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April & May 2019

# Spring has sprung in Tempe!

Spring has finally arrived. Luckily, we have lots of activities, events and programs to keep the whole gang active and having fun this season, without breaking the bank.

You can hunt for bunny treasures at the annual Escalante Family Egg Hunt, show off your golf skills in the inaugural Drive, Pitch and Putt Golf Challenge, watch a movie at Kiwanis Park, and cool off at one of Tempe's aquatic facilities.



No matter what you choose, enjoy the adventure and amazing weather!

#### Movies in the Park returns next month!

Mark your calendar for the return of Tempe's popular family movie series, Movies in the Park. Shown on a giant inflatable screen in the north soccer field at <u>Kiwanis Park</u>, the movies begin at dusk (around 7 p.m.). Admission is free. Bring a blanket and a picnic dinner.

#### Movie Lineup for May 2019

May 3	The k	(arate	Kid (	(PG)
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May 10 Ralph Breaks the Internet (PG)

May 17 Jumanji (PG)

May 24 A Bug's Life (G)

May 31 The Little Mermaid (G)



## **Celebrate Easter with Escalante's Annual Egg Hunt!**



The annual <u>Escalante</u> Easter Egg Hunt will be held on Saturday, April 20 from 10-10:30 a.m. for ages 2-6 years and from 10:45-11:15 a.m. for ages 7-10 years.

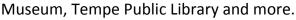
Kids will enjoy and "eggs-traordinary" egg hunt with arts and craft activities to follow! Please arrive 15 minutes prior to your start time to check-in and get ready to go! Wristbands can be purchased the day of the event for \$3.

#### Make a Difference this Summer — Volunteer!

Make friends and learn new skills while giving back in the City of Tempe's Summer Youth Volunteer Program.



Volunteer positions include Junior Lifeguards, program aides and instructor assistants for Camp Challenge, Tempe History





Two Volunteer Kick-Off Sessions will be held from 4-5 p.m. on Wednesday, April 24 and from 2-3 p.m. on Saturday, April 27 in the lower level of the <u>Tempe Public Library</u>. More information can be found at tempe.gov/volunteer.

## Paddle in the moonlight



It's the wildest and brightest night on Tempe Town Lake!

Join us for Glow Paddle on Friday, April 26 and May 20.

Enjoy a night under the stars glowing and gliding across the water.

In addition to all necessary kayaking equipment, participants will receive glow in the dark accessories. Fees are \$35 Adult and \$20 Youth. Youth ages 10 years and younger must be accompanied by an adult. Call 480-350-8069 or visit tempe.gov/boating for more info.

## **Drive, Pitch and Putt Golf Challenge**



Show off your skills at the city's inaugural Drive, Pitch and Putt Golf Challenge on Saturday, April 27 at Ken McDonald Golf Course. Youth ages 5-17 years of all skill levels are encouraged to participate in the free event.

Receive mini-lessons in driving, pitching and putting before taking the challenge in each skill area. The event runs from 4-7 p.m. with sessions beginning every 30 minutes. Register in advance at tempe.gov/YouthSports.

## The Waves are rolling in!

Weekend Waves run from 1-5 p.m. every Saturday and Sunday through May at <u>Kiwanis Wave Pool</u>.

The pool features three-foot waves in eight varying patterns and a 122-foot long by 16 feet tall double spiral water slide. Raft and tube rentals are available. For more information, visit tempe.gov/waves or call 480-350-5201.





#### Make plans for the summer

The summer issue of Tempe Opportunities is busting at the seams with affordable, high-quality programs that will keep the family active all summer long.

Registration for residents opens on Monday, April 22; non-residents can register beginning Monday, April 29. Choose from summer camps, art, dance, special interest, sports, aquatics, boating, health and fitness and more. Most programs begin the first week of June.

Registration can be completed online, by mail or in person. For more information, visit <u>tempe.gov/brochure</u> or call 480-350-5200.

