



## **Greene County Department of Recreation**

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### **News Release**

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## **Recreation department to offer swimming lessons**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

WAYNESBURG, PA – After Greene County's three public pools officially open for the summer, the Department of Recreation will offer swimming lessons at Greene County Water Park in Waynesburg, and Carmichaels Pool in Carmichaels.

Registration for swim lessons will be held from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday, May 29, at Greene County Water Park in Waynesburg, and 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday, May 30 at Carmichaels Pool. Anyone unable to attend the registration may register their child during pool business hours up until the first day of class, as space permits.

Lessons are \$25 per class, and payment will be due upon registration. Each class is designed for swimmers of certain skill levels. Class instructors will determine which class to place each swimmer. A minimum of five swimmers must be registered for each class to run with a maximum of 15 swimmers per class.

Classes are staggered this year, so the same class level is not held during the same week at both pools. Some classes may be combined or canceled due to enrollment. Refunds will only be given if the Department of Recreation cancels a class.

The class levels are as follows:

- Parent and Child Aquatics for parents and children ages 6 months to 3 years
- Pre-School Aquatics for ages 4 to 5
- Level 1, Introduction to Water Skills
- Level 2, Fundamental Aquatic Skills
- Level 3, Stroke Development
- Level 4, Stroke Improvement
- Level 5, Stroke Refinement
- Level 6, Swimming and Skill Proficiency

The schedule of classes at the Waynesburg Water Park is:

- June 17-21: 9-11 a.m., Levels 4 and 5; 10-11 a.m., Level 2
- June 24-28: 9-10 a.m., Level 3; 10-11 a.m., Level 1; 10:30-11 a.m., Parent and Child
- July 8-12: 9-11 a.m., Level 6; 9-10 a.m., Level 3; 10-11 a.m., Level 1
- July 15-19: 9-11 a.m., Level 4; 10-11 a.m., Level 2; 10:30-11 a.m., Preschool

The schedule of classes at Carmichaels Pool is:

- June 17-21: 10-11 a.m., Level 3; 11-12 p.m., Level 1; 11:30-12 p.m., Parent and Child
- June 24-28: 10-12 p.m., Levels 4 and 5; 11-12 p.m., Level 2
- July 8-12: 10-12 p.m., Level 4; 11-12 p.m., Level 2; 11:30-12 p.m., Preschool
- July 15-19: 10-12 p.m., Level 6; 10-11 a.m., Level 3; 11-12 p.m., Level 1

Pool admission for Carmichaels and Mon View Pools are \$4 for children age 17 and younger and senior citizens age 62 and older, and \$6 for adults ages 18 to 61. Hours are 1 to 7 p.m. daily at Carmichaels and Mon View. Admission prices for Greene County Water Park are \$6 for children age 17 and younger and senior citizens age 62 and older, and \$8 for adults ages 18 to 61. Hours at the water park are noon to 7 p.m.

The three County pools will open Saturday, May 25 for the three-day Memorial Day weekend. All pools will be closed Tuesday, May 28 thru Friday, May 31 while school is in session, and will re-open daily beginning Saturday, June 1.

Carmichaels and Mon View are scheduled to close for the season Saturday, Aug. 10. Greene County Water Park will be closed the week of Aug. 26-30 as students return to school. The water park will then reopen for the three-day Labor Day weekend and officially close for the season Monday, Sept. 2.

Pool hours and closings are subject to change in the event of inclement weather and staff availability.

For more information about swimming lessons, call the Department of Recreation at 724-852-5323, or visit our website at [www.co.greene.pa.us](http://www.co.greene.pa.us).

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