



City of Goodyear INFOCUS

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Attention Goodyear Residents!

Get involved in your local government by becoming a member of a board, commission, or committee. Members provide input to elected officials and city staff on a variety of issues affecting our city.

For more information, visit goodyearaz.gov/boardsrecruit or call 623-882-7830



Budget Public Forum

Wednesday, May 6 at 6 p.m.
Goodyear Justice Facility
14455 W. Van Buren St.

Residents are invited to learn about the city's finances and provide feedback on the fiscal year 2016 budget – which runs from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. For more information, please visit www.goodyearaz.gov/budget or call 623-882-7896.

Goodyear Councilmember Sheri Lauritano

now is serving on three committees for the National League of Cities: Community and Economic Development; Transportation and Infrastructure Services; and chairs the International Council. The committees are responsible for developing NLC federal policy positions on: housing, land use, recreation and parks, historic preservation; transportation planning, funding, and security; and impacts and opportunities of globalization, respectively.



Council Corner



Councilmember Joanne Osborne

Happy Spring! The weather is just beautiful here in the city of Goodyear!

I recently returned from our Congressional National League of Cities Conference in Washington, D.C. where it was 28 degrees and did not feel like spring!

This event, which is one of many held by NLC each year, brings more than 1,000 elected and appointed city leaders together to discuss local, state and federal policy issues, establish and further develop relationships with federal delegates, department heads and staff, and discuss best practices with other similarly profiled localities from across the nation. Additionally this year, and for the first time in two decades, the President of the United States addressed participants of the National League of Cities during the conference's opening ceremony, underscoring the important role that local elected officials play in developing safe, sustainable communities. Regardless of political party, having our President address this group showed the importance of our local voice!

During this year's conference, NLC participants identified three key federal priorities to formally pursue in 2015 for the betterment of local governments and communities across the country:

- 1) The passage of federal "E-Fairness" legislation to close major tax loopholes adversely impacting municipalities,
- 2) The necessity of a long-term surface transportation funding plan, and
- 3) The need to protect and preserve the tax-exempt status of municipal bonds.

Your Council agrees that these focus areas are critical to Goodyear's future development, and we are committed to working closely with our counterparts at the State and Federal levels to achieve these goals. Furthermore, I was invited to join the NLC's FAIR committee late last year, which concentrates on policy issues related to finance, administration, and intergovernmental relations.

Most importantly to me, being involved with NLC helps us to identify best practices being used in other cities, learning what to do and what not to do through the experiences of others, and to mold all of this information into the planning, layout, and growth of Goodyear, which is only 11% built out. We are 21st Century pioneers! Involvement in the National League of Cities is just one more available tool we use as a city to bring us success and quality of life.

Be blessed!

Goodyear City Council member Joanne Osborne is currently serving on the National League of Cities 2015 Finance, Administration and Intergovernmental Relations Steering Committee – which is responsible for developing the League's federal policy positions on general financial assistance programs, liability insurance, census, and many other issues.

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From the Mayor



Mayor Georgia Lord

Firefighter's Career Grew with the City

It's hard to imagine, but for the first time in at least half a century, there will not be a member of the Ullman family working for the city of Goodyear.

In 1972, Mike Ullman's father, Lee, coaxed the recent graduate of Agua Fria High School into joining the then-volunteer fire department. After serving as a volunteer firefighter for 14 years – mostly under the direction of his father – he was hired full-time in 1988. He served the department for 33 years, most recently as deputy chief, before retiring at the end of February.

Mike was Goodyear's longest-serving city employee.

The city is grateful for his service, institutional knowledge, and dedication to his profession. He saw the city grow from mostly cotton fields to a major suburb in the West Valley with a diverse industry and workforce base that now includes about 100 sworn members of the Goodyear Fire Department.

Safety always was of the utmost priority for Mike as he oversaw the department's Fire Prevention and Code Enforcement Division. He also presented fire safety demonstrations at local schools.

Goodyear Fire Chief Paul Luizzi said, "Mike has been instrumental in the building of this department. His fingerprints are on every station and response vehicle that the fire department has built or purchased."

It was a testament to Mike when a host of his colleagues shared a few emotional words about his prolific career during his retirement reception on February 24. His family was present at the City Council meeting the night before when he was recognized for his years of service.

Mike said he plans to travel, fly fish, possibly take some golf lessons, and enjoy spending time with his four-year-old granddaughter.

The city of Goodyear will sincerely miss Mike and his dedication.

To him, we say 'thank you for your service' and follow the words Mike said he recently read on a billboard: "Retire like you mean it."

State of the City Address

Later this year, Mayor Georgia Lord and members of City Council will bring the show on the road for the first Goodyear State of the City Address. Residents are encouraged to attend. Look for more information in upcoming issues of INFOCUS. Also, be sure to follow GoodyearAZ on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram!

Goodyear City Council

Top row (left to right): Vice Mayor Joe Pizzillo, Sheri Lauritano, Joanne Osborne, Bill Stipp. Bottom row (left to right): Wally Campbell, Mayor Georgia Lord, and Sharolyn Hohman



Council meetings and work sessions are held at Goodyear Justice Center, Goodyear Municipal Complex, located at 14455 W. Van Buren St., B101. Visit www.goodyearaz.gov for meeting schedules and to watch Council meetings.



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New City Hall Lobby Hours: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Council Calendar

April 6	5 p.m. – Work Session	April 27	6 p.m. – Council Meeting
April 7	5 p.m. – Work Session	May 4	5 p.m. – Work Session
April 13	5 p.m. – Work Session 6 p.m. – Council Meeting	May 11	5 p.m. – Work Session 6 p.m. – Council Meeting
April 20	5 p.m. – Work Session	May 18	6 p.m. – Council Meeting

Goodyear Public Works

In recognition of all of the hard work and dedication provided by the employees, the city of Goodyear is dedicating this issue of the INFOCUS to Public Works Week: May 17 – 23.

So, what is public works? One of the largest departments in the city of Goodyear (and most cities), it provides services that residents use every day. We asked the three division managers how each would describe the area he oversees. Here's what they said:



Mark Flynn, Municipal Services Manager: *"We care for and maintain the city's buildings and vehicles."*



Mark Holmes, Water Resources Manager: *"Ensuring that the water wells of our children's children never run dry!"*



Mark Seamans, Environmental Services Manager: *"We make sure the water that comes out of your faucet is clean enough to drink. Also, we collect your waste, including: sewer, trash, and recycling."*

Pool Draining Tips

Many pool owners conduct large maintenance projects – including draining – before the hot summer months to prepare for swimming season. If you're one of them, here are some factors to keep in mind:

- **Permit required.** By city of Goodyear ordinance, all water customers looking to drain a pool must first acquire this free permit. Call 623-932-3010 at least a week prior to draining the pool to arrange for the free check by a technician who will issue the permit.
- **Only use sewer cleanouts.** Most homes in Goodyear have two of these pipes with a black cap.
- **It is illegal to allow pool water to leave property.** Here's an idea: drain the pool slowly and water the yard; direct all excess water to the sewer cleanout.
- **Install a variable speed pump and pool cover** to reduce energy costs year-round.
- **It's expensive!** Owners will be billed for all of the water to re-fill the pool. Like all customers, pool owners pay for the water that goes through the meter.

For more information, visit www.goodyearaz.gov and search "Pool draining."

Federal Clean-up Effort Means \$200,000 Annual Savings for the City

The grass on the city's spring training practice fields soon will be a little greener, thanks to a new, free water supply being delivered to Goodyear Ballpark.

Officials from the city of Goodyear, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ), and Akron-based The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. have worked together to bring a new water line to the water storage pond at Goodyear Ballpark – spring training home of Major League Baseball's Cleveland Indians and Cincinnati Reds.

Remediated water from the Phoenix-Goodyear Airport's South Superfund Site, which once was contaminated but now is being cleaned, is delivered to the ballpark at no cost. The remediated water is not for drinking. The project removes water to relieve the burden on a large plume and aquifer on the former property of The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., who is conducting the clean-up and a partner in the line installation.

The water line is more than a mile long and runs from the airport site to the retention pond. It has the capability to deliver up to 263 million gallons per year, translating to at least an annual savings of \$200,000 to the city's general fund. From the time the water line was installed in the middle of October 2014 through the end of December – the lowest demand time of the year – the city saved \$25,000 in water costs. Thus, the city's \$300,000 investment will pay for itself within two years, said Mark Holmes, water resources manager for Goodyear.

"This is a huge savings for the city, and we'll receive this water supply for many years to come, based on planned remediation activities," said Holmes. "It's free water, and removing the water from the site is helping the remedy. By using the higher quality water, the irrigation systems won't be clogged and vegetation will do better."

Remediated water is of higher quality than reclaimed – treated wastewater – which will make the grass greener and help vegetation.

While the ballpark complex needs only about 30 percent of this total water supply, the city can put the additional water to other uses. One helpful use of remediated water from another superfund site, known as Phoenix-Goodyear Airport's North, has been serving Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd. Since 2013, the water being delivered to the park is saving the city about \$50,000 a year.

"Remediated groundwater is required to be constantly monitored and tested," said Holmes. "Being such a valuable, high-demand commodity, the city is always looking at ways to find new water resources."

For more information about the city of Goodyear water resources, the superfund sites projects, and water conservation efforts, visit www.goodyearaz.gov and search "Water Services."

Goodyear Prepares for More Growth and Examines Water Infrastructure Water Planning Committee to Hear Estimated Costs on April 14

As the city of Goodyear prepares for more growth, its Water Planning Committee met on March 10 to hear what infrastructure improvements are needed to best prepare for future demands.

Carollo, the Phoenix-based engineering consulting firm, presented to the committee the condition of the city's water treatment and delivery systems, and made recommendations for a five-year capital improvement plan (CIP). The plan is meant to meet the needs of residents by aligning water resources and infrastructure with Goodyear's General Plan, and outlining a proposed schedule of improvements.

Representatives of Carollo said that the city's level of water services and maintenance of its infrastructure were minimally hampered during the recession. However, with signs of recovery and increase in construction, now is the time to invest. The city is examining the recommended improvements and how to minimize the impact to residents should there be an emergency, drought, or interruption of service.

The CIP currently calls for the replacement of three water production wells and maintenance on three others. Improvements also will be needed to the wastewater treatment plants.

"This is a time to re-calibrate and an opportunity to look forward to prepare for growth," said Guy Carpenter, vice president and water resources and reuse group leader for Carollo.

Mario Columbia, chairman of the Water Planning Committee, said he is beginning to see the big picture in the way of water operations needs and maintenance.

"My concerns are the capital expenditures and time to replace the pumps," said Columbia. "It sounds like we have to do it rather quickly. We're looking at a large expense, and need to know specific costs and where the money will come from."

Estimated costs of various improvements and recommendations from city staff members will be discussed at the Water Planning Committee meeting on April 14 at 6:30 p.m. at the Goodyear Justice Center, 14455 W. Van Buren St. Future meetings will examine other aspects of the plan such as the city's water resources policy and rate design alternatives.

Visit www.goodyearaz.gov/watercommittee to watch recordings of the meetings.

Future Water Planning Committee meeting dates and topics:
April 14, 2015 – Integrated Water Master Plan (IWMP)
May 12, 2015 – Proposed rate recommendations
June 2015 – Community meeting(s) and Council work session
September 2015 – Council adoption of utility rate plan

City Offices Closed and Sanitation Pickup Changes for the Holidays

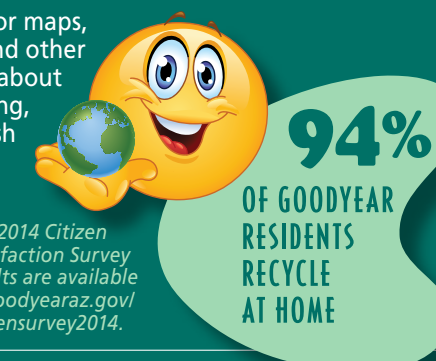
City offices will be closed in observance of the Memorial Day holiday on Monday, May 25.

Curbside trash, recycling, and bulk collection services will shift to one day later than the normal collection days.



For more information and a full schedule of 2015 holiday sanitation service, visit the city of Goodyear website at www.goodyearaz.gov/trash or call Public Works at 623-932-3010.

See page 6 for maps, schedules, and other information about trash, recycling, and bulk trash collection services.



The 2014 Citizen Satisfaction Survey results are available at goodyearaz.gov/citizensurvey2014.

Pump Track Coming to Foothills Community Park

Join the city of Goodyear, West Valley Trails Alliance, and Newland Communities for a ribbon-cutting event on April 25 at 8:30 a.m. at Foothills Community Park, 12795 S. Estrella Parkway.

A continuous loop of smooth dirt mounds and berms, a pump track allows cyclists to ride without pedaling. The name "pump track" comes from the motion used by the rider's upper- and lower-body to go around the track. It's a great work out as well as safe, fun entertainment. The track was conceived, designed, built, and will be maintained by the community.

For more information, call the city of Goodyear Recreation Office at 623-882-7525.

Sanitation Services www.goodyearaz.gov/trash

Trash & Recycling
Weekly – Same Day Collection

	Perryville Rd	Citrus Rd	Cotton Ln	Sarival Ave	Estrella Pkwy	PebbleCreek Pkwy	Bullard Ave	Litchfield Rd	Dysart Rd
Camelback Rd									
Indian School Rd									
Thomas Rd									
McDowell Rd									
Interstate 10									
Van Buren St									
Yuma Rd									
Western Ave									
Lower Buckeye Rd									
Broadway Rd									
Southern Ave									
Baseline Rd									
Beloat Rd									
Elliot Rd									
Narramore Rd									
Ray Rd									
Williams Field Rd									
Pecos Rd									

- Tan garbage containers and green recycling containers may be placed out no sooner than 6 p.m. the night before your designated collection day and must be placed out no later than 6 a.m. on collection day.
- Place containers on the street, with wheels against the curb. Leave at least 4 feet between containers. Place containers at least 5 feet away from vehicles and other objects.
- Bag and tie all garbage.
- DO NOT place plastic bags in the green (recycling) container.

What to Recycle

- Paper: office paper, envelopes, junk mail, newspaper, magazines, telephone books, and paper bags.
- Glass bottles and jars (rinse lightly to clean).
- Plastics #1 – #7 (please check for the chasing arrows recycling symbol; rinse lightly to clean these items): bottles, bottle caps, packaging, cups, and food containers.
- Aluminum/steel/tin cans (rinse lightly to clean).
- Cardboard/chipboard: office supply boxes, cereal boxes (clean, empty and broken down).
- Cartons: milk, juice, and creamer (rinse lightly to clean).

What NOT to Recycle

Plastic bags, rocks, dirt, blocks, bricks, concrete, drywall, paint, thinners, gas, oil, car batteries, tires, tree limbs, wood, packing popcorn, styrofoam, electronics, aluminum foil, tissues, napkins, paper towels, paper plates, shredded paper, foil wrapping, waxed paper/boxes, hard-bound books, windows, mirrors, broken glass, and household hazardous waste.

Landfill Sites

Fees apply

- White Tanks Transfer Station
18605 W. McDowell Rd.
623-853-1707
Monday – Friday
7 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturdays
7 a.m. to 12 p.m.
- Rainbow Valley Transfer Station
17795 S. Rainbow Valley Rd.
602-506-4006
Wednesday – Saturday
7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- City of Glendale Municipal Landfill
11480 W. Glendale Ave.
623-930-2191
Monday – Friday
7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturdays
7 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Electronic Waste

- White Tanks Transfer Station
18605 W. McDowell Rd.
623-853-1707
Monday – Friday
7 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturdays
7 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off Events

Check the INFOCUS citizen magazine and visit www.goodyearaz.gov/trash for the announcement of special Household Hazardous Waste disposal events held by the city. These notifications will include a list of items allowed for drop-off as well as other requirements.

Bulk Trash

One Day Per Month Collection

	Perryville Rd	Citrus Rd	Cotton Ln	Sarival Ave	Estrella Pkwy	PebbleCreek Pkwy	Bullard Ave	Litchfield Rd	Dysart Rd
Camelback Rd									
Indian School Rd									
Thomas Rd									
McDowell Rd									
Interstate 10									
Van Buren St									
Yuma Rd									
Western Ave									
Lower Buckeye Rd									
Broadway Rd									
Southern Ave									
Baseline Rd									
Beloat Rd									
Elliot Rd									
Narramore Rd									
Ray Rd									
Williams Field Rd									
Pecos Rd									

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| A 1st Monday | K 3rd Monday |
| B 1st Tuesday | L 3rd Tuesday |
| C 1st Wednesday | M 3rd Wednesday |
| D 1st Thursday | N 3rd Thursday |
| E 1st Friday | O 3rd Friday |
| F 2nd Monday | P 4th Monday |
| G 2nd Tuesday | Q 4th Tuesday |
| H 2nd Wednesday | R 4th Wednesday |
| I 2nd Thursday | S 4th Thursday |
| J 2nd Friday | T 4th Friday |

- Bulk trash includes items that are too large to fit in the trash container such as tree limbs, brush, furniture, and appliances.
- Bulk trash may be placed seven days prior to collection.
- Place bulk trash in the street, next to the curb, parallel to the street, in front of the property, by 6 a.m. on collection day.
- DO NOT place bulk trash where it may be a hazard to pedestrians or vehicles.
- Items should be in boxes or tied in bundles. Each box or bundle cannot exceed 50 pounds in weight (except appliances and furniture). Brush cannot exceed 4 feet in length. Trash cannot exceed 2 cubic yards (about the size of a refrigerator).
- Grass clippings must be bagged; cacti must be in sealed boxes.
- It is the resident's responsibility to clean up after collection.

NOT Allowed for Bulk Collection:

Household waste, hazardous materials, construction materials, tires, oil, auto parts, vehicles, rocks, dirt, sod, roofing, drywall, and concrete. Items exceeding proper size will not be collected.

Traffic Safety Tip

The staff at the city of Goodyear wants to help you stay safe. Look for Traffic Safety Tips in future issues of the INFOCUS magazine.

This issue: Speed Limits

Did you know that every mile per hour (mph) traveled equates to approximately 1.5 feet per second? That means 60 mph is approximately 90 feet per second. With an average reaction time of 1.5 to 2 seconds, that is a distance of 135 to 180 feet. If a hazard were to present itself, there is very limited time to react.

Arizona state law (ARS 28-701.A) states a person shall not drive a vehicle at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under the circumstances, conditions, and actual and potential hazards then existing. The **posted speed limit** is what is determined to be a reasonable and prudent speed under ideal conditions.

Arizona state law (ARS 28-797.F) deals with **15 mph school zones**. This is an absolute speed limit, meaning a driver shall never exceed 15 mph under any conditions, for the safety of students and those around the school.

Arizona state law (ARS 28-701.02) states that it is a **criminal offense to drive more than 20 mph over the posted speed limit** in a business or residential district, or more than 85 mph in any location.

Be safe and slow down! The few minutes you save by speeding can result in a potential ticket, criminal record, or worst of all: collision. It is simply not worth the risk.

Traffic-related questions can be sent to Goodyear PD Traffic Unit Sergeant J. Seabright at jseabright@goodyearaz.gov or call 623-882-7735.

Adult Water Safety

Every year, more than twice the number of teens and adults lose their lives in water related incidents than children. Many factors contribute to drowning, including: over-estimating swimming abilities; water conditions, i.e. temperature, depth, unseen objects; alcohol, drugs, or medication; and not using a life jacket.

But the most common element in adult water-related incidents is swimming alone. Kids are taught to have a supervisor and to "swim with a buddy." The same is true for grown-ups. Always follow these simple rules:

- Tell a family member or friend when going into the pool or hot tub.
- Do not take medications that cause drowsiness – either prescription or over-the-counter – before entering a body of water such as pools, hot tubs, or bathtubs.
- Never mix alcohol and water-related activity. The water temperatures in hot tubs can speed up the effects of alcohol.

Please contact the Drowning Prevention Coalition of Arizona at www.preventdrownings.org for more information.



In 2014, Goodyear 9-1-1 answered more than 104,000 calls

Thank your local dispatcher during National Public Safety Telecommunications Week April 12 – 18 by sending an e-mail to lisa.kutis@goodyearaz.gov



Fair Housing Topics Forefront at April HOA Academy

**Saturday, April 18
8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Avondale City Hall, 11465 W. Civic Center Drive,
Sonoran Room
\$5 (includes lunch)**

- Fundamental Principles Regarding the Federal Fair Housing Act
- Implementing Community Association Rental Restrictions
- Legislative Update
- Understanding Hoarding

The Southwest Valley HOA Academy is offered every spring and fall, through a partnership between the cities of Goodyear, Avondale, and Buckeye.

Registration is required at www.goodyearaz.gov/HOA.

Don't Miss these Fabulous Events

Spring Concert Series

Enjoy some of the best bands in the Southwest! Bring lawn chairs and blankets for your comfort as you listen to a wide variety of musical performances for the whole family! Bring food and beverages (no glass containers) or purchase from the on-site food vendor.

April 11, at 7 p.m. – Thaddeus Rose
April 25, at 7 p.m. – Carmela y Mas
Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
Free event

Police K-9 Trials

The 13th annual Desert Dog Regional Police K-9 Trials is a great event for the public to see how the police and their dogs work together to protect us. For more information, please contact Sgt. Sean Clarke at sclarke@goodyearaz.gov or 623-882-7691. Visit the webpage at www.desertdogk9trials.com.

April 18 and 19, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Goodyear Ballpark
1933 S. Ballpark Way
\$1 donation

Hot Coffee Art Lecture Series

Dr. Denitta Sewell: Textile Art Post-War Era
April 28, from 7 to 8:30 p.m.
Total Wine & More, 1416 N. Litchfield Rd.
Free lecture

Mother Son Dance

Come enjoy a wonderful evening of fun between mothers and their sons! There will be refreshments, raffles, prizes, and more. This enchanted evening will be one to remember!

May 8, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.
Wigwam Resort, 300 W. Wigwam Blvd.
\$45 per couple, \$20 for additional kids



Skate Fest

Demonstrations will be conducted by professional and semi-pro skateboarders along with open skate with the pros, raffles, vendors, and food. Cowtown Skateboards will present the best trick contest.

May 9, from 7 to 10 p.m.
Goodyear Community Park Skate Park
3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
Free event



Kids to Park Day

Kids to Park Day is an annual day of play organized by the National Park Trust. The intent is to engage kids with parks and promote healthy outdoor living, featuring a variety of activities such as water balloon toss, relay races, kite flying, hula hoop, and jump rope.

May 16, from 8 to 10 a.m.
Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd.

Coffee with a Cop

This is a great opportunity to meet with officers in an informal setting and talk about concerns, share ideas, ask questions, and learn how to keep family and home safe from crime.

Wednesday, May 20, from 8 to 9:30 a.m.
Sugar & Spice, 14970 W. Indian School Rd., #260
Thursday, August 20, from 8 to 9:30 a.m.
Oasis Bagels, 17650 W. Elliot Rd.



Dry Heat Comedy Nights

Laughter is the best medicine to cope with our Arizona heat. Come out in the evening to hear some of the funniest comedians in the Valley perform clean, adult humor. Bring lawn chairs and blankets as well as

food and beverages (no glass containers please), or purchase from the on-site food vendor. Please visit www.goodyearaz.gov/rec for more information.

June 6 and August 1, at 8 p.m.
Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
Free event

Follow Your Art Artist Development Series

This series of artist professional development workshops is coming to an end. One Saturday a month, 9 a.m. to noon, at the Goodyear Branch Library Community Room, 14455 W. Van Buren St., C102. Fee: \$10.

April 25 – Arts Marketing

Identify your target audience and learn specific marketing tools available to artists.

May 16 – Other Arts Opportunities

Artists looking to expand their current repertoire of opportunities will benefit from learning about ways to grow. Learn how to become a teacher in schools and the community, land the perfect gallery to sell work, sell at festivals, and other great ways to sell art.

Register at www.goodyearaz.gov or in person at the Goodyear Recreation Office, 3075 N. Litchfield Rd. For more information, contact Guylene Ozlanski at guylene.ozlanski@goodyearaz.gov or call 623-882-7530.

Ballpark Events

Once spring training ends, Goodyear Ballpark shifts gears to host several exciting events. For more information, visit www.goodyearbp.com.



April 9 – 11	Wolves Classic
April 11	Flavors of the West
April 18 – 19	Police K-9 Trials
April 18	Pitch, Hit & Run
April 23	Goodyear High School Baseball Night
April 24	Peoria High School Baseball Night
April 25	Bubble Run
May 2	AIA Division IV Tournament
May 8 – 9	AIA Division IV Tournament
May 8	Movie in the Ballpark (7:30 p.m.)
May 9	Pitch, Hit & Run
May 15 – 16	AIA Division IV Tournament
May 15	Agua Fria High School Graduation
May 18	Millennium High School Graduation
May 19	Desert Edge High School Graduation
May 20	Verrado High School Graduation
May 21	Estrella Foothills High School Graduation
May 22	Buckeye Union High School Graduation
May 22	Youngker High School Graduation
May 22 – 25	Perfect Game Tournament
May 30 – 31	AZ-BCA All-Star Games
June 4 – 7	AZ Pro Camps/Select Baseball Tournament

Join us April 28

Goodyear is Geared for Growth

Come learn how Goodyear is uniquely positioned for business growth.

Featuring:

Mayor Georgia Lord, City of Goodyear
Nate Nathan - Nathan and Associates, Inc.
Chris Camacho - Greater Phoenix Economic Council

Tuesday, April 28, 11:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m.
Tuscany Falls at PebbleCreek
16222 Clubhouse Drive, Goodyear, AZ 85395

\$25 fee includes lunch.

RSVP by April 15. To register, please visit www.southwestvalleychamber.org e-mail info@southwestvalleychamber.org or call 623-932-2260. To watch the video of this presentation shortly after the event, visit www.southwestvalleychamber.org/goodyear.html

All attendees will be entered in a raffle for a large television, generously donated by CenturyLink.

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Library Events

Goodyear Branch Library: 14455 W. Van Buren St., C101
www.mcladaz.org/goodyear or 602-652-3000

Story Times (through May 15)

Families with young children are invited to join us for songs, stories, and movement activities at the library. The library offers three story times designed with specific age groups in mind. Toddler Story Time (2 - 3 years old) meets Tuesday mornings at 10:15 and 11:15, Preschool Story Time (4 - 5 years old) meets Tuesdays at 1 p.m., and Baby Story Time (birth - 24 months old) meets Thursday mornings at 9 and 10:30.

Paws for Reading (through May 16)

Saturdays at 2 p.m., therapy dogs visit the library to listen to kids reading! Register online at www.mcladaz.org/goodyear for a 15-minute slot to practice reading to our favorite canine companions. This program is intended for children 5 - 8 years of age.

After School Zone (through May 13)

Join us Wednesday afternoons from 4 to 5 p.m. for a fun, educational program designed for children in Kindergarten through fifth grade. Activities are planned around a monthly theme, and could be crafts, science experiments, or even life-sized board games! Check at the front desk for this month's theme.

Stay and Play (through May 15)

Children up to 5 years old are invited to join us for a free play group in the Community Room. Parents can connect with each other, and learn more about how free play helps young children develop essential skills. Children can experiment with a variety of developmentally appropriate toys provided by the Taking Turns Toybrary. At the end of the program, parents will have the opportunity to check out a toy to bring home for their child. No registration required. Programs run every other Friday, starting April 3.

Book Discussion for Adults

Adults are invited to come discuss the book of the month on the fourth Monday of every month at 1 p.m. Books are available at the library customer service desk in the weeks prior to the event. Books for the summer discussions are as follows: April 27, *Winter Garden* by Kristin Hannah; May 18, *Moloka'i* by Alan Brennert; June 22, *Widow of the South* by Robert Hicks. No Book Discussion for Adults in July.

Computer Classes

Confused by your computer? Join us for this class! A different class is offered each Wednesday at 10 a.m. Join us for Computer Basics in English and Spanish, Computer Skills for the Advanced, or Intro to Microsoft Office.

In Stitches in Goodyear

Meet fellow crochet, knitting, and sewing enthusiasts in your area, Thursdays from 1:30 to 3 p.m. Bring your own project and share ideas, tips, and patterns. Novice to advanced needle crafters are all welcome. Some basic instruction in various needlecrafts will be available. Tea and coffee will be provided.

Teen Gaming

Kids ages 12 - 18 are invited to drop in between 3 and 5 p.m. every Saturday to play with us! We'll set up our Xbox 360 Kinect. You can play all afternoon!

All Ages Storytime (June 2 - July 28)

Escape the heat and join us for summer storytime, Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m. or 11:15 a.m. This program of stories and songs is designed for children (and caregivers) of all ages.

Every Hero Has a Story (June 4 - July 30)

Families can join us Thursday mornings at 10:30 all summer long to learn about all kinds of superheroes. Heroes can be found in lots of surprising places, and we will explore who they are and what they do. All ages are welcome; no registration required.

Family Movie Monday (June 1 - July 27)

Bring the entire family every Monday at 3 p.m. all summer long for a movie matinee. Come get comfortable in our cool, dark space, and watch a movie on the big screen!

Stay and Play (June 5 - July 31)

Join us for a free play group every Friday morning. Two sessions of this popular program are available to let kids play, and check out developmentally appropriate toys from the library. Families with children up to 2 years old are invited to come at 10 a.m. Families with children 3 - 5 years old are invited to come at 11:30 a.m.

Programs for Teens and Adults (June 1 - July 31)

Check our calendar at www.mcladaz.org/goodyear to see what the library has planned for teens and adults this summer! There will be something to interest everyone!

Goodyear Recreation Summer 2015

 Like us on Facebook:
www.facebook.com/goodyearparksandrec

City of Goodyear Recreation Division

Recreation Office
3075 N. Litchfield Rd.
623-882-7525

Deanna Ortiz (Youth and Adult Special Interest Classes)
e-mail: deanna.ortiz@goodyearaz.gov
623-882-7531

Chris Gallagher (Youth Sports, Adult Sports, and Aquatics)
e-mail: cgallagher@goodyearaz.gov
623-882-7536

Ryan Mansfield (Volleyball and Baseball)
e-mail: ryan.mansfield@goodyearaz.gov
623-882-7603

Mary Siotkowski (Adult Activities)
e-mail: mary.siotkowski@goodyearaz.gov
623-882-7522

City of Goodyear Recreation Facilities

Goodyear Ballpark and Recreational Complex
1933 S. Ballpark Way (Estrella Parkway, south of Yuma Road)
623-882-3120

Goodyear Community Park
3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
Amenities: basketball courts, tennis courts, volleyball courts, baseball and softball fields, ramadas, skate park, and splash pad
Basketball/volleyball/tennis courts reservations:
\$5 per hour (\$7 non-resident)
Plaza reservations: \$25 per hour (\$35 non-resident)
Ramadas 1 - 7 reservations: \$35 (\$50 non-resident)
4-hour minimum

Goodyear Community Center at Loma Linda Park
420 E. Loma Linda Blvd.

Saturday/Sunday Community Room reservations:
\$50 (\$80 non-resident), 2-hour minimum

Goodyear Swimming Pool
430 E. Loma Linda Blvd., 623-932-4809

Goodyear Branch Library
14455 W. Van Buren St., C101
Community Room, C102

Saturday/Sunday Community Room reservations:
\$50 (\$80 non-resident), 2-hour minimum

Falcon Park
15050 W. Indian School Rd., 623-882-7525
Amenities: basketball and sand volleyball courts, baseball, softball and multi-purpose fields, and one ramada
Falcon Park Ramada reservations: \$50 (\$65 non-resident)
4-hour minimum

Foothills Community Park
12795 S. Estrella Parkway
Amenities: Little League fields and a multi-purpose field

Roscoe Dog Park
15600 W. Roeser Rd. (west of Estrella Parkway, south of MC85)

Youth Special Interest Classes

Deanna Ortiz: 623-882-7531
e-mail: deanna.ortiz@goodyearaz.gov

Drop-In Summer Recreation Program

A supervised drop-in recreation program designed for Goodyear youth who will be enrolling in Kindergarten through 8th grade for the upcoming 2015-2016 school year. Trained and experienced staff will provide a variety of fun and educational programs including: indoor/outdoor activities, clubs, games, mini tournaments, movie days, field trips, guest instructors, and speakers. Each week will have a specific theme to coordinate with the special presentations, games and activities provided. Max: 120 at each site. Registration begins March 30 until filled.

Copper Trails Elementary School
16875 W. Canyon Trails Blvd.
June 8 – July 17 (closed July 3)
Monday – Friday
7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
One-time program fee:
\$250 (\$300 non-resident) or
\$50 per week (\$60 non-resident)

Desert Thunder Elementary School
16750 W. Garfield St.
June 8 – July 10 (closed July 3)
Monday – Friday
7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
One-time program fee:
\$215 (\$255 non-resident) or
\$50 per week (\$60 non-resident)

Wildflower School
325 S. Wildflower Drive
June 8 – July 10 (closed July 3)
Monday – Friday
8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.
One-time program fee: \$190 (\$230 non-resident)

Optional Field Trip Package

\$60 (\$75 non-resident) saves your seat and includes pick up at all summer locations, field trip t-shirt, and six field trips: Sky Zone and lunch, bowling and lunch, Apex Rock Climbing, Wazee's World, movies, and the Goodyear Swimming Pool.

IMPORTANT NOTES: Children may choose to sign themselves in/out at any time during the program hours. Children must bring a sack lunch and mid-morning snack. For more information regarding field trips, please call 623-882-3168.



Youth Special Interest Classes

Art (11 - 18 yrs)

Art Boss
www.artbossllc.com
866-278-3014
e-mail: artboss2013@gmail.com

Pre-registration through the city of Goodyear is required. \$10 (\$20 non-resident) made payable to City of Goodyear, is due at the time of registration. Class fee: \$69 made payable to Art Boss, due at class.

Art Boss 101

Anime and comic-style drawing, providing students the basic concepts to sketch, draw, color, and costume a mainstream character or create one all their own. New participants will begin in Art Boss 101 and can grow within the program to learn new and exciting drawing skills. Students create characters, scenes, and stories. Class supplies provided by Art Boss. Please e-mail for details on classes following Art Boss 101. Min/Max: 6/20.

Wednesdays, 6 to 7:15 p.m.

April 15 – May 13; June 3 – July 1; July 22 – August 19
Goodyear Recreation conference room, 3075 N. Litchfield Rd.



Boxing (5+ yrs) LET'S MOVE!

Boxing teaches children discipline, concentration, self-control, and promotes self-inclusion. Children are taught to not use boxing outside of the classroom and the importance of respecting others. No contract or sign-up fees required.

Monday – Friday, 4:30 p.m. or 6 p.m.
Sonny's Gym, 13765 W. Auto Drive
\$55 (\$60 non-resident)

Cooking (8 - 12 yrs and 13 - 17 yrs)

Indulge Culinary Academy and Catering Services
560 N. Estrella Parkway, B13, Goodyear, AZ 85338
623-932-0286
www.indulgeculinaryacademy.com

Pre-registration through the city of Goodyear is required. \$10 (\$20 non-resident) made payable to City of Goodyear, is due at the time of registration. Class fee will be paid to instructor the first day of class.

Cooking is all about exploration and using techniques to create food memories. Students will work in a hands-on environment led by an experienced chef. In each class, students work side by side with another student to prepare each dish. Learn fundamental and innovative skills to prepare fresh and nourishing meals. Classes are three hours long (unless otherwise noted). Each class is held in a commercial teaching kitchen. Min/Max: 4/8.

Kids Bake

Choose one day: April 18; May 16; June 20; July 18; August 15
8 - 12 yrs: 9 a.m.; 13 - 17 yrs: 2 p.m.
\$35

Kids Cook

Choose one day: April 18; May 16; June 20; July 18; August 15
8 - 12 yrs: 9 a.m.; 13 - 17 yrs: 2 p.m.
\$50

Cross' Lifeline Emergency Training

Cross' Lifeline Emergency Training
www.crosslifeline.com
1-866-508-7234
e-mail: learncpr@crosslifeline.com

Pre-registration through the city of Goodyear is required. \$10 (\$20 non-resident). Class fee: \$40 exact cash, check or money order payable to Cross Lifeline Training, paid at time of class.

Childcare and Babysitting Safety (10 - 16 yrs)

Course includes: hand washing, changing diapers, bottle-feeding, basic first aid, CPR and choking prevention. Students receive a two-year certification upon successful completion of the class. Please bring a sack lunch. Min/Max: 5/15.

Choose one day: April 18; May 23; June 20; July 18; August 15
Goodyear Recreation conference room, 3075 N. Litchfield Rd.

CPR and First Aid (16+ yrs)

This program meets all OSHA and state childcare licensing requirements and is consistent with American Heart and American Safety & Health Institute guidelines. Students will receive a two-year certification card upon successful completion of the class. Min/Max: 6/20.

Choose one day: April 7; May 12; June 9; July 14; August 11
6 to 9 p.m.
Goodyear Recreation conference room, 3075 N. Litchfield Rd.
\$28 exact cash, check, or money order made payable to Cross Lifeline Training, paid at time of class.

CrossFit Fury LET'S MOVE!

540 N. Bullard Ave., Suite 15
www.crossfitfury.com
623-932-4338

Registration through CrossFit Fury.

CrossFit Kids Day Camp

(5 - 12 yrs)
Keep your kids active this summer with CrossFit, arts, crafts and games!

Monday – Thursday
8 to 12 p.m., beginning May 25
\$100

Student Athlete Camp

(11 - 18 yrs)
For children interested in high school or collegiate sports.

Varsity (14 - 18 yrs): 9 to 10:30 a.m.
JV (11 - 13 yrs): 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.
8 weeks, beginning June 1 (no camp June 29 – July 3)
\$150, 4 weeks; \$250, 8 weeks

CrossFit Fury Kids (4 - 13 yrs)

This program is designed to motivate kids, get them active, and teach them that not only is exercise important for health, it's FUN!

Elementary (4 - 8 yrs): Thursdays, 5:30 p.m.; Saturdays, 8:15 a.m.
Advanced (9 - 13 yrs): Mondays and Wednesdays, 5:30 p.m.; Thursdays, 6 p.m.
\$60 per month; \$18 per class
10% discount for Goodyear residents



CrossFit Fury Creative Movement (3 - 4 yrs and 5 - 6 yrs)

Develop creative movement skills, musicality, rhythm, coordination, expression, character, and confidence. The classes foster a nurturing environment that enables each child to learn life skills and form a lifelong love of ballet and the arts. 45 minute classes.

3 - 4 yrs: Tuesdays, 11:15 a.m.
5 - 6 yrs: Thursdays, 4 p.m.
\$60 per month; \$18 per class
10% discount for Goodyear residents

Ballet Intensive

Under the personal instruction of Southwest Ballet Theatre director Melissa Hahne and resident instructor Daniel Baudendistel, students will learn what it takes to excel as a young ballet dancer. With multiple classes, such as ballet technique, variations, pilates, nutrition, and more, experience SWBT's two-week ballet intensive classes.

9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

June 8 – 19

Call CrossFit for prices

CrossFit Student Athlete (14 - 18 yrs)

CrossFit-based strength and conditioning program for high school athletes in their on or off season. No prior experience is needed. This is the best way to prepare your child to excel in high school, club, and collegiate athletics.

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5:45 p.m.; Saturdays, 9 a.m.

\$100 (\$110 non-resident) per month



Dance LET'S MOVE!

Steppin' Out Performing Arts
13331 W. Indian School Rd., Litchfield Park
www.steppinoutperformingarts.com
623-399-9722
e-mail: steppinoutperformingarts@yahoo.com

Pre-registration through the city of Goodyear is required; call 623-882-7525 for registration information. Registration fee: \$10 (\$20 non-resident), is due at registration. Additional class fee: \$35 per 6-week session due at first class.

Ballet/Jazz Combo (3 - 5 yrs) Min/Max: 4/10

Class dress: comfortable clothes and bare feet or ballet shoes.

Fridays, 10 to 10:45 a.m.

June 12 – July 24 (no class July 3)

Ballet/Tap Combo I (3 - 5 yrs) Min/Max: 4/10

Class dress: comfortable clothes and black tap shoes.

Fridays, 9 to 9:45 a.m.; Saturdays, 12:30 to 1:15 p.m.

June 12 – July 25 (no class July 3, 4)

Ballet/Tap Combo II (5 - 7 yrs) Min/Max: 4/10

Class dress: comfortable clothes and black tap shoes.

Saturdays, 1:30 to 2:15 p.m.

June 13 – July 25 (no class July 4)

Cheer/Hip Hop (6 - 12 yrs, boys and girls) Min/Max: 4/10

Class dress: comfortable clothes, tennis shoes. Bring water bottle.

Saturdays, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

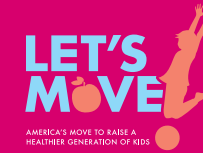
June 13 – July 25 (no class July 4)

We Can Dance Two (2 - 3 yrs, Parent/Tot) Min/Max: 4/10

Class dress: comfortable clothes and bare feet or tennis shoes.

Fridays, 11 to 11:45 a.m.

June 12 – July 24 (no class July 3)



Let's Move! Program

Let's Move! aims to increase opportunities for kids to be physically active, and to create new opportunities for families to move together.

Goodyear Recreation Registration

A household account must be established to register for any program. To create a household account, each family member's name, address, phone numbers, e-mail, birthday, birth certificates for all minors, and a photo ID for each parent or legal guardian are necessary. Only parents or legal guardians are allowed to register minors. Register at goodyearaz.gov/rec or at the Goodyear Recreation Office, 3075 N. Litchfield Rd., 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday – Friday. Note: non-refundable convenience fees apply to all online transactions. Not all classes are available for online registration. Some classes require registration fees and class fees in addition to the price of the class. For more information, please visit www.goodyearaz.gov/rec or call the Goodyear Recreation Office at 623-882-7525.

Goodyear Resident Rate

In order to receive the city of Goodyear resident rate, proof of residency is required at the time of registration. Acceptable proof includes utility bill, vehicle registration, property tax statement, or a rental/mortgage agreement.

Goodyear Recreation Refund Policy

If the participant wishes to cancel a program/reservation, the participant must notify the Goodyear Parks & Recreation Department at least five days prior to the start of the program/reservation date to receive a refund. No refunds will be issued less than five days prior to the start of the program or reservation date. Refund options:

- Parks & Recreation Household Account Refund: If the customer wants the refund posted to his/her account, a credit for the paid amount minus the online convenience fee charge will be issued. Household account refunds must be used by June 30 after issuance.
- Check Refund: A check will be issued from the City Finance Department. A 20% or \$5 administration fee (whichever is greater) will be deducted from the amount that was paid. A check will be mailed within two weeks.
- Credit Card Refund: If the customer paid by credit card and would like to credit his/her credit card, a 20% or \$5 administration fee (whichever is greater) will be deducted from the amount that was originally paid minus the online convenience fee charge. A credit card refund will be issued within three days.

Youth Scholarships

Scholarships are available to Goodyear residents 17 years of age and younger. To apply, Goodyear residency is required as well as: copies of the two most recent paycheck stubs from all working household members (If weekly, attach copies of the four most recent paystubs. Stub must show gross wages and may not be dated more than 30 days from application date.). Must provide federal assistance program documentation (U.S. citizen verification) and a copy of birth certificate. Must provide most recent tax return showing child as a dependent. If no taxes were filed, a letter of non-filing from the IRS must be provided. Please visit our website: www.goodyearaz.gov/rec for the link.

Funds are awarded, if available, per class up to the maximum amount allocated. A \$5 fee per person, per class is required. For more information, call 623-882-7525.

Youth Special Interest Classes

Dance & Cheer

AZ Dynasty Dance & Cheer
13735 W. Auto Drive, Goodyear
www.azdynastycheeranddance.com
480-634-0933
e-mail: azdynastyelite@yahoo.com

Pre-registration through the city of Goodyear is required; call 623-882-7525 for registration information. Registration fee: \$10 (\$20 non-resident), is due at registration.

AZ Dynasty Dance & Cheer builds confidence and self-esteem, and improves skills of youth interested in cheer, tumbling, and dance. USASF certified coaches provide an affordable opportunity for children and their families. At the end of the session, students will get the chance to showcase the skills they have learned.

Additional programs: back handspring and cheer jump clinics, open gym, high school cheer open practice, birthday parties, camps and clinics, shows, parents' night out, and gym sleepovers.

Cheer Clinic

Cheerleading tryout preparation and school cheer technique improvement clinic for junior high and high school ages. Includes tumbling, cheer position drills, stunts, and jumps. T-shirt included.

Tuesdays, 6 to 6:45 p.m.
April 7 – May 26 (8-week session)
\$80

Cheer (4+ yrs)

Basic cheer class covering jumps, leaps, stunts, and tumbling.
Fridays, 4 to 5 p.m.
\$40 monthly

Tumbling (4+ yrs)

Basic floor tumbling and trampoline class covering rolls, bridges, jumps, cartwheels, and handstands.

Fridays, 5 to 6 p.m.
\$40 monthly

Dance – Hip/Hop Mondays (5+ yrs)

Basic dance class covering counts to music, combinations of dances, and technique. Urban style and R&B.

Mondays, 6 to 7 p.m.
\$40 monthly

Zumba (all ages)

Wednesdays, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
\$20 monthly



Dance Performance

Dance Gallerie
12409 W. Indian School Rd., C312, Avondale, AZ 85392
www.dancegallerie.com
623-334-9626

Pre-registration through the city of Goodyear is required; call 623-882-7525 for registration information. Registration fee: \$10 (\$20 non-resident), is due at registration.

Pre-Dance (2-1/2 - 4 yrs)

Tap and ballet basics to songs and music.
Wednesdays, 5:30 to 6 p.m.
May 6 – June 3; June 17 – July 15
\$40 due first day of class

Princess Ballet/Tap Combo (3 - 5 yrs)

Tap and ballet basics to princess music.
Mondays, 5:15 to 6 p.m.
April 27 – June 1; June 15 – July 13
\$50 due first day of class

Ballet/Tap Combo (3 - 5 yrs)

Basics taught to songs and music.
Saturdays, 9 to 9:45 a.m.
May 2 – June 6; June 20 – July 18
\$50 due first day of class

Acro/Tumble (5 - 8 yrs)

Strength, flexibility and movements: forward and backward rolls, cartwheels, backbends, and walkovers.

Tuesdays, 5:45 to 6:30 p.m.
May 5 – June 2; June 16 – July 14
\$50 due first day of class

Lyrical/Ballet (7 - 12 yrs)

Build strength, flexibility, movement, body placement, terms.
Mondays, 6 to 6:45 p.m.
April 27 – June 1; June 15 – July 13
\$50 due first day of class

Leaps/Turns (7 - 12 yrs)

Build progressional movement with correct terminology.
Mondays, 6:45 to 7:30 p.m.
April 27 – June 1 (no class May 25)
\$50 due first week of class

Funky Dude & Diva Hip-Hop (7 - 12 yrs)

Build progressional movements to fun, upbeat music.
Thursdays, 4:15 to 5 p.m.
May 7 – June 4; June 18 – July 16
\$50 due first day of class

Sassy Jazz (7 - 12 yrs)

Learn technique and movements with sassy, upbeat music.
Saturdays, 11:15 a.m. to 12 p.m.
\$50 due first week of class

Gymnastics

Estrella Gymnastics
14200 W. Van Buren St., 101
www.estrella-gymnastics.com
623-932-1053

Registration for all classes through Estrella Gymnastics.

Junior Gymnastics (1 - 6 yrs)

Fun-filled classes with parent participation includes floor exercise, tumbling, balance beams, bars, and trampoline, with special equipment for younger children.

Mini Stars (1 - 2 yrs)

Fun class for the smallest gymnasts, with parent participation.

Tiny Stars (3 yrs)

Small structured classes introducing all of the gymnastics apparatus in a fun environment.

Junior Stars (4 - 5 yrs)

The non-competitive curriculum encourages children to progress at their own rate. Children develop self-confidence and physical fitness in a fun and safe environment.



Youth Gymnastics (6 yrs - teens)

Equipment includes full floor area for floor exercise and tumbling, balance beams, uneven bars, vaulting, trampoline, and tumble tramp. Classes include a progressive incentive curriculum in a non-competitive environment to encourage self-confidence and physical fitness. Children use all of the gymnastics apparatus and are taught by qualified, caring instructors. Beginning through advanced levels are available.

Trampoline and Tumbling (7 yrs - teens)

Instruction includes tumbling on an 84-foot rod, spring tumble floor or tumble tramp, double mini tramp, and full size trampoline. Classes include beginning through advanced.

Cheer Classes (5 - 6 yrs and 7 yrs - teens)

Fun classes taught by experienced cheer coaches.

Gym N Learn (3 - 5 yrs)

Program includes a structured gymnastics class in addition to classroom activities in language, early reading, numbers, early math, and art. Children must be potty trained.

Martial Arts (4 - 6 yrs and 7 yrs - teens)

This class develops each child's self-confidence, discipline, physical fitness, and coordination in a fun and friendly environment.

Music

Phoenix Conservatory of Music
www.pcmrocks.org
602-353-9900

Pre-registration through the city of Goodyear is required.

Registration fee: \$10 (\$20 non-resident) per session, payable to City of Goodyear, is due at registration. Class fee: \$60 per 6-week session, payable to Phoenix Conservatory of Music, due first day.

Guitar Classes

Students learn warm-up techniques, tuning, proper hand positions, finger-strengthening exercises, note-reading, finger-picking, posture, and chords. Students are required to provide their own guitar. Min/Max: 5/12. Classes are held at Goodyear Recreation conference room, 3075 N. Litchfield Rd.

Guitar for Little Hands (4 - 7 yrs)

Fridays, 6 to 6:45 p.m.
April 24 – May 29
June 19 – July 31 (no class July 3)

Beginning Youth Guitar (8 - 14 yrs)

\$8 music book required.
Fridays, 6:45 to 7:30 p.m.
April 24 – May 29
June 19 – July 31 (no class July 3)

Beginning Adult Guitar (15+ yrs)

Fridays, 7:30 to 8:15 p.m.
April 24 – May 29
June 19 – July 31 (no class July 3)

Piano Classes

Students learn hand positions, posture, note reading, and technique. Students are required to provide their own keyboards; full-size weighted keys are preferred. Min/Max: 5/12. Classes are held at Avondale Civic Center, 11465 W. Civic Center Drive.

Piano for Little Hands (4 - 7 yrs)

Mondays, 6:15 to 7 p.m.
May 4 – June 15 (no class May 25); July 6 – August 10

Beginning Youth Piano (8 - 14 yrs)

\$8 music book required.
Mondays, 7 to 7:45 p.m.
May 4 – June 15 (no class May 25); July 6 – August 10



Singing Classes

Students learn voice technique: posture, projection, breath support, pitch, the art of performance, and presentation. Min/Max: 5/12. Classes are held at Avondale Civic Center, 11465 W. Civic Center Drive.

Singing for Little Stars (4 - 7 yrs)

Mondays, 6:15 to 7 p.m.
May 4 – June 15 (no class May 25); July 6 – August 10

Super Singers (8 - 14 yrs)

\$8 music book required.
Mondays, 7:45 to 8:30 p.m.
May 4 – June 15 (no class May 25); July 6 – August 10

My Play Date (1 - 4 yrs)

Join your friends for a morning of fun activities! This program is designed for children ages 1 - 4 and their caregiver. Each week has a new theme to explore through songs, books, games, crafts, and free play. Please bring a toy or two to share for free play time. Min/Max: 6/20.

Fridays, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

March 27 – May 8 (no class April 3)

June 5 – July 17 (no class July 3)

August 7 – September 18 (no class September 4)

Goodyear Community Center, 420 E. Loma Linda Blvd.

Pre-registration through the city of Goodyear is required; call 623-882-7525 for registration information. \$15 (\$25 non-resident)

Tae Kwon Do (4 yrs - adult)

Certified Instructor: Ruben Rice
602-993-7500 or 602-615-3117
e-mail: goodyear.tkd@gmail.com

Register through Tae Kwon Do.

Learn the basics of Tae Kwon Do: kicks and blocks, flexibility, and coordination. Students also develop self-control, courtesy, and perseverance. Ask about the starter course. Please call for class times.

Tiger Cubs: ages 4 - 5 yrs

Juniors: ages 6 - 12 yrs

Teens and Adults: ages 13+ yrs

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays

(2 - 3 classes per week)

Goodyear Community Center, 420 E. Loma Linda Blvd.

Class fee: \$45 per month for Tiger Cubs

\$59 per month for all other levels



Youth Sports

Chris Gallagher
e-mail: chris.gallagher@goodyearaz.gov
623-882-7536

Fall Volleyball – Girls League (7 - 14 years) **LET'S MOVE!**
Ryan Mansfield
e-mail: ryan.mansfield@goodyearaz.gov
623-882-7603

Recreational League (7 - 14 yrs)
Designed for new players to the sport, the recreational league is for girls who want to learn the basic fundamentals and skills of volleyball where participation and fun are top priority. Equal playing time is guaranteed for each player and modified rules are used to promote equal play.

Competitive League (12 - 14 yrs)
Modified high school rules are used and there is no mandatory substitution or playing time rules. Competitive league is geared towards those players who have control of their passing and serving and are ready to learn the bump, set and spike of volleyball. The league is intended for players with experience only. Based on a "play-in" tournament, lower level teams in the competitive league will play recreational teams as well as other competitive teams. Knee pads are required at the expense of participant.

Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
September 19 – November 7
Practices begin the week of August 31
Games and practices are held at various school gyms in Goodyear.
Registration: July 6 – 24 (late fee after July 24)
\$80 (\$90 non-resident) recreational league
\$95 (\$105 non-resident) competitive league
Save \$10 by registering online



Fall Baseball (t-ball, coach pitch, kid pitch) **LET'S MOVE!**
This program is designed for players to develop the basic skills necessary to become successful players. Divisions include t-ball (ages 5 - 6 yrs), coach/machine pitch (ages 7 - 8 yrs), and kid pitch (ages 9 - 12 yrs). Teams will be formulated by early September. Practices begin the week of September 8. Participants must provide their own glove, pants, and cleats.

Saturdays, September 26 – November 14
Practices begin the week of September 7
Registration: July 6 – 31 (late fee applies after July 31)
T-ball and coach/machine pitch: \$70 (\$80 non-resident)
Kid pitch: \$80 (\$90 non-resident)
Save \$10 by registering online



Fall T-ball Skills Clinic (4 - 6 yrs) **LET'S MOVE!**
This is a six week introductory baseball skills clinic for boys and girls. The goal is to teach the fundamentals of baseball in a fun, non-threatening environment, while preparing children to play organized t-ball, baseball, and softball. This clinic will include instruction in throwing, catching, and fielding balls, running the bases and hitting off of a tee. Children should wear tennis shoes or non-metal cleats and bring their own glove and water bottle. Parent participation is required. Note: this is not a league and is limited to 16 participants. Participants age is determined as of first class date. First time participants must show proof of age in the form of a birth certificate.

Saturdays, 8 to 9 a.m.
August 1 – September 5 (six weeks)
Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
or Falcon Park, 15050 W. Indian School Rd.
Registration: July 6 – August 3 (or until filled)
\$60 (\$70 non-resident)

Arizona Diamondbacks Baseball Academy **LET'S MOVE!** (6 - 12 yrs)
dbacks.com/academy

This clinic offers boys and girls the opportunity to receive direct instruction in hitting, fielding, base running, and other baseball fundamentals from Arizona Diamondbacks staff and coaches. All camp participants receive a D-Backs cap, shirt, a free ticket to a home game, as well as the opportunity to purchase additional tickets at a discounted rate.

June 2 – 6, 8 to 11 a.m.
Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
July 6 – 10, 8 to 11 a.m.
Foothills Community Park, 12795 S. Estrella Parkway
Register online at www.dbacks.com/academy
\$175 per participant

Youth Tennis **LET'S MOVE!**

Registration through the city of Goodyear is required.

Join USPTA Professional Kevin Lyons at the Goodyear Community Park tennis courts to learn, practice, and play tennis. Tennis etiquette, scoring, rules, footwork, and more will be taught.

Evening Tennis Classes (7 - 15 yrs)
Students must bring their own racquet, wear tennis shoes and appropriate athletic attire. Hat and sunscreen are recommended. Please visit our website for detailed information on class times and locations.

Monday/Wednesday and Tuesday/Thursday
April – August
Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
Register through the city of Goodyear
\$72

Loma Linda Junior Tennis Club (7 - 15 yrs)
Students must bring their own racquet, wear tennis shoes and appropriate athletic attire. Hat and sunscreen are recommended. Please visit our website for detailed information on class times and locations.

Saturday mornings
April – August
Loma Linda Park, 400 E. Loma Linda Blvd.
Register through the city of Goodyear
\$40

Youth Tennis Camps (7 - 13 yrs)
Tennis etiquette and fundamentals of the game will be taught. Each camp will be limited to eight participants. Students must bring their own racquet, wear tennis shoes and appropriate athletic attire. Hat and sunscreen are recommended.

Monday – Thursday, 8 to 9:30 a.m.
May 25 – July 30
Multiple dates available
Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
Register through the city of Goodyear
\$72



Volunteer Coaches Needed

Help serve the children and make a difference in the community! Volunteers are essential to youth sports and we need you to help make our programs a success. Whether you have a child on the team or not, you are encouraged to apply to become a volunteer coach in our award-winning youth sports programs.

Benefits include but are not limited to:
Registration fee 100% refundable (one child per household) and guaranteed practice times. In addition, our staff will assist you with clinics and/or resource materials to be a successful coach.

Qualifications:
Volunteer coaches must be at least 18 years of age, complete a volunteer application, and pass mandatory background check.

Visit goodyearaz.gov/volunteerapplication to download a volunteer form. Please contact Volunteer Coordinator Judi Switanek at 623-882-7807 about volunteer opportunities.

Adult Special Interest Classes

Deanna Ortiz
e-mail: deanna.ortiz@goodyearaz.gov
623-882-7531

bodyCORE Boot Camps (16+ yrs)

www.bodycoreaz.com
623-521-7758
e-mail: info@bodycoreaz.com
Instructor: Michelle Widowski

Register through bodyCORE.

bodyCORE boot camp is an intense body-transforming fitness program. Each one-hour class will rev up your metabolism and keep your body burning extra calories even hours after your workout. bodyCORE boot camps are designed to get results and bust you out of any plateau. The boot camps are co-ed and for all fitness levels. Each session incorporates a full body workout with various options personalized to each participant.

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 5 to 6 a.m.
March 30 – April 24; April 27 – May 22; May 25 – June 19;
July 6 – July 31; August 3 – 28 (4-week sessions)
Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
\$105 (\$115 non-resident) per 4-week course

Chick Boxing (co-ed, 18+ yrs)

Sonny's Boxing Gym
www.sonnysboxing.com
623-806-2421

Burn up to 1,000 calories in this total body, sweat-your-butt-off, stress-relieving, heart-pumping, confidence-boosting, fat-melting workout. No contract or sign-up fees.

Monday – Friday, 6 a.m., 8 a.m.; Tuesdays and Thursdays, 1:30 p.m.;
Monday – Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; Saturdays, 8 a.m.
Sonny's Gym, 13765 W. Auto Drive
\$55 (\$60 non-resident) per month unlimited, or \$5 per class

Cooking

Indulge Culinary Academy and Catering Services
560 N. Estrella Parkway, B13, Goodyear, AZ 85338
623-932-0286
www.indulgeculinaryacademy.com

Pre-registration through the city of Goodyear is required.
\$10 (\$20 non-resident) made payable to City of Goodyear, is due at the time of registration. Class fee will be paid to instructor the first day of class.



Students work in a hands-on environment led by an experienced chef instructor. Students work side-by-side with another student to prepare each dish, learning fundamental and innovative skills to prepare fresh and nourishing meals. Each 3-hour class is held in a commercial teaching kitchen. Min/Max: 4/8.

\$55 Adult Cooking Class for One
\$135 Couples Cooking Class

CPR and First Aid (see page 12)



CrossFit Fury (16+ yrs)

www.crossfitfury.com
CrossFit, 540 N. Bullard Ave., Suite 15
623-932-4338

Register through CrossFit Fury.

Adult Ballet

Ideal for the adult student who wants to learn classical ballet at a basic level. It provides a professional, comprehensive introduction to the art form; also useful to those returning to ballet after an extended break. Gain discipline, flexibility, strength, endurance, coordination, artistry, and appreciation of music through this class. Private lessons schedule based on instructor availability. Call CrossFit Fury for rates.

Yoga (Raja Toga)

An eight-limbed system of yoga where students learn to cultivate steadiness of mind through breath and movement.

Mondays and Wednesdays, 1 p.m.; Tuesdays, 9 a.m.;
Thursdays, 7 p.m.; Saturdays, 11 a.m.
\$10 per class, or \$50 unlimited monthly membership

Painting (16+ yrs)

Katarzyna Duc
e-mail: kasiasdesign@gmail.com
Library Community Room, 14455 W. Van Buren St., C102



Pre-registration through the city of Goodyear is required.
Registration fee: \$10 (\$20 non-resident), payable to City of Goodyear, is due at registration. Class fee: \$23 per class, payable by cash or check due at class.

Neighborly Painting Party

Make new friends and get the creative juices flowing. Artist Kasia Duc will encourage students

who may never have painted before to pick up a brush and discover their inner artist. All supplies included. Feel free to bring your favorite non-alcoholic drink, cups, and snacks to share with your new friends. Receive a \$3 discount per class for multiple classes.

Painting on Canvas

Artist guides and breaks down the process of painting, allowing participants to follow along, or add personal flair at their own pace. Each participant will keep their own unique acrylic painting on a 16" x 20" canvas panel.

Saturdays, 6 p.m. (2 hours), April 4; May 2; June 6

Glass Painting

Participants will be painting designs on glass at their own pace. Pick and take home two pieces from: wine glasses, mugs, or tile coasters.

Saturdays, 6 p.m. (2 hours), April 18; May 16; June 20

Seniors Painting Party (40+ yrs)

Artist guides and breaks down the process of painting, allowing participants to follow along, or add personal flair at their own pace. Each participant will keep their own unique acrylic painting on a 16" x 20" canvas panel.

Fridays, 2:30 p.m. (2 hours), May 1; June 5

Scrapbooking (18+ yrs)

Tammy Carnes
e-mail: handcrafted_tammy@msn.com
623-980-6704

Learn to Scrapbook Demo

New demonstrations each month will include a variety of techniques including instruction on Cricut, Sizzix, and more.

April 25; May 30; June 27; July 25; August 29
1 to 2 p.m.

Goodyear Recreation conference room, 3075 N. Litchfield Rd.
This event is free; registration through the city of Goodyear.

Scrapbooking Social

Designed for beginning or experienced scrappers. This nine-hour social will kick your scrapbooking abilities into high gear by cropping, embellishing, and paper-crafting your pictures and memories into a creative scrapbook. Materials are not included.

April 25; May 30; June 27; July 25; August 29
2 to 10 p.m.

Goodyear Recreation conference room, 3075 N. Litchfield Rd.
\$10 (\$13 non-resident)

Stroller Strides – FIT4MOM Goodyear

623-777-9180
e-mail: niccoleboyd@fit4mom.com
www.goodyear.fit4mom.com

Register through FIT4MOM Goodyear.

Stroller Strides® is a stroller-based fitness program designed for moms with little ones. Each 60-minute, total body workout incorporates cardio, strength, toning, songs, and activities. Certified fitness instructors offer a variety of fun class formats. All locations offer a free playgroup so moms can form friendships with other moms through playdates, moms' nights out, and activities for the whole family.

Monday – Friday, 9:30 a.m.
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 5:45 p.m.
Goodyear Community Park,
3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
\$52.50 monthly membership (with one-time \$39 fee), or \$100 10-class punch card

Summer classes: Tuesdays,
May 26 – September 18
Palm Valley Community Center
14145 W. Palm Valley Blvd.



Super Fit Fitness & Nutrition (18+ yrs)

The SUPERFIT Fitness & Nutrition mission is to passionately inspire and support others to be in the best shape of their lives through fitness, nutrition, personal development, and the power of community. Using the mantra, "You are only in competition with the person you were yesterday," we encourage people of all ages, shapes, sizes, and fitness levels to come and be the best they can be. Led by Health & Personal Wellness Coaches, Luis Tarin and Alexander Santiago. Our free bootcamps are fun, challenging, and interactive! Teamwork makes the dream work. This is a free ongoing class.

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6 to 7 p.m.; Saturdays, 9 to 10 a.m.
Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd.

Tae Kwon Do (see page 15)

Adult Activities

Mary Siotkowski
e-mail: mary.siotkowski@goodyearaz.gov
623-882-7522

Pre-registration is required; call 623-882-7525 for information.



Lunch & Bunco (40+ yrs)

Join fellow players for lunch and a game of Bunco. Prizes are awarded in five categories.

Wednesdays, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
April 1; May 6; June 3; July 1; August 5
Goodyear Library Community Room,
14455 W. Van Buren St., C102
\$13

Cards & Games (40+ yrs)

Learn a new game or come and play favorites. Light snacks and water will be provided.

Wednesdays, 10 to 11:30 a.m.
April 15; May 20; June 17; July 15; August 19
Goodyear Recreation conference room,
3075 N. Litchfield Rd.
FREE

CrossFit Fury Masters (50+ yrs)

www.crossfitfury.com
CrossFit, 540 N. Bullard Ave., Suite 15
623-932-4338

Register through CrossFit Fury.

Modified CrossFit

This program slows down the basics workouts with a much greater emphasis on balance and regaining any lost abilities or confidence. Maintaining health and independence is the priority in this program. Try a **FREE** class!

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays
7 a.m., 12 p.m., 5 p.m.
\$115 (\$125 non-resident) per month

Adult Trips (40+ yrs)

Mary Siotkowski: 623-882-7522
e-mail: mary.siotkowski@goodyearaz.gov
Pre-registration through city of Goodyear is required; 623-882-7525.

Trip Registration
Registration is required for all trips; at www.goodyearaz.gov/rec or at the Recreation Office (Fire Station 183) at 3075 N. Litchfield Rd. from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday – Friday. Payment is due at the time of registration. Non-refundable convenience fees apply to all online transactions. Not all activities are available for online registration. All trips require a minimum number of registrations. Trips are cancelled if the minimum is not met. For more information, please call 623-882-7525.

Transportation and Activity Level Ratings
Transportation will be provided for all trips by motor coach bus (MC). Transportation may require negotiating two to eight steps getting in and out of a vehicle. Individuals will be required to arrange for their own assistance, if needed, prior to trip departure.

■ **GREEN** - Activity requires minimal physical exertion, leisurely walking on mostly flat surfaces, minimal standing/waiting, stairs.

■ **YELLOW** - Activity requires moderate physical exertion, significant walking, standing, stairs, and uneven surfaces.

April 14 – Vee Quiva Casino ■

It is Senior Day at Vee Quiva and bingo is off 50% off all electronic packages. There is free Dunkin Donuts and coffee until noon. Everyone will receive \$10 on a player's card just for coming. New players will receive an additional \$10. There will also be a few other surprises. Lunch is not included. Min/Max: 30/55.

Tuesday, April 14;
Depart 10 a.m., Return 4:30 p.m.
\$5 (\$9 non-resident); register until filled
No refunds for cancellations; no credit toward future trips.



May 12 – Dolly Steamboat Evening Dinner Cruise ■

A wonderful two-and-a-half hour sightseeing and dinner cruise on Canyon Lake. This cruise is on board a large double-decker paddleboat. The meal will consist of: bbq salmon, champagne chicken, salad, seasonal vegetables, herb-roasted red potatoes, and iced tea, coffee or lemonade. There is a cash bar with liquor and soft drinks available. Vegan or gluten free meals are available upon request. Price includes meal, cruise, tax, gratuity, and MC transportation. Cameras are permitted. Min/Max: 56.

Tuesday, May 12;
Depart 2:30 p.m., Return 9:30 p.m.
\$82 (\$86 non-resident); register until filled
No refunds after April 27



May 28 – High Tea at the Arizona Biltmore ■
Indulge in one of the many treasures for which the Arizona Biltmore is known. The custom of afternoon tea dates back to the early 19th century aristocracy. Anne, the seventh Duchess of Bedford, instructed her servants to bring to her bedroom in strictest privacy, tea, bread and butter. Includes MC transportation only. The cost of High Tea is \$50.52 per person, and must be paid upon arrival. This includes teas, petite sandwiches, desserts, tax, and gratuity. Cash or credit card is accepted. Min/Max: 20/30.

Thursday, May 28; Depart 11 a.m., Return 3:30 p.m.
\$12 (\$16 non-resident); register until filled
No refunds after May 18

June 27 – Prescott Bluegrass Festival ■

Join the fun in the mile high city of Prescott for the 34th annual Prescott Bluegrass Festival. Prescott's central downtown business district is built around an elm-shaded, grassy traditional courthouse plaza where the bluegrass bands will perform. Bring a folding chair or blanket and sit and relax in the cool mountain air. Stroll the streets of Prescott for shopping and lunch. Meal not included.



Price includes MC transportation. Min/Max: 40/56.
Saturday, June 27; Depart 7 a.m., Return 7 p.m.
\$29 (\$33 non-resident); register until filled
No refunds after June 19

July 23 – Amazon Fulfillment Center Tour ■

This is a great tour for those who have ever wondered what happens after the search, click, and buy online. This facility is where they pick, pack, and ship customer orders. The fulfillment center is so big, it could fit 28 football fields. This will be a guided hour plus walking tour. Price includes admission and MC transportation. Min/Max: 30.

Thursday, July 23; Depart 9:15 a.m., Return 12:30 p.m.
\$15 (\$19 non-resident); register until filled
No refunds after July 15

August 25 – Bearizona, Williams, Arizona ■

Experience animal wildlife the way it was meant to be, in a natural environment. Enjoy the wide variety of wildlife, from majestic bison and nimble big horn sheep to stealthy wolves and adorable bear cubs. See the bird show, ride the "Wild Ride Bus" through the park, walk through Fort Bearizona, and visit the educational center and neonatal viewing area. On the way home, the bus will stop in the town of Williams for dinner. Price includes admission and MC transportation. Meals not included. Min/Max: 48/56.

Tuesday, August 25;
Depart 9 a.m., Return 9 p.m.
\$45 (\$49 non-resident); register until filled
No refunds after August 14

Adult Sports

www.goodyearaz.gov/adultsports
Chris Gallagher: 623-882-7536
e-mail: chris.gallagher@goodyearaz.gov

Goodyear Parks and Recreation adult sports programs offer excellent recreational opportunities for Goodyear adults age 18 years and older. Emphasis is placed on healthful competition in a recreational atmosphere. Leagues are organized, conducted, and administered by a professional staff with expertise in league formation and equal competition.

Adult Softball League (18+ yrs)

The Goodyear Recreation Division offers adult softball in either men's or co-rec leagues. The league is governed by official ASA rules and any amendments that are specific to city of Goodyear's league. Games are played at Goodyear Community Park and officiated by professional ASA certified umpires. Each team's coach must register his team at the lottery or at walk-in registration.

Men's Softball League

The men's slow-pitch softball league plays on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights between 6 and 9 p.m. At the conclusion of the season, a single elimination playoff will be held with the brackets being based on that season's standings after the fourth week of play.

Co-Rec Softball League

The co-rec slow-pitch softball league plays on Friday and Sunday nights with games scheduled between 6 and 9 p.m. At the conclusion of the season, a single elimination playoff will be held with the brackets being based on that season's standings after the fourth week of play.

Goodyear resident teams are determined by and must consist of at least 51% or more players being Goodyear residents and/or a Goodyear business sponsored team. Rosters must be completed and signed to qualify as a Goodyear resident team. Non-resident teams will consist of anything 50% and below that are roster players.

Completed rosters are due at the Goodyear Recreation Office by Friday, May 29 at 5 p.m.

League Lottery to determine teams being placed in divisions will take place at the Goodyear Recreation Office on Saturday, June 6, beginning at 9 a.m.

Mandatory managers meeting will take place at the Goodyear Recreation Office on June 18 at 6 p.m. for all teams accepted into the league.

The Goodyear Adult Softball Season will play an abbreviated schedule for the summer season. The season will consist of eight games and a single elimination tournament at the conclusion of the season.

June 21 – July 31
Goodyear Community Park
3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
\$240 (\$280 non-resident teams)



Pickleball (all ages)

Come join one of the hottest and fastest growing adult activities sweeping the nation. Tennis and pickleball courts at Goodyear Community Park can be reserved 24 hours in advance or used on a "drop-in" basis. Stop by to check it out! All ages and abilities are welcome.

Goodyear Community Park, 3151 N. Litchfield Rd.
Make reservations online at www.goodyearaz.gov/rec
No cost to play



Adult Sports Free Agent List

Individuals age 18 years and above, seeking to play for an adult softball league team as a free agent can be placed on the player Free Agent "Hot List" with a simple e-mail. Provide your contact information and tell us which sport(s) you are interested in by filling out the Free Agent Application. Please note that this is a referral service only and does not guarantee individual placement on teams.

Aquatics

www.goodyearaz.gov/rec
623-882-7525
Goodyear Swimming Pool Office: 623-932-4809
(Pool phone answered during Aquatics Seasons
normal operating hours, May 30 – August 2)
Chris Gallagher: chris.gallagher@goodyearaz.gov

Open Swimming

Open Swim: May 23 – September 7.
Normal Hours: Monday – Friday, 1 to 4 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday: 1 to 6 p.m.
\$1.50 per person open swim daily (3 yrs and under are free)
Please see the monthly pool schedule online as open swim times and days may change due to the scheduling of lessons and swim/dive teams or meets.

Swimming Lessons

The city of Goodyear offers swimming lessons for all ages with lessons being taught by Starfish Aquatics Institute certified instructors. It is highly important that ALL children and adults learn how to swim.

Registration and Fees

\$40 (\$50 non-resident)
Save \$10 off the registration fee by registering online.
Please visit www.goodyearaz.gov/rec for skill level information. Pre-assessments are not needed to register.

Registration for each session takes place one week prior to the session beginning, with Goodyear residents registering on Monday and Tuesday, and non-resident registration beginning on Wednesday (of the week prior to session). Registration for each session ends on the Thursday prior to the session beginning. Please note that classes fill quickly, so it is suggested that you register for the upcoming sessions as soon as registration opens. Session times can be viewed online prior to each session as times will vary due to the demand for each class.

Swimming Lesson Sessions

Lessons consist of eight, 30-minute classes usually taking place Monday through Thursday over a two week period. Lesson days may be adjusted for unforeseen circumstances such as weather, pool conditions, or scheduled swim meets. Should dates need to be adjusted, they will be the Friday of the lesson week.

Session 1: May 26 – June 5
Session 2: June 8 – June 19
Session 3: June 22 – July 3
Session 4: July 6 – July 17
Session 5: July 20 – July 31



Junior Lifeguard Program (11 - 13 yrs)

If you are interested in becoming a lifeguard in the future, this class will expose participants to a variety of guarding skills. Experiences may include assisting with swim lessons, lifeguard surveillance, special events, customer service skills, safety rules and regulations, and aquatic facility maintenance. Participants must also commit to 10 scheduled volunteer pool hours after completion of this course, however, volunteering is not required.

For safety reasons, participants must attend all classes to be eligible for volunteer hours. Participants also receive a Junior Guard volunteer shirt.

Note that this is not a program that teaches the participant how to swim. Prerequisite swimming skills are as follows: must be able to swim 100 yards freestyle and 100 yards breaststroke, unassisted. Class is limited to eight students.

Monday – Thursday,
11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
June 8 – 18 (one session)

Class Fee: \$70 (\$90 non-resident)
Registration for residents begins on Monday, June 1. Registration for non-residents begins on June 3. Registration ends on June 4 or when class is full. Save \$10 off the registration fee by registering online.



Swim/Dive Team

The Goodyear Sharks swim and dive teams are a summer recreation activity for boys and girls. Swimmers must be able to swim 25 yards unassisted and be familiar with the four competitive strokes: butterfly, backstroke, breaststroke, and freestyle. Divers must be able to swim and tread water.

Registration and Fees

\$59 (\$79 non-resident)
Save \$10 off the registration fee by registering online.

Registration for both swim and dive team begins April 20. Registration is based on child's age as of June 1, 2015 for Swim Team. Registration is based on child's age as of December 31, 2014 for Dive Team.

Swim Team (4 - 18 yrs)

Practices and meets will be held Monday – Friday (includes occasional Saturdays) May 18 – July 11.

Practice Schedule May 18 – June 5

3:30 to 4:15 p.m. (6 yrs and under)
4:30 to 5:30 p.m. (7 - 8 yrs)
5:30 to 6:30 p.m. (9 - 10 yrs)
6:30 to 7:30 p.m. (11 - 18 yrs)

Practice Schedule June 8 – July 11

7 to 8 a.m. (11 - 18 yrs)
8 to 9 a.m. (9 - 10 yrs)
9 to 10 a.m. (7 - 8 yrs)
10 to 10:45 a.m. (6 yrs and under)

Dive Team (5 - 17 yrs)

Practices and meets will be held Monday – Friday (includes occasional Saturdays) May 18 – July 25.

Practice Schedule May 18 – June 5

3:30 to 5:30 p.m. (11 - 18 yrs)
5:30 to 7:30 p.m. (5 - 10 yrs)

Practice Schedule June 8 – July 25

7 to 8:15 a.m. (9 - 12 yrs)
8:15 to 9:30 a.m. (5 - 8 yrs)
9:30 to 11 a.m. (13 yrs and over)



Pool Rental Information

The Goodyear Swimming Pool is available to reserve for private parties May 30 – September 7. Please call 623-882-7525 for availability. Reservations should be made at least 14 days in advance. The fee includes the private and exclusive use of the pool for parties up to 160 people, in addition to lifeguards. Reservations may change due to weather or other unforeseen circumstances. In these cases, a full refund will be issued. Reservations must be made at the Goodyear Recreation Office, 3075 N. Litchfield Rd.

10 - 100 people: \$125 per hour
(includes lifeguards)
101 - 160 people: \$150 per hour
(includes lifeguards)

YMCA Aquatics

Southwest Valley YMCA
2919 N. Litchfield Rd.
(Litchfield and Thomas roads)
www.valleymca.org/southwestvalley
623-935-5193



Registration through the YMCA
FM (Facility Membership)
PM (Program Membership)

Learn to Swim Classes (3 yrs - adult)

Group swim lessons are a great way to introduce kids and adults to water safety and basic swim strokes. Lessons are offered year round, with new lessons beginning every month. Lessons are offered twice a week for four weeks, with a total of eight sessions. From parent/child classes that cater to children as young as six months old to our most advanced group lessons that help prepare swimmers to move on to a swim team, there is a group designed for everyone.

Monday – Thursday (monthly)
8:30 to 11 a.m.
4:30 to 7 p.m.

Southwest Family YMCA
\$43 FM, \$78 PM
Financial assistance available for those who qualify.

Private & Semi-Private Swim Lessons (3 yrs - adult)

Private and semi-private lessons are available for children and adults of all ages, at any ability. Private and semi-private lessons are catered directly to participants' needs and skill level. Learning is often accelerated through the benefit of both one-on-one and two-on-one instruction.

Private Lessons

Four Lessons: **\$70 FM, \$99 PM**
Eight Lessons: **\$132 FM, \$176 PM**

Semi-Private lessons

Four Lessons: **\$52 FM, \$75 PM**
Eight Lessons: **\$95 FM, \$130 PM**



YMCA Westside Silver Fins (5 yrs - adult)

The Silver Fins are a year-round United States Swimming Team that competes locally, regionally and nationally. The West Side Silver Fins offers a competitive program for athletes of all ages. Team members must be able to complete at least 25 yards freestyle and 25 yards backstroke without stopping, and be familiar with all four competitive strokes.

Practice days and times vary between the different training groups and athletes are encouraged to set up an appointment to meet with the coach and participate in a trial to determine their skill level. Most practices are during evening hours, but vary by training group. For more information, visit www.wsffins.com or contact the Southwest Valley Family YMCA.

Community Days at the YMCA

Hosted by the city of Goodyear and the Southwest Valley Family YMCA, this is a free event from 11 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. during the below dates. This event is open to Goodyear residents/employees and YMCA members ONLY. Must show proof of residency. For more information about Community Days at the Southwest Family YMCA, call 623-935-5193 or stop in at 2919 N. Litchfield Rd., Goodyear, AZ 95395

April 25 – Healthy Kids Day

Activities include: water safety, vendor booths, healthy food activities, open house to facility, rec pool open, sports day camp, and membership registrations.

May 9 and May 23 – Community Days

Specifically for Goodyear residents; Rec pool open

June 6 and June 20 – Community Days

Specifically for Goodyear residents; Rec pool open

July 18 and July 25 – Community Days

Specifically for Goodyear residents; Rec pool open

August 8 and August 22 – Community Days

Specifically for Goodyear residents; Rec pool open

September 5 – Community Days

Specifically for Goodyear residents; Rec pool open

Mighty Mahi Summer Swim Team and Dive Academy

Registration begins in March with early bird pricing:
\$62 FM, \$82 PM April 1 – April 30
\$72 FM, \$92 PM After May 1

Dive Academy
\$40 FM, \$60 PM



Goodyear Lakeside Music Fest at Estrella

**April 11 from Noon to 9 p.m.
Estrella Lakeside Amphitheatre**

10300 S. Estrella Parkway, Goodyear, AZ 85338

Enjoy a variety of live bands and music performances that cross all genres. The free festival includes food vendors, kids activities, art expo, and a beer and wine garden.

For more information, call 623-935-6384 or visit westvalleyarts.org.

Presented by West Valley Arts Council in partnership with the city of Goodyear and Newland Communities

