

UNIVERSITY CITY FAMILY FUN

We all know that kids love to run, climb, swing and explore. Luckily, when you're in University City, you're not far from a tot lot or playground. There are a bunch—big and small—throughout the neighborhood, including the new KaBOOM! designed Walnut Hill Community Playground. Here are three to get you and the kids started:



- 1 Walnut Hill Community Playground**
47th and Sansom
- 2 Cedar Park Playground**
50th and Baltimore
- 3 Clark Park Tot Lot and Playground**
43rd Street, south of Chester

Peanut Butter & Jams



- 4 Peanut Butter & Jams Kids Concerts**
World Cafe Live, 3025 Walnut Street
215-222-1400, worldcafelive.com

Peanut Butter & Jams at World Cafe Live is about creating a fun and interactive live music experience for kids and parents. Perfect for a family outing, children's birthday party, or just for a fun afternoon, Peanut Butter & Jams is a guaranteed crowd pleaser. Check out the schedule each Saturday morning for a not-to-be missed show and family-friendly lunch buffet. Get ready to Jam!

After-School Youth Classes

The University Arts League (UCAL), 4226 Spruce Street
215-382-7811, ucartsleague.org

UCAL offers an affordable option for after school cultural enrichment for ages 5-12. You can enroll your child in crafts, dance, drama, drawing, languages, painting, pottery, writing and more. A snack is included with the class and pickup is available from Penn Alexander School for an additional fee.



INSPIRE YOUNG MINDS

Kids love to learn. And, in University City, there are many enriching camps and classes for children. From ballet and modern dance classes at **(6) Gwendolyn Bye Dance Center** (gbyedance.org) and **(7) The Philadelphia School of Dance Arts** (philadanco.org) to acting school at **(8) Curio Theatre School** (curiotheatre.org) to Arabic language and cultural camp at **(9) Al-Bustan Camp** (albustanseeds.org) to **(10) Penn Museum's 40 Winks with the Sphinx sleepover** (penn.museum) there are endless possibilities for kids to be engaged in University City.

- 11 Philadelphia International Children's Festival**
Annenberg Center for the Performing Arts
3680 Walnut Street, pennpresents.org/tickets/childfest.php

The oldest festival of its kind in the United States, the 27th annual Philadelphia International Children's Festival will be held Thursday, April 7–Saturday, April 9, 2011. Enjoy family-friendly music, theatre and dance performances including Basil Twist's *Petrushka*, as well as a host of fun and interactive activities on the Outdoor Plaza including crafts, face painting, jugglers and more!



- 12 CLARK PARK**
43rd Street and Baltimore Avenue

The nine-acre Clark Park is the heart of University and a spectacular destination for families. It boasts a tot lot and basketball court, an older kids playground, a very popular farmers' market, and various special events throughout the year. Wayfinders runs a vigorous Capture the Flag game throughout the year on Saturday mornings. Clark Park Youth Soccer League organizes a low-stress soccer program for children (ages five and up) during the spring and fall. The Parent-Infant Center holds weekly twilight storytime readings in June and July at The Turtle. Frequent festivals and other special events include a children's health fair, the Halloween parade for tots, and the Spiral Q Puppet Theater Peoplehood Parade and Festival. In the winter, legendary sledding can be enjoyed in the bowl!



UNIVERSITY CITY IS FUN FOR FAMILIES!

We aren't kidding around when we say University City is a family-friendly neighborhood. With a wide array of attractions, University City can be a kid's kind of place. This neighborhood boasts many beautiful parks, a myriad of family-friendly destinations, and countless entertainment opportunities that can be fun for kids and enjoyable for the whole family. And, don't forget, just beyond our boundaries lies Bartram's Garden, the Philadelphia Zoo and the Please Touch Museum. So grab the family and head to University City. Visit www.universitycity.org for more information.



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