

# PARKS, LIBRARY, AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

The City of Sterling has been named Tree City for 26 years in a row, and when you get to visit our beautiful Parks you will see why!

There are twelve (12) different parks in Sterling for you to explore. Each one of our Parks are unique and have something different to offer everyone.

## Prohibited in the Parks

- Use or possession of alcoholic beverages
- Open fires, except in designated grills
- Animals running at large (all pets must be on a leash) (Except for at the Overland Trail Recreation Area does not have a leash law)
- Owners must clean up after their animals
- Littering
- Golfing
- Firearms or archery, except by permit
- Horseback riding
- Motor vehicles off designated roadways
- Commercial activity, except by permit
- Dumping of residential trash in park dumpsters
- Camping or overnight parking
- Skate boards, rollerblades or bicycles on tennis courts, basketball courts, pavilions
- Stakes or posts driven into the ground, or nails, staples or anything "permanent" put onto the Pavilion itself.
- Bouncy houses, or other temporary shade structures,
- Throwing rocks or other items into the streams/damming up streams

**We hope you enjoy our Parks!**

**All of the Park's Operating hours are 4:30am-11:00pm Monday through Sunday!**

Among the Parks that are detailed inside of this brochure, there are several Parks that consist of just a grassy area; they are the: South Tower, North Triangle, South Triangle, Beattie Circle, Earl Franklin, and 11th and Delmar.

There are also several City hosted activities at our Parks throughout the year; Arbor day (late April), Memorial Day Program, 4th of July Fireworks and Concert, and the City Pet Show.

Any of our Parks, Pavilions, Disc Golf Course, or Softball fields, can be rented, by going to our website and by filling out a Pavilion or Facility Use permit, or you can call 970-522-9700 for more information.

The PLR Department has a Facebook page that is updated daily with all of the great things that are going on! Please give us a LIKE!

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Department Facebook Page:

[www.facebook.com/sterlingcoparkslibraryrecreation](http://www.facebook.com/sterlingcoparkslibraryrecreation)

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# STERLING PARKS

## Residents Guide

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# STERLING COLORADO HAS MANY DIFFERENT PARKS FOR YOU TO EXPLORE!



Below is the descriptions of what each park has to offer.



**Pioneer Park** is the largest and most diverse of all our parks located on the West end of town on Hwy 14 (17615 Hwy 14). It has two (2) playgrounds, four (4) Tennis/

Basketball Courts, two (2) Sand Volleyball courts, four (4) Pavilions, four (4) Horseshoe Pits, plenty of grassy space, a wooded area with a walking path (pictured above), and a concrete walking path (the entire trail/path is 1.4 miles). Also included in the Park are a few Charcoal grills for public use!

Pioneer Park also features our **Pioneer Park Disc Golf Course!** The Disc Golf Course has 18 holes, and goes through the park, up into the woods, and ends up back around the other side of the park! You can also rent the Course for Tournaments, etc.

Included in this Park also is the **Pioneer Ball Fields**, (13075 Cr 37) This area of the park offers three (3) softball fields, and can be rented out by the hour, or for a weekend Tournament, etc!



Our second Largest Park is **Columbine Park**. It is located on the South end of town on Delmar and S. 3rd Ave (1401 S 3rd Ave.). With tons of open grass area, one (1) centralized playground (picture on front cover), and two (2) Pavilions each on either side of the playground. There is a concrete walking path circling around the Park, the entire walking path is .69 mile walk once around! Also set-up on the South end of the Park is a Veterans Memorial.



**Prairie Park** is our newest park to date and it boasts one of local artists Brad Rhea's bronze Sculptures the "Dream Redeemer". The Park is located at Broadway and N. 3rd Ave.(807 Elm St.), on the North side of town. Prairie has one

(1) Sand Volleyball court, one (1) playground, two (2) Horseshoe pits, four (4) Tennis/Basketball Courts and two (2) pavilions, with serving areas. If you walk the entire walking path once around it would be .7 miles. Another great feature in this park is the "Body Weight" Workout station!



This park is also located across the Parking lot from the Sterling Recreation Center, which in the Summer (Memorial day through 1st Part of August) has an outdoor Water Park!



**Wisdom Park** is tucked away in the Charmony housing development on the far North end of town, located at Plainview Ave. and Charmony Pl. (320 Plainview) with one (1)

playground, one (1) basketball court, one (1) pavilion, and a walking path circling the entire park. Once around the path is .3 miles! This park also has a backstop for softball/kickball games etc.!

Next up is **Propst Park**, located at N. 6th St. and Elm St. (615 Elm St), this Park is the first of our smaller parks which includes one (1) pavilion and a centralized playground!



**Monahan Park** is located at N. Division Ave. and State St. (102 State St.). this is one of our smaller parks that has just a playground in it!



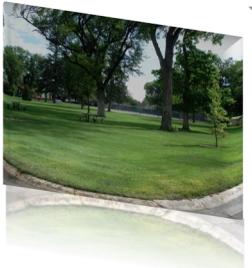
**Krull Park** is located at

Franklin St. and Dawes St. (600 Franklin St.), on the North side of town. It is another one of our smaller parks that only has a playground in it!



(Opposite page: two (2) of the Decorative Bike Racks in the parks! —————>

**Cheairs Park** is one of the last of our parks, which is located at S. 3rd Ave. and Columbine St. (900 S. 3rd Ave.). This park is a wide open grassy area with two (2) Tennis Courts!



On the end of the list of Parks is the **Tolla Brown Skate Park**, which is located at N. Division and Washington St. (501 N. Division St.). There are numerous ramps and bars for everything from in-line skating to BMX Bikes!



**The Overland Trail Recreation Area**



(121 N. Riverview Rd.) houses our local fish pond, this area does require a CO Fishing License to fish! The area has a path that circles the entire pond and if you walk the entire trail it is .6 miles! This Park is also the only one of our parks that there is not a leash Law for animals.

