

# YOUR PARKS

## Independence Township Parks and Facilities

Independence Township operates 227 acres of parkland between five locations which affords many recreation opportunities. All parks are free to enter, however user fees exist for some amenities.

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### Clintonwood Park

6000 CLARKSTON ROAD, CLARKSTON, MI 48348

**FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT CLINTONWOOD PARK CALL (248) 625-8223  
SENIOR COMMUNITY CENTER & CARRIAGE HOUSE (248) 625-8231**

Clintonwood is an active park consisting of 120 acres. It backs up to Independence Oaks, an Oakland County Park. The park features a walking trail (9/10 of a mile), a multi sports pad, a children's size 4-square and mini basketball pad, 3 NEW full-sized tennis courts & 4 NEW youth tennis courts, 4 NEW pickleball courts, 4 sand volleyball courts, the Renee Przybylski Spraypark Memorial (open Memorial Day—Labor Day), 4 baseball fields, 3 softball fields (2 lighted), 4 soccer fields, 1 playground and 2 picnic pavilions. All baseball, softball and soccer fields are for reservation and league play only. There is also a large open space area with 3 grills. Handicap parking is available throughout the Park. All restrooms are handicap accessible and accessible picnic tables are also located throughout the park. The Spraypark is handicap accessible. All fields and courts are accessible; however Field #3 and some soccer fields do not have paved pathways.



#### CLINTONWOOD PARK RENTAL FACILITIES:

- **North Shelter:** Seating for approximately 50 people.
- **South Pavilion (with grill):** Seating for approximately 125 people.
- **The Senior Community Center, the Carriage House, and Bartsch Hall** are located in Clintonwood Park. The Senior Community Center offers sports, trips, classes and activities to adults 50 & over. Services include: Thursday lunches, 'Meals On Wheels' deliveries for homebound seniors, transportation for residents of Clarkston, Independence and Springfield Townships.

The Senior Community Center is open Monday—Friday, 8am—5pm, closed on Holidays.

The Senior Community Center, including Bartsch Hall and the Carriage House are accessible, have Handicap Parking and accessible Restroom facilities. The Carriage House has a warming kitchen available during rentals. Our Senior Community Center has expanded, offering the Bartsch Hall for community use. For Senior Center Membership, Senior Community Center rental or Carriage House rental information, contact the Senior Community Center at (248) 625-8231.

#### SENIOR COMMUNITY CENTER RENTAL FACILITIES:

**FOR MORE DETAILED INFORMATION, SEE PAGE 6**

- **Carriage House:** Capacity & seating for approximately 70 people. Rental Hours: Monday—Friday 9am—9pm, Weekends 9am—10pm
- **Bartsch Hall:** Capacity & seating for approximately 100 people. Rental Hours: Monday—Friday 9am—9pm, Weekends 9am—10pm. Includes access to full kitchen.

#### RENEE PRZYBYLSKI SPRAYPARK

Built in memory of Renee, one of the best Day Camp Counselors in the history of Independence Township Parks, Recreation & Seniors.

- Opens the Saturday of Memorial Day weekend and closes on Labor Day.

Children under 12 must be supervised by an adult. More information found on page 8.



# Bay Court Park

6970 ANDERSONVILLE ROAD, CLARKSTON, MI 48346  
FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT BAY COURT PARK (248) 625-8223

Bay Court Park is a wonderful historic landmark featuring a community built playground, a walking trail (1/4 mile), a 9 hole disc golf course, 2 picnic shelters, 1 gazebo, an indoor room with warming kitchen and restroom facilities.

## BAY COURT BEACH

Bay Court Park is home to a small picturesque beach on Greens Lake. This Beach is a SWIM AT YOUR OWN RISK Beach and is open Memorial Day to Labor Day during normal park hours. There is no charge to use the Beach.



## RYAN SCHMIDT MEMORIAL DISC GOLF COURSE

The Disc Golf Course is open seven days a week during normal park hours (weather and facility permitting.) Vending machines are available outside of the Lakeview Room building. Admission is free. Donations are accepted.



## DRIFTWOOD CREEK DISC GOLF LEAGUE

Sundays, 9-11 am

18 hole, random draw doubles.

\$5 to play in league per day

For more information visit:

[www.facebook.com/driftwoodcreekdiscgolf](http://www.facebook.com/driftwoodcreekdiscgolf)



## HISTORIC BRADY LODGE

Brady Lodge was built by George Nexsen Brady in 1921 and he founded Camp Brady. Once established, the camp was run by the Detroit Area Council of Boys Scouts of America through the 1940s. For the next 30 years, the property accommodated a recreational camp for mothers and children run by the District of Nursing Society. In 1972, it was leased to yet another group serving underprivileged youth and children with disabilities.

Brady Lodge recently underwent a major facelift. Renovations have included a new roof, bell tower, windows and glass cargo bays, interior and exterior paint, asphalt driveway and parking lot and a new electrical system. Renovations are ongoing.

ALL Bay Court amenities are handicap accessible, including the Beach Front; however the Disc Golf Course and Walking Trail are located on rough terrain. Handicap parking is available at the indoor room and playground.

To learn more about Brady Lodge, or for information regarding renting this space for your next event, call Derek Smith, Director of Parks, Recreation & Seniors at 248-625-8223.

## BAY COURT PARK RENTAL FACILITIES:

- **Lakeside Pavilion (with grill):** Seating for approximately 40 people NOTE: This pavilion has no direct lake access.
- **Cedar Grove Pavilion (with grill):** Seating for approximately 125 people
- **Gazebo:** Bench seating for 12, perfect for an outdoor wedding. No tables.
- **Lakeview Room:** Capacity & seating for approximately 50 people. Rental Hours: Monday-Friday 9am-9pm, Weekends 9am-10pm

**Brady Lodge: For rental information, contact Derek Smith at 248-625-8223**



## PARK MAPS AND ROOM LAYOUTS

CAN BE FOUND BY VISITING [WWW.ITPRS.ORG](http://WWW.ITPRS.ORG). CLICK "FORMS AND FLYERS."

# Deer Lake Beach

350 WHITE LAKE ROAD, CLARKSTON, MI 48346

FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT DEER LAKE BEACH (248) 625-8223



Deer Lake Beach is a beautiful sandy beach with a wonderful shore line. The beach is located within the Village of Clarkston City limits, between Holcomb and Dixie Hwy. There are swimming areas for the little tykes and the big kids too, including an area with a few simple play toys.

Sorry, no pets are allowed at the beach. Portable toilets are on site, including ADA units. Handicap Parking available. Lifeguards are on duty during operating hours. Beach operates yearly Memorial Day to Labor Day.

# Sashabaw Plains

5620 MAYBEE RD, CLARKSTON, MI 48346

FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT SASHABAW PLAINS PARK (248) 625-8223



Sashabaw Plains is a peaceful 14 acre park that is open April 1–October 31. The park features a community built playground, 2 baseball fields, 2 practice soccer fields, horseshoes, a 4 square court, a basketball (half) court and volleyball court. The park also features a picnic pavilion and bathroom facilities. In the open space surrounding the playground, there are 3 grills. All Sashabaw Plains Park amenities are handicap accessible. Handicap access for vehicles to the ball fields or pavilion through the locked gate must be made in advance by calling (248) 625-8223.

## SASHABAW PLAINS RENTAL FACILITIES:

- **Pavilion (with grill):** Seating for approximately 75 people.



## Park Hours:

- April 1–October 31, park hours are 8am–9pm.
- November 1–March 31, park hours are 8am–5pm, unless an activity or rental is scheduled.

**Department of Parks, Recreation & Seniors Main Office**  
6483 Waldon Ctr Dr, Clarkston, MI 48346

*Our Main Office is located in the lower level of the Independence Township Offices. All Township offices are handicap accessible. Offices at this location are open Monday–Friday, 8am–5pm, but closed for Holidays. For a complete listing, see page 2.*

# Rental Dates, Hours & Fees

- A \$100 Security Deposit required for each facility rented.
- Resident pricing is for those who pay taxes to Independence Township or the City of the Village of Clarkston, even if their mailing address is listed differently.
- Facilities are unavailable for rent on July 4.
- April 1–October 31, park hours are 8am to 9pm unless an activity is scheduled for later.

## INDOOR ROOM RENTAL RATES

Indoor Room Rental Hours: Monday–Friday 9am–9pm, Weekends 9am–10pm.  
Minimum two hour rental.

	RES.	NON.
<b>Lakeview Room</b> at Bay Court Park (holds 50 people)	\$40/hr.	\$60/hr.
<b>Carriage House</b> at Clintonwood Park (holds 70 people)	\$45/hr.	\$65/hr.
<b>Bartsch Hall</b> at Senior Community Center (holds 100 people)	\$55/hr.	\$75/hr.

## GAZEBO

There will be no charge for Gazebo usage Monday–Thursday. Minimum two-hour rental.

	RES.	NON.
Bay Court Park (Weekend rate)	\$35/hr.	\$50/hr.

## PAVILIONS

Pavilion Hours are Park Hours. All pavilion rentals November 1–March 31 are just \$10 for the day.

	WEEKDAY		WEEKEND	
	RES.	NON.	RES.	NON.
Half Day Lakeside (40 people)	\$35	\$60	\$85	\$110
Full Day Lakeside (40 people)	\$50	\$75	\$135	\$160
Half Day Cedar Grove (125 people)	\$50	\$75	\$150	\$175
Full Day Cedar Grove (125 people)	\$65	\$90	\$225	\$250
Half Day South Pavilion (125 people)	\$40	\$65	\$125	\$150
Full Day South Pavilion (125 people)	\$55	\$80	\$175	\$200
Half Day North Shelter (50 people)	\$25	\$50	\$75	\$100
Full Day North Shelter (50 people)	\$40	\$65	\$125	\$150
Half Day Sashabaw Pavilion (75 people)	\$25	\$50	\$75	\$100
Full Day Sashabaw Pavilion (75 people)	\$40	\$65	\$125	\$150

**To reserve pavilions or the Lakeview Room at Bay Court, contact our main office at (248) 625-8223.**

**To reserve the Carriage House or Bartsch Hall, contact the Senior Community Center at (248) 625-8231.**

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