

Club 50

Buffalo Grove Park District Club 50

Wondering what there is to do for fun?

Want a place to socialize with active, exciting people your own age? Become a part of the Buffalo Grove Park District's Club 50. This is a program for adults age 50 and over. Trips, lectures, services, refreshments and planned activities are all part of the excitement that awaits you. For more information, contact Brian O'Malley at 847.850.2146 or brian@bgparks.org.

Age: 50 years and older

Code: 550909-09

Date: May 1 2022 - April 30, 2023

R/NR Fee: \$20/\$25



All current memberships will expire April 30.

Benefits of Becoming A Member of Our Club 50 Programs

This membership entitles you to discounted member rates for many of our trips and programs, and enables you to participate in our many free lectures, lunches, parties and drop in programs. Be the first to find out what there is to do and avoid being placed on waiting lists. Membership is not required to enroll in classes or to make use of services that are offered. Resident/nonresident fees will apply.

Transportation

Wheeling Township - Bus service is available for Wheeling Township residents Monday through Friday from 9 am - 4 pm. Please call 847.259.7743 between 9 am and 1:30 pm to make a reservation. All reservations should be made 2 days before the travel date.

Vernon Township - Due to COVID-19 restrictions and lack of interest, Vernon Township is currently not providing transportation to the Alcott Center on Wednesdays, and will provide an update when that service is resumed.

Taxi Service - The Village of Buffalo Grove has negotiated a discounted fee for seniors. For more information on this program please call Village Hall at 847.459.2500. Forms are available at the Alcott Center Office.



20% Discount

Residents aged 62 and over, are entitled to a 20% discount on recreation opportunities through the Park District, except contractual programs and trips. This symbol  indicates programs that are eligible for the 20% discounted fee. This will help you identify the programs that will entitle you to an additional discount. This applies to programs in Adult Classes and Fitness and Wellness; eligible programs in the Adult Social and Club 50 sections have already been discounted.

Weekly Activities - For Members Only

New players are welcome, please stop by and join the fun.

Open Play

Tuesday at 11:45 am

Bridge

(For experienced players)
Monday and Wednesday
at 12 pm

Canasta

Monday at 11 am
Friday at 11:30 am

Texas Hold 'em

(For experienced players)
Monday and Friday at 10 am

Poker

Tuesday and Friday at 12 pm

Bunco

Tuesday at 12 pm

Bingo

Wednesday at 12 pm

Pinochle

Wednesday at 11 am

Knitting - Crafty Ladies

Friday at 9 am

Mah Jongg

Thursday at 11:30 am
For fast paced experienced players.
See the adult general section for
information on beginning classes.

Club Room

An unstructured space to meet friends
and hang out. The room features
board games, puzzles, a ping pong
table, putting mat, and some drop-in
activities.

Good & Welfare

Free to all members

Have a card sent from our Senior Advisory Council Board. Cards can be sent for any occasion, get well, congratulations, sympathy, etc. If there is a member you would like to send a card to, please advise any board member.

Birthday Celebrations

Wednesday, June 1, July 6 and August 3

1:30 pm

Free to all members

Enjoy monthly complimentary birthday cookies at 1:30 pm at the Alcott Center, provided by Brookdale of Northbrook and Vernon Hills.

Advisory Group Meetings

Wednesday, June 1, July 6 and August 3

Meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month at 10:30 am. Dates are subject to change, please call 847.850.2125 to verify.

Advisory Group Members

Rhonda Moore - President

Jan Latter - Secretary

Ilene Bernberg

Stella Faruzzi

Rose Payne



Sizzling Summer Party

Let's all get together and celebrate the beginning of summer. Our entertainment, sponsored by ReEnvision Eye Care, will be Maureen Christine. She will entertain us with our favorite songs to put us in the summer mood. For more information contact Brian O'Malley at 847.850.2146 or brian@bgparks.org.

Age: 50 years and up

Code	Day	Date	Time	M/NM Fee
150923-01	Wed	June 8	11 am - 12:30 pm	\$5/\$7

Location: Alcott Center

The Lunch Bunch

Join the bunch of us for lunch! Lunch will be delivered to the Alcott Center. Why not enjoy lunch before you begin playing Bingo or cards, or just come out for a day of fun? For more information, contact Brian O'Malley at 847.850.2146 or brian@bgparks.org.

Age: 50 years and up

Code	Meal	Day	Date	Time	Fee
150919-01	Pot Pie	Wed	June 22	11:30 am - 12 pm	\$6
150919-02	Chicken Sandwich	Wed	July 20	11:30 am - 12 pm	\$6
150919-03	Pizza	Wed	Aug 17	11:30 am - 12 pm	\$6

Location: Alcott Center

July 4th Fun

Let the fireworks begin! Entertainment will be Heather Braoudakis. Dress in red, white and blue, and let's have some fun. Why is Independence Day on the 4th of July? On July 4, Congress formally adopted the Declaration of Independence, which had been written largely by Jefferson. Though the vote for actual independence took place on July 2, from then on July 4 became the day that was celebrated as the birth of American independence. For more information contact Brian O'Malley at 847.850.2146 or brian@bgparks.org.

Age: 50 years and up

Code	Day	Date	Time	M/NM Fee
150924-01	Wed	June 29	11 am - 12:30 pm	\$5/\$7

Location: Alcott Center

Food, Fun & Friendship

Cesar Chavez said, "If you really want to make a friend, go to someone's house and eat with him; the people who give you their food give you their heart." Join us at our party, where the food is delicious and everyone is your friend. Entertainment, sponsored by ClearCaptions, will be Sandi Haynes. This will be a fun, entertaining party you don't want to miss. For more information contact Brian O'Malley at 847.850.2146 or brian@bgparks.org.

Age: 50 years and up

Code	Day	Date	Time	M/NM Fee
150920-01	Wed	July 27	11 am - 12:30 pm	\$5/\$7

Location: Alcott Center

Dog Day Afternoon

The phrase dog days or the dog days of summer refers to the hottest, most sultry days of summer. Let's celebrate the summer's end and the beginning of fall right around the corner. Randy Walker will entertain us with all of his summer favorites. For more information contact Brian O'Malley at 847.850.2146 or brian@bgparks.org.

Age: 50 years and up

Code	Day	Date	Time	M/NM Fee
150925-01	Wed	Aug 24	11 am - 12:30 pm	\$5/\$7

Location: Alcott Center



The Buffalo Grove Environmental Action Team is a group of environmentally conscious local citizens, eager to improve the community's natural environment, and encourage sound and sustainable practices. As part of our goal to encourage people to reuse and recycle, we would like to inform residents that a SWALCO collection bin was installed at the southeast corner of the parking lot at Emmerich Park. Please use this bin for new and gently used clothing and textile donations, in addition to torn or worn materials. Sorry, but shoes, pillows, cushions and rugs cannot be accepted. By recycling, you are doing a great thing for the local community, as well as the planet, by keeping hundreds of thousands of pounds of materials from our landfills. Other benefits include conserving energy and water, decreasing pollution, and reducing our carbon footprint.

Come join the team - you can make a difference! Visit our website page at bgeat.org, or call Jeff Weiss at 847.224.0965.