

“COMMUNITY PARKS & RECREATION FOR A LIFETIME”

UDP & R

UPPER DUBLIN PARKS & RECREATION

LEISURE GUIDE • WINTER/SPRING 2022



Twining Valley Dog Park NOW OPEN!

Small, medium & large dog park enclosures at 1400 Twining Road. Key fob system and parking lot coming soon!

details on page 14

UD Rush Hour Run Wednesday, April 27

Skip the evening traffic and run or walk a 5K at Twining Valley Park - all proceeds benefit the UDT Recreation Scholarship Fund.

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Winterfest Fri & Sat, February 11 & 12

Ice skating, fire throwing, chili cook-off, ice sculptures, beer/wine garden, food trucks, fireworks, Frozen characters & more!

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general information

GREETINGS FROM THE DIRECTOR

Welcome to 2022! While 2021 continued to be a trying time for many, including the victims of the September 1 tornado, UDP&R worked diligently to create normalcy by offering a variety of programs and events. Highlights included a robust number of summer camps and socially distanced events, including the return of the Sunday Evening Summer Concert Series, Upper Dublin Rush Hour Run and Upper Dublin Triathlon among many others.

Tammy and Erin, our Recreation Division staff, have once again planned a full slate of fun, engaging and educational opportunities this year. Winterfest, a popular affair from the 2019 Tricentennial celebration is returning. Mark your calendars for 2/11 & 2/12!

As a result of the tornado, the Administration and Recreation divisions of UDP&R are being housed at our temporary office at 370 Commerce Drive. Stop by to speak with us, pick up pre-ordered discount movie tickets or grab a program brochure. The Parks Division is working out of Twining Valley Park. In lieu of the Township Building meeting rooms not being available, community groups or residents seeking meeting space can now do so at the Upper Dublin Library at 520 Virginia Drive. Contact the UDP&R office for room availability and rental rates.

2022 will mark the beginning of a series of open space projects in Upper Dublin including the completion of Phase 1 at Twining Valley Park, an update to the Township's Open Space Plan, increased connectivity to two parks with the installation of new trails and the reforestation of Tannerie Run West Park and Rose Valley Preserve, which were devastated by the tornado.

While this year may remain challenging in some ways, this community has proven that it is #UDStrong and we look forward to building on that as we advance into the new year.

Get out, Get active & Make a difference.

Derek Dureka

Parks & Recreation Director

PROGRAM LOCATION KEY

Township Facilities

MC - Mondauk Common; **UDL** - Upper Dublin Library; **TVP** - Twining Valley Park;

HLW - Henry Lee Willet Park; **RP** - Robbins Park

Other Locations

Burn Brae Day Camp - 1401 Twining Road

Competitive Edge Martial Arts - 874 Welsh Road

Institute of Dance Artistry - 400 Commerce Drive

Magarity Tennis Club - 825 Bethlehem Pike

For Township & School District locations, see page 17.

OFFICE HOURS

The UDP&R service window is located at the main desk at 370 Commerce Drive, Fort Washington during our regular hours - Monday to Friday from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm.

UDP&R MISSION STATEMENT

Upper Dublin Township Department of Parks and Recreation (UDP&R) is a professionally operated, multi-faceted leisure services organization. Our mission is based on a passion for enriching the lives of you, our residents, through recreation, creating natural beauty and maintaining a safe, clean environment. We consistently strive to provide enjoyable experiences for you through warm, genuine service and quality facilities.

CANCELLATIONS

For UDP&R activities, announcements and updates, visit www.upperdublinrec.net or our Facebook page. Registered participants will receive a phone call and email. Please make sure we have your current information on file!

For School District Info, visit www.udsd.org.



SOCIAL MEDIA

Be sure to "Like" UDP&R on Facebook and "Follow" us on Instagram for announcements and giveaways.

Upper Dublin Parks & Recreation

www.Facebook.com/UpperDublinParksandRecreation

[Instagram: udt_parksandrecreation](https://www.instagram.com/udt_parksandrecreation)

Upper Dublin Dog Parks

www.Facebook.com/UpperDublinDogParks

Upper Dublin Triathlon

www.Facebook.com/UpperDublinTriathlon



UDP&R ENEWS

UDP&R offers email announcements regarding programs and recreation activities. Sign up at www.upperdublin.net to receive these reminders.

OFFICE CLOSURES

Township offices, including UDP&R, will be closed on the following holidays during the Winter/Spring:

- **Mo, January 17 - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day**
- **Mo, February 21 - President's Day**
- **Fr, April 15 - Good Friday**
- **Mo, May 30 - Memorial Day**

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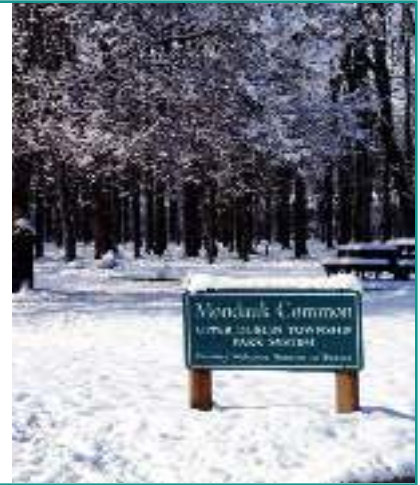
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HOW TO REGISTER & SPECIAL PROGRAM NOTES

- To register, call the UDP&R office at (215) 643-1600 x3443 or visit us online 24 hours a day/7 days a week at www.upperdublinrec.net. *Discover, MasterCard or Visa accepted.*
- To be eligible for a program, participants must be the proper age by the end of the program.
- Waitlists will be formed when a program fills. Only age/grade appropriate participants will be waitlisted.
- A "resident" is anyone whose legal address is a residential property within Upper Dublin Township. All others will be charged the NR surcharge, regardless of who registers for the trip or activity. *"R" is the resident fee and "NR" is the non-resident fee.*

INCLUSION STATEMENT & ADA ACCESSIBILITY

- **Inclusion Statement:** Upper Dublin Parks & Recreation welcomes and encourages people of all abilities to join in our programs and special events. We strive to create all-inclusive activities that open the door for every participant to reach their potential for full and active participation. Talk to us - we will do our best to accommodate all reasonable requests.
- **ADA Accessibility:** We recognize the importance of recreation for everyone. To the best of our ability, we will adapt our parks, programs, trips and special events to make them accessible to persons with special needs. Please indicate, at the time of registration, how we can accommodate your needs. We will extend every effort to reasonably accommodate requests.

UPPER DUBLIN CITIZEN EMERGENCY FUND

The Upper Dublin Citizen Emergency Fund was created to provide relief to poor and distressed persons in Upper Dublin facing a critical, immediate need for food, shelter, medical care or clothing for their health and well-being. If you know of someone in immediate need of one-time assistance, please contact the Township Manager's office.

UPPER DUBLIN TOWNSHIP RECREATION SCHOLARSHIP

Through the UDT Recreation Scholarship, there are financial assistance services available for qualifying Upper Dublin Township families' children. Guidelines and an application can be found on the UDP&R website - www.upperdublinrec.net. Financial assistance is available for programs offered by:

- Upper Dublin Parks & Recreation (UDP&R) - summer camp programs
- Upper Dublin Junior Athletic Association (UDJAA) - baseball, softball, field hockey, basketball, cheerleading & volleyball
- Upper Dublin Soccer Club (UDSC) - recreational and travel soccer
- Upper Dublin Aquatic Club (UDAC) - swimming, diving & water polo
- Upper Dublin Lacrosse Club (UDLC) - boys lacrosse
- Upper Dublin Lacrosse Club (UDLC) - girls lacrosse
- Upper Dublin Youth Football Club (UDYFC) - football



winter/spring at-a-glance calendar

WEEK	MULTI-WEEK PROGRAMS (LISTED UNDER THE WEEK THEY BEGIN)	SPECIAL EVENTS, TRIPS, TICKETS, ONE DAY PROGRAMS
Jan 17-Jan 23	Drawing & Cartooning Indoor Tennis Programs	Babysitter's Training (Mo 1/17) School's Out Pottery Design (Mo 1/17)
Jan 24-Jan 30	NEW! GGLeagues - eSports Preschool Tae Kwon Do Virtual Yoga	
Jan 31-Feb 6		School's Out Mad Science (Mo 2/1)
Feb 7-Feb 13		School's Out Theatre Horizon (Th 2/10 and/or Fr 2/11) Winterfest (Fr 2/11 & Sa 2/12)
Feb 14-Feb 20	Preschool Dance	
Feb 21-Feb 27	Indoor Tennis Programs Virtual Coding Classes Yoga (In-Person)	Babysitter's Training (Mo 2/21) School's Out Kidz Art (Mo 2/21) everybody's theater company's Cabaret (Fr 2/25 & Sa 2/26)
Feb 28-Mar 6	Drawing & Cartooning Science Explorers	
Mar 7-Mar 13	Adult Pottery Preschool Tae Kwon Do Virtual Yoga Youth Pottery	
Mar 14-Mar 20		Winning Cards Casino Night (Sa 3/19) NEW! Superhero Playtime (Su 3/20)
Mar 21-Mar 27	Life in Motion Boot Camp	
Mar 28-Apr 3	Preschool Dance Indoor Tennis Programs Science Explorers	Babysitter's Training (Sa 4/2)
Apr 4-Apr 10	Adult Archery Youth Archery	Rain Barrel Workshop (Tu 4/5) The Bunny Hop (Sa 4/9) Washington, D.C. Day Trip (Sa 4/9)
Apr 11-Apr 17		Spring Break Multi-Sport Camp (Mo 4/11-We 4/13) Spring Break Pottery Camp (Mo 4/11-Th 4/14) Youth Mountain Bike Clinic (Sa 4/16)
Apr 18-Apr 24	NEW! GGLeagues - eSports Outdoor Tennis Programs Super Soccer Stars Virtual Coding Classes	Master Gardener: Peony (Tu 4/19) En Plein Air Painting (Sa 4/23)
Apr 25-May 1	Preschool Tae Kwon Do Virtual Yoga	Comical Kids Concert (Tu 4/26) Trip: Normandy, Paris & the Seine River Cruise (Tu 4/26-We 5/4) Upper Dublin Rush Hour Run (We 4/27)
May 2-May 8		NEW! Mother's Day Flower Workshop (We 5/4)
May 9-May 15	Adult Archery Youth Archery	Master Gardener: Ornamental Grasses (Tu 5/10)
May 16-May 22		Upper Dublin Triathlon Info Night (Mo 5/16) Upper Dublin Triathlon Course Preview (Sa 5/21) Upper Dublin Triathlon/Duathlon/Aquabike (Su 5/22)
May 23-May 29		
May 30-Jun 5		Spring Flea Market (Sa 6/4) Upper Dublin Sports Swap (Sa 6/4)

upper dublin triathlon/duathlon/aquabike

RACE DAY IS MAY 22, 2022! REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN.

Come out and TRI this year! This unique community based race will feature a 350 meter pool swim, 10.6 mile bike race through the greater Fort Washington area and a 3.4 mile run through the Temple Ambler campus. **Register now at www.runsignup.com!**

An aquabike event, consisting of the swim portion and a 10.6 mile bike race, is offered for those who choose not to run. A duathlon, consisting of a 2 mile run followed by an 8.3 mile bike race and finished off with the 3.4 mile run, is offered for those who choose not to swim. Choose to complete the triathlon, duathlon or aquabike as an individual or relay team.

Those interested in becoming a sponsor should contact Erin Timby at ewoodruff@upperdublin.net. 100% of the net proceeds will be donated to charities serving the Upper Dublin community. Beneficiaries will include the Upper Dublin Education Foundation as well as other charities selected by the Upper Dublin Board of Commissioners. \$15,000 was donated to area charities in 2021.

Upper Dublin Triathlon/Duathlon/Aquabike presented by:



UD TRIATHLON INFO NIGHT

You are invited to attend a free information night for the Upper Dublin Triathlon on **Monday, May 16 at 6:30 pm** at the North Wales Running Company (111 N. Main St. North Wales) This program is free of charge for all attendees and there is no registration required. We will discuss the race course, transition area logistics, general rules, what to wear during the race, etc. This night is designed to answer all of your race questions! While we will focus specifically on the Upper Dublin Triathlon, you do not have to be registered for the race to participate. Feel free to bring along friends and family members that are interested in learning more about the sport!

UD TRIATHLON COURSE PREVIEWS

On Saturday May 21, UDP&R is hosting a course preview of the Upper Dublin Triathlon routes. We will meet at 8:00 am - stay tuned for the meeting location. This is a great way for all athletes to become familiar with the bike and run courses for race day. Pre-registration is not required.



upper dublin c.a.r.e.s.

UDP&R's community-wide volunteer group, Upper Dublin C.A.R.E.S. (Community Advocates for Recreation & Environmental Sustainability) is dedicated to bettering the recreational and environmental well-being of Upper Dublin Township. Volunteers will have opportunities to provide support at Township events and programs and assist with park improvement projects.



Volunteer activities will include:

- Removing invasive plants and cutting destructive vines throughout UD parks
- Fencing existing young, native trees
- Planting native trees and shrubs
- Collecting trash in parks and along streams
- Maintaining improved natural areas
- Assisting at large Township events

There will be a volunteer event on Monday, January 17 for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service and on Friday, April 22 for Earth Day. Please stay tuned for details. Other volunteer events will be offered throughout the year. If you are interested in being a part of this group, please email Colleen Kenny at ckenny@upperdublin.net to be added to the project notification list. We look forward to seeing you come out and help to make Upper Dublin a better place!

special events

THE BUNNY HOP

Join us on a journey of the Tales of Peter Cottontail, hopping down the bunny trail! Using a map with clues, participants will drive from location to location where there will be giveaways at each of the 10 stops. Of course, there's a chance to see UDP&R's own Buggy O'Hare. Buggy will be hopping around town, can you catch him? (Ages 1-12 yrs)

Location: UDT 35 min/125 max

Event takes place on a Saturday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
5013.101	Sa 4/9	1p	\$10R/\$15NR	1

SPRING FLEA MARKET

We believe that "one man's trash is another man's treasure!" What a great way to locate inexpensive clothing, jewelry, furniture, toys, etc. Event takes place in the UD Library parking lot and will be canceled in the event of inclement weather. (All ages)

Location: UD Library 20 min/35 max (for vendors)

Event takes place on a Saturday

Activity #	Date	Time	Vendor Fee
5020.101	Sa 6/4	8a-1p	\$15R/\$20NR

Vendors: You must supply your own tables/chairs. You must supply your own change.

UPPER DUBLIN SPORTS SWAP

We're collecting and distributing used sports equipment to recycle back to the UD community. Don't throw your gear away - swap it for gear you need! Collection & swap takes place at the UD Library.

Drop off your stuff: Tue, May 31 to Fri, June 3

***Pick out new stuff:** Sat, June 4 from 8a-1p

***you DON'T need to donate in order to take items!**

All gear must be gently used/new. We are collecting: Cleats, new mouth guards, ice skates, shin guards, compression shorts, heatguard shirts, gloves, bats, helmets, pads, sticks, goggles, pants, etc.

COMICAL KIDS CONCERT

Jump around with Lolly during this interactive concert! Go on a super fun adventure and play tons of fun, fitness-based games. This FREE show is for pre-school fans of fun, laughter and music. (All ages)

Location: Mondauk Common

Event takes place on a Tuesday

Activity #	Date	Time	Fee
5010.101	Tu 4/26	10a-10:45a	FREE!

UPPER DUBLIN RUSH HOUR RUN

Avoid rush hour traffic and run a 5K at Twining Valley Park instead! You will receive a t-shirt (register by 4/6), chip-timing, cash prizes for top finishers and post-race dinner. All net proceeds will benefit UDP&R's Scholarship Fund. The race is co-organized with the Fort Washington Business Alliance.

Register at www.runtheday.com (Ages 8+ yrs)

Location: Twining Valley Park 75 min/no max

Event takes place on a Wednesday

Activity #	Date	Time	Fee
5018.101	We 4/27	6p	see below*

*Early bird rate is \$25 (until 3/1), regular rate is \$30 (until 4/13), late rate is \$35 (until 4/25) and day-of registration is \$40.



WINTERFEST

Back due to popular demand from the 2019 Upper Dublin Tricentennial celebration! Join your friends and neighbors down Loch Alsh Ave. for winter fun, including fireworks, ice skating, ice sculptures, chili cook-off, food trucks, beer/wine garden, puppy bowl (pending cold weather), your favorite Frozen characters and hot chocolate in warming tents! (All ages)

Location: Outside 801 Loch Alsh Ave., Fort Washington

Event takes place on a Friday & Saturday

Date	Time	Fee
Fr 2/11	6p-9p	FREE!*
Sa 2/12	3p-8p	FREE!*

*Costs are associated with food trucks and beer/wine garden.



SUPER SOCCER STARS

Learn skills in a fun, non-competitive, educational environment. Use soccer to nurture, to build self-confidence and develop teamwork. Low child-to-coach ratio! Super Soccer Stars is the Official Youth Soccer Program of the Philadelphia Union. (Ages 2-3, 3-4 & 4-5 yrs)

Location: MC Instructor: Super Soccer Stars
3 min/12 max

Program meets on Fridays

Activity #	Ages	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
1040.101	4-5	Fr 4/22-5/20	12p-12:50p	\$110R/ \$121NR	5
1040.102	3-4	Fr 4/22-5/20	1p-1:45p	\$110R/ \$121NR	5
104-0.103	2-3	Fr 4/22-5/20	2p-2:40p	\$110R/ \$121NR	5

Rain date is Fr 5/27.

PRE-SCHOOL TENNIS

An introduction to a wonderful lifetime sport! Focus will be on the FUNdamentals, incorporating games with teaching. Bring a racquet and water bottle. All other equipment will be provided. (Ages 4-5 yrs)

Location: HLW Instructor: Topspin Tennis
4 min/10 max

Program meets on Saturdays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
1029.101	Sa 4/23-5/21	9a-9:50a	\$75R/\$90NR	5



SUPERHERO PLAYTIME

Hang out with a superhero as we train how to be the superhero inside each of us! Storytime, games, movement and a craft are included. Superhero attire is welcome. (Ages 3-6 yrs with guardian)

Location: TVP Instructor: Princesses for Parties
4 min/10 max

Program meets on a Sunday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
5037.101	Su 3/20	10a-11:30a	\$20R/\$25NR	1

Due to a child day care center certification requirement for operation of certain preschool programs by the PA Department of Human Services, a parent or guardian must stay present on-site throughout the duration of any program offered for preschool aged children. A pre-school aged child is defined as any child that has not yet started kindergarten.

PRE-SCHOOL DANCE

A combo of ballet and jazz, this class teaches the fundamentals of dance while developing flexibility, strength, balance and coordination. Imagination, props and music are incorporated. (Ages 3-5 yrs)

Location: Institute of Dance Artistry Instructor: IDA
6 min/18 max

Program meets on Saturdays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
1020.102	Sa 2/19-3/26	9:15a-10a	\$66R/\$79NR	6
1020.103	Sa 4/2-5/14	9:15a-10a	\$66R/\$79NR	6 (no 4/16)

PRE-SCHOOL TAE KWON DO

Build self-esteem, confidence, discipline and a positive outlook in this introductory martial arts class. Physical benefits include balance, coordination and endurance. Dress for activity. (Ages 3-5 yrs)

Location: Competitive Edge Instructor: CE
5 min/12 max

Program meets on Mondays/Wednesdays or Tuesdays/Thursdays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
<i>Mondays & Wednesdays</i>				
1026.101	1/24-2/16	5p-5:30p	\$54R/\$65NR	8
1026.103	3/7-3/30	5p-5:30p	\$54R/\$65NR	8
1026.105	4/25-5/18	5p-5:30p	\$54R/\$65NR	8

Tuesdays & Thursdays

1026.102	1/25-2/17	5p-5:30p	\$54R/\$65NR	8
1026.104	3/8-3/31	5p-5:30p	\$54R/\$65NR	8
1026.106	4/26-5/19	5p-5:30p	\$54R/\$65NR	8



EARLY ELEMENTARY DRAWING

New Year, New Art! Learn to draw complex images while discovering the world of art and color and developing fine motor using pencils, crayons and markers. Ignite the imagination mastering basic skills like circles and patterning. (Ages 4-6 yrs)

Location: TVP Instructor: Young Rembrandts
5 min/12 max

Program meets on Saturdays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
1006.101	Sa 1/22-2/12	9a-9:45a	\$72R/\$86NR	4
1006.102	Sa 3/5-3/26	9a-9:45a	\$72R/\$86NR	4

children & youth

ARCHERY

Join us for fun and creativity! Focus on safety, skills and drills. Learn proper form, range rules and etiquette. Enjoy target shooting (standard, goodie filled balloons and more!), range shooting, fun games and paint to create art-chemy! **(Currently in grades 1-8)**

Location: Burn Brae Day Camp

Instructor: Anne Margaret 8 min/12 max

Programs meet on Mondays or Tuesdays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2002.101	Mo 4/4-4/25	4:15p-5:15p	\$42R/\$50NR	3
2002.102	Mo 4/4-4/25	5:20p-6:20p	\$42R/\$50NR	3
2002.103	Tu 4/5-4/26	4:15p-5:15p	\$42R/\$50NR	3
2002.104	Tu 4/5-4/26	5:20p-6:20p	\$42R/\$50NR	3
2002.105	Mo 5/9-5/23	4:15p-5:15p	\$42R/\$50NR	3
2002.106	Mo 5/9-5/23	5:20p-6:20p	\$42R/\$50NR	3
2002.107	Tu 5/10-5/24	4:15p-5:15p	\$42R/\$50NR	3
2002.108	Tu 5/10-5/24	5:20p-6:20p	\$42R/\$50NR	3

Rain dates are Mo 5/2, Tu 5/3, Mo 6/6 & Tu 6/7.

BABYSITTER'S TRAINING

This American Red Cross course provides current and future babysitters with confidence, competence and life skills. Learn to provide safe and responsible care to children. Practice basics such as diapering, feeding, first aid, safety and problem solving. Please bring a snack and water bottle.

(Currently in grades 6-8 and at least 11 yrs old)

*Location: UD Library Instructor: Stephanie Bennett
6 min/8 max*

Program meets on a Monday or Saturday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2005.102	Mo 2/21	9a-1p	\$70R/\$84NR	1
2005.103	Sa 4/2	9a-1p	\$70R/\$84NR	1

CARTOONING

Artists will be drawing dinosaurs at school, monsters and kids, robots and family photos that will boost their art skills and crack everyone up! Draw expressions, convey moods and develop a series of drawings to tell a joke. **(Currently in grades 3-8)**

*Location: TVP Instructor: Young Rembrandts
5 min/12 max*

Program meets on Saturdays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2010.101	Sa 1/22-2/12	11:15a-12:15p	\$72R/\$86NR	4
2010.102	Sa 3/5-3/26	11:15a-12:15p	\$72R/\$86NR	4

YOUTH TENNIS

A great introduction to a wonderful lifetime sport! Focus will be on the FUNDamentals, incorporating games with teaching. Bring a racquet and water bottle. All other equipment will be provided. **(Ages 6-8 yrs OR 9-11 yrs)**

*Location: HLW Instructor: Topspin Tennis
4 min/12 max*

Program meets on Saturdays

Activity #	Ages	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2072.101	6-8	Sa 4/23-5/21	10a-10:50a	\$75R/\$90NR	5
2074.101	9-11	Sa 4/23-5/21	11a-11:50a	\$75R/\$90NR	5

Rain date is Sa 6/4.

DRAWING

Break down complex objects into basic foundational shapes. Artists will be learning core art skills while boosting self-confidence and social development. **(Currently in grades 2-6)**

*Location: TVP Instructor: Young Rembrandts
5 min/12 max*

Program meets on Saturdays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2012.101	Sa 1/22-2/12	10a-11a	\$72R/\$86NR	4
2012.102	Sa 3/5-3/26	10a-11a	\$72R/\$86NR	4

YOUTH POTTERY STUDIO

Explore the imagination, develop creativity and gain confidence by working with clay. All skill levels and abilities welcome. All supplies & firing included. **(Currently in grades 2-8)**

*Location: TVP Instructor: Potteryworks Mobile
10 min/20 max*

Program meets on Wednesdays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2068.102	We 3/9-4/6	4:45p-6:15p	\$150R/\$180NR	5

EN PLEIN AIR PAINTING

Learn landscape composition, painting techniques and steps to paint outdoors. We will split into two groups: ages 7-13 & ages 14-17. **(Ages 7-17 years)**

*Location: TVP Instructor: Kidz Art
7 min/10 max per age group*

Program meets on a Saturday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2022.101	Sa 4/23	9a-12:30p	\$30R/\$36NR	1

MOTHER'S DAY FLOWER WORKSHOP

Hand build with clay your own ceramic flower for indoor use or display in the garden. Choose from different patterns, textures and flower cutters to design your own flower. All materials are included to build and glaze. Make a gift for a special someone or come create alongside your favorite mother-figure! **(Ages 6+ years - great for the whole family!)**

*Location: TVP Instructor: Potteryworks Mobile
10 min/20 max*

Program meets on a Wednesday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2024.101	We 5/4	6p-8p	\$42R/\$50NR	1



ESPORTS - GG LEAGUES

UDP&R has partnered with GG Leagues to bring eSports to UD! For \$40 per season, you can play Madden 21, Rocket League, Fortnite, Super Smash Bros and Mario Kart against your friends, neighbors and other gamers in PA!

The Winter season starts the week of January 24 and Spring season starts the week of April 18.

Youth Division: Ages 8-12 years | Games are 7p-8p

Teen Division: Ages 13-17 years | games are 8p-9p

Adult Division: Ages 18+ years | games are 9p-10p

For more details and a link to register, please visit www.upperdublinrec.net.

SCIENCE EXPLORERS

Oozy, Odd, Outrageous Animals (OO)

From banana slugs to poison dart frogs, explore the world of wacky creatures that suck blood, make slime, "fly" without wings, and re-grow parts!

Crime Scene Capers (CS)

Each week a new suspect will be revealed. Use forensic techniques to solve the mystery. Lift fingerprints, analyze unknown substances and use a black light to reveal glowing evidence. **(Currently in grades 1-5)**

*Location: TVP Instructor: Science Explorers
10 min/20 max*

Program meets on Tuesdays

Activity #	Name	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2036.101	OO	Tu 3/1-3/22	4:15p-5:15p	\$114R/ \$136NR	4
2036.102	CS	Tu 3/29-4/26	4:15p-5:15p	\$114R/ \$136NR	4 (no 4/12)
2036.103	OO & CS	Tu 3/1-4/26	4:15p-5:15p	\$216R/ \$248NR	8 (no 4/12)

VIRTUAL CODING CLASSES

Minecraft (MC) | Grades 2-8

Challenge the odds, craft your own kinds of weapons and build dream worlds using code.

Python/Java Text-Based Coding (PJ) | Grades 5-11

Learn text-based coding languages and gain proficiency in foundational coding concepts.

Unity/3D Design (UD) | Grades 5-11

Learn the basics of graphics, programming, and game design using Unity and Blender.

Roblox (RB) | Grades 2-8

Make use of the many tools on Roblox to code terrific games, relaying your imaginative capabilities.

Digital Art w/Javascript (DJ) | Grades 5-7

Use code to simulate a sunrise and sunset, simulate the Fibonacci sequence, create snake & pong games.

Game-Based Python (GB) | Grades 2-5

Create space shooter games, trivia games, music bands, beautiful computer-generated art & more.

*Location: Virtual via Zoom Instructor: CodeWiz
4 min/12 max*

Program meets on Tuesdays or Wednesdays

Activity #	Name	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
V2047.101	MC	Tu 2/22-3/29	5p-6p	\$150R/ \$180NR	6
V2049.101	PJ	We 2/23-3/30	5p-6p	\$150R/ \$180NR	6
V2052.101	UD	We 2/23-3/30	6:30p-7:30p	\$150R/ \$180NR	6
V2050.102	RB	Tu 4/19-5/24	5p-6p	\$150R/ \$180NR	6
V2046.102	DJ	We 4/20-5/25	5p-6p	\$150R/ \$180NR	6
V2048.102	GB	We 4/20-5/25	6:30p-7:30p	\$150R/ \$180NR	6

MOUNTAIN BIKE CLINICS

Learn the 3 key essentials: neutral/ready position, bike/body separation and intro to cornering. Coach John Raish is a local mountain bike instructor, a BICP Level 1 Ride Guide/Certified Skills Instructor and National Interscholastic Cycling League coach/team director. Mountain bike with gears, helmet and water bottle and cage or camelback-type backpack required. **(Currently in grades 6-12)**

*Location: TVP Instructor: John Raish
8 min/12 max*

Program meets on a Saturday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2065.101	Sa 4/16	10a-12p	\$15R/\$20NR	1

children & youth

SCHOOL'S OUT POTTERY

Explore hand pottery, board games and plenty of creative activities to keep busy all day! Please bring snack, lunch (full day only), water bottle and winter coat. **(Currently in grades K-5)**

Location: TVP Instructor: Potteryworks Mobile
10 min/15 max

Program meets on a Monday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2202.101A	Mo 1/17	8:30a-12p	\$48R/\$58NR	1
2202.101F	Mo 1/17	8:30a-3p	\$72R/\$86NR	1

SCHOOL'S OUT MAD SCIENCE

In the AM, help solve the Bake-Off Mystery! Investigate the scene of the "crime;" dust for fingerprints, examine clues, analyze different powders and interview witnesses. In the PM, discover simple machines. Unravel the power of pulleys, build catapults and claw grabber devices. Bring a snack, lunch (full day only) and water bottle. **(Currently in grades K-5)**

Location: TVP Instructor: Mad Science
8 min/20 max

Program meets on a Tuesday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2209.101A	Tu 2/1	8:30a-12p	\$42R/\$50NR	1
2209.101F	Tu 2/1	8:30a-4p	\$78R/\$90NR	1

SCHOOL'S OUT THEATRE

Professional theatre artists will guide students to create their own scenes, which they will present to families at 2:45 pm. **Students may attend one or both days.** Bring a snack, lunch and water bottle.

February 10: Students have the comic task of creating the worst play ever!

February 11: Students will begin with a prompt of, "I think I broke the internet!"

(Ages 7-11 years)

Location: TVP Instructor: Theatre Horizon
6 min/15 max

Program meets on a Thursday and/or Friday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2216.101	Th 2/10	9a-3p	\$65R/\$78NR	1
2216.102	Fr 2/11	9a-3p	\$65R/\$78NR	1



SCHOOL'S OUT KIDZ ART

Spend the day creating fun projects, painting and maybe doing an experiment or two! Please bring a snack, lunch (full day only) and a water bottle. Dress for a mess! **(Currently in grades K-5)**

Location: TVP Instructor: Kidz Art
10 min/15 max

Program meets on a Monday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2205.101A	Mo 2/21	9a-12p	\$30R/\$36NR	1
2205.101F	Mo 2/21	9a-4p	\$66R/\$79NR	1

SPRING BREAK MULTI-SPORT CAMP

Experience different sports in an atmosphere which promotes good sportsmanship, teamwork and most of all, fun! Receive technical instruction and experience the sport in a realistic game situation. Bring a snack and water bottle. **(Currently in grades K-6)**

Location: MGES Instructor: USA Sport Group
8 min/24 max

Program meets Monday to Wednesday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2220.101	Mo 4/11-We 4/13	9a-12p	\$115R/\$138NR	3

SPRING BREAK POTTERY CAMP

Explore hand pottery, board games and plenty of creative activities to keep busy all day! Please bring snack, water bottle and lunch (full day only).

(Currently in grades 1-6)

Location: TVP Instructor: Potteryworks Mobile
10 min/18 max per age group

Program meets Monday to Thursday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
2222.101A	Mo 4/11-Th 4/14	8:30a-12p	\$156R/\$187NR	4
2222.101F	Mo 4/11-Th 4/14	8:30a-3p	\$280R/\$336NR	4

SUMMER CAMPS

Summer camp brochures will be out Tu, February 1 and registration will begin Mo, March 14, 2022. Stay tuned to www.upperdublinrec.net!

RECREATION SCHOLARSHIP

Through the Upper Dublin Township Recreation Scholarship, there are financial assistance services available for qualifying Upper Dublin Township families' children. Guidelines and an application can be found on the UDP&R website - www.upperdublinrec.net.

UDT COMMUNITY POOL

We're hiring! Lifeguard applications (*incentives available!*) are available online at www.upperdublinrec.net.



adult

ADULT ARCHERY

Focus on safety, skills and drills. Learn about proper form, range rules and etiquette. All skill levels welcome! Enjoy target shooting, range shooting and fun games. **(Ages 18+ years)**

Location: Burn Brae Day Camp

Instructor: Anne Margaret 8 min/12 max

Program meets on Mondays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
3003.101	Mo 4/4-4/25	6:25p-7:25p	\$42R/\$50NR	3
3003.102	Mo 5/9-5/23	6:25p-7:25p	\$42R/\$50NR	3

Rain dates are Mo 5/2 & Mo 6/6.

MASTER GARDENER SERIES

Majestic Peony - A Garden's Haute Couture (MP) High fashion in the flower garden - unique and sensual. Learn about its best features as well as care.
Discover Cool Season Ornamental Grasses (DC) Ornamental grasses are unmatched for their different ornate features. Cool season grasses grow in Spring, flower by June and show late into Fall. **(Ages 18+ yrs)**

Location: TVP Instructor: Thom Mrazik

8 min/24 max

Programs meet on a Tuesday

Activity #	Name	Date	Time	Fee	Length
3019.101	MP	Tu 4/19	6:30p	Free	1
3020.101	DC	Tu 5/10	6:30p	Free	1

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Winter/Spring 2022

YOGA

A blend of movements that stretch, strengthen, increase breath capacity and quiet the mind! Focus on postures that bring relief to common areas of the body (hips, low back, shoulders, etc). All levels welcome, but you must be able to get up/down from the floor relatively easily. **(Ages 18+ yrs)**

Location: TVP Instructor: Matthew Mitlas

8 min/12 max

Program meets on Mondays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
3060.101	Mo 2/21-3/28	6:15p-7p	\$75R/\$90NR	6

VIRTUAL YOGA

This class offers unique alignment based instruction for the first-timer to the inversion enthusiasts. Modifications are offered as sequencing progresses to ensure all students have a safe, fun and inclusive experience. **Busy schedule? You can choose the drop-in option for \$12R/\$15NR!**

Location: Virtual (Zoom) Instructor: Kristen McBride

6 min/20 max

Program meets on Wednesdays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
3060.101	We 1/26-3/2	6a-6:45a	\$60R/\$70NR	6
3060.102	We 3/9-4/13	6a-6:45a	\$60R/\$70NR	6
3060.103	We 4/27-6/1	6a-6:45a	\$60R/\$70NR	6

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adult

VIRTUAL GARDEN TEMPLE TALKS

Join us for Garden Talks with Kathy Salisbury, Director of Ambler Arboretum at Temple Ambler. These exciting programs will be offered on a pop-up basis this spring! Topics will include tree placement, selection and care. Be sure to follow us on Facebook, check our website at www.upperdublinrec.net, or sign up for our eNews listserve at www.upperdublin.net to learn about the program dates and times.



RAIN BARREL WORKSHOP

Help Wissahickon Trails save money on utilities with a rain barrel! Used to collect rainwater at your home, a rain barrel can be used to water your lawn and garden. Learn how they have a positive impact and leave with your own to take home! **(All ages)**

Location: TVP Instructor: Wissahickon Trails
8 min/20 max

Program meets on a Tuesday

Activity #	Date	Time	Fee	Length
3030.101	Tu 4/5	7p-8p	\$80R/\$85NR	1

ADULT POTTERY STUDIO

Learn how to work with soft clay and build a variety of projects like mugs, small vases and plates. Last class is the option to make anything you'd like! Please join us to create, meet others and relax. All supplies included. **(Ages 21+ yrs)**

Location: TVP Instructor: Potteryworks Mobile
10 min/20 max

Program meets on Wednesdays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
3002.102	We 3/9-4/6	6:30p-8p	\$150R/\$180NR	5

LIFE IN MOTION BOOT CAMP

Join us in a challenging and supportive outdoor fitness program, featuring a variety of workout modalities designed to keep you moving and living your best life. Each day will be different while we work together to improve our fitness. Meet your goals and make new friends (at a safe distance). **(Ages 15+ yrs)**

Location: TVP Instructor: Elise Carlin
8 min/12 max

Program meets Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee	Length
3017.101	Mo 3/21-Fr 5/9	6a-7a	\$240R/\$288NR	24

trips & tickets

WASHINGTON D.C. DAY TRIP

Have fun in our nation's capital enjoying the "cherry blossom" time of year. Price includes transportation only, allowing you to plan your own day. The trip leaves from UD Library. Drop-off at the Mall area. Departure from D.C. will be at 5:30p from the National Museum of the American Indian. **(All ages)**

38 min/54 max per bus

Trip takes place on a Saturday

Activity #	Date	Time	Fee
7020.101	Sa 4/9	6:30a-9p	\$62R/\$67NR



MULTI-DAY TRIPS

UDP&R is running the following trips in 2022:

Normandy, Paris & the Seine River Cruise

April 26 to May 4, 2022 (9 days)

featuring 7 nights aboard the Amadeus Diamond

California Rail Discovery

August 10 to August 16, 2022 (7 days)

San Francisco, Napa Valley, Sierra Nevada, Lake Tahoe

Iceland Explorer

September 14 to September 20, 2022 (7 days)

Reykjavik, Blue Lagoon, Golden Circle & more!

Highlights of Italy's Amalfi Coast

November 8 to November 15, 2022 (8 days)

Rome, Sorrento Coast, Pompeii & more!

Please visit www.upperdublinrec.net for pricing, deposit information and all other registration information.

ETC'S CABARET

everybody's theater company is going Back to Broadway with the return of our annual cabaret! We're putting together a collection of upbeat numbers to bring you Broadway entertainment right here in Upper Dublin. All proceeds will benefit the Upper Dublin Emergency Citizen Fund. **(All ages)**

Location: TVP 50 min/75 max

Shows take place on a Friday and Saturday

Activity #	Dates	Time	Fee
4010.101	Fr 2/25	7p	\$10 per ticket
4010.102	Sa 2/26	7p	\$10 per ticket

DISCOUNT MOVIE TICKETS

\$9.00 per ticket for AMC

\$9.00 per ticket for Movie Tavern

\$9.50 per ticket for Regal/United Artist Theatres

Pre-order only at 215-643-1600 x3443.



nature news: leave the leaves

Did you know that fallen leaves are an important source of habitat for beneficial pollinators and wildlife? Many butterflies and moths, such as the luna moth, lay eggs or form cocoons on fallen leaves. Others spend the winter as caterpillars, burrowing under leaves for protection. Even turtles and salamanders use leaves for shelter and food.

In addition to wildlife benefits, leaves are also an important fertilizer, replenishing nutrients in the soil every year. Research even shows that mulching in leaves, rather than removing them, will improve the health of your turf grass! In garden beds, leaves improve plant vigor and help to discourage weeds.

Here are a few options to incorporate into your yard cleanup:

- Leave the leaves on your lawn instead of removing them. While leaving them over a large area is best, even small sections around trees or in garden beds can provide important habitat.
- Start a compost pile using leaves and other leftover vegetation.
- Use leaves as free mulch! Apply leaves around trees just as you would wood mulch. The photo below is an example of a leaf-mulched tree in an Upper Dublin park.



NOW OPEN! TWINING VALLEY DOG PARK

Located at 1400 Twining Road, Dresher, Twining Valley Dog Park is nearly 4.7 acres spread between 3 different enclosures. The small enclosure (dogs under 25 lbs) is .9 acres, the medium enclosure (dogs 26-49 lbs) is 1.75 acres and the large enclosure (dogs 50+ lbs) is 2 acres. Please check out the following FAQ's:

- **Where do I park?** For the time-being, dog park users must park in the main Twining Valley Park parking lot by the former golf clubhouse and use the tunnel that connects the two sides of the park. **A 50 car parking lot is being constructed adjacent to the dog park and will be completed in Spring 2022.**
- **Will the existing dog park, MonDaug Bark Park, be closed?** At a future date, Mondaug Bark Park will be closed for maintenance: improving site drainage, re-establishing grass and planting trees. The entry gates will be equipped with the same electronic access system being installed at the Twining Valley Dog Park.
- **Where are dogs allowed at Twining Valley Park?** Outside the enclosures, leashed dogs can be walked throughout the entire 105-acre Twining Valley Park property. Emphasis on leashed!
- **Will a membership or fee be required to access the Twining Valley Dog Park?** **Membership is not required at this time, but will be in early 2022.** Future access will be membership based and restricted with an electronic access system. Members will be issued a fob to gain access to the enclosures. In order to educate visitors on the rules of the dog park and about etiquette related to safely using the facility, an online orientation will be required to be completed. Proof of current vaccinations and a current Montgomery County dog license will be required as part of the registration process. Membership for Upper Dublin Township residents will be free, but residents will be required to provide a \$5 security deposit for the access fob. Non-Upper Dublin residents will be required to pay a \$75 membership fee in 2022. Commercial users (dog walkers/dog sitters) will be required to pay a \$200 per year beginning in 2022. Once re-opened, the same electronic access system will apply to Mondaug Bark Park. Membership will provide access to both facilities. Membership registration information will be publicized on the Township website, social media, email and on the bulletin board at Mondaug Bark Park in 2022.

All Twining Valley FAQ's can be found at www.upperdublin.net.

IN-GROUND TRASH CONTAINERS

As part of the 2021 capital budget, the Upper Dublin Township Board of Commissioners approved the purchase and installation of 48 in-ground trash containers for our park system. The first 3 were installed with the assistance of the Parks Division and Highway Department staff at Twining Valley Park.



These containers, created by Sybertech Waste Reduction Ltd., are 300 gallons, 8' tall (approximately 5' of the container is underground) with a 10' tall bag inside. Use of the containers will reduce the frequency of emptying (from weekly to quarterly), which is less miles on Township vehicles, less fuel consumed and less staff time. This reduction in time will enable staff to complete other tasks in our parks.

Frequently Asked Questions:

- **Will it smell with trash sitting that long?** *Because the majority of the container is underground, the trash sits in a cooler temperature and the decomposition process is slowed and limits the smell. There is also a rubber odor flange which dissipates the smell.*
- **Will animals be able to get into the container?** *There is a self-closing counter-weighted lid with a seal and locked top which prevents anything from accessing the container's contents.*
- **What if the container leaks?** *The containers are one solid piece so there is no leaching in or out.*
- **How will they be emptied?** *With the container purchase, the Township was given a small crane that is affixed to its dump trailer that will be used. The bag is tied up, lifted out of the container and laid onto the trailer.*

community information

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

On Wednesday, March 2 from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm and Friday, July 15 from 10:30 am to 3:30 pm, Upper Dublin Township is hosting American Red Cross Blood Drives at the Fort Washington Fire Company (1245 Fort Washington Ave. Fort Washington). For an appointment, please visit www.redcrossblood.org.

UPPER DUBLIN MEMORY GARDEN

Be a part of a special Memory Garden in Veteran's Memorial Park at Highland Ave. and Farm Lane! The purpose of this garden is to honor the lives of family, friends and loved ones. The site is a quiet place to visit - to walk or sit in peaceful surroundings, enjoy the outdoors and reflect. The Memory Garden includes a variety of trees and shrubs, benches, engraved pavers and artwork/sculpture. You can help and support this effort by making a financial contribution, volunteering time to help sustain this special place or by purchasing an inscribed memorial brick. Visit www.upperdublin.net to download the Donations to Parks form.

MAPLE GLEN GARDEN CLUB

Thank You to the Maple Glen Garden Club for their continued support in helping maintain the Memory Garden at Veterans Memorial Park on Highland Avenue. Without the Garden Club's seasonal weeding, planting and upkeep, the Memory Garden would not look as beautiful as it does throughout the year.

club & community resources

YOUTH SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS

UDP&R and UDSD work cooperatively with independent community groups that organize youth sports for Upper Dublin youth. The responsibility for forming teams/leagues, scheduling games and organizing registrations rests solely with the youth sports organizations.

Upper Dublin Lacrosse Club (UDLC)

Offers boys & girls lax programs each spring - www.udlacrosse.com

Upper Dublin Aquatic Club (UDAC)

Offers training & competition at all levels in the sports of swimming, diving & water polo - www.udac.us

Upper Dublin Ice Hockey Club

Offers competitive, year-round league play - www.udihc.com

Upper Dublin Junior Athletic Association (UDJAA)

Offers softball, baseball, field hockey, basketball, volleyball & cheerleading - www.udjaa.com

Upper Dublin Soccer Club (UDSC)

Offers intramural soccer each fall and year-round travel soccer - www.upperdublinsoccerclub.org.

Upper Dublin Youth Football Club (UDYFC)

Offering football - www.udyfc.org.

Upper Dublin Youth Wrestling (UDYW)

Season runs October through March - www.udywa.org.

ENVIRONMENTAL

Maple Glen Garden Club

www.facebook.com/MapleGlenGardenClub

UD C.A.R.E.S

UDP&R's volunteer group - tree planting, invasive plant removal, etc. (more info on page 5). Contact ckenny@upperdublin.net for more info!

Upper Dublin Tree Tenders

Please contact udtreetenders@gmail.com for more info!

HEALTH & FITNESS

Ambler Area Running Club (AARC)

www.aarclub.com

CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS & GROUPS

Kiwanis Club

Ambler, Glenside and Willow Grove - www.pakiwanis.org

Lions Club

Abington, Glenside, Oreland and Willow Grove - www.lions14r.org

Rotary Club

Ambler (www.amblerrotary.org), Glenside (www.rotary7450.org/Glenside), Willow Grove (www.willowgroverotary.org)

Community Ambulance Association of Ambler

CPR/First Aid class & car seat checks - www.amblerambulance.org

S.A.A.C (Senior Adult Activities Center) of Montco

<http://www.montcosaac.com/locations.htm>

SCOUTS

Boy Scouts

Baden-Powell District (UD & surrounding area) - www.colbsa.org

Girl Scouts

Girl Scouts of Eastern PA (UD & surrounding area) - www.gsep.org

BUSINESS ORGANIZATIONS

Eastern Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce

www.emccc.org

Fort Washington Business Alliance (FWBA)

www.fwbaonline.com

Willow Grove Chamber of Commerce (WGCC)

www.montgomerycountychamber.org/business/greater-willow-grove-chamber-of-commerce/

open space & trails update

2022 PARKS & RECREATION CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

Projects listed below are approved and funded as part of the 2021/2022 Township Capital Budget. Funded by the UD Twp. Open Space Fund, the projects have no impact on taxes. When residential development occurs in the Township, \$1,500 per dwelling is contributed to the Fund. The money may be spent on the purchase and maintenance of open space, parks and recreation areas.

Upper Dublin Township Community Pool - Professional assessment of the Upper Dublin Community Pool Facility as well as the development of an improvement plan.

Invasive Plants- Continued removal & management of invasive plants throughout the UD park system, including use of selective herbicide applications and physical removal.

Mondauk Common - Regrading and paving of the walking track; purchase & installation of security cameras

Robbins Park - Development of a redesign for a new entryway, parking lot and environmental center.

Klosterman Park - Resurfacing of basketball court.

Trail Connections - Construction of a trail from Twining Valley Park to the Willow Manor neighborhood via Sunny Willow Swim Club and & trail from Mondauk Common to Maple Glen across Temple Sinai's frontage on Dillon Road and Limekiln Pike.



CURRENT TOWNSHIP TRAILS

UDP&R has created a trail guide for Upper Dublin's soft and hard surface trails. Surrounding communities' trails are also featured. Guides are available online at www.upperdublin.net.

Park/Address/Connection	Trail Distance	Trail Access Point(s)	Surface Type
Burn Brae Park <i>Burn Brae & East Bruce Drive, Dresher</i>	.39 miles	Dundee Drive Ayr Lane	Soft
Camphill & Highland Athletic Complex (CHAC)* <i>1450 Highland Avenue, Fort Washington</i> Connects to Camphill Road Trail	.4 mile loop	CHAC South parking lot	Hard
Camphill Road Trail <i>Fort Washington</i> Susquehanna Road to Highland Avenue	.76 miles	Susquehanna Road & Camphill Road Camphill Road & Highland Avenue	Hard
Henry Lee Willet Park <i>Between Twining Road & Patricia Ave. Willow Grove</i>	.3 miles	HLW Tennis Courts Clarrige Drive	Soft
Mondauk Common <i>1451 Dillon Road, Ambler</i>	1 mile loop	Dillon Road & Broad Street parking lots	Limestone
MonDaug Bark Park* <i>1130 Camphill Road, Fort Washington</i> Connects Cinnamon Drive to Camphill Road & Trail	.44 miles	Cinnamon Drive, Camphill Road, MonDaug Bark Park parking lot	Hard
Pine Run Park <i>1739 Jarretstown Road, Dresher</i>	Multiple	Jarretstown Road parking lot, Arran Way	Soft
Robbins Park <i>1419 E. Butler Pike, Ambler</i>	Multiple	Beecham Drive, E. Casals Place, Tennis Avenue, RP parking lot	Soft/Hard
Rose Valley Preserve <i>1624 Butler Pike, Ambler</i>	Multiple	Hutchins Drive/Bell Lane, Butler Pike	Soft
Twining Valley Park <i>1400 Twining Road, Dresher</i>	5 miles coming soon!	Twining Road parking lot	Soft/Hard
Upper Dublin Sports Park (SPARK) <i>725 Susquehanna Avenue, Fort Washington</i>	.5 mile loop	SPARK parking lot Fieldhouse	Hard
Veterans Memorial Park <i>540 Highland Avenue, Ambler</i>	.25 mile loop	Veterans Park parking lot	Hard

Table Key: Hard = macadam or concrete surface; Soft = woodchips or dirt surface; * = trail is a spur of the Camphill Road Trail

recreation areas & facilities

Upper Dublin Township has one of the largest park systems in Montgomery County! The UD Park System contains more than 600 acres in 40+ distinct sites ranging from recreation nodes & neighborhood parks to a community park, athletic complex & special purpose facilities.

	UPPER DUBLIN TOWNSHIP ACTIVE RECREATION AREAS & OTHER FACILITIES USED FOR PROGRAMS	Basketball	Dogs Allowed	Exercise Station	Fishing	Gaga Court	Hiking/Walking	Pavilion	Picnic Areas	Pickleball	Playground	Playing Fields	Pool/Swimming	Prog/Mtg Space	Sand Volleyball	Tennis
1	AIDENN LAIR PARK - 1565 Arran Way, Dresher	X							X		X	X				4
2	BURN BRAE PARK - 3204 Burn Brae Drive, Dresher						X		X		X					
3	CAMP HILL & HIGHLAND ATHLETIC COMPLEX (CHAC) 1450/1451 Highland Ave. at Camp Hill Road, Fort Washington						.4 mi		X		X	X				
4	EAST ORELAND PARK - 100 Wischman Ave., Oreland	X						X	X			X				
5	EVELYN B. WRIGHT PARK & COMMUNITY POOL 401 Logan Ave. at Summit Ave., North Hills (215-285-8510)	X							X			X	X			
6	FORT WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (FWES) 1010 Ft. Washington Ave., Fort Washington (215-643-8961)	X									X	X				
7	FORT WASHINGTON FIRE COMPANY (FWFC) 1245 Ft. Washington Ave., Fort Washington (215-646-2555)													X		
8	FRANKLIN PARK - Franklin & Morse Drives, Maple Glen											X				
9	HENRY LEE WILLET PARK - 1791 Twining Rd, Willow Grove						X		X	2	X					2
10	JARRETTOWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (JTES) 1520 Limekiln Pike, Dresher (215-643-8951)	X									X	X				
11	LUTHER KLOSTERMAN PARK Madison & Prospect Aves., Fort Washington	X							X		X					
12	LOCH ALSH FIELDS/FIELD OF DREAMS (FOD) Loch Alsh Aves. at Fort Washington Ave., Fort Washington								X			X				
13	LOCH ALSH RESERVOIR - 720 Loch Alsh Ave., Ambler				X				X							
14	MAPLE GLEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, EDWARDS & MACINAW FIELDS (MGES) 1580/1581 Ft. Washington Ave., Maple Glen (215-643-3421)	X									X	X				
15	MONDAUK MANOR/MONDAUG BARK PARK 1130 Camphill Road, Fort Washington		X				X		X							
16	MONDAUK COMMON (MC - 4 ENTRANCES) 1451 Dillon Road, Ambler (main entrance) 215-499-0100	X		X		X	1 mi	X	X		X	X		X	X	
17	MONDAUK WATERS (WENTZ POND) Dillon Road between Wentz & Crosby Drives, Fort Washington				X				X							
18	NORTH HILLS PARK & COMMUNITY CENTER 212 Girard Ave., North Hills (215-572-0640)	X							X		X	X				
19	PINE RUN PARK - 1739 Jarretstown Road, Dresher						X					X				
20	ROBBINS PARK for ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION (RP) 1419 E. Butler Pike, Ambler						X	X	X					X		
21	SANDY RUN MIDDLE SCHOOL (SRMS) 520 Twining Road, Dresher (215-576-3280)	X									X	X				
22	SHEELEIGH PARK - Loch Alsh Ave. & Douglass St., Ambler	X							X		X	X				
23	THOMAS FITZWATER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (TFES) 30 School Lane, Willow Grove (215-784-0381)	X									X	X				
24	THREE TUNS PARK - 1548 Cooper Drive, Ambler								X	4	X	X				2
25	TWINING VALLEY PARK & DOG PARK 1400 Twining Road, Dresher		X		X		X							X		
26	UPPER DUBLIN HIGH SCHOOL (UDHS) 800 Loch Alsh Ave., Fort Washington (215-643-8900)						.25 mi					X	X			8
27	UPPER DUBLIN LIBRARY - 520 Virginia Drive, Fort Washington													X		
28	UPPER DUBLIN TOWNSHIP BUILDING (TEMPORARY) 370 Commerce Drive, Fort Washington (215-643-1600)															
29	UPPER DUBLIN SPORTS PARK (SPARK) 725 Susquehanna Road, Ambler						.5 mi					X				
30	VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK - 540 Highland Ave., Ambler			X			.25 mi		X		X					

program registration

Three Easy Ways to Register!*

1. **Online** at www.upperdublinrec.net - 24/7
2. **Call** the UDP&R office - 215-643-1600 x3443 - weekdays from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm
3. **In-Person** at the main desk at 370 Commerce Drive - weekdays from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm

*Exceptions to the above options include:

Upper Dublin Triathlon/Duathlon/Aquabike - must register at www.runsignup.com

Upper Dublin Rush Hour Run - must register at www.runtheday.com

GG eSports Leagues - must register at <https://app.ggleagues.com/organization/upper-dublin>



Hold Harmless forms are required for participation in programs. These forms are a contract of understanding between you and UDP&R. We cannot process a registration without the signed form. All program dates are subject to change. Participants must provide their own medical insurance.

Cancellation, Transfer & Refund Policy

Unless a special cancellation policy is stated, the following will apply:

- UDP&R reserves the right to cancel any program, trip or activity due to insufficient registration. A full refund will be issued.
- Inclement weather may prompt cancellation. Check www.upperdublinrec.net and Facebook for info. You will also receive an email. Sessions are made up at another date, if possible.
- Cancellations by email, voicemail or by speaking to someone in the UDP&R office are accepted.
- If your status in a program changes, contact UDP&R immediately to document the change.
- Please note a \$10 per person per session administrative fee is deducted from any refund issued.
- for TICKETS-ONLY SERVICES, refunds are **not** possible once UDP&R has ordered tickets.
- for PROGRAMS & SPECIAL EVENTS, transfer before the close of business at least one week prior is without penalty *if no refund is involved*. Cancellation before the close of business at least one week prior to the registration deadline is without penalty. Cancellation or transfer after the registration deadline is handled on a case-by-case basis. Refunds are not possible once UDP&R has confirmed instructors.
- for TRIPS, cancellation 30+ days before a trip is a full refund minus \$10 administrative fee. Cancellation less than 30 days before a trip is without penalty (minus \$10 admin fee) **ONLY IF** the seat(s) is (are) resold. Refunds are not possible for a non-resold seat(s) or for “no shows” on trip day or after the close of business on the business day before.



Don't Be Disappointed! Register at least one week prior to the start date. UDP&R sets dates at which a “go/no go” decision must be made. If a sufficient number of registrants are not reached by that point, the program may be cancelled by UDP&R.

Resident or Non-Resident?

A “resident” is anyone whose legal address is a residential property located within Upper Dublin Township. All others will be charged the NR surcharge, regardless of who registers for the activity. “R” is the resident fee and “NR” is the non-resident fee.

COVID-19 Safety Protocols
UDP&R follows the CDC guidelines and recommendations. If you have any questions, please contact us at 215-643-1600 x3443.

PLEASE NOTE: A *\$10 per person per session administrative fee is deducted from any refund issued. *Fee may vary by program.

township information



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Please visit our website for a list of public meetings of the Board of Commissioners (BOC). All meetings/hearings will be held in person at the Upper Dublin Library. The public is welcome to attend. Meetings are also available to stream at www.upperdublin.net.

parks & recreation information

ADMINISTRATIVE & PROGRAM STAFF

Director of Parks & Recreation - Derek Dureka x3239
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Field & Facility Coordinator - Ryan Copelin x3265
To email the above staff, use the first letter of the first name followed by the entire last name @upperdublin.net.

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Alexis Limberakis • GERALYN Kerprich • Janice Smith
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Winter/Spring 2022

BUILD PRIDE IN YOUR PARKS

Partnership opportunities are available to individuals, service organizations, civic groups and/or businesses interested in continued improvement of the Township Park System and leisure programs for the community.

Memorial & Commemorative Benches*

Park Clean-ups

Boy Scout Eagle Projects/Girl Scout Gold Awards Program Volunteers

Fundraising

UD C.A.R.E.S volunteer events

*Information available at www.upperdublin.net.

FACILITY RENTALS

Planning a picnic, party or other social event? Consider renting fields, courts or pavilions at Mondauk Common or SPARK! Take a look at UDP&R sites - pavilions, softball and baseball fields, volleyball and basketball courts are available for rental on a limited basis. Rentals are available to the community year-round. Visit www.upperdublin.net or call UDP&R at 215-643-1600 x3238 to reserve.

FOR-PROFIT COMMERCIAL RENTALS

All for-profit commercial vendors require a permit to operate within an Upper Dublin Township park. These vendors include, but are not limited to, personal trainers (fitness & sports), sports leagues, recreation providers and dog trainers. Permits can be sought by contacting the UDP&R office.

FREQUENTLY CALLED NUMBERS

UDP&R Main Office Phone (215) 643-1600 x3443
UDP&R Website www.upperdublinrec.net
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SUMMER LEISURE GUIDE AVAILABLE IN MAY 2022



COVID-19 Protocols

Upper Dublin Parks & Recreation follows the CDC guidelines and recommendations for our programs and events.

UDP&R's Hold Harmless Agreement for program participation can be found on our website at www.upperdublinrec.net.



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We're Hiring!

Lifeguard applications (*hourly incentives available!*) for the Upper Dublin Township Community Pool are available online at www.upperdublin.net. Limited positions available!

