

Your Guide to Community Recreation Programs, Parks and Services

Parks, Recreation & Forestry De Pere



Summer & Fall
2016

De Pere Community Center
600 Grant St., De Pere, WI 54115 • 920-339-4097



De Pere Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department

Parks & Forestry Department

925 S. Sixth St.
De Pere, WI 54115
(920) 339-4065
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Regular Hours:

Mon - Fri.....7:30 am - 4:00 pm

Summer Hours:

(Memorial Day - Labor Day)

Mon - Thu7:30 am - 5:00 pm

Fri.....7:30 am - 11:30 am

Community Center & Recreation Department

600 Grant St.
De Pere, WI 54115
(920) 339-4097
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Regular Hours:

Mon - Fri.....8:00 am - 4:30 pm

Summer Hours:

(Memorial Day - Labor Day)

Mon - Thu7:30 am - 4:30 pm

Fri.....7:30 am - 1:30 pm

Important Phone Numbers

Forestry.....339-8362
Senior Programs.....336-6054
Nutrition Program.....983-1675
Legion Pool.....339-4069
VFW Pool.....339-4068
Automated Info Line.....339-8364
League/Program
Cancellation Line.....339-4067

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Millie Bain
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Meets 3rd Thursday every other month, starting in January, at 2:00 pm, at the De Pere Community Center

Mission Statement

The City of De Pere seeks to enrich the quality of life of residents and visitors through preserving, developing, operating and maintaining parks, open space, facilities and recreation services.

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Seasonal Employment

Part-time seasonal employment opportunities are available for various year-round activities. The Recreation Department is currently searching for Youth Activity, Tumbling and Pom & Dance Assistant Instructors, Kidz Zone Counselors, Water Aerobics/Swim Instructors and Flag Football & Basketball Officials beginning in Fall.

We are also continually accepting applications for substitute and assistant instructors for various youth programs and fitness classes. If you have a new program that you would like to share please feel free to contact us - we always welcome new ideas!

For more information visit the City's website at www.de-pere.org or contact the Parks & Recreation Department/Community Center at 920-339-4097.

View all our recreation activities and department services...register online at

www.de-pere.org

Registration begins

April 13 ~ Residents

April 20 ~ Non-Residents

The City of De Pere promotes sustainability!

Program brochures will be available online or at the following locations:

De Pere Community Center
Municipal Service Center
Kress Family Library
City Hall



Community Center 600 Grant St.

Located in beautiful VFW Park, the De Pere Community Center is your event headquarters! We have the facilities to meet your needs whether it is for a baby/bridal shower, small wedding reception, reunion, banquet, meeting or a party for any occasion.

Rooms are available for rent seven (7) days a week from 7:00 am – 10:30 pm or later upon request. Security deposits required. There is no charge for De Pere service organizations or youth groups through high school, Monday thru Thursday. Reservations will be accepted for the following year beginning October 1st.

	<u>Resident</u>	<u>Non-Resident</u>
Large Activity Rooms with kitchen (capacity 200)	\$150/4 hours \$230/full day	\$180/4 hours \$280/full day

Meeting Rooms (capacity 50)	\$70/4 hours \$100/full day	\$95/4 hours \$125/full day
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Additional Hours	\$20/hour – meeting rooms \$35/hour – large activity rooms
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**Full day is considered 7:00 am – 10:30 pm, or later upon request.*

Chairs and tables (6' long, 48" & 60" round) are provided. Podiums, corded microphones, easels, dry erase boards, projector screens, coffee makers, extension cords and power strips are included with rentals upon request and for no extra charge. The facility is equipped with free WiFi access.

Audio-visual equipment is available for a small rental fee and includes: TV w/VCR & DVD players, overhead projector, LCD projector/digital presenter, conference phone and cordless microphones. Storage bins and cabinets are also available for rent on a first come, first served basis.

Game room equipment (dart machine, pool table & foosball table) may be used with lower level, large activity room rentals only and accompanied by a \$25 security deposit.

Park Shelters

Resident and non-resident groups, organizations and businesses wishing to reserve park shelters and areas for picnics should contact the Parks & Recreation Department at 339-4065. All shelters are available for reservation when not in conflict with Department sponsored programs. Park shelters may not be used for vending purposes and are open to the public at all times. Reservations will be accepted for the following year beginning October 1st.

	<u>Resident</u>	<u>Non-Resident</u>
Monday - Thursday	\$50/day	\$65/day
Friday – Sunday & Holidays	\$120/day	\$140/day

A \$25 security deposit is required for all indoor shelters, which is returned if shelter is left in good condition. All fees must be paid when reservation is accepted at the Parks & Recreation Office, 925 S. Sixth St. All fees are non-refundable and non-transferable. There is no charge for De Pere service groups or youth organizations through high school.

Indoor Shelter Locations

**** Keys Required ****

Braisher Park, 630 N. Winnebago St.
(capacity 30)

Patriot Park, 1101 Colleen Ln.
(capacity 36)

VFW Park, 730 Grant St.
(capacity 55)

Open Shelter Locations

Legion Park, 1212 Charles St.

Optimist Park, 801 Cook St.

Perkofski Boat Launch, 1500 Ft. Howard Ave.

VFW Park, 730 Grant St.
(2 open shelters)

Voyageur Park, 100 William St.
(2 open shelters)



Pavers & Granite Tiles Available

Purchase **PAVING BRICKS** or **LOBBY GRANITE TILES** in honor of or in memory of a loved one, or purchase bricks or tiles for your family or friends. Paving bricks cost \$250 for 4"x 8" size and lead to the upper entrance. 12"x 12" tiles can be purchased for \$1,000 and are located on the floor of the lobby. Bricks and tiles are engraved and sealed for longevity. For more information please contact the De Pere Community Center at 339-4097.



Ticket Program

W.P.R.A. TICKET PROGRAM

The De Pere Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department, in cooperation with the Wisconsin Park & Recreation Association, is offering discounted tickets for various attractions throughout the state. Tickets may be purchased Monday thru Thursday, 7:30 am – 4:30 pm and Friday, 7:30 am – 1:30 pm at the De Pere Community Center, 600 Grant St. Call 339-4097 for more information.

Selling Dates: May 2 thru Sept. 2, 2016

****CASH OR CREDIT CARD ONLY. CHECKS NOT ACCEPTED. NO REFUNDS ON ANY TICKET SALES****

WISCONSIN DELLS ATTRACTIONS

Noah's Ark Waterpark

America's largest waterpark! 70 acres big! Featuring two enormous wave pools and one-of-a-kind attractions such as Scorpion's Tail, Black Anaconda Water Coaster, and Flash Flood!

Gate Price: \$41.62

Our Price: \$26.95

Children 2 & under FREE!

Season: May 28 – September 5, 2016

Dells Army Ducks & Wild Thing Jet Boat

Ride an original WWII Army vehicle and tour the waters of Lake Delton, the Lower Dells of the Wisconsin River and see Cambrian sandstone rock formations. Or, choose to ride the largest jet boat in the Midwest!

Gate Price Adult: \$30.00

Child (4-11): \$13.00

Our Price: Adult: \$18.00

Child (4-11): \$9.00



Children 3 & under FREE for Dells Army Ducks.

Children 3 & under cannot ride the jet boat.

Season: May 13 – September 5, 2016

Mt. Olympus Water & Theme Park

The ultimate Dells adventure, offering indoor & outdoor theme parks and waterparks.

Experience Hades 360, the world's first upside-down wooden rollercoaster. The park also features 7 go-karts, 5 rollercoasters, 44 waterslides, wave pool, amusement rides, 3 lazy rivers and much more.

Gate Price: \$42.68

Our Price: \$10.00

Children 2 & under FREE!

Season: May 28 – September 5, 2016

Wisconsin Ducks

Adventure on land and water! This one hour Duck ride will take you on an exciting cruise of the beautiful Lake Delton and the Lower Dells on the Wisconsin River as well as on an adventurous trip through off-road trails.

Gate Price Adult: \$28.50

Child (4-11): \$14.25

Our Price Adult: \$24.50

Child (4-11): \$13.85

Children 3 & under FREE!

Season: March 15 – November 15, 2016

Pirates' Cove Adventure Golf

"18 Holes of mini-golf at its finest"
Choose from 5 different courses – total of 91 unique holes amongst beautiful landscaping with waterfalls!

Gate Price: \$8.50

Our Price: \$5.50

Children 4 & under FREE!

Season: Mid-March – late October

*No expiration date on tickets

Bigfoot Zipline Tours

Fast, fun and exhilarating. This 2-hour spectacular adventure offers nature lovers and thrill seekers an epic chance to zip through treetops on 7 separate ziplines above 30 acres of water and woods.



Gate Price: \$89.00

Our Price: \$65.00

Season: May 13 – September 5, 2016

OTHER AREA ATTRACTIONS



House On The Rock

An attraction with some of the world's most unique collections including the world's largest carousel, a 200 ft. sea creature, automated music machines & much more!

Gate Price Adult: \$29.95

Child (4-17): \$15.95

Our Price Adult: \$22.50

Child: (4-17): \$13.50

Children 3 & under FREE!

Season: March 10 – November 13, 2016

Milwaukee County Zoo

The Milwaukee County Zoo is home to more than 3,000 animals, including rare and wild mammals, birds, fish and reptiles. Recognized as one of the finest zoological parks in the country, our Zoo serves to educate, entertain and inspire.

Gate Price Adult: \$14.25

Child (3-12): \$11.25

Our Price: Adult: \$10.50

Child (3-12): \$8.50

Children 2 & under FREE!

Season: Open year-round

Tickets expire December 31, 2016



Six Flags Great America

The Midwest's largest theme park. Celebrate 40 seasons of fun at Six Flags Great America during the 2016 season.
*Additional charge for waterpark.

Gate Price: \$70.03

Our Price: \$46.25

WPRA Week July 2-10: \$35.25

Children 2 & under FREE!

Season: April 23 – October 31, 2016

OUTDOOR SWIMMING POOLS

Legion & VFW Pools

June 11 — August 21

Open Swim Hours: 1:00 – 4:30 pm & 6:00 – 8:30 pm (Monday – Friday)
1:00 – 6:00 pm (Saturday & Sunday)

BOTH POOLS WILL CLOSE AT 4:30 PM ON JULY 4

The baby pools will be available for open swimming during morning swim lessons.



At 2:45 pm and 7:15 pm Monday–Friday, and at 2:30 pm and 4:15 pm on Saturday & Sundays, the pools will be cleared for 10–15 minutes to conduct a safety check and to offer an adult swim. During extreme heat conditions and/or high attendance, the times of the safety check may be modified to schedule an additional safety check during the open swim.

General Aquatic Admission

Appropriate identification will be required when purchasing admission tickets, season passes and when registering for lessons. Children 4 and under will be charged baby pool rates, regardless of whether they swim in a main or baby pool. Parents/guardians will be allowed in free if supervising others and not intending to swim. No lifeguards are on duty in the baby pools.

Pre-season passes may be purchased at the Community Center through June 10, 2016. In-season passes can be purchased at either pool when the pools open for the season. Individual pictures of all those on a membership will be required. Passes from prior years will need to be activated with purchase of 2016 Swim Season Pass. Replacement cards are \$6 each.

General Admission

Daily Swim Passes

General admission tickets are for one swim period only and will not be refunded (including inclement weather).

	Resident	Non-Resident
Baby	\$1.50	\$2.75
Single	\$4.25	\$7.25
*Family	\$12.50	\$18.50
Lap Swim Only	\$3.75	\$5.75

***Family:** 2 adults and up to 3 dependents in same household. Additional family members must purchase appropriate General Admission pass.

Season Swim Passes

Pre-Season (before 6/10)

In-Season (begins 6/11)

	Resident	Non-Resident	All
Baby	\$19	\$38	\$38
Single	\$49	\$68	\$68
Senior (60+)	\$37	----	\$37
** Family	\$75	\$92	\$92
*** Caregiver Pass	\$21	\$26	\$26
Lap Swim Membership	\$35	\$50	\$50
Lap Swim Senior Membership	\$26	---	\$26

****Family:** A family membership may consist of up to 2 adults and up to 3 dependents living in the same household/same address. Full-time students living at home can be included as a dependent under a family membership. Additional dependents may be added for \$6 each.

*****Caregiver Pass**—you may link one named caregiver (such as a babysitter) to a family pass. Pre-season resident/non-resident fee is for the caregiver's residency.



Fun Specials at the Pools

Come join us for some fun specials at the pools!

- Sunday, June 19 – Father's Day**
Fathers get in free with paid youth admission
- Friday, June 24 – Swim A Lap Day**
Free Lap Swim during scheduled lap swim hours
- Saturday, June 25 – Season Pass Holder Appreciation**
Pass holders only: Bring a friend, friends gets in for \$1.00
- Friday, July 15 – Goggles The Gator Day**
One lucky youth gets a free pair of goggles in a drawing at 2:45 pm break
- Wednesday, July 20 – National Lollipop Day**
Pick a lollipop and try for a prize
- Monday, August 1 – Freeze Pop Frenzy**
Free Freeze pop for the first 100 patrons
- Wednesday, August 17 – Kickboard Giveaway**
One lucky youth will win a kickboard in a drawing at 7:15 pm break
- Sunday, August 21 – Half Price Concessions Day**
All concession items are ½ price



Swim Instructor Assistant Class

Held during the first three weeks of lessons of the summer. Swim Instructor Assistants are youth volunteers utilized during Session 2 and 3 of summer swim lessons. Assistants learn basic swim lesson teaching techniques; participants must be 12 years old or have passed Level 6.

Register online or at the pool offices before June 13th.

MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS June 13 – 29 4:45 – 5:30 pm
#5131.1216 Legion Pool
#5132.1216 VFW Pool
Fee: Free!



Family Swims

Family swims will be held on Tuesdays at VFW Pool and Thursdays at Legion Pool from 4:40–5:40 pm. General admission is half price!

Fun games & prizes on theme nights!

Week of June 27 **Beach Party**
Week of July 18 **Luau**
Week of August 8 **Super Heroes**



On Thursday, June 9 the Community Center will be open till 7:00 pm to process swim passes.

Swim Lessons

Three sessions of swim lessons will be held at both Legion & VFW pools meeting Monday thru Thursday.

All lessons are held in the main pools. Make-ups for morning lessons will be scheduled on Fridays. Lessons will be canceled due to lightning.

♦ Sess. 1: June 13 – June 30 ♦ Sess. 2: July 5 – July 21 ♦ Sess. 3: July 25 – August 11

No class July 4. Makeup date is July 8

Fee per Session: \$35 Resident / \$50 Non-Resident

Legion Pool

	<u>Sess. 1</u>	<u>Sess. 2</u>	<u>Sess. 3</u>
9:30 – 10:00 am			
Level 1B	#5011.1216	#5011.2216	#5011.3216
Level 2	#5021.1216	#5021.2216	#5021.3216
Level 3	#5031.1216	#5031.2216	#5031.3216
Level 4	#5041.1216	#5041.2216	#5041.3216
Level 5/6	#5051.1216	#5051.2216	#5051.3216
10:05 – 10:35 am			
Level 1A	#5001.1216	#5001.2216	#5001.3216
Level 1B	#5012.1216	#5012.2216	#5012.3216
Level 2	#5022.1216	#5022.2216	#5022.3216
Level 3	#5032.1216	#5032.2216	#5032.3216
Level 4	#5042.1216	#5042.2216	#5042.3216
10:40 – 11:10 am			
Level 1A	#5002.1216	#5002.2216	#5002.3216
Level 1B	#5013.1216	#5013.2216	#5013.3216
Level 2	#5023.1216	#5023.2216	#5023.3216
Level 3	#5033.1216	#5033.2216	#5033.3216
Level 4		#5043.3216	
Parent Child (6m. – 3 yrs.)		#5091.2216	
11:15 – 11:45 am			
Level 1A	#5003.1216	#5003.2216	#5003.3216
Level 1B	#5014.1216	#5014.2216	#5014.3216
Level 2	#5024.1216	#5024.2216	#5024.3216
Level 5/6		#5052.3216	
Parent Child (6m. – 3 yrs.)		#5092.2216	

VFW Pool

	<u>Sess. 1</u>	<u>Sess. 2</u>	<u>Sess. 3</u>
9:30 – 10:00 am			
Level 1B		#5151.2216	#5151.3216
Level 2		#5161.2216	#5161.3216
Level 3	#5171.1216	#5171.2216	#5171.3216
Level 4	#5181.1216	#5181.2216	#5181.3216
Level 5/6	#5191.1216	#5191.2216	#5191.3216
10:05 – 10:35 am			
Level 1A	#5141.1216	#5141.2216	#5141.3216
Level 1B	#5152.1216	#5152.2216	#5152.3216
Level 2	#5162.1216	#5162.2216	#5162.3216
Level 3		#5172.2216	#5172.3216
Level 4		#5182.2216	#5182.3216
10:40 – 11:10 am			
Level 1A		#5142.2216	#5142.3216
Level B		#5153.2216	#5153.3216
Level 2	#5163.1216	#5163.2216	#5163.3216
Level 3	#5173.1216	#5173.2216	#5173.3216
Level 4		#5183.3216	
Parent Child (6m. – 3 yrs.)		#5231.2216	
11:15 – 11:45 am			
Level 1A	#5143.1216	#5143.2216	#5143.3216
Level B	#5154.1216	#5154.2216	#5154.3216
Level 2	#5164.1216	#5164.2216	#5164.3216
Level 5/6		#5192.3216	

9-Week Swim Lessons

Lessons are one night a week from June 13 through August 15. Commit to only one night a week to help with planning your busy summer schedule. Summer-long lessons will help to deepen and increase skill learning throughout the summer.

Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res



Legion Pool 5:20 – 5:50 pm

MONDAYS	June 13 – August 15
	<i>No class July 4</i>
#5016.1216	Level 1B
#5025.1216	Level 2
#5034.1216	Level 3
TUESDAYS	June 14 – August 9
#5026.1216	Level 2
#5035.1216	Level 3
WEDNESDAYS	June 15 – August 10
#5005.1216	Level 1A
#5017.1216	Level 1B
#5027.1216	Level 2

VFW Pool 5:20 – 5:50 pm

MONDAYS	June 13 – August 15
	<i>No class July 4</i>
#5156.1216	Level 1B
#5165.1216	Level 2
#5174.1216	Level 3
WEDNESDAYS	June 15 – August 10
#5166.1216	Level 2
#5175.1216	Level 3
THURSDAYS	June 16 – August 11
#5145.1216	Level 1A
#5157.1216	Level 1B
#5167.1216	Level 2

Swim Lesson Registration

Registrations will be taken at the Community Center. **1st & 2nd session registration:** City of De Pere residents can use the online, fax, mail-in, or drop box method starting April 13. Starting April 20, residents and non-residents may register online, fax, mail-in, walk-in, or use the drop box method. **3rd session registration:** There is no early registration. Starting July 14, residents will be allowed to register. On July 18, residents as well as non-residents can register. Processing of registrations will be done at the Community Center or both pools when open.

One person may register no more than two separate families. A minimum of 5 registrants will be required to hold a class. A maximum of 7 in the level 1 classes will be accepted, 10 for all other levels. The Department will try to accommodate as many registrants as possible, which may include combining classes/levels.

For a description of swim levels, please check our website at www.de-pere.org.

Summer Water Aerobics

Cool off during the hot summer days with a splash in the pool and get a great cardiovascular and resistance-training workout with minimal impact. All levels encouraged to attend!

Legion Pool 12:00 - 12:45 pm

MONDAY - THURSDAY

#5111.1216 **June 13 - June 30**

#5111.2216 **July 5 - July 21**

July 4 makeup on July 8

July 25 - August 18

Fee: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res
\$26 Senior Citizen Res

4-week: \$46 Res / \$61 Non-Res
\$35 Senior Citizen Res



Lap Swims

Lap swim times will be available at both pools during water fitness classes and evening swim lessons. You can purchase a summer membership for use at both pools all summer (*best value*) or purchase lap swim general admission at the pool's front desk when you attend.

Legion Pool

Monday - Thursday 12:00 - 12:45 pm
Mon., Tue., Wed. 5:20 - 5:50 pm

VFW Pool

Mon, Wed., Thu. 5:20 - 5:50 pm

Pool Rentals

Would you like to have your child's birthday party or maybe a family reunion at the pool this summer? What about a work event? Legion and VFW Pools are available for rental this summer. Rental times vary depending upon scheduled programming, but general times available.

MONDAY - FRIDAY
8:45 pm - 10:45 pm

SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS
8:00 am - 12:00 pm
6:15 pm - 10:45 pm

Call the Recreation Supervisor at 339-4097 for rental rates and more information.



FALL AQUATICS

Fall aquatic classes offered through the Parks and Recreation Department are held at Syble Hopp School indoor pool, 755 Scheuring Rd. Parking and entrance into the facility are in the back of the school - please use door #7 to enter the school.

Water Aerobics

Enjoy the warm water during the cooler days. Benefits of participating in a water aerobics class include improved muscular endurance, flexibility and cardiovascular conditioning and decreased stress on your joints and muscles. Participants must be 13 years of age or older.

MONDAYS

5:30 - 6:15 pm

#5301.1216

#5301.2216

Sept. 12 - Oct. 17

Oct. 24 - Dec. 12

No class Nov. 21

6:20 - 7:05 pm

#5302.1216

#5302.2216

Sept. 12 - Oct. 17

Oct. 24 - Dec. 12

No class Nov. 21

WEDNESDAYS

5:30 - 6:15 pm

#5303.1216

#5303.2216

Sept. 7 - Oct. 19

Oct. 26 - Dec. 14

No class Nov. 23

6:20 - 7:05 pm

#5304.1216

#5304.2216

Sept. 7 - Oct. 19

Oct. 26 - Dec. 14

No class Nov. 23

THURSDAYS

5:30 - 6:15 pm

#5305.1216

#5305.2216

Sept. 8 - Oct. 20

Oct. 27 - Dec. 15

No class Nov. 24

6:20 - 7:05 pm

#5306.1216

#5306.2216

Sept. 8 - Oct. 20

Oct. 27 - Dec. 15

No class Nov. 24

Location: Syble Hopp School Pool

Fee: \$18 Res / \$33 Non-Res

\$14 Senior Citizen Res

6-week: \$15 Res / \$30 Non-Res

\$11 Senior Citizen Res



Parent Child Aquatics

Children will begin to learn how to feel comfortable in and around the water in this parent - assisted swim class. Play, songs and games will be used as a basic form of learning for the fundamentals of water skills.



Water comfort and exploration along with rudimentary water skills are the goals of this class.

TUESDAYS

6 months - 3 yrs.

5:00 - 5:30 pm

#5281.1216

#5281.2216

Sept. 6 - Oct. 18

Oct. 25 - Dec. 13

No class Nov. 22

5:35 - 6:05 pm

#5282.1216

#5282.2216

Sept. 6 - Oct. 18

Oct. 25 - Dec. 13

No class Nov. 22

6:10 - 6:40 pm

#5283.1216

#5283.2216

Sept. 6 - Oct. 18

Oct. 25 - Dec. 13

No class Nov. 22

Location: Syble Hopp School Pool

Fee: \$20 Res / \$35 Non-Res

Non-Residents Please Note!

When registering for any Water Aerobics classes a discount may apply. If signing up for 2 or 3 days per week within the same fitness class and session, contact the Community Center at 339-4097.

Private Swim Lessons

Private swim lessons for your young swimmer or even for yourself! You can purchase either a 4-lesson or 8-lesson package; lessons are 30 minutes long. To purchase a package or learn more, please call the Recreation Supervisor at 339-4097.

VFW Pool

Legion Pool

#5331.1216 Package of 4

#5341.1216 Package of 8

#5332.1216 Package of 4

#5342.1216 Package of 8

Package of 4 - 30 minute lessons:

Fee: \$76 Res / \$91 Non-Res / \$57 Senior Citizen Res

Package of 8 - 30 minute lessons:

Fee: \$139 Res / \$154 Non-Res / \$104 Senior Citizen Res



Playgrounds & Events

Summer Park Playgrounds

Are you looking for a healthy, interactive and enjoyable summer for your child? This 9-week program provides safe, structured activities for children 6 - 14 years old. Playground leaders not only offer a fun time, but also promote self esteem and friendships while providing participants with positive role models. **Registered** participants will be offered quality recreational experiences that promote creativity, teamwork and healthy activity, including organized sports, arts and crafts, games and team building activity.

The Playground Program is not to be used as a substitute for child-care services but is offered as a DROP-IN program with organized activity. Playground staff will supervise registered participants during the scheduled activities but are NOT responsible for keeping track of children for the duration of the day as they can come and go as they please participating at any park in the program. **Staff is not responsible for providing activities for non-registered children.**

Park Playground Sites:

Braisher, Optimist, Kiwanis & Patriot Parks

Monday – Friday

June 13 – August 12

Playgrounds closed July 4

10:00 am – 12:30 pm

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm



\$15.00 per participant

Covers all on-site daily activities for the entire summer

#1001.1216 **Braisher Park**

#1002.1216 **Optimist Park**

#1003.1216 **Kiwanis Park**

#1004.1216 **Patriot Park**

Participants are encouraged to register prior to June 13th, but may register throughout the summer to participate in the Park Playground Program. Once registered, participants may attend any of the parks daily programs. All registrations must be paid at the De Pere Community Center. **No registrations will be accepted at the parks.** **There will be additional costs for some special events as listed.*

Some evening activities offered.

**See pages 9 & 11
for more information.**

Sunny Summer Readers

Summer reading gives children something to do on those hot summer days and keeps their minds fresh! Each reader will set their own reading goals and have the chance to keep their favorite books. Join the playground staff along with teachers from Dickinson, Susie C. Altmayer and Westwood Elementary Schools for our Super Summer Reader Program!



TUESDAYS June 14 – August 9

2:00 – 3:00 pm
Legion Park

WEDNESDAYS June 15 – August 10

2:00 – 3:00 pm
Optimist Park

THURSDAYS June 16 – August 11

2:00 – 3:00 pm
Patriot Park

FREE!

Books Needed!!

- *If your family or friends have books for pre-school through 8th grade that you would like to donate to the City of De Pere Parks & Recreation Department's Super Summer Reader Program, please contact the De Pere Community Center at 339-4097.

VIP – Volunteers in Park Junior Parkee Program

The De Pere Parks and Recreation Department is proud to offer our VIP ~ Junior Parkee Program. This volunteer program is intended to offer young adults who are 13 – 17 years of age with an opportunity to gain both experience and knowledge of the skills it takes to become a leader. In doing so, they will assist the playground supervisors in setting a positive example for younger children.

Junior Parkee Expectations & Duties

- * Assist in supervising children at the park on a daily basis as well as help out with special events.
- * Accept and follow through with directives from playground supervisors and be a positive role model for all park attendees and park program participants.
- * Assist playground supervisors in planning and preparing for daily activities.
- * Help keep park clean: pick up garbage, sweep/mop shelter floors, organize games & equipment, etc.
- * Follow and enforce all park rules.

If interested, please apply by May 31st. Applications after that date will be considered on an as needed basis. For more information or to pick up an application, please call 336-6054 or stop in at the Community Center, 600 Grant St.

Inclement Weather Policy

At the discretion of playground supervisory staff, the playgrounds may be closed due to the following weather related conditions:

- If lightening or thunder is present or pending or a severe storm warning has been issued.
- If heavy rain, hail or extreme wind or any other weather condition presents a safety concern.
- If the temperature is exceedingly hot and reaches a heat index of 90 degrees or higher causing low attendance at program.

Ice Cream Socials

Families are invited to come out to the parks for an opportunity to meet our Summer Playground Staff and to get the "scoop" on all the fun activities they have planned for the kids this summer! While getting the "scoop" on daily activity offerings, enjoy a "SCOOP" OF ICE CREAM with your choice of some of your favorite toppings!

ICE CREAM SUNDAES

\$1.50 per Sundae

5:00 – 7:00 pm each night

MONDAY, June 27 ~ Optimist Park

Hosts: Optimist & Braisher

TUESDAY, June 28 ~ Patriot Park

Hosts: Patriot & Kiwanis

TUESDAY, July 12 ~ Braisher Park

Hosts: Braisher & Optimist

THURSDAY, July 14 ~ Kiwanis Park

Hosts: Kiwanis & Patriot

If you have a favorite cookie or dessert you'd like to share, we will accept donations to enhance our sundaes!

Join us for a night of neighborly fun topped off with everyone's favorite treat!



Ice Cream Social

New!

Tye Dye Fun Night

Love Tye Dye? The Parks and Recreation Department invites you to share your artistic talents and

join us for our Tye Dye fun night! Playground leaders will host an evening of creativity, fun and games! *All ages welcome to attend.*

Things may get a little messy so wear old clothes— just in case!

Bring a pre-washed white T-shirt to dye —the shirts that work best are 100% cotton; but you can also use 50% cotton/50% polyester. You will also need to bring a plastic bag as the art work will need to be bagged and sit for 24 hours before rinsing.

THURSDAY 6:00 – 8:00 pm

#1251.1216 **June 23**

Location: Braisher Park

WEDNESDAY 6:00 – 8:00 pm

#1251.2216 **July 20**

Location: Patriot Park

Fee: \$4 per shirt



Kids Night Out to Rule the Pool!

Lounge swimming is for the daytime sun bathers! If you are in 4th – 8th grade and looking for some after hour pool fun, this is the place to be! Join park staff for sponge tag, cannon ball splash competitions, beach ball races and many more organized activities at the pools after dark! *Lifeguards will be on duty.*

TUESDAYS 8:45 – 10:15 pm

July 12 VFW Pool

July 19 Legion Pool

July 26 VFW Pool

August 9 Legion Pool

Fee: \$3.75 per participant

No pool passes accepted

4th – 8th grade



New!

Swim-In Cinema

The City of De Pere Parks and Recreation Department encourages you to bring your friends, family and floats to the VFW pool, and join us for our first annual poolside movie!

This year's feature film will be *Home!* Open swim will be offered from 7pm until dusk. The featured film will begin shortly after sunset. *Children under 12 must be accompanied by a paid adult.*

SATURDAY July 30

VFW Pool

7:00 pm

Fee: \$4 Res/ \$7 Non-Res

Children 4 & Under: \$1.00

No pool passes accepted

For more information call 339-4097.



Register online at

www.de-pere.org

Registration begins:

Wed., April 13 ~ Residents

Wed., April 20 ~ Non-Residents

Summer Carnival & Games

Fun for the whole family! Come join us while we say goodbye to summer. Bring all your friends for this evening of games and activities created by the park staff and the summer playground kids while enjoying some summer treats!



Game tickets are 20 cents each and will be sold at the parks.

WEDNESDAY August 3

Legion Park

5:30 – 7:30 pm



Check with your park how you can help create some fun games!

New!

VERB™

It's what you do!

In cooperation with the De Pere Health Department, De Pere Park and Recreation is proud to offer a new community based program called VERB™ - It's what you do! for youth ages 7 – 14 years old. VERB is designed to promote physical activity and encourage our youth to achieve healthy, active lifestyles while keeping them engaged during the summer months.

How does it work?

When you complete a minimum of 60 minutes of activity you can fill in a square on a score card, one square per day! Some squares have special activities that need to be completed. Finished score cards can be turned in at the De Pere Community Center or Health Department throughout the summer for prizes; maximum 3 score cards per participant. Each completed score card will earn a prize and can be entered into a drawing at the VERB finale for a chance to win a grand prize.

So don't delay, pick up a score card beginning May 16th at the Community Center or Health Department offices and start moving!

Program starts **June 13th** and ends **August 12th**. Further details can be found on our recreation page at www.de-pere.org



Camps & Specialty Programs

Summer Day Camp

There are still limited openings for our Summer Day Camp Program at our two locations – De Pere Community Center and Dickinson Elementary! Each week features a fun theme, swimming, field trips and so much more! Camp is open to children ages 7–12 with limited availability for 6 year olds. Most camp days run 9:00 am – 4:00 pm with before and after camp care available. Sign up for 1 week or for as many weeks as you desire.

For more information contact the Community Center office at 339-4097.

"The De Pere Community Summer Camp has been a wonderful experience for our family. We were looking for summer daycare that kept our twim boys active all day yet; was not a typical daycare. The boys look forward each year to making new friends, swimming and all the fun field trips." — Tara Z.



Recreation Scholarship Program

This financial assistance program has been established to provide youth in the City of De Pere the opportunity to participate in recreation programs offered by the Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department, regardless of their financial status. Through the generous support of local service organizations, foundations, businesses and community members, the City of De Pere is able to help people overcome financial barriers in order to participate in city recreation programs.

Scholarships are awarded on a first come, first served basis as long as there are available funds. Residents may apply by completing an application form.

For more information, please call the Community Center at 339-4097.

Donations accepted!

Send in your tax-deductible contribution or add a donation to your fees when signing up for a program. Call 339-4097 to learn more about contributing to this worthwhile program.

Kidz Zone

Kidz Zone is an educational, fun, safe, and affordable recreation program for those hours before and after school. The program is open to students enrolled in grades K5 – 5th at Westwood and Our Lady of Lourdes Schools. Options available for enrolling in before school, after school or both.

Registration begins April 20, 2016 for the 2016–2017 school year. Call 339-4097 for more information.

Before School Drop-Off Times:
6:45 am – 8:15 am

After School Pick-Up Times:
3:15 pm – 5:45 pm

Location: OLOL School Cafeteria
Westwood students transported by bus, fees included.

Fees: \$25 Non-Refundable
Registration Fee

Fees are based on the following rates per participant and are drafted monthly. Fees are also prorated for scheduled days that school is not in session.

Full-time ~ 4 – 5 days/week:
Before School: \$40/week
After School: \$46/week
Before & After School: \$78/week

Part-time ~ 3 days/week or less:
Before School: \$26/week
After School: \$33/week
Before & After School: \$58/week

"Our son has participated in Kidz Zone for the past four years. He thoroughly enjoys the variety of activities available and the staff is excellent to work with. The hours allow us to finish our workday knowing that he is in a safe, enjoyable environment. We highly recommend Kidz Zone for anyone that needs school age childcare." — Renae & Jason M.

Before School Kidz Zone @ Notre Dame Elementary

Before School Drop-Off Times:
6:45 am – 8:00 am

Location: Notre Dame Library

Fees: \$25 Non-Refundable
Registration Fee

Full-time ~ 4 – 5 days/week:
\$40/week

Part-time ~ 3 days/week or less:
\$26/week

Kidz Zone Early Release Days

In conjunction with Early Release Days in the West De Pere School District, Kidz Zone will be offered at Our Lady of Lourdes School. Participants do not have to be enrolled in Kidz Zone. Students should bring along a cold lunch, drink and afternoon snack.

K5 – 5th grade
11:40 am – 5:45 pm

#1551.1216 **September 23**

#1552.1216 **October 27**

#1553.1216 **November 23**

Location: Our Lady of Lourdes School Cafeteria

Fee: \$15 per child

Birthday Parties

Looking for a new birthday party idea for your child ages 4–12? You supply the children and any refreshments – we'll do the rest! Let our enthusiastic staff help make your child's birthday an event to remember. Each two hour party will include games, a craft, gift opening and time to enjoy party refreshments. We do the clean up!

Many themes available:
Pirates, Frozen, Tea Party, Princess, Sports, Legos, Race Cars, Teddy Bears, Dance, Tumbling, etc.



Thinking of something else? Feel free to ask!

Fee: \$15/child (minimum \$90)

Date availability varies. Please contact the Community Center at 339-4097.

Gift Certificates Available

Surprise someone with a gift certificate for any dollar amount to be used towards a pool membership, program, or rental. Great for holidays, birthdays, anniversaries, or just because!

The City of De Pere accepts the following forms of payment:
Cash, check, debit or credit card.

Visa, Mastercard, American Express or Discover

Candy Bar Bingo

This fun event is designed for everyone in the family! Whether you're a youngster or a senior or somewhere in between, come and enjoy an evening of bingo with a chance to win candy bars or the ultimate prize...a big bag of candy bars!! Admission is one full-size candy bar for each bingo card; maximum of 3 per person.

For a minimum \$2 donation to the Recreation Scholarship Fund you can earn 1 more bingo card; \$5 donation earns 3 more cards! Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

WEDNESDAYS 6:00 - 7:30 pm

April 27

October 26 *Features prizes for best youth costumes.

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: 1 full-size candy bar per bingo card

The Big Rig Gig!



This will be a great hands-on event for kids ages 1 to 5. Parents, your child will get to sit in the driver's seat, hold the steering wheel, and have their picture taken (don't forget your camera). They will also learn

about the different vehicles that are in our community and the people who drive and operate them. Anticipated trucks in attendance include a fire engine, ambulance, police car, garbage truck, back hoe, dump truck and more!

FRIDAY May 13
10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Perkofski Boat Launch parking lot
1500 Fort Howard Ave., De Pere
(next to the Brown County Fairgrounds)

Halloween Workshop

Participants in this ever-popular workshop will have tons of fun playing Halloween games, making a craft project and watching a holiday movie while enjoying refreshments. Children will also receive sacks filled with sweet treats and prizes galore! Costumes encouraged but not required.

FRIDAY October 14
#1021.1216 6:00 - 8:00 pm 5-9 yrs

Location: Community Center, Pine & Oak Rms.

Fee: \$13 Res / \$26 Non-Res

TRICK-OR-TREATING



City of De Pere
October 31st
4:00 - 7:00 pm



Henna Body Art

Castle Art & Import has been importing henna since 1997 and is well versed in the henna arts. Each workshop and the mini-class will focus on the beautiful art of henna. Participants will learn how to break down a typical henna kit and mix henna to form a great smooth paste for body art application. There will be instruction on how to do simple designs and supplies will be passed out for participants to use. The instructor will also do a medium design on each person.



The mini class in September will review making paste, cone rolling practice, dissecting designs, flowers and shading techniques and also learn about various crafts that can be made with henna. Be prepared for a fun and interactive art experience!

Open to those 9 years & older. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

TUESDAY June 21 9+ yrs.
#1281.1216 1:30 - 4:00 pm

TUESDAY August 2 9+ yrs.
#1281.2216 5:30 - 8:00 pm

Location: VFW Park Shelter
Fee: \$20 Res / \$35 Non-Res

THURSDAYS September 15, 22 & 29
Mini Class
#1282.1216 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.
Fee: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res



Canvas Painting with a KICK!

This workshop offers crafting enthusiasts the opportunity to unleash their artistic talents to create their own fashion statement... FOR YOUR FEET! Grab a friend, family member or co-worker and join the FUN!



Bring a pair of canvas slip-on or tie shoes and your ideas! We will supply the paint and additional ideas to spark your creativity!

THURSDAY May 19 17+ yrs.
#1341.1216 5:00 - 8:00 pm

WEDNESDAY July 20 10+ yrs.
#1341.2216 12:30 - 3:30 pm

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.
Fee: \$10 Res / \$20 Non-Res

Movie and a Makeover

Girls, ages 7-10, come join us for a Girls' Night Out! We'll enjoy mani's & pedi's, facials, try out some new hair styles and more! We'll finish off our evening with a movie, popcorn and drink. *Please bring your own hairbrush and/or comb.*

FRIDAY October 7 7-10 yrs.
#1272.1216 6:00 - 9:00 pm

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$13 Res / \$26 Non-Res

Holiday Craft Nostalgic Pen & Ink Workshop

Remember the "days of old" with this trip into time...sketch unique, nostalgic greeting cards or pen & ink drawings with vintage crosshatch/ watercolor techniques... just in time for the holidays! All materials supplied. Great activity to do with family or your friends! Class open to those 14 yrs. and older.



TUESDAY November 8 14+ yrs.
#3101.1216 6:00 - 7:30 pm

FRIDAY November 18
#3101.2216 9:00 - 10:30 am
Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.
Fee: \$15 Res / 30 Non-Res

Canvas & Company

Picasso once said "Every child is an artist", the challenge is how to remain an artist once you grow up! The solution - join us for Canvas & Company! Grab your friends or your co-workers and spend a morning, or an evening, with our talented artist who will guide you through each step of painting a featured masterpiece to take home and enjoy. All materials supplied including canvas, paints, and brushes; please bring your own smock/apron. Coffee and hot water provided; feel free to bring a snack for extra inspiration! No experience necessary - just the desire to relax, create and have fun!



Fee is per individual class. Call 339-4097 for more information on the featured paintings or check out our Facebook page!

THURSDAYS 7:00 - 9:00 pm 14+ yrs.
#3171.1216 November 3
#3171.2216 December 8

FRIDAYS 9:30 - 11:30 am
#3172.1216 October 14
#3172.2216 December 2
Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.
Fee: \$25 Res / \$40 Non-Res
\$22 Senior Citizen Res

Youth Programs

Kamp Kinder Adventure

Children ages 3-4 will experience many exciting adventures in our ever popular 3-day, 3-week long camps! Each session will feature new weekly themes. From exploring the outdoors to learning new songs, playing games and creating a variety of craft projects, your child is sure to have loads of fun! *Participants should be potty trained and also bring a small, healthy snack to each class.*

TUESDAY - THURSDAY 3-4 yrs.

9:30 - 11:00 am

#1291.1216 **June 14 - June 30**

#1291.2216 **July 12 - July 28**

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm./Outdoors

Fee: \$53 Res / \$68 Non-Res

Learning Tree Adventures

Preschool age children can join the adventure as we explore new weekly themes in this 12-week program designed to incorporate developmentally appropriate preschool activities including stories, songs, fingerplays, crafts and dramatic play. Children will enjoy socialization with their peers and kindergarten readiness skills while having loads of fun in this adventurous class! *Parents are asked to send a small, healthy snack with their child for each class. Participants must be potty trained.*



TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 3-5 yrs.

8:45 - 10:30 am

#1431.1216 **Sept. 13 - Dec. 8**

No class Oct. 27 & Nov. 24

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$132 Res / \$147 Non-Res

Firefighter Friends

Come and spend some time with your friendly firefighters! See their clothes, what they drive, where they work and how to stay safe. Participants will also enjoy a special story, craft and snack! Class presented in conjunction with the De Pere Fire and Parks & Recreation Departments.



Parents, please meet at the East Side Fire Station #1, 400 Lewis St. Parents are asked to stay with their child(ren).

FRIDAY **9:30 - 11:00 am** 3-5 yrs.

#1381.1216 **October 21**

Location: East Side Fire Station #1

Fee: \$5 Res / \$10 Non-Res



Super Hero Training Camp

Calling all Super Heroes...Batman! Superman! Spiderman! Dex the Super Dog & more! Join us for this special Super Hero Training Camp! Each day we will focus on a new super hero, including some of our local super heroes! In addition to our daily Super Hero training exercises, we will enjoy stories, crafts, super snacks and finish our week with a special Super Hero Party complete with Super Hero oath, and final training exercise to earn our own Super Hero name and status! Participants encouraged to dress in costume on Thursday.

TUESDAY - THURSDAY 4-7 yrs.

1:00 - 2:30 pm

#1201.1216 **June 28, 29 & 30**

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$21 Res / \$36 Non-Res



Princess Camp

Once upon a time, in a land not so far away, young princesses came from near and far to mingle with other princesses at a special Princess Camp! Each day our young princesses will learn about proper princess behavior, etiquette, read princess stories, enjoy a very royal project and some scrumptious snacks. On Thursday our princesses are invited to dress up in their best princess finery as we wind down our week with a special tea party and a special princess dance.



TUESDAY - THURSDAY 4-7 yrs.

1:00 - 2:30 pm

#1202.1216 **July 26, 27 & 28**

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$21 Res / \$36 Non-Res



Oodles of Art

Join us in this new, perfectly designed, hands-on art class for preschool aged children. Participants will enjoy drawing, sculpting, painting and more - all to spark your child's creativity, curiosity and imagination!



FRIDAYS **10:00 - 10:45 am** 3-5 yrs.

#1351.1216 **Sept. 16 - Nov. 4**

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

Fee: \$40 Res / \$55 Non-Res

Free online registration @
www.de-pere.org begins:

Wed., April 13 ~ Residents

Wed., April 20 ~ Non-Residents

Music & Movement

In this exciting and fun class, we'll take music activities and incorporate new ways to move, sing, dance and play. The children will gain physical coordination, emotional confidence, and exercise their imagination by interacting in a group with fun props and creative ideas. Learning new songs and some finger plays will also be part of the fun! *An adult is required to accompany the child to class as well as participate during class.*

THURSDAYS **10:50 - 11:30 am** 2-3 yrs.
#1301.1216 **Sept. 22 - Oct. 20**

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$20 Res / \$35 Non-Res



Monkey Tales and Trails

In this new and exciting class we will read a well-loved story and then re-create the adventure with exciting props, assorted equipment and tons of fun! Children will gain physical coordination, emotional confidence, exercise and energize their imagination all while having fun! *Participants must be potty trained.*



THURSDAYS **10:50 - 11:30 am** 3-4 yrs.
#1321.1216 **Nov. 3 - Dec. 8**

No class Nov. 24

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$20 Res / \$35 Non-Res.

Art Expressions

Each week our artists will explore different art techniques as well as experiment with different media and supplies. They will also have the opportunity to create projects with a variety of crafting materials including fiber art, recycled materials and more! Come join us and have fun creating unique and exciting projects! No experience necessary but the ability to have FUN is!

FRIDAYS **June 17 - August 5**
#1581.1216 **9:30 - 10:15 am** 5-6 yrs.
#1582.1216 **10:30 - 11:30 am** 7+ yrs.

MONDAYS **Sept. 19 - Nov. 14**
No class Oct. 31

#1583.1216 **4:30 - 5:15 pm** 5-6 yrs.
#1584.1216 **5:30 - 6:30 pm** 7+ yrs.

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

Fee: \$40 Res / \$55 Non-Res

5-6 yrs.: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res



Tumblebees

This class introduces toddlers to the basic developmental skills of jumping, throwing, catching, kicking, rolling, climbing, striking skills, bouncing and catching a ball along with basic tumbling and apparatus work. Children will have a ball while experiencing a multitude of locomotive movements and coordination using a lot of fun equipment. *Children should be accompanied by adults who participate and model good classroom etiquette.*

MONDAYS 10:30 – 11:10 am 1½–2 yrs.
#1121.1216 **June 13 – August 8**
No class July 4

Location: CC Pine Rm./Westwood MPR
Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res

MONDAYS 10:00 – 10:40 am 1½–2 yrs.
#1122.1216 **Sept. 12 – Nov. 14**

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$39 Res / \$54 Non-Res

Tiny Tumblers

Tiny Tumblers introduces children to the wonderful world of tumbling. It is designed to use creative movement and a variety of equipment to teach basic tumbling skills, encourage motor development, help develop coordination and balance, enhance listening skills and promote social interaction.

MONDAYS 9:30 – 10:10 am 3–4 yrs.
#1131.1216 **June 13 – August 8**
No class July 4

Location: CC Pine Rm./Westwood MPR
Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res

MONDAYS 9:00 – 9:40 am 3–4 yrs.
#1132.1216 **Sept. 12 – Nov. 28**

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$46 Res / \$61 Non-Res

Tumbling

These classes are designed to introduce and then to further develop the progression of gymnastic skills for boys and girls. While teaching a variety of skills, the instructors will help develop coordination, balance, flexibility and control in each participant. Theme weeks along with games, obstacle courses and gym activities are also incorporated into the fun! **Regardless of child's age, classes are built on their ability/readiness for gymnastics. Please call our office at 339-4097 if your child is ready for the next level but does not fall within the age guidelines.*

Beginner: Children under 6. New to tumbling.

Intermediate: Children 6 & older. Ready to learn, but must be able to perform a bridge; beginning cartwheels & handstands.

Advanced: Children 6 & older. Must be able to perform by themselves: a bridge, cartwheel and handstand (ready for progression stages).

TUESDAYS Sept. 13 – Nov. 29
#1141.1216 **5:00 – 5:40 pm** *Beginner*
#1142.1216 **5:45 – 6:25 pm** *Intermediate*
#1143.1216 **6:30 – 7:15 pm** *Advanced*

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$46 Res / \$61 Non-Res
Adv. Fee: \$49 Res / \$64 Non-Res



ABC, 123... Dance With Me

In these exciting classes children will have fun movin' and groovin' while learning the ABC's, 123's, shapes, colors & more! Each 7-week session will focus on letters, numbers, shapes, colors, or animals and will be introduced with songs, games and fun props followed by a unique and energetic dance for each item. Assist your little one as they learn basic dance moves, improve gross motor skills and explore creative expression! *Parent/guardian participation required.*



WEDNESDAYS 9:45 – 10:15 am 2–3 yrs.
ABC's

#1311.1216 **Sept. 7 – Oct. 19**

SHAPES & NUMBERS

#1311.2216 **Oct. 26 – Dec. 14**
No class Nov. 23

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$28 Res / \$43 Non-Res

Little Yogis

You're never too young to start yoga! This fun parent-tot bonding activity provides a yoga practice the whole family can enjoy! We'll play yoga games that emphasize partner and group poses to encourage social skills and release energy. Children will learn important breathing and relaxation techniques to help them focus, all while strengthening their growing bodies in this playful class. So come and partner with your little yogi to help them build body awareness and strengthen their motor skills while having a great time! *Registration for this class is by child.*

FRIDAYS 10:00 – 10:45 am 2–4 yrs.

#1091.1216 **Sept. 9 – Oct. 21**

#1091.2216 **Oct. 28 – Dec. 16**

No class Nov. 25

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res

Sports'tacular

Come join in on all the fun of learning new sports skills every week! This class introduces the basic skills and fundamentals needed to play soccer, basketball, football, tennis, t-ball, floor hockey and many more sports. Obstacle courses and cooperative games also part of the fun! This is an excellent class to develop hand-eye-foot coordination. Good sportsmanship will be emphasized. *Tennis shoes required; no sandals or crocs for safety reasons.*



TUESDAYS 1:30 – 2:15 pm 4–6 yrs.
#1101.1216 **June 14 – August 9**

No class July 5

Location: Westwood School Gym
Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res

Intro to Dance

Let's get your little mover and shaker introduced to dance. In this 11-week class, your dancer will learn the basics of dance through fun songs and dance activities, with a 'recital' held in the classroom at the end of the 11 weeks. This class does not have a costume or shoe requirement; however, dress shoes that make a 'tappy' sound are highly recommended. This is a great beginner class for your hesitant performer.

WEDNESDAYS 11:10 – 11:40 am 3–4 yrs.
No class Nov. 23

#1181.1216 **Sept. 28 – Dec. 14**

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$30 Res / \$45 Non-Res

Summer Dance

Have some fun in our summer dance classes! Students will learn basic dance movements and combinations while developing flexibility, musicality, and poise. All participants will perform a short routine for family and friends at the end of the summer session. *Proper shoes (tap/ballet &/or jazz shoes) and proper attire required (leotards, shorts, shirts & tanks acceptable).*



TUESDAYS June 14 – August 9
No class July 5

6:15 – 6:55 pm 4–6 yrs.
#1155.1216 Tap/Ballet/Jazz

7:00 – 7:40 pm 7–14 yrs.
#1156.1216 Jazz/Hip Hop

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

WEDNESDAYS June 15 – August 10
No class July 6

12:30 – 1:10 pm 7–14 yrs.
#1153.1216 Jazz/Hip Hop

1:15 – 1:55 pm 5–6 yrs.
#1152.1216 Tap/Ballet/Jazz

2:00 – 2:30 pm 3–4 yrs.
#1151.1216 Pre-Tap & Ballet

Location: De Pere High School Resource Rm.
Enter through main entrance at front of school (back entrance under construction).

Fee: \$34 Res / \$49 Non-Res
Pre-Tap & Ballet Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res

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*Visa, Mastercard,
American Express or Discover*

Youth Programs

Baton Twirling Clinic

Experience two-handed twirls, throws, body spins, and finger twirls in this exciting 2-day clinic designed for baton twirlers! Students will learn how to twirl or improve their twirling technique. Beginners will be offered a baton to use with the option to purchase; experienced twirlers are asked to bring their batons. *Batons will be supplied for the clinic and available for purchase for \$16.*

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY July 19 & 20
#1231.1216 **12:30 - 2:30 pm** 6-12 yrs.

Location: Westwood School
Multi-Purpose Rm.

Fee: \$17 Res / \$32 Non-Res

Dance with Ribbons Camp

Let the swirls of color and movement capture your imagination! In this exciting 2 ¼ hour camp, children will learn dancing with ribbons to fun music. An entire routine will be performed at the end of camp, so bring your cameras and camcorders. *Ribbons will be provided but may be purchased for an additional fee if desired.*



FRIDAY July 29
#1241.1216 **9:15 - 11:30 am** 5-7 yrs.
#1242.1216 **12:15 - 2:30 pm** 8+ yrs.

Location: Westwood School
Multi-Purpose Rm.

Fee: \$13 Res / \$26 Non-Res

Pom Clinic

Enjoy four fun-filled days of pom and dance this summer! This clinic encompasses the popular 20-week pom & dance class into a more compact, fun and exciting clinic. The dancers will learn and perfect fundamental pom movements, skills, and formations as well as learn a routine to perform at the end of the clinic. *Tennis shoes or dance shoes required.*



MONDAY - THURSDAY August 1 - 4
#1221.1216 **9:45 - 11:45 am** 8-14 yrs.
#1222.1216 **12:30 - 2:30 pm** 5-7 yrs.

Location: Westwood School Gym

Fee: \$32 Res / \$47 Non-Res

Fee includes a set of rooter poms for each dancer!

Youth Dance

Beginner and advanced dance lessons will be offered for boys and girls ages 3 - 14. Lessons will include tap, ballet, jazz and hip hop; and will conclude with a recital in March. Tap and ballet shoes required; Jazz shoes optional. Fees include costume(s).

MONDAYS September 19 - March 6
No class Oct. 31, Nov. 21, Dec. 26, Jan. 2 & Feb. 20

4:30 - 5:15 pm 6-8 yrs.
#1165.1216 Tap & Ballet
5:25 - 6:10 pm 4-5 yrs.
#1166.1216 Tap & Ballet
6:15 - 7:00 pm 10+ yrs.
#1167.1216 Advanced Tap & Ballet**
7:05 - 7:50 pm 10+ yrs.
#1168.1216 Advanced Jazz & Hip Hop**

***Advanced classes' enrollment by recommendation of instructor or minimum of 3 years of prior dance experience. Please call the Recreation Supervisor at 339-4097 before enrolling if you are new to the program. Please note: advanced classes perform in both recitals.*

WEDNESDAYS September 28 - March 8
No class Nov. 23, Dec. 21 & 28

10:30-11:00 am 3-4 yrs.
#1171.1216 Pre-Tap & Ballet*
**Held at the Community Center, Pine Rm.*
4:30 - 5:00 pm 3-4 yrs.
#1169.1216 Pre-Tap & Ballet
5:10 - 5:55 pm 4-5 yrs.
#1160.1216 Tap & Ballet
6:05 - 6:50 pm 6-8 yrs.
#1170.1216 Tap & Jazz
7:00 - 7:45 pm 7-14 yrs.
#1172.1216 Jazz & Hip Hop

THURSDAYS September 29 - March 9
No class Nov. 24, Dec. 22 & 29

4:30 - 5:15 pm 9+ yrs.
#1161.1216 Intermediate Tap & Ballet
5:20 - 6:05 pm 7-14 yrs.
#1162.1216 Intermediate Jazz & Hip Hop

Location: De Pere High School Resource Rm.
Use door #13 from teacher's parking lot on the west side of the high school.

Fee: \$143 Res / \$158 Non-Res
Pre-Tap & Ballet Fee:
\$119 Res / \$134 Non-Res
Costume fee included.



Twirl Team

This exciting dance class will explore many aspects of the sport of baton twirling such as finger twirls, rolls, tosses, and spins along with learning formations, transitions and ribbon twirling. We'll have fun dancing with ribbons/batons and enjoying the many tricks that can be done as well as work on the progression of skills and the confidence to perform. Participants will showcase their skills at a high school basketball game and the season-ending performance. *Costume fee included. Purchase of a baton and ribbon stix required.*



TUESDAYS September 27 - March 7
No class Nov. 22, Dec. 20 & 27

Twirl Team Jr.
#1191.1216 **5:00 - 5:40 pm** 5-9 yrs.

Twirl Team Sr.
#1192.1216 **5:50 - 6:30 pm** 7+ yrs.

Location: De Pere Middle School Auditoria Stage; enter through door #1

Fee: \$136 Res / \$151 Non-Res
Costume fee included.

**An additional fee of \$31 is required at registration time for the purchase of a baton & ribbon stick. If you already own all of these items from previous classes the additional fee is not required. Replacement items are available: Baton \$15, Ribbon \$8, Wand \$8, Practice Caps \$5.*

Pom & Dance

In this popular program, two fun pom & dance routines will be taught. Emphasis will be on technique, turns, leaps, kicks, formations, transitions and teamwork. Excellent class for any dancer considering auditioning for a dance team in the future! Program includes performances at a high school basketball game and in the season-ending recital. Fee includes new performance leotard.



***An additional fee of \$26 is required for show poms. Fee is not required if you already own the poms from a previous season.*

THURSDAYS September 29 - March 9
No class Nov. 24, Dec. 22 & 29

#1210.1216 **5:15 - 5:55 pm** 5-6 yrs.
#1211.1216 **6:00 - 6:40 pm** 7-8 yrs.
#1212.1216 **6:45 - 7:25 pm** 9+ yrs.

SATURDAYS September 24 - March 4
No class Oct. 29, Nov. 26, Dec. 24 & 31

#1213.1216 **9:00 - 9:45 am** 6th-8th gr.

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$110 Res / \$125 Non-Res
Costume fee included.

Youth - Adult Programs

Social Dance

Looking for a fun activity to do with your spouse or friend? Try Ballroom Dancing! It's a stimulating activity both physically and mentally and provides a common goal that promotes a sense of accomplishment as you learn different dances and moves. So come join us once a week for an opportunity to share a great experience with a friend or a weekly date night as a couple. Participants 16 years & older must sign up with a partner! *If you do not have a partner, please call our office at 339-4097 to be put on an interest list.*

Ballroom: Two dances will be learned spending 5 weeks on each one. The dances chosen will be two of the following: Swing, Waltz, Rhumba, ChaCha.

TUESDAYS 7:30 - 8:30 pm
#2131.1216 Sept. 20 - Nov. 22

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$40 Res / \$55 Non-Res
\$30 Senior Citizen Res

Semi-Private: This 5-week class is tailored to your needs. The class is limited to 6 people to focus on the needs of the individual couple. In class we will decide the dances students would like to work on and will help advance their ability and knowledge of the dance. The list of dances include: Swing, Waltz, Rhumba, ChaCha, Tango, Samba.

WEDNESDAYS 7:30 - 8:30 pm
#2132.1216 Sept. 21 - Oct. 19
#2132.2216 Oct. 26 - Nov. 30
No class Nov. 23

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$37 Res / \$52 Non-Res
\$28 Senior Citizen Res



Non-Residents

Please Note!

When registering for any Tai Chi or Tae Kwon Do classes a discount may apply. If signing up for 2 days per week within the same class and session, contact the Community Center at 339-4097.

Tai Chi

Tai Chi is a low-impact, weight-bearing and aerobic, yet relaxing, exercise with its origins as a Chinese martial art. Practiced in a variety of styles, Tai Chi involves slow, gentle movements, deep breathing, meditation and Qigong exercise. This class will improve the flow of energy through the body, leading to a wide range of potential benefits such as improved strength, conditioning, coordination, flexibility, reduced pain and stiffness, better balance and lower risk of falls, enhanced sleep, greater awareness, calmness and an overall sense of well-being.



TUESDAYS 9:00 - 9:45 am 13+ yrs.
#4021.1216 June 7 - July 19

No class July 5
#4021.2216 July 26 - August 30
#4021.3216 Sept. 6 - Oct. 18
#4021.4216 Oct. 25 - Dec. 13
No class Nov. 22

FRIDAYS 9:00 - 9:45 am 13+ yrs.
#4022.1216 June 10 - July 22

No class July 1
#4022.2216 July 29 - Sept. 2
#4022.3216 Sept. 9 - Oct. 21
#4022.4216 Oct. 28 - Dec. 16
No class Nov. 25

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$21 Res / \$36 Non Res
\$16 Senior Citizen Res

6-week: \$18 Res / \$33 Non Res
\$14 Senior Citizen Res

Parkour

Parkour is a newly growing activity that teaches participants to run faster, jump farther and climb higher by using the location and environment around them as the training ground. Known as the Art of Movement, class benefits include functional strength, physical conditioning, balance, creativity, control and looking beyond the traditional use of objects.

MONDAYS 10:00 - 11:00 am 8+ yrs.
#1621.1216 June 6 - July 18

No class July 4
#1621.2216 July 25 - August 29

4:30 - 5:30 pm 8+ yrs.
#1622.1216 June 6 - July 18

No class July 4
#1622.2216 July 25 - August 29

VFW Park

Fee: \$29 Res / \$44 Non-Res

MONDAYS 4:30 - 5:30 pm 8+ yrs.
#1623.1216 Sept. 12 - Oct. 24

VFW Park

Fee: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res

Little Ninjas

Watch your child improve their basic motor and listening skills and have fun while doing so. This class will focus on building teamwork, memory, balance, control, discipline, coordination and fitness. It will help prepare your little Ninja for Tae Kwon Do in a fun and motivating way.

MONDAYS 6:00 - 6:30 pm 5-6 yrs.
#1085.1216 June 6 - July 18

No class July 4
#1085.2216 July 25 - August 29
#1085.3216 Sept. 12 - Oct. 24
#1085.4216 Nov. 7 - Dec. 19

Location: Community Center, Spruce/Pine Rms.

Fee: \$19 Res / \$34 Non-Res

6-week: \$17 Res / \$32 Non-Res

Tae Kwon Do

Participants will learn discipline, respect and self-defense in this ancient martial art class. Tae Kwon Do promotes self-control, balance coordination, concentration and self-esteem. This is a limited contact activity. Participants should wear loose fitting clothing. *Participants must be at least 7 years of age.*



MONDAYS 6:35 - 7:35 pm 7+ yrs.
#3051.1216 June 6 - July 18

No class July 4
#3051.2216 July 25 - August 29
#3051.3216 Sept. 12 - Oct. 24
#3051.4216 Nov. 7 - Dec. 19

Location: Community Center, Spruce/Pine Rms.

THURSDAYS 6:30 - 7:30 pm 7+ yrs.
#3052.1216 June 9 - July 21

No class July 7
#3052.2216 July 28 - Sept. 1
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

#3052.3216 Sept. 8 - Oct. 20
#3052.4216 Oct. 27 - Dec. 15
No class Nov. 24

Location: De Pere High School Resource Rm. Use door #13 from teacher's parking lot on the west side of the high school.

Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res

6-week: \$23 Res / \$38 Non-Res



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Sports Programs

Tennis

We offer youth tennis lessons and programs for all ages and skills. Sessions run twice a week for 3 weeks. In case of inclement weather or cancelled classes, whenever possible, make-up classes will be held on Friday mornings. 10 & Under Tennis offered at both VFW and Legion Park Tennis Courts. All other tennis programs are held at Legion Park Tennis Courts. Our Tennis League is held once a week on Tuesday evenings throughout the summer at Legion Park Tennis Courts.

Youth 10 & Under: 10 & Under Tennis is a new approach to introducing kids to tennis: kid-sized courts and kid-sized equipment. Balls are lower in compression; they bounce lower and don't move as fast so they are easier to hit. Racquets are sized for small hands, and the courts are smaller and easier to cover. The basic philosophy behind 10 & Under Tennis is for kids to have fun learning and playing tennis. Racquets are provided. Ages 5-10.

Youth Beginner: For youth just beginning tennis. A fun, engaging class to teach the fundamentals of tennis including hand-eye coordination, simple strokes, basic rules, and sportsmanship. Student must bring own racquet.

Youth Intermediate: For youth with some tennis experience. Students will continue to improve on the form taught in the Beginner lessons. Players will also begin to learn: basic rules of the game, to keep score, make shot decisions, and continue developing sportsmanship. Student must bring own racquet.

Youth Advanced: For players who want to play competitively. Students will learn how to hit with power and consistency. Match play is the primary focus of the class.

Adult Beginner - NEW: For adults of all skill levels. Adults will learn the fundamentals of tennis, including stroke production, court position, scoring, and the rules to be able to enjoy the game on their own.

Adult Intermediate - NEW: For adults with some tennis experience. Adults will continue to improve their skills while also reviewing the basic strokes, court movement and footwork.

	MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS			TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS		
	Sess. 1	June 13 - June 29		Sess. 1	June 14 - June 30	
	Sess. 2	July 11 - July 27		Sess. 2	July 12 - July 28	
	Sess. 3	August 1 - August 17		Sess. 3	August 2 - August 18	
Youth 10 & Under	\$20 Res / \$35 Non-Res		Park	Sess. 1	Sess. 2	Sess. 3
M/W	10:15 - 10:45 am		Legion	#1044.1216	#1044.2216	#1044.3216
M/W	12:00 - 12:30 pm		Legion	#1040.1216	#1040.2216	#1040.3216
M/W	5:30 - 6:00 pm		Legion	#1050.1216	#1050.2216	#1050.3216
T/TH	9:00 - 9:30 am		Legion	#1041.1216	#1041.2216	#1041.3216
T/TH	9:45 - 10:15 am		Legion	#1042.1216	#1042.2216	#1042.3216
T/TH	9:15 - 9:45 am		VFW	#1054.1216	#1054.2216	#1054.3216
T/TH	10:00 - 10:30 am		VFW	#1055.1216	#1055.2216	#1055.3216
Youth Beginner	\$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res					
M/W	9:15 - 10:00 am		Legion	#1043.1216	#1043.2216	#1043.3216
T/TH	10:30 - 11:15 am		Legion	#1045.1216	#1045.2216	#1045.3216
T/TH	4:30 - 5:15 pm		Legion	#1046.1216	#1046.2216	#1046.3216
Youth Intermediate	\$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res					
M/W	11:00 - 11:45 am		Legion	#1047.1216	#1047.2216	#1047.3216
M/W	4:30 - 5:15 pm		Legion	#1048.1216	#1048.2216	#1048.3216
T/TH	11:30 - 12:15 pm		Legion	#1049.1216	#1049.2216	#1049.3216
Youth Advanced	\$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res					
T/TH	5:30 - 6:15 pm		Legion	#1056.1216	#1056.2216	#1056.3216
Adult Beginner	\$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res					
M/W	6:15 - 7:00 pm		Legion	#2101.1216	#2101.2216	#2101.3216
Adult Intermediate	\$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res					
M/W	7:15 - 8:00 pm		Legion	#2102.1216	#2102.2216	#2102.3216

Youth Tennis Tournament

The Parks and Recreation Department and the De Pere Kiwanis Club jointly sponsor the annual Youth Tennis Tournament this year held at the De Pere High School Tennis Courts. The singles age categories in boys' and girls' divisions are 12 & under, 14 & under 16 & under and 18 & under, and a single open doubles division. Tournament match times will be determined based on the amount of participants and will be scheduled throughout the day and early evening on Monday and Tuesday, July 25 and 26. *(Time slots will not conflict with those in our tennis lessons.)* All participants receive a t-shirt and division champions receive a trophy. Registration forms and additional information will be available online at www.de-pere.org, at the De Pere Community Center or through the Park and Rec tennis instructors. **Registration deadline is Wednesday, July 20 at 4:30 pm.**

MONDAY & TUESDAY July 25 & 26

Location: De Pere High School Tennis Courts - 1700 Chicago St.

Fee: \$12 Singles
\$16 Doubles



Tennis League

Do you want to play tennis in a competitive, yet fun environment on a regular basis? Join the De Pere Park & Rec Tennis League! Participants, 14 years and older, will be matched based on skill level for eight weekly matches.

TUESDAYS June 14 - August 9
No class July 5

#3131.1216 **6:30 - 7:30 pm**

Location: Legion Park

Fee: \$19 Res / \$34 Non-Res
\$14 Senior Citizen Res

Sports Programs & Leagues

Adult Softball

Summer Leagues

The Park & Recreation Department offers various adult leagues during the summer: **Men's 12" & 14" Slowpitch and Coed Slowpitch Leagues.** Although team deadlines are in March, players may still be added to these teams through the first half of the season. Games are played **Monday - Thursday evenings at Legion & VFW Parks.**

Softball Tournaments

Multiple organizations will sponsor softball tournaments this year at parks throughout the city. The proceeds benefit various charities and organizations in our community. For more information on the tournaments listed below, please contact the Parks & Recreation Department.



Mystery Ball Tournament June 3 - 5 @ Legion Park

De Pere Knights of Columbus Buggy Coed Softball Tournament June 24 - 26 @ Optimist Park

De Pere Rotary/Pink Flamingo Classic 14" Slowpitch Tournament July 15 - 17 @ Legion Park

Fall League

Men's 12" Slowpitch Softball League season begins on **Tuesday, August 23rd.** Games are played on Tuesday evenings at VFW Park. Registration information and team packets will be available online and at the De Pere Community Center beginning June 27th.

Registration begins:

MONDAY July 18

Registration ends:

FRIDAY August 5

Team Fee: \$127/team

Player Fee: \$20 Res / \$42 Non-Res

Coed Adult Kickball League

The coed kickball league season begins on **Sunday, June 5th.** Games are played on Sunday evenings at VFW Park. Registration information and team packets will be available online and at the De Pere Community Center beginning April 18th.

Registration begins:

MONDAY May 2

Registration ends:

FRIDAY May 20

Team Fee: \$127/team

Player Fee: \$20 Res / \$42 Non-Res



Youth Flag Football League



This fall we will be offering the youth flag football program for boys and girls who are entering grades 1st - 4th for the 2016-2017 school year.

Our flag football program is designed to develop skills and an understanding of the game while emphasizing participation and sportsmanship. The Parks & Recreation Department will randomly assign players to teams. **Registration deadline is Friday, August 19th in person, Sunday August 21st online.**

SATURDAYS Sept. 10 - Oct. 29

Games are scheduled on the hour between 9:00 am - 12:00 pm. Team schedules will be mailed out 1 week before the season starts.

Jim Martin Park

#1071.1216 1st & 2nd Grade
#1072.1216 3rd & 4th Grade

Westwood School

#1073.1216 1st & 2nd Grade
#1074.1216 3rd & 4th Grade

Fee: \$39 Res / \$54 Non Res

*Fee includes a printed t-shirt. Adult coaches are needed for each team prior to the start of the season; call 339-4097 if interested. A coaches meeting will be held on **Wednesday, Sept. 7th at the Community Center.***

Pee Wee Flag Football

Kindergarteners come join us for 6 fun Saturday mornings where recreation staff and volunteers teach the basics of flag football. Participants must be in 5K to enroll.

**SATURDAYS Sept. 10 - Oct. 15
9:00 - 9:45 am**

#1075.1216 **Jim Martin Park**
#1076.1216 **Westwood School**

Fee: \$25 Res / \$40 Non-Res

Punt, Pass & Kick Contest

Be sure to join us for the annual De Pere Knights of Columbus Punt, Pass & Kick Contest this fall. The competition is held at Westwood Elementary athletic fields. Best of all, the event is FREE!! Just stop over before or after your game. Event is open to boys and girls 7-12 years old.

**SATURDAY September 17
9:00 - 11:15 am**

Location: Westwood School



Learn to Skate Program

Come skate with us! Our US Figure Skating Basic Skills Program is for all ages and abilities. Thursday evening and Saturday morning classes, September - May. Summer classes available on Wednesday evenings. Classes are held at the De Pere Ice Arena. Visit the website for more information:



www.greatergreenbayfsc.com

call (920) 655-3824 or e-mail

learntosk8@greatergreenbayfsc.com.

De Pere Youth Hockey

The De Pere Youth Hockey Association teaches skills in skating, stick-handling, positioning, team-building and sportsmanship. Teams will be forming in October for boys and girls. To register, visit www.depereyouthhockey.org.

E-mail questions to

dpyhassoc@yahoo.com.

Ages: Boys and girls 7-14 yrs.

Season: October - March

Days: Varies by team level



Summer Hockey Program

For more information, dates and times for the summer hockey program and to register, visit the website at: www.depereyouthhockey.org.

Hockey Initiation Program

For details and to register, visit the website, www.depereyouthhockey.org. This program is designed for beginning hockey players who want to learn the basics of the game.

Try Hockey for Free

This event occurs twice a year - February and November. The event offers an opportunity to try the sport of hockey for free. Details will be posted prior to each event on the website at: www.depereyouthhockey.org.

Adult Basketball Leagues



The De Pere Adult Men's Basketball League begins on **Wednesday, October 12th.** Games are played Wednesday evenings at De Pere High School and West De Pere High School. Registration information and team packets will be available online and at the Community Center beginning August 29th.

Returning team registration begins:

MONDAY September 12

All team registration begins:

MONDAY September 19

Registration ends:

FRIDAY September 30

Team Fee: \$225 per team

Player Fee: \$37 Res / \$62 Non-Res



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Teen & Adult Fitness

Strengthen your body, your heart and your mind and improve your overall health by signing up for one or more of our many fitness classes! Consider enrolling in multiple classes to reach your fitness and wellness goals. Unless otherwise stated, classes are for participants 13 years and older. [See page 7 for our Water Fitness classes.](#)

Yoga

Stretch and strengthen your entire body in our Yoga classes! Each class includes a warm up of flowing poses, strength building poses, balancing postures and deeply relaxing poses. To meet the needs of multiple skill levels, modifications to simplify or intensify the practice will also be presented.

Morning Yoga

TUESDAYS &/or THURSDAYS		13+ yrs.
7:30 - 8:30 am		
#2001.1216	T	May 31 - July 12
#2002.1216	TH	June 2 - July 14
#2001.2216	T	July 19 - August 30
#2002.2216	TH	July 21 - Sept. 1
#2001.3216	T	Sept. 13 - Oct. 25
#2002.3216	TH	Sept. 8 - Oct. 20
#2001.4216	T	Nov. 1 - Dec. 20
<i>No class Nov. 22</i>		
#2002.4216	TH	Oct. 27 - Dec. 15
<i>No class Nov. 24</i>		

Evening Yoga

MONDAYS &/or THURSDAYS		13+ yrs.
6:30 - 7:30 pm		
#2003.1216	M	June 6 - July 18
<i>No class July 4</i>		
#2004.1216	TH	June 2 - July 21
<i>No class July 7</i>		
#2003.2216	M	July 25 - August 29
#2004.2216	TH	July 28 - Sept. 1
#2003.3216	M	Sept. 12 - Oct. 24
#2004.3216	TH	Sept. 8 - Oct. 20
#2003.4216	M	Nov. 7 - Dec. 19
#2004.4216	TH	Oct. 27 - Dec. 15
<i>No class Nov. 24</i>		

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$38 Res / \$53 Non-Res
\$25 Senior Citizen Res

6-week: \$33 Res / \$48 Non-Res
\$25 Senior Citizen Res

Yoga Strength

This new class is designed for everyone and focuses on incorporating your mind-body connection through yoga into a resistance-based strength class. Yoga Strength offers the opportunity to expand your flexibility, strength and fitness through a variety of sequences, sun salutations and poses with or without resistance props. A great mid-day activity for the mind, body and movement!

WEDNESDAYS	12:00 - 12:45 pm	13+ yrs.
#2071.1216	Sept. 7 - Oct. 19	
#2071.2216	Oct. 26 - Dec. 14	
<i>No class July 6</i>		

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$32 Res / \$47 Non-Res
\$24 Senior Citizen Res

Chair Flow Yoga

This class combines a variety of strength building and stretching exercises to increase muscular endurance and flexibility while creatively using a chair for balance and support. The workout is gentle on joints, and suits seniors or those with mobility difficulties, arthritis, or joint injuries. Class provides options to challenge even the most avid exerciser. Small hand-held weighted balls are incorporated to build upper body strength and heart-healthy relaxation poses will leave you feeling energized.

THURSDAYS	8:45 - 9:30 am	13+ yrs.
#4011.1216	Sept. 8 - Oct. 20	
#4011.2216	Oct. 27 - Dec. 15	
<i>No class Nov. 24</i>		

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$40 Res / \$55 Non-Res
\$30 Senior Citizen Res

Family Yoga

Yoga is a great activity that you can do with your child no matter what age! Ensuring great bonding time, we'll learn basic yoga poses, practice partner yoga, and learn various breathing techniques all while building confidence and self-esteem, as well as improving strength and flexibility. Share this lifelong activity together to help keep your body healthy! **Children 5-12 years must be accompanied by an adult. Fee is per participant. Families receive a 25% discount beginning with your 3rd family enrollee.**

THURSDAYS	5:30 - 6:15 pm	5+ yrs.
#3071.1216	Sept. 8 - Oct. 20	
#3071.2216	Oct. 27 - Dec. 15	
<i>No class Nov. 24</i>		

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res
\$20 Senior Citizen Res



PiYo Core

This is a unique class that combines Yoga poses and Pilates mat exercises to build CORE strength and enhance agility and balance. PiYo Core is a body conditioning routine that not only helps build flexibility and long, lean muscles but also strength and endurance in the legs, abdominals, arms, hips and back. Sign up for this fun and challenging workout!

WEDNESDAYS	5:30 - 6:15 pm	13+ yrs.
#3091.1216	W	June 1 - July 20
<i>No class July 6</i>		
#3091.2216	W	July 27 - August 31

MONDAYS &/or WEDNESDAYS	
#3092.1216	M Sept. 12 - Oct. 24
#3091.3216	W Sept. 7 - Oct. 19
#3092.2216	M Nov. 7 - Dec. 19
#3091.4216	W Oct. 26 - Dec. 14
<i>No class Nov. 23</i>	

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$32 Res / \$47 Non-Res
\$24 Senior Citizen Res

6-week: \$28 Res / \$43 Non-Res
\$21 Senior Citizen Res

FREE Fitness Preview Days

Curious about trying a new fitness class? If so, come to our FREE preview days at the De Pere Community Center where 15-minute segments will be taught of each of the featured classes: Zumba, Zumba Gold, Yoga, Yoga Strength, Little Yogis, Family Yoga, Chair Flow Yoga, Tai Chi, PiYo Core, 20/20/20, Hooping & Recess Revolution. Some segments may be taught outdoors. Staff will be on hand to discuss fitness regimens, nutrition and Q&A about their classes. Registration materials will also be available. Donations to the Recreation Scholarship Fund appreciated. Additional information and fitness segments schedule will be available on our website, www.de-pere.org in June.

TUESDAY, August 23 8:30 - 10:30 am
Morning Yoga, Tai Chi, Chair Flow Yoga, Zumba Gold, Yoga Strength & Little Yogis

WEDNESDAY, August 24 5:30 - 7:45 pm
Family Yoga, Hooping, Zumba, Yoga, PiYo Core, 20/20/20 & Recess Revolution

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm. & Outdoors

*Tai Chi
is being offered at the
De Pere
Community Center!*

Tai Chi is a low impact, weight-bearing, and aerobic - yet relaxing - exercise with its origins as a Chinese martial art. A great class to enhance your physical and mental health!

See page 15 for more information.

Zumba



Zumba® fuses Latin rhythms with easy-to-follow international dance moves to create an energetic workout like no other. You'll achieve long-term benefits while experiencing an absolute blast in one exciting class of calorie-burning, body-energizing, awe-inspiring movements meant to engage and captivate for life!

MONDAY &/or WEDNESDAY 13+ yrs.

6:30 - 7:15 pm

#3061.1216 M **June 6 - July 18**

No class July 4

#3063.1216 W **June 1 - July 20**

No class July 6

#3061.2216 M **July 25 - August 29**

#3063.2216 W **July 27 - August 31**

Aug. 24 class held at CC, Spruce Rm., lower level

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

MONDAY &/or THURSDAY 13+ yrs.

6:30 - 7:15 pm

#3061.3216 M **Sept. 12 - Oct. 24**

#3062.1216 TH **Sept. 8 - Oct. 20**

#3061.4216 M **Nov. 7 - Dec. 19**

#3062.2216 TH **Oct. 27 - Dec. 15**

Nov. 17 class held at CC, Spruce Rm., lower level,

No class Nov. 24

Location: Dickinson School Commons

WEDNESDAYS 13+ yrs.

6:30 - 7:15 pm

#3063.3216 W **Sept. 7 - Oct. 19**

#3063.4216 W **Oct. 26 - Dec. 14**

No class Nov. 23

Location: West De Pere High School Multi-Purpose Rm.

Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res

\$20 Senior Citizen Res

6-week: \$24 Res / \$39 Non-Res

\$18 Senior Citizen Res



Recess Revolution

Feeling a little burnt out on your regular fitness routine? Try Recess Revolution, a new fusion class that offers calorie burning, muscle sculpting and total body conditioning in a recess-inspired fun atmosphere. From old school playground games, to killer sports drills and physical fitness challenges straight from your memories of gym class, this course will deliver you from humdrum to heave-ho in no time.

WEDNESDAYS 6:30 - 7:15 pm 13+ yrs.

#2081.1216 **Sept. 7 - Oct. 19**

#2081.2216 **Oct. 26 - Dec. 14**

No class Nov. 23

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res

\$20 Senior Citizen Res

Zumba Gold

The Zumba Gold® Fitness program creates a party-like atmosphere that is easy to learn and is great for the mind, body and soul. It provides modified, low-impact moves in an easy-to-follow program that lets you move to the beat at your own speed and leaves you feeling fresh, and most of all, exhilarated! Active older adults want camaraderie, excitement and fitness as a regular part of their weekly schedule and the Zumba Gold® fitness program, a specialty course designed to make baby boomers boogie, is the perfect fit! It's the dance/fitness class that is friendly, fun and great for all ages and genders.

WEDNESDAYS 8:45 - 9:30 am

#4031.1216 W **June 1 - July 20**

No class July 6

#4031.2216 W **July 27 - August 31**

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

WEDNESDAYS &/or FRIDAYS

8:45 - 9:30 am

#4031.3216 W **Sept. 7 - Oct. 19**

#4032.1216 F **Sept. 9 - Oct. 21**

#4031.4216 W **Oct. 26 - Dec. 14**

No class Nov. 23

#4032.2216 F **Oct. 28 - Dec. 16**

No class Nov. 25

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res

\$20 Senior Citizen Res

6-week: \$24 Res / \$39 Non-Res

\$18 Senior Citizen Res

Lazy Man Triathlon

Are you an iron man? Maybe? Here's a summer fitness incentive that is fun and attainable for all you iron men and iron men wanna-be's. In the month of July, you need to complete the distances associated with an ironman triathlon: **2.4 miles swimming, 112 miles biking, and 26.2 miles running.** You have the whole month to complete the challenge. You will receive your log sheet once you register for the event.

Turn in your completed log sheet no later than Wednesday, August 3rd to get your finisher's t-shirt.

Registration Deadline:

FRIDAY July 1 12+ yrs.

#2111.1216

Fee: \$11 Res / \$16 Non-Res

Included in the registration fee is your Lazy Man finisher's t-shirt.

20/20/20!

If you get bored quickly or only have 1 hour to "get it all in" then 20/20/20 is for you! This class will consist of 20 minutes of cardio moves to get your heart rate up and your body warm, then 20 minutes of strength moves mostly using our own body weight, and lastly, 20 minutes of core strength, flexibility and balance. During the summer, class will be held outdoors in VFW Park, weather permitting. Please meet in the Hickory Rm. at the Community Center on the first day of class.

TUESDAYS 6:30 - 7:30 pm 13+ yrs.

#3011.1216 **May 31 - July 19**

No class July 5

#3011.2216 **July 26 - August 30**

#3011.3216 **Sept. 6 - Oct. 18**

#3011.4216 **Oct. 25 - Dec. 13**

No class Nov. 22

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$40 Res / \$55 Non-Res

\$30 Res Senior Citizen

6-week: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res

\$26 Res Senior Citizen

Hooping & More For Your Core

Hooping provides a great cardio workout that tightens abs, tones muscles, improves balance, works range of motion with the body and



is tons of fun...so much fun that you may not realize you burn up to 8-10 calories a minute! Basic strength skills and moves are incorporated to help you sculpt and define your core muscles, using either weights or the 2 lb. weighted hula hoops. This self-paced class is great for the entire family and adaptable for all ages. **Children 7-11 years must be accompanied by a parent/guardian.**

WEDNESDAYS 5:30 - 6:15 pm 7+ yrs.

#3151.1216 **Sept. 7 - Oct. 19**

#3151.2216 **Oct. 26 - Dec. 14**

No class Nov. 23

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res

\$20 Res Senior Citizen

Non-Residents Please Note!

-When registering for any Yoga or Zumba classes a discount may apply. If signing up for 2 or 3 days per week within the same fitness class and session, contact the Community Center at 339-4097.

The City of De Pere
accepts the following forms of payment:
Cash, check, debit or credit card.

*Visa, Mastercard,
American Express or Discover*

Free online registration begins:

Wed., April 13 ~ Residents

Wed., April 20 ~ Non-Residents

Enrichment Programs

Sewing



In these six week, 3-hour classes you can learn or refine your sewing (quilting) techniques in small projects. Bring your own sewing machine and supplies. Work on your own ideas or suggested project from instructor.

TUESDAYS 12:00 – 3:00 pm
#4041.1216 **June 7 – July 19**
No class July 5
#4041.2216 **Sept. 13 – Oct. 18**
#4041.3216 **Nov. 1 – Dec. 6**

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

Fee: \$44 Res / \$59 Non-Res
\$33 Senior Citizen Res



A Painter's Paradise

Refresh or keep your painting skills alive and join this Painting Club! Whether you dabble in acrylics, oils or watercolor this is an opportunity to share ideas and expertise with each other outside of a classroom setting. Bring your paints, artwork and knowledge and spend some social painting time with us!

Reminder: There is no instructor. This is on your own. You are responsible for your own set up and clean up.

WEDNESDAYS 12:30 – 3:30 pm
#4081.1216 **June 8 – August 24**

FRIDAYS 12:30 – 3:30 pm
#4081.2216 **Sept. 9 – Dec. 2**
No class Nov. 25

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$12 Res / \$24 Non-Res
\$9 Senior Citizen Res

AARP Smart Driver Course

Since 1979, AARP Driver Safety has offered the nation's first and largest course for drivers 50+ and has helped millions of drivers stay in command of the road. This 4-hour classroom course will help you improve your driving skills, drive crash free, sustain mobility and maintain independence! After completion, you will receive a certificate good for 3 years that most insurance companies will reward with a 10% discount. *Check with your insurance company.

WEDNESDAY 8:30 am – 12:30 pm
April 27

Location: Community Center, Oak Rm.

Registration deadline Tuesday, April 26

Fall class to be determined

Fee: \$15 AARP Member
\$20 Non-Member

Make checks payable to AARP.

Fee includes all materials.

**Bring AARP card or valid driver's license to class. Register at Community Center prior or at 8:00 am day of course.*

Studio Oil Paint

Explore the basics of oil painting in this 10-week, 3-hour class. Beginner through advanced students will work on individual paintings using their choice of photo reference. Those who have never painted before will not need supplies until week two as we will go over the materials list in the first week. The instructor will assist with cropping and choosing a photo reference for a good composition. There will be help with color mixing and drawing throughout the painting process. Handouts are included.



WEDNESDAYS 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
#4061.1216 **June 8 – July 27**

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$58 Res / \$73 Non-Res
\$44 Senior Citizen Res

WEDNESDAYS 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm
#4062.1216 **Sept. 7 – Nov. 9**

THURSDAYS 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
#4063.1216 **Sept. 8 – Nov. 10**

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$73 Res / \$88 Non-Res
\$55 Senior Citizen Res

Stained Glass

Beginning students and continuing glass crafters, join us for this 6-week, 3-hour class to learn how to create or use an existing pattern for your own projects or gifts such as sun catchers, window panels, jewelry boxes and more. Most tools and equipment will be furnished to begin. All classes will be geared to all levels of skill. Come have fun and create your own art!



THURSDAYS 5:00 – 8:00 pm
#4051.1216 **June 9 – July 28**

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$61 Res / \$76 Non-Res
\$46 Senior Citizen Res

TUESDAYS 5:00 – 8:00 pm
#4052.1216 **Sept. 6 – Oct. 11**
#4052.2216 **Oct. 25 – Dec. 6**
No class Nov. 8

THURSDAYS 5:00 – 8:00 pm
#4051.2216 **Sept. 8 – Oct. 13**
#4051.3216 **Oct. 27 – Dec. 15**
No class Nov. 17 & 24

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$46 Res / \$61 Non-Res
\$35 Senior Citizen Res

City Band

The De Pere City Band is sponsored by the Parks & Recreation Department and is under the direction of Mr. Ken Petersen. Individuals with good instrumental training are welcome to join the band. Large instruments can be provided in some cases. Practices are held at the West De Pere Middle School and begin on Tuesday, May 3 from 7:30 – 9:30 pm. Admission is **FREE** for all concerts.

THURSDAYS 7:00 – 8:00 pm
Voyageur Park

June 16 *A Patriotic Salute*

June 30 *Broadway Favorites*

July 14 *Music of Wisconsin Composers*

July 28 *Big Band Favorites*

August 4 *The Brass Factory Big Band*

August 18 *March Favorites*

Concerts will be canceled if raining at 6:00 pm.
Come early and enjoy the summer evenings, the park and the music. Lawn chairs and blankets are encouraged.

Windows 10 Seminars

Are you looking to purchase a computer or already have one and want to learn more about navigating through Windows 10? If so, sign up for one or more of these informational seminars!

MONDAYS 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Location: Community Center, Oak Rm.

Fee: \$10 Res / \$20 Non-Res
\$8 Senior Citizen Res

Windows 10 Upgrade

This session is for the experienced computer user that has upgraded to Windows 10. It could be a brand new computer or a software upgrade on an existing computer. Topics include: *New Features, Start Menu Navigation, Setup Steps, Security Settings, Accessing Apps, What is Microsoft Edge.*

#4091.1216 **September 12**

My First Computer

For the beginning computer user who has recently purchased a computer with Windows 10. Topics include: *Creating a Microsoft Account, Important Setup Decisions, Security Concerns, What is the 'The Cloud', Starting and Stopping my Computer.*

#4092.1216 **September 19**

I Don't Have a Computer – What Should I Buy

For the person who doesn't have a computer but is considering making a purchase. Topics include: *What Do People Use a Computer For, What is a Computer, What is 'The Cloud', What Other Things Do I Need to Buy, How Much Do I Need to Spend, Questions & Answers.*

#4093.1216 **September 26**

Cribbage Tournament

A Partners Cribbage Tournament will be held in the Spruce Rm. on the lower level of the De Pere Community Center.

SATURDAY 12:00 pm
April 30
October 8



Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$24 per team

Registration deadline Thursday, April 28 & Oct. 6

Fee includes snacks, soda, and entrance into High Crib & High Hand. All money paid out less food costs. Minimum 20 teams. Register at the De Pere Community Center. Doors open 11:30 am.

New!

Spaghetti Luncheon & Bingo

Join the De Pere Commission on Aging for a Spaghetti Lunch and Bingo co-sponsored by Renaissance Assisted Living. Lunch will be served at 12 pm with bingo to follow.

Lunch ticket includes two bingo cards! Up to 4 additional cards can be purchased for 50¢ each.



FRIDAY May 20 12:00 pm
Lunch served at 12:00 pm with bingo to follow.

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$7 per person

Limited number of tickets to go on sale Monday, April 11 through Wednesday, May 18.

Sorry, no tickets will be sold after May 18.

New!



Chili Luncheon & Bingo

Join the De Pere Commission on Aging for a Chili Lunch and Bingo. Lunch will be served at 12 pm with bingo to follow. **Lunch ticket includes two bingo cards!** Up to 4 additional cards can be purchased for 50¢ each.

WEDNESDAY November 16 12:00 pm
Lunch served at 12:00 pm with bingo to follow.

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$7 per person

Limited number of tickets to go on sale Monday, Oct. 3 through Monday, Nov. 14.

Sorry, no tickets will be sold after Nov. 14.



Coffee and Conversation

Our Coffee and Conversation series kicks off this May at the De Pere Community Center. This will be a chance for you to meet and chat with a variety of some of our local leaders, business personnel and persons providing other community services. We invite you to join us in the sharing of information, conversation, and questions and answers with complimentary coffee!



THURSDAYS 9:30 - 10:30 am

May 12 Woodside Senior Communities
Topic: Advanced Directives

July 14 City of De Pere Mayor Walsh
Topic: City Happenings

Sept. 15 ADRC of Brown County
Topic: ADRC Programs & Services

Nov. 10 City of De Pere Fire and Police
Topic: "Remembering When" Fire & fall prevention program

Location: Community Center, Lower Level Lounge

Fee: FREE!

Friday Morning Matinees

Join us on select Friday morning's for our popular Movie Matinees! For those of you that would like to stay for lunch please call 983-1675 by 11:00 am the Thursday prior for the daily menu or to make a reservation. *Lunch is on a donation basis!*

Popcorn 50¢

For the movie of the month call 336-6054.

FRIDAYS 9:30 - 11:30 am

June 17, July 22,
August 19, September 16,
October 21, November 18

Location: Community Center, Lounge



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920-494-1238

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and a colorful

FALL

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Senior Citizen's Picnic

The De Pere Parks & Recreation Department and the Commission on Aging will be holding its annual Senior Citizen's Picnic. Booyah, hot dogs, chips, dessert and beverage will be served followed by BINGO and door prizes. Tickets on sale beginning in July. Don't miss out on all the great food and excitement!

SATURDAY August 27 12:00 pm

Doors open at 10:30 am for open cards.
Lunch served at 12:00 pm with bingo to follow.

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm. & Lounge

Fee: \$3 per person

Sorry, no tickets will be sold after Thursday, August 25. No refunds.

Donations accepted for door prizes.



Senior Programs

Weekly Activities

A variety of senior activities are offered at the De Pere Community Center, 600 Grant St., for those 60 years and over. For further information please call the Senior Program Coordinator at 336-6054.

<p>MONDAYS Lounge open for cards – 8:00 am – 12:00 pm Sheepshead – 12:00 pm Bridge – 12:15 pm Dominoes – 1:00 pm</p> <p>TUESDAYS De Pere Area Men's Club – 8:00 am Bridge – 10:00 am * Partner Cribbage – 12:30 pm <i>*Must have partner</i> Euchre – 1:00 pm</p> <p>WEDNESDAYS Lounge Open for Cards – 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Blood Pressure Checks – 10:30 – 11:30 am *Oil Painting Class – 2:00 – 4:00 pm <i>*Registered Class – Spruce Rm.</i></p>	<p>THURSDAYS Lounge open for cards – 8:00 am – 12:00 pm *Oil Painting – 9:00 am – 12:00 pm <i>*Registered Class – Spruce Rm.</i> Hand & Foot – 12:00 pm Sheepshead – 12:30 pm Bridge – 1:00 pm</p> <p>FRIDAYS Lounge Open for Cards 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Friday Morning Matinee – 9:30 am (monthly) Duplicate Bridge – 12:30 pm Dominoes – 1:00 pm</p>
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If you or your group is interested in joining us for lunch before or after your card game, please call Lori at 983-1675. RSVP one day in advance!

Nutrition Program

The Aging and Disability Resource Center of Brown County offers a nutrition program for De Pere residents who are disabled and for senior citizens, 60 years and over. Meals are delivered to homebound residents or served at the Community Center at **11:30 am, Monday thru Friday. Reservations MUST be made one day in advance by 11:00 am.** For more information please call 983-1675.



Nutrition for Older Adults

As we get older, our eating habits and needs change. Please join us for a special nutrition presentation provided by the ADRC of Brown County dietician Meghann Reetz-Norton, where she will present information on topics that will help you make good nutritional choices!

FRIDAYS 10:45 – 11:15 am
June 3 Grocery and Budget Shopping

November 11 Healthy Cooking for One
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

For those of you that would like to stay for lunch please call 983-1675 by 11 am the Thursday prior for the daily menu or to make a reservation. **Lunch is on a donation basis!**

Foot Clinic

Students from NWTC Associate Degree Nursing Program will be hosting a FREE Foot Clinic. This service provides you with basic foot care including toenail clipping, filing, and an overall check on the condition of your feet! Call 336-6054 or 339-4097 to make an appointment.

FRIDAY May 6 9:00 – 11:00 am
November date to be determined
Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.
Fee: FREE!

Wellness Programs

The following Wellness Programs are held weekly at the Community Center on the lower level:

WEDNESDAYS
10:30 am

Blood Pressure Checks

1st WEDNESDAY of every month
Health Department's health topics of the month

Location: Community Center Lower Level
Fee: FREE!



Here's To Your Health

Maintaining good health is important at any age and the more we know about our health, the better prepared we are when issues appear. Join us for this monthly program which will give you the opportunity to learn, ask and share concerns and issues, helping you create an enriched, safe and independent life! Easy-to-read handouts will be available to reinforce the information covered. For a listing of upcoming topics please call 339-4097 or 336-6054.

2nd THURSDAY of the month
9:00 - 10:00 am

Location: Community Center, Oak Rm.
Fee: FREE!

Fitness Classes for Seniors!

The De Pere Parks & Recreation Dept. offers a variety of fitness classes appropriate for seniors: Yoga, Chair Flow Yoga, Tai Chi, Zumba Gold & Water Aerobics! See pages 7, 15, 18 & 19 for more information.

Alzheimer Support Group

A Support Group for family and friends of persons dealing with Alzheimer's will be held the first Monday of each month at the De Pere Community Center. Jean Howard of the Brown County Alzheimer Association leads this group, which offers sharing, support and information.

MONDAYS 5:30 - 6:30 pm
June 6, July 11,
August 1, September 12,
October 3, November 7,
December 5

Location: Community Center, Oak Rm.
Fee: FREE!

Grief Support

Dealing with grief is a challenge and you do not have to do it alone. If you have experienced any type of loss, such as a death of a loved one, a divorce, a child moving away, loss of a home or job, or loss of independence, we encourage you to attend our free support group for those in need of sharing and support. Grief is a life-long journey. Join us in partnership with Shana Atkinson and Interim Healthcare to help you along your way.

MONDAYS 5:30 – 6:30 pm
June 13, July 11,
August 8, September 12,
October 10, November 7,
December 5

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.
Fee: FREE!

Park Rules & Ordinances

The City of De Pere Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department has developed a number of park rules and ordinances that we hope will make your park visit a positive experience. Your cooperation in abiding by these rules during your park visit is greatly appreciated.

- ◆ Park hours are from 6:00 am – 11:00 pm. Exception: Voyageur Park hours are 4:00 am – 11:00 pm.
- ◆ **Dogs and other animals are not permitted in any parks (except East River Trail, Dog Park, Voyageur Park, or as part of the Goose Patrol Program. Dogs must be leashed and waste removed.)**
- ◆ Vehicles permitted only on designated roads and parking areas. Speed limit is 15 miles per hour.
- ◆ Glass containers are not allowed in any park.
- ◆ Open shelters are available to the general public. If a shelter is rented to an individual and/or group, preference for the use of that shelter is then given to this individual and/or group.

These are the most common rules. For a complete listing of all park ordinances contact the Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department at (920) 339-4065.

Parks & Facilities Rental Fees

Non-Revenue Generating Organizations & De Pere Service Groups

Any Revenue Generating Organizations

Softball/Baseball Fields (per field)

\$60/day with lights

\$120/day; +\$25 for lights

Soccer/Football Fields (per field)

\$35/day with lights

\$57/day; +\$25 for lights

Tennis Courts (battery of 3 courts)

\$30/day

\$120/day

Boat Launches (ramps open to public)

\$60/day

\$120/day


Parks (*Only Fairgrounds, Legion, VFW & Voyageur Parks*)

\$180/day; shelters extra

\$360/day; shelters extra

Swimming Pools

Contact Recreation Dept. at 339-4097 for availability and rates

Park Name	Activity																
		Ball Diamond	Basketball Court	Boat Ramp	Concession Stand	Fishing	Football Field	Hockey/Skating	Picnic Area	Playground	Restrooms	Shelter	Sledding Hill	Soccer Field	Swimming Pool	Trail	Tennis Courts
Bomier St. Boat Launch				*		*			*	*	*				*		
Braiser			*					*	*	*	*		*				
Carney								*	*								
Fairgrounds / Perkofski Boat Launch				*		*		*	*	*	*						
Fox Point Boat Launch				*		*		*	*	*					*		
Jim Martin		*	*					*	*	*			*				*
Kelly Danen		*			*			*	*	*							
Kiwanis					*			*	*			*	*				
Lawton								*	*								
Legion		*	*		*			*	*	*	*			*		*	*
Lions Trailside												*			*		
Nature Centre								*			*						
Optimist		*	*		*		*	*	*	*	*		*				
Patriot			*					*	*	*	*		*				
Rainbow								*	*								
Riverwalk						*									*		
Rotary								*	*		*						
Rusk								*									
Samantha									*								
Southwest Park		*			*					*	*		*				
The Preserve															*		
VFW		*	*		*			*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Voyageur						*		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
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Wilcox								*	*								
Willems								*	*								
Wilson								*	*								

Parkway Tree Pruning or Removal

The De Pere Forestry Department will perform all pruning and removal of parkway trees. Parkway trees are all trees that fall within the City right-of-way (those that are between the curb and the back of the sidewalk or where it would be located). Pruning will take place either at the time of planting (typically only broken or damaged limbs will be removed), upon the request of a property owner, on a periodic pruning cycle or as the need is determined by the City (i.e. branches are a hazard). Though the trees may look different, please be assured that our crewmembers are trained and have an action plan when they approach a tree. Removal requests are evaluated by the City Forester. Trees also are periodically evaluated by City staff and may be targeted for removal. Homeowners are notified and advised of their options.

The City of De Pere will not “top” trees on any City property and it is likewise not advised that any other individual or company partake in such a practice. Topping a tree opens the tree to insect and disease attacks, causes severe internal decay and structural problems and reduces the trees ability to manufacture stored root reserves. This practice is extremely detrimental to all trees and does not follow the natural growth habits of the plants. Please consult the City Forester about any pruning or removal questions for City owned trees or about your own trees.

Boat Launches

Annual stickers can be purchased at the De Pere Parks & Recreation Department Office, 925 S. Sixth St. or City Hall, 1st floor, 335 S. Broadway. Launches are open from 4:00 am – 11:00 pm.



A daily fee of \$5 is required or an annual sticker may be purchased for \$30. City of De Pere boat launches are listed below.

Boat Launch	Ramps	Address
Bomier St.	1	700 Fox River Dr.
Fox Point	6	1075 N. Broadway
Perkofski	6	1500 Fort Howard

Thank you for your interest in using the Fox River and please have a fun and safe boating season!

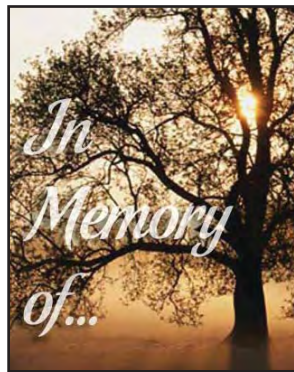
Parkway Tree Planting Program

Our spring tree planting orders were taken until March 25th. Our fall orders will be taken mid-August thru the end of September and the tree species and varieties will be determined at that time. Further information can be obtained by calling the Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department at 339-8362 or it can be accessed on the City's website at www.de-pere.org. During the above dates, the form for ordering trees will be available on that website.

It should be noted that De Pere has an ordinance limiting homeowner plantings in the terrace or on any City right-of-way and requires you to fill out a ROW Planting Permit. If you have a question or concern, please contact the City Forester for clarification.

Memorial Tree Planting Program

The City of De Pere has a program that lets you honor a special person or persons through the living gift of a tree. You can request to “donate” a tree or trees that would be planted in the park of your choice as a memorial. For more details of this program, please call the City Forester at 920-339-8362.



Goose Patrol Program

The City has a program that allows residents to help control geese in specific parks. This program allows you to take your dog into one of these parks to harass the geese. The participant will need a permit and a vest for their dog to participate. Please contact the Parks, Recreation and Forestry Department at 339-4065 for further details.



Geese

Compost Facility Hours 2016

The compost facility is open seven days a week from dawn to dusk. There are designated bins for permitted items at the site. No plastic bags are allowed to be left with your material. The facility is a service provided for City of De Pere and Town of Ledgeview residents only.

Directions to Compost Site

Take Broadway (Hwy. PP south; go under the overpass and past Legends Bar on Hwy PP. Continue south on Hwy PP, past Valley Cabinets. Turn Right onto Rockland Road just south of De Pere Veterinary Service. Go past Mommaerts Auto Salvage, the compost site is on the same side of the road as Mommaerts.

Wood Chips / Compost Mulch

The use of wood chips can be very important in maintaining healthy, attractive yard plantings such as trees, shrubs and flower beds. Wood chips/compost mulch, as they become available, will be placed at the Compost Facility on Rockland Road. All materials are **FREE** of charge. The one stipulation is that you must provide your own container and take only what you need.

Dog Park

- Have you been to the City's newest park yet?
- Our Dog Park, located in the West Side Industrial Park at 1400 Biotech Way, has become very popular since its opening in August of 2011. In Sept. our volunteer group held the fourth annual Fall Tail Gate Party to mark the anniversary of the park.
- Since its inception we have added water for humans and pets, new trails, benches, black top parking lot, a concrete walk into the large dog area and other small upgrades to enhance the experience. We will also be erecting a new open air shelter for users to enjoy! We welcome you to stop out and enjoy our fenced in facility.
- The dog park has many options for providing financial support, ranging from simple donations at the “donation box” to naming rights for larger donations. All of the donations go directly into an isolated fund that is to be used for future improvements. Please contact the Parks, Recreation and Forestry Department with any questions you have about financially supporting the future of the De Pere Dog Park. We can be reached at 339-8362 or through e-mail at dmelichar@mail.de-pere.org. You can also check on the progress of the park and the efforts of our volunteer committee at www.deperedogpark.com or on facebook at www.facebook.com/pages/De-Pere-Dog-Park/162942313767824

Emerald Ash Borer

In spring of 2012 the City of Green Bay found an infestation of EAB in the same area that a single adult was found in 2009. Once located and confirmed, many trees were removed in the hopes of containing the population. What does that mean for De Pere? It means more planning, scouting, bark peeling (to look for signs of the insect) and trying to get the word out to residents. We have also been involved with regional planning and education efforts since then to make sure departments and residents alike are aware of signs, symptoms and possible outcomes of EAB. The City of De Pere Forestry Department completed a local EAB Management Plan in 2013 and we will continue to work on a regional Plan with other programs. The main focus of these management plans will be to provide common policies and information dissemination.

What does this mean for you? Research has shown that if an infestation breaks out within 15 miles of your property you may reasonably choose to treat your trees. There are numerous options available to you. You can treat yourself with various products or you can have a professional treat your trees. You may also choose to do nothing. The choice is yours.



Emerald Ash Borer

EAB is a small, brilliant green beetle about the same size as our native Bronze Birch Borer (which attacks and kills white birch). These adults lay eggs on the bark of ash trees. Upon hatching, the tiny larvae bore under the bark and begin feeding in the cambial (the transport system) layer of the tree. These larvae feed in winding serpentine patterns under the bark, essentially girdling the trees as they go. Upon maturing, the adult exits the bark forming a distinctive "D" shaped exit hole. Signs to look for include bark cracking, crown dieback, heavy woodpecker activity and sprouts on the trunk of the tree. It usually takes 2 - 5 years for the tree to fully show damage from EAB. Unfortunately, many of these signs are also indicative of other diseases and insects that already infect our ash. If you suspect that you may have this insect, please contact your City Forester, a County horticulture agent, a DNR Forest Health Specialist or by emailing the Dept of Ag at DATCPEmeraldAshBorer@wisconsin.gov. You can also learn more about EAB at one of the many websites devoted to this devastating insect. Wisconsin's website is a very good reference for all: www.emeraldashborer.wi.gov/ or another good one is www.emeraldashborer.info.

Dutch Elm Disease & Oak Wilt

Dutch Elm Disease and Oak Wilt continue to be killers of our American elm and many varieties of oak. DED never went away and Oak Wilt is only a short distance away from De Pere. **As a landowner, you can help prevent or slow down the spread of these diseases by not pruning either species from April 1 to Sept. 1.** If your tree is dying or dies from one of these diseases, the City of De Pere has an ordinance that declares them a nuisance and requires them to be removed in a timely fashion or an abatement procedure could be started. Please help us control these fatal diseases with timing and sanitation.



Tree with Dutch Elm Disease

Arboricultural Specifications Manual

Our arboricultural specifications manual helps the City of De Pere to manage and maintain all trees located upon City grounds. It can also serve as a guide to homeowners and professionals alike. For a copy of this manual you can either access it in the Forestry section of the City of De Pere website or you can contact the City Forester.

For any questions, concerns or comments on these or any other forestry related topics, please contact the City Forester at 339-8362.

Gypsy Moths

Gypsy Moths can be a destructive pest of many of our trees and shrubs in De Pere. Oak trees, unfortunately, are a favorite of the Gypsy Moth and therefore many of our control efforts continue to focus on areas of high populations of these magnificent trees.



Gypsy Moth

The City of De Pere Forestry Department continues to monitor and help control gypsy moth in De Pere. Egg mass oiling, aerial spraying, placing burlap 'skirts' on trees, and insect destruction on City owned trees are just some of the ways we do so. You can also help to monitor and control them by checking your own trees, shrubs, woodpiles and outdoor furniture for the presence of eggs, caterpillars, and/or pupae. When they are found, please destroy them by cutting, crushing, scraping, oiling or treating them. To learn how to control each stage of the insect please consult your Forester, a tree care professional or one of the many websites, especially www.gypsymoth.wi.gov, dedicated to Gypsy Moth.

De Pere Tree City USA

Did you know that for the past twenty (20) years the National Arbor Day Foundation has named the City of De Pere a Tree City USA award winner? De Pere has also been the recipient of a Tree City USA Growth Award for eight (8) years for demonstrating its community forestry program, recognizing environmental improvement, and for displaying higher levels of tree care.

As a Tree City USA, De Pere must meet the criteria of four standards:

- **A tree department** (your Parks, Recreation & Forestry Dept.)
- **A tree care ordinance**
- **A comprehensive community forestry program**
- **An Arbor Day observance**

As a City of De Pere property owner, you can participate in the community forestry program by ordering a tree to be planted in early spring or fall on the terrace or boulevard in front of your home or business. You can also request to "donate" a tree to be planted in the park of your choice as a memorial in honor of a special person. Call 339-8362 for more information.

Registration Form

REGISTRATION FORM

De Pere Community Center, 600 Grant Street, De Pere, WI 54115 (920) 339-4097

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: _____ ADDRESS: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK PHONE: _____ CELL: _____ E-MAIL: _____

City of De Pere Resident **Non-Resident (Town/City):** _____
 (NOTE: Persons living outside the corporate limits of the City of De Pere must pay the non-resident fee)

*A resident is defined as any individual who lives in the City of De Pere. A non-resident is defined as any individual that resides outside the City of De Pere limits. This includes individuals who live outside the City limits yet are in a De Pere School District.

LIABILITY WAIVER: All registrants are required to sign the following release. Parents or guardians must sign the minors. I, the undersigned do hereby agree; the above named registrant for whom I am the parent or guardian, to participate in the activity indicated and am aware of and understand that there may be risks and hazards inherent with participation in this activity. I affirm that I, or the minor registered for this activity, am doing so as a voluntary participant. In consideration of my participation or participation of the minor I do hereby agree to release, waive, absolve, indemnify on behalf of myself or minor, my/his/her family, my/his/her heirs and my/his/her assigns the City of De Pere, its employees, officers, agents and sponsors from liability for injury, death or loss suffered by me or the minor in any and all present and future claims, liabilities, damages or right of action directly or indirectly resulting out of participation in the activity, using the facilities, or engaging in any activities incidental there during the duration of the scheduled program, which result from the ordinary negligence for the City of De Pere, its employees, officers, agents and sponsors. The City of De Pere DOES NOT provide accident insurance to participants in recreational activities and I assume full responsibility for any and all injuries or damages which may occur to me/or minor while participating.

I do hereby grant and give these groups the right to use my or my child(s) photograph or image with or without my or my child's name, both singly and in conjunction with other persons or objects and presentations, advertising, publicity, and promotion relating thereto.

MEDICAL EMERGENCY RELEASE WAIVER FOR MINORS: In the event of a medical emergency, I authorize the Parks & Recreation staff to obtain medical treatment for my son/daughter or minor for which I am guardian.

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

(Parent's signature required if under 18)

***Mail or drop off completed form to: De Pere Community Center, 600 Grant Street, De Pere, WI 54115**

Activity	Course Number	Participant (first & last name)	Date of Birth	Sex	T-Shirt Size (if applicable) Circle: Youth S M L Adult S M L XL	Activity Fee
						\$
						\$
						\$
						\$
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM DONATION →						\$
Total Amount Due						\$

Add \$1 or more to your total fees to help provide financial assistance for a City of De Pere youth unable to afford program fees.
 Thanks for supporting the RECREATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM and your community!

List All Family Members to set up Family Account

First Name, Last, if Different	Date of Birth	Gender	Relationship

Emergency Contact Name _____ Relationship _____
 Emergency Contact Phone Number(s) _____
 Special information (allergies, medications, physical limitations, etc.) for any family members: _____

Cash **Check** **Credit**
 (Visa, Mastercard, American Express, Discover)

Card #: _____ Exp. Date: _____
 Amount Paid: _____ V-Code: _____
 Signature: _____

Register

Online

Go the City of De Pere website at

www.de-pere.org

Click this icon

(left column on the home page)



Recreation Registration

Residents Only

- Online
- Mail
- Fax
- Drop Box

WEDNESDAY, April 13

Free online registration will begin on Wednesday, April 13. This is the best opportunity to get into the class of your choice. Registrations may also be mailed in, faxed, or dropped off at the Community Center, 600 Grant St. Registrations received prior to Wednesday, April 13 will be held and randomly processed on that day as time permits.

Residents & Non-Residents

- Online
- Mail
- Fax
- Drop Box
- Walk-in

WEDNESDAY, April 20

Open registration, along with free online registration, will begin on Wednesday, April 20. Walk-in registrations will be accepted at the Community Center, Monday thru Friday, during regular business hours.

Community Center

Summer hours:

(Memorial Day – Labor Day)

7:30 am – 4:30 pm

Monday – Thursday

7:30 am – 1:30 pm

Friday

Regular hours:

8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Monday – Friday

Important Information

1. Fees: All fees must be PAID IN FULL by cash, check, debit or credit card (*Visa, MasterCard, American Express, or Discover*) at the time of registration. Registrations will not be accepted if appropriate fee is not paid. DO NOT send cash through the mail or place in drop box. Fees will not be pro-rated.

2. Changes: All fees, dates & times for programs and charges for facilities are subject to change.

3. Residency: A resident is defined as any individual who lives in the City of De Pere. A non-resident is defined as any individual that resides outside the City of De Pere limits. This includes individuals who live outside the City limits yet are in a De Pere School District. Non-resident fees vary for programs.

4. Confirmation of Registration: Individuals registering online and mail-in registrations that provide an e-mail address will receive confirmation via e-mail, generated as soon as your registration is accepted into the system. If you do not provide an e-mail address and would like a receipt/confirmation notice sent to you, please include a self-addressed stamped envelope with your registration; otherwise a receipt/confirmation notice will not be mailed.

5. Waiting Lists: If a class is full, you will automatically be placed on a waiting list. A waiting list notification won't be mailed to you. You will be notified immediately if an opening becomes available.

6. Refunds: Cancellations may occur up to one week before an activity has started. If a participant cancels a registration, \$8.00 will be charged for processing (unless otherwise noted), with the balance of the fee being refunded. No refunds will be issued 1 week prior to or after an activity has started. Full refunds will be given when the Department cancels classes or makes schedule changes.

7. Program Cancellations: Please register early! Programs will be canceled due to insufficient registrations. Notification of cancellations or schedule changes will be made as soon as possible. In the event of inclement weather please call the cancellation line at 920-339-4067. If a class is canceled for reasons other than inclement weather, staff will attempt to notify participant(s). Classes canceled due to inclement weather may not be able to be rescheduled nor a refund made.

8. Program Deadlines: Unless advertised, all program deadlines are one week prior to the start of the program. The deadline is used to determine if the class will run or be canceled. Registration is permitted after the deadline, provided there is room in the class or program.

9. Age Requirements: All participants must meet the minimum age requirement prior to or on the first day of class. The ages are set to ensure the safety and benefit of the participants as well as the program instructors. Seniors are classified as age 60 & older.

Family Account Information

To register online, a family account must be created. Your account should be reviewed on an annual basis for updated information. Only immediate family members may be included on your family account.

All registrations are accepted at the **De Pere Community Center, 600 Grant St.**

For your convenience, a 24-hour drop box is located at the west entrance, upper level, of the Community Center.

Online registration is free and encouraged!

Community Center

Phone: 920-339-4097

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