Decatur provides tennis opportunities for all ages, from Munchkin Tennis to adult drills. The city has nine lighted courts dedicated to lessons and team play at Glenlake Park, Scott Park and Oakhurst Park. See page 8.
NEWS & EVENTS

Touch a Truck

Sat., March 23 • 10 a.m.-1 p.m. (Rain date: Sat., May 4) • East Lake MARTA Station

Children of all ages can see, touch and explore their favorite trucks and other equipment on wheels. City of Decatur and DeKalb County vehicles – including fire trucks, dump trucks, tractors, motorcycles, police cars and more – will be on display. Ride your bike to the event and have it registered by the Decatur Police Department.

The event is free to the community. If you have a vehicle you would like to display, contact cheryl.burnette@decaturga.com.

Valentine’s Dance

Friday, Feb. 8 • 6:30-8:30 p.m.  |  1st-3rd grade • Decatur Rec Gym

Let’s Dance! Enjoy an evening of music, food, fun and friends. Tickets are $5 per student. For more information, contact Portia Langley, portia.langley@decaturga.com. RSVP and pay online at decaturga.com/webtrac

McKoy Park Adult Exercise Equipment

Looking for a way to start off the new year with some exercise? Get your workout at McKoy Park on the adult exercise equipment, located in the upper section of the park adjacent to the children’s playground.

GRPA News

Decatur Active Living staff members accepted Georgia Recreation and Parks Association appointments for 2019 at the group’s recent conference. Sara Holmes will serve as the District 6 Commissioner and Gregory White will serve as Vice President of GRPA.
Playgroups, Gardening, Fencing and More

Youth classes for ages 5-18 offer opportunities to engage in new activities and learn from others.

**CANDINEWS ACTING CLASS**
This class will awaken the creative spirit and imagination through acting, music and movement in a safe, non-competitive environment. We’ll work on all aspects of theater, acting, dancing and music. Register monthly.

**DECATURE FENCING**
Fencing is a European-originated Olympic sport based on the art of swordplay. For new students, classes will concentrate on providing an enjoyable epee/foil fencing experience, improving physical fitness, and creating the foundation needed to understand and appreciate the sport. More advanced, motivated students will have the opportunity to continue studying epee/foil at a higher level. All participants should dress in loose, athletic clothing. Protective equipment will be provided to each class.

**EBSTER GARDEN CLUB**
This youth garden club is a hands-on, fun environment where students take part in every aspect of the garden. They start seedlings, dig and loosen soil, plant the seedlings in the ground, and water the garden. Finally, the students harvest the fruits and vegetables of their labor and learn how to turn them into delicious meals. Every few weeks, we host a garden club party so kids can eat what they have grown.

**KARATE**
A holistic approach to learning the art of karate. Registration deadline: before the first class of each month. For more information contact Portia Langley, 678-553-6563.

**SCIENCE 4 FUN**
Youth learn science through hands-on experiments in each class. Explore the world of Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Math (STEAM) through individual and group projects at Ebster. Class size is limited.

**YOUTH PLATFORM**
This youth middle school program offers students the opportunity to speak on issues and concerns they face every day. Students will explore their inner talents and learn the importance of living a positive lifestyle. Each week participants will have a group session with topics including self-esteem, planning for the future, family, peer pressure and current events. There will also be physical activity after each session, encouraging participants to be active and live a healthy lifestyle.

**YOUTH TAI CHI**
Through synchronizing breath to movement, Tai Chi can foster a deep body intelligence, creating many benefits that last a lifetime. Participants learn stress management, coordination, self-confidence, and concentration. In this class, students will learn various animal qigong exercises, partner practices, and Tai Chi 24 short form.

**GIRLS VOLLEYBALL CLINIC**
Coach Kele from Georgia Tech is back for a one-day girls volleyball clinic on Saturday, March 23, 9 a.m.-noon, at Ebster gym. The clinic provides a chance for girls to refresh their volleyball skills with fun drills and games. The cost is $25.

**TODDLERS**

**MAGICAL MORNINGS • 2-5 YRS**
School groups, don’t miss out on this fun entertainment for your young ones. Storytelling, music, and movement are included. Groups of 10 or more must make reservations and pre-pay. Call 404-377-0494. Fee: $2 resident, $4 non-resident.

**Looking for more toddler-friendly options?** Decatur offers athletics specifically designed for little ones. Read about Li’l Kickers and Li’l Sluggers on page 6.
### Children/Newborn-5 Years Classes and Activities At-a-Glance

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**Ebster Programs**
- **Ebster Garden Club**: ERC Courtyard, 5-17, noon-2 pm, Saturday, Ongoing, FREE, Yvonne Hill, Limit-10 kids
- **Science 4 Fun**: ERC, 8-13, 6:30-7:30 pm, Wednesday, Ongoing, FREE, Yalonda Crawford, Limit-10 kids
- **Youth Platform**: ERC, 13-17, 6:45-8 pm, Wednesday, Ongoing, FREE, Teresa Davis, Limit-12 kids
Georgia Walk & Roll to School Day

Wednesday, March 6
Decatur has a very active Safe Routes to School program and participates in the annual Georgia Walk & Roll to School Day. Parents, school personnel and community members walk and bike with students to generate awareness of the fun of walking and biking to school. Let’s beat last year’s record of 60 percent participation!

Park RX Day Promotes Healthy Living

On Sunday, April 28, Decatur will participate in National Park Rx Day, in conjunction with the DeKalb County Board of Health, and DeKalb County Parks and Recreation. This day is celebrated across the United States to promote the growing movement of prescribing parks and nature to patients to improve human health. National Park RX Day encourages everyone to start considering visits to parks and public lands as very important components of healthy living. In Decatur, activities are planned for this day at the Decatur Recreation Center and in Scott Park, located behind the center. Join us for table tennis, yoga and more, and enjoy the day with community members of all ages.

Biking in Decatur

THIRD FRIDAY FUN BIKE RIDE March-October • 6:30 p.m.
Join Decatur Active Living for a fun, all-levels monthly bike ride on the third Friday of the month from March through October. Meet in front of the Decatur Recreation Center and be ready to put wheels down at 6:30 p.m. The route is 5-6 miles at a comfortable pace. Afterwards we will visit a local watering hole for refreshments. This is a no-drop ride. Helmets and lights are required for city-led rides. For monthly updates and themes, check beactivecatur.com or the Decatur Active Living Facebook page.

SMART CYCLING 101
Decatur Recreation Center
Cost: $20 per class
Session 1: Feb. 23 • 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. | Session 2: March 2 • 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
Georgia Bikes is hosting a two-part bicycle safety class, Smart Cycling 101, with material designed by the League of American Bicyclists. The Smart Cycling curriculum is designed to develop a bike rider’s confidence and competence. The content addresses choosing a bicycle, parts of a bike, essential equipment, as well as how to safely and comfortably ride your bike in various traffic conditions, terrains and climates. The first session consists of three hours of classroom instruction. The second session consists of four hours of on-bicycle instruction. To register, email education@georgiabikes.org. Bring a check made out to Georgia Bikes to the first class.

NEW! SENIOR BIKE RIDES Friday, April 26 • 10 a.m. & Friday, May 24 • 10 a.m.
Let’s get back on those bikes and ride! Join Decatur Active Living staff for our first senior bike rides of the year. We will ride on mostly level roads and the PATH. This no-drop ride is geared toward those just getting back on their bicycles. All levels of cyclists are welcomed and no one will be left behind. Bring your bike and water bottle and be sure to wear a helmet. The ride begins at the Decatur Recreation Center.

MAY IS NATIONAL BIKE MONTH

NATIONAL BIKE TO SCHOOL DAY Wednesday, May 8
As part of National Bike Month and the SRTS program, Decatur children will participate in National Bike to School Day. This event builds on the popularity of Walk to School Day, which is celebrated across the country – and the world – each October. National Bike to School Day provides an opportunity for schools across the country to join together to celebrate and to build off of the energy of National Bike Month.

BIKE TO WORK DAY ENERGIZER STATION Friday, May 17 • 7-8:30 a.m.
National Bike to Work Day is an annual event across the United States and Canada that promotes the bicycle as a commuting option. Stop by the Decatur Recreation Center’s Energizer Station on your way to the office (or school) to enjoy refreshments, collect bicycle safety information and cool swag, and to network with other bicycle commuters. You can also take a turn riding the city’s electric cargo bike.

FAMILY FUN BIKE RIDE Sunday, May 5 • 2 p.m. • Harmony Park
Join Decatur Active Living for this fun Family Bike Ride beginning at Harmony Park. We will bicycle 1-2 miles around Oakhurst. The ride begins at 2 p.m. Riders will receive a special I Bike Decatur spoke card. Safety information will also be available. Helmets are required for all city-sponsored rides. All children must be accompanied by adults. Look for more information and how to register this spring at decaturga.com/biking. Rain date is May 19.
Athletics

Contact Stacy Green
678-553-6549 • stacy.green@decaturga.com

Action, Sportmanship and Fun

LI’L KICKERS SOCCER • 3-5 YRS
A four-week introductory course designed to develop basic soccer skills. Space is limited. Registration is accepted on a first-come, first-served basis beginning Jan. 15. No practice spring break week (April 1-5).

LI’L SLUGGERS • 3-5 YRS
A four-week introductory course designed to develop basic baseball skills. Space is limited. Registration is accepted on a first-come, first-served basis beginning April 1.

LI’L WARRIORS • 3-5 YRS
Youth with special needs can become Li’l Warriors as they test their strength, endurance and balance through sports like soccer and basketball. Our adaptive sports program allows for children to meet and play with peers while parents mingle and share resources. Parents are encouraged to participate with their child.

MINI SOCCER • 4-5 YRS
This instructional program is held on Saturdays for 4-5 year olds. Each Saturday, participants have one 30-minute practice and one 30-minute game. Teams consist of eight players. Everyone gets to play and have fun. All games and practices are held on Saturdays at Legacy Park. Please note: Mini Soccer will be available for 4 year olds who have completed one season of Li’l Kickers.

COED LEAGUE SOCCER • 6-11 YRS
Coed teams are divided into 6-7, 8-9 and 10-11 divisions. All levels and skill ranges are welcome. Participants have one one-hour practice during the week, beginning the week of March 4. Games are on Saturdays, beginning March 16.

YOUTH BASEBALL/TEE BALL
5-12 YRS
Hit a home run with Decatur Active Living’s Youth Baseball and Tee Ball program, for ages 5-6, 7-8 and 9-11. Join the Opening Day Parade and games on June 1 at Oakhurst Park.

Bring Your Stick to the Lacrosse Game

BOYS LACROSSE • GRADES K-8
Still the fastest game on two feet. Decatur Active Living offers leagues for players in kindergarten through middle school. Players must provide their own equipment, including a lacrosse stick, helmet, gloves and mouth guard. The team will have two practices per week at local school or park fields and will play both home and away games.

GIRL’S LACROSSE • GRADES K-8
Cradle, shoot, and score! Leagues are offered for girls in kindergarten through middle school. Players must provide their own equipment including lacrosse stick, helmet, gloves, goggles and mouth guard. Teams will have two practices per week at local school or park fields. The team will play both home and away games.
Youth Sports At-a-Glance

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ERC – Ebster Recreation Center; B&G Club – Samuel Jones Boys and Girls Club; DRC – Decatur Recreation Center; Legacy Park – 500 S. Columbia Dr.

Adult Softball

Decatur Active Living keeps the fun going, even after we’ve become adults. Join the Decatur coed and men’s softball league this spring. Decatur businesses and neighborhoods are welcome to enter into the league.

Neighborhood Coed Softball Tournament

OUR CITY – ONE NEIGHBORHOOD SATURDAY, MAY 11 • 11 A.M.
MCKOY FIELD

Decatur neighborhood associations are invited to participate in the annual Neighborhood Softball Tournament. You’ll never really get to know your neighbors until you’ve played as a neighborhood team. Decatur Active Living will provide hotdogs and punch. Teams are coed and must have at least four women on the field at all times. For additional information, contact Stacy Green, 678-553-6549 or stacy.green@decaturga.com.

We don’t stop playing because we get old, we get old because we stop playing. — anonymous

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Decatur’s nine lighted tennis courts operate 9 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m.-8 p.m. Friday, and 9 a.m.-6 p.m. weekends.

Tennis at-a-Glance

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The Net Result?

FUN & FITNESS

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Adult Tennis

ADULT BEGINNER
Whether you have never picked up a racket before, or you are a seasoned veteran looking to make your strokes better, this tennis course is the best value in metro Atlanta and covers forehands, backhands, proper tennis movement, serves, overheads, and the basics of singles and doubles play.

ADULT DRILLS (drop in anytime)
The drills are designed so that adults at all skill levels are sure to hit lots of balls, have lots of fun, and get a wonderful workout. Each drill session ends with a game of the “Wave,” which will keep you coming back for more tennis.

Youth Tennis

BEGINNING TENNIS • 7-15 YRS
The focus is on proper stroke development and movement. The lesson plan is repeated each week so first-time participants are always welcome.

MUNCHKIN TENNIS • 4-6 YRS
Instructors use backdoor learning techniques and games to teach proper stroke form and footwork while keeping the major focus of the class on fun.

TENNIS ACADEMY • 7-18 YRS
Advanced tennis instructions for juniors looking to play competitive tennis. The focus is on advanced stroke training, movement, physical fitness, and match strategy. Each session includes 30 minutes of instruction, 30 minutes of drills, and 30 minutes of supervised play.

YOUTH ALTA/USTA TEAM TENNIS
Glenlake Tennis Center has youth girls and boys ALTA/USTA teams. Space is extremely limited.

Team Tennis

Glenlake Tennis Center is home to a large number of ALTA and USTA teams. If you are looking to join a tennis team, call the tennis center with your name, phone number, and current skill level. If teams are looking for players we will gladly pass on your contact information. The best way to find a team could be a visit to Friday night drills. They are frequented by some of the team captains and if you are unsure of your current level, one of the tennis pros can help you assess your skills. For more information on Team Tennis call 404-377-7231.
50+ WALKS
Walking is a low-intensive activity that almost everyone can do. It’s fun, provides opportunities for social interaction, and helps us relax or energize. It’s an easy way to stay healthy in mind and body. Meet us on Wednesdays at 9 a.m. (May-September) or 10 a.m. (October-April) at Decatur Recreation Center.

ADULT SIGN LANGUAGE
Students learn vocabulary and basic conversational skills. Deaf culture is part of the class program as well. Students can meet deaf speakers and use their sign language during deaf community activities held in Decatur and surrounding areas. Opportunities for keeping the language alive are discussed during the class.

AEROBIC DANCE EXERCISE
Shape up with LZ aerobics classes, including dance exercise and senior aerobics. For more information visit lzaerobics.com or call 678-380-3861.

AFRIDA DANCE CIRCLE (EBSTER)
This unique body workout combines deep breathing techniques, stretching, and low to medium aerobics mixed with traditional West African dance steps. As choreography develops, interested participants may perform at other venues to music provided by professional drummers.

ARTZ FOR THE HARP
Have you ever wanted to learn to play the harp? If so, join Artz for the Harp therapy and learn to play some of your favorite songs, from classical to jazz, with our colorful Harpsical Harps. The harps and all instructional materials are provided. artz-fortheharp.org

BADMINTON (EBSTER)
Open play badminton for all skills levels. Join the fun and meet new friends at Ebster Gym.

BODY CONDITIONING
This cardio/core and muscle-toning class builds muscle and boosts metabolism, using dumbbells, resistance bands, stability balls, jump ropes, weights and weighted balls.

BRIDGE CLUB
Get your trump ready, grab your tallys and make your bids. Bridge Club has a table waiting for you. Coffee and snacks provided. Call Nancy Reid, 404-284-1549, to reserve your spot.

COOKING WITH CLASS
Join students from Emory School of Medicine for good company, as they demonstrate cooking techniques for nutritious meals. Students will work in small groups to prepare easy, great-tasting and healthy recipes, with tips on how to choose ingredients and methods of preparation.

DANCERFUSION
The program incorporates jazz, hip hop, African and Latin techniques for a fun, intense experience. We encourage students to be creative with collaborative choreography.

FLAMENCO DANCE
Study the technique that’s used for basic marking steps, footwork, llamadas, and then use it in combinations and improvisation. No experience necessary.

FUNCTIONAL EXERCISES FOR SENIORS
A seated senior aerobics class for those with mobility or balance challenges. Includes music and workout using elastic straps, small weights and Swiss balls.

LET’S DRUM
Enjoy the benefits of communal drumming within a drum circle for seniors. This class is open to anyone who loves rhythm, dance, and music. No experience needed.

PICKLEBALL (EBSTER)
Pickleball is a fun racquet sport that combines elements of badminton, tennis and table tennis. Two or four players use a solid paddle to hit a plastic ball, similar to a wiffle ball, over a net on a badminton-size court. Grab a pair of tennis shoes and start playing the fastest growing sport in America.

SCOTT PARK COMMUNITY GARDEN
Join our gardeners for social, educational, and friendly gardening year-round. The club is led by several master gardeners and hosts social gatherings during the year as well as garden workdays.

January-May 2019 • Playbook
**SELFIE 101**

Do you want to learn how to take a selfie with your phone? Join DeKalb County Library on Feb. 1 and March 15 to learn the different selfie techniques.

**SENIOR GAMES**

Join us every Monday at Decatur Recreation Center to play games and make new friends. We have all the games you can imagine and if we don’t we’ll get them for you. Games begin at 2:30 p.m.

**SILVER SPOKES**

A senior bicycling workshop using adult tricycles to support those with mobility challenges and to help maintain good balance. Learn to ride, or get back in the saddle. Trike along with several drills that help maintain balance and support. Sign up for this workshop if you want to learn the basics of biking. Silver Spokes will meet on Thursdays in April and May at 10 a.m.

**TABLE TENNIS**

Participate in a sport you can play for a lifetime. All skill levels are welcome.

**TAI CHI 4 LIFE**

This class is for beginners. Emphasis is on the health benefits of an ongoing Qigong/Tai Chi practice. Goals are to improve balance, reduce blood pressure, improve self-esteem, increase energy and improve breathing. The class meets twice a week – attend one or both. To register, contact instructor Steve D rage, 404-617-0071, or sdorage@mindspring.com.

**TAI CHI FLOW**

This class is for intermediate students of Tai Chi-Qigong. Instructor permission is needed to register. Emphasis is on deepening the learning of the Yang-Style 24 forms practice.

**VOLLEYBALL**

Drop in and play in our recreational league, started by three ringleaders who know the net and are ready to teach and play. We have two nets set up on Sundays and staff on site to manage the flow and help you get volleyball game on.

**WALK FIT DECATUR!**

Meet at Decatur Recreation Center and walk about three miles. We’ll have a guest and/or theme each month.

**YOGA CHAIR/MAT**

Learn efficient breathing techniques while learning more about yourself from the inside out. Class is suitable for persons with mobility issues and can be practiced on the mat and/or chair. Please bring your own mat.

**ZUMBA**

This cardio dance class to Latin and hip-hop popular music builds muscle and boosts metabolism.

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**Special Events and Workshops for Seniors**

**IS MY DOG A GOOD CANDIDATE TO BECOME A PET THERAPY DOG?**

Saturday, Jan. 26 • 10 a.m.

Free informational session. Are you interested in knowing what it would take for you and your dog to become certified as a Pet Therapy Volunteer Team? This one-hour session, for humans only, is to provide information on the Pet Therapy Certification process and requirements, such as dog age, health, obedience skills, polite behavior and comfort in stressful situations. For questions, contact Terri Kruzan, tkruzan@bellsouth.net, or 404-510-3113.

**UNDERSTANDING AND MAXIMIZING YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS**

Tuesday, Jan. 29 • 6:30 p.m.

A great resource for anyone who plans to retire in the next 15 years. Topics include but are not limited to: how your benefits are calculated, spousal and ex-spousal benefits, survivor benefits, potential taxation of benefits, early retirement and delayed retirement strategies, and more.

**PERSONAL RISK PROFILE**

Tuesday, Feb. 5 • 6:30 p.m.

This seminar discusses seven questions to help you determine your Personal Risk Pro-
file, as well as how to align your risk profile with your asset allocation, and a few other areas your risk profile may affect.

**H ow to Write Engaging Treatments**

**Thursdays, Feb. 7, 14, 21 • 6:30 pm**  
$30 per session/$80 for series  
In the first part of this series, you’ll learn what a “treatment” is and how this writing form should communicate all important scenes in a film. Students will learn how to develop their ideas into and explore various ways to connect emotionally with audiences.

**Medicare Basics: Understanding the Maze**

**Tuesday, Feb. 12 • 6:30 p.m.**  
This course assists attendees in understanding the many facets and particulars of Medicare. Attendees gain a foundation of Medicare Part A, Part B, Part C (Medicare Advantage), and Part D (Prescription Drug Plan). Areas include when to apply, how to apply, how Medicare interacts with private insurance, deductibles, and what factors to include in choosing the right plan. An overview of Medigap (supplemental) plans is also provided.

**Valentine Social**

**Wednesday, Feb. 13 • 11 a.m.**  
Help Decatur Active Living spread the love this Valentine season at our annual social. More details to come.

**Imagination & Furniture Painting: Basic Workshop I & II**

**Feb. 19-20, 6:30 pm**  
$45 for one session/$65 for two sessions  
Refresh, repair, and reuse chairs, tables, dressers, etc., by learning to use furniture paint. See flyer for more details.

**Paint Brushes with Seniors**

**Friday, Feb. 22 • 2 p.m.**  
Grab those paint brushes and stroke your way into a fun and enjoyable afternoon of learning to paint your very own masterpiece. Easily understood step-by-step guidance from Decatur High School student Demetrius Williams will help you create a work of art that you will be proud to hang on your wall. All painting supplies, snacks and beverages will be provided. RSVP required; limited space available.

**How to Create Captivating Storyboards**

**Thursdays, Feb. 28, March 7, 14 • 6:30 pm**  
$30 per session/$80 for series  
Students will learn to support their treatments with illustrations of storyboards to enhance their production with the different types of camera shots, angles, terms, scene transitions, and movements to express an emotionally captivating story in digital media and films. This class is the follow-up to “How to Write Engaging Treatments.”

**Taxes in Retirement**

**Tuesday, March 5 • 6:30 p.m.**  
Many Americans believe yearly health care costs will be their largest expense in their retirement years. For middle and high-income retirees, that’s totally false. For them the largest yearly expense is taxes. Taxes weigh even heavier on singles and widows/widowers. Attend and learn what causes excessive reliance on IRAs and other tax-deferred financial vehicles most Americans mistakenly use in building and accessing their retirement funds.

**Game Day at Ebster Recreation Center**

**Wednesday, March 6 • 11 a.m.**  
We’ll gather this spring at Ebster Recreation Center for a day of fun, food and games.

This year we’ll play Bingo, with special prizes. Must RSVP to receive lunch.

**Imagination & Furniture Painting: Mid-Level I & II**

**March 12-13 • 6:30 pm**  
$55 for one session/$75 for two sessions  
Refresh, repair, remodel and reuse furniture by learning to use furniture paint. See flyer for more details.

**Real Estate Q & A**

**Saturday, March 16 • 2-4 p.m.**  
No strings attached, just answers to your real estate questions. The JK Realtor Team with ReMax, a local lender and a local closing attorney, will be available to answer your questions. Open, casual forum – drop by anytime between 2 and 4 p.m.

**Annuities 101: Personal Pension for Safe Growth**

**Tuesday, March 26 • 6:30 p.m.**  
Annuities can deliver safe growth or lifetime income and are a good tool for many people – but is it right for you? In this education-only seminar you will become more knowledgeable about different annuity types: immediate, deferred, fixed index and variable. We will evaluate the pros and cons of different annuities and how they best fit an individual’s retirement needs.
**TERRI’S TRAINING FOR DOGS AND PEOPLE: BASIC DOG OBEDIENCE TRAINING**

Wednesdays, March 27-May 1 • 6:30 p.m.

This six-week class helps owners work with their dogs to become confident and happy companions. The focus is on learning and practicing basic dog obedience manners as well as solving behavioral problems such as jumping, pulling and barking. Dogs need to be at least five months old and have all required health vaccinations. To register contact Sara Holmes, sara.holmes@decaturga.com. For questions, contact Terri Kruzan, tkruzan@bellsouth.net, or 404-510-3113.

**DECATUR HAiku**

Wednesday, April 10 • 2 p.m.

Decatur Recreation Center

In this class, we will talk about how these poems cultivate awareness of the details of the everyday, share some traditional ones and some of our own, and even compose some on the spot. Project director Marti Keller is a published poet and author of “Thinking in Haiku.”

**PICNIC IN A PARK**

Wednesday, May 8 • 11 a.m. • McKoy Park

Join us for our annual picnic with games and entertainment. We’ll provide the meat, desserts, and drinks – you’ll need to bring a side dish. Join us for activities at 11 a.m. RSVP required for lunch.

**UNDERSTANDING LIFE INSURANCE**

Tuesday, April 9 • 6:30 p.m.

This educational seminar elaborates upon what life insurance is and the different types as well as a discussion about the appropriate amount of insurance.

**NATIONAL WALKING DAY**

Wednesday, April 3 • 10 a.m.

Join our 50+ Walks on National Walking Day. We’ll meet at Decatur Recreation Center and walk 2.5-3 miles. Wear comfortable shoes, bring a water bottle and let’s go exploring.

**NATIONAL SENIOR HEALTH AND FITNESS DAY**

Wednesday, May 29 • 10 a.m.

A nationwide health and fitness event for older adults. The event’s goals are to promote the importance of regular physical activity and to showcase what local organizations are doing to improve the health and fitness of older adults in their communities. Save the date. More information to come.

**TRIPS FOR SENIORS**

Limited seats available. Must register by date listed. First come, first served, and spaces fill up quickly.

**Center for Civil and Human Rights**

Thursday, Jan. 31 • 9 a.m.

$25 per person, paid by Jan. 15

Join us as we travel to see the Center for Civil and Human Rights in downtown Atlanta. We’ll leave the Decatur Recreation Center at 9 a.m. sharp and stop for breakfast at the Atlanta Breakfast Club.

**Agnes Scott Observatory: Other Worlds in Science Fiction**

Friday, Feb. 8 • 6 p.m.

We’ll meet at Decatur Recreation Center and take a short walk to the Agnes Scott cafeteria for dinner, then head over to the Bradley Observatory to hear a lecture by Chris De Pree about Other Worlds in Science Fiction. Once the lecture is over we’ll tour the Observatory. Please bring money to buy dinner; the lecture is free.

**Flat Rock Archives**

Tuesday, Feb. 26 • 9 a.m.

We’ll celebrate Black History Month with a trip to Flat rock, the oldest African-American community in Georgia. A tour can include the museum, cemetery, the Lyon Farms, and an original settler home. A small fee may apply.

**Callaway Gardens**

Friday, April 12 • 9 a.m.

$35 per person, by April 1

Let’s visit Callaway Gardens in the springtime and possibly enjoy a butterfly lesson. This will be an all-day trip. Fee includes admission and dinner.

**ART CLASSES WITH MS. GUSsy**

Register with Sara Holmes, sara.holmes@decaturga.com, or 678-553-8680. All classes are at Decatur Recreation Center and registration is required.

**Crochet Basics**

Tuesday, Jan. 15 • 10 a.m.

Begin a scarf or hat for your first project and get started on a lifetime skill.

**Pop-Up Valentines**

Tuesday, Feb. 12 • 10 a.m.

Cards with surprise three-dimensional effects – just in time for Valentine’s Day.

**Copper Jewelry**

Tuesday, March 12 • 10 a.m.

Cut, texture and dap metal like a pro to make earrings or pendants.

**Tie Dye**

Tuesday, April 23 • 10 a.m.

Earth Day might have passed but let’s continue to celebrate with tie dye. Bring a cotton, rayon or linen shirt to dye in brilliant colors, and to wash and dry at home.

**Jewelry Making**

Tuesday, May 14 • 10 a.m.

A sophisticated selection of beads to string into necklaces, bracelets and earrings. Professionally finished to make them gift worthy.
## Adult Activities At-a-Glance

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Animal Crackers, Whiz Kids and Project R.E.A.L.

Decatur’s Children and Youth Services Division offers nine afterschool programs serving City Schools of Decatur K-8th graders throughout the city. The Animal Crackers program serves K-3rd graders at six locations: Oakhurst, Westchester, Winnona Park, Clairemont, and Glennwood Elementary Schools and at Decatur Recreation Center. The Whiz Kids program is offered at two sites for 4th-5th graders – Fifth Avenue 4/5 Academy and Ebster Recreation Center. Project R.E.A.L. serves middle schoolers at Renfroe Middle. Most of our K-5 programs are full with waiting lists. Please call the Children and Youth Services office or email cys@decaturga.com to inquire about enrollment status.

Afterschool Programs – Fees and Registration

Decatur Children and Youth Services currently offers nine afterschool programs for K-8th graders.

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Fees are charged in advance for nine 20-day sessions throughout the school year. A family’s session fee is based on how many days per week each child is registered to attend.

Changes to After-School for 2019-2020 school year

Because City Schools of Decatur is reconfiguring its elementary schools for the coming academic calendar, and opening a new one on Talley Street, Children and Youth Services has reconfigured its after-school programs accordingly. Please note these changes.

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K-5th All-Day Camps Spring 2019

7:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. • Decatur Legacy Park (500 S. Columbia Dr.), Cochran Building
Resident $40/day, nonresident $50/day | Bring a lunch. Snack is provided by the program.

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NOTE: No camps will be offered on city holidays including MLK Day, Presidents Day and Memorial Day.
**AFTERSCHOOL Lottery Registration for 2019-20**

**Opens Feb. 19 at 10 a.m.**

**WHO:** For new Kindergarten families, families just moving to Decatur, and any family seeking to enroll in City of Decatur afterschool programs in the 2019-20 school year.

**WHEN:** Lottery registration will be open from 10 a.m., Feb. 19, through 6 p.m. April 19. Visit the Afterschool Lottery page on www.decaturga.com/cys for further details on this process. Detailed instructions will be published online on Feb. 4. The lottery will be run on April 27 and families will be notified via email of their enrollment status no later than May 10. Children not assigned a space in the lottery spin will be automatically placed on the waitlist for that program.

**Pre-Registration for Currently Enrolled Families**

**WHO:** Families with all fees paid through January 15, 2019 (Session 6) with at least one child enrolled in a City of Decatur afterschool program in the current 2018-19 school year as of January 15, 2019 are eligible to pre-register all eligible children (will be in K-8th grades in 2019-20 school year) for 2019-20 afterschool programs.

**WHEN:** January 14-February 1, 2019 online. Information and Release and Health Forms for 2019-20 will be made available to enrolled families via email on January 14. The forms should be completed and submitted online by February 1.

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### Summer Camp Snapshot

Children and Youth Services (CYS) will offer two summer day camps this summer: iDiscover Camp for rising K-5th graders at Ebster Recreation Center (June 17-July 12) and Camp Sycamore for rising K-5th graders at Decatur Legacy Park (July 1-19). K-7th campers will also have many opportunities to explore a range of special interests throughout the summer in instructor-led E Camps (Enrichment Camps) at Decatur Legacy Park (June 10-28 and July 15-19). Look for tennis/swim camps throughout the summer from June 3 to July 26 and a variety of sports camps as well. Detailed camp descriptions, including fees and schedules, can be found in the Camp 2019 Edition of the Playbook at decaturga.com/playbook.

### CAMP CALENDAR AT-A-GLANCE

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### Camp Registration

Information about City of Decatur’s 2019 summer camp sessions can be found in the Camp Edition of the Playbook. Registration for summer day camp begins Jan. 5 at 9 a.m. online. Families that have not previously registered for Decatur afterschool programs or an activity or event through Decatur Active Living should take steps prior to Jan. 5 to get a household ID and password to use for online registration. Please visit decaturga.com/webtrac for information on how to register.

### Camp Costs

Full day camps range in cost for Decatur residents from $230 per session at iDiscover Camp, Camp Sycamore, Tennis, Swim & Cookout and most Enrichment Camps up to $260 for sessions with additional materials costs. Camps cost $25 more per week for nonresidents.

### Financial Assistance

Financial assistance for summer camps is available to families on a sliding scale based on annual income and household size. The minimum weekly rate is $40 per child. Families seeking financial assistance to send a child to camp should complete a financial assistance application in addition to the camper information and release form. Please find the 2019-20 financial assistance application on the forms page of decaturga.com/cys. See application for required documentation. Funds are provided in part by the Mary Miller Decatur Youth Fund and are awarded to city residents who have a documented need.
How to Play in Decatur

Register for camps and activities at decaturga.com/webtrac or at the Decatur Recreation Center, 231 Sycamore St.

- Proof of residency is required for resident fees and is subject to verification. Non-verifyable addresses will not be accepted. Proof of residency accepted includes: tax bill, utility bill, rent receipt, current signed lease agreement, or property deed/mortgage note.
- Online registration requires a household ID number and password. Paperwork must be completed in advance of registration day to allow online registration. Find more information at decaturga.com/webtrac.
- Five-year-olds enrolling for day camps must have attended a full-day program and show proof of age (birth certificate or school record). Must be five the first day of camp.
- Registration for all programs will continue until programs are filled or until the registration deadlines. Office hours are Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m.-8 p.m., Friday, 8 a.m.-6 p.m., and Saturday, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.
- For information on how to register online, go to decaturga.com. Click on City Government > City Departments > select either Active Living or Children & Youth Services. Go to Registration for Summer Camp for instructions. WebTrac will not accept financial aid registration. WebTrac only accepts Visa and MasterCard.
- Nonresidents of the City of Decatur must pay an additional $25 per week/camp.
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SUMMER CAMP DEPOSITS AND PAYMENTS
Deposit: A $25 nonrefundable and nontransferable deposit per participant per session is required. The deposit holds a camp enrollment until the balance due date. If fees are not paid or arrangements made, spaces will be given to campers on the waiting list. Those applying for financial assistance must pay a $10 deposit per child per session.

Balance: The balance is due May 4 for June camps and June 1 for July camps. Fees cover instruction, supplies, and a camp T-shirt.

Financial Assistance
A limited amount of financial assistance is available to city of Decatur residents who demonstrate a need on a first-come-first-served basis. Proof of residency and income verification must be submitted with the financial assistance application. Assistance is based on a sliding scale. A minimum rate will be required for each activity. Applications are available online and at the Decatur Recreation Center.

How to Play

Dates to Remember

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Open Gym

Ebster Recreation Center
105 Electric Ave.
Contact Portia Langley, 678-553-6563, or portia.langley@decaturga.com.

BADMINTON
Thursdays • 6:30-9 p.m. (April-May)
Resident free, nonresident $5

FAMILY OPEN GYM
Saturdays • noon-4 p.m. (March-May)

PICTLEBALL
Tuesdays • 11:15 a.m.-2 p.m.
Wednesdays • 2:30-5 p.m. (January-March)
Wednesdays • 2:30-6 p.m. (March-May)
Resident free, nonresident $3

TEEN BASKETBALL
Wednesdays • 7:30-9 p.m. (March-May)

Decatur Recreation Center
231 Sycamore St.
Resident free, nonresident $2
Contact Lee Williams, 678-553-6742, or lee.williams@decaturga.com

ADULT OPEN GYM BASKETBALL
Mon-Fri • noon-2 p.m. (Jan.-May)
Tu • 7-9 p.m. (March-May)

YOUTH OPEN GYM BASKETBALL
Mon-Fri • 3:30-5:30 p.m. (during the school year)

FAMILY OPEN GYM
Saturdays • 2-4 p.m. (starting March 18)

ADULT INDOOR SOCCER
Sundays • 2:30-5:30 p.m. (starting Jan. 7)

ADULT VOLLEYBALL
Sundays • 6:30-9 p.m. (year-round)

TABLE TENNIS
Thursdays • 7-9:45 p.m.
Sundays • 10 a.m.-2 p.m.