

ST. CHARLES PARISH DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

**OUR GOAL IS TO PROVIDE
QUALITY RECREATION
PROGRAMS, ACTIVITIES, PARKS
AND FACILITIES
THAT ALLOW ALL RESIDENTS OF
ST. CHARLES PARISH TO
ENHANCE THEIR QUALITY OF LIFE.**



FUNDING SOURCES

- The Department of Parks and Recreation is supported by a 2.90 mill property tax levy and supplemental funds from the general fund budget.
- **RECREATION CONSTRUCTION FUND**
 - ❖ Residential developments currently donate 5% of site area for parks, or pay an in-lieu fee.



PARK / FACILITY STRUCTURE



PROGRAMMING

YOUTH

- Football
- Flag Football
- Basketball
- Baseball
- All Stars
- Fall Baseball
- Soccer
- Cheerleading
- Softball
- Volleyball
- Tennis
- Healthy Kids Running Series
- Track and Field
- T-Ball (Boys & Girls)
- Summer Sports Clinics
- Swamp School
- Summer Camp
- Kids Art Workshops
- Fish Dat Rodeo

ADULT

- Industrial Basketball
- Independent Basketball
- Independent Softball
- Industrial Softball
- Women Softball
- Radio control Racetrack
- Picnics
- Walking Track
- Adult Art Workshop
- Line Dancing
- Corn Hole
- Art Workshops
- Co-ed Cabbage Ball
- Multi-use Track at East & West Bank



In 2021, the Department of Parks and Recreation coordinated and completed 995 scheduled games and 667 program scheduled practices for both Youth and Adult Sports. The Department also scheduled 359 travel baseball and travel softball practices in 2021. Unfortunately due to Hurricane Ida our 2021 Fall Sports season was cancelled due to storm damage.

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

- Bowling
- Softball
- Senior Olympics
- Arts & Crafts
- Mardi Gras Dance
- Fishing Rodeo
- Horseshoes
- Casino Trips
- Field Trips
- Pickleball
- Badminton
- Bean Bag Baseball
- Game Sporting Activities
- Sketching & Oil Painting Classes

SPECIAL ATHLETES

- Softball
- T-Ball
- Volleyball
- Track & Field
- Basketball
- Bowling
- Swimming
- Picnics
- Challenger Program
- Shooting Stars
- Dances



HURRICANE IDA DISASTER / RELIEF SERVICES

- 1 week shelter operations monitored and worked by St. Charles Parish Department of Parks and Recreation employees at Hammond High School.
- 3 day shelter of last resort for residents monitored and worked by St. Charles Parish Department Parks and Recreation employees
- 2 month shelter for National Guard, Team Rubicon, and SCP displaced employees at EAD Community Center.
- St. Charles Parish employee food distribution center
- FEMA / SBA loan disaster relief site
- Water distribution site for SCP employees and SCP residents
- SCP / disaster relief workers laundry service site
- Conducted park damage assessments and inspections for insurance and FEMA claims



HURRICANE IDA PARK DAMAGES

- 56 Parks sustained some type of structural and or electrical damage due to Hurricane Ida. The damages are but not limited to; baseball fields, basketball goal systems, score boards, batting cages, restrooms facilities, concessions buildings, pavilions, tennis courts, park fencing, splash park water features, canopies, and bleacher awnings.
- Most significant damages was park lighting
- 137+ park light poles sustained damage



2021 Completed Project

NEW SARPY COLLINS PARK

- NEW PLAYGROUND INSTALLATION



2021 Completed Project

MONTZ PARK RESTROOM INSTALLATION



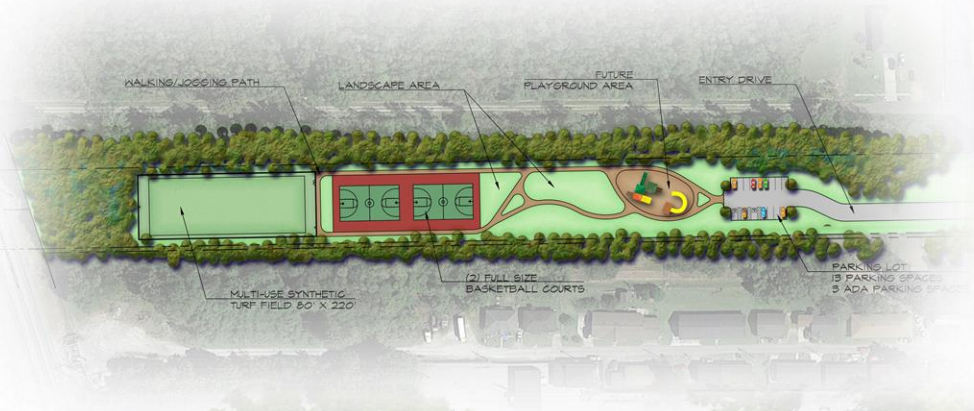
2021 Completed Project

KILLONA PARK WALKING PATH .33 MILES



2021 Completed Project

PARQUET PARK, ST. ROSE



2021 Completed Project

JB GREEN PARK

- NEW PLAYGROUND INSTALLATION



2021 Completed Project

MISSISSIPPI RIVER WEST BANK LEVEE TRAILHEAD



2022 PROJECT ONGOING

VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK

- Park will honor all branches of the military, Gold Star Families and Prisoners of War. Park will host Memorial Day and Veteran's Day Ceremonies



2022 LIST OF UPCOMING PROJECTS

- **MISSISSIPPI RIVER LEVEE TRAIL- Bench Seating & Trash Receptacles**
- **EDWARD A. DUFRESNE COMMUNITY CENTER- ADA Ramp Replacement**
- **EAST BANK LEVEE TRAILHEAD UPGRADE- St. Rose**
- **VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK- Ongoing**
- **IMTT PARK RE-DESIGN**
- **ASHTON SOCCER PARK- Restroom / Storage Facility/ Concessions**



EDWARD A. DUFRESNE COMMUNITY CENTER



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FACILITY USAGE

