

SUMMER 2016 ISSUE

Summer at BFR



LOTS OF CLASSES
FOR YOUTH
AND ADULTS!

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Bluffton Community Olympics hosted at BFR on July 30

Teams are forming for this summer's Bluffton Community Olympics on Saturday, July 30. Team sign-up deadline is still available.

Bluffton Family Recreation in cooperation with the Village of Bluffton and the Bluffton Area Chamber of Commerce will hold the Olympics.

Team details

Teams from businesses, organizations, families, neighbors or friends may enter. A 10-member team with five men and five women can enter for \$350. Team members must be 18 or older. Proceeds from the Olympics will benefit the BFR's new turf and equipment fund.

Partnerships available

BFR invites businesses, organizations and groups to become Olympic partners by contributing \$500 or more toward the event. Partners may enter a team at no charge, will be recognized several ways and will assist in helping with the Olympics.

Sponsor invitations

BFR also encourages sponsors for the event. Sponsors will be responsible for running spe-

cific events and serving as its judges. Sponsors will also create prizes representing their business to the top three place winners in their event.

Olympic events

The Olympics will have eight events. From two to four team members participate in each event. The obstacle course at the conclusion of the Olympics will include all team members participating.

Morning events:

50-meter inner tube relay race
Corn hole tournament
Trail run
Sand volleyball

Afternoon events:

Shuffleboard
Basketball H.O.R.S.E competition
Horseshoes
Obstacle course

Contact BFR at 419-358-4150 for details on participating.



Here's your info on summer b-ball youth camps

BFR offers summer basketball camps for elementary and junior high youth in June.

A camp for first through fifth graders takes place Monday, June 13, to Friday, June 17.

Then, from June 20-24, is a sixth through eighth grade camp.

Camps are from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Jerry Tripp instructs the camps. Each camp covers passing, shooting, defense and dribbling.

Campers receive a free t-shirt. Registration is \$45 per youth or \$40 for BFR members. Sign up at www.bfronline.com.

Get ready for Tee Ball

Summer Tee Ball League for 5 to 7-year-olds takes place from July 11 to Aug. 11.

Games are Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6 p.m. at the Bluffton village park. Cost per member is \$30 or \$40 for non-members.

Lots of BFR summer youngster opportunities

Bluffton Family Recreation announces its summer classes for elementary-age youth, which include:

- Adventure Camp
- Fun Fitness
- Parachute Fun
- Olympic Stars

Adventure Camp – ages 3 to 6

Thursdays from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

June 16 –Space Invasion

July 14 – All About Animals

July 21 – Sports Galore

Aug. 11 – Time Capsule

Fun Fitness – for youth who completed K to 3rd grade

Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday, June 6-7-8

4 to 5:15 p.m. – snacks included

Parachute Fun – for youth age 3 to second grade

Friday, July 22, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

Parent or grandparent accompany required

Olympic Stars

For youth who completed K to 4th grade

Dabble in many Olympic events. Each day includes two sports
Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday, Aug. 15-16-17

5 to 6:15 p.m.

Youth golf clinic in June

BFR holds a golf clinic for youth in June.

Clinic instructors are Jerry Tripp and Nick Rackley and it is open to next fall's fifth through eighth graders. The clinic will provide campers with new skills and correct forms to learn the game.



Clinic dates are Monday, June 6, to Friday, June 10, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. The clinic takes place at BFR. Registration is \$25 per student or \$20 with a BFR membership.

Attention junior high boys: Let's play summer b-ball

Bluffton Family Recreation announces registration is open for summer junior high boys' basketball leagues.

The leagues have separate divisions for 7th grade and for 8th grade. Seventh graders play Tuesday evenings from May 31 to June 28. Eighth graders play Monday evenings from May 30 to June 27. Exact times will be announced.

Teams will play back-to-back double headers each week. The cost per team is \$300. All games are at BFR.

Adult softball leagues forming for July-August

An adult softball league is forming for summer play. Games are Mondays or Wednesdays at 6 p.m. from July 11 to Aug. 17 at the Bluffton village park.

The cost per team (6 players maximum) is \$300. Teams can register online at www.bfronline.com/register.

BFR golf outing June 10

BFR's annual golf outing is Friday, June 10, at Hidden Creek Golf Club, Lima.

Pre-registration deadline is June 3, or you may register the day of the event. The outing has a 9 a.m. rain or shine shotgun start.

Play is in a scramble format with skins. Cost is \$240 per team, which includes green and cart fees and a post-round meal.

Free gifts are provided with each registration. Prizes are awarded for the longest drive and the closest shot to the pin.



Bluffton Family Recreation is supported by the Bluffton-Beaverdam-Richland Township United Way.

Performance training options for summer available at BFR

Bluffton Family Recreation offers performance training programs of eight sessions each this summer lead by Jared Krout, BFR sports coordinator.

A Developmental Program, for youth ages 12 to 14, offers an introduction to performance training and adds a sport-specific component.

A Prep Program, for youth ages 15 to 18, offers a high-performance training program covering all aspects of athletic performance.

Participants may participate in all eight sessions or selected sessions. Cost is \$32 per session or \$200 for all eight session (savings of \$56).

Krout is a National Strength and Conditioning Association certified strength and conditioning specialist.

He specializing in teaching sprint mechanics and has a wealth of knowledge covering all aspects of training and competition with much of his knowledge coming from his experience as an elite athlete.

Also this summer...

Jamar Butler Basketball

June 18

Grades 1 to 4 - 9 a.m. to noon

Grades 5-8 - 1 to 4 p.m.

Registration \$50

Youth football camp

Grades 4 to 6

Coming in July

Watch for details

Aug. 12 brisket barbecue

Tickets \$9 available

at Bluffton Family Recreation



Get ready for another sand volleyball season

Bluffton Family Recreation is accepting registrations for its summer adult coed sand volleyball league, according to Joseph Beagle, director.

The five-week season includes matches each Tuesday in June from 7 and 8 p.m. at the Bluffton University sand courts on Rosenberger Drive.

Each team must have at least three women on the court at all times. Best of three matches wins and team members must be 18 as of June 1. Registration is \$150 per team.



Sign-up underway for July 16 Ride to Remember

Bluffton's 2nd annual Ride to Remember bike ride on Saturday, July 16, offers several new features, according to the planning committee.

BFR is one of the event sponsors.

This year's ride begins and ends at the Bluffton Community Swimming Pool at Main and Snider Road, next to BFR.

Registrations are being accepted at:
www.RideToRemember.net.

Challenger Sports soccer camps set for June and July

Two Challenger Sports soccer camps are scheduled at Bluffton Family Recreation this summer.

TetraBrazil Soccer Academy

TetraBrazil Soccer Academy takes place from Monday to Friday, June 6-10, for youth ages 6 to 18.

Fees are \$165 for half-day (9 a.m. to noon), or \$214 for full day (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.).

British Soccer Camp

British Soccer Camp takes place from Monday, July 25, to Friday, July 29.

The camp has classes for youth ages 3-4, 4-6, 6-16 and 10-18 at various times during the day with varying registration fees.

Sign up for either or both camps at www.challengersports.com or mail application and check payable to Challenger Sports, Simon Wigley, 1329 E. Kemper Road, Suite 4214, Cincinnati, OH 45246.

For more details on any of our programs contact:



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