

PARK HIGHLIGHTS



Binder Park

5840 Rainbow Drive

- 644 acres - City's largest park
- Located off Rainbow Dr. & Henwick Lane in West Jefferson City
- Home to many special events and hayrides
- 155 acre fishing lake
- Fishing pier for the disabled
- Binder Sports Complex: Wisch, Williams, Kremer, Scott & Byrd Fields
- Numerous picnic sites throughout park
- Over 13 miles of hiking and mountain bike trails
- Two sand volleyball courts
- 18 site full hook-up RV Campground
- Playground adjacent to old tackle shop
- 18 hole Disc Golf Course
- Rentable covered deck and covered pavilion
- Covered single picnic units
- Radio control flying field - Joseph C. Miller Park
- Restrooms available April - October

Hough Park

932 Ellis Blvd.

- 153 acres
- Site of Oak Hills Golf Center
- 18 holes, driving range, practice areas
- Original 50 acres was given to the City in 1917 by Arthur M. Hough
- Final 53 acres was purchased in 1963
- Hough Park fishing lake

Washington Park

1200 Washington Park Drive

- 100 acres
- Located off the 800 to 1200 blocks of Missouri Boulevard
- Acquired between 1929 and 1937 as gifts and purchases
- Park was completed in 1938
- Three athletic fields: Ernie Vivion, Lions and Duensing
- 7 lighted tennis courts
- 12 court horseshoe complex
- Skate park
- 1.4 miles of the Jefferson City Greenway
- Washington Park Ice Arena
- Two bocce ball courts

Washington Park Center

- Rentable meeting room with kitchen
- Home of Capital Arts
- Gallery exhibits and art/leisure classes

Memorial Park

111 Memorial Park Road

- 30 acres
- Located off West Main Street
- Originally named Binder Park, was renamed in 1946 to honor those who had served in World War II
- Memorial Park Family Aquatic Center
- 1.3 miles of multi-use trail
- Basketball court
- Two playgrounds
- Woodchip mulch give-a-way program at the compost exhibit site
- Rentable covered pavilion
- 17 covered single picnic units scattered throughout the park
- Restrooms available year round

Shikles Recreation Center

1200 Linden Drive

- Gymnasium (76' 6" x 48')
- Auditorium renovated and operated by Capital City Players

McKay Park

1700 Southridge Drive

- 20.4 acres
- Constructed in 1988-89 as a joint park/stormwater control project between Parks and Recreation and Public Works Departments
- One kilometer (.6 mile) fitness trail
- Basketball court
- 10 covered single picnic units
- Fishing lake
- Excellent snow sledding hill on backside of the dam
- Playground
- Restrooms available year round

Neighborhood Parks

- Hickory Adams Park (503 Hickory Street)
- Aurora Park (541 Aurora Avenue)
- Joseph Miller Park and Flying Field (5521 Rainbow Drive)
- Park Place (1112 Park Ave.)
- Community Park (725 Marshall Street)
- East Miller Street Park (916 E. Miller Street)
- Rotary Centennial Park (north end of Boliver Street)
- Lewis and Clark Trailhead Plaza (corner of Jefferson and Capital Ave.)

McClung Park

930 McClung Park Drive

- 45 acres
- Located off Chestnut Street
- Built in 1915 by inmates of the Missouri State Penitentiary as a state park. The supervisor of the construction was D.C. McClung, for whom the park is named.
- Purchased in 1940
- Rentable outdoor pavilion and barbecue facility
- Rentable indoor pavilion
- Playground
- Restrooms available April - October

Ellis-Porter Park

1300 Ellis Porter Drive

- 60 acres
- Located off Grant Street
- Acquired in 1949, Riverside Park was renamed in 1961 in memory of Arthur W. Ellis, a former Mayor and Ben C. Porter, a former director of Parks & Recreation.
- Optimist Sports Complex: Evening Optimist, Cosmo and Kutscher Fields
- Ellis-Porter/Riverside pool
- Outdoor amphitheatre
- Rentable covered pavilion
- Missouri River overlook adjacent to pavilion
- Playground
- 13 covered single picnic units scattered throughout the park
- 4 three-wall handball/raquetball courts
- Basketball and volleyball courts
- 1.3 miles of multiuse trail
- Restrooms available year round

North Jefferson City

927 Fourth Street

- 165 acres
- Rentable covered pavilion
- Two Horseshoe pits adjacent to pavilion
- Access to one mile Katy Trail Spur
- Carl R. Noren Missouri River Access
- Dog Park
- Basketball courts adjacent to pavilion
- 10 practice athletic fields
- Community garden plots
- Quigg Commons Area/ Master Gardeners demonstration gardens
- RC car track
- 2 tee-ball/coach-pitch fields
- Multi-purpose/rugby field
- Restrooms available April - October