



25th Annual Merriam Turkey Creek Festival!

Saturday, May 15

Antioch Park, 6501 Antioch Rd.

10:00am-5:00pm

Mark your calendars for this annual Merriam event! All activities (except 5K Run) take place at the beautiful, renovated Antioch Park. The day is filled with fun events for everyone to enjoy. Choose from the many activities listed below. Most activities are FREE!



Schedule of Events

(Tentative Schedule)

See updated details at www.merriam.org/park/Events

7:00am-11:00am

Pancake Breakfast sponsored by Merriam Lions Club (Shelter #1) - All you can eat pancakes, sausage, coffee & juice. Adults \$5/Children 12 & under \$3

8:00am

"Turkey Creek Festival 5K Run" - 5K Run/Walk/Youth Sprints. Starts at Irene B. French Community Center. This is a "MARA" grand prix running event on a certified course. To register contact Merriam Parks & Recreation Department at 322-5550.

10:00am-5:00pm

Summertime Arts & Crafts Show (Antioch Park)- Artisans will be selling their handmade arts & crafts. To register contact Marilyn Lyons at 913-826-3163, or go to www.jcprd.com/special_events/turkeycreekfest.cfm

10:00am-5:00pm

Petting Zoo, pony rides, kids inflatable games (Antioch Park)-Build a wooden project (sponsored by Home Depot), or take a train ride. Pedal boat rides, roving clowns, caricaturist, and much more! New this year . . . FREE camel rides!

11:00am

Festival Parade - "25 Years of Family Fun" - 70 to 80 units parading from 69th Street north on Antioch Road to 64th Terrace. Parade announcer and awards ceremony at the entrance of Antioch Park. To register contact Karen Crane at 913-403-8999.

12:00pm-2:00pm (Main Stage)

Concert featuring "Miss Major & Her Minor Mood Swings" (*Rockabilly*)

1:00pm-3:00pm (Fire Pit Stage)

Concert featuring "Pastense" (*Bluegrass*)

3:00pm-5:00pm (Main Stage)

Concert featuring "Heat Index" (*Jazz*)

SPECIAL EVENTS

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TURKEY CREEK FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

To volunteer to help out with the festival contact
Dave Smothers at 913-322-5550.

- Building wooden projects with children
 - Driving a golf cart
- Help out at the information booth

SHUTTLE BUSES AVAILABLE!

Shuttle buses will be leaving every 10 minutes
from the following locations:

- Merriam Aquatic Center, 60th & Slater
- Merriam Town Center, 5700 Antioch Road (By Quizno's)
- Shawnee Mission Medical Center, 73rd St. & Antioch

Buses will drop off at the front entrance of Antioch Park.
Golf courtesy carts will be available to take you
from the entrance to the top of the hill.



Building Birdhouses - Turkey Creek Festival



“Turkey Creek Festival 5K Run”

**Walk & Youth Sprint
MARA Grand Prix Event
on certified course!**

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**Irene B. French
Community Center
5701 Merriam Drive**

Challenging but **FUN** run for all ages! Awards will be given for overall male and female 1st, 2nd & 3rd place finishers in each age group. All paid participants will receive a LEE Brand T-Shirt, goody bag and post-race refreshments!

Entry Fees:

5K Run/Walk	-	\$20.00
(After May 12)	-	\$25.00
Corporate Team	-	\$70.00 (4-team members)
(After May 12)	-	\$75.00
Youth Sprint	-	\$5.00 (12 & under)
(After May 12)	-	\$7.00

Packets for all registrations received on Friday, May 14, will be available for pick up on race day at Irene B. French Community Center. If you registered prior to May 14th pick up packets at the Irene B. French Community Center: May 13th, 8am-8pm; May 14th, 8am-4pm. (Registration form on page 30)

**Registration form at www.merriam.org/park/Events
or register on line at www.active.com**