



THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION

Department of Parks and Recreation - Special Programs Division – Therapeutic Recreation Unit
7833 Walker Dr, Suite 110, Greenbelt, Md. 20770

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Parents, Guardians & Teens-

The Teen Scene Social Club is back for the return of the 2024-2025 school year. Registration will begin August 12!

The Teen Scene Social Club is designed specifically for Prince George's County teenagers 13-21 years old with intellectual or developmental disabilities. Teen Scene promotes the positive use of leisure time, develops independence, and encourages social interactions with peers. We hold two events a month during the school year; transportation is provided from the meeting locations to the destination and the supervision ratio is 1 staff member for every 4 teens.

The cost for membership is \$55 to join Teen Scene; once registered, you will receive a newsletter from September to June. Sign up for the activities that interest you; events will have an additional fee of \$5 and up, depending on the activity. Teen Scene activities usually take place on Fridays and Saturdays.

Please note that Teen Scene Registration Forms will only be accepted during the open enrollment window of August 12th – October 31st, 2023. Registration forms received after that date will be referred to the 2024-2025 Teen Scene. Spaces are limited per club, and they fill quickly. Registrations are processed on a first-come, first-served basis.

Meeting locations are indicated in the attached chart; **please make note of the Teen Scene meeting locations for 2024-2025 (page 2).**

To register for Teen Scene:

- 1) Complete your **2024-2025 Registration Form** and return it to us, via mail or email within the open enrollment window.
- 2) **Add credit on your Parks Direct account** for the registration fee of **\$55**
Visit pgparksdirect.com > "My Account" > "History & Balances" > "Add Credit"
- 3) You will be notified via email and mail when your Club Membership has been processed.

Please note that the registration forms are used in cases of emergency, and it is very important the information is accurate and complete. A PDF fillable registration form can be emailed to you, contact CountywideTRprograms@pgparks.com for a form you can fill out and email back from your computer.

Participants must follow the Teen Scene Eligibility Requirements to maintain their membership. If you have any questions about Teen Scene, please feel free to contact me at 301-446-3433.

Sincerely,

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Eligibility Requirements for Teen Scene Social Club

- Resides in Prince George’s County, and has an intellectual or developmental disability.
- Meet the age requirements of the club (13 – 21).
- Able to stay with the group, follow directions and participate in large community settings with a staff/participant ratio of 1:4 (i.e., sporting events, museum trips, community festivals, movies, daytrips).
- Able to stay with the group in a large setting.
- Able to perform daily life skills (i.e., dressing, eating, toileting, mobility, etc.) with minimal staff support.
- Able to communicate basic needs and identification (i.e., name and phone number), either verbally or by showing an ID card or bracelet.
- Complete the registration form and pay the \$55 membership fee via PARKS DIRECT.
- Able to administer your own medication. Staff can distribute only with a signed Medication Form
- Be able to engage in scheduled activities for the majority of the program (with or without an accommodation).
- If NEW to the Teen Scene, you will be contacted to complete a phone in-take prior to attending an activity out in the community. An assessment will be made within one week (5 business days). Once the in- take is completed, the monthly newsletter will be sent and registration for the activity will be allowed.

2024-2025 Teen Scene Social Club - Meeting Locations

Club	Meeting Location	Ages	Staff Ratio
Teen Scene North	Lake Arbor Community Center 10100 Lake Arbor Way Mitchellville, MD 20785	13 to 21 with developmental disabilities	1:4
Teen Scene South	Southern Regional Technology and Recreation Complex 7007 Bock Rd Fort Washington, MD 20744	13 to 21 with developmental disabilities	1:4