

Recreation Centers

The Greensboro Parks & Recreation Department operates ten recreation centers, conveniently located throughout the community, which provide outstanding programs for people of all ages. From team sports and fitness instruction to classes in the fine arts and special events, our centers have leisure activities especially-designed for the entire family. Community groups to join offer year-round opportunities for socializing and enrichment. Meeting rooms are also available on a rental basis for reunions, parties, or receptions. We welcome new program ideas and look forward to your participation. Recreation Center class listings begin on page 22. Register for the program of your choice on page 35.

Brown Center

302 East Vandalia Road, 274-3470

On February 14, 1993, Greensboro Parks & Recreation presented a special “valentine” to our citizens with the opening of Brown Center. Named in honor of former Director, Roger K. Brown, the center offers classes such as Karate, Drum Line and Baton Twirling as well as community groups to join. In addition, spacious meeting rooms with a kitchen facility are available on a rental basis. Outdoor amenities include a nature trail, a picnic shelter with a grill, a modified-size softball field, playground equipment and horseshoe pits. We invite you to visit Brown Center soon!



Craft Center

3911 Yanceyville Street, 375-2233

Craft Center is named in memory of Greensboro Police Officer, Arthur Glenn Craft, Jr., who was killed in the line of duty on February 14, 1974. Craft Center offers diverse leisure opportunities, which encourage family participation year-round. Community interest groups to join include the Community Goodwill Club and the Craft Friendly Folks senior group that meet monthly for special events and socializing. Other popular programs at Craft Center include Parent’s Night Out, Morning Walkers, Youth Basketball, Game Room and Open Gym.



Glenwood Center

2010 Coliseum Blvd., 373-2929

Dedicated in 1960, Glenwood Center is a hub of leisure opportunities for the entire family, featuring a wide variety of activities from organized team sports such as youth football and basketball to fencing classes for all ages. Community groups to join include the Delta H Fencers Club, and the Glenwood Neighborhood Association. In addition, the S.U.C.C.E.S.S. group is a nonprofit organization, providing support for families with children, who have disabilities (learning, emotional, behavioral or mental challenges).



Leonard Center

6324 Ballinger Road, 297-4889

Leonard Center opened its doors to the public on February 16, 1997. The Center is named in honor of the late Colvin T. (Ted) Leonard Jr., a prominent Greensboro lawyer, retired US Naval Reserve officer and civic leader. Leonard Center features a large meeting room with a partition, an exercise room with a flex cushion floor, a crafts room, kitchen, locker rooms with showers, and a gymnasium. Programs include martial arts, dance, crafts and exercise along as well as community groups to join. Baseball and soccer fields can be scheduled for practices and games throughout the year.



Lewis Center

3110 Forest Lawn Drive, 373-3330

Lewis Center makes its home in beautiful Jaycee Park. For those who like to dance, weekly classes include Clogging, Square Dancing, and even Belly Dancing! Join one of our bridge clubs that meet weekly throughout the year. Other activities include Karate and Yoga classes, and Open Table Tennis as well as youth basketball and football programs. Dog Obedience classes are offered for puppies, four months and older. Community groups to join at Lewis Center include Girl Scouts Brownie Troop #608, Carolina Ladybugs, the Greensboro Rose Society and more.



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Our Recreation Centers offer Afterschool programs with time for homework, games and field trips. For the young athlete in the family, check out our seasonal Youth Football and Youth Basketball Leagues. Registration for Youth Football begins in early August with citywide league play held August through November. The Youth Basketball League registration begins in November with practices in December and games held in January through March. In the summer months, our Day Camps are open to boys and girls, ages 5-12. Weekly activities include arts, crafts, skating, bowling, golf, swimming, sports, field trips and special events! For more information, contact the recreation center in your area, or call 373-3268.

Lindley Center

2907 Springwood Drive, 373-2930

Named in honor of Paul Lindley, former Mayor of Greensboro, Lindley Center is adjacent to the Lindley Boxing Club. The center features community groups to join, including the Swingin' Stars Square Dance Club, Animal Rescue & Foster Care, Triad Golden Retriever Rescue and the Lindley Neighborhood Association. Each week, senior citizens, ages 55 years and older, can take advantage of free A.H.O.Y. exercise classes. Youth basketball is another successful program at Lindley Center as well as Karate, Yoga, Fencing and Young Rembrandts Drawing classes.



Peeler Center

1300 Sykes Avenue, 373-5877

Serving the citizens of Northeast Greensboro, Peeler Center offers swimming during the summer months along with tennis, softball, picnic shelter and a children's playground. Other activities include youth football, basketball and cheerleading along with A.H.O.Y. exercise classes for seniors, 55 years and older. Peeler is the home of community groups such as the Concerned Citizens of Northeast Greensboro, and Residents of Woodmere Park Neighborhood. The Peeler Fitness Center is open year-round to meet your fitness needs!



Trotter Center

3906 Betula Street, 373-2927

Named in honor of William L. Trotter, former mayor of Greensboro, Trotter Center opened its doors to the public in the fall of 1977. Nestled in Hester Park, the Center offers youth sports, including football, basketball, and cheerleading. Classes include Women's Self-Defense, Drama/Acting, and Step Aerobics. Seniors, 55 years & better, enjoy free A.H.O.Y. exercise classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The center is also a popular meeting place for the Trotter Community Focus Group, and the Hilltop Home Owners community group.



Warnersville Center

601 Doak Street, 373-5871

Since 1959, Warnersville Center has been *Reaching Out, Touching Lives* with outstanding programs for people of all ages. The center offers a variety of programs, including Youth Basketball, Football, Kick Boxing and Low Impact Aerobics, Girl Scouts, Gameroom Day and Open Gym. Summer is always hopping with Warnersville swimming pool activities for all ages. The Fitness Center and Weight Room offers memberships year-round. Active groups to join include the Terrell Street Community Watch, and the Warnersville Community Focus Group.



Windsor Center

1601 East Lee Street, 373-5845

Since 1943, Windsor Center has been serving our citizens with outstanding athletic, community and cultural activities. Center programs include youth basketball, Low Impact and Step Aerobics, Creative Dance, Game Room and Open Gym. Groups to join include the Windsor Community Focus Group, Young Life, National Association of Business & Professional Women and the Future Ladies & Men of Tomorrow. We invite youngsters to join us for our Double Dutch Jump Rope program, and our Martial Arts program is open to people of all ages. *Call for details!*

