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## Opera South Dakota Presents The Three Little Pigs McKenna Park Band Shell

Opera South Dakota with Sioux Falls Parks and Recreation is proud to present an operatic version of the story of The Three Little Pigs based on scenes from the operas by W.A. Mozart. While brother pigs Don Giovanni and Cherubino set off to make homes of sticks and straw, their sister, Despina, goes to the library to read up on “huff-proof, puff proof” home construction. After Wolfgang Bigbad blows down the boys’ flimsy homes, they run to their sister’s sturdy new brick house quite ready to admit that going to the library and reading books is a pretty smart thing to do after all.

JUN 20 | THU | 7 P.M. | FREE  
JUN 21 | FRI | 10 A.M. | FREE  
JUN 21 | FRI | 7 P.M. | FREE

## Ephemeral Productions Presents Broadway And Beyond 2019

McKenna Park Band Shell

“Broadway and Beyond!” brings the magic of New York City to McKenna Park stage in this exciting performance for the whole family! From Coco, Once on This Island, and Smallfoot to classics such as Mary Poppins, West Side Story, and Bye Birdie. The stage will come alive in story, song, and dance. Join us as we celebrate some of the Sioux Empires most talented performers ages 8–80 in a performance you won’t forget!

AUG 8 | THU | 7 P.M. | FREE  
AUG 9 | FRI | 7 P.M. | FREE  
AUG 11 | SUN | 2 P.M. | FREE  
AUG 11 | SUN | 7 P.M. | FREE

## Storyland Children’s Theatre

McKenna Park Bandshell | Free | all ages

By using skits familiar and not so familiar, these shows will focus primarily on children’s stories, beliefs, and everyday happenings. They will involve fairy tales, music characterizations, costumes, dance, and the audience!

### Jack and the Bean Stalk

JUN 11 | TUE | 10 A.M. AND 7 P.M.  
JUN 12, 13 | WED, THUR | 10 A.M.

### Tortoise vs. Hare 2:

This Time It’s Personal  
JUN 18 | TUE | 10 A.M. AND 7 P.M.  
JUN 19, 20 | WED, THUR | 10 A.M.

### Sleeping Beauty Billy

JUN 25 | TUE | 10 A.M. AND 7 P.M.  
JUN 26, 27 | WED, THUR | 10 A.M.

### Wild Island Adventure

JUL 2 | TUE | 10 A.M. AND 7 P.M.  
JUL 3 | WED | 10 A.M.

### Charming Princess

JUL 9 | TUE | 10 A.M. AND 7 P.M.  
JUL 10, 11 | WED, THUR | 10 A.M.

### The Celebrated Jumping Frog of Calaveras County

JUL 16 | TUE | 10 A.M. AND 7 P.M.  
JUL 17, 18 | WED, THUR | 10 A.M.

### Commedia King Arthur

JUL 23 | TUE | 10 A.M. AND 7 P.M.  
JUL 24, 25 | WED, THUR | 10 A.M.

### Paul Bunyan Ate My Homework

JUL 30 | TUE | 10 A.M. AND 7 P.M.  
JUL 31, AUG 1 | WED, THUR | 10 A.M.

## Bare Bodkins Presents The Comedy Of Errors

Queen Bee Mill At Falls Park

One of Shakespeare’s earliest and most farcical comedies, The Comedy of Errors tells the story of two sets of identical twins accidentally separated at birth. When the unsuspecting twins arrive in Ephesus, a series of wild mishaps ensues as they encounter one another’s friends and family members. The Comedy of Errors has something for everybody: slapstick, mistaken identity, and plenty of surprise plot twists. Our 22nd season promises to offer much to Shakespeare fans old and new, and we are excited to share this comedic masterpiece using Bare Bodkin’s

signature fast paced and engaging style. The 90-minute performance will take place in the ruins of the Queen Bee Mill at Falls Park.

JUL 5 | FRI | 7 P.M. | FREE  
JUL 6 | SAT | 7 P.M. | FREE  
JUL 7 | SUN | 7 P.M. | FREE  
JUL 10 | WED | 7 P.M. | FREE  
JUL 11 | THU | 7 P.M. | FREE  
JUL 12 | FRI | 7 P.M. | FREE  
JUL 13 | SAT | 7 P.M. | FREE  
JUL 14 | SUN | 7 P.M. | FREE

\*\*Seating is on metal bleachers with very limited room for those needing to sit in lawn chairs. All tickets are free, but seating is limited. First come, first-seated. Tickets will be handed out starting at 6 p.m. the night of the performance.

Registration closes five business days  
in advance unless otherwise noted.

## Supervised Playgrounds

Ages: 7-12

Playground staff will lead games, crafts, and special activities for the summer. Look for the rec van to pull up and come out for the fun! Weekly themes and activity schedule will be available from the staff. Closed July 4.

**JUN 3-AUG 9 | MON-FRI | FREE**

**9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**JFK ELEMENTARY**

**MCKENNAN PARK**

**MELDRUM PARK**

**PRAIRIE TRAIL PARK**

**SOUTHER VISTAS PARK**

**12:30-2:30 P.M.**

**FRANK OLSON PARK**

**GALWAY PARK**

**GLENVIEW PARK**

**GRANITE VALLEY PARK**

**PRAIRIE HILLS WEST**

**3-5 P.M.**

**DISCOVERY ELEMENTARY**

**LEWIS PARK**

**PIONEER PARK**

**PLATINUM VALLEY PARK**

**PRAIRIE MEADOWS PARK**

## Archery In The Parks

Ages: 7-12

The Outdoor Campus and Sioux Falls Parks and Recreation will be providing an opportunity for youth to explore the sport of archery in a safe and encouraging environment. During this activity, youth will be introduced to the basics of a sport that many individuals enjoy well into adulthood. Participation is free and all necessary supplies will be provided on a first-come, first-served basis. No registration required.

**JUN 20 | THU | 10:30-11 A.M. | FREE | SOUTHERN VISTAS PARK**

**JUN 27 | THU | 3-3:30 P.M. | FREE | LEWIS PARK**

## Pop-Up Park At Phillips Plaza

Join Sioux Falls Parks and Recreation as we celebrate July as National Park and Recreation Month! This exciting park will only be around for the month of July! Enjoy some green space including flowers and weekly activities. This installation encourages outdoor active lifestyles in our lively downtown.

FREE. Go to [www.siouxfalls.org/PopUpPark](http://www.siouxfalls.org/PopUpPark) for details.

## Summer Open Gym

Kenny Anderson, MariCar and Morningside Community Centers

Open gym allows both youth and adult basketball and volleyball players the opportunity for indoor open play. Closed July 4.

**JUN 3-AUG 9 | MON-FRI | 1-5 P.M. | FREE**

## Tot Lot

Ages: 6 and under

Our elementary school teacher staff will have weekly themes to encourage free play combined with simple crafts and games to get you moving. Program will be canceled in case of inclement weather. No registration required.

**JUN 10-JUL 24 | MON, WED | 9-11 A.M. | LAUREL OAK PARK (SHELTER)**

**JUN 11-JUL 25 | TUE, THU | 9-11 A.M. | SPELLERBERG PARK (SHELTER)**

## Special Events At Tot Lot

ZooExpress For The Little Ones

**JUN 17 | MON | 10 A.M. | LAUREL OAK PARK (SHELTER)**

**JUN 18 | TUE | 10 A.M. | SPELLERBERG PARK (SHELTER)**

Crazy Carnival For Toddlers/Preschoolers

**JUL 17 | WED | 10:30 A.M. | LAUREL OAK PARK (SHELTER)**

**JUL 18 | THU | 10:30 A.M. | SPELLERBERG PARK (SHELTER)**

Storytime In The Park

**JUN 26 | WED | 10:30 A.M. | LAUREL OAK PARK (SHELTER)**

**JUL 9 | TUE | 10 A.M. | SPELLERBERG PARK (SHELTER)**



Activities for all ages can be found in the Summer Fun Guide at [siouxfalls.org/guide](http://siouxfalls.org/guide)

**The programs on these pages are not intended as child-care programs.**

Children ages 6 and younger must be supervised by someone at least 16 years old. The ratio of children 6 years and under may not exceed five children per adult.

**Outdoor programs are weather-dependent.**

If there is inclement weather, the program will be delayed or canceled for the day. Please be aware of this before sending children to the program. For weather announcements, call 367-8222 or check us out on Facebook, Twitter, or at [www.siouxfalls.org/parks](http://www.siouxfalls.org/parks).