

**March 2014**  
**Parks & Recreation Newsletter Information**

**START SMART BASEBALL**

- **March 3 – 8:00 am: Registration** will begin for Start Smart Baseball at the Depot. Registration will close out once 20 children have registered, or at 5:00 pm on March 14, whichever occurs first. The fee is \$85 (\$95 for non-residents).
- The program is designed for children **ages 3 and 4** as of April 1, 2014.
- It is a **six week program** with emphasis on fundamentals. It begins with a parent meeting on March 25 at 6:00 pm. The six week sessions will be held on Tuesdays at 6:00 pm beginning April 1 and ending May 6. There will be a game and pizza/cupcake party on May 10 at 10:00 am.
- Registration must be done **in person** at the Parks and Recreation office.
- **Birth Certificate** copies are required for new participants.

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**ADULT SOFTBALL REGISTRATION**

- **Registration** for teams (not individuals) will begin on **March 3** at 8:00 am and end on March 31 at 5:00 pm at the Depot.
- **Fee:** \$280.00. No registration form accepted without payment in full.
- **Five leagues** will be offered: Open Coed, Coed Church, Open Rec., Open Competitive, and Men's Church.
- Teams may begin **practicing** once their entry fee has been paid.
- Leagues will begin **play** in May.
- For **more information**, please contact Morgan Lawley at 664-6840 or [mnlawley@cityofalabaster.com](mailto:mnlawley@cityofalabaster.com)

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**YOUTH BASEBALL/GIRL'S SOFTBALL**

- **Practice** began for Spring Baseball and Girl's Softball on Feb. 24.
- **Games** will begin on March 31.
- **Opening Day/Picture Day** is scheduled for April 5 at Veterans Park.

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## **YOUTH SOCCER**

- **Practices** for Spring Soccer began in late February.
- **Games** will begin at Municipal Park on March 15.
- **Picture Day** is scheduled for March 16.

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## **PAVILIONS FOR RENT**

- **Outdoor Rental Facilities:** Several of our City Parks offer pavilions for rental use. The best way to make sure your event happens at the location of your choice is to contact Parks & Recreation before our books are filled with reservations. Pavilions are available for use by permit only. There is a \$40 rental fee and an additional refundable \$40 deposit which must be paid before your reservation is complete.