

Summer Center News



Prairie Township Community Center Newsletter / July '15

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Don't Miss These Dates:

- **Grand Opening Event**- 7/10
- **Farmer's Market** (every Monday from July-September)- 7/6
- **American Red Cross Lifeguarding course** - 7/20-7/23

It's Summer!

Welcome from the Director

James Gant

After more than a year of construction, the end is finally in sight. The Prairie Township Community Center is now open and we are excited to have you all here. Over the coming months you will begin to see more and more programs and activities start. Beginning with a new Farmer's Market that will be held Mondays, at the PTCC, kicking off on July 6 from 4-7 pm and will continue through September. Check out all the fun information that we have included in this issue of Center News.



Meet the Staff:



Name: James Gant

Position: Director

Words to live by: "You can discover more about a person in an hour of play than in a year of conversation" Plato

Grand Opening

Join us for a Night of Fun

James Gant

Come join us on July 10 from 5-9pm for our Grand Opening Celebration! This great community event will include a strolling magician, Matt the Balloon Guy and a Tabata group exercise demonstration. Try out our games and activities for the whole family such as singing and dancing with Miss Marlene at 6:30 and 7:30pm. Other activities include free body composition assessments, 5 minute chair massages and relay races. We will conclude the evening with an outdoor showing of the Lego Movie at 9pm.



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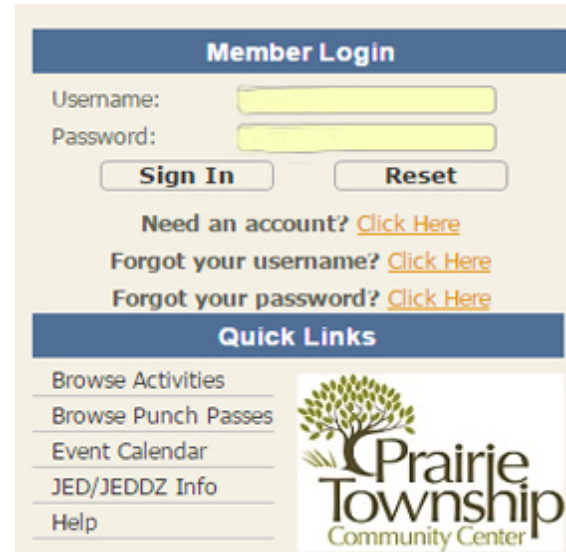
5955 West Broad St. / Columbus, OH 43119
phone: (614) 907-7990 / PrairieTownship.org

Online Registration

Skip the line and register online! Online registration can be done from the convenience of your own home, additional benefits include earlier registration dates and avoiding lines at the front desk.

Get started today by creating your household online. Visit <https://recreation.prairietownship.org/WEB/wbwsc/webtrac.wsc/SPLASH.html> and click need a new account. Once your account has been verified you will receive an email confirmation that your household is active. Please note that all JEDD/JEDZ and resident households must be verified in person before your household will become active.

Once your household is active you can sign up for programs such as swim lessons, sports camps and fitness classes. You



Health and Fitness

Free Fitness Previews

Join us for the month of July as we preview some of our future class offering. We will have indoor cycle, TRX and Tabata just to name a few. New participants to class should arrive 10 minutes prior to class to get help setting up your equipment. 18yrs+

Tabata	5-5:30 pm	W	7/8
Indoor Cycle	4:30-5:15 pm	Th	7/9
Boot Camp	5-5:45 pm	M	7/13
Cardio Fusion	4:30-5:15 pm	Th	7/16

Prairie Township Community Center, Group Fitness Studio

Fitness Tip

Make your workout routine fun by trying a variety of activities. Doing different activities can keep your fitness routine motivating and challenging. Purchase a trial fit pass and join us in one of our drop-in fitness class or sign up for one of our fitness programs.



Community Activities

Farmer's Market

The Mission of the Prairie Township Farmer's Market is to offer the community an opportunity to purchase locally grown produce directly from farmers in addition to cottage food and hand crafted products.

The Farmer's Market will be held on Monday afternoons from 4 - 7 pm rain or shine, July through September at the Prairie Township Community Center, located at 5955 West Broad St., Columbus, OH 43119.

For more information contact 614-907-7990 or visit <http://www.prairietownship.org>

Interested in being a vendor?

Visit <http://www.prairietownship.org/219/Farmers-Market> for information, rules and vendor's application and/or contact Michael Pollack at mpollack@prairietownship.org



Swim Lessons

American Red Cross Learn to Swim

Preschool Level 1
3221610 07 9:30-10 am
M,Tu,W,Th 7/13-7/23 3-5 yrs

Preschool Level 2
3221620 08 10:05-10:05 am
3221620 09 11:15-11:45am
M,Tu,W,Th 7/13-7/23 3-5 yrs

Preschool Level 3
3221630 05 10:05-10:35 am
M,Tu,W,Th 7/13-7/23 3-5 yrs

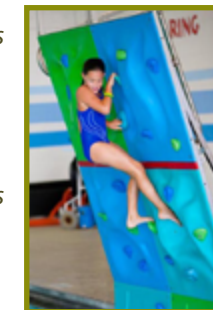
Level 1 (6 & Over)
3231610 03 10:20am-11:05 pm
M,Tu,W,Th 7/13-7/23 6-12 yrs

Level 2 (6 & Over)
3231620 04 9:30-10:15 am
M,Tu,W,Th 7/13-7/23 6-12 yrs

Level 3
3231630 05 11:10-11:55 am
M,Tu,W,Th 7/13-7/23 4-12 yrs

Prairie Township Community Center, Pool \$64R | \$76 NR
8 sessions

For more information about swim lesson placement and pool rules visit <http://www.prairietownship.org/209/Aquatics>



Kid's Corner

Have a Ball Mini Camp

Instructor: Recreation Staff

Dodgeball, kickball, handball... You get the point. Have you ever wanted to just grab a ball and play? This week we will spend time learning different sports involving many different types of balls, football, basketball, whiffle ball and so many more! You won't want to miss this! Please bring a water bottle each day.

3631510 01 10 am-12 pm M,Tu,W,Th,F 8/10-8/14
7-12 yrs

Prairie Township Community Center, Gym-West
\$27.5 R | \$33 NR 5 sessions

Birthday Parties

Prairie Township Community Center is a FUN place to celebrate your child's special day. Ask us about our pool party or gym games packages. Rentals are available on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. Follow the link below for details and discover how we can help make your child's party a great event for everyone!

Reservations begin Saturday, July 11th!

For more information contact 614-907-7990 or visit <http://www.prairietownship.org/213/Birthday-Parties>

Facility Rentals

Wedding receptions, family reunions, graduation parties, and corporate events, the Prairie Township Community Center can do it all. The multi-purpose and Prairie Room can be combined into one large room. If renting the multi-purpose room or the combined multi-purpose and Prairie Room, the fee to add the kitchen facility is an additional \$30 for residents and \$45 for non-residents.

All rentals must be booked a minimum of two weeks in advance.

Please visit <http://www.prairietownship.org/201/Rental-Rates> for rental rates or call 614-907-7990

Thanks for your sponsorship



Facility Spotlight

PTCC Swimming Pool



Take a dip in our indoor swimming pool which features zero depth entry, two lap lanes, a vortex and a diving board. We have fun pool activities such as the rock climbing wall and basketball hoop or you can relax on one of our hydro benches.



Lifeguarding Class for only \$35.00

Prairie Township is now hiring for Lifeguards with a starting pay rate of \$8.70 per hour! We are also offering an American Red Cross Lifeguarding Course for only \$35.

1. Interested applicants may apply online here <http://www.prairietownship.org/jobs.aspx>
2. Once you have applied, you may register for the American Red Cross Lifeguarding Course by calling the Community Center at 614-907-7990.

When: Monday, July 20 through Thursday, June 23 from 12pm-8pm.
Where: Prairie Township Community Center



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