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Stay tuned to our social media to get updates on additional programs!

Let's get registered!

Visit cityofclive.activityreg.com.

Sign up for an account and register for programs. Registration begins on **Tuesday, March 25** at 9:00 a.m. for Clive residents and **Tuesday, April 1** at 9:00 a.m. for non-residents. See individual programs for registration instructions and contact information.



Letter from the Director of Leisure Services

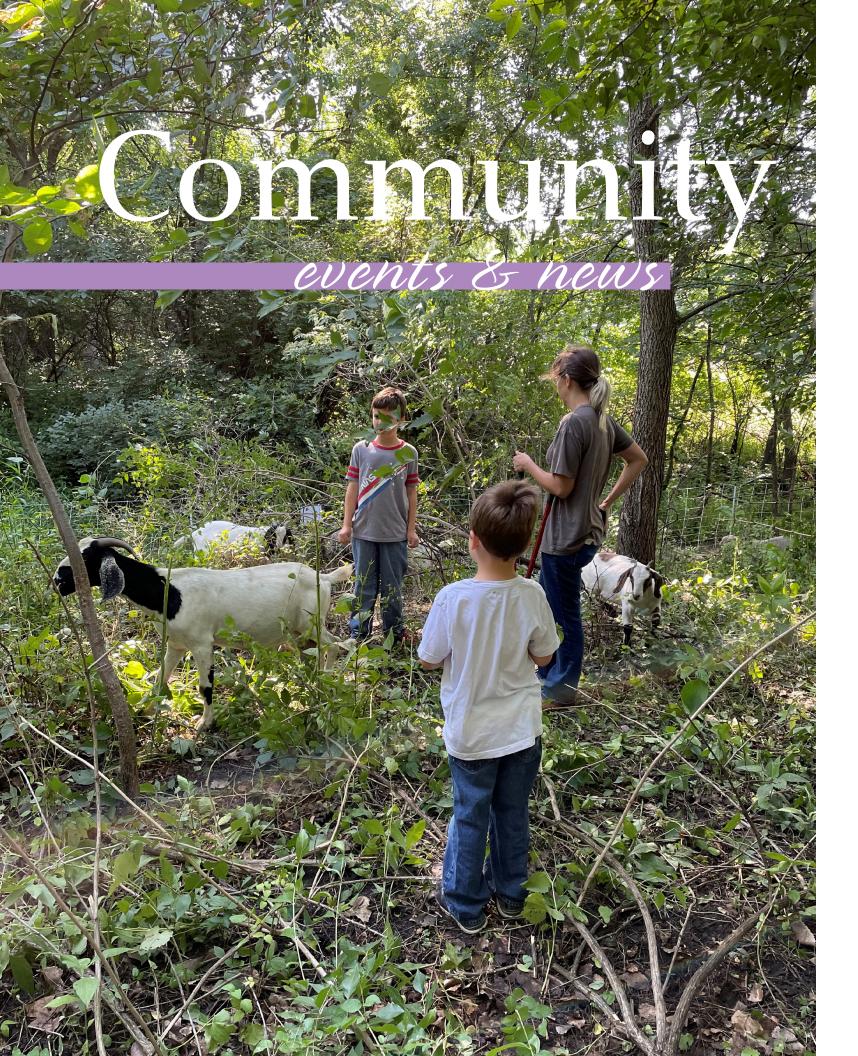
Richard Brown

We're happy to welcome you to the latest issue of Clive Connected, your guide to programs, events, and updates from Parks, Recreation, and the Library. Inside, you'll find everything you need to know about what's happening this spring and summer, along with a preview of exciting projects that will enhance our community spaces in the months ahead. This issue highlights your favorite warm-weather programming, including swim lessons and summer reading, alongside an array of new offerings to make the season even more memorable.

2025 will be an exciting year for Leisure Services, with several transformative projects underway. The redesign of Linnan Park will introduce a splash pad, an updated shelter, and a brand new playground to this popular east-side park. Construction at Greenbelt Landing continues to progress, with plans for an innovative playground, a permanent stage, a wetland walk, and a redesigned Special Events Building. Additionally, phase one of the remodel of City Hall is underway and is tentatively slated to wrap up in August, enhancing accessibility and functionality for our citizens, visitors, and employees.

While these improvements are underway, we encourage you to stay informed through City communications, newsletters, and social media for updates and any project-related closures.

We look forward to seeing you this season, enjoying everything our parks, trails, and facilities have to offer!



Volunteer Opportunities / Events



Get Involved with the Greenbelt Goats

Sundays 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.

We need some help caring for our famous Greenbelt Goats. These checkup opportunities are available for interested persons, families, or groups. Duties range from counting the goats, checking that the fence perimeter is free of gaps to ensure that no animals have escaped, checking water supply, and other general help. When signing up to volunteer, more information and instructions will be sent to you the week of your volunteering day. For more information, contact Jeff at jlucas@cityofclive.com or call (515) 867-5127.

Want to see more of the Greenbelt Goats? Follow the herd on Instagram and see what they're up to in the community!



@clivegoat



Trash Bash / Earth Day

Friday, April 25 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Clean-up throughout the City

This community clean-up event is held throughout Clive and focuses on making Clive parks and trail areas "Distinct By Nature." We ask that each individual volunteer register themselves due to a waiver that is included and required at the end of the online registation process, and to get an accurate count of volunteers. An informational email will be sent to each volunteer with more specific logistical information one week prior to the Trash Bash. For more information, contact Jeff at jlucas@cityofclive.com or call (515) 867-5127.



Volunteering at Clive Festival

Friday, July 18 – Saturday, July 19 5:30 – 11:00 p.m.

Volunteers are needed for a variety of positions and shifts at Clive Festival. Most volunteer positions help with the beverage

tent and ID stations, but other positions are also needed. We'd love to have you! More details are available during the registration process. For more information, contact Jeff at jlucas@cityofclive.com or call (515) 867-5127.



Celebrate the end of the work week at Food Truck Fridays! Jump on the Greenbelt Trail and make your way to Campbell Park to enjoy music, food trucks, and fun. Bring the whole family, Campbell Park has a playground and green space right next to the action. For more information, contact Jeff at jlucas@cityofclive.com or call (515) 867-5127.

Fridays throughout the summer 5:30 – 8:00 p.m. Campbell Park

Live Music Line-Up

MAY 9 **DAMON DOTSON**

MAY 23

VELVET TRIO

JUNE 6
DICK DANGER
BAND

MAY 16

DUELING GUITARS

BRIAN CONGDON/BRAD SEIDENFELD

MAY 30
MONKEY 4

JUNE 13
SONS OF GLADYS
KRAVITZ LITE



Friday, July 18 - Saturday, July 19



Clive's community celebration of the year will take place July 18 – 19! Due to Greenbelt Landing construction, Clive Festival will be held at the vacant lot area just south of Clive Aquatic center on Campus Drive. Clive Festival will have activities for everyone including "Thunder Over Clive" fireworks both evenings at 9:30 p.m. (Friday's show is a teaser for Saturday's show). There will also be live music, the popular Clive Fire Department Slip-N-Slide, bounce houses, Clive Running Festival, and plenty more FUN! Stay tuned to the Clive Parks and Recreation/Aquatics Facebook page or www.clivefestival.com for more event details!



Open lot on Campus Drive* (near aquatic center)

*Location change due to Greenbelt Landing project construction

Live music line-up to be announced in April. Watch department social media for band schedules.



Friday, July 18 Saturday, July 19 5:30 – 8:00 p.m. TBA 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. TBA 8:30 – 11:30 p.m. TBA

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Harbach Center

In 2022, Clive Leisure Services opened the Harbach Center at 8505 Harbach Blvd. Inside is an expansion of the Clive Public Library where patrons will find fiction, non-fiction, children's titles, and some multimedia three 65-inch TVs and gaming systems including PlayStation 5, Xbox X, and Nintendo Switch.

In addition to public hours, the Harbach Center hosts many library and recreation and the year. For more information



tinyurl.com/k4dwhm58 or scan the QR code.







The Harbach Center offers two spaces available for rent: the Community Room and the Recreation Bay. Both spaces are priced at \$25 per hour, with a minimum 2-hour rental. For more information and to make a reservation, visit www.cityofclive.activityreg.com



 Super Mario Game Pedestal on a 90" TV (w/ over 2500 games!)

COMING SOON!

HARBACH CENTER ARCADE

Big Buck Hunter

for endless fun with:

Coming this spring, the

Recreation Bay is leveling up with a brand-new arcade area! Get ready

- **Fast and Furious**
- Golden Tee/Silver Strike
- Infinity Game Table (32" touchscreen!)
- Pac-Man
- Marvel vs. Capcom
- **Mortal Kombat**
- **NBA Jam**
- Ping-Pong Table

Don't miss out on the ultimate gaming experience— See you at the bay!





Hours

Day	Library	Recreation Bay & Gaming Lounge	
Monday	9:00 a.m. — 1:00 p.m.	3:00 – 7:00 p.m.	
Tuesday	9:00 a.m. — 1:00 p.m.	3:00 – 7:00 p.m.	
Wednesday	3:00 – 7:00 p.m.	3:00 – 7:00 p.m.	
Thursday	2:00 – 6:00 p.m.	3:00 – 7:00 p.m.	
Friday	2:00 – 6:00 p.m.	3:00 – 7:00 p.m.	
Saturday	10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	
Sunday	Closed	Closed	

2025 Clive Resident Tree Sale

Available only to Clive Residents

Our annual tree sale is almost here! Each year, the City of Clive Parks Division selects several species of trees for our residents to purchase at a discounted rate.

Cost: \$75 per tree (\$160 value)

Limit one tree per household as part of the City's Water Resources Master Plan.

The sale begins Monday, March 31 at 9:00 a.m. and closes Monday, May 5 at 11:59 p.m. All orders are placed online at https://tinyurl.com/6cmr2fzi or by scanning the QR code below.

Tree pickup will be on Saturday, May 10 between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. at the Clive Park Maintenance Facility located inside Campbell Park. (12385 Woodlands Parkway.)

Trees are for pickup only, no deliveries.

Your tree will come with a bag of mulch and care instructions.

No trees planted in the right-of-way. Call Iowa OneCall (811) for utility locations.

All tree species are all tall, 1.5" caliper trees.



For more details on each tree species, visit https://tinyurl.com/6cmr2fzj or scan the QR code.















There's a new goat in town! Meet Greenie, Clive's virtual assistant. Greenie helps you access city information 24/7 through our website or text. You can ask questions in over 75 languages to get information

about services, events, and more through this text service and chatbot. You can also opt-in to receive text alerts about parking during winter weather, curbside collection delays, and other topics. Greenie was inspired by Clive's goat herd called the Greenbelt Goats. Greenie provides a user-friendly experience to help everyone connect with Clive.

You can sign up for text alerts from Clive by scanning the QR code, or by texting "Hello" to 888-708-4628 (GOAT). Visit the link below to opt-in and select your alert topics.

Learn more about Greenie here: https://bit.ly/Clive-Greenie



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Leisure Services Projects

Greenbelt Landing

The Greenbelt Landing Project is a plan for enhancing the 14.89 acres just outside the Aquatic Center. This project will bring new recreational opportunities, improve water quality, and help maintain wildlife habitat in a park contiguous with the larger Clive Greenbelt.

Ground was broken on October 16, 2024 and project construction is expected to be completed in the fall of 2025. The following improvements are part of the new Greenbelt Landing:



- A stormwater treatment wetland of native plant species will be created to infiltrate and filter stormwater
- An ADA-accessible boardwalk will provide educational access to visitors
- Enhanced and restored riparian upland and lowland habitat using native plantings and create
- ADA access to Walnut Creek
- Updates to the pond area that include a staging area for concerts and programming
- Aligning the Special Events Building rental facility with public use demands

City Hall Construction

Construction started at City Hall in January 2025 for upgrades to the building for efficient flow and enhancement of user and staff experience. The first stage of this construction will include the Leisure Services Department, including the Library and Parks and Recreation.



Linnan Park Project

The City of Clive is excited to be updating Linnan Park, one of the City's oldest parks. Conceptual plans call for a new restroom and shelter building, playground, and spray ground for community events and family gatherings. The popular basketball court and futsal courts will remain but be moved to new locations within the park. Construction is slated for the spring of 2025.

Upcoming Anticipated Project Schedule (subject to change):

February 2025 - Construction Documents Completed & Project Bidding

March 2025 - Plans & Specifications Approved & City Council Awards Construction Contract(s)

June 2025 - Groundbreaking & Construction Begins

Spring 2026 - Construction Completion, Park Dedication, and Opening

Project Update - January 20, 2025: Initial Park concepts were proposed to City Council based on results from the survey conducted in the fall. Final designs and equipment are still to be determined from two design options. You can view the proposal from public input by visiting https://tinyurl.com/3fpa2vyy, which includes plans for the primary park shelter, stormwater flow, and improvements to the street along Harbach Boulevard.

SCHEMATIC LAYOUT



▶ 78th Street Temporary Park

The City of Clive has been working to purchase flood-prone properties along 78th Street and University Boulevard. The purchase of properties in this area will continue for several years. When all the needed acquisitions are completed, this space will be turned into a permanent park and stormwater facility. Until that time, the City wants to create some temporary park facilities that could utilize this space for the next five to ten years.

Upcoming Anticipated Project Schedule (subject to change): **Spring 2025** - Construction Begins

Summer 2025 - Construction Completion, Park Dedication, and Opening

Project Update - January 20, 2025: Survey results were reviewed and presented to City Council. You can view all of the data by visiting https://tinyurl.com/y9pbzsja.

▶ Trail Detour

Multiple improvement projects are now underway around the intersection of Hickman Road and Interstate 80/35. The lowa Department of Transportation (DOT) is leading the projects in coordination with the cities of Clive and Urbandale. These improvements will cause some detours along the Greenbelt Trail. These closures are expected to go through the completion of the project.

Please note that the trail will be closed at the bridge where the Greenbelt Trail passes under I-35.



Follow these projects at the Leisure Services project page at www.cityofclive.com/lsprojects.

COMMUNITY EVENTS & NEWS

Art in Clive

Clive Public Library Art Gallery

Open now

Come celebrate the artists in Clive and the Des Moines Metro area in the Clive Public Library Art Gallery. We are proud to present a broad range of artwork from local professional artists, young patron artists from the Clive Library itself and student artists from metro schools who are chosen to participate in the Kids for Art in Clive

exhibit. Revel in the wonderful talents of our local artists while you are looking for new materials to check out, or go to our website for the occasions when the gallery is virtual. If you are an artist and would like to have your work considered for our gallery, please fill out an artist application on our website. For more information, contact Patty at pnapier@cityofclive.com.

Kids for Art in Clive

Artwork on display August 1 — October 31

Every year during the Clive Festival, the City of Clive and NCMIC sponsor an art exhibit for students of the Des Moines metro area schools. Local teachers select student artwork to submit for adjudication and display. All students who are selected are celebrated at a reception during Clive Festival. We are proud to display the artwork at the library. For more information, contact Patty at pnapier@cityofclive.com.

Permanent Art Around Clive







Art Along the Trail

Art Along the Trail is a temporary outdoor exhibit, displayed along Clive's landmark feature, the Greenbelt Park and Trail system, from May through October each year. The art pieces will be displayed in highly visible sites along the Greenbelt. Works are selected by an Art Along the Trail Selection Panel comprised of four members of the City's Parks, Recreation,

and Public Art Board, one City Council member, one Clive resident or Clive business owner representative from the Chamber of Commerce, and one member of the local art community.

The Clive Public Art Program was established by the City Council in December 2007. As part of the City's commitment to enhance the 'Distinct by Nature' character of Clive with the

addition of art in public places, the City Council adopted direct appropriation funding for public art. Since approval of the Master Plan, the City has awarded three commissions to artists to create artwork. The Art Along the Trail exhibition will continue the City's efforts to promote aesthetic excellence and enhance the artistic vitality of Clive.



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Clive Community Foundation

The Clive Community Foundation (CCF) works closely with donors, local leaders, and nonprofit organizations to improve the quality of life throughout Clive.

In 2024, CCF awarded grants of more than \$50,000 to nonprofit organizations.

Our grant-making programs:

- Health and Wellness
- Quality of Life
- Collaboration

At the Clive Community Foundation we understand the financial advantages of giving, but we also understand the joy of giving. That's why we work to connect donors with the causes that matter most to them. If you'd like to explore charitable giving opportunities, we can help.

Clive Community Foundation offers flexibility:

- Strategic Giving
- Legacy Giving
- Non-Cash Giving

Consider an individualized contribution plan to support our community:

- Impact Fund
- Endowment Fund
- Clive Public Art Fund
- Clive Greenbelt Maintenance Fund
- Clive Library Fund

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Clive Aquatic Center

1801 NW 114th St., Clive (515) 440-0599 (seasonal) cityofclive.com/cac



Official Opening Day for the Season

Tentative Closing Date for the Season

Hours of Operation

Saturday, May 24 Saturday, August 23

11:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Daily

All dates and times are dependent on weather

Daily Admission Fees

Age	Fee
2 years and under	\$2
3 – 54 years old	\$9
55+ years/Military with ID	\$7
Family Night Discount Monday – Thursday, 4:30 – 6:00 p.m.	\$15 per family
*Tax included No rain checks or refunds are issued	

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Like and follow our pages for more information and upcoming programs not listed in the brochure.



Scan here to access the Clive Aquatic Center webpage with additional details, amenities, rules, and much more.

Aquatic Center Rentals

Reservations for summer rentals open Tuesday, March 25 at 9:00 a.m. Food and non-alcoholic beverages are allowed (no glass containers) in specified locations during rentals. Visit cityofclive.activityreg.com to check availability and request reservations (subject to approval).

Pool Area	Fee (Pretax)*	Date / Time
Leisure Pool Only (kid's pool)	\$450	
Lap Pool Only	\$550	
(includes diving board and slides)		Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays
Leisure Pool and Lazy River	\$650	June, July, August
Lap Pool and Lazy River	\$800	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Leisure Pool and Lap Pool	\$1,000	
All pools	\$1,200	

^{*}Fee is subject to 7% sales tax

Season Passes

Get three for the price of one! Passes can also be used at West Des Moines Valley View and Holiday Aquatic Centers. No waiting — use the Fast Pass Lane from 11:30 a.m. — 1:00 p.m.

Passes must be purchased online. Visit cityofclive.activityreg.com and click on the Online Pool Pass Purchase button to get started purchasing your pool pass online. Passes will be sold at the aquatic center during regular hours once the aquatic center opens for the season.

Passes are non-refundable, not redeemable for cash, and valid during the 2025 season only. West Des Moines residents must purchase with the City of West Des Moines. Violating or misuse of pass at either aquatic center will result in cancellation of pass without refund.



Number of Passholders	Resident Fee (Pretax)*	Non-Resident Fee (Pretax)*
1 Person	\$90	\$140
2 Person	\$130	\$190
3 person	\$175	\$255
4 Person	\$220	\$320
Each additional	\$45	\$65
Nanny Pass	\$65	\$70

^{*}Fee is subject to 7% sales tax

Weekly Recurring Programs

Daily Open Swim: 11:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Water Walking

Ages 14 and older. Passes honored or \$6 per person Saturday, May 31 — Sunday, August 17

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
6:15 — 9:15 a.m.		7:00 – 11:00 a.m.	8:00 — 11:00 a.m.			
7:00 — 8:50 p.m.	7:00 — 8:50 p.m.	7:00 — 8:50 p.m.	7:00 – 8:50 p.m.			

Lap Swim

Ages 14 and older. Passes honored or \$6 per person Saturday, May 31 — Sunday, August 17

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
6:15 — 8:15 a.m.	6:15 — 7:00 a.m.	6:15 — 8:15 a.m.	6:15 – 7:00 a.m.		7:00 – 8:00 a.m.	8:00 — 11:00 a.m.
8:05 – 8:50 p.m.	8:05 – 8:50 p.m.	8:05 – 8:50 p.m.	8:05 - 8:50 p.m.		9:30 - 11:00 a.m.	

Water Aerobics

Ages 14 and older. Passes honored or \$6 per person Tuesday, June 3 — Thursday, August 14

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	8:05 — 8:50 p.m.		8:05 — 8:50 p.m.			

Toddler Swim Time

Ages 6 months – 5 years Passes honored or \$5 per person Saturday, May 31 – Sunday, August 17

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
				9:30 - 11:00 a.m.	9:30 - 11:00 a.m.	9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

Adult/caregiver who is at least 16 years of age is required to be in the water with their swimmer to help facility safety with a 1:2 adult to child ratio. Sorry, no siblings or children over 5 are allowed during Toddler Time.

Stand Up Paddle Board Fitness

Enjoy our stand up paddle board fitness classes that combines the strength of Pilates and the flexibility and spirituality of Yoga with the calming environment of the water. Exercises will focus in on core-stabilization, balance, flexibility and endurance. Stand Up Paddle Boards (also called SUP) are one of the latest trends in water recreation across the country. Programs are cancelled during inclement weather no later than 45 minutes prior to class. For more information, contact Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

Ages 14 and older

Session Classes

Registration required — registration closes at 11:59 p.m. one day prior to start of class

Location: Clive Aquatic Center			
Day of the Week	Session Dates	Time	Fee
Tuesdays & Thursdays	June 3 — 12, June 17 — 26, July 8 — 17	7:00 — 8:00 a.m.	\$60 per session

Single Classes

Registration required — registration closes at 11:59 p.m. one day prior to start of class. If class is not full, drop-in participants will be accepted.

Day of the Week	Date	Time	Fee
Saturdays	June 7, 14, 21, 28, July 12, 26, August 2	8:00 - 9:00 a.m.	\$20 per class
Tuesday	July 29	7:00 - 8::00 a.m.	\$20 per class
Thursday	July 31	7:00 - 8:00 a.m.	\$20 per class



Adult Swim Lessons for Beginners

It's never too late to learn how to swim. Clive is offering Adult Swim Classes for teens and adults seeking to learn a new life long skill. Class will cover the fundamentals of swimming skills as well as educating swimmers on how to be safe in and around the water. This two-week course will help get you ready for any aquatic environment. For more information, please contact Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

Ages 15 and older

Session Classes (Monday – Thursday)

Registration required — registration closes at 11:59 p.m. one day prior to start of class

Location: Clive Aquatic Center			
Day(s) of the Week	Session Dates	Time	Fee
Monday – Thursday	June 23 – July 3, July 7 – 17	8:00 - 8:45 p.m.	\$125 per session

American Red Cross Lifeguard Certification — Blended Learning

Looking to become a lifeguard but not certified yet? Clive is offering several lifeguard certification courses to train future lifeguards for employment. Blended learning incorporates at-home online learning and in-person skill work making the class easier for learners. Participants must attend all class times offered. Course agenda and online learning link will be sent one week prior to start of class. Upon successful completion of course work, skills test, and final exam, participants will be granted a two-year certification. For more information, contact Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

Participants must complete the following efficiently on the first day of class:

- Swim 150 yards front crawl, breaststroke, or a combination of both.
- Tread water for 2 minutes using only the legs.
- Swim 50 yards using front crawl, breaststroke, or a combination of both.
- Swim 20 yards, surface dive 10 feet, retrieve 10-pound object, and swim back to starting point with object



American Red Cross

Ages 15 and older

Registration required — registration closes at 11:59 p.m. on the Sunday prior to start of class

Date	Day of the Week	Time	Fee	Location
April 24 – 27	Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	6:00 — 8:00 p.m. 5:00 — 9:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. — 7:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.	\$200	Valley High School
May 1 – 4	Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	6:00 — 8:00 p.m. 5:00 — 9:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. — 7:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.	\$200	Valley High School
May 15 — 18	Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	5:00 — 8:00 p.m. 5:00 — 9:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. — 6:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.	\$200	Clive Aquatic Center

Intro to Diving Clinic

This is a great clinic for beginner divers who want to learn to jump or dive off the springboard. Participants must be able to swim the length of the pool and tread water for at least 30 seconds to participate as this class will be held in deep waters. For more information, please contact Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

Ages 6 and older

Registration required — registration closes at 11:59 p.m. on the Wednesday prior to start of class

Location: Clive Aquatic Center				
Day(s) of the Week	Date	Time	Fee	
Saturday	June 21	10:00 — 11:15 a.m.	\$20	
Saturday	July 12	10:00 — 11:15 a.m.	\$20	
Saturday	July 26	10:00 — 11:15 a.m.	\$20	
Saturday	August 9	10:00 — 11:15 a.m.	\$20	

Springboard Diving Class

This class will teach participants the proper diving fundamentals, correct body positions for diving, various technical dives, and assist participants in advancing their diving skill. Participants must be able to swim the length of the pool and tread water for at least 30 seconds to participate as this class will be held in deep waters. Participants must also be comfortable with using and going off a 1-meter diving board. For more information, please contact Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

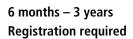
Ages 8 and older
Registration required — registration closes at 11:59 p.m. on the Friday prior to start of class

Location: Clive Aquatic Center			
Day(s) of the Week	Date	Time	Fee
Monday – Thursday	June 16 – 19	6:00 — 7:20 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	June 16 — 19	7:30 — 8:50 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	June 23 – 26	6:00 — 7:20 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	June 23 – 26	7:30 — 8:50 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	June 30 – July 3	6:00 — 7:20 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	June 30 – July 3	7:30 — 8:50 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	July 7 — 10	6:00 — 7:20 p.m.	\$60
Monday – Thursday	July 7 — 10	7:30 — 8:50 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	July 14 — 17	6:00 — 7:20 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	July 14 — 17	7:30 — 8:50 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	July 21 — 24	6:00 — 7:20 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	July 21 – 24	7:30 — 8:50 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	July 28 – 31	6:00 — 7:20 p.m.	\$60
Monday – Thursday	July 28 – 31	7:30 — 8:50 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	August 4 – August 7	6:00 — 7:20 p.m.	\$60
Monday — Thursday	August 4 – August 7	7:30 — 8:50 p.m.	\$60



► Parent and Child Aquatics

These classes teach safe behaviors around the water and develop swimming readiness by leading parents and their children in water exploration activities with the objective of having fun and becoming comfortable in, on, and around water. Instructors provide water safety for parents as well as holding/support techniques. The American Red Cross does not focus on independent swimming at this age, and does not encourage forced submersions.





Class	Age(s)	Day(s) of the Week	Fee	Description
<u>PC 1</u>	6 – 18 months with parent(s)	1 week Monday – Thursday	\$40	1:1 time in the water with infants, guiding parents through support holds and education of natural swim progressions and water safety topics for infants.
<u>PC 2</u>	18 months — 2 years with parent(s)	1 week Monday – Thursday	\$40	Develop swim readiness by experiencing water movement, elementary skills, and different swim progressions fostering learning to become comfortable in, on, and around the water with a familiar guardian.
<u>PS Intro</u>	3 years with parent(s)	2 weeks Monday – Thursday	\$65	Great transition for 3-year-olds with no water experience, separation anxiety, fear of water, or not yet toilet-trained. First week: Parents with child in water. Second week: Children alone in class setting.

			Morning Lessons		Evening Lessons
	Level	Dates	9:50 – 10:20 a.m.	10:30 – 11:00 a.m.	6:15 – 6:45 p.m.
		A: June 9 – 12	•		•
		B: June 16 – 19			
	<u>PC 1</u>	C: June 23 – 26	•		•
	6 – 18 months	D: June 30 – July 3			
	<u>\$40</u>	E: July 7 – 10	•		•
	<u>1 week</u>	F: July 14 – 17			
3 years		G: July 21 – 24	•		•
3 ye		H: July 28 – 31			
N		A: June 9 – 12			
6 months –		B: June 16 – 19	•		•
E	PC 2	C: June 23 – 26			
es 6	<u> 18 months – 2 years</u>	D: June 30 – July 3	•		•
Ages	\$40 1	E: July 7 – 10			
	<u>1 week</u>	F: July 14 – 17	•		•
		G: July 21 – 24			
		H: July 28 – July 31	•		•
	PS Intro	A: June 9 – 19		•	•
	3 years \$65	B: June 23 – July 3		•	•
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Preschool Aquatics

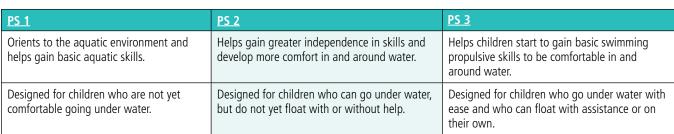
Preschool Aquatics aims to promote the developmentally appropriate learning of fundamental water safety and aquatic skills by young children. Red Cross Preschool Aquatics teaches aquatic and safety skills in a logical progression through three levels of courses.

3 - 5 years*

Estimated Class Ratio is 1:5

Fee: \$65

*3-year-olds must be independent, toilet-trained, with previous positive water experience. Children who cannot participate independently or cry after day 2 will be removed without refund



Learn to Swim

6 years and up

Estimated Class Ratio is 1:6 - 1:10

Fee: \$65

Red Cross Learn-to-Swim consists of six comprehensive levels that teach people of varying ages and abilities how to swim skillfully and safely. Each level includes training in basic water safety. All aquatic and safety skills are taught in a logical progression. The objective is to teach people to swim and be safe in, on, and around the water.



Designed for children who are not yet comfortable going under water.

Level 2: Fundamental Aquatic Skills

Designed for children who can go under water, but do not yet float with or without help.

Level 3: Stroke Development

Designed for children who go under water with ease and who can float on their own.

Level 4: Stroke Improvement

Designed for children who can swim over 15 yards of a basic front crawl and elementary back float.

Level 5: Stroke Refinement

Designed for children who can swim with easy recognition of all 6 strokes across a 25-yard pool (front/back crawl, elementary back/side stroke, breaststroke, and butterfly).

Level 6: Swimming and Skill Proficiency

Designed for children who have passed level 5 or swim competitively with all strokes.

Unsure of What Level to Choose?

To decide which level is best, visit our Swimming Lesson page on our website https://tinyurl.com/2p837jr9 and click the FAQ question, "How do I know which swimming level to enroll in?"



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Morning Group Lessons

The Clive swim lesson program is a life-long skill development program. Swimmers progress onto the next level when they have developed the required skill(s) and coordination. It is common for swimmers to repeat the same level before advancing onto the next level. We recommend registering swimmers for the same level at least twice before progressing. Constant practice outside of classes will significantly increase the swimmer's chance to pass.

Ages 3 and older

Monday – Thursday for two weeks (30-minute class)

Fee: \$65



				Mornin	g Lessons	
	Level	Dates	8:30 – 9:00 a.m.	9:10 – 9:40 a.m.	9:50 – 10:20 a.m.	10:30 – 11:00 a.m.
		A: June 9 – 19	•	•	•	•
	PS 1	B: June 23 – July 3	•		•	•
		<u>C: July 7 – 17</u>	•	•	•	•
		D: July 21 – July 31	•	•	•	•
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		<u>D: July 21 – July 31</u>	•	•	•	•
	Level 2	<u>A: June 9 – 19</u>	•	•	•	•
		<u>B: June 23 – July 3</u>	•		•	•
		<u>C: July 7 – 17</u>	•	•	•	•
		<u>D: July 21 – July 31</u>	•	•	•	•
		<u>A: June 9 – 19</u>	•	•	•	•
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		<u>C: July 7 – 17</u>	•	•	•	•
		D: July 21 – July 31		•	•	
		A: June 9 – 19	•	•	•	
	Level 5	B: June 23 – July 3				•
		<u>C: July 7 – 17</u>	•			
		D: July 21 – July 31			•	•
		A: June 9 – 19		•		
	Level 6	B: June 23 – July 3	•			
		C: July 7 – 17				
		<u>D: July 21 – July 31</u>				

Evening Group Lessons

The Clive swim lesson program is a life-long skill development program. Swimmers progress onto the next level when they have developed the required skill(s) and coordination. It is common for swimmers to repeat the same level before advancing onto the next level. We recommend registering swimmers for the same level at least twice before progressing. Constant practice outside of classes will significantly increase the swimmer's chance to pass.

Ages 3 and older Monday – Thursday for two weeks (30-minute class)

Fee: \$65



				Evening Lessons	
	Level	Dates	6:15 – 6:45 p.m.	6:55 – 7:25 p.m.	7:35 – 8:05 p.m.
		<u>A: June 9 – 19</u>	•	•	•
	PS 1	B: June 23 – July 3	•	•	•
	P3 I	<u>C: July 7 – 17</u>	•	•	•
		<u>D: July 21 – July 31</u>	•	•	•
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	PS 3	<u>B: June 23 – July 3</u>	•	•	•
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and		D: July 21 – July 31	•	•	•
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		D: July 21 – July 31	•		•
		<u>A: June 9 – 19</u>	•		•
	Level 5	<u>B: June 23 – July 3</u>	•	•	•
	Level 5	<u>C: July 7 – 17</u>			•
		<u>D: July 21 – July 31</u>	•	•	•
		<u>A: June 9 – 19</u>			•
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		<u>D: July 21 – July 31</u>			•



Private Lessons

Benefits of private lessons in addition to 1:1 instruction include conquering previous fears, adapted goals, and more practice time with direct instruction and feedback. Instructors use American Red Cross Learn-to-Swim progressions at an individualized pace.



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Ages 5 and older Fee: \$128

	Morning Lessons		Evening Lessons		
Dates	9:50 – 10:20 a.m.	10:30 – 11:00 a.m.	4:00 – 4:30 p.m.	4:40 – 5:10 p.m.	5:20 – 5:50 p.m.
<u>A: June 9 − 12</u>	•	•	•	•	•
<u>B: June 16 – 19</u>	•	•	•	•	•
<u>C: June 23 – 26</u>	•	•	•	•	•
<u>D: June 30 – July 3</u>	•	•	•	•	•
<u>E: July 7 – 10</u>	•	•	•	•	•
<u>F: July 14 – 17</u>	•	•	•	•	•
<u>G: July 21 – 24</u>	•	•	•	•	•
H: July 28 – July 31	•	•	•	•	•

Due to popularity, we ask all participants to register for a MAXIMUM of one private lesson before Friday, May 23. Register for more as available starting Saturday, May 24.

▶ Adaptive Private Swim Lessons

The Clive Adaptive Swim Lesson program is uniquely designed for individuals who have intellectual and/or developmental disabilities, such as Down Syndrome, Cerebral Palsy, Autism, ODD, or many others. These lessons are provided 1 on 1 with staff who are certified in working with individuals with special needs. For more information or to submit your request, email Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

Ages 5 and over

Fee: \$32 per 30-minute session

Submit request to Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com

Sensory Swim

Clive Parks and Recreation is excited to offer a Sensory Swim. This program is for families wanting a quieter swim experience. All music,

jets, fountains, and spray features will be turned off in order to create a sensory-friendly environment. Water slides will stay on. For more information, contact Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.



No registration required

Location: Clive Aquatic Center		
Date	Time	Fee
Wednesdays, June 4, August 6 & 13	9:30 - 11:00 a.m.	\$5 or season pass



Mermaid Swim School

This program will provide Mermaids with instruction on water safety while swimming with a mermaid tail. Bring your Mermaid Tail/ Monofin and practice in the pool. Participants will cover basic swimming strokes, direction changing, barrel rolls, and under water agility. Please note that Mermaid Tails/Monofins are not allowed in the aquatic center during open swim hours due to safety concerns. For more information, contact Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

Ages 7-12Registration required — registration closes at 11:59 p.m. on the Wednesday prior to start of class

Location: Clive Aquatic Center		
Date	Time	Fee
Saturdays, June 21 & July 12	10:00 - 11:00 a.m.	\$10



Water Tales

The library and the aquatic center have teamed up to bring you cool summer fun! This program is free. For more information, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com, or Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

Ages 5 and younger with caregiver (16 or older) Registration recommended

Location: Clive Aquatic Center		
Date	Time	Fee
Fridays, June 27 & July 18	10:30 - 11:00 a.m.	Free

Mermaid, Princess, and Superhero Pool Party

Meet and swim with Mermaids, Princesses, and Superheroes featuring "Little Princess Parties" and "lowa League of Heroes" at the Clive Aquatic Center. Come in your favorite royal attire or superhero outfit over your swimsuit as we gather for this royal and heroic event. Participants are able to swim, make a craft, and enjoy an ice cream sundae bar. Parents are free and encouraged to be in water with their swimmer(s) for aquatic safety. Sorry no unregistered siblings are allowed for this event. For more information, contact Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

Ages 2 – 12
Registration required — registration closes at 11:59 p.m. on Wednesday, June 25

Location: Clive Aquatic Center		
Date	Time	Fee
Sunday, June 29	6:30 – 8:00 p.m.	\$25

Clive Festival Cardboard Boat Regatta

Join us during Clive Festival and race your boat in the Clive Cardboard Boat Regatta. Build your boat out of cardboard and compete in several categories from fastest boat to best theme. For more information, rules, and registration please visit cityofclive.activityreg.com.

All ages Registration required by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, July 11

Location: Clive Aquatic Center				
Date	Time	Fee		
Saturday, July 19	11:00 a.m 1:00 p.m.	Free		



Pancake Paddle

Flap jacks and belly flops!? Join us at the Clive Aquatic Center for a pancake breakfast and morning swim. Chris Cakes will be joining our fun, flipping pancakes at the pool. This event is for all ages. The price includes admittance to swim, pancakes, sausage, and drinks. Sorry, no unregistered guests are allowed for this event. For more information, contact Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

All ages Registration required



Location: Clive Aquatic Center		
Date	Time	Fee
Saturday, August 2	8:00 – 11:00 a.m.	\$10

Clive's Annual Pooch Plunge (Dog Swim)

Before the waters are drained at the Clive Aquatic Center for the winter season, we invite our furry companions to enjoy the pool and visit the dog vendors on site! This is a dog swim only and not intended for human swimming. This event follows all guidelines from IDPH. For more information, contact Lindsey at lphelps@cityofclive.com.

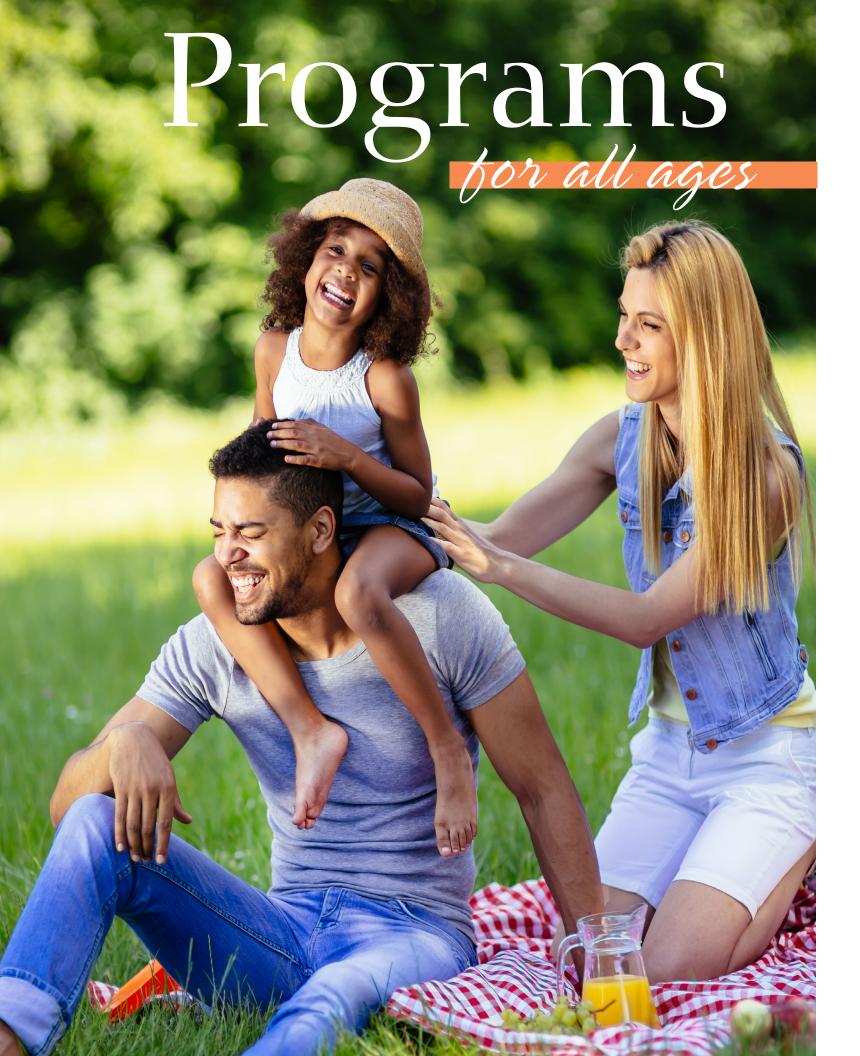
All Ages Registration required

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Location: Clive Aqua	itic Center	
Date	Time	Fee
Sunday, August 24	10:00 — 11:00 a.m.	
	11:15 – 12:15 p.m.	
	12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	\$15 per dog
	1:45 – 2:45 p.m.	
	3:00 - 4:00 p.m.	











▶ Clive Fire Department's Easter Egg Hunt

Meet the Easter Bunny and win prizes for age groups 2-4, 5-7, and 8-10. Join the Clive Fire Department at 9:00 a.m. at Linnan Park at 8500 Alice Avenue.

All ages No registration required

Location: Linnan Park	
Date	Time
Saturday, April 19	9:00 a.m.

Storytime at Woodlands Creek Senior Living

Join us for Storytime at Woodlands Creek Senior Living! We are thrilled to partner with Woodlands Creek Senior Living for this multi-generational storytime. Join us for stories, songs, and rhymes and help brighten the day of some of the residents. For more information, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com.

All Ages No registration required

Location: Woodlands Creek Senior Living (12605 Woodlands Pkwy.)		
Date	Time	
Tuesday, April 8	10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	
Friday, June 6	10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	
Saturday, July 12	10:00 - 10:30 a.m.	

Movers & Shakers at Woodlands Creek Senior Living

Do you have a child who loves to move and groove to music? There is a direct link between music and the development of language skills in children. Music activates the part of a child's brain that helps them to develop language and kids who are exposed to music at a young age often have stronger vocabularies and language skills. Join us for a movin' and groovin' program

focusing on music and movement. For more information, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com with questions.

All ages

No registration required

Location: Woodlands Creek Senior Living (12605 Woodlands Pkwy.)		
Date	Time	
Tuesday, April 22	10:00 - 10:30 a.m.	
Fridays, June 20 & July 25	10:00 - 10:30 a.m.	

► Summer Kick Off: Chalk the Walk

Join us at Harbach Center to decorate the sidewalk in front of the Recreation Bay doors! We will have chalk, ice pops, activities, and summer reading sign-up.

All ages

No registration required

Location: Harbach Center	
Date	Time
Saturday, May 31 (Rain Date: June 7)	10:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.



Pride 2025 Celebration

Celebrate Pride with the Clive Libraries in the Harbach Center Community Room. This is a drop-in event for all ages. Enjoy rainbow-themed snacks and crafts and create a Pride button. Let's get together and celebrate LGBTQIA+ people and their allies.

All ages No registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room	
Date	Time
Friday, June 6	2:30 – 3:30 p.m.

PROGRAMS FOR ALL AGES

Friendly Fridays

Discover fun and connection with our mid-morning playdates at various Clive park playgrounds! Enjoy casual, open play while connecting with other families in the community. This program is simply free play on the playgrounds with the goal of connecting families within our community. Adult supervision required. Clive staff will serve free treats (ice cream or popsicles) at 11:00 a.m. Drop in anytime and stay as long as you'd like—it's all about play and making connections! For more information, email Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

All ages No registration required

Location: Various Parks Around Clive		
Date	Park Location	Time
Friday, June 6	Campbell Park	
Friday, June 20	Stonegate Park	
Friday, July 11	Country Club Glen	10:00 a.m. – 12:00
Friday, July 25	Campbell Park	p.m.
Friday, August 1	Stonegate Park	
Friday, August 15	Country Club Glen	





Game Day with the Dealt Hand

Do you love playing games but feel overwhelmed by the options? Do you sometimes struggle to decipher the rules of a game? Look no further — the Dealt Hand are basically the librarians of Board Games. Join us for board games, food, and fun! The Dealt Hand will bring their large collection of games for you to play. They will give suggestions based on what games you have enjoyed playing and even explain the rules to you, so you don't have to spend the whole time learning to play. We will be providing pizza, so registration is required for this event. For more information, email staff@cityofclive.

All ages **Registration required**

Location: Harbach Center Community Room		
Date	Time	
Saturday, July 12	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	

The Clive Public Library Main Branch will have an extended closure for construction in May 2025. During this time, the Harbach Public Library will remain open to ensure continued access to library services. All programs during the closure will be held at the Harbach Center.

Due to the nature of ongoing renovations, program locations and times may change periodically. We will notify patrons of any updates via our social media pages and keep the online calendar current.

For the most up-to-date information on program times and locations, please refer to our online calendar at https://tinyurl. com/3szk9nn4 or by scanning the QR code.





YOUTH PROGRAMS

▶ 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten

How does the program work? Sign up at the library front desk. Upon sign-up, supporting adults will receive a reading folder to track the number of books they and others read to the

participating child. For each 100 books,

participants are encouraged to
visit the library to celebrate with
stickers. Once certain milestones
have been reached, the library
rewards those accomplishments
with prizes. When participants
have read 1,000 books before
kindergarten, they have successfully
completed the program.

Baby Lap Time

This is a bonding time for you and your child that models early literacy skills using board books, puppets, finger plays, nursery rhymes, singing, and tips to take home. An open play and social time follows. For more information, contact the library at staff@cityofclive.com.

Ages 0 – 2 (with an adult) No registration required

Location: Clive Public Library Storytime Room		
Date	Time	
Mondays, April 7 — July 21 (No programs in May)	6:00 – 6:30 p.m.	

Postpartum Group (Virtual)

This is a parenting play group for little ones, newborn to three years old, along with older siblings. Come gather to celebrate milestones and accomplishments, share concerns, ask questions, and support one another in a casual, fun, nonjudgmental environment. Led by local childbirth and postpartum educator, Amy Brooks-Murphy. For more information or to sign up, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com.

Adults with children ages 0 – 3 Registration Required

Location: Virtual via Google Meets	
Date	Time
Tuesdays, April 1 — June 24	9:00 — 10:30 a.m.
Tuesdays, August 19 & 26	9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

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All Ages No registration required

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Date	Time	
Tuesday, April 8	10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	
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and language skills. Join us for a movin' and groovin' program focusing on music and movement. For more information, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com.

Ages 0 – 5 (with a caregiver, siblings welcome) No registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room		
Date	Time	
Mondays, June 2 – July 21	9:30 — 10:00 a.m. 10:30 — 11:00 a.m.	

Sensory Play

Explore the seasons through your senses! This sensory playtime focuses on activities that engage your child's senses, helping them develop language and motor skills. It also helps with cognitive growth, fosters social interactions, and encourages experimentation. For more information, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com.

Ages 0 – 5 (with a caregiver, siblings welcome) No registration required

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Location: Harbach Center Community Room			
Date Time			
Saturday, June 14	10:30 — 11:30 a.m.		

Storytime

Enjoy this 20-minute program with your little one. This is bonding time for you and your child. Early literacy skills are modeled with the use of picture books, puppets, felt stories, finger plays, music, dancing, and bubble fun. For more information, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com.

Ages 0 – 5 (with a caregiver, siblings welcome)

No registration required. Due to space constraints, admittance tickets will be handed out on a first-come, first-served basis.

Location: Clive Public Library Storytime Room		
Date	Time	
Wednesdays, April 2 – April 30, June 4 – July 23	9:30 — 9:50 a.m. 10:00 — 10:20 a.m. 10:30 — 10:50 a.m.	
Thursdays, April 3 — May 1, June 5 — July 24	9:30 — 9:50 a.m. 10:00 — 10:20 a.m. 10:30 — 10:50 a.m.	

► Family Sing Along

Explore music together in a relaxed playful setting. This is a 45-minute educationally-based program taught by local instructor and guitarist, Denise Forney. Classes include exposure to a variety of early music concepts, singing, fingerplays, dancing, fun props, instrument play, and tips to take home. For more information, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com.

Ages 0 – 7 (with a caregiver, siblings welcome)
No registration required

Location: Clive Public Library Kids' Room		
Date	Time	
Thursdays, April 10, May 22* , June 19, July 10, August 21	6:15 – 7:00 p.m.	

^{*}May 22 will be held at the Harbach Center

Saturday Stories

Jump-start the weekend as a family with books and Saturday morning fun! Join us for this 20- to 30-minute program highlighting picture books, puppets, felt stories, finger plays, music, and dancing. Not ready to get out of your pajamas? PJs, slippers, blankets, and sleepy-time friends are encouraged. For more information or to sign up, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com.

Ages 0 – 7 (with a caregiver, siblings welcome) No registration required

Location: Clive Public Library Storytime Room Harbach Public Library		
Date	Time	Location
Saturdays, April 5 & 26, June 21, August 16	9:30 – 10:00 a.m.	Clive Public Library Storytime Room
Saturdays, May 17 & 24	10:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Harbach Public Library

Stories in the Park

We are heading to various parks around Clive this summer! Join us Fridays at 10:30 a.m. for a storytime full of music, movement, stories and fun. Be sure to bring a blanket to sit on in the grass. For more information, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com.

Ages 0 – 7 (with an adult)
Registration recommended to receive cancellation information due to weather

Location: Various Parks Around Clive		
Date	Park Location	Time
Friday, June 13	Greenbelt Park	10:30 – 11:00 a.m.
Friday, July 11	Country Club Glen	10:30 – 11:00 a.m.

Little Hitters

Introduce your little one to the fundamentals of baseball/softball with Clive Parks & Recreation's Little Hitters T-Ball Camp! This beginner-friendly program is designed for children ages 3 – 5 to learn basic skills like throwing, catching, hitting, and base running in a fun and supportive environment. Coaches focus on teamwork, coordination, and building confidence through engaging drills and games. All equipment is provided – just bring a water bottle and a big smile! Space is limited, so register today and let your Little Hitter swing into action! For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 3 – 5 Mondays and Wednesdays Registration required

Location: Campbell Park Baseball Fields		
Date	Time	Fee
Mondays, July 14, 21 Wednesdays, July 16, 23	10:00 – 10:45 a.m.	\$50
Mondays, July 28, August 4 Wednesdays, July 30, August 6	5:15 – 6:00 p.m.	\$50

YOUTH PROGRAMS
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Youth Soccer Camp Hosted by Drake Bulldog Soccer Academy

Kick off an unforgettable soccer experience with the Drake Bulldog Soccer Academy Youth Soccer Clinic! Open to players of all skill levels, this clinic is designed to develop essential soccer techniques, enhance game awareness, and inspire a passion for the sport. Young athletes receive expert coaching from the Drake University soccer staff and players, engaging in fun drills, small-sided games, and team-building activities. Whether your child is new to soccer or looking to sharpen their skills, this clinic provides a supportive and energetic environment to learn, grow, and play like a Bulldog! For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 4 – 6 and 7 – 12 Monday – Wednesday Registration required

Ages 4 – 6

Location: Campbell Recreation Area Soccer Field		
Date	Time	Fee
Monday, June 2 – Wednesday, June 4	9:00 – 9:45 a.m.	\$30

Ages 7 – 12

Location: Campbell Recreation Area Soccer Field		
Date	Time	Fee
Monday, June 2 – Wednesday,	10:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.	\$60

Martial Arts: Little Ninjas and Tae Kwon Do

Participants will learn the basic fundamentals of tae kwon do and karate in a developmentally-appropriate format. Classes focus on the proper use of martial arts, self-respect, self-discipline, and coordination of mind and body. The instructor, Dickey Renshi (Mr. Phil Dickey), has more than 30 years of martial arts teaching experience. He is an elementary teacher and three-time inductee

into the Martial Arts Hall of Fame. For more information, contact Jon at jqibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 4 – 7 (Little Ninjas) Ages 7 and older (Tae Kwon Do) Registration required

Little Ninjas

Location: Harbach Center Recreation Bay		
Date	Time	Fee
Mondays, April 21 – June 2 (No class May 26)		
Mondays, June 9 – July 14	6:00 – 6:30 p.m.	\$35
Mondays, July 21 – August 25		

Tae Kwon Do

Location: Harbach Center Recreation Bay		
Date	Time	Fee
Mondays, April 21 – June 2 (No class May 26)		
Mondays, June 9 – July 14	6:35 – 7:35 p.m.	\$45
Mondays, July 21 – August 25		

Youth Tennis Lessons

Ready to learn the game of tennis? Join us for tennis lessons hosted by Clive Parks & Recreation and Life Time Fitness at the Campbell Park tennis courts! This camp is suitable for beginners and intermediate players. Our experienced instructors will guide you through the fundamentals, including proper technique, footwork, and game rules—all in a fun and supportive environment. Whether you're picking up a racket for the first time or looking to build confidence on the court, this program is perfect for players of all ages. Equipment is provided if needed. Please bring a water bottle daily. Come serve up some fun and improve your skills! For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 6 – 9 and 10 – 14 Registration required

Monday – Wednesday for two consecutive weeks

Location: Campbell Park Tennis Courts			
Ages	Date	Time	Fee
Ages 6 – 9	Session 1	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	\$65
Ages 10 – 14	June 9 – 18	6:30 — 7:30 p.m.	\$65
Ages 6 – 9	Session 2	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	\$65
Ages 10 – 14	June 23 – July 2	6:30 — 7:30 p.m.	\$65
Ages 6 – 9	Session 3	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	\$65
Ages 10 – 14	July 7 – 16	6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	\$65

Slime Extravaganza Camp

Dive into a world of gooey fun and scientific exploration with Slime Extravaganza Camp! This hands-on messy camp allows students to use their creativity by concocting classic stretchy slime, glow-in-the-dark slime, fluffy slime, galaxy slime, and more while learning about the fascinating science behind polymers and non-Newtonian fluids. Join us at camp for colorful concoctions, tactile delights, and a slime-tastic journey of material science. Safety glasses and equipment will be provided for each student during class. For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 5 – 10 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room			
Date Time			
Monday, June 9 – Thursday, June 12	1:00 – 3:30 p.m.	\$150	



Graphic Novel Book Club

Join us for a fun discussion of different graphic novels throughout the year. Books chosen are primarily at a reading level for ages 7 – 10. Every month we will have a new title to discuss over a snack and an activity relating to the book. The group is limited to 10 members, and slots will be given to the first 10 members to check out the book. Call the library to reserve the title. For more information, contact Emily at ellamas@cityofclive.com.

Ages 7 – 10 Open to first 10 members to check out the book

Location: Clive Public Library Storytime Room	
Date	Time
Mondays, April 28, June 23, July 28, August 25 (No meeting in May)	5:00 — 5:45 p.m.

Wizardry Camp

Young wizards will embark on a STEAM STARZ magical adventure,

brewing potions, creating wands, and discovering the science behind their favorite spells. Campers will also enjoy creating and tasting their favorite wizardry-inspired treats. This hands-on camp combines creativity, chemistry, and a dash of magic for an enchanting STEAM experience! For more information, contact Jon at jqibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 6 – 12 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room		
Date	Time	Fee
Monday, June 16 — Thursday, June 19	1:00 — 3:30 p.m.	\$150

Water Wars and Foam Party

Get ready to splash, slide, and soak up the fun at our Water Wars & Foam Party! Kids will dive into exciting water-themed games, high-energy relays, and splash-tastic activities designed to keep them cool and entertained. Race down our slippery Slip 'n' Slides and jump into the ultimate foam-filled fun with TWO foam cannons creating a massive foam pit! Participants may bring their own water toys if desired. Don't miss out on this epic summer event—perfect for kids ready to make a splash! For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 7 – 13 Registration required

Location: Campbell Park-meet at Softball Field Concession stand		
Date	Time	Fee
Thursdays, June 19 & August 7	1:00 – 3:00 p.m.	\$30



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Clive Rangers

Explore the value of nature within your own backyard and the Des Moines metro area! This program features field trips, activities, crafts, guest speakers, and exploration within the Clive Greenbelt area. Travel will be done in City of Clive 15 passenger vans. Participants need to bring sunscreen, insect repellant, water bottle, and comfortable tennis shoes. Old shoes are highly recommended. For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 7 – 12 Registration required



Clive Travelers

Sign your child up for our afternoon field trips! Ride along with Clive Parks and Recreation as we visit different area attractions and activities. Parents will receive a detailed week and trip itinerary one week before the scheduled camp. Participants will need to bring sunscreen, insect repellant, and a water bottle.

Note: Campers are registering for the entire week-long afternoon program. For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 7 – 12 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center Recreation Offices-lower east lot		
Date	Time	Fee
Monday, July 7 – Friday, July 11	1:00 – 4:00 p.m.	\$80

Fun, Sun, and Splash Day Camps

All day, weekly adventure camp! Convenient summer drop-off and pick-up times. Camp registration is done on a weekly basis. Check out our Fun, Sun, and Splash website for more info at https://tinyurl.com/4k7rpk5f. Important: If you plan to register your child for swim lessons at the Clive Aquatic Center, you must do so for the 8:30 a.m. session only in order to attend the FSS daily field trip. Your child will be involved in daily activities, games, arts and crafts, sports, field trips, guest speakers, and movies.

Important update: Due to construction on the Clive Special Events Building, FSS drop-off/pick-up will now be located at the Harbach Center. The facility is a safe location for us to still conduct camp activities when severe weather or extreme heat are forecasted.

A detailed weekly agenda will be emailed to parents prior to the weekend before camp. The agenda includes more specific daily camp details, items needed, and itineraries. Generally speaking, a sack lunch will be needed each day. Our camp "weekly highlights" are typically finalized by the end of April. So please know, if you are reading this information before that date, many more programs and field trips are being finalized. For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com or (515) 867-5091.

Ages 7 – 13 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center	
Date	Time/Fee
Monday, June 2 – Friday, June 6	
Monday, June 9 – Friday, June 13	
Monday, June 16 – Friday, June 20	
Monday, June 23 – Friday, June 27	
Monday, June 30 – Thursday, July 3	7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Monday, July 7 – Friday, July 11	daily
Monday, July 14 – Friday, July 18	¢225
Monday, July 21 – Friday, July 25	\$225
Monday, July 28 – Friday, August 1	
Monday, August 4 – Friday, August 8	
Monday, August 11 – Friday, August 15	
Monday, August 18 – Friday, August 22	



Minecraft Olympics

The "Minecraft Olympics" is a dynamic three-day summer camp designed to immerse participants in the thrilling world of Minecraft while fostering teamwork, creativity, and friendly competition. Campers will engage in daily Build Battles, showcasing their imaginative prowess in constructing awe-inspiring structures aligned with diverse themes. Through this immersive experience, participants not only deepen their understanding of Minecraft's gameplay but also cultivate camaraderie and problem-solving skills in a fun and supportive environment. The "Minecraft Olympics" promises a thrilling adventure for campers seeking to combine their love for Minecraft with a collaborative team experience that students won't soon forget. Class instructed by COR Robotics. For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Grades 3 – 8 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room		
Date	Time	Fee
Tuesday, June 17 — Thursday, June 19	9:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.	\$90

Break It & Build It Camp

Junior engineers will have the opportunity to dismantle gadgets such as computers, phones, and robots to uncover their inner workings and circuitry. Through the hands-on activities and guided sessions, campers will learn basic engineering concepts and foster problem-solving skills while deconstructing a variety of objects. By understanding how technology functions, they will cultivate a deeper appreciation for innovation and creativity. *Safety Note: Students will be using basic tools to disassemble the gadgets. Safety glasses and equipment will be provided for campers. For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 6 – 12 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center Recreation Bay/Community Room		
Date	Time	Fee
Monday, June 23 – Thursday, June 26	1:00 - 3:30 p.m.	\$160

Epic Explosions Camp

This is sure to be a thriller! Students will learn about the fascinating world of chemical reactions through a series of hands-on experiments that are nothing short of explosive! Brace yourself

for the magic of Elephant Toothpaste, baking soda and vinegar reactions among other awe-inspiring experiments. Join the epic

fun and learn just how cool science can be! *Safety Note: Safety glasses and equipment will be provided for each student during class. For more



information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 5 – 10 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room		
Date	Time	Fee
Monday, June 30 – Thursday, July 3	1:00 – 3:30 p.m.	\$150

Dinosaur Discovery Camp

Dinosaur Discovery Camp takes paleontologists on an exciting journey into the prehistoric world as they dig for fossils, identify dinosaur species, and build their own erupting volcano models. Through hands-on activities like creating dino tracks, assembling skeleton puzzles, and exploring the science behind fossils, students will uncover the mysteries of these ancient creatures! For more information, contact Jon at jqibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 4 – 10 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room		
Date	Time	Fee
Monday, July 7 – Thursday, July 10	1:00 - 3:30 p.m.	\$150

Intro to Digital Art

Dive into the captivating world of creativity and technology at our Intro to Digital Art summer camp! This immersive three-day program combines hands-on learning with engaging digital tools, offering a dynamic journey into digital art. Students will explore the fundamentals of digital drawing and apply what they learn to an exciting real world application. Through a partnership with No Grit No Pearl, students will be able to get their favorite design printed on a canvas or t-shirt which will get shipped to their house after the camp. Intro to Digital Art is the perfect blend of fun, skill development, and boundless imagination, providing young artists with the tools and confidence to bring their visions to life. Class instructed by COR Robotics. For more information, contact Jon at Intro to Digital Art continued on next page

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Grades 3 – 9
Registration required

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Location: Harbach Center Community Room		
Date	Time	Fee
Tuesday, July 15 — Thursday, July 17	1:00 — 4:00 p.m.	\$110

▶ Robot Explorers: Code & Create

Coders will dive into the world of robotics and coding through fun, interactive activities. Students will learn about the basics of coding, how robots function, and the ways



they can assist in everyday tasks. Using Dash, Ozobot, Beebot, and more, students will navigate their robots through obstacle courses, mazes, and robot battles all while using problem-solving and team skills. For more information, contact Jon at jqibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 5 – 10 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room		
Date	Time	Fee
Monday, August 4 – Thursday, August 7	1:00 – 3:30 p.m.	\$150

Swiftie BINGO

Join us for an enchanted afternoon of BINGO (Taylor's Version). We will have friendship bracelet making and trading before BINGO begins. For more information, contact Emily at ellamas@cityofclive.com.

Ages 9 – 18 No Registration Required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room		
Date	Time	
Friday, June 13	2:00 — 2:45 p.m. or 3:00 — 3:45 p.m.	

▶ BeTWEEN the Pages

Tweens, join us for a fun discussion of different middle-grade titles. Book Club group members will select upcoming titles. Every month, we will have a new title to discuss over a snack and an

activity related to the book. The group is limited to 10 members, and slots will be given to the first 10 members to check out the book. Call the library to reserve the title. For more information or to register, contact staff at staff@cityofclive.com.

Ages 9 – 12 Registration required

Location: Clive Public Library Storytime Room		
Date	Time	
Mondays, April 14, May 12* , June 9, July 14 (No meeting in August)	5:00 – 5:45 p.m.	

*May 12 session will be held at the Harbach Center

Family Escape Rooms: Escape From Family Game Night

Welcome to Game Night! Tonight, we're going to test your gameplaying skills. There are some elements from classic games that you think you know or have heard about...but don't get too confident; this is a whole new game. The rules are simple: work together to open the locked boxes before the clock runs out, or else it's game over!

Escape rooms are a great way for children to learn creative problem-solving skills and create bonding moments and wonderful experiences for all ages. Escape room puzzles are geared toward upper elementary students, but with adult assistance, they could be completed by Kindergartners. See if your family has what it takes to solve the problems and unlock the locks before time runs out. For more information, contact Dee at dshalondeur@cityofclive.com.

Families with children of various ages Registration required

Location: Clive Public Library Storytime Room		
Date	Time Slots	
Thursday, June 12	4:00 – 4:45 p.m. 5:00 – 5:45 p.m. 6:00 – 6:45 p.m. 7:00 – 7:45 p.m.	
Saturday, June 14	9:30 – 10:15 a.m. 10:30 – 11:15 am. 2:00 – 2:45 p.m. 3:00 – 3:45 p.m. 4:00 – 4:45 p.m.	

Family Escape Rooms: Great American Road Trip

Road trip!!! Our bags are packed and we are ready to go! We will be visiting five different locations on our Great American Road

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Trip. But, wait — where did I put my wallet? It has our money and national park pass. We can't leave without it!

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Families with children of various ages Registration required

Location: Clive Public Library Storytime Room		
Date	Time Slots	
Thursday, July 17	4:00 – 4:45 p.m. 5:00 – 5:45 p.m. 6:00 – 6:45 p.m. 7:00 – 7:45 p.m.	
Sunday, July 20	1:15 — 2:00 p.m. 2:15 — 3:00 p.m. 3:15 — 4:00 p.m. 4:15 — 5:00 p.m.	

Drone Racing

Students will learn how to fly like the pros in the Drone Racing League by training on a flight simulator. Once they learn the

basics of flying, they will assemble their very own drone which they will get to keep after the camp for an additional fee. After learning drone safety and maintenance, students will take their drone to the skies and compete in numerous races and challenges. Led by



experienced instructors, students will leave camp with the skills and knowledge to pilot their drones and keep them running. The drones used in camps have cameras, and are perfect for entry-level pilots. For more information, contact Jon at jqibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 8 – 14 Registration required

Location: Harbach	Center Community	/ Room
Date	Time	Fee*
Tuesday, July 15 — Thursday, July 17	9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	\$90 / \$140

*90 without drone (drones are supplied by instructor) or \$140 if you want to keep the drone after camp.

Canoeing with Clive

Come canoeing with us! Your child will join Clive Parks and Recreation staff for a day on the water as we travel to Seven Oaks Recreation Area in Boone, Iowa. The trip is intended for beginner paddlers, but waters may be challenging, and students will need to paddle consistently for periods of 20 – 30 minutes at a time without breaks. Life jackets are provided and will be required when on, or near, water. Participants will be paired with another youth paddler (two children per canoe). Clive staff will also be in separate canoes to assist participants. We prefer participants have passed an American Red Cross Level 3 swim lesson or higher to participate. Children are welcome to register for both trips, but both trips will be exactly the same. Please pack a sack lunch and bring sunscreen and a water bottle! An email & text message will

be sent to parents at least two days prior to trip date with more

specific trip information and items needed. For more information,

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Ages 10 – 15 Registration required

contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Location: Meet at Harbach Center to travel to Seven Oaks Recreation Area, Boone		
Date	Time	Fee
Tuesday, June 24	8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	\$65
Tuesday, August 5	8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	\$65

▶ Roller Coaster Creators

Roller Coaster Creators invites students to design, build, and test their own roller coasters while learning about the physics of motion and energy. Participants will explore the science behind

thrilling rides and discover what makes coasters fast, fun, and safe! For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive. com.



Ages 6 – 12 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center	Community Room	
Date	Time	Fee
Monday, July 28 — Thursday, July 31	1:00 – 3:30 p.m.	\$150

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Astronomy Adventures Camp

Blast off on an astronomical journey like never before with "Astronomy Adventures." In this introductory astronomy camp, participants will be guided through the basics of stargazing, planet identification, and cosmic phenomena through hands-on STEAM activities while having the unique opportunity to learn from a NASA Ambassador. Secure your spot aboard the STEAM STARZ Voyager for an up-close exploration of the vast universe that surrounds us! For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 5 – 10 Registration required

Location: Harbach Center	Community Room	
Date	Time	Fee
Monday, July 21 — Thursday, July 24	1:00 – 3:30 p.m.	\$150





Performance Tennis

Take your game to the next level with intermediate to advanced tennis lessons hosted by Life Time Fitness at the Campbell Park tennis courts! Designed for players with prior experience, these sessions focus on refining techniques, enhancing strategy, and improving overall performance. Our skilled instructors will provide personalized coaching on stroke development, footwork, and match play tactics to help you compete with confidence. Players must be able to sustain a rally. Whether you're looking to sharpen your skills or prepare for competitive play, this program is perfect for dedicated players ready to elevate their game. For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com.

Ages 12 – 19 Registration required

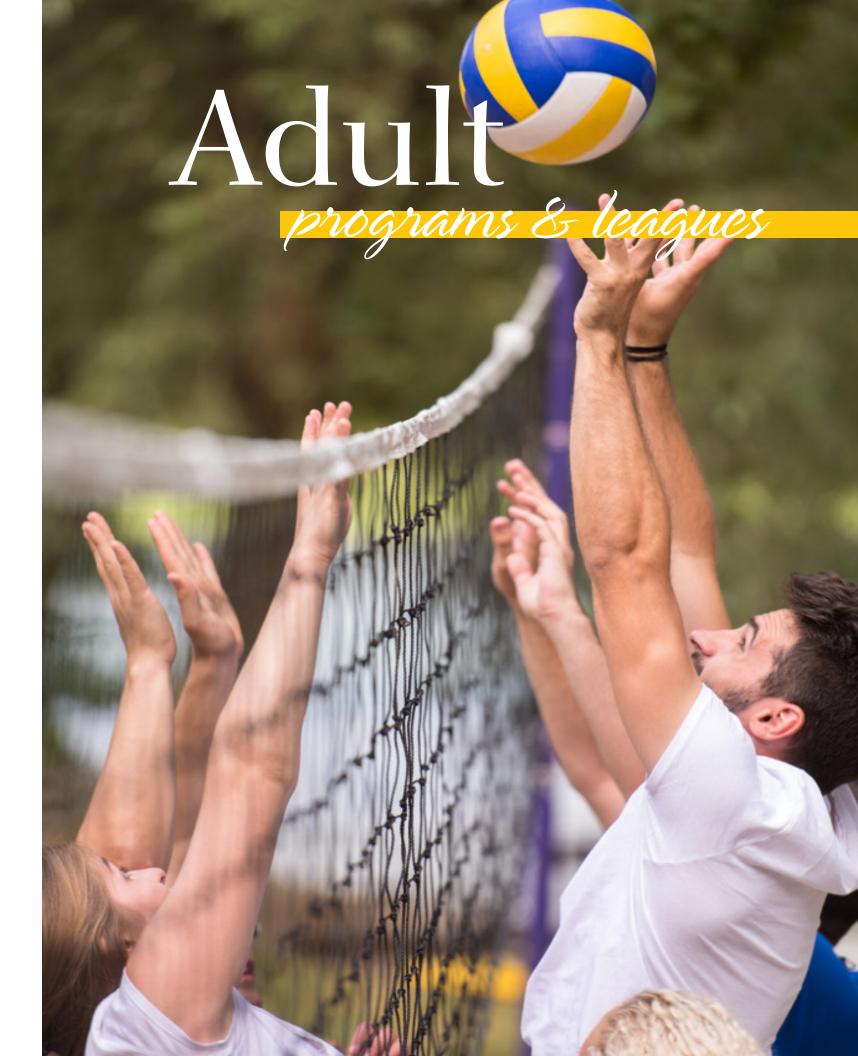
Location: Campbell Park Tennis Courts		
Date	Time	Fee
Tuesdays, June 10 – July 1	7:30 – 9:00 p.m.	\$125
Tuesdays, July 8 – 29	7:30 – 9:00 p.m.	\$125

The Clive Public Library Main Branch will have an extended closure for construction in May 2025. During this time, the Harbach Public Library will remain open to ensure continued access to library services. All programs during the closure will be held at the Harbach Center.

Due to the nature of ongoing renovations, program locations and times may change periodically. We will notify patrons of any updates via our social media pages and keep the online calendar current.



For the most up-to-date information on program times and locations, please refer to our online calendar at https://tinyurl.com/3sz-k9nn4 or by scanning the QR code.



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> 2025 Reading Challenge for Adults

Do you love reading? Do you like to get outside your comfort zone? The 2025 reading challenge is available now, and there is still time to join the fun! The challenge form may be picked up at the library or is available for download on our website at https://tinyurl.com/6yrbr6vc. This challenge is fun, easy, and will keep you reading all year long. All entries are due by December 31. Did we mention that there is a fabulous prize basket for one lucky winner? If you have questions or need help, rest assured, Stephanie is here to assist. You can reach her at skeller@cityofclive.com.

Ages 19 and older No registration required

Adult Summer Reading

Need some inspiration to fill out your summer reading list? Join us for some reading fun in our annual summer reading challenge. Summer reading forms will be available for pickup at both of our library locations or may be downloaded from our website. Complete the reading challenges to be entered in our end of summer drawing. Complete mini challenges to be entered in our monthly bonus drawings! For more information, contact Patty at pnapier@cityofclive.com or Teri at tnelson@cityofclive.com.

Ages 19 and older
June 1 – August 31
Registration required

"Book" a Librarian

Do you need a little one-on-one time with the library staff? Want to browse virtually by Zoom? Just have a few questions about library-related services? Our Book a Librarian service allows you to spend up to 30 minutes with a staff member who can offer assistance tailored to your needs. We can help with technology issues, library services, and more. To set up a convenient time to meet with a librarian, email staff@cityofclive.com or call the library at (515) 453-2221.

All ages Contact the library

Bucket List Book Club

Here's your chance to read and discuss some of the "100 books to read before you die!" Sadie is excited to host this book club offering great conversation about some of the books you've always meant to read. The group meets the second Wednesday of each month. For more information, contact staff@cityofclive.com.

Ages 19 and older No registration required

Location: Harbach Cente	r Community Room	
Date	Book Selection	Time
Wednesday, April 2	<i>Walden</i> by Henry David Thoreau	6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, May 14	<i>Watership Down</i> by Richard Adams	6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, June 4	<i>The Hobbit</i> by JRR Tolkien	6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, June 25	A Prayer for Owen Meany by John Irving	6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, July 9	<i>The Heart is a Lonely Hunter</i> by Carson Mc- Cullers	6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, August 13	All the King's Men by Robert Penn Warren	6:30 p.m.

Mystery Book Club

Are you dying to find new mystery books? Join us each month as we read books from a variety of mystery authors. Will we be thrilled and chilled and breathlessly awaiting the next book or looking for another murderer's story? Let's discuss it! Check our website for future reads. For more information or to participate, contact Patty at pnapier@cityofclive.com.

Ages 19 and older No registration required

Location: Clive Public Library Storytime Room		
Date	Book Selection	Time
Monday, April 21	All Her Little Secrets by Wanda Morris	6:30 p.m.
Monday, May 19*	The Only One Left by Riley Sager	6:30 p.m.
*Location change:	Harbach Library Study	Room
Monday, June 16	We Begin at the End by Chris Whitaker	6:30 p.m.
Monday, July 14	<i>Over My Dead Body</i> by Maz Evans	6:30 p.m.
Monday, August 18	First Lie Wins by Ashley Elston	6:30 p.m.

Spark: A Writers' Group

Writers submit draft pages (fiction, essay, poetry, short story, and children's stories) for feedback. Individuals have 10-15 minutes to receive feedback and to talk about their work. Our purpose is to meet, share, converse, and give feedback in the time allotted. Drop-ins welcome. For more information and to participate,

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Ages 19 and older No registration required

Location: Clive Public Library Storytime Room			
Date	Time		
Saturdays, April 5, May 3, June 28, July 26, August 23	2:00 – 4:00 p.m.		

Romance Book Club

Calling all lovers of romance! Join us for all things romance-related from the sweet to the scandalous. We discuss books, movies, apps, and anything in the romance genre. Do you have a great author to recommend to the group? Did you just see a fantastic film? This is your relaxed atmosphere to share and get ideas to feed your romance addiction. For more information and to receive the Zoom link to participate, contact Stephanie at skeller@cityofclive.com.

Ages 19 and older No registration required

Location: Virtual via Zoom	
Date	Time
Saturdays, April 5, June 14, August 23	10:00 a.m.



Clive Book Club

The Clive Book Club invites adults to join this interesting and thought-provoking reading group. Members vote for and discuss the selected titles, with impressions and opinions welcome from all. Anyone interested may attend either or both monthly gatherings, and there is no cost to participate. This is a wonderful way to connect with other readers in the area. Check our website for future reads. For more information or to participate, contact Teri at tnelson@cityofclive.com.

Ages 19 and older No registration required

Locations: 2:00 p.m. Harbach Center Community Room 6:30 p.m. Clive Public Library									
Date	Book Selection	Time							
Tuesday, April 29	<i>Born Standing Up</i> by Steve Martin	2:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.							
Tuesday, May 27*	After Annie by Anna Quindlen	2:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.							
*Both sessions in the I	Harbach Center Commun	ity Room							
Tuesday, June 24	James by Percival Everett	2:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.							
Tuesday, July 29	Title coming soon	2:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.							
Tuesday, August 26	Title coming soon	2:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.							

Let's Play Mah Jongg

Are you a beginning Mah Jongg enthusiast looking for a chance to play? This is a group for people who know how to play the game, so we are not currently offering instruction. We have game sets available. Please bring a copy of the 2025 Official Standard Hands and Rules form from the National Mah Jongg League https://www.nationalmahjonggleague.org/. For more information, contact Patty at pnapier@cityofclive.com.

Ages 19 and older No registration required

Location: Clive Public Library Storytime Room May sessions in Harbach Library Study Room								
Date	Time							
Mondays, March 31 — August 25 (No session May 26)	10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.							
Thursdays, April 3 – August 28	12:30 – 2:30 p.m.							

Partner Portraits

Grab a partner and come for a creatively good time of painting each other's portraits. No artistic talent required! We'll supply the canvas, brushes, and paints, and you can even bring a single serve adult beverage if you like. We won't have smocks to protect your clothes, so wear something you don't mind possibly getting a little paint on. Contact tnelson@cityofclive.com with questions.

Ages 19 and older Registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room							
Date	Time						
Tuesday, April 8	6:00 — 7:30 p.m.						

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English Language Lessons at Harbach Center

Join us for English language lessons for adults. These classes are for any level of adult learner. The Clive Public Library, West Des Moines Community School District, and Clive Community Services are sponsoring these free classes. We're meeting twice a week at the Harbach Community Center. Drop in! For more information, contact Patty at pnapier@cityofclive.com or call (515) 453-2221.

Ages 19 and older No registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room							
Date Time							
Mondays and Wednesdays, March 31 – May 28*	1:00 — 2:30 p.m.						

^{*}No class on Monday, May 26. There will be a break for June and July. Classes will resume Monday, August 25.

Bingo for Seniors

Bingo! Join us for an afternoon of fun. We're hosting a low-key, free monthly Bingo session the second Tuesday of the month at the Harbach Center. Who knows what little prizes and snacks will show up? Bring



a friend and join in the excitement. For more information, contact Teri at tnelson@cityofclive.com or Patty at pnapier@cityofclive.com.

Ages 19 and older No registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room								
Date	Time							
Tuesdays, April 8, May 13, June 10, July 8, August 12	1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.							

Clive Library Creations

Join us every month for a chance to try something new. Each month, our creative crafting team will be dreaming up an activity for you to enjoy and explore. Stay tuned to our calendar, newsletters, and social media for monthly details. Registration may be required for the in-person classes. For more information, contact staff@cityofclive.com.

Ages 19 and older Stay tuned to our library calendar, newsletters and social media for details each month

April Project: Take and Make Woven Rugs

Kits may be picked up at the Clive Public Library or Harbach Library (inquire at the front desk) While supplies last

Come to the library starting April 1 to pick up this month's take and make project. We'll have materials to create woven rugs. While supplies last and no holds allowed. Available at both Clive and Harbach locations. For more information, contact staff@cityofclive.com.

May Class: Macrame Hanging Pots

Harbach Community Room Saturday, May 17, 10:00 a.m. Registration required

Calling all crafty plant lovers: this is the class for you! Deb Reed will be joining us to teach how to make a macrame pot hanger that you can take home and enjoy. Registration is required for supplies and space is limited, so claim your spot today. For more information, contact staff@cityofclive.com.

June Project: Take and Make Ice Cream Cone Art

Kits may be picked up at the Clive Public Library or Harbach Library (inquire at the front desk) While supplies last

Come to the library starting June 1 to pick up this month's take and make project. We'll be making pom-pom ice cream cone art! While supplies last and no holds allowed. Available at both Clive and Harbach locations. For more information. contact staff@cityofclive.com.

July Project: Take and Make Sand Painting

Kits may be picked up at the Clive Public Library or Harbach Library (inquire at the front desk) While supplies last

Come to the library starting July 1 to pick up this month's take and make project. We'll be making sand art paintings! While supplies last and no holds allowed. Available at both Clive and Harbach locations. For more information. contact staff@cityofclive.com.

August Project: Take and Make Secret Compartment Books

Kits may be picked up at the Clive Public Library or Harbach Library (inquire at the front desk) While supplies last

Come to the library starting August 1 to pick up this month's take

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Let's Plant a Tree!

Have you ever wanted to select a new tree to plant on your own?

This can be a daunting endeavor if you're not sure you're making the right decision. Melissa Burdick, Executive Director at The Brenton Arboretum, is



joining us again to help shed some light on how to choose and properly plant your new tree. We will begin the class inside the Harbach Center, and then she will demonstrate how to plant an actual new tree on the Harbach property. Come with your questions for Melissa as she is a pro! For more information, contact Teri at tnelson@cityofclive.com.

Ages 19 and older Registration required

Location: Harbach Center Community Room							
Date Time							
Tuesday, May 13	6:00 – 7:00 p.m.						

Adult Softball Leagues

Get your team organized and step up to the plate for our upcoming softball leagues! We offer a variety of league levels and nights of play for men's and coed teams. 10-game regular seasons plus season-ending tournaments for spring, summer, and fall seasons. For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com or (515) 867-5091.

C1 Teams – Competitive, experienced teams. Most teams in C1 have played for at least two seasons together. In many cases, teams have played together more than two years. Some, not all teams, may play weekend tournaments together or have multiple tournament players.

C2 Teams — Recreational, more relaxed league play. Sometimes new teams and/or college-aged teams that are getting a team together for the summer. C2 league play may be referred to as "beer league." Can still be competitive, but not worried about game scores and league standings.

Ages 18 and older

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday Leagues

<u>Spring season</u> – play begins week of April 28

<u>Summer season</u> – play begins week of June 10

<u>Fall season</u> – play begins week of July 22

Team registration required. Registration deadline varies by season (21 days prior to league start dates).

Location: Campbell Park Softball Fields										
League Night	League Type	Level of Play	Starting Time	Fee Pre-tax*						
Monday	Men's	C1 and C2	6:15 p.m.	\$445						
Tuesday	Men's	C1 and C2	6:15 p.m.	\$445						
Wednesday	Coed	C2	6:15 p.m.	\$445						
Thursday	Men's	C1 and C2	6:15 p.m.	\$445						

^{*}Fee is subject to 7% sales tax and non-resident player fees

Adult Sand Volleyball Leagues

Serve up fun and competition with Clive Parks & Recreation's Adult Volleyball Leagues! Open to players 18 and older, our leagues offer exciting matches in a fun, social environment. Seasons are 7 weeks in length, including 7 matches (one doubleheader) and a season-ending tournament. Separate nights of league play are offered, on either Tuesday or Thursday evenings in the spring and fall seasons, or Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday evenings in the summer season. All skill levels are welcome — grab your team and register today! For more information, contact Jon at jgibbs@cityofclive.com or (515) 867-5091.

Ages 18 and older

Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday Leagues

<u>Spring season</u> – play begins week of May 6

<u>Summer season</u> – play begins week of June 24

<u>Fall Season</u> – play begins week of August 12

Team registration required. Registration deadline varies by season (21 days prior to league start dates)

Location: Campbell Park Sand Volleyball Courts										
Season	League Night	Starting Time	Fee Pre-tax*							
Spring	Tuesday	6:15 p.m.	\$190							
Spring	Thursday	6:15 p.m.	\$190							
Summer	Tuesday	6:15 p.m.	\$190							
Summer	Wednesday	6:15 p.m.	\$190							
Summer	Thursday	6:15 p.m.	\$190							
Fall	Tuesday	6:15 p.m.	\$190							
Fall	Thursday	6:15 p.m.	\$190							
*Fee is subject to 7% sales tax										

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Clive Public Library

MAIN LIBRARY INFORMATION

1900 NW 114th St., Clive (515) 453-2221 cityofclive.com/library

Hours

Mon – Thurs: 9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Saturday: 9:00 a.m. − 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. (We offer curbside pickup during library hours.)

HARBACH PUBLIC LIBRARY **INFORMATION**

8505 Harbach Blvd., Clive harbachcenter@cityofclive.com

Hours

Mon – Tues: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Wednesday: 3:00 - 7:00 p.m.Thurs - Fri: 2:00 - 6:00 p.m. Saturday: 10:00 a.m. − 2:00 p.m. Sunday: Closed



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The library offers items and services for all ages including books, periodicals, audio books, ebooks, DVDs, information services, online resources, book discussions, children's programs, and much more!

Get the Clive Library app for your mobile device. Visit your app store and download today!

▶ Digital Media

Libby

Using the Libby app, you can check out books from an online collection of fiction and non-fiction books, including books for children and teens. Clive residents can check out up to five books at a time using their Clive library card. No need to worry about late fees, because the books will automatically "expire" on your device. (Clive residents only.)

hoopla

hoopla is a hoopia groundbreaking digital media

service that allows you to borrow movies, music, audiobooks, eBooks, comics and TV shows to enjoy on your computer, tablet, or phone—and even your TV! With no waiting, titles can be streamed immediately, or downloaded for offline enjoyment later. Download the hoopla app from your app store and sign in with your Clive library card. (Clive residents only.)

Mango

Mango empowers you to communicate with confidence, preparing you for uncharted experience with language and culture.

NoveList Plus and NoveList K – 8 Plus

Novelist Plus is a database of book recommendations. Our expertise and passion for books and reading means you'll always be able to find the best book.

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Scholastic Bookflix

Learning to Read, then Reading to

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Learn: Animated classic storybooks introduce early learners to the delights of reading while sparking curiosity, creating a natural springboard into the paired nonfiction text for deeper discovery.

Scholastic Teachables

Independent activities keep kids learning.

SCHOLASTIC **Teachables**

Check out more than books

You can check out lots of media from the library, but did you know you can also check out or book:

Mobile Hotspots Study Rooms Meeting Rooms A Librarian

Visit cityofclive.com/library or call (515) 453-2221 to learn more.



▶ Iowa Libraries Adventure **Pass**

The Adventure Pass allows Clive residents to "check-out" experiences in lowa, giving you free passes to local attractions like the zoo and museums. Passes must be used on the reserved date only and admit up to two adults and two children. For more information, contact the Clive Public Library.

LEISURE SERVICES INFORMATION



Parks and Recreation

PARKS AND RECREATION INFORMATION

8505 Harbach Blvd., Clive (515) 223-5246 cityofclive.com/parkandrecreation

The Parks and Recreation offices are located in the lower level of the Harbach Center through the summer of 2025 while the main branch is under construction.

Office Hours

Monday — Friday: 8:00 a.m. — 4:30 p.m.

The Parks and Recreation
Department maintains 16 parks,
the Greenbelt Park and Trail and
the Clive Aquatic Center. City
park land totals nearly 350 acres
and includes approximately nine
miles of multi-purpose recreation
trails. The Department also plans
and manages a wide range of
recreation programs and leagues
for all ages from toddlers to active
older adults.

▶ Facility Rentals

Clive has a variety of facilities available for rent (see list below). To learn more about each facility and get rates, visit **cityofclive.com** or check rental availability at **cityofclive.activityreg.com**.

FACILITY RENTALS								
Facility	Capacity	Details						
Clive Special Events Building (closed for renovation in 2025)	100 – 150	 Next to Aquatic Center Includes tables, chairs, and kitchen Public WiFi, no projector or screen 						
Aquatic Center	Varies	 June and July only Rent leisure pool, lap pool, 2-pool comboor entire facility. 						
Campbell Softball Fields and Sand Volleyball Courts	Varies	Lighted fields/courtsGreat for team practices or tournaments						
Outdoor Shelters Campbell Park Country Club Glen Park Linnan Park Greenbelt Park	40 – 60	 Great for family and group events Picnic tables and grills Close to restrooms and playgrounds 						
Harbach Center Community Room	30 – 35	 Perfect for small meetings and events Public WiFi, projector and screen Includes tables, chairs, sink, microwave, and refrigerator 						
Harbach Center Recreation Bay	100	 Two 10' basketball hoops and two smaller adjustable basketball hoops on concrete Ping pong table and pickleball court Public WiFi 						

CLIVE PARKS	Acres (Approximate)	Backstop	Basketball Courts	Grills	Gazebo	Play Fields/Soccer	Parking Lot	Pickleball Courts	Picnic Tables	Play Equipment Areas	Restrooms (Seasonal)	Sand Volleyball Courts	Shelter	Softball Fields	Tennis Courts	Walking Trail	Additional Info
Campbell Recreation Area 12385 Woodlands Parkway	34	•	1	•	•	•	•	1	•	3	•	2	•	3	3		Easy access to the Greenbelt Trail
Canary Park 3600 Berkshire Parkway	3.2								•	1			•			•	Rain Garden
Cirksena Park 3575 Westgate Parkway	4.6								•	1			•			•	Pond
Country Club Glen Park 16335 Sheridan Avenue	15		1	•		•	•		•	2	•		•			•	Seasonal soccer nets, loop trail in park
Greenbelt Park and Trail 10490 Maddox Parkway	300	•		•			•		•	2	•		•	•		•	10+ miles of trail throughout city
Greenbelt Park @ 86th Street 86th Street and University	2						•		•							•	Easy access to the Greenbelt Trail
George Lundberg Park 1450 NW 78th Street	2		1/2	1	•		•		•	1						•	Loop trail in park
Huntington Ridge Park 1400 NW 131st Street	.75		1			•			•	1							
Karp Park 1500 NW 109th Street	2		1/2	•	•				•	1							Trail connection to Aquatic Center
Linnan Park 8500 Alice Avenue	3	•	1	•		•	•		•	1	•		•				2 mini-pitch courts
Lions Park 15880 Wildwood Drive	3		1		•	•	•		•	1	•				1	•	
Rio Valley Park 1743 Rio Valley Drive	1					•			•	1							
Stonegate Park 15280 Boston Parkway	7.5	•	1	•		•	•		•	1	•		•			•	3 miniature golf holes, loop trail in park
Swanson Memorial Park 8641 Swanson Boulevard	.5						•		•								Railroad depot and caboose
Walnut Ridge Park 10700 Elmcrest Drive	.5								•	1					1		
Wellington Ridge Park 1400 NW 123rd Street	.5																Interpretive signs iden- tifying various plants
Westview Bend Park 1836 NW 90th Street	.25									1							
Wildwood Park 15166 Wildwood Drive	4		1/2			•	•	4	•	1	•		•			•	Seasonal soccer nets

LEISURE SERVICES INFORMATION

Fishing in Clive

The following areas are open for fishing:

Walnut Ridge Pond

Clive Aquatic Center 1801 NW 114th Street

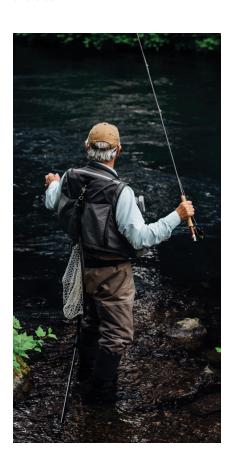
Shuler Pond

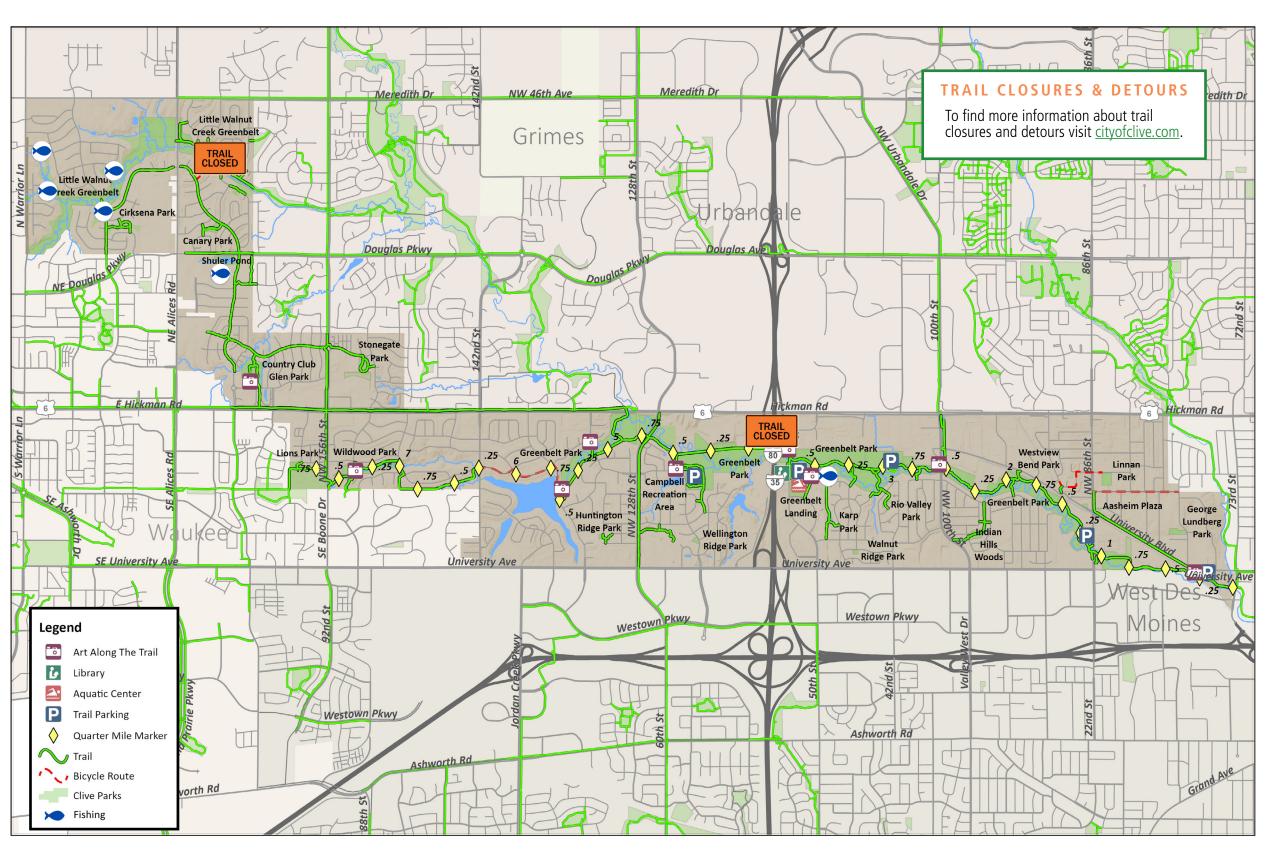
West of Shuler Elementary 16400 Douglas Parkway

Shadow Creek PondWestgate Parkway and Berkshire Parkway

Walnut Creek

Throughout the Greenbelt
The three ponds are stocked with bluegill, crappie, channel catfish, and largemouth bass. Please follow lowa fishing regulations. A license is required if aged 16 and older.





* Click Here to Register!

Or visit cityofclive.activityreg.com.

Sign up for an account and register programs. Registration begins **Tuesday, March 25 at 9:00 a.m.** for Clive residents and **Tuesday, April 1 at 9:00 a.m.** for non-residents. If you have questions about a specific program, please reference the email given in the individual program listings.

Registration Deadline

Seven days prior to program start date unless otherwise noted.

Refund Policy

Program credits will be given as long as the request is made before the program registration deadline date. Any time after that date, credits will only be issued with a written medical excuse. This policy does not apply to travel programs and adult sports leagues.

Change/cancellation Fee

A fee of \$5 will be charged for each registration changed or canceled after participants are enrolled. Changes must be made seven days prior to the program start date.

Program Cancellation

Parks and Recreation reserves the right to cancel a program that does not meet participant minimum requirements. A refund will be given.

Cancellation Line

The Cancellation Line provides status of any recreation program or league game cancellations due to weather or other circumstances. Please call (515) 830-1234 for updates.

Accommodations

It is the responsibility of the individual who requires accommodations to inform the Park and Recreation Department at least 48 hours in advance to allow full participation in an activity. Participants needing accommodations are encouraged to request them when they submit their registration. Please call (515) 223-5246 to request accommodations.

