

SUMMER 2025 KIDSPLAY GUIDE



Your guide to **FREE** and affordable summer fun with Roanoke Parks and Recreation!



KIDS TO PARKS DAY: ADVENTURES IN ELMWOOD

Celebrate Kids to Parks Day with adventure themed activities in Elmwood Park, plus a triple feature of movies on the big screen! This year we'll be showing **MOANA 2**, followed by **THE GOONIES**, and finishing with **BACK TO THE FUTURE!** Food and beverage will be available for purchase, bring the whole family!

SUNDAY, MAY 18

Gates open at 12:00 PM, Movies start at 12:30 PM

\$FREE TO ATTEND *FOOD, BEVERAGE, AND MORE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

FREEDOM FESTIVAL & FIREWORKS

Celebrate Independence Day with a free, family-friendly festival, & fireworks show at River's Edge Park South.

THURSDAY, JULY 3

5:00-9:45 PM *FIREWORKS START AT 9:30 PM

\$FREE TO ATTEND *FOOD, BEVERAGE, AND MORE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE



ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

BUG & BAT NIGHTS

June 20, July 18, August 22 at Mill Mountain Park

\$15/INDIVIDUAL, OR \$45/FAMILY

NATURE LAB EXCURSIONS

Summer day trips for our Nature Lab participants, and others who want to join the fun. This is for kids only!

Wild Caving: June 18

Downriver Paddle: July 25

Meteor Shower Watch: August 12

\$TBD

**PLUS! FREE
ACTIVITIES AND
CRAFTS AT THE
DISCOVERY CENTER!**

On the longest day of the year,
you're invited to

PLAY ALL DAY!

**JUNE
20
2025**



**FREE TO
PLAY!**

**GEOCACHING
BUG & BAT NIGHT
CRAFTS & ACTIVITIES AT DISCOVERY CENTER**

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ALL-DAY SUMMER P.L.A.Y. CAMP

Join us for a summer packed full of activities for K-5 youth! With convenient weekly sessions at three locations, this program offers sports and games, speakers/instructors, arts and crafts, and various field trips, all with a focus on overall youth development. Located at Preston Rec Center, High Street Baptist Church, and Grandin Court Rec Center.

WEEKLY, JUNE 15 - AUGUST 8

MON - FRI, 7:30 AM - 6:00 PM

\$150/week

OUTDOOR EXPLORATION CAMP

Get outside this summer! Our Outdoor Adventure campers (age 8-11) will get to experience fun outdoor recreation activities like hiking, ropes course, zipline, caving, water sports (canoeing, kayaking, tubing or Stand Up Paddle Boarding), archery, slackline, and rock climbing.

JULY 28 - AUGUST 1

MON - FR, 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

\$295/week

BIG ADVENTURE CAMP

Big Adventure Camp gets older youth (age 12-14) outside while offering challenging excursions. Campers will do a range of fun activities, include hiking, caving, water sports (canoeing, kayaking, tubing, or Stand Up Paddleboarding), ropes course, archery, zipline, slackline, and rock climbing.

AUGUST 11-15

MON - FRI, 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM

\$310/week

ENVIRONMENTAL ADVENTURE CAMP

(Ages 8-11) Connect with different aspects of nature and the environment this summer! Each day will have a new theme, including water, geology, wildlife, and plants, with a final day of traditional summer camp activities.

JUNE 9 - 13, AND JUNE 23 - 27

MONDAY - FRIDAY, 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

\$295/week



BRAZILIAN SOCCER CAMP

Turning passion into skill, one kick at a time, while having fun the Brazilian way. Participants (age 4-16) will gain fun and memorable experiences, and enjoy freestyle sessions and cultural exposure in a meticulously organized camp rooted in the Beyond Soccer philosophy and Brazilian flair.

JULY 21-25

FULL AND PARTIAL DAY OPTIONS

\$99-\$235/week



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SAVE THE DATE: PLAY-PALOOZA 2025 AUGUST 8

SUMMER CAMPS