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**2025 Fall LEISUREGRAM
Activities & Events running
September through December**



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Creating Community Through Parks, People, and Programs!

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The Dyer Parks & Recreation Park Board has a study session at 6:30pm on the 1st Thursday of each month followed by the monthly meeting. Both are held at the Dyer Town Hall.

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Park Rules

- Parks are open from Dawn until Dusk (unless authorized by permit or Parks and Recreation Activity).
- **Pets are allowed in town parks according to posted restrictions. They must be leashed and cleaned up after. Owners are responsible for their pets.**
- Motorized vehicles are prohibited in parks except in designated parking areas.
- Alcohol is **NOT allowed** in parks.
- Golfing is not allowed in parks.
- No littering or dumping of household garbage or yard waste.
- Fishing is not allowed at Pheasant Hills Park pond.
- All town ordinances will be strictly enforced.
- Groups of 10 or more require a permit.

Park rules are enforced by the Dyer Police Dept.

Living Tree & Park Bench Memorials

Help improve the quality of life and the environment by having a tree planted in one of your Dyer Parks to remember or honor a person or organization. A minimum donation of \$700 will purchase a tree & a plaque. You may designate the park but Dyer Parks & Recreation will determine the exact location. Trees are planted each fall, weather permitting. Park Bench Memorials are also available. For a donation of \$1000 We will install a park bench with a plaque on the seat back of the bench in a park of your choice. Exact locations will be determined by staff but suggestions are welcome. For more information and prices on either program contact Dyer Parks & Recreation at (219)865-2505.

Thor Guard Lightning Prediction & Warning System

Once Lightning is predicted, the main satellite will send a signal to the remote satellite and you will hear a 15 second horn blast. This signals that lightning is coming to the area. At that time, everyone should seek shelter and all outdoor activities should stop. A strobe light will begin to flash & remain flashing until safe conditions return. Once lightning is cleared from the area, you will hear three 5 second horn blasts signaling all is safe and outdoor activities can resume.

The Thor Guard System will be active between the hours of 10 am - 8 pm, Monday - Friday & 9 am - 8 pm on Saturdays & Sundays, roughly March - October. For more information about the system visit www.thorguard.com. To see the 13 satellite locations visit www.parks.townofdyer.com

Photo Policy

On occasion, Town of Dyer staff or designee may take photos or video of participants in programs & events of people in our parks. Please be aware that these may be used in future publications, on the Town website, our Facebook site, press releases or for local public access. We also welcome the local press to cover our programs and special events and grant them permission for the same.



General Information

Refund Policy

All refund requests must be made in writing prior to the rental reservation date and submitted during regular business hours. Any refunds will be considered at the next monthly Park Board meeting, and upon approval, will be mailed to the customer in the form of a check. Refunds take approximately 3 -6 weeks to process.

Facility Rentals:

- Facility rentals that are cancelled **14 days or more** in advance of the rental date will receive a full refund minus a \$10.00 administrative fee.
- Facility rentals that are cancelled between **three-thirteen days in advance of the rental date** will receive a full refund of the clean-up and damage deposit and 50% refund of the rental fees.
- Facility rentals that are cancelled **48 hours or less in advance of the rental date** will receive a full refund of the clean-up and damage deposit but will not receive any refund of the rental fees.
- Once the date of reservation has passed, no refunds will be given for facility rentals.
- Any facility cancellations made by the Town of Dyer Parks and Recreation department will cause a 100% full refund to the renter with no administrative fee.
- Refund requests for non-use of facility due to documented medical emergency or death will be considered on an individual basis taking into consideration the expenses incurred by the Park Department.

Recreation Programs and Trips:

- No refunds will be given for **trips** unless the seat can be resold. If it can be resold, a refund will be made subject to a service charge of \$5.00.
- **Class cancellations** made by the Parks and Recreation Department will result 100% refund that will be mailed to the customer. If the customer is a minor, the refund will go to the Parent/Guardian who signs the registration form. If you wish to apply this refund to another class, you must notify the Parks and Recreation Department immediately.
- Refund requests **received 5 or more business days before** the first class meeting will be approved, less a service charge of \$5.00.
- If a refund request is received **less than 5 business days** prior to the start of a class and it causes enrollment to fall below the minimum and the vacancy cannot be filled; no refund will be given. If enrollment does not fall below the minimum, a refund will be given less a service charge of \$5.00.
- **Refund requests received after the start of a class shall be denied** except that such a refund request based upon a medical doctor's written excuse submitted prior to completion of the class will result in a pro-rated refund (except as hereinafter provided) based upon the number of classes held prior to the date of the refund request, less a \$5.00 service charge and program supply costs. If such a refund request causes a class to fall below the minimum number required, and the vacancy cannot be filled, no refund will be given.
- All recreation program refunds applied for are subject to a **\$5.00 service charge**, except that fee of \$10.00 or less shall be subject to a service charge equal to 10% of the fee. *This policy was adopted 2/9/2011 by the Park Board.*

Resident Financial Aid Program

Because some residents are unable to participate in our programs due to economic hardship, the Dyer Parks & Recreation Department is offering financial aid to offset certain fees and charges. Financial aid applications can be obtained at the Dyer Parks and Recreation office Monday - Friday from 7:30 am - 4:00 pm or online at parks.townofdier.com. Applications must be submitted at least two weeks prior to the start of the program for which applying for. Proof of residency and income is required. For more information, please call (219)865-2505

Any individuals, foundations, businesses, service organizations, or clubs are welcome to contribute to the Dyer parks and Recreations Resident Financial Aid Program to assist in providing participants the opportunity of recreation. For mail in information, please see registration page or contact Andrea Daliege at (219)865-2505 or adaliege@townofdier.com

Dyer - Munster Recreation Partnership

In a continued effort to bring more recreation opportunities to the residents of the Town of Dyer, Dyer Parks & Recreation has entered into a partnership with Munster Parks & Recreation.

Town of Dyer residents can register for recreation programs with Munster Parks & Recreation at the Munster resident rate. Registration for the Munster program must be done through the Town of Munster. This partnership does not include pool fees (season passes, admission or rental fees), facility rentals (shelters, gazebo, dog park, Plum Creek Center, social center), or Munster 'Keen-ager' programs. For more information contact Munster Parks & Recreation at (219)836-PARK

Registration Policies

1. Proof of residency will be checked upon payment. Residents of Munster will pay the resident rate per the partnership (except for rentals, dog park memberships and some special events).
2. Unless other wise stated, participants must be the age required in the program description by the first day of the class.
3. All participants **MUST** sign a waiver and release form to participate (parent or legal guardian **MUST** sign for participants under 18 years of age) in any program or event that requires registration.
4. Programs will not be held if registration is insufficient.
5. Phone registration will be accepted if paying with a debit/ credit card.
6. If special accommodations are needed to make our programs accessible, please contact the Dyer Parks & Recreation office at (219)865-2505.
7. Cash, checks, money order and debit/credit cards are accepted for payment-except where noted. Returned NSF checks will result in a service fee.
8. Registration deadlines are at 4:00 pm on the day listed. After hours registration will not be accepted after 4:00 pm on the registration deadline day. Not all services are available through after-hours registration.

Regulations of the US Department of Interior strictly prohibit unlawful discrimination in departmental Federally Assisted Programs on the basis of race, color national origin, age or handicap. Any person who believes he or she has been discriminated against in any program, activity or facility owned by a recipient of Federal assistance should write to:
Director, Equal Opportunity Program;
National Park Service; PO Box 37127
Washington D.C. 20013-7127

Family Music Time (ages: 10mo.- 5 yrs. old with parent or caregiver)

Toddlers and Preschoolers will love singing, dancing, playing simple percussion instruments and connecting with the world around them through music! This class is designed to be taken with a parent or guardian. Class activities include simple songs and rhymes, instrument playing, lap bounces, finger plays, movement exploration, scarves, parachute and bubbles! This class promotes parent child bonding, socialization with other children, language development, listening and following directions and most importantly, FUN! This class is taught by Caitlin Gomez, a certified music teacher and mom. **Min./Max. 4/14**

Fridays at Plum Creek Center 10:00am-10:45am



Code: 1000 Oct.10th - Nov. 14th (6weeks) **\$100** (\$80 for 2nd child)



Code: 1001 Dec.5th - Dec.19th (3 week Mini Holiday) **\$50**

Adult/caregiver & Me Spanish (birth-2 yrs. old)

Participants will learn Spanish in a fun & interactive way. With a native Spanish speaking instructor, children will learn basic vocabulary, important phrases and enjoy the fun of learning a new language through music and hands-on activities.

Adult/caregiver participation is necessary.

Day: **Saturdays** (6 weeks)

Code: _____ Dates: _____

1003 Sept. 6 - Oct. 18 (off 10/4)

1004 Nov. 1 - Dec. 13 (off 11/29)

Time: 9am-9:40am

Fee: \$70 per session

Location: Town Hall

Min./Max. 6-10



Day: **Wednesdays** (6 weeks)

Code: _____ Dates: _____

1014 Sept. 10 - Oct. 22 (off 10/1)

1015 Oct. 29 - Dec. 10 (off 11/26)

Time: 9:10am-9:50am

Fee: \$70 per session

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Vamos! A jugar! Let's Play (3 & 5 yr. olds)

Students will learn Spanish in a fun and interactive way. With a native Spanish speaker, children will learn basic vocabulary, important phrases and enjoy the fun of learning a new language through games, art and activities.

Day: **Saturdays** (6 weeks)

Code: Dates:

1006 Sept.6 - Oct. 18 (off 10/4)

1007 Nov.1 - Dec. 13 (off 11/29)

Time: 9:45am -10:30am

Fee: \$70 per session

Location: Town Hall



Day: **Wednesdays** (6weeks)

Code: Dates:

1019 Sept.10 - Oct. 22 (off 10/1)

1020 Oct. 29 - Dec. 10 (off 11/26)

Time: 10am -10:45am

Fee: \$70 per session

Location: Town Hall

Let's Learn Spanish! (Ages 5-12 years old)

Participants will learn Spanish in a fun and engaging way with a native Spanish speaker! They'll explore basic vocabulary and essential phrases through games, music, and hands-on activities. Each class immerses students in the language and helps them build confidence in speaking and understanding Spanish. Day: **Wednesdays** (6 weeks)

Location: Town Hall



Ages 5-8 years old

Code: Dates:

1009 Sept. 10 - Oct. 22 (off 10/1)

1010 Oct. 29 - Dec. 10 (off 11/26)

Time: 5pm-6pm

Fee: \$70

Ages 9-12 years old

Code: Dates:

1102 Sept. 10 - Oct. 22 (off 10/1)

1105 Oct. 29 - Dec. 10 (off 11/26)

Time: 6pm-7pm

Fee: \$70

Homeschool Spanish Class ¡Aprendamos español!

Children will explore topics like colors, numbers, animals, food, greetings, and everyday routines. All while speaking, singing and playing in Spanish! This class is perfect for homeschool families looking to add a dynamic language experience to their weekly routine. Taught by a native Spanish speaker.

Fee: \$70.00 per person, per session. Location: Town Hall

Ages: 5-8 years old

Wednesdays 1pm-2pm

Code: 1012 Sept. 10 - Oct. 22 (off 10/1)

Code: 1013 Oct. 29 - Dec. 10 (off 11/26)

Ages: 9 -12 years old

Wednesdays 2pm-3pm

Code: 1100 Sept.10 - Oct. 22 (off 10/1)

Code: 1101 Oct. 29 - Dec. 10 (off 11/26)



Little Dragons Karate Ages 4 - 6 years

Young children will develop flexibility, strength, respect and coordination in fun, yet disciplined activities. This program is specifically designed for growing minds and bodies to enhance memory and agility. Watch your child's confidence blossom and their skills improve through martial arts training. Uniforms and belt certification will be available for an additional fee.

Code: Day: Dates:
1017 Tuesdays Sept.30-Nov. 18 (off 10/21)
1018 Tuesdays Dec. 2-Jan. 27 (off 12/23 & 12/30)
Time: 5 :00 - 5:45 pm
Fee: \$55.00 per person / 7 week session
Location: Plum Creek Center Min/Max: 5/25

Beginner Tennis Lessons -Ages 7-15

Participants will be introduced to their instructor, warm-up, go over basic safety rules, ball-handling skills, bounces, forehands, swings, volleys and hitting targets. You'll learn the lines on the court and ending games such as Pac Man, for the younger group, focusing on foot work and Jail Break for the older group, focusing on ball placement and proper form will be played. **Day: Saturdays**

Code: Dates: Time:
1120 Sept. 6-Sept. 27 9-10am (ages: 7-10)
1121 Sept. 6-Sept. 27 10-11am (ages: 11 -15)
1122 Oct. 4-Nov. 1(off 10/25) 9 - 10am (ages: 7-10)
1123 Oct. 4-Nov. 1 (off 10/25) 10-11am (ages: 11 -15)
Min/Max: 4/15

Fee: \$50 per session.
All classes will be held at Northgate Park Tennis courts.



Bricks 4 Kidz S.T.E.M. Ages 6 - 12 years

Our one-hour classes explore architecture, engineering and technology concepts using LEGO® Bricks. Students work hands-on to design and build machines, inventions, structures and other constructions. While exploring new concepts related to architecture, engineering, manufacturing, the environment, etc., students develop problem solving and critical thinking skills. Fun while learning! We learn, we build, we play with LEGO® Bricks. MIN/Max 4/18

Codes: Dates: Time:
1106 Oct. 2 - Oct. 23 5:15-6:15pm
1107 Oct. 30 - Nov. 20 5:15-6:15pm
Days: Thursdays **Fees:** \$56.00
Location: Town Hall room A



Kids in the Kitchen 6-12 yrs.

Participants will learn about kitchen safety, rules, etiquette, table-setting and recipes while having fun cooking with other participants during this hands-on class. Each week there will be two to three different kid friendly, themed recipes to prepare and enjoy. Water or lemonade will be served with each meal. Class is taught by our Professional Chef, Jason Delgado. All supplies will be provided and a copy of each recipe will be taken home so participants can easily make the meals again.

Code: Day: Date:
1109 Wed. Sept. 24-Oct. 15
1110 Wed. Oct. 29 - Nov. 19
1111 Wed. Jan. 14 - Feb. 4
Time: 5:00 - 6:00 pm Fee: \$55.00 per person
Location: Town Hall Min./Max. 6/10



Goat Yoga (7 & older)

Join others as they set up their mats and experience yoga in a fun and exiting way. Goat yoga is a playful and unconventional form of yoga that combines traditional yoga poses with the presence of goats. The goats are free to roam around and interact with the participants during class.

Please bring a mat, blanket or towel.

Code: 1118 **Day/Date:** Saturday, Oct. 4th **Time:** 9:30-10:30am
Fee: \$40 **Location:** Elmer Miller Park (behind Town Hall)



Wado-Ki Karate Ages - 7 to adult

Students of Wado-Ki Karate have the opportunity to improve concentration, self-esteem, achieve lifelong physical fitness and learn self-defense skills.

Classes are taught under the direction of Sensei Ben Hillis three-time grand champion and fifth degree black belt. Uniforms and belt certification will be available for an additional fee.

Code: Day: Dates:

[1125](#) Tues. Sept. 30 - Nov. 18 (off 10/21)

[1126](#) Tues. Dec. 2 - Jan. 27 (off 12/23 & 12/30)

Time: 5:45 - 6:30 pm

Fee: \$55.00 per person / 7 week session

Location: Plum Creek Center

Min/Max: 5/25



Magic Mania Holiday Edition

Ages: 7-12

Alakazam! This magic class is themed around Thanksgiving and will include Holiday tricks and laughter. Register now and show off the tricks you learned during your Holiday gathering. Magic is an interactive art with many benefits. Without realizing it, participants are learning communication skills & critical thinking, all while building self-confidence and meeting others.

Code: Day: Date: Time:

[1116](#) Thurs. Nov. 13th 5:15-6:45pm

Fee: \$28 Location: Plum Creek Center



Elementary Drawing Ages 6 - 12 years

Our elementary-aged curriculum is designed to teach basic to advanced drawing skills, art techniques and vocabulary. We believe that drawing is the bedrock skill required for future artistic success. We give your student the skills to express their creativity and believe that all children can – and should – learn to draw. We provide all supplies and teach NEW lessons each week and for each session. Our positive and nurturing environment will bring out the best in each child. Over time, with repeat attendance, students will thrive with increased art abilities, learning skills, self-confidence and self-esteem. COME DRAW WITH US!

Days: Wednesdays

Code: Date: Time:

[1103](#) Oct. 1 - Oct 22 5:15-6:15pm

[1104](#) Oct. 29 -Nov. 19 5:15-6:15pm

Fee: \$50.00 per participant Location: Town Hall Room A Min/Max: 4/10



Fall Science Fun ages 6-10

Participants will enjoy themed experiments such as ghostly dry ice bubbles, foaming pumpkin All supplies will be provided. Register with a friend for added fun. We'll do all the cleanup!

Day/Date: Tues. Nov. 4th

Time: 5:45pm-6:45pm

Location: Town Hall

Fee: \$15 per child

Min./Max: 5/12

Code: [1114](#)



Sourdough Bread Making

Participants will learn the fundamentals of what sourdough is. The history, what the terms of baking mean and why its important to do them. You'll also be walked through how to feed your starter, stretch and folds, and shaping your dough as well as scoring your dough before baking. Each participant will need to **bring their own medium size mixing bowl.**

Everything else will be provided to you.

Each participant will go home with their own jar of starter, a personal reference book, and a loaf to take home and bake. 18+

Code: Date: Time:

[1201](#) Sept. 3 5:30-7:00pm

Fee: \$55

Min/Max 5/12

Location: Plum Creek Center

Ages: 18+



Beginner Yoga (18 & older)

Kayla has been teaching for 8 years and is certified in yoga, chair yoga, aerial yoga, yoga nidra (guided meditation) and trauma classes. Beginner Yoga is a class focused on the foundation of yoga poses, pranayama (breath work), and mindfulness / meditation. This class is geared specifically for those that would like to try yoga, those who are interested in a gentle practice, and those wanting to deepen their practice.

You'll challenge yourself as you work at your own level in a safe and supportive environment. Modifications will be offered as you practice each pose. This class incorporates simple flowing sequences to warm up the body, as well as slower paced movements focusing on alignment, strength, balance, and flexibility. Yoga is for every "body", come as you are. Be sure to bring a mat or towel & water.

Min/Max: 6/20.

Day: Mondays 7:30-8:30pm (6 weeks)

Code: Date:

[1206](#) Oct.6-27

[1207](#) Nov. 3-24

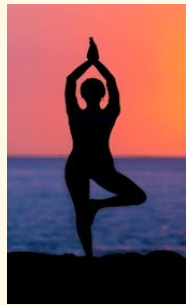
[1208](#) Dec. 1-22

[1209](#) Jan. 5-26

[1210](#) Feb. 2-23

Fee: \$42 per session

Location: Plum Creek Center



Sourdough Pumpkin Bread Class

Join us as we enjoy making a pumpkin shaped sourdough bread loaf. In addition, you can also learn about the different inclusions you can make with sourdough bread. Each participant will be sent home with their own sourdough starter, instructions on how to maintain it and a pumpkin shaped loaf to bake at home. **Please bring a large bowl to class.**

Code: Date: Time:

[1202](#) Oct. 15 5:30-7:00pm

Fee: \$45

Location: Plum Creek Center

Min/Max 5/12

Ages: 18+



Dyer Fire Department Open House

Station 19 - 930 213th St. Dyer, Saturday, October 18th
12:00-4:00pm Dyer Fire Department Prevention
Week Open House. We will have fire truck rides,
fire demonstrations, food, drinks and much
more FREE fun for the whole family.



Sourdough Cinnamon Star Bread Class

This is the seasonal treat that is sure to impress your guests. This pull apart bread is a major eye catcher and absolutely delicious! **This is the perfect class for those who have been making sourdough and is wanting to learn a more complex dessert.** Each guest will have the option to take sourdough starter home with them, learn how to maintain that and be sent home with their own starter bread to bake.

Code: Date: Time:

[1203](#) Nov.12 5:30-7:00pm

Fee: \$55

Location: Plum Creek Center-Dyer Min/Max 5/12



Run, Run Rudolph (Ages 7-10)

Participants will need to dress in warm clothing and wear sneakers. Each participant will receive reindeer antlers to wear for the run. We'll take a short run around the path at Central Park then warm up inside with hot chocolate and a snack. Participants will enjoy reindeer themed projects too.

Code: Day: Date: Time:

[1117](#) Thursday Dec. 4 5:30-6:30pm

Fee: \$15

Location: Meet upstairs at the Central Park Concession Stand



Candle Making Workshop (16 +)

Candle pouring requires wicking the vessel, measuring out the fragrance oil, measuring out the wax, properly mixing, pouring the candle, trimming the wick and labeling. Your personalized candle will be ready for you to take home after the class. Shop at the pop-up shop while you wait for the wax to cool. Light refreshments will be served. **Code:** [1205](#)

Day/Date: Thurs. 9/18

Fee: \$40 per candle **Time:** 5-7pm

Location: Plum Creek

Scents options are: Maple Chai, Macintosh Apple or favorite flannel

Min:/Max: 12/20



Intro to Creative Writing (18+)

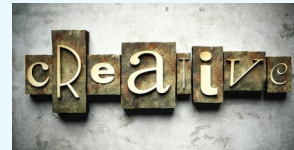
Join other writing enthusiast & upcoming Author (comedic memoir) Adrienne C. Elkins as she teaches you the basics of Creative Writing: Where to begin, how to organize your thoughts/material, any challenges, and most importantly, how to make it fun. Please bring any thoughts, questions, but most importantly your creative mind you we can spin your imaginative wheels together!

Code: [1221](#) **Fee:** \$45 **Min:/Max:** 6 / 10

Day/Date: Thurs. Oct. 16th

Time: 7pm-8:30pm

Location: Plum Creek Center Dyer
Please bring a pen and paper to class.



Living Better with Laughter (ages 18+)

Experience the many psychological and physiological benefits of mirth and laughter as you enjoy a broad range of humorous material. Find out why laughter really is the best medicine. Learn how to laugh for no reason - Jest for the fun of it. **Code:** [1204](#)

Date: Thurs. Nov.6th **Time:** 7- 8pm **Fee:** \$10 **Location:** Plum Creek Center.



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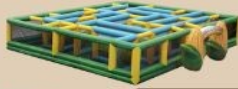
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FALL FAMILY FEST

PHEASANT HILLS PARK
SATURDAY 9/20 12-5PM

KID ZONE \$25 WRISTBAND

THEMED BOUNCE HOUSES
INFLATABLE OBSTACLE COURSE
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3-5PM
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CONTEST (JUDGING)
(PRE REGISTRATION
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Fall Pumpkin Decorating Contest at Fall Family Fest (all ages)

Get your pumpkin decorating on! Bring your pre-decorated pumpkin to Pheasant Hills Park for judging on Saturday, September 20th at Noon. Drop off at the Welcome tent so we can display it for all to judge. Those attending the fair will have the opportunity to judge the pumpkins throughout the day. **PRE-Registration is necessary by calling Dyer Parks & Recreation (219) 865-2505**

Code: [1113](#) Fee: \$3 per entry

Drop off Day/Date: Saturday, Sept. 20th

Drop off time: Noon

Drop off location: Pheasant Hills Park Welcome tent



Senior Wii Bowling This program is perfect for those that want to have a good time, meet new people and get out of the house for a bit. We are non-competitive and each bowler will bowl two games per week. Laughs, friendships and fun are what life is all about! **Code:**[1220](#) **Fee:** \$20

Time: 10-11am **Day/Dates:** Thursdays Oct. 2-Dec.18 (off 11/27)



Winter Wonderland Day Camp

Ages: 5-9 year olds

Prepare for some indoor/outdoor time. We'll have a ton of fun as we entertain participants with games, relays, science experiments, outdoor play, and more. Please bring a sack lunch, drink, warm outdoor clothing and a smile. Let's build a snowman!

Code: Day/Date: Time:

1199 Fri. Jan. 2 9am-1pm

Location: Plum Creek Center

Fee: \$45 per participant
(4 hours of fun)



Candy cane Hunt

(Ages 2-7)



Let's decorate sugar cookies, make a craft, and hunt for all the candy canes you can carry. We will visit with Santa & he will have a gift for each child.

Code: 1408

Sunday: December 7th

Time: 2-3pm

Fee: \$20

Location: Plum Creek Center

Min/Max 15/35



24th Annual Holiday Shopping Spree


Saturday, November 22nd. Kahler Middle School

600 Joliet Street, Dyer Time: 10:00 am ~ 3:00 pm

Crafters and home-based businesses will be on hand displaying their products and services. Get there early to make sure you don't miss out on the amazing one of a kind homemade crafts, foods and other items.

This year, Chick-fil-A will be selling food during this event.

If you are a vendor or interested in selling at the Shopping Spree, please call (219) 865-2505 and please mention what you are selling. Duplicate direct sales are limited to one vendor. *Tables are an additional fee (\$6.00) and are limited.*

Code:1405 (electric) Fee: \$81.32(with tax) **Town  Planner®**

Code:1406 (no electric) Fee: \$69.55(with tax)



Letters from Santa

Imagine the look on your child's face when the mail arrives and they see a personalized letter from Santa! Parents, this is a great way to find out what your children want for Christmas. The letter will include their sibling's names, friend's names & favorite snack too! You can pick up a hint sheet at the Dyer Parks & Recreation Dept. in Dyer Town Hall or find it online at parksregistration.townofdier.com.

Please return 12/5 as they will be mailed out 12/15



25th Annual Halloween Parade Sunday, Oct. 19

Pheasant Hills Park

Please pre-register by calling (219) 865-2505

Please arrive by 1:30pm on the day of the event

The first 200 registered children will receive a goody bag

Come out and show us your best costumes!



Mini Lights

Join us for our 15th Annual Flashlight Halloween Hunt for 2-5 year olds. All participants need to bring their own flashlight and bag. We will also create a Halloween craft! We then will go on our hunt. The hunt may be held outdoors if the weather permits.

Code: 1409 Day/Date: Wed. 10/29 Time: 5:30-6:15pm

Age: 2-5

Fee: \$15

Location: Plum Creek Center Dyer



Frights & Lights ages 7-11

Join us as we celebrate our 22nd Annual Flashlight Halloween Hunt. All participants need to bring their own flashlight and bag. Pizza will be served prior to heading outdoors. The kids will head out to Elmer Miller Park for lots of candy prizes. Following the hunt there will be a spooktacular raffle.

Everyone will receive 2 take home prizes!

Code: 1404 Day/Date: Thurs. Oct. 23 Time: 6:30pm-7:30pm Fee: \$20
Location: Plum Creek Center Dyer



Fitness 4 Ever

Low-impact Senior Fitness Class

This is the perfect fitness class for seniors 65+. Feel stronger, and stay independent! This class will focus on improving balance, flexibility, strength, and overall wellness through gentle, functional movements. Let's make movement a part of your everyday routine.

<u>Code:</u>	<u>Day:</u>	<u>Date:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1212	Tues.	Sept. 23 - Oct. 14	10:30-11am
1213	Tues.	Oct. 21 - Nov. 11	10:30-11am
1214	Tues.	Nov. 18 - Dec. 9	10:30-11am
1215	Fri.	Oct. 3 - Oct. 24	12:30-1pm
1216	Fri.	Oct. 31 - Nov. 21	12:30-1pm
1217	Fri.	Nov. 28 - Dec. 19	12:30-1pm

Fee: \$40 per session

Location 275 Joliet St. Suite 140B Dyer, IN



Town of Dyer Christmas Tree Lighting

Friday, December 5th

5:30 pm - 6 pm

Fire Station #2

213th Street



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Early Childhood Programs

- Ages 2-5
- Play based learning
- Social emotional skills
- Developmentally appropriate
- School readiness skills

Plum Creek Center at Elmer Miller Park - 222 Schulte Street Dyer, IN

Amenities

Plum Creek Center is fully accessible and offers the following:

- Tables & chairs for up to 100 guests
- Kitchen - 4 burner stove /oven, refrigerator & microwave
- Large carpeted gathering room
- Exterior deck overlooking Plum Creek
- Heating/Air Conditioning
- Smoke free facility
- Scenic view of Plum Creek & Historic Elmer Miller Park
- Bring you own catering or pot-luck style food
- Available projector screen

Room Dimensions and Table Sizes

Gathering Room.....	Measures 40' x 53'
Kitchen.....	Measures 9' x 11'
Round Tables.....	13 (60" diameter) each fit 8 chairs
Rectangular Tables..	6 x (8' x 30") & 2 x (6' x 30") (serving tables, gift tables, etc.)
Chairs.....	100 cushioned chairs
Hall Capacity.....	100 people
Deck.....	30' x 60' w/5 permanent round tables & attached seats

Rental Rates

<u>Friday - Sunday/Holiday</u>	<u>Resident</u>	<u>Non-resident</u>
+ IN sales tax	\$350/4 hours*	\$450/4 hours*
<u>Add an Hour</u>	<u>Resident</u>	<u>Non-resident</u>
+ IN sales tax	\$88.00*	\$113.00*
<u>Monday - Thursday (hourly)</u>	<u>Resident</u>	<u>Non-resident</u>
+ IN sales tax	\$60.00/hour*	\$80.00 hour*
<u>Friday - Sunday/Holiday - 2 hour rental</u>	<u>Resident</u>	<u>Non-resident+</u>
IN sales tax	\$200/2hours*	\$250/2hours*

Dyer Non-Profit (Monday - Thursday ONLY) \$50.00*

*A \$100 clean-up and damage deposit is also required on all rentals. This refundable fee is to ensure the facility is clean & no damage is caused.

2 FREE HOURS:

When you book the Plum Creek Center for 4 hours you actually get 6!

We'll add on 1 free hour for set-up and 1 free hour for clean up.

So you get 6 hours for the price of 4!

The one hour of clean-up may occur after these closing times.

Call to schedule a facility tour (219)865-2505, dates fill up fast so call now!
Reservations are accepted up to one year in advance. Please call for availability.

Plum Creek is available to rent on Fridays & Saturdays, until 10:00 pm and Sunday, until 9:00 pm when not being used for town functions.

THANK YOU TO OUR 2025 SUMMER FEST SPONSORS

Dyer Town Hall

The office will be closed: Sept. 1, Nov. 27 & 28 Dec. 24 & 25, & Jan 1. The office is also closed periodically for staff trainings, meetings, programs, Plum Creek Center Tours & periods of unexpected occurrences.

We are now accepting Cash, Checks & Credit Cards! When paying with a credit/debit card, a convenience fee of 3% will be added to all credit card transactions of \$33.00 and over. Any credit card transaction of \$32.99 and under will have a flat convenience fee of \$1.00 added to their transaction.

Registration options:

- 1) In Person:** Stop by the Dyer Town Hall, Parks and Recreation Office. We are open Monday - Friday, 7:30 am - 4:00 pm.
- 2) Online:** [Parksregistration.townofdyer.com](https://parksregistration.townofdyer.com)
- 3) Drop Off:** Place your completed registration form (below), with proper payment, in an envelope & drop in the white after hours drop box located in the Dyer Town Hall Parking lot.
- 4) Mail in:** Print off and mail it with payment (**checks should be made payable to Town of Dyer**) & mail to the address below.

Dyer Parks & Recreation One Town Square Dyer, IN 46311



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Dyer Dog Park

Located at Central Park, the three acre facility includes a small dog area and a large dog area, complete with benches and dog waste stations. The dog park is open daily from dawn to dusk 365 days a year.

Each area of the park includes its own water fountain for the dogs (but is only on seasonally during the warmer times of the year).

Individuals and their dogs visiting the dog park must be registered at the Dyer Town Hall Parks and Recreation office.

Annual Membership

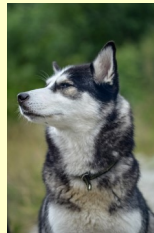
Membership runs annually from date of purchase.

Town of Dyer Residents

\$60.00 for 1st dog and \$20.00 for an additional dog

Non-Residents

\$108.00 for 1st dog and \$36.00 for an additional dog



6 Month Membership

Membership runs semi-annually from date of purchase.

Town of Dyer Residents

\$40.00 for 1st dog and \$10.00 for an additional dog

Non-Residents

\$72.00 for 1st dog and \$18.00 for an additional dog

Please read through the dog park registration packet which includes more useful information, details on the dog park requirements, the registration forms and waiver. The packet can be found on the website at www.parks.townofdier.com or at the Dyer Parks and Recreation office. Note: For safety reasons, children 12 & under are not allowed in the dog park area.

Dog Park memberships are non-transferable & non-refundable

Do you love creating and decorating?

Please help Dyer Parks & Recreation fill their tree with homemade ornaments. Please bring your ornament to Dyer Parks & Recreation by December 12th. Feel free to hang it on our tree.



Patti's All-American is turning 56...You get the gift!

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Save the Dates 2025

Winter Wonderland Day Camp 1/5

Daddy Daughter Dance 2/6 & 2/7

38th Annual Easter Egg Hunt 3/28

Mother-Son Fun Bowl 5/3

Dyer Parks & Recreation

(219) 865-2505

Town of Dyer Parks & Recreation

One Town Square

Dyer IN 46311 (219) 865-2505

www.townofdyer.com

CSRI: By working together toward a common goal we are able to provide more events to a larger amount of people than any one agency alone. The following agencies are proud to partner to offer CSRI.

Crown Point Parks & Recreation-(219) 661-8871

Dyer Parks & Recreation-(219) 865-2505

Hammond Parks & Recreation-(219) 853-6378

Hammond Port Authority-(219) 937-7942

Hanover Central HS Key Club-(219) 306-2919

Highland Parks & Recreation-(219) 838-0114

Lake County Parks-(219) 947-7275

Merrillville Parks & Recreation-(219) 980-5911

Munster Parks & Recreation-(219) 836-7275

Schererville Parks & Recreation-(219) 865-5530

St. John Parks & Recreation-(219) 365-6236

Whiting Parks & Recreation-(219) 370-5091



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