New Website!

Please visit the City of Bridgeport's updated website at www.bridgeportwv.com to learn more about the City.
The new site features department information as well as contact names and phone numbers. You can also find employment opportunities, our City Code, forms, news links, read about Bridgeport, and much more.

Questions? Call 304-842-8200.

Visit:
www.bridgeportwv.com

Summer Employment

Bridgeport Parks and Recreation will begin accepting applications for summer positions in January. Stop by the Benedum Civic Center to receive an application.

Positions available include: Lifeguards, Pool Concessions, Recreation Complex Field Staff and Summer Maintenance.

Interviews are normally held around Spring Break. Call 842-8240 for more information.

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Children's Basketball League
Registration Deadline: Wednesday February 1, 2017

2017 Winter Activity Guide

Bridgeport Parks & Recreation

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Opportunity lives here.

JANUARY 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 **New Years Day** **City Offices Closed**	3 Karate Begins	4	5 Karate	6	7
8	9 Beg Ballroom Begins Little Explorers Begins **Youth Wrestling**	10 Karate	11 Beg Ballroom Begins Little Explorers Begins	12 Karate Little Explorers Begins	13	14
15	16 Beg Ballroom Little Explorers **Martin Luther King Jr. Day - City Offices Closed** **Youth Wrestling**	17 Karate	18 Beg Ballroom Little Explorers	19 Karate Little Explorers	20	21
22	23 Beg Ballroom Little Explorers **Youth Wrestling**	24 Karate	25 Beg Ballroom Little Explorers	26 Karate Little Explorers	27	28
29	30 Beg Ballroom Little Explorers Ends **Youth Wrestling**	31 Karate **Stamp Camp**				

BRIDGEPORT Parks & Recreation

Mission Statement:
To provide the residents of the Bridgeport area with quality recreational and educational programs to, in turn, help enhance the quality of life.

The Staff:

Director:	Don Burton
Deputy Director:	Joe Shuttleworth
Admin. Assistant:	Sally Hastings
Park & Facility Maint.:	Bill Lafferty
	Nick Burton
	Donnie Tate
	Andrew Junkins
	Russell Carpenter
	Jack Fenton
Receptionists:	Michelle Leonard
	Libby Phillips
	Kathy Csonka
	Fran Vance
	Lisa Zirkle

Hours of Operation:

Monday-Thursday:	8:00am-9:00pm
Friday:	8:00am-5:00pm
Saturday:	10:00am-5:00pm
Sunday:	Closed

Important Numbers and Information:
Phone: 304-842-8240
Fax: 304-842-8203
Web site: www.bridgeportwv.com
Mailing Address: 164 West Main Street, Bridgeport WV 26330

Children's Basketball League

For all children in grades K-3rd
Divisions: K-1st (Tue./Thur.) and 2nd-3rd (Mon./Wed.)
February 20 - April 6

$50 per child
Includes t-shirt and medal

Volunteer Coaches are needed.
Registration forms will be distributed through the Bridgeport Schools - Others can call 304-842-8240, visit www.connect-bridgeport.com or stop by the Benedum Civic Center to obtain a form.

Registration Deadline:
Wednesday February 1, 2017

Youth Wrestling Program

Open to area youth ages 5-15. Learn skills and techniques and have the opportunity to compete in local tournaments. Practices are held at the BHS Field House on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 6:00-7:30pm. This program ends in March but registration is still open to any interested youth.

SPECIAL EVENTS 842-8240

FEBRUARY 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Beg Ballroom Little Explorers Ends ***Deadline for Childrens Basketball League Registration***	2 Karate Little Explorers Ends	3	4
	Youth Wrestling					
5	6 Beg Ballroom Little Explorers Begins	7 Karate	8 Beg Ballroom Little Explorers Begins	9 Karate Little Explorers Begins	10 Let's Paint the Town!	11 Let's Paint Kids! Paint with Mommy
	Youth Wrestling					
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Ballroom Dancing

The perfect class for friends and couples. This one-of-a-kind course will have you dazzling others at the next wedding or event you attend.
Learn many of the classics such as the Waltz, Fox Trot and Cha-Cha.
Instructors: Artie and Eileen Frank

Beginners:	Monday Evenings			
Session 1	1/9/17-2/20/17	7 Weeks	7:00-8:00pm	$49
Session 2	2/27/17-4/10/17	7 Weeks	7:00-8:00pm	$49

Beginners:	Wednesday Evenings			
Session 1	1/11/17-2/22/17	7 Weeks	7:00-8:00pm	$49
Session 2	3/1/17-4/12/17	7 Weeks	7:00-8:00pm	$49

Stay in Touch

Visit and join the "City of Bridgeport" facebook page. This page is utilized to provide reminders, updates and news for Bridgeport Parks and Recreation as well as other happenings around the Bridgeport area.

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Stamp Camp

Create seasonal greeting cards and other projects in this fun, easy class. Take home all your creations to share and enjoy. Must pre-register
Instructor: Kathy Hamrick
Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm $10 per class, includes materials

January 31 February 28 March 28

Park Shelter Rentals

All park shelters are available for private reservations on a first-paid basis. Pre-payment and reservations are required. Reservations for 2017 rentals will begin on Monday January 2nd 2017. All reservations must be made in the Parks and Recreation office located in the Benedum Civic Center.

Bridgeport Walks

Bridgeport Walks is a new City of Bridgeport program designed to get you out and walk your way to fitness and a healthy lifestyle.

The program currently features four designated walking routes marked with color coded "Bridgeport Walks" discs allowing you to walk measured distances throughout Bridgeport utilizing Park trails, City sidewalks and roadways.

Visit www.bridgeportwv.com for maps.

BRIDGEPORT WALKS

ADULT ACTIVITIES 842-8240

MARCH 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Beg Ballroom Begins Little Explorers Ends	2 Karate Little Explorers Ends	3	4
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		Children's Basketball League				

Karate

(Adults and children ages 7 & Up)
Challenge your fitness level and discipline by exploring the Chito-Ryo style of Karate. Learn punching, throwing, kicking and self-defense techniques in this structured environment.

Instructor: Kevin Drummond (and other black belts)

Tuesdays and Thursdays
1/3-2/16 7wks Tues 6:00-9:00pm Thurs 6:00-9:00pm

2/21-4/6 7wks Tues 6:00-9:00pm Thurs 6:00-9:00pm
(younger children/lower belts train at 6:00pm - normally for 1 hour/night) 7 wk session: $42 Family Rate: 7wk: $56

Easter Egg Hunt

For all children
ages 5 & under
Tuesday April 11
2:00pm
(Raindate: Thursday 4/13, 2pm)
Bridgeport Recreation Complex

Little Explorers

Instructor: Anita Jesmer $35/session
This pre-school science program will expose youngsters to interesting scientific facts and experiments. Parents are requested to stay for assistance with hands on projects.

Outer Space - Investigate various planets, learn about Astronauts and rocket ships.
Dinosaurs - Explore prehistoric times.
Musical Instruments - Learn about sound waves and pitches of sounds that are made.
Light Spectrum & Kaleidoscopes - Explore the different characteristics of light.
Wavelength, frequency, white light and colors of light - Students will be making a monocular, binoculars and kaleidoscopes.

MORNING CLASSES **THURSDAY**
10:00-11:00 am

Outer Space: 1/12/17-2/2/17
Dinosaurs: 2/9/17-3/2/17
Musical Instruments: 3/9/17-3/30/17
Light Spectrum: 4/6/17-5/4/17

EVENING CLASSES **MONDAY OR WEDNESDAY**
6:00-7:00 pm

Outer Space:
Mon: 1/9/17-1/30/17 Wed: 1/11/17-2/1/17
Dinosaurs:
Mon: 2/6/17-2/27/17 Wed: 2/8/17-3/1/17
Musical Instruments:
Mon: 3/6/17-3/27/17 Wed: 3/8/17-3/29/17
Light Spectrum:
Mon: 4/3/17-5/1/17 Wed: 4/5/17-5/3/17

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES 842-8240