

# 2024 FALL QUARTER BROCHURE



**FALL QUARTER REGISTRATION BEGINS AUGUST 5**

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## ABBREVIATION GUIDE

### DATES/DAYS OF THE WEEK

Dates are listed in month/date format. For example, May 1 is listed as 5/1.

M	Monday
T	Tuesday
W	Wednesday
R	Thursday
F	Friday
SA	Saturday
SU	Sunday
EO	Every Other

### FACILITIES/LOCATIONS

AA	Auburn Arboretum
AHS	Auburn High School
AHST	Auburn High School Track
AJHS	Auburn Junior High School
APL	Auburn Public Library
ASC	Auburn Softball Complex
ASF	Auburn Soccer Fields–Shug Jordan Fields
ATPS	Auburn Technology Park South–Lake
BCC	Boykin Community Center
BCG	Boykin Community Gym
CSP	Chewacla State Park
DP	Dinius Park
DRRC	Dean Road Recreation Center
DMSG	Drake Middle School Gymnasium
DSP	Duck Samford Park
DTWN	Downtown Auburn
ESS	East Samford School
FBRC	Frank Brown Recreation Center
FLP	Felton Little Park
HC	Hubert & Grace Harris Senior Center
IPT	Indian Pines Tennis Courts
JDCAC	Jan Dempsey Community Arts Center
KP	Kiesel Park
KPNC	Kreher Preserve & Nature Center
MLK	Martin Luther King Park
MPB	Margie Piper Bailey
OES	Ogletree Elementary School
SP	Samford Pool
TCP	Town Creek Park
TCIP	Town Creek Inclusive Playground
WSC	Wire Road Soccer Complex
YTC	City of Auburn/Auburn University Yarbrough Tennis Center

## REGISTRATION GUIDELINES

Registration will begin Monday, August 5 at 8 a.m. Citizens must have an online account to register for any Parks and Recreation programs. An account should be created for any individual who is interested in registering and participating in a program. To access the online system and create an account visit [auburnalabama.org/parks/register](http://auburnalabama.org/parks/register). Programs with an associated cost will require payment which can be made online using a credit card. Individuals who wish to pay with cash or check can register and pay in-person at the Harris Center Monday–Friday, 8am–5pm. Registration will only be accepted from participants who live or work in the City of Auburn during the first two weeks of registration, August 5–16.

The Auburn Parks and Recreation Department administration offices are located in the Harris Center at 425 Perry Street and are open Monday–Friday, 8 AM until 5 PM

**REGISTRATION:** Registration is required for all programs. Your early registration makes a difference, as all programs have a minimum participation requirement. Registration is accepted on a first come, first served basis. After a class has reached capacity, names will be placed on a waiting list. Contact us at (334) 501–2930 for questions or more information.

**PHOTOS:** City of Auburn staff will periodically take photos of program participants and park visitors. These photos may be used in our publications, including seasonal program guides, facility brochures, advertisements and on our website. If you do not wish to have your photo taken, please notify the photographer at that time.

**WAIVER AND RELEASE:** All participants in programs conducted by the City of Auburn Parks and Recreation Department are required to sign a liability/waiver release form. Participants under the age of 19 will be required to have a parent/guardian sign for them.

**FEES:** Classes with fees must be paid at the time of registration.

**REFUNDS:** All refund requests must be made in writing to the Parks and Recreation Administrative office via email ([registration@auburnalabama.org](mailto:registration@auburnalabama.org)) or using the refund request form on the home page of the online portal. Refunds for leisure activities will be processed and issued within 1 week if originally paid online by customer or 2–3 weeks if registration was processed in-person at the Harris Center. Tennis and Youth Sports refunds will be processed and received after 30 days. All refunds may be subject to a 10% fee.

**CEMETERIES:** Auburn Parks and Recreation is responsible for Memorial Park, Westview, Pine Hill, and Town Creek Cemeteries. To purchase bronze markers or lots, arrange for burial or for more information, please pick up the cemetery brochure or contact the Harris Center at (334) 501–2930.

**PICNIC FACILITIES:** Picnic facilities at Duck Samford, Kiesel, Town Creek Inclusive Playground, Bowden, Sam Harris, Dinius, Martin Luther King and Felton Little Parks are available for reservations. To reserve a park, contact the Harris Center at (334) 501–2930.

**RENT-A-FACILITY:** City of Auburn Parks and Recreation facilities and parks are available to the public for rental. Rental fees vary depending on the amount of space, equipment, and type of facility needed. For more information on City facilities, please visit [auburnalabama.org/parks/register](http://auburnalabama.org/parks/register) to check availability and reserve a facility or park. To schedule a tour of the historic Nunn Winston House and service building at Kiesel Park, contact Auburn Parks and Recreation at (334) 501–2930.

**NOTES:** Participants in all Auburn Parks and Recreation programs must be toilet trained. If participants are not picked up on time from programs, a late fee will be assessed.

**SERVICE FEES:** A \$30 service fee will be charged on all checks returned by the bank.

**ACCOMMODATIONS:** In accordance with the requirements of Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (“ADA”), the City of Auburn, Alabama does not discriminate on the basis of disability in its services, programs, or activities. Upon request, qualified individuals with disabilities will be provided with reasonable accommodations. To ensure effectiveness of the accommodations, the City requests that the Administrative offices of the Parks and Recreation Department be notified of the need at least 48 hours prior to the program, event, or activity. Please refer to the back of this brochure for a complete listing of all facilities and parks. You may also refer to the Parks and Recreation Guide, available at the Harris Center, for a map and detailed information about each individual park and facility.

Please visit [auburnalabama.org/government/ada](http://auburnalabama.org/government/ada) for additional information.



# FALL SUNDOWN CONCERT SERIES

Join us for an evening of music and fun at beautiful Keisel Park. Bring your lawn chair, blanket, kick back and enjoy the music. Food concessions will be on site for purchase. Bands will be announced at a later date at [auburnalabama.org/parks](http://auburnalabama.org/parks). **FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ALL	R	TBD	6 - 7:30 p.m.	KP

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# FRIDAY FRIGHT NIGHT MOVIES

We are hosting an evening of spooky movies to get you in the mood for Halloween! Patrons are encouraged to bring blankets or chairs to be comfortable, and concessions will be available for purchase to enjoy the movies. Doors will open at 5:45pm with free treats for all. This event is **FREE and open to the public.**

**Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom** (1984) Rated PG – showing at 6:15pm

**Mind Hunters** (2004) Rated R – showing at 8:20pm

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ALL	F	10/11	6:15 - 10:30 p.m.	FBRC

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# HARVEST MARKET

City Market is back for the fall season! Auburn Parks and Recreation invites the community, growers and consumers alike, to the join us at Town Creek Park for the Harvest Market Saturday from 8 a.m. till noon. The market will host local farmers, growers and artists to sell their produce and products. Parking will be available for all market attendees in the gravel parking lot across from Town Creek Park.

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ALL	SA	10/12	8 a.m. – Noon	TCP

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## DOWNTOWN TRICK OR TREAT

Happy Halloween! Auburn's favorite Halloween tradition is Downtown Trick or Treat! Join us on Thursday, October 31<sup>st</sup> from 6:00-8:00 pm in Downtown Auburn. Collect candy from local businesses and organizations, enjoy fun music, and take your picture in front of the balloon backdrop! Costume Contest begins at 6:30pm! **FREE to the public.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
All	R	10/31	6 – 8 p.m.	Downtown Auburn

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## 18<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HOLIDAY ART SALE

The Auburn Arts Association, Auburn Parks & Recreation and Jan Dempsey Community Arts Center will host the 18<sup>th</sup> annual Holiday Art Sale on Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup> from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. at the City of Auburn Parks and Recreation Complex. Local artists will be selling paintings, pottery, stained glass, photography, cards, jewelry, hats, scarves and much more! If you would like to sell your work, applications will be available via MyRec beginning Monday, September 30<sup>th</sup>. A limited number of exhibition spaces are available, so be sure to submit your application quickly! For more information about this year's event or a link to the registration website, please visit [auburnalabama.org/arts](http://auburnalabama.org/arts). For more information, please contact the Arts Center at (334) 501-2944. **FREE to the public.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
All	SA	11/16	9 a.m. – 4 p.m.	FBRC/JDCAC

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## HOOHO HO HIKE AND HOLIDAY CELEBRATION

The City of Auburn Parks and Recreation will once again be joining the Kreher Preserve and Nature Center to bring the Ho-Ho-Ho Hike and Holiday Celebration back for the 2024 winter season. The 2024 Ho-Ho-Ho Hike and Holiday Celebration will be held on Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup> from 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. The Kreher Preserve and the Jan Dempsey Community Arts Center will partner together to turn the Preserve into a Winter Wonderland, full of nature-themed crafts, performances, cookies, and a visit from Mrs. Claus. This event will also include the traditional Ho-Ho-Ho Hike, a unique and fun "Santa-hunt" where you will hike the Preserve looking for the elusive visitor in red, meeting many of nature's creatures along the way. Wear your comfortable walking shoes and come celebrate the holiday with the Clauses! The cost is **\$15 per person** (adults must have a ticket); children under the age of 24 months are FREE with the purchase of an adult ticket. Tickets go on sale Monday, November 4<sup>th</sup> and are available online ONLY by visiting <http://auburn.edu/preserve>. For more information, visit the website or contact Emillie Dombrowski, Art Education Specialist at (334) 501-2944.

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
2+	SA	12/6	10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Kreher Preserve

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## LET'S GET ACTIVE, AUBURN!

Active Auburn is a health and wellness campaign presented by Auburn Parks and Recreation and launched in August 2017. The campaign is designed to encourage Auburn residents to get active in Auburn and connect them with their fellow residents and City parks and facilities. For questions about Active Auburn, visit [www.auburnalabama.org/parks](http://www.auburnalabama.org/parks).



## 50+ FITNESS

### SILVER SNEAKERS – STABILITY WITH ELIZABETH

Join me for a balance-focused workout that combines seated and standing exercises. 45-minute class that will have you feeling strong.

**Payment is \$5 to be paid online, if Silver Sneakers member, you will be reimbursed the \$5. The payment will cover the whole quarter.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	M	9/9 – 11/18	8:15 - 9 a.m.	HC

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### ZUMBA GOLD

Zumba Gold is designed for the older active adult, a person who has not been exercising in a long time or individuals who may be limited physically. The biggest difference between Zumba Gold and Zumba basic is that Zumba Gold is done at a much lower intensity. It is just as much fun, just not as fast! Zumba Gold uses the same great Latin styles of music and dance that are used in the Zumba basic program, including the Salsa, Cha-Cha, Rock 'n Roll and Merengue. The Zumba Gold program strives to improve balance, strength, flexibility and most importantly, the heart. When you take the Zumba Gold class, be sure to wear comfortable workout clothing, take water and a towel, along with a "ready to party" attitude! **FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	MW	9/2 – 11/25	10 - 11 a.m.	FBRC

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### ITTY BITTY AUBURN

It's time to break out the thinking caps and magnifying glasses for Itty Bitty Auburn in celebration of Alabama's birthday! Beginning Thursday, August 1st, participants can pick up a worksheet for the scavenger hunt at any Parks and Recreation facility or find it on the City of Auburn website, printed in select newspapers and on Facebook. The worksheet features 20 itty-bitty sites throughout one secret location in Auburn. Participants will need to go to the location and solve the itty-bitty clues. A successful scavenger hunt will reveal a special phrase which participants will need to log their win! All participants must "register" by Saturday, August 31st at 11:59 p.m. Those who compile all 20 clues and discover the phrase will be entered into the Grand Prize drawing. Winners will be announced and contacted on Friday, September 6th. **FREE to the public.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ALL	MTWRF			
	SASU	8/1 – 8/31	Ongoing	Varies

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### JINGLE JOG AND SANTA STROLL

The Jingle Jog 5k and Santa Stroll Fun Run (1 mile) are here again – so pull out those Santa hats and ugly sweaters! Join Active Auburn on a Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup> as we ring in the holiday season in style!

**\$15 - \$45, per person. See website for fee schedule & more details.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
All	SA	12/7	5 – 8:00am	Toomer's Corner

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### SEATED ZUMBA GOLD

Zumba movements are designed to mimic many typical Latin dance styles like salsa, rumba, and cumbia. Although traditionally many of these dances require use of your entire body, they can easily be adapted for people with mobility challenges. Many movements can be done with the upper body from a seated position in a wheelchair. Because so many unique styles of music are usually incorporated into typical Zumba classes, participants join into the motions they feel most comfortable with. This class is a wonderful way to strengthen the upper body as well as the lower extremities such as ankles and feet (if able). The class can be taken from your own wheelchair or from a regular chair. Chairs will be provided. **FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	MW	9/2 – 11/25	11 – 11:30 a.m.	FBRC

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### LOW IMPACT CARDIO SCULPT

This class is led by a certified fitness instructor and designed to give maximum cardiovascular benefits with little stress on the joints. Muscle building and strengthening exercises are incorporated with low-impact cardio movements designed to tone muscles and increase cardiovascular endurance. This workout also includes balance and stretching exercises, which we need as we age. Studies show that regular exercise changes the brain to improve memory and thinking skills! (In case you need another reason to join!) Please bring an exercise mat (example: yoga mat). Lightweights (no more than 2-3-pound handheld weights, soup cans, water bottles, etc.) are encouraged but not mandatory. Participants are encouraged to modify and work out at his/her own pace and modifications are shown by the instructor. **The class is FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
18+	TR	9/3 – 11/21	10 – 10:45 a.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Valerie Carson • [valeriecarson@knology.net](mailto:valeriecarson@knology.net)

## FBRC FITNESS AREA ORIENTATION

Feel better and more confident by improving your strength and cardio fitness for long-term physical health. A certified personal trainer will teach you how to use the constant resistance machines (weight machines) and cardio machines in the FBRC Fitness Area safely and effectively. The orientation lasts approximately 90 minutes or two 45 minute sessions to include time for you to practice the exercises. After you register, an email will be sent to you (generally within a week) to schedule a day and time to meet. Please wear comfortable clothing that allows you to move freely and well-fitting athletic shoes. **The class is FREE TO THE PUBLIC, but a \$30 Lifetime or \$5 Daily Fitness Center pass/waiver is required to attend.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Dates(s)	Time(s)	Location
18+	MTWRFSA	9/2 – 11/29	By Appt.	FBRC

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## BE FAB (BE FLEXIBLE & BALANCED)

Feel better and more confident by improving your balance and flexibility safely for long-term physical health. This class is led by a certified personal trainer and focuses on proper technique and safety. Please wear comfortable clothing that allows you to move freely and well-fitting athletic shoes. Bring an exercise mat or towel for floor work. Exercise modifications can be made if needed. You are encouraged to come three (3) days each week for best results. **If this class is full and you miss 1 week without any communication to the instructor, you will be deregistered so others may register. FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Dates(s)	Time(s)	Location
18+	MTWRF	9/30 – 11/22	1 – 1:45 p.m.	JDCAC

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## I'VE FALLEN AND I CAN GET UP

Are you afraid of falling and not being able to get back up again, or do you avoid sitting on the floor because you don't think you can get back up again? If so, this class is for you! We will work on strengthening the muscles needed and safe technique to get down onto the floor and then back up again. Please wear comfortable clothing that allows you to move freely. This class is led by a certified personal trainer and focuses on proper technique and safety. **If this class is full and you miss 1 week without any communication to the instructor, you will be deregistered so others may register. FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
50+	TR	9/17 – 10/10	11:10 – 11:45 a.m.	HC

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
50+	TR	10/22 – 11/21	11:10 – 11:45 a.m.	HC

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## 50+ PROGRAMS

### RETIREMENT PLANNING TODAY

This is a comprehensive course designed to help you see your way to a clear, bright financial future. You will examine many aspects of personal finance and how they can work together to create a smart, individualized retirement plan. Enlightening and entertaining, the course is designed by the Financial Educators network to meet the needs of adult learners, providing action-focused knowledge in just two sessions. You will be taught by a qualified instructor with real-world experience to help bring your learning to life. In this two-part course we will discuss the following:

- Life Planning for Retirement
- Retirement Needs and Expenses
- Retirement Roadblocks and Mistakes
- Retirement Income Sources
- Retirement Plan Distributions
- Investments
- Risk Management and Asset Protection
- Estate Planning

This two-session course is designed to help you think through your own goals and the steps to get there. If you want to build a comfortable nest egg, protect your assets, and preserve your lifestyle, Retirement Planning today will help you move forward with more confidence. Registration includes one financial planning and retirement textbook filled with helpful examples and illustrations. This will be a useful reference after the course is complete. One guest may attend with you for no additional charge. **\$49.00 per person.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	T	9/24, 10/1	6 – 8:15 p.m.	HC
	R	9/19, 9/26	1 – 3:15 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Fred Middleton • (334) 481-1222 • fred@pmgplanning.com

### MEDICARE EDUCATION CLASS

This class will help seniors better understand their options as they become eligible for Medicare benefits. I will also give simple, straightforward answers to their questions. **FREE to the public.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	M	10/21	3 – 4 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Sam Duffield • samduffield22@gmail.com

### THE CRAFTY CREW – CERAMICS PROJECT

We'll be diving into the awesome new ceramics studio at Jan Dempsey Community Center for a fun hand building project! Who's ready to get creative with us? Let's make some beautiful clay creations together! **\$15 per person.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	F	10/4	9 – 11 a.m.	JDCAC

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### GET OUT AND GO! LOCAL ADVENTURE CLUB

Join us each month as we venture out to take advantage of the local sights and activities! Participants must provide their own transportation to each location. Look for directions and more details in the *Senior Connection* newsletter each month. **Cost varies by activity. Please register in advance.**

**September** • Bowling Party

**October** • Wine Tasting

**November** • Apter Facility Tour

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	R	9/19	4 - 6 p.m.	Good Times Bowling Alley
	R	10/17	4 – 5:30 p.m.	Cerulean Wine Bar
	R	11/7	9 - 10 a.m.	Apter CSP Technologies

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## BINGO & LUNCH TO GO

On the first and third Tuesdays of each month, enjoy playing bingo and catching up with friends. Participants will be provided a boxed lunch to take home. Space is limited for in-person bingo, so if you register but cannot attend, please, let us know in writing. PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED; you must be registered the Friday before bingo to be guaranteed lunch and to participate. You must attend bingo to receive a lunch. **\$10 per day.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	T	9/3, 9/17	10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.	HC
	T	10/1, 10/15	10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.	HC
	T	11/5, 11/19	10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.	HC

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## MUNCH AND MINGLE LUNCH CLUB

Get together with old friends and make some new friends as we gather on select Wednesday afternoons each month for lunch at a local restaurant. Participants must provide their own transportation and cover the cost of lunch. Senior discounts may apply at some restaurants. **Please register in advance so reservations can be made for the group.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	W	9/11	11 a.m.-1 p.m.	Clean Eatz
	W	10/9	11 a.m.-1 p.m.	1856 Culinary Residency
	W	11/13	11 a.m.-1 p.m.	Tacorita

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## BOOK CLUB

Read and Reflect Book Club meets at the Harris Center and via Zoom on the last Tuesday of each month to discuss a selected book. Most books are available to check out at the Auburn Public Library, located at 749 East Thach Avenue. Please call 334-501-3190 or use the library link at [auburnalabama.org](http://auburnalabama.org) to reserve your copy today. You can email Sarah ([scook@auburnalabama.org](mailto:scook@auburnalabama.org)) to be added to the Read and Reflect email list. A Zoom link will be sent to the Read and Reflect email list. **FREE.**

**September:** *Midnight Library* – by Matt Haig

**October:** *Demon Copperhead* – by Barbara Kingsolver

**November:** *The Windows of Malabar Hill* – by Sujata Massey

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	T	9/24, 10/29, 11/19	1:30 - 2:30 p.m.	HC

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## FOOD FOR THOUGHT: BREAKFAST & SPEAKER SERIES

On a select Tuesdays join us for a FREE breakfast and entertaining speaker. Please register in advance so we can provide enough food. **FREE to the public.** Speakers will be posted in the Senior Connection Newsletter.

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	T	9/24, 10/29, 11/26	9 – 10 a.m.	HC

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## COOKBOOK CLUB

A cookbook club is a combination of a lot of good things. It is kind of like a book club, kind of like a potluck dinner, but together. Everyone gets to try new foods and talk about it. Stop by the Harris Center to browse the cookbook and pick out your recipe. You will bring your dish for everyone to sample and discuss. Please make enough for ten people. **FREE to the public**

**Fall Cookbook:** The National Parks Cookbook: The Best Recipes from (and inspired by) America's National Parks (Great Outdoor Cooking)

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	M	10/7	12 - 1p.m.	HC

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## PROGRAM REGISTRATION BEGINS AUGUST 5

## 50+ SPECIAL EVENTS

### HARRIS CENTER CINEMA – MATINEE MONDAY & THURSDAY MOVIE NIGHTS

Join us for a movie, popcorn, and candy on select Monday afternoons or a movie and pizza on select Thursday nights! More movie suggestions are welcome! **Matinees are \$5 per person. Thursday Movie Nights are \$10 per person. Please register by the Wednesday prior at 5 p.m.**

**September:** Argyle

**October:** Marley

**November:** IF

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	M	9/9	1:30 – 3:30 p.m.	HC
	R	9/26	5:30 – 8:30 p.m.	HC
	M	10/21	1:30 – 3:30 p.m.	HC
	R	10/10	5:30 – 8:30 p.m.	HC
	M	11/18	1:30 – 3:30 p.m.	HC
	R	11/21	5:30 – 8:30 p.m.	HC

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### OLLI SPEAKER SERIES – OLD ENOUGH: SOUTHERN WOMEN ARTISTS AND WRITERS ON CREATIVITY AND AGING

Newly released book, *Old Enough: Southern Women Artists and Writers on Creativity and Aging* (UGA Press, 2024) includes reflections from twenty-one women artists and writers about the experience of aging. Gay, straight, unmarried, partnered, widowed, black, white, Latinx, retired, and working, these women are not squeamish about the challenges of growing older, including ageism, health concerns, and loss. This speaker series, Presented by OLLI and Auburn Parks & Recreation, will showcase nine of the book's contributors, one each week. **FREE and open to the public. Registration is not required for this event.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	R	9/12-10/31	2 – 3:30 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Scott Bishop • (334) 844-3186 • [olli@auburn.edu](mailto:olli@auburn.edu)

### TECHNOLOGY TUTORING DAY

Do you have a smart phone, tablet, or laptop that's giving you a hard time? Don't worry, we've got you covered! Join us for Technology Tutoring Day on Wednesday, September 25th at 9am. You'll be matched up with a friendly volunteer from Auburn Young Professionals who will help you get the hang of your tech gadget. Just bring along one device and think of a skill or two that you want to work on mastering. We'll even have breakfast available starting at 8:30 AM before the tutoring session begins at 9 AM. Best of all, it's completely free! **FREE to the public.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	W	9/25	8:30 – 11:30 a.m.	HC

**Contact:** Sarah Cook • (334) 501-2948 • [scook@auburnalabama.org](mailto:scook@auburnalabama.org)



## SENIOR CITIZEN FALL FESTIVAL

You are invited to join for our second annual Senior Fall Festival! It's a wonderful celebration of the season tailored especially for you. Get ready for a day filled with laughter, bonding, and all things autumn. From pumpkin carving fun, delicious snacks to friendly games, there's something for everyone to enjoy. Come and soak in the beauty of fall while making unforgettable memories with both old and new friends at our Senior Fall Festival! Lunch will be served at 11:30 AM but feel free to drop in at any time for games and activities. **\$5 per person**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	F	10/18	11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.	TCP

**Contact:** Sarah Cook • (334) 501-2948 • scook@auburnalabama.org

## 50+ FIELD TRIPS

### MONTGOMERY BISCUITS GAME - MONTGOMERY, AL

Come join Sarah and me on a fun trip to see the Montgomery Biscuits play the Chattanooga Lookouts in our state capitol. The Biscuits are a Minor League Baseball team affiliated with the Tampa Bay Rays and play in the Double-A South league. Delicious food will be available for purchase at the game. Don't miss out on a great night of baseball and good company! **\$20 per person**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	W	9/4	5:00 - 10 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Sarah Cook • (334) 501-2948 • scook@auburnalabama.org

### COLUMBUS BOTANICAL GARDENS – COLUMBUS, GA

Come and enjoy the beauty of the Columbus Botanical Garden with a docent lead tour. This is an opportunity to learn about what's going on in the Garden with the plants, trees, bees, and wildlife in real time. Average tour length is 1 hour. Wear comfortable shoes and dress for the weather. Transportation around the Garden cannot be provided. This field trip is not recommended for those who use a walker or wheelchair. **\$20 per person.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	M	9/18	7:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Sarah Cook • (334) 501-2948 • scook@auburnalabama.org

## MISERY AT THE SPRINGER OPERA HOUSE – COLUMBUS, GA

Based on Stephen King's hit novel and 1990 film, "Misery" walks the chilling line between admiration and madness against an eerie setting of isolation, delusion, and obsession. Misery follows the successful romance novelist Paul Sheldon, who is rescued from a car crash by his number one fan, Annie Wilkes, and wakes up captive in her secluded home. This psychological thriller will keep you on the edge of your seat from the first page to the final chapter. **\$40 per person.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	R	10/24	2:30 – 10 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Sarah Cook • (334) 501-2948 • scook@auburnalabama.org

## PUMPKINS AT CALLAWAY – PINE MOUNTAIN, GA

Our 2,500-acre haven will be brimming with autumn magic, featuring the all-new Garden of Giants filled with some of Georgia's largest pumpkins! You can wander through sunflower fields, puzzle your way through Cason's Corn Maze, and savor fall-inspired refreshments at the family-friendly Cason's Beer & Wine Garden. By night, the gardens transformed into a whimsical wonderland with the spectacular walk-through experience: Foggy Hollow. This enchanted garden was aglow with fog-filled bubbles and delightful holographic displays of your favorite woodland creatures. **\$35 per person.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	F	11/1	2:30 – 9:30 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Sarah Cook • (334) 501-2948 • scook@auburnalabama.org

## “THE OAKS” - HOME OF BOOKER T. WASHINGTON TOUR - TUSKEGEE, AL

Embark on a journey through history with our free ranger-led tours of "The Oaks," the home of Booker T. Washington and his family. The Tuskegee University campus has been designated as a Historic District. The tour includes buildings that were built by Tuskegee Institute students and designed by Robert R. Taylor, the first African American graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The Oaks is wheelchair accessible on the first floor only via chair lift. **Bring money for lunch after the adventure! \$5 per person**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	R	11/14	9:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Sarah Cook • (334) 501-2948 • scook@auburnalabama.org

## SAMFORD POOL

**Address:** 465 Wrights Mill Rd. (behind East Samford School)  
**Phone Number:** 334-501-2956  
**Contact:** Maura Toohey • (334) 501-2940 • mtoohey@auburnalabama.org



# ART GALLERY FALL 2024 EXHIBITION SCHEDULE

## THE FALL INVITATIONAL ART EXHIBITION: AU CONNECTION

September 12 - October 19

A special invitational exhibition featuring a variety of works by artists who were formerly or are currently associated with Auburn University.

## THE 2024 JURIED PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION

November 1 - December 14

A competitive biennial exhibition open to photographers and artists in Alabama and the counties in Georgia adjacent to Lee County. For further information please call (334) 501-2963 or visit [auburnalabama.org/arts](http://auburnalabama.org/arts)

## BOB ROSS STYLE PAINTING WORKSHOP

A four hour workshop where one paints a classic Bob Ross painting in the Bob Ross wet-on-wet style. The painting will be one of the ones featured on Bob Ross's popular TV series. Participants will learn basic techniques from a certified Bob Ross CRI instructor, and be able to take home a Bob Ross style painting of their own at the end of the day. **\$100**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
14+	SA	10/19	9 a.m. – 1 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** John Hawkins • (256) 503-9731 • [john.hawkins.au@gmail.com](mailto:john.hawkins.au@gmail.com)

## LEARNING TO PAINT WITH OIL OR ACRYLIC

This will be a relaxed open studio type class where participants of all different levels have the opportunity to receive guided help in pursuing their own particular painting interests, be it portrait, landscape, still life, abstract or other. Supplies needed are acrylic or odorless oil paint, 1 half inch to 1 inch and larger brushes. Stretched canvas, canvas board, or heavy paper suitable for oil or acrylic. I encourage larger sizes no smaller than 9 x12. Some type of surface to mix your paint on. You may want a drawing board or small easel. People with all disabilities are welcome. **\$200**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
19+	T	9/13 – 10/8	11 a.m. – 1 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** John Willer • (479) 981-0548 • [scu777@gmail.com](mailto:scu777@gmail.com)

## CLASSICAL APPROACH TO OIL PORTRAITS

Learn to paint a portrait from an instructor with 30 years of teaching experience. Using the tools of step-by-step instructions with photos and a demo of Old Master techniques, you will complete your own unique version of a masterpiece. Some painting experience preferred. Skill Level: Intermediate. Supply list provided. **\$160.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	R	9/5 – 10/10	11 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Elaine Western • (832) 704-8133 • [doriswestern@gmail.com](mailto:doriswestern@gmail.com)

## CREATIVE KIDS

Creative art is a fundamental skill that should be learned by all children. The young artist will be introduced to basic drawing, painting, crafting, and clay with a fun subject while developing learning and creative skills. Creative expression will be emphasized while students work with a variety of media such as watercolor, oil pastel, color pencil, clay, collage, etc. **\$225**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
5 – 8	T	9/3 – 10/29	3:25 – 4:25 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Dong Shang • (229) 347-6293 • [dongshang@hotmail.com](mailto:dongshang@hotmail.com)

## SKETCHING WITH PENCILS, PAINTING WITH BRUSHES

In this fun and engaging class, students will learn how to draw, shade, and create gradation with pencils. Learn watercolor painting skills and color pencils. Students will develop basic art skills and techniques through these sketching and painting practices. **\$270**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
8 – 14	T	9/3 – 10/29	4:30 – 6:00 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Dong Shang • (229) 347-6293 • [dongshang@hotmail.com](mailto:dongshang@hotmail.com)

## PHOTO ADVENT CALENDAR ON CANVAS WORKSHOP

Workshop participants will create a photo advent calendar on a canvas. 25 paper pockets will each hold a little photo - starting on Dec. 1, one will be revealed on each day in Dec. until Christmas. The canvas is a great display of the participants' favorite photos. **\$35**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	M	11/4	6:30 – 9 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Julia Knappenberger • (334) 740-7143 • [julia.knappenberger@googlemail.com](mailto:julia.knappenberger@googlemail.com)

## PAINTING OPEN STUDIO

This Painting Open Studio, under the support of the Auburn Arts Association, will encourage artists to work on their own projects and provide their own art supplies. The purpose of an open studio is to provide artistic fellowship, to share ideas/work and to be with other artists. Auburn artist, Nils Larson, will coordinate the studio. **\$60 per person**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	T	9/3 – 11/19	8 a.m. – 2 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Nils Larson • (334) 663-4734 • [signaladvance@prontomail.com](mailto:signaladvance@prontomail.com)

## AUBURN OPEN STUDIO

Artists coming together to create art and support expression. No matter what level artist – you are welcome! All mediums are encouraged – watercolor, oil, acrylic, pastel, mixed media, and outsider art. **FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	F	9/6 – 11/22	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Raymond VanTilburg • (630) 697-2929 • [rayvantilburgart@gmail.com](mailto:rayvantilburgart@gmail.com)

## STUDIO 222 FIBERARTS GROUP

This group is under the support of the Auburn Arts Association. This regional artist group's focus is fiberarts sharing with each other their various skills, studying design and composition, and occasionally host visiting artists who share their talents and artworks. **FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	Last F of each month	9/27, 10/25, 11/22	12 – 3 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Laura Kloberg • (334) 332-5458 • [aura57@yahoo.com](mailto:aura57@yahoo.com)

## ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION IN ATHLETIC PROGRAMS

**Child must live in the City of Auburn or parent/guardian must work in the City of Auburn.**

Children not meeting the residency or parent work requirements will be placed on hold and added to teams at the discretion of the league after the registration period. These individuals will have a 50 percent increase in his or her fee.

## 2024 FALL ATHLETIC REGISTRATION

### SOCCER

**Online/Scholarship Registration:** July 2 – July 25

[www.auburnalabama.org/soccer/youth](http://www.auburnalabama.org/soccer/youth)

U6 – U16 Online - \$70

U19 Online - \$20

**Contact:** Jason Burnett • [jburnett@auburnalabama.org](mailto:jburnett@auburnalabama.org) • (334) 501-2943

### CHEERLEADING

**Online/Scholarship Registration:** July 2 – July 25

[www.auburnalabama.org/athletics/youth-sports/cheerleading](http://www.auburnalabama.org/athletics/youth-sports/cheerleading)

Online - \$95

**Contact:** Sarah Cook • [scook@auburnalabama.org](mailto:scook@auburnalabama.org) • (334) 501-2948

### FLAG FOOTBALL

**Online/Scholarship Registration:** July 2 – July 25

[www.auburnalabama.org/football](http://www.auburnalabama.org/football)

Online - \$60

**Contact:** Mike Goggans • [moggans@auburnalabama.org](mailto:moggans@auburnalabama.org) • (334) 501-2945

### TACKLE FOOTBALL

**Online/Scholarship Registration:** July 2 – July 25

[www.auburnalabama.org/football](http://www.auburnalabama.org/football)

Online - \$60

**Contact:** Mike Goggans • [moggans@auburnalabama.org](mailto:moggans@auburnalabama.org) • (334) 501-2945

### FALL BASEBALL & SOFTBALL

**Online/Scholarship Registration:** July 2 – July 25

[www.auburnalabama.org/baseball](http://www.auburnalabama.org/baseball)

Online - \$50

**Contact:** Brody Thomas • [bthomas@auburnalabama.org](mailto:bthomas@auburnalabama.org) • (334) 501-2952

## VOLUNTEER COACHES

All coaches in Auburn Parks and Recreation's athletic programs are volunteers who are certified through the Coach Safely Foundation. Coaches should have a basic knowledge of the sport they coach. A philosophy of participation, fun, sportsmanship, and fundamentals of the sports are stressed to the coaches. Coaches are asked to complete a basic application/information form prior to their selection, as well as a criminal background check consent form.

## SHOOT FOR THE STARS SMALL GROUP CLINIC

Youth Basketball players can join Coach John Thomas for the Shoot for The Stars small group trainings to work on their basketball fundamental skills. Coach John played 15+ years of international basketball and has developed different techniques from around the globe designed to help your child develop their skills. Through age-appropriate, fun practice plans, kids learn the fundamentals of basketball including shooting, dribbling and passing. The age group and price packages are in the details below.

**\$35 per session.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
3-16	M	7/29 – 11/18	3:30 - 4:45 p.m.	DRRC
9-13	T	7/30 – 11/19	3:30 - 4:45 p.m.	DRRC
14-16	W	7/31 – 11/20	3:30 - 4:45 p.m.	DRRC
13-16	R	8/1 – 11/21	3:30 - 4:45 p.m.	DRRC
7-8	F	8/2 – 11/22	3:30 - 4:45 p.m.	DRRC

**Contact:** John Thomas • (334) 334-444-6472 • [jttv24@gmail.com](mailto:jttv24@gmail.com)

## SHOOT FOR THE STARS BASKETBALL SKILLS DEVELOPMENT CLINIC

All athletes ages 9-13 join Coach John Thomas at the Shoot for The Stars Basketball Development Clinic to work on fundamental basketball skills! Coach John played international basketball for over 15 years and developed different basketball techniques from around the globe designed to help your child improve fundamentals and conditioning for information on private and small group training please contact John Thomas. **\$30/per session.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
9-13	SA	9/7 – 11/30	8:30 - 10:30 a.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** John Thomas • (334) 334-444-6472 • [jttv24@gmail.com](mailto:jttv24@gmail.com)

## JR NBA BASKETBALL LEAGUE

The Jr. NBA, partnered with Silverbackz Athletics, philosophy is to share the game of basketball with youth across the world by teaching skills, values, and wellness in a positive and fun environment. The Jr. NBA's holistic approach is intended to strengthen the culture of youth basketball, teach life lessons, and empower youth to live a full and healthy life. The Jr. NBA believes this philosophy leads to developing complete and well-rounded basketball players and individuals. What better place to start than the great City of Auburn! Our Basketball Program is a youth recreational league for boys and girls, ages 7 - 15. The program provides young players a fun and exciting opportunity to wear NBA/ WNBA team uniforms, engage in recreational competition, and experience continuous action, all while learning lessons in teamwork. **\$80/per player and \$55 NBA Jersey Fee. To purchase jersey please call 334.275.2548. \$80 registration does not include jersey.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
7 - 15	SU	8/25 – 10/31	1 – 6 p.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Coach Everett Thomas • (334) 275-2548 • [info@thesilverbackz.com](mailto:info@thesilverbackz.com)



## SST SILVERBACKZ SPORTS TRAINING (FORMERLY CTA)

SST is unlike any other training program. We combine training and recruiting into one! It is affordable, simple, and the most effective program to develop an athlete's speed, change of direction, skills, strength, and power. SST is not only here to increase your ability, but to get you seen by top colleges and coaches. SST is a sport training and recruiting program that will change the player into the athlete they were born to be to dominate the sport! **\$125/per month.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
3 <sup>rd</sup> - College	MTWR	8/1 - 12/31	5:30-8:30 p.m.	FBRC
3 <sup>rd</sup> - College	SU	8/4 - 12/29	1 - 6:00 p.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Coach Everett Thomas • (334) 275-2548 • info@thesilverbackz.com

## G.O.D. ADULT BASKETBALL LEAGUE

G.O.D Basketball League is a not-for-profit organization providing recreational basketball leagues for both adults and youth in the Southeast since 2006. It allows players to play in a safe environment, stay in shape, play year-round, and in the championship ring. Players can enter a team or register individually and be placed on a team. **\$25 per player.**

Ages(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	MTWR	3/4 - 5/30	6 - 8 p.m.	TBD
19+	F	3/1 - 5/31	4 - 6 p.m.	TBD
19+	SU	3/3 - 5/26	1 - 2 p.m.	TBD

**Contact:** Coach Everett Thomas • (334) 275-2548 • info@thesilverbackz.com

## ADULT SOCCER

Registration August 19-30

Register at [auburnalabama.org/soccer](http://auburnalabama.org/soccer)

Team fee: \$600

**Contact:** Jason Burnett • [jburnett@auburnalabama.org](mailto:jburnett@auburnalabama.org) • (334) 501-2943

## TENNIS

All Tennis registrations are done online at <https://auburnal.myrec.com>

You **MUST** pick the days of the week as clinics are limited.

**There are three sessions -**

Session 1 - September 3- Sept 30

Session 2 - October 1 - October 31

Session 3 - November 1 - November 22

**Contact:** Sarah Hill • (334) 501-2920 • [shill@auburnalabama.org](mailto:shill@auburnalabama.org)

## 4-6 YEAR OLD TENNIS

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
4-6	MTWR	9/3 - 11/22	3:05-3:35p	YTC

Your child will have fun learning basic techniques of tennis. This clinic will help the child become accustomed to the court, the tennis racquet, and the tennis ball. Your child will learn basic tennis and movement skills. These skills will help them learn the game of tennis and improve their coordination. Clinics will be on a modified court, use a shorter racquet (21-23 inches), and use a soft tennis ball (red or orange). Some parent involvement will be needed.

**Fees:** less than \$5 a class

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • [fbosman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:fbosman@auburnalabama.org) • (334) 501-2922

## ATHLETICS MEMBERSHIPS

### YOUTH AND SENIOR FREE-PLAY BASKETBALL MEMBERSHIPS FOR DEAN ROAD RECREATION CENTER

Youth and senior Free-Play Basketball Memberships are now available & required for participation in Youth Free-Play Basketball at Dean Road Recreation Center. **Youth and senior Free-Play Basketball is for registered participants that are within the ages of 6-15 & all children MUST be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian during participation.** Each child must have a membership card in their name and scan-in at the front desk upon entry to participate. All memberships are free & are valid for one year (unless the child reaches age 16 during the membership period, which they would no longer be eligible to participate, as they would be aged out). This membership card will be valid for unlimited participation at the Dean Road Recreation Center during Youth Free-Play Basketball hours for the membership year. To obtain a membership, please visit [www.auburnalabama.org/parks/register](http://www.auburnalabama.org/parks/register). **Youth and senior Free-Play Basketball hours may vary, according to programs/events scheduled at the facility. Therefore, you are welcome to call Dean Road Recreation Center during weekday business hours (8am-5pm, CST) to verify. FREE to the public.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
6-15 & 50+	MTWRF	9/2 - 11/29	Varies	DRRC

**Contact:** Tiffany Scott • (334) 501-2950 • [tscott@auburnalabama.org](mailto:tscott@auburnalabama.org)

### FREE PLAY BASKETBALL & RACQUETBALL AT FRANK BROWN REC. CENTER & BOYKIN COMMUNITY CENTER

Free play basketball (FBRC & Boykin) and racquetball (FBRC) are available free of charge to citizens who live or work within the city limits of Auburn, AL, and to non-citizens for a one-time \$30.00 fee. A membership must be acquired for free play basketball regardless of age. The membership is non-refundable, and non-transferable, and can only be used by the card holder. Memberships can be acquired at [auburnalabama.org/parks/register](http://auburnalabama.org/parks/register).

**Children aged 6 - 12 MUST be accompanied by an adult while using the Basketball Courts. Both the child and the parent/guardian must have a membership. Free-Play Basketball hours may vary according to programs/events scheduled at the facility.** You are welcome to call Frank Brown or Boykin during weekday business hours (8am-5pm, CST) to verify. **FREE to the public.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
6+	Varies	9/1 - 11/30	Varies	FBRC & BCC

**Contact:** Jarrett Jones • (334) 501-2941 • [jjones@auburnalabama.org](mailto:jjones@auburnalabama.org)

## CDBG SPORTS VOUCHER PROGRAM

The City of Auburn has allocated Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds to pay registration fees for youths (up to age 18) to take part in sports programs available through the Auburn Parks and Recreation Department. CDBG funds may be used to pay for registration fees for up to \$50. All persons interested in registering for a youth athletic league/program through a scholarship must register online. Registration will begin the first day of online registration for that league/program. For more information, call (334) 501-2930.

## 6-8 YEAR OLD TENNIS

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
6-8	MTWR	9/3 – 11/22	3:30 -4:15 YTC	

Your child will become familiarized with the equipment and basic skills of tennis while participating in organized tennis activities. At this clinic, your child will start to understand and develop the correct techniques needed to play tennis. He/she will learn through fun tennis and movement drills. Also, this clinic will introduce competitive point play and teach sportsmanship. Clinics will be on a modified court, use a shorter racquet (23 inches), and uses a soft ball (orange).

**Fees:** less than \$5 a class

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • fbosman@auburnalabama.org • (334) 501-2922

## 9-12 YEAR OLD TENNIS

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Times	Location
9-12	MTWR	9/3 – 11/22	4:15-5:15 p.m.	YTC

Your child will be introduced to rallying an orange tennis ball and to compete in various games. Your child will work on techniques that will improve their tennis skills. They will experience more personal success and tennis will become more fun. Also, this clinic will introduce your child to match play and tournament play. Clinics will be on a modified court, use a shorter racquet (25 inches), and uses a soft ball (orange).

**Fees:** less than \$9 a class

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • fbosman@auburnalabama.org • (334) 501-2922

## 12-17 YEAR OLD TENNIS

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
12-17	MTWR	9/3 – 11/22	5:15-6:15 p.m.	YTC

Clinic is for all juniors just starting out playing tennis (no tennis experience) and for all juniors looking to improve their tennis skills. Your child will work on different techniques that will improve their tennis skills and fitness. Your child will become familiar with the tennis racquet, yellow tennis balls, and court positions. Through different organized activities, your child will work on ball control while rallying with other juniors. Your child will be introduced to point play and match play. Clinics will be on a full size court, use a standard size racquet (27 inches), and play with Green Dot and Yellow tennis balls.

**Fees:** less than \$9 a class.

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • fbosman@auburnalabama.org • (334) 501-2922

## ADULT AM INTRO TENNIS (LEVEL 1.0-2.5)

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	TRF	9/3 – 11/22	9-10 a.m.	YTC

This clinic provides tennis opportunities for players of all skill levels. You will learn the game of tennis through tennis drills and organized activities. You will learn tennis strategies and court positions while playing in point situations. You will have the opportunity to play tennis, have fun, and fall in love with the sport of tennis.

**Fees:** less than \$9 a class.

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • fbosman@auburnalabama.org • (334) 501-2922

## ADULT AM TENNIS (LEVEL 2.5 – 3.0)

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	MW	9/3 – 11/22	9-10 a.m.	YTC

This clinic is for adults that have some playing experience and are looking to improve their tennis skills. You will learn the game through tennis drills and organized activities. You will learn tennis strategies and court positions while playing in point situations. **ONE year of tennis experience is required.**

**Fees:** less than \$9 a class.

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • fbosman@auburnalabama.org • (334) 501-2922

## ADULT AM INTERMEDIATE TENNIS (LEVEL 3.0 +)

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	TR	9/3 – 11/22	10 -11a.m.	YTC

This clinic is for adults that have some playing experience and are looking to improve their tennis skills. You will learn the game of tennis through tennis drills and organized activities. You will learn tennis strategies and court positions while playing in point situations. You will have the opportunity to play tennis, have fun, and improve on your tennis game. Note: One year of tennis experience is required.

**Fees:** less than \$9 a class.

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • fbosman@auburnalabama.org • (334) 501-2922

## ADULT CARDIO AM TENNIS (LEVEL 3.0+)

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	MWF	9/3 – 11/22	8– 9a.m.	YTC

This clinic is for those tennis players that want to get out of the gym and onto the tennis court. You will be playing tennis to music while getting a fun filled cardio fitness workout. NOTE: This clinic is not for beginners and there will be limited stroke instruction.

**Fees:** less than \$9 a class.

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • fbosman@auburnalabama.org • (334) 501-2922

## ADULT PM TENNIS (LEVEL 3.0 +)

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	MW	9/3 – 11/22	6:30 -7:30 p.m.	YTC

This clinic is for adults that have some playing experience and are looking to improve their tennis skills. You will learn the game of tennis through tennis drills and organized activities. You will learn tennis strategies and court positions while playing in point situations. You will have the opportunity to play tennis, have fun, and improve on your tennis game. Note: One year of tennis experience is required.

**Fees :** less than \$9 a class.

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • fbosman@auburnalabama.org • (334) 501-2922

## ADULT INTRO TO TENNIS (LEVEL 1-2)

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	TR	9/3 – 11/22	6:30 -7:30 p.m.	YTC

This clinic provides intro to tennis opportunities for those adults that have never played tennis. You will work on techniques that will introduce the different tennis skills needed to play the game of tennis. You will become familiar with the tennis racquet, tennis balls, and court positions. Through different tennis drills and organized activities, you will learn ball control and will be able to rally with other adults. You will have the opportunity to learn, have fun, and fall in love with the sport of tennis.

**Fees:** less than \$9 a class.

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## ADULT PM TENNIS (LEVEL 2.0-2.5)

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	TR	9/3 – 11/22	6:30 -7:30 p.m.	YTC

This clinic provides tennis opportunities for those adults that have successfully completed an intro or series of intro classes. In this class you are working up to your first official tennis match which starts at Level 2.5. Through different tennis drills and organized activities, you will learn ball control and will be able to rally with other adults. You will have the opportunity to learn, have fun, and fall in love with the sport of tennis.

**Fees :** less than \$9 a class.

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • fbosman@auburnalabama.org • (334) 501-2922

## PRIVATE TENNIS INSTRUCTION

Yarbrough Tennis Center offers individual, semi-private, group, and team lessons for those who would like more individualized attention.

**Fee:** See Instructor

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
All	By appt	9/3 – 11/22	By appt	YTC

Please complete the private tennis request form on [myrec.com](http://myrec.com) (under tennis)

**Contact:** Francois Bosman • [fbosman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:fbosman@auburnalabama.org) • (334) 501-2922



## ALL ABOUT SHOWERS

Throw a mom-to-be a gathering of friends and family to help her get ready for her new arrival. We can help with decorations, serving ware and set up. Submit a request form at [auburnalabama.org/parks/register](http://auburnalabama.org/parks/register).

**Basic package:** 2-hour time slot, tablecloths, cups, and napkins - **\$150**

**Standard Customized:** 2-hour time slot, tablecloths, cups and napkins, decoration using name and theme, pennant garland, cake topper, small toppers, balloons - **\$200.**

**Deluxe Customized:** 2-hour time slot, tablecloths, cups, napkins, decoration using name and theme, pennant garland, cake topper, small toppers, 4 photo props, 4 popcorn boxes, balloons - **\$230.**

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	Varies	9/1 – 11/30	Varies	FBRC

**Contact:** John Thomas • (334) 334-444-6472 • [jttv24@gmail.com](mailto:jttv24@gmail.com)

## A BALL OF A PARTY

Do you have a child who loves basketball? Let us throw a basketball party. Coach John Thomas, who played international basketball for 15+ years, will be there to help pull off a memorable party and game. Submit a request form at [auburnalabama.org/parks/register](http://auburnalabama.org/parks/register).

**Basic Package:** 2-hour time slot, tablecloths, cups and napkins - **\$150**

**Pro Package:** 2-hour time slot, tablecloths, cups and napkins, adding either basketball activities with Coach Thomas or a Referee for Game Time - **\$200**

**Standard Customized :** 2-hour time slot, tablecloths, cups and napkins, decoration using name, age, basketball theme, pennant garland, cake topper, small toppers, 4 popcorn boxes, balloons - **\$200**

**Pro Customized:** 2-hour time slot, tablecloths, cups and napkins, decoration using name, age, basketball theme, pennant garland, cake topper, small toppers, 4 popcorn boxes, balloons; adding either basketball activities with Coach Thomas or a Referee for Game Time! - **\$250**

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
8+	SA, SU	9/1 – 11/30	8 a.m. – 6 p.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** John Thomas • (334) 334-444-6472 • [jttv24@gmail.com](mailto:jttv24@gmail.com)



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Ages	Day	Dates	Time	Location
8-17	WRF	11/20-11/22	3:30 p.m. – 5 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Emillie Dombrowski • (334) 501-2944 • [edombrowski@auburnalabama.org](mailto:edombrowski@auburnalabama.org)

## SKETCHING WITH PENCILS, PAINTING WITH BRUSHES – ART CAMP

In this fun and engaging class, students will learn how to draw, shade, and create gradation with pencils. Learn watercolor painting skills and color pencils. Students will develop basic art skills and techniques through these sketching and painting practices. **\$295.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
8 – 14	T	9/30-11/5	4:20 – 5:20 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Dong Shang • (229) 347-6293 • [dongshang@hotmail.com](mailto:dongshang@hotmail.com)



# COME AND SLING SOME MUD WITH US!

The Ceramics Studio is here for you! Classes for both children and adults will be offered throughout the year. Come by and take a look at our new innovative studio space which includes 20 pottery wheels, a stainless-steel extruder, slab rollers, commercial-grade kilns, pug mills, and a selection of glazes mixed in house. We offer wheel throwing and hand building classes for all ages. If you are interested in teaching classes or have any questions regarding the studio, please contact Emillie Dombrowski at edombrowski@auburnalabama.org or by phone at 334-501-2944.

## CERAMICS INDEPENDENT STUDIO FOR ADULTS

Individuals who have had experience in ceramics and pottery and meet the Independent Studio membership requirements may work in the studio independently during center hours once obtaining approval from studio director and registering. The Jan Dempsey Community Arts Center is located at 222 E. Drake Ave. Enjoy working in our studio which offers opportunities to hand-build ceramics and throw on our potter's wheels. A selection of clay will be available for purchase with glaze and firing fees calculated into the cost. Clay is \$40/box and must be purchased through MyRec. All Independent Studio Members will be required to sign into the studio each day, assist in keeping the studio clean, and adhere to the policies stated in the member contract. Studio hours are subject to change based on the schedule of classes offered by the studio. **\$80.**

## INDEPENDENT STUDIO MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Any person interested in becoming an independent studio member of the JDCAC Ceramics Studio MUST meet the following criteria:

- Taken a minimum of two classes at the studio within the past two calendar years. Only classes that are 7 weeks in length or longer count towards independent membership.

- If you have met these requirements, please contact Emillie Dombrowski for a registration code.

IF THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS ARE NOT MET, an interview and studio tour can be scheduled with the studio director to determine possible Independent Studio membership status. Examples of work and experience must be presented. Once given permission they may register.

For further questions please contact Art Education Specialist Emillie Dombrowski at edombrowski@auburnalabama.org or call (334) 501-2944. **\$80**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	MTWRF	9/1 – 11/30	8 am – 5 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Emillie Dombrowski • (334) 501-2944 • edombrowski@auburnalabama.org

## PRIVATE AND SEMI-PRIVATE CERAMIC LESSONS

Private instruction for one on one, or semi-private lessons for a small group of, participants. These lessons are geared towards individuals wanting to learn and create assorted items with clay. Learn wheel throwing or hand building, along with glazing and decorating techniques! To be eligible for ceramic, private lessons please register. Once we have your contact information, we, will gather more information about dates and times. You will then be invoiced, through the MyRec website. No experience necessary. **\$25/hour + \$15 materials fee (per person) per two-hour session.**

Ages	Day	Dates	Time	Location
7+	By request	9/3 – 11/29	By request	JDCAC

**Contact:** Romona Brisco • (334) 703-6140 • edombrowski@auburnalabama.org

## SCULPTING - FIGURATIVE

Come and join me as we create at least one figurative sculpture! This sculpture can be of any pose – your choice – Historic, Present, or Futuristic! We will learn how to use an armature, use rolled slabs of stoneware clay to build on the armature, and other techniques and tricks to get desired results. We will focus a bit on realism and human anatomy proportions but no experience is necessary. Let's have fun!

**\$110/Participant + \$25/Materials**

Ages	Day	Dates	Time	Location
14+	T	10/22 – 11/26	5:30 – 7:30 pm	JDCAC

**Contact:** Romona Brisco • (334) 703-6140 • edombrowski@auburnalabama.org

## CERAMIC HANDBUILDING – SLAB TEAPOTS

If you missed the pinch pot teapots class, then come and join me this time as we create a couple of teapots using slabs of clay. The instructor will guide you on how to use a slab roller and other tools and techniques to create a simple yet functional teapot. You will create a second teapot outside of class. Glazing and decorating techniques will be discussed and applied to the teapots. Come and share the 'tea!' **\$110/Participant + \$25/Materials**

Ages	Day	Dates	Time	Location
14+	SA	9/14 – 10/12	10 a.m. – 12 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Romona Brisco • (334) 703-6140 • edombrowski@auburnalabama.org

## FOCUSED THROWING – ALL ABOUT CYLINDERS

This class is for students at all levels wanting to learn or improve at centering and pulling clay to make cylinders. Most vessels of height on the wheel start with cylinders as the foundation - mugs, bottles, jugs, pitchers, and vases are examples. We will focus on techniques and tips for centering various amounts of clay, up to 5 pounds, as time and experience permits. Students are expected to spend time practicing techniques and tips given in class to center clay and create cylinders of various sizes. Students will be required to make at least three, well-made, functional cylinders on the wheel by the end of this class. Note: Recycled/pugged clay may be used in this class for practice. Instructor focus is on centering and pulling only to produce well-made cylinders. These well-made cylinders can be used as functional kitchen and bathroom containers, planters, and for other uses. No experience necessary! **\$110/Participant + \$25/Materials**

Ages	Day	Dates	Time	Location
14+	T	9/3 – 10/15	5:30 – 7:30 pm	JDCAC

**Contact:** Romona Brisco • (334) 703-6140 • edombrowski@auburnalabama.org

## FOCUSED THROWING – ADVANCED CYLINDERS

This class is designed for students who have previously taken the ALL ABOUT CYLINDERS course. We will briefly review techniques and tips for throwing 6-8 inch cylinders. Afterwards, we will focus on cylinder height by throwing with larger amounts of clay. The goal in this course is to produce well-made cylinders that are 8-12 inches in height or taller based on experience and as time permits. Come and have fun. No expectations on number of cylinders required! **\$110/Participant + \$25/Materials**

Age(s)	Day	Dates	Time	Location
14+	R	9/5 – 10/17	5:30 – 7:30 pm	JDCAC

**Contact:** Romona Brisco • (334) 703-6140 • edombrowski@auburnalabama.org

## FOUNDATIONS IN WHEEL-THROWN POTTERY

Whether it's your first time around or you're dusting off old skills, this course will provide a fun, supportive atmosphere in which to explore fundamental techniques for throwing vessels on the wheel. Learn to create table-ready bowls and cups, exploring different shapes as confidence grows! Other skills that may be explored as students progress are plate making, trimming recessed feet and attaching handles. Throughout the course, you will also have access to the JDCAC's Ceramics Studio to practice on a wheel during open studio hours. (Please note there is a break on 10/22 to accommodate the firing schedule before our final glazing session.) Kindly confirm that you can attend all seven class sessions before enrolling. **\$126/participant + \$35 materials fee.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	T	9/10-10/29 (off 10/22)	5:30– 8:00p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Annika Lee • (334-663-1749) • elementalartcraft@hotmail.com

## WHEEL-THROWN POTTERY MINI-COURSE FOR TEENS AND TWEENS

Young artists are invited to bring their curiosity and a playful spirit as we sling some mug on the wheel! This supportive, small-group session covers basic wheel-throwing technique and foundational vocabulary, as well as tools and tips needed to get off to a good start with this fun and satisfying art form! (Parents: Please note there is a break on 10/23 to accommodate the firing schedule before our glazing session.) In each meeting we will cover new steps, so kindly make certain that your child can attend all four sessions before enrolling. Parents are invited to observe the first class. **\$64/participant + \$25 materials fee.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
11-17	W	10/2-10/30 (off 10/22)	10 a.m.– 12:30 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Annika Lee • (334-663-1749) • elementalartcraft@hotmail.com



## HANDBUILDING AND SURFACE DECORATION TECHNIQUES WITH MARIA

Curious about pottery? Join our studio and become familiar with handbuilding and surface decoration techniques. This is a class for beginners and more advanced students willing to explore handbuilding and decoration techniques in the design of plates, serving dishes, cups, planters, etc. In addition to creating one-of-a-kind handbuilding work, students will also enjoy learning various surface decoration techniques to add flair to any piece of art! You do not need to have any ceramic skills since this class will accommodate both beginners and more experienced students. Clay, glazes, and kiln firing costs are included in the material fee, and essential tools are available in the ceramic studio. Come and have fun! **\$150/Participant + \$40/Materials**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	M	9/23 – 11/11	6 – 8 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Maria Auad • (334) 663 - 8292 • lujanauad@gmail.com

## BEGINNER CERAMICS I

Are you interested in throwing pottery on the wheel? Come join me as we learn the basics of wheel throwing! In this beginner class, you will learn the fundamentals of pottery such as centering, coning, opening and pulling walls. With a focus on techniques, we will explore different forms such as bowls and cylinders. Throughout the class, you will have access to the studio to practice what you have learned. Our last class will give you the opportunity to glaze and take home your work to show off to friends and family. **\$120/Participant + \$40/Materials**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	M	10/14 – 11/25	5:30 – 8 p.m.	JDCAC
18+	W	9/4 – 10/9	5:30 – 8 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Hayley Williams • (251) 459 - 5455 • williamshayleyr@gmail.com

## BEGINNER CERAMICS II

Now that you've got the basics of wheel throwing, what's next? Take this class to explore further wheel throwing techniques like trimming, adding handles, making lids, and handling larger amounts of clay! Instruction is based on the skill level of participants in each class, which will cause the skills taught to vary from class to class. **\$120/Participant + \$40/Materials**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	W	10/16 – 11/27	5:30 – 8 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Hayley Williams • (251) 459 - 5455 • williamshayleyr@gmail.com

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Age(s)	Day	Dates	Time	Location
8-17	WRF	11/20-11/22	3:30 p.m. – 5 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Emillie Dombrowski • (334) 501-2944 • edombrowski@auburnalabama.org

## HOLIDAY ORNAMENT WORKSHOP!

Join us for a ceramic Holiday ornament workshop, perfect for both beginners and seasoned artists. This hands-on class meets over two evenings. On the first night, you'll learn the art of slip casting as you are guided through the process of creating a slip cast 3D ornament ball and a 2D sgraffito ornament. During the second night, once your ornaments have dried and are ready for the next steps, you'll smooth any rough edges and refine designs and details. By the end of the workshop, you'll have two beautifully crafted ceramic ornaments!

**\$20/participant + \$10 materials fee.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
16+	RF	11/17 – 11/18	5:30 – 7:00 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Emillie Dombrowski • (334) 501-2944 • edombrowski@auburnalabama.org

## PITCHER PERFECT: MAKING BOTH WHEEL-THROWN AND HAND-BUILT PITCHERS

Learn to refine your pottery skills by making functionally sound, aesthetically pleasing pitchers in this class. We will explore wheel-thrown pitcher forms as well as a hand-built pitcher form or two. Participants will learn the anatomy of a well-made pitcher then explore pitcher form variations through darting, pinching, adding slab-made spouts, joining two thrown pieces, and using various surface decoration techniques. Participants must have experience throwing on the wheel, be able to center at least 3 pounds of clay, and to pull a cylinder with walls of a consistent thickness and a level rim. Out-of-class work will be assigned so your access to a wheel between classes is essential. No class scheduled for October 30 to allow firing of fully dried work prior to glazing on November 6. **\$120/participant + \$30 materials fee.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	W	9/11 – 11/6	5:30 – 8:00 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Amy Kaiser • (334) 821-0916 • amyekaiser@gmail.com

## HAND BUILDING FOR THE HOLIDAYS

So many Holidays and so little time! In this class we will be hand building items for Autumn, Halloween, Thanksgiving as well as Christmas. Every class will have a demo with a new technique. Already have an idea of what you want to make? Let's do it! Planning and trying a new idea are what makes hand building so much fun. This class is for beginners as well as more experienced potters. As always, Jackie will be bringing 50 years of tools, stamps and textures to class from her home studio. **\$150/participant + \$35 materials fee.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	W	9/18 – 11/6	10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Jacqueline McDonough • (770) 715-1741 • ladylovesgrits@hotmail.com



## PRESCHOOL BALLET

A fun and positive space to creatively explore and learn simple movement skills which form the basis of classical ballet technique. Students will practice the fundamentals of dance, left/right orientation, musicality, and social skills such as taking turns and respecting others. Girls: pink leotard, pink tights and pink ballet shoes. Boys: black shorts, white t-shirt, white socks and black ballet shoes. Special demonstration on the final day. **\$110.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
3 – 4	SA	9/7 – 11/16	9 – 9:45 a.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Jenn Travis • (850) 625-0642 • travija@hotmail.com

## BALLET I

An introductory class for children where they will learn classical ballet terminology and technique. Students will engage in traditional exercises and age-appropriate movement while celebrating creativity and musicality. Girls: pink leotard, pink tights and pink ballet shoes. Boys: black shorts, white t-shirt, white socks and black ballet shoes. Special demonstration for parents on the last day. **\$110.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
5 – 7	SA	9/7 – 11/16	10 – 11 a.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Jenn Travis • (850) 625-0642 • travija@hotmail.com

## AUBURN COUNTRY COUPLES LINE DANCE

Learn partner dancing in a fun and positive environment! Dances include Texas 2-Step, West Coast Swing, East Coast Swing, Waltz, Cha Cha, Nightclub 2-Step and others!!! A dance will be selected and taught for four weeks. We will review basics and choose new patterns for a dance each week. You will learn footwork, connection, partnership, and movement to music. Improves balance, connection, and self-confidence. Although this is a partner dance class, you can come as a single and dance with instructor or other students. **\$12/class or \$40/4 weeks of classes or per month.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
14+	M	9/9 – 11/4	7:15 – 8:15 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Marnie Mattei • (480) 621-1006 • marnie.dance@gmail.com

## AUBURN COUNTRY LINE DANCE

Learn the most popular Line Dances in a fun and friendly environment!!! Steps will be reviewed in detail including foot work, rhythm, and body movement to music. Improves balance, flexibility, and self-confidence and also helps cognitive ability as we learn and review new choreography. Beginner to Improver Level. No partner required. **\$12 per class/\$40/4 weeks or per month.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
14+	M	9/9 – 11/4	6 – 7 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Marnie Mattei • (480) 621-1006 • marnie.dance@gmail.com

## INDIAN CLASSICAL DANCE - BHARATNATYAM

Bharatanatyam offers numerous advantages, including physical fitness through its strong movements, improved posture, and increased stamina. It also promotes mental well-being by fostering concentration, discipline, and creative expression. Immerse yourself in the graceful movements, intricate expressions, and rhythmic footwork of this classical Indian dance form. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced dancer, our classes cater to all levels. Let us experience the cultural heritage and artistic beauty of India. For regular students, the opportunity to perform at events may be available occasionally. **\$12/class.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
All	SA	9/7 – 11/30	8:30 – 9:30 a.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Prachi Bhavne • (774) 510-0496 • [ibhavne@gmail.com](mailto:ibhavne@gmail.com)

## BOLLYWOOD DANCE

Dive into the magic of a fitness focused cardio Bollywood dance, with routines inspired by, the latest hits and timeless classics. From the sultry moves of Bollywood, romance to the high-energy beats of celebratory numbers, our classes, cover it all! Pop, hip hop, salsa, classical, folk and many more styles, come together under the umbrella of Bollywood dance making it the most, popular, fun and joyful dance forms in many parts of the world. **\$5 per class.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
All	SA	9/7 – 11/26	11 – 11:45 a.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Prachi Bhavne • (774) 510-0496 • [ibhavne@gmail.com](mailto:ibhavne@gmail.com)

## SQUARE DANCE WITH THE VILLAGE SQUARES

Have fun dancing with caller Larry Belcher and the Auburn Village Squares. Our dance program includes mainstream and plus square dancing, and line dancing. Both couples and singles with square dance experience are welcome. For more information, please visit our website: [villagesquares.alan-reed.com](http://villagesquares.alan-reed.com). **\$60/person/quarter.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
16+	T	9/3 – 11/26	6:15 – 8:45 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Alan Reed • (334) 332-7830 • [alan.reed.664@gmail.com](mailto:alan.reed.664@gmail.com)

## LEARN WESTERN SQUARE DANCING WITH THE VILLAGE SQUARES

Learn Western Style Square Dancing with Caller Larry Belcher and the Village Squares. Classes focus on learning the calls for Mainstream Western Square Dancing beginning at the beginning. No previous experience is necessary. New classes begin periodically, and interested dancers should contact the instructor for start date of the next class if they are not currently dancing with class. **Ages 12 – 17 may participate with a parent. \$45/person/quarter.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
12+	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> T	9/10 – 11/26	6:15 – 8:45 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Alan Reed • (334) 332-7830 • [alan.reed.664@gmail.com](mailto:alan.reed.664@gmail.com)



## ADVANCED SQUARE DANCING WITH THE VILLAGE A'S

For those who have completed the Mainstream and Plus levels of square dancing and have become highly proficient at dancing those levels. We begin with teaching of the A1 level and then the A2 level will follow thereafter. We take our time teaching and explaining each call then walk thru the call and dance it until all are proficient at dancing that call. We build on each call each week as we are dancing. After all calls are taught, we will just continue dancing. **FREE**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
15+	R	9/12 – 11/22	2:15 – 4:45 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Larry Belcher • [mailto:caller4u@gmail.com](mailto:mailto:caller4u@gmail.com)

## LEARN TO SWING DANCE IN THE AUBURN COMMUNITY WITH AUSDA

Interested in learning how to swing dance? Auburn University Swing Dance Association (AUSDA) hosts FREE beginner and intermediate swing dance lessons every Friday night. Lessons are from 7 – 8 p.m. and social dancing is from 8 – 9 p.m. Don't have any dance experience? Don't worry, we've got you covered. Our beginner lessons are designed to teach you from the ground up so we will have you dancing the night away in no time! Don't have a partner? Perfect, neither do we! We rotate partners frequently throughout our lessons to provide the best learning environment and allow our students to meet everyone in the lesson. So, while you are more than welcome to bring a partner, partners are not required. What do I wear? The most important thing is to be comfortable. Wear something you are comfortable in. Ladies if you wear a skirt or a dress be conscious that the turns we do will make the skirt billow. As for shoes, wear closed toe shoes (No flip-flops or sandals). No special shoes are required. **FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
13+	F	8/2 – 12/13	7 – 9 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Chris Olds • [oldschr@auburn.edu](mailto:oldschr@auburn.edu)

## ARGENTINE TANGO PRÁCTICA

Join us to dance the most beautiful, elegant, and sensual dance in the world, the Argentine Tango. Tango is drama, passion and romance, a dance of connection and dialogue between partners. Tango is not a series of memorized steps, nor a dance that merely promotes mechanical reactions; rather it is a dance of improvisation where both partners must listen to the music and, more importantly, listen to each other. Members of this group have been dancing the Argentine Tango for at least ten years and are happy to share their tango skills. **FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+	MR	9/5 – 11/21	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Sergio RuizCórdova • (334) 444-2857 • [ruizcor@auburn.edu](mailto:ruizcor@auburn.edu)  
• [greentia@live.com](mailto:greentia@live.com)



## INDIVIDUAL NUTRITION COUNSELING

Natalie is a registered & licensed Dietitian/Nutritionist and certified fitness instructor. Using the latest scientific research, she educates clients on various meal components (using MyPlate patterns). She will work with clients one on one (or in small groups depending on client preference) to create a sustainable diet plan and exercise routine to meet your needs. **Counseling plans start at \$50. For more information go to [www.familyfirstdiet.com](http://www.familyfirstdiet.com) or email at [pughnat@familyfirstdiet.com](mailto:pughnat@familyfirstdiet.com) or call/text 334-559-0430.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ALL	By Appt.	9/2 – 11/30	By Appt.	FBRC

**Contact:** Natalie Stephens • 334-559-0430 • [pughnat@familyfirstdiet.com](mailto:pughnat@familyfirstdiet.com)

## TAI CHI

This gentle form of exercise can help maintain strength, flexibility, and balance, and could be the perfect activity for the rest of your life. A growing body of carefully conducted research is building a compelling case for tai chi as an adjunct to standard medical treatment for the prevention and rehabilitation of many conditions commonly associated with age (Harvard Medical School, May 24, 2022). Tai Chi is a low impact form of exercise involving slow, or little movement with a focus on body positioning, balance, posture, and relaxation. Regular practice of tai chi increases flexibility, muscle strength, and bone mineral density. Tai chi promotes health and mobility through slow movements and prolonged deep breathing. It is also a martial art with practical self-defense applications. It can be practiced alone or with others and requires very little space to practice in. **\$100 per quarter or \$8 per class. \$50 per quarter if only taking one class per week.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
11+	MW	9/4 – 11/27	5:15 – 6:15 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Craig Rueter • [craig\\_rueter@yahoo.com](mailto:craig_rueter@yahoo.com) • 334-703-0899

## LOW IMPACT CARDIO SCULPT

This class is led by a certified fitness instructor and designed to give maximum cardiovascular benefits with little stress on the joints. Muscle building and strengthening exercises are incorporated with low-impact cardio movements designed to tone muscles and increase cardiovascular endurance. This workout also includes balance and stretching exercises, which we need as we age. Studies show that regular exercise changes the brain to improve memory and thinking skills! (In case you need another reason to join!) Please bring an exercise mat (example: yoga mat). Lightweights (no more than 2-3-pound handheld weights, soup cans, water bottles, etc.) are encouraged but not mandatory. Participants are encouraged to modify and work out at his/her own pace and modifications are shown by the instructor. **The class is FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Dates(s)	Time(s)	Location
18+	TR	9/3 – 11/21	10 – 10:45 a.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Valerie Carson • [valericarson@knology.net](mailto:valericarson@knology.net)

## ZUMBA WITH LARRY

Zumba Fitness is a Latin inspired fitness party. Larry makes the class easy to follow and very exciting. This class is for everyone. Come join the Zumba Fitness Party. We would love to have you. **\$5 for Drop ins, \$25 for 5 Class Pass, \$40 10 Class Pass.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
16+	MW	9/2 – 11/27	7:30 – 8:30 p.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Larry (Pop) Thomas • (334) 695-6265 • [larrypopthomasjr@yahoo.com](mailto:larrypopthomasjr@yahoo.com)

## BE FAB (BE FLEXIBLE & BALANCED)

Feel better and more confident by improving your balance and flexibility safely for long-term physical health. This class is led by a certified personal trainer and focuses on proper technique and safety. Please wear comfortable clothing that allows you to move freely and well-fitting athletic shoes. Bring an exercise mat or towel for floor work. Exercise modifications can be made if needed. You are encouraged to come three (3) days each week for best results. **If this class is full and you miss 1 week without any communication to the instructor, you will be deregistered so others may register. FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Dates(s)	Time(s)	Location
18+	MTWRF	9/30 – 11/22	1-1:45 p.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Valerie Fetsch • [vfetsch@auburnalabama.org](mailto:vfetsch@auburnalabama.org)

## FBRC FITNESS AREA ORIENTATION

Feel better and more confident by improving your strength and cardio fitness for long-term physical health. A certified personal trainer will teach you how to use the constant resistance machines (weight machines) and cardio machines in the FBRC Fitness Area safely and effectively. The orientation lasts approximately 90 minutes two 45 minute sessions to include time for you to practice the exercises. After you register, an email will be sent to you (generally within a week) to schedule a day and time to meet. Please wear comfortable clothing that allows you to move freely and well-fitting athletic shoes. **The class is FREE TO THE PUBLIC, but a \$30 Lifetime or \$5 Daily Fitness Center pass/waiver is required to attend.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Dates(s)	Time(s)	Location
18+	MTWRF	9/2 – 11/29	By Appt.	FBRC

**Contact:** Valerie Fetsch • [vfetsch@auburnalabama.org](mailto:vfetsch@auburnalabama.org)

## NUTRITION BASICS

Get tips for eating healthy and long-term health and weight management. This class is offered by a Health and Wellness Coach who has a BS Degree in Physical Activity and Health from AU. **FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Dates(s)	Time(s)	Location
18+	R	9/5	4 – 5 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Valerie Fetsch • [vfetsch@auburnalabama.org](mailto:vfetsch@auburnalabama.org)

## LOW IMPACT STRENGTH & STRETCH

30 minutes of each - Low impact/Strength Training/Stretching and Relaxation. A complete 1.5-hour class that addresses cardiovascular fitness, increasing metabolic rate, reducing body fat, increasing bone density, reducing blood pressure, improving cholesterol ratio and blood sugar, and reducing lower back and arthritis pain. You may also sleep better and feel more relaxed. This class is taught by a certified personal trainer, group fitness instructor, and wellness coach. Includes a warm-up, exercises for all major muscle groups and a stretch and relaxation segment. Beginners are encouraged to attend. Bring weights, a mat, and a resistance band if you have one. It's important to have your healthcare provider's approval when you are starting a fitness program. **\$100/quarter, \$40/month or \$5 drop in.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Dates(s)	Time(s)	Location
14+	MWF	9/2 – 11/29	9:15 – 10:45am	FBRC

**Contact:** Lisa Gallagher • 334-703-9343 • [lisagal0725@gmail.com](mailto:lisagal0725@gmail.com)

## REFIT

REFIT® is a cardio dance program that engages the whole person: body, mind, and soul. This community-centered program focuses on building relationships as well as endurance. In this hour-long fitness class, participants will find easy-to-learn movements, inspiring and Christian-based music, and a family-friendly environment for all ages. REFIT® is

fitness for ALL. We welcome experts. We embrace beginners. This ISN'T fitness for the fittest. It's fitness for the WILLING. **FREE to the public.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
16+	T	9/3 – 11/26	6:45 – 7:45 p.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Kelsey Moore • kelseymoore@gmail.com

## YOSHUKAI KARATE – FAMILY AND HOMESCHOOL CLASS

Friday is a martial art that emphasizes self-confidence, self-discipline, respect, and physical fitness. The primary focus of this class is coordination, physical fitness, listening skills, and exercise in a fun safe environment. **\$150/quarter. \$45/Uniform fee payable to instructor for new students.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
5+	MW	9/2 – 11/27*	2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	FBRC

**\*will not meet on 9/2 or 11/11 due to City observed holidays.**  
**Contact:** Natalie Stephens • PUGHNAT@familyfirstdiet.com

## ART FOR HOMESCHOOLERS

These classes, under the sponsorship and support of the Auburn Arts Association, are divided into two age groups to allow for age-appropriate art experiences. Fees cover instruction all supplies, and materials. Please register in advance of the first day of classes. **\$85/first child; \$80/**

**each additional sibling.**

### Group 1 | Art Explorers

Join us in learning about artists and art techniques as you explore a variety of art media and develop your own artistic style. Classes are organized around themes that highlight the basic elements of art. In the past, some of these themes have been "Loads of Landscapes," "Fin and Feather," "Make Yourself at Home," and "The Shape of Things." **Please register in advance of the first day of class.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
6 – 9	R	9/5 – 10/24	9 – 11 a.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Amy Kaiser • (334) 821-0916 • amyekaiser@gmail.com

### Group 2 | Art Adventures

This class is designed for the young artist ready to meet art challenges at the intermediate level. Students will take a step further into developing a creative style while exploring a variety of artists, styles, techniques, and media.

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
10 – 15	R	9/5 – 10/24	9 – 11 a.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Laura Kloberg • (334) 332-5458 • aura57@yahoo.com

## NATURE BABIES

Nature Babies is designed to encourage caregivers and their babies to bond together in the natural world – a world that provides endless ways to interact with your little one; from traversing trails together to feeling the textures of leaves, and much more. Classes are loosely structured with teachers guiding caregivers in ways to learn and connect with their babies and nature. Nature Babies meets every Wednesday from 10:30 – 11:30am in the Nature Playground and is free. Visit our website for more information: <https://aub.ie/naturebabies>.

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
0-2	W	9/4-12/18	10:30 - 11:30 a.m.	KPNC

w/Caregiver

**Contact:** Sarah Crim • (334) 707-6512 • natureeducation@auburn.edu

## DISCOVERY HIKES & NATURE WALKS

Family Discovery Hikes and Nature Walks are monthly guided hikes through the Kreher forest. Family Discovery Hikes offer excellent opportunities for the entire family to learn about nature and see wildlife up close, while enjoying fresh air and exercise in our beautiful outdoors. Nature Walks are for adults only and offer opportunities to socialize, learn, and just relax and decompress in the quiet, peaceful forest. Each month offers a different theme. Discovery Hikes and Nature Walks are free – donations are welcomed. Rescheduled in the event of rain – please watch our Facebook page for updates.

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
<b>Reptiles</b>				
ALL	T	9/10	3:30 p.m.	KPNC
Adults	R	9/12	8:30 a.m.	KPNC

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
<b>Birds</b>				
ALL	T	10/8	3:30 p.m.	KPNC
Adults	R	10/10	8:30 a.m.	KPNC

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
<b>Fall Colors</b>				
ALL	T	11/12	3:30 p.m.	KPNC
Adults	R	11/14	8:30 a.m.	KPNC

**Contact:** Sarah Crim • (334) 707-6512 • natureeducation@auburn.edu

Please note, the registration for the all events at the Kreher Preserve & Nature Center (KPNC) are coordinated by KPNC staff. Please visit [auburn.edu/preserve](http://auburn.edu/preserve) or call (334) 707-6512 for more information. All program and event fees help fund the nature center operations.

## NATURE EXPLORERS HOMESCHOOL PROGRAM, FALL 2024

Nature Explorers Homeschool Program is an environmental education program designed for home-schooling families which offers a unique, nature-based educational experience. Classes incorporate hands-on science with nature and environmental awareness, and each concludes with a nature hike. Classes meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month for 3 months, Sep - Nov, from 10:00 to 11:00 am. Each of the six classes will focus on a different topic. Nature Explorers is \$75/student (\$60 for members). A 10% discount is offered for siblings living in the same residence. Visit our website to learn more: <https://aub.ie/natureexplorers>.

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ALL	M	9/9, 9/23, 10/7, 10/21, 11/4, & 11/18	10 - 11:00 a.m.	KPNC

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ALL	R	9/12, 9/26, 10/10, 10/24, 11/14, 11/21		

**Contact:** Sarah Crim • (334) 707-6512 • natureeducation@auburn.edu

## TREE TOTS, FALL 2024

Tree Tots is a nature-based-play class where children, with the help of their caregivers, are encouraged to use their senses to explore their natural environment and learn together through play. Classes are loosely structured with teachers functioning as guides; asking questions to encourage wonder and allowing our tree tots to make choices throughout our journey. Classes meet Thursdays and Sundays, 9:30 – 11 a.m., from September 5<sup>th</sup>/ 8<sup>th</sup> through October 10<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup>. Registration begins August 5. Tree Tots is \$60/student (\$48 for members). A 10% discount is offered for siblings living in the same residence. Visit our website for more information: <https://aub.ie/treetots>.

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
1-3	R	9/5-10/10	9:30-11 a.m.	KPNC
w/Caregiver				
	SU	9/8 – 10/13	9:30 - 11 a.m.	KPNC

**Contact:** Sarah Crim • (334) 707-6512 • [natureeducation@auburn.edu](mailto:natureeducation@auburn.edu)

## FOREST FRIENDS; FALL 2024

Forest Friends is an award-winning program offering a unique educational experience for pre-school children and their caregivers, incorporating hands-on activities with nature and environmental awareness. Children will learn about a different topic each week of the 6-week session. Classes meet Fridays and Sundays, 9:30 – 11 a.m., beginning September 6<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> and ending October 11<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup>. Forest Friends is \$60/student (\$48 for members). A 10% discount is offered for siblings living at the same residence. Registration will begin August 5<sup>th</sup>. Visit our website for more information: <https://aub.ie/forestfriends>.

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
3-5	F	9/6 - 10/11	9:30 - 11 a.m.	KPNC
w/Caregiver				
3-5	M	9/9 - 10/14	9:30 - 11 a.m.	KPNC

**Contact:** Sarah Crim • (334) 707-6512 • [natureeducation@auburn.edu](mailto:natureeducation@auburn.edu)

## AUSOME AMPHIBIANS AND REPTILES

Join the KPNC educators for a one-hour presentation on the AUsome amphibians and reptiles found in our state and beyond! Children and adults will enjoy this entertaining, hands-on program with live animals. Admission is \$5/person (\$4 for members); children 3 and under are free. Pre-registration is not required.

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ALL	F	9/20	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	KPNC
ALL	F	11/1	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	KPNC

**Contact:** Sarah Crim • (334) 707-6512 • [natureeducation@auburn.edu](mailto:natureeducation@auburn.edu)

## FALL CAMP

The KPNC offers fall camps to students in grades 1 through 6 on days when schools are closed. Campers will join the KPNC naturalists outside, exploring our natural world and wildlife communities and discovering new adventures all around us. Snacks will be provided; children should bring their lunch and a refillable water bottle. Fall Camps are \$75/camper/day, with a 10% discount for siblings living in the same residence. Visit our website to learn more: <https://aub.ie/fallcamp>.

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
K-6 grade T		10/15	8 a.m. - 3 p.m.	KPNC
K-6 grade M		10/21	8 a.m. - 3 p.m.	KPNC
K-6 grade F		11/11	8 a.m. - 3 p.m.	KPNC

**Contact:** Sarah Crim • (334) 707-6512 • [natureeducation@auburn.edu](mailto:natureeducation@auburn.edu)

## IN THE GARDEN WITH CYNDI: CONTAINER GARDENING

In The Garden With Cyndi is a fun, casual gardening class for adults where you get to learn tips and tricks, get your hands dirty, and get expert advice on a myriad of gardening techniques and best practices. Cyndi Czerkawski is an experienced gardener and educator. She has spent years accumulating knowledge about gardening and is ready to pass that on to you! Visit our website for more information: <https://aub.ie/inthegarden>.

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ADULTS SA		9/21	1 - 3 p.m.	KPNC
ADULTS SA		10/19	12 - 2 p.m.	KPNC

**Contact:** Cyndi Czerkawski • (334) 707-6512 • [natureeducation@auburn.edu](mailto:natureeducation@auburn.edu)

## HALLOWEEN ENCHANTED FOREST

Experience the trails like you've never seen them before, enchanted with forest creatures who are ready to tell you about their life in the Kreher woods. Children are invited to wear their costumes and enjoy some early Halloween fun! Pumpkin bowling, a campfire, fortune telling, and face painting will be available! S'mores kits and drinks will be available for purchase. Tickets are \$10/person; children 2 and under are free. Cancelled or postponed in the event of rain – please watch our Facebook page for updates.

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ALL	R	10/17	5:30 - 7 p.m.	KPNC
ALL	F	10/18	5:30 - 7 p.m.	KPNC
ALL	SA	10/19	5:30 - 7 p.m.	KPNC

**Contact:** Sarah Crim • (334) 707-6512 • [natureeducation@auburn.edu](mailto:natureeducation@auburn.edu)

## NATURE NIGHTMARES

Nature Nightmares is a haunted hike through the pitch-black forest of the KPNC – a hike like you've never experienced before. With evil creatures lurking in the shadows and frightening entities waiting for wary visitors, we dare you to come and conquer the darkness! Tickets are \$10 per person; must be 13 years of age or older. Tickets are available for purchase online or at the door. This event will be postponed or cancelled in the event of inclement weather – please watch our Facebook page for updates.

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
13 & up	F	10/24	8:00 – 10:30 p.m.	KPNC
13 & up	SA	10/25	8:00 – 10:30 p.m.	KPNC

**Contact:** Sarah Crim • (334) 707-6512 • [natureeducation@auburn.edu](mailto:natureeducation@auburn.edu)

## IN THE GARDEN WITH CYNDI: FARM TO TABLE

In The Garden With Cyndi is a fun, casual gardening class for adults where you get to learn tips and tricks, get your hands dirty, and get expert advice on a myriad of gardening techniques and best practices. Cyndi Czerkawski is an experienced gardener and educator. She has spent years accumulating knowledge about gardening and is ready to pass that on to you! Visit our website for more information: <https://aub.ie/inthegarden>.

Age(s)	Days(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
ADULTS SA		11/16	12 - 2 p.m.	KPNC

**Contact:** Cyndi Czerkawski • (334) 707-6512 • [natureeducation@auburn.edu](mailto:natureeducation@auburn.edu)

## YOSHUKAI KARATE – BASIC CHILDREN’S CLASS

Karate is a martial art that emphasizes self-confidence, self-discipline, respect, and physical fitness. The primary focus of this class is coordination, physical fitness, listening skills, focus on activities. We teach the basics of karate: strikes, blocks, and kicks. We may begin teaching kata, the basis for practicing all techniques. Students will be performing exercise drills and sparring techniques on heavy bags and various striking pads. **\$150/quarter. \$45/Uniform fee payable to instructor for new students.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
5 – 12	TR	9/3 – 11/26	6 – 6:45 p.m.	DRRC

**\*will not meet on 9/3, 11/5 or 11/28 due to holidays.**

**Contact:** Jim Robertson • (334) 703-2402 •  
Jim.Robertson@AUKarate.com

## YOSHUKAI KARATE – ADVANCED CHILDREN’S CLASS

Karate is a martial art that emphasizes self-confidence, self-discipline, respect, and physical fitness. This class teaches basic strikes, blocks, and kicks. We also teach kata, the basis for practicing all karate techniques. As students progress, we teach advanced strikes, blocks, kicks, self-defense, and traditional weapons use. Optional activities include sparring and self-defense fighting in a controlled environment. **\$150/quarter. \$45/Uniform fee payable to instructor for new students.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
5 – 15	TR	9/5 – 11/26*	6:45 – 7:45 p.m.	DRRC

**\*will not meet on 9/3, 11/5 or 11/28 due to holidays.**

**Contact:** Jim Robertson • (334) 703-2402 •  
Jim.Robertson@AUKarate.com

## KIDS AND KIN

Kids and Kin is a Free statewide program to provide support and assistance for grandparents, aunts, uncles, and older siblings (at least 19 years of age) who provide child care for their relatives’ children. Participants have the opportunity to attend two trainings each month and learn from experts about a wide range of topics in a small supportive group. Kids and Kin groups are fun, educational, and beneficial for today’s childcare provider. **FREE to the public.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	TR	9/12 – 11/21	10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Suzanne Shaw • (334) 465-0036 • sshaw@familyguidancecenter.org

## BIRTH VILLAGE CLASS

Doulas Sarah Doyle and Laura Weldon teach a robust, six-unit childbirth preparation course, which includes preparing the mind and body for birth, the process of labor and birth, evidence-based care, how to work with your provider, comfort measures for labor, how to support the laboring person, essential preparation for the postpartum/newborn time, and more. This is a class for parents who want to be well informed about their options. The class is designed to help prepare parents for any kind of birth, including home birth, unmedicated hospital birth, birth with an epidural, or cesarean section. **\$300 for mother and support person.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
16+	M	9/23 – 11/18	6 – 8:30 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Sarah Doyle, Laura Weldon • (334) 521-6222 •  
birthvillageclass@gmail.com

## AASMA – SCALE PLASTIC MODELING

Auburn Area Scale Modelers Association is a club focused on Scale Plastic Modeling, Aircraft, Armor, Ships, Cars, and Sci-Fi models of all scales and media. There will be discussions related to building/finishing

## PROGRAM REGISTRATION BEGINS AUGUST 5

## YOSHUKAI KARATE – TEENS/ADULTS

Karate is a martial art that emphasizes self-confidence, self-discipline, respect, and physical fitness. This class teaches basic strikes, blocks, and kicks. As students progress, we teach advanced strikes, blocks, kicks, kata (the basis for practicing all martial arts techniques), self-defense, and traditional weapons use. Optional activities include sparring and self-defense fighting in a controlled environment. **\$150/quarter. \$45/Uniform fee payable to instructor for new students.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
12+	TR	9/5 – 11/26*	7:45 – 9:15 p.m.	DRRC

**\*will not meet on 9/3, 11/5 or 11/28 due to holidays.**

**Contact:** Jim Robertson • (334) 703-2402 •  
Jim.Robertson@AUKarate.com

## KENDO CLASS

Kendo is traditional Japanese martial arts that arose from the samurai, or warrior in feudal Japan, fighting with bamboo ‘swords’. Kendo players wear protective gear like armor over. Kendo differs from many other sports. Heir to the traditional spirit of martial arts, kendo is not solely about winning but also respects good manners and nurtures a strong spirit.

**\$50/ Month.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
12+	TR	9/3 – 11/28	7 - 9 p.m.	HC
SA 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup>		9/14 – 11/23	10 a.m.-Noon	FBRC

**Contact:** Seonghoon Kim • (706) 505-8048 • soongulrang@gmail.com

techniques and history related individual projects. **Ages 12 – 17 may participate with a parent. FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
12+	W	9/4 – 11/20	6 – 8:30 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Matt Morgan • (334) 750- 9170 • fowauburn@gmail.com

## AUBURN DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB

The Auburn Duplicate Bridge Club is an ACBL sanctioned game. Anyone interested in bridge is welcome. **\$4 per person per day. First game is free.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
12+	MR	9/2 – 11/28	12 – 4:45 p.m.	FBRC
	T	9/3 – 11/26	6-9 p.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Nels Madsen • (334) 332-7464 • madsenh@auburn.edu

## MORNING AND AFTERNOON BRIDGE

Come and fellowship with a game of bridge every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday morning and EVERY Tuesday afternoon. Bridge is stimulating social and competitive sport in which all can enjoy. **FREE.**

Age	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
18+	M (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> )	9/9 – 11/25	8 a.m.-Noon	FBRC
	T	9/3 – 11/26	Noon-5 p.m.	FBRC

**Contact:** Judy Wilhite • (334) 309-6346 • randj1969@bellsouth.net

## WEDNESDAY MORNING BRIDGE

The game of bridge is a stimulating, social, and competitive sport. All ages enjoy this sport! Bridge is a great activity for seniors to take up as a hobby. Join us! Limited to 24 players. **FREE.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
50+	W	9/5 – 11/27	8 a.m.- Noon	FBRC

**Contact:** Judy Wilhite • (334) 309-6346 • randj1969@bellsouth.net

## CITIZENS' CLIMATE EDUCATION

A non-partisan grassroots advocacy organization that empowers individuals to educate key stakeholders, policymakers, and the general public about effective solutions to climate change. By providing key trainings tools, and other educational resources to help volunteers become effective advocates for climate solutions - building political will for long-lasting climate solutions. We envision transitioning to a global clean energy economy that is structured by the principles of inclusivity, equity, and sustainability. FREE to the public.

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
All	W	9/12 – 11/21	6:30 – 7:30 p.m.	HC

**Contact:** Josh Poole • (404) 451-2108 • pooleus@gmail.com

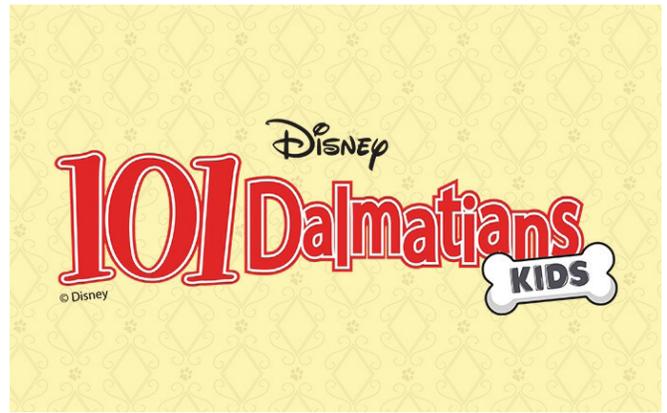
## AUBURN AREA COMMUNITY THEATRE (AACT) ACADEMY – CREATE, COLLABORATE, COMMUNICATE – LEARNING LIFE SKILLS THROUGH THEATER

If this is your first time participating in a theater activity, or if you have been on stage many times this class is for you! Using the power of "Play", theater and life skills will be learned and strengthened as we practice working together as an ensemble, being flexible, and learning to think on our feet. We will be using fun games and activities to accomplish these goals. November 5 at 5 p.m. is the combined class Parent Presentation. All classes will meet at 4 p.m. that day to practice and prepare. **\$80/child. Sibling discounts and need-based scholarships available. Scholarship forms and details are at auburnact.org.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
	T	9/3 – 11/5		JDCAC
6 – 8	ACT I		4 – 5 p.m.	
9 – 11	ACT II		5 – 6 p.m.	
12 – 18	ACT III		5 – 6 p.m.	

October 1<sup>st</sup> – There will be no classes due to the Tech Rehearsal for Disney's 101 Dalmatians Kids performance. Parent presentation will be on November 5 at 5 p.m.

**Coordinator:** Melanie Brown/AACT • (334) 332-6834 • mbrown@auburnact.org



## PRODUCTIONS

### AUBURN AREA COMMUNITY THEATER JR. PERFORMERS ANNOUNCE OPEN AUDITIONS FOR "DISNEY'S 101 DALMATIANS KIDS"

As part of AACT's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration we are bringing back the classic animated tale of kidnapping villains and courageous puppies is adapted in this "fur-tastic" musical adventure! Please be prepared to sing 30 seconds of an acapella song, preferably something from a Broadway musical, and to present "Sides" (lines) for ONE character. Beginning July 14 go to auburnact.org for more details, audition sides and to access the link to sign up for an audition slot. Mandatory Parents Meeting Saturday, 8/24, 11:15 a.m. – noon. Saturday, August 31s & Monday, September 2nd - Labor Day weekend - there are NO rehearsals

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
5 – 12				JDCAC

**Auditions:**

MT	8/12 & 8/13	4 – 6 p.m.
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**Callbacks:**

W	8/14	4 – 7 p.m.
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**Rehearsals:**

MW	8/19 – 10/2	4 – 6 p.m.
SA	8/17 – 9/21	9a.m. – noon

**Set Build:**

SA	9/28	9 a.m. – 2 p.m.
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**Tech and Dress Rehearsal:**

	9/30, 10/1	
	& 10/2	4 – 7 p.m.

**Director:** Melanie Brown • (334) 332-6834 • mbrown@auburnact.org



## AUBURN AREA COMMUNITY THEATRE JR. PERFORMS "DISNEY'S 101 DALMATIANS KIDS"

As part of AACT's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration we are bringing back the classic animated tale of kidnapping villains and courageous puppies is adapted in this "fur-tastic" musical adventure! **\$10/Adults, \$8/Children, Seniors Tickets are available at AuburnACT.org.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
All				
<b>Production:</b>				
	RFSAM	10/3 – 10/11	6:30 p.m.	JDCAC
<b>Matinee:</b>				
	SA	10/5 & 10/12	4 p.m.	
<b>Director:</b> Melanie Brown • (334) 332-6834 • mbrown@auburnact.org				

## AUBURN AREA COMMUNITY THEATRE ANNOUNCE OPEN AUDITIONS FOR OVER THE RIVER AND THROUGH THE WOODS (A STAGED READING)

Open Auditions will be held for a staged reading of **Over the River and Through the Woods** by Joe DiPietro. This offers a wonderful opportunity for more seasoned performers, as well as newcomers to the stage. A staged reading (from scripts in hand) requires fewer rehearsals because memorization is not required. Rehearsal attendance will be important, as there will only be 8-10 rehearsals. No rehearsals are scheduled for Thanksgiving week. Characters include Nick, the 30-something grandson (who endures dinner with both sets of Italian grandparents every Sunday, where he is plied with food, but can't get a word in edgewise,) and his 30-something blind date Caitlyn. The Grandmothers, Aida and Emma are fussing, loving, cooking, and infuriating. Gramps has been having minor car accidents ("It's okay. Nobody was killed."), and Nunzio is full of stories. "Tengo Famiglia!" they remind Nick. "This is Family!"

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+				
<b>Auditions:</b>				
	MT	10/21 & 10/22	5:30 – 9 p.m.	JDCAC
<b>Callbacks:</b>				
	R	10/24	6 – 8 p.m.	
<b>Rehearsals:</b>				
	TR	11/4 - 12/2	6 – 8 p.m.	
<b>Set Build:</b>				
	SA	12/7	8 a.m. – 2 p.m.	
<b>Director:</b> Terrey Kelley • infoauburnACT.org				

## AUBURN AREA COMMUNITY THEATRE PERFORMS OVER THE RIVER AND THROUGH THE WOODS (A STAGED READING)

*Over the River and Through the Woods* is a warm-hearted, boisterously funny, and touching story about intergenerational relationships, deep familial love, and the inevitable little heartbreaks that occur as time passes and children grow. Nick Cristiano may be living the life of a modern young professional in New York City, but his loving grandparents never let him forget where he belongs: in New Jersey! Faithfully, Nick goes "over the river" to Grandma's house every week for Sunday dinner, with his tenacious, tender-hearted, loud, loving, and well-fed Italian-American grandparents. When he is offered an important promotion in Seattle, Washington, Frank, Aida, Emma, and Nunzio are heartbroken at the prospect of their beloved grandson raising a family all the way across

the country -- or worse, not raising a family at all! These wily elders cook up a matchmaking scheme, inviting lovely Caitlin O'Hare over for Sunday dinner. Will the prospect of true love keep Nick from moving across the country? Joe DiPietro's intimate family comedy featuring a mature cast is a beloved staple of theaters across the United States. (Rated PG due to occasional swear language.) **\$10/ adults, \$8 Students and Seniors**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
All				
<b>Production:</b>				
	FSA	12/13 & 12/14	7 p.m.	JDCAC
<b>Matinee:</b>				
	SU	12/15	2 p.m.	

## AUBURN AREA COMMUNITY THEATRE ANNOUNCE OPEN AUDITIONS FOR ALMOST, MAINE

Open Auditions will be held for *Almost, Maine*. Rehearsals will not begin until January 6, 2025. Actors will be expected to be very familiar with their lines when rehearsals start. Because of the episodic nature of *Almost, Maine*, each scene requires 2 or 3 actors of various ages, and will rehearse for one hour, twice a week. Rehearsals are about 5 weeks total. Actors may be cast in more than one scene. No previous experience necessary! This is your opportunity to shine or step into the stage lights for the first time. Performances will be February 6-9.

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
18+				
<b>Auditions:</b>				
	MT	12/2 & 12/3	6 – 8:30 p.m.	JDCAC
<b>Callbacks:</b>				
	R	12/5	6 – 8 p.m.	
<b>Director:</b> Various AACT directors coordinated by Andre Holiday • infoauburnACT.org				



The Auburn Parks and Recreation Therapeutics Program offers recreational activities, programs/leagues, social activities, and field trips for citizens with special needs. Therapeutic program offerings are a wonderful way for your child, teen, or adult to meet new people, learn skills, and socialize in a structured environment. Therapeutic Programs follow the same participation guidelines as Special Olympics International. To qualify for Therapeutic Programs, participants must have a medically diagnosed cognitive impairment. When you register for programs, please list all medical conditions your participant has been diagnosed with as this will help us best support them to be successful while participating in our activities. To stay current with these and other local/regional program offerings, including Special Olympics, e-mail [ekaufman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:ekaufman@auburnalabama.org) to be added to our monthly e-newsletter list!

**IGNITE THE NIGHT THERAPEUTICS PROM**

Join us for a night of dancing and music! We hope to make this event similar to the Shine Prom you enjoyed in the past. We will have staff present to support and dance with you! We have a DJ, fun appetizers/treats, prizes, dancing, and games available to enjoy throughout the night. Dress fancy or casual, whatever you prefer. **\$5.00 per person**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
15+	SA	10/12	6-8 p.m.	WSC

**Contact:** Elizabeth Kaufman • [ekaufman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:ekaufman@auburnalabama.org)

**SPECIAL OLYMPICS BASKETBALL PRACTICE**

Please join us for basketball! We will learn basic skills, scrimmage, and end with the state competition in March 2025.

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
14+	F	10/11 – 3/7	4:30-5:30 p.m	DRRC

**Contact:** Elizabeth Kaufman • [ekaufman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:ekaufman@auburnalabama.org)

**SPECIAL OLYMPICS VOLLEYBALL PRACTICE**

Join us for volleyball practice! We will learn basic skills and scrimmage, and end with the state competition that is usually in November.

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
14+	F	8/30 – 12/6	3:30-4:30 p.m	DRRC

**Contact:** Elizabeth Kaufman • [ekaufman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:ekaufman@auburnalabama.org)

**SPECIAL OLYMPICS BOWLING**

Join us for bowling practice! We will meet at AMF Lanes weekly for practice. Please note, this is a National's qualifying year, so athletes must attend at least 75% of practices and attend competitions in order to qualify for State Games/National Games.

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
8+	M	9/9 – 5/12	2-4 p.m	AMF Lanes Auburn

**Contact:** Elizabeth Kaufman • [ekaufman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:ekaufman@auburnalabama.org)

**PEERS SOCIAL SKILLS COURSE**

Join us for this 16-week course geared towards gaining social skills. Led by instructors Alex Jay and Sheree & Michael Stewart, this is a dual course for parents and children ages 13-19. Please register for this course and then email Elizabeth at [ekaufman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:ekaufman@auburnalabama.org) to set up an interview for course entrance. Parents and teens must both register for the course. **\$200**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
13-19	T	8/13 – 12/17	5:30-7 p.m	DRRC

**Contact:** Elizabeth Kaufman • [ekaufman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:ekaufman@auburnalabama.org)

**BINGO & FITNESS**

Join us for bingo and other activities - we will do a craft, trivia, game, or fitness activity for 30 minutes, then enjoy a snack and some bingo for an hour. Win prizes and socialize with friends! **FREE to Therapeutic Program Participants.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
14+	W	9/11 – 11/20	5:30-7 p.m	DRRC

**Contact:** Elizabeth Kaufman • [ekaufman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:ekaufman@auburnalabama.org)

**TR GAME NIGHT - ADULT**

Join us for pizza and games - Xbox, board games, card games, active games, and coloring. Socialize with friends and enjoy a fun evening of fellowship. We will meet the first Friday of every month. **FREE to Therapeutic Program Participants.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
17+	F	9/6, 10/4, 11/1	5:30-7:30 p.m	DRRC

**Contact:** Elizabeth Kaufman • [ekaufman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:ekaufman@auburnalabama.org)

**TR GAME NIGHT - YOUTH**

Join us for pizza and games - Xbox, board games, card games, active games, and coloring. Socialize with friends and enjoy a fun evening of fellowship. We will meet the third Friday of every month. **FREE to Therapeutic Program Participants.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
5-16	F	9/20, 10/18, 11/15	5:30-7:30 p.m	DRRC

**Contact:** Elizabeth Kaufman • [ekaufman@auburnalabama.org](mailto:ekaufman@auburnalabama.org)

## CREATIVE WRITING CLUB

Every third Thursday of the month join us for fun games, activities, and creative writing projects! We will be looking at all types of writing - poetry, comics, group writing, storytelling, charades, and so much more. Join Frank Dooley, esteemed writer, filmmaker, and musician, for a course built on experimenting with creativity and imagination. You do not need to be able to write to attend this class, but writing and speaking capabilities will be very helpful. **FREE to Therapeutic Program Participants.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
14+	TR	9/19 – 11/21	5:30-6:30 p.m	DRRC

**Contact:** Elizabeth Kaufman • ekaufman@auburnalabama.org

## ART CLUB

Join us the second Thursday of every month for Art Club! Each month we will learn about a different artist and make a project relative to their style of art. In December we will have a gallery showing, and our works will be hanging at JDCAC for a week prior to our gallery night! You will be able to take your art home after the showing, or each month if you prefer. Led by Robin Governo, our fabulous art instructor! **FREE to Therapeutic Program Participants.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
14+	TR	9/12 – 12/12	5:30-6:30 p.m	DRRC

**Contact:** Robin Governo • gpmerm@yahoo.com

## TR LUNCH AND LEARN

Join us on zoom every other week to learn about a different therapeutics-related topic. Topics may include: Medicare waivers, new program opportunities, and speakers from various organizations that serve people with special needs. Sessions will be recorded, so even if you can't make it on the calls please register. **FREE to Therapeutic Program Participants.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
All	T	9/3, 9/17, 10/8, 10/22, 11/12	5:30-6:30 p.m	DRRC

**Contact:** Elizabeth Kaufman • ekaufman@auburnalabama.org

## TR MOVIE DAY

Join us to see a movie! We will see whatever current flick is happening. We will cover the movie ticket, but please bring money for concessions. **FREE to Therapeutic Program Participants.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
14+	SA	11/9	TBD	DRRC

**Contact:** Robin Governo • govorm@yahoo.com



## TR YOUTH HIP HOP DANCE

Join us to boogie and groove - we're having dance class! This class is geared towards youth and young teens. Led by Confidence Inside Out instructor Ebony, she will have you stretching, working on coordination/balance, and dancing. **FREE to Therapeutic Program Participants.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
5-12	M	9/9 – 11/11	5-5:45 p.m.	DRRC

**Contact:** Ebony Penn • confidance.insideout@gmail.com

## TR HIP HOP DANCE CLASS TEENS/ADULTS

Join us to boogie and groove – we're having dance class! This class is geared towards teens and adults. Led by Confidence instructor Ebony, she will have you stretching, working on coordination/balance and doing choreography. **FREE to TR participants.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
13+	M	9/9-11/11	6-7 p.m.	DRRC

**Contact:** Ebony Penn • confidance.insideout@gmail.com

## TR CLAY CLUB

Please give a description of your program/class to be put in the brochure and online. Join us the first Thursday of every month to make a clay project! We will be using low-fire clay and learning how to mold and shape it with the Clay Lady Method. Led by Robin Governo, we will make a project each month in September, October, and November and then have a gallery showing in December! You will be able to pick up all of your projects in December after the gallery showing, or you can take them home the month after you make them. **\$15 per person**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Location
14+	R	9/5 – 12/5	5:30-6:30 p.m.	JDCAC

**Contact:** Robin Governo • govorm@yahoo.com





# REC VIP: VOLUNTEER IN PARKS!

Giving back to your community can be rewarding AND fun when you serve as a Rec. VIP...Volunteer in Parks that is! Volunteers bring a unique set of skills, experience and ideas that can help create new and exciting programs that would otherwise not be possible. Whether it is coaching a youth sports team, assisting at art camps, or helping to keep a special event running smoothly, volunteers are an invaluable asset to our community! REC VIP Members will receive a quarterly newsletter with upcoming volunteer opportunities, a t-shirt, swag, and a chance to attend volunteer appreciation events! Register for the 2023-2024 fiscal year online at [auburnalabama.org/parks/register](http://auburnalabama.org/parks/register). A sign-up form for individual volunteer opportunities will be sent out to registrants each quarter. **FREE to the public.**

Age(s)	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time(s)	Location
19+	ALL	Varies	Varies	Varies

**Contact:** Gabby Filgo • (334) 501-2946 • [gfilgo@auburnalabama.org](mailto:gfilgo@auburnalabama.org)





# PLANNING TO REGISTER FOR FALL PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS?

**Create an online account NOW!**

**Citizens who are interested in participating in any Parks and Recreation program must have an online account to register**

**For more information regarding creating an online account or registering for a program, please contact the Parks and Recreation Administrative Office.**

**Contact Information:**

**(334) 501-2930 • [registration@auburnalabama.org](mailto:registration@auburnalabama.org)  
[www.auburnalabama.org/parks/register](http://www.auburnalabama.org/parks/register)**

**SCAN THE QR CODE TO  
CREATE AN ACCOUNT**



**FALL QUARTER  
REGISTRATION WILL  
BEGIN AUGUST 5.**



## **RENT-A-FACILITY**

City of Auburn Parks and Recreation facilities and parks are available to the public for rental. Rental fees vary depending on the amount of space, equipment, and type of facility needed. For more information on city facilities, please visit [auburnalabama.org/parks](http://auburnalabama.org/parks) or refer to our Parks and Recreation Guide (available at the Harris Center).

## **NOTES**

Citizens are encouraged to use city facilities during regular hours. All parks and cemeteries open at sunrise and close at sunset. For information on game cancellations or postponements, please call: Time and Temperature, (334) 745-6311 or visit [auburnalabama.org/parks](http://auburnalabama.org/parks) and click on the Game Status button.

## RECREATION FACILITIES

<b>Auburn/Opelika Skate Park</b> .....	900 Country Club Drive.....	501-2930
<b>Boykin Community Center</b>  .....	400 Boykin Street.....	501-2961
<b>Dean Road Recreation Center</b> .....	307 South Dean Road.....	501-2950
<b>Frank Brown Recreation Center</b>    .....	235 Opelika Road.....	501-2962
<b>Hubert &amp; Grace Harris Senior Center</b>    .....	425 Perry Street.....	501-2930
<b>Jan Dempsey Community Arts Center</b> .....	222 East Drake Avenue.....	501-2963
<b>Samford Pool</b> .....	465 Wrights Mill Road.....	501-2956

## ATHLETIC FACILITIES

<b>Wire Road Soccer Complex</b>   .....	2340 Wire Road.....	501-2930
<b>Auburn Softball Complex</b>   .....	2560 South College Street.....	501-2976
<b>Duck Samford Baseball Fields 1-3</b>    .....	1720 East University Drive.....	501-2930
<b>Bo Cavin Baseball Fields 4-7</b>    .....	335 Airport Road.....	501-2930
<b>Duck Samford Baseball Fields 8-10</b>    .....	333 Airport Road.....	501-2930
<b>Felton Little Park</b>   .....	341 East Glenn Avenue.....	501-2930
<b>Margie Piper Bailey Park</b> .....	910 Wrights Mill Road.....	501-2930
<b>Shug Jordan Soccer Fields</b>  .....	950 Pride Avenue.....	501-2930

## TENNIS COURTS

<b>Samford Avenue Pickleball and Tennis Center</b>   .....	901 East Samford Avenue	
<b>City of Auburn/Auburn University Yarbrough Tennis Center</b>  .....	1717 Richland Road.....	501-2920

## PARKS

<b>Bowden</b> .....	340 Bowden Dr.	
<b>Dinius Park</b>     .....	1435 Glenn Avenue	
<b>Graham McTeer</b> .....	200 Chewacla Dr. & Thach Ave.	
<b>Felton Little</b>  .....	341 East Glenn Ave.	
<b>Kiesel</b>    .....	520 Chadwick Ln. (Lee Road 51)	
<b>Martin Luther King</b>    .....	190 Byrd St	
<b>Town Creek Inclusive Playground</b>   .....	430 Camellia Drive	
<b>Moores Mill</b>  .....	900 E. University & Moores Mill Rd	
<b>Forest Ecology Preserve &amp; Nature Center</b>   .....	2222 North College St.	
<b>Sam Harris</b>     .....	850 Foster St.	
<b>Hickory Dickory</b>  .....	1400 Hickory Ln. & N. Cedarbrook Dr.	
<b>Duck Samford</b>   .....	1623 East University Dr./335 Airport Rd.	
<b>Town Creek Park</b>     .....	1150 South Gay St.	

## WALKING TRAILS

<b>Dinius Walking Trail</b> –1435 Glenn Avenue.....	Trail is ¾ of a mile long
<b>Duck Samford Walking Track</b> –1623 East Glenn Avenue...3 ¾ laps around the track = 1 mile	
<b>Duck Samford Baseball Walking Trail</b> –335 Airport Road...1 lap around the walking trail = ¼ mile	
<b>Forest Ecology Preserve &amp; Nature Center</b> 2222 North College Street.....	Easy to moderate loop trails = 5 miles
<b>Frank Brown Recreation Center</b> –235 Opelika Road.....	One complete lap = .42 miles
<b>Kiesel Park Walking Trail</b> –520 Chadwick Lane.....	1 lap around the walking trail = 2 ¼ miles
<b>Sam Harris Park Walking Trail</b> –85 Foster Street.....	6 laps around the walking trail = 1 mile
<b>Town Creek Park Trail</b> –1150 South Gay Street.....	0.87 mile
<b>Town Creek Inclusive Playground loop</b> –430 Camellia Drive...0.25 miles outside loop	

## CEMETERIES

<b>Memorial Park</b> .....	1000 East Samford Avenue
<b>Westview</b> .....	700 Westview Drive
<b>Pine Hill</b> .....	303 Armstrong Street
<b>Town Creek</b> .....	950 South Gay Street

-  **PAVILIONS**
-  **DOG PARKS**
-  **PLAYGROUNDS**
-  **TRAILS**
-  **EXERCISE EQUIPMENT**
-  **OUTDOOR BASKETBALL**
-  **MEETING ROOM**
-  **PICKLEBALL**
-  **TENNIS**
-  **SOFTBALL**
-  **BASEBALL**
-  **SOCCER**
-  **VOLLEYBALL**
-  **COMPUTER LAB**