

CIVE GAZETE GAZE

6/24: Volunteer instructors Garret Potter (left, in the shade) and Stuart Knight (top right, in the air) led the Advanced Jump Skills Clinic at the Bandemer Bike Park. Garret has been helping steward volunteer activity at the bike parks in Bandemer and Tuebingen parks for several years now. These incredible amenities are very unique and are now receiving the attention they need, thanks to Garret and other volunteers. We're appreciative of all of the help that Garret and Stuart have given us! They are always looking for more volunteers to help - let us know if you're interested!



Upcoming July Events

Jul 5 Love a Park Day at Bader Park 10am-12pm

Jul 6 Love a Park Day at Huron Highlands Park 10am-12pm

Jul 12 Love a Park Day at Churchill Downs Park 5-7pm

Jul 14 Butterfly Garden Workday at Gallup Park 10am-12pm

Jul 17 Love the River Day at Gallup Park Livery 12-1:30pm

Jul 19 Love a Park Day at Plymouth Parkway Park 9-11am

Jul 19 Love a Park Day at Arbor Hills Nature Area 2-4pm

Jul 20 Junior Volunteer Club at TBD 5-6:30pm

Jul 20 Love a Park Day at North Main Park 5–7pm

Jul 23 Bike Park Workday at Bandemer Park 12-2pm

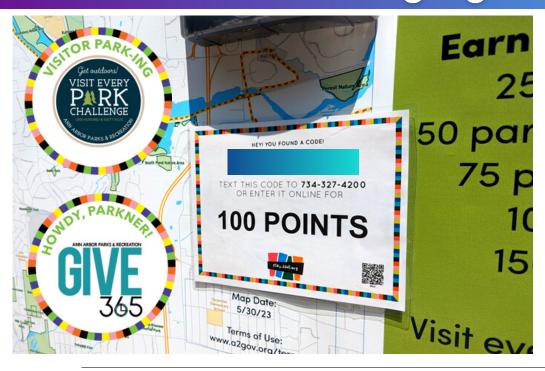
Jul 28 Love a Park Day at Buhr Park 11am-1pm

Click here to view or register for our upcoming volunteer opportunities!

or

email us at volunteer@a2gov.org

□ June Highlights ⊢ □



GIVE 365 is partnering with the AADL Summer Game! Stop by the "VEP Lounge" outside of our office to find a code! There are a few codes on our websites too...

VISITOR PARK-ING Badge HOWDY, PARKNER! Badge

Learn about the AADL Summer Game here!



6/2: Our friends at Google Ann Arbor came out again to help clean up the river! That tire weighed A LOT.

June Totals

34 Events266 Volunteers714 Hours



6/9: Dedicated volunteers came back out to finish painting the **mural** at the **Bandemer Park** restroom facility!







6/16: GIVE staff and a couple of volunteers helped weed the playground at Waterworks Park before the neighborhood get-together!



June Neighborhood Workday Highlights



6/17: **Waterworks Park** was recently adopted by **Ann Arbor Farm and Garden**. They co-hosted a neighborhood get-together with us, which featured rock-painting, games, and flower planting!







6/4: Kilburn Park neighbors held a workday, where they worked on beautifying and maintaining the garden beds and mulching a few trees.



6/11: Neighbors and friends of **Creal Park** came out to spread new woodchips on the playground, fill in some holes and divots in the fields, and seed new grass.

These weren't the only workdays! Adopters did incredible work at:

June 1 Southeast Area Park
June 1 Dr. Harold J. Lockett Park

June 7 Maryfield Wildwood Park

June 17 West Park

June 20 Bandemer Park

June 23 Gallup Park



New Adopters!

- Neighbors of Maryfield Wildwood Park held their first park workday on June 7th!
- Individual park adopters also started working at West Park and Gallup Park.

An Adoptable Park!



Cloverdale Park

We are looking for an individual, park neighbor, or a small volunteer group to take over the care of a native garden area in the middle of the park. The garden area is full of wonderful native plants such as goldenrod and New England aster! This would be a great project for a person or group who has experience working with native plant species, or if there is interest in learning more about them and gaining experience.





Congratulations to our newest **VEP Champions!**









Who will be the next to join them on the Wall of Champions?

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