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2016 CITY OF ERIE SUMMER PARKS & RECREATION PROGRAM GUIDE

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ERIE, PA (May 23, 2016) – After a long, harsh winter, The City of Erie could not be more excited about the arrival of summer, warm weather, and sunshine! Mayor Sinnott is very enthusiastic about the summer of 2016's programs and events! The Summer Parks and Recreation guide is an excellent resource for Erie's youth, families and residents. "The City of Erie is fortunate enough to have exceptional community partners, that include Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield and the Housing Authority of the City of Erie (HACE), who help to bring a wealth of recreational and event opportunities that greatly contributes to our community," said Mayor Joseph Sinnott. Our parks, schools, and community centers provide a wide variety of activities that integrate people of all ages. It is our hope this guide will encourage active participation in the multitude of programs offered throughout the city.

As a long-standing partner of the City of Erie, Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield continues their unwavering support of the City's Summer Parks and Recreation Program. They encourage families to adopt healthier lifestyles through physical activity and the development of lifelong self-esteem and recreational skills. With the support of Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield, the City of Erie can provide children with the chance to enroll in summer programs, get outside, and play together, while ultimately learning the importance of teamwork and building a healthy lifestyle.

The Housing Authority of the City of Erie has developed an exciting comprehensive Youth Development Program to include weekly sports and educational mini-camps, offered June 13th to August 29th, 2016 unless otherwise specified. Biddy-basketball, soccer, mentor/youth golf, reading, art, photography, learn to fish and sailing are some of the wonderful activities in store with the Housing Authority this summer.

Summer 2016 will be a sensational season here in the Flagship City! We encourage you to make the commitment and get active this summer by enjoying all that this great city has to offer.