

2021 Recreational Program Information

Summer Youth Basketball League

- June to August
- Ages 9-15
- Team Registration Required
- Boys and Girls Offerings
- 50 teams in 2021

Winter Youth Basketball League

- December to February
- Ages 9-15
- Team Registration Required
- Boys and Girls Offerings
- Registration Currently Open (Approximately 25 teams)

Basketball Clinic (Tyrese Martin)

- 2-day clinic held on August 24-25th
- Boys and Girls in 5th-8th grades
- Free Event for ASD students
- Hosted by Current Division I Basketball Player / Hall of Fam Coach Doug Snyder

Fall King of the Court Program

- October to November (8 weeks)
- Boys in 5th through 8th grades
- Free for Allentown Residents
- Combines skills and drills and life lessons for beginner basketball players
- 66 registrations for the 1st in person session
- Will continue in the spring of 2022

Queen of the Court Program

- 2 sessions (Fall / Spring) each 8 weeks
- Girls in 5th through 8th grades
- Free for Allentown Residents
- Combines skills and drills and life lessons for beginner basketball players
- In its 12th year (64 registrations- Fall / 29 Registration Spring)

Fall Flag Football Clinic

- October November (5-week session)
- Ages 3 through 10 years old
- Free for Allentown Residents
- 47 participants for first clinic

Youth Soccer Clinic

- September 26 Single Day Clinic
- Boys and girls ages 8-14
- Free for Allentown Residents
- Goal to connect Allentown youth to the game of soccer and organizations offering soccer programs in the city (AYSC, WAHS, DHS, ACCHS)

Pickleball Clinics

- 5 separate single day clinics (Sept-Nov)
- Open to Youth and Adults Ages 10 and older
- Free for Allentown Residents
- Total Participation 42
- Pickleball Courts at Andre Reed and Roosevelt Park

Play Ball (MLB & US Conference of Mayors)

- Sandlot Kits to Summer Playground Program Sites
 - o Batting tee, cones, relay races, soft practice balls, wiffle balls & bats)
- Pitch Hit & Run Event
- Jr. Home Run Derby Event
 - A participant of this event advanced to the national finals during the 2021 World Series in Atlanta

Summer Playground Program

- 18 different sites throughout the city
- Free program for Allentown Residents
- 8-week program
- Sports/Arts & Crafts/Environmental Education/Swimming/Collaboration with other City
 Departments
- Culminating event "Romper Day" at the end
- Approximately 300 participants in 2021

Jordan Skatepark Grand Opening Event

- Free Event on November 6th
- Collaboration with Homebase Skateshop to provide beginner level safety and etiquette lessons to Allentown Residents
- Students from Central and Sheridan Elementary Schools were represented, approximately 40

American Red Cross Lifeguarding Classes

-Monthly American Red Cross Lifeguard Certification Classes

- Free for Allentown Residents

Learn To Swim Program

Fall Water Safety Event

- November 13th- 1 day event
- Free Event for Allentown Residents
- Held at Allen HS
- Focus on Various Water Safety Topics
- 29 Registrations

A-YOUTH(Allentown Youth Organizations United to Help)

- 11 youth sports organizations within the city that offer a variety of sports offerings
- Allentown A's / Allentown Patriots / East Side Memorial / ESYC / HDYA / LCYA / LLACS / Majestic Storm / Midway Manor/ Mountainville Memorial Association / WEYO

Non A-YOUTH Organizations with Active Programming

- A.M.E.N. Initiative / P.A.L. / AYSC / Grater Valley YMCA / ACC Mini Vikings / EEACS / RCCS / WE Different

Parks & Recreation Seasonal Employment Opportunities

- 91 total employees (Cashiers, Instructors, Lifeguards, Pool Managers
- 62% Allentown Resident Employees
- Donation Funding available to assist with financial cost associated with employment (Background Checks, Certifications)

Recreation at Home (You Tube)

- Various Recreational offerings
- Baseball
- Soccer
- Healthy Living
- Reading
- Arts & Crafts
- DIY Activities
- Physical Fitness
- Mental Fitness

