

# McKinley Park - Lower



## Location

Along Bausman Street just off of Route 51



## Hours

6AM - 11PM



## Directions

**Buses:** 54 stop at Bausman St. and Bernd St.

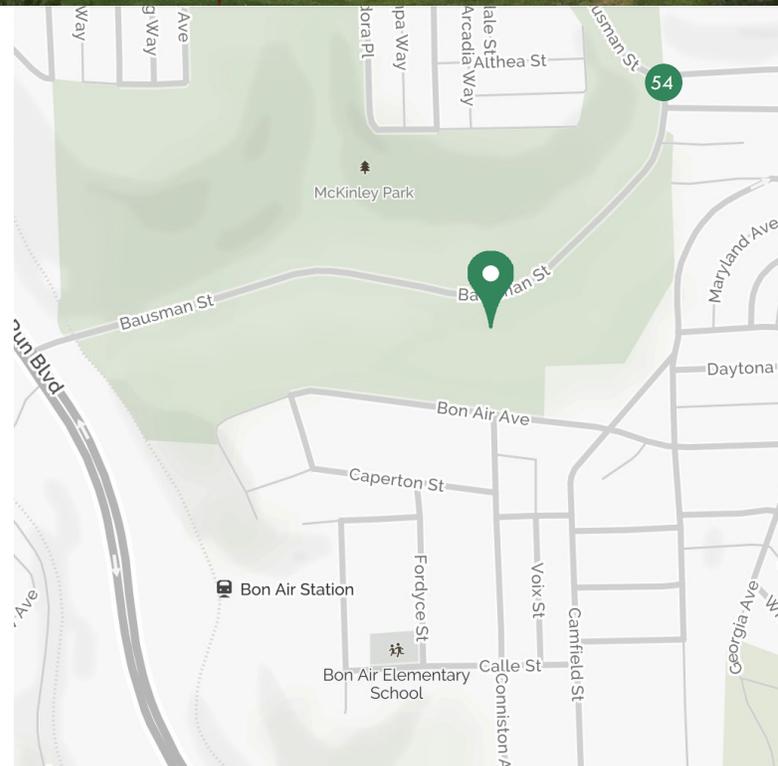


Bonus Points: Bike or hike to the park!



## History

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## Facilities



## Other Resources

<http://www.pittsburghpa.gov/citiparks>

<https://www.pittsburghparks.org/projects/mckinley-park>

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## Activities

**Cross the Gulley!** There is a concrete channel running along the edge of Bausman street at this portion of the park. Zig zag back and forth to cross every bridge over it. How many are there?

**Leaf Collection!** Select a particular part of the park, like around the track, or along Bausman, and see how many different types of leaves you can find on the ground! Bonus: sketch them!

**Time to Shred!** McKinley is one of the few parks in the city with a skate park. Bring some wheels (board, bike, skates, etc.) and ride! Bonus: create and map your own path through the course.

**Track and Field!** Whether its a race or a casual walk, around or across the field, the track at Lower McKinley park is a great place to move around. Try 10 minutes, and go from there!



## Scavenger Hunt



# McKinley Park - Upper



## Location

Parking and Activities Center at the intersection of Delmont Avenue and Amesbury Street

## Building Hours

Monday - Friday | 9AM - 5PM  
Saturday | 10AM - 6PM

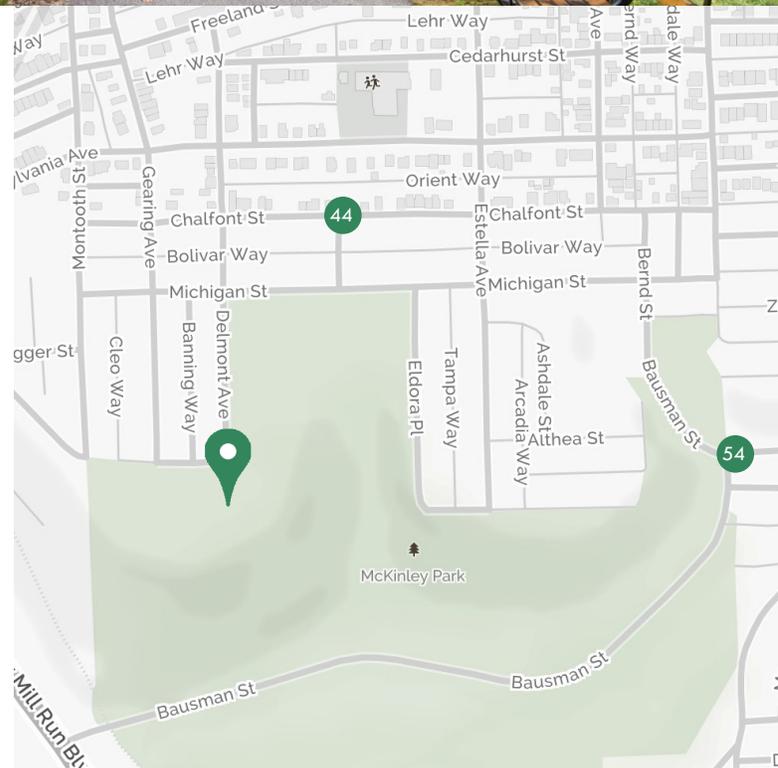
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**Buses: 44** stop at Chalfont St. and Haberman Ave. **54** stop at Bausman St. and Bernd St.

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**Rain Garden Exploration!** The rain gardens around the activities center are full of flowers and other native plants that local bugs and animals love. How many different critters can you find?

**Tree ID!** Around the park you can find a wide variety of trees. How many different types you can count? Can you identify any of them? Find a guide or knowledgeable friend to help!

**Traverse the Trails!** Beautiful trails run throughout McKinley Park. Take a hike on one or more of them. Keep quiet, and look and listen carefully as you wander through the park!

**HORSE!** Play with a friend. Try to make a basket from anywhere on the court and if it goes in, the other player has to make it too. If not, they get a letter. First to spell HORSE is out!

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