



Murfreesboro
Parks and Recreation

Annual Report 2015



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Mission Statement

To plan, organize, implement and promote a comprehensive delivery system of programs, facilities, and areas which enhance the community's quality of life.

A message from the Director

The Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department has very diverse parks, a greenway trail, and facilities which continue to be very popular amenities in Murfreesboro and significantly contribute to the quality of life in our community. As always, our department is driven to work diligently towards improving its services, programs, and facilities for the enjoyment of our residents. This year was marked with the addition of the new Adams Tennis Complex, renovation of Sports*Com, the acquisition of Bradley Museum, and more. The department was honored by winning 27 prestigious awards at the Tennessee Recreation and Parks Association's Annual Conference.

In keeping with our mission statement of enhancing our community's quality of life, we offered 286 in-house programs with 426,211 participants and partnered with 153 organizations that offered additional services and programs that served tens of thousands of people throughout our community. In addition, our department provided \$389,632.00 in financial assistance to ensure that everyone who wanted to participate had an opportunity to do so. All of this would not be possible without leadership and support from the Mayor and City Council, the City Manager, the Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Commission, the Greenway Projects Committee, Tennis Committee, and most of all the patronage and contributions from our citizens. We want to thank everyone for your trust and support of our department, which enable us to provide the services necessary to make our City one of the best places to live, work, raise a family, and enjoy an excellent quality of life.

Lanny Goodwin, CPRP

Mission & Access Statements



MPRD Mission Statement:

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Access Statement:

Any city resident needing financial assistance to participate in any activity may contact the main office of the Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department, located at 697 Veterans Parkway, 615-890-5333, to receive a copy of its financial assistance policy.

It is the goal of Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department to make its programs and facilities available to the public. The City of Murfreesboro does not exclude any person from participation in or deny the benefits of, or discriminate under any program or activity operated by the City of Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department on the grounds of race, color, sex, age, disability, or national origin.

If you or someone you know has a disabling condition and would like more information about accessibility of programs or facilities, call the main office of the Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department at 890-5333 or TDD 849-2689. If you have an Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) complaint regarding a program or facility, please contact the City's ADA Coordinators:

- Glen Godwin at 615-848-2553
- Gary Whitaker at 615-893-3750

If you have a complaint regarding discrimination, please contact:

- Nellie Patton, City of Murfreesboro Title VI Coordinator, at 615-893-6441; or
- Pam Russell, City of Murfreesboro Equal Opportunity Officer at 615-848-2553.

More information and complaint forms may be found on the City's website.

Murfreesboro Parks & Recreation Commission

The purpose of the commission is to provide leisure recreation opportunities and facilities for all residents of Murfreesboro. The commission serves as the voice for the citizens and approves policy for the recreation programs, park areas, and buildings set aside for recreation in the City of Murfreesboro.



Organizational Chart

Murfreesboro Parks & Recreation Department Organization Chart

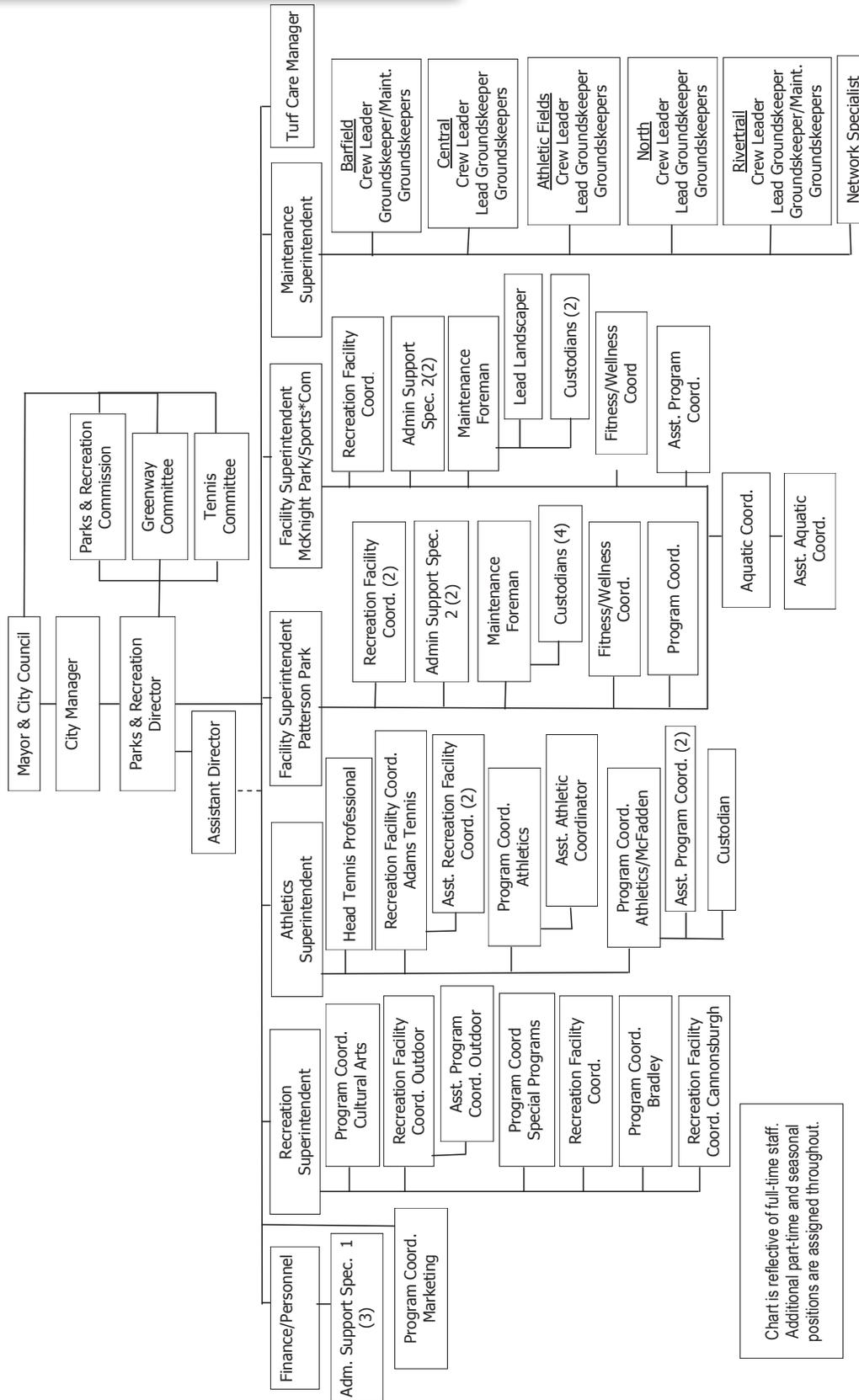


Chart is reflective of full-time staff.
Additional part-time and seasonal positions are assigned throughout.

2015 Awards & Recognitions

Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation recipient of numerous Tennessee Recreation and Parks Association awards.

In November, Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department staff and volunteers received a total of 27 awards at the 2015 Tennessee Recreation and Parks Association (TRPA) Conference held in Kingsport, TN. TRPA is a non-profit professional society of approximately 1200+ individual and agency members organized in 1952 as the leader in supporting highly effective professionals to achieve healthy, livable communities. TRPA exists to strengthen and unite those committed to the benefits of parks and recreation.

Awards:

Volunteer Service Award

This award recognizes an individual(s) or organization(s) that has made a significant contribution(s) to the field of parks, recreation, and leisure services by performing volunteer services. This year, we are proud to honor nine recipients from Murfreesboro:

Murfreesboro Tennis Association- for their commitment to tennis.

Susan Hicks- for her commitment to the Perform Murfreesboro Theatre Program at Patterson Park.

Joe Getzinger- for his commitment to programs and events at the Wilderness Station.

Tammy Smith- for her commitment to Murfreesboro Greenway System.

Vic Barthelemy- for his commitment to the Murfreesboro Half Marathon.

Janet Jones- for her commitment to the Murfreesboro Half Marathon.



Lifetime Member Award

Lifetime Member Award honors and recognizes individuals who have retired and during their tenure made numerous and/or significant long-term contributions within the parks and recreation profession. This year the department submitted for consideration Tom Sage, former Superintendent of Patterson Park for Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation, and Deborah Paschall, former Program Coordinator for Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation. They were both awarded Lifetime Status.



Special Events, Arts and Marketing Award

The main focus of this award is to recognize innovation and creativity in Special Events, Arts and Marketing and inspire others to develop similar programs in their own area. This year the Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department was awarded for the following:

Best Arts Program- recognizing the Nature Play Area at the Wilderness Station – Heather Waldrup.

Best Marketing Campaign- recognizing Arts in the Park- Pam Williams.

Best Special Events- recognizing Pioneer Days and Backyard BBQ Cook-off- Shelia Hodges.

Worksite Wellness Award

Worksite Wellness Award focuses on physical activity, fitness and wellness programs, policies, and activities at the worksite to heighten employee productivity, motivation, and general well-being. This year's award recipient is Chad Hill, Wellness Coordinator, for his Yoga for Backs program.

Community Wellness Award

Community Wellness Award focuses on promoting health and wellness for citizens of the community through such avenues as community outreach, community special events, programs, and individual service opportunities. This year's award recipient is Jennifer Joines for her Historic Selfie program.

Childhood/Youth Wellness Award

Childhood/Youth Wellness Award focuses on building life-long wellness skills such as increased physical activity, healthy eating, and positive health habits through programs and activities. This year's award recipient is Tori McDaniel for KidFit.

Robert H Horsley Award

Robert H. Horsley Award is given annually by the Municipal/County Section to recognize community center personnel who have planned, conducted or was responsible for the Most Outstanding Recreation Program during the year. This year's award recipient is Pam Williams, Cultural Arts Coordinator, Patterson Park.



2015 Awards & Recognitions



The Donald H. Stanton Award

The Donald H. Stanton Award is presented to the Community Center determined to have the best overall statewide community center program. This year's award recipient is Tom Sage for Patterson Park Community Center.



The Dennis Rainier Award

The Dennis Rainier Award was developed by the Athletics Branch to recognize personnel who have demonstrated Excellence in athletic planning and programming. This year's recipient is Gary Arbit, Operations Coordinator, Adams Tennis Complex.



Maynard Glenn Award

The Maynard Glenn Award is given annually by the Municipal/County Interest Section to recognize personnel who have planned, conducted or were responsible for the most outstanding recreation program during the year. This year's recipient is Rachel Singer, Operations Coordinator, Wilderness Station.



Four Star Awards – Programs

The Conservation/Outdoor Recreation Award is awarded to the Conservation/Outdoor Recreation program – for youth, families, or seniors. Pam Williams and Heather Mullican for Trail Worms are this year's recipients.

The Arts Award is awarded to the best Arts program – for youth, families, or seniors. Pam Williams for One Act Fest is this year's recipient.

The Aquatics Program Award is awarded to the best aquatics program – for youth, families, or seniors. Kyle Goss for Puppy Plunge at "Boro Beach," Sports*Com's outdoor pool, is this year's recipient.

The Marketing- Print Award is awarded to the best print marketing. Becki Johnson for the 2014 Annual Report is this year's recipient.



Four Star Award for Renovated Facility



The Four Star Award for Renovated Facility is awarded to a park or facility that has been renovated within the last twelve (12) months. It may be a building, sports complex, trail, playground, splash pad, or other recreational facility. It may be indoors or outdoors, or a combination of both. The renovation at Sports*Com is this year's recipient.



Four Star Award for New Facility



The Four Star Award for New Facility is awarded to a park or facility that has been completed within the last twelve (12) months. It may be a building, sports complex, trail, playground, splash pad, or other recreational facility. It may be indoors or outdoors, or a combination of both. Adams Tennis Complex is this year's recipient.



Four Star Award for Individual Service

Four Star Award for Individual Service is one of the highest awards given in the field of Parks and Recreation for excellence. The Four Star Award for Individual Services recognizes a person's participation on a board, commission, committee or council that influences, benefits and strengthens recreation in the community. Receiving the award for her role on the Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Commission is Dr. Gloria Bonner.



Four Star Benefactor Award

Four Star Benefactor Award recognizes an individual, organization, or company that has donated a significant gift to a parks and recreation department/agency for the purpose of enhancing the quality of life in their community. The nominee's gift to the department/agency must have been a minimum value of \$5,000, and the gift must be a financial contribution, a tangible item (such as property, structure, or equipment), a product, or an in-kind service. For their contribution to the Adams Tennis Complex, MTSU Foundation is this year's recipient.



President's Cup

Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department received recognition as the department in the population category of 100,000 and over that most overall reflects the professional standards set by the Tennessee Recreation and Parks Association for contributions made to both the State and to the National Recreation and Parks Association- Lanny Goodwin.

Parks:

Park areas play an integral part in the total parks and recreation program offerings for our citizens. Here is a list of our parks from largest to smallest:

Barfield Crescent Park

Barfield Crescent Park is a 430-acre +/- community park located at 697 Veterans Pkwy. in the southern area of Murfreesboro.



The park also currently includes the administrative office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The park had 463 pavilion rentals in 2015 resulting in \$26,115.00 in revenue.

Barfield Crescent Park has baseball leagues run by the Murfreesboro Baseball Association (MBA). The fields are used March through September for spring and fall leagues.

During this time there are approximately 260 teams, 300 coaches, and over 2,350 participants. The fields were also rented out for 16 tournaments between March and October, including the BPA (Baseball Players Association) World Series, MBA (Murfreesboro Baseball Association), and TYBA (Tennessee Youth Baseball Association) tournaments. The fields were used by Riverdale High School and Christiana Middle School for baseball. There are around 20 high school coaches involved and over 220 county school participants. The MPRD Adult Softball Leagues are held here for spring leagues.

The Middle Tennessee Disc Golf Association had 400+ league participants in 2015.

Wilderness Station

Located in Barfield Crescent Park (697 Veterans Pkwy.), the Wilderness Station is the city's unique outdoor awareness and adventure facility. It is nestled along the edge of the woods, just a short drive past the disc golf area. Adventurous families, scouts and youth groups can camp in the primitive Backcountry Campground. Some of the amenities are: two educational classrooms, outdoor camping supplies and campsites. The retreat room is available for rental. Evening rentals and programs are based on staff availability.

The Wilderness Station had a total of 27,056 visitors in 2015.

The current facilities include:



- **8-field baseball/softball complex with parking for 600 cars**
- **lighted fields**
- **2 concessions stands**
- **scorekeeper areas**
- **scoreboards**
- **walking/jogging trail**
- **10 picnic shelters with tables (4 shelters each seating 24 , 1 shelter seating 76, 4 shelters each seating 108 and 1 corporate shelter seating 312+)**
- **Disc Golf Course**
- **Wilderness Station with two educational classrooms, restrooms and outdoor camping supplies and campsites**



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McKnight Park

McKnight Park is an 81-acre community park located at 120 DeJarnette Lane in the northern area of Murfreesboro. Facilities include Sports*Com and Star*Plex:



•Sports*Com indoor/outdoor multipurpose sports and recreational facility composed of:

- gymnasium
- 1/16 mile track
- aerobics area
- fitness equipment
- game room
- meeting room
- 25-yard indoor pool
- outdoor pool

- 4 sand volleyball courts
- 2 bocce courts
- 6 youth softball fields with concessions (home of the Stones River Kiwanis Girls Softball Program)
- 1 medium-sized picnic shelter located next to the side parking lot of Sports*Com

•Star*Plex (home of the Murfreesboro Little League Baseball Program) is a recreational facility composed of:

- 5-field youth/adult baseball/softball complex
- playground
- concessions
- restroom facilities



McKnight Park had 48 pavilion rentals in 2015, resulting in \$2,280.00 in revenue. There were over 35 baseball, softball, sand volleyball, lacrosse, Ultimate Frisbee, and soccer tournaments held at McKnight Park for 2015, and it is a TSSAA Spring Fling site. The Stones River Kiwanis Club has their softball league located here from March through October for both spring and fall leagues. They had 50+ teams with 855 participants. The MPRD Youth Basketball League is also held here (as well as at Patterson Park, McFadden Community Center, Northfield, Siegel, Overall Creek, John Pittard, Cason Lane, and Black Fox Elementary schools). Sports*Com hosted 9 sand volleyball tournaments and Coed Adult Volleyball Spring and Fall Leagues on Thursday nights.

Baseball and softball fields are heavily utilized throughout the months of February through October. In 2015 McKnight Fields were used by Central Magnet School for softball and Star*Plex for baseball. There are around 16 high school coaches involved and over 120 county school participants. The Murfreesboro Little League uses Star*Plex fields from March through August. They had 70+ teams, 200+ coaches, and approximately 800 participants in 2015. There were 10 tournaments in 2015, and Star*Plex is also a TSSAA Spring Fling site. The MPRD Adult Softball Leagues are held on these fields as well. In 2015, the Adult Softball Leagues had 1,080 participants in the spring and 1,120 participants the fall.

Also, behind Star*Plex are 8 fields used for youth football, a picnic shelter, concessions, and rest room facilities. The Youth Football Complex is used for the MPRD Youth Football League. In 2015, the Youth Football League had 206 participants. The MPRD Cheerleading program had 43 participants. The Oakland Youth Football Team practiced here in October. The Latino Soccer League also rents the fields by the hour during the months of March through September. Lacrosse is played on the fields from February through May. Lacrosse had 494 participants in the spring season.

Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation...

Old Fort Park



Facilities include:

- 3 picnic shelters (2 with restrooms)
- Kids' Castle Playground
- 24 tennis courts (16 lighted)
- 2 baseball fields with lights
- scoreboards
- press box
- restrooms
- volleyball area
- large open space with a backstop
- 20 electrical hookups

Old Fort Park is a 50-acre community park located at 1025 Old Fort Parkway.

Old Fort Park had 221 pavilion rentals in 2015 resulting in \$10,095.00 in revenue.

Old Fort Park Softball Fields are heavily utilized during the months of March through June. The fields were also used by MPRD for adult softball leagues.

Adams Tennis Complex, which includes 8-indoor courts and 24-outdoor courts, were used by MTSU (indoor courts) the Rutherford County high schools and middle schools (outdoor courts) for their practices and matches. The courts were used by 7 high school and 8 middle school teams with 362 participants. Murfreesboro Tennis Association (MTA) plays a large part in promoting community tennis opportunities, tournament volunteers, and Jr. tennis development. The City Tennis Tournament had 200+ participants in 2015. Adams Tennis Complex (outdoor courts) were a 2015 and 2016 TSSAA Spring Fling site.

Cannonsburgh Village



Cannonsburgh Village is located on 6 acres at 312 South Front Street. This example of a rural southern village is indicative of pioneer villages of the 1800s.



The village consists of:

- visitor center
- gristmill
- 1800s residence with dogtrot
- the Leeman House
- Art League
- Diorama
- L & N Caboose
- Williamson Chapel
- home of the World's Largest Red Cedar Bucket

Attendance January 2015 – December 2015

Estimated Total **57,652** (excludes regular programming)

January: Est. total –	30 Rentals/Weddings, 75 Visitors, 60 for Blacksmith Convention, 80 Hayride
February: Est. total–	100 Rentals/Weddings, 22 Visitors, 19 Valentine Tea Party
March: Est. total–	175 Rentals/Weddings, 18 Visitors, 3,000 Yard Sale, 65 Field Trip
April: Est. total–	9,000 Pioneer Days, 300 Rentals/Weddings, 191 Visitors, 150 for 3rd Friday Concerts, 60 Field Trip
May: Est. total–	593 Rentals/Weddings, 650 Visitors, 250 for 3rd Friday Concerts, 100 Field Trip
June: Est. total–	120 Rentals/Weddings, 806 Visitors, 175 for 3rd Friday Concerts, 30 Field Trip
July: Est. total–	20,000 Uncle Dave Macon Days, 415 Rentals/Weddings, 780 Visitors, 300 Concerts, 10 Field Trip
August: Est. total–	170 Rentals/Weddings, 441 Visitors, 550 Concert, 30 Field Trip, 3,000 School Bash, 3,000 Yard Sale
September: Est. total–	390 Rentals/Weddings, 617 Visitors, 550 for 3rd Friday Concerts, 25 Field Trip
October: Est. total–	6,000 for Harvest Days, 625 Visitors, 543 Rentals/Weddings, 100 Concerts, 46 Field Trip
November: Est. total–	474 Visitors, 288 Rentals/Weddings, 50 Field Trip
December: Est. total–	3,000 for Christmas at Cannonsburgh, 99 Visitors, 80 Rentals/Weddings

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Oaklands Park



Oaklands Park is a 31-acre neighborhood park and historic site located at the corner of N. Maney Avenue and Roberts Street. Adjacent is the Oaklands Mansion National Historic Site, Oaklands Spring area, and a nature trail.

Park includes:

- picnic area
- playground
- restrooms



The pavilion had 27 rentals in 2015 resulting in \$1,320.00 in revenue.

Bradley Academy Museum and Cultural Center

Bradley Academy was built in 1806 as the first school for education of white males only. In 1884, African American students, males and females, were allowed to attend school. The current structure was built in 1917, and opened as the new school for African American students in 1918. Today, Bradley Academy Museum and Cultural Center houses an original classroom, Civil War exhibit, early settlers' exhibit for the City of Murfreesboro and Rutherford County.

Bradley Academy Museum and Cultural Center has an auditorium, which serves as a dining area, theatre section for musical programs and plays (that seats 150-175 people), along with a boardroom for meetings (which seats at least 40-50 people). These rooms are available for rental 7 days a week. For more information, call 615-962-8773. Tours are available Tuesday - Saturday, 10am - 4pm.



Patterson Park Community Center

Patterson Park consists of 10 acres and a 110,000 square foot facility.



The park and facilities include:

- 2 picnic shelters (one for rental)
 - 1 playground and restrooms
 - 2 gymnasiums with a stage
 - central locker room
 - separate shower facilities for youth and adults
 - 2 handball/racquetball courts
 - indoor water park
 - 3-loop water slide
 - 4-lane lap pool
 - whirlpool
 - zero depth pool with play attractions
 - A theatre with seating for 305 (facility capable of theatrical and musical productions)
- 3 meeting rooms with projector screens and sinks
- game room
 - aerobics area
 - wellness/fitness area with modern weight equipment
 - 1/8 mile walking/jogging track on second floor level



Coed Adult Volleyball was held on Monday nights with 8 teams for the spring and fall leagues each. The Spring Adult Basketball League was held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, had 12 teams and 90+ participants per week. The Spring Racquetball League was played at Patterson racquetball courts and had 3 divisions (A, B & C Divisions) totaling 44 participants. The Adult Basketball League, held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, had 12 teams and 130+ participants. The Fall Racquetball League had a total of 42 participants.

Rogers Park

The facilities include:

- picnic shelter with restrooms and picnic tables
- octagon-shaped picnic shelter with tables
- two tennis courts
- two basketball courts
- walking/jogging track
- playground
- open play field

The pavilion had 47 rentals in 2015 resulting in \$2,240.00 in revenue.



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Richard Siegel Park

132 acres on the corner of Lebanon Pike and Cherry Lane.



Facilities include:

- 15 Soccer Fields
- 8 Lighted Standard Soccer Fields
- 5 Pavilions (large pavilion available for rental)
- 2 Sand Volleyball Courts
- Basketball Courts
- Building A (main building) with restrooms, concession stand and meeting rooms.
- 1 Champion Soccer Stadium (lights)
- 6 Soccer Fields (no lights)
- 2 Multipurpose Fields
- Horseshoe Pits
- Walking Trails

The large pavilion had 82 rentals in 2015 resulting in \$3,840.00 in revenue.

The Richard Siegel Soccer Complex is the premier soccer facility in the Southeastern region. The Murfreesboro Soccer Club Select program provides competitive soccer for 425+ youth participants ages 8 - 18. The recreation program has 1,600+ youth and adult participants for both spring and fall seasons. The Murfreesboro Adult Hispanic League plays host to 30+ teams. The Richard Siegel Soccer Complex is responsible for nearly 8 million dollars in sales tax revenue each year.



In 2015 the Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation athletic fields generated over 20 million dollars in sales tax revenue through tournaments and events.

- Bash in the Boro Girls Soccer Tournament - (March)
- Spring Fling TSSAA Boys Soccer Championships- (May)
- Tennessee State Soccer Association Girls State Cups - (May/June)
- Tennessee Cup – (September)
- Bash in the Boro Boys Soccer Tournament - (October)
- TSSAA Girls State Soccer Championships- (October)
- Tennessee State Soccer Association Boys State Cups - (November)



Murfreesboro Greenway System:



The southern extension of the Murfreesboro Greenway System continues to progress as the City works to connect from Old Fort Park to Barfield Crescent Park. This project, which follows the West Fork of the Stones River, was divided into four phases. Phase 1 connected the existing trails through Old Fort Park, including a new shelter and trailhead, and was completed in 2006. Phase 2 brought an extra 3 miles as far as Highway 99, and features the new Cason Trailhead; this phase was completed in 2009. In 2011 Phase 3 construction was completed. Phase 3 is approximately one mile of new trail, and includes an overlook at Farmer Lake, which brings the

greenway to a total of 12 miles. We look forward to the day when we will open Phase 4. This final section will add about 3 1/2 miles and come to an end at its southernmost destination: Barfield Crescent Park.



Murfreesboro Bark Park

Located at the entrance of the General Bragg Trailhead, this park offers an enclosed dog park with a section for small dogs and larger section for bigger dogs. The park also has a doggie water fountain.



Gateway Island

The Gateway Island showcases:

- state-of-the-art reception center
- gazebo
- cascading waterfalls
- fountains
- lake overlook

The Island had 28 reservations resulting in \$11,300.00 and rental items resulting in \$4,352.00 for a total of \$15,652.00.

Walter Hill Park: Day Use Only

Walter Hill Park is a 16-acre park at the Walter Hill Dam.

Activities include:

- fishing
- hiking
- horse trails
- canoe/kayak access

Picnic tables are available on a first-come, first-serve basis, and dogs are allowed on leash. In the future, this will be part of the North Murfreesboro Greenway Trailhead. The North Murfreesboro Greenway section will have both equestrians and pedestrians utilizing the trail together.

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Thompson Lane Trailhead

2240 N. Thompson Lane



This trailhead provides access to the historic McFadden Farm property. This was the site of one of the bloodiest engagements in the Battle of Stones River and is marked with an artillery monument. A 60-car parking area at this Northern terminus of the Murfreesboro Greenway System allows users to enter the 12-foot wide asphalt trail for walking, jogging, in-line skating, and bicycling. Access for small watercraft is available from this location.

Broad Street Trailhead

1921 N.W. Broad St.



This trailhead, located at the 84 Lumber Company, is an eight-car parking lot providing entry to the greenway. This trailhead provides a water fountain and wayside exhibit. Close to the trail entrance, visitors can view rock outcroppings near the bank of the Stones River. As you travel to the west, there is a wooden overlook that provides a good view of the river.

West College Street Trailhead

1902 W. College St.

Adjacent to the General Bragg Trailhead, the new College Street Trailhead provides connection and access to the new Gateway Trail and Island. The Gateway Trail is a two-mile loop that circles a small lake and features the Gateway Island. The Island is home to a reception center and gazebo, perfect for weddings and other special events.

General Bragg Trailhead

1450 W. College Street



Park includes pavilion and playground. Located at 1450 W. College Street. The pavilion had 61 rentals in 2015 resulting in \$2,780.00 in revenue.



Manson Pike Trailhead

1208 Searcy St.



This trailhead offers parking for 15 cars. Provided at this site is a boat ramp for small craft, and a water fountain is available. A short walk gives the visitor a view of the dam at Ransom's Mill.

Redoubt Brannan Trailhead

1300 W. College St.



This trailhead contains 19 parking spaces. Across the street are the remains of an earthen Civil War fortification (Redoubt Brannan) that was part of the larger Fortress Rosecrans. Redoubt Brannan was used by Union troops to guard the Old Nashville Pike and L&N Railroad.

Fortress Rosecrans Trailhead

1916 Golf Lane



This historic trailhead is located just off Golf Lane inside Old Fort Park. As a supply depot, it played an important role in the Union Army's advance to Chattanooga. Fortress Rosecrans was abandoned in April 1866.

Overall Street Trailhead

410 Overall St.



This small trailhead has parking for 11 cars. This places you on the Lytle Creek portion of the Murfreesboro Greenway System.

Old Fort Park Trailhead

916 Golf Lane



Located in Old Fort Park, this trailhead is between Kids' Castle playground and the tennis courts. The beautiful new shelter provides picnic tables and restrooms.

Cason Trailhead

1100 Cason Trail



The latest addition to the Murfreesboro Greenway System follows the West Fork of the Stones River with scenic overlooks, an impressive bridge crossing, and more access to the beautiful natural settings within Murfreesboro. It includes a 7 acre-park with a playground and pavilion. The pavilion had 94 rentals in 2015 resulting in \$4,280.00 in revenue.

Cannonsburgh Village Trailhead

312 S. Front St.



This southernmost trailhead is adjacent to the restored village of Cannonsburgh and is the beginning of the Lytle Creek Trail, which passes through the most urban portion of the greenway.



Use Agreements

Organization/Person

American Heart Association
 Andrew White
 Arrington, Matthew
 Arthritis Foundation
 Baseball Players Assoc. (Jodi Witt)
 Bases Loaded, Inc (Clay Snellgrove)
 Bizarri, Ryan
 Blind Operated Vending
 Boom Box Dance Productions
 Borendame, Jim
 Bradley Academy Historic Association
 Brent Hawkins - Personal Trainer
 Brown, Travis
 Building
 C2 Attack Volleyball Club (Crissy McDaniel)
 Candle Wishes Foundation
 Carpenter, Carinne
 Centerstone (Richard Boys)
 Chandler, Lance
 Colony House
 Conaster, Sherry
 Connors, Sherry
 Council for Environmental Education
 Culley, Gary
 Dance Classics, LLC
 Davies, Karl
 Davis, Sheryl Ann
 Dew Drop Jamboree
 Dick's Sporting Goods
 Discovery Center
 Estes Express Lines Corp.
 Ethos Volleyball Club, LLC (Amber Holzer)
 Eugenia Humphries
 Excel Aquatics, Inc
 Experience Community
 Fergus, Donnie
 First Baptist Church
 First Shot Basketball
 First Shot Basketball
 Fite, Jackson
 Fly, Teresa
 Forrest York Guitars
 Friends of India
 Fury Fast Pitch
 G.I.R.L.S. Ranch
 Generation for Creation (Monica Spencer)
 Global Education Center
 Gober, Todd
 Goodrich, Terri



Reason

Heart Walk
 Field Study - Invasive Plants
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Certified Exercise Classes
 Baseball Tournaments (11)
 Baseball Clinic
 3rd Friday Concert Series - Performer
 Vending Machines
 Recital
 Tennis Instruction
 11th Annual Heritage Festival
 Personal Training Classes
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator

 Volleyball Tournaments
 5K
 Greenway Art Festival Performer
 Meetings (2)
 Greenway Art Festival Performer
 Filming
 Consignment
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Growing Up Wild Program
 Performance
 Dance Recital
 Tennis Instruction
 Pioneer Days - Demonstrator
 Concert(6)
 Sponsorships
 Web-cam
 Softball Tournament
 Sand Volleyball Tournament
 Recital
 Swim Practice
 Worship Night Event
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Celebration
 Tournament
 Sports Camps
 Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Concert & Recital (2)
 Cultural Event
 Softball Tournament
 Run
 Talent Show
 Cultural Event
 Personal Training Classes
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator

Location

Gateway
 Old Fort Park
 Cannonsburgh
 Sports*Com
 Barfield Crescent Park
 Barfield Crescent Park
 Cannonsburgh
 PPCC & Sports*Com
 PPCC Theatre
 Adams Tennis Complex
 Bradley
 PPCC & Sports*Com
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Sports*Com
 Gateway
 Old Fort Park
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 PPCC Theatre
 PPCC Theatre
 McKnight & Star*Plex
 Gateway Island
 PPCC Theatre
 PPCC Theatre
 PPCC & Sports*Com
 Cannonsburgh

Use Agreements

Organization/Person

Goodwyn, Lawrence
 Gracia, Rik
 Handle With Care Too LLC (FAD)
 Harpeth Youth Soccer Association
 Hawkins, Brett
 Hebden, Susanne
 Hispanic Family Center, Inc.
 Home Bound Programs (Barbara Wilson)
 Jacobs, Michael
 Jenkins Jefferys, Virginia (Ginger)
 Jennifer Moody, Assistant City Manager
 Jonathan Fletcher Music
 Jones, Scarlett
 Kerala Assoc. of Nashville
 Kerber, Zach
 Kids for the Creative Arts, Inc. (Dr. Barbara Hodges)
 Kiwanis Club of Stones River
 Koglin, Alexandra
 Koglin, Kristin
 Koglin, Victoria
 LaGreen, June
 Lancaster Christian Academy
 Last Call 4 Grace
 Latino American Soccer Group of M'boro
 Leslie Hall School of Dance (Leslie Hall Wright)
 Linebaugh Library
 Lions Club
 List Frank
 Logan's Landscaping
 March of Dimes Foundation - March for Babies
 Mario Bradley
 Maxfield, Bobby
 McQuaid, Michael
 McQuaid, Michael
 Middle Tennessee Association of Realtors
 Middle Tennessee Disc Golf Assoc.
 Middle Tennessee Japan Society

Reason

Tennis Instruction
 Greenway Art Festival Performer
 Recital
 Soccer Practice
 Tai Chi
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 English Classes & Tutoring
 Comedy & Talent Shows
 Performance
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Master Plan Workshop
 Recital
 Pony Rides Harvest Days
 Performance
 3rd Friday Concert/Pioneer Days-Performer
 Art Camps
 Softball League
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Pioneer Days - Demonstrator
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Soccer & Baseball Games
 Walk/Run
 Soccer Matches
 Dance Recital

 Lease
 3rd Friday Concert Series - Performer
 Landscaping Services Storm Water Quality Controls
 Walk/Run
 Field Study
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Greenway Arts Festival Performer
 Wild Art Day Performer
 Softball Tournament
 Disc Golf League & Tournaments
 Softball Tournament

Location

Adams Tennis Complex
 Old Fort Park
 PPCC Theatre
 McKnight Multipurpose
 PPCC & Sports*Com
 Cannonsburgh
 PPCC
 PPCC Theatre
 Wilderness Station
 Cannonsburgh
 PPCC Theatre
 PPCC Theatre
 Cannonsburgh
 PPCC Theatre
 Cannonsburgh
 Patterson CC
 McKnight
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Siegel Park/Barfield Crescent Park
 Gateway
 McKnight Multipurpose Fields
 PPCC Theatre
 Myrtle G. Lord Library
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Old Fort Park
 Gateway
 Patterson CC
 Cannonsburgh
 Old Fort Park
 Wilderness Station
 Star*Plex
 Barfield Crescent Park
 Star*Plex



Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation...

Organization/Person

Middle Tennessee Soccer Alliance, LLC - Jill Condon
 Middle TN Christian School
 Miller, Sheryl
 Moore, Heather
 MTSU - 9th Annual Tour de Boro
 Murfreesboro Baseball Association
 Murfreesboro Breakfast Rotary Club, Inc
 M'boro Fire Fighters Assoc/Stones River Antique Auto Club
 Murfreesboro Lacrosse League
 Murfreesboro Little Theatre
 Murfreesboro Soccer Club
 Nashville Football Club
 Oakland Youth Football - Terence Johnson
 Golf Club
 Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.
 Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.
 Optimist Club of Murfreesboro, Tennessee Inc.
 Overcast, Roy
 Patterson, James (Civil War Encampment)
 Pediatric Brain Tumor Foundation
 Peek, Susan
 Phommachieng, Nikki
 Pinkerton, Larry
 Pounds, Andy
 Premier Soccer Services for Tennessee Cup Soccer
 Read to Succeed
 Red Giant Entertainment (David Sandifer)
 Ruth Co. Board of Education
 Rutherford Co. Emergency Mgmt.
 Rutherford County Schools
 Rutherford Romp Foundation
 Shemwell, Jim (Riverchase Posse)
 Smith, Claire
 Smith, Mary Kaye

Reason

Soccer Tournament
 Play Performance
 Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Dog Training Classes
 Bicycle Ride
 Baseball League
 Backyard BBQ Festival
 Boro Steamer Restoration Project
 Lacrosse League
 Building Rental
 Soccer League
 Soccer Tournament
 Football Games
 Awards Banquet
 Basketball Clinic
 Manhood Academy
 Baseball League
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Pioneer Days - Demonstrator
 Motorcycle Ride
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Greenway Arts Festival Performer
 Tennis Instruction
 Tournament (3 yrs)
 Spelling Bee
 Filming
 Construction & Use of Tennis Courts
 Point of Distribution
 Sand Volleyball Tournament
 Soccer Games
 Soccer Tournament
 Softball Tournament
 Use of Star*Plex 5 & McKnight #1
 Walk/Run
 Pioneer & Harvest Days - Demonstrator
 Consignment
 Consignment

Location

Multipurpose Fields
 PPCC Theatre
 Cannonsburgh
 Wilderness Station
 Barfield Crescent Park
 Barfield Crescent Park
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Multipurpose Fields
 Playhouse
 Richard Siegel Park
 Richard Siegel Park
 Multipurpose Fields
 PPCC Theatre
 Patterson CC
 Patterson CC
 Star*Plex
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Barfield Crescent Park
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Old Fort Park
 Rogers & Patterson Parks
 Richard Siegel Park
 PPCC Theatre
 Cannonsburgh
 Old Fort Park
 Barfield
 Sports*Com
 Richard Siegel Park
 Richard Siegel Park
 McKnight
 Star*Plex & McKnight
 Gateway
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh



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Organization/Person

Southern Athletic Association
 Special Kids Inc.
 Sports for all Foundation
 Srilpuangkhol, Somsack
 Stones River Paranormal, John McKinney
 Stones River Region Antiques Auto Club of Amer
 Swanky Flame
 Tate, Darrell
 Tennessee State Soccer Assoc.
 Tennessee State Soccer Association Boys Div 1 & 2
 Tennessee State Soccer Association Girls Div 1 & 2
 Tennessee Youth Baseball Association (TYBA)
 Tenpenny, Rhonda
 Tenpenny, Rhonda
 Thangeda, Raj
 The Dancers' School
 Treen, Phillip
 Turner, Eric
 Tym, Bill
 Uncle Dave Macon Days, Inc.
 US Governing Foundation, Inc. (Debbie Viviers)
 United States Fastpitch Assoc. (Ken Crook)
 United States Tennis Association
 United States Tennis Association
 USA Swimming, Inc.
 USA Ultimate
 Vaulted Vending
 Winters, John (Rooted Wings)
 YMCA

Reason

Tennis Tournament
 Special Kids Race - 1 Mile) Walk/Run
 Programs for Special Needs Patrons
 Bagua Tai Chis Classes
 Paranormal Investigation
 Building
 Consignment
 Football Combine
 Meeting
 Soccer Tournament (3 yrs)
 Soccer Tournament (3 yrs)
 Baseball Tournaments (2)
 Concert, Harvest/Pioneer Days-Performer
 Consignment
 Sand Volleyball Tournament
 Dance Recital
 Tennis Instruction
 Awards Banquet
 Tennis Instruction
 Old Time Music & Dance Festival
 Softball Tournament
 Softball Tournament (2)
 Div. III South Atlantic Reg. Championship
 Tennis Clinics (2)
 Swim Practice
 Frisbee Tournament
 Duck Feeders
 Concert Series & Harvest Days - Performer
 Soccer Program

Location

OF Tennis Complex
 Gateway
 Sports*Com
 Patterson CC
 Greenway
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Multipurpose Fields
 PPCC Theatre
 Richard Siegel Park
 Richard Siegel Park
 Barfield Crescent Park
 Cannonsburgh
 Cannonsburgh
 Sports*Com
 PPCC Theatre
 Adams Tennis Complex
 PPCC Theatre
 Adams Tennis Complex
 Cannonsburgh
 McKnight
 McKnight & Star*Plex
 Old Fort Tennis Complex
 Old Fort Tennis Complex
 Sports*Com
 Multipurpose Fields
 Gateway
 Cannonsburgh
 Multipurpose Fields

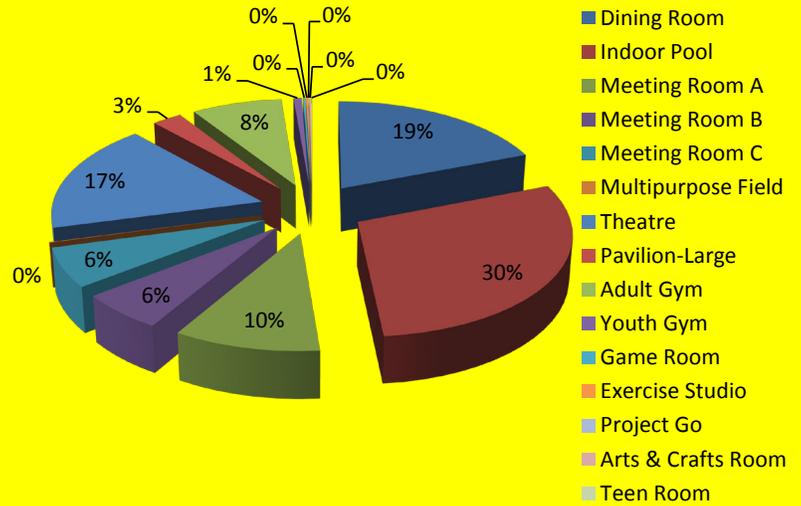


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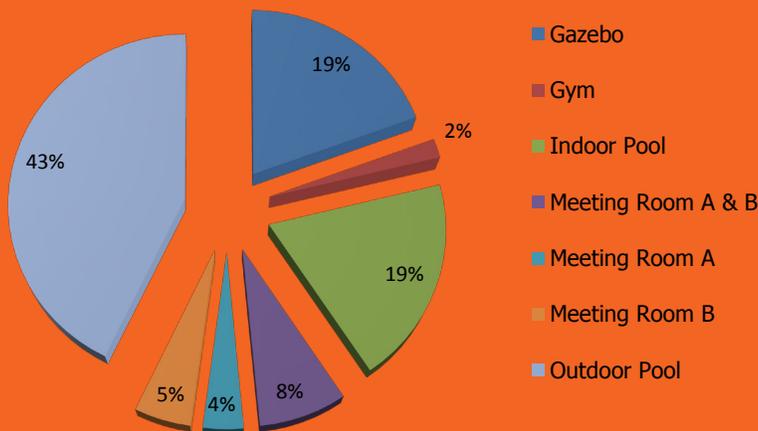
Patterson Park Community Center

Venue	Rental revenue
Dining Room	\$16,432.27
Indoor Pool	\$25,400.32
Meeting Room A	\$8,569.68
Meeting Room B	\$5,109.01
Meeting Room C	\$5,397.81
Multipurpose Field	\$65.00
Theatre	\$15,033.15
Pavilion-Large	\$2,215.00
Adult Gym	\$6,700.87
Youth Gym	\$600.00
Game Room	\$180.00
Exercise Studio	\$150.00
Project Go	\$45.00
Arts & Crafts Room	\$142.50
Teen Room	\$45.00
Total	\$86,085.61

Patterson Park Rentals



Sports*Com Rentals



Sports*Com

Venue	Rental revenue
Gazebo	\$6,525.00
Gym	\$602.90
Indoor Pool	\$6,516.81
Meeting Room A & B	\$2,630.05
Meeting Room A	\$1,210.21
Meeting Room B	\$1,688.78
Outdoor Pool	\$14,381.40
Aerobic Room	213.98
Kitchen	115.22
Party Room	613.66
Total	\$34,498.01

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Facility Attendance Figures

Sports Com Visits	143,299
Patterson Park Visits	160,068
Sports*Com Rental Visits	22,612
Patterson Park Rental Visits	104,367
Total Visitors	430,346

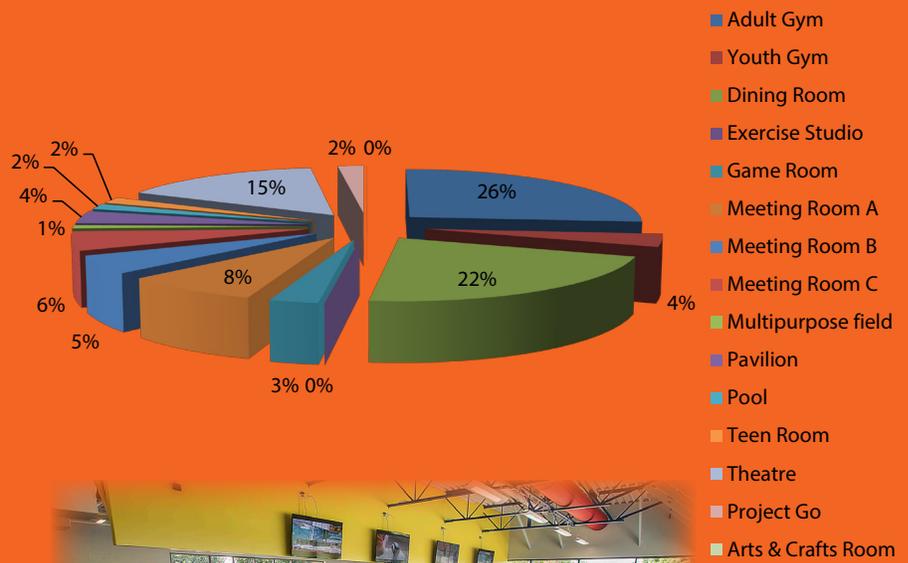
Patterson Park Rental Attendance #'s

Adult Gym	27,543
Youth Gym	3,950
Dining Room	22,789
Exercise Studio	11
Game Room	3,130
Meeting Room A	8,773
Meeting Room B	5,571
Meeting Room C	5,825
Multipurpose field	1,020
Pavilion	3,855
Pool	1,723
Teen Room	1,856
Theatre	16,240
Project Go	2,071
Arts & Crafts Room	10
Total	104,367

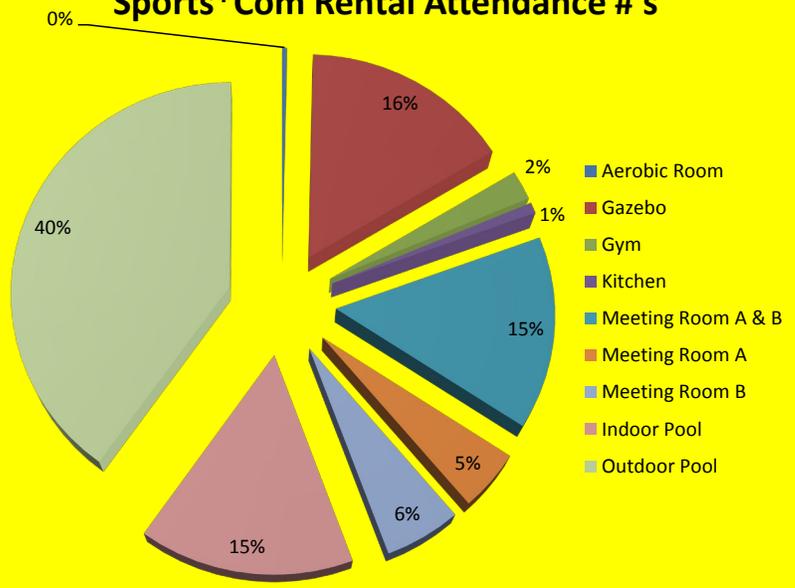
Sports*Com Rental Attendance #'s

Aerobic Room	80
Gazebo	3,500
Gym	491
Kitchen	181
Meeting Room A & B	3,222
Meeting Room A	1,003
Meeting Room B	1,207
Indoor Pool	3,374
Outdoor Pool	8,777
Party Room	777
Total	22,612

Patterson Park Rental Attendance #'s



Sports*Com Rental Attendance #'s

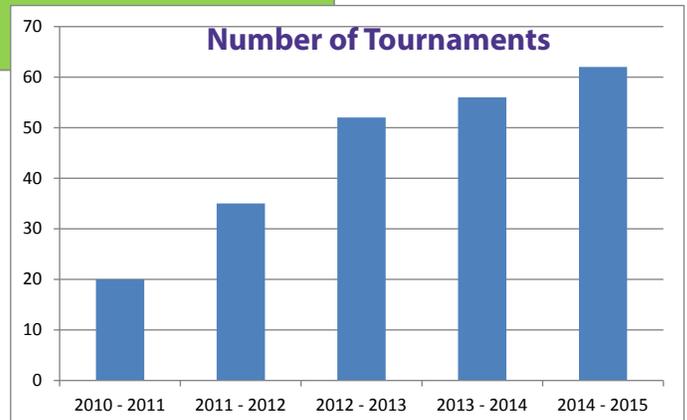
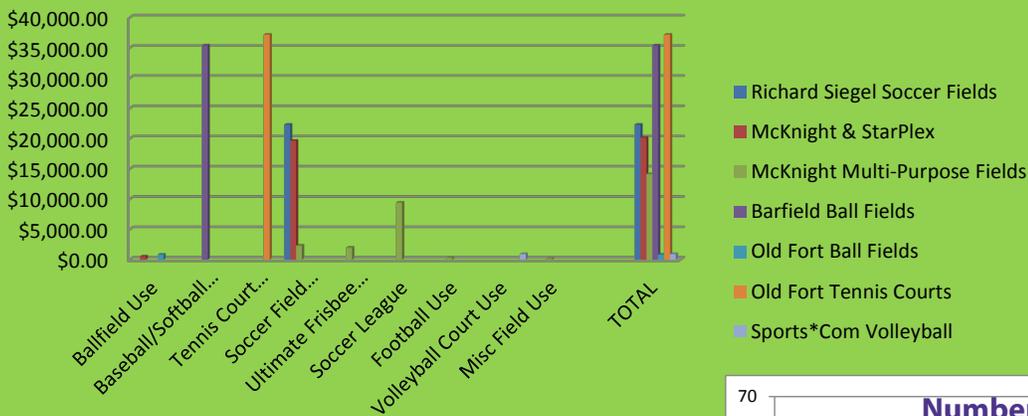


Field Revenue

	Richard Siegel Soccer Fields	McKnight/Star*Plex Fields	McKnight Multipurpose	Barfield Ball Fields	Old Fort Park Ball Fields	Adams Tennis Complex	Volleyball
Ball Field Use		\$520.00			\$820.00		
Baseball/Softball Tournaments				\$35,410.00			
Tennis Court Use/Tournaments						\$37,180.00	
Soccer Field Use/Tournaments	\$22,308.50	\$19,650.00	\$2,300.00				
Ultimate Frisbee Tournaments			\$1,950.00				
Lacrosse League			\$9,420.00				
Soccer Leagues			\$300.00				
Volleyball Court Use							\$880.00
Misc Field Use			\$170.00				
TOTAL	\$22,308.50	\$20,170.00	\$14,140.00	\$35,410.00	\$820.00	\$37,180.00	\$880.00

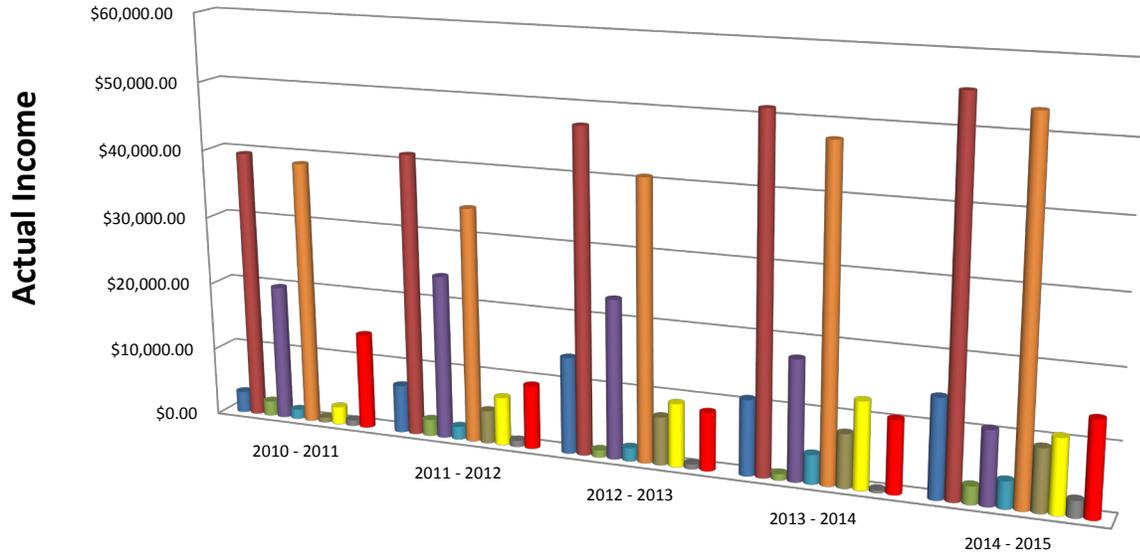
GRAND TOTAL \$130,908.50

Athletic Field Revenue



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Athletic Recreational Programs Revenue



	2010 - 2011	2011 - 2012	2012 - 2013	2013 - 2014	2014 - 2015
Star*Plex Concessions	\$3,140.75	\$7,043.00	\$14,095.00	\$11,016.75	\$14,391.25
Softball League Fees	\$39,550.00	\$41,300.00	\$47,222.50	\$51,295.00	\$55,240.00
Cheerleading Registration/Camp	\$2,164.85	\$2,410.00	\$1,050.00	\$923.05	\$2,634.95
Youth Football	\$19,904.85	\$24,020.00	\$23,240.50	\$17,537.05	\$10,754.95
Youth Volleyball League	\$1,400.00	\$1,890.00	\$1,960.00	\$4,256.00	\$3,940.00
Youth Basketball League	\$38,717.40	\$34,308.02	\$40,798.67	\$47,769.95	\$53,279.12
Tennis Lessons, League, Tournament	\$712.00	\$4,816.98	\$7,023.00	\$7,817.50	\$9,104.98
Sports Camp	\$2,575.00	\$7,046.25	\$9,220.00	\$12,695.00	\$10,790.00
Track and Field Program	\$850.00	\$912.50	\$730.00	\$412.50	\$2,475.00
Halloween Bash	\$14,098.23	\$9,341.00	\$8,478.31	\$10,641.40	\$13,862.04

Spring Fling

Spring Fling is the only high school athletic event in the United States to host a five-sport, Olympic-style Championship tournament. The spring State Championship tournaments for baseball, softball, track and field, tennis, and soccer formulate the Spring Fling Event. Through the Parks and Recreation Department, the City of Murfreesboro hosts three of the five events as well as housing the event headquarters. While the Sports*Com facility serves as headquarters, softball is played at McKnight Park, tennis at Old Fort Park, and soccer at the Richard Siegel Soccer Complex.

The Spring Fling State Championships generate millions of dollars in economic impact while validating Murfreesboro's World Class facilities.

Softball- Gate Admissions	\$65,440.00
Soccer- Gate Admissions	\$39,217.95
Tennis- Gate Admissions	\$15,235.00
Total- Gate Admissions	\$119,892.95
Spring Fling Payment	-\$107,903.65
Gate Admission Revenue	\$11,989.30
Tennis Concessions	\$401.00
Parking Revenue	\$18,923.00
Total Revenue	\$31,313.30

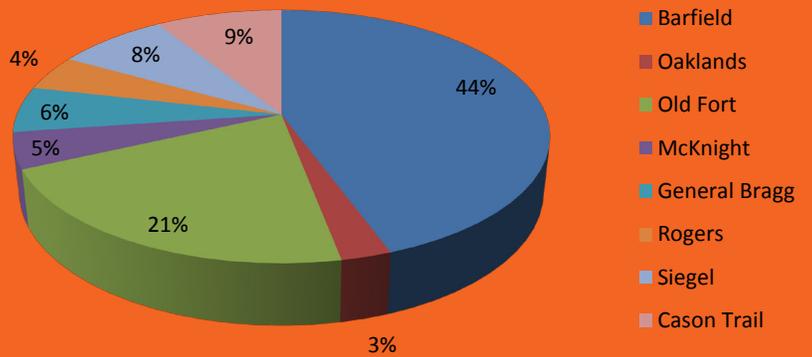


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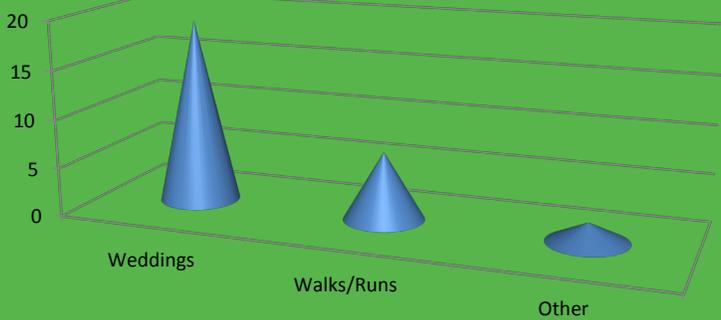
Pavilions	# Reserved	Revenue
Barfield	463	\$26,115.00
Oaklands	27	\$1,320.00
Old Fort	221	\$10,095.00
McKnight	48	\$2,280.00
General Bragg	61	\$2,780.00
Rogers	47	\$2,240.00
Siegel	82	\$3,840.00
Cason Trail	94	\$4,280.00
Totals	1,043	\$52,950.00



Pavilion Rentals



Gateway Island Reservations



2015 Gateway Island

Reservations January – December 2015

28 Reservations \$11,300.00

Rental Items \$4,352.00

(tables, chairs, tents)

Totals \$15,652.00

Weddings 19

Walks/Runs 7

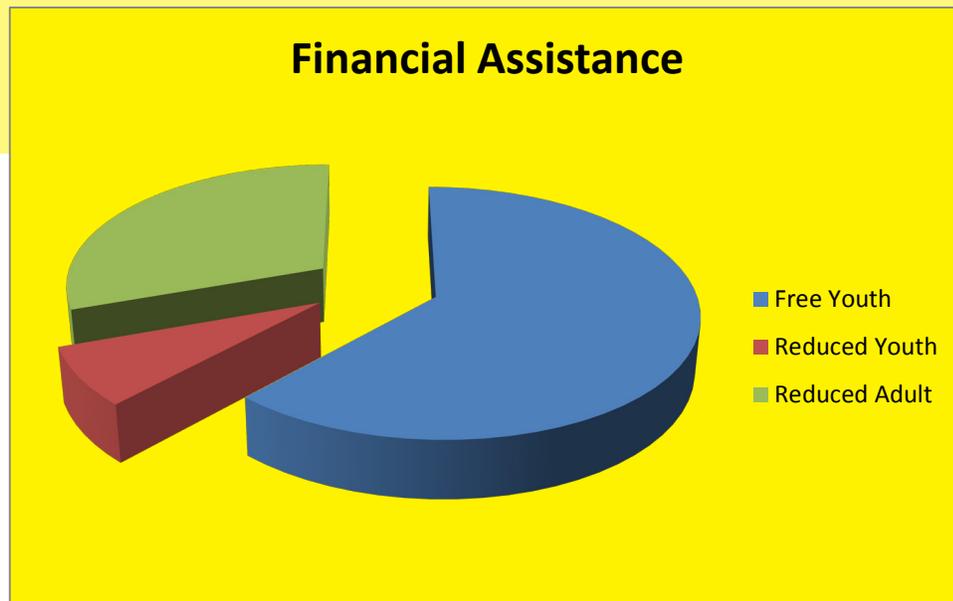
Other 2

Total 28

Financial Assistance (Sept. 1, 2014 – Aug 31, 2015)

Free Youth	1,232	\$225.00	\$277,200.00
Reduced Youth	151	\$112.50	\$16,987.50
Reduced Adult	606	\$157.50	\$95,445.00
Total	1,989		\$389,632.00

*Reduced Youth consists of children ages 16+ and children of households that qualify as reduced only.



Parks and Recreation Marketing

Facebook

The Parks and Recreation Department used this social media site to post upcoming events and pictures of events as they occurred. In 2015 the department had Facebook pages for Recreation, Athletics, Outdoor Murfreesboro, Patterson Park, Sports*Com, Cannonsburgh Village, Cultural Arts, Adams Tennis Complex, and the Greenway.

Constant Contact

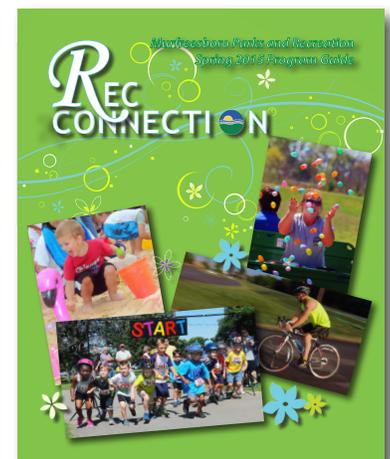
Constant Contact was utilized to send out e-newsletters about upcoming programs, events, and specials. Over 30,000 e-newsletters were sent out in 2015.

Website

The Parks and Recreation Department has pages dedicated to our parks, greenway, facilities, and programs. This is used as a source for information on these venues and offers a downloadable pdf of the RecConnection Magazine.

RecConnection

The RecConnection Magazine is used as the department’s program guide. The RecConnection is printed four times a year. A total of 22,000 are printed each year.

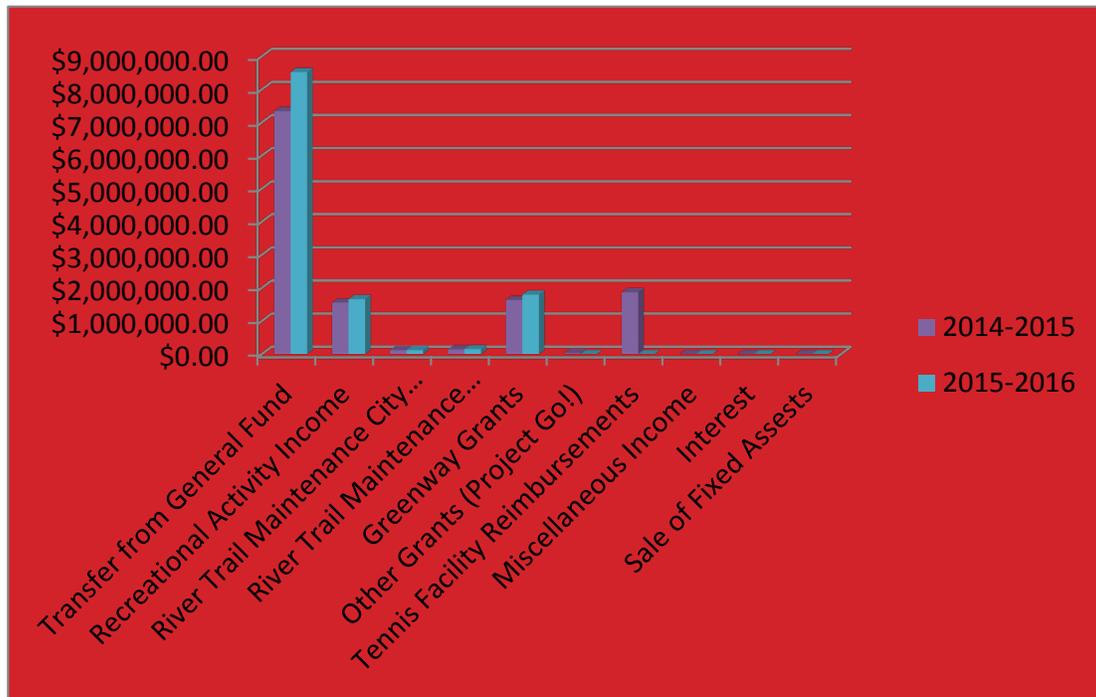


Budget Information

Projected Revenues Fiscal Year 2015-2016

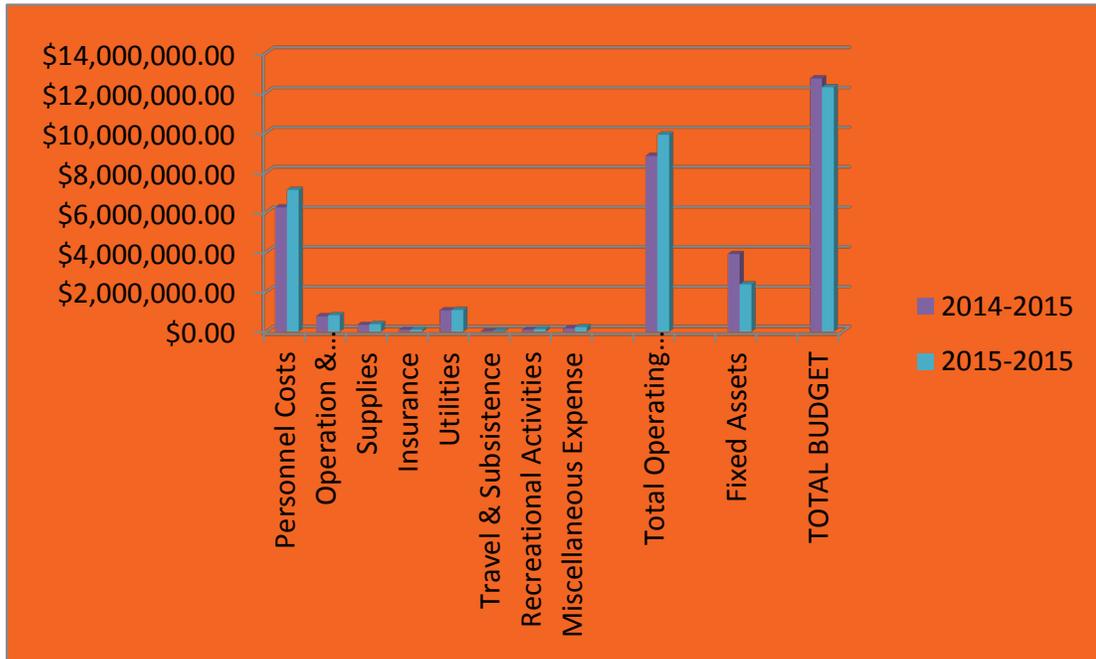
Description	2014-2015	2015-2016
General Fund	7,347,204.00	8,526,403.00
Recreational Activity Income	1,556,472.00	1,665,347.00
River Trail Maintenance City Hotel/ Motel Tax	123,000.00	123,000.00
River Trail Maintenance County Hotel/Motel Tax	145,000.00	150,000.00
Greenway Grants	1,638,474.00	1,800,000.00
Other Grants (Project Go!)	30,000.00	0
Tennis Facility Reimbursements	1,870,000.00	0
Miscellaneous Income	350.00	350.00
Interest	2,000.00	2,000.00
Sale of Fixed Assets	500.00	500.00
TOTAL BUDGET	\$12,713,000.00	\$12,267,600.00

Revenue Comparison Chart



Budget Information

Expense Comparison Chart



Projected Expenditures Fiscal Year 2015-2016

Description	2014-2015	2015-2016
Personnel Costs	6,242,624.00	7,112,716.00
Operation & Maintenance	772,661.00	825,986.00
Supplies	343,815.00	379,521.00
Insurance	98,016.00	99,123.00
Utilities	1,072,990.00	1,089,825.00
Travel & Subsistence	21,100.00	21,900.00
Recreational Activities	97,150.00	131,630.00
Miscellaneous Expense	1,678,243.00	231,233.00
Total Operating Budget	8,815,596.00	9,891,934.00
Fixed Assets	3,897,404.00	2,375,666.00
TOTAL BUDGET	\$12,713,000.00	\$12,267,600.00

Please note that these are projected budget figures.

Program Information

Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation offers a very diverse amount of programs, such as: aquatics, athletics, cultural arts, general, senior, outdoor, wellness, and special event programs. For the purpose of recording numbers, we have broken them down into the following categories: camps (traditionally offered in the summer for youth ages 6-14), by division: Athletics, Aquatics, Recreation (and sub categories), and wellness, and Special Events (once-a-year signature events that usually draw a large crowd). MPRD had 286 staff-facilitated programs offered throughout the year with 426,211 participants. The participant number is a slight decrease from 2014, because Sports*Com closed for three months for renovations.

Camps

Adventure Camp I	12
Adventure Camp II	12
Nature Camp	14
Wildlife Camp	14
Explorers Camp	13
Cheerleading Camp	22
Artist's Camp	16
Guard Start Camp I	14
Guard Start Camp II	20
Heritage Camp	14
Sports Camp	245
Theatre Camp	13
Ultimate Babysitters Club	10
PPC Summer Program	3375
McFadden Summer Camp	1826
Total	5,620



Special Events

4th of July	10000
Arctic Run	10
Back-to-School Bash	5000
Barfield Beach Party	460
Barfield Halloween Bash	2600
Boat Day	0
Boro Beach Opening	609
Christmas at CB	3000

Citywide Easter Egg Hunt	1200
Duck Day	0
Earth Day - FOG Booth	100
Fall Fest at McFadden	513
Fall Harvest Hayride	149
Flick n' Float	350
Flick n' Float- No Pool	175
Free Swim Lesson Day	63
Greenway Art Festival	4000
Groundhog Day Celebration	20
Harvest Days	6000
Hayride and S'mores	80
Hummingbird Festival	200
Island Fun Run	125
July 4th- Rock the Pool Party	376
Labor Day Pool Party	1040
Local Blacksmith Conference	60
Memorial Day Pool Party	182
Murfreesboro Half Marathon	3250
Murph's Fun Run	250
National Night Out @ Sports*Com	150
Not-So-Haunted Trail	715
Pioneer Days	9000
Polar Bear Plunge	273
Puppy Plunge	315
Santa Splash and Dash	23
Small Fry Tri	101
Spooky Splash	50
Stone's Throw Away	90
TN Valley Winds Concert	225
TryBoro 2.5/5K	404
TryBoro Trail Run	134
Uncle Dave Macon Days	20000
Underwater Easter Egg Hunt	100
USA Track and Field Future Stars	188
Wild Arts Day	175
World Turtle Day	175
Total	71,930



Program Information

Divisions

Aquatics

Lap Swim- PPCC	2266
Lap Swim S*C	7431
Open Swim- PPCC	63811
Open Swim S*C	5839
LGI Class (Sports*Com- closed)	0
Lifeguard Class	10
WSI Class (Sports*Com- closed)	0
Aqua Zumba - PPCC	1171
Deep Water Evening S*C	1552
Deep Water Morning S*C	2065
Gentle Joints Morning S*C	2677
Gentle Joints- PPCC	2813
Homeschool Swim Technique- PPCC	329
Shallow Water Evening S*C	1201
Shallow Water Morning S*C	3183
Swim Across Tennessee- PPCC	36
Swim Lessons- PPCC	188
Swim Lessons S*C	225
Toning S*C	488
Individual Rehab S*C	1142
Water Aerobics- PPCC	2846
Water Polo S*C	802
Total	100,075



Athletics

Adult Fall Softball	3360
Adult Power Volleyball	1508
Adult Rec Volleyball	1930
Adult Sports*Com BB	1667
Adult Spring Softball	3240
County School Baseball	819
County School Tennis	1320
Kiwanis Softball	2565
McFadden Adult Basketball	2363
McFadden Community Center	6022
MTF Track	156
Murfreesboro Baseball	8150
Murfreesboro Lacrosse	1302



Murfreesboro Soccer Club	9900
Optimist Baseball	2355
Patterson Adult Basketball League	695
Patterson Adult Raquetball League	258
Start*Smart Sports	210
Toddler Time	877
Youth Basketball	7272
Youth Cheerleading	129
Youth Football	618
Youth Volleyball Class	1041
Youth Volleyball League	186
Total	57,943



Youth Development

4-H	132
Art with Dr. Hodges	205
Big Brothers Big Sisters	316
Char Step Group	417
Cooking Class	222
Family Consumer Science	117
First Shot Camp	289
Homework Help	9839
Jam Session	217
Omega Manhood Academy	143
Patterson Afterschool Program	4888
Pep Squad	49
Petals and Lace	137
Project Go McFadden	5871
Project Go Oaklands Park	4017
Project Go Patterson	7408
Snack Program	17396
Teen Summit	20
Tenndercare	336
Wisdom Of the Elders Program	91
Total	52,110



Recreation- Cannonsburgh Village

3rd Friday Night & Car Show	2075
Chamber After Hours	300
Community Yard Sale	6000
Dutch Oven Cooking Class	35
Folk Fest Luncheon	150
Summer Camp	20
Trick or Treat	163
Uncle Dave Picnic/Ice Cream	225
Valentine Tea	19
Total	8,987



Program Information

Recreation- Cultural Arts

ABCs of Emotions	25
Acting Class	14
Acting Club	15
Art Camp	69
Art Camp Art Show	50
Arts in the Park	236
Auditions One Act Fest	20
Begin Set Design	57
Dance Class	510
Drum Circle (Patterson)	29
Drum Circle (Sports*Com)	49
HomeSchool Art	82
Homeschool Creativity Class	398
Intermediate Song Writing	24
Jam Session	257
One Act Fest Audience	244
One Act Fest Auditions	25
One Act Fest Cast	102
One Act Fest Rehearsal	393
One Act Fest Writing Class	83
Perform Murfreesboro Orientation	55
Poetry Club	9
Rock Hop	122
Scrapbooking Club	11
SoulBeats	175
Sunshine Choir	284
Sunshine Players Luau	100
Sunshine Players Orientation	67
Sunshine Sr. Choir	47
Theatre Camp	62
Theatre Camp Showcase	25
Trail Worms	287
While the Lights Were Out Auditions	20
Winnie the Pooh Audience	311
Winnie the Pooh Auditions	41
Winnie the Pooh Cast	58
Winnie the Pooh Performance	508
Winnie the Pooh Rehearsal	493
Total	5,357



Recreation- Greenway

Greenway 100	70
Greenway Beautification	565
Luau on the Island	5
Runners Night Out - April	23
Runners Night Out - December	0
Scavenger Hunts (on-line)	0
Stroller Coasters	96
Trail Worms	287
Total	1,046

Recreation- General Programming

123 CLASS	47
ABC CLASS	259
April Fools' Weiner Roast	46
Bingo	384
Bridge Tournament	30
BYOS	25
Canasta Tournament	28
Chicken Foot Tournament	30
Cookout & Card Party	56
Craft Session	117
Fish Fry	0
Intergenerational Crafts	9
Kreative Kids Class	74
Luau	111
Moving Day	30
Noon Year's Eve Party	140
PB Potato Bar	58
Polar Bear Days	77
Pool Tournament	30
Potluck & Bingo	37
Sandwich Night	42
Splash Out! #1	200
Splash Out! #2	200
Splash Out! #3	175
Spring Dance/Sock Hop	84
Sr. Women vs MPRD Pool Tournament	9
St. Patrick's Day Dance	143
Valentine's Dance	0
Winter Dance	87
Total	2,528



Program Information

Recreation- Outdoor

Adult Hike	5
Adult Kayak Float	31
Animal Encounters	242
Audubon ADVENTURES!	41
Bird Club	75
Birthday Programs	540
Campfire Circles	40
Career Fairs	432
Chocolate Hike	11
Earth Lab	73
Family Campout	122
Family Hike	5
Fairies and Forests	18
Fascinating Feathers	9
Fur & Feathers	20
Geocaching	5
Girl's Night Out	16
Group Campouts	49
Growing Up Wild Workshop	19
Hiking-Project GO/Patterson	15
Homeschool Programs	275
Impromptu	23
Kayak Club	40
Kayaking-Project GO/Patterson	18
Kayaking-Riverdale/Siegel	12
Leave No Trace	36
Music in the Wild	34
Nature Play	189
Nature Pop-Ups	8
Night Hikes	52
Owl Wisdom	4
Porch Talks	221
Puppets on the Porch	162
Raptor Day	187
Rock Hop (Cultural Arts)	85
Scavenger Hunt	92
School Field Trips	948
Scout Programs	66
Silent Hike	2
Spring Break Fun Day	17
Tales and Trails	261
Turtle Searches	16
Volunteer Hours	435
Wild Things	698
Winter Wonderland	6
Total	5,655



Wellness Programming

Patterson Park Community Center

4-Week Boot Camp	14
4-Week Boot Camp	8
Boot Camp in the Park	292
FITMommy	108
Group Exercise	21,795
KidFIT	719
Lift	386
Running Group Winter Training	45
Spring Softball Camp	20
Track	9,811
Weight Loss Challenge	30
Weight Room	32,882
Yoga	350



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5K Everyday Mystery Giveaway	503
5K Running Program	22
Beginner Running Program	2
Breakfast with Bob	107
Cholesterol Testing	125
City of M'boro Historic Selfie Scavenger Hunt	15
Fall Park Running Program	15
Group Exercise	9,140
Half Marathon Training Program	9
Heart Healthy Giveaway	531
Jedi Training	24
Personal Training	7,815
Princess Training	24
Runner Flexibility Class	151
Runners Strength Class	728
Runners Winter Speed Training	85
Super Hero Training	24
The Coffee Marathon	232
TUT	112
Weight Room	28,835.5

Total

114,959.5



Sports*Com Renovations

The Sports and Recreation Complex of Murfreesboro (Sports*Com) completed its first major renovation in 2015 since opening in 1987. The largest part of the renovation process was to update many of the outdated and poorly working features. While visibly the changes are not as noticeable, the final effects create a more comfortable, safe environment for our participants and a more energy efficient and cost effective building.

The old HVAC system relied on a single boiler and chiller to heat and cool the air through a series of pipes running throughout the entire building. It was outdated and did not work consistently, which created an unpleasant environment for not only participants, but staff as well. The unit was replaced with 12 separate packaged units that allow for individual zone control, more accurate temperature maintenance and better energy conservation. New, updated electrical wiring was installed throughout the building, including new energy efficient lighting with motion-activated controls, and a new security system. The update created a safer environment for our participants, and in many cases, added convenience with additional electrical outlets.

The old roof was replaced, and new drainage systems were added to reduce leaks and future wear. The new roof reduced the inconvenience and destruction of the major leaks that the building had been suffering from. The roof was actually a highly requested item from participants.

The locker rooms and restrooms were all completely redone: new tile and flooring were laid throughout all of the rooms; new shower stalls were added; plumbing and fixtures were installed; and new toilet enclosures, new sinks and counters were installed, as well as new lockers. All ADA accessible stalls and showers were enlarged and updated to meet requirements. This part of the renovation was a huge success with our participants, not only due to the improvements visually, but also because this corrected many functional problems that were very bothersome and unpleasant to our participants.

The gym floor was sanded down, repainted and resurfaced, as well as new gym pads added to the walls and basketball goals. The walking track, which had begun to wear down and was causing discomfort to participants from the worn flooring, was resurfaced with dense, cushioned material. All walls, ceilings and rafters in the building were painted, and the floor on the upper deck of the indoor pool was replaced for an overall clean, new look.

Along with necessary, functional updates, we were able to add new features to enhance the use and enjoyment of the building for our participants. One of our most popular additions is the elevator to the track and group exercise rooms. This was a feature that many had been requesting. The addition of the elevator allows individuals who cannot walk up stairs comfortably or safely to be able to utilize the indoor track as well as the exercise classes.

Another popular addition is our family restroom located off of our pools. The addition of this restroom allows families with multiple children, or parents with children of the opposite gender, to safely take their children to the restroom without causing disruptions. It also is used by many of our adult participants who have spouses or charges of the opposite gender who need assistance or who need extra privacy. Before, some people had to leave the building wet or wait for us to close an entire rest room so they could change after being in the pool.

The biggest structural change in our renovation was a 3,000 square foot addition to the front of the building which became the new weight room. Containing a full complement of weight machines, free weights and cardiovascular equipment, the addition allowed us to close off the room, which before was open and led to noise control issues. It also brought the area closer to the restrooms downstairs, which had been a frequent request from regulars.



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We converted the space of the old weight room into two group exercise rooms along with a large equipment storage room in between by walling in the old open-concept area off of the track upstairs. This conversion increased the size of the room for our current classes and gave us an extra exercise room for additional classes as well as private training. We also updated the audio systems in both rooms.

We then converted the old group exercise room located downstairs into two new rooms. One room was converted into a staff breakroom and staff offices. Previously, staff was sharing break space with a kitchen that we rented out for parties. Renovations created a designated area for breaks, a workstation and office space That staff did not have before the renovations.

The second room gained from converting the old group exercise room was turned into a party room to for indoor pool party rentals. This room contains counters, a sink and tables, and a door and windows to our indoor pool deck. Previously, pool parties were either in our meeting room or on the pool deck requiring participants to walk across the lobby into the pool area, or eat directly on the pool deck. Neither was convenient to our renters. With the addition of this designated party room, we also are able to continue with our rentals when our meeting room is being used for other activities.

Our outdoor concession stand was doubled in its size to allow us to be able to meet increased demands, as well as be able to offer a broader selection of foods to the public. The layout of the room was reconfigured for better flow, and new counters, sinks, storage and refrigerators were added. The entrance to the outdoor pool was reimagined and sun shields and air drapes were added to the windows.

Finally, our front desk was enlarged and moved to the center of the lobby to allow better access and check-in systems. A new social area in the lobby was created for the participants as well. Overall, the renovation was able to address almost all of the functional issues of the building, as well as meet most of our participants' needs and requests. It allows us to continue in our efforts to offer quality programs to the members of our community.



New Facility- Adams Tennis Complex

The long-anticipated dream of indoor tennis courts in Murfreesboro, Tennessee became reality on July 15, 2015. The new 5.8 million dollar indoor tennis complex covers a footprint of over 77,000 square feet. Among the amenities are eight state-of-the-art tennis courts, two electronic scoreboards, an elevated mezzanine area for spectator viewing, locker rooms, lounge areas and a pro shop. The Adams Tennis Complex (ATC) is located at Old Fort Park, complementing the existing 24 outdoor courts, providing connectivity to the Murfreesboro Greenway System, and enhancing the park system as a whole.

The need for an indoor tennis facility was highlighted during the development of the Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department strategic plan five years ago. Since that time, rapid growth was taking place: the City's population was expanding, the popularity of the sport of tennis was increasing, and Middle Tennessee State University (MTSU) tennis had gained national recognition for its tennis program. Realizing the need to build an indoor tennis facility and expand the number of tennis courts in the Murfreesboro community, the City of Murfreesboro reached out to MTSU to see if indoor tennis courts would be an interest to their men's and women's tennis teams and athletic department. The response was a 100% "yes." The university was having to play their home matches at an indoor complex in Nashville and was spending lots of additional time on the road and additional funds for rentals. The need for an indoor tennis facility that could be used jointly was apparent. Through collective efforts of the tennis community, MTSU Foundation, and the City of Murfreesboro, a vision was formed and a goal was set to raise the funds needed to build a facility that would meet needs for all.

Middle Tennessee State University Foundation established a fund-raising campaign to help raise the needed dollars to fulfill a dream for the tennis community and to build a home court facility for MTSU. Through the generous contributions of the Adams family and many other private donors, the foundation raised \$1.8 million. Another local philanthropic organization, the Christy-Houston Foundation, contributed \$500,000. The City of Murfreesboro contributed the additional funding to reach the final goal of \$5.8 million. On September 29, 2014, the City of Murfreesboro City Council and City staff, MTSU Foundation and MTSU representatives, along with the tennis community, gathered with partners, advocates, and supporters to break ground on their new home site.

From the City's perspective, the Adams Tennis Complex adds greatly to the already existing tennis facilities at Old Fort Park. The City had built a 16 outdoor court complex, through a joint agreement with Rutherford County Schools, which was adjacent to an existing 8 court complex, giving the capacity of 24 courts in one location. The addition of an 8-court indoor facility brought the number of courts in one location to 32. This allows the City and the University to broaden their tournament opportunities, bring in nationally ranked events, and boost the economic impact for local tourism. The complex hosts TSSAA for Spring Fling, which includes the state's high school tennis championships. It also attracts USTA tournaments and other local, regional, and national tournaments.

From the University's perspective, the MTSU Blue Raiders Men's and Women's Tennis teams are no longer forced to drive to Nashville to utilize indoor courts and can now play on their home courts at the Adams Tennis Complex.

From the perspective of the local tennis community, Murfreesboro Tennis Association has worked closely with MPRD to expand program offerings to include professional tennis lessons for all levels at all ages. Their members helped the MTSU foundation in their fund-raising efforts, and many of their members contributed. They can now see the results of their efforts.



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The true winners of the ATC are the general public who now can experience a first-class tennis facility and engage in tennis programs and instruction at all ages and ability levels. For example, a local organization that provides a program to allow children with Down's Syndrome to "buddy up" with a volunteer tennis player can now use the facility year-round. Tennis is often referred to as a "lifelong sport," and the contributions of the Middle Tennessee State University Foundation helped to make the opportunity to play the game more accessible to every citizen in our community.

The Adams Tennis Complex is owned and operated by the City of Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department and employs a staff of 12 plus a full-time tennis pro. The facility is open seven days a week, Monday-Thursday 7:00am-10:00pm, Friday 7:00am-9:00pm, Saturday 8:00am-5:00pm and Sunday 10:00am-5:00pm. On July 15, 2015, the City of Murfreesboro, the MTSU Foundation, MTSU representatives and MTA cut the ribbon on a new \$6 million indoor tennis facility with 8 indoor courts and all the amenities. Since the opening of the new Adams Tennis Complex, the City has sold over 230 memberships to individuals, families, and businesses, had several thousand users, hosted and booked tournaments, and is serving as the home for the Blue Raider Men's and Women's Tennis teams. This partnership evokes the spirits of the tennis community and shows how working together on a common goal can be achieved.



Bradley Museum

Bradley Academy Museum and Cultural Center



On August 1, 2015, Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation took over operations and programming responsibilities at Bradley Academy Museum and Cultural Center.

Located at 415 South Academy Street, Bradley Academy Museum and Cultural Center serves as a hybrid facility that displays the rich historical significance that the building represents for the City of Murfreesboro through exhibits and interpretation. Additionally, Bradley Museum and Cultural Center has a boardroom and auditorium is available for rental 7 days a week and hosts a multitude of community and civic organizations.

Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation is committed to continually enhancing this facility by bringing a variety of programming opportunities and events to the public. In 2016, a Program Coordinator will be hired for Bradley Academy Museum and Cultural Center and will be charged with updating exhibits, engaging the local community, and partnering with City Schools to engage younger generations to educate them on the historical significance of this piece of Murfreesboro History.



Recycling Program

MPRD Green Initiatives 2015 Recycling

Two thousand fifteen marked a strategic turning point in improvements to the recycling initiatives of Murfreesboro Parks and Recreation Department. Until this year, recycling efforts were limited primarily to staffed spaces in our indoor facilities. With new opportunities provided by the partnership of the City of Murfreesboro with the Rutherford County Solid Waste Department, we gained the capacity and ability to increase services to broader audiences in public spaces of the park system.

Working to identify best practices for recycling in public spaces and to find the right fit for us proved a challenge. Like many parks and agencies, we struggled with low participation, over-contaminated bins, and a lack of collection infrastructure. It was important to staff as we began phasing improvements in the program that work not only be done at the most visible layer, but also in education, promotion, collection, and understanding of “downstream accountability.”

A group of our front-line staff and supervisors went to an in-service training hosted by All-in-One Recycling, where we toured the sorting line, completed a trash audit, met with Rutherford County Solid Waste Director Mac Nolen, and discussed our goals towards recycling and sustainability practices through community-wide actions.

Rutherford County Solid Waste provided our department with three 22' single-stream dumpsters, placed strategically for staff access in the north (at Richard Siegel Park), central (Cannonsburgh Village) and south (Barfield Crescent Park) areas of the city. These sites were also identified as our “low hanging fruit” – sites with willing patrons and great partnerships in place to be successful.

In addition to the bins we had in place, we purchased fifty 60-gallon bins and distributed them among facilities for indoor use and for temporary outdoor use at special events and tournaments. Bins were installed at the Wilderness Station, the Greenway, and at Adams Tennis Complex. Additional bins continue to be added; in the last seven months, a total of 4.2 tons of single stream recyclables were gathered, and the program continues to grow.





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