

Benjamin Hill Park History

Benjamin Hill was a small ski area in the 1960's through 1970's which had a lodge and 8 slopes with rope tows and a T-bar. It was closed in the 1970's and the lodge was destroyed by fire.



The property was acquired by the Town of Shirley and beginning in 2000, members of the Benjamin Hill Park Committee worked to turn the area into a fun family recreational park.

The pool house was completed in 2007 with donations of volunteer time, materials, and labor from area individuals and businesses.

The 136,000 gallon gunite pool had a major amount of work done in spring of 2013 when 30 coats of paint were removed by scraping and sandblasting. The cracks in the cement were then repaired and caulked and the pool was repainted fresh with depth numbers and safety lines. This was the biggest reconstruction project to the pool since the stainless steel gutters were installed.

A gravel walkway was installed in 2013 around the family playing field at Benjamin Hill Park. The walkway is 1/5 of a mile long, making it a great exercise option. Conservation trails also run behind the park area.

In fall of 2014 the construction of a new storage shed, a covered porch entry on the pool house, and the Melloon Ice Skating Rink pavilion was completed. In 2015, the old tennis courts were ground up and replaced with a newly repaved tennis and basketball court area. The Mystical Maze Playground old wooden decking has been replaced with new composite decking.

2016 Membership Fees

Does not include Swimming Lessons

Resident Individual	\$125.00
Non-Resident Individual	\$150.00
Resident Family (up to 5 immediate family members)	\$200.00
Non-Resident Family (up to 5 immediate family members)	\$275.00
Senior 60+	\$75.00
Additional Family Members— charge per person	\$25.00
Nanny/Babysitters— additional charge	\$35.00

2016 Daily Use Rates

Daily Swim Non-members

Resident Adult (17 & up)	\$8.00
Resident Child (age 2-16)	\$7.00
Non Resident Adult (17 & up)	\$10.00
Non Resident Child (age 2-16)	\$9.00

Contact us for rates on Swimming Lessons and Adult Water Aerobics.

No child under 13 years is admitted to pool without a responsible adult. All babies must be in swim diapers. All park rules must be followed. The lifeguards on duty are in total control of the Benjamin Hill pool and are responsible for the safe operation of the pool and the area.

BHP is 100% self funded and uses no tax dollars.

We appreciate your patronage.

Benjamin Hill Park Committee

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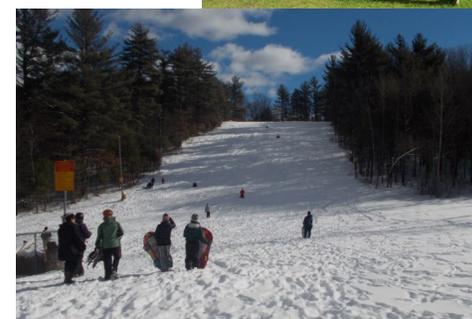
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In season Pool Phone 978-425-9536

Benjamin Hill Park 2016 Season



**A year-round fun
family recreational park!**



Located at
93 Benjamin Rd. Shirley, MA 01464
Open Memorial Day Weekend until Labor
Day Weekend 1PM—6:45PM

Benjamin Hill Park

Check out what we've got to offer!

Park Features & Facilities

- ◆ Pool
- ◆ Pool House
- ◆ Mystical Maze Playground
- ◆ Family Fields
- ◆ Gravel Walking Path 1/5 mile
- ◆ Melloon Ice Skating Pavilion
- ◆ Sledding & Tubing Hill
- ◆ Picnic Area
- ◆ New Tennis & Basketball Courts
- ◆ Swimming Lessons
- ◆ Adult Water Aerobics

Have Your Party at BHP!

The Pool and Pool House are available to rent for parties, showers, and events. The Pool House can be rented year round. Have a family pool party in the summer, a spring baby shower, a family reunion, or a winter sledding party! Contact us for details.



Park Photographs



BHP has an Olympic size Z shaped gunite **POOL** for your swimming and summer fun. We offer adult water aerobics and swimming lessons for all ages and levels taught by qualified instructors. The pool area is overseen by lifeguards who enforce the pool rules at all times for your safety. Our pool area has toys, chairs, life jackets, and shade.

The **POOL HOUSE** features changing rooms with showers, restrooms, an indoor seating area, an office area, and a snack bar. All facilities are handicap accessible.

