

PARK FACILITIES

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PARK FACILITY RENTAL

REQUIREMENTS

- Rental available to Eden Prairie residents or businesses
- \$200 damage deposit required for all rental groups
- 2-hour minimum rental
- Reservations taken anytime after Jan. 3 of the requested year, with special scheduling for the Homeward Hills Barn
- Price listed does not include tax
- Groups of 100+ pay full day rate

To view photos and calendars of park facilities, visit edenprairie.org/facilityrentals.

City Ordinance requires resident groups of 20 or more people in City parks to have a permit. Please call 952-949-8333 for more information.

Contacts

Senior Center Room Rentals – 952-279-8050
Community Center Room Rentals –
952-949-8333
Park Buildings/Pavilions – 952-949-8333
facilityrentals@edenprairie.org.

HOMeward HILLS BARN

12000 Silverwood Drive

Heated two-level building with comfy seating and a kitchenette upstairs, along with chairs and tables. Park offers amenities year-round.

Reservations taken:

Jan. 3 (April–Oct.); Aug. 1 (Nov.–March of following year)
Cost: \$125 half day Time: 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m., 4–10 p.m.
Cost: \$165 full day Time: 8 a.m.–10 p.m.
Size: Max. 60-100

MILLER PARK, NESBITT PRESERVE, CRESTWOOD, EDENVALE, FOREST HILLS AND PRAIRIE VIEW

Buildings at these parks are conveniently located with lots of park amenities. Available year-round.

Cost: \$90 daily Time: 8 a.m.–10 p.m. (March–Dec.)
\$30/hr. during warming house season
Size: Max. 40

RILEY-JACQUES BARN

9100 Riley Lake Road

Historic barn available May 1 through Nov. 1.

Reservations taken:

March 1 (May–July) May 1 (Aug.–Oct.)
Cost: \$45/hour (includes set-up and clean-up)
Time: 8 a.m.–10:30 p.m.
Size: Max. 75-125

PURGATORY CREEK PARK LAMBERT PAVILION

13001 Technology Drive

Pavilion in an urban park surrounded by gardens, wetlands and a fountain. Limited parking.

Cost: \$140 half day Time: 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m., 4–10 p.m.
Cost: \$200 full day Time: 8 a.m.–10 p.m.
Size: Max. 75

RILEY LAKE PAVILION

9180 Riley Lake Road

Large park pavilion with picnic tables. Many park amenities available. Maximum 200.

Cost: \$140 half day Time: 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m., 4–10 p.m.
Cost: \$200 full day Time: 8 a.m.–10 p.m.
Size: Max. 200

ROUND LAKE BUILDING OR PAVILION*16691 Valley View Road*

Perfect for picnics.

Cost: \$115 half day Time: 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.;
4–10 p.m.

Cost: \$155 full day Time: 8 a.m.–10 p.m.
\$30/hr. during warming house season

Size: Building Max. 60; Pavilion Max. 200

STARING LAKE AMPHITHEATRE*14800 Pioneer Trail*

Overlooking Staring Lake, the amphitheatre offers a wondrous setting for weddings, free concerts and church services.

Cost: \$55/hour with two-hour minimum
\$35/hour for sound technician (required with sound systems, two-hour minimum)

Size: Max. 400

STARING LAKE PARK BUILDING*14800 Pioneer Trail*

Heated building with a gas fireplace, tables and chairs. Picnic tables on the plaza. Park offers year-round fun.

Cost: \$115 half day Time: 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.;
4–10 p.m.

Cost: \$155 full day Time: 8 a.m.–10 p.m.
\$30/hr. during warming house season

Size: Max. 125

SPECIAL USE AREAS

See back cover for park location map.

SKATE PARK

Round Lake Park
16691 Valley View Road

The skate park offers quarterpipes, a manual pad, grind rail and 2-foot high fun box pyramid with trani. It is available for use with skateboards and in-line skates during park hours, unless being used for a Parks and Recreation program.

ARCHERY RANGE

Staring Lake Park
East Entrance
13800 Pioneer Trail

The archery range is located north of the Cummins-Phipps Grill House; follow the trail from the ball field parking lot. The archery range offers 12 shooting stations with targets at 10, 20, 30 and 40-yard distances. Mechanical or fixed blade broadheads are not allowed. It is available for use during park hours, unless being used for a Parks and Recreation program.

DISC GOLF

Staring Lake Park
14800 Pioneer Trail

The nine-hole course is located east of the amphitheatre parking lot. The course has both recreational and professional tee boxes for most of the holes providing all users with a variety of challenges year-round.

NATURE TRAILS

Take a scenic walk along the developed nature trails in these Conservation Areas.

- Edenbrook Conservation Area
- Riley Creek Conservation Area
- Lower Purgatory Creek Conservation Area
- Richard T. Anderson Conservation Area

Visit edenprairie.org for trail maps.

OFF-LEASH DOG PARKS

The City of Eden Prairie maintains six off-leash dog exercise areas. Rules and regulations are posted at each site and at edenprairie.org. Dogs must be licensed in Eden Prairie and properly vaccinated. Children under six are not allowed in the off-leash areas.

7171 Flying Cloud Drive

Available year-round, this fenced area is located on the east side of Highway 212 on Flying Cloud Drive less than a mile south of Shady Oak Road.

Staring Lake Park

East Entrance
13800 Pioneer Trail

Available Spring, Summer, Fall. This 5.7-acre fenced, off-leash dog area is located north of the J.R. Cummins House, follow the trail from the ball field parking lot. Adjacent to the archery range.

Crestwood Park Hockey Rink

Available April through October.

Edenvale Park Hockey Rink

Available April through October.

Homeward Hills Park Hockey Rink

Available April through October.

Nesbitt Preserve Park Hockey Rink

Available April through October.

MILLER PARK PLAY STRUCTURE

8208 Eden Prairie Road

Miller Park Barrier-Free Playground features accessible pathways and surface structures, and gives non-mobile children and adults the opportunity to reach all levels of the play structure. The design allows children with physical challenges the opportunity to play alongside their peers. Water spray feature available during summer.

PICKLEBALL COURTS

*Pioneer Park
8940 Sutton Drive*

The tennis courts have the shortened court lines for pickleball.

FREDRICK-MILLER SPRING

9995 Spring Road

The Fredrick-Miller Spring is located on the east side of Spring Road (County Road 4) just north of Flying Cloud Drive. This historic site consists of an access turnout for automobiles on the east side of Spring Road and the spring itself. Underground spring is piped to the surface to allow users to fill up water jugs with the spring water. The heated spring trough allows for year-round use.

RICHARD T. ANDERSON CONSERVATION AREA

18700 Flying Cloud Drive

A natural spring is located in the parking lot of the Richard T. Anderson Conservation Area, located in the southwest part of Eden Prairie off Flying Cloud Drive. Underground spring is piped to the surface to allow users to fill up water jugs with the spring water.

ELIZABETH FRIES ELLET INTERPRETIVE TRAIL

Signs within the Richard T. Anderson Conservation Area provide historic, flora and fauna information. Find details at efeinterpretivetrail.com/efeinterpretivetrail.

EDEN PRAIRIE HISTORICAL SITES

Eden Prairie is rich in history and proud of its historical sites. These sites, located on city land, have been preserved to provide residents and visitors an opportunity to learn of our heritage and provide a reminder of the treasured past.

CUMMINS-PHIPPS-GRILL HOUSE

13600 Pioneer Trail

John R. Cummins purchased the 280 acres in 1856 for roughly \$13 an acre. The brick home was built in 1879. Located within Staring Lake Park, this property hosts Historical Society events and programs.

RILEY-JACQUES FARMSTEAD

9100 Riley Lake Road

Located within Riley Lake Park, the house is a one and one half story red brick dwelling constructed of Shakopee bricks built in 1881. The dairy barn, built in 1928, was constructed of lumber sawn from on-site trees, which were used when still green, hence the many curves seen in the building's roof. The barn now accommodates recreational and rental uses, including the "Rocking at Riley" music performances, Children's Summer Theater presentations and Sunbonnet Day.

The **Dorenkemper House**, originally located along Pioneer Trail, was moved to this site in 2002. The exact date of construction is not known, but has been in the Dorenkemper family since 1867. Like most log houses in this area, the original mud and straw chinking was covered in clapboard siding and lathed and plastered on its interior.

Eden Prairie Historical Society keeps Eden Prairie history alive at historical sites throughout the city. Contact the Historical Society at info@edenprairiehistory.org for an update on historical events and programs.

SMITH-DOUGLAS-MORE HOUSE (DUNN BROTHERS COFFEE)

8107 Eden Prairie Road

Built in 1877, this home was owned by Sheldon Smith, the depot agent of the nearby Minneapolis and St. Louis Railroad Eden Prairie Station. The Smith house also served as an overnight stop for train passengers who would then proceed by wagon to other parts of Eden Prairie and the surrounding area. The house is owned by the City of Eden Prairie and leased to Dunn Brothers Coffee. The house and grounds are open to public access during normal business hours. The house maintains much of its original ambience and represents one of Eden Prairie's best preserved nineteenth century farm homes.

OUTDOOR CENTER

13765 Staring Lake Parkway

The Outdoor Center's origin begins in the Minnesota River Valley as a State Emergency Relief Administration (SERA) camp during the 1930's Great Depression. The log cabin was moved in 1947 to its present site on the shore of Staring Lake by Clarence Bush, a prominent figure in the history of the Northrup-King Company. In 1968, the Bush family sold the log summer home and 12.5 acres of land for \$26,500. Today the refurbished log cabin is home to the Outdoor Center, providing nature programs for youth and adults.