



# BEAVERCREEK IN TOUCH

BEAVERCREEK CITY AND TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

SUMMER 2025

## City of Beavercreek Unveils ‘Plan Beavercreek,’ Open House Scheduled for June 5

The City of Beavercreek is launching Plan Beavercreek, a comprehensive community project aimed at overhauling the city’s land use plan, zoning code, and property maintenance code for the first time since its incorporation in 1980. Following a request for qualifications process, the city selected ZoneCo and OHM Advisors to develop a cohesive, community-driven framework to guide future growth and development.

The city invites residents and business owners to participate in an upcoming open house for Plan Beavercreek on **Thursday, June 5, from 5 to 7 p.m.** at the **Lofino Plaza Meeting Room**, located at 3868 Dayton-Xenia Road. Attendees will have the opportunity to review the current land use plan, identify key community issues and opportunities, and share their ideas for Beavercreek’s future. City staff will be available to answer questions and provide information about the project.

“This project is a significant milestone for the City of Beavercreek,” said City Manager Pete Landrum. “While the city’s Planning and Development Department has made various updates to our zoning code, land use plan, and property maintenance standards over the years, this marks the first time we’ve undertaken a comprehensive overhaul of this scale. Revamping these key planning documents, specifically designed for our community, is crucial to guiding the city’s future and ensuring it remains a vibrant place to live, work, and visit.”

The project aims to achieve several key goals, including:

- Establishing a long-term guide for land use, development, and preservation.
- Developing an implementation strategy for major projects and initiatives.
- Updating zoning codes to support the land use vision and ensure they are easy to understand and implement.
- Ensuring public input is reflected in policies, creating a streamlined, user-friendly development process.

“The land use plan will establish a clear vision for the future, while the code updates will provide the tools and regulations to implement that vision effectively,” Planning and Development Director Randy Burkett said. “Together, the project will support a forward-thinking, well-connected, and thriving Beavercreek that reflects the needs of residents, businesses, and the overall community.”

ZoneCo and OHM Advisors will work closely with city staff, community stakeholders, and residents to modernize the city’s existing planning documents, address outdated regulations, and ensure compliance with legislative requirements. Public engagement will be a cornerstone of the project, with several opportunities for city residents and local business owners to provide input and help shape the updated plans. The city’s Planning Commission and City Council will also play key roles in the process.

“Public input plays a vital role in this process and there will be several opportunities to share your thoughts through public input sessions and other outreach efforts,” said Burkett. “However, it’s equally important that the city ensures all proposed changes comply with legal requirements. Finding this balance is key to creating documents that address both the community’s needs and our legal responsibilities.”

The project is expected to take about 1.5 years to complete. Once finalized, Beavercreek City Council members will vote on whether to adopt the plans by ordinance.

More information about Plan Beavercreek, including project updates and the timeline, is available online at **PlanBeavercreek.com**. The website serves as the project’s central hub, offering details on the process, project phases, previous plans, meeting presentations, and draft documents. Residents can share input throughout the project by visiting the website and clicking on the “Engage” tab. The city will also promote public engagement opportunities on its website, **beavercreekohio.gov**, and social media platforms.

# Beavercreek City Council in Action

Beavercreek residents are encouraged to attend City Council meetings, held on the second and fourth Monday of each month at 6 p.m. at Beavercreek City Hall, located at 1368 Research Park Drive. These meetings provide an opportunity for residents to observe how the council governs firsthand—including the passage of legislation, approval of city projects, and authorization of budget expenditures that directly impact city operations and quality of life. They also offer a platform for residents to share input, voice concerns, and stay informed about decisions that shape the future of the community.

## At recent meetings, the following ordinances, resolutions, and motions were approved:

- Ordinance 25-3 aligns the city's zoning code with a charter amendment approved by voters in November 2024, allowing public hearing notifications to be published through "other media forums allowed by law."
- Ordinance 25-5 updates City Code 97.10 to clarify and establish minimum standards for the maintenance of grass, weeds, and landscaping across Beavercreek.
- Resolution 25-2 accepts a grant from the Greene County Council on Aging (GCCOA) to support senior center operations, including maintenance, staffing, and programming.
- Resolution 25-4 authorizes the launch of a 2025 sidewalk repair program. The plan includes repairing 323 feet of sidewalks through assessments and is part of a broader effort to maintain the city's more than 105 miles of walkways.
- Resolution 25-5 approves a cost-sharing agreement with the City of Fairborn to reconstruct a section of Beaver Valley Road, from Old Troon Drive to approximately 300 feet north of I-675. Construction is scheduled to begin in summer 2026.
- Resolution 27-07 authorizes the city manager to enter into a master supply agreement for Beavercreek's electric aggregation program, which is set to expire in August 2025.

For more information about these and other council actions, visit the Agenda Center at [beavercreekohio.gov](http://beavercreekohio.gov). City Council meetings are open to the public and include a designated time for public comment, with each speaker allotted three minutes. Recorded meetings are also available on the city's YouTube channel and public access television. To contact council members directly, refer to the contact information on the back page of this newsletter.

## Community Conversations with City Council and Town Halls

Building on the success of last year's events, Beavercreek City Council will continue hosting Community Conversations with City Council on a quarterly basis. These meetings provide a valuable opportunity for residents to connect with council members, ask questions, share ideas, and learn more about city projects and programs.

### Upcoming meeting dates and locations include:

- Tuesday, June 3, 2025 | Noon – 1 p.m.  
Beavercreek Golf Club, 2800 New Germany-Trebein Road
- Thursday, September 18, 2025 | 6 – 7 p.m.  
Beavercreek Pizza Dive, 2760 B Towne Drive (New location!)

In addition, the city plans to host another town hall this fall focused on city finances. Details will be shared on the city's website and social media platforms as they become available.

To stay informed, residents are encouraged to subscribe to the city's monthly digital newsletter, which features updates on city news, projects, events, and more. Visit [beavercreekohio.gov/stayconnected](http://beavercreekohio.gov/stayconnected) to sign up.





# Beavercreek Dedicates \$2.5 Million to 2025 Street Resurfacing and Curb Replacement Program

The City of Beavercreek is investing approximately \$2.5 million into its 2025 Street Resurfacing and Curb Replacement Program. This annual initiative aims to improve the city's infrastructure by resurfacing residential streets and replacing deteriorated curbs. The program, which will resurface about 9.31 miles of road and replace roughly 8,255 feet of curbs.

## Street Resurfacing

The resurfacing of streets is determined by a Pavement Condition Rating (PCR), an engineering evaluation based on visual inspections of the roadway's condition. Streets that show the most deterioration will be prioritized for resurfacing, with the City of Beavercreek following the Ohio Department of Transportation's (ODOT) official guidelines for evaluating pavement condition. Crews will address areas with the most significant wear to help ensure that the city's roads remain safe and drivable for residents.

## Curb Replacement

In addition to street resurfacing, the program includes the replacement of deteriorated curbs along several roadways. The city will replace sections of curbing that no longer meet standards, and aprons that fail to comply with city regulations will be upgraded. These improvements are an effort to improve the quality of the city's infrastructure and provide better curb appeal for residents. However, property owners looking to replace their own driveway aprons should be aware that the city will not reimburse the costs. If homeowners choose to undertake this work themselves, they will need to obtain a right-of-way permit from the city's engineering division.

## Timing and Traffic Disruptions

The city's annual resurfacing and curb replacement project will take place over several months and is scheduled to be completed by October 2025. Residents will see "Police Order No Parking" signs posted 48 hours before work begins, as required by the contractor. For curb replacement, door hangers will be distributed one week in advance to notify homeowners. While work is in progress, flaggers will direct traffic, and at least one lane will remain open at all times. Resurfacing is typically quick, with minimal disruption; vehicles can access the new pavement about 30 minutes after it's laid. Curb replacement requires 5 to 7 days for concrete to cure, and contractors will inform homeowners when they can safely cross over the new curb.

## Questions and Contact Information

While the City of Beavercreek aims to minimize disruptions, the exact timeline for street resurfacing may be affected by weather or other unforeseen factors. For more information, a list of streets and curbs included in this year's program can be found on the city's website at [beavercreekohio.gov/engineering](https://beavercreekohio.gov/engineering). Residents with additional questions or concerns are urged to contact the city's Engineering Division by emailing [engineering@beavercreekohio.gov](mailto:engineering@beavercreekohio.gov) or by calling (937) 427-5513. By investing in these important improvements, the City of Beavercreek is ensuring that its infrastructure remains strong and reliable for years to come.





## City of Beavercreek Prepares for New Electric Aggregation Contract; Rate Likely to Rise

The City of Beavercreek is preparing to enter into a new contract for its electric aggregation program as its current agreement with Dynegy nears expiration. Residents can expect the existing fixed rate of 6.928 cents per kilowatt-hour (kWh) to remain in place through August 2025.

Working alongside its energy consultant, Energy Alliances, the city is actively seeking competitive pricing for the next term of the program. While final rates and suppliers have yet to be determined, city officials caution that higher prices are likely due to current market trends. Nonetheless, the city remains committed to securing the lowest rate available for residents.

Once a new supplier, rate, and contract term are finalized, City of Beavercreek residents can expect to receive opt-out letters during the summer. Those who do not take action will be automatically enrolled in the program. Residents who move into the city or wish to join after the initial enrollment

period may still do so by contacting the city's energy supplier directly and referencing the aggregation program.

Participation in the city's program is voluntary, and there are no fees for enrollment, switching, or early termination. Customers may opt in or out at any time without penalty. However, city officials urge residents to consult with their current energy providers to ensure there are no cancellation fees before making the switch.

Residents may also choose to purchase electricity from third-party suppliers. A list of available options is accessible through the Ohio Energy Choice website, [energychoice.ohio.gov](http://energychoice.ohio.gov). To determine their current energy supplier, residents can check the back of their most recent utility bill under the "supply charges" section.

As for a gas aggregation program, the city is authorized to implement one following voter approval in November 2003. However, due to unfavorable market conditions, a program has not yet been established. The city, in partnership with Energy Alliances, continues to monitor gas prices and assess potential opportunities to introduce a program in the future. Additional information and ongoing updates about the city's electric and gas aggregation programs are available on the city's website at [beavercreekohio.gov/aggregationprograms](http://beavercreekohio.gov/aggregationprograms).

## Registration for City of Beavercreek's Citizens Academy Opens May 28!

Registration for the City of Beavercreek's third annual Citizens Academy opens Wednesday, May 28, 2025. This popular eight-week program offers residents and business owners behind-the-scenes access to city programs and services. With last year's academy filling up within 48 hours, residents are encouraged to sign up quickly to secure a spot.

Classes will be held Thursday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m., running from August 21 through October 9. Each session will focus on a different city department or division, including finance, engineering, public service, parks, planning and development, police, fire, golf, communications, and more. Participants will engage in interactive activities, including facility tours, equipment demonstrations, and other hands-on experiences.

The academy is free of charge and open to all City of Beavercreek residents and business owners. Space is limited, so those interested are urged to register early. To ensure a valuable experience, attendees are asked to commit to attending at least six of the eight classes.

This is a unique opportunity to learn how the City of Beavercreek operates and how you can play a role in improving the community. Don't miss out on this chance to get involved and make the City of Beavercreek an even better place to live and work! Visit [beavercreekohio.gov/academy](http://beavercreekohio.gov/academy) for more information and to register.





# Sheriff's Substation Institutes New Community Partnership Patrol Activity Form

The Beavercreek Township Sheriff's Substation has launched a new form to further community engagement and raise awareness of common conditions that could potentially compromise a property's security.

The Community Partnership Patrol Activity Form is intended as a gentle reminder that certain conditions, if left unaddressed, may be targeted by individuals with unlawful intent. Common examples include leaving a vehicle unlocked or unsecured, leaving a garage door open for prolonged periods or overnight, unsecured personal property such as a bicycle left in a yard, and accumulating mail in a mailbox.

If contact with the property owner or resident cannot be made, township deputies will use the form to identify these conditions, assist in securing the situation when possible, and leave the form as a helpful reminder to the property owner or resident to "help us, help you." Community partnerships and engagement are a cornerstone of law enforcement and a service the Substation is proud to offer.

The Beavercreek Township Sheriff's Substation was established in 2003 and provides dedicated law enforcement services to the unincorporated areas of Beavercreek Township. The Substation is staffed with a sergeant, a K-9 deputy with K-9 Maverick, and four patrol deputies.

## New Public Notice Posting Procedures Begin June 1

Ohio House Bill 315, which went into effect April 3, 2025, enacted changes to multiple sections of the Ohio Revised Code — most notably allowing the Township to post public notices, such as zoning meetings and finance notifications, on its website and social media instead of in a newspaper.

This change will provide more accessibility for the public to view upcoming meetings and updates via the Township website. Residents can also subscribe to receive notifications when new information is posted. The new method of notification will begin June 1, 2025.

To view public notices, visit **[www.beavercreektwpohio.org](http://www.beavercreektwpohio.org)**, go to the Government tab, then under Departments, click on Agendas, Minutes & Notices.

## Township Capital Improvements Webpage Now Live

The Public Service Department has launched the Capital Improvements webpage, giving residents an at-a-glance view of capital improvement projects in Beavercreek Township.

The webpage will be updated annually to include all current improvement projects, such as road paving and resurfacing, chip sealing, curb replacements, culvert repairs, building and facility improvements, and other upgrades such as new roads or traffic reconfigurations.

To view the webpage, visit **[www.beavercreektwpohio.org](http://www.beavercreektwpohio.org)**, go to the Government tab, then under Departments, click on Public Service.

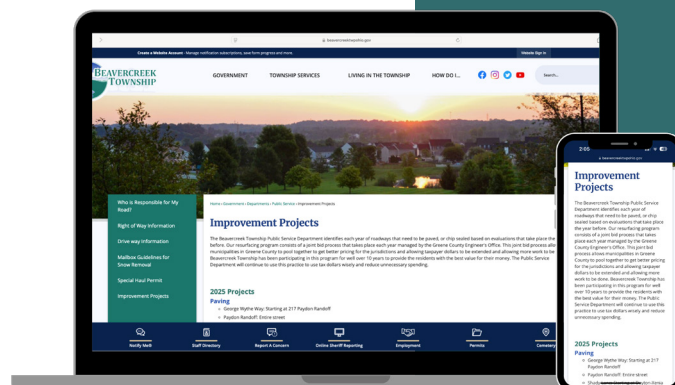


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Board of Trustees meetings are held on the second and fourth Monday of each month at 3 p.m. in the lower level of Fire Station 61.



## Beavercreek Police Department Welcomes Three Officers to its Team

The Beavercreek Police Department is proud to welcome three officers to its team: David Durkin, Caroline Senseman, and Matthew Lammert.

David Durkin, who is rejoining the department, brings nearly nine years of experience with the Beavercreek Police. He originally served as an officer from January 2012 until November 2020, when he left to work as a program manager with the Air Force Life Cycle Management Center (AFLCMC) at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base. After realizing his passion for law enforcement remained strong, Durkin became an advanced training instructor at the Ohio Peace Officer Training Academy (OPOTA) in May 2023, while also serving as a reserve deputy with the Madison County Sheriff's Office. Durkin decided to return to full-time policing and successfully completed the hiring process to rejoin the Beavercreek Police Department.

Durkin is a 2004 graduate of Carroll High School and holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Wright State University. He completed his OPOTA certification in 2011 and has served in various specialized roles during his time as a patrol officer, including as a member of the crisis intervention team, evidence technician, field training officer, firearms instructor, and officer-in-charge. Durkin

has received departmental recognition for his exceptional performance and contributions.

Caroline Senseman, a recent graduate of the University of Dayton with a bachelor's degree in criminal justice, joins the department after completing her OPOTA Basic Peace Officer Certification at the Greene County Career Center Criminal Justice Academy in February 2025. Senseman's interest in law enforcement grew through internships with the U.S. Marshals Service and the Dayton Police Department. After a period of reflection following college, Senseman decided to pursue her long-standing goal of becoming a police officer and chose to join the Beavercreek Police Department.

Matthew Lammert, a second-generation officer, follows in the footsteps of his father, Beavercreek Police Officer Tim Lammert. He graduated from Eastern Kentucky University in 2024 with a bachelor's degree in criminal justice. Lammert, who also earned his OPOTA certification at the Greene County Career Center Criminal Justice Academy in February 2025, has served as a parking security enforcement officer at ECU and is a second lieutenant with the Kentucky Army National Guard. Lammert chose to join the Beavercreek Police Department due to his father's service, the department's strong reputation, and its community support and opportunities for officers.

The Beavercreek Police Department is excited to welcome these officers, each bringing unique experiences and a strong commitment to serving the community.



## Beavercreek's Night Out Against Crime

The Beavercreek Police Department is partnering with Beavercreek Parks, Recreation & Culture to host Night Out Against Crime on Wednesday, July 30, 2025, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Rotary Park, located at 2260 Dayton-Xenia Road.

This community event highlights the partnership between law enforcement and residents by bringing police officers and citizens together for an evening of celebration in a fun, family-friendly environment. The evening will feature participation from other local law enforcement agencies and the Beavercreek Township Fire Department, as well as food trucks, entertainment, inflatable attractions, demonstrations, and a display of municipal and emergency response vehicles.

Join us at Rotary Park to meet your neighbors and connect with the first responders who work hard to keep our community safe. Visit [beavercreekohio.gov/events](https://beavercreekohio.gov/events) for more information.





# Beavercreek Police Department Offers Tips to Help Prevent Vehicle Theft

The Beavercreek Police Department is continuing efforts to address the ongoing issue of vehicle thefts and thefts from vehicles in the community and the Miami Valley. In the first quarter of 2025, the department received 29 reports of stolen vehicles and recovered eight stolen vehicles.

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), more than 850,000 vehicles were stolen in the United States in 2024, with the majority of thefts occurring during the summer months. As part of National Vehicle Theft Prevention Month in July, NHTSA conducts an annual Vehicle Theft Prevention Campaign.

To help reduce the risk of vehicle theft, the department reminds residents to take precautions and use common

sense when parking and exiting their vehicles. Officers advise parking in well-lit areas, closing all windows, locking vehicles, and always taking the key. Never leave a vehicle running, even if stepping away for just a moment.

Removing valuables such as purses, wallets, firearms, or electronics — including cell phones and laptops — from vehicles, especially if left in sight, can make a significant difference in deterring theft.

In addition, the department encourages the use of anti-theft devices, including steering wheel locks, car alarms, and GPS tracking devices, which can act as effective deterrents. For those who cannot park inside a garage, the department suggests installing surveillance cameras and motion-activated lights to help prevent thefts. Residents who observe something suspicious or become victims of vehicle theft are encouraged to call BPD immediately at (937) 426-1225.

## Beavercreek Police Department Accepting Applications for 22nd Citizens Police Academy

The Beavercreek Police Department will begin accepting applications for its 22nd Citizens Police Academy in August. This eight-week program is designed to give community members a behind-the-scenes look at law enforcement operations. The academy will run Wednesday evenings from 6 to 9 p.m., Sept. 10 through Oct. 29. The first session will be held at the Beavercreek Police Department, with the remaining classes taking place at various locations.

Participants will learn about all aspects of the department's operations, including patrol, investigations, communications, legal procedures, and the K-9 unit. The program includes classroom instruction, hands-on demonstrations, and interactive learning experiences. Attendees will also have the opportunity to visit the department's firearms range on Saturday, Oct. 18, and

participate in a ride-along with a patrol officer.

The academy is an eight-week program open to City of Beavercreek and Beavercreek Township residents, as well as local business owners, who are at least 18 years old. Class size is limited, and early registration is encouraged.

"The Citizens Police Academy offers a unique opportunity for community members to engage directly with our department and learn how our officers work to keep Beavercreek safe," said Community Engagement Officer Travis O'Neill.

The registration link will be available on the city's website in early August. For more information, visit [beavercreekohio.gov/cpa](https://beavercreekohio.gov/cpa) or contact Officer O'Neill at (937) 425-1225. Updates will also be posted on the city's social media channels.







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## EMS Week 2025: Thanking the People Who Care for Everyone

From May 18 to May 24, 2025, we celebrate Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Week. This is the 51st year of honoring the people who help save lives every day. The theme this year is "EMS Week: We Care. For Everyone." It reminds us that EMS workers are here for all of us—no matter who we are or where we live.

EMS is a critical service that helps people during emergencies like heart attacks, car accidents, and serious injuries. EMS teams are ready 24/7 to help when someone calls for help. Their fast and skilled care often makes the difference between life and death. But EMS workers do more than respond to emergencies. They also fill important gaps in healthcare. They help with preventative care, follow-up visits, and telemedicine. In many areas, especially rural or remote places, EMS is the only medical care people have nearby.

The EMS system is made up of many different people—EMTs, paramedics, 911 dispatchers, firefighters, police

officers, nurses, doctors, and volunteers. All of them play a part in getting people the help they need. Whether they are paid or volunteer, EMS workers train for thousands of hours and continue learning throughout their careers to stay up to date.

These men and women show up during some of the hardest moments in people's lives. They are calm, caring, and skilled, no matter the time of day or what the emergency is. They work in tough conditions and still give their best.

EMS Week is a chance for all of us to say thank you. Let's take this week to show our appreciation and support for EMS workers. Their work is important, and their dedication makes our communities stronger and safer.

The Beaver Creek Township Fire Department will host an EMS Week Celebration event at Kroger Marketplace, 3165 Dayton Xenia Rd. Beaver Creek. The event will be held in their parking lot on May 23 from 2 to 5 p.m. Come check it out and bring the whole family. More information about the event will be posted on our website and social media channels, Facebook and Instagram. Thank you, Beaver Creek Township EMTs and Paramedics and all other EMS professionals. We see you; we honor you, and we are grateful.





## Fire Chief John Mercs Retires After 40 Years of Service

After four decades of service to the fire profession, Chief John Mercs has retired, leaving behind a legacy of leadership, innovation, and commitment to the community. Mercs began his career in 1985 as a volunteer firefighter for the City of Kettering. Three years later, in 1988, he became a full-time firefighter with the Middletown Division of Fire before joining the Beavercreek Township Fire Department in 1990.

In 1995, he was promoted to lieutenant, where he played a key role in coordinating various EMS programs. His dedication to fire prevention led him to the Fire Prevention Bureau in 2003, where he managed fire prevention and investigation activities. By 2005, Mercs had risen to battalion chief, supervising one of three platoons and managing the EMS division.



Mercs continued to climb the ranks, earning a promotion to deputy chief in 2009, overseeing fire operations and administration. His leadership culminated in his appointment as assistant chief in January 2020, where he worked closely with the fire chief to advance departmental goals, foster change, and enhance communication and cultural growth.

Throughout his tenure, Mercs spearheaded numerous initiatives, including developing medic driver programs, helping purchase fire apparatus, and shaping the department's EMS division. He also served in various roles within the firefighter's union, including union president, and contributed to regional emergency response teams such as the trench rescue team and the Urban Search and Rescue Team.

Mercs earned numerous certifications, including in fire investigation, NIMS standards, and technical rescue disciplines, and achieved the status of Certified Public Manager through the State of Ohio in 2007. His work was recognized with multiple accolades, including the Firefighter Commendation Award for his leadership in EMS, the EMS Unit Commendation Award for his heroic actions during a medical emergency, and the Fire Unit Commendation for his leadership during the 2008 windstorm. In 2015, he was named Beavercreek Township's Employee of the Year.

Mercs credited his successful career to the support of his family, including his wife Rhonda, their four children, Heather, Ashley, Holly, and John, and five grandchildren. His family actively participated in department functions, embodying the spirit of service that defined his career.

As Mercs steps into retirement, his legacy of dedication, bravery, and advocacy for both the community and fellow firefighters will remain a lasting impact. The Beavercreek Township community expressed deep gratitude for his years of service and wished him well in his next chapter.

## Celebrate Safely: Fireworks Safety Tips for Summer Fun

Summer brings sunshine, barbecues, parades—and, of course, fireworks. While fireworks are a popular way to celebrate holidays like the Fourth of July, they also pose serious risks. In 2022, Ohio Law allowed consumer fireworks to be used on certain holidays throughout the year. If you live in the unincorporated portion of the Township, you need to abide by those rules and specific dates (ORC 3743.45). However, the City of Beavercreek passed an ordinance banning the possession, selling, or discharging of fireworks within the city (Section 93.09 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Beavercreek).

The National Safety Council strongly recommends enjoying fireworks only at public displays conducted by professionals.

Each year, thousands of people, many of them children and teens—are injured badly enough to require medical treatment due to fireworks-related incidents. While illegal or homemade fireworks are often to blame, even small devices like sparklers and firecrackers can cause severe burns and injuries. The risk of fires, permanent injury, and even death is real, and often underestimated.

Last year, the Beavercreek Township Fire Department responded to two house fires caused by fireworks. Both fires caused damage and left the homeowners displaced for a period of time. These real-life examples remind us just how dangerous fireworks can be when handled by amateurs. Let's keep this 4th of July safe and without any home fires or injuries. For more information on the ordinance visit, [www.beavercreekohio.gov](http://www.beavercreekohio.gov) or [www.beavercreekfire.org/169/Community-Education](http://www.beavercreekfire.org/169/Community-Education).



## Community Input Helps Shape Future of Spring House Park

More than 600 community members shared their ideas and feedback to help shape the future of Spring House Park during a recent open house and online survey!

The city is currently working on phase one of the project, which focuses on the northeast corner of the park located at the corner of E. Patterson Road and Grange Hall Road. The project is funded by a \$1 million grant awarded through Ohio's House Bill 2 One-time Strategic Community Investment Program. The funding will fully cover the design and construction of an ADA-accessible playground, entrance drive, and paved parking lot.

During the open house and online survey, participants were asked to weigh in on playground elements and color schemes for a new play area intended for children ages 5 to 12. Additional feedback was collected on potential future features, including a play area for ages 2 to 5, more play amenities, shelters, restrooms, and more.

"This community input is invaluable," said Zach Wike, Beaver Creek Parks Director. "It not only helps us fine-tune the immediate plans for phase one of Spring House Park, but also guides key decisions about infrastructure and utilities as we look ahead to future development. We're incredibly grateful to everyone who took the time to share their thoughts—your involvement is truly shaping the future of this park."



The first phase of construction — including the entrance drive, parking lot, park signage, and foundational infrastructure — is scheduled to begin in late summer or fall 2025. Installation of the new playground equipment is expected in early 2026.

At this time, the city does not have additional funding available for other phase one amenities or future features. The current projects were selected because they require minimal disruption to existing park operations while providing immediate community benefits. Visit [beavercreekohio.gov/springhousepark](https://beavercreekohio.gov/springhousepark) for updates and more information about the park.

## Beavercreek Celebrates the Power of Volunteers: More Than 35,000 Hours Contributed in 2024



Volunteering is more than just lending a hand - it's a way to build community, find purpose, and make a lasting impact. In Beavercreek, that impact is undeniable.

In 2024 alone, volunteers contributed an impressive 35,169 hours to the City of Beavercreek's Parks, Recreation & Culture Division, equating to the work of nearly 17 full-time employees and valued at more than \$1.1 million.

At the Beavercreek Senior Center, volunteers are essential to daily operations. They assist at the front desk, operate

the kitchen, maintain the library, supervise activities, lead classes, and help with light cleaning. One of the most critical services is the senior transportation program, where volunteer driver-escort teams provide seniors with rides to medical appointments, grocery stores, and local businesses.

"Volunteering can lead to much happiness and long life," said transportation volunteer Al Schoolcraft. "So many Beavercreek friends and neighbors rely on volunteers, so it is important that we all give back a little bit of our time and effort."

Volunteers also play key roles in the city's community events and recreation programs. From planning and preparation to ensuring events run smoothly, volunteers help make each experience safe, successful, and fun for all ages. In the city's parks division, volunteers contribute through hands-on projects such as trail development and maintenance, installing playground mulch, general clean-up, and other special efforts that keep Beavercreek's outdoor spaces clean and welcoming.

Whether you're looking to give back, connect with others, or share your talents, there's a volunteer opportunity for you in Beavercreek. To learn more or get involved, visit [beavercreekohio.gov/volunteer](https://beavercreekohio.gov/volunteer) or call the city's parks division at (937) 427-5514.





## Adult Programs

### Nature Programs

Instructors from Wright State University campus recreation staff

### Hiking: Map & Compass

Ages 16+  
Wednesday, June 11, 7 - 8 p.m.  
C. I. Beaver Hall, 3696 Highmont St.  
Fee: \$12, \$7 resident

This one-hour course introduces the basics of map and compass navigation. Participants will learn to read topographic maps, use a compass, take bearings, and orient maps through hands-on practice. Ideal for beginners or those needing a refresher, the course builds confidence for safe, effective outdoor navigation.

### Learn to Kayak (Instructional)

Ages 16+  
5 - 6:30 p.m.  
• Sunday, July 13  
• Sunday, July 27

Dominick Lofino Park  
640 Grange Hall Road  
Fee: \$19, \$14 resident

This course will introduce participants to kayaking equipment, strokes and maneuvers. Participants will be given the opportunity to practice techniques on their own and use them to explore the lake. This class is taught with recreational kayaks. Come prepared to get wet and have fun!

### Kayaking (Drop In)

Ages 16+  
7 - 8:30 p.m.  
• Sunday, July 13  
• Sunday, July 27

Dominick Lofino Park  
640 Grange Hall Road

Try out Kayaking during our Summer Concert Series! Each session includes: kayak, paddle, life jacket, and trained kayak instructors from Wright State University Campus Recreation. This drop-in program is not instructional. This program is free, but registration required in advance with Greene County Parks & Trails at [gcparkstrails.com](http://gcparkstrails.com).

## Enrichment

### Beavercreek Clay Courts Tennis Club

All classes held at  
Beavercreek Clay courts Tennis Club,  
2373 La Cresta Drive



### Adult 'Dusty' Rackets

Ages 18+  
Instructor Steve Hayden  
Tuesdays, 7 - 8 p.m.  
• June 24 - July 15  
• July 29 to August 19  
Fee: \$69, \$60 resident

Haven't played since high school? Need to fine-tune your stroke for that doubles league? Join our Dusty Rackets Clinics for a 4-week session. You'll hit a lot of tennis balls while receiving guidance on strokes, racket skills, and strategy.

### Adult Tennis 101

Ages 18+  
Instructor Steve Hayden  
Wednesdays, 7 - 8 p.m.  
• June 25 - July 30  
• August 13 - September 17  
Fee: \$86, \$75 Resident

New to tennis? No experience needed—join our 6-week session focused on fun and fundamentals. You'll learn racket skills, strokes, strategy, and games using low-compression orange balls and standard yellow balls. Once you're ready, you'll have the option to join one of our adult leagues.

### Pickleball

Ages 18+  
Instructors Rick Morrison and Steve Hayden  
Tuesdays, 6 - 7:30 p.m.  
• June 24 - July 29  
• August 12 - September 16  
Thursdays, 6 - 7:30 p.m.  
• June 26 - July 31  
• August 14 - September 18  
Fee: \$69, \$60 resident

Learn to play the fastest-growing sport in the U.S.! This six-week program includes two instructional clinic sessions followed by four weeks of round-robin play. Both the clinics and games offer fun, social play on dedicated outdoor pickleball courts.

### Black Belt Respect Taekwondo

Ages 8+  
Instructor Toby Underdown  
Lofino Plaza Multipurpose Room,  
3868 Dayton-Xenia Road  
Wednesdays and Fridays, 6 - 8 p.m.  
• June 4 - June 27  
• July 2 - July 30  
• August 1 - August 29  
Fee: \$51, \$44 resident  
Additional family member, get \$5 off! \$46, \$39 resident  
Continuing the legacy of Grandmaster

Y.C. Kim throughout the Dayton area, this traditional Taekwondo class welcomes both adults and children of all belt levels—including beginners with no prior martial arts experience. Begin your journey toward earning a black belt in this Korean martial art, which emphasizes kicks, punches, blocks, mental discipline, and self-defense.

### Line Dancing

Ages 18+  
Instructor Debbie Brown  
Lofino Plaza Multipurpose Room,  
3868 Dayton-Xenia Road  
Thursdays, 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.  
• June 12 - July 10  
• July 17 - August 14  
• August 21 - September 18  
Fee: \$50, \$40 resident

Experienced line dancers, come join us on Thursday nights! Line dancing is a fun and social activity where participants follow a sequence of steps to music, often performed in a group. There's no formal instruction, dancers simply join in, pick up the steps, and enjoy the rhythm while socializing and having fun with others.

### Tai Chi

Instructor Sandy Wright  
Lofino Plaza Multipurpose Room,  
3868 Dayton-Xenia Road  
Thursdays, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.  
June 5 - July 3  
Fee: \$52, \$45 resident

Tai Chi, an ancient Chinese tradition, is practiced as a graceful form of exercise involving slow, focused movements and deep breathing. Benefits include improved health, enhanced balance, and better stress management.

### Vu-Do Swing



Ages 18+  
Instructors Jessica and Gus Vu  
C. I. Beaver Hall, 3696 Highmont St.

### Swing I

Wednesdays, June 25 - July 9  
7 - 8 p.m.  
This class focuses on beginner Swing and introduces strong lead and follow techniques that are valuable across all dance styles. It's ideal for those who have never danced before or want to refresh their basic skills.

### Swing II

Wednesdays, July 16 - July 30  
7 - 8 p.m.  
Swing II focuses on intermediate-level Swing and is designed for students who have completed Swing I or have prior Swing dance experience.

Swing I or II Fees:  
Individual: \$45, \$40 resident  
Couple: \$60, \$55 resident

Take Swing I and Swing II for a deal!  
Individual: \$55, \$50 resident  
Couple: \$90, \$80 resident

### Swing III

Wednesdays, June 25 – July 30  
8:15 – 9:15 p.m.

Individual: \$55, \$50 resident  
Couple: \$75, \$70 resident

Swing III focuses on advanced swing-dancing techniques. This class is for students who have completed Swing I and II or are experienced swing dancers.

### The Purple Paintbrush

Owner/Instructor Kristin Bailey

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C.I. Beaver Hall, 3696 Highmont St. unless  
otherwise noted.



### Fall-ing for Gnomies and Fairies

Ages 18+

Sunday, September 21, 10 am – Noon  
Fee: \$50, \$44 resident

Back by popular demand! The Gnomies are returning with a twist! Represent your favorite football team with a custom-designed pottery gnome, or paint a fall-themed fairy house. The options will differ from our spring event, so don't miss the chance to add to your collection!

### Health and Wellness

#### Wellness Walkers

9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Thursdays

Free, but registration is required in advance with Greene County Parks and Trails at [gcparkstrails.com](http://gcparkstrails.com)

Each week we will get our heart rate up and get moving – enjoying the outdoors in our beautiful parks throughout Beaver Creek, Fairborn, and Greene County! Walks are guided and self-paced. Get to know the parks better and meet new people.

#### Goat Yoga in the Park

Instructor Goat Country LLC.

Wartinger Park, 3080 Kemp Road  
Ages 18+

- Tuesday, July 15,  
6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Ages 5+,

- Wednesday, August 6,  
6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Fee: \$35, \$30 resident

Experience yoga while laughing, playing, and cuddling with goats! Goat Country LLC will bring baby goats, big goats, cuddly goats, and more. Pictures and cuddles with the goats are encouraged!

#### Yoga in the Park

Ages 18+

Instructor Sara Ordway

Sunday, June 29, 10 – 11 a.m.

Wartinger Park, 3080 Kemp Road  
Free, but registration is required

Yoga in the Park is perfect for everyone, including beginners! Awaken your body with gentle movement, enliven your mind-body connection through mindfulness, and calm your mind with guided relaxation. Take some time for yourself!

### Evening Yoga

Instructor Sandy Wright

C. I. Beaver Hall, 3696 Highmont St.

Mondays, 6:15 – 7:15 p.m.

- June 2 – June 30
- July 21 – August 18

Thursdays, 6:15 – 7:15 p.m.

- June 5 – July 3
- July 24 – August 21

Fee: \$52, \$45 resident

Learn the fundamental aspects of yoga, including physical postures, breathing techniques, deep relaxation, visualization, and meditation. The practice of yoga reduces stress and tension, strengthens the lungs, increases energy levels, improves the immune system, lowers blood pressure, and enhances flexibility and mobility. This class is designed for all levels of experience.

### Inclusive Yoga

Instructor Sara Ordway

Lofino Plaza Multipurpose Room,

3868 Dayton-Xenia Road

Saturdays, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

August 16 – September 13

- No class July 26 or Aug. 2

Fee: \$52, \$45 resident

Adaptable yoga practice, in a chair or on a mat. You're encouraged to practice at your own pace through offerings of gentle movement, meditation, and breath. Perfect for beginners and those looking for a more accessible practice.

### Mommy & Me Yoga NEW!

Instructor Judy Shaw

C. I. Beaver Hall, 3696 Highmont St.

Mondays, 10 – 11 a.m.

- June 23 – July 21
- July 28 – August 25

Fee: \$69, \$60 resident

This inclusive program is for parents and caregivers to recharge, move, and connect with their little ones. All experience levels and ages are welcome. Bring a mat for yourself and a blanket for the pre-crawlers. Enjoy a rejuvenating practice that gives your body the care it deserves while your little one has fun.

### Pilates

Instructor Kelli Schmidt

C. I. Beaver Hall, 3696 Highmont St.

Tuesdays, 8:15 – 9:15 a.m.

- July 29 – August 26

Thursdays, 8:15 – 9:15 a.m.

- July 31 – August 28

Fee: \$52, \$45 resident

Sign up for Tuesday and Thursday for a deal! \$94, \$80 resident

Pilates is an engaging exercise program that boosts physical and mental well-being. Developed by Joseph H. Pilates in the 1920s, it improves body shape, alignment, and flexibility while strengthening core muscles. This class is suitable for all experience levels.

### Specialty Camps

#### The Purple Paintbrush

Owner/Instructor Kristin Bailey

C.I. Beaver Hall, 3696 Highmont St.



#### Not Just the Brush-Art Camp

Monday – Thursday

June 2 – June 5, 9 – 11 a.m.

Ages: 8 – 11 or 5 – 7 with parent

Fee: \$110, \$96 resident

You asked for it—summer art camp is back! If your child loves art, this is the perfect way to kick off the summer creatively. Over four fun-filled mornings, campers will work with clay, paint pottery, make friendship bracelets and necklaces using polymer and beads, create a pirate-themed craft with a treasure hunt, and explore both acrylic and watercolor painting.

#### Beavercreek Clay Courts Tennis Club

Camps held at Beavercreek Clay

Courts Tennis Club, 2373 La Cresta Dr.

Fee: \$172, \$150 resident



#### Junior Tennis Camps

Instructor Steve Hayden

##### Junior Intermediate, ages 8 – 16

- Monday, Wednesday, and Friday,  
June 2, 4, 6, 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.
- Monday, Wednesday, and Friday,  
July 7, 9, 11, 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

##### Advanced, ages 13 – 18

- Monday, Wednesday, and Friday,  
June 9, 11, 13, 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.
- Monday, Wednesday, and Friday,  
July 21, 23, 25, 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Improve your tennis skills! Daily participants will stretch, warm up, learn and practice skills, small game tactics, drills, and play match games. Campers will also have the opportunity to swim, as well as play pickleball and bocce ball.

#### Quest Dance

Instructor Richie McKeever

3820 Kemp Road, Beavercreek



#### Extreme Quest Sports Camp

Ages 4 – 17

July 14 – 18. Monday – Friday

9 a.m. – Noon

Fee: \$104, \$90 resident



Extreme Quest Sports Camp combines hip hop, gymnastics, and parkour! Learn breakdancing and street-style choreography, along with obstacle course training that includes climbing, vaulting, rolling, flipping, and more.

## Quest Cheer Camp

Ages 4 - 17  
July 14 - 18, Monday - Friday  
9 a.m. - Noon  
Fee: \$104, \$90 resident

Participants will learn cheer tumbling, arm positions, jumps, and stunting in groups. A cheer showcase will be held at the end of camp!

## The Piano Preparatory School

Camps will be held at The Piano Preparatory School, 41 Grange Hall Rd.

## Music Makers Camp

Ages 6 - 8  
Monday - Friday, July 7 - 11, 9 - 11 a.m.  
Fee: \$115, \$100 resident

In this high-energy camp, our music makers will dive "Under the Sea" for a week of crafts, games, singing, movement, and storytelling. Children will also explore sound through hands-on activities, fun experiments, and instrument exploration.

## Instrument Lab

Ages 7 - 12  
Monday - Thursday, June 16 - 19  
9 - 10:30 a.m.  
Fee: 86, \$75 resident

Instrument Lab introduces students to an assortment of instruments, including piano, cello, drumming, guitar, ukulele, violin and voice! Participants will learn how to produce sound and a simple song on each, while also exploring music concepts through fun games and activities.

## Music Theatre Workshop

Ages 9 - 15  
Monday - Friday, July 14 - July 18,  
9 a.m. - Noon  
Fee: \$172, \$150 resident

This workshop offers an introduction to the world of musical theatre! Students will sing, act, and dance through the week as they collaborate in small groups, learning scenes from popular Broadway shows, such as *Wicked* and *The Lion King*. The program will explore the history of musical theatre, stage terminology, choreography, drama exercises, and developing healthy singing habits through solo and ensemble work.

## Youth Programs

### Preschool Game Day

Ages 2 - 5 years  
10 - 10:30 a.m.

- Wednesday, June 18, at Gerspacher Park, 2364 Gerspacher Drive
- Wednesday, July 16, at Virgallito Park, 2569 Lantz Road
- Wednesday, August 20, at Shoup Park, 1341 Meadowbridge Drive

Fee: \$7, \$5 resident

Join us for a morning of fun with your preschooler! This is a great opportunity for little ones to play and interact with others, helping them develop social skills while staying active with various games and activities. Parent participation is encouraged! Only register one child per family.

## Enriching Kidz

Instructor Amy Klebanow Marks  
Classes will be held in the Lofino Plaza Meeting Room, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Road



## Kidz Home Alone

Ages 9 - 12  
Monday, June 9 and Wed., June 11  
Noon - 2 p.m.  
Fee: \$115, \$100 resident

Would your child know what to do if they forgot their house key or were choking? Our Kidz Home Alone class teaches children how to stay safe when home alone, addressing various "what-if" scenarios. The course includes a parent guide for open discussions on home-alone safety.

## Better Baby Sitters

Ages 10 - 14  
Tues., June 17 and Thurs., June 19  
Noon - 4 p.m.  
Fee: \$138, \$120 resident

Would your child know what to do if the child they're babysitting started choking or if someone came to the door? In our Better Baby Sitters course, your child will learn babysitting responsibilities, CPR for infants and children, basic first aid, growth and development, and age-appropriate activities. They'll also cover diapering, infant care, and toddler feeding. Most importantly, the course is fun!

## The Piano Preparatory School

Classes will be held at The Piano Preparatory School, 41 Grange Hall Rd.

## Piano Explorers

- Ages 5 - 7
- Tuesdays, June 3 - June 24, 11 - 11:30 a.m.
  - Tuesdays, June 3 - June 24, 4 - 4:30 p.m.



Fee: \$57, \$50 resident

A perfect first step before enrolling in the beginning piano program! Designed for budding pianists, Piano Explorers

introduces foundational music concepts using our digital piano lab. Students will explore rhythm, the musical alphabet, piano patterns, and simple songs. A piano is not required for participation.

## Jump Start Guitar & Ukulele

**Jump Start Guitar:**  
Ages 12 - Adult  
Tuesdays, July 8 - July 29,  
7 - 7:45 p.m.

### Jump Start Ukulele:

Ages 8 - 12

- Tuesdays, July 8 - July 29, 6:15 - 7 p.m.
- Wednesdays, July 9 - July 30, 11 - 11:45 a.m.

Fee: \$115, \$100 resident

Jump Start is a fun, affordable way to begin guitar or ukulele! In small groups, students explore chords, technique and several musical styles. Participants must provide their own instrument for class. Please contact (937) 426-6920 for rental information. Fee includes book.

## The Purple Paintbrush

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## Back to School Painting Bash!

Ages 9-12, younger children may attend with a parent or guardian  
Saturday, August 9, 10:30 a.m. - Noon  
Fee: \$37, \$32 resident

Join us for a painting party before school starts! Choose from fun themed designs (or create your own), with black or white canvases. Prefer something other than canvas? We'll have fall-themed wood cutouts to paint! Need help with color mixing? Just ask - we're here to help! After painting, enjoy light snacks and take home a small goody bag.

## The Littlest Pinch Pot Clay Workshop

Ages 3 - 6 (An adult must attend)  
Saturday, September 27  
10:30 a.m. - Noon  
Fee: \$32, \$28 resident

This workshop is for young artists! With a grownup's help, kids will create fun pinch pot shapes (like apples, leaves, or animals) and decorate them with clay embellishments. Afterward, it's time to glaze!

**To register for these programs, visit [beavercreekoh.myrec.com](http://beavercreekoh.myrec.com)**

## Youth Sports

### Amazing Athletes

Tuesdays, June 3 – July 8

- No program July 1

Ages 2.5 – 4 years, 5:30 – 6:15 p.m.

Ages 5 – 6 years, 6:30 – 7:15 p.m.

Rotary Park Shelter

2260 Dayton-Xenia Road

Fee: \$119, \$104 resident

Join Amazing Athletes for this multi-sport program, where we'll practice coordination, fine and gross motor skills, all while staying active! Our program introduces the fundamentals of 10 different sports in a non-competitive environment to help develop athletic skills, nutritional knowledge, and body awareness.



### Skyhawks T-ball Training & Skills

Wednesdays, June 11 – July 30

- No program July 2

Ages 3 years, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Ages 4 – 6 years, 6:45 – 7:45 p.m.

Rotary Park T-ball Diamond 2

2260 Dayton-Xenia Road

Fee: \$128, \$111 resident

Learn the fundamentals of fielding, catching, throwing, hitting and base running in a fun, positive environment. Athletes learn new baseball skills along with vital life lessons such as respect, teamwork and responsibility.



## Youth Sports Camps

### Skyhawks

#### Multisport Camp

Rotary Park, 2260 Dayton-Xenia Road

Ages 7 – 12, June 2 – 6, 9 a.m. – noon

Fee: \$187, \$164 resident

This program is designed to introduce young athletes to a variety of different sports in one setting. Athletes will learn the rules and essential skills of each sport, along with vital life lessons such as sportsmanship, inclusion and teamwork.



#### Tennis Camp

Dominick Lofino Park, 640 Grange Hall Rd.  
Ages 6 – 12, 1 – 4 p.m.

- June 16 – 20 (No camp on June 19) Fee: \$166, \$144 resident
- July 28 – August 1  
Fee: \$189, \$164 resident

Whether your child is a beginning or intermediate player, this program will improve their game and help them get more enjoyment for tennis.

#### Flag Football Camp

Dominick Lofino Park, 640 Grange Hall Rd.

Ages 6 – 12, 9 a.m. – noon

June 16 – 20 (No camp on June 19)

Fee: \$166, \$144 resident

Using a curriculum developed by the experts from USA Football, coaches will teach skills like passing, receiving, kicking and flag pulling. Participants will gain confidence and learn important life lessons in a fun, positive environment.

### Beginning Golf Camp

Ages 5 – 9

June 23 – 27, 9 a.m. – noon

Rotary Park, 2260 Dayton-Xenia Road

Fee: \$189, \$164 resident

Participants will learn the fundamentals of swinging, putting and body positioning. The program is specifically designed for the entry-level player, simplifying instruction so that young players can make an easy and effective transition onto the golf course. All equipment provided.

### Pickleball Camp

Ages 7 – 11,

July 7 – 11, 9 a.m. – noon

Dominick Lofino Park, 640 Grange Hall Rd.

Fee: \$189, \$164 resident

One of the fastest growing racket sports in the U.S., pickleball is quickly becoming a favorite activity among young athletes. Skyhawks Pickleball camp will give your young athlete an opportunity to learn the fundamentals of this great sport.

### Volleyball Camp

Dominick Lofino Park, 640 Grange Hall Rd.

Ages 7 – 12

July 28 – Aug 1, 9 a.m. – noon

Fee: \$189, \$164 resident

Skyhawks Volleyball Camp brings the excitement of this team sport into a fun-filled experience. Designed for beginner to intermediate co-ed players, the camp focuses on passing, setting, hitting, and serving through game-based drills and daily scrimmages.

### Soccer Camp

Rotary Park, 2260 Dayton-Xenia Road

July 21 – 25

- Ages 3 – 5, 12:30 – 1:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$101, \$88 resident
- Ages 6 – 12, 9 a.m. – noon  
Fee: \$189, \$164 resident

Your young athlete will build key soccer skills—dribbling, passing, shooting, and ball control—while learning teamwork, sportsmanship, and making new friends.

### Amazing Athletes Multi-Sport Summer Camp

Rotary Park, 2260 Dayton-Xenia Road

June 9 – 13 or July 14 – 18

- Ages 5 – 9, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.  
Fee: \$207, \$180 resident
- Ages 4 – 9, 9 a.m. – noon  
Fee: \$138, \$120 resident

Amazing Athletes Camp is a game-



based program that promotes active wellness through fitness challenges and interactive lessons across 10 sports: baseball, basketball, football, golf, hockey, lacrosse, soccer, tennis, track and field, and volleyball. Each day highlights a positive attribute—attitude, belief, ability and hard work, communication, discipline and fair play, and encouragement and teamwork—to support growth on and off the field. Campers will also learn about nutrition and muscle awareness to build a foundation for a healthy lifestyle.

## Upcoming Events

### Enchanted Tales & Tunes

Saturday, June 7, 10 a.m. – noon

Dominick Lofino Park, 640 Grange Hall Rd.

Join us for a magical morning at Dominick Lofino Park. Meet your favorite princesses as they share enchanting stories and sing delightful songs. There will be sweet treats available for purchase from Frios Gourmet Pops, and make your very own princess crown and enjoy other crafts with help from Greene County Public Library. It's a royal adventure you can't miss!

### Swing Dance in the Park

Ages 18+

Saturday, June 28, 7 – 10 p.m.

Dominick Lofino Park Shelter,

640 Grange Hall Road



Join us for swing dance in the park sponsored by City of Beavercreek Parks, Recreation & Culture and Vu-Do Swing Productions LLC. We'll dance outside to live music! The Vu-Do Swing Band will provide music from 7:30 to 10 p.m. with DJ'd breaks by Gus. Beginners lesson at 7 p.m. This dance is free, open to the public. Dress appropriately and bring water. Pre-registration is strongly encouraged.

**To register for these programs,  
visit [beavercreekoh.myrec.com](http://beavercreekoh.myrec.com)  
or scan the QR code below!**





## Celebrate the Fourth of July with the City of Beavercreek!

Get ready for a star-spangled celebration you won't want to miss! Mark your calendars for Friday, July 4, 2025, as the City of Beavercreek proudly hosts its annual Fourth of July Celebration — a fun-filled evening for the entire family, taking place from 6:00 to 10:30 p.m. This year, we are especially excited to partner with WHIO Radio in celebration of their 90th anniversary, bringing even more energy and excitement to this unforgettable event!

The festivities kick off with the city's beloved Fourth of July parade along Dayton-Xenia Road, beginning at the intersection of Meadow Bridge Drive and concluding near Beavercreek High School. After the parade, head over to Rotary Park for an evening of family-friendly fun! Enjoy live music by Velvet Crush, who will light up the stage with crowd-pleasing hits from across the decades. Kids can bounce and play on giant inflatables, while guests of all ages can savor a delicious variety of offerings from local food trucks. The celebration will conclude with a spectacular fireworks display, generously sponsored by the Joshi Family.

This event would not be possible without the incredible support of our sponsors and community partners. Interested in becoming a sponsor, joining the parade, or nominating a Grand Marshal? Visit [beavercreekohio.gov/4thofjuly](https://beavercreekohio.gov/4thofjuly) for more information.

## Beavercreek Parks Division Announces 2025 Summer Concert Series at Dominick Lofino Park

Get ready for a summer filled with music and fun! Beavercreek Parks, Recreation & Culture is excited to present the 2025 Summer Concert Series! Starting Sunday, June 1, free concerts will be held every Sunday at 7:00 p.m. at Dominick Lofino Park, located at 640 Grange Hall Road. These family-friendly events are open to the public and offer the perfect way to enjoy a relaxing summer evening with friends and loved ones.

### 2025 Summer Concert Lineup

June 1: The Wayward J's  
June 8: Noah Wotherspoon  
June 15: Berachah Valley  
June 22: The Hathaways  
June 29: 5  
July 13: The Smithville South Band  
July 20: Mosaic Church Band  
July 27: Streetwise Band

Don't forget to bring a lawn chair or blanket for seating! For more information, visit [beavercreekohio.gov/concert](https://beavercreekohio.gov/concert).







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## Beavercreek Golf Club Set to Complete Final Phase of Bunker Renovations

The Beavercreek Golf Club is nearing completion of the final phase of its comprehensive bunker renovation project, marking a major enhancement to both the playability and overall condition of the course.

This last phase includes updates to 11 bunkers on holes 2, 3, 4, 12, 13, 14, and 15. Each bunker has been reshaped to better align with the natural landscape, improve drainage, and reduce long-term maintenance needs. Some bunkers were relocated or reoriented to improve aesthetics and gameplay, while others were removed entirely to match the course's evolving design.

"This renovation has made a tremendous difference for both players and staff," said Steve Klick, Golf Course Manager and Club Pro. "We're excited to see these improvements come to life and to offer a better experience for everyone who plays here."

The renovation aims to not only elevate the visual appeal of the course, but also address issues caused by aging bunkers that were increasingly difficult to maintain—especially after heavy rains that led to drainage problems and extended repair times.

Construction is expected to wrap up by late May or early June. Minimal disruption to play is expected, as the work is being scheduled around the club's calendar to avoid hole closures. Temporary greens or tees may be used as needed to ensure player safety, and construction will be limited on weekends.

Golfers are encouraged to book a tee time online and come experience the improvements firsthand. For more information, contact the club at (937) 320-0742, email [golf@beavercreekohio.gov](mailto:golf@beavercreekohio.gov), or stop by the pro shop at 2800 New Germany-Trebein Road.



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