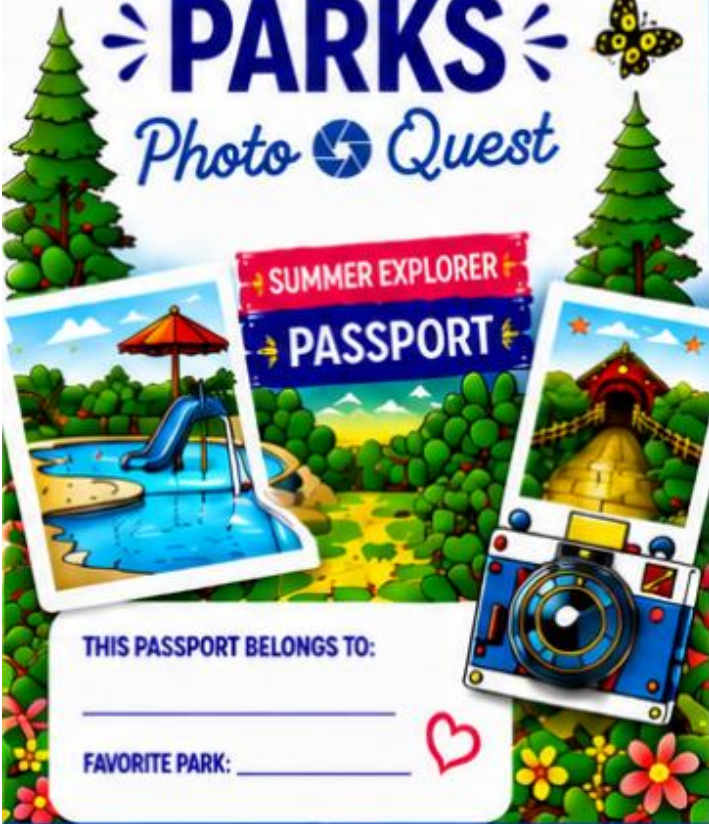


2026

SUMMER

PARKS

Photo Quest



2026 SUMMER PARKS PHOTO QUEST

RULES & GUIDELINES



HAVE FUN

The goal of this program is to get outside, explore our community, and create fun memories together.



ONE THEME EACH WEEK

New photo challenges will be shared each week, on the Friends of Winterset Parks & Recreation Facebook page. Challenges start on Monday, running each week on Monday-Sunday.



SUBMIT PHOTOS WEEKLY

Post your completed challenge photos in the comments of the weekly challenge post. Photos should be submitted by the following Sunday evening each week to be considered for that week's featured photos.



WEEKLY FEATURED PHOTOS

Each week, the featured photo(s) will be chosen as standout in recognition as submissions to the weekly challenges.



SUMMER ACTIVITY FOR KIDS!

Families, individuals, children, grandparents, and friends are encouraged to participate! Prizes will only be awarded to participating youth and individuals.



EXPLORE SAFELY

- Stay on marked trails and public areas.
- Respect park rules and posted signs.
- Do not enter restricted areas.
- Follow all local laws and traffic rules.



BE RESPECTFUL

- Respect parks, nature, wildlife, and community spaces.
- Leave places cleaner than you found them.
- Please do not damage plants, trees, or features—enjoy gently!



SAFETY FIRST

- Adult supervision is recommended for kids.
- Never share photos that reveal locations of private residences or individuals.
- Look both ways, stay with your group, and avoid drink while sitting photos.



PHOTO ETIQUETTE

- Ask permission before taking photos of people (adults/youth).
- Respect the privacy of others—avoid photographing faces if asked.



FRIENDS OF WINTERSET
PARKS & RECREATION



Whether you win a prize or not, everyone who participates will create **summer memories** that last far beyond the season!



WEEK 1

Parks & Playgrounds



THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGES

- SLIDE PHOTO
- SWING PHOTO
- BUILD SOMETHING
- PICNIC PHOTO



PHOTO MEMORY

Draw or write your favorite moment!



WEEK 2

Nature Explorers



THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGES

- BUG / BUTTERFLY
- BIG TREE
- WATER PHOTO
- SKY PHOTO



PHOTO MEMORY

Draw or write your favorite moment!



WEEK 3

Covered Bridge Adventures



THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGES

- BRIDGE POSE
- TROLL PHOTO
- WALKTHROUGH PHOTO
- SILLY POSE



PHOTO MEMORY

Draw or write your favorite moment!



WEEK 4

Downtown Discoveries



THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGES

- DOWNTOWN MURAL
- COURTHOUSE
- STORE FRONT
- FLOWER BASKET/POT



PHOTO MEMORY

Draw or write your favorite moment!



WEEK 5

Trails & Movement



THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGES

- TRAIL ACTIVITY
- JUMP SHOT
- HUMAN TRAIN
- NATURE FINDS



WEEK 6

Animals & Outdoor Fun



THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGES

- BIRD/SQUIRREL
- PET PHOTO
- ENJOYING A SUMMER TREAT
- TRACKS

WEEK 7

Sports & Recreation



THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGES

- SPORT ACTION
- BALL ACTIVITY
- VICTORY POSE
- PLAYING OUTSIDE

WEEK 8

Hidden Gems



THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGES

- NEW-TO-YOU PARK/TRAIL
- QUIET SPOT
- NATURE CLOSE-UP
- NATURE CREATION

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SUMMER EXPLORER COMPLETED!

YOU DID IT!

Way to go, explorer!

COMPLETE EACH WEEK FOR MORE CHANCES TO WIN A BIKE!

MY FAVORITE MEMORY:



MY FAVORITE PARK:

PRIZES

WEEKLY PRIZE DRAWINGS

Each week, five winners will be randomly selected from that week's photo submissions to receive a \$10 credit for Aquatic Center concessions.



TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE PRIZES:

- Complete & submit weekly challenges by the following Sunday by posting your photos on Facebook.
- Include the name of the child who is entering the drawing.
- Tag @Friends of Winterset Parks & Rec.
- Challenges begin each Monday, and end the following Sunday.

HOW IT WORKS

- Each week, we'll share 4 simple photo challenges.
- Complete them anytime during the week.
- Snap photos with your phone.
- Post them on Facebook by Sunday.



COMPLETE EACH WEEK FOR MORE CHANCES TO

WIN A BIKE!

★ GRAND PRIZE DRAWING ★

Each weekly submission will be entered into the drawing to win a bike! The more weeks you complete, the more chances you'll have to win!

