



City of Bastrop **PARKS &** **RECREATION**

March 6, 2025

Special events:

- i. March Downtown Market Days, March 1 (Downtown)
- ii. Movies in the Park/Touch a Truck, Mar 8, (Bob Bryant)
- iii. Frost Bank Rodeo Chuckwagon Celebration, March 25 (Frost Bank Parking Lot)
- iv. Lights Camera Stunt Show event/March 29, 2025 (Mayfest)
- v. Movie in the Park, April 5 (Bob Bryant)
- vi. Springfest, April 12, (Fisherman's)
- vii. Special Olympics Central Region Soccer Tournament, April 17 (Bob Bryant)
- viii. MS 150, April 26-27, (Through town)
- ix. Movies in the Park, May 3 (Bob Bryant Park)
- x. Yesterfest 2025. May 23-24 (Downtown)
- xi. Bailey's Bull Bash, May 31, 2025 (Mayfest)
- xii. Pride Street Faire/June 6, (Downtown)
- xiii. 78th Annual Bastrop Homecoming & Rodeo, July 29-August 2 (Mayfest/Downtown)

Parks Operations Review

- Parks Crews trimmed vines and cleared up the fencelines at the Yard.
- Parks Crews improved landscaping at City Hall by leveling beds, removing & trimming bushes, and preparing beds for new vegetation.
- Parks Crews poured slabs and installed a new bench at Kerr and Jewel Hodge Park.
- Parks Crews trimmed bushes and edged sidewalks at Bob Bryant Park.
- Parks Crews trimmed trees at Bob Bryant Park.
- Parks Crews cleared out the ditch line and tree line at Bob Byrant in various areas.
- Parks Crews repaired gates and added road base at the entrance of the Rusty Reynold Complex.
- Parks Crews made repairs to the black iron fence at the Fisherman's Park Riverwalk.
- Parks Crews trimmed trees and removed tree limbs from Convention Center grounds.
- Parks Crews completed routine mowing, weedeating and tree timming at various locations.





Recreation Operation Review

- February was Heart Health Month - that meant promo time!
 - Members got to nominate their "Heart Heroes" and who were featured on our TV at the Rec Center to let them know they've inspired someone else.
 - Punch cards - members who came 12 different days through the month of February got their card punched and won a prize!
- Music in the Park – The free event took place on Feb. 27th from 6-8PM @ Fisherman's Park. The performers included Nichole Wagner and Jenny Reynolds.
- Youth Discovery was held on February 10th and February 24th!
 - February 10th: Valentine's Toothpick Towers activity with one of our own engineers from the City.
 - February 24th: Kiddos get to learn some science behind how to take care of their heart and build a heart pumping craft model.
- Boot Scootin' every Wednesday night from Feb 5th - Mar 12th
 - Boot Scootin' Basics: 6:45 pm - 7:30 pm
Consists of lower impact, slower, symmetrical, more entry level line dances. Great for beginner to intermediate levels.
 - Boot Scootin' Blitz: 7:30 pm - 8:15 pm
Consists of higher impact, faster, asymmetrical, more difficult dances. Great for intermediate to advanced levels.
- Movelt Community Jam
 - Free Afrobeatz Workshop took place on Friday, Feb 21st @ 6PM at Rec Center
- First month City Scouts is in the books!
 - Kids were able to visit with the City Manager, take a tour of City Hall, act as City Manager, and vote on a protect as Council
 - FREE for kiddos ages 6-9 and 10-13
- Touch a Truck w/Movies in the Park planning is underway!
 - Saturday, March 8th - 6PM @ Bob Bryant Park
 - Around 20 vehicles attending, games and activities, concessions
- Upcoming events include a Free Basketball Clinic (March 17), Free Spring Break Pickleball Clinic (March 17), and National Walking Day Walks on April 2nd!



