

Fall 2024



# New Journeys

Spring Lake Park Parks & Recreation

## Travel with Spring Lake Park

We offer Day Trips and Extended Tours designed for your enjoyment. We handle all the logistics for a hassle-free experience.



### TRAVEL SHOW

**Extended Tours 2025:** Lake Michigan Loop, Savannah Holiday, Iron Range Exploration, Mystery Tour and Collette Tours!

**Date:** November 13th at 10:00am or 6:00pm

**Location:** Able Park Building (8200 Able St NE)

**RSVP:** 763-792-7201 by 11/12/24

Additional information on itinerary inclusions, cost and registration details can be found on our web-site or by calling the Parks and Recreation office at 763-792-7201

[www.slprec.org](http://www.slprec.org)

### FREE CLASSES

**Medicare:** This course will go over parts A, B, C, D and supplements of Medicare. We'll touch on a brief history of Medicare. Most of the time will be spent on Medicare Advantage Plans. We will NOT discuss carrier-specific plans.

**Location:** Able Park Building (8200 Able St)

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Deadline
Wed	Oct 2	6:00-7:30 PM	Oct 15

**Getting Started with Libby (ebooks):** Join us for an introduction to Libby, the library app for reading and listening! Bring your device for assistance with downloading. Check with your library to make sure your card and PIN are current.

Location	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Deadline
Northtown Library	Mon	Oct 14	5:30-7:00 PM	Oct 14
Able Park Bldg	Fri	Nov 15	10:30 AM-Noon	Nov 15

## 55+ Driver Discount Classes



Taking a 55+ driver course can enhance your driving skills and knowledge, ensuring safer driving as you age. The course often covers traffic laws, defensive driving techniques, and tips for managing common age-related changes in vision, hearing, and reaction time. Additionally, completing the course may qualify you for up to a 10% discounts on your car insurance premiums.

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Wed	Oct 30, 2024	12:30-4:30 PM	\$29	Oct 23
Wed	Oct 30, 2024	5:00-9:00 PM	\$29	Oct 23
Wed	Feb 5, 2025	12:30-4:30 PM	\$29	Jan 29
Wed	Apr 2, 2025	5:00-9:00 PM	\$29	Mar 27
Thu	Jun 26, 2025	12:30-4:30 PM	\$29	Jun 19
Tue	Aug 19, 2025	12:30-4:30 PM	\$29	Aug 12
Wed	Oct 29, 2025	5:00-9:00 PM	\$29	Oct 22

## Mandala Rock Painting

Have you ever wanted to tap into your creative self? Come and explore how to find peace and relaxation while creating an intricate and original Mandala Rock.



**Location:** Able Park Building (8200 Able St)

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Wed	Oct 2	1:00-3:00 PM	\$30	Sept 25
Wed	Nov 6	1:00-3:00 PM	\$30	Oct 30

Register online at [www.slprec.org](http://www.slprec.org)



**Fall Boat Cruise with Mounds View** Immerse yourself in the breathtaking fall colors and scenic beauty of the world-famous Dalles of the St. Croix River on a charming paddlewheel boat tour! Marvel at the stunning rock formations shaped by glaciers thousands of years ago, as you listen to a captivating narrated history. As we cruise along the serene river, indulge in a delightful picnic lunch, making this trip a perfect blend of nature, history, and relaxation in partnership with Mounds View! **Lunch included.**

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Friday	Sep 27	11:15 AM-4:15 PM	\$75	Sep 23



**Osceola Fall Train** Experience the vibrant colors of autumn on the Osceola Scenic Fall Train Ride. Begin your journey at the fully-restored, 1916 SOO Line Depot in Osceola and board vintage diesel-powered trains for a 20-mile trip along the sandstone bluffs of the St. Croix River. You'll cross into Minnesota on the Cedar Bend Drawbridge, stopping in Marine on St. Croix, then returning to Osceola. Enjoy the fall colors on this day trip, witnessing the beauty of the St. Croix River Valley as seen only from a train. **Lunch included.**

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Friday	Oct 11	9:15 AM-3:00 PM	\$75	Sep 11

Ozark Jubilee Presents:




**Ozark Jubilee Presents: Branson** Direct from Branson, the Ozark Jubilee brings you the eagerly awaited "An All New Christmas Show" with Branson's finest entertainers, showcasing fresh music, humor, and exceptional talent. This year's tribute to veterans fills the second half with a diverse range of Christmas music, blending beloved classics such as Silent Night and White Christmas with contemporary selections. Get ready for an evening of entertainment that intertwines music, comedy, and a profound Christmas message at Paramount Center for the Arts. **Buffet Lunch included.**

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Monday	Nov 4	10:00 AM-5:30 PM	\$97	Oct 4



**White Christmas - Chanhassen Dinner Theatre** Coming to the Main Stage for the first-time, ever – it's White Christmas! Based on a timeless film, this heartwarming musical adaptation features 17 Irving Berlin songs and a book by David Ives and Paul Blake. White Christmas is a festive celebration of romance, friendship and the magic of Christmas. With a dazzling score featuring well-known standards including "Blue Skies," "I Love A Piano," "How Deep Is the Ocean" and the perennial title song, White Christmas is an uplifting, and joy-filled musical celebration! **Lunch choice made at theater.**

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Wednesday	Nov 6	10:00 AM-5:00 PM	\$107	Oct 6



**Bells Will Be Ringin' Sidekick Theatre's Annual Holiday Show** Celebrate the most wonderful time of the year with Sidekick Theatre's heartwarming, funny holiday show. Combining some of the Twin Cities best vocalists with a dynamic band headed up by Brian Pierce, this spirited holiday show brings a modern vitality to holiday favorites from the past and present day, and promises to leave you feeling merry and bright! **Lunch included.**

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Tue	Dec 10	10:30 AM-4:45 PM	\$94	Nov 10





**1940's Holiday Radio - Plymouth Playhouse** Set during Christmas Eve, 1943, the Feddington Players, amidst chaotic mishaps like noisy plumbing and electrical blackouts, are live on air for their rendition of Dickens' A Christmas Carol, with William St. Clair as an inexperienced Scrooge. When their special guest's antics disrupt the show, the actors improvise an uproarious and unexpected conclusion, blending swing versions of holiday classics and original songs to create a comedic musical that captures the essence of the season. **Lunch included.**

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Sun	Dec 15	11:00AM-5:00 PM	\$75	Nov 14



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Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Wed	Dec 18	10:00 AM-5:00 PM	\$107	Nov 18



**Vintage Vegas New Years Eve - Matinee** We are thrilled to debut this hip and explosive new show on the Fireside Theatre stage that features many of the members of the Andy & Bing Christmas Orchestra. Vintage Vegas New Years is going to be, without a doubt, one of the most amazing music events in the Twin Cities as this stellar orchestra, led by Mick Sterling and Cate Fierro, take you down the best path possible of legends including Sinatra, Bennett, Garland and many more. Huge and recognizable classics are in store for this show stopping debut music event! **Lunch choice made at theater.**

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Tue	Dec 31	10:30 AM-5:00 PM	\$110	Nov 10



**Folsom Prison Experience - Johnny Cash** Step into the shoes of a 1968 Folsom Prison inmate and experience the electrifying Johnny Cash show firsthand. Feel the palpable tension as the vigilant Warden and his guards keep a watchful eye, while Johnny Cash, June Carter, and the Statler Brothers ignite the stage with their timeless music. This unforgettable event promises an authentic glimpse into a historic performance, immersing you in the raw energy of the legendary concert. **Lunch is included,** making this a complete and captivating experience.

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Thu	Jan 16	10:00 AM-5:30 PM	\$107	Dec 16



**All Shook Up - Elvis** Get ready to shake things up with "All Shook Up," a jukebox musical comedy set in 1955 featuring the music of Elvis Presley. A charismatic young man arrives in a conservative town, challenging norms and sparking romance and self-discovery. This lively show combines 25 Elvis hits with a fresh story about breaking free from societal expectations and embracing change, filled with laughs, love, and disguises. **Lunch included.**

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Thu	Feb 6	10:00 AM-5:30 PM	\$107	Jan 3

# Art Classes By Jill Mason

**Location:** Able Park Building(8200 Able St)

Dive into a world of color and joy with our fun and dynamic painting and mixed media art classes! Perfect for all skill levels, these lively and interactive sessions offer a vibrant escape where participants can unleash their creativity, experiment with various techniques, and craft unique masterpieces in a relaxed and enjoyable atmosphere. Whether it's a friend's night out, a social group gathering, or a date night, our classes promise a rich tapestry of creativity that transcends traditional boundaries. Join us and experience the thrill of blending diverse materials and techniques to create art that is truly your own!



## Autumn Scene

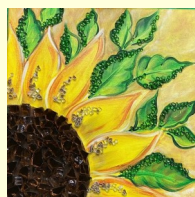
Date: Mon, Sep 30  
Time: 1:00-4:00 PM  
Fee: \$37  
Deadline: Sep 16

## Fall Leaves



Date: Mon, Oct 7  
Time: 1:00-4:00 PM  
Fee: \$37  
Deadline: Sep 23

## Sunflower, Paint, Resin & Glass



Date: Tue, Sep 24  
Time: 6:00-8:00 PM  
Fee: \$47  
Deadline: Sep 12

## Mystery Class



Date: Wed, Nov 13  
Time: 6:00-8:00 PM  
Fee: \$47  
Deadline: Oct 30

## Wood Pumpkins, Glass & Resin



Date: Sat, Oct 12  
Time: 2:00-4:00 PM  
Fee: \$47  
Deadline: Oct 3

## Candle Glow



Date: Fri, Dec 6  
Time: 1:00-4:00 PM  
Fee: \$37  
Deadline: Nov 25

## Glass Tree with Lights

Date: Wed, Dec 4  
Time: 6:00-8:00 PM  
Fee: \$47  
Deadline: Nov 20



## Mystery Class



Date: Mon, Nov 11  
Time: 1:00-4:00 PM  
Fee: \$37  
Deadline: Oct 28

## Mixed Media Tomato Cage Gnome or Santa

Date: Tue, Dec 10  
Time: 6:00-8:00 PM  
Fee: \$47  
Deadline: Nov 26







Writing guidance to share your greatest gift - your legacy. Filled with memories, dreams, faith, and values, your life's story is unique and worthy of being remembered. Bill Marsella, a certified Legacy Facilitator, specializes in guiding individuals and groups in the art of writing Legacy Letters.

**Location:** Able Park Building (8200 Able St)

### Words That Last

Words That Last helps you record your life's legacy simply and with heart. Join us for this free introduction.

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Tue	Sep 3	2:00-2:30 PM	\$0	Aug 27

### Legacy Letter Writing Workshop

Under Bill's expert guidance, you'll compose a heartfelt letter aimed at sharing your accumulated wisdom, personal values, cherished memories, and affection with your loved ones.

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Tue	Sep 17	2:00-4:00 PM	\$30	Sep 10

### Guided Autobiography

Guided Autobiography is an ideal way to pass along valuable lessons, stories, and history to your friends, family, and future generations.

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Fee	Deadline
Tue	Sep 24 thru Nov 19	2:00 to 4:00 PM	\$85	Sept 17



# Join the fun! Free Senior Clubs



All activities are located at Able Park Building.  
Clubs will relocate to City Hall once the remodel is complete

### Bingo

Join us for Free Senior Bingo on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month starting Sept 23, 2024 to May 2025! Enjoy an afternoon of fun, socializing, and the chance to win great prizes. Don't miss out on this exciting opportunity to connect with friends and make new ones while enjoying a classic game of Bingo. See you there!

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time
2nd & 4th Monday	Sep 23 - May 26	1:00-3:00pm

### Senior 500 Card Club

Join our Senior Card Club for lively games of 500! Meet new friends and enjoy friendly competition as you play this classic card game. Whether you're a seasoned player or new to 500, everyone is welcome. Come share the fun, sharpen your skills, and be part of our warm and welcoming community! Each week on Thursdays at 1:00 pm. \*Starting January 2025

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time
Thursdays	Year round	1:00 - 3:00pm

### Book Club

Whether you're an avid bookworm or just getting back into reading, our club offers a warm and inclusive space for everyone. Together, we'll explore a diverse range of genres, share insights, and engage in lively discussions. Come along and enrich your reading experience with us—your next favorite book and a group of wonderful new friends are just a page away! **October:** *Horse* by Geraldine Brooks **November:** *The Women* by Kristin Hannah

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time
1st Thursday	Oct - Dec	11:00 AM - Noon

### Hand and Foot Card Club

Hand and Foot is an enjoyable and stimulating card game, ideal for seniors seeking a relaxed and social activity. As a variation of Canasta, this game is typically played by four players in teams of two, though it can be adapted for different numbers of participants. **Join us on September 25th, October 23rd, November 27<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm. Starting January 8th, 2025 Hand and Foot will meet on Wednesdays at 1:00 pm.**

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time
Wednesdays	Jan - May 2025	1:00 - 3:00pm



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**1301 81st Avenue NE**  
**Spring Lake Park, MN 55432**

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 **Registration and Waiver Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Do the participant(s) have any relevant allergies or special accommodations? List here \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Name	Grade	Age	Birthdate*	Activity	Activity Date	Fee

*\*Birthdates are required for Mature Drivers Courses.*

**WAIVER**

By registering, you are consenting to allow personal data to be shared with essential personnel involved in administering the program. In consideration of your accepting this entry, I, along with my heirs, assigns, representatives, executors and administrators, hereby waive and release any and all rights, causes of action, and claims for damages I have or may in the future have against the City of Spring Lake Park and its representatives, officials, successors, and assigns for any and all injuries, including but not limited to any injury suffered as a result of my exposure to communicable diseases such as MRSA, influenza, COVID-19, or any other communicable disease, suffered by myself at the activity that I attend. Photo Waiver: I understand that the City may use photographs taken at its programs that picture me or my dependents for publicity purposes. The Minnesota Data Privacy Act requires that personal information you provide remain private data and is not available to the public.

**Required Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: / \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to **Spring Lake Park Recreation.** Check # \_\_\_\_\_ To pay cash, visit our office.

Return form to: SLP Recreation, 1301 81<sup>st</sup> Ave NE, Spring Lake Park, MN 55432