

RECREATION & CULTURAL AFFAIRS

# CHELSEA

SUMMER  
VERANO  
2023

Activities for the  
Entire Community  
YOUTH, TEENS, & ADULTS  
Actividades Para Toda  
La Comunidad  
JÓVENES, ADOLESCENTES  
Y ADULTOS

Registration  
opens Tuesday,  
April 25, 4pm

La matrícula  
comienza el martes  
de 25 de abril  
a las 4pm

# HELLO CHELSEA!

Summer is finally here! Chelsea Recreation is pleased to share the 2023 Summer Program Guide with you! We have been hard at work ramping up some new summer activity options that will move your body and engage your mind! We have some brand-new programs and we are bringing back some of the classics too! We've put together an exciting list of events and activities from a Bike Rodeo to Guitar Fundamentals. Our programs offer exceptional quality and value with many of the classes filling up as soon as registration opens. Our participants greatly enjoy small group activities, in-depth learning, and exceptionally knowledgeable, resourceful, and talented instructors.

Visit a park near you for a game of basketball, tennis, and volleyball! In addition to athletic activities, come to one of our outdoor movies! Pick an activity you love or one you've always been meaning to try and join us for some summer excitement!

We are looking forward to a great summer season of adventure, exercise, and learning. We hope that our programs will enrich your adventurous spirits and support the wellness of your family and the entire Chelsea Community.

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**INCLUSIVE SERVICES** We welcome persons of all abilities to participate in our programs. We make every effort to accommodate each family with inclusive programming. To ensure timely accommodation and to create an enjoyable environment for you, please be sure to submit your request for special accommodations when you register.

**SERVICIOS INCLUSIVOS** Damos la bienvenida a personas de todas las capacidades para que participen en nuestros programas. Hacemos todo lo posible para acomodar a cada familia con una programación inclusiva. Para garantizar un alojamiento oportuno y crear un entorno agradable para usted, asegúrese de enviar su solicitud de adaptaciones especiales cuando se registre.

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# Chelsea Recreation & Cultural Affairs

Chelsea Recreation & Cultural Affairs is a division of the Department of Health and Human Services and provides year-round recreation, education, and cultural opportunities throughout the City's public facilities, athletic fields, playgrounds, and various other venues to promote positive, enriching activities that are accessible for all members of the community. Chelsea Recreation issues permits for the use of those facilities by local organizations outside of the school day. It seeks to build collaborative relationships with City departments, the community, and with partnering organizations, and pursues, secures, and manages external funding for programs.

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Todos los programas son en inglés a menos que se indique lo contrario en la descripción del curso.

## Program Locations

Ubicaciones del programa

### Williams Building

Main Program Office, Rm. 107  
180 Walnut Street  
Chelsea, MA 02150

### Clark Avenue School

Program Office, Rm. 126  
8 Clark Avenue  
Chelsea, MA 02150

### Program Information

617 466-5233

### Program Hours

Mon-Fri 4pm-8:30pm

Sat 9am-4:30pm

**CLOSED Saturdays from 7/1 to 9/2**

Easily accessible by bus with ample parking at the Williams Building and on street parking at Clark Avenue School.

## Contact Information

Información de contacto

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Chelsea, MA 02150

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Website: [recreation.chelseama.gov](http://recreation.chelseama.gov)

Mondays-Wednesdays-Thursdays 8am-4pm

Tuesdays 8am-7pm | Fridays 8am-12pm



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Let's Read! Tenacity Summer  
Tennis & Reading Program  
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All programs are in English and held at the Williams Building or the Clark Avenue School unless otherwise indicated in the course description. Ages: Youth: 0-12; Teens: 13-17 and Adults: 18+

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## FITNESS & HEALTH

### Tenacity Chelsea Summer Tennis & Reading Program

**Ages 6-12** Participate in tennis and reading activities as well as off-court games. Tenacity’s dynamic five-day, six-week program, provides an enriching learning environment for city youth, keeping minds and bodies active during the summer recess. Registration is required.

**Location:** Voke Park, 540 Washington Avenue

	July 5-August 11		Free
Mon-Fri	Group A	9-12pm	
	Group B	1-4pm	

**TENACITY** Summer Tennis & Reading Program Youth, ages 6-12, meet for a three-hour session participating in tennis & fitness offerings and a summer reading activity each day. The program is held on summer weekday mornings & afternoons and is free to those who register. **The City of Chelsea is an excited and proud sponsor of Tenacity.** <https://tenacity.org/>

### Introduction to Sports for Young Children

**Ages 4-6** Young children experience the basic skills needed to play a variety of sports such as wiffleball and hockey. Learn team work and sportsmanship.

**Instructor:** Anita Barnes

**Location:** Clark Avenue School, 8 Clark Avenue

Mon	6:15-6:45pm	July 10-August 7	\$15
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### Street Hockey NEW

**Ages 10+** A team sport played using a puck designed for movement on a flat surface. The object of every game is to score more goals than the opposing team by shooting the puck into the opposing team’s net. Pre-Registration required

**Location:** Williams Building Courtyard, 180 Walnut Street

Dates and times to be announced on the Chelsea Recreation website.	Free
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# Youth

## Learn to Ice Skate

### Cronin Memorial Ice Skating Rink

**Ages 4-12** with or without experience

Certified instructors teach the mechanics and proper techniques of ice skating. Gives participants the best foundation for recreational skating, figure skating, hockey, or speed skating. **Bring your own helmet and gloves.** Skates rental is free. **Chelsea residents only.**

Two (2) session maximum per person annually. Must register in-person at the Williams Building, 180 Walnut St.

Coordinator: Jessica Proctor

**Location:** 870 Revere Beach Parkway

Sat	9:30-9:55am	July 1-August 12	\$50
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## Bike Rodeo

**Ages 6-11** Celebrate safe biking in Chelsea! MA Safe Routes to Schools instructors will teach and review bike riding skills. Volunteers from the Chelsea Bike & Pedestrian Committee run activity stations including signs and hand signals, how to care for your bike, and more. Each child participating needs to be able to ride a bike independently and bring their own bike and helmet. An adult must be present for the duration of the program.

**MA Safe Routes to School** [Facebook](#)

**Location:** Mary C. Burke Complex, 300 Crescent Avenue

Sat	11am-2pm	June 17	Free
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Raindate: June 24

## MARTIAL ARTS

Chelsea Recreation is proud to partner with New Energy Martial Arts to provide the highest quality martial arts training in the area.

**IMPORTANT: Open to Chelsea residents/employees only. Pre-registration required.**

Instructors: Sensei Nathan Maibor & Sensei John Pellicelli

### Karate for Young Children

**Ages 3.5-5** Develop the building blocks for martial arts studies. Improve self-control and focus, enhance coordination and learn basic self-defense skills. A parent must be present at each class.

**Location:** Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street

Fri	5-5:40pm	July 14-August 11	\$20
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Additional costs: \$15 uniform & belt for newcomers paid at time of registration. Total cost: \$35

## New Energy Martial Arts

**Ages 6-13** Develop skills in self-defense, coordination, balance and strength in a well-rounded martial arts program. Study Kempo, Ju-jitsu, Goju-ryu and sparring techniques. Learn the history of martial arts, how to handle stressful situations and conflict resolution skills. Limited space available.

**Location:** Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street

Tues & Fri	July 11-August 11	\$45
Ages 6-9	5:45-6:30pm	
Ages 10-13	6:45-7:30pm	

Additional costs: \$20 uniform which must be paid at time of registration. Total cost: \$65

## Learn to Play Tennis

**Ages 8-12** Perfect for first-time tennis players! Focuses on developing the skills to serve, rally, and score! All equipment is provided.

Instructor: Richard Wilson

**Location:** Voke Park, Tennis Courts, 540 Washington Avenue

Tues	6-7pm	June 6-July 25	\$25
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## Family Recreation Swim

**Ages 6+ w/adult** Families with children six years and older are welcome to register. The pool depth is from 3 feet 6 inches to 10 feet. Locker rooms and showers are available. Bring your own towel and swimsuit. Professional lifeguard reviews pool rules and conducts swim tests if necessary. Children must have direct parental supervision and contact in the water at all times.

**Location:** Jordan Boys & Girls Club, 30 Willow Street.

Fri	6:30-8pm	June 3	\$10*
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\*per family

## Community Gym

**Ages 12+** The Williams & Clark Schools have gym hours available this summer. Schedule and available sports may vary each day. Sports equipment is available. Always call 617 466-5233 or check website or our social media for the latest and most up-to-date information. NOTE: Community Gym is intended for drop-in recreation use. Teams are not allowed to use the gym as organized practice time. Pre-registration is required.

**Location:** Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street and Clark Avenue School, 8 Clark Avenue

Williams School	Youth 12-17	May 15-August 11	\$5
Clark Ave School	Adult 18+		\$15

Check Chelsea Recreation website calendar for weekly schedule.





## PLAY BALL with the Boston Red Sox Staff

**Ages 5-12 w/adult** The Red Sox Foundation hosts Play Ball, a FREE introductory baseball/softball clinic for youth with any skill range. Youth in attendance participate in fun and engaging baseball activities through station-based drills. The best part is-no personal equipment is necessary. All participants will receive an event t-shirt. **Pre-registration is required at <https://www.redsoxfoundation.org/rbi/>** or call 617-466-5233

**Location:** Voke Park, 540 Washington Avenue

Wed	6-7:30pm	July 19	Free
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## ARTS

### MUSIC

Instructor: Christopher Maggio

Location: Clark Avenue School, 8 Clark Avenue

#### Introduction to Percussion NEW

**Ages 6-10** Learn the basic instruments in the percussion family and how they influence the world's music from the past to the present. Instruments include the maracas, shaker eggs, tambourines, cymbals, guiro, and drums and cymbals. Fun videos, dances, and great performances assist and inspire young minds to explore this exciting musical world.

Mon	4-4:30pm	June 12-July 31	\$25
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#### Beginner Ukulele

**Ages 6-10** One of the most popular instruments is now yours to discover. Learn the basic fundamentals of the ukulele. Focus on the introduction of the ukulele from its creation and origin. Learn the basic notes, rhythms, and simple songs, and begin making music from your first class.

Mon	4:30-5pm	June 12-July 31	\$25
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Additional cost: \$20 soprano ukulele. Total cost \$45

#### Intermediate to Advanced Ukulele NEW

**Ages 8-12** Focus on the more advanced techniques of solo and group ukulele playing learned in beginner classes. Challenging chords, melodies, and song-playing bring you to a new level of musical knowledge.

Mon	5-5:45pm	June 12-July 31	\$25
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Additional cost: \$20 soprano ukulele. Total cost \$45

# Youth

## VISUAL ARTS

Instructor: Kristen Leslie

Location: Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street

### Art Playdate NEW

**Ages 2-5 w/adult** Bring your little artists to explore creativity! Make art and play with new friends!

Sat	11:30-12:15pm	June 10	\$5
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### Paint Party NEW

**Ages 6-8** Calling all young artists to come to play and paint! Have fun and make art to take!

Sat	12:30-2pm	June 10	\$5
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### Anime Portrait Workshop NEW

**Ages 9-12** Come learn how to draw in your favorite art style! Artists learn everything they need to know to draw a face in the anime style.

Sat	2:30-4pm	June 10	\$5
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### Art in the Park

**All ages** Explore a variety of art techniques, materials, and projects while enjoying summer in the park. Use different mediums to create in an outdoor “open studio.” All are welcome! Instructor: Rotating Artists

**Location:** Voke Park, 540 Washington Street

Wed	6-7:30pm	July 12-August 9	Free
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## DANCE

Instructor: Jill Pelletier

Location: Clark Avenue School, 8 Clark Avenue

### Summer Ballet for Young Children

**Ages 2.5-4** Young dancers will twirl, skip, and leap. Wear either leotard, tights, skirts or fitted tank/ t-shirt, leggings or shorts and wear soft ballet shoes or grip socks.

Wed	4-4:40pm	June 21-August 9	\$25
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### Let's Dance NEW

**Ages 5-10** Current and aspiring dancers explore different styles of dance including Ballet, Lyrical, Jazz and Hip Hop. Discover what style of dance you may want to study further in the fall! Learn terminology and technique for each style and short choreography combinations. Wear dance or athletic attire and soft ballet shoes or grip socks for Ballet/ Lyrical and Jazz and sneakers for Hip Hop.

Wed	June 21-August 9	\$25
Group A: Ages 5-7	4:45-5:30pm	
Group B: Ages 8-10	5:30pm-6:15pm	

## ENRICHMENT

### Kids' Night Parents' Night Out

**Ages 4-10** Enjoy your evening while your kids engage in a variety of social and physical activities and a G-rated movie at the Williams Building. Pizza and refreshments will be served. Facilitators: Chelsea Recreation Staff

Fri	5-8pm	June 23 & July 21	\$15
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### Future Lawyers Club: Trial Practice

**Ages 9-13** Are you a lifelong learner? Challenge yourself this summer and enter law school. The class focuses on all aspects of trial practice and culminates in a trial. Full participation in this course is mandatory!

Instructor: Anita Barnes

**Location:** Clark Ave School, 8 Clark Avenue

Mon	7-8:15pm	July 10-August 7	\$20
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Presented by  
**The Chelsea Public Library, Recreation &  
 Cultural Affairs, and Chelsea Senior Center**

# MOVIE NIGHT OUTDOORS

**Thursdays, 8 pm**

**August 3 & 10**

CLARK AVENUE SCHOOL AMPHITHEATER  
 8 Clark Avenue

**August 17**

CHELSEA HOUSING AUTHORITY  
 79 Burma Road, Prattville



Movies will be announced  
 on Recreation website &  
 Social Media!

[recreation.chelseama.gov](http://recreation.chelseama.gov)

[@chelsearecreation](https://www.facebook.com/chelsearecreation) [Instagram chelsearecreation\\_ma](https://www.instagram.com/chelsearecreation_ma)

**Ancient Hunting-Weapon Practice  
 Peabody Museum of Archaeology & Ethnology**

**Age 6-12** Learn to use a 20,000-year-old weapon called the atlatl (spear-thrower). In the first part, learn to launch 5-foot darts from a standing position. In the 2nd part, jump in a cardboard cutout of a kayak and learn to launch them from a sitting position as we go on a simulated “seal hunt”.

Instructor: Andy Majewski

**Location:** Voke Park, 540 Washington Avenue

Fri	12:30-2pm	July 14	Free
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**Chelsea Fire Station Tour**

**Ages 6-12 w/adult** Chelsea firefighters welcome the public to visit the Central Fire Station. Receive a guided tour of the facility, learn about their special equipment, and review general fire safety. Discover the many services firefighters offer to the city! Meet at the fire station, 307 Chestnut Street. \*Pre-registration is required.

Coordinator: Omar Frometa

Mon	6-7pm	July 17	Free
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**Chelsea Police Station Tour**

**Ages 6-12 w/adult** Police officers provide a guided tour throughout the station and discuss information about the daily activities and structure of the department. Meet at the Chelsea Police Station, 19 Park Street. \*Pre-registration is required. Coordinator: Officer Joanne O'Brien

Mon	6-7pm	August 7	Free
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**Field Trip to the Bank**

**Ages 6-10 w/adult** Discover what a local bank offers your community! Participate in a scavenger hunt to locate bank items such as counting machines, and the main vault. Come meet the bank staff. Participants receive their own piggy bank.

Location: Chelsea Bank, 360 Broadway \*Pre-registration is required. Facilitator: Jessica Chaves

Sat	11-11:45am	June 17	Free
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# Family

## FIELD TRIPS

Registrants must provide their own transportation.

### Fenway Park Tour

**All ages** Tour the home of our World Series Champions Boston Red Sox! Sit atop the world-famous Green Monster which stands 37 feet 2 inches high overlooking left field. Guides will provide a one-hour walking tour. The deadline to register is Friday, May 26.

**Location:** Meet at the Team Store Gate D on Jersey Street at 2:30pm sharp!

Sat	2:30pm	June 10	Youth	\$5
			Adults	\$10

### Summer Solstice Celebration 2023

**All ages** Celebrate the longest Day of the year and mark the beginning of summer, in-person with the Harvard Museums of Science and Culture. Enjoy free admission to the four museums, hand-on activities, food, music, and more!

**Location:** 11 Divinity Avenue, Cambridge

Wed	5-9pm	June 21	Free
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### Institute of Contemporary Art

**All ages** Offers outstanding contemporary art in all media, including visual art exhibitions, music, film, video, and performance, that is deserving of public attention. Enjoy beautiful views of the harbor from the gallery windows. The deadline to register is Thursday, June 8.

Thurs	10am-6pm*	June 22	Youth	Free
			Adults	\$10

\*Enter between 10am-12pm until 6pm



### The Sports Museum, TD Garden Boston

**All ages** Experience a tour that consists of a half-mile of exhibits at TD Garden, the home of the Boston Bruins and Boston Celtics. Our Museum Guides take you through exhibits located on the Premium Levels 5 & 6 of TD Garden, which celebrate the history and the character of Boston sports that make Boston the envy of the sports world. The deadline to register is Friday, July 7.

**Location:** 100 Legends Way, Boston

Sat	10am	July 22	Youth	\$5
			Adults	\$10

## TRANSPORTATION IS PROVIDED

Children, ages 12 and under require an adult chaperone unless otherwise indicated. Pre-registration is required. **Deadline to register is two weeks prior to the scheduled trip.**

### Franklin Park Zoo, Boston, MA

**All ages** A 72-acre zoo nestled in Boston's historic Franklin Park. Come see lion and tiger habitats, the Giraffe Savannah, and a 4-acre mixed-species area called the Serengeti Crossing that showcases zebras, ostriches, and wildebeests. The Tropical Forest showcases a gorilla environment, emus, and kangaroos. Bring your own lunch. Bus departs and returns at the Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street.

Sat	10-3pm	June 24	ages 2-12	\$10
			ages 13+	\$15

### Foragers to Farmers NEW Cambridge, MA

**All ages** Come to the Peabody Museum of Archaeology & Ethnology – one of the Harvard Museums of Science & Culture to use stone blades, grinding stones, and pump drills and tour the Native America and Maya Galleries to learn about early farmers and hunters. The Program takes place in the Change and Continuity Hall of the North American Indian Gallery and Encounters with the Americas Gallery and a workshop room. Bus departs and returns at Voke Park, 540 Washington Avenue.

**Location:** Peabody Museum of Archaeology & Ethnology

Fri	1:30-4pm	August 4	Youth	\$5
			Adults	\$10

## FITNESS

### Free YMCA Fitness Center Membership NEW

**All ages** Join the East Boston YMCA for some amazing benefits! Members enjoy a fully equipped fitness center, unlimited group exercise classes, and sports for children including soccer, basketball, and T-ball. Chelsea residents ONLY for those who qualify. Deadline to register is Monday, May 15. **Register IN-PERSON** at the Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street. Limited memberships are available – so come early and register! Joiner fee **\$25**

Sponsored by Massachusetts Department of Public Health, MGH Chelsea Health Center, and Chelsea Public Health.

### Tennis Fundamentals for Teens & Adults

**Ages 13+** Learn basic skills such as proper grip, forehand, backhand, and basic serves. Exercise your mind and body to master the rules of the game. Instructor: Richard Wilson  
**Location:** Voke Park, Tennis Courts, 540 Washington Avenue

Tues	7-8pm	June 6-July 25	<b>\$25</b>
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### Indoor Volleyball

**Ages 13+** Come get a great workout while continuing to fine-tune your skills. Tips for passing, hitting, setting serving, and blocking. All games are self-officiated. First come, first served to play. Pre-registration is recommended. Walk-ins are welcome. Facilitator: Anita Barnes

**Location:** Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street

Thurs	6:30-8:30pm	July 13-August 10	<b>\$20</b>
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Drop In \$5

### Learn to Ice Skate

#### Cronin Memorial Ice Skating Rink

**Ages 13+ with or without experience**

Certified instructors teach the mechanics and proper techniques of ice skating. Gives participants the best foundation for recreational skating, figure skating, hockey, or speed skating. **Bring your own helmet and gloves.** Skates rental is free. **Chelsea residents only.**

Two (2) session maximum per person annually. Must register in-person at the Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street

Coordinator: Jessica Proctor

**Location:** 870 Revere Beach Parkway

Sat	July 1- August 19		<b>\$50</b>
Group B	Ages 13-15	9:30-9:55am	
Group C	Ages 16+	9:30-10:20am	<b>\$60</b>

### Workout Routes

**Ages 15+** Plan a new place to exercise in Chelsea! Track your workouts. Try these beginner and intermediate routes located in Admiral's Hill. These routes were created for running, however, they are also suitable for walking or cycling. Make every movement count!  
Find these routes at [recreation.chelseama.gov](http://recreation.chelseama.gov)

### Bluebikes

**Ages 13+** Bluebikes have arrived in Chelsea! Riding a Bluebike is an affordable and convenient transportation option for quick trips around town and adventures. More information at <https://www.bluebikes.com/>  
Single Trip \$2.95. Adventure Pass \$10. Annual \$129.

## BEAT THE HEAT

This summer stay cool & hydrated  
**#beattheheatchelsea**

Visit [recreation.chelseama.gov](http://recreation.chelseama.gov)  
or our social media channels to learn  
more about centers, parks, & activities.

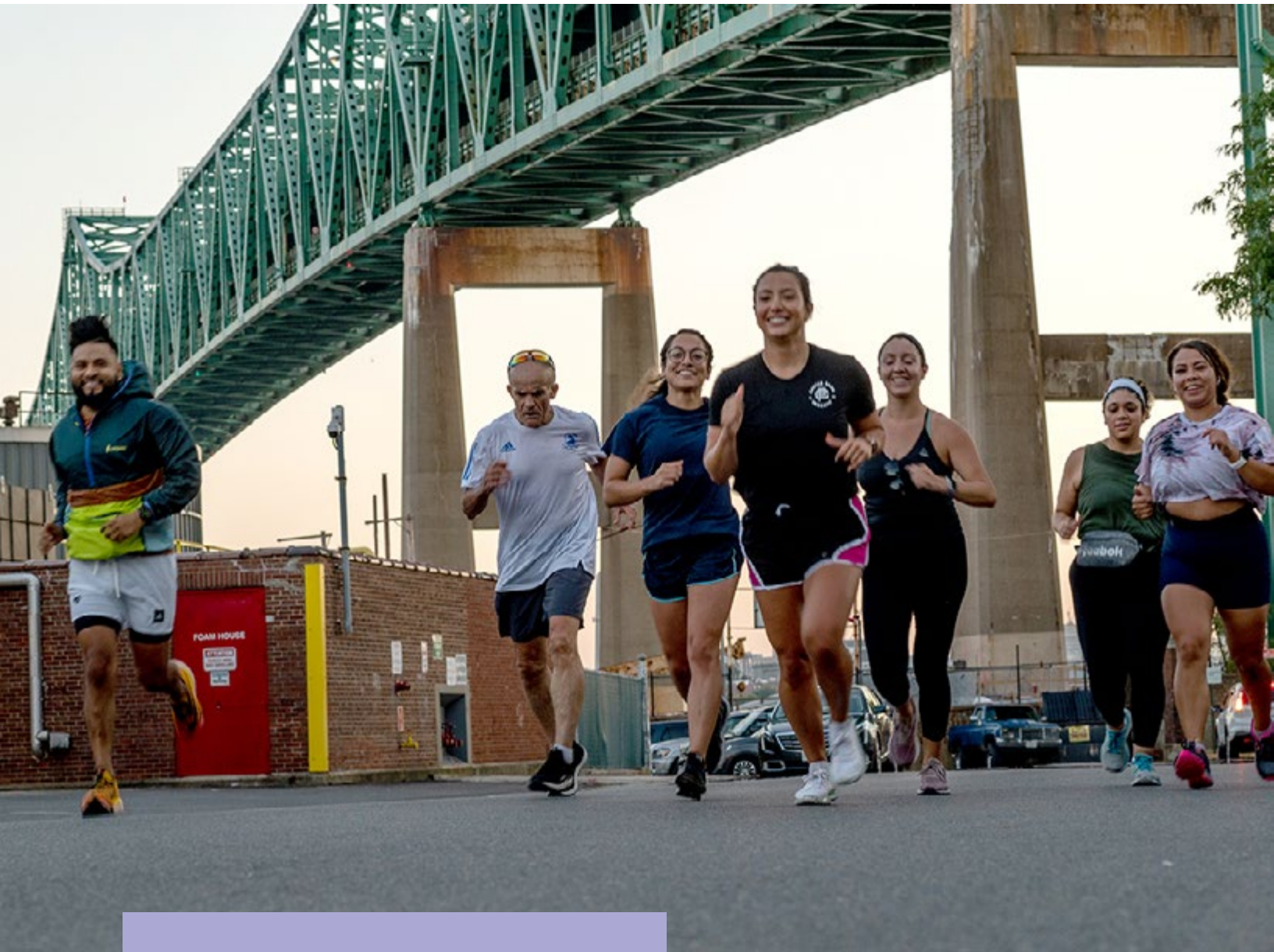


Este verano, mantente fresco e hidratado **#beattheheatchelsea**

Visita [recreacion.chelseama.gov](http://recreacion.chelseama.gov)  
o nuestras redes sociales para  
obtener más información de los  
centros, parques, y actividades.



# Teen & Adult



## Chelsea Running Club

**Ages 15+** Meets locally for runs once a week and uses a variety of workouts to help you achieve your personal fitness goals. All are welcome fast or slow - so don't wait to get in shape, just come on out and join us!

**LOCATION:** Meet in front of the Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street (Arlington St. entrance).

**Wednesdays, 6 pm | Ongoing | FREE**



## MUSIC & ART

Instructor: Christopher Maggio

Location: Clark Avenue, 8 Clark Avenue

### Beginner Guitar

**Ages 13+** Focus on chord playing and rhythm structures through strumming, playing songs, and learning about song forms and different song styles. Bring your own guitar and tuner.

Mon	5:45-6:30pm	June 12-July 31	\$25
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### Guitar Fundamentals

**Ages 13+** Advanced Beginner & Intermediate Levels. Learn advanced chord playing and basic scales. Bring your own guitar and tuner.

Mon	6:30- 7:15pm	June 12-July 31	\$35
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### Lofi & Crafts NEW

**Ages 13-17** Explore your creative side with a weekly craft project while relaxing to calming lofi beats. [Info about Lofi music](#)

Facilitator: Abigail Feldman

Location: Clark Avenue School, 8 Clark Avenue

Thurs	5-6pm	June 15-July 20	\$15
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## TECHNOLOGY

### Tech Goes Home (English/Spanish)

**Ages 18+** Acquire basic computer and internet skills. Sessions focus on how to find a job online, how to secure a professional email, and more. Participants can borrow a Chromebook to use during the class. After completing 15 hours of training, participants are eligible to receive their very own Chromebook! **Chelsea residents ONLY who qualify.** Register by June 28. Instructor: Alejandro Riviera  
Location: Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street

Thurs	6-8:30pm	July 6-August 10	Free
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### Computer Basics (Spanish)

**Ages 18+** For students with limited or no computer skills. Discover the basics of operating a computing device. Learn practical information like how to use the internet, email, and create documents.

Instructor: Jesus Maldonado

Location: Clark Avenue School, 8 Clark Avenue

Wed	6-7pm	June 7-28	\$15
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## ENRICHMENT

### The Home Buying Process (English/Spanish)

**Ages 18+** Learn the basic steps to follow in the home-buying process. Become a more informed consumer. A licensed real estate professional provides an overview of the steps toward purchasing a home. Pre-registration is required.

Facilitator: Carol Henriquez

Location: Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street

Tues	6-8pm	June 6	Free
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### Standard First Aid with CPR/AED Adult, Child, & Infant

**Ages 15+** Participants are trained in the skills necessary to recognize and provide basic care for victims of illness and sudden injuries, and to recognize and provide basic care for life threatening or cardiac emergencies. Certifications: Standard First Aid & Adult, Child, Infant CPR/AED valid for 2 years.

Instructor: American Red Cross certified staff

Location: Clark Avenue School, 8 Clark Avenue

Wed	4-9pm	August 9	\$55
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### Introduction to Kayaking NEW

**Ages 18+** This one-day course is designed for both the casual paddler and those interested in ocean touring. Introduces paddlers to proper technique and safety skills required to enjoy kayak touring. Learn efficient paddling techniques and the necessary strokes to maneuver your kayak in any direction. The class progresses to intermediate techniques such as bracing to prevent a capsized. Safety issues are emphasized such as trip selection, wind, weather, and other hazards. Registration required. Space is limited. Instructor: Mark Jacobson, Paddle Boston  
Location: to be announced at Chelsea Recreation website.

Friday	9am-3pm	June 2	\$100
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# Adult

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE

### IN-PERSON ESOL Course Registration

To ensure that all ESOL students are enrolled in appropriate level classes, we assess potential students verbal and written skills at the time of registration. Please anticipate the process to take approximately 30 minutes. **Location:** Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street

ESOL classes are held in the Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street, unless otherwise indicated.

### Rosetta Stone at Home: English for all Levels

*English students of all levels who need a flexible schedule or additional practice.* A technology-based approach to English learning. Receive two days of tech assistance and a temporary license to access the program from any computer, smart phone or tablet. For those needing a computer, call 617-466-5233 to sign up for our Chromebook Lending Program and Internet service. **Access to the online program until September 22, 2023.**

Mon & Wed	6-7pm	June 12 & 14	\$40
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Students simultaneously enrolled in a ESOL class: \$20

### English for Spanish Speakers

*For Spanish speakers.* Slowly immerse yourself into an English language program. Learn the fundamentals of English grammar and basic reading, writing, and speaking skills. Participants should continue to ESOL- Beginner.

Group A	Tues & Thurs	6:30-8:30pm	May 16-June 22	\$40
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Group B	Fri	6-8pm	June 9-July 28	\$40
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Group C	Sat	2-4pm	May 13-June 24	\$40
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### ESOL – Beginner

*Participants with limited English skills.* Learn basic grammar skills, sentence structure, reading skills and pronunciation. Apply grammar in both reading and writing exercises.

Group A*	Mon & Wed	6-8pm	June 5-August 2	\$40
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\*Includes Rosetta Stone Lab

Group B	Tues & Thurs	6-8pm	June 6-August 3	\$40
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### ESOL – Intermediate

*Participants with some English skills.* Improve grammar skills using idioms and pronunciation. Apply grammar in reading and writing exercises.

Group A	Mon	6-8pm	June 5-August 2	\$40
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Group B	Wed & Fri	10-12pm	July 11- Aug 10	\$40
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Location: Chelsea Public Library

Group C	Tues & Thurs	6:30-8:30pm	May 30-July 13	\$40
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### ESOL – Advanced

*Participants with good English skills.* Practice advanced conversation and build a strong vocabulary using real life scenarios. Writing exercises focus on compound sentences.

Mon&Wed	6-8pm	June 5-August 2	\$40
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### ESOL – Advanced Reading & Writing

*Participants with good English skills.* Improve reading and writing skills through comprehension and grammar exercises. An excellent course for those who are planning to attend college or enter the workforce.

Thurs	6-8pm	June 8-August 3	\$40
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Chelsea English Language Program, managed by the Chelsea Recreation & Cultural Affairs Program, receives funding from the City of Chelsea with funds provided by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, and the Department of Housing and Community Development, Massachusetts Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG).



## CLASES DE INGLÉS

### ESOL Matriculación EN PERSONA

Para asegurar que todos los estudiantes de ESOL estén inscritos en clases de nivel apropiado, evaluamos las habilidades verbales y escritas de los estudiantes potenciales en el momento de la inscripción. Por favor, anticipe que el proceso tomará aproximadamente 30 minutos.

**Ubicación:** Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street

Las clases de ESOL se llevan a cabo en el Edificio Williams, 180 Walnut Street, a menos que se indique lo contrario.

### Rosetta Stone en casa: inglés para todos los niveles

*Estudiantes de todos los niveles de inglés quienes necesiten un horario flexible o práctica adicional.* Un enfoque basado en la tecnología para el aprendizaje del inglés. Reciba dos días de asistencia técnica y una licencia temporal y para acceder al programa desde cualquier computadora, teléfono inteligente o tableta. Para aquellos que necesitan una computadora, llamar al 617-466-5233 para inscribirse en nuestro programa de préstamo de Chromebook y servicio de Internet. **Acceso al programa en línea hasta el 22 de septiembre de 2023.**

lun y miér	6-7pm	Junio 12 & 14	\$40
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Estudiantes inscritos simultáneamente en una clase de ESOL: \$20

### Inglés para Hispanoparlantes

*Hispanoparlantes.* Sumérjase lentamente en un programa de inglés. Aprenda los fundamentos de gramática en inglés junto con destrezas de lectura básica, escritura, escuchar y hablar.

Grupo A	mar y juev	6:30-8:30pm	Mayo 16-Junio 22	\$40
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Grupo B	viernes	6-8pm	Junio 9-Julio 28	\$40
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Grupo C	sábado	2-4pm	Mayo 13-Junio 24	\$40
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### ESOL – Básico

*Participantes con nivel limitado.* Aprenda estructuras básicas de oraciones, pronunciación, lectura y destrezas de gramática. Aplique gramática en lectura y escritura.

Grupo A*	lun y miér	6-8pm	Junio 5-Agosto 2	\$40
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\*Incluye Rosetta Stone Lab

Grupo B	mar y juev	6-8pm	Junio 6-Agosto 3	\$40
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### ESOL – Intermedio

*Participantes con nivel medio.* Mejore sus destrezas de gramática usando modismos y pronunciación. Aplique gramática en lectura y escritura.

Grupo A	lunes	6-8pm	Junio 5-Agosto 2	\$40
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Grupo B	miér y vier	10-12pm	Julio 11-Agosto 10	\$40
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Ubicación: Chelsea Public Library

Grupo C	mar y juev	6:30-8:30pm	May 30-Julio 13	\$40
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### ESOL – Avanzado

*Participantes con conocimientos avanzados de inglés.* Mejore sus destrezas de gramática usando modismos y pronunciación. Aplique gramática en lectura, escritura, y ejercicios de conversación.

lun y miér	6-8pm	Junio 5-Agosto 2	\$40
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### ESOL – Lectura y Escritura Avanzada

*Participantes con buenas destrezas de inglés.* Mejore sus destrezas de lecto-escritura mediante comprensión y ejercicios de gramática. Excelente para quienes planean asistir a la universidad o mercado laboral.

jueves	6-8pm	Junio 8-Agosto 3	\$40
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Chelsea English Language Programs, administrado por el programa de Chelsea Recreation, recibe fondos para la Ciudad de Chelsea provistos por el Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano de EE. UU. y el Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Comunitario, Programa de Subsidios de Desarrollo Comunitario de Massachusetts (CDBG).

# Registration Information

**Summer Program Registration begins  
Tuesday, April 25 at 4pm**

Williams Building  
180 Walnut Street, Chelsea, MA  
Monday-Friday 4-8:30pm and Saturday 9am-4:30pm  
617 466-5233  
recreation@chelseama.gov | recreation.chelseama.gov

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Our Program Guide comes out 3 times a year. Course Registration begins on the following dates.

Fall/Winter	<b>September 12</b>
Spring	<b>January 9, 2024</b>
Summer	<b>April 30, 2024</b>

## 3 EASY WAYS TO REGISTER

### 1 Online

**register.communitypass.net/Chelsea**  
You must create a CommunityPass account to register for courses online. Confirmations are sent via email the day they are processed.

### 2 In-person

Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street  
Monday-Friday, 4-8:30 pm  
Saturday, 9 am-4:30 pm,  
**CLOSED Saturdays 7/1- 9/2**

### 3 By Mail or Email

Detach & fill out the registration form and mail with money order to: City Hall, 500 Broadway, Rm. 100, Chelsea, MA 02150 or **SCAN** to: **recreation@chelseama.gov**. Staff will contact you to confirm your reservation.

## Refund Policy

We reserve the right to cancel or discontinue classes at our own discretion. If a course is cancelled, you have the option to get a refund or register for an alternative class during the same session.

No refunds are given after classes have started. If we receive your request to withdraw at least two weeks prior to the start time of your course, you will receive a refund.

For students in English Language Classes ONLY: during the first week of class, if a student feels that another level would be more suitable for their learning needs, the student will be allowed to transfer to another class pending instructor approval and available space.

## Cancellations and Closings

Programs are cancelled if the Chelsea Public Schools are closed. Closing will be announced on the major television news stations-channels 4, 5, 7, City Cable TV-channel 15 and on a recorded message by calling 617 466-5233 after 2 pm on weekdays, or after 7am on Sat. & Sun.

## Photo Permission

Chelsea Recreation & Cultural Affairs reserves the right to photograph classes, programs, and participants at any of our facilities or any sponsored activity. Participants are notified and are asked to sign a permission form if their photos are selected to be used for promotional purposes or in future publications and in media communications. If you do not wish to be photographed, please inform staff and we will honor your request.

**Our facilities will  
be CLOSED on**

- May 27-29
- June 19 • July 1-4
- August 13-21

**OPEN** during school  
vacation weeks



# REGISTRATION FORM / Formulario de matrícula

Name / Nombre

Date of Birth / Fecha de nacimiento\*

Address / Dirección

Zip Code / Código postal

Parent or Guardian name / Nombre del padre o guardián\*

School / Escuela\*

Grade / Grado

Primary Phone / Tel. principal

Email / Correo electrónico

Emergency Contact / Contacto de emergencia

\*Required for those 18 years and under. / Se requiere para menores de 18 años.

Course Name/ Nombre del curso

Fee / Costo

TOTAL	



## 1. PAY BY CASH OR CREDIT CARD / Pago en efectivo o con tarjeta de crédito

Please fill out this form and pay in-person with cash or credit card at:  
Por favor, completa este formulario y paga en persona en efectivo o con tarjeta de crédito en:

**Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street Chelsea, MA 02150**

## 2. PAY BY MONEY ORDER / Pago con giro postal.

Please send the money order and mail with this registration form to:  
Por favor, completa este formulario y envíalo por correo junto con el giro postal a:

**Chelsea City Hall, 500 Broadway, Rm. 100, Chelsea, MA 02150**

**PERSONAL CHECKS ARE NOT ACCEPTED.**

NOTICE: A release waiver is required to be signed by an adult or a parent/guardian for those under 18 years before the first class.

AVISO: Se requiere una autorización y renuncia de reclamo firmada por un adulto o un padre/guardián para los menores de 18 años antes del comienzo de las clases.



## RECREATION & CULTURAL AFFAIRS

Department of Health and Human Services

Chelsea City Hall  
500 Broadway, Rm. 100  
Chelsea, MA 02150

Phone: 617 466-4070  
Email: recreation@chelseama.gov  
Website: recreation.chelseama.gov



# Información sobre la matrícula

## La matrícula de verano comienza el martes 25 de abril a las 4pm

Williams Building  
180 Walnut Street, Chelsea, MA  
lunes a viernes 4-8:30pm y sábados 9am-4:30pm  
617 466-5233  
recreation@chelseama.gov | recreation.chelseama.gov

### 3 FORMAS FÁCILES DE MATRICULARSE

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#### En línea

[register.communitypass.net/Chelsea](https://register.communitypass.net/Chelsea)  
Para matricularse en línea debe crear una cuenta en CommunityPass. La confirmación se envía por correo electrónico el día en que se procesa.

2



#### En persona

Williams Building, 180 Walnut Street  
lunes-viernes, 4-8:30 pm  
sábados, 9 am-4:30 pm **Desde el 1 de julio al 2 de septiembre SÁBADOS CERRADO.**

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#### Por correo o correo electrónico

Complete el formulario de matrícula y envíelo por correo junto con el giro postal:  
City Hall, Rm 100, 500 Broadway, Chelsea, MA 02150  
o **ESCANEA** el formulario y envíalo a  
[recreation@chelseama.gov](mailto:recreation@chelseama.gov)

### Nuestras instalaciones permanecerán CERRADAS

- 27-29 de mayo
- 19 de junio • 1-4 de julio
- 13-21 de agosto

ABIERTO durante las  
semanas de vacaciones de  
las escuelas

### ¡MARCA TU CALENDARIO!

Nuestra guía de actividades sale tres veces al año. La matrícula comienza en las siguientes fechas.

Otoño/Invierno	12 de septiembre
Primavera	9 de enero, 2024
Verano	30 de abril, 2024

### Política de reembolso

Nos reservamos el derecho de cancelar o no continuar con las clases a nuestra entera discreción. Si un curso es cancelado, tiene la opción de solicitar el reembolso de su dinero o de inscribirse en otra clase alternativa en la misma temporada.

El dinero no será reembolsado después que inicien las clases. El dinero será reembolsado si recibimos su solicitud de cancelación dos semanas antes del inicio del curso.

Atención, para los estudiantes en las clases de inglés: SOLO durante la primera semana de clases, si un estudiante cree que sus necesidades de aprendizaje no se ajustan a su nivel, se le permitirá cambiar a otra clase, una vez esto sea aprobado por el instructor y haya espacio disponible.

### Cancelación y cierre

Los programas se cancelan cuando las Escuelas Públicas de Chelsea permanecen cerradas. El cierre será anunciado en los canales de TV 4, 5, 7, City Cable TV-canal 15 y en un mensaje grabado al llamar al 617 466 5233 después de las 2pm en días de semana o después de las 7am los sábados y domingos.

### Permiso para fotos

Chelsea Recreation & Cultural Affairs se reserva el derecho de fotografiar las clases, programas y participantes en cualquiera de nuestras instalaciones, o cualquier actividad que patrocinemos. Se notificará a los participantes si sus fotos son seleccionadas para fines promocionales o futuras publicaciones en cualquier formato de los medios de comunicación. Si usted no desea ser fotografiado, por favor informe al personal y respetaremos su solicitud.



# Use Our Facilities

Available Monday-Friday 4-8:30pm,  
Saturdays 9am-4:30pm, and Sundays pending  
community needs.

## Williams Building

Program Office, Rm. 107  
180 Walnut Street  
Chelsea, MA 02150  
**Phone:** 617 466-5233

## Clark Avenue School

Program Office, Rm. 126  
8 Clark Avenue  
Chelsea, MA 02150  
**Phone:** 617 466-5114

Chelsea Recreation & Cultural Affairs offers community organizations safe, state-of-the-art public school facilities to hold classes, meetings, workshops, and tournaments. Facilities can be used on a year-round, seasonal, or one-time basis. The Williams Building, located at 180 Walnut Street, is easily accessible by bus and ample parking is available. The Clark Avenue School, located at 8 Clark Avenue, is easily accessible by bus and has on-street parking.

## FACILITIES OPEN FOR USE INCLUDE

- Gymnasium
- Auditorium
- Cafeteria
- Outdoor basketball courts
- Outdoor courtyard
- Music room
- Meeting rooms
- Classrooms specialized for art
- Computer equipped classrooms
- Amphitheater

## HOW TO REQUEST FACILITIES

Online Application & Guidelines are now available at:  
[recreation.chelseama.gov](http://recreation.chelseama.gov) > **Reserve a Facility** > **Public Schools**

If you need assistance with completing the online application, call 617 466-5233. Organizations are encouraged to apply to use our facilities at least two (2) weeks prior to the event's start date.

Paper applications are available in our offices or on our website.

## USO DE NUESTRAS INSTALACIONES

Disponible de lunes a viernes 4-8:30pm, sábados 9am-4:30pm y domingos pendiente de necesidades de la comunidad.

Chelsea Recreation & Cultural Affairs ofrece a las organizaciones comunitarias instalaciones escolares públicas seguras y de vanguardia para realizar clases, reuniones, talleres y torneos. Las instalaciones se pueden utilizar durante todo el año, estacional o una sola vez. El Edificio Williams, ubicado en 180 Walnut Street, es fácilmente accesible en autobús y hay un amplio estacionamiento disponible. La Escuela Clark Avenue, ubicada en 8 Clark Avenue, es fácilmente accesible en autobús y tiene estacionamiento en la calle.

## LAS INSTALACIONES DISPONIBLES PARA SU USO INCLUYEN

- Gimnasio
- Auditorio
- Cafetería
- Canchas externas de baloncesto
- Patios al aire libre
- Sala de música
- Sala de reuniones
- Salas especializadas para arte
- Salas con computadoras
- Anfiteatro

## CÓMO SOLICITAR EL USO DE LAS INSTALACIONES

La solicitud en línea y la guía del uso de las instalaciones están disponibles en

[recreation.chelseama.gov](http://recreation.chelseama.gov) > **Reserve a Facility** > **Public Schools**

Si necesita ayuda para completar la solicitud en línea, llame al 617 466-5233.

Se alienta a las organizaciones a solicitar el uso de nuestras instalaciones al menos dos (2) semanas antes de la fecha de inicio del evento.

**Las solicitudes en papel están disponibles en nuestras oficinas o en nuestra página web.**



# Sports Leagues

## Soccer

### CHELSEA YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE

coed: ages 5-14

781 215-4206

[alejandramedina128@gmail.com](mailto:alejandramedina128@gmail.com)

### MATIAS SOCCER SCHOOL

coed: ages 5-17

617 771-2147

[www.facebook.com/juan.matias.18488](https://www.facebook.com/juan.matias.18488)

[juanmatiasmejia81@gmail.com](mailto:juanmatiasmejia81@gmail.com)

### MYSTIC UNITED FC

coed: ages 5-17

617 785-6343

[www.facebook.com/MysticUnitedFC](https://www.facebook.com/MysticUnitedFC)

[mysticunitedfc.com](http://mysticunitedfc.com)

### SOCCER WITHOUT BORDERS

coed: ages 6-19

(857) 264-0571

[boston@soccerwithoutborders.org](mailto:boston@soccerwithoutborders.org)

## Football

### CHELSEA PRIDE FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING

coed: 1st- 8th Grade

617 407-2092

[facebook.com/chelseapridefootballandcheer](https://facebook.com/chelseapridefootballandcheer)

[chelseapridefootball@yahoo.com](mailto:chelseapridefootball@yahoo.com)

### CHELSEA BEARS

coed: ages 6-15

[chelseabearsfootball@gmail.com](mailto:chelseabearsfootball@gmail.com)

Instagram - [@chelsea\\_bears\\_youth\\_football](https://www.instagram.com/chelsea_bears_youth_football)

Sports leagues are independent organizations, not Chelsea municipal government entities.

## Basketball

### CHELSEA YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

coed: ages 5-13

[ChelseayouthBBallLeague@yahoo.com](mailto:ChelseayouthBBallLeague@yahoo.com)

[www.facebook.com/chelseayouthbasketball02150](https://www.facebook.com/chelseayouthbasketball02150)

[https://www.instagram.com/chelsea\\_youth\\_basketball/](https://www.instagram.com/chelsea_youth_basketball/)

## Baseball

### CHELSEA YOUTH BASEBALL

coed: ages 4-14

857 258-5551

[chelsealittleleague@yahoo.com](mailto:chelsealittleleague@yahoo.com)

[facebook.com/chelseabaseballandsoftball](https://facebook.com/chelseabaseballandsoftball)

### CHELSEA SOFTBALL LEAGUE (ADULTS)

857 251-0334

[www.facebook.com/chelsea.softballleague](https://www.facebook.com/chelsea.softballleague)

## Lacrosse

### HARLEM LACROSSE-BOSTON

coed: 5th-12th Grade

857 334-9289

[www.harlemlacrosse.org](http://www.harlemlacrosse.org)

[coachpat@harlemlacrosse.org](mailto:coachpat@harlemlacrosse.org)

### WANT US TO POST YOUR LEAGUE INFORMATION?

Call **617 466-5114** and we'll include it in our program guide distributed three times a year: fall/winter, spring, and summer.

**SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL SUPPORT** are available to Youth Sports organizations.

For more information contact [recreation@chelseama.gov](mailto:recreation@chelseama.gov)



# Permit Information

Chelsea boasts 40 beautiful parks & playgrounds within 2.2 square miles of land. Spread throughout 8 districts are various municipal and state parks waiting to be explored and enjoyed by Chelsea residents. Neighborhood parks and athletic fields are available sunrise until sunset for use from mid-April until mid-October pending weather conditions. **For park locations and amenities see pages 22-23.**

The Chelsea Recreation & Cultural Affairs issues permits for a variety of activities in MUNICIPAL parks & on public ways. Permits are required for groups of 10 or more individuals who wish to use athletic fields (including courts) or hold a Special Event for cultural, social, and recreational celebrations.

## ATHLETIC FIELD

Chelsea's two largest municipal athletic fields are:  
*Voke Park*: baseball diamond, basketball & tennis courts and  
*Highland Park*: soccer field & basketball courts.

Individuals or leagues whose membership meets the residency requirement (51% youth or 80% adults must reside in Chelsea) will receive first priority. **Applications must be submitted at least 10 working days prior to use.**

Chelsea City Hall, Rm 100  
500 Broadway, Chelsea, MA 02150  
617 466-4070  
email: recreation@chelseama.gov

## SPECIAL EVENT

The City of Chelsea recognizes the contribution of special events such as a festival, charity walk, block party, parade, or concert to the city's attractiveness for residents, visitors, and businesses. Permits are required to hold a Special Event. **Applications must be submitted at least 30 days prior to the event.**

Chelsea City Hall, Rm 307  
500 Broadway, Chelsea, MA 02150  
617 466-4150  
email: specialevents@chelseama.gov

**Online Applications & Guidelines are now available at:**

[recreation.chelseama.gov](https://recreation.chelseama.gov) > Reserve a Facility > Reserve an Athletic Field

**Paper applications** are available at the Chelsea City Hall front desk or online at [recreation.chelseama.gov/reservefacility/reserveanathleticfield](https://recreation.chelseama.gov/reservefacility/reserveanathleticfield)

## COMO OBTENER UN PERMISO

Chelsea cuenta con 40 hermosos parques infantiles y parques dentro de 2.2 millas cuadradas de tierra. En 8 distritos hay varios parques municipales y estatales que esperan ser explorados y disfrutados por los residentes de Chelsea. Los parques vecinales y los campos deportivos están disponibles desde el amanecer hasta el atardecer para su uso desde mediados de abril hasta mediados de octubre, dependiendo de las condiciones climáticas. **Para conocer las ubicaciones de los parques y los servicios, consulte las páginas 22-23.**

Chelsea Recreation & Cultural Affairs emite PERMISOS para una amplia variedad de actividades en parques MUNICIPALES y en vías públicas. Se requieren permisos para grupos de 10 o más personas que deseen utilizar los campos de atletismo (incluidas las canchas) o celebrar un evento especial para celebraciones culturales, sociales y recreativas.

### USO DE LOS CAMPOS DE ATLETISMO

Los dos campos de atletismo municipales más grandes de Chelsea son: *Voke Park*: campo de béisbol, canchas de baloncesto y tenis y *Highland Park*: cancha de fútbol y canchas de baloncesto.

Las personas o ligas cuya membresía cumplan con el requisito de residencia (51% de jóvenes u 80% de adultos deben residir en Chelsea) recibirán la primera prioridad. **Las solicitudes deben presentarse al menos 10 días hábiles antes de su uso.**

### USO PARA EVENTOS ESPECIALES

Se reconocen eventos especiales en la ciudad tales como un festival, una caminata de caridad, una fiesta en la calle, un desfile o un concierto para el entretenimiento de los residentes de la ciudad, visitantes y empresas de negocio. Se requieren permisos para celebrar un evento especial. **Las solicitudes deben presentarse al menos 45 días antes del evento.**

**La solicitud en línea y la guía de cómo realizar la aplicación está disponible en:**

[recreation.chelseama.gov](https://recreation.chelseama.gov) > Reserve a Facility > Reserve an Athletic Field

**La solicitud en papel** están disponibles en el mostrador de la entrada del ayuntamiento de la ciudad, o también puede descargarla de [recreation.chelseama.gov/reservefacility/reserveanathleticfield](https://recreation.chelseama.gov/reservefacility/reserveanathleticfield)

# Parks Information

## PARKS & ATHLETIC FIELDS

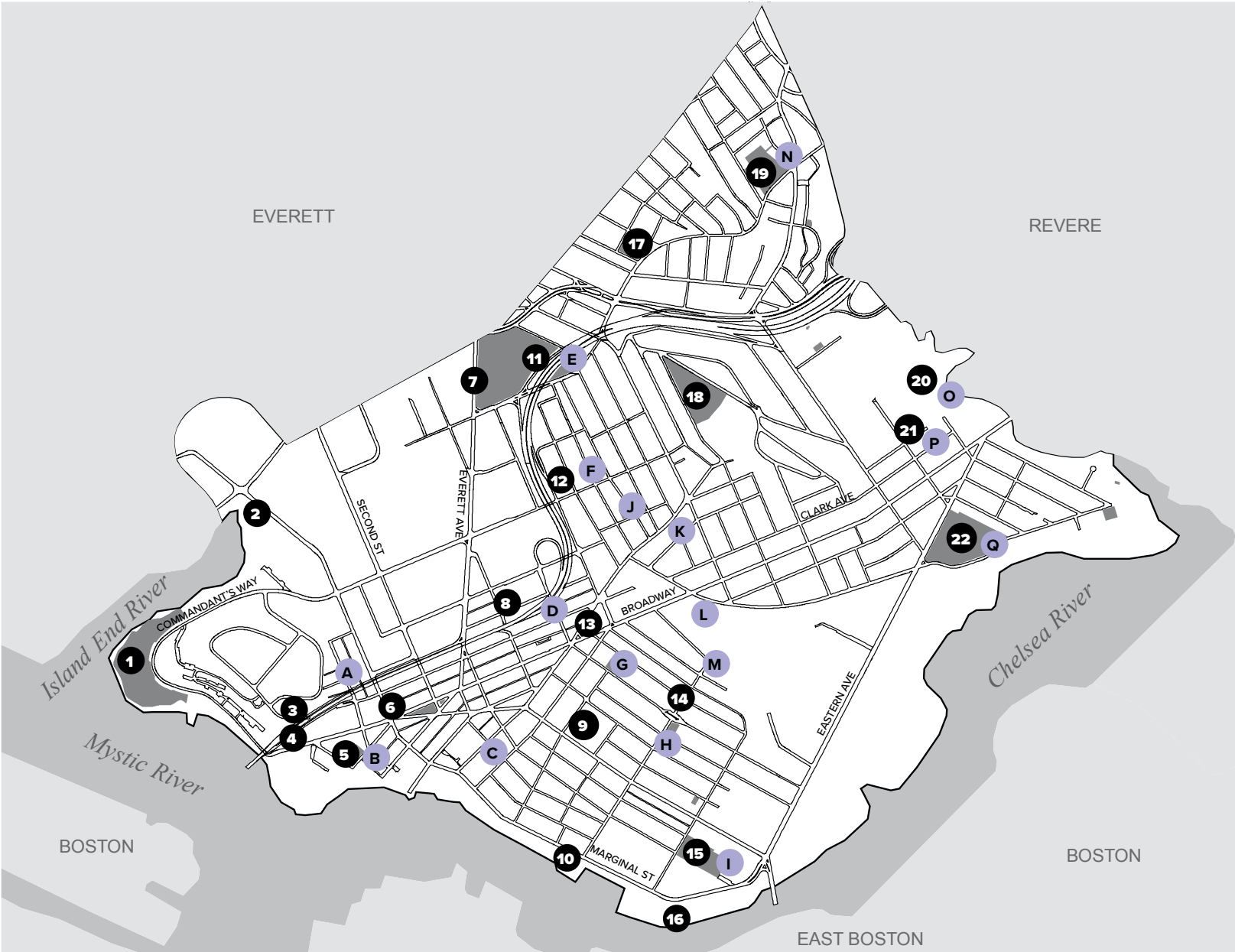
- 1** Mary O'Malley Memorial Park  
Commandants Way | **State**
- 2** Island End Park  
Hawthorn Street & Court | **Municipal**
- 3** Mystic River Overlook Park  
Lower End Broadway | **Municipal**
- 4** Dog Park  
Lower End Broadway | **Municipal**
- 5** Ciepela Park  
Medford Street | **Municipal**
- 6** Chelsea Square  
Park Street | **Municipal**
- 7** Veterans Field at Memorial  
Stadium | **School**  
Everett Ave. (CLOSED during school hours)
- 8** Williams School Courtyard  
Arlington Street | **Municipal**  
(CLOSED during school hours)
- 9** Garden Cemetery  
Shawmut Avenue | **Municipal**
- 10** PORT Park  
Marginal Street | **Private**  
**Municipally Managed**
- 11** Carter Park  
Carter Street | **School**
- 12** Anita's Garden  
Spruce Street | **Municipal**
- 13** City Hall Plaza & Green  
Broadway | **Municipal**
- 14** Highland Green Corridor  
Highland Street | **Municipal**
- 15** Highland Park  
Willow Street | **Municipal**
- 16** Chelsea River Walk  
257 Marginal St | **Municipal**
- 17** Washington Park  
Washington Avenue | **Municipal**
- 18** Malone Park  
Summit Avenue | **State**
- 19** Voke Park  
Washington Avenue | **Municipal**
- 20** Mill Creek Riverwalk  
Revere Beach Parkway | **Municipal**
- 21** Paul A. Dever Park  
Stockton & Gilooly St | **Municipal**
- 22** Mary C. Burke Athletic Fields  
Crescent Avenue | **School**  
(CLOSED during school hours)

## PLAYGROUNDS













- A** O'Neil Park  
Beacon Street | **Municipal**
- B** Polonia Park  
Tremont Street | **Municipal**
- C** Quigley Park  
Essex Street | **Municipal**
- D** Kayem Park  
Fifth Street | **Municipal**
- E** Carter Playground  
Carter Street | **Municipal**
- F** Judie Dyer Park  
Spruce & Heard St. | **Municipal**
- G** Bosson Playground  
Grove Street | **Municipal**
- H** Bellingham Hill Park  
Highland Street | **Municipal**
- I** Highland Park  
Willow Street | **Municipal**
- J** Eden Street Park  
Addison & Blossom St. | **Municipal**
- K** Ruiz Park  
Washington Avenue | **Municipal**
- L** Mace Tot-Lot  
Crescent Avenue | **Municipal**
- M** Box District Park  
Library Street | **Municipal**
- N** Voke Park  
Springvale Avenue | **Municipal**
- O** Creekside Common  
Gilooly Street | **Municipal**
- P** Paul A. Dever Park  
Stockton & Gilooly Streets | **Municipal**
- Q** Mary C. Burke Playground  
Crescent Avenue (CLOSED during school hours) | **School**

# CITY OF CHELSEA

## PARKS, ATHLETIC FIELDS & PLAYGROUNDS



### Key Code

	Soccer & Football		Basketball
	Parking		Picnic Area
	Tennis		Playing Fields
	Running Track		Garden
	Benches		Walking Trails
	Playground		Water Feature

**MUNICIPAL** Organized events require a permit.  
Call 617 466-4070 for more information or apply online at:  
[recreation.chelseama.gov](http://recreation.chelseama.gov) → Permits → Apply for a permit

**SCHOOL** For the Veterans Field at Memorial Stadium, Carter Park, and Mary C. Burke Athletic Fields please call 617 466-5101

**STATE** To schedule organized events for Malone Park, call Chelsea Soldiers' Home at 617 887-7115; for Mary O'Malley Memorial Park call the Department of Conservation and Recreation at 617 626-1250 or online at:  
[www.mass.gov/topics/parks-recreation](http://www.mass.gov/topics/parks-recreation)



# Instructors & Organizations

## INSTRUCTORS

### Anita Barnes

has played collegiate volleyball and has a J.D. from the New England School of Law. She is passionate about the legal system and the benefits of law school.

### Jessica Chaves

She is a graduate of Pine Manor College with a Business Degree and has 20 years of retail banking experience with East Cambridge Savings Bank.

### Maritza Cole

has an MEd from Cambridge College and holds a certification in ABE and in a foreign language (Spanish K-12).

### Gregory Deyermenjian

has taught English to the staff at The Fernald Center and to individuals in private settings. He has a MEd and a MA in International Development.

### Omar Frometa

is a 20-year veteran firefighter assigned to Tower Ladder 1, and is the Chelsea Safety and Fire Education Coordinator.

### Demetrius Fuller

is the Art Teacher at the Sokolowski Elementary School. He has worked with groups of children to create a wide variety of art including the production of original puppet shows.

### Carol Henriquez

is a licensed real estate agent with Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage. She is a retired Chelsea Public School teacher.

### Mark Jacobson

has been teaching paddling and cross-country skiing since the early '90s. He is the Vice President for Paddle Boston, working with the organization for the past 30 years.

### Kristen Leslie

has a BFA from Massachusetts College of Art & Design and is licensed as a teacher in Massachusetts.

### Andres Lopez

is an artist from El Salvador. His work involves a series of sculptures where he portrays the worldwide phenomena of migration and forced displacement in the context of contemporary life.

### Christopher Maggio

holds a BM degree in Music Theory and Composition from the University of Lowell in Massachusetts. He has been a music instructor for over 20 years.

### Nathan Maibor

is currently a college student, and a second-degree black belt (candidate for 3rd Degree) with 15+ years of martial arts experience.

### Jesus Maldonado

is an IT Computer Technician for Chelsea Public Schools and a passionate advocate for making technology accessible to all.

### Joanne O'Brien

has been a Chelsea Police Officer for over 26 years. She is assigned to the Traffic and Community Service Unit.

### Jill Pelletier

embarked on her journey into the arts at age four with dance lessons. She has continued for the last 20 years and is versed in many styles.

### John Pellicelli

is a 2nd-degree black belt with 10+ years of experience is an enthusiastic instructor, engaging with both students and families.

### Jennifer Porto

holds a BFA in Art Education from Umass Amherst and a MFA in Visual Arts and Education from Lesley University. She is an Art Teacher at the Wright Science & Technology Academy.

### Alejandro Rivera

is the Lead Computer Technician for Chelsea Public Schools. As a lifelong Chelsea resident, he is proud to be able to give back to his community.

### Marlene Romero

is an English as a Second Language teacher in Boston Public Schools. English was also her second language as a child.

### Richard Wilson

has over 20 years of experience teaching tennis to youth and adults. He recently supervised Chelsea's first Tenacity Summer tennis and reading program.

## ORGANIZATIONS

### East Cambridge Savings Bank

is a community based mutual bank founded in 1854. ECSB has been in Chelsea since 2015.  
[www.ecsb.com](http://www.ecsb.com)

### Jordan Boys and Girls Club

established in 1993, provides recreation, education, fitness and mentoring programs to support Chelsea youth.  
[www.bgcb.org/locations\\_clubs\\_jordan.cfm](http://www.bgcb.org/locations_clubs_jordan.cfm)

### Mini Movers Studio

is a mobile dance studio dedicated to inspiring movement & fun providing top notch instruction while instilling confidence and creativity in your young mover!  
[www.minimoversstudio.com](http://www.minimoversstudio.com)

### New Energy Martial Arts

empowers each student's mind & body through martial arts in order to develop a positive growth mindset that reaches further into the community. NEMA's approach is supported by 27+ years of martial arts and self-defense training.  
[http://newenergyma.com](http://http://newenergyma.com)

### Paddle Boston

operates seven canoe, kayak and paddleboard locations in the Boston area and has been introducing people to paddlesports since 1973.  
[PaddleBoston.com](http://PaddleBoston.com)

### Peabody Museum of

**Archaeology & Ethnology**  
is among the oldest archaeological and ethnographic museums in the world with one of the finest collections of human cultural history found anywhere.  
[www.peabody.harvard.edu](http://www.peabody.harvard.edu)

### Tech Goes Home

is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization whose mission is to empower communities to access and use digital tools to overcome barriers and advance lives.  
[www.techgoeshome.org](http://www.techgoeshome.org)

### YMCA

is an international organization of men, women, and children joined together by a shared commitment to nurturing the potential of youth, healthy living, and social responsibility.  
[www.ymca.net/about-us](http://www.ymca.net/about-us)

## RECREATION STAFF

### Bea Cravatta

Director, has an MS in Recreation Administration from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and a dual BA in Elementary Education and Social Work from Moravian College. She was a US Peace Corps Volunteer in the Dominican Republic from 1985-89.

### Alex Delvalle-Montoya

Community Recreation Manager, has an MS in Sports Administration from Boston College and a BS in Recreation, Sport & Tourism Management from the University of Illinois. He enjoys photography, reading, and beating his brother in chess.

### Abigail Feldman

Community Recreation Manager, has an EdM in Arts in Education from Harvard University and led English and art classes in Spain while participating in Fulbright Espana - a cultural exchange program.

### Enza Goodwin

ESOL Curriculum Coordinator holds a MA in Applied Linguistics from UMASS Boston. She is licensed in ESL Asst. Principal/Principal, and as a Director through the MA Dept. of Education.

### Bianca Servellon

Support Coordinator, is pursuing a BS degree in Criminal Justice at Salem State University. Her work and studies focus on how to best serve the Chelsea community.

### Nubia Villarroel

Program Assistant, has over 20 years working as Admin Assistant from schools to federal to state government. She volunteers at Malden Public Schools and Children's Hospital.

### Telma Zelaya

Program Assistant, is a computer engineer who obtained a BS and MS from Boston University. She is committed to using her technical skills to support the Chelsea community.

# More Programs

## IN CHELSEA

**Apollinaire Theatre Company**  
189 Winnisimmet Street  
617 887-2336  
apollinairetheatrecompany.com

**Archery Games**  
121 Webster Ave #3  
617 466-0142  
www.archerygamesboston.com/

**Carter Park CrossFit**  
265 Carter Street  
617 466-2378  
www.carterparkcrossfit.com

**Chelsea Public Library**  
569 Broadway  
617 466-4350  
www.chelseama.gov/public-library

**Chelsea Senior Center**  
10 Riley Way  
617 466-4370  
www.chelseama.gov/elder-services

**Vietnam Veterans Memorial Swimming & Wading Pool**  
184 Carter Street  
617 884-3899  
www.chelseama.gov/home/pages/vietnam-veterans-memorial-pool

## OUT OF CHELSEA

### Outdoors

**Arnold Arboretum**  
125 Arborway, Boston  
617 524-1718  
www.arboretum.harvard.edu

**Boston Common Frog Pond**  
38 Beacon Street, Boston  
617 635-2120  
www.bostonfrogpond.com

**Boston Harbor Islands**  
Welcome Center  
191 W. Atlantic Avenue, Boston  
617 223-8666  
www.bostonharborislands.org

**Boston Public Gardens Swan Boats**  
4 Charles Street, Boston  
617 522-1966

**Charles River Canoe & Kayak**  
15 Broad Canal Way,  
Cambridge  
617 965-5110  
www.paddleboston.com/  
kendall.php

**Community Boating Inc.**  
21 David G. Mugar Way, Boston  
617 523-1038  
www.community-boating.org

**Esplanade Concerts**  
Hatch Memorial Shell  
Charles River Esplanade  
47 David G Mugar Way, Boston  
617 626-1250  
www.hatchshell.com/index.php

**Franklin Park Zoo**  
1 Franklin Park Road, Boston  
617 541-5466  
www.zoonewengland.org/  
franklin-park-zoo

**Freedom Trail**  
44 School Street, Suite 250,  
Boston  
617 357-8300  
www.thefreedomtrail.org

**Piers Park Sailing Center**  
95 Marginal Street, East Boston  
617 561-6677  
piersparksailing.org

## OUT OF CHELSEA Indoors

**Boston Ballet**  
19 Clarendon Street, Boston  
617 695-6950  
www.bostonballet.org

**Boston Children's Museum**  
308 Congress Street, Boston  
617 426-6500  
www.bostonchildrensmuseum.org

**Boston Pops-Symphony Hall**  
301 Massachusetts Avenue,  
Boston  
617 638-9345  
https://www.bso.org/pops

**Boston Public Library**  
700 Boylston Street, Boston  
617 536-5400  
www.bpl.org

**Boston Symphony Orchestra—Symphony Hall**  
301 Massachusetts Avenue  
617 266-1492 www.bso.org

**Charlestown YMCA**  
150 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Charlestown,  
Boston  
617 286-1220  
www.ymcaboston.org/  
charlestown

**Cronin Memorial Ice Skating Rink**  
870 Revere Beach Parkway  
781 284-9491  
fmcicesports.com/rink/revere-cronin-skating-arena

**Harvard Museum of Natural History**  
26 Oxford Street, Cambridge  
617 495-3045  
www.hmnh.harvard.edu

**MetroRock Boston (Rock Climbing)**  
69 Norman Street #9, Everett  
617 387-7625  
www.metrorock.com/boston

**Museum of African American History**  
46 Joy Street, Beacon Hill,  
Boston  
617 725-0022 x330  
www.maah.org

**Museum of Fine Arts**  
465 Huntington Avenue,  
Boston  
617 267-9300  
www.mfa.org

**Museum of Science**  
1 Science Park, Boston  
617 723-2500  
www.mos.org

**New England Aquarium**  
1 Central Wharf, Boston  
617 973-5200  
www.neaq.org

**The Institute of Contemporary Art**  
25 Harbor Shore Drive, Boston  
617 478-3100  
www.icaboston.org

**The Sports Museum of New England**  
TD Garden  
100 Legends Way, Boston  
617 624-1231  
www.sportsmuseum.org

**Skyzone (Trampoline Park)**  
69 Norman Street #1B, Everett  
617 387-1000  
www.skyzone.com/Everett

**YMCA East Boston**  
215 Bremen Street, East Boston  
617 569-9622  
www.ymcaboston.org/  
eastboston

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**Monday-Friday**

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