

WALLACE PARK

Paola's Premier Destination for Outdoor Recreation & Community Life

Spanning over 70 acres off East Osage Street, Wallace Park has served as Paola's flagship green space since 1910. Combining historic charm with top-tier athletic facilities, water attractions, and open shade, it offers something for every age.

PARK ATTRACTIONS & HIGHLIGHTS

Paola Family Swimming Pool

Zero-depth entry, interactive water sprayers for toddlers, lap lanes, and thrilling water slides for all ages.

Concrete Skate Park

Dedicated 90×45 ft facility equipped with ramps, half-pipes, and grind rails for skateboards, scooters, and BMX.

Athletic & Sports Courts

Multiple baseball/softball diamonds, outdoor tennis courts, and basketball courts hosting youth sports & casual play.

Shaded Playgrounds & Shelters

Modern play structures under natural shade canopy, paired with picnic tables and grills for gatherings.

Paved Fitness & Walking Trails

Continuous smooth, accessible routes winding across grounds for walking, running, and cycling.

MIAMI COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS INTEGRATION

Adjacent to the grounds, Wallace Park hosts major community events each July, including the **Miami County Fair**, traditional parade, evening rodeo, and popular demolition derby.

VISITOR GUIDE

Address

10 Wallace Park Drive, Paola, KS 66071

Park Hours

Daily from 6:00 AM – 10:00 PM

Pool Season

Memorial Day weekend through mid-August.

RENTALS & PARTIES

Picnic Shelters

Covered shelters available for private events & family reunions. Reserve online or via Public Works. Unreserved shelters are 1st come, 1st served.

Private Pool Rentals

The entire aquatic center can be rented after-hours for private evening parties.

KEY CONTACT DIRECTORY

Parks & Public Works: (913) 259-3620

Recreation Commission: (913) 259-5091

Family Pool (Seasonal): (913) 259-3660