

Rules

- Park and fishing hours are from dawn to dusk.
- A York Center Permit, Illinois State License, and Inland Trout Stamp are all required to fish at both parks.
- Fish from the shore only.
- Only two poles per fisherman.
- NO minnows, corn, or live bait will be allowed. (Worms are permitted)
- Fish caught on the premises may be released into the lake.
- No swimming.
- Boats, canoes, rafts, and other floatation devices are not allowed on the lake.
- No alcoholic beverages.
- Removal of plants and animals is prohibited.
- Hunting and trapping is prohibited.
- DO NOT FEED THE GEESE OR DUCKS.

All state fishing regulations also apply

Equipment

The York Center Park District has fishing poles available during regular office hours. There is no fee to use the poles. This "loaner pole" program is sponsored by the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. Leave a valid I.D. at the front desk. Please return the pole in the same condition it was in when you checked it out.

Office

1609 S. Luther Ave, Lombard

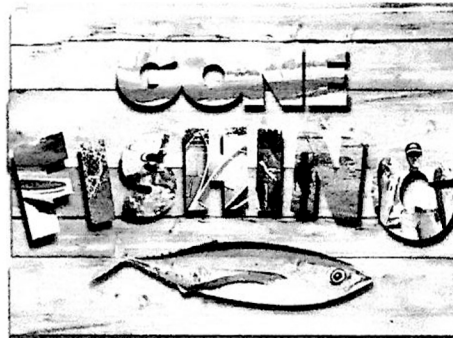
Permits may be purchased during regular office hours, which are as follows:

Monday - Friday	9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday	CLOSED
Sunday	CLOSED

Administrative offices are located in the community center at 1609 S. Luther Avenue. It is four blocks south of Roosevelt Road and two blocks east of Meyers Road.

Disabled Exemptions

Disabled Illinois residents are not required to purchase a state license or stamp. Disabled patrons are not required to purchase a district permit. You **MUST** show proof of disability. State I.D. cards are available from the Secretary of State Drivers License Facility.



Fishing

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Lake Yelenich Park

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Knolls Park



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TAKE ME FISHING™

Lake Yelenich Park

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Lake Yelenich is a man-made lake and is nestled on 10 acres of scenic land. It is stocked several times a year with catfish and trout, and the pond also hosts bass and a variety of panfish. Lake Yelenich Park is home to the Community Center and Administrative offices, playground, gazebo, large open field, and fishing pond. We also host fishing derbies throughout the year.

Knolls Park

1 block west of Meyers on 16th St.

This 14-acre park has a pond which is stocked periodically. You are welcome to fish there during park hours. There is also a shelter, playground, fitness trail, volleyball court, Prairie Path, and a sled hill for the community to enjoy.



Limits

Per fisherman, per day:

Bass	3	Trout	3
Panfish	10	Catfish	3

Fish must be 12" or longer to keep (excluding panfish).

If you are caught with more fish than the limit allows, you may be fined up to \$500

Permit Information

Before fishing, please obtain the following permits:

York Center Yearly Permit for Residents

6 and under	FREE
7-17	\$10
18-64	\$12
65 and over	FREE

York Center Yearly Permit for Non-Residents

6 and under	FREE
7-17	\$15
18-64	\$20
65 and over	\$10

York Center Daily Permits

Residents	\$5
Non-Residents	\$5

York Center Permits valid April 1-March 31

Illinois State License & Inland Trout Stamp

Prices vary. The York Center Park District no longer sells state permits, but they are still required for fishing at both parks. You may purchase them at a local DNR office, sporting equipment stores, or Wal-Mart.

Park district residents must provide proof of residency by presenting a photo ID in order to be issued a York Center Park District fishing pass.

****IF YOU ARE CAUGHT FISHING WITHOUT A PERMIT, YOU MAY BE FINED UP TO \$500****

The Fishing Patrol has the authority to collect fines!

York Center Park District Boundaries

If you do not currently reside within these boundaries, you will be charged the non-resident rates. Brandywine and Oakbrook Terrace residents no longer receive resident rates for fishing permits due to a change in the reciprocal agreement between the two districts.

