



TOWNSHIP
OF

Freehold

October 2025

RECREATION HAPPENINGS

2025

Township Committee

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Lester A. Preston Jr., Deputy Mayor
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Recreation Commission

Robert Nitti, Chairperson
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Recreation Office 732-294-2190
Recreation Fax 732-866-6637
Park Maintenance 732-294-2194
Senior Center 732-294-2029
Senior Fax 732-683-0879

Location: Michael J. Tighe Park
65 Georgia Road
Freehold, NJ, 07728

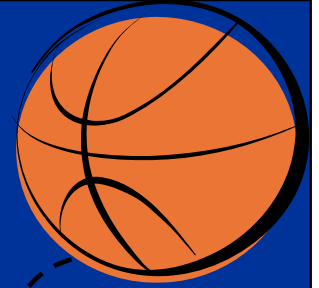
Mailing: Freehold Twp. Recreation
1 Municipal Plaza
Freehold, NJ 07728

Program Updates/
Weather Cancellation Hotline
732-294-2198

Visit our website:
www.freeholdtownshiprec.com

Information inside for:

Instructional Basketball
Youth Basketball
High School Basketball



Freehold Township Parks & Recreation



TRICK OR TREAT

in the park



At Michael J. Tighe Park

(65 Georgia Road, Freehold, NJ)

Freehold Township Residents Ages 2-14

Wednesday, October 22, 2025

3:30 p.m. — 6:00 p.m.

Details Inside for Trick or Treating in the Park!

INSTRUCTIONAL

Basketball



Boys & Girls Grades 1 & 2

Boys and girls will learn the basic skills and fundamentals of basketball:
passing, shooting, dribbling and teamwork!

In addition, the second grade program will combine instruction and play.

Location:	Laura Donovan School, 237 Stonehurst Blvd.	
Times:	1st Grade	8:45 AM - 9:45 AM
	1st Grade	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM
	2nd Grade	11:15 AM - 12:15 PM
	2nd Grade	12:30 PM - 1:30 PM
	2nd Grade	1:45 PM - 2:45 PM
	Dates:	Saturday, December 6—February 28
	No Class on 12/27/25, 1/3/2026 and 2/14/26	
Program Fee:	\$140.00 Residents Only	



Maximum 25 children per class. Program fills quickly.

Recreation is not responsible if you do not know your password at time of registration.

ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY starting on Monday, October 20th.

Register at WWW.FTREC.COM

All registrants *must* include a copy of the participant's birth certificate.

****There will be no make-ups for canceled classes. Participation is restricted to registered class time. Children must wear color-coded T-shirt to basketball session.****

2025-2026 MANDATORY POLICIES

- ◆ Failure for parent or child to comply with mandatory policies will result in a Code of Conduct violation resulting in the player being removed from the program.
- ◆ NO Food or Beverages are allowed in the schools. This includes coffee and Gatorade. Players may have a re-usable water bottle.
- ◆ NO REFUNDS.

Freehold Township Parks and Recreation Commission
732-294-2190

YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE 2025-2026

BOYS & GIRLS GRADES 3-8 (FREEHOLD TWP. RESIDENTS ONLY)

Location: Various Freehold Township School Gyms
Dates: League Play begins Saturday, December 6th and runs through early March
No Games on 12/27/25, 1/3/26 & 2/14/26.
Program Fee: \$180.00 (paid by Thursday, October 30th)
\$205.00 after October 30th based upon league availability.
No registration will be accepted after league draft is held.

Grades 3-4 Non-Competitive

There will be no draft for this league.

Grades 5-8 Competitive

Special Requests will NOT be accepted.

No changes will be made for practice conflicts, coaching requests or car pooling.

Recreation is not responsible if you do not know your password at time of registration.
If you register your child for the wrong grade, your child will be removed from the wrong grade; however there is no guarantee a spot will be available in the correct grade.

REGISTER ONLINE at www.ftrec.com or in the Recreation Office.

*****COACHES NEEDED *****

All Volunteer Coaches must complete the "Volunteer Coaches Form" **ONLINE ONLY** at www.freeholdtownshiprec.com. All Volunteer Coaches must be certified by either NYSCA (www.nays.org) or Rutgers's (www.youthsports.rutgers.edu). You must provide Recreation with a copy of either the NYSCA or Rutgers Certification Card. Township Ordinance requires fingerprinting, background checks and CPR/AED Certification for all personnel involved in youth-serving programs. You must contact the Recreation Office at 732-294-2190 to obtain the proper forms. **All certifications and fingerprinting confirmation must be received by the Recreation Office by November 1st in order to coach.**

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2026
COED HIGH SCHOOL
Basketball

All levels of play are welcome.

A draft will be held on the week of December 1st.

This league is limited to 8 teams.

Boys & Girls Grades 9–12

Residents, FHS or FTHS Students

Location: Barkalow Gyms

Dates: Mondays, Tuesdays & Possibly Wednesdays

January 5th thru March 18th

(No Games on 1/19/26 and 2/16/26)

Games at 6:40 p.m. and 7:50 p.m.

Program Fee: \$225.00 if paid by December 1st.

\$275.00 after December 1st based on league availability.

SPECIAL REQUESTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

REGISTRATION ONLINE AT
www.freeholdtownshiprec.com.

VOLUNTEER COACHES NEEDED

Volunteers need to be NYSCA or Rutgers Certified and background checked.

Coaches can register to coach online at www.ftrec.com.

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Join us for this **SPOOKTACULAR** event!

FREE Safe Candy Trick or Treat.

Participants will meet at the pavilion by the stage where they will receive a loot bag and tickets for each **spooktacularly** decorated area. (Proof of residency required)

East Freehold Fire Company

Firefighter Meet & Greet

MEMBERS WANTED!

Junior Members ages 14 - 17

&

Regular Members

18 & up



Sunday, October 12th
10:00 am to 2:00 pm

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- 🔥 Touch the fire trucks
- 🔥 Shoot a fire hose
- 🔥 Dress up as a firefighter
- 🔥 Learn about being a volunteer
- 🔥 Tour the firehouses
- 🔥 Refreshments

Ice Cream Emergency Truck
11 :00 am to 1:00pm



EAST FREEHOLD FIRE CO.

191 DUTCH LANE ROAD

TOUCH A



TRUCK



A FAMILY EVENT WITH YOUR FIRST RESPONDERS



CERTIFIED
AUTO MALL
TOWING & RECOVERY

OCTOBER 19, 2025, 1-4PM

FTIFC, 330 STILLWELLS CORNER ROAD, FREEHOLD

EXTRICATION, SHERIFF'S K-9, AND DRONE DEMOS

BOUNCE HOUSE

FREE FOOD DONATED BY WALMART

