

Watertown

PARKS & RECREATION

SUMMER

CAMP



- ✓ SWIM LESSONS
- ✓ FULL & HALF DAY CAMPS
- ✓ SPORT CAMPS
- ✓ EXERCISE & DANCE
- ✓ WIDE RANGE OF ACTIVITIES/EVENTS

APRIL - AUGUST
ACTIVITIES GUIDE

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT US :
61 ECHO LAKE ROAD, WATERTOWN, CT 06795
8:30AM-4:30PM 860-945-5246
WWW.WATERTOWNCTREC.COM

PAYMENT POLICY: Payment, along with proof of age, is due with registration for all programs. We will accept cash, credit card (Master Card, Discover, Diner's Club, American Express, Visa, & debit cards), money order or check made out to "Watertown Parks & Recreation". No pre/postdated checks. A \$20.00 fee will be charged for any returned checks. Instructors will not accept registration at the class site. Fees must be paid at the office prior to or online participation unless otherwise specified.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL LOCATIONS for classes listed in this brochure are subject to change on short notice. We will contact you with any changes from what is listed in the brochure. Thank you for your patience!

PROGRAM CANCELLATIONS: The Parks & Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel, postpone or combine classes or change instructors. If insufficient enrollment causes a class to be canceled, full tuition is refunded. The playgrounds, sports camps, and waterfront areas may close at any time in case of inclement weather. In the event of inclement weather, program cancellations will be made on the INFO-Line at (860) 945-5272 by 7:30 am. Fees will not be pro-rated in the event of rain. We make our best effort to provide the class and instructor advertised in the brochure. In the event an instructor can no longer teach a class we will provide another instructor, if one is available, to finish the session. A credit may be issued for the amount of remaining classes. Materials and supplies purchased by you are excluded from refunds and credits.

REGISTRANTS ARE NOTIFIED: When a course is cancelled. If a desired class is full, you will be put on a waiting list. Additional classes may be opened if facility and instructor are available. The Parks & Recreation Department reserves the right to set a minimum and maximum for each program and to cancel any program due to low enrollment.

PROGRAM SCHEDULING: The Park & Recreation Staff has made every effort to prepare this brochure as accurately as possible, however due to publication deadlines program listings/information may require that adjustments be made to programs, fees, schedules, etc. We apologize in advance should you find an error or for any inconvenience that this may cause. Please call the INFO-Line or sign up on our website to receive cancellations or adjustments to the schedule.

REFUND POLICY: Refunds must be requested prior to the Friday before the program begins. No refunds will be given once class begins. Medical refunds will be approved on a case-by-case basis when the request is submitted in a timely manner. A \$10.00 processing fee will be charged for all refunds, unless the Watertown Parks & Recreation is forced to cancel a program.

PHOTOGRAPHS: Participants may be photographed for the purpose of promotion or advertising in the future brochures, in newspapers or in other Watertown Parks & Recreation Department media.

SECURITY PRECAUTIONS: When the playgrounds are in session all persons attending must be registered in the program. We are responsible for the children registered and the facilities being used. Persons not registered entering the facility or playground area will be asked to leave. Please understand the taxpayers own these facilities, and we are responsible. Also, we are protecting and caring for someone's most precious commodity, their children. Please respect these rules and understand why we cannot have "outsiders" entering our playgrounds and facilities. Please check with your child's camp director regarding the pick-up of your child by someone other than yourself. There are procedures in place at every camp and they will be enforced.

Office Information

Location: Watertown Parks & Recreation Department
61 Echo Lake Road, Watertown, CT 06795

Telephone: (860)945-5246

InfoLine: (860)945-5272

Website: www.watertownctrec.com

Email: watertownctrec@watertownct.org

Office Hours: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM Monday -Friday



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PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION Meets 1st Thurs. each month at 61 Echo Lake Road, W. – 7:00 p.m. William Donston, Chairman; Ken LaRosa, V. Chair; Pat Rinaldi, Secy.; Margaret A. Germain, Alan Mickel, Joseph McGrail and Karim Belica.

Watertown Human, Social & Leisure Services

PARKS & RECREATION, FOOD BANK, CRESTBROOK PARK, SOCIAL & SENIOR SERVICES

“FOR YOUR QUALITY OF LIFE”

INSIDE GUIDE TO SUMMER FUN!

MISSION STATEMENT: The Watertown Parks and Recreation Commission, cognizant of the significant financial investment of the community in Parks and Recreational facilities, encourages their fullest possible use for recreational, cultural and educational purposes.

CONFIDENTIAL FINANCIAL

SCHOLARSHIPS: are available to qualified applicants (for Watertown/ Oakville residents only). Please contact the Social Services Department at (860) 945-5252 for more information. Care 4 Kids: The Watertown Parks & Recreation Department participates in the Care 4 Kids program. Parents are responsible to make all weekly payments until a certificate is issued from Care 4 Kids and a parent share fee has been determined.

GIFT CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE!! Looking for a last minute gift idea for a family member? Friends? Gift certificates are available at The Watertown Parks & Recreation Department. It's a perfect way to give someone the opportunity to become involved in one of our many program offerings. Gift certificates can be purchased at the Parks & Recreation Department during the business hours of 8:30 am - 4:30 pm or on our website at www.watertownctrec.com.

NON-DISCRIMINATION: Please refer to the Watertown Board of Education. [Click here to view policy.](#)

NEW TO THE AREA? The Watertown Parks & Recreation Department invites you to come in and find out what we have to offer. We have programs, classes and facilities for all ages. Want to learn more? Give us a call at 860-945-5246. We will be happy to make an appointment at your convenience to show you around and explain any program that is of interest to you. We want to meet you and talk with you and your family.

ONLINE REGISTRATIONS We are now accepting online registrations! Simply go to www.watertownctrec.com and create your household. You'll then be able to register and pay for any and all recreation programs and special events from the convenience of your own home! We accept VISA, Master Card, American Express, Discover and Diner's Club (credit and debit cards).

REGISTER EARLY Nothing cancels a good class quicker than everyone waiting until the last minute to register. If there are not enough registrations by a certain date, the course may be cancelled. Coming in on the day the course begins won't resurrect it, so PLEASE REGISTER EARLY!!

REGISTERING IN PERSON: Is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM excluding holidays at the Watertown Parks & Recreation Department, 61 Echo Lake Road, Watertown, CT 06795. All registrations are based on a first come, first served basis.



SWIMMING LESSONS



PARENT AND CHILD AQUATICS

American Red Cross Parent and Child Aquatics is designed for children between the ages of 6 months and 3 years old, and their parents. The purpose of this course is to familiarize children with the water and teach swimming readiness skills. In addition, Red Cross Parent and Child Aquatics provides safety information for parents and teaches parents techniques they can use to help orient their children to the water. There must be one parent in the water per child. Max 15 children. Instructor: Colleen Henebry.

LOCATION: WATERTOWN HIGH SCHOOL POOL

DATES: *MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY
SESSION 1- JUNE 24, 25, 26, 27; JULY 1, 2, 3, 5
(NO CLASS JULY 4TH)

SESSION 2- JULY 8, 9, 10, 11, 15, 16, 17, 18

SESSION 3- JULY 22, 23, 24, 25, 29, 30, 31;
AUG 1

TIMES: 8AM - 8:30 AM OR 8:30 AM - 9AM

AGES: 6 MONTHS TO 3 YEARS

COST: \$82.00/RES \$102.00/NON-RES

LEARN TO SWIM – AGES 4 & UP

Learn to swim through the Red Cross Swimming Program. Lessons for all abilities are available. A variety of levels are available as seen below. Read the following for more information. If you are unsure what level to put your child in, please read all descriptions below. A child placed in the wrong level will be moved to the correct level at the discretion of the instructor.



RED CROSS SWIMMING LEVELS

Level 1 (Water Exploration)

The most basic of swimming skills to help the participants become comfortable in the water.

Level 2 (Fundamental Aquatic Skills)

Gives students success with fundamental skills. Floating without support, simultaneous and alternating arm & leg motions on front and back. Also includes self-help and basic rescue skills.

Level 3 (Stroke Development)

Students learn to coordinate front & back crawl strokes. Introduction to butterfly and treading water and basic diving rules are covered.

Level 4 (Stroke Improvement)

Students will increase their endurance by swimming greater distances. Practice on butterfly continues. Elementary backstroke, breaststroke and elements of sidestroke are introduced along with basic turns at the walls.

Level 5 (Stroke Refinement)

Students refine front & back crawl, butterfly, breaststroke, elementary backstroke and sidestroke and increase their distances. Front and back flip turns are learned in this level.

Level 6 (Swimming and Skill Proficiency)

Refine strokes so students swim them with more ease, efficiency, power and smoothness over greater distances. Other aquatic activities such as Personal Water Safety, Fitness Swimmer, Fundamentals of Diving and Lifeguard Readiness may also be introduced.

WATERTOWN HIGH SCHOOL SWIM LESSONS

Swim lessons are held at Watertown High School pool.

Session 1 Level 1 9:00 AM – 9:50 AM

Session 1 Level 2 10:00 AM – 10:50 AM

Session 1 Level 3 11:00 AM – 11:50 AM

Session 1 Level 4-6 12:00 PM – 12:50 PM

Session 2 Level 1 11:00 AM – 11:50 AM

Session 2 Level 2 12:00 PM – 12:50 PM

Session 2 Level 3 9:00 AM - 9:50 AM

Session 2 Level 4-6 10:00 AM – 10:50 AM

Session 3 Level 1 12:00 PM – 12:50 PM

Session 3 Level 2 11:00 AM - 11:50 AM

Session 3 Level 3 10:00 AM – 10:50 AM

Session 3 Level 4-6 9:00 AM – 9:50 AM

DATES:

SESSION 1- JUNE 24, 25, 26, 27; JULY 1, 2, 3, 5

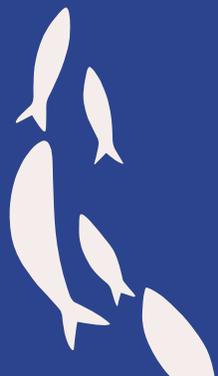
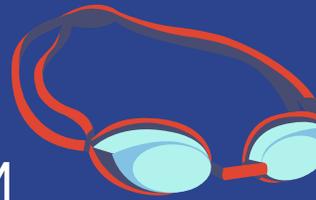
SESSION 2- JULY 8, 9, 10, 11, 15, 16, 17, 18

SESSION 3- JULY 22, 23, 24, 25, 29, 30, 31; AUGUST 1

AGES: MUST BE 4 YEARS OLD AND UP

COST: RESIDENTS: \$110.00 PER PERSON

NON-RESIDENTS: \$130.00 PER PERSON



PUBLIC OPEN SWIMMING



INFO



TENTATIVE TO CHANGE

Watertown will follow State guidelines for outdoor beaches and pools. Once capacity has been reached we will have to close the beach or pool deck. Please be sure to check the Info-line at (860)945-5272, before leaving home for any updates.

CRESTBROOK PARK POOL

Crestbrook Park Pool, Northfield Road, Watertown, is an outdoor facility that is open daily. Hours of operation are 11:00 am – 7:00 pm. Resident rates are \$5.00 per day and Non-Residents are \$10.00 per day. We also have a resident family plan that you can get at the Watertown Parks & Recreation Department. \$165.00- Resident Family Rate; Good for 4 Immediate Family Members, beyond 4 is \$35/per person regardless of age. \$70.00- Individual Resident Rate. \$35.00- Senior Resident Rate for 62 & Older – All One Season. These are for immediate household members. All children 16 and under must be accompanied by an adult. In the event of inclement weather, the Watertown Parks & Recreation Department reserves the right to close this facility.

WATERTOWN HIGH SCHOOL POOL

The Frank M. Reinhold Pool at Watertown High School is open daily this summer from June 24th until August 2nd. Hours are Monday through Friday from 2:00 pm – 3:45 pm. There is no charge for public swimming at the pool. Residents only please and all swimmers under age 16 must be accompanied by an adult over age 18.

COME JOIN US



WATERTOWN PARKS & REC

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WRST

SPRING STROKE & CONDITIONING CLINIC

A FOUR DAY A WEEK, SIX WEEK CLINIC FOR THOSE YOUTH SWIMMERS WHO WANT TO IMPROVE THEIR STROKE TECHNIQUE AND INCREASE THEIR STRENGTH. WE WILL CONCENTRATE ON ONE STROKE EACH WEEK. WEEKS 5&6 WILL BE IM, STARTS AND TURNS.

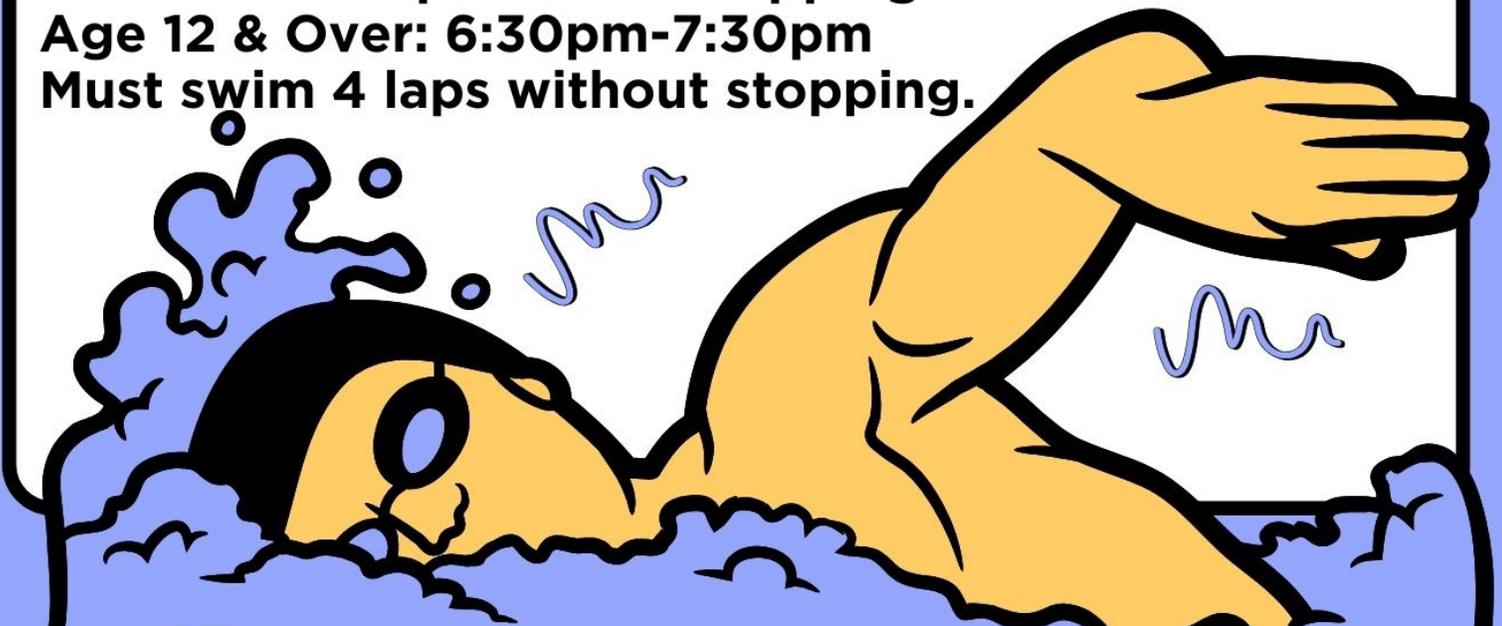
MON-THURS
APR 22-MAY 30

WHS
HIGH
SCHOOL
POOL

RES: \$164
NON-RES: \$202

Ages, Time & Requirements:
Age 11 & Under: 5:30pm-6:30pm
Must swim 1 lap without stopping
Age 12 & Over: 6:30pm-7:30pm
Must swim 4 laps without stopping.

EACH ADDITIONAL
CHILD TAKE \$10 OFF



SUMMER DAY CAMPS



Epic Adventures
Entering Grades 6th-8th

Epic Adventures is the only area summer camp created exclusively for youth teens. This camp captures the essence of independence and self-awareness. Our camp counselors connect with our youth teens to learn their interests and encourage personal identity growth. While at camp, they enjoy arts and crafts, sports, swimming and pizza party on Fridays and more! Camp will meet indoors in the event of inclement weather. Campers should bring a snack, lunch, drink and money for the ice cream truck daily!

LOCATION: SWIFT, AUX GYM & ROOM 162

DATES: MONDAY-FRIDAY

SESSION 1 - JUNE 24, 25, 26, 27, 28

SESSION 2 - JULY 1, 2, 3, 5

SESSION 3 - JULY 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

SESSION 4 - JULY 15, 16, 17, 18, 19

SESSION 5 - JULY 22, 23, 24, 25, 26

SESSION 6 - JULY 29, 30, 31; AUGUST 1, 2

TIME: 8:45 AM - 3:15 PM

COST: RESIDENTS: \$166/PER SESS (S2: \$133)

NON-RESIDENTS: \$186/PER SESS (S2: \$149)



EPIC ADVENTURES FIELD TRIP SCHEDULE



All trips will leave from Swift Middle School.

The times listed below are the times the bus leaves from camp and arrives back to camp depending on traffic. These trips are included in the price of the camp.

SESSION 1:

JUNE 26TH, WEDNESDAY; 9:15 AM - 2:45 PM

CT SCIENCE CENTER, HARTFORD, CT! COME

EXPERIENCE AN EVER-CHANGING VARIETY OF MORE THAN 165 INTERACTIVE EXHIBITS THAT INVOLVE YOU IN EVERYTHING FROM RACE CARS TO ROCKET SHIPS, FROM STRENGTH IN YOUR MUSCLES TO WIND IN YOUR SAILS, FROM BRAINWAVES TO BUTTERFLIES TO MISSIONS ON MARS. EXPLORE OUR CHANGING EARTH AND WATCH A LIVELY 3D MOVIE. BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH.

JUNE 27TH, THURSDAY; 9:15 AM - 1:45 PM

SPORTS CENTER OF CT, SHELTON, CT! INCLUDES

MINI GOLF, GAME ZONE, DRIVING RANGE AND LAZER TAG. LUNCH WILL BE INCLUDED: A CHOICE OF A HOT DOG, HAMBURGER, CHEESEBURGER, GRILLED CHEESE OR CHICKEN TENDERS AND THAT WOULD COME WITH FRIES AND A BEVERAGE.

SESSION 2:

JULY 2ND, TUESDAY; 10:15 AM - 4:45 PM

LAKE COMPOUNCE, BRISTOL, CT. A DAY AT LAKE COMPOUNCE IS A KID'S DREAM. ENJOY A DAY OF THRILLING RIDES, ENTERTAINING SHOWS, PLENTY OF DINING OPTIONS AND OF COURSE, GREAT COMPANY. BRING MONEY FOR FOOD AND DRINKS.



JULY 3RD, WEDNESDAY; 10:30 AM - 2:30 PM

EXTREME AIR, CHESHIRE, CT! THIS TRIP INCLUDES 2 HRS OF OPEN JUMP AND SOCKS INCLUDED. THEY HAVE DODGEBALL, HIGH JUMP, BATTLE BEAMS, ROCK WALL & SLAM DUNK. BRING YOUR OWN BAGGED LUNCH. PARENTS MUST SIGN A WAIVER.



**Holy Disciples
Catholic School**

Formerly The Unified Schools of St. Mary Magdalen and St. John the Evangelist

Mrs. Lisa Lockton

lisa.lockton@smmsoakville.org

Holy Disciples Elementary School

140 Buckingham Street

Oakville, CT 06779

(860) 945-0621

PreK-3 through 4th grade

Holy Disciples Middle School

760 Main Street

Watertown, CT 06795

(860) 274-9208

5th grade through 8th grade

smmjschools.org

SESSION 3:

JULY 10TH, WEDNESDAY, 10:30 AM - 4:30 PM
QUASSY AMUSEMENT PARK, MIDDLEBURY, CT!
ALL DAY PARK RIDES. THEY WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IN THE BEACH AREA. AN ALL YOU CAN EAT HAMBURGERS & HOTDOGS, FRENCH FRIES AND SODA WILL BE PROVIDED AT THE PAVILION BETWEEN 12-1PM.

JULY 11TH, THURSDAY; 9:45 AM - 1:45 PM
IT ADVENTURE INDOOR ROPES COURSE, NEW HAVEN, CT! COME AND SEE IT, CLIMB IT, RIDE IT AND EXPERIENCE IT. THIS TRIP INCLUDES THE PREMIER COMBO: IT & ZIP ADVENTURE ROPES COURSE, CLIP' & CLIMBING WALLS AND JUMP IT "FREE FALL SIMULATION" EXPERIENCE. BRING YOUR OWN BAGGED LUNCH. PARENT MUST FILL OUT A WAIVER TO PARTICIPATE.

SESSION 4:

JULY 17TH, WEDNESDAY; 9:45 AM - 2:45 PM
DUNKIN' PARK, HARTFORD, CT! "PARKS AND RECREATION DAY"! COME WATCH THE CAPE COD LEAGUE PLAY A GAME OF BASEBALL. SEATS LOCATED IN THE FIELD BOX. LUNCH IS INCLUDED: HOTDOG, CHIPS AND WATER. BRING ADDITIONAL MONEY FOR CONCESSIONS OR SOUVENIRS.

JULY 18TH, THURSDAY; 10:00 AM - 1:30 PM
ROLLERMAGIC, WATERBURY, CT! THIS TRIP INCLUDES 2.5 HOURS OF SKATING AND SKATE RENTAL, CHOICE OF 2 SLICES OF PIZZA OR 2 HOTDOGS WITH A BEVERAGE, \$5 ARCADE PLAY CARD. BRING MONEY FOR CONCESSION. PARENTS MUST FILL OUT A WAIVER.

SESSION 5:

JULY 24TH, WEDNESDAY; 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
MARITIME AQUARIUM, NORWALK, CT! THIS TRIP INCLUDES AN EXPERIENCE LIKE NO OTHER. VISIT SHARKS, SEALS, TURTLES, STING RAYS AND LOTS MORE! CAMPERS WILL WATCH "LEAGUE OF SUPER-PETS" IMAX MOVIE AT 11AM. BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH OR MONEY FOR THE CAFÉ AT 11:30AM.

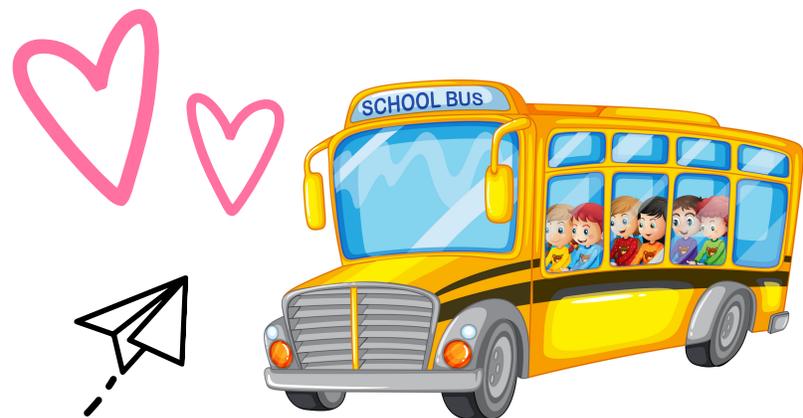
JULY 25TH, THURSDAY; 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
DAVE & BUSTERS, MILFORD, CT. THIS TRIP INCLUDES THE PLAYOFF PARTY PACKAGE. EACH CHILD WILL GET A POWER CARD AND UNLIMITED ARCADE. THERE WILL BE LUNCH SERVED: BURGERS, CHEESE PIZZA, CRISPY CHICKEN, MAC & CHEESE BITES, FRIES & UNLIMITED SODA. PARENTS MUST SIGN A WAIVER.



SESSION 6:

JULY 31ST, WEDNESDAY; 9:00 AM - 1:45 PM
LESSARD LANES, PLAINVILLE, CT! THIS TRIP INCLUDES MEGA CAMP PACKAGE WITH UNLIMITED ENTERTAINMENT. BOWLING, SHOES, MINI GOLF AND ONE \$5 VIDEO CARD. INCLUDED: 1 SLICE OF PIZZA WITH SOFT DRINK. PLUS, SNACK BAR WILL BE OPEN FOR THOSE WISHING TO PURCHASE ADDITIONAL FOOD AND DRINK.

AUGUST 1ST, THURSDAY; 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
POWDER RIDGE MOUNTAIN PARK, MIDDLEFIELD, CT! THIS TRIP INCLUDES ZIP LINES, WET SLIDE, SLING SHOT, SUMMER TUBING IS ON SYNTHETIC SNOW, LOWER MOUNTAIN DISK GOLF, LIFT RIDES AND YARD GAMES. YOU WILL GET 2 SLICES OF PIZZA & BAG OF CHIPS, COOKIE AND A DRINK. PARENT MUST FILL OUT A WAIVER TO PARTICIPATE.



Registration →

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FUNTASTIC SUMMER ENTERING GRADES 1ST-5TH

Our camp provides a safe, structured, fun and active environment in which children can develop new skills, self-esteem and friendships. We pride ourselves on offering an action-packed, varied and exciting camp. Campers enjoy a variety of activities from week to week and are designed to be age appropriate. Activities available every session are: Arts & Crafts, Group Games, Outdoor fun, Movies, Swimming and a Pizza party on Fridays. Camp will meet indoors in the event of inclement weather. Campers should bring a snack, lunch, drink and money for the ice cream truck daily!

LOCATION: POLK SCHOOL, GYM
DATES: MONDAY-FRIDAY
SESSION 1 - JUNE 24, 25, 26, 27, 28
SESSION 2 - JULY 1, 2, 3, 5
SESSION 3 - JULY 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
SESSION 4 - JULY 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
SESSION 5 - JULY 22, 23, 24, 25, 26
SESSION 6 - JULY 29, 30, 31; AUGUST 1, 2
SHORT DAY: 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM
COST: RESIDENTS: \$156/PER SESS (S2: \$125)
NON-RESIDENTS: \$176/PER SESS (S2: \$141)
LONG DAY: 8:30 AM - 5:30 PM
COST: RESIDENTS: \$189/PER SESS (S2: \$153)
NON-RESIDENTS: \$209/PER SESS (S2: \$168)



**101 Siemon Company Drive
Watertown, CT 06795
(860)945-4200**

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FUNTASTIC SUMMER EXTENDED CAMP ENTERING GRADES 1ST-5TH

The Ultimate Summer Playground is open to children entering grades 1-8. The price of the program includes themed weeks, outdoor games, swimming, arts and crafts and much, much more. FUNTASTIC will meet at Crestbrook Park. It will be cancelled in the event of inclement weather. Campers should bring a lunch daily and money for the ice cream man!

LOCATION: CRESTBROOK PARK, PAVILION
TIMES: 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM
DATES: MONDAY-FRIDAY
SESSION 1 - AUGUST 5, 6, 7, 8, 9
SESSION 2 - AUGUST 12, 13, 14, 15, 16
COST: RESIDENTS: \$156/PER SESSION
 NON-RESIDENTS: \$176/PER SESS



LEARN GROW & LEAD C.I.T. PROGRAM ENTERING GRADES 8-12

The Counselor-In-Training (CIT) Program is a six-week volunteer experience. By taking part in our CIT program, your child will make lasting friendships, while enjoying many benefits from their experience. CITs are typically former campers who would like the opportunity to continue participating in Camp in a leadership role assisting camp counselors with camp activities. These young adults will acquire invaluable leadership and mentoring skills that will assist them in future endeavors and provide them with the experience and skills it takes to be a future camp counselor.

Registrations are limited, interested applicants are required to submit a 2024 Summer application & submit it back to P&R prior to April 1st. Applicants are required to interview, attend a mandatory orientation, and 1st Aid/CPR training.

PRESCHOOL FUN & GAMES AGES 3&4

This Preschool program, taught by Kate D’Autorio and Tina Sarlo, teachers at Rise & Shine Nursery School. It’s designed to help preschool children learn to play together and burn up some of their energy. They will play circle games, board games, and have time in the classroom for free play and fun! Songs, crafts, and stories will also be included. It will be a friendly, non-competitive, just for fun, camp program. **Campers should be potty trained** and bring a snack, change of clothes, and towel daily. Please pack bathing suit and apply sunscreen to your child each day. Weather permitted, children will go outside daily to play water games and make use of the playground.

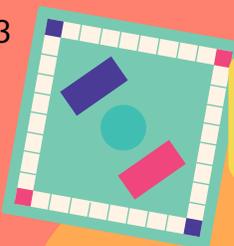
LOCATION: POLK SCHOOL, RM 201
TIMES: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM
DATES: MONDAY – THURSDAY
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SESSION 2 - JULY 1, 2, 3, 5
SESSION 3 - JULY 8, 9, 10, 11
SESSION 4 - JULY 15, 16, 17, 18
SESSION 5 - JULY 22, 23, 24, 25
SESSION 6 - JULY 29, 30, 31; AUGUST 1
COSTS: RESIDENTS: \$97/PER SESS
 NON-RESIDENTS: \$107/PER SESS



TRENDY TWEENS AGES 5-9

All 5-9 year olds are invited to join us for familiar favorites with a new twist. This camp will include experimenting with a variety of artistic mediums, exploring your green thumb, parties, games, movies, and dabbling in science and culture. Camp will include both indoor and outdoor activities. Children should bring a snack and drink daily. Trendy Tweens will be directed by veteran teacher and recreational program director Karen DiTomaso.

LOCATION: POLK SCHOOL, RM 203
 TIME: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 DATES: MONDAY-FRIDAY
 SESSION 1 - JUNE 24, 25, 26, 27, 28
 SESSION 2 - JULY 1, 2, 3, 5
 SESSION 3 - JULY 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
 SESSION 4 - JULY 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
 SESSION 5 - JULY 22, 23, 24, 25, 26
 SESSION 6 - JULY 29, 30, 31; AUGUST 1, 2
 COST: RESIDENTS: \$102/PER SESS (S2: \$82)
 NON-RESIDENTS: \$112/PER SESS (S2: \$90)



NEW CAMP FUNSHINE ENTERING GRADES 1ST-5TH

An adventure every day! Campers will participate in swimming, arts and crafts, sports, and games based on a variety of popular themes! It will be a fun experience for all campers, with an emphasis on teamwork and community building! Don't forget to bring a bathing suit and towel for various water games, snack and money for the ice cream man. On Fridays the camp will have a pizza party!

LOCATION: CRESTBROOK PARK, PAVILION
 DATES: MONDAY - FRIDAY
 SESSION 1 - JUNE 24, 25, 26, 27, 28
TREASURE HUNT
 SESSION 2 - JULY 1, 2, 3, 5
SAFARI
 SESSION 3 - JULY 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
OLYMPICS
 SESSION 4 - JULY 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
WET & WILD
 SESSION 5 - JULY 22, 23, 24, 25, 26
CIRCUS
 SESSION 6 - JULY 29, 30, 31; AUGUST 1, 2
COLOR WARS
 TIMES: 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
 COST: RESIDENTS: \$107/PER SESS (S2: \$86)
 NON-RESIDENTS: \$117/PER SESS (S2: \$93)



*NEW CRAFT & JEWELRY WK GRADES 1ST-6TH

This program is designed to ignite the imaginations of young jewelers and craft enthusiasts ages 6-12, providing them the perfect opportunity to explore their artistic talents and learn lifelong hobbies. Activities include: Stamping, Pottery, Jewelry Making, and Tie Dye.

LOCATION: POLK SCHOOL, ART ROOM
 DATES: JULY 22, 23, 24, 25, 26
 TIMES: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
 COST: \$260.00

*NEW SURVIVOR CHALLENGE GRADES 1ST-6TH

This thrilling week-long program is designed to test kids' problem-solving skills. Work together to navigate through obstacle courses, solve challenges, and learn skills to help you navigate in the great outdoors. Designed for kids ages 6-12. Activities include: Relay Races, Outdoor Skills, Team Challenges, and Scavenger Hunts.

LOCATION: POLK SCHOOL, ART ROOM
 DATES: JULY 29, 30, 31; AUGUST 1, 2
 TIMES: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
 COST: \$260.00

*NEW SUMMER ART CAMP AGES 5-8

Let your child's imagination soar this summer at our exciting Art Camp for 5 to 8-year-olds! Join us for a week of daily one-hour sessions filled with colorful fun and artistic exploration. Creative activities will include: making vibrant sun catchers to illuminate any window, crafting captivating collages, exploring the magical world of marbled paper, creating unique patterns, and crafting silhouette shape cutouts that bring tales to life. Our experienced instructor will guide budding artists through each project, fostering creativity, confidence, and a love for art. Don't miss this chance to unleash their inner Picasso in a supportive and inspiring environment! Instructor: Jenifer Wolman

LOCATION: POLK SCHOOL, ART ROOM
 DATES: JULY 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
 TIME: 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM
 COST: \$100.00

CHESS WIZARDS AGES 6-12



Chess Wizards has been teaching the game of chess since 2002. Join us this summer for tons of challenging chess lessons, exciting games, and cool prizes. You'll improve your chess skills, meet new friends, and work out your most powerful muscle - your brain! Our camps include fun team chess games (like Corner Chess), recess time (of course), snacks, tournaments, and puzzles. Each camper receives a T-shirt, trophy, and puzzle folder. We include all the materials necessary for your child to participate, but full day kids should bring a lunch. Unleash your brain power and spend part of your vacation with Chess Wizards!

LOCATION: POLK SCHOOL, CAFETERIA
DATES: JULY 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
TIME/COST:
HALF DAY: 9 AM - 12 PM \$210
HALF DAY: 12 PM - 3 PM \$210
FULL DAY: 9 AM - 3 PM \$310
AGES: 6 - 12 YEARS

NEW FELTED SOAP MAKING CLASS AGES 8+

Come join JD Farm and their alpaca Little Hope as they talk all things alpaca fleece and make your very own alpaca fleece felted goats milk soap! Yes, there will be an alpaca in attendance! All materials will all be provided. Goats milk soap has a few great added benefits compared to your everyday soap. It's a Gentle cleanser, Rich in nutrients, and May improve dry skin. The felted alpaca fleece acts as a Natural exfoliant on the skin. Anyone under 16 years old must be accompanied by an adult. Instructor: Danielle

LOCATION: FALLS AVE SENIOR CENTER
DATES: WEDNESDAYS;
SESSION 1: MAY 15TH
SESSION 2: JUNE 12TH
SESSION 3: JULY 17TH
SESSION 4: AUGUST 14TH
TIME: 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM
COST: \$35.00/PER SESSION



THEATRE CAMPS

LITTLE ACTORS AGES 6-9

OVER THE FUN-FILLED WEEK, STUDENTS WILL EXPLORE ACTING THROUGH IMPROV AND DRAMA GAMES AS WELL AS LEARN ABOUT THE BACKSTAGE ELEMENTS OF THE THEATRE BY CREATING THEIR OWN DESIGN PROJECTS. THE SESSION CONCLUDES BY BRINGING THESE ELEMENTS TOGETHER IN THE PRESENTATION OF A SHORT PERFORMANCE ON THE FINAL DAY.

LOCATION: SWIFT, AUDITORIUM
DATES: JULY 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
TIME: 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM
COST: \$200.00

MINI MUSICALS: MARY POPPINS AGES 8-18

STUDENTS WILL SPEND THE WEEK IN A TRUE THEATRICAL EXPERIENCE! FROM AUDITIONS TO REHEARSAL, STUDENTS WILL BE CAST IN ROLES AND SPEND THE WEEK REHEARSING SELECT SONGS, SCENES, AND DANCES FROM MARY POPPINS. AN INFORMAL PERFORMANCE WILL BE PRESENTED ON THE FINAL DAY OF CAMP!

LOCATION: SWIFT, AUDITORIUM
DATES: JULY 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
TIME: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
COST: \$225.00



Directed by: Elizabeth Donnelly

EXERCISE

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DANCE

WOMAN'S SELF DEFENSE AGES 14+

Come join Sensei Sean Thiel from Balance Martial Arts and Fitness for a woman's only self-defense training. This will help you gain confidence and make you feel more secure and empowered knowing how to protect yourself. Please wear proper workout clothes. Instructor: Sensei Sean Thiel

LOCATION: JUDSON SCHOOL, CAFETERIA (SESSION 1 & 2)
PARKS & RECREATION (SESSIONS 3, 4, 5)

DATES: TUESDAYS;
SESSION 1: APRIL 2, 9, 23, 30 (NONE APRIL 16)
SESSION 2: MAY 7, 14, 21, 28
SESSION 3: JUNE 4, 11, 18, 25
SESSION 4: JULY 2, 9, 16, 23
SESSION 5: JULY 30; AUGUST 6, 13, 20
TIMES: 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM
COST: \$50.00/PER SESSION



ZUMBA AGES 16+

The perfect combo of fun and fitness makes for an amazing calorie-burning dance fitness party. Once the Latin and World rhythms take over, you'll see why Zumba Fitness classes are often called exercise in disguise. Instructor: Rita at (203)232-3488

LOCATION: POLK SCHOOL, GYMNASIUM
DATES: MONDAYS & THURSDAYS;
SESSION 1: MAY 30; JUNE 3, 6, 10, 13, 17, 20, 24, 27; JULY 1, 8, 11, 15, 18, 22, 25 (STARTING JUNE 13 - AT SENIOR CENTER)
SESSION 2: JULY 29; AUGUST 5, 8, 12, 15, 19, 22, 26, 29; SEPTEMBER 2, 5, 9, 12, 16, 19, 23 (AUGUST 26-SEPT 23 POLK SCHOOL)
TIME: 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM
COST: \$50/RES \$55/NON-RES DROP IN \$5

ADULT SELF DEFENSE AGES 14+

Come join Sensei Sean Thiel from Balance Martial Arts and Fitness for Adult Self Defense classes. These classes will help you protect yourself and will help get into shape for the summer time. He will teach real life defense situations and the best way to protect yourself while burning calories and working your cardiovascular health. Please wear proper workout clothes. Instructor: Sensei Sean Thiel

LOCATION: JUDSON SCHOOL, CAFETERIA (SESSIONS 1&2)
PARKS & RECREATION (SESSIONS 3, 4, 5)

DATES: THURSDAYS;
SESSION 1: APRIL 25, MAY 2, 16, 30
SESSION 2: JUNE 6, 13, 20, 27
SESSION 3: JULY 11, 18, 25; AUGUST 1
SESSION 4: AUGUST 8, 15, 22, 29
TIMES: 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM
COST: \$50.00/PER SESSION



*NEW GOAT YOGA AGES 10+

Goat yoga sessions with the goats from JD Farm. One-hour session interactive yoga with the goats, with a half hour cool down/relaxation time. Anyone under 16 years old must be accompanied by an adult. Instructor: Terry

LOCATION: ECHO LAKE PARK
DATES: SUNDAYS;
SESSION 1: MAY 19TH
SESSION 2: JUNE 23RD
SESSION 3: JULY 21ST
SESSION 4: AUGUST 11TH
TIME: 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM
COST: \$35.00/PER SESSION



*NEW SAFE AT HOME GENTLE CHAIR YOGA AGES 50+



In this gentle chair yoga class, we use the mat and the chair when performing our asanas (poses), using our breath to unite our mind and bodies. We do not sit or lie on the mat, so it is easy to incorporate this kind of yoga into your daily activities. This class is structured as most yoga classes are: a brief centering meditation, followed by warm ups and then asanas, or yoga poses, arranged for the use of the chair. We practice fall prevention by increasing strength, flexibility and balance. We close the class with a short, guided meditation that helps integrate all we do in class. Instructor: Fran Harmeyer, OTR/L and 200 hr Certified Yoga Instructor

LOCATION: FALLS AVE CENTER
DATES: TUESDAYS;
JUNE 11, 18, 25; JULY 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
TIME: 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM
COST: \$64.00

KIDS HIP HOP DANCING AGES 4-12

This fun and high energy class will have these kids moving and grooving to today's favorite hits! This class will incorporate stretching and strengthening while learning fun hip-hop steps and combinations, for all levels, no experience needed! Comfortable clothes that the participant can move comfortably in, any dance shoe, bare feet or socks can be worn to this class. Instructor: Melissa Markiewicz

LOCATION: PRESTIGE DANCE CENTER
DATES: WEDNESDAYS;
JUNE 26, JULY 3, 17, 24, 31
TIME: 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM
COST: \$55.00



MUSIC & MOVEMENT AGES 3-7

Introduce your little ones to a world of dance through a variety of styles along with basic introduction to ballet. Skipping, leaping, galloping and group dances expand their movement repertoire. Emphasis on gross motor skills, flexibility, cooperation, creativity, and self-confidence! Comfortable clothes that the participant can move comfortably in, ballet shoes, bare feet or socks can be worn to this class. Instructor: Melissa Markiewicz

LOCATION: PRESTIGE DANCE CENTER
DATES: WEDNESDAYS;
JUNE 26, JULY 3, 17, 24, 31
TIME: 5:15 PM - 6:00 PM
COST: \$55.00

*NEW TAYLOR SWIFT DANCE ERA CAMP AGES 5-12



Taylor Swift camp is all about exploring the joy and creativity of dance through the music and style of Taylor Swift. Each day, we will have a Taylor Swift inspired craft and we will learn different dance styles of dance that capture the spirit of Taylor's music, all while having fun and expressing ourselves through dance. Instructor: Melissa Markiewicz

LOCATION: PRESTIGE DANCE CENTER
DATES: JULY 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
TIME: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
COST: \$100.00

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*NEW BARBIE DANCE PARTY CAMP AGES 5-12



Hi Barbie! Live all your Barbie dreams in this Barbie camp! Where each day we will learn different styles of dance and get our sparkle on with Barbie themed crafts and activities. Instructor: Melissa Markiewicz

LOCATION: PRESTIGE DANCE CENTER
76 WESTBURY PARK RD, WTN
DATES: AUGUST 5, 6, 7, 8, 9
TIME: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
COST: \$100.00

Barbie

*NEW ACRO DANCE BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE AGES 6+

We will follow the acrobatic arts syllabus with certified instructor Lori Wootton. Students will begin with basic stunts such as forward rolls, cartwheels, and beginner balances. More advanced students will continue to add to their repertoire with more advanced tumbling and balancing skills. we will focus strongly on stretching and flexibility. In this class we will start learning the basic acrobatic movements to start your student's foundation to learning more advanced tricks. In this class we will focus on forward rolls, back rolls, cartwheels, handstands, mastering a bridge and so much more! (more tricks are available for those students that can master these skills quickly as everyone learns at their own pace). Girls must wear a leotard/biketard; bike shorts can be worn over leotard, hair pulled back and barefoot. Boys must wear tight forming tank top with shorts and be barefoot.

LOCATION: PRESTIGE DANCE CENTER
76 WESTBURY PARK RD, WTN
DATES: THURSDAY;
JULY 18, 25; AUGUST 1, 8, 15
TIME: 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM
COST: \$75.00



*NEW ACRO DANCE PRESCHOOL AGES 3-5

We will follow the acrobatic arts syllabus with certified instructor Lori Wootton. This class is designed for ages 3-5. Students will learn basic tumbling skills as well as skills that focus on improving balance, flexibility, and strength. Skills of focus include: Rolls, Pre-cartwheel, Somersault, Gallops, Bridge, L handstands and skipping. This is a great class for your little ones to be introduced to acro dance and seamlessly transition to advanced tumbling. Girls must wear a leotard/biketard, hair pulled back and barefoot. Boys must wear tight forming tank top with shorts and be barefoot.

LOCATION: PRESTIGE DANCE CENTER
76 WESTBURY PARK RD, WTN
DATES: JULY 18, 25; AUGUST 1, 8, 15
TIME: 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
COST: \$75.00

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*NEW FAMILY NIGHT OUT COOKING CLASS ALL AGES & ADULT

Watertown Parks & Recreation provides hands-on, healthy fun for the whole family, it's a fun bonding & learning experience! Our talented and patient instructor will teach both kids and their parents how to eat healthy while cooking. Our goal is to ensure that the meal and moments that are being created ignite a passion for cooking and having fun in the kitchen. Chefs under 16 must be accompanied by a paying adult. The cost is per person and each must register. Instructor: Rita Hubbard

LOCATION: FALLS AVE SENIOR CENTER
DATES: FRIDAY; APRIL 19
TIME: 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM
COST: \$20.00/PER PERSON



KIDS CAN COOK AGES 5-9

Hey kids, welcome to our kitchen where kids rule, cooking is a blast, and the fun never ends. The children will get to experience new tastes and learn to prepare recipes from various cuisines "with a twist". Each week will take on a personality of its own, you'll never know what to expect next! Any children with food allergies are welcome to take this class. Please be sure to note that in your registration. Instructor: Mrs. Rita Hubbard

LOCATION: FALLS AVE SENIOR CENTER
DATES: SATURDAYS, JUNE 15, 22, 29; JULY 6, 13
TIME: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
COST: RESIDENT: \$70 NON-RESIDENT: \$80

FOODOLOGY AGES 10-14

We're excited to cook with you! Foodology is a creative way to spend time with friends or just test out your baking skills! Tweens can make new discoveries and create like mad scientists whose lab...is a kitchen! All recipes will be provided. Instructor: Rita Hubbard

LOCATION: FALLS AVE SENIOR CENTER
DATE: FRIDAYS; JUNE 14, 21, 28; JULY 5, 12
TIME: 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM
COST: RESIDENT: \$70 NON-RESIDENT: \$80

MOMMY & ME DAY AGES 4-8

Your child will decorate a mason jar "vase" using colorful tissue paper, stickers, and ribbon to put 5 spring themed sugar cookies in that they'll be decorating using bright colorful frostings and festive sprinkles. Tea and freshly made lemonade will be served! Registration and payment by Saturday, May 4. No walk-ins.

LOCATION: THE BUDDHA BISTRO
DATE: SATURDAY, MAY 11TH
TIME: 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM
COST: \$30.00

KIDS COOK OFF SUMMER COOKIE DECORATING AGES 4-9

Come in and decorate 4 summer themed sugar cookies using bright colorful frostings and festive sprinkles! Homemade lemonade and small goodie bags will be given. Pop in anytime between 2:15pm-3:30pm. Go at your own pace. This is not an instructed class. Registrations and payment are due by Saturday, June 15th. No Walk-Ins.

LOCATION: THE BUDDHA BISTRO
DATE: SATURDAY, JUNE 22ND
TIME: 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM
COST: \$24.00/PER CHILD





SPECIAL OLYMPICS SUMMER GAMES



SUMMER COMPETITION JUNE 1 & 2 IN NEW HAVEN

We will begin SO Summer Games Track and Field practice activities on Tuesday April 16th at the Taft School track and field area on Guernseytown Rd beginning at 6:30pm. Practices will on Tuesday and Thursday through the end of May.

For more information please email Joe McGrail at jjmcgrail53@hotmail.com



SPORT SPECTACULAR

NEW JUNIOR GOLF CLINICS AGES 8-14

Come join Crestbrook Park Golf Pro, Marty Byrnes, and learn how to play the game of golf in a fun less competitive environment. Junior golfers will obtain instruction and golf etiquette. Golfers will need their own golf clubs and equipment. We ask all golfers to bring a snack, water and lunch. Lunch is available for \$6/per day. Choice of: hotdog, burger, grill cheese, turkey and cheese or ham and cheese sandwich with a bag of chips. Lunch money payable to the Golf Pro. Maximum of 12/per session, so register early! Instructor: Marty Byrnes

LOCATION: CRESTBROOK PARK

DATES/TIME:

SESSION 1: JULY 8, 10, 12 12PM - 3PM

SESSION 2: JULY 16, 18 9AM - 1PM

SESSION 3: AUGUST 6, 8 9AM - 1PM

SESSION 4: AUGUST 26, 28, 30 12PM - 3PM

SESSION 5: AUGUST 27, 29 12PM - 3PM

COST: \$210.00/3 DAYS

\$140.00/2 DAYS



WATEROAK STRENGTH & CONDITIONING AGES 8-14



Excellent summer training for athletes who participate in ANY sport. Whether you are preparing for a Fall sport or just looking to stay fit in a fun environment, this program is for you! No previous experience is required. We will cover the basics of running, including proper form. We will incorporate dynamic warm-ups, speed & interval training, agility, flexibility, strength, and core work in a fun and interactive way that appeals to all! Instructor: Sean Ramsey

LOCATION: SWIFT, FIELD

DATES: MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY
JULY 15, 17, 19, 22, 24, 26, 29, 31;

AUGUST 2, 5, 7, 9, 12, 14, 16

TIME: 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM

COST: \$220.00

BACKYARD SPORTS & FITNESS AGES 8-12

At Backyard Sports & Fitness, we ensure that each member will have the opportunity to develop the fundamental and advanced skills needed to succeed in their desired sport or athletics. This program will focus on all the fun backyard games we have to offer. Some examples include kickball, capture the flag, and different forms of dodgeball. This is a way for our members to connect with their peers while playing backyard games that they love. This is meant to be an extension of Physical Education class outside of school. This will encourage team building while having a lot of fun. We facilitate learning sportsmanship, socialization with peers, developing leadership qualities, and actively encourage participation for all valuable team members. We pride ourselves on fostering relationship building skills through an engaging environment that allows members of all ages to feel safe and develop confidence.

LOCATION: POLK SCHOOL, FIELD

DATES: JULY 22, 23, 24, 25, 26

TIME: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

COST: \$150.00

MIDDLE SCHOOL RUNNING TRAINING GRADES 5-8



Having a running buddy makes the sport even more enjoyable, so our goal is to have fun and get some exercise together. We welcome all fitness levels, whether you're an experienced xc athlete looking for off-season training or are putting on running shoes for the very first time.

LOCATION: VETERANS' MEMORIAL PARK,
LOWER BASKETBALL COURT

DATES: MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS;
JUNE 24, 26; JULY 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17,
22, 24, 29, 31; AUGUST 5, 7

TIME: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

COST: \$50.00

VOLLEYBALL CLINIC GRADES 3-12



This program will concentrate on the basic fundamentals of volleyball. Basic passing and serving will be the focus but we will include basic agility and strengthening.

LOCATION: SWIFT, AUX GYM

DATES:

SESSION 1: JUNE 24, 25, 26, 27

SESSION 2: JULY 22, 23, 24, 25

GRADE/TIME/COST:

ENTERING 9-12 8:00 AM – 9:50 AM \$80.00

GRADE/TIME/COST:

ENTERING 6-8 10:00 AM – 11:50 AM \$80.00

GRADE/TIME/COST:

ENTERING 3-5 12:00 PM – 1:15 PM \$60.00

LITTLE NINJAS KARATE AGES 3&4

Karate techniques incorporated with essential motor skills for 3-4 year olds. The curriculum includes balance, memory, team work, coordination, focus, and other age specific skills training. Often young children want to do what the big kids do but don't have the essential motor skills. This class teaches those while building self-esteem and respect for self and others. We will need a minimum of 10 participants to run this class. Master Brian Murray

Location: VETERANS' MEMORIAL PARK
MEET AT THE PAVILION

Dates: MONDAYS: JUNE 17, 24; july 1, 8, 15, 22

Times: 4:30 pm – 5:00 pm

Cost: \$35/Residents; \$42/Non-Residents



KICKIN' KIDS KARATE AGES 5&6

Dynamic karate techniques taught with an emphasis on kicks, punches, blocks, coordination bullying prevention Situational self-defense will be taught so our youngest can avoid conflict. Class is designed to have a student develop into the more structured karate program that starts at 7 years old. Emphasis on technique and coordination without the traditional forms patterns of movement. We will need a minimum of 10 participants to run this class. Master Brian Murray

Location: VETERANS' MEMORIAL PARK
MEET AT THE PAVILION

Dates: MONDAYS: JUNE 17, 24; july 1, 8, 15, 22

Times:

New kids only: 5:00 PM - 5:30 pm

Cost: \$35/Residents; \$42/Non-Residents

Students with belts only: 5:30 pm – 6:15 pm

Cost: \$40/Residents; \$47/Non-Residents

KARATE FOR BEGINNERS AGES 7 - ADULT



A traditional karate program for ages 7 to adult, the style of Karate we study is Tang Soo Do, a Korean based martial art. In addition to learning techniques, board breaking, forms and exercise patterns, the class focuses on self-esteem, character building, respect for self and others, proper approaches to competition and general life skills for today's child. Parents are encouraged to begin training at the same time as their child-great family activity! Participants should wear loose fitting clothing, such as sweatpants and t-shirts. Uniforms and equipment are optional and available for purchase directly from the instructor.

Visit the organization's website at www.cheezictsd.com for details of their history and philosophy. Instructor: Master David Parmelee

LOCATION: VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK

DATES: MONDAYS:

JUNE 17, 24; July 1, 8, 15, 22

TIME: 6:15PM – 7:15PM

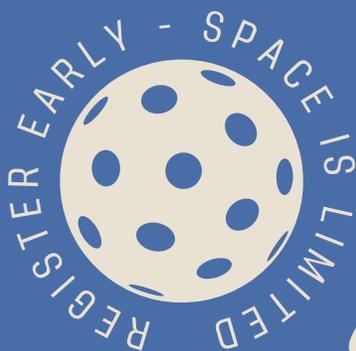
COST: \$55 RESIDENTS; \$62 NON-RES

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BALL TILL YOU FALL BASKETBALL CAMP AGES 6-12

During this basketball clinic we will focus on the game fundamentals, teamwork and sportsmanship. Be ready to have fun and participate in many basketball activities, drills and even games. Each participant will receive a "Ball Till You Fall" camp T-shirt as part of the program. Hurry up and register today to take your game to the next level. LIMITED SPOTS available for our upcoming training sessions. Bring your own water bottle! Instructor: Christopher Milo

LOCATION: SWIFT, GYMNASIUM
 SESSION 1: JUNE 17, 18, 19, 20, 21
 SESSION 2: JULY 29, 30, 31; AUGUST 1, 2
 TIME/AGES: 9AM - 10:30 AM AGES 6-8
 10:45 AM - 12:15 PM AGES 9-12
 COST: RESIDENTS: \$100 NON-RES: \$110

THE HIT CLUB BASEBALL CAMPS AGES 6-14



The Hit Club, Connecticut's premier baseball training facility, will be hosting year eighteen of summer camps in Watertown. The Hit Club summer camp program combines instruction with the old school feel of baseball in the summer. The campers will be divided into age specific groups. Each Session will include hitting and fielding drills. Skill competitions and scrimmages will be part of each day's itinerary. A favorite of the players and their families is our Home Run Derby on the last day of each session. Space is limited! Contact us for more information: 860-483-1879 *www.thehitclub.com * carm@thehitclub.com

LOCATION: VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK
 DATES: MONDAY - THURSDAY
 SESSION 1: JUNE 17, 18, 19, 20
 SESSION 2: JUNE 24, 25, 26, 27
 SESSION 3: JULY 8, 9, 10, 11
 SESSION 4: JULY 15, 16, 17, 18
 SESSION 5: JULY 22, 23, 24, 25
 TIME: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 COSTS: \$99.00/PER SESSION



**SPECIAL ALL 5 WEEKS: \$375.00 **
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FIELD HOCKEY CLINIC GRADES 6-12

Sharpen your skills & learn new moves with an intensive week of Field hockey practices! Daily sessions will be led by Brianna Nolan. She played 4 years of varsity field hockey at WHS as well as 4 years of collegiate field hockey at ECSU. She received all conference & all region honors as well as conference player of the year this past year. Brianna's team won the conference tournament this year!! Athletes should arrive prepared with their stick, shin guards, mouth guards, goggles, and bottle of water. Coach: Brianna Nolan

LOCATION: SWIFT, TURF FIELD
 DATES: JULY 8, 9, 10
 TIME: 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM
 COST: \$70.00

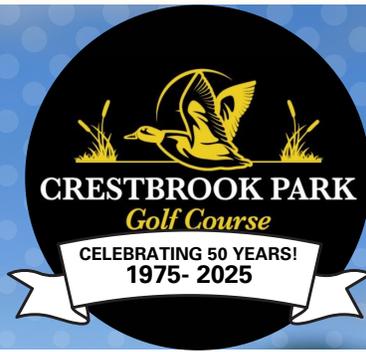


THE HIT CLUB SOFTBALL CAMPS AGES 6-12

The Hit Club, Connecticut's premier baseball/softball training facility, will be hosting softball camps this summer. Come learn some softball and have lots of fun! Each session will include hitting and fielding drills. Skill competitions and scrimmages will be part of each day's itinerary. Space is limited! Contact us for more information: 860-483-1879

*www.thehitclub.com * carm@thehitclub.com
 LOCATION: VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK
 DATES: MONDAY - THURSDAY
 SESSION 1: JUNE 17, 18, 19, 20
 SESSION 2: JUNE 24, 25, 26, 27
 SESSION 3: JULY 8, 9, 10, 11
 SESSION 4: JULY 15, 16, 17, 18
 TIME: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 COSTS: \$99.00/PER SESSION
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SKYHAWKS SPORT CAMPS



TINY HAWK AGES 3&4

The essentials of soccer and basketball are introduced in a fun, safe environment with lots of encouragement. Children will learn balance, body movement, hand/eye coordination, and skill development through a series of sport-specific games.

- Participant-to-coach ratio: 6:1
- Gear to bring: appropriate clothing, water bottle, sneakers, and sunscreen
- Food to bring: water bottle
- Included with purchase: t-shirt and merit award
- Limited to 12 campers

LOCATION: CRESTBROOK PARK,
MEET AT PAVILION

DATES: JUNE 17, 18, 20 (NONE JUNE 19)

TIME: 5:00 PM - 5:45 PM

COST: \$95.00

STEM & PLAY SOCCER AGES 7-11

This program combines strategic STEM-based activities with traditional Skyhawks soccer instruction and a focus on life skills such as teamwork and sportsmanship. STEM Sports® soccer curriculum gives students the opportunity to get behind the sport they love with modules on soccer ball design, throw-in science, angles, goal-line technology! Participants will also learn the fundamentals of passing, shooting, dribbling and defense through skill-based drills and scrimmages. Skyhawks puts the Sports in STEM.

LOCATION: SWIFT MIDDLE SCHOOL, FIELD

DATES: JULY 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

TIME: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

AGES: 7 TO 11 YEARS

COST: \$209.00

MINI HAWK AGES 4-7

This multi-sport program gives children a positive first step into athletics. Baseball, basketball and soccer are taught in a safe, structured environment with lots of encouragement and a big focus on fun. Our Mini-Hawk games and activities were designed to allow campers to explore balance, movement, hand/eye coordination, and skill development at their own pace. Skyhawks staff is trained to handle the specific needs of young athletes.

- Participant-to-coach ratio: 8:1
- Gear to bring: Appropriate clothing, water bottle, sneakers, sunscreen and a peanut-free snack.
- Included with purchase: T-shirt and merit award
- Limited campers, so register early.

LOCATION: CRESTBROOK PARK,
MEET AT THE PAVILION

DATES: JUNE 17, 18, 20 (NONE JUNE 19)

AGES: 4 TO 6 YEARS

TIME: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

COST: \$95.00

LOCATION: SWIFT MIDDLE SCHOOL, FIELD

DATES: JULY 1, 2, 3

AGES: 5 TO 7 YEARS

TIME: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

COST: \$129.00

LOCATION: SWIFT MIDDLE SCHOOL, FIELD

DATES: JULY 15, 16, 17, 18, 19

AGES: 4 TO 6 YEARS

TIME: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

COST: \$159.00



MULTI SPORT AGES 7-10

Our Multi-Sport camp is designed to introduce young athletes to a variety of different sports in one setting. For this program we combine soccer, baseball, flag football and basketball into one fun-filled week. Athletes will learn the rules & essentials of each sport through skill-based games and scrimmages. By the end of the week your child will walk away with knowledge of 4 new sports along with vital life lessons such as respect, teamwork, and self-discipline.

- Participant-to-coach ratio: 10:1
- Gear to bring: Appropriate clothing, baseball glove, water bottle, sneakers, and sunscreen
- Food to bring: 2 snacks/lunch & water bottle
- Included with purchase: T-shirt and merit award
- Limited campers, so register early

LOCATION: SWIFT MIDDLE SCHOOL, FIELD

DATES: JULY 15, 16, 17, 18, 19

AGES: 7 TO 10 YEARS

TIME: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

COST: \$199.00

SUMMER POKER RUN AGES 7-10

Exciting news!! We will repeat the tremendously popular summer poker runs on Wednesday nights at Veterans Memorial Park. The race will start at 6:00pm on June 26; July 3, 10, 17, 24; August 7, 14. Please meet at the lower basketball court by the pavilion. Raffle prizes will be given out each night. At the end of the series the runner with the best poker hand will win a gift certificate to a local restaurant.

Pre-register for all 7 weeks at www.watertowntrec.com and pay only \$35.00. Drop in fee is \$5.00/per night. For more information call us at (860)945-5246.



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LET'S GET CERTIFIED



Babysitting Course Ages 10+

This babysitting course designed to train those aged 10 & up in basic babysitting skills. The class will offer students the necessary tools to become a reliable and safe babysitter. Students will learn basic childcare, safety precautions, child development, appropriate toys and more. Students will receive a handbook with all information needed to serve as a reference. Participants have to meet requirements of the course to receive certification. At the conclusion of the babysitting classes there will be an American Heart Association course on infant/child CPR and First Aid. This class is limited to 10 people, so register early! Instructor: Joan Palladino

****CERTIFICATION REQUIRES ATTENDANCE AT ALL CLASSES!!**

THERE WILL BE NO MAKE-UPS!!

LOCATION: PARKS & RECREATION OFFICE

DATES/TIMES:

BABYSITTING CLASS: THURSDAY, JULY 11

FIRST AID & INFANT/CHILD CPR: FRIDAY, JULY 12

TIME: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

COST: \$65.00/RES \$75.00/NON-RES



CPR: Adult, Child, Infant & AED

This course teaches what to do in a life-threatening emergency. These emergencies include not breathing, choking and cardiac arrest (heart stopping) which occurs mostly in or near home. Sudden infant death syndrome and prevention of injuries and choking in infants and children will be discussed. With the knowledge and skills in this course participants will learn the warning signs of heart attack, stroke, cardiac arrest choking and breathing difficulties; CPR and relief of choking for adults, children and infants. This course has a skills exam and no written test. Participants will receive an AHA Heart Saver two-year certification card. Note; if participants are recertifying a book purchase is not necessary. Instructor: Joan Palladino

LOCATION: SWIFT, CAFETERIA

DATE: FRIDAY, JUNE 14TH

TIME: 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

COST: RES: \$50 NON-RES: \$55 TEXT \$5

Basic First Aid/CPR Adult, Child, Infant & AED

This course combines the American Heart Association First Aid and Heart Saver CPR with AED for Adults, Infants and Children. Participants learn first aid basics and show proficiency in skills. No written test is required. Participants receive a two-year certification card. This class meets the requirements for anyone needed to be trained in Adult First Aid. The CPR course teaches what to do in a life-threatening emergency. These emergencies include not breathing, choking and cardiac arrest (heart stopping) which occurs mostly in or near home. Sudden infant death syndrome and prevention of injuries and choking in infants and children will be discussed. With the knowledge and skills in this course participants will learn the warning signs of heart attack, stroke, cardiac arrest choking and breathing difficulties; CPR and relief of choking for adults, children and infants. This course has a skills exam and no written test. Participants will receive an AHA Heart Saver 2-year certification card.

Instructor: Joan Palladino

LOCATION: SWIFT, CAFETERIA

DATE: FRIDAY, JUNE 14TH

TIME: 1:00 PM - 4:30 PM

COST: RES: \$65 NON-RES: \$75 TEXT \$5



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Escape the Crate Dog Training Class

Please join Tyler Slapikas, ABCDT from Escape the Crate, LLC for this informative 6-week course designed to help you, the handler, learn how to get the behavior you want from your dog using force free positive reinforcement techniques. Lessons will include teaching focus, name recognition, sit, down, come, stay, leave it and walking on a loose lead. The goal is to teach your dog to be a polite family member. We do not offer make-up lessons for classes missed. Maximum: 6 clients.

LOCATION: AMERICAN LEGION,
62 BUNKER HILL RD, WTN

DATES: THURSDAYS;

SESSION 1: APRIL 25; MAY 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

SESSION 2: JUNE 13, 20, 27; JULY 11, 18, 25

SESSION 3: AUGUST 8, 15, 22, 29; SEPT 5, 12

BEGINNER 1: 6PM - 7PM (NO DOGS 1ST CLASS)

BEGINNER 2: 7:15PM - 8:15PM

COST: \$180.00/PER SESSION

*IMPORTANT: BEGINNER 1 ONLY: (THE FIRST CLASS OF EACH SESSION IS FOR THE OWNERS ONLY: NO DOGS!)



1 Day Safe Boating Course

A complete, updated safe boating certification course taught in one (8 hour) day. This class includes the newest requirement for towing skiers & tubes. Successful completion will allow the student to purchase a Connecticut Certificate of Personal Watercraft Operation with Waterski endorsement, which enables them to operate any recreational vessel up to 65 feet in length, with some age restrictions for younger operators. An easy to understand classroom format is designed for students age 12 and over. PRIOR TO TAKING THIS CLASS each student should create an account online at <https://www.ct.wildlifelicenses.com/internetsales>, and click the START button. Create an account if you don't already have one, and then print the page that includes your Conservation ID number and bring it to class. Once we have entered your score in the DEEP system you will use your account to purchase & print the certificate after the class.

LOCATION: PARKS & RECREATION OFFICE

SESSIONS: APRIL 20

TIME: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

COST: \$75/RES \$85/NON-RES

QUASSY BUS TRIP WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19 AGES 6-14

Quassy Amusement Park on Lake Quassapaug is a top amusement park in CT. With activities for everyone, the thrills and laughter never end at Quassy. Start the day with exciting rides and win some prizes from the variety of games and the arcade. They will not be allowed in the beach area. All you can eat hamburgers & hotdogs, french fries and beverage will be provided at the pavilion between 11:00am-12:00pm. Ages will be split up accordingly in groups the morning of and t-shirts will be distributed. There will be summer staff counselors chaperoning this bus trip. Limited spots available. Register at www.watertownctrec.com.

TIME: 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM

COST: \$45.00/PP

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SPECIAL EVENTS

EARTH DAY SATURDAY, APRIL 20

Each year, a variety of groups lend a hand on Earth Day cleaning trails, working at various community gardens or sprucing up our parks. We encourage all local community organizations, town merchants and residents to help clean up our community! What better way to celebrate EARTH DAY than by spending time enjoying nature!! Please do some random acts of kindness today and keep our beautiful Town great!! We are asking everyone to please arrive at The Watertown Town Hall parking lot by 8:30am to check in at 61 Echo Lake Road, Watertown. A site coordinator will be handing out limited gloves and bags and instructions will be given. Location spots: (1) Sylvan Lake Road (2) Echo Lake Road (3) Parks. Look for the flyer for more information.

MEMORIAL DAY PARADE MONDAY, MAY 27

The annual Memorial Day parade will begin at the Watertown Plaza, 1167 Main Street, Watertown, CT parking lot and proceed on Rt. 63 NORTH to the Watertown Green. A Service and Wreath ceremony will follow. The parade will begin at 10:00 am and held rain or shine. If any group or organization is interested in marching in the parade you can print out an application at www.watertownctrec.com. If you have any questions you may contact Mickey at 860-274-5031.

TOWN WIDE TAG SALE SATURDAY JUNE 1 RAINDATE: JUNE 2

Sales will occur in front yards, garages and on sidewalks throughout the town. A uniquely Watertown/Oakville event involving citizens, businesses, churches, civic groups, associations, Town leaders, neighbors and visitors building community and identity. Look for the "original orange signs". All participants who register will receive the following benefits: Registrant's street address will be listed on the back of the master map available for the Tag Sale. Maps will be located at Gayle's Farm Shoppe, Adams Supermarket, Watertown Meat Center, Tony's Seafood, LaBonnes Market and the Parks & Recreation Department. We will also be advertising registered sellers in the Town Times & Rep & Am.

TIME: EARLY BIRD: 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM
REGULAR HOURS: 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM
COST: \$25.00

Registrations are due by May 22nd by 4:30pm.

FEST OF TAILS SUNDAY, APRIL 7

KITE AND DOG DAY! Come out and celebrate spring with family fun in the park. Fest of Tails is a free kite and dog day. This is an informal, just-for-fun, social event for dogs and their owners! Owners must come with a kite and your K9.

LOCATION: THE BARK PARK DOG PARK
TIME: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

TOUCH A TRUCK SATURDAY, MAY 11

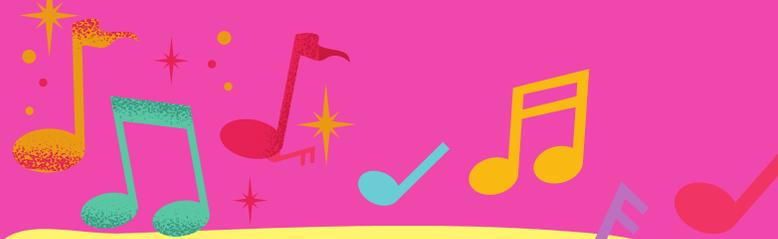
Touch A Truck will have trucks, food trucks, live music, and the Touch A Truck Kid-Zone where kids can jump, play and slide on open air inflatables. Help us "Fill the Truck" by bringing a canned good donation for the Watertown Food Bank. Handicapped parking only on site. All others please use the minibus shuttle from the Watertown High School. We are looking for sponsors, trucks, food vendors and volunteers the day of the event. If you're interested, please contact wtnspecialevents@watertownct.org.



SUMMER BLOCK PARTIES "A NIGHT OUT ON MAIN STREET"

It's Block Party time! Main Street in Watertown, CT will be closed to traffic on two Saturday nights this summer to bring residents and visitors together for good, old-fashioned fun during our summer block parties! Each of these nights will follow the theme of: A Night Out on Main Street! Live entertainment will keep the crowd engaged during each event. Come dance along with "Bad Foot" on Saturday, July 13th and "Pulse" on Saturday, August 17th! Be sure to check out this website for the 2024 Vendor Application! Please contact the Watertown Parks and Recreation Department with any questions! Call (860)945-5246 or email wtnspecialevents@watertownct.org. We are looking forward to seeing YOU "out on Main Street" this summer!

DATES: SATURDAYS; JULY 13 & AUGUST 17
TIME: 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM



SUMMER CONCERTS AT THE PARK

The Watertown Parks and Recreation Department is excited to kick-off the 2024 Summer Concert Series at Veterans' Memorial Park starting on Wednesday, June 19th! Concerts will be held every Wednesday night through August 14th. These concerts are free for everyone! The concert begins at 7:00pm. The band will be performing from the pavilion. Concertgoers are encouraged to bring their own bug spray, blankets, lawn chairs and an appetite for our various Food Trucks each week!! The Recreation Info-Line will be updated with any weather-related changes on the day of the event (860)945-5272.

FRIDAY NIGHT FLICKS GRADES 6-8

Join us for a spectacular night at Veterans' Memorial Park - 570 Nova Scotia Hill Road Watertown, CT 06795. It is recommended that you arrive a half hour early so that everyone will be able to get settled before the movie starts. Bring blankets, chairs, bug spray and snacks. The movie will begin promptly at 8:00pm. In case of inclement weather call the Watertown recreation Info Line before leaving your house (860) 945-5272. The movie will be canceled due to inclement weather. Don't miss this free event!

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FRIDAY, JULY 26, 2024

DISNEY WISH
FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 2024



BATTLE OF BANDS WEDNESDAY JULY 31



The Watertown Parks & Recreation and The Jameson Pub are proud to announce the return of its second annual Battle of the Bands competition, which is set to take place at Veterans' Memorial Park. Bands looking to participate must submit an entry performance video by Friday, May 31st which can be emailed to wtnspecialevents@watertownct.org. To qualify, bands must consist of two or more (performers local to the area). The winner will play at The Jameson Pub. Starts at 6:00pm. Free for everyone! Concertgoers are encouraged to bring their own bug spray, blankets, lawn chairs and an appetite for our Food Truck!! The Recreation Info-Line will be updated with any weather-related changes on the day of the event (860)945-5272.

WATERTOWN'S COOLEST CANINE SATURDAY, JUNE 15

It's back by popular demand!! Calling all owners of lavish labradoodles and mixed mutts. This fun event includes a Photo Contest, Bow Wow Olympics and vendors. The Watertown Parks & Recreation Dept will be accepting submissions. Please email all photo submissions to wtnspecialevents@watertownct.org. All dogs must be registered by June 31st. You can do this at the Town Clerk's Office. They will be collecting Pet Food for the Food Bank.



FALL FESTIVAL SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

The 2024 Fall Festival committee is already underway to make the annual Watertown Fall Festival even better than last years. The committee is always in need of new blood and new ideas! If you are interested in helping, or are interested in buying booth space, please contact the Watertown Parks & Recreation Department today at (860)945-5246.

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POOL & FOAM PARTY TUESDAY, JULY 16

Want a perfect way to spend a summer day with your friends? Then join the Watertown Parks & Recreation Dept at our Pool and Foam Party at Crestbrook Park Pool from 6-8pm! Enjoy music, pizza, fun pool games to cool down in the summer heat and of course FOAM!! Registration is pre-required for all children ages 7-12. Watertown residents only. Fee is \$20.00/per person regardless if you have a pool membership.



DROOL IN THE POOL SATURDAY, AUGUST 24

Close out summer 2024 with the annual Drool in the Pool popular event. Spend a special day at the Crestbrook Park pool with your favorite companion. Dogs get a chance to play, run free and have the last swim of the season. This event is only for Watertown/Oakville licensed dogs. Pre-registration is required. Your \$5.00 registration fee will go towards capital improvements for the Watertown Dog Bark Park.

HARVEST CRUZE CAR SHOW SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

Co-Sponsored by:

The Watertown Lions Club and the Watertown Parks & Recreation Department

Time: 10 am – 3 pm Awards: 2 pm

Raindate: Sunday, October 6th

Where: Watertown High School parking lot

Rules: Any year welcome

Good Stuff: 26 Class Trophies, Giveaways, Raffles, Music, Food & Fun!

Admission: Show Cars: \$10.00 each.

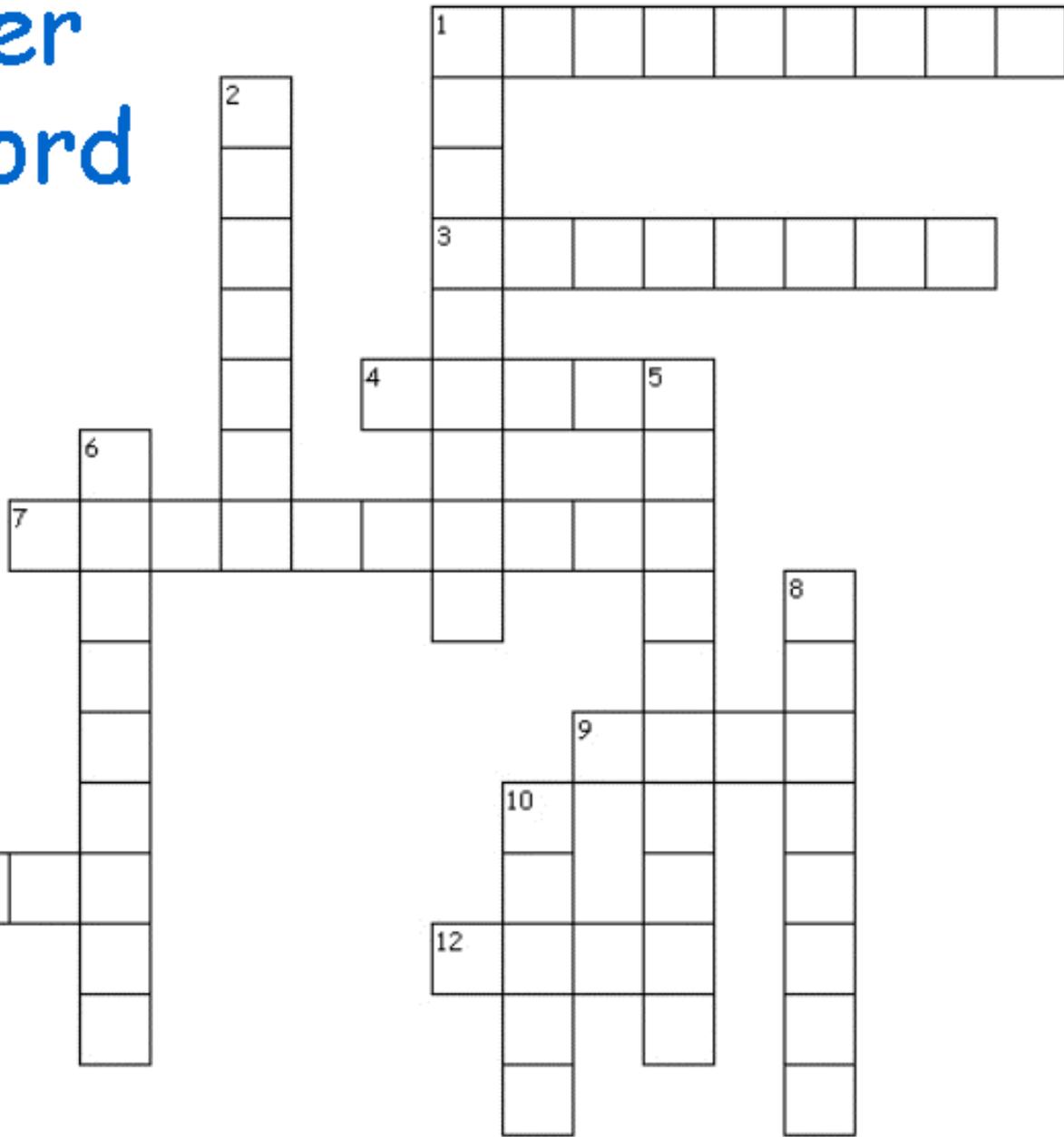
Free admission for spectators.

Info: Dash plaques: 1st 50 cars get t-shirt All car clubs are welcome. Please join the fun!

Proceeds to benefit the Watertown Lions Club Community Service Projects



Summer Crossword

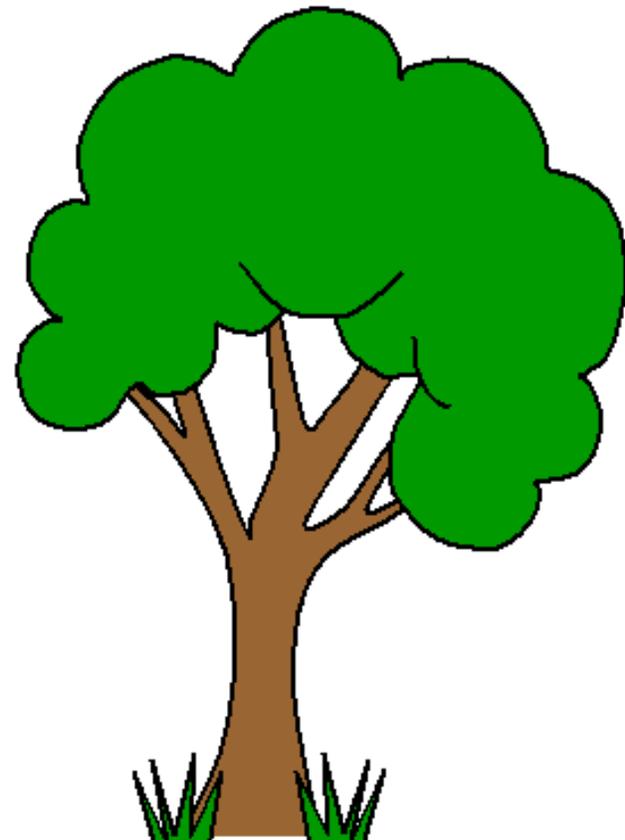


Across

1. From caterpillar to _____.
3. dad's grill
4. A gardener's worst enemy.
7. pink juicy fruit
9. In the summer, the weather is _____.
11. I have a rod and reel. Let's go _____.
12. A long walk.

Down

1. Insect with yellow and black stripes.
2. Healthy summertime transportation.
5. Protective eyewear.
6. A patty and a bun. Yum!
8. Favorite drink of young salespeople.
10. Playground toy you swoosh down.



UPCOMING TRIPS

Passion to Travel??? Escape with us!!!

The Parks & Recreation Department offers an array of bus trips in the winter, spring, summer and fall to many destinations throughout greater New England and beyond.

All trips require payment in full at the time of registration. The Parks and Recreation Department will issue NO REFUNDS unless a trip is cancelled. If you have an emergency situation and cannot attend, please call the Parks & Recreation Department as soon as possible.

All bus trips depart from and return to the Watertown Town Hall, 61 Echo Lake Road, Watertown, CT 06795. Seating on the motorcoach is not assigned, but is first come, first seated. Smoking is prohibited on the motorcoaches. No alcoholic beverages are allowed on the motorcoaches. Note: In order for trips to be able to run they may be shared with other groups requiring one or more pick-ups enroute to the destination. A tip for the Motorcoach bus driver is included in trip fees. Please contribute only if you wish since the gratuity is already included in trip cost. Children must be accompanied by an adult unless otherwise specified. Lap sitters are prohibited on the bus.

SUNDAY, JUNE 9 CHARLES RIVERBOAT SIGHTSEEING CRUISE

The Encore Boston Harbor and Charles Riverboat Company have teamed up to create the ultimate cruise and play package. A 90-minute tour departs from the Cambridge Side Mall, cruises along the Charles River, out through the locks and into the Boston Harbor. Your group will be dropped off directly at the Encore casino's dock. The tour is handicap accessible. Bonus package- \$15.00 free slot play per person. Must be 21 years or older and have a valid ID.

Depart Watertown Town Hall: 6:30 am
Drop off at Cambridge Side Mall: 9:30 am
Boat departs: 10:00 am
(90 min Narrated Harbor Cruise)
Group arrives: Encore Boston Harbor: 11:30 am
Pick up at the Casino; return home: 3:30 pm
Cost: \$124.00

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18 THE BIG E WORLD TOUR

Guests enjoy free entertainment, major exhibits, the Big E Super Circus, the Avenue of States, Storowtown Village, animals, rides, shopping, & foods from all around the world!

Depart Watertown Town Hall: 9:00 AM
Leave Big E at 6:15 pm
Estimated Return: 8:30 pm
Cost: \$45.00/Includes bus fair and admission

SUNDAY, JULY 7 YANKEES VS RED SOX YANKEE STADIUM

Come out to the ballgame and cheer on your favorite team! Enjoy some free time at Yankee Stadium before the 1:35pm game. Section 429

Depart Watertown Town Hall: 10:00 am
Arrive Yankee Stadium: 12:00pm
Game Time: 1:35 pm
Leave the stadium 30 minutes after the last out.
Cost: \$134.00/Includes bus fair and admission

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8 RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SHOW

NYC's Favorite Celebration Returns for the 2024 Holiday Season! Every year, the Rockettes push themselves further to put on a show that's more dynamic, more challenging and more magical than the last. Take in cherished moments and create new memories with the 2024 Radio City Music Hall Christmas Spectacular! Join us on a deluxe motorcoach for a holiday memory that will last a lifetime! This trip includes fully escorted motorcoach transportation, a ticket for the show and free time for lunch, sightseeing and shopping on your own before the show.

Depart Watertown Town Hall: 11:00 am
Free time for lunch on your own.
Showtime: 6:00 pm
Depart for home: 8:00 pm
Cost: \$199.00

WATERTOWN-OAKVILLE PUBLIC PARKS

Please note that all parks close at dusk. There is no alcohol allowed at any park facility. Dogs are permitted as long as they are on a leash and properly cleaned up after.

DONATE A PARK BENCH: Donations can be made in honor of a loved one, for an individual accomplishment or from civic organizations. Benches are installed at Veterans' Memorial Park in Watertown. Plaques can be put on by individual purchasing the bench.

VERTERANS' MEMORIAL PARK, 570 NOVA SCOTIA HILL ROAD, WATERTOWN:

The Avery Lamphier Athletic Complex, or VMP for short, is located on 570 Nova Scotia Hill Road and contains two soccer fields, four youth baseball fields, a playground, a comfort station, two basketball courts, two bocce courts, walking trails, Latin's pond for fishing and a perfect place for walking, biking, or rollerblading. There is also a pavilion, which is centrally located in the park. This is available for public use, unless posted by the Watertown Parks & Recreation Department, and is now reserved by permit.

CRESTBROOK PARK 834 NORTHFIELD RD, WATERTOWN: Originally a 9-hole golf club, the town of Watertown purchased this facility in 1975 and added the second 9-holes in 1980. This 236 acre facility is home to Connecticut's second highest ranked Municipal golf course (golf digest, January 1996). It includes an 18-hole golf course, complete with a full service pro shop and five (5) acre practice facility. There is a restaurant with banquet facilities; picnic tables and a pavilion (permits for the pavilion are available at the Parks & Recreation Department), a public swimming pool, four (4) tennis courts, a 34 acre lake with a boat launch (electric motors only) and fishing.

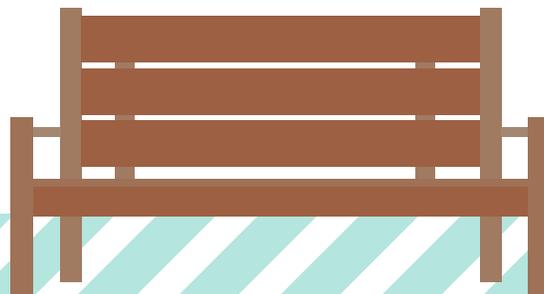
For season ticket prices and greens fees, please contact the Crestbrook Pro Shop at 860-945-5249 or the Watertown Recreation Department at 860-945-5246.

Our on-site restaurant The Sunset Grille at Crestbrook, is available for lunch, dinner, banquets and catering. Please call 860-417-6688 for more information.

SYLVAN LAKE PARK INTERSECTION OF FROST BRIDGE AND SYLVAN LAKE ROADS, OAKVILLE: This park includes a waterfront for seasonal swimming and fishing, a half basketball court, playground and picnic area.

ECHO LAKE PARK ICE HOUSE ROAD, WATERTOWN: This park offers fishing, a beautiful setting for picnics and a "little tykes" playground in the shape of a boat.

ADAMS ROAD PLAYGROUND ADAMS ROAD, WATERTOWN: This is a small neighborhood playground is open to residents of Watertown/Oakville.



DID YOU KNOW?



SUMMER EMPLOYMENT:

The Watertown Parks & Recreation Department is accepting applications for summer employment. If you enjoy working with children and are looking for a summer job, come and apply as a camp counselor OR lifeguard. Applicants should be 16 years old and must be a resident of Watertown. Apply at the Watertown Parks & Recreation Department in the Municipal Offices at Heminway Park, 61 Echo Lake Road, Watertown, CT. All applications are due by April 1st.

INSTRUCTORS WE WANT YOU:

The Watertown Parks & Recreation Department is looking for qualified and innovative instructors to do preschool, youth and adult programs. If you have a unique talent or skill or idea for a class, please contact Carrie Godfrey at (860) 945-5246 or godfrey@watertownct.org.

PARK FIELD/PAVILION PERMITS:

May be obtained by contacting the Watertown Parks & Recreation Department in the Watertown Town Hall, 61 Echo Lake Road, Watertown, CT. Applications for permits will be available January 1st. All pavilion permits will be issued on a first-come-first-served basis.

PUBLIC TENNIS COURTS:

Crestbrook Park, Northfield Rd, Watertown. There are four tennis courts available to the residents of Watertown/Oakville. We also reserve court time for 10 & Under modified tennis and also Pickleball! For reserved court time (1 ½ hours) contact the Parks & Recreation Department, reservation fee is \$1.00.

GIVE THE GIFT THAT GIVES BACK:

Does the act of giving leave you cold? Have gifts previously given been a little noticed, unused or unappreciated? The Watertown Parks & Recreation Department invites you to try again, or possibly have a first-time experience. Give a gift that satisfies both you, the giver, and all those who will benefit from your generosity.



SUMMER IS HERE: COLORING CONTEST

THE WATERTOWN PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT WOULD LIKE ALL CHILDREN TO ENTER OUR COLORING CONTEST. USE YOUR IMAGINATION BY USING DIFFERENT MATERIALS (GLITTER, FEATHERS, CRAYONS, MARKERS, BEADS, ETC.) RETURN IT TO THE P&R OFFICE BY MONDAY, MAY 2ND. WINNERS WILL BE PICKED BY AGE GROUP - PRESCHOOL, K, 1ST, 2ND, 3RD & 4TH GRADES. PRIZE WINNERS WILL BE NOTIFIED TO PICK UP THEIR PRIZE.

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Basketball

Camp

Cornhole

Crafts

Fitness

Gymnastics

Karate

Parks

Playground

Recreation

Skyhawks

Sports

Summer

Yoga

WATERTOWN PARKS & RECREATION PRESENTS:



2024 A NIGHT OUT ON MAIN STREET

MAIN STREET IN WATERTOWN, CT
DEPOT ST - WOODRUFF AVE

6PM-9PM

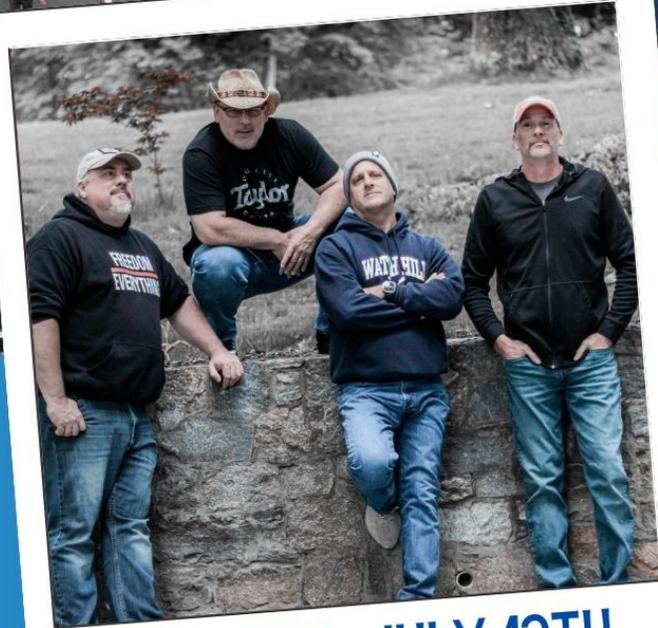
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