

DAVISON TOWNSHIP PARKS & RECREATION

FALL | WINTER

PROGRAM GUIDE

September 2026 - April 2027

810-214-1810 | DTparks.com



1152 N. Gale Road
Davison, MI 48423
(In the Lake Callis Recreation Complex Grand Pavilion)
(810) 214-1810
DTParks.com

OFFICE HOURS:

Mon-Fri: 9:00 am -12:00 pm & 1:00 - 5:00 pm

OFFICE CLOSED: 9/7, 10/12, 11/11, 11/26, 11/27, 12/23-12/25, 1/1, 1/18, 2/15, 3/26, 5/31, 6/18

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For complete registration information and parks rules and regulations contact DTPR office at 810-214-1810 or DTParks.com. Registration is accepted by mail, email, in person at the DTPR office or online at DTParks.com.

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Two Mikes Plumbing
Victoria Echols
Vogt's Flowers of Davison
Waldrofs
Wild Side Spa

Interested in sponsoring an event or program?
CONTACT US AT 810-214-1810

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HOW TO REGISTER

- **In person at the Parks and Recreation Office**
- **On our website at dtparks.com**
- **Mail or email**
- **By phone at 810-214-1810**

Registration is required for all classes, programs and special events and will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis. Registration will be accepted, in person at the Parks and Recreation office, by mail, or by email. Full payment is required at the time of registration. Payment must be in the form of credit, debit, cash, personal check and/or money order. Please make all checks payable to Davison Township. There is a $30 charge on all returned checks. Credit and Debit payments will be subject to a 3.5% charge. Registration forms can be found on our website at www.DTParks.com. If a class, program or event is full you may ask to be put on a waiting list. Resident rates apply to all residents living in the 48423 zip code.

REFUNDS:
Full refunds will be issued for classes, programs, camps and special events that are cancelled by the Parks and Recreation office. All other cancellations refunds will be subject to an administration fee of $5 per person per class, program, camp or special event. Unless otherwise noted, no refunds will be given less than five (5) business days prior to the start date. All refunds will be issued in the form of a check and mailed within four (4) weeks. Programs with individual refund guidelines will be stated in their designated sections in this brochure.

CANCELLATIONS:
Davison Township Parks and Recreation reserves the right to cancel scheduled classes, programs, camps or special events due to low registration and/or other conditions beyond our control.

INCLEMENT WEATHER:
Davison Township Parks and Recreation will follow Davison Community Schools for cancellations due to inclement weather. If Davison Community Schools cancels school or after school activities due to inclement weather all Davison Township Park and Recreation classes, programs, camps and special events will be cancelled as well.

MEET OUR TEAM!


Casey Reed


Riley Ferguson


Deanna Barbe


Paige Setzer


Shelby Graham


Kim Rahmann

Not Pictured: Tyler Gifford

WHY GOOD PROGRAMS ARE CANCELED

Nothing kills a program faster than everyone waiting until the last minute to register. There are certain deadlines that are set in order to decide whether a program will be canceled.

So if you are interested... **REGISTER EARLY!**

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- **Need volunteer hours?**
- **Want to be added to our mailing or email list?**
- **Have a skill or profession that you want to share with others?**
- **Have a new idea?**
- **Want to make a donation?**

Call the parks and recreation office at 810-214-1810 or email info@davisontwp-mi.org

Special EVENTS



Outdoor Discovery Fest

SEPTEMBER 12, 2026 • 12-4 PM • Lake Callis

Get ready to explore and play at Outdoor Discovery Fest at Lake Callis! Enjoy hands-on outdoor activities, meet local nature groups, and try fun experiences for all ages. Come learn, explore, and make summer memories outdoors.

NEW

Cost per vehicle:
Residents $8 | Non-residents $16

HALLOWEEN
HOOP-A-RAMA



October 3, 2026 | 7 - 9 PM

Lake Callis Recreation Complex

Step into Halloween fun at our

Free Throw Glow Fest!

Enjoy glowing hoops, friendly competition, costumes, and prizes for all ages. Come play and celebrate together! All welcome!

Residents: $12 | Non-Residents: $15

Fernco

ROAD RALLY

FRIDAY | NOVEMBER 6 | 5:30-8 PM

Theme is"DECADES!"



— Located within Davison —

First Location will be announced 48 hours prior to start time.

Grab your crew, hop in the car, and get ready to hit the road! Our Road Rally will take teams on an adventure around Davison as you follow clues from stop to stop, solve puzzles, complete challenges, and figure out where the road takes you next!

Bring your friends, family, coworkers, or your favorite competitive crew this event is open to all ages! Every team that completes the rally will receive a completion prize, but only one team will take home the BIG prize valued at over $100!

Think you have what it takes to solve the clues and make it to the finish? Gather your team and let the rally begin!

Residents: $50/team | Non-Residents: $55/team
Complete list of rules at: DTParks.com

SNOWMAN COMPETITION



First Snow Day for Davison Community Schools with snow accumulation. Be sure to watch our facebook for official competition start

- Build a snowman and start sending pictures via facebook message *(make sure you are in the picture with your snowman)*
- The snowman with the most likes by the next day at 12:00 PM will win a Giftcard.

Trail of Lights

Located at Robert Williams Nature & Historical Learning Center
10069 E. Atherton Rd.

Get into the holiday spirit this December!
Tractor Wagon Rides
Holiday Music
Hot Chocolate

Walking Nights

December 11 & 12, 18-20

Residents | $5 per person
Non-Residents | $7 per person

Tractor Wagon Night*

December 13 • 5:30 - 8:30 pm

Residents | $12 per person
Non-Residents | $15 per person
Ages 24 months & under free

Trail of Lights Event Nights

Join us this December for magical themed nights at the Trail of Lights!

DEC 12: Museum Open
by Davison Historical Society

DEC 13: Tractor Wagon Rides*
Enjoy a festive ride through the lights!

DEC 18: Museum Open
by Davison Historical Society

DEC 19: Slices with Santa
Enjoy a piece of pizza with Santa!

DEC 20: Reindeer Party
Meet real live reindeer — perfect for family photos!

FREE ORNAMENT FRIDAYS
for first 50 families on December 11th &18th

Registration opens September 1st for Residents & September 15th for Non Residents

Twilight Trail



FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 12, 2027
6:00 - 8:00 PM
10069 E Atherton Road

FREE
ALL AGES WELCOME!

Come out and see the Robert Williams Nature and Learning Center hiking trails lit up in the winter, during the Twilight Trail. There will be a beautiful lantern-lit trail to hike with a campfire and hot chocolate available for purchase. This self-guided hike can be as magical as you make it, just don't forget your mittens.

Teen Glow Egg Hunt

Thursday | March 25 | 8-9:30 PM
@ Lake Callis: 1152 N Gale Rd

$12 Residents | **$15** Non-Residents
for teens ages 10-19



Space is limited sign up early!

Save these 2027 Dates!

YOUTH FISHING DERBY
Saturday, June 5, 2027

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL CELEBRATION
Wednesday, June 23, 2027

BUNNY HOP EGG HUNT

— ALL AGES WELCOME —
(Suggested age 3 – 10)

Lake Callis Recreation Complex
Residents $8* | Non-Residents $10*
Dogs | $7 Each*
**Per egg collector. Pre-registration Required.*

THURSDAY | MARCH 25 | 6 - 8 PM

- Take photos with Mr. Bunny!
- Bags are provided
- Dog eggs with dog treats available*
- Dress weather appropriate

**Hop on over for some family fun!*



*Dogs must be with an adult 18 years and older. Dogs must remain on a 6 foot least at all times. One dog per handler. Two dogs allowed per time slot. If you wish to have more than two dogs, you must register for multiple time slots.

YOUTH & TEEN
Sports & Enrichment



Afterschool Pickleball

Calling all 5-8th graders!
Join us after school for some fun and beginner-friendly pickleball. No experience needed, we'll help you learn as you play! Bring a friend along, or come solo and meet new friends on the courts. It's a great way to stay active and have fun after school! We provide all supplies or bring your own.

FALL SESSION

■ **WEDNESDAYS | 3-4:30 PM**
SEPTEMBER 2, 9,16, 23 & 30

Lake Callis - Courts 1-4
1152 N. Gale Road
Club will meet DTPR staff at the Abernathy playground bathroom to walk over to Lake Callis. Child pick up will be at Lake Callis sports courts at 4 PM
Grades 5-8
Residents $20 | Non-Residents $25

**Pre-registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to the event date.*

Cookies & Canvas

NEW

Come enjoy cookies and painting with friends at this fun youth art program! Each month features a new paint project, or you can let your creativity shine with freestyle painting.

SESSION 1
Theme: Haunted House
■ **OCTOBER 22 | 6-7 PM**

SESSION 2
Theme: Draw a Turkey
■ **NOVEMBER 19 | 6-7 PM**

SESSION 3
Theme: Winter Penguin
■ **JANUARY 21 | 6-7 PM**

SESSION 4
Theme: Bouquet of Roses
■ **FEBRUARY 18 | 6-7 PM**

SESSION 5
Theme: Draw a Leprechaun
■ **MARCH 18 | 6-7 PM**

SESSION 6
Theme: Spring Bird and Feeder
■ **APRIL 22 | 6-7 PM**

Robert Williams / Karen Miller
10069 E. Atherton Road
Geared for ages 6-13
Residents $15 | Non-Residents $18
per person/per session

**if parents would like to participate they must register as well.*
**Pre-registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to the event date.*

Little Chefs

Little Chefs slice, dice and stir their way to delicious treats. Along the way they will learn how to safely prepare and handle food and cook it to perfection. Parents must be in attendance. Please bring a water bottle and container to take home treats made in class. This class is not recommended for children with food allergies.

French Toast Muffins
■ **THUR | AUG 20 | 6-7:30 PM**

Cake Balls
■ **THUR | SEPT 24 | 6-7:30 PM**

Monster Cookies
■ **TUES | OCT 20 | 6-7:30 PM**

Brownie Bites
■ **TUES | NOV 17 | 6-7:30 PM**

Chocolate Chip Scones
■ **TUES | JAN 19 | 6-7:30 PM**

Strawberry Shortcake Cupcakes
■ **TUES | FEB 23 | 6-7:30 PM**

Cinnamon Roll Cake
■ **TUES | MAR 23 | 6-7:30 PM**

Carrot Cake Cookies
■ **TUES | APRIL 20 | 6-7:30 PM**

Pineapple Upside Down Cupcake
■ **TUES | MAY 18 | 6-7:30 PM**

Robert Williams / Karen Miller
10069 E. Atherton Road
Ages 6-14
Residents $25 | Non-Residents $28

**Pre-registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to the event date.*

Afterschool Fishing Club

Afterschool fishing club is the perfect place for fishers to enjoy angling in a fun supportive way. This program fosters an appreciation for nature and conservation. There are limited poles available. Bait is provided. Staff onsite to supervise and help but this is not an educational program, this is club style supervised fishing.

FALL SESSION:

- **5 TUESDAYS | 4:30-6 PM**
  SEPTEMBER 15, 22 & 29
  OCTOBER 6 & 13

SPRING SESSION:

- **6 TUESDAYS | 4:30-6 PM**
  APRIL 20, 27
  MAY 4, 11, 18 & 25



Lake Callis- Meet at the Tiki Hut
1152 N. Gale Road
Grades K-6
Residents $6 | Non-Residents $8
**Priced per day per participant*

Hahn Fishing Club

Hahn Fishing club is a great way for Hahn students to fish in a fun and supportive way. There are limited poles available. Bait is provided. Staff onsite to supervise and help but this is not an educational program, this is club style supervised fishing.

- **6 THURSDAYS AFTER SCHOOL**
  2:30-4 PM
  SEPTEMBER 10, 17, 24
  OCTOBER 1, 8 & 22

Lake Callis - Classes will meet at the Tiki Hut
1152 N. Gale Road
Hahn Intermediate School
(5th & 6th Grades)
$25

**Pre-registration required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to event date.*

Davison Middle School Fishing Club

NEW

Davison Middle School Fishing Club is a fun way for middle school students to hang out with their friends and have a great time fishing. There are limited poles available. Bait is provided. Staff onsite to supervise and help but this is not an educational program, this is club style supervised fishing.

- **6 THURSDAYS AFTER SCHOOL**
  2:30-4 PM
  SEPTEMBER 10, 17, 24
  OCTOBER 1, 8 & 22

Club will meet DTPR Staff at the Abernathy playground bathroom to walk over to Lake Callis. Child pick up will be at Lake Callis tiki hut at 4 PM.
Davison Middle School
(7th & 8th Grades)
$25

Searching for Salamanders Hike

Discover the fascinating world of amphibians with us as we delve into the exploration of the Williams Nature and Historical Learning Center searching for salamanders. Amphibians, like salamanders, serve as valuable indicators of water health. Join us today for an educational adventure, where we'll learn about these remarkable creatures and seek to uncover their presence in the natural surroundings of the center. It's an exciting journey to understand the health of our water ecosystems through the eyes of these incredible amphibians.

- **FRI | MARCH 19 | 6-7:30 PM**
- **SAT | APRIL 17 | 10-11:30 AM**

Robert Williams / Museum
10069 E. Atherton Road
All Ages
Residents $6 | Non-Residents $8

**Pre-registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to the event date.*



Certified Babysitter/CPR/First Aid & Safe Home Alone

Learn to be safe and responsible. Build confidence. This one-day class will include topics about first aid, when and how to call 911, CPR with manikin practice, choking, and more! Students will also learn how to be safe and responsible when home alone, including what to do if somebody comes to the door and the importance of not giving out personal information. Students who successfully complete the course requirements will receive a certificate of completion for Certified Babysitter/CPR/First Aid course by Live Safe Academy (valid for two years).

Parents, this class is for students who are independent and responsible enough to be responsible for the safety and well-being of younger children without adult supervision.

- **WED | SEPT 16 | 5:30-8:30 PM**

Robert Williams / Karen Miller
10069 E. Atherton Road
Ages 9+
Residents $60 | Non-Residents $65

**Pre-registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to the event date.*



Battle of the Bricks

Teams of two compete in an exciting building race! Each team will be given identical building block sets and must work together to complete it as quickly as possible, with a two hour time limit. Teams must follow the exact build instructions. The winning team will receive an additional building block set for their prize.

■ **FRIDAY | NOV 13 | 6-8 PM**

Robert Williams / Karen Miller
10069 E. Atherton Road
Ages 10-16
Residents Team $70
Non-Residents Team $80
**Pre-registration required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to event date.*

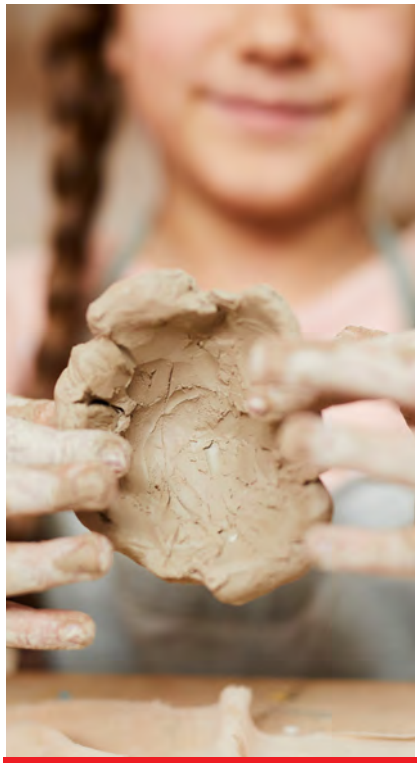
Buddy up and Build

NEW

Get ready to build, create, and let your imagination run wild! Teams of two will have one hour to build whatever they can imagine. The best part? There are no rules about what you have to build—your creativity is the limit! We will provide all of the building bricks, and every team will receive the exact same set of bricks, so it's all about creativity, teamwork, and what you can create in one hour. When time is up, we'll take photos of everyone's creations and post them on Facebook. Then, Facebook will decide which team has the best build! Winners will receive a prize! Prizes can be picked up at our office after the contest is complete. Grab a teammate, get creative, and see what you can build in one hour!

■ **SATURDAY | FEB 27 | 6-7 PM**

Robert Williams / Karen Miller
10069 E. Atherton Road
Ages 10-16
Residents: $20/team
Non-Residents: $30/team



Clay Together

Join us for a fun and creative parent (or adult) - child clay class where you'll both experience the art of hand-building with clay! Together, you'll craft unique pieces using a variety of techniques, while learning the basics of ceramics in a relaxed, hands-on environment. This class is split into two sessions, and both are essential for completing your projects. The all-inclusive fee covers both dates and all the supplies you'll need for each of you to complete your own projects.

Funky Fish

■ **FEBRUARY 21 & 28 | 2-4 PM**

Kitchen School
4010 S. State Road
Ages: 5 – 12 years, child must be accompanied by adult 18+
Residents $50 | Non-Residents $55
Additional person (adult or child): $15 each

**Cost includes enough supplies for child and adult for both sessions. Pre-Registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to the event date. Space is limited.*

Volunteers Wanted!

Do you need volunteer hours for graduation or do you like to spend your time volunteering?



If so, we are always looking for individuals interested in having fun by sharing their time at our special events.

Please visit our website at: DTParks.com

See the volunteer tab and sign up or view upcoming opportunities. Call the Parks and Recreation office any questions **810-214-1810** email **info@davisontwp-mi.org** to get signed up!

PARKS & facilities

A KITCHEN SCHOOL

4010 S. State Rd. | Davison

Kitchen school is at Zirnhelt park located at Bristol Road and M-15 in Davison Township. The building was named for Silas Kitchen one of the area's first residents. The building is dated to circa 1860.

From its beginning, Kitchen School operated under the Rate Bill System for its funding. This system which was authorized by the state legislature in 1839 allowed district children fees or rates in proportion to the number of students and the number of days they attend school.

The building has been restored by the Davison Township Board of Trustees and many volunteers. It is currently used for field trips, meetings, and special events. Visitors to the school can experience what a school day was like in the early half of the 20th century with an old fashioned school bell, wooden desks and slates for math and English lessons. Wooden desk can be removed and replace with banquet tables and chairs for private rentals.

B ROBERT WILLIAMS NATURE & HISTORICAL LEARNING CENTER - *Main Entrance*

10069 Atherton Rd. | Davison

This 100-acre park is located at 10069 Atherton Rd.,just west of State Rd. The original parcel was donated to Davison Township by Robert and Jill Williams to be used for the enrichment of the Davison community to preserve nature, history and provide an educational opportunities for residents.

The Williams site houses a number of buildings. On Williams Parkway, the first building on the left is designated for Davison Community Schools educational programming. The Davison Township Historical Museum & Nature Nook is the next building on the right and houses many artifacts from early families and businesses that helped to grow the Davison area. (See the ad on page 14 for more information.) The last building or Karen Miller Event Center at the end of the parkway houses the Department of Parks and Recreation events, and outdoor education programs. (See DTParks.org for upcoming programs) This building is also available for rent for private parties and special events.

The Kurt & Marge Soper Nature Center and parking lot were also added to the west side of the property. This building is used for Department of Parks and Recreation programming and events. This building is also available for rent for private parties.

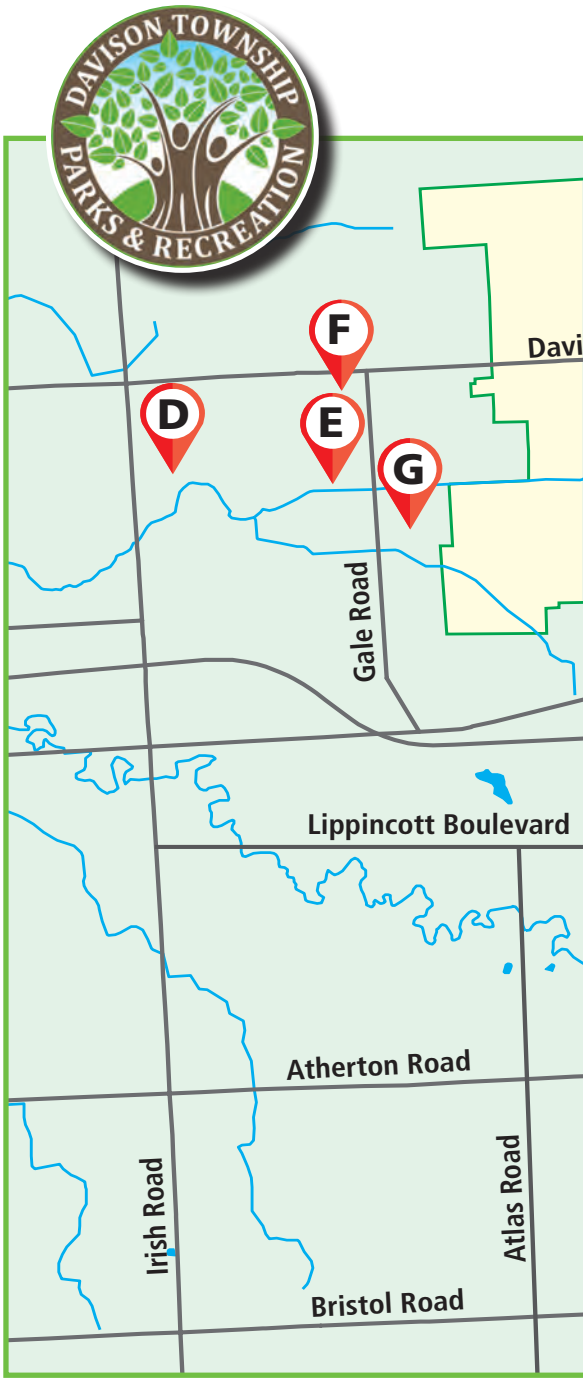
The non-motorized trail system consists of approximately 3 miles of beautiful limestone trails that traverse the hilly terrain and allow you to enjoy its amazing beauty. In 2022 Davison Twp Parks received a large donation from Cooper Companies and a grant from the Davison Community Fund to install the Cooper Low Ropes Course. This is located along the Robin Run trail. The course has 12 different elements from a zig zag rock wall to hanging tires to climb across. The course was built by Obstacle Builders LLC out of Arizona. Adding in a Low Ropes Course will aid in Youth Development, Community Building Activities, Health and Wellness, as well as enhancing Outdoor Recreation. The course will be open to the public to use at their own risk but will also be available for private rentals for Team Building.

Davison Township Parks has received multiple grants and donations to continue updating and adding amenities to the Robert Williams Property. These have come from the MiDNR Trust Fund Grant, MiDNR Land and Water Grant, Davison Community Foundation and Cooper Companies.

C ROBERT WILLIAMS NATURE & HISTORICAL LEARNING CENTER - *Soper Center Entrance*

9489 Atherton Rd. | Davison

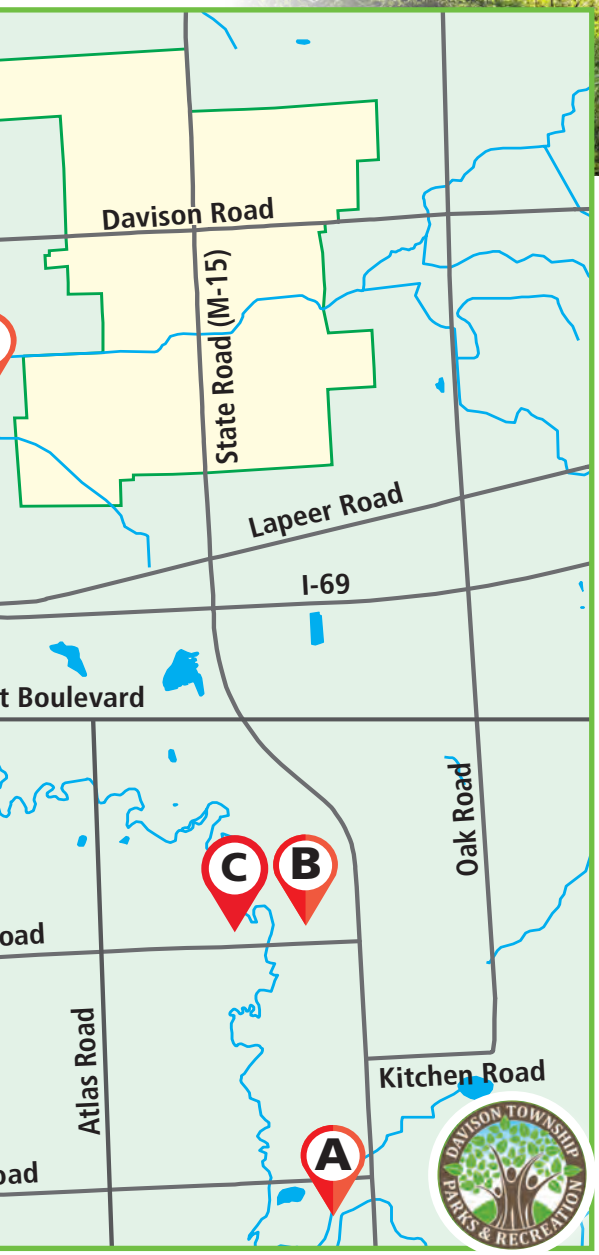
The Kurt & Marge Soper Nature Center and its parking lot were added to the west side of the Robert Williams Property, enhancing the space for community use. This facility serves as a hub for Davison Township Parks programs and events and is also available to rent for private gatherings. The Soper Center was made possible through generous grants from the Michigan DNR, supporting our commitment to outdoor recreation and education.



ICON KEY

- FOOD
- WALKING/HIKING
- DOGS
- CANOE
- NO DOGS
- PARKING
- FISHING
- PICNIC AREA
- INDOOR RENTAL
- SWIM





KING
SPLASH
PAVILION/GAZEBO
PLAYGROUND
RENTAL SPACE
RESTROOMS
VOLLEYBALL
WILDLIFE
FLOWERS
FREE
MULTI-USE SPORT COURT

D DAVISON TOWNSHIP PARK & VETERANS COURT OF HONOR

1280 N. Irish Rd. | Davison

The township park, located at the Davison Township Municipal Center, 1280 N. Irish Rd., was developed with the idea to inspire and memorialize our veterans. The park was built with donations from area businesses and individuals in conjunction with the Township Board. The Hank Graff Gazebo is the perfect spot for weddings, graduation pictures or a quiet place to enjoy the beautiful gardens, walkways and seating areas. The gazebo is available to rent for your special occasion.

E BLACK CREEK NATURE TRAIL

1280 N. Irish Rd. | Davison

The Black Creek Nature Trail is a paved, non-motorized trail that begins at the Davison Township Municipal Center on 1280 N. Irish Road and runs east along the Black Creek to join the Abernathy Park Trail in the City of Davison. The trail is an ongoing project with sidewalks being added that will connect the Township to the City of Davison at various points around the Davison area. Parking is also available in the Dog Park and Abernathy Park. The trail is open from dawn to dusk year-round.

F DAVISON AREA DOG PARK

1285 N. Gale Rd. | Davison

The Davison Area Environmental Team in conjunction with area volunteers and community businesses provided an off-leash dog park for the community to let their dogs exercise and play. The park is located adjacent to the Black Creek Nature Trail on three acres of property, between Davison Road and Court Street, just south of the railroad tracks. It was the first of its kind in Genesee County with a small dog area and an all-dog area. The pavilions are supplied with electricity and can be rented. The park is open from dawn to dusk year-round.

G LAKE CALLIS RECREATION COMPLEX

1152 N. Gale Rd. | Davison

The Lake Callis Recreation Complex, named after the late Bob Callis who raised funds to purchase the property located at 1152 N. Gale Rd., is 40 acres of recreational fun acquired through the efforts of Bob Callis, the Davison Township Board of Trustees, numerous volunteers and the Davison Township DDA Funds.

This is a seasonal pay-to-use park which includes an 18 acre swimming lake with a large beach area, changing rooms, 100'x100' dry deck Dash n' Splash Pad, Beach Treats Concession Stand, Randall V. Stewart Grand Pavillion with a stage and electricity, 7 smaller pavilions, Tiki Hut with electricity and a private beach, scenic wetland trail, observation dock, fishing area, gaga pit, paddleboard rentals, 2 sand volleyball courts, and newly added Multi-use Sport Courts - funded by MIDNR Spark Grant - includes Basketball, Pickleball, Tennis, Four Square, & Shuffleboard. The parks department offers many programs and activities year round. The pavilions, tiki hut, observation deck, volleyball courts, and multi-use sport courts are all available for rent.

ADULT& SENIOR
Enrichment

Clay Creations

Ever dreamt of exploring the world of ceramics? Dive into the art of hand-building with earthenware clay by joining our upcoming class. Participants will craft their unique items, using a blend of various techniques and diving into the basics of ceramics. This class spans two parts, and both sessions are essential to finish your project successfully. The all-inclusive fee covers both class dates and all necessary supplies. Both classes are essential to finish your project successfully. Unleash your creativity and join us for this hands-on ceramics experience!

Witches Hats
■ **OCTOBER 4 & 11 | 2-4 PM**

Make a Mug
■ **NOVEMBER 8 & 15 | 2-4 PM**



Kitchen School
4010 S. State Road
Ages: 13+ (16 & under must be accompanied by an adult)
Residents $40 | Non-Residents $45

**Pre-Registration is required. Cost is per project. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to event date.*

NEW Cocoa, Coffee Craft Night

Cozy up this winter with warm coffee, hot cocoa and a little creativity. Grab your daughter, best friend, or your favorite group of girls and join us for a fun new craft each month. It's the perfect excuse for a night out.

THIRD TUESDAYS OF MONTH:

Wire Jewelry Making
■ **JANUARY 19 | 6:30-8 PM**

Glaze a Pottery Piece
■ **FEBRUARY 16 | 6:30-8 PM**

Mosaic House Number Address Boards
■ **MARCH 16 | 6:30-8 PM**

Kitchen School
4010 S. State Rd
Ladies 13+
Residents $30 | Non-Residents $35

**Pre-registration required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to event date.*



Foraging for Native Plants

Join our instructor, Stanette Amy – the granddaughter of an Ojibwe medicine woman, Keewaydinoquay, to learn traditional, herbal medicine and philosophy. Keewaydinoquay was apprenticed to her own herbal teacher in Northern Michigan. She also attended the University of Michigan and did her PhD work in Ethnobotany (the use of plants by indigenous peoples) and taught at the universities of Michigan and Wisconsin. Stanette is grateful for the nearly 40 years of training she received from her grandmother and is excited to share her knowledge about Foraging Native Plants for food and medicine!

Foraging
■ **TUES | SEPT 1 | 6-7:30 PM**

Plantain Healing Salve
■ **TUES | OCT 6 | 6-7:30 PM**

The Three Sisters
■ **TUES | NOV 3 | 6-7:30 PM**

Winter Solstice
■ **TUES | DEC 1 | 6-7:30 PM**

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■ **TUES | JAN 5 | 6-7:30 PM**

Natural Medication
■ **TUES | FEB 2 | 6-7:30 PM**

Grandmother's Spring Tonic
■ **TUES | MAR 2 | 6-7:30 PM**

Karen Miller Event Center
10069 E Atherton Road
Ages 13+
Residents $20 | Non-Residents $22

**Pre-registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to event date. Priced per person per class. Each class will receive a take home item.*

Open Studio Clay Creations

Experienced potters are invited to enjoy uninterrupted studio time, working at their own pace on the clay project of their choosing. Each participant will receive 5 lbs of clay, access to basic pottery tools, and sufficient glaze for their creations. The session will be divided into two classes: the first for hand-building your piece, and the second for glazing. This exclusive studio session is reserved for individuals who have completed Clay Creations classes or possess a solid understanding of the basics of pottery.

■ **SUNDAY | APRIL 4 | 2-4 PM**
AND
■ **SUNDAY | APRIL 11 | 2-4 PM**

Kitchen School
4010 S. State Road
Ages: 13 + (16 & under must be accompanied by an adult)
Residents $40
Non-Residents $45

**Pre-Registration is required. A minimum must be met 1 week prior to event date.*

Self Defense Seminar

Engage with other women and learn the basics of how to defend yourself and stay safe in this guided hands on interactive teaching course.

■ **OCTOBER 9 | 6:30-8PM**

Kitchen School
4010 S. State Road
Women Ages: 18 +
Residents $30 | Non-Residents $35

**Pre-Registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to event date. Priced per person.*



Owl Prowl

Owls love the woods of the Robert Williams Property. Join our naturalist as we learn about owls, then we will head on a hike to see if we can hear or see one on our trails at the Williams Nature and Historical Learning Center. The program will include a short presentation followed by a 1-1.5 mile hike on various terrain.

■ **SAT | JAN 23 | 5-6:30 PM**
■ **SAT | MARCH 13 | 6-7:30 PM**

Robert Williams / Museum
10069 E. Atherton Road
All Ages
Residents $6 | Non-Residents $8

**Pre-registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to the event date.*

NEW Puzzle Party

Grab your favorite partner and get ready for a night of friendly competition! Teams of two will race against the clock to complete a 300-piece puzzle within 1.5 hours. Whether you're in it to win or just looking for a fun night out, this event is the perfect mix of challenge, laughter, and connection. You win your puzzle, and a prize will be awarded to the winning team, plus bragging rights until next month! No experience needed, just bring a friend.

■ **OCTOBER 5 | 6:30-8:30 PM**
■ **NOVEMBER 2 | 6:30-8:30 PM**
■ **JANUARY 4 | 6:30-8:30 PM**
■ **FEBRUARY 1 | 6:30-8:30 PM**
■ **MARCH 1 | 6:30-8:30 PM**

Kitchen School
4010 S. State Road
Ages 13+
Residents Team $15
Non-Resident Team $18
Teams of two, only one team member must register

NEW Seasonal Guided Hike

Join us each season at the Williams Property for a guided interpretive hike through nature. These hikes are all about experiencing what we see in the moment and learning how the world around us transforms with the seasons.

SATURDAYS | 10-11 AM

■ **FALL: NOVEMBER 14**
■ **WINTER: FEBRUARY 27**
■ **SPRING: APRIL 10**

Robert Williams/Museum
10069 E Atherton Road
All Ages
Residents $6 | Non-Residents $8

**Pre-Registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to event date. Priced per person.*



Microwave Raku

Join our course to learn the art of Raku firing and achieve stunning, unique finishes using a standard microwave. In the first class, you will hand build your chosen piece, then in the second class, you'll fire it using the Raku process—where ceramics are rapidly heated, then burned in combustible materials, and swiftly cooled. Perfect for potters of all levels, this hands-on class will guide you in transforming simple ceramics into extraordinary works of art with this innovative technique. Both classes are essential to finish your project successfully.

■ **SUNDAY | MAY 16 | 2-4PM**
AND
■ **SUNDAY | MAY 23 | 2-4PM**
Kitchen School
4010 S. State Road
Ages: 16 + Years
Residents $50 | Non-Residents $55

**Pre-Registration is required. Minimum must be met 1 week prior to event date. Priced per person.*

EXERCISE, SPORTS & FITNESS



Slow Flow Yoga

Whether you're new to yoga or have an established practice, this class is designed for all abilities and experience levels. Through slow, intentional movement, you'll synchronize breath with each pose to build strength, balance, flexibility, and stamina while reducing stress. Modifications are offered throughout class to support different bodies, levels of flexibility, and energy levels. Leave class feeling grounded, refreshed, and restored.

■ **TUESDAYS | 6:30-7:30 PM**
SESSION 1: AUG 25 - OCT 13
SESSION 2: OCT 20 - DEC 15
SESSION 3: JAN 5-FEB 23
(no class 2/16)
SESSION 4: MARCH 2 - APRIL 13

■ **THURSDAYS | 7-8 PM**
SESSION 1: AUG 27 - OCT 15
SESSION 2: OCT 22 - DEC 17
(no class 11/26)
SESSION 3: JAN 7-FEB 25
(no class 2/18)
SESSION 4: MARCH 4-APRIL 15

Soper Center
9489 E. Atherton Road
Ages 13+
Residents: $10 per class
Non-Residents: $12 per class
Get one week free when you register for the whole session!

Outdoor Pickleball

Outdoor Pickleball 101

Beginner players will learn the fundamentals of pickleball, including stroke techniques, strategies, serving, scoring, and positioning. We will use drills, point play, and game-based activities to build skills. Bring your own paddle and join us for a fun social session while getting a great workout!

FALL SESSION
■ **TUESDAYS | 12-1 PM**
SEPTEMBER 8,15, 22 & 29
OCTOBER 6 & 13

Outdoor Pickleball 102

Players will build more advanced strategies and tactics, focusing on effective dinking from the non-volley zone, blending touch and power, and using drop shots and lobs with confidence. Bring your own paddle expect a mix of drills, point play, and coached games designed to sharpen skills.

FALL SESSION
■ **TUESDAYS | 1-2 PM**
SEPTEMBER 8,15, 22 & 29
OCTOBER 6 & 13

Lake Callis Complex - Courts 1-4
1152 N Gale Rd. Davison
Ages 16+
Residents $60 | Non-Residents $65



Indoor Pickleball

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FALL SESSION
■ **MONDAYS | 12-1PM & 6-7 PM**
NOVEMBER 2, 9,16 & 30
DECEMBER 7 & 14

WINTER SESSION
■ **MONDAYS | 12-1PM & 6-7 PM**
JANUARY 4, 11, 18 & 25
FEBRUARY 1 & 8

Indoor Pickleball 102

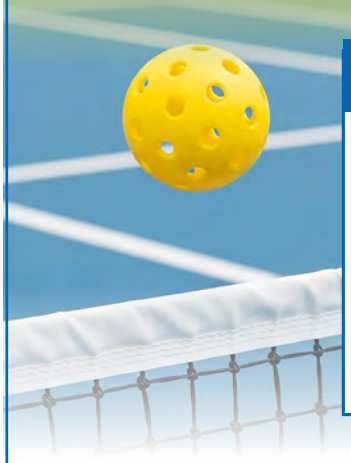
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FALL SESSION
■ **WEDNESDAYS | 12-1PM & 6-7 PM**
NOVEMBER 4, 11, 18
DECEMBER 2, 9 & 16

WINTER SESSION
■ **WEDNESDAYS | 12-1PM & 6-7 PM**
JANUARY 6, 13, 20 & 27
FEBRUARY 3 & 10

Ascension Genesys Health Club
801 Health Park Blvd., Grand Blanc
Ages 16+
Residents $120 | Non-Residents $150

Enjoy OPEN PLAY at our NEW SPORT COURTS!



2026 & 2027 OPEN PLAY HOURS:

September:
Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, Sun: 9 AM-12 PM
Tues, Thurs: 3-6 PM

October 2026 & April 2027:
Monday - Friday: 9 AM-5 PM

Hours are subject to change, check online registration to ensure accuracy.

All ages can drop-in for open play with rotating games to keep it fun, fair & moving for everyone.

Courts are not available to rent during Open Play times

Court Etiquette Rules

- **Share the Courts:** First come, first served. Rotate play if others are waiting. DTPR programs and events take priority.
- **For Recreation Use Only:** League play, tournaments, classes, or private lessons require prior approval from DTPR.
- **Respect Play:** Wait until a point ends before entering another court.
- **Be Courteous:** Loud music, profanity, or loud, abusive, or disorderly conduct is prohibited.
- **Respect Equipment:** No hanging or climbing on nets, rims, backboards, or posts. Equipment is for standard play only.
- **Protect the Surface:** Do not drag chairs, benches, or heavy equipment across surfaces.
- **Use Courts as :** No bikes, scooters, skateboards, or strollers.
- **Proper Footwear Only:** No cleats, skates, or hard-soled shoes.
- **Keep It Clean:** Water only on courts. No food, glass, or trash.
- **Remove Personal Belongings Promptly:** The park is not responsible for lost or stolen items.
- **All Lake Callis Rules and Hours of Operation Apply:** Failure to comply may result in removal from park grounds.
- **No weapons:** Possession of weapons is prohibited, unless otherwise allowed by law.
- **No Drugs or Alcohol** – Alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, e-cigarettes, vaping or any illegal drugs or other controlled substances are prohibited on park grounds.
- **Courts may be closed** for maintenance, special events, or any other reason deemed necessary by DTPR at any time.

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– Davison Township – MUSEUM



10069 E Atherton Road, Davison MI
HOURS: FRIDAYS 3-6 PM

FREE ADMISSION for all ages!

– City of Davison – MUSEUM



263 E. 4th Street, Davison, MI
HOURS: THURSDAYS 3-6 PM

Follow the Davison Historical Society and Museum Facebook page for news, events, and schedule updates.

Frequently Requested Numbers

Davison Township Municipalities: 810-653-4156

- Supervisor – Extension #0
- Clerks – Extension #5
- Treasurer – Extension #3
- Assessing – Extension #4
- Building – Extension #2
- Water & Sewer - Extension #1
- Parks - Extension #7
- City - Extension #8

Davison Community Schools: 810-591-0801

• Superintendent	810-591-0801
• Cardinal's Nest	810-591-0821
• Central Elementary	810-591-0818
• Gates Elementary	810-591-5001
• Hahn Intermediate	810-591-0530
• High School	810-591-3531
• Hill elementary	810-591-0839
• Middle School	810-591-0848
• Siple Elementary	810-591-5104
• Thomson	810-591-0911
• Transportation	810-591-0816
• Alternative Ed.	810-591-1020

- City of Davison – 810-653-2191
- DCER (Davison Community Enrichment & Rec) - 810-591-0175
- Davison Area Library - 810-653-2022
- Davison-Richfield Senior Center - 810-658-1566
- Davison/Richfield Fire Department (NON-EMERGENCY) - 810-653-5671
- Davison Outreach East – 810-653-7711
- Davison Historical Society – davisonmuseum.org
- Davison Township Parks & Recreation Department – 810-214-1810
- Davison Township Police Departments - 810-653-5656
- Emterra – Davison Township Trash collector – 1-877-609-6753
- Rewards for Recycling – 1-888-234-8211
- Genesee County Animal Control – 810-732-1660
- Genesee County Road Commission – 810-767-4920
- Genesee County Register of Deeds – 810-257-3225
- Genesee County Health Department – 810-257-3612
- The Davison Area Chamber of Commerce – 810-208-7888
- Richfield Township – 810-653-3564
- Your Ride (MTA) –810-767-0100
- Consumers Energy – 1-800-477-5050



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- Security deposit must be paid at the time of reservation.
- Rental fee must be paid 14 days prior to rental date
- A signed Rental Agreement must accompany security deposit payment at time of reservation.
- A full day's rental is defined as 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. (For times outside this please specify on form for approval). Lake Callis full day rental is from 10:00am – 6:00pm
- Cancellations: A full refund of the Security Deposit will be issued up to 60 days prior to originally scheduled event date minus a $25 Processing Fee.
- No refund of the Security Deposit will be issued within 60 days prior to the originally scheduled rental date.
- All visitors to the park, including pavilion reservation holders, must pay the applicable park admission fees.
- A reserved section not occupied one hour after the scheduled time may be opened to the public.
- A Resident is anyone living in 48423 zip code
- Credit and Debit payments will be subject to a 3.5% charge.
- Non-Profit Rentals must provide proof of non-profit status at the time of reservation (i.e. copy of 501-C3, etc..)
- Please see the Davison Township Rental Agreement for a complete list of Rental guidelines. (Rentals must also comply with Davison Twp Park Ordinance #60-5)

Refundable Security Deposit	Resident Rental Fee	Non-Resident Rental Fee	Non-Profit Rental Fee	Seating Capacity	# of Tables	Electricity	Grill Avail. (Kitchen Avail. at Williams)	Alcohol Allowed
DAVISON TOWNSHIP GAZEBO AT VETERANS PARK								
$100.00	$50.00	$100.00	$60.00	0	0	No	No	No
DAVISON TOWNSHIP HALL PAVILION								
$100.00	$75.00	$125.00	$60.00	24	4 Picnic tables	No	Yes	No
WILLIAMS PARK - KAREN MILLER EVENT CENTER								
$250.00	$300.00	$350.00	$200.00	50	6 - 6' & 3 - 8'	Yes	Yes	Yes $100 Permit Fee
WILLIAMS PARK - KURT & MARGE SOPER NATURE CENTER								
$250.00	$200.00	$250.00	$100.00	49	9 - 5' Rounds, 2 - 8' Long & 2 - 6' Long	Yes	No	Yes $100 Permit Fee
KITCHEN SCHOOL HOUSE								
$250.00	$200.00	$250.00	$100.00	40	5 - 5' Rounds & 2 - 6' Long	Yes	No	Yes $100 Permit Fee
DOG PARK PAVILLION A (LARGE)								
Pawvillion A(Whole) $100.00	$75.00	$125.00	$60.00	48	8	Yes	No	No
(Half) $100.00	$50.00	$100.00	$40.00	24	4	Yes	No	No
DOG PARK PAVILLION B (SM)								
$100.00	$50.00	$100.00	$40.00	12	2	No	No	No

PADDLE BOARDS	RENTAL FEE
PADDLE BOARD	1st HR.$10.00 each addit. HR. $5.00

Call 810-214-1810 to reserve or book online at DTparks.com

LAKE CALLIS RECREATION COMPLEX

Prices do not include admission fees

Section Number	Refundable Security Deposit	Resident Rental Fee Per Section	Non-Resident Rental Fee Per Section	Non-Profit Rental Fee Per Section	Park Entrance Fee Included	Seating Capacity	# of 6' Picnic Tables	Electricity	Grill Avail.
1	$75.00	$100.00	$150.00	$80.00	No	84	14	Yes	No
2	$75.00	$100.00	$150.00	$80.00	No	84	14	Yes	Yes
3 through 10	$50.00	$75.00	$125.00	$60.00	No	36	6	Yes	Yes
All sections	$250.00	$500.00	$550.00	$400.00	No	456	76	Yes	See above
Tiki Hut & Private Beach	$100.00	$175.00	$225.00	$140.00	No	48	8	Yes	Yes
Pavilions A - F	$50.00	$75.00	$125.00	$60.00	No	24	4	No	Yes

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Robert Williams property – Karen Miller Event Center





Soper Center

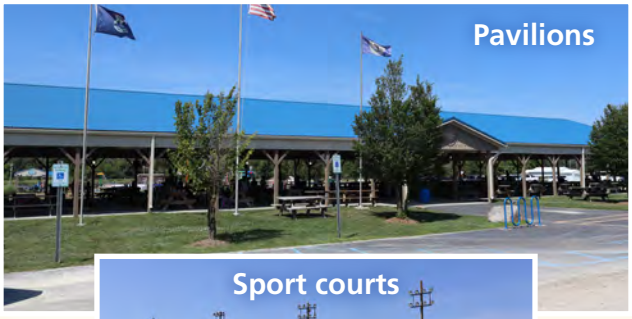




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