2: Dinosaurs! at New Ballwin Park.	Date: Thursday, May 4 (12350-01) Time: 6 - 8 p.m. Fee: VIP \$50/Reg \$55 Ages: 21+ Location: Event Center	Dates: Beginner: May 31 - July 5 July 12 - Aug. 16 Intermediate: May 31 - July 5 July 12 - Aug. 16 Days: Wednesdays Times: 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. (Beg) 7:30 - 8:30 p.m. (Int) Fee: VIP \$54, Reg \$78 Ages: 6+ Location: The Pointe	
Dates: May 3, 17, June 7, 21 July 5, 19, August 2 Days: Wednesdays Times: 9 - 10:30 a.m. Fee: VIP \$8/Reg \$10 Ages: 2 - 5 Location: Varies		Basic Training Attention!! There are no 'at ease' moments in this six week, 24-class bootcamp style class. Each class features 25-40 minutes of calisthenics/drills followed by a class run/jog. Open to all fitness levels, this class is sure to get your day kickstarted.	Group Pickleball Clinics - 183200 We will offer pickleball clinics this summer at the outdoor pickleball courts. Intermediate Doubles Strategy will be the focus of the clinics outside. Come improve your game in the sunshine. You will have plenty of time to exercise your new knowledge of the game throughout the summer.	
		Dates: May 29 - July 6 (13312-04) Days: Mon - Thurs Time: 5:45 - 6:45 a.m. Fee: VIP \$129, Reg \$149 Ages: 14+ Location: The Pointe	Dates: June 5, 12, 19 July 10, 17, 24 August 7, 14, 21 Time: 8 - 9 a.m. Fee: VIP \$60/Reg \$70 Ages: 10+ Location: New Ballwin/ Holloway Pickleball Courts	

Summer Adult Dodgeball League

Join us in a coed recreational style Adult 18+ dodgeball league. Teams of six (subs are encouraged) will compete on Tuesday nights using USA Dodgeball Rules. Games will be played at 6:30pm, 7:30pm, and 8:30pm with a 1 hour time limit. 3 matches played per hour with a 20 minute cap per match. Teams will be seeded based on their win/loss record and a single elimination tournament the final two Tuesday nights will determine a champion.*No games will be played Tuesday, July 4th in acknowledgement of the holiday.

Dates: June 6 - Aug. 8
(15303-01)

Days: Tuesdays

Times: 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Rates: VIP \$150/Reg \$170

Ages: 18+

Location: The Pointe

Adult Sand Volleyball League

Join us in our first coed Adult 18+ sand volleyball league. Matches will be played on the sand court located at New Ballwin Park on Friday evenings at either 6:00pm, 7:00pm, or 8:00pm. Teams will be seeded according to their win/loss record and a single elimination tournament the last two Friday evenings will determine a Champion. If registration is full, please sign up for the waitlist! The league may be expanded with enough interest. This is a great way to get outside this summer and enjoy the sunshine!

Dates: June 9 - Aug. 4
(15302-01)

Days: Fridays

Times: 6 - 9 p.m.

Rates: VIP \$140/Reg \$160

Ages: 18+

Location: New Ballwin Park

Cops and Bobbers

Join us the weekend before Father's Day for an event created to celebrate the father figure in your life. Kids/families will have the opportunity to go fishing in New Ballwin Lake. Ballwin Police Officers are partnering with Ballwin Parks and Rec to put on this event. They will be present and interact with the community on this special day. Prizes will be awarded for the smallest fish, biggest fish, most fish caught, and most unusual catch.

Dates: Saturday June 10
(15701-01)

Times: 9 - 11 a.m.

Fee: Free

Ages: Under 14 with Parent

Location: New Ballwin Park

Tennis Lessons

Join us at Vlasis Park for Tennis Lessons! Lessons will be taught according to age. Please specify your child's general knowledge of tennis so we can better serve their skill level and ensure they have fun/improve their game.

Dates: June 10 - July 15
July 29 - September 2

Days: Saturdays

Times: 4-7: 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

8-12: 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

13-17: 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Fee: VIP \$75/Reg \$85

Ages: 4-7 (15003)

8-12 (15004)

13-17 (15005)

Location: New Ballwin Park

Cookie Decorating Class

Bring your little one to enjoy decorating sugar cookies. Includes one dozen cookies, icing and all needed supplies. Class instruction is provided and you will leave with some delicious treats to enjoy! Register online at www.babybearcookies.com. Pre-registration is required.

Date: Tuesday June 13 (14019-01)

Times: 6 - 8:30 p.m.

Fee: VIP/Reg \$50

Ages: 5 & Up

Location: The Pointe

Adult Ultimate Frisbee League

Join us for our first Adult 18+ Ultimate Frisbee League. It will follow a 7 vs 7 (subs are welcome) format and follow USA Ultimate rules with a 1 hour game time limit on Thursday evenings. There will be 3 matches per hour, the first team to reach 5 points wins that match. Matches will be capped at 20 minutes. Teams will be seeded based on their win/loss record with a single elimination tournament the last two Thursdays to determine a champion.

Dates: June 22 - Aug. 17
(15304-01)

Days: Thursdays

Times: 5:45 - 8:45 p.m.

Rates: VIP \$180/Reg \$200

Ages: 18+

Location: The Pointe Field

Tai Chi for Arthritis/Fall Prevention

The Tai Chi for Arthritis/Fall Prevention (TCFP) program is a proactive activity to prevent falls. The program is led by Rita Hayek, OTR/L.

Days: Thursdays

Time: 1 - 1:45 p.m. and

2 - 2:45 p.m.

Fee: VIP/Reg Free

Ages: 14+

Location: The Pointe

SilverSneakers Classic

The Pointe offers SilverSneakers Classic! You are not required to be a SilverSneakers member to attend. There is no need to pre-register and these classes are included in your membership or daily admission!

Days: Tu, W, F: 9 - 9:45 a.m.

Wed: 10 - 10:45 a.m.

Fee: VIP/Reg Free

Ages: All

Location: The Pointe

Teen Ultimate Frisbee League

Join us for our first Teen (14-17 years old) recreational ultimate frisbee league. It will follow a 7 vs 7 (subs are welcome) format and follow USA Ultimate rules with a 1 hour game time limit on Saturday evenings. There will be 3 matches per hour, the first team to reach 5 points wins that match. Matches will be capped at 20 minutes. Teams will be seeded based on their win/loss record with a single elimination tournament the last two Saturdays to determine a Champion.

Dates: June 24 - Aug. 19
(15002-01)

Days: Saturdays

Times: 5 - 8 p.m.

Rates: VIP \$180/Reg \$200

Ages: 14 - 17

Location: The Pointe Field

Painting on the Rocks

Come experience a relaxing evening with art and friends! Stacey Crump, an Artist with Painting on the Rocks, will provide you with everything you need and lead you, step by step, through a beautiful 16x20" acrylic painting you can enjoy forever! They make great gifts too! Get ready for a fun night of friendship, creativity and lots of laughter! Register online at www.paintingontherocks.org. Pre-registration is required.

Date: Monday July 10 (14020-01)

Times: 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Fee: VIP/Reg \$35

Ages: 16 & Up

Location: The Pointe

Family Campout - 19701

Grab your tent and lawn chairs and join us for an amazing campout at Ferris Park! Play some family games and enjoy the great outdoors. Fee is per person or by the Family Pack (4+) and includes hot dog dinner, S'mores, and a breakfast. Children ages 2 and under free. Pre-Registration required.

Dates: August 12 - 13 (overnight)

Time: 5 p.m. - 9 a.m.

Fee: VIP \$12/Reg \$15 (Individual)
VIP 428/Reg \$60 (Family 4+)

Ages: All Ages

Location: Ferris Park

Sponsorship Opportunities

Every year, the Ballwin Parks and Recreation department puts on countless programs and events for our community. This means there are several sponsorship opportunities available for organizations and businesses of all sizes and partnership capabilities. Our department will work with you individually to find the perfect sponsorship option for you. Our sponsors help make our events possible and allow us to continue providing the quality parks & recreational services our community enjoys.

If you're interested in partnering with us, please contact Fitness Manager Matt Struempf at mstruempf@ballwin.mo.us or call (636) 227-8950.

Event Options

We have hundreds of events happening throughout the year and are constantly providing new programs!

- Sweetheart Ball
- Easter Egg Hunt
- Tons of Trucks
- Halloween Hullabaloo
- Concerts in the Park
- North Pointe Twilight Swims
- Ballwin Triathlon
- Dog Swim at North Pointe
- Craft Beer Festival
- Glow Golf
- Kid's Triathlon
- Moonlight Howl 5K Run
- Turkey Bowl Golf Scramble
- Cardboard Boat Regatta
- Underwater Egg Hunt
- And so much more!

Pavilion Rentals

The City of Ballwin has five parks available for residents and non-residents to enjoy! Features that can be found at our parks include pavilions, restrooms, grill, tennis courts, basketball courts, volleyball nets, playground, trails, fishing, and more (please note, not every park has these amenities). You can learn more about the specific features offered at each of our community parks online at www.ballwin.mo.us/About-Our-Parks/.

Park pavilions are available for rentals from April - October of every year. Rental reservations need to be made in person at The Pointe (payment required upon reservation). Please note, fees have increased for 2023. Contact Recreation Manager Gayle Junge at gjunge@ballwin.mo.us with questions or for more information!

A tropical-themed poster for the West County Senior Lifestyle Expo. The background is green with illustrations of pink and yellow hibiscus flowers, a red parrot on a branch, and palm trees. The text is centered and reads: "WEST COUNTY SENIOR LIFESTYLE Expo" in large blue and green letters. Below that, it says "TUESDAY, JUNE 13, 2023 9:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M. GREENSFELDER RECREATION COMPLEX 550 WEIDMAN RD, MANCHESTER, MO 63011". A banner at the bottom says "ADMISSION IS FREE!". The logo for "WEST ST. LOUIS COUNTY Chamber of Commerce" is at the bottom center. In the bottom left is the "Anthology Senior Living" logo. In the bottom right are several polaroid photos of smiling seniors.

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Summer Camps



To find out more about each individual camp, head to our website at www.ballwin.mo.us/summercamps, scan the QR code or stop by The Pointe to pick up a Summer Camp guide!



There's still time to register for some of your favorite Summer Camps!

We have a variety of camps still available, but spots are filling up quickly. So make sure to sign up today!

Head to ballwin.mo.us/summercamps/ or scan the QR code on the next page to sign up!

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Aqua Camp

This camp runs Monday through Friday and is available for kids ages 8-13. The camp meets at Holloway Park Pavilion each morning before heading to the pool for all day swimming and water games. Campers **MUST** know how to swim and pass a weekly swim test to be enrolled in camp.

VIP/Resident: \$140/week Regular: \$160/week

Teen Camp

This 9-week program runs three days a week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for kids ages 11-14. Each week will consist of two field trip/Onsite fun days and one full day at the North Pointe Aquatic Center. Campers will participate in crafts, games, onsite fun days, field trips and will swim in the Indoor pool. Field Trips and Onsite fun days will vary week to week.

VIP/Resident: \$150/week Regular: \$175/week

Ballwin Race Series



Challenge yourself and your friends to finish high in the Ballwin Race Series standings! You can check out course maps and sign up for all the races below on our website at ballwin.mo.us/Ballwin-Race-Series-1/

25th Annual Ballwin Triathlon

The Ballwin Triathlon is a 300 yd. swim, 9 mile bike, and 3.4 mile run. This race is very popular and fills up to capacity of 300 participants almost every year. Be sure to secure your spot early. No race day registration.

Date: Sunday, July 16
Times: 6:45 a.m.
Fee: VIP/Reg Single \$55, Double \$65
Ages: 9 & Up

Location: North Pointe Aquatic Center

Ballwin Days Run

Kick off the last day of the Ballwin Days Festival with a competitive 5k and/or 1 mile run. Adults and children alike are welcome to run in either or both races. Registration available on race day.

Date: Sunday, August 20
Times: 8 a.m. (5k), 9 a.m. (1 mile)
Fee: VIP/Reg \$35 (5k) \$15 (1 mile)
Ages: 4 & Up

Location: Vlasik Park

16th Annual Kid's Triathlon

The Ballwin's Kid's Triathlon is the chance for our youngest athletes to get to experience a triathlon in this scaled down race. Kids ages 6-9 complete a 25 yd swim, 1 mile bike, and 1/2 mile run. Kids ages 10-13 complete a 75 yd swim, 2 mile bike, and 1 mile run. No race day registration

Date: Sunday, September 17
Times: 8 - 10 a.m.
Fee: VIP/Reg \$35
Ages: 6-13
Location: The Pointe

13th Annual Moonlight Howl 5K Run/Walk

Come howl at the moon at The Howl 5K. The Howl 5K run/walk is encouraged to all ages and fitness levels. Registration available on race day.

Date: Friday, October 27
Times: 9 - 10:30 p.m.
Fee: VIP/Reg \$35
Ages: 7 & Up
Location: The Wolf Cafe



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Thanks, Ballwin Residents.

I love being here to help life go right™ in a community where people are making a difference every day. Thank you for all you do.



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State Farm, Bloomington, IL

Join us Saturday, May 27th for Opening Day, and the start of North Pointe's *20th Season!*

Family Float Fridays

Every Friday starting at 4 p.m. you can bring your own flotation device to the Lazy River!

Little Splashers

This is a special swim time for kids and their guardians. Every Tuesday & Thursday, starting at 10 a.m. No registration needed! Parents need to be in swim attire.

Dates: June 6 - Aug. 17 (no class July 4, 18)

Days: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Time: 10 - 11 a.m.

Fee: VIP \$5, Reg \$6 (pool pass and platinum members: FREE)

Ages: 0.5 - 5

Location: North Pointe

Fish Tales - 11226

Looking for a fun way to spend your late morning with your toddler? Join us at North Pointe for story time, a craft/experiment and a light snack. Finish the morning in the pool at our Little Splashers!

Dates: June 8, June 22, July 13, July 27

Times: 9 - 11 a.m.

Fee: VIP \$8, Reg \$10

Ages: 2 - 5

Location: North Pointe

Twilight Swims

Come enjoy a night of swimming under the stars with your family and friends at North Pointe Aquatic Center. You don't need to sign up ahead - you can pay the night of the Twilight Swim.

Dates: June 17, July 22, and Aug. 5

Time: 7:30 - 10 p.m.

Fee: VIP \$5, Reg \$10 (pool pass & platinum members are free)

Ages: All

Location: North Pointe

After Hours Rental

Looking for a unique setting for your family reunion, work function, or team party? Rentals are from 8-10 p.m. with the availability of one pool or the entire complex. For additional rates and more information, please email Aquatic Manager Emily Wagemann at ewagemann@ballwin.mo.us.

Cardboard Boat Regatta

Partners build a boat out of cardboard and duct tape only. A race series is conducted to determine the fastest, most resilient, and best captains as winners! There will be a 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place awarded. Participants are encouraged to decorate their boat with creativity to acquire the most votes for the People's Choice Award! Registration guarantees one race per boat.

Date: July 30 (11202-01)

Days: Sunday

Time: 5 - 7:30 p.m.

Fee: VIP \$15, Reg \$20

Ages: 8 - 99

Location: North Pointe

Birthday Party Packages

Celebrate your birthday party at North Pointe this summer! There are three packages to choose from. Everyone entering the facility for a party is considered in the count. You must pay in full at the time of booking.

Package A VIP \$140 Reg \$220

Admission for up to 15 people, 45 minutes in Party Alcove, 4 pizzas, and soda.

Package B VIP \$280 Reg \$415

Admission for up to 30 people, 45 minutes in Party Alcove, 8 pizzas, and soda.

Package C VIP \$450 Reg \$665

Admission for up to 50 people, 45 minutes in Party Alcove, 13 pizzas, and soda.

Water Fitness Classes

Each class is covered by a class fee, your Water Aerobics 20-visit swipe card, or your Platinum membership.

River Walking (June 5 - August 17)

Mon- Thurs: 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. (no instructor)

Mon - Thurs: 7:45 - 8:30 p.m. (no instructor)

Water Aerobics (June 5 - August 19)

Mon, Wed: 6:30 - 7:20 p.m. (Deep Water)

Sat: 8:45 - 9:45 a.m. (Combo)

Sat: 10 - 10:50 a.m. (Deep Water)



Pool Hours:

Saturdays - Thursdays 11:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Fridays: 11:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Celebrate 20 Years!

Monday, May 29th: Blast back to 2003 to celebrate North Pointe's 20th season! Jam to some 2000s tunes, wear your best early 2000s gear, take advantage of our fun photo opportunities, and residents (with a resident ID) can enjoy throwback pricing for the day!

Saturday, June 3rd: Come celebrate North Pointe's 20th birthday party! We'll have competitions and an attendance drawing for some cool prizes.

Thursday, June 22: World's Largest Swim Lesson! Join us for the World's Largest Swim Lesson! Help us beat the world record and promote water safety. This is a FREE event, however, pre-registration is encouraged and appreciated. Registration begins May 1st.

Monday, September 4th: One last swim before North Pointe's 20th season comes to a close. We'll have competitions, a raffle, and our last duck race. Bring your fun floats for the last day in the lazy river, and enjoy our last celebration of the 2023 season!



Swim Lessons & Aquatics

Group Swim Lessons - The Pointe

We offer year-round group swim lessons at The Pointe! These lessons are designed for infants, children, and adults six months and older. The program teaches water safety skills, all four primary strokes, and much more in a safe and fun environment. Lessons are taught in a 5:1 ratio so that time is optimized with each participant.



Tuesday/Thursday Sessions

Dates: June 6 - 29
July 11 - Aug. 3
Time: 4:30, 5:15, or 6 p.m.
Fee: VIP \$70, Reg \$85
Location: The Pointe

Saturday Sessions

Dates: June 10 - Aug. 5 (none 7/1)
Time: 8:45, 9:30, 10:15, or 11 a.m.
Fee: VIP \$70, Reg \$85
Location: The Pointe

Adult Swim Lessons

Adult group swim lessons are offered for any adult and teen that wants to learn the basics of swimming and become more comfortable in the water. Regular swim lesson sessions are broken down into 8 classes for 3 or more participants, 6 classes for 2 participants, and 4 classes for 1 participant.

Dates: June 10 - Aug. 5 (none 7/1)
Time: 8:45, 9:30, 10:15, or 11 a.m.
Fee: VIP \$70, Reg \$85
Ages: 16+
Location: The Pointe

Group Swim Lessons - North Pointe

We offer group swim lessons during the summer at North Pointe. These lessons are designed for infants, children, and adults six months and older. The program teaches water safety skills, all four primary strokes, and much more in a safe and fun environment. Lessons are taught in a 5:1 ratio so that time is optimized with each participant.



Monday - Thursday Sessions

Dates: June 5 - 15
June 19 - 29
July 24 - August 3
Warm-up: July 10 - 13, 19, 20
(\$55/\$65)
Time: 9:45 or 10:30 a.m.
Fee: VIP \$70, Reg \$85
Location: North Pointe

Levels

Seahorse - Parent/Child class, 6 months < 3 years
Tadpoles - ages 3-6
Clownfish - ages 3-6
Otters - ages 3-6
Stingrays - ages 3-6
Seaturtles - ages 7-15
Swordfish - ages 7-15
Barracuda - ages 5-15

Unsure of what group swim lesson level to sign up for? Scan the QR code below.



Private Swim Lessons

We also offer private swim lessons. Lesson times are flexible to allow for adequate scheduling and planning. Request forms are available at The Pointe Front Desk. Call The Pointe at (636) 227-8950 for more details.

Red Cross Lifeguard Course - 11020

This blended learning course will combine online learning with hands on skills practice to prevent, recognize and respond to emergencies; as well as providing care for injuries and sudden illnesses until advanced medical personnel arrive and take over. For more details, contact Emily Wagemann at ewagemann@ballwin.mo.us

Dates: June 5 - 7 (11220-51)
June 9 - 11 (11220-55)
June 19 - 21 (11220-52)
June 23 - 25 (11220-56)
July 10 - 12 (11220-53)
July 24 - 26 (11220-54)

Time: Times vary
Fee: VIP \$160, Reg \$180
Ages: 15+
Location: North Pointe

LGI Course - 11122

Are you a current American Red Cross lifeguard looking for the next step in your certification? Take this instructor level certification course and become a Lifeguard Instructor today! With an emphasis on hands-on learning, we will certify you to teach American Red Cross lifeguard courses including CPR/AED courses, coaches safety training, and waterpark skills. Contact Emily Wagemann at ewagemann@ballwin.mo.us.

Dates: July 31 - Aug. 2
(11122-01)
Days: Monday - Wednesday
Time: 7 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Fee: VIP \$150, Reg \$300
Ages: 17+

Location: The Pointe

The **Ballwin Blue Dolphins Swim and Dive Team** is

a recreational team with an emphasis on developing basic competitive skills. This fun, recreational league caters to swimmers and divers (age 5-18 years). We provide friendly competition between neighboring communities while focusing on learning, teamwork, sportsmanship, and most importantly FUN! We strive to promote a positive and safe environment for area swimmers and divers. Swimmers and/or divers with little or no experience are welcome. All new swim participants eight (8) and under must perform a swim test of 25 yards to join. The swim test must be swam with no assistance and without stopping. The swim test is not timed and is required for the safety of the swimmers. The 2023 swim pre-test date and time is Saturday, May 6 at 9:15 a.m. The swim pre-test will be held at The Pointe Indoor Pool. Swim team is NOT a substitute for swim lessons. In order to provide the best program possible, membership will be limited to 75 swimmers per age group and 65 divers. All of our coaches are highly experienced in coaching swimmers and divers.

Registration opened on April 1st. All registration fees for Ballwin Swim & Dive team are collected at The Pointe's Welcome Desk (there is no online registration). All Volunteer Checks are to be submitted with Registration Fees at The Pointe's Welcome Desk. **Each family is required to submit three (3) \$150 checks at time of registration for the parent-volunteer program.** A buyout of \$400 can be made at time of registration. A \$20 discount will be given on any multi-family registration.

Dates: June 5 - July 21 (11123)

Days: Monday - Friday

Time: 7 - 9:45 a.m.

Fee: VIP \$160, Reg \$180

Ages: 11 - 18

Location: North Pointe



Swim Team Only

See information in Swim & Dive Team section on this page.

Dates: June 5 - July 21(11221)

Days: Monday - Friday

Time: 11 - 18: 7 - 8:15 a.m.

9 - 10: 8:15 - 9:05 a.m.

5 - 8: 9:05 - 9:45 a.m.

Fee: VIP \$140, Reg \$160

Ages: 5-18

Location: North Pointe

Dive Team Only

See information in Swim & Dive Team section on this page.

Dates: June 5 - July 14 (11222-01)

Days: Monday - Friday

Time: 9 - 10: 1 - 8 a.m.

5 - 8: 8 - 9 a.m.

11 - 18: 8:30 - 10 a.m.

Fee: VIP \$140, Reg \$160

Ages: 5-18

Location: North Pointe

Beginner Dive Lessons- 11239

Beginner diving lessons provide your child with the basics of safe and progressive diving. They will learn the proper techniques of approaches, entries, positions, and safety on and around the diving boards. No diving experience needed. There will be four sessions: June 5 - 15, June 19 - 29, July 10-13, 19 & 20 and July 24 - Aug. 3.

Days: Monday -Thursdays

Time: 10 - 10:30 a.m.

Fee: VIP \$70, Reg \$85

Intermediate Dive Lessons- 11240

Intermediate diving lessons provide safe opportunities for your child to learn dives and allows for additional practice. Our objective is to prepare your child for the competitive side of diving. We will teach dives in all categories and positions. We will work on proper entry and lead-ups to dives that are more difficult. This is a great pre-requisite for dive team! There will be four sessions: June 5 - 15, June 19 - 29, July 10 - 13, 19 & 20, and July 24 - August 3.

Days: Monday -Thursdays

Times: 10:30 - 11 a.m.

Fee: VIP \$70, Reg \$85

Ages: 5 - 15

Masters Swim Club

We offer a swim club for adults of all skill levels in this six-week program. This program is for fun, exercise, and camaraderie. Swimming as a beginner or training for that next triathlon, Coach Blakeleigh is knowledgeable, experienced, and just amazing at what she does! This program is not a substitute for swim lessons. All participants must know how to do the strokes & swim 50 yards before registering.

Dates: June 5 - July 14 (11230-01)

Days: M/W/F

Time: 6 - 7 a.m.

Fee: VIP \$90, Reg \$105

Ages: 18+

Location: North Pointe

Featured Special Events

Family Bingo Night

Bring your family, win some prizes, and enjoy an evening of Bingo at the Pointe! Pizza and drinks will be provided. Pre-registration is required. Register by May 10th.

Date: Friday, May 12 (14018-0)

Time: 6 - 8 p.m.

Fee: VIP \$7/Reg \$9

Ages: 3+

Location: The Pointe

Ballwin Concert Series

Join us for a summer of family fun & great music for free! Grab your picnic blanket or lawn chair, head over to New Ballwin Park, kick back, relax and enjoy some live music with us this summer!

Dates: June 7: The Aquaholics

June 21: Showdown

July 12: Bryan Duckham Band

July 26: The Retro Band

August 9: Trilogy

Time: 7 - 9 p.m.

Fee: Free

Ages: All

Location: New Ballwin Park

Drive-In Movie Night at the Golf Course

Bring out the whole family for a night of movie fun and join us at the golf course to watch DC League of Super Pets. Families are welcomed to bring their own blankets, chairs and snacks. The movie will be show on the first fairway at the Ballwin Golf Course. Concessions will be available before and during the show! Make it a true drive in experience and purchase a "family pack" for the movie and we will provide you with a golf cart to sit in, bottle of water for each person, and popcorn! (Golf Cart seats 2 adults or 3 children and lawn chairs can be set up beside the cart).

Date: Friday, July 28 (14715-01)

Time: 8:30 - 10:30 p.m.

Fee: VIP \$15/ Reg \$20 (up to 5 people)

Ages: All

Location: Golf Course

Ballwin Poker Pub Crawl

Poker buff or beer aficionado, here is the day excursion for you. The Ballwin Poker Pub Crawl will start at The Wolf Cafe where we will gather and board a bus to venture to 3 additional local watering holes before returning to The Wolf Tap Room. Each stop will include a free pour and time to enjoy the establishment, approximately 1 hour at each stop. After each stop you will get a playing card and at the end of the night, the people with the best three hands of poker will win tickets to the Ballwin Beer Festival.

Date: Saturday, August 5 (19304-01)

Time: 1 - 6 p.m.

Fee: VIP \$40/Reg \$45

Ages: 21+

Location: The Wolf Cafe

Dog Swim

Calling all K-9s! This is a great opportunity to bring your pooch to the pool, or just come and see all the different dogs. Big, small, short or tall, all are welcome with up to date vaccinations. Owners are responsible for the clean-up of all pet deposits. No aggressive dogs, please! Only two humans (maximum) allowed per dog. Pay at the entrance of the event (there will be no pre-registration). There will be two time slots for this event: 4:30 - 6 p.m. and 6:15 - 7:45 p.m.

Date: September 5

Times: 4:30 - 6 p.m. (first slot)

6:15 - 7:45 p.m. (second slot)

Fee: VIP/Reg \$10 (per dog)

Ages: All

Location: North Pointe

Ballwin Craft Beer Festival

This tasting event will feature a variety of beer, seltzers, and live music! Each tasting ticket includes a three-hour unlimited tasting time block from 3 pm to 6 pm and check in will begin at 2 pm. Bring your ticket to the event to pick up your complimentary tasting glass. All ticket holders will be carded and must be 21 to participate in the tasting portion of the event.

Date: Saturday, Sept. 9

Time: 3 - 6 p.m.

Fee: VIP/Reg \$25 (until June 30)

Ages: 21+

Location: Vlasia Park



Ballwin Days 2023

SAVE THE DATES **August 17 - 20, 2023**

Join us this August for a family-friendly weekend of fun, carnival rides, games, live music, food, and more! This year's Ballwin Days Festival takes place Thursday, August 17th (Soft Opening), Friday, August 18, Saturday, August 19, and Sunday, August 20.

Announcements, including bands & a schedule of events, will be shared on the City's website and social media pages, so continue to check throughout the summer. Additional information will also be included in the August issue of the Ballwin Life Magazine.

Questions? Contact Chris Conway at (636) 227-8950 or cconway@ballwin.mo.us. Or visit www.ballwin.mo.us/Ballwin-Days-2022/.

Ballwin Golf Course



Information

333 Holloway Road
Ballwin, MO 63011
(636) 227-1750

Hours (first tee time - last tee time)

May	7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
June	6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
July	6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Pricing

	9 holes
Resident*	\$15
Resident* Sr/Jr*	\$13
Resident* Hero*	\$12
Non-Resident	\$17
Non-Resident Sr/Jr*	\$15
Non-Resident Hero*	\$14

Carts*

Riding Cart (9 holes)	\$10 per person
Pull Carts	\$2 per day

**You must be 18+ to rent a Riding Cart.*

*Residents must present an active Parks & Recreation Resident ID card to receive this rate (purchased for \$5 at The Pointe and renewed annually for \$1. To purchase a Parks & Recreation Resident ID card, residents must provide an unpaid gas, sewer, water, or electric bill and complete an application (a PDF copy of online bill is acceptable).

*Hero: Police, Fire, EMS, Veterans, and Active Military

*Senior: 62 and older

*Junior: 17 and under

Ballwin Junior Golf League

Kids age 8 -13 years old will compete in 9 hole rounds for 5 Sunday evenings with a tournament the last scheduled Sunday of the program. Prizes will vary based on age groups. A chaperone will need to be present and the course must be walked. *Father's Day will be skipped.

Dates: June 11 - July 23

Day: Sundays

Times: 8-9: 3 - 5:45 p.m. (17802-01)
10-11: 4 - 6:45 p.m. (17802-02)
12-13: 5 - 7:45 p.m. (17802-03)

Fee: VIP \$100/Reg \$112

Ages: All

Location: Ballwin Golf Course

Junior Golf Clinic

Golf clinics will be held three times during the year to help our members learn to play and get ready for golf season. This clinic will start at the Landings at Spirit Golf Club. The Ballwin Golf Course will host the putting and chipping sessions at the golf course later in the session. Ages 12 and under for the Jr Section and 13 and up for the adult section. Price does not vary.

Dates: July 9 - Aug. 6 (17813-23)

Time: 1 - 2 p.m.

Fee: VIP \$110, Reg \$120

Ages: 7 - 12

Location: The Landings/Ballwin Golf Course

Adult Golf Clinic

Golf clinics will be held three times during the year to help our members learn to play and get ready for golf season. This clinic will start at the Landings at Spirit Golf Club. The Ballwin Golf Course will host the putting and chipping sessions at the golf course later in the session. Ages - 12 and under for the Jr Section and 13 and up for the adult section. Price does not vary.

Dates: July 9 - Aug. 6 (17814-23)

Time: 2 - 3 p.m.

Fee: VIP \$110, Reg \$120

Ages: 18+

Location: The Landings/Ballwin Golf Course

Events Center



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Watering the Greens

Deciding how much water to apply on a golf course putting green is a difficult decision that superintendents must make daily. At night the irrigation system will water the greens. That water is targeted to get into the root zone of the turf. If the green is over watered, it becomes soft and spongy, resulting in a slow playing surface.

Having a green too wet during the heat is one of the worst things. When a green is saturated with water, the water heats up during the day, which heats up the soil and cooks the roots. Then at night, when temperatures drop the hot water keeps the soil hot all night, so the roots cannot recover from the hot afternoons. When the humidity is high, it is very hard to dry greens out once they become saturated. Greens are also more likely to get fungus or disease under these conditions.

Having a green too dry can also negatively affect the turf health, but in general, it is better to have the greens dryer than wetter. Therefore, when scheduling overnight watering, our Golf Course Superintendent tends to err on the dry side.

This means there isn't enough water to maintain optimal playing conditions throughout a hot day. So a light application of water is needed throughout the afternoon to ensure the greens survive the heat stress.

This is done by hand watering the greens, which just cools off the top surface area. On a hot day, about 4-5 light applications of water is needed. Hand watering assures that the whole putting surface gets what it needs to survive the heat. Some areas need a little more water and some areas might not need any extra water.

This is why we typically don't use sprinklers in the afternoon on greens. If it happens to be windy out, the wind can blow water away from areas of the green. That means some areas wouldn't get any water, and some areas would get too much.

Sprinklers also hit cart paths, so turning them on during a busy day would get carts and golfers wet. Hand watering provides greater control over where and how much water is applied to an area.

While this process might inconvenience golfers, the inconvenience is worth it for maintaining healthy putting green surfaces.



Event Calendar

May

- 1 Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting
- 4 Cinco de Mayo Wine & Paint Party
- 8 Board of Aldermen Meeting
- 22 Board of Aldermen Meeting
- 27 North Pointe Opening Day!
- 29 North Pointe Throwback Day



2023 Easter Egg Hunt in Vlasia Park

June

- 3 North Pointe 20th Birthday Celebration
- 5 Planning & Zoning Commission
- 12 Board of Aldermen Meeting
- 17 Twilight Swim
- 22 World's Largest Swim Lesson



2023 Sweetheart Dance at the Ballwin Golf Course & Events Center

July

- 10 Board of Aldermen Meeting
- 22 Twilight Swim
- 30 Cardboard Boat Regatta

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Planning and Zoning Commission meetings are scheduled for 7 p.m. in the Board Room on the first Monday of each month, subject to petitions.

Board of Adjustment meetings are scheduled for 7 p.m. in the Board Room on the third Wednesday of each month, subject to petitions.

The Board of Aldermen meetings are scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month in the Board Room.

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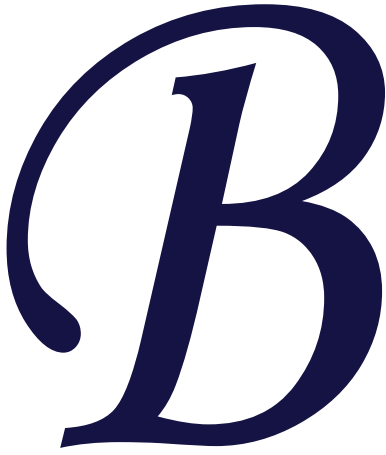
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