



Kansas City, Missouri Parks & Recreation
 4600 East 63rd Street
 Kansas City, MO 64130

Just Off Broadway Theater
 In this quaint theater, built into the castle like ruins of the old Kansas City Municipal Carriage Works, you will always be within five rows of the stage. Kansas Cities' own writers, actors and producers showcase their newest and best talents in productions that entertain while strengthening the social fabric of our community. Theatrical miracles range from mime to madcap; juggling to fire eating, musicals to Shakespeare and Faust. For more information, call (816) 784-5020 or visit www.justoffbroadway.org

Firefighters' Memorial Fountain
 "They who give their lives for others shall be exalted on high and enshrined in our memory forever"
 Dedicated in honor of those firefighters who gave their lives in the line of duty, and to all of those firefighters who daily dedicate themselves to the protection of our lives and property.

Baseball Diamonds
 Paul Waxie Hernandez Fields are centrally located in the park near the Picnic Shelter. For information about field reservations, sports leagues, and other activities call (816) 513-7500.

Penn Valley Park
 Home to the Liberty Memorial and National World War I Museum, this 30-acre park holds great historical significance. Developed in 1904 on land through which the Santa Fe Trail had passed, the grounds are home to commemorative statues such as The Scout, the Pioneer Mother Memorial and The Hiker. The park also is home to a 3-acre lake, off-leash dog park, skate park, 2-mile exercise trail, tennis courts and ball fields.

Penn Valley Park
 Penn Valley Park is located at Pershing Road and Main Street, in Kansas City, Missouri.

Off-Leash Dog Park
 Officially opened in April of 2004, Penn Valley Dog Park is the first off-leash dog park operated by Parks and Recreation. The dog park is a 2.7 acre fenced off-leash area with double-gated entries for safety. It offers water fountains for people and dogs, as well as a spigot for filling water bottles. The Penn Valley Off-Leash Dog Park is open seven days a week from dawn until one hour after dusk. Please have responsible fun as you (and your dog) enjoy the park.

Walking Trail
 Dogs on leashes are always welcome in any of Kansas City, Missouri's 214 parks! Please pick-up after your pooch.

Washington Lake
 Explore the beauty and relax at Washington Lake. Sit back and enjoy watching the variety of birds living around the 3 - acre lake. You may even see a turtle sunning itself on a log.

National World War I Museum at Liberty Memorial
 The National World War I Museum at Liberty Memorial is the only American museum solely dedicated to preserving the objects, history and personal experiences of a war whose impact still echoes today. The Museum is built under the iconic Liberty Memorial Tower and was designed by Ralph Appelbaum, whose credits include the Holocaust Museum in Washington, D.C. Housing more than 50,000 objects, the Museum uses interactive technology, along with its world-class collection, to tell the story of the war through the eyes of those who lived it. The Museum is located at the corner of Pershing and Main. Call (816) 784-1918 or visit www.theworldwar.org for details.
 Museum Hours:
 Tuesday - Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 Closed Thanksgiving, Christmas & New Year's Day.

Tennis Courts
 Tennis anyone? Penn Valley Park has four hard-surfaced tennis courts located north of the Skateboard Park.

Picnic Shelter and Playground
 You can picnic almost anywhere in Penn Valley Park. For your convenience, there is a Shelter House located near the baseball diamonds. This shelter can be used on a first-come basis. Tables, restrooms and a playground are also in this area.

The Scout
 The Scout, originally executed by Cyrus E. Dallin for the Panama-Pacific Exposition in San Francisco, won a gold medal in 1915. On its way back east, the statue was exhibited on a temporary basis in Penn Valley Park. It was so well received by Kansas Citians, that "The Kids of Kansas City Fund" was created to buy it. The fund raised \$15,000 in nickels and dimes. The Statue was dedicated in 1922 as a memorial to the local Native American tribes. The larger than life-sized figure represents a Sioux Scout on horseback returning from a hunting trip. He sits warily astride his horse with bow in hand, looking for game. In today's context, he seems to be contemplating the changes in the plains that he once roamed so freely.

Pioneer Mother
 Presented to the People of Kansas City by Howard Vanderslice to commemorate the Pioneer Mother who, with unfaltering trust in God, suffered the hardship of the unknown west to prepare for us a homeland of peace and plenty.

Skateboard Park
 Officially opened in 2006, the 10,000 square foot Penn Valley Skate Park sits on the west side of Penn Valley Park. Features include a square shallow end with metal coping, "clamshell" mid section with tile and pool coping. There is a euro gap, eight stair with handrail and ledges on both sides, big dirt gap with a small one next to it, a big four stair with a rail, picnic table, a hip, a 10' deep huge bowl.

The Hiker
 To commemorate the valor and patriotism of the men who served in the Spanish-American War, the Philippine Insurrection and China Relief Expedition, 1898 - 1902

The Friends of Penn Valley Park
 The Friends of Penn Valley Park were formed in 1985 by Kansas City, Missouri Parks and Recreation. The group serves as a liaison to the parks department on issues concerning the park. Friends represent park groups in the approval process for funds solicited from the Public Improvement Advisory Council (PIAC), including Just Off Broadway, Penn Valley Park Walking Trail, Off-Leash Dog Park, Skateboard Park and the baseball fields to name a few. The group established a master plan in 1991 and it was updated in 2004.
 For more information about Penn Valley Park and Kansas City, MO Parks & Recreation, visit: www.kcmo.org/parks



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