



RAMSEY COUNTY

2015

COMMUNITY EVENTS and SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

FOR PEOPLE LIVING with MENTAL ILLNESS

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Community Events, Programs & Places for People Living With Mental Illness

ALL SUMMER LONG and ON-GOING in Ramsey County

Lowertown First Fridays

May through September

Lowertown First Fridays is an association of artists who open their studios (or have and established gallery arrangement) on the first Fridays of each month. There are 6 buildings listed on the website open to the public from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. This event runs from May through September between the spring and fall official St Paul Art Crawl. For information on the selected buildings open for First Friday events visit www.lowertownfirstfridays.org.

Landmark Center – Schubert Club

The Schubert Club schedule of free performances at the St. Paul Landmark Center run from October through April; Thursdays from 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. If a group of 10 or more are planning to attend – please inform the Club via phone at: 651-292-3267. Plan to arrive a little early as it is a first come-first served; seating is limited. In the Landmark Center the venue is on the third floor in the Judicial Chambers, Courtroom 317.

Movies in the Parks – St. Paul

Bring a picnic basket, blanket and lawn chair and enjoy the movie on the giant screen under the stars in the sky! Movies begin at dusk and are subject to change. Some sites have pre-movie activities. All children 10 & under must be accompanied by an adult. For more information call 651-266-6400.

June 19	Como Conservatory	Little Shop of Horrors (1986 Version)
July 9	Arlington Hills	Amazing Spiderman 2
July 10	NW Como	The Goonies
July 17	Highland Fest	Alexander & the Terrible, Horrible, No Good,...
July 23	Hayden Heights	Frozen
July 24	Hayden Heights	Frozen
July 24	Hazel Park	Big Hero 6
July 28	Edgecumbe	The Lego Movie
July 30	Hancock	Holes
July 31	North Dale	Paddington

August 6	Highland Park CC	Miracle
August 8	Como Dockside	VitaMN & Amsterdam Presents Music & Movies
August 12	Groveland	Big Hero 6
August 15	Como Dockside	VitaMN & Amsterdam Presents Music & Movies
August 20	Langford	Big Hero 6
August 21	Battle Creek	Annie
August 22	Como Dockside	VitaMN & Amsterdam Presents Music & Movies
August 25	Homecroft	Despicable Me 2
August 28	Pedro Park	Wizard of Oz
August 29	Como Dockside	VitaMN & Amsterdam Presents Music & Movies
September 4	Raspberry Island	Jailhouse Rock

Music and Movies in Mears Park – Downtown St. Paul

June-September (Thursdays)

This FREE concert series features local musicians, food, beer and wine, movies and more on Thursday nights throughout the summer in Mears Park. The event takes place in the Lowertown area of downtown Saint Paul, which is on the National Register of Historic Places. Action begins at 6 p.m. and ends around 9 p.m. For information, or in the event of bad or questionable weather, call Brian at 651-248-0857.

NAMI Movie Nights

3rd Saturday of every month at 1 p.m.

Goodwill on University Ave near Hwy 280

These National Alliance of Mental Illness, Ramsey County sponsored movies for NAMI adult members and friends offer popular features with free popcorn and beverages.

<http://www.namiramseycounty.org/saturday-afternoon-movies.html>

Nine Nights of Music Series

July-August, 2015

This popular series presents rich and vibrant rhythms and sounds of Minnesota's multi-cultural community at free outdoor performances at the Minnesota History Center. Bring a chair or blanket and a picnic, or purchase food at the History Center's Cafe Minnesota. FREE Admission.

Ordway's Summer Dance Series

June-August (Thursdays)

This weekly dance event offers free dancing and music in Landmark Plaza in downtown Saint Paul. The series highlights a different music genre and dance technique every Thursday with basic lessons by professional dance companies and live music by local bands. Admission is free.

Roseville Summer Performance in the Park

651-792-7006

Roseville's summer music and entertainment is all at Central Park. The Central Park Frank Rog Amphitheater is the venue, and from June through August there's a wide variety of music and family-friendly entertainment. For more information visit <http://www.cityofroseville.com/parks>.

St. Paul Music in the Parks

June - August

Hundreds of afternoon and evening concerts in just about every musical style in Como Park, Phalen Park, Raspberry Island, and Rice Park in St. Paul. All events are free, with the exception of the Thursday, Friday and Saturday Theater Performances.

Twin Cities Mobile Jazz Project

651-274-9956 – 2015 Schedule

Wed., June 3 –	North Commons Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	1801 James Ave. N, Minneapolis, MN 55411	
Wed., June 10 –	Powderhorn Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	3400 15 th Ave. S, Minneapolis, MN 55407	
Sat., June 13 –	Lake Harriet Bandshell	7:30 – 9 p.m. (Concert Series)
	4135 W. Lake Harriet Pkwy., Minneapolis, MN 55419	
Wed., June 17 –	Logan Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	690 13 th Ave. NE, Minneapolis, MN 55413	
Wed., July 1 –	Powderhorn Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	3400 15 th Ave. S, Minneapolis, MN 55407	
Wed., July 8 –	Folwell Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	1615 N. Dowling Avenue, Minneapolis, MN 55412	
Wed., July 15 –	Rev. Dr. MLK, Jr. Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	4055 Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis, MN 55409	

Sat., July 18 –	Rice Park	2 – 7 p.m.
	109 W 4 th Street, St. Paul, MN 55102	
Wed., July 22 nd –	Peavey Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	730 E. 22 nd Street, Minneapolis, MN 55404	
Wed., July 29 th –	Luxton Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	112 Williams Avenue SE, Minneapolis, MN 55414	
Wed., Aug. 5 th –	Minnehaha Falls Park	7 – 8:30 p.m. (Concert Series)
	4801 S. Minnehaha Park Drive, Minneapolis, MN 55417	
Wed., Aug. 12 th –	Theodore Wirth Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	1339 Theodore Wirth Parkway, Minneapolis, MN 55411	
Wed., Aug. 19 th –	Harrison Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	503 Irving Avenue N., Minneapolis, MN 55405	
Wed., Aug. 26 th –	Van Cleve Park	3 – 6 p.m.
	901 15 th Avenue SE, Minneapolis, MN 55414	

EVENTS: JULY – DECEMBER in RAMSEY COUNTY

JULY

Ramsey County Fair

July 15-19, 2015

Find information and a schedule of the 2015 County events at:

<http://www.ramseycountyfair.com/schedule.htm>.

Dragon Boat Festival

July 11-12, 2015

Lake Phalen Park in St. Paul, Minnesota, comes alive with two days of colorful, traditional dances and music to showcase the performance arts of Asia. Dances form the ceremonial to the theatrical and are as varied as the colors on the performers' authentic costumes! Free Admission.

Rondo Days Celebration

July 18, 2015

The Rondo Day Festival celebrates the best and brightest of Minnesota's African-American stories, achievements and culture. It reunites a dispersed people, welcomes new neighbors and encourages everyone to be mindful of the extent to which neighborhoods nourish our souls.

AUGUST

Irish Fair

August 7-9, 2015

The Irish Fair At Harriet Island in St Paul, features traditional step and group dance, music and Gaelic sporting events, Celtic marketplace and food, cultural displays, native Irish hound competitions. For more information visit: www.irishfair.com

IndiaFest

August 15, 2015

IndiaFest is the joyful celebration of the rich culture and heritage of India, by the Asian Indians with all Minnesotans. Celebrate India's Independence Day in Minnesota, where all nationalities are invited to experience the tastes, sights, and sounds of India. Admission is free.

Greek Festival

August 15-16, 2015

If you love great food and drink, and like to sample ethnic pastries, then don't miss the 2013 St. George Greek Festival in Saint Paul. "The World's Finest Greek Festival!" will feature a "Greek Café", "Bazaar", the Greek Dancers of Minnesota", music kids, activities, church tours and ore. Admission is always free.

Japanese Lantern Lighting Festival

August 23, 2015

Bonsai, martial arts, singing, dancing, drumming, delicious food and other aspects of Japanese culture, will be featured at the annual Como Park Japanese Lantern Lighting Festival, a family-friendly event, reminiscent of Japan's annual Obon holiday on the grounds of the Marjorie McNeely Conservatory in Como Park. Admission is free.

Minnesota State Fair

August 21-September 1, 2015

The Minnesota State Fair is the second largest state fair in the country. Known as the Great Minnesota Get-Together, this celebration highlights Minnesota's finest agriculture, arts, entertainment and all the food on a stick that you can imagine. <http://www.mnstatefair.org/>

SEPTEMBER

Concrete and Grass

September 10-12, 2015

The Lowertown Concrete and Grass music festival is a free outdoor event held at Mears Park in downtown Saint Paul. It celebrates the opening of the performance season and includes jazz, opera, chamber music, rock, dance, roots and world music. Free admission.

Selby Jazz Festival

<http://www.selbyavejazzfest.com>

A free full day of jazz from neighborhood, regional, national and international artists. Great food – Area artists’ demonstration – Fun family activities. Selby Ave JazzFest began as a vision of Golden Thyme Coffee Café owner and Selby community activist Mychael Wright in 2002. The first Selby Ave JazzFest took place on Milton Avenue between Dayton and Selby Avenues. A small, but enthusiastic crowd of between 600 to 700 people enjoyed an afternoon of great local jazz, food...and much needed dose of community healing. The Festival now includes Selby and Milton and continues to grow with up to 15,000 in attendance, multiple vendors and more.

NAMI Walk

September 2015

Every journey begins with that first step! As NAMI Walks celebrates our 13th Anniversary in 2015, we are proud to be the largest and most successful mental health awareness and fundraising event in America! Through NAMI Walks’ public, active display of support for people affected by mental illness, we are changing how Americans view persons with a mental illness. This is leading to ensuring that help and hope are available for those in need. Please join us as we improve lives and our community’s one step at a time. <http://www.namiwalks.org/>

National Recovery Month

September 2015

Recovery Month promotes the societal benefits of prevention, treatment and recovery for mental and substance use disorders. Visit the website to find out about local and national events.

<http://recoverymonth.gov/>

OCTOBER

St Paul Art Crawl

October 10-11-12, 2015

The Art Crawl is held twice a year in Lowertown St. Paul. The art crawl features artists displaying and selling their original art at 24 building locations throughout the city, primarily in Lowertown. The St. Paul Art Crawl has extended to locations along University and Grand Avenues, and the East and Westside neighborhoods of St Paul. Spring and fall events include special art events for the whole family, as well as musical performances. For more information:

www.stpaulartcrawl.org

NOVEMBER

DECEMBER

NAMI Christmas Party (Date TBD)

Visit the website for current information: <http://www.namihelps.org/>.

ANNUAL EVENTS in Ramsey County

APRIL

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April 24-25-26

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MAY

JUNE

Grand Old Day

June

Saint Paul's annual first rite of summer, Grand Old Day, takes place along historic Grand Avenue and features activities for all ages including: sporting events, Grand Old Day Parade, an Entertainment District with over 20 local bands, an Art District showcasing regional artists, a Family Fun District, a Sporting District, and over 140 outdoor food and merchandise vendors! Attracting over 250,000 people to this one-day event, you'll have a grand time. Free Admission.

Flint Hills International Children's Festival

June

During the Family Weekend, downtown Saint Paul comes alive with family-friendly events! The parks around the Ordway fill with free arts activities, art exhibits and performances on the festival's two outdoor stages and in the surrounding parks...all for free.

North Star Grand Prix Downtown Saint Paul

June 17, 2015

Saint Paul is excited to host the North Star Grand Prix Bike Race. Pro racing is a dazzling sport that can only be fully appreciated in person. See the colorful blur of racers fly around Rice Park and past the Xcel Energy Center, Landmark Center and Saint Paul Hotel. These racers need your energy so come prepared to cheer, clap your hands, stomp your feet and drive these racers to a higher level for free.

Northern Spark - Minneapolis Riverfront

June 13, 2015 from 9 p.m. – 5:26 a.m.

Minneapolis and St. Paul rotate hosting this event.

Northern Spark is an overnight event where artists and anyone who wants to share their ideas about experimental performance art can find a venue. Events will be scattered around the Minneapolis riverfront and throughout the downtown area. Explore giant video projections, play in temporary installations, and enjoy experimental performances in green spaces and under bridges. For more information visit: www.2015.northernspark.org

Back to the 50s Minnesota Car Show

June 19 – 21, 2015

Only in Saint Paul will you find over 11,000 slick hot rods in one location. Over 125,000 spectators join in on the action and cruise down to the State Fairgrounds to feel the vibe of America's past golden ages each year.

Twin Cities Jazz Festival

June 25-27, 2015

One of the largest free civic events in the upper Midwest, Twin Cities Jazz Festival attracts thousands of people to Mears Park annually to celebrate Jazz music for three days in the popular Lowertown neighborhood of Saint Paul. Admission is free.

NAMI Picnic

June 27, 2015. For more information please go to www.nami.org

COMMUNITY CENTERS

Ramsey County:

- Maplewood Community Center
www.ci.maplewood.mn.us
2100 White Bear Ave.
Maplewood, MN
(651) 249-2100
- Shoreview Community Center
www.shoreviewcommunitycenter.com
4580 Victoria Street N
Shoreview, MN
(651) 490-4700
- Oxford Community Center
Located in the heart of the historic Rondo neighborhood of Saint Paul and reconstructed from Oxford/Jimmy Lee Recreation Center built in the 1960's, the Center & Great River Water Park play a vital role in the community. The center combines water park features and state-of-the-art recreation and fitness amenities. The Center strives to serve Saint Paul residents and welcomes visitors from outside.
270 Lexington Parkway North
Saint Paul, MN 55104
(651) 642-0650
<http://www.stpaul.gov/index.asp?NID=1743>
Contact: Dan Berchem, Oxford Community Center, Facility Manager, Adam Zirzow, Great River Water Park, Facility Supervisor and Victor Mister, Jimmy Lee Recreation Center, Director
- Linwood Recreation Center
860 St. Clair Ave.
Saint Paul, MN 55105
(651) 298-5660 – contact Dave Danielson
<http://ci.stpaul.mn.us/facilities.aspx?page=detail&RID=135>

Saint Paul:

Saint Paul's Recreation Centers provide our residents with a place in their neighborhood to learn and recreate. They also serve as the community's gathering spot, the focus of Saint Paul's famously strong neighborhoods. This website has lists of activities, events, and a calendar that shows up-coming opportunities.

Contact Gwen Peterson, Recreation Programming Manager

25 West 4th Street - 500 CHA

Saint Paul, MN 55102

Phone: (651) 266-6400

Website: <http://www.stpaul.gov/index.aspx>

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS in RAMSEY COUNTY

Artability

People Incorporated

People Incorporated's Artability program is an annual celebration of the creativity and contributions of people with mental illness to our community. A series of art and writing workshops lead up to the multi-day Artability Show & Sale held each fall.

More than 100 artists from the Twin Cities and greater Minnesota participate in the workshops and art show each year. Artability is vital to the work of People Incorporated in helping individuals living with mental illness to work toward achieving their goals related to living independent and enriched lives. The show is a source of inspiration and pride for the area's mental health community, and encourages artists to explore their interests, share their love of art, and gain confidence in their skills. Artists may sell their work at the show and receive 90% of the profits, with the remaining 10% going back to support the Artability program. Writers also contribute their creative work to an anthology available for sale at the show.

Artability receives support from the community through donations of money and volunteer time. To help this program survive and grow, please consider volunteering or making a gift today!

Interested in participating in the 2015 Artability Show & Sale? The program is open to any adult (18+) with mental illness. Workshops are listed on their events page

For More Information on the Artability program, call (651) 288-3532.

Ramsey County Parks and Recreation

<https://parks.co.ramsey.mn.us/Pages/default.aspx>

Information from website:

Activities – Talk a walk in the park – or a jog, or a bike ride, or go rollerblading, skiing or skating. At Ramsey County parks and facilities the possibilities are endless. Activities exist for all skill levels and ages. Beginning and experienced golfers, swimmers and skaters can take lessons from trained professionals to improve skills. Residents and visitors to the area will find a variety of options for including healthy activity into daily routines. Lace up your tennis shoes or strap on some snowshoes and get active with Ramsey County Parks and Recreation!

* Archery and Horseshoes	* Biking	* Bird Watching
* Boating/Fishing	* Cross-County Skiing	* Geo-caching
*Hiking	*Mountain Biking	*Skating
	* Sledding	* Swimming

Ramsey County Historical Society – Gibbs Museum

For a list of exhibits and events: <http://www.rchs.com/exhibits.htm>

323 Landmark Center, 75 West Fifth Street, St. Paul, MN 55102

Ramsey County Libraries

<http://www.rclreads.org/>

Library Branch Phone Numbers – for general information regarding your library account use the phone numbers listed below. To contact a Librarian please call 651-724-6100.

RCL – Maplewood 651-724-6003 Option #3

RCL – Mounds View 651-724-6004 Option #3

RCL – New Brighton 651-724-6002 Option #3

RCL – North St. Paul 651-724-6005 Option #3

RCL – Roseville 651-724-6001 Option #3

RCL – Shoreview 651-724-6006 Option #3

RCL – White Bear Lake 651-724-6007 Option #3

RCL – Administrative Offices 651-486-2200

St. Paul Public Library Branches

Locations, phone numbers, hours, and bus routes - Go to sppl.org or
Call individual Libraries to find out about events for each month.

Arlington Hills Branch

1200 Payne Ave., St. Paul, MN 55130 | Phone: 651-632-3870

Hours: Mon. - Thur 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Fri - Sat 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Sunday 1 - 5 p.m.

Bus service: #61 and #64

Bookmobile

461 North Dale St. (office), St. Paul, MN 55103 | Phone: 651-266-7450

Hours: vary depending on location (Call above phone number for more information.)

Bus service: depends on location of bookmobile. Call the Metro Transit Commission (612-373-3333) or go to <http://www.metrotransit.org/contact-us> if you need information.

Call the phone number above to see when the bookmobile will be in your area or go to
http://www.sppl.org/sites/default/files/rcl/pdf/bookmobile_schedules/bk_summer.pdf

Central Library (downtown St. Paul)

90 West 4th St., St. Paul, MN 55102 | Phone: 651-266-7000

Hours: Monday 12 - 8 p.m.

Tues. - Fri. 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Saturday 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Sunday 1 - 5 p.m.

Bus service: Many bus routes serve downtown. Call the Metro Transit Commission (612-373-3333) or go to <http://www.metrotransit.org/contact-us> if you need information.

Dayton's Bluff Branch (shared with Metro State University)

645 East 7th St., St. Paul, MN 55106 | Phone: 651-793-1699

Hours: Monday 12 - 8 p.m.
Tues. - Fri. 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday 11:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday closed

Bus service: #61, #63, #74

Hamline Midway Branch

1558 West Minnehaha Ave., St. Paul, MN 55104 | Phone: 651-642-0293

Hours: Monday 12 - 8 p.m.
Tues. - Fri. 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday 1 - 5 p.m.

Bus service: #67, #84

Hayden Heights Branch

1456 White Bear Ave., St. Paul, MN 55106 | Phone: 651-793-3934

Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Fri. & Sat. 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Sun. 1 - 5 p.m.

Bus service: #64, #80

Highland Park Branch

1974 Ford Parkway, St. Paul, MN 55116

Phone & Hours: none given at this time- under construction - opening Fall 2014

Bus service: #46, #74, #80, #134

Merriam Park Branch

1831 Marshall Ave., St. Paul, MN 55104 | Phone: 651-642-0385

Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Fri. & Sat. 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Sunday 1 - 5 p.m.

Bus service: 321, #63, #84, #87

Rice Street Branch

1011 Rice St., St. Paul, MN 55117 | Phone: 651-558-2223

Hours: Mon. & Wed. 12 - 8 p.m.
Tue Thur Fri. 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday 11:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday 1 - 5 p.m.

Bus service: #3, #62

Riverview Branch

1 East George St., St. Paul, MN 55107 | Phone: 651-292-6626

Hours: Mon & Wed 12 - 8 p.m.
Tue Thur Fri 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday 11:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday closed
Bus service: #67, #75

Rondo Branch

461 North Dale St., St. Paul, MN 55103 | Phone: 651-266-7400

Hours: Mon - Thur 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Fri. & Sat. 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Sunday 1 - 5 p.m.
Bus service: #16, #50, #65

Saint Anthony Park Branch

2245 Como Ave., St. Paul, MN 55108
Phone: 651-642-0411

Hours: Mon & Wed 12 - 8 p.m.
Tue Thur Fri 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday 11:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday closed
Bus service: #3

Sun Ray Branch

2105 Wilson Ave., St. Paul, MN 55119
Phone: 651-272-8130
Bus service: #63, #70, #74, #80, #219

West Seventh Branch

265 Oneida St., St. Paul, MN 55102
Phone: 651-298-5516

Hours: Mon & Thur 12:30 - 8 p.m.
Tuesday 11 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Wed & Fri 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Sat & Sun closed
Bus service: #54, #70, #74

NEARBY COMMUNITIES: ON-GOING EVENTS

Cities of Minneapolis and Suburbs

Art in Bloom - May

Minneapolis Institute of Arts

2400 Third Ave South

This event features 150 displays of flower arrangements inspired by the museum's permanent art collection. For more information visit: www.artmia.org/art-in-bloom

The Draw Summer Events Series in Ramsey, MN

June - September

'The Draw' Summer Event Series takes place every Thursday night from June to September. Event includes: concert style music, dueling pianos, comedians, live radio broadcasts and much more. Several events feature free product giveaways from local companies. Food and drinks will be available for purchase during events. Farmers' market is adjacent to the amphitheater in 'The Draw' runs from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.! 7401 E. Ramsey Parkway, Ramsey, MN 55303.

<http://www.cityoframsey.com/thedraw-summerevent>

Minneapolis Parks Concert Season

June - August

For location information, call 612-230-5400 or visit <http://www.mpls.musicandmovies.com> Minneapolis puts on over 250 concerts at five venues covering just about every musical style. Concerts are most evenings, beginning in early June at Lake Harriet Band Shell, Minnehaha Park, Father Hennepin Bluffs Park, Bryant Square Park and Nicollet Island Amphitheater.

Minneapolis Music & Movies in the Park

Enjoy more than 200 free outdoor concerts at six outstanding concert venues in Minneapolis. The schedule features something for every musical taste including Jazz, Latin, Swing, Folk, Rock, Bluegrass, Classical and much more. Since 1892, Music in the Parks has provided residents and families the opportunity to gather and enjoy local entertainment in summer. Free concerts are at beautiful venues: Lake Harriet Band Shell, Minnehaha Park Bandstand, Father Hennepin Bluff Park, Nicollet Island Pavilion, Bryant Square Park and Theodore Wirth Park.

May 25, 2015 through September 7, 2015

Lake Harriet Park

Monday, Wednesday – Saturday – 7:30 pm

Sundays – 2 pm & 5:30 pm

Minnehaha Regional Park

Wednesday – Friday – 7 pm

Nicollet Island Park

Mondays – 7 pm

Father Hennepin Bluff Park

Tuesdays – 7 pm

Enjoy Food Truck Tuesdays at this location

Bryant Square Park

Tuesdays & Thursdays – 6:30 pm

Theodore Wirth Regional Park

June 16, July 14, August 18 – 7 pm

The Movies in the Parks series was created in 2007 to provide safe, fun and free entertainment to residents and park users. The movie series rotates daily among the neighborhood parks, and shows more than 60 movies with six different movie themes to choose from.

Monday – Saturday, June 7 through August 23

2015 Themes

- Action Hero
- Family Fun
- Minnesota Connection
- Movies with Meaning
- New Releases
- The Favs

Saturday, June 6	42	Northeast Athletic Fields
Monday, June 8	Frozen	Whittier Park
Tuesday, June 9	Lyfes Journey	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, June 10	Back to the Future	Jackson Square Park
Thursday, June 11	Diary of a Wimpy Kid	Live on the Drive
Friday, June 12	Ferris Bueller's Day Off	Lake Harriet
Saturday, June 13	20 Feet From Stardom	Lake Harriet
Monday, June 15	Maleficent	Elliot Park
Tuesday, June 16	Casablanca	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, June 17	Hunger Games: Mockingjay Part 1	Logan Park
Thursday, June 18	Selma	North Commons
Friday, June 19	The Blind Side	Windom South
Saturday, June 20	Divergent	Lynnhurst Park
Monday, June 22	Despicable Me 2	Van Cleve Park
Tuesday, June 23	Lee Daniels' the Butler	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, June 24	The Goonies	MaRae Park
Thursday, June 25	Alexander & the Terrible...	Franklin Steele Park
Friday, June 26	Pitch Perfect	Lake Harriet Bandshell
Saturday, June 27	We Bought A Zoo	Kenwood Park
Monday, June 29	Despicable Me 2	Cedar Field Park
Tuesday, June 30	Jurassic Park	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, July 1	Hoosiers	Hiawatha School Park
Thursday, July 2	Maleficent	Phelps Park
Friday, July 3	Willy Wonka & the Chocolate	Nicollet Island
Monday, July 6	Ice Age	Kenny Park
Tuesday, July 7	Say Anything	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, July 8	Happy Feet	Harrison Park
Thursday, July 9	We Bought A Zoo	Live on the Drive
Friday, July 10	Saving Mr. Banks	Lake Harriet
Saturday, July 11	The Princess Bride	Windom NE
Monday, July 13	Friday Night Lights	Bohanon Park

Tuesday, July 14	Breakfast at Tiffany's	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, July 15	Madagascar	Corcoran Park
Thursday, July 16	Annie (2014)	Morris Park
Friday, July 17	Big Hero 6	Shingle Creek Park
Saturday, July 18	Hunger Games: Mockingjay Park 1	Luxton Park
Monday, July 20	Ghostbusters	Linden Hills
Tuesday, July 21	Muted	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, July 22	Selma	Calhoun Neighborhood
Thursday, July 23	Selma	Sibley Park
Friday, July 24	Horton Hears A Who	Currie Park
Friday, July 24	Plans: Fire & Rescue	Lake Harriet Bandshell
Saturday, July 25	Cesar Chavez	Bossen Field Park
Monday, July 27	The Sandlot	Matthews Park
Tuesday, July 28	Christmas Vacation	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, July 29	Hook	Waite Park
Thursday, July 30	Selma	Dr. Martin Luther King Park
Friday, July 31	Night at the Museum: Secret of the	Stewart Park
Saturday, August 1	How to Train Your Dragon 2	Bottineau Park
Monday, August 3	Mighty Ducks	Keewaydin Park
Tuesday, August 4	Little White Lie	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, August 5	Glory Road	East Phillips Park
Thursday, August 6	Frozen	Dickman Park
Friday, August 7	Dumb & Dumber	Lake Harriet Bandshell
Saturday, August 8	The Amazing Spiderman 2	Lyndale Farmstead Park
Monday, August 10	Big Hero 6	Armatage Park
Tuesday, August 11	The Hundred Food Journey	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, August 12	Frozen	Audobon Park
Thursday, August 13	The Blind Side	Live on the Drive
Friday, August 14	Shrek	Powderhorn Park
Friday, August 14	The Muppet Movie (1979)	Lake Harriet
Saturday, August 15	Fantastic Mr. Fox	Phelps Park
Monday, August 17	Ghostbusters	Gluek Park
Tuesday, August 18	Million Dollar Arm	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, August 19	Gravity	Bryant Square Park
Thursday, August 20	The Help	Green Central Gym Park
Friday, August 21	The Straight Story	Lake Harriet Bandshell
Saturday, August 22	How to Train Your Dragon 2	Powderhorn Park
Monday, August 24	Up	Creekview Park
Tuesday, August 25	Top Gun	Father Hennepin Bluffs Park
Wednesday, August 26	Finding Nemo	Pearl Park
Thursday, August 27	Boxtrolls	Victory Park
Friday, August 28	Smokey & the Bandit	Lake Harriet Bandshell
Saturday, August 29	Beetlejuice	Beltrami Park

Twin Cities Pride Festival and Family Picnic

June 21 (Family Day)

June 27 – 28 (Festival)

The Pride family picnic takes place the week before the festival at Midway Stadium. The Pride Festival, located in Loring Park in Minneapolis, features over 400 exhibitors, 40 food and beverage booths, 20 sponsors and 300,000+ visitors participating in this free celebration of the GLBTQ community. Admission is free.

Taste of Minnesota

July 2 – 5, 2015

The Taste of Minnesota is held at the Waconia Fairground, west of the twin cities. The popular summer festival that started in 1983, will include Food, Family Fun, Music and Fireworks! The Waconia Fairgrounds are located at: 501 W. 3rd Street, Waconia, MN. For more information go to: www.atasteofmn.com

Uptown Art Fair Loring Park Festival/Powderhorn Art Fair

August 7-9, 2015

Uptown Art Fair features artists selling work such as sculpture, painting, jewelry, ceramics, and more. It is in Minneapolis Uptown and partners with Loring Park Festival and Powderhorn Art Fair. Buses transport people between parks. For more information www.uptownartfair.com/2015

Monarch Festival

Saturday, September 12, 2015

10am – 4pm | Nokomis Naturescape Gardens

Kids butterfly fun run, music, dance, hands-on art, good food, and plenty of monarch butterflies.

Push Cart Derby

Saturday, September 12th

11:30am – 1:30pm | Waite Park

Teams from all over Northeast Minneapolis, and the greater Twin Cities, will have a chance to take home the title of Push Cart Champion! Stick around after the Derby for food, music and kid's games. Free. All ages.

Minneapolis Bike Tour

September 20, 2015

7:30am | Boom Island

What a better way to explore the Minneapolis Park System than on a bicycle ride!

Disclaimer: This is not a complete list. Inclusion on the list does not mean the program is endorsed by Ramsey County. Some items may be free, other items may have a cost involved. It is up to you to make a phone call and find out before you go. If you have information to add please contact Kristen Jackelen at (651) 266-4423 or through email at kristen.jackelen@co.ramsey.mn.us.