

# FALL 2016 PROGRAM GUIDE

## Join us for the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Winternational Thanksgiving Day Parade



**THIS YEAR, 2 NIGHTS!!**

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**Halloween Haunted Trails  
 and Kids Fun Zone**



[NorthMiamiFL.gov/Parks](http://NorthMiamiFL.gov/Parks)

**NOW OPEN**  
 Sasso Pool • 1100 NW 125 Street  
 for information on swim lessons please contact the  
 Parks & Recreation office at 305-895-9840.

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**Register for all programs at:  
 PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE  
 12300 NE 8 Avenue, North Miami, FL 33161  
 305.895.9840**

## Register Online: [NorthMiamiFL.gov/Parks](http://NorthMiamiFL.gov/Parks)

Note: If you wish to conveniently register online and you do not have an account with us, parents and/or guardians must first come to the Parks and Recreation Administrative Office with proof of North Miami Residency (utility bill) and birth certificate(s) to set up your account.

### General Information

**1. The North Miami Parks and Recreation Department does not accept cash payments for facility rentals.** Payments may be made by money order, cashiers check or credit card for facility rentals.

#### 2. Refund Policies

**General:** Our policy is to provide a 100% refund for anyone who submits a written request to the administrative office prior to the start of an activity. Any written refund requests received after the first day of an activity will be processed with a \$20 administrative fee. After the third day of an activity, there will be no refunds. There will be no refunds issued for materials or supplies purchased for an activity. This policy does not apply to one day programs, athletic leagues, special events, adult trips or facility rentals.

**One Day Programs, Athletic Leagues and Special Events:** Our policy is to provide a 100% refund to anyone who submits a written request to the administrative office a minimum of one week prior to the start of an activity. No refunds will be granted within a week of an activity.

**Adult Trips:** Cancellation requests must be received by the Griffing Center a minimum of two days prior to the trip. A credit will be applied to your account for use towards a future trip or activity. No refunds will be granted within two days of the trip.

**Facility Rentals:** Refer to the facility rental application or call the office for details.

**3. Proof of Residency** - Proof of residency is required in order to receive the resident rate. (City of North Miami water bill or FPL bill.)

**4. Registration Policy** - A birth certificate is required for each child registered. Additionally, only parents and legal guardians are permitted to register their children. Parents must show valid identification at the time of registration.

**5. Returned Check Policy** - For each returned check, the City will assess a service fee of \$20, pursuant to Florida Statute 166.251, 1991. No payment by check shall be accepted if a returned check was received from an individual's bank during the past 24 months.

**6. Availability of Space** - All activities, programs and facilities are first-come, first-serve. Each program/activity session must be registered in advance. Activities with multiple sessions can be registered one session at a time or a combination of all sessions at once. Facilities must be reserved at least 30 days in advance.

\* Mail-in or Drop Box registrations are not permitted!

## NoMi TV

Comcast cable subscribers:  
Tune in to our government  
TV channel, NoMiTV 77.



E-Newsletter:  
Subscribe to receive E-news by clicking on the "Sign up for E-news" icon on our website at [NorthMiamiFL.gov](http://NorthMiamiFL.gov).

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**For athletics and stadium information, contact the Administrative Office at 305.895.9840.**

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**DARRELL PAYNE**  
 PARKS COORDINATOR  
 AERIAL AND TURF

### PROGRAM TIMES, AND FEES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

# LOCATIONS AND RENTAL INFORMATION

## CENTERS

### CLYDE W. JUDSON, JR. COMMUNITY CENTER

12100 NW 16 Avenue  
305.895.9840

### ENCHANTED FOREST ELAINE GORDON COMMUNITY CENTER

1725 NE 135 Street  
305.895.9840

### GRIFFING COMMUNITY CENTER

12220 Griffing Boulevard  
305.893.3771  
Annalisa Walker  
Recreation Coordinator

### GWEN MARGOLIS COMMUNITY CENTER

1590 NE 123 Street  
305.981.1518

### JOE CELESTIN CENTER

1525 NW 135 Street  
305.953.3080  
Shacora Jackson  
Recreation Leader II

### KEYSTONE COMMUNITY CENTER

13050 Ixora Court  
305.893.0521  
Ernesto Ramos  
Recreation Supervisor

### SUNKIST GROVE COMMUNITY CENTER

12500 NW 13 Avenue  
305.685.5461

## TENNIS

### PENNY SUGARMAN TENNIS CENTER

1795 Sans Souci Boulevard  
13 Lighted Courts  
305.893.7130  
Ross Dubins  
Tennis Pro

### PEPPER PARK TENNIS CENTER

1355 NW 135 Street  
12 Lighted Courts  
305.895.9840  
Ross Dubins  
Tennis Pro

## PARKS FACILITIES

### NORTH MIAMI ATHLETIC STADIUM

2555 NE 151 Street  
305.895.9840

### BEN FRANKLIN PARK

13400 NW 12 Avenue  
305.685.1383  
Eddie Milanese  
Recreation Specialist

### CAGNI PARK

13498 NE 8 Avenue  
305.895.9840  
Anthony Garcia  
Recreation Specialist

### CLAUDE PEPPER PARK

1255 NW 135 Street  
305.685.2265  
Andre Sorey  
Recreation Specialist

### CAGNI GYMNASIUM

791 NE 135 Street

## POINTS OF INTEREST

### MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART

770 NE 125 Street  
305.893.6211

### NORTH MIAMI CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

13100 West Dixie Highway  
305.891.7811

### NORTH MIAMI LIBRARY

835 NE 132 Street  
305.891.5535  
[NorthMiamiFL.gov/NoMiLibrary](http://NorthMiamiFL.gov/NoMiLibrary)

### NORTH MIAMI POLICE

700 NE 124 Street  
305.891.0294

### PARKS OPERATION CENTER

12181 NE 13 Avenue  
305.891.9334

### PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

12300 NE 8 Avenue  
305.895.9840

### NORTH MIAMI CITY HALL

776 NE 125 Street  
305.893.6511

### JAYCEE PARK

14195 NE 16 Court

### ENCHANTED FOREST ELAINE GORDON PARK

1725 NE 135 Street  
305.895.1119  
Lola Heasley  
Park Naturalist

### KEYSTONE PARK BOBBY HAMER FIELD

13050 Ixora Court

### KIWANIS PARK

12100 NW 16 Avenue

### NORTH BAYSHORE WILLIAM LEHMAN PARK

12220 North Bayshore Drive  
 Dog Park Onsite

### OLEANDER PARK

12100 NW 13 Avenue

### VETERANS MEMORIAL AT GRIFFING PARK

NE 123 Street &  
West Dixie Highway

## TOT-LOTS

### ALFRED BESADE PARK

11825 NE 19 Drive

### BREEZESWEPT TOT-LOT

12501 NE 2 Avenue

### ENCHANTED FOREST TOT-LOT

1725 NE 135 Street

### JOSEPH WEIL TOT-LOT AT KEYSTONE PARK

13050 Ixora Court

### KIWANIS TOT-LOT

12100 NW 16 Avenue

### NORTH MIAMI TOT-LOT

305 NW 136 Street

### PEPPER PARK TOT-LOT

1255 NW 135 Street

### ROTARY - OVERBROOK SHORES TOT-LOT AT ALHAMBRA HEIGHTS

200 NW 123 Street

### SUNKIST GROVE TOT-LOT

12500 NW 13 Avenue

## RENTAL FACILITIES

For information on available dates and rental fees for the following centers, contact the Parks & Recreation Department at 305.895.9840

### CLYDE W. JUDSON, JR. COMMUNITY CENTER

Maximum capacity: 40 people

### GRIFFING COMMUNITY CENTER

Maximum capacity: 75 people

### GWEN MARGOLIS COMMUNITY CENTER

Maximum capacity: 200 people

### JOE CELESTIN CENTER

Maximum capacity:  
Multi Purpose Room: 70 people  
Gym - Banquets: 250 people  
Gym - Athletics: 300 people

### SUNKIST GROVE COMMUNITY CENTER

Maximum capacity: 100 people

## PARK PICNIC SHELTERS

For information on available dates and rental fees, contact the Parks & Recreation Department at 305.895.9840

Available for meetings, parties, etc.

### ALFRED BESADE PARK

11825 NE 19 Drive

### CLAUDE PEPPER PARK

1255 NW 135 Street

### ENCHANTED FOREST ELAINE GORDON PARK

1725 NE 135 Street

## POOL

### THOMAS SASSO POOL & WATER PLAYGROUND

1100 NW 125 Street  
305.681.0701  
Gary Paulino  
Aquatics Specialist  
**NOW OPEN**



# YOUTH & ADULT SPORTS



## Pee Wee Soccer Ages 3 - 4

Keystone Park • 13050 Ixora Court  
\$50 Residents • \$70 Non-Residents  
October 10 - November 16  
Monday & Wednesday • 6:00 - 7:15 pm

## Youth Soccer Ages 5 - 12<sup>1/2</sup>

Ben Franklin Park • 13400 NW 12 Avenue  
\$100 Resident • \$120 Non-Resident  
September 12 - December 10

Co-ed Juniors (6U - 8U) Ages 5 - 8  
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday • 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Co-ed Seniors (12U) Ages 9 - 12<sup>1/2</sup>  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday • 6:00 - 8:00 pm

\* NO PRACTICE FOR ALL AGE GROUPS: 11/24  
\* Participants keep their uniforms (\$30 uniform fee included)  
\* Games are held on Saturdays at various locations.  
\* Schedules will be issued during practice.  
For Rainout Information Contact: 305-895-9840 (AFTER 5PM)

## Off-Season Skills Basketball Training Challenge

Ages 6 - 14  
Cagni Gymnasium • 791 NE 135 Street  
\$50 Residents • \$70 Non-Residents  
October 11 - November 17  
Tuesday & Thursday • 6:00 - 7:30 pm

## Ballet Class Ages 3 - 15

Keystone Community Center • 13050 Ixora Court  
\$70 Residents • \$90 Non-Residents (per session)  
September 27 - December 6  
Kinder (ages 5 - 8) Tuesday 5:45 - 6:40 pm  
Pre-Teen (ages 9 - 12) Tuesday 6:45 - 7:40 pm  
September 29 - December 8  
Pre-School I (ages 3 - 5) Thursday 3:45 - 4:40 pm  
Pre-School II (ages 3 - 5) Thursday 4:45 - 5:40 pm  
Teen (ages 12 - 15) Thursday 5:45 - 6:40 pm  
Uniform: Pink Leotard, Pink Tights and Pink Ballet Shoes  
\*Contact Miss Jessica for uniform purchase details



## Adult Co-ed Flag

### Football League Ages 18 +

Cagni Park • 13498 NE 8 Avenue  
\$425 per team  
Mens (18+) 5v5  
Co-ed (18+) 7v7

Tuesdays (begins September 13, 2016) • 7:30 - 9:30 pm

\*Registration fee includes (8) eight weeks of regular season games, post-season tournament, and referee fees.

Register as a free agent, group, or entire team. Contact Mikey Sheehan at [msheehan@northmiamifl.gov](mailto:msheehan@northmiamifl.gov) for additional information.



## Adult Volleyball League Ages 18 +

Cagni Gymnasium • 791 NE 135 Street  
\$325 per team (includes uniform)

Mens (18+)

Women (18+)

Co-ed (18+) (minimum of two women play at all times)

Fridays (begins October 7, 2016) • 7:00 - 10:00 pm

\*Registration fee includes (8) eight weeks of regular season games, post-season tournament, and referee fees.

Register as a free agent, group, or entire team. Contact Anthony Garcia at [agarcia@northmiamifl.gov](mailto:agarcia@northmiamifl.gov) for additional information.

## Men's Rugby Ages 18 +

Ben Franklin Park • 13400 NW 12 Avenue  
Thursdays • 7:00 - 9:00 pm

\*Practices are held on Tuesdays & Thursdays at Ben Franklin Park. Matches are held on various dates and locations, schedules will be distributed during practice.

For program and payment information contact Ernie Ramos at [eramos@northmiamifl.gov](mailto:eramos@northmiamifl.gov). No Experience Necessary!

## Adult Basketball League Ages 18 +

Cagni Gymnasium • 791 NE 135 Street  
\$350 per team

Men (18+ Open Competitive Division)

Thursdays • 7:00 - 10:00 pm (begins October 6, 2016)

Men (50+ Silver Division)

Saturdays • 9:00 am - 12:00 pm (begins October 8, 2016)

\*Registration fee includes (8) eight weeks of regular season games, post-season tournament, and referee fees.

Contact Anthony Garcia at [agarcia@northmiamifl.gov](mailto:agarcia@northmiamifl.gov) for additional information.

## Adult Soccer League Ages 18 +

Ben Franklin Park • 13400 NW 12 Avenue  
Men (18+ Open Competitive Division 11v11)  
Men (35+ Recreational Division 11v11)  
Men (50+ Silver Division 11v11)

Sunday • 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

\*Registration fee includes (8) eight weeks of regular season games, post-season tournament, and referee fees.

Contact Eddie Milanese at [emilanese@northmiamifl.gov](mailto:emilanese@northmiamifl.gov) or 305.685.1383 for additional information.



# Swim Lessons

**Thomas Sasso Pool & Playground**  
1100 NW 125 Street

OPEN SWIM FEE: \$3.00

FALL 2016 HOURS OF OPERATION

Closed Mondays

Tuesday - Fridays 10:00 am - 1:00 pm; 2:00 - 5:00 pm

Saturdays & Sundays 12:00 - 5:30 pm

**\$40 Residents / \$60 Non-Residents (Per Session)**

Note: (★) Must have instructor approval.

## SESSIONS *September - October*

### Weekdays

Session I 9/20 – 9/30/16  
Session II 10/4 – 10/14/16  
Session III 10/18 – 10/28/16

### Weekends

Session I 9/10 – 10/2/16  
Session II 10/8 – 10/30/16

## Preschool Water Fun *Ages 3 - 5*

Tuesday - Friday 4:30 - 5:00 pm

Saturday & Sunday 10:15 - 10:45 am

This class is designed for preschool age children emphasizing water adjustment, breath control, floating, and basic arm and leg movements. Participants will be grouped based on their swim level. Birth Certificate is required.

## Beginner *Ages 6 - 14*

Tuesday - Friday 5:00 - 5:30 pm

Saturday & Sunday 10:50 - 11:20 am

This class is designed to allow participants to adjust to the water. Some of the skills taught include prone glide, back float and basic arm and leg movements. Personal safety is stressed throughout this course.

## \*Advanced Beginner *Ages 6 - 14*

Saturday & Sunday 10:15 - 10:45 am

Students will continue to work on skills taught in the Beginner class as well as learn additional swim strokes, proper technique and basic water safety. This course provides more fundamental work to make your child a safe swimmer. Many of the skills are taught through games and activities.

## \*Intermediate *Ages 6 - 14*

Saturday and Sunday 11:30 am - 12:00 pm

This class gives students who have successfully completed the Advanced Beginner course the opportunity to perfect strokes, develop good technique and demonstrate prolonged endurance and survival skills in the water.

## \*Advanced *Ages 6 - 14*

Saturday & Sunday 11:30 am - 12:00 pm

This class is designed to refine the coordination of strokes. Participants will improve their performance of all the strokes and increase their distance, so they can swim with more ease, efficiency, power and smoothness.

## Adult Swim \$4 Residents - \$5 Non-Residents (class on-going)

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 5:00 - 5:30 pm

Learn to swim or improve your swim skills.

## NORTH MIAMI SWIM TEAM

This program is geared toward advanced swimmers that would like to compete and participate in a fun filled swimming atmosphere. Please call 305-681-0701 for more information.

For additional information on pool hours, rentals, swim lessons, and annual passes (individual and family passes available) call 305.895.9840.



# TENNIS

## USTA JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP

It is recommended that all players become USTA members. For \$20 a year you receive a monthly magazine, membership card and the opportunity to play at a USTA sanctioned tournament and in the USTA junior team tennis.

CALL OR VISIT EACH TENNIS CENTER FOR REGISTRATION INFORMATION ON GROUP OR PRIVATE LESSONS, ANNUAL PASSES AND COURT RATES.

### Penny Sugarman Tennis Center at Sans Souci

1795 Sans Souci Boulevard • North Miami, FL 33181  
Ross Dubins, Tennis Pro  
305.893.7130

#### Tiny Tot Tennis Ages 4 - 6

\$14 Residents • \$15 Non-Residents (per group lesson)  
\$72 Residents • \$82 Non-Residents (series of 6 group lessons)  
Monday/Wednesday/Friday 3:30 - 4:30 pm  
Saturday 9:30 - 10:30 am

#### Beginner & Intermediate Ages 7 - 14

\$14 Residents • \$15 Non-Residents (per group lesson)  
\$72 Residents • \$82 Non-Residents (series of 6 group lessons)  
Saturday 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

#### Advanced Junior Drill Ages 8 - 15

\$20 Residents • \$22 Non-Residents (per group lesson)  
\$100 Residents • \$110 Non-Residents (series of 6 group lessons)  
Monday/Wednesday/Friday 5:30 - 7:00 pm  
Tuesday & Thursday 5:00 - 6:30 pm

#### After School Tennis Ages 7 - 14

\$14 Residents • \$15 Non-Residents (per group lesson)  
\$72 Residents • \$82 Non-Residents (series of 6 group lessons)  
Monday - Friday 4:30 - 5:30 pm

#### Men & Women Intermediate Adults

\$18 Residents • \$20 Non-Residents (per group lesson)  
\$90 Residents • \$96 Non-Residents (series of 6 group lessons)  
Monday - Friday 9:00 - 10:30 am

#### Men's Tennis for Hard Hitters Adults

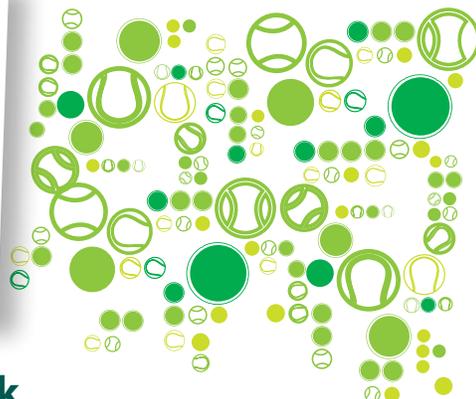
\$18 Residents • \$20 Non-Residents (per group lesson)  
\$90 Residents • \$96 Non-Residents (series of 6 group lessons)  
Saturday 10:30 am - 12:00 pm  
Monday & Wednesday 7:00 - 8:30 pm

#### Tennis for Life Beginners - Intermediate

\$18 Residents • \$20 Non-Residents (per group lesson)  
\$90 Residents • \$96 Non-Residents (series of 6 group lessons)  
Wednesday 7:00 - 8:30 pm  
Sunday 9:00 - 10:30 am

#### Tennis for Life Intermediate - Advanced Adults

\$18 Residents • \$20 Non-Residents (per group lesson)  
\$90 Residents • \$96 Non-Residents (series of 6 group lessons)  
Monday 7:30 - 9:00 pm  
Thursday 7:00 - 8:30 pm



### Pepper Park Tennis Center

1355 NW 135 Street • North Miami, FL 33167  
Sue Umminger, Recreation Leader 1  
305.895.9840

#### Beginner Ages 5 - 9

\$14 Residents • \$15 Non-Residents (per group lesson)  
\$72 Residents • \$82 Non-Residents (series of 12 group lessons)  
Tuesday/Wednesday/Thursday 5:30 - 7:00 pm

#### Intermediate Ages 7 - 17

This class is designed for juniors aspiring to achieve USTA ranking or play at the high school/collegiate level.  
\$18 Residents • \$20 Non-Residents (per group lesson)  
\$90 Residents • \$96 Non-Residents (series of 12 group lessons)  
Monday - Friday 5:30 - 7:30 pm

#### Adult Tennis

Private Lessons Available  
\*See onsite Pro Shop staff for additional information

### Pepper Park Tennis League

#### Men's Adult Evening League Adults

This league is geared towards advanced players interested in competing in an organized league setting.  
\$60 membership (includes a one year USTA membership)  
\*See onsite staff for additional information



Private lessons are available with professional instructors at each Tennis Center call the North Miami Parks and Recreation Department at 305-895-9840 for more information.

# NEED TO EARN COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS?

**Seeking volunteers and vendors for our events!**

**We are always looking for Artists, Musicians, Vendors, and Volunteers for events hosted throughout the year. For additional information on becoming a part of City events, please contact Andrea Ramos by phone at 305.895.9840 x.12227 or email at [aramos@northmiamifl.gov](mailto:aramos@northmiamifl.gov)**

# SPECIAL EVENTS



**FREE**

## Get in Gear Bike Ride

Oct 8 • Nov 12 • Dec 10

MOCA Plaza • 770 NE 125 Street

Registration Begins: 8:00 am

Ride Begins: 8:30 am

Escort Distance: Approx. 10 miles

\*Please bring your bicycle – Bicycles Not Provided

\*Helmets are required for children under 16 years of age



## Halloween Haunted Trails and Family Fun Zone

See Page 10 for all the details.



**FREE**

## Veterans Day Ceremony

Wednesday, November 11 • 10:00 am

North Miami Veterans Tribute Tower at Griffing Park

12220 Griffing Boulevard

Veterans of all ages, bring your family to celebrate this traditional ceremony to honor you and your service to our country. Light refreshments provided.



**FREE**

## 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Winternational Thanksgiving Day Parade

Thursday, November 24 • 10:00 am

Starts at NE 6 Avenue and runs east along

125 street to NE 12 Avenue • Stage Areas: NE 6, 8 and 10 Avenues

Our parade is celebrating 42 years in North Miami and continues to hold strong. Come celebrate and give thanks with your neighbors, family and friends as we welcome 90 years of the city's incorporation.

Competing bands, dance groups, professional floats, community groups and much more will be showcased!



**FREE**

## Light up North Miami Tree Lighting Ceremony

Thursday, December 1 • 6:30 pm

MOCA Plaza • 770 NE 125 Street

Enjoy holiday music, storytelling and dance as we light up North Miami's downtown plaza!



For event updates and more information, visit [NorthMiamiFL.gov/Celebrate](http://NorthMiamiFL.gov/Celebrate) or contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 305-895-9840.



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T.A.G.S offers community service opportunities for high school graduation requirements, social and cultural themed events, guest speakers, homework assistance, leadership and team building activities.

**October 10, 2016 - May 19, 2017**

Monday/Wednesday/Friday 4:00 - 7:00 pm

\*Admission fee required for select activities



Program participation waiver must be completed by a parent/guardian.

Contact Shacora Jackson at 305.953.3080 or via email at [sjackson@northmiamifl.gov](mailto:sjackson@northmiamifl.gov) for additional program and volunteer information.

Sign up for membership and register for programs at the

## JOE CELESTIN CENTER

1525 NW 135 Street | 305.953.3080

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 12:00 pm & 3:00 - 9:00 pm

Saturday 8:00 am - 2:00 pm & 3:00 - 9:00 pm

Membership includes access to the Gymnasium, Game Room, Computer Lab, Reading Room and Celestin Center Special Programs, and Events. Members will have access to other amenities offered at the facility.

### Annual Membership Rates

\$70 .....ADULT (18 years of age or older)

\$50 .....YOUTH (13-17 years of age) BIRTH CERTIFICATE REQUIRED

\$40 .....SENIOR (65 years of age and older)

\$170 .....FAMILY GROUP RATE

(2 Adults & 2 Children or 1 Adult & 3 Children - \$15 Each Additional Child)

FREE for Children

(12 and under, accompanied by an adult with current membership)

### Daily Entry Rate \$5

### Cardio Fit/Strength Training Ages 18+

Designed to enhance heart health and increase endurance through paced interval training.

Monday & Wednesday • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Tuesday & Thursday • 7:00 - 8:00 pm

### Cardio Sculpt Ages 18+

Burn calories with cardio warm ups, aerobics, body sculpting, abdominal, floor work, and cool down exercises.

\*Bring your own fitness mat and towel

Saturday • 9:00 - 10:00 am

### Pilates Ages 18+

This unique workout builds core strength, coordination, balance, and flexibility through a series of mat exercises, toning your entire body.

\*Bring your own fitness mat and towel

Saturday • 8:00 - 9:00 am



### Total Body Circuit Ages 18+

Circuit routines will assist in toning and sculpting the entire body while isolating and training muscle groups. Incorporating free weights, kettle bells, and more. Fitness routines are modified for all fitness levels.

Monday & Wednesday • 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Tuesday & Thursday • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

### Zumba Ages 16+

Let the music free your body! This ultimate dance-fitness party will groove you into shape with certified ZUMBA instructor Sabrina Murgas.

Monday & Wednesday • 8:00 - 9:00 pm

Friday • 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Contact the Joe Celestin Center at 305.953.3080 for additional information on fitness classes, youth programs and volunteering. FACILITY DAYS/TIMES/CLASS SCHEDULES/INSTRUCTORS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

**Griffing Center Activity Registration**  
 Griffing Center 12220 Griffing Boulevard – 305.893.3771 or  
 The Parks and Recreation Office 12300 NE 8 Avenue - 305.895.9840

**Annual Membership required:**  
 North Miami Residents - Free • Non-Residents - \$20.00



# ACTIVE ADULTS

## Pilates Ages 18+

\$5 per class or \$24 per session (6 classes)

October 21 - December 23

\$5 per class or \$32 per session (8 classes)

August 26 - October 14

Fridays • 7:00 - 8:00 pm

\*NO CLASS: 10/28, 11/4, 11/11 & 11/25

Wear comfortable clothing.

Bring your own fitness mat and towel.

## Yoga

\$5 per class or \$32 per session (8 classes)

Fridays • 7:00 - 8:00 pm

October 10 - December 12

\*NO CLASS: 10/31 & 11/7

Wear comfortable clothing.

Bring your own fitness mat and towel.



## Crochet Class Ages 18+

Learn crochet stitches and techniques to make beautiful ponchos, hats, afghans, and more.

\$10 per session (5 classes)

Mondays • 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

October 10 - November 7

November 14 - December 12

Supplies to be purchased by students

## Sew'n Sew Quilters & Crafters

Ages 18+

Wednesdays • 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Griffing Membership Required

## Sew'n Sew and Crochet Group

Annual Quilt and Afghan Donation Day

Wednesday, December 14 • 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Dedicated quilters, crocheters, and knitters have donated their "Made with Love" work to the deserving children and elderly from the Lotus House and North Miami Senior Foundation for Senior Citizens. Donation items will be on display to the public for viewing only.

## Jewelry Class Ages 18+

Make beautiful jewelry and bead work, learn stringing and wirework techniques.

\$20 per session (5 classes)

October 19 - December 7

Wednesdays (1st/3rd/5th) • 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Supplies to be purchased by students

## Nature Art Painting Class Ages 18+

Learn leaf printing techniques, painting on glass, clothing, bottles and more using items provided by nature. This is a great way to recycle and add new life to bottles, vases, clothing, sheets, lamps, and more.

\$14 per session (6 classes)

Tuesdays • 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

September 6 - October 11

Thursdays • 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

September 8 - October 13

\$16 per session (7 classes)

Tuesdays • 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

October 25 - December 20

\* NO CLASS: 11/8 & 11/22

Thursdays • 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

October 27 - December 22

\* NO CLASS: 11/10 & 11/24

Supplies to be purchased by students

**Note: All classes are subject to change and/or cancellation.**

## Bus Trips & Dine Out Club

**Ages: 18+ \$3 Transportation Fee**

Required one (1) week prior to the trip by Friday.

Cancellations must be made a minimum

of 48 hours prior to the trip at Griffing Center only. If cancelled less than 48 hours prior, NO refund/credit will be granted.

Entrance fees and meals are additional and paid to the venue site the day of the trip.

Note: All trips and times are subject to change and/or cancellation.

## Saturday Adult Bus Trips:

\*\*Return times are estimates\*\*

Pick up at 10:00 am from Griffing Center

As a courtesy to all Active Adult participants registered in Dine Out and/or Bus trips, we will allow a (5) five minute grace period before departing to trips.

### Frost Museum – Guided Tour

Admission: \$3

Saturday, September 17

### Butterfly World

Group Rate: \$16.95

Saturday, November 19

### Sawgrass Mills Mall

Admission: FREE

Saturday, October 22

### Festival Flea Market

Admission: FREE

Saturday, December 17

## Wednesday Dine Out Trips:

Bus leaves Griffing Center at 12:45 pm

September 14 • Islamorada Fish Company (Dania Beach)

October 12 • Chow Time Buffet (Pembroke Pines)

November 9 • Little Havana (North Miami)

December 14 • Cracker Barrel

REGISTER AT THE NORTH MIAMI PARKS AND RECREATION OFFICE, 12300 NE 8 AVENUE

Payments may be made by money order, cashier's check or credit card.

SPACE IS LIMITED! For more information, please call 305-895-9840.

# Afterschool Care Tutoring Program

Monday - Friday  
2:00 - 6:00 pm

Begins Monday, August 22, 2016

Residents \$20 per week  
Non-Residents \$25 per week  
Transportation from school to park site  
available for additional \$5 per week

Program runs throughout the school year.

Birth Certificate required for first time registrants.

Proof of residency required to receive resident rate.

There is no program on: September 5, November 11, 24, 25, December 26 - January 6 (Winter Camp) January 16,  
February 20, April 10 - 14 (Spring Camp), May 29. \*Dates subject to change.

Grades  
K-8

Free  
healthy  
snack daily

## Locations

**Sunkist Grove  
Community Center**  
12500 NW 13 Avenue  
305.685.5461

**Griffing  
Community Center**  
12220 Griffing Boulevard  
305.893.3771

## FUN DAYS

Ages 5 - 14 8:00 am - 6:00 pm

Teacher's Work Day? NO PROBLEM!

Enroll your child in our program for a full day of fun and activities.

October 3 • October 12 • November 8 • November 23 • January 23 • March 24 • June 9

\*November 8<sup>th</sup> Fun Day held at Joe Celestin Community Center Only (due to voting) \*Lunch/snack not provided

Afterschool Care Participant \$5 (per day / per child) • Non Afterschool Care Participant \$10 (per day / per child)

Griffing Community Center • 12220 Griffing Boulevard

Sunkist Grove Community Center • 12500 NW 13 Avenue

# Winter Break Camp



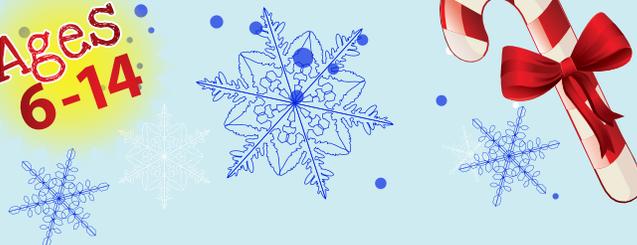
Keystone Community Center  
13050 Ixora Court  
305-893-0521

**\$90 Residents**

**\$110 Non-Residents**

Fees include all trips, daily snack, and related  
transportation. Campers must bring bagged lunch daily.

Ages  
6-14



Session 1: December 26 - December 30

Session 2: January 2 - January 6

MONDAY - FRIDAY

8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Campers will enjoy holiday parties, field trips,  
interactive activities, sports and nature experiences.



**NOW 2 NIGHTS!**

# Halloween Haunted Trails and Kids Fun Zone

**ENJOY** our popular haunted trails, costume parade, hay ride and kids fun zone with music, ghoulish entertainment and fall festive activities.

**Friday & Saturday**  
**October 28-29, 2016**  
**7-11 pm**

Don't miss the new **RING OF FEAR ZONE!**



## ENCHANTED FOREST

ELAINE GORDON PARK

1725 NE 135 Street, North Miami, FL 33181

FREE Parking at  
Johnson & Wales University (124 ST & 16 AVE)

**STARTING OCTOBER 3<sup>RD</sup>, PURCHASE PRE-SALE TICKETS AT  
THE PARKS AND RECREATION OFFICE, 12300 NE 8 AVENUE**

**BUY 4 TICKETS GET 1 FREE!**

1-Day Family Pack: \$20 (5 tickets)

2-Day Family Pack: \$40 (10 tickets; 5 for each event day)

**AT THE  
GATE**



1-Day Ticket- \$5, Ages 4 and up

2-Day Ticket- \$8, Ages 4 and up

FREE, Ages 3 and under

**CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS, CRAFTERS, ARTISTS AND FOOD VENDORS**

For more information call North Miami Parks  
and Recreation Department at 305-895-9840.



**NorthMiamiFL.gov/Celebrate**



Parks and Recreation  
12300 NE 8 Avenue  
North Miami, FL 33161

[NorthMiamiFL.gov/NoMiBus](http://NorthMiamiFL.gov/NoMiBus)

# Catch the NoMi Express!

## North Miami's **FREE** Community Bus Service

**FOR THE LATEST  
ROUTES & SCHEDULE**  
See [NorthMiamiFL.gov/NoMiBus](http://NorthMiamiFL.gov/NoMiBus)

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Buses run on  
BIODIESEL fuel,  
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Take a trip on the NoMi Express.

With four easy routes, this free transit service helps you reach a variety of destinations within North Miami with ease.

The NoMi Express operates Monday - Friday, with no service on weekends or City observed holidays. Please check the City's website for details or pick up a map and schedule at City Hall or Griffing Center.

For more information call 305-895-9883.



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