

## Parks General Information



Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation operates one of the most active parks and recreation programs in the Portland metropolitan area. Among the parks and recreation facilities managed by the department are over 600 acres of developed park property, undeveloped and passive park lands, natural parks and open spaces, including 45 acres of recreation facilities: an Adult Community Center, Indoor Tennis Center, outdoor swim park, a skate park, an 18-hole Golf Course and practice range, and the Water Sports Center on the Willamette River.

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Commercial photography LO PARKS PHOTO PASS permits are issued to ONE individual for the express purpose of Still Portrait Photography or Videography in any Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation park and open space. An LO PARKS PHOTO PASS is good from one year from the date issued. The cost is \$150 for residents and \$173 for Non-Residents.

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[Natural Areas](#)

In the City of Lake Oswego, there are over 300 acres of natural character parks. These often overlooked parks are vital to our community. They contribute to important habitat for plants and animals, water shed and stormwater management/health, as well as a place for the community to connect to nature.

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[Parks Maintenance](#)

Meet the amazing staff who care for over 600 acres of Parks property, open space and natural areas at 36 different sites as well as keeping our City beautiful. Parks Maintenance provides maintenance for the City's park system, athletic fields, Indoor Tennis Center, Adult Community Center, and Golf Course, and a City beautification program.

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[Picnic Shelter Reservations](#)

**What picnic shelters may be rented?**

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**Pathway Guide**

In the spring of 1991, the City began the construction of a recreational loop system of pathways around the community. Each loop is designed to connect neighborhoods with schools, parks, and commercial centers. Funding for the majority of the system was provided by the bond measure approved by the voters in 1990.

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[Lake Oswego Skate Park](#)

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The Lake Oswego Skate Park at 5520 Willow Rd. (corner of Willow and Pilkington), is a membership based park, supervised by Parks & Recreation staff. The Park is open to all ages for Skateboarders and In-Line Skaters from Spring Break through mid-October.

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### [Lake Oswego Swim Park](#)

Swim Park 2015 Season

The Lake Oswego Swim Park is scheduled to open on Tuesday July 1, 2015 and the last day of operation is scheduled for Sunday August 30, 2015

Daily hours are Sunday through Saturday  
1 pm to 6 pm (weather permitting)

250 Ridgeway Road  
503-953-9325 (number during open hours)

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### [Charlie S. Brown Water Sports Center](#)

The Charlie S. Brown Water Sports Center (WSC) is located on the scenic Willamette River near Roehr Park (350 Oswego Pointe Drive, Lake Oswego, OR). Lake Oswego Community Rowing offers youth and adult programs in partnership with the City of Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation.

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### [Lake Oswego Public Golf Course & Practice Range](#)

Lake Oswego Golf Course is a City owned 18-hole par-3 facility with holes ranging from 74-179 yards. The hillside layout offers beautifully kept, small, contoured greens with Lost Dog Creek passing among fir, cedar, and maple trees through the back nine.

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