

2023 SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMS

Dates & Times Subject to Change—Call Contact Numbers for Details

The following list of summer youth activities has been compiled by the Parker Area Alliance for Community Empowerment in cooperation with local agencies and organizations. It is intended to provide information about the many opportunities for fun and learning that are available this summer. There are other programs that are not listed but this list includes all identified programs as of the time of printing.

Many activities are FREE thanks to the generosity of local businesses, service organizations and agencies. Be sure to thank them for their support for the youth of our community!

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ner	Players 9th Street Youth Center 1309 9th Street Parker, AZ 85344 Xbox Games, Pool Tables, Ping Pong, Shuffleboard, Air Hockey, Snack Bar, Computer Lab, Puzzles, Books, Big Screen T.V. and more!				
May 26 to July 28	Players 9th Street Youth Center Free Table Games Tuesdays & Thursdays Sponsored in Part By: Parker Rotary Club, Regional Center for Border Health, The Town of Parker, & Davis Building Supply	10-17	Monday-Friday 12:00-5:30 p.m.	Varies- some games free	Zach 669-5565
June 13 to July 20	"Summer Reading Program" at the CRIT Library! Join us as we learn about CRIT and the Town of Parker organizations in our community. Reading/STEAM activities, Bingo, Scavenger Hunts, Arts & Crafts and more! Call to register beginning May 22!	ALL	Tuesday & Thursday	FREE	Daris 669-1332
June 14-28	"Puzzle Day Wednesdays" at the CRIT Library!	9+	Wednesday	FREE	Daris 669-1332
June 26-29	"July 4th Arts & Crafts" at the CRIT Library!	1+	Mon-Thursday	FREE	Daris 669-1332
Fridays June 2-July 28	"Movie and Popcorn Fridays" at the CRIT Library.	7+	3:00 – 5:00 p.m.	FREE	Daris 669-1332
May 31	"Summer Reading Ice Cream Social" at the Parker Public Library. Help us kick off summer with an ice cream party!	ALL	4:00-6:00 p.m.	FREE	Joanna 669-2622
June 1- July 26	"Summer Reading Contest" at the Parker Public Library!	ALL	Read A Book!	FREE	Joanna 669-2622
Thursdays	"Joy Kids & Youth Group" at the Bouse Community Assembly of God Church in Bouse!	ALL	6:30-8:00 p.m.	FREE	Joanna (660) 596-9880
June 7 & 21 July 5, 12, and 26	"Chess Club" at the Parker Public Library. Don't know how to play chess? We will teach you!	8-17	Every Other Wednesday 10:00 a.m.	FREE	669-2622
June 5-30	"Summer Meals Program" Sponsored by the Parker Unified School District. Free breakfast and lunch for all children ages 18 and under. Breakfast and lunch served at Parker High School Alumni Hall (June 1-30). Parents may pick up without children present. Grab and Go bags with breakfast and lunch are available if you drive by the 16 th Street gate at PHS from 7:00-9:00 a.m.	0-18	Monday-Friday Breakfast 7:30-8:00 a.m. Lunch 11:00a.m.– 12:30p.m.	FREE	Caryn 669-9244 Ext. 1023
June 6	"Cake Decorating" at Players 9th Street Youth Center with Master Decorator Miss Courtney!	10+	9:00 - Noon	FREE	Courtney 669-5565
June 7	"Tye-Dye Camp" at Players 9th Street Youth Center! Bring your shirt/clothes and we create some fun designs!	10+	Noon- 3:00 p.m.	FREE	Courtney 669-5565
June 7 to July 26	"Foster Grandparent Program" at the Parker Community Senior Center. Meets every Wednesday!	6+	10:30 - Noon	FREE	Miranda 669-8980
June 8	"Cooking Class: Indian Tacos" at Players 9th Street Youth Center. Make Indian Tacos from scratch! Everything from making the dough, cooking the ingredients, and chopping the toppings!	10-17	2:00-5:00 p.m.	FREE	Raquel 669-5565
June 12	"Crafty Monday" at the Parker Public Library. Join Miss Cassie for a story and a craft! Dress to make a mess!	K-2	10:30-Noon	FREE	Cassie 669-2622
June 13	"Storybook Mini Golf" at the Parker Public Library! Join us for a story and a story book-themed mini golf game!	K-2	4:00-5:30 p.m. 10:30-Noon	FREE	669-2622
June 13 & June 21	"Players Movie Day" Join the crew at Players for a trip to the BlueWater Cinemas to watch a summer movie!	3-5 10-17	1:00 – 4:00 p.m.	\$6.00	669-5565

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June 12 & June 14	"Woodshop Camp" at Players 9th Street Youth Center. Participants will build a game table for the youth center, while learning tool safety and handling materials. In Part 2 they will create a personalized cell phone holder for their parent/guardian. Sponsored	12-17	10:00 a.m1:00 p.m.	FREE	669-5565
June 14	by Davis Hardware! "All Together Now" at the Parker Public Library. Join us for an afternoon of challenges that will test your teamwork skills!	3-5 th	4:00-5:30 p.m.	FREE	Joanna 669-2622
June 15	"Accio Fun- Harry Potter Summer Camp" at Players 9th Street Youth Center. Head to Hogwarts where the Sorting Hat will assign campers to their house and they will make wands, wizard treats, and enjoy some Harry Potter Trivia!	6-12 th	1:30 – 3:00 p.m. 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.	FREE	Raquel 669-5565
June 15	"Silent Library." Think you have what it takes to outsmart the librarians? Join us to find out!	6-12 th Grade	1:30-3:00 p.m.	FREE	669-2622
June 27	"Amazing Race" at the Players 9th Street Youth Center. Race around the World of Parker to search for clues and be the team with the fastest time to win a prize!	10+	9:00 - Noon	FREE	Courtney 669-5565
June 5-8	"Vacation Bible School" at United Methodist Church in Parker. Dinner included! Pre-registration is encouraged- limit of 24.	K-6th	Monday-Thursday 5:30-8:00 pm	FREE	Dulce 315-8832
June 23 & June 28	"Film School Camp" at the Players 9th Street Youth Center. Learn to shoot and edit a commercial for Players!	10-17	TBD	FREE	Zach 669-5565
June 29	"Make Your Own Ice Cream" at the Players 9th Street Youth Center. Make homemade ice cream from scratch!	10+	Noon – 3:00 p.m.	FREE	Courtney 669-5565
July 5	"Players' Escape Room" at the Players 9th Street Youth Center. Does your team have what it takes to escape in the fastest time?	10+	Noon – 4:00 p.m.	FREE	Courtney 669-5565
July 6	"Paint Wars" at Players 9th Street Youth Center. Get ready to get painted! Four teams will battle in several challenges: bucket relay, tug-of-war, slip-n-slide, and a paint balloon fight!	10-17	9:00 - Noon	FREE	Raquel 669-5565
July 10	"Crafty Monday" at the Parker Public Library. Join Miss Cassie for a story and a craft! Dress to make a mess!	K-2	10:30 - Noon	FREE	Cassie 669-2622
July 11	"Spy Training Day" at the Parker Public Library. Learn to write in code, create a disguise, craft a spy alias, and master an obstacle course!	K-2	10:30 - Noon	FREE	669-2622
July 11	"Spy Boot Camp" at the Parker Public Library. Learn to write in secret code, create a disguise, and master an obstacle course!	3-5 th	4:00 – 5:30 p.m.	FREE	669-2622
July 12	"Youth Paint Day" at Players 9 th Street Youth Center. Drop in for a step-by-step painting experience!	10+	1:00 – 3:00 p.m.	FREE	669-556
July 12	"Frankentoys" at the Parker Public Library. Join us for an afternoon of ripping apart old toys and creating a toy of your dreams or nightmares!	3-5th	4:00 – 5:30 p.m.	FREE	669-2622
July 13	"Twister Tournament" at the Parker Public Library. Twist and stretch your way through a Twister tournament that you don't want to miss!	6-12 th	1:30 – 3:00 p.m. 1:30 – 3:00 p.m.	FREE	669-2622
July 13	"Fun in the Sun-Day at the Beach" at the Players 9th Street Youth Center. Join us for a day at Willow Beach at the Ahakav Preserve! Transportation provided to first 14 to register. Lifeguard will be on duty but participants must be able to swim.	10-17	9:00 - Noon	FREE	Raquel 6695565
July 18	"Game Show Day" at Players 9th Street Youth Center. Come Figure It Out, play Double Dare, see if you have the GUTS to survive our throwback game show competition!	10+	9:00 - Noon	FREE	669-5565
uly 17-20	"NASA Camp" at the Parker Public Library. Join the Arizona Science Center for this fun event!	9-12	1:00 – 4:00 p.m.	FREE	669-2622
uly 17-20	"Lego Science Camp" at the Parker Public Library. Join the Arizona Science Center for a block-buster Lego adventure!	5-8	9:00 a.m Noon	FREE	669-2622
July 18	"Battle of the Grades" at the Parker Public Library. Jr. High vs. High School will battle it out in 3 rounds of messy competition!	6-12th	1:30 p.m.	FREE	669-2622
July 20	"All Night Lock In" at the Parker Public Library. Lock In and Murder Mystery Night for teens 13-17.	13-17	7 p.m. – 7a.m.	FREE	669-2622
July 20	"Summer-Ween" at the Players 9th Street Youth Center. Let's celebrate Halloween in July! Wear a costume and join us for some spooky fun, games, and treats!	10-17	2:00 – 4:30 p.m.	FREE	Raquel 669-5565
July 26	"Winter In July" at the Parker Public Library. All ages welcome for a winter-themed activity day!	All	3:00 p.m.	FREE	669-2622
March to October	"Town of Parker Splash Park" at Pop Harvey Park.	All Ages	Everyday 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.	FREE	669-9265

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