

February Highlights

MOKENA COMMUNITY PARK DISTRICT

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Upcoming Events

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION 2019 FALL REGISTRATION

Saturday, February 9
9:00–10:30 a.m. Program Center

MOTHER & SON VALENTINE BOWL
Saturday, February 9
12:00–2:00 p.m. Thunder Bowl
Pre-registration required.
Spots are limited.

DADDY DAUGHTER BALL
Saturday, March 16
Age 3–6, 4:00–5:30 p.m.
Age 6–10, 6:30–8:00 p.m.
Pre-registration required.
Registration deadline: March 2.

FLASHLIGHT EGG HUNT
Thursday, April 11
8:00–9:00 p.m. Yunker Farm
Pre-registration required.
Registration deadline: March 28.

BUNNY BRUNCH
Saturday, April 13
10:30 a.m.–noon
Aurelio's Frankfort
Pre-registration required.
Registration deadline: March 30.



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MOKENA COMMUNITY PARK DISTRICT

Administration Center
10925 W. La Porte Road, Mokena
708-390-2401
info@mokenapark.com
www.mokenapark.com

Recreation Program Center
10925 W. La Porte Road, Mokena
(south end of Main Park)

The Oaks Recreation & Fitness Center
10847 W. La Porte Road, Mokena
708-390-2343

VALENTINE'S RIDE AND DINNER

Bring your special someone for an evening riding lesson followed by a delicious Italian dinner. The menu will consist of an Italian entrée, salad, rolls, and a beverage.



Celebrate Valentine's Day at Nova with your special someone. Children must be ages 6 and over. Friday and Saturday sessions are for families. The later Saturday session is adults only. Preregistration required.

- Fri., Feb. 8: 6:00-8:00 p.m.
- Sat., Feb. 9: 4:00-6:00 p.m.
- Sat., Feb. 9: 6:30–8:30 p.m. (adults only)
- Fee: \$65R/\$70NR per couple
- Additional riders: \$24R/\$26NR

Location: Nova Quarter Horses, Mokena.
Registration deadline: February 6.

FLASHLIGHT EGG HUNT

Thursday, April 11, 2019
8:00-9:00 p.m.
Yunker Farm

The Quest for the Golden Egg begins! Join us at Yunker Farm and challenge your friends to see who can find the most treat-filled eggs using only a flashlight! The child that finds the Golden Egg will receive a basket filled with treats. Please bring your own flashlight and a bag to collect the eggs. Pizza will be served after the hunt. Ages 10–15.

- Preregistration is required.
- Early Bird Registration Fee: \$12R/\$14NR.
- After March 11, additional fees apply.
- **Registration deadline: March 28.**
- No refunds for this event.



DADDY DAUGHTER BALL

Saturday, March 16, 2019
The Oaks Recreation & Fitness Center
Age 3–6, 4:00-5:30 p.m.
Age 6–10, 6:30–8:00 p.m.

Every little girl is a princess, and Dad here's your chance to treat her like one! Enjoy this special time together with dancing, music, refreshments, and a visit from our special guest, Belle. TSS Photography will also be on-site for a professional photo (additional fee). No refunds for this event.

- Early Bird Registration Fee: \$16R/\$20NR per person.
- After February 16, additional fees apply.
- Registration deadline: March 2.



DRAWING & MORE

Learn new techniques and improve your skills. We will use a variety of subjects including: animals, landscapes, cartoons, abstracts, and still life. For all levels of ability. Taught by a graduate of the American Academy of Art. Grades 1–6.

- Wednesdays: 4:30–7:45 p.m.
- February 27–April 3, 2019
- Early Bird Reg. Fee: \$52R/\$62NR
- After Feb. 13, additional fees apply.
- Location: Program Center Art Room

STAY CONNECTED!

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Follow our three Facebook pages:

- Mokena Community Park District
- The Oaks Recreation & Fitness Center
- Park 'N Bark Dog Park

Twitter: @mokenaparks

Instagram: mokenaparks

To sign up for our monthly e-newsletter, email us at: info@mokenapark.com



Preregistration required for all programs. Registration may close early if a program reaches its max. participants. Registration accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis. Registration deadline is seven days prior to the start of class unless otherwise specified. Additional fees apply after the deadline. Non-residents of Mokena Park District will pay an additional fee. No refunds on trips and special events. Program information and fees are subject to change.

TRY A FREE FITNESS CLASS AT THE OAKS!

The Oaks Recreation & Fitness Center, 10847 W. La Porte Rd., Mokena

Free Demo classes are a great way to try a class to see if it's the right fit for you. All demo classes are taught by the same instructor that teaches the actual classes.

Questions? Call The Oaks at 708-390-2343. To sign-up for a Free Demo Class, visit mokenapark.com.

FREE DEMO CLASSES:

- Tues., Feb. 5 NEW! Zumba Gold 10:45–11:30 a.m.
- Fri., Feb. 8 NEW! Zumba Gold 10:30–11:15 a.m.
- Mon., March 4 Oaks Power Hour Group Training, 6:00–6:45 a.m.
- Mon., March 4 Oaks Power Hour Group Training, 10:15–11:00 a.m.
- Thurs., March 7 Oaks Power Hour Group Training, 5:15–6:00 p.m.
- Fri., March 8 Oaks Power Hour Group Training, 6:30–7:15 a.m.
- Wed., March 13 NEW! Mind & Body Flow 11:30 a.m.–12:15 p.m.
- Tues., March 26 AOA Gentle Yoga 10:00–11:00 a.m.
- Wed., April 17 Tai Chi Qigong, 10:30–11:30 a.m.
- Fri., April 26 NEW! Zumba Gold 10:30–11:15 a.m.
- Tues., April 30 NEW! Zumba Gold 10:45–11:30 a.m.

Please note: Registration deadline for all Demo classes is two days prior to class.

For more information, call Mokena Park District at 708-390-2401 or visit mokenapark.com and register online.

FACILITY RENTALS

Birthday, Meeting, Baby Shower, or Team Party...

Mokena Community Park District will provide the space you need to host your event or meeting. Wi-Fi is available. Field House rentals are also available. For more information, contact The Oaks at rbauer@mokenapark.com or 708-390-2343.



FALL 2019 REGISTRATION EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Saturday, February 9, 2019 • 9:00–10:30 a.m.
Early Education Program Center,
10925 W. La Porte Road, Mokena



Prep School
3-year-olds
Tue. & Thur.
9:00-11:30 a.m.

Preschool
4-year-olds
Mon., Wed., Fri.
9:00-11:30 a.m.

Kinderbridge
4-year-olds
Monday–Friday
12:30-3:00 p.m.

Required at Registration:

- A non-refundable deposit of \$49 plus first month's tuition. Fee includes a t-shirt. Note: Entire amount is non-refundable.
- Copy of birth certificate
- Proof of immunizations

Grade level is determined by child's age as of 9-1-2019.

For more information, call Mokena Park District at 708-390-2401.

MAMMA MIA! at Drury Lane Theatre

Date: Thursday, March 21. Registration deadline: February 22.

An international megahit. Mamma Mia! uses the greatest songs of ABBA to tell a hilarious story of marriage, family and finding where you belong providing that in the end the winner takes it all. Fee of \$95 includes lunch (meal choices are listed in our brochure or website) tickets and roundtrip transportation. Bus will leave at 10:30 a.m. and return approx. 5:00 p.m. No refunds on trips. For more information, call 708-390-2401 or visit mokenapark.com to register online.

LINCOLN-WAY ADVANCED YOUTH TENNIS

This class is for players age 12 & under who have previously played Lincoln-Way Youth Tennis, have adequate skill levels and are ready for the next level of Tennis. Participants will work on advanced play-based skill activities and matches. Participants must receive approval from the instructor before registering.

- Wednesdays: 4:30–6:00 p.m.
- February 20–March 27, 2019
- Early Bird Reg. Fee: \$75R/\$90NR
- After Feb. 6, additional fees apply.
- Location: The Oaks Recreation & Fitness Center

KARATE

Children, teens, and adults will benefit from this year-round, multi-generational program. This program is designed to take students all the way to black belt. Participants are divided by rank and will work on techniques, develop self-confidence, flexibility, and discipline. Ages 5–adult.

- Mondays: 7:00–7:45 p.m.
- February 25–April 8, 2019
- Early Bird Reg. Fee: \$49R/\$59NR
- After Feb. 18, additional fees apply.
- Location: The Oaks Recreation & Fitness Center

FIRE STARTERS—SPRING RECREATIONAL SOCCER LEAGUE, Age 4–grade 8

The Fire Starters staff and Mokena Park District are teaming up to conduct this instructional soccer league for boys and girls, focusing on the basic skills for beginning and novice players. This program consists of eight professional training sessions with Fire Starters staff along with team practices led by parent volunteer coaches during the week and games on Sundays. Each team is guaranteed to play 8 games. Grades 1–3, 4–6, and 7-8 will participate in a single-elimination end-of-season tournament.

- Early Bird Registration deadline: March 21.
- Session dates: April 9–June 16, 2019
- Player evaluations: Sunday, March 31.
- Location: Willowview Park Soccer Fields
- Age 4–Kindergarten: \$105R/\$125NR, Grades 1–8: \$110R/\$132NR.
- After March 21, additional fees apply.