

Frequently Asked Questions – FAQ's

- Q. What are the Stockton Community Games?
- City of Stockton Communities (organized by zip codes) will be able to participate at their local community center in a variety of games. Each center will host a qualifying event where winners will advance to the finals at Stribley Community Center on July 20.
- Q. When and where do the Stockton Community Games take place?
- Qualifying events will be from 10 am to 3 pm on the following Saturdays at each of the four City of Stockton Community Centers:

June 1 at Van Buskirk Community Center June 8 at Stribley Community Center June 22 at Rue Community Center June 29 at Seifert Community Center

- Finals: Opening Ceremony will start at 9 am with events starting at 10:45 am on Saturday, July 20 at Stribley Community Center
- Q. Who is eligible to participate, and must I reside in Stockton?
- Community members ages 7 to adult residing in city zip codes can register to participate at one of the City of Stockton Community Centers:

Rue - 95209, 95210, 95212 Seifert - 95207, 95211, 95219 Stribley - 95204, 95205, 95215 Van Buskirk – 95202, 95203, 95206

- Q. Can I represent more than one community?
- No, only the zip code where you reside in.
- Q. Why are the Stockton Community Games taking place?
- To develop community cohesion with others in a fun environment through games.
- Q. Are there age groups?
- Yes, ages 7 to 13, 7 to adult, and 14 to adult depending on the event.
- Individual competitions have male and female divisions.
- Team competitions consist of teams of 2, 4, or 6 players depending on the event.

Q. What events will be available?

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	Dash & Run (40 Yard Dash)	Basketball Free Throw	Hula Hoop
	Football Throw	Soccer Slam (Kick)	Wiffleball HR Derby
•	Team Events:		
	3-Legged Race	Spin & Jump Relay	Corn Hole
	Pickleball	Jenga Jam	Tug of War

- Q. What are the rules?
- See rules for each event on <u>www.stocktonca.gov/recreation</u>.
- Q. How many events can I participate in?
- All events with corresponding age groups but only at one community center per zip code.
- Q. Will equipment be provided?
- Yes, equipment will be provided for each event.
- Q. How do I register?
- Individuals and teams can find out how to register at <u>www.stocktonca.gov/recreation</u>, <u>register online</u>, or at a City of Stockton Community Center.
- Q. Am I guaranteed a chance to compete?
- All participants registering by the deadline will be able to compete.
- Q. How will I be contacted and informed about the event after I register?
- Reminders will be emailed the week before each qualifier and final event.
- Q. Is there a cost to participate?
- All events are free.
- Q. Will I win anything?
- Qualifiers for the finals will receive a t-shirt to wear at the finals.
- Medals will be awarded to first and second places at finals.
- Q. Where do we check in on the day of the event?
- Each community center will have a designated check-in area set up.
- Q. How will we know who advances to the finals?
- Winners will be announced at the end of each qualifier, notified following each qualifier, and results posted at each community center.

- Q. Will all events take place in one day?
- Yes, all events will take place on the same day. Each community center will host qualifiers on scheduled dates.
- Q. Are guests welcome to spectate?
- Yes, everyone is welcome to attend the qualifying events and the finals.
- Q. Will food be provided?
- No
- Q. Will there be vendors?
- No
- Q. Is transportation available?
- Please check the SJRTD <u>bus schedule</u> for public transportation to the community centers.
- Q. Is parking available?
- Limited parking is available at each community center.
- Q. Are uniforms or special shoes required?
- Competitors qualifying for the finals will be provided with an official shirt to wear during the final events. Athletic shoes are recommended.
- Q. Will there be any ceremonies/dignitaries?
- Opening ceremonies at the finals dignitaries will be invited.