

February 2015
Parks & Recreation Newsletter Information

PARKS and RECREATION OFFICE

Location: The **Parks and Recreation Office** is located inside the **Depot** at 100 Depot Street, Alabaster

Office Hours: Mon. thru Fri. from 8 am until 5 pm

Phone: 205-664-6840

Website: www.alabasterparks.org

ARBOR DAY TREE GIVEAWAY

- **140 free trees and seedlings** will be given away on Saturday, Feb. 28, at Veterans Park in the Maintenance Shop. Registration will begin at 8 AM. Tree distribution will begin at 9 AM.

ADULT SOFTBALL REGISTRATION

- **Registration** for teams (not individuals) will begin on March 2 and end on March 31 at the Depot as well as On-Line at www.alabasterparks.org.

BASEBALL/SOFTBALL

Jan. 31: Baseball Observations at the Thompson High School Baseball Field located off of Thompson Road:

- 8:30 am – Machine Pitch (ages 7/8)
- 10:30 am – T-Ball (age 5); Coach Pitch (age 6); Metro (ages 13/14)
- 12:30 pm – Minor (ages 9/10); Major (ages 11/12)

Children will need to bring cleats and glove.

Feb. 1: Softball Observations at Warrior Park located off of Thompson Road:

- 1:00 pm – 6U (ages 5/6) on Field A
- 1:30 pm – 8U (ages 7/8) on Field B
- 2:00 pm – 10U (ages 9/10) on Field A
- 2:30 pm – 12U (ages 11/12) on Field B

Feb. 5 – 8: Uniform fittings for Baseball and Softball at Buck Creek Field House. Time to be announced depending on team assignments.

Feb. 16: Fields open for practice.

SOCCER

Soccer Observations at Municipal Park on the 3 Acre Field located between THS & TMS:

- Feb. 5 – 6:00 pm – U6 (ages 4/5)
 - Feb. 6 – 6:00 pm – U8 (ages 6/7)
 - Feb. 9 – 6:00 pm – U9 Girls (age 8)
 - Feb. 9 – 7:00 pm – U9 Boys (age 8)
 - Feb. 10 – 6:00 pm – U10 Girls (age 9)
 - Feb. 10 – 7:00 pm – U10 Boys (age 9)
- Children will need to wear their Soccer cleats.

Feb. 17 at 6 pm: Coaches Clinic at Municipal Park on the 3 Acre Field.

March 2: Practices begin.

PAVILIONS FOR RENT

- **Outdoor Rental Facilities:**
 - **NEW: On-Line Pavilion Rentals** – now available. Please go to: www.alabasterparks.org
 - Several of our City Parks offer pavilions for events such as picnics, family reunions and birthday parties. The best way to assure your event happens at the location of your choice is to reserve it early.
 - Please do not send out invitations listing one of our parks as the event location before you have secured a pavilion through Parks and Recreation. The pavilion you plan on using may not be available.
 - Pavilions are available for use by permit only. There is a \$40 rental fee (no checks accepted) which must be paid before your reservation is complete.
Note: Inflatables, charcoal grills, and piñatas are not allowed in any of the City parks. Please see our web site for a complete list of rules.
 - All open picnic tables (those not under a covering) are available free of charge on a first come, first served basis.
