

# Pioneer Post

Oak Brook Park District

WINTER & SPRING 2019

## Winter & Spring Itinerary

Keep track of the programs you register for and see what's coming this season.

### Be Adventurous: Excursions

Tiki Terrace Lunch and Show  
**February 19**

The Producers  
**March 6**

Mamma Mia!  
**March 21**

Art in Bloom at Milwaukee  
Art Museum  
**April 11**

Historical Chicago Parks  
Series -Art in the Parks  
**May 1**

West Side Story  
**May 22**

Starved Rock Lunch, Trolley  
and Cruise  
**June 6**



### Movie Matinees

**Jan. 24** | *The Post*  
**Feb. 28** | *Age of Adaline*  
**Mar. 28** | *Finding Your Feet*  
**Apr. 25** | *Crazy Rich Asians*  
**May 23** | *Christopher Robin*

### Be Active

American Mah Jongg  
**January 18- May 10**

BINGO  
**January 10- May 9**

Brain Games  
**February 18- May 20**

AARP Driver Safety  
**February 26-27**

Rules of the Road  
**March 15**

## REGISTRATION DATES

**Residents: December 3**

**Nonresidents: December 17**

Get into the program or trip you want right away! Register online at [www.obparks.org](http://www.obparks.org).



### Monday Pioneer Pinstripes Club Starts February 11

Come join our **growing** club for bowling or bocce fun, great food, and socialization Mondays from 1-3pm starting February 11 at Pinstripes, 7 Oakbrook Center, Oak Brook, IL. Fee of \$12 gives you lunch, coffee or tea, and two hours of games. (Gratuity not included in price). Attend four afternoons and receive an official club shirt. Call 630-645-9516 with questions.

# Information

## Facilities & Hours

Hours may vary - see [www.obparks.org](http://www.obparks.org) for specific hours.

### Family Recreation Center

1450 Forest Gate Road  
Oak Brook, IL 60523  
Phone: 630-990-4233  
Fax: 630-990-8379

### Administration Office

Phone: 630-645-9590  
Fax: 630-990-8379  
M-F..... 9am-5pm

### Tennis Center

1300 Forest Gate Road  
Oak Brook, IL 60523  
Phone: 630-990-4660  
Fax: 630-990-4818

## Holiday Hours & Closings

All facilities will open according to regular hours and close at 1pm (12:30pm pool) on Dec. 24, 31.

All facilities will be closed Nov. 22, Dec. 25, Jan. 1, April 21.

### Some additional info:

- If you have a food allergy or special need, indicate it on the registration form.
- If you wish to sit by a friend at an event, please indicate that ahead of time.

**Full refunds are available on all Pioneer activities cancelled by the Park District. Full refund information can be found on the back page.**

## Kim's Corner

Dear Pioneers,

Thank you for supporting me in so many ways in 2018! I appreciate all the feedback and ideas you have given me over the last year! We have included a survey about the Pioneer Program in this Pioneer Post. I feel this will be very helpful in planning activities in the future. I want to make sure I am offering you the programs, day trips and extended travel that you would enjoy.

I would really appreciate if you could complete the survey and include activities you would plan to attend. Please feel free to write in suggestions as well. We will hold a drawing for two \$25 Pioneer program gift cards at the Movie Matinee on Thursday, November 29th at 1pm. Everyone that returns a survey by that time will be entered as long as your name is on the survey.

Please drop the survey at the Front Desk check in at the Family Recreation Center or mail it to: Oak Brook Park District, Attn. Kim Catris, 1450 Forest Gate Road, Oak Brook, IL 60523.

And as always, please feel free to call me at 630-645-9516 or email me at [kcatris@obparks.org](mailto:kcatris@obparks.org) with any questions or concerns.

Kim



**Join the Oak Brook Park District Travel Club to experience the sights of the Historic Pennsylvania and the Legends of the American West.**

**Philadelphia, The Poconos, & Brandywine Valley | May 5-10, 2019**

**Black Hills, Badlands, & Legends of the West | September 18-24, 2019**

**Information Meeting: Tuesday, February 19 at 6pm.  
Family Recreation Center**

### Walking Guide for Trips

To assist you in selecting your trips, we include a walking icon for each excursion description to indicate the level of physical activity for that specific trip.



Light walking with few stairs.



Moderate walking and/or some stairs.



Extensive walking and/or many stairs.

Register for **FREE** programs so we can make accurate preparations. **Call-ahead required, call 630-645-9516.**

### BINGO-2nd Thursday

Enjoy the fun of friendly competition when playing BINGO with Pioneer friends in the Canterbury Room at the Family Recreation Center. Prizes provided. [Canterberry Room](#).

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10551	Th	1/10-5/9	1:30-3pm	Free

### Brain Games - 3rd Monday

Exercise your mental muscle with a variety of math and word activities, puzzles, games and fun activities. This interactive program is designed for people who want to keep their brain healthy and active. You'll be surprised how fun exercising your brain can be. [Canterberry Room](#).

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10550	M	2/18-5/20	9:30-11am	Free

### AARP Driver Safety

The AARP Course's goal is to keep seniors safe and mobile. Family members may also register for the course to understand the issues facing older adults. Sign up at Oak Brook Park District or online to reserve a space. Pay by cash or check of \$15 for AARP members or \$20 for non-AARP members. Fee is collected in class by the instructor. [Canterberry Room](#).

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10549	TuW	2/26-2/27	1-5pm	See Above

### Rules of the Road

This is a driver's training review course taught by an instructor from the Secretary of State's office. Advanced registration is recommended for this free class. Materials will be provided. [Canterberry Room](#).

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10548	F	3/15	1:30-3:30pm	Free

### American Mah Jongg

Learn how to play American Mah Jongg in a comfortable, instructional environment. It is both a game of skill and luck (and very addicting!). It uses tiles to match suits and pick up/discard, much like how we use cards in games. [Canterberry Room](#).

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10545	F	1/18-2/15	10am-12pm	Free
10546	F	3/1-3/29	10am-12pm	Free
10547	F	4/12-5/10	10am-12pm	Free

## THURSDAY MOVIE MATINEES

Enjoy a flick with Pioneer friends! Snacks & water provided. **Movies are shown in the Canterbury Room. All movies are free.**

### January - The Post

Katharine Graham is the first female publisher of a major American newspaper-The Washington Post. With help from editor Ben Bradlee, Graham races to expose a cover-up of government secrets. Based on a true story.

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10469	Th	1/24	1-3:30pm	Free

### February - The Age of Adaline

After an accident in 1937 magically makes Adaline Bowman ageless, she never allows herself to get close to anyone who might reveal her secret. When a weekend trip threatens to uncover the truth, Adaline makes a decision that will change her life forever.

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10470	Th	2/28	1-3:30pm	Free

### March - Finding Your Feet

When 'Lady' Sandra Abbot seeks refuge in London with her estranged older sister Bif, Sandra is a fish out of water next to her free spirited sibling, and she reluctantly lets Bif drag her along to a meet her friends who show Sandra that retirement is a beginning, and divorce could be her new lease on life and love.

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10471	Th	3/28	1-3:30pm	Free

### April - Crazy Rich Asians

Based on the acclaimed bestseller novel by Kevin Kwan, the story follows Rachel Shu, as she travels with her longtime boyfriend, Nick, to his hometown of Singapore for his best friend's wedding. Before long, his secret is out: Nick is from one of the country's wealthiest families and is perhaps the most eligible bachelor in Asia.

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10472	Th	4/25	1-3:30pm	Free

### May - Christopher Robin

In this heartwarming action adventure, Christopher Robin -- now a family man living in London -- receives a surprise visit from his old childhood pal, Winnie the Pooh. Pooh and company help Christopher Robin remember the loving and playful boy who is still inside, and rediscover the joy of life.

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10473	Th	5/23	1-3:30pm	Free

## Tiki Terrace Lunch and Show

Chase those Winter blues away and come join us for a Hawaiian Luau at Tiki Terrace in Des Plaines. They have been featured on many TV shows, the latest being Chicago's Best. We will receive a family style authentic Hawaiian lunch and one-hour dance show. The lunch includes Kalua Pork, Coconut Chicken, Vegetable Stir Fry, rice and cole slaw. They will perform a variety of dances from the South Pacific and feature the beautiful costumes of Hawaii, Tahiti, Samoa, and New Zealand. Trip includes lunch, show and transportation. **Register by 2/5.**

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10553	Tu	2/19	10:30am-2:45pm	\$66/\$72

## The Producers

Join us for a Mel Brook's uproariously funny musical at Paramount Theatre in Aurora. Set in New York, 1959, Max Bialystock was once the king of Broadway, but now all his shows close on opening night. Things turn around when he's visited by the neurotic accountant Leo Bloom, who proposes a scheme tailor-made for producers who can only make flops. Lunch will be at Ballydoyle Restaurant in Aurora before the show. **Register by 2/12.**

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10554	W	3/6	10:30am-4:30pm	\$112/\$118

## Mamma Mia!

Join us for lunch and the international megahit Mamma Mia! at Drury Lane. The musical tells a hilarious story of marriage, family and finding where you belong, proving that in the end the winner takes it all. Lunch includes salad, Grilled Marsala Chicken Breast, Parmesan Crusted Flounder, or Crepe Florentine followed by a pastry from the display. Please note your entree choice on the registration form. We will meet at Drury Lane. **Register by 2/28.**

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10946	Th	3/21	11:15am-3:45pm	\$70/\$76

## Art in Bloom at Milwaukee Art Museum

Spring comes alive at the Milwaukee Art Museum in April. Join us for this special exhibition of fragrant beauty, where you will enjoy artful floral arrangements created by top designers inspired by the collection at the Museum. We will self-tour Art in Bloom and have time to explore some of the 30,000 other works of art as well. We will enjoy a gourmet lunch at Mason Street Grill in the historic Pfister Hotel before arriving at the Museum. **Register by 3/29.**

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10841	Th	4/11	9:30am-5:30pm	\$99/\$105

## Historical Chicago Parks Series - Art in the Parks

Julia Bachrach, a Chicago Historian, will be leading us on our second Historical Parks Tour. Since the late 19th Century, Chicago's parks have included some of the nation's most important works of outdoor public art. On this tour you will explore an array of public monuments created by renowned artists over more than a century. We will have lunch along the way. **Register by 4/19.**

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10906	W	5/1	9am-4:30pm	\$92/\$98

## Westside Story at Lyric Opera

Join us as we experience Westside Story from Main Floor 3 seats at the Lyric Opera. Tony and Maria are two wide-eyed teenagers from opposing gangs who fall in love. As their friends and family battle with one another, Tony and Maria long for a place for us somewhere. Their songs illuminate every scene and permeate our culture, from the romance of "Maria" and "Tonight" to the exuberance of "America" and the humor of "Gee, Officer Krupke". Add to that the bold, iconic dances of Jerome Robbins that sizzle with energy, and you have a musical-theater experience you'll never forget. We will enjoy a delicious lunch before the musical at Rivers Restaurant. **Register by 4/5.**

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10830	W	5/22	10:15am-5:15pm	\$155/\$161

## Starved Rock Lunch, Trolley and Cruise

Kick off summer with a fun filled day with us at beautiful Starved Rock! The tour begins with lunch in the historic dining room at the Lodge and time to shop at the Gift Shop. After lunch, we will board one of Starved Rock Trolleys for a tour with history and legends of the area. The trolley will then take us to the new river boat, "The Eagle I" where we will leisurely cruise the scenic east end of the Starved Rock State Park area by water. A day filled with great food, history and scenery! **Register by 5/30.**

Code	Day	Date	Time	R/NR
10945	Th	6/6	9:15am-4pm	\$86/\$92

**All Excursions Depart from the Tennis Center Parking lot unless noted otherwise.**



# Pioneer Program Registration Form

Oak Brook Park District

www.obparks.org | (630) 645-9590 | registration@obparks.org

**Winter/Spring 2019 Registration | Separate households require separate forms.**

## Part 1 Household Information

Names \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate (required): \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

**(to receive email confirmations)**

**\*\*Please indicate if a registrant has any dietary needs or requires any special accommodation or assistance for enjoyment of programs. Any request needs to be made at registration. \_\_\_\_\_**

## Part 2 Program Registration

Code (please circle)	Activity	Date	R/NR Fee	Location	Fees Paid
10550	Brain Games	2/18, 3/18, 4/15, 5/20	Free	Canterberry Room	
10548	Rules of the Road	3/15	Free	Canterberry Room	
10545	Mah Jongg	1/18-2/15	Free	Canterberry Room	
10546	Mah Jongg	3/1-3/29	Free	Canterberry Room	
10547	Mah Jongg	4/12-5/10	Free	Canterberry Room	
10551	Bingo	1/10, 2/14, 3/14, 4/11, 5/9	Free	Canterberry Room	
10549	AARP Safety	2/26-2/27	See Class	Canterberry Room	
9747	Miracle on 34th Street Sirloin Shrimp Skewer	12/12	\$105/\$111	Tennis Center Parking Lot - Bus	
9746	Salute to Vienna Rib Salmon Veggie	12/30	\$157/\$163	Tennis Center Parking Lot - Bus	
10553	Tiki Terrace Lunch and Show	2/19	\$66/\$72	Tennis Center Parking Lot - Bus	
10554	"The Producers" at the Paramount	3/6	\$112/\$118	Tennis Center Parking Lot - Bus	
10946	"Mamma Mia!" Chicken Flounder Crepe	3/21	\$70/\$76	Meet at Drury Lane	
10841	Art in Bloom at Milwaukee Art Museum	4/11	\$99/\$105	Tennis Center Parking Lot - Bus	
10906	Historical Chicago	5/1	\$92/\$98	Tennis Center Parking Lot - Bus	
10830	"Westside Story" at Lyric Opera	5/22	\$155/\$161	Tennis Center Parking Lot - Bus	
10945	Starved Rock Lunch & Cruise	6/6	\$86/\$92	Tennis Center Parking Lot - Bus	
10469	January Movie - <i>The Post</i>	1/24	Free	Canterberry Room	
10470	February Movie - <i>Age of Adaline</i>	2/28	Free	Canterberry Room	
10471	March Movie - <i>Finding Your Feet</i>	3/28	Free	Canterberry Room	
10472	April Movie - <i>Crazy Rich Asians</i>	4/25	Free	Canterberry Room	
10473	May Movie - <i>Christopher Robin</i>	5/23	Free	Canterberry Room	
	Pinstripes Club Mondays	2/11-5/6	Pay on site	Meet at Pinstripes	
Form continues on the back				Total Fees Paid	

**Part 3 Payment Information**

**CREDIT CARD ACCOUNT NUMBER (This section must be completed when paying by credit card.)**

Circle One:                        Exp. Date

Name of Cardholder \_\_\_\_\_ CVV \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Charge Amount\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Must have signature to be processed.)*

By execution of this authorization, the undersigned hereby gives the Oak Brook Park District permission to charge the credit card identified here-in for all charges accrued at the Oak Brook Park District for all listed Authorized Individuals. Patrons are responsible to notify the OBPD of any changes of address, credit card or expiration date information.

**Keep my card on file.** Signature of Cardholder: \_\_\_\_\_

**USE MY CARD ON FILE (IF SAVED)** Signature of Cardholder: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV \_\_\_\_\_

**MY CHECK IS ENCLOSED.** Please make checks payable to the Oak Brook Park District. **A \$25 fee will be charged for all returned checks.**

The Oak Brook Park District Foundation is a nonprofit (501c3) organization committed to assisting the Oak Brook Park District by securing philanthropic support on its behalf to enhance the use, growth, and preservation of parks, open lands, facilities, and programs.

**I would like to make a donation (enclosed) to the Oak Brook Park District Foundation in the amount of \$** \_\_\_\_\_

\*Make checks payable to Oak Brook Park District Foundation.

**WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK:**

Please read this form carefully and be aware in registering yourself or your minor child/ward for participation in the above program/programs, you will be waiving and releasing all claims for injuries you or your minor child/ward might sustain arising out of your participation in the program/programs you have registered for. I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participants in the above program(s) and I agree to assume the full risk of any injuries, damages or loss regardless of severity which I or my minor child/ward may sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with or associated with such program(s). I agree to waive and relinquish all claims my minor child/ward or I may have as a result of participating in the program against the District and its officers, agents, servants and employees. I do hereby fully release and discharge the District and its officers, agents, servants and employees from any and all claims from injuries, damage or loss which I or my minor child/ward may have or which may accrue to me or my minor child/ward and arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with the activities of the program(s) (including transportation services and vehicle operations, when provided). I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless and defend the District and its officers, agents, servants and employees from any and all claims resulting from injuries, damages and losses sustained by me or my minor child arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with the activities of the program(s). In the event of any emergency, I authorize District officials to secure from any licensed hospital, physician and/or medical personnel any treatment deemed necessary for me or my child/ward's immediate care and agree that I will be responsible for payment of any/all medical services rendered. As a participant in a program or activity of the District (or as the parent or guardian of a participant), I hereby grant the District permission to use my or my child's image, video form, or voice in photographs, videotapes, Internet website or other materials prepared or released by the District from time to time, for promotional, safety or instructional purposes. I understand that such materials will be used and shown in whole or in part as the District sees fit. By this permission and release, I hereby release and discharge the District, its officers, employees and agents from any and all claims or actions resulting from the use of such materials by the District. When registering by fax or online at the Oak Brook Park District, it is mutually understood that the facsimile registration document (including the Waiver and Release of All Claims) shall substitute for and have the same legal effect as the original form. I have read and fully understand the program details and Waiver and Release of All Claims and Assumption of Risk. The Oak Brook Park District does not carry accident or hospitalization insurance on any program participant. It is recommended that participants review their own personal insurance policy for adequate coverage during all program activities.

**Part 4 Sign the Registration Waiver**

I have read the program waiver stated on the back and understand that my signature is required in order to participate in any program.

Participant/Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature MUST be included for Registration Form to be processed.**

**Part 5 Return your form to Oak Brook Park District**

**Pioneer Refund Policy**

Participants who withdraw from a Pioneer trip may receive a refund or partial refund prior to the registration deadline for that trip less a \$5 fee, with the exception of ticketed events. Tickets purchased to receive a group discount cannot be refunded unless we have a wait list prior to the show. However, you may give your ticket to a friend if you are unable to use it.

Registration deadlines provide time to adjust transportation needs or other options based on attendance. Register early as there may not be space available after the register by date. If you are interested in a program after the registration date, call and ask if seats are available.

Medical refund requests must be accompanied by a doctor’s note identifying the condition and date the condition occurred.

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**Oak Brook Park District 2018 Pioneer Survey**

Please help us determine what programming you would most enjoy. Providing your name and returning promptly is necessary for entering the drawing at our November Movie Matinee on November 29. We will be drawing for 2 \$25 Pioneer programming gift cards. **Please mail survey to Pioneer Survey, Oak Brook Park District, 1450 Forest Gate Road, Oak Brook, IL 60523 or drop it in the box by the Front Desk by November 27, 2018.**

Name:\_\_\_\_\_ Please circle: Resident or Non-resident

**Please circle all that interest you in the following categories:**

**Park District Facility Activities:**

- BINGO Brain Games or Board Games Movie Matinees Mah Jongg  
Ceramics Pickleball Additional suggestions: \_\_\_\_\_

**Day trips duration: Indicate the length of time you are willing to travel each way for a day trip:**

- 1 hour 1.5 hours 2 hours

**Musicals/plays:**

- Comedies Dramas Opera Ballet Include lunch with every show: \_\_\_yes \_\_\_no

**Museums:**

- Art Science Music Culture & Artifacts  
History Specific Museum suggestions for 2019\_\_\_\_\_

**Other day trip ideas:**

- Dairy Farm Racine, WI Tour Milwaukee Tours Casino Gardens  
Cooking class Electric Railroad Cubs Game Lunches at local restaurants  
Other ideas for 2019: \_\_\_\_\_

**Movie suggestions:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Multi-day Travel in 2020/2021:**

- Hawaii Kentucky Derby California Rail Trip River Cruise: \_\_\_\_\_  
Europe (list country/countries) \_\_\_\_\_ Other suggestions for 2020\_\_\_\_\_

Other interests for 2020\_\_\_\_\_

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*Programs and Trips for Adults 60+*

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