

Godley Park District  
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# Godley Park District

Newsletter

October 2020

As we try to move forward with planning events, programs, and trips, we are reminded of our mission statement: *to efficiently, effectively, and equitably provide the highest quality recreation programs, facilities, and park resources in cooperation with all community resources to enhance the quality of life for District residents, surrounding communities, and visitors.*

In the midst of the Covid-19 pandemic, we have struggled to operate as we normally do while still efficiently, effectively, and equitably providing what we are used to. With that being said, we've had to make cancellations and changes to programs, trips and special events. We are trying to make the most of the current situation and come up with some new ideas that allow for social distancing. The best way to stay up to date with all we have to offer is through our website ([www.godleypark.com](http://www.godleypark.com)), our Facebook page, or by calling us at 815-458-6129.

As your park district, we are here for you.



1st and 3rd Friday  
of each month

4:00 - 5:00pm

For more information, please join 'The Original Secret Pantry' group on Facebook, and let us know that you'll be in attendance. We'll also post in the group when we have pop up Pantry events.

Held at the  
Godley Park Farm,  
located just North of  
the Stumble Inn,

On the corner of Kankakee  
St. and Rt. 129 in Godley

## Godley Ghost Ride

Friday, Oct. 23 6:00 - 8:00pm

Ages: 2-12

The fun starts at the Park District's South entrance off of Smith Rd. where you will be given a map of our drive through Halloween event. Please make sure to stay in your vehicles as we hand out treats and goodies, and have a frighteningly good time!

## Spaghetti Supper

Join us for our first carry-out only Spaghetti Supper. Fee includes spaghetti, salad, bread, and dessert.

**Friday, October 30**

4:00 - 7:00pm, or while supplies last  
\$8 per meal

We will be accepting pre-orders at 815-458-6129 up until the day of. Walk-in orders are welcome.



Build a

## Faerie Garden

Saturday, Nov. 7

10:00am - noon

Ages: 12 to adult

\$28 per person

all materials included

Reg/Pay by: October 30

## Mark Your Calendar:

- Seniors Alive (Oct. 6)
- Circle Jam (Oct. 10)
- Board Meeting (Oct. 13)
- Godley Resident Luncheon (Oct. 15)
- Lunch Out (Oct. 28)
- Godley Ghost Ride (Oct. 23)
- Spaghetti Supper (Oct. 30)
- Seniors Alive (Nov. 3)
- Build a Faerie Garden (Nov. 7)

### Seniors ALIVE!

Those 55+ are invited to join us for a morning of bingo, lunch & more.

Dates: Tuesday, October 6  
Reg/Pay by: Monday, Sept. 28

Tuesday, November 3  
Reg/Pay by: Monday, Oct. 26  
Time: 10:30am  
Fee: \$8

### Lunch Out & About

Come join the laughter and fun as we venture to different restaurants. Fee is \$6 for transportation (lunch is on your own). All trips depart @ 10:30am.

### Brickstone Brewery (Bourbonnais, IL)

Date: Wednesday, October 28  
Reg/Pay by: Oct. 21

### Circle Jam

Do you play a musical instrument and want to join other musicians for a jam session? Give Circle Jam a try! This FREE program for all ages is held at the Rec Hall (next to the water tower.)

Date: Saturday, October 10  
Time: 5:00 - 8:30pm

## The Ark Encounter & Creation Museum

On this Ark Encounter bus trip, your group will go inside a life-size recreation of Noah's Ark! This bus tour also takes your group to the Creation Museum, the amazing Newport Aquarium, and a sightseeing cruise on the Ohio River.

**Dates: Monday - Friday,  
April 12 - 16, 2021**

Departing @8:00am

Fee: \$630 per person for double occupancy

\$809 per person for single occupancy

Ages: 18+

*\$75 deposit due at time of registration.*

**Final Payment due:** February 5, 2021



For reservations or more information, please contact Angie Krug at 815-458-6129 ext. 2

## Taco Bout Bingo

Our family bingo and taco night is back! Join us for a night of family fun and tasty food. Enjoy tacos as you play bingo games for prizes (no cash prizes). Fee includes tacos, drinks, and prizes. We will play traditional and kid friendly bingo games.

Due to Covid-19, our numbers are very limited for this event, so make sure to register early.

Date: Friday, November 20

6:00 - 7:30pm

Ages: 5 to adult

Fee: \$10 ages 13 to adult,

\$6 ages 5-12

Must Register/Pay by: Nov. 16 (No Exceptions!)



## Karate

Now accepting New Students!

Learn the basics of the traditional Japanese style of karate, known as Shorei Goju. Students are taught flexibility exercises combined with the kicking, punching, and self-defense techniques of karate workouts.

Instructor: Sensei Willis

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays,

November 3 - January 7

(No class Nov. 26, Dec. 24, or Dec. 31)

Time: 6:00 - 8:00pm

Ages: 5 yrs - adult

Fee: \$44 - 1 day per week, per session

\$64 - 2 days per week, per session

Reg/Pay by: November 3

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