



Welcome to the City of Schertz



The city celebrated its 60th anniversary in 2018 and we continue to grow, change, and get better. We welcome new families and businesses, and we strive to serve our community with excellence, style, and grace. We are proud of all the services we provide to the community, and I would like to highlight a few of those services below.

You will find our public safety services to be outstanding. Our dedicated Police, Fire, and Emergency Medical Services Departments are staffed with dedicated and well-trained public servants. We pride ourselves on responding very quickly to emergency situations, and we do our best to ensure the community provides a safe and comfortable environment in which to live, work, and play.

In terms of our recreation programs, our Parks Department has many outstanding activities every year including Trunk or Treat at Halloween, Holidazzle during the Christmas Season, Movin' on Main — an outstanding outdoor activity for families in our downtown area, and Jubilee our fantastic 4th of July celebration which features a parade, music and

fireworks. In addition, there are many other activities at our 26 parks and city swimming pools. The department publishes a wonderful guide to activities twice a year.

Our City council and staff strive to live up to our core values to do the best you can, treat others the way you would like to be treated, do the right thing, and work cooperatively as a team. You will see this displayed in every area the city touches.

I would also like to say a word to our military families. We welcome you to the community! We understand the needs of military families, and we provide a welcoming atmosphere. You will find that many of our staff and council members are military veterans, and we honor your service and look forward to helping you in any way possible.

Finally, we wish all our businesses the very best. The City of Schertz is open for business! We work closely with the chamber to ensure opportunity for business. If you have a new business, we would love you to locate here. If we can help in any way, please let us know.

Please accept our best wishes for all our residents and businesses, and we look forward to serving you in the future.

Dr. Mark Browne
City Manager

CITY COUNCIL



Schertz Mayor
RALPH GUTIERREZ



Place 1 Councilmember
MARK DAVIS



Place 2 Councilmember
ROSEMARY SCOTT



Place 3 Councilmember
SCOTT LARSON



Place 4 Councilmember
MICHAEL DAHLE



Place 5 Councilmember
DAVID SCAGLIOLA



Place 6 Councilmember
ALLISON HEYWARD



Place 7 Councilmember
TIM BROWN

CITY DEPARTMENTS

CITY OF SCHERTZ	(210) 619-1000	HUMAN RESOURCES	(210) 619-1153
ANIMAL SERVICES	(210) 619-1550	INSPECTIONS	(210) 619-1750
BUSINESS/UTILITIES	(210) 619-1100	LIBRARY	(210) 619-1700
CITY MANAGER	(210) 619-1015	MUNICIPAL COURT	(210) 619-1500
CITY SECRETARY	(210) 619-1030	PARKS & RECREATION	(210) 619-1850
CIVIC CENTER	(210) 619-1600	POLICE (NON-EMERGENCY)	(210) 619-1274
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	(210) 619-1070	PUBLIC AFFAIRS	(210) 619-1630
EMS (NON-EMERGENCY)	(210) 619-1400	PUBLIC WORKS	(210) 619-1800
Fire (NON-EMERGENCY)	(210) 619-1300		





SCHERTZ IS GROWING

Take a quick drive around Schertz and one thing becomes clear: the city is seeing a large amount of development activity. From industrial to office and residential to retail, this diversity of development speaks to the growth of the city’s business community. With a strong mix of large and small businesses, Schertz continues to expand the number of companies that call the city their home. Below is a sample of the development currently underway in Schertz as of October 1, 2019.

UNDER CONSTRUCTION	#	Development Name + Address	Category	Size
	1.	7-Eleven - 17501 IH 35	Retail	3,000 sf
	2.	Allure Pet Hospital - 2252 IH 35	Retail	7,523 sf
	3.	ARG Holdings - 133 Windy Meadows	Industrial	12,556 sf
	4.	B&E Warehouse - 6721 Guada Coma	Industrial	9,907 sf
	5.	Casa Mechanical - 7770 FM 482	Industrial	71,225 sf
	6.	Casa Verde Farms - 7791 FM 482	Retail	46,282 sf
	7.	Discount Tire TXS 11363 - 17971 IH-35	Retail	7,680 sf
	8.	Fire Station #3 - 11917 Lower Seguin Rd	Civic	13,758 sf
	9.	Fresenius Kidney Care - 1787 FM 3009	Office	10,785 sf
	10.	Guadalupe County Service Building - 1052 FM 78	Civic	46,722 sf
	11.	Pirates Cove Car Wash - 5370 FM 1103	Retail	2,880
	12.	Platform Warehouse Suites - 7637 FM 3009	Industrial	87,300 sf total
	13.	Ryder Truck Expansion - 9993 Doerr Ln	Industrial	19,226 sf
	14.	Samuel Clemens Expansion - 1001 Elbel Rd	Civic	142,000 sf total
	15.	Schertz Business Park - 1996 Schertz Pkwy	Office	19,800 sf total
	16.	Southeastern Freight Lines - 7431 FM 3009	Industrial	40,160 sf
	17.	Tri County Crossing 3 - 17750 Lookout Rd	Industrial	96,978 sf
	18.	Tri County Crossing 4 - 17750 Lookout Rd	Industrial	106,424 sf
	19.	Wastewater Plant Expansion - 12423 Authority Ln	Civic	25,841 sf

LEARN MORE

Check out these resources for latest information on Schertz development:

Follow The Blog

Explore data and economic development: [SchertzEDC.com/blog](https://www.schertz.com/blog)

View Updates

View development details: [Schertz.com/464/Whats-Developing-in-Schertz](https://www.schertz.com/464/Whats-Developing-in-Schertz)





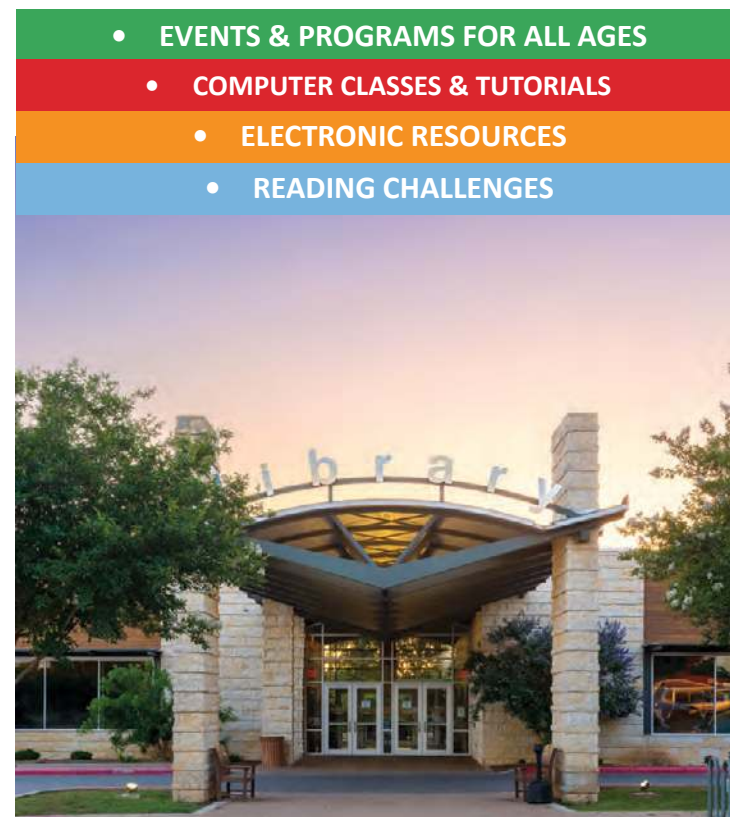
The Schertz Public Library promotes the love of reading and the joy of discovery for persons of all ages! We provide instructional and recreational programming for adults in high-interest areas such as computers and computer software, health and fitness, financial planning, crafts, and literature.

One of the primary missions of the Schertz Public Library is to serve the children of our community and their families. We are committed to promoting the benefits and joys of reading and discovery to children and adolescents through our large collection and services. We offer an environment welcoming to all children and their families, and provide diverse materials that support classroom and independent learning, exploration of the world, and critical thinking.

In addition to our print, e-book, and e-audiobook collections, the library provides access to a large number of online resources to meet your recreational, educational, and business needs. Through your Schertz Library card you have free access to Ancestry.com, Morningstar Investments, Rocket Languages, and Kanopy, a streaming video service. America's News by Newsbank provides access to thousands of local, state, and national newspapers and news sources. Need a tutor? We've got you covered with our live, online tutoring service called Brainfuse HelpNow. We participate in the State's TexShare database program which gives you access to another 50 plus databases including Learning Express, Chilton's auto repair library, Gale Legal Forms, Small Business Reference Center, and Medline.

The library's primary service area includes the City of Schertz, the City of Selma, the City of Cibolo and Guadalupe County. To obtain a library card, bring a photo ID and current proof of residence to the library. Children under 18 will need a parent with photo ID and proof of residence present to sign for their card.

Schertz Public Library
798 Schertz Parkway, Schertz, TX 78154
(210) 619-1700



AND, OH YEAH...BOOKS! WE HAVE LOTS OF THOSE, TOO!



- EVENTS & PROGRAMS FOR ALL AGES
- COMPUTER CLASSES & TUTORIALS
- ELECTRONIC RESOURCES
- READING CHALLENGES

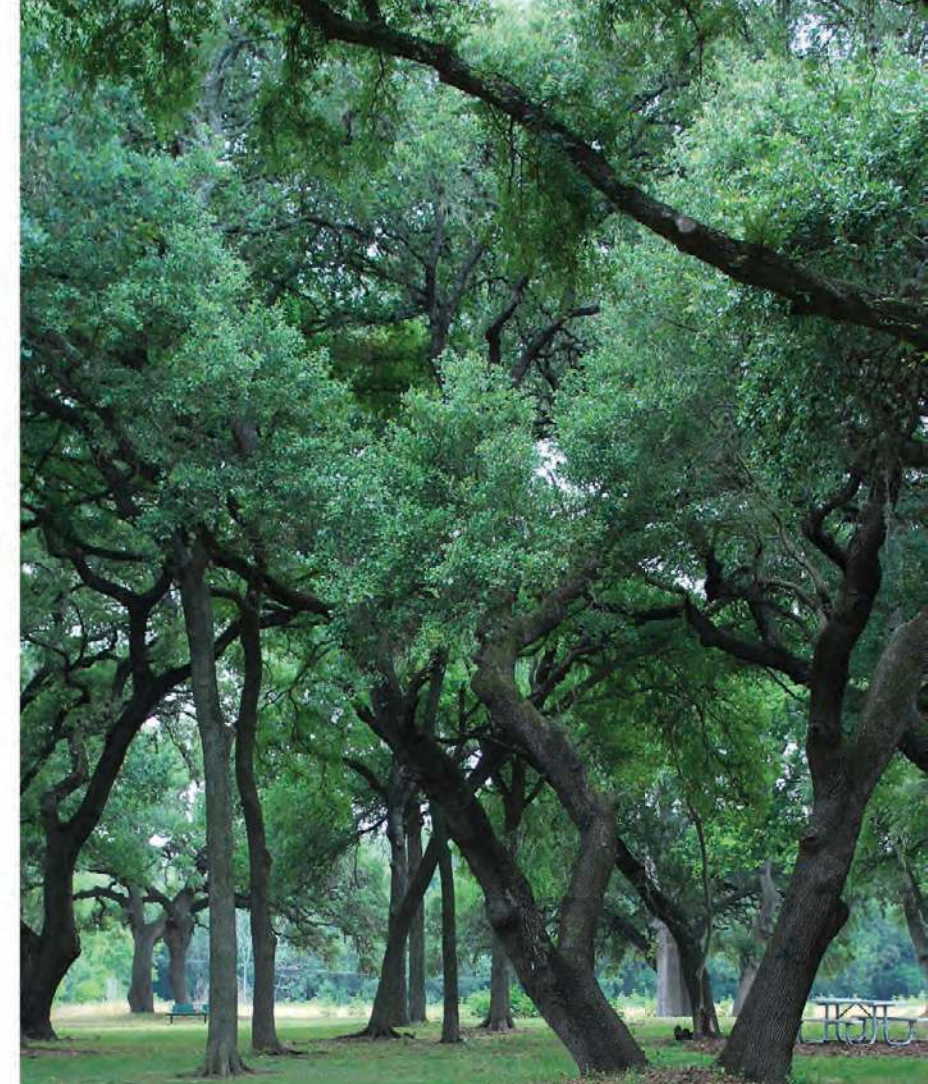
SCHERTZ PARKS & RECREATION FUN

Since its beginning in 1958, the City of Schertz has maintained, at the forefront, its desire to focus on the quality of life enjoyed by our residents. Schertz Parks & Recreation offers exciting events and amazing recreational opportunities for all ages and interests. Through our partnership with the YMCA, we offer an indoor Recreation Center with fitness equipment, group exercise classes, a rock - climbing wall, and so much more. Right next door is our Aquatic Center, offering two pools and numerous aquatic programming opportunities. This 19,000 sq. foot state of the art facility is something that Schertz residents are proud of.

Don't forget to get out and explore all of our parks. Each location offers different amenities, including two outdoor pools - there is something for everyone. If a more natural experience is appealing to you and your family, check out the programs we have offered at Crescent Bend Nature Park – Bird Walks, Star Parties, and the Nature Discovery Series are just some of the fun things we have planned.

Additionally, the department offers senior programs, innovative health and wellness opportunities, sports parks, aquatic complexes, community celebrations, nature education, miles of trails, flood mitigation, tree maintenance, and much, much more.

Schertz Parks are open daily from 6:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Crescent Bend Nature Park is open from 7:30 a.m. to dusk daily. Please go to Schertz.com for more information.



“Love Schertz Parks and Recreation! They have a wonderful team who is always super helpful! Beautiful pools! Fun playgrounds! They put on really fun free family-friendly events!”
-Facebook Review



Wisdom from yesterday, knowledge for today, dreams for tomorrow.

AQUATICS

Beat the heat and dive into one of the area pools. Schertz has two outdoor pools that operate from Memorial Day to the beginning of the public school year. The Schertz Aquatics Center, the indoor recreational pool facility, is open year-round. For a full list of aquatics programs, swim lessons, lifeguard camps, swim teams and more, go to Schertz.com.



NATURE EDUCATION

Does your little one enjoy being outdoors and searching for creepy crawlies? The Nature Discovery Series is for your family! The program is designed for younger children, but older children are welcome. Texas Master Naturalist volunteers lead the themed programs held the 2nd Saturday of each month for free at 10:00 a.m. at Crescent Bend Nature Park.



SENIOR CENTER

The Schertz Area Senior Center provides comprehensive services to help seniors stay independent and active. The center offers a hot nutritious lunch for those who wish to socialize, make new friends, and participate in activities to improve both physical and mental health and enhance the quality of their lives. Membership dues are \$36.00 per year and include activities such as art classes, bible study, bingo, gardening, dances, health screenings, and more!



YOUTH SPORTS

Schertz Parks and Recreation owns a 12-field recreational soccer complex and a 7-field recreational baseball and softball complex. There are also several practice fields in various parks. The maintenance and scheduling of the fields are handled through agreements with various youth sports organizations that have approximately 3,800 youth registered in soccer, baseball, softball, football, cheer, volleyball, basketball, and swimming.



AREA PARKS & RECREATION FACILITIES

- 1 Johnnie McDow Sports Complex
- 2 Schertz Soccer Complex
- 3 Thulemeyer Park
- 4 Ashley Park
- 5 Crescent Bend Nature Park
- 6 Cut-Off Park
- 7 Cypress Point Park
- 8 Forest Ridge Park
- 9 Gutierrez Xeriscape Park
- 10 Heritage Oaks Park
- 11 Lone Oak Park
- 12 Mary Whitfield Burks Park
- 13 Oak Forest Park
- 14 Palm Park
- 15 Pickrell Park
- 16 Rhine Valley Park
- 17 Schertz Community Playscape
- 18 Schertz Dog Park
- 19 Schertz Skate Park
- 20 The Park at Woodland Oaks
- 21 Wendy Swan Memorial Park
- 22 Veteran's Memorial Plaza
- 23 North Center
- 24 Schertz Area Senior Center
- 25 Schertz Aquatic Center
- 26 Schertz Recreation Center
- 27-30 Future Parks

WALKING TRAILS

Park	Distance
Ashley Park Trail	0.25 miles
Cibolo Creek Primitive Trails	6 miles
Crescent Bend Nature Park Trails	4 miles
Cypress Point Park Trail	0.58 miles
Forest Ridge Park Trail	0.5 miles
FM 3009 Sidewalks	5.5 miles
Gutierrez Xeriscape Park Trail	0.19 miles
Heritage Oaks Park Trail	0.5 miles
Misty Woods Trail	0.21 miles
Oak Forest Park Trail	0.57 miles
Pickrell Park Trail	0.30 miles
Rhine Valley Park Trail	0.31 miles
Schertz Exercise Trail	0.5 miles
Schertz Parkway Trails	6 miles
Wendy Swan Memorial Park Trail	0.17 miles



SPECIAL EVENTS

The City of Schertz has a history of hosting community events that make everyone feel welcome. From the variety of events held in the Music & Movies in the Park series to the annual 4th of July Jubilee, residents and visitors have many opportunities throughout the year to enjoy a family-friendly atmosphere with some great entertainment. This is just a sample of the wonderful events and programs the City of Schertz offers. Go to Schertz.com or follow the City on Facebook to learn more!

MOVIN ON MAIN

This active event is intended to get folks out biking, running, or strolling through the city streets as a pedestrian of their own local thoroughfare. In partnership with the Schertz Family YMCA, Movin on Main invites you and your families to bring your bicycle, skateboard, stroller, and tennis shoes for an afternoon full of fitness demos, exercise stations, cycling, live music, health & wellness vendors, food & refreshments, and much more!



TRUNK OR TREAT

Come with us and you will see this our town of Halloween! The City of Schertz and Schertz Family YMCA invites you to Trunk-or-Treat presented by Schertz Fire Rescue. Bring your little goblins and ghouls for a safe evening of trick-or-treating, a costume contest, spooky hay rides, pumpkin patch pictures, a Halloween house and much more!



4TH OF JULY JUBILEE

Schertz is proud to host the annual 4th of July Jubilee, one of South Texas' largest tributes to freedom and the men & women who serve in the armed forces! Complete with live music, a downtown parade, 'Let Freedom Run' 5K, carnival, hand-made crafts, and festival food, Jubilee offers something for the whole family. And what would the Fourth of July be without the rockets red glare? Schertz is home to the only annual Star Spangled Spectacular firework show - the perfect way to end a celebration!



HOLIDAZZLE

Join the City for the official holiday kick-off celebration. The yuletide festivities begin with a tree-lighting ceremony and continues with a lighted night parade through the downtown area and ends at the Hal Baldwin Municipal Complex. Held the first weekend in December, Holidazzle also features pictures with Santa and Mrs. Claus, tasty holiday treats, jolly music from the district's school choirs and bands, and Mt. Schertz a sledding snow peak!

