

PARKS & RECREATION

Chilhowee Park

The park is in an attractive setting by a lagoon with a picnic area and lake for fishing. Admission is free. Open daily April-September. Located at Beaman and Magnolia Avenue, adjacent to the Knoxville Zoo, 865-637-5840.

Concord Park

The park is situated on a lake with a marina restaurant, launching ramps, picnic areas, shelters, overnight camping, children's play area, tennis court and two swimming pools, Located at 10901 Northshore Drive, 865-521-2346.

Ijams Audobon Nature Center

Over twenty acres of nature trails, including a paved trail for the handicapped. No charge. Call for workshop schedules. Located at 2915 Island Home Avenue, 865-577-4717.

Tyson Park

The park has picnic areas, children's play park, bicycle trail, horseshoe game area, baseball diamond and 18 tennis courts. Located off Kingston Pike in the University of Tennessee area.

Knoxville Zoological Park

Visit this beautiful zoological garden with over 100 animals in native environs. It is known for its African Elephant exhibit, its large cats and the children's petting zoo area. 3333 Woodbine Ave, 865-637-5331.

World's Fair Park

The site of the 1982 World's Fair includes: the Knoxville Museum of Art, Tennessee Amphitheater, Candy Factory and the Sunsphere. This \$63 million dollar park features country flags, fountains, seating, park atmosphere, festival and performance lawns, jogging trail, sidewalks, lighted, security patrolled.

Volunteer Landing

500 Neyland Drive, on the Downtown waterfront. One-mile paved Riverwalk, fishing piers, boat docks, picnic facilities, roofed towers with observation decks, interpretative historical markers. Restrooms. 1-800-727-8045.

East Tennessee Veterans Memorial

The Memorial is a public plaza with a formal arrangement of granite pillars bearing the names of 6,172 fallen heroes from 35 East Tennessee counties who died in military service during names conflicts since World War 1. It was dedicated and officially unveiled November 15, 2008. The names of the 14 Medal of Honor recipients from East Tennessee are inscribed and honored on the reserve side of the pillars. Quotations related to the wars and national service offer an occasion for reflection and meditation. A bell tower tolls for those lost, and the four essentials freedoms we honor and defend. www.etvma.org