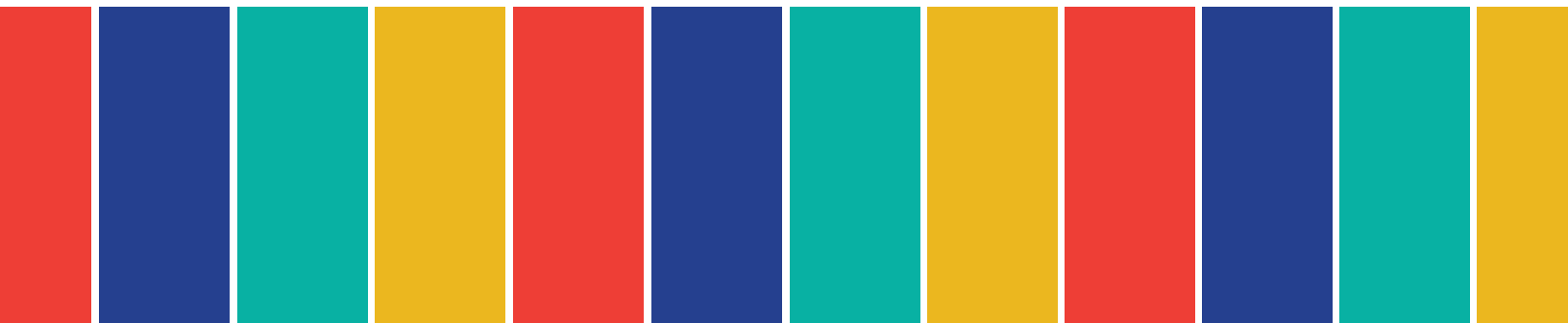




Elyria Parks & Recreation

Fall & Winter Programs

2023 | 2024





what is

ELY LIFE

LEISURE

INSPIRATION

FITNESS

ENTERTAINMENT

Ely LIFE is an active brand and challenge to build a life worth living in the city of Elyria. We encourage you to explore your options and try to do as much as possible each season to experience our great community.

Activities, programs, and events focused on supporting local restaurants and businesses, exploring trails, biking, and parks development.

L

Leisure

Arts and/or community service opportunities including, programs, and events

I

Inspiration

Fitness and/or wellness activities, programs, and events.

F

Fitness

Concerts, performances, festivals, and more.

E

Entertainment

get ready for your
best. year. ever.

RECREATION CENTERS/FACILITIES

Main Office

131 Court Street, Suite 103 | 440-326-1500

East Recreation Center

1101 Prospect | 440-322-3028

East Pool

1005 Prospect Street | 440-323-3867

North Pool/Ice Arena

901 Duffey street | 440-365-4251

West Recreation Center

1200 Foster | 440-323-7755

South Recreation Center

215 16th Street | 440-322-7601

Finwood Estate

799 North Abbe Road | 440-365-4727

Softball Rain-out Hotline

440-322-7696

FACILITY RENTAL INFORMATION

Facility Rentals must be reserved at least 2 weeks in advance of rental date and payment is due 48 hours after reservation. Reservations are subject to availability and staffing.

Call 440-326-1500 to reserve a facility.

South Rec. Center is the only air conditioned facility.

Gymnasiums \$45 per hour

Finwood Estate \$50 per hour (2 hour min)

South Meeting Room \$35 per hour

East Meeting Room \$20** one time fee
(must be reserved with the gym)

Ice Arena \$175 per hour

Pools (Seasonal) \$165 per hour

PICNIC SHELTER RENTALS

Cost: \$25 per session \$60 all day

There are three sessions available:

8:00–11:45 a.m., Noon–4:45 p.m., and 5:00–Dark.

Electricity is **NOT** available at any of our shelters.

Bounce Houses are **NOT** permitted.

Restrooms will be open Memorial Day through Labor Day

Hilltop Park 1231 Gulf Road (2 shelters)

West Park 1200 Foster Avenue (1 shelter)

South Park 215 16th Street (1 shelter)

East Shelter 101 Prospect (1 shelter)

**** Alcoholic Beverages are Prohibited ****

ELY SQUARE GAZEBO

Ely Park Gazebo is available for rental for weddings and pictures. The cost for rental is \$15 per hour for resident. All reservations must be made in person at the Main Office, 131 Court Street, Suite 103.

**** Alcoholic Beverages are Prohibited ****

FRIENDS OF CASCADE PARK

Friends of Cascade is a group of volunteer Elyrians who organized in April 1982 to promote welfare of Cascade & Elywood Parks. For more information about the group contact the main office at 326-1500.

PROGRAM UPDATES

The Parks & Recreation Department uses cable television Channel 12 to provide program and service updates. Also, check our website and Facebook for additional information.

CEMETERIES

The Cemetery Division of the Parks and Recreation Department maintains and operates:

- Ridgelawn Cemetery, 285 Columbus Street
- North Murray Ridge Cemetery, 8230 North Murray Ridge Road
- Brookdale Cemetery, 41600 Oberlin Road

For information on advanced planning or the purchase of lots contact Brookdale Cemetery Office at 440-322-3896.

Fall and Winter Holiday Decoration Schedule Cemetery Division

FINAL MONTHLY CLEAN-UP

All decorations must be removed by

Friday, October 27, 2023

HOLIDAY FLOWERS/WINTER DECORATIONS

Decorations are permitted beginning Wednesday, November 1, 2023 and must be removed by Friday, March 22, 2024

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

The department guarantees you will enjoy and be satisfied with recreation classes, programs, and services in which you participate. If you are not completely satisfied after the first session or meeting time, tell us and we'll explain our guarantee and refund policy.

INFORMATION ACCURACY

Occasionally, there may be an error in dates, times, registration requirements, fees or other pertinent information in our brochure. When such errors occur, our staff will do everything possible to correct the error.

PHOTO RELEASES

Elyria city staff may take photographs of participants in our programs, classes and events, people in our parks, or on park property. Please be aware that these photos are for the City's use only and may be used in future program guides, brochures, news articles or on the website.



soccer programs

OUTDOOR SOCCER LEAGUES

Cost: \$38 **Non-Residents:** \$48

Divisions: Age 4-K-1, 2-3, 4-6

Season runs September 2–October 14

Games are played on Saturdays at the West Park Soccer Complex. Teams will practice one evening during the week. All coaches are volunteers. If you are interested in coaching call our main office at 440-326-1500.

Note: Games may be scheduled on a weeknight if needed.

Registration Ends: August 25

START SMART SOCCER

Cost: \$38 **Non-Residents:** \$48

Ages 3–5 years | **September 12–28**

Start Smart Soccer, a program of the National Alliance or Youth Sports, teaches children basic motor skills and sports mechanics necessary to play organized soccer while working one-on-one and spending quality time with a parent. The program will consist of six classes Tuesdays & Thursdays at East Park.

Class Times: 5:00, 5:45 or 6:30 p.m.

Registration Ends: September 8

SQUEAKY SNEAKERS SOCCER

Boys and Girls Ages 4–6

Emphasis will be placed on fundamentals, team work, sportsmanship and fair play. The program will be held inside South Recreation Center. Class times are 5:30 or 6:30 p.m.

Session I

Mondays, October 30 - December 4

Registration Ends: October 29

Cost: \$38 **Non-Residents:** \$48

Session II

Mondays, February 5 – March 11

Registration Ends: February 4

Cost: \$38 **Non-Residents:** \$48

tennis programs

YOUTH TENNIS LESSONS

Cost: \$38 **Non-Residents:** \$43

Boys and Girls Ages 4–12

Great program for learning basic tennis skills and coordination through games and drills. Classes will be held at the South Recreation Center on Saturdays for five weeks.

September 30–October 28

10:00 a.m. **Ages** 4–12

11:00 a.m. **Ages** 4–12

Registration Ends: September 20

youth volleyball programs

VOLLEYBALL CLINIC 2023

Cost: \$40 **Non-Residents:** \$50

(Grades 3–8) | January 13 – February 10, 2024

Registration Ends: January 5

Classes will be held on Saturdays

Beginners 9:30–10:45 a.m.

Previous Experience 11:00 a.m.–12:15 p.m.

Grades 6-8 must enroll in Pre. Exp. Class

JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE

Open to Boys and Girls Grades 3–8

This six game season is an instructional league for the beginning volleyball player. All matches will be played at the West Rec Center. Previous experience in the sport of volleyball is recommended.

Divisions of Play: Grades 3–5, 6–8.

Fall League 2023 | Begins Sept. 23 - Nov. 4

Registration Ends: September 8

Fall | Cost: \$40 **Non-Residents:** \$50

Winter League 2024 | Begins Feb. 17 - March 30

Registration Ends: Feb. 4

Winter | Cost: \$40 **Non-Residents:** \$50



youth basketball programs

START SMART BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Boys and Girls Ages 3–4

Start Smart Basketball, a program of the National Alliance Youth Sports, teaches children, ages 3–5, the basic motor skills and sports mechanics necessary to play organized basketball while they work one-on-one and spend quality time with a parent. Games will be held at the South Recreation Center.

Session I 2023

Saturdays, October 28 - December 2

Registration Ends: October 15

Cost: \$38 **Non-Resident:** \$48

Session II 2024

Tuesdays, January 20 – February 24

Registration Ends: January 7

Cost: \$38 **Non-Residents:** \$48

BASKETBALL SKILLS CLINIC

Participants ages 6-grade 3 will learn the proper fundamentals of dribbling, passing and shooting. Basic rules and fun scrimmages included. An eight foot goal can be used. Program will be held at South Recreation Center.

Session I | 2023

Monday, October 30 – December 4 (Skip Nov. 6)

Class times: 5:30 p.m. or 6:30 p.m.

Registration Ends: October 29

Cost: \$38 **Non-Residents:** \$48

Session II | 2024

Monday, February 12 – March 11

Class times: 5:30 p.m. or 6:30 p.m.

Registration Ends: February 11

Cost: \$38 **Non-Residents:** \$48

football programs

FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Cost: \$38 **Non-Residents:** \$48

Boys and Girls Ages 3-4, 5-6, 7-9

The league is played at East Park. Teams practice one night per week with volunteer coaches. If you are interested in coaching call our main office at 440-326-1500. *Note: Games may be scheduled on a weeknight if needed.*

September 2 – October 7

Registration Ends: August 20

open recreation program

This **FREE** program is open to all children grades K–8.

The Open Recreation Program involves organized games and free play. All programs are well supervised. The program runs when school is in session. The Open Recreation program will be closed when school is closed. **Registration is required to participate in Open Recreation and forms are available at the Recreation Center.**

Programs Start Date: September 11, 2023

EAST RECREATION CENTER | 1101 Prospect St.

Grades K–4

Tuesdays, Thursdays | 2:30–5:00 p.m.

Grades 5-8

Mondays, Wednesday | 2:30–5:00 p.m.

Horizon Education Center's 21st Century Program

Monday – Friday 2:30–5:30 p.m.

The program is designed to assist children in meeting standards, both state and local, in core academics — such as math and reading — while also providing enrichment activities. Registration packets available at recreation center.



youth basketball programs

"ROOKIE" BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Boys and Girls: **Ages 5-6**

Emphasis will be placed on learning fundamentals, team work, sportsmanship and fair play. Participants will be placed on a team with volunteer coaches. An eight foot goal will be used and games will be 4 on 4. The program will be held at South Recreation Center.

Session I 2023

Saturdays, October 28 - December 2 (skip Nov. 25)

Registration Ends: October 15

Cost: \$38 **Non-Resident:** \$48

Session II 2024

Saturdays, January 20 – February 24

Registration Ends: January 7

Cost: \$38 **Non-Residents:** \$48

FALL YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Boys and Girls: **Ages 7-9**

Program will be held Saturdays at South Recreation Centers. Volunteer coaches are needed. If you are interested in coaching call our main office at 440-326-1500. Teams practice one night per week at East, South or West Recreation Centers.

Fall 2023

Season Begins October 28 - December 16

Registration Ends: October 15 | Skip Nov. 25

Cost: \$48 **Non-Resident:** \$58

Winter 2024

Season Begins January 20 - March 2

Registration Ends: January 7

Cost: \$48 **Non-Residents:** \$58

YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Boys and Girls: **Ages 10-12, 13-16**

Program will be held Saturdays at East Recreation Center. Volunteer coaches are needed. If you are interested in coaching call our main office at 440-326-1500. Teams practice one night per week at East, South or West Recreation Centers.

Winter 2023

Season Begins: December 9 - February 10

Registration Ends: November 18

Cost: \$48 **Non-Resident:** \$58

north park ice arena

North Park Ice Arena, 901 Duffey St. | (440) 365-4251

OPEN SKATE SCHEDULE | Skate Rental \$3

November 2, 2023 - March 10, 2024

Thursdays 11:30–1:30 p.m. (Homeschool Open Skate)

Thursdays 1:30–3:30 p.m. (Adults Only)

Fridays 7:00–10:00 p.m.

Saturdays 1:00–3:00 p.m. & 7:00–9:00 p.m.

Sundays 1:00–3:00 p.m.

Sundays 6:00–8:00 p.m. (Family Skate)

ADMISSION

| | Youth | Adult |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------|
| Thursday | \$3 | \$3 |
| Friday | \$4 | \$5 |
| Saturday | \$3 | \$4 |
| Sunday | \$3 | \$4 |
| Season Pass | \$30* | \$60* |
| Ice Rental | \$175/hr. | |
| To reserve ice time call 440-326-1504 | | |
| *\$10 Non-Resident Fee | | |

PRIVATE LESSONS INFORMATION

Call 440-326-1504 or email Kplato@cityofelyria.org to register. Lessons will be held during Open Skate Hours on Saturday & Sunday, 1:30-3:00.

Fees: \$20 | 30 min session

Registration Begins: October 13

SPECIAL OPEN & HOLIDAY SKATES | Skate Rental \$3

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|-------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Nov. 22 | 5:00–7:00 p.m. | Dec. 28 | 1:00–3:30 p.m. |
| Nov. 24 | 1:00–3:00 p.m. & 7:00–10:00 p.m. | Dec. 29 | 1:00–3:00 p.m. |
| Dec. 20 | 1:00–3:00 p.m. | Jan. 2 | 1:00–3:00 p.m. |
| Dec. 21 | 1:00–3:30 p.m. | Jan. 15 | 1:00–3:00 p.m. |
| Dec. 22 | 1:00–3:00 p.m. & 7:00–10:00 p.m. | Feb. 19 | 1:00–3:00 p.m. |
| Dec. 26-27 | 1:00–3:00 p.m. | | |

***Closed December 25 and January 1:**

Admission Fees: \$4 for Youth, \$5 for Adult

SKATE WITH SANTA

Bring your family to visit with Santa at North Park Ice Rink this Winter season during our family open skate!

DJ SKATE

Join us with your friends and family and check out our live DJ who will be playing music and taking requests during Friday open skate.

BIRTHDAY ICE SKATING PARTY PACKAGE

Party packages available! Times available are Saturdays & Sundays 1:00–3:00 p.m. during the Open Skate Sessions.

PACKAGE 1: \$100

- Admission + Skate Rental for 10 people
- * Additional Skaters at \$5 each.

PACKAGE 2: \$175

- Admission + Skate Rental for 10 people.
- Includes 3 medium pizzas (1 topping), cake, and juice boxes.
- * Additional skaters at \$8 each

For details and to schedule a party call 440-326-1504.

HOMESCHOOL OPEN SKATE | \$3

Thursdays | 11:30–1:30 p.m.
November 2 - March 7, 2024

ADULT OPEN SKATE | \$3

Thursdays | 1:30–3:30 p.m.
Ages 18 and older
November 2 - March 7, 2024
No Adult Skate on November 23, 2024

LEARN TO SKATE

Learn the fundamentals of ice skating. Skaters ages 3 - Adult learn basic skills such as stopping to more advanced skills as jumps and spins. The program is set up to be fun, challenging and rewarding.

LESSON DAYS & TIMES

*Classes offered TBD based on staffing

Session I | Registration Begins: October 13 @ 8 a.m.

November 7 – December 21
Classes offered Tuesdays or Thursdays
6 Weeks
Class once per week. (No Class 11/23)
Registration Ends: November 3

Session II | Registration Begins: December 22 @ 8am

January 2– February 8, 2023
Classes offered Tuesdays or Thursdays
6 Weeks
Class once per week.
Registration Ends: December 31

Session III | Registration Begins: February 9 @ 8am

February 20 – March 7, 2023
Classes offered Tuesdays & Thursdays
3 Weeks
Class twice per week
Registration Ends: February 18

Session I *

Tuesdays 5:15–6:00 p.m.
Thursdays 5:15–6:00 p.m.

Session II *

Tuesdays
5:15–6:00 p.m.
6:15–7:00 p.m.
6:15–7:00 p.m.

Thursdays
5:15–6:00 p.m.
6:15–7:00 p.m.
6:15–7:00 p.m.

Session III *

Tuesdays & Thursdays
5:15–6:00 p.m.

Cost per session: \$46 Non-Resident \$56

INCLUDES SKATE RENTAL

A \$5 late fee will be added if registered late.

TOT: Children ages 3 - 6. Classes are 30 minutes in length with 10 minutes of practice.

BEGINNER: Children ages 6 - 15. Classes are 30 minutes in length with 10 minutes of practice.

ADULT: 16 years of age and older. Classes are 30 minutes in length with 10 minutes of practice.

PARENT & TOT: Ages 2–5 years (Adult, with skates, is required to go on the ice with child.)

PARENT & TOT CLASS

Cost: \$46 Non-resident: \$56
Skates Included | Ages 2-5 years old
One adult must go onto the ice with the child with skates.

Tuesdays 6:15-7:00 p.m.

Thursdays 6:15-7:00 p.m.

Sessions TBD



*Specific classes offered to be determined based on staffing.

REGISTRATION JUST GOT EASIER!

We are now accepting Online registrations at elyria.recdesk.com/community/home, Or by mail or in person at our Main Office.

LIKE US ON FACEBOOK @ElyriaOhio

CANCELLATION POLICY/LATE FEE

The Elyria Parks and Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel any activity, program or event based on insufficient registration, or inclement weather. A \$5 late fee will be added to any registration received after registration ends.

class descriptions

PARENT/TOT

Class is designated for parent and skater to become more at ease on the ice. Emphasis is on proper falling and standing forward and backward skating and maneuverability. We will also give parents learn to skate tips. One parent with skates on must be on ice at all times.

TOT 1

Students are shown how to stand in skates, safely fall, and the correct way to stand up. Once on the ice, the same procedures are done to get the students comfortable with falling and standing up by themselves. Students will also learn to march, glide and dip.

TOT 2

Skaters should have a strong forward marching. Emphasis on a two foot glide with a deep knee bend. Two foot hop, swizzles, snowplow stop, and backward skating is introduced.

TOT 3

Forward marching and one foot short glides are introduced. Emphasis on the snowplow stop and backward swizzles.

BEGINNER 1

This class is designed for the beginning ice skater. Students start by learning about their skates, proper fit and how to lace and tie them correctly. Skills include skating in a straight line and gliding.

BEGINNER 2

This class introduces the skills necessary to skate backward, snowplow stop, backward two foot swizzles, turning from forward to backward, gliding backward on two feet. The skater learns one foot forward gliding, forward and backward slaloms.

BEGINNER 3

The skater is asked to refine their stroking by learning to turn the foot out before pushing. Forward and backward swizzles, two foot spin and gliding backward.

BEGINNER 4

The skater will work on forward outside three turn, from a T position. Forward crossovers, backward one foot gliding, and forward inside and outside edges are introduced.

BEGINNER 5

The edges taught in the last level will now have a turn added to them. One foot spin will be reviewed and revolutions added along with the proper exit. Slide toe hop, T-Stop with an outside edge. Backward crossovers along with inside and outside edge work is introduced.

BEGINNER 6

Skaters will learn hockey stops, bunny hops, spirals, lunge backwards to forward two foot on a circle.

BEGINNER 7

Skaters will work on a Mohawk from a T position, backward crossovers, and beginning scratch spin.

BEGINNER 8

Skills worked on will be an outside and inside three turn on a circle, and forward inside pivots.

ADULT

For new skaters or for those with intermediate experience. Skaters will learn how to skate stronger and faster.

adult fall softball leagues

Tues. Men's D 6:30 p.m. & 8:30 p.m. Double Header

Wed. Co-Ed Rec 6:30 p.m. & 8:30 p.m. Double Header

Entry Fee:

Men's \$350 | Co-ed \$350

Each team required to pay umpire fee prior to each game.

Registration Ends: September 4, 2023

www.elyria.recdesk.com/community/home

Season Begins September 12, 2023

West Ball Fields: 1200 Foster Ave.



adult volleyball programs

ADULT VOLLEYBALL LEAGUES

Matches are played at West or South Recreation Ctr.

Divisions of Play: Women's, Men's, Co-Ed

(Upper & Lower Levels)

FALL 2023 IMPORTANT DATES:

Entry Fee Due : Friday, September 8

League Play Begins: Monday, September 18 - December 4

WINTER 2024 IMPORTANT DATES:

Entry Fee Due : Friday, December 29

League Play Begins: Week of January 8 - March 11

Entry Fee \$175

Teams responsible for paying official before each match

ADULT DROP-IN VOLLEYBALL

Program is held at West Recreation Center

Saturdays, 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.

November 2023 – April 2024

Cost \$5 per Adult*

**(High School age and older)*

the active people

The Active People Program is designed for all **55+ Elyria Residents** to enjoy physical activities and fellowship. The program is **FREE** and is funded by Community Development Block Grant Funds. Must Register To Participate. **Registration is Free!**

HOURS: 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. | Monday - Friday

Thomas O. Shores South Recreation Center

101 S. Park Drive 440-322-7601

Charles M. Hyman East Recreation Center

1101 Prospect St.

C.R. Hoagland West Recreation Center

1200 Foster Ave.

CHAIR EXERCISE

Mondays 11:00 - 11:45 a.m. | South Rec Center

Wednesdays 11:00 - 11:45 a.m. | South Rec Center

CHAIR YOGA

Mondays 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. | South Rec Center

Wednesdays 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. | South Rec Center

LINE DANCING

Tuesdays 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. | East Rec Center

Thursdays 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. | East Rec Center

PICKLEBALL

Tuesdays 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. | East Rec Center

Thursdays 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. | East Rec Center

VOLLEYBALL

Fridays 9 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. | West Rec Center

TAI CHI

Mondays 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. | South Rec Center

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

Bus Trips, Craft Time, Speakers, Luncheons, Themed Parties, and Out to Lunch Gatherings

**TAP follows Elyria City
Schools closure for inclement
weather. Please check local
media for cancellations.**



sponsorships

Because of you, holiday traditions live on in Elyria. Each season brings special annual traditions that makes Elyria a great place to live. Your time, talent, and treasure are appreciated.

Instead of coming to you with multiple requests in 2023, we are simplifying the process. Your gift can support any or all of the Elyria Parks and Recreation community events listed below.

- > Easter Egg Hunt
- > Fireworks
- > Summer Concert Series
- > Summer Day Camps
- > Cleveland Pops Orchestra Concert (Labor Day)
- > Festival of Lights
- > Finwood

Unless instructed otherwise, we will recognize your gift level on event signage, in promotions and advertising leading up to the event, on the city's website, social media platforms, and any event programs.

Bonus: If your gift is received before Friday, November 10, 2023, you will be included in this year's Festival of Lights for a total of seven promotional periods.

If you are interested in sponsoring an event, send payment and camera-ready art or ad copy to:

Nicole Edwards at nedwards@cityofelyria.org or by mail to 131 Court Street, Elyria, OH 44035.

— Easter Egg Hunt

\$ 20 Friend \$ 50 Patron \$ 100 Supporter
\$ 250 Advocate \$ 500 Benefactor
\$ 1000 Community Builder
\$ 2500 Leadership Circle
\$ 5000 Presenting Sponsor

— Fireworks

\$ 50 Friend \$ 100 Patron \$ 250 Supporter
\$ 500 Advocate \$ 2500 Benefactor
\$ 5000 Community Builder
\$ 10,000 Leadership Circle
\$ 25,000 Presenting Sponsor

— Summer Concert Series

\$ 50 Friend \$ 100 Patron \$ 250 Supporter
\$ 500 Advocate \$ 1000 Benefactor
\$ 2500 Community Builder
\$ 5000 Leadership Circle
\$ 10,000 Presenting Sponsor

— Summer Day Camps

\$ 50 Friend \$ 100 Patron \$ 500 Supporter
\$ 1000 Advocate \$ 2500 Benefactor
\$ 5000 Community Builder
\$ 10,000 Leadership Circle
\$ 20,000 Presenting Sponsor

— Cleveland Pops Orchestra Concert (Labor Day)

\$ 50 Friend \$ 100 Patron \$ 500 Supporter
\$ 1000 Advocate \$ 2500 Benefactor
\$ 5000 Community Builder
\$ 10,000 Leadership Circle
\$ 20,000 Presenting Sponsor

— Festival of Lights

\$ 50 Friend \$ 100 Patron \$ 250 Supporter
\$ 500 Advocate \$ 750 Benefactor
\$ 1500 Community Builder
\$ 2500 Leadership Circle
\$ 5,000 Presenting Sponsor

— BONUS:

2023 Festival of Lights with paid sponsorship by 11/10/23

annual events

ELYRIA APPLE FESTIVAL 5K RUN & FUN WALK

Sunday, September 17 | 8:30 a.m. (rain or shine)

Pre-register at the Parks Main Office by **September 16** by 3:30 p.m. or on-line at www.cityofelyria.org/departments/parks

\$15 with T-shirt \$10 without T-shirt

(must register by September 1 to receive t-shirt)

Race Day Registration will be accepted at RAPHA Academy.

\$15 without T-shirt

Fun Walk is **FREE!**

HOLIDAY AT FINWOOD

December 1-22 | 6:00-9:00 p.m.

The Finwood Estate at 799 North Abbe Road, will be decorated for the holiday season by the Parks & Recreation Department.

Visit with Santa, and enjoy the lights and displays.

A non-perishable canned food donation will be accepted as admission.

Outside lights will remain on until January 2, 2024

Donations accepted

FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS

December 2 | 3:30-6:00 p.m.

Join us at Ely Square for our annual Festival of Lights. Enjoy the beautiful day with the City of Elyria with crafts, free kids books, and more. Take a walk through the lighted square and make sure to stop by and see Santa. For additional information go to our website at www.cityofelyria.org.

new programs

E-SPORTS | Cost: \$38 | Non-resident: \$48

The Super Mario Experience | Reg. Deadline: September 27

October 4 - October 25 @ East Rec Center

Every Wednesday | 6 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

The Sport Experience | Reg. Deadline: October 25

November 1 - November 29 @ East Rec Center

Every Wednesday | 6 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Family Fued | Reg. Deadline: November 29

December 6 (ONE NIGHT ONLY) @ East Rec Center

Wednesday | 6 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

NBA 2K League | Reg. Deadline: January 31, 2024

February 7 - February 28 @ East Rec Center

Every Wednesday | 6 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

DODGEBALL

Clinic at East Rec Center. Tuesday Evenings.

Coming Sept-Oct 2023

HOMESCHOOL OPEN GYM

Coming November-March

YOGA WORKSHOPS

YOUTH RUNNING PROGRAM

Ready, Set, Go!

October 16th - November 18th | East Rec Center

Mondays & Saturdays

Reg Deadline: October 11, 2023

Cost: \$38 Resident | \$48 Non-Resident

The Mission of the Elyria Parks and Recreation Department

is to ensure the availability of modern, safe, equitable, well-maintained, and affordable recreational opportunities that improve fitness and enhance quality of life for residents of all ages and ability levels, while promoting community cohesion and protecting the natural beauty of the environment. All programs and services offered by the City of Elyria are available without regard to race, color religion, sex, national origin, age, marital or veteran status, disability or any other legally protected status.