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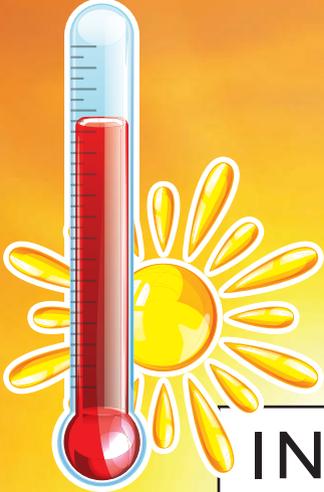
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REGULAR HOURS:

Mon – Fri 7:30 am – 4:00 pm

SUMMER HOURS:

(Memorial Day – Labor Day)

Mon-Thu..... 7:30 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-Thu..... 7:30 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
League/Program
Cancellation Line 339-4067

The City of De Pere complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 in its provision of local government services, programs and activities. Qualified individuals with a disability should call 339-4065 or 339-4097 if seeking an accommodation in policies, practices or procedures.

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

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Teen Advisory Board

The City of De Pere Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department is currently accepting applications for teen advisory representatives for our Board of Park Commissioners. The Mayor of the City of De Pere appoints these positions on a yearly basis, as a one-year term starting in July. The teen advisory seats are open to persons of high school age who reside in the City of De Pere. The term of the appointment is one year running July 1 through June 30. Applicants must be able to attend Board of Park Commissioners meetings held on the third Thursday of the month starting at 6:30 pm. Interested applicants can request an application packet by contacting the Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department at 339-4065. The deadline for the applications is Friday, April 27, 2018.

The City of De Pere promotes sustainability!

Program brochures are available online and at the following locations:
De Pere Community Center •
Municipal Service Center •
City Hall • Kress Family Library

View all of our activities and services, and register online at www.de-pere.org
Registration Begins
April 11 ~ Residents
April 18 ~ Non-Residents

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.

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 available for instructional programs, special events, pool passes, playgrounds, Kidz Zone Before & After School Program, Summer Day Camp, and co-sponsored youth sport leagues such as youth soccer, baseball, softball and hockey. Scholarships are not available for youth participation in field trips, replacement pool passes, costumes or supplies.

Scholarships are awarded on a first come, first serve 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 or visit the City's website at www.de-pere.org.

DONATIONS ACCEPTED!

The Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department is accepting donations for the Recreation Scholarship Fund. With your support, we can help make a positive influence in the lives of the children of our community today, tomorrow and for the future! Call 339-4097 to learn more about contributing to this worthwhile program, or mail your tax deductible contribution to:

**De Pere Community Center
600 Grant St., De Pere, WI 54115**

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, Race Cars, Teddy Bears, etc. Thinking of something else? Feel free to ask!

Note: The parties are designed for the birthday child and their guests, not as a family gathering.

Fee: \$15/child (minimum \$100)

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



Seasonal Employment

Part-time seasonal employment opportunities are available for various year-round activities. The Recreation Department is currently searching for Lifeguards, Water Aerobics and Swim Instructors, a Dance Instructor & Assistant Instructors, Assistant Tumbling Instructors, Kidz Zone Counselors, Flag Football Officials, Basketball Officials & Scorekeepers. We are also continually accepting applications for substitute and assistant instructors for various programs. If you have a new program that you would like to share please feel free to contact us – we always welcome new ideas! The Community Center is searching for a part-time building maintenance/custodian and the Parks Department is also looking for seasonal parks maintenance staff for the spring, summer and fall seasons.

For more information please visit the City's website at www.de-pere.org or contact the Parks & Recreation Department/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!

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Facilities



Community Center

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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.

	Resident	Non-Resident
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
Additional Hours	\$20/hour – meeting rooms \$35/hour – large activity rooms	

*Full day is considered 7:00 am - 10:30 pm.

**Full day rentals only: By written request, rooms may be rented until midnight for an additional \$35 or until 1:00 am for an additional \$50.

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 serve basis.

Game room equipment (*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.

	Resident	Non-Resident
Monday – Thursday	\$55/day	\$70/day
Friday – Sunday & Holidays	\$125/day	\$145/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 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 sealed for longevity. For more information please contact the De Pere Community Center at 339-4097.



WPRA 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 14 thru August 31, 2018

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

WISCONSIN DELLS ATTRACTIONS

Noah's Ark

Located on 70 sprawling acres, Noah's Ark is America's largest waterpark! It features two endless rivers, four children's water play areas, bumper boats, two giant wave pools and many one-of-a-kind attractions!

Gate Price: \$37.35

Our Price: \$28.00

Children 3 & under FREE!

Season: May 26 – September 3, 2018



Mt. Olympus Water & Theme Park

The ultimate Dells adventure offering indoor & outdoor theme parks and waterparks. The park features 44 waterslides, 3 lazy rivers, 7 go-kart tracks, 5 rollercoasters, amusement rides, and much more!

Gate Price: \$39.99

Our Price: \$10.00

Children 2 & under FREE!

Season: May 26 – September 3, 2018



Pirate's Cove Adventure Golf

"18 holes of mini golf at it's finest"

Choose from 5 different courses – total of 91 unique holes amongst beautiful landscaping with waterfalls! Large play land and picnic area with shelters.

Gate Price: \$8.50

Our Price: \$5.50

Children 4 & under FREE!

Season: Mid-March – late October

**No expiration date on tickets*



Upper Dells Boat Tour

Take a beautiful 2-hour boat cruise on the upper portion of the Wisconsin River with exclusive stops at Stand Rock and Witches Gulch Canyon.

Gate Price: Adult: \$30.00 Child (4-11): \$15.00

Our Price: Adult: \$25.75 Child (4-11): \$14.50

Children 3 & under FREE!

Season: March 31 – October 31, 2018



Jet Boat Adventure

Take a 50-minute thrill ride on our super-fast, super wet Jet Boats! Our 1200 horse power jet boats will propel you through the Upper or Lower Dells.

Gate Price: Adult: \$30.00 Child (4-11): \$15.00

Our Price: Adult: \$25.75 Child (4-11): \$14.50

Season: May 15 – October 15, 2018



Wisconsin Ducks Tour

Adventure on land and water! Our one hour Duck ride will take you on exclusive off-road trails, cruise beautiful Lake Delton and travel through the towering rock formations on the Lower Dells.

Gate Price: Adult: \$30.00 Child (4-11): \$15.00

Our Price: Adult: \$25.75 Child (4-11): \$14.50

Children 3 & under FREE!

Season: March 31 – November 11, 2018



OTHER AREA ATTRACTIONS

Six Flags Great America

The Midwest's largest theme park. Come see our new Mardi Gras Hangover, the world's largest 100 ft. tall looping rollercoaster!

**Additional charge for waterpark.*

Gate Price: Adult Any Day: \$77.24

Our Price: Adult Any Day: \$50.25

June 30 – July 8: \$38.25

Children 2 & under FREE!

Season: April 21 – November 10, 2018



Milwaukee County Zoo

Recognized as one of the country's finest zoological parks in the world, our zoo serves to educate, entertain and inspire!

Explore educational wildlife shows, fun attractions and enticing special events.

Gate Price: Adult: \$15.50 Child (3-12): \$12.50

Our Price: Adult: \$11.25 Child (3-12): \$9.25

Children 2 & under FREE!

Season: Expires on Dec. 31, 2018





OUTDOOR SWIMMING POOLS

Legion & VFW Pools • June 9 - August 19

Hours of Open Swim: 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 swim during morning swim lessons with paid admission.

At 2:45 pm and 7:15 pm Monday-Friday, and at 2:30 pm and 4:15 pm on Saturdays and 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 checks may be modified to schedule an additional safety check during the open swim.

General Aquatic Admission

To receive resident rates, 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 the main or baby pool. **All patrons entering the aquatic facility must pay admission fees whether intending to swim or not.** No lifeguards are on duty in the baby pools.

Pre-season passes may be purchased at the Community Center through June 8, 2018. In-Season passes may 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 2018 Season Swim Pass. Replacement cards are \$6 each.

General Admission Open Swim

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	\$4.00	\$7.00
Senior (ages 60+)	\$3.00	-----
*Family	\$12.50	\$18.50
Lap Swim Only	\$3.00	\$5.00

***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 6/9) In-Season (begins 6/9)

	Resident	Non-Resident	All
Baby	\$20	\$40	\$45
Single	\$50	\$70	\$75
Senior (ages 60+)	\$40	-----	\$45
**Family	\$75	\$95	\$100
***Caregiver Pass	\$22	\$42	\$47
Lap Swim Membership	\$35	\$55	\$60
Lap Swim Senior	\$27	-----	\$31

****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 add one named caregiver (like a babysitter or nanny) to a family pass for an additional fee. Pre-season Resident/Non-Resident fee is based upon the caregiver's residency.

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 and prizes on the theme nights!

Week of June 25	Disney
Week of July 16	Christmas in July
Week of August 6	Safari

On Friday, June 8th the Community Center will be open till 4:30 pm to process swim passes.

Fun Specials at the Pools

Come join us for some fun specials at the pools!

Sunday, June 17 – Father's Day

Fathers get in free with paid youth admission

Saturday, June 23 – Season Pass Holder Appreciation

Pass holders only: Bring a friend, friend gets in for \$1.00

Wednesday, July 4 – Goggles The Gator Day

Four lucky patrons will win a pair of goggles in a drawing at 2:45 pm break

Monday, July 16 – Swim Towel Giveaway

Two lucky patrons will win a swim towel in a drawing at 7:15 pm break

Tuesday, July 31 – Freeze Pop Frenzy

Free Freeze Pop for the first 100 patrons

Thursday, August 9 – Rubber Ducky Day

Choose a duck and try for a prize

Sunday, August 19 – Half Price Concessions Day

All concession items are 1/2 price



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 11 – June 28

Sess. 2: July 9 – July 26

Sess. 3: July 30 – August 16

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



Legion Pool

9:30 – 10:00 am	Sess. 1	Sess. 2	Sess. 3
Level 1B	#5011.1218	#5011.2218	#5011.3218
Level 2	#5021.1218	#5021.2218	#5021.3218
Level 3	#5031.1218	#5031.2218	#5031.3218
Level 4	#5041.1218	#5041.2218	#5041.3218
Level 5/6	#5051.1218	#5051.2218	#5051.3218
10:05 – 10:35 am			
Level 1A	#5001.1218	#5001.2218	#5001.3218
Level 1B	#5012.1218	#5012.2218	#5012.3218
Level 2	#5022.1218	#5022.2218	#5022.3218
Level 3	#5032.1218	#5032.2218	#5032.3218
Level 4	#5042.1218	#5042.2218	#5042.3218
10:40 – 11:10 am			
Level 1A	#5002.1218	#5002.2218	#5002.3218
Level 1B	#5013.1218	#5013.2218	#5013.3218
Level 2	#5023.1218	#5023.2218	#5023.3218
Level 3	#5033.1218	#5033.2218	#5033.3218
Level 4			#5043.3218
Parent Child (6m – 3 yrs.)	#5091.1218	#5091.2218	
11:15 – 11:45 am			
Level 1A	#5003.1218	#5003.2218	#5003.3218
Level 1B	#5014.1218	#5014.2218	#5014.3218
Level 2	#5024.1218	#5024.2218	#5024.3218
Level 5/6		#5052.2218	#5052.3218

VFW Pool

9:30 – 10:00 am	Sess. 1	Sess. 2	Sess. 3
Level 1B		#5151.2218	#5151.3218
Level 2		#5161.2218	#5161.3218
Level 3	#5171.1218	#5171.2218	#5171.3218
Level 4	#5181.1218	#5181.2218	#5181.3218
Level 5/6	#5191.1218	#5191.2218	#5191.3218
10:05 – 10:35 am			
Level 1A	#5141.1218	#5141.2218	#5141.3218
Level 1B	#5152.1218	#5152.2218	#5152.3218
Level 2	#5162.1218	#5162.2218	#5162.3218
Level 3		#5172.2218	#5172.3218
Level 4		#5182.2218	#5182.3218
10:40 – 11:10 am			
Level 1A		#5142.2218	#5142.3218
Level 1B		#5153.2218	#5153.3218
Level 2	#5163.1218	#5163.2218	#5163.3218
Level 3	#5173.1218	#5173.2218	#5173.3218
Level 4			#5183.3218
Parent Child (6m – 3 yrs.)	#5231.1218	#5231.2218	
11:15 – 11:45 am			
Level 1A	#5143.1218	#5143.2218	#5143.3218
Level B	#5154.1218	#5154.2218	#5154.3218
Level 2	#5164.1218	#5164.2218	#5164.3218
Level 5/6			#5192.3218

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 11. Starting April 18, 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 19, residents will be allowed to register. On July 23, 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.

Semi-Private Lessons

These lessons will give participants specialized instruction to improve or master their swimming skills. Lessons are 30 minutes long with a maximum of three participants per class (minimum of two). To purchase a package or learn more, please call the Recreation Supervisor at 339-4066. **Lessons will depend on instructor availability and pool space.**



VFW Pool	Legion Pool
#5351.1218 Package of 4	#5352.1218 Package of 4
#5361.1218 Package of 8	#5362.1218 Package of 8

Package of 4—30 minute lessons:

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

Package of 8—30 minute lessons:

Fee: \$58 Res / \$73 Non-Res / \$44 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.	5:15 – 5:45 pm
VFW Pool	Mon., Wed., Thu.	5:15 – 5:45 pm

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9-Week Swim Lessons

Lessons are one night a week from the week of June 11th through the week of August 13th. 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.

Legion Pool 5:15 – 5:45 pm

MONDAYS	June 11 – August 6
#5016.1218	Level 1B
#5025.1218	Level 2
#5034.1218	Level 3

TUESDAYS June 12 – August 7

#5004.1218	Level 1A
#5044.1218	Level 4

WEDNESDAYS June 13 – August 15 *No class Jul. 4*

#5005.1218	Level 1A
#5017.1218	Level 1B
#5027.1218	Level 2
Fee:	\$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res

VFW Pool 5:15 – 5:45 pm

MONDAYS	June 11 – August 6
#5156.1218	Level 1B
#5165.1218	Level 2
#5174.1218	Level 3

WEDNESDAYS June 13 – August 15 *No class Jul. 4*

#5144.1218	Level 1A
#5184.1218	Level 4

THURSDAYS June 14 – August 9

#5145.1218	Level 1A
#5157.1218	Level 1B
#5167.1218	Level 2
Fee:	\$26 Res / \$41 Non-Res

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 are:

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 339-4066 for rental rates, scheduling options and more information.



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!

MONDAY-THURSDAY 12:00 – 12:45 pm

#5111.1218 **June 11 – June 28**

#5111.2218 **July 2 – July 19** *Jul. 4 make up on Jul. 6*

#5111.3218 **July 23 – August 16** (4 weeks)

Location: Legion Pool

Fee: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res / \$27 Senior Citizen Res

4-week: \$48 Res / \$63 Non-Res / \$36 Senior Citizen Res



Aqua Zumba

Known as the Zumba “pool party,” Aqua Zumba gives new meaning to the idea of an invigorating workout. Splashing, stretching, twisting, even shouting, laughing, hooting and hollering are often heard during an Aqua Zumba class. Integrating the Zumba formula and philosophy with traditional aqua fitness disciplines, Aqua Zumba blends it all together into a safe, challenging, water-based workout that’s cardio-conditioning, body-toning, and most of all, exhilarating beyond belief.

MONDAYS 5:00 – 5:45 pm

#5321.1218 **June 11 – August 6** *No class Jul. 2*

Location: Legion Pool

Fee: \$31 Res / \$46 Non-Res / \$24 Senior Citizen Res

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

#5301.1218 **September 10 – October 15** (6 weeks)

#5301.2218 **October 22 – December 10** *No class Nov. 19*

6:20 – 7:05 pm

#5302.1218 **September 10 – October 15** (6 weeks)

#5302.2218 **October 22 – December 10** *No class Nov. 19*

WEDNESDAYS

5:30 – 6:15 pm

#5303.1218 **September 5– October 17**

#5303.2218 **October 24 – December 12** *No class Nov. 21*

6:20 – 7:05 pm

#5304.1218 **September 5– October 17**

#5304.2218 **October 24 – December 12** *No class Nov. 21*

THURSDAYS

5:30 – 6:15 pm

#5305.1218 **September 6 – October 18**

#5305.2218 **October 25 – December 13** *No class Nov. 22*

6:20 – 7:05 pm

#5306.1218 **September 6 – October 18**

#5306.2218 **October 25 – December 13** *No class Nov. 22*

Location: Syble Hopp School Pool

Fee: \$21 Res / \$36 Non-Res / \$17 Senior Citizen Res

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

#5281.1218 **September 4 – October 16**

#5281.2218 **October 23 – December 11** *No class Nov. 20*

5:35 – 6:05 pm

#5282.1218 **September 4 – October 16**

#5282.2218 **October 23 – December 11** *No class Nov. 20*

6:10 – 6:40 pm

#5283.1218 **September 4 – October 16**

#5283.2218 **October 23 – December 11** *No class Nov. 20*

Location: Syble Hopp School Pool

Fee: \$21 Res / \$36 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.

Playgrounds & Summer Events

Summer Playground Program

Are you looking for healthy, interactive, and enjoyable summer activities for your child? This 10-week program provides safe, structured activities for children 6–12 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 foster creativity, teamwork and healthy activity levels, including organized sports, arts and crafts, games and team building exercises.

The playground program is not to be used as a substitute for child-care or daycare services but is offered as a drop-in program with organized activities. Staff will supervise registered participants during 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 11th – August 17th

Playgrounds closed July 4

9:00 am – 12:00 pm • 12:30 pm – 4:00 pm

\$16.00 per participant

Covers all on-site daily activities for the entire summer

#1001.1218 **Braisher Park**

#1002.1218 **Optimist Park**

#1003.1218 **Kiwanis Park**

#1004.1218 **Patriot Park**

Participants are encouraged to register **prior to June 11th**, but may register throughout the summer to participate in the Park Playground Program. Once registered, participants may attend daily programs at any park. **All registrations must be made online or 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.

Inclement Weather Policy

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

- If lightning or thunder is present/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 the program.

VIP - Volunteers in Park - Junior Parkee Program

The De Pere Parks & 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, an opportunity to gain leadership skills and experience. 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 and in helping 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 with keeping park clean: picking up garbage, sweeping/mopping shelter floors, organizing games & equipment, etc.
- Follow and enforce all park rules.

If interested, please apply by May 31st at www.de-pere.org.

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.

Summer Feeding Program

Free lunch for kids and teens - no need to sign up or apply, just show up and enjoy!

MONDAY – FRIDAY June 11 – August 24 (off July 4)

De Pere Optimist Park

12:00 – 12:30 pm

Adults over 18 accompanying children will be charged \$2.00

(cash only)

Menu will be posted in May 2018 at Optimist Park and online at www.deperek12.org/Parents/FoodService/SummerFeedingProgram

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Summer Feeding Program Special Events:

Domino's Pizza Days: June 29, July 27 & August 17

Summer Playground Program Ice Cream Social: June 29

School Garden Harvest Sampling Day: August 1

Police and Community Kids (PACK) Program *New!*

The De Pere Police Department wants you to hang out with them this summer! Meet them in our city parks and even challenge them to a game of your choosing! You might even win a prize!



TUESDAYS 3:30 – 4:30 pm

June 19 Legion Park

June 26 VFW Park

July 10 Optimist Park

July 17 Patriot Park

July 24 Braisher Park

July 31 Kiwanis Park

August 7 Optimist Park

August 14 VFW Park

Program geared towards school aged kids living in De Pere or enrolled in either school district.

Playgrounds & Summer Events

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 Elementary School, Foxview Intermediate School and Westwood Elementary School for our Sunny Summer Reader Program!

TUESDAYS June 12 – August 7

2:00 – 3:00 pm

Legion Park

WEDNESDAYS June 13 – August 8

12:00 – 1:00 pm

Optimist Park

(with Summer Feeding Program)

THURSDAYS June 14 – August 9

2:00 – 3:00 pm

Patriot Park

FREE!



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 10 VFW Pool

July 17 Legion Pool

July 24 VFW Pool

July 31 Legion Pool

Fee: \$3.50 per participant

No pool passes accepted



Swim-In Cinema

Bring your friends, family and floats and join us for our annual poolside movie! Our feature film will be **Trolls**. Enjoy open swim from 7:00 pm until dusk. The featured film will begin shortly after sunset. Thank you to our main sponsor **Pool Works, Inc.** for their support.

Children under 12 must be accompanied by a paid adult.

Note: The pool will be closed for the evening swim session for this event.

FRIDAY July 20

VFW Pool

7:00 pm

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

Children 4 & Under: \$1

Season pass holder - \$1 discount

If the forecast is rainy, we will have the event inside at the De Pere Community Center on the upper level! Watch our Facebook page for updates.

For more information, call 339-4097.



Summer Field Trip to Joannes Aquatic Center *New!*

Kids ages 6-12 join us for some fun in the sun at the Joannes Aquatic Center!

WEDNESDAY August 15

Pick up 12:30 pm / Drop off 4:00 pm*

#1033.1218 De Pere Community Center Pick up/Drop off

#1034.1218 Dickinson School Pick up/Drop off

Fee: \$8.00 (includes transportation and entrance fee)

**The bus will pick up/drop off at Dickinson Elementary School and the De Pere Community Center.*

Children must be preregistered and have signed permission slips to attend. Register at the De Pere Community Center, 600 Grant St.

Summer Carnival & Games

Fun for the whole family! Come join the park staff and the summer playground kids as we say goodbye to summer. Bring all of your friends for this evening of games, activities, and summer treats. Game tickets are 20¢ each.

WEDNESDAY August 8

Optimist Park

5:30 - 7:30 pm



A hot dog dinner, sponsored by the De Pere Kiwanis Club, will be available for a nominal fee.

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Community Events & the Arts

Candy Bar Bingo

This fun event is designed for everyone in the family! Whether you're a youngster, 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.*

WEDNESDAY April 25 6:00 – 7:30 pm

TUESDAY *October 16

**Features prizes for best Halloween costumes*

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: 1 full-size candy bar per bingo card
RSVP appreciated but not necessary, 339-4097



Magic Workshop *New!*

Participants will have fun learning how to perform magic with professional magician Daryl Rogers! Daryl will teach the participants to do simple magic tricks so they can amaze their friends and family. Each child will receive an instruction booklet and the necessary props, which are theirs to take home. Don't miss this magical program!

THURSDAY July 12 8+ yrs.

#1571.1218 **1:00 – 2:00 pm**

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$12 Res / \$24 Non-Res

Downtown De Pere's Trick-Or-Treat Event *New!*

Little ghosts, goblins, and witches will be roaming the streets of downtown De Pere on Saturday, October 27 from 11 am until 2 pm to celebrate Halloween. Trick or Treat Downtown provides a safe and friendly environment for parents and kiddos to trick-or-treat during daylight hours. Close to 50 businesses will open their doors to hand out candy to the wizards, superheroes, and princesses flying, dashing and strolling downtown.



De Pere Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department is pleased to join with Definitely De Pere as we usher in Halloween. Be sure to stop on the lower level of the Community Center for games and treats! We will also be showing a Halloween movie every half hour starting at 11 am! This event is free and open to the public.

SATURDAY October 27 11:00 am – 2:00 pm

Location: De Pere Community Center,
600 Grant St., lower level

Fee: FREE!

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 11 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

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

Fee: FREE!

City Band

The De Pere City Band is sponsored by the Parks & Recreation Department and is under the direction of Mr. Ken Petersen and Ms. Becky Fronek. 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 1 from 7:30 – 9:30 pm. Admission is **FREE** for all concerts.

THURSDAYS 7:00 – 8:00 pm

June 14 *The Flag of the Stars*

June 28 *Just for Fun*

July 12 *Movies, TV, and Broadway*

July 26 *Holiday Extravaganza*

August 2 *The Brass Factory Big Band*

August 16 *Director's Favorites*

Location: Voyageur Park

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



TRICK-OR-TREATING
City of De Pere
October 31st
4:00 – 7:00 pm

Make and Take Sign Workshop!

Is your inner DIY looking for a fun new project? Something to complete in one night? One where you don't need to purchase a bunch of supplies? Check out our new sign making workshop! Participants will create a 4" x 24" sign selecting from a wide assortment of vinyl sayings. Additional fees payable night of the workshop – \$20 one sign / \$38 two signs / \$54 three signs.

WEDNESDAY October 17 5+ yrs.,
(14 yrs. & younger with adult)

#3041.1218 **6:00 – 8:00 pm**

TUESDAY November 13

#3041.2218 **6:00 – 8:00 pm**

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

Fee: \$6 per person

Camps & Specialty Programs

Mix It, Make It, Celebrate It!

The holiday season will soon be upon us! Children and their favorite grown up can join us for a fun and creative night! We will have stations set up for ornament making, cookie decorating, rock painting, card making and more! There will also be stations to decorate cards for a local senior living center and lunch bags for our meal program. *Registration is by child.*

THURSDAY November 8
 #3161.1218 **6:00 – 7:30 pm**
Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.
Fee: \$13 Res / \$26 Non-Res

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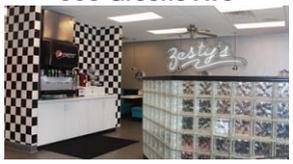
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Summer Day Camp 2018

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.

Kidz Zone

Kidz Zone is a fun, safe, educational 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. Full and part-time options available!

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: \$30 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

Enrollment for 2018 – 2019
 school year begins April 18, 2018

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 need not be enrolled in Kidz Zone. Students should bring along a cold lunch, drink and afternoon snack.

K5 - 5th Grade
 11:15 am – 5:45 pm

#1551.1218
 #1552.1218

Location: Our Lady of Lourdes School Cafeteria
Fee: \$15 per child



For more information on Kidz Zone, Kidz Day Out or Summer Day Camp programs, please contact Cindy Lee at 339-4097 or cllee@mail.de-pere.org.

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 9:30 – 11:00 am 3–4 yrs.

#1291.1218 June 12 – June 28

#1291.2218 July 10 – July 26

Location: Hickory Rm./Outdoors

Fee: \$55 Resident / \$70 Non-Resident

Learning Tree Adventures

Your preschool age child can join the adventure as we explore weekly themes in this 12-week program, which will 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 fun! *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.

September 11 – December 4

No class Nov. 22

#1431.1218 8:45 – 10:30 am

#1432.2218 10:45 am – 12:30 pm

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$135 Res / \$150 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, designed to spark your child/ren's creativity, curiosity and imagination.

FRIDAYS June 15 – August 3 3–5 yrs.

#1351.1218 10:45 - 11:30 am

#1351.2218 September 21 – November 16

No class Oct. 26

10:00 – 10:45 am

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

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



Art Expressions – Summer Fun!

Each week our artists will explore different art techniques as well as experiment with different media and supplies. They'll 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 15 – August 3 5+ yrs.

#1581.1218 9:30 – 10:30 am

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

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

Art Expressions:

Lions and Tigers and Bears! Oh my!

During this session we will be exploring animals! Participants will work on their own animal themed creation each week as well as take part in a whole class collaboration.

MONDAYS September 24 – November 12 5+ yrs.

#1582.1218 5:30 – 6:30 pm

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

Fee: \$40 Res / \$55 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 June 26, 27 & 28 4–7 yrs.

#1201.1218 1:00 – 2:30 pm

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$22 Res / \$37 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 July 17, 18 & 19 4–7 yrs.

#1202.1218 1:00 – 2:30 pm

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$22 Res / \$37 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 Department and De Pere Parks and Recreation. *Parents, please meet at the East Side Fire Station #1, 400 Lewis St. Parents are asked to stay with their child(ren).*

FRIDAY October 12

#1381.1218 9:30 – 11:00 am

Location: East Side Fire Station #1

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

3–5 yrs.



Healthy Helpers *New!*

Come and meet your friendly health department! Learn about what they do, ways to stay healthy, and services they offer to our community too! Participants will also enjoy a special story, craft and snack! Class presented in conjunction with the De Pere Health Department and De Pere Parks and Recreation. *Parents, please meet at the De Pere Health Department, 335 S. Broadway St. Parents are asked to stay with their child(ren).*

FRIDAY **November 9** **3-5 yrs.**
 #1441.1218 **9:30 – 11:00 am**
Location: Health Department, 335 S. Broadway St.
Fee: \$5 Res / \$10 Non-Res

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.*

WEDNESDAYS **September 19 – October 17** **2-3 yrs.**
 #1301.1218 **11:15 – 11:55 am**
Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.
Fee: \$21 Res / \$36 Non-Res



Tumblebees

This class introduces toddlers 1 ½ - 2 years old 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 **June 11 – August 6** **1 ½-2 yrs.**
No class Jul. 2
 #1121.1218 **10:30 – 11:10 am**
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm. 6/11 – 6/25
 Westwood School Gym 7/9 – 8/6
Fee: \$28 Res / \$43 Non-Res
MONDAYS **September 10 – November 12**
 #1122.1218 **10:00 – 10:40 am**
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$40 Res / \$55 Non-Res

Tiny Tumblers

Tiny Tumblers is aimed at introducing 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 **June 11 – August 6** **3-4 yrs.**
No class Jul. 2
 #1131.1218 **9:30 – 10:10 am**
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm. 6/11 – 6/25
 Westwood School Gym 7/9 – 8/6
Fee: \$28 Res / \$43 Non-Res
MONDAYS **September 10 – November 26**
 #1132.1218 **9:00 – 9:40 am**
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$48 Res / \$63 Non-Res

Tumbling

These classes are designed to introduce and then to further develop the progression of gymnastic skills for both 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 also incorporated into the fun! **Regardless of child's age, classes are built on their ability/readiness for gymnastics. Please call our office if your child is ready for the next level but does not fall within the age guidelines.*

INTRO: Children 3-4 yrs. Introduction to tumbling basics.
BEGINNER: Children under 6. Basically 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 & handstand (ready for progression stages).

TUESDAYS **September 11 – November 27**
 #1144.1218 **4:45 – 5:15 pm** **3-4 yrs.** Intro
 #1141.1218 **5:20 – 6:00 pm** **4-6 yrs.** Beginner
 #1142.1218 **6:05 – 6:45 pm** **6 yrs. & up** Intermediate
 #1143.1218 **6:50 – 7:30 pm** **6 yrs. & up** Advanced
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$48 Res / \$63 Non-Res
3-4 yr. Intro class: \$40 Res / \$55 Non-Res



Youth Programs

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 June 12 – August 7 4–6 yrs
No class Jul. 3
 #1101.1218 **1:30 – 2:15 pm**
Location: Westwood School Gym
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.
 #1091.1218 **September 7 – October 19**
 #1091.2218 **October 26 – December 14** *No class Nov. 23*
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 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 and more! Each 7-week session will be introduced with songs, games and fun props followed by a unique and energetic dance for each set of letters, numbers and shapes. 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.
 #1311.1218 **September 5 – October 17** **ABC's**
 #1312.1218 **October 24 – December 12** **Shapes & Numbers**
No class Nov. 21
Location: Community Center, Pine/Hickory Rms.
Fee: \$30 Res / \$45 Non-Res

Intro 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 September 26 – December 12 3–4 yrs.
No class Nov. 21
 #1181.1218 **10:30 - 11:00 am**
Location: Community Center, Pine/Maple Rms.
Fee: \$32 Res / \$47 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. New this year is our lyrical and contemporary styles of dance. Lyrical dance is a fusion of ballet and jazz dance techniques; Contemporary dance is an expressive style of dance that incorporates elements of modern dance, ballet and jazz. 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 attire required (leotards, shorts, shirts & tanks acceptable). *No costumes required.*



TUESDAYS June 12 – August 7
No class Jul. 3
 #1155.1218 **6:15 – 6:55 pm** **Tap & Ballet** 4–6 yrs.
 #1156.1218 **7:00 – 7:40 pm** **Jazz/Hip Hop** 7–14 yrs.
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
WEDNESDAYS June 13 – August 8
No class Jul. 4
 #1153.1218 **12:45 – 1:25 pm** **Lyrical/Contemporary** *New!* 7–14 yrs.
 #1152.1218 **1:30 – 2:10 pm** **Tap & Ballet** 4–6 yrs.
 #1151.1218 **2:15 – 2:45 pm** **Pre-Tap & Ballet** 3–4 yrs.
Location: Westwood School Multi-Purpose Rm.
Fee: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res
Pre-Tap/Ballet Fee: \$28 Res / \$43 Non-Res



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WEDNESDAY July 11 8–12 yrs.
 #1061.1218 9:30 – 11:30 am
Location: Westwood School Gym
Fee: \$14 Resident / \$28 Non-Resident



Dance with Ribbons Camp

Let the swirls of color and movement capture your imagination! In this exciting 2 ¼ hr. 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. If interested in purchasing a ribbon stix please add an additional \$18 to the class fee. Replacements available: Wand \$10, Ribbon \$8. Items also can be purchased day of camp.*

FRIDAY July 27 5–7 yrs.
 #1241.1218 9:15 – 11:30 am
 #1242.1218 12:15 – 2:30 pm 8+ yrs.
Location: Westwood School Gym
Fee: \$14 Res / \$28 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 July 30 – August 2 6–12 yrs.
 #1221.1218 9:45 – 11:45 am
Location: Westwood School Gym
Fee: \$32 Resident / \$47 Non-Resident

**Fee includes a set of rooster poms for each dancer!*

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 performance outfit & new 4" show poms for all dancers.*

Thursdays September 20 – March 7
No class Oct. 25, Nov. 22, Dec. 20 & Dec. 27
 #1210.1218 5:15 – 5:55 pm 5–6 yrs.
 #1211.1218 6:00 – 6:40 pm 7–8 yrs.
 #1212.1218 6:45 – 7:25 pm 9 yrs. & up
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$147 Resident / \$162 Non-Resident
Fee includes costume & new 4" show poms.

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 25 – March 5
No class Nov. 20, Dec. 25, & Jan. 1
Class on 11/6, 11/13, 12/11 & 12/18 held at De Pere High School Resource Rm., Enter through door #13 from parking lot on west side of high school.
 #1191.1218 5:55 – 6:35 pm Twirl Team Jr. 5–9 yrs.
 #1192.1218 6:40 – 7:20 pm Twirl Team Sr. 7+ yrs.
Location: De Pere Middle School Auditoria Stage
Fee: \$140 Resident / \$155 Non-Resident
Fee includes costume.

**An additional fee of \$33 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 \$10, Practice Caps \$5.*

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Youth Programs

Youth Dance

Beginner and advanced dance lessons will be offered for girls and boys ages 3 – 14. Lessons will include tap, ballet, jazz, hip hop, and new this year - lyrical and contemporary styles. Lyrical dance is a fusion of ballet and jazz dance techniques; Contemporary dance is an expressive style of dance that incorporates elements of modern dance, ballet and jazz. The season will conclude with a recital in mid-March. Proper shoes (tap, ballet &/or jazz shoes) required. *Fee includes tights and costume.*

MONDAYS

September 17 – March 4

No class Nov. 19, Dec. 24, Dec. 31 & Jan. 21

#1160.1218	4:45 – 5:25 pm	Tap & Ballet	4-5 yrs.
#1161.1218	5:30 – 6:10 pm	Tap & Ballet	6-8 yrs.
#1162.1218	6:15 – 7:00 pm	Beg. Jazz & Hip Hop	7-14 yrs.

Location:

De Pere High School Resource Rm.

Use door #13 from teacher's parking lot on the west side of the high school.

TUESDAYS

September 25 – March 5 *New!*

No class Nov. 20, Dec. 25, & Jan. 1

#1163.1218	4:30 – 5:10 pm	Tap & Contemporary	6-8 yrs.
#1164.1218	5:15 – 5:55 pm	Tap & Ballet	4-5 yrs.

Location:

De Pere Middle School Auditoria Stage

WEDNESDAYS

September 26 – March 6

No class Oct. 31, Nov. 21 & Dec. 26

#1165.1218	4:30 – 5:00 pm	Pre-Tap & Ballet	3-4 yrs.
#1166.1218	5:05 – 5:45 pm	Tap & Ballet	5-6 yrs.
#1167.1218	5:50 – 6:35 pm	*Int./Adv. Tap & Ballet	9+ yrs.
#1168.1218	6:40 – 7:25 pm	*Int./Adv. Jazz/Hip Hop	9+ yrs.

**Intermediate/Advanced classes require a minimum of 3 years of prior dance experience. Please call the Recreation Supervisor before enrolling if you are new to the program.*

Location:

De Pere High School Resource Rm.

Use door #13 from teacher's parking lot on the west side of the high school.

SATURDAYS

September 22 – March 9 *New!*

No class Oct. 27, Nov. 24, Dec. 22 & 29

#1169.1218	8:30 – 9:00 am	Pre-Tap & Ballet	3-4 yrs.
#1170.1218	9:05 – 9:45 am	Tap & Ballet	4-6 yrs.
#1171.1218	9:50 – 10:30 am	Lyrical/Contemporary	7-14 yrs.

Location:

De Pere Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$150 Res / \$165 Non-Res

Pre Tap & Ballet Fee: \$125 Res / \$140 Non-Res

Fee includes tights and costume.



NON-RESIDENTS

Please Note!

When registering for any Social Dance or Tai Chi 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.



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Youth - Adult Programs

Social Dance

Looking for a fun activity to do with your spouse or friend? Try Semi-Private Dance Lessons! These 5-week classes are tailored to your needs. The class is limited to 8 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. *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.*

WEDNESDAYS 6:30 – 7:30 pm 16 yrs. & up

#2131.1218 **September 12 – October 10**

#2131.2218 **October 17 – November 28**

No class Oct. 31 & Nov. 21

WEDNESDAYS 7:30 – 8:30 pm

#2132.1218 **September 12 – October 10**

#2132.2218 **October 17 – November 28**

No class Oct. 31 & Nov. 21

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$38 Res / \$53 Non-Res / \$29 Senior Citizen Res
Fees are per person.

Tai Chi

Tai Chi is a low-impact, weight-bearing, and aerobic yet relaxing exercise with its origins as a Chinese martial art. As it developed, it has taken on the purpose of enhancing physical and mental health. Practiced in a variety of styles, Tai Chi involves slow, gentle movements, deep breathing, meditation and Qigong exercise. The 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. It may also lead to better balance and lower risk of falls, enhanced sleep, greater awareness, calmness and an overall sense of well-being.



13+ yrs.

TUESDAYS 9:00 – 9:45 am

#4021.1218 **May 29 – July 10 (6 weeks)**

No class Jul. 3

#4021.2218 **July 17 – August 21 (6 weeks)**

#4021.3218 **September 4 – October 16**

#4021.4218 **October 23 – December 11**

No class Nov. 20

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

FRIDAYS 9:00 – 9:45 am

#4022.1218 **June 1 – July 13**

#4022.2218 **July 20 – August 24 (6 weeks)**

#4022.3218 **September 7 – October 19**

#4022.4218 **October 26 – December 14**

No class Nov. 23

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$22 Res / \$37 Non-Res / \$17 Senior Citizen Res

6-week: \$19 Res / \$34 Non Res / \$15 Senior Citizen 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.

#1085.1218 **June 4 – July 16 (6 weeks) No class Jul. 2**

#1085.2218 **July 23 – August 27 (6 weeks)**

#1085.3218 **September 10 – October 22**

#1085.4218 **October 29 – December 10**

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

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

6-week: \$18 Res / \$33 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. Classes are open to all level belts and experience. *Participants must be at least 7 years of age.*

MONDAYS 6:35 – 7:35 pm 7+ yrs.

#3051.1218 **June 4 – July 16 (6 weeks) No class Jul. 2**

#3051.2218 **July 23 – August 27 (6 weeks)**

#3051.3218 **September 10 – October 22**

#3051.4218 **October 29 – December 10**

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res

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



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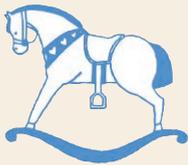
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Sports Programs & Leagues

Tennis



Youth and adult tennis lessons are offered for all ages and skill levels. This season classes will be taught by certified coaches from the Green Bay Tennis Center. Items to bring: water, sunscreen, athletic shoes; athletic attire should be worn. Racquets are provided if needed. There will be 2 five-week sessions. In case of inclement weather or cancelled classes, whenever possible, make-up classes will be held on Friday mornings.

*** Please sign up for what grade you are going into for the upcoming school year.

MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS

Sess. 1: June 11 – July 18

No class Jul. 2 & 4

Sess. 2: July 23 – August 22

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS

Sess. 1: June 12 – July 19

No class Jul. 3 & 5

Sess. 2: July 24 – August 23

Cost: \$38 Res / \$53 Non-Res

K – 2nd Grades Little Stokers: The Kindergarten – 2nd grade students will develop basic athletic skills as well as eye/hand coordination. This group will be using the 'red' ball. The 'red' balls have a 25% bounce height of a regular ball and are played on a 36' court.

3rd – 5th Grades Rising Stars: The 3rd – 5th grade students will continue developing athletic, technical and competitive skills while continuing to work on and perfecting the tennis strokes introduced. This group will be using either the 'orange' ball or the 'green dot' ball. The 'orange' balls have a 50% bounce height of a regular ball and are played on a 60' court. The 'green dot' balls have a 75% bounce height of a regular ball and are played on the full size tennis court.

Middle School/High School The 6th – 12th grade students who are new to the game of tennis will learn the fundamentals of the game and be introduced to the different strokes. This class will also provide instruction for the student that is entering middle school/high school or already participates on their middle school/high school team, and are looking to build on their foundation for future play.

Adult Tennis This class will provide the fundamentals of tennis, including stroke production, court positioning, scoring, and the rules to be able to enjoy the game on your own.

K – 2nd Grades		Park	Sess. 1	Sess. 2
M/W	9:00 – 10:00 am	Legion	#1041.1218	#1041.2218
T/TH	9:00 – 10:00 am	VFW	#1051.1218	#1051.2218
3rd – 5th Grades				
M/W	10:00 – 11:00 am	Legion	#1042.1218	#1042.2218
T/TH	10:00 – 11:00 am	VFW	#1052.1218	#1052.2218
6th – 8th Grades				
M/W	11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Legion	#1043.1218	#1043.2218
T/TH	11:00 am – 12:00 pm	VFW	#1053.1218	#1053.2218
9th – 12th Grades				
M/W	11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Legion	#1044.1218	#1044.2218
T/TH	11:00 am – 12:00 pm	VFW	#1054.1218	#1054.2218
Adult				
T/TH	5:30 – 6:30 pm	Legion	#2101.1218	#2101.2218

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 12 – August 7

No league Jul. 3

#3131.1218

6:30 – 7:30 pm

Location:

Legion Park

Fee:

\$20 Res / \$35 Non-Res /
\$15 Senior Citizen Res

Youth Tennis Tournament

The De Pere Parks & Recreation Department and the De Pere Kiwanis Club jointly sponsor the annual Youth Tennis Tournament this year held at 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 23 and 24. *(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 beginning June 11. **Registration deadline is Wednesday, July 18 at 4:30 pm.**

MONDAY & TUESDAY July 23 & 24

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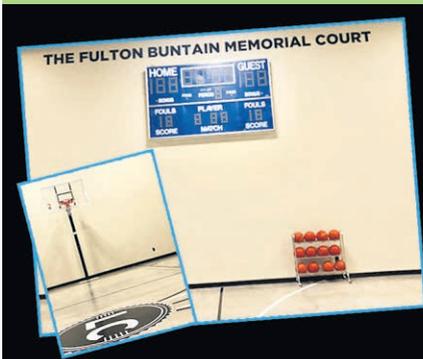


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Adult Kickball League

The coed kickball league season begins on **Sunday, June 3rd**. Games are played on Sunday evenings at VFW Park. Registration information and team packets will be available online at www.de-pere.org and at the De Pere Community Center beginning Monday, April 16th.

Registration begins: Monday, April 30
Registration ends: Friday, May 18
Team Fee: \$130 per team
Player Fee: \$20 Res / \$40 Non-Res



Adult Softball

Summer Leagues

The Parks & 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 1-3 @ Legion Park

De Pere Knights of Columbus Bugsy Coed Softball Tournament

June 22-24 @ Optimist Park

De Pere Rotary/Pink Flamingo Classic – 14" Slow Pitch Tournament

July 13-15 @ Legion Park

Fall League

Men's 12" Slowpitch Softball League season begins on **Tuesday, August 21st**. Games are played on Tuesday evenings at VFW Park. Registration information and team packets will be available online at www.de-pere.org and at the De Pere Community Center beginning Monday, June 25th.

Registration begins: Monday, July 16
Registration ends: Friday, August 3

Team Fee: \$130 per team
Player Fee: \$20 Res / \$40 Non-Res



Adult Basketball Leagues

The De Pere Rec Adult Men's Basketball League begins on **Wednesday, October 10th**. 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 at www.de-pere.org and at the De Pere Community Center beginning Monday, August 20th.

Returning Team registration begins: Tuesday, Sept. 4
All Team registration begins: Monday, Sept. 17
Registration ends: Friday, Sept. 21

Team Fee: \$230 per team
Player Fee: \$37 Res / \$57 Non-Res



Sports Programs & Leagues

Youth Flag Football League

This fall we will be offering the youth flag football program for boys and girls who are entering grades 1st - 6th for the 2018-2019 school year. Our flag football program is designed to develop skills and an understanding of the game while emphasizing participation and sportsmanship. **Registration deadline is Friday, August 10th in person, Sunday, August 12th online.**

5th & 6th Grade Combined League *New!*

Teams will be formed from participants signing up throughout the entire City of De Pere and surrounding areas. Games will be played at Jim Martin Park and will be scheduled on the hour typically between 10:00 am - 1:00 pm. Team schedules will be available one week before the season starts. Additional practices may be setup by your coach.

SATURDAYS September 8 – October 27

Games for 1st – 4th grades are scheduled on the hour typically between 9:00 am – 2:00 pm. Team schedules will be available one week before the season starts. Additional practices may be set-up by your coach.

JIM MARTIN PARK

#1071.1218 1st & 2nd Grade

#1072.1218 3rd & 4th Grade

VFW PARK

#1073.1218 1st & 2nd Grade

#1074.1218 3rd & 4th Grade

JIM MARTIN PARK

#1077.1218 5th & 6th Grade *New!*

Fee: \$41 Res / \$56 Non-Res

*Fee includes a printed t-shirt. Adult coaches are needed for each team prior to the start of the season; if interested in being a head coach or assistant coach, please indicate preference during registration process or call 339-4097. A coaches meeting will be held on **Wednesday, August 29th** at the Community Center.*

Flag Football Notes: Youth are assigned to teams at random. The only special requests honored will be siblings who may be on the same team if requested. Adult Coaches are needed for each team prior to the start of the season. Please call 339-4097 for more information.

Pee Wee Flag Football

Kindergarteners come join us for six fun Saturday mornings where Park and Rec staff and volunteers teach the basics of flag football. Participants must be in Kindergarten to enroll.

SATURDAYS September 8 – October 13

9:00 – 9:45 am

#1075.1218 Jim Martin Park

#1076.1218 VFW Park

Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 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 VFW Park 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 15

9:00 – 11:15 am

Location: VFW Park

Fee: FREE!

Learn to Skate Program

Come skate with us! 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.greenergreenbaysfc.com, call (920) 819-6047 or e-mail ggbfsc.lts@gmail.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 4–18 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 on the website prior to each event at: www.depereyouthhockey.org.

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. **Families interested in participating with children under 13 years of age, please contact the Community Center at 339-4097. See page 11 for Water Aerobic classes and page 21 for Tai Chi classes.**

Morning 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 be presented.

TUESDAYS &/OR THURSDAYS 7:30 – 8:30 am

#2001.1218 **May 29 – July 10**
 #2001.2218 **July 17 – August 28**
 #2001.3218 **September 4 – October 16**
 #2001.4218 **October 23 – December 18**
No class Nov. 20 (8 weeks)

THURSDAYS 7:30 – 8:30 am

#2002.1218 **May 31 – July 12**
 #2002.2218 **July 19 – August 30**
 #2002.3218 **September 6 – October 18**
 #2002.4218 **October 25 – December 20**
No class Nov. 22 (8 weeks)

Evening Yoga

MONDAYS - Vinyasa Flow Intermediate Style

Vinyasa Flow Yoga incorporates stretching and strengthening that will move forward into more advanced postures and work into inversions. This class is geared more towards clients that already have a regular yoga practice.

MONDAYS 6:30 – 7:30 pm

#2003.1218 **June 4 – July 9 (6 weeks)**
 #2003.2218 **July 16 – August 27**
 #2003.3218 **September 10 – October 22**
 #2003.4218 **October 29 – December 17** *No class Nov. 19*

THURSDAYS - Beginner/Restorative Style

Beginner/Restorative style class includes a warm up of flowing poses, strength building poses, balancing postures, and deeply relaxing poses. Excellent class to increase your flexibility and strengthen your entire body.

THURSDAYS 6:30 – 7:30 pm

#2004.1218 **May 31 – July 12**
 #2004.2218 **July 19 – August 30**
 #2004.3218 **September 6 – October 18**
 #2004.4218 **October 25 – December 13** *No class Nov. 22*

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

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

6-week: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res / \$27 Senior Citizen Res

8-week: \$45 Res / \$60 Non-Res / \$34 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. Although low impact, we provide 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.

WEDNESDAYS 8:00 – 8:45 am

#4011.1218 **May 30 – July 11**
No class Jul. 4 (6 weeks)

#4011.2218 **July 18 – August 29**

THURSDAYS 8:45 – 9:30 am

#4011.3218 **September 6 – October 18**
 #4011.4218 **October 25 – December 20**
No class Nov. 22 (8 weeks)

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res / \$27 Senior Citizen Res

6-week: \$25 Res / \$40 Non-Res / \$19 Senior Citizen Res

8-week: \$45 Res / \$60 Non-Res / \$34 Senior Citizen Res

Restorative Yoga

Calm your mind and body in our soothing Restorative Yoga class. This class incorporates mainly floor-based poses with the use of props to promote deep stretching of the muscles and tendons. It's perfectly designed to release muscle & back tightness and help you relax! This gentle form of yoga is well-suited for those suffering from lower back pain, sciatica, tight hamstrings/calves, or busy people with overstimulated and over-active minds. So if you're looking to improve your flexibility and reduce your stress levels, then this is the class for you! *Come check out our new classes on Tuesday evenings!*

MONDAYS 9:00 – 10:00 am

#2011.1218 **June 4 – July 9 (6 weeks)**
 #2011.2218 **July 16 – August 27**
 #2011.3218 **September 10 – October 22**
 #2011.4218 **October 29 – December 17** *No class Nov. 19*

TUESDAYS 5:00 – 6:00 pm *New!*

#2012.1218 **September 4 – October 16**
 #2012.2218 **October 23 – December 11** *No class Nov. 20*

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

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

6-week: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res / \$27 Senior Citizen Res



Yin Yoga *New!*

Whereas Restorative Yoga is a non-muscular style of Yoga that involves the use of props and longer duration of poses to allow for maximum release and relaxation, Yin Yoga shifts the focus from activating muscles to strengthening and opening of the joints and connective tissues.

WEDNESDAYS 9:00 – 10:00 am
 #2013.1218 **September 5 – October 17**
 #2013.2218 **October 24 – December 19**
No class Oct. 31 & Nov. 21
Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.
Fee: \$40 Res / \$55 Non-Res / \$30 Senior Citizen Res



PiYo Core

This is a unique class that combines overall body mechanics and 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
 #3091.1218 **May 30 – July 11** *No class Jul. 4 (6 weeks)*
 #3091.2218 **July 18 – August 29**
MONDAYS 5:30 – 6:15 pm
 #3092.1218 **September 10 – October 22**
 #3092.2218 **October 29 – December 17** *No class Nov. 19*
WEDNESDAYS 5:30 – 6:15 pm
 #3091.3218 **September 5 – October 17**
 #3091.4218 **October 24 – December 19**
No class Oct. 31 & Nov. 21
Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.
Fee: \$35 Res / \$50 Non-Res / \$27 Senior Citizen Res
6-week: \$30 Res / \$45 Non-Res / \$23 Senior Citizen Res

Hooping & More for Your Core

This fun class will get your heart pumping and your body moving. With a mix of hula hooping, weights, arm/leg strength, floor work for your core and lots of energy, it's sure to revitalize you and give you a boost of confidence. With 8-10 calories burned per minute you'll have the ideal cardio workout which is also low impact and self-paced. Class is ideal 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. & up
 #3151.1218 **September 5 – October 17**
 #3151.2218 **October 24 – December 19**
No class Oct. 31 & Nov. 21
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res / \$21 Senior Citizen Res

Curious about trying a new Fitness Class? Not a problem! Just call our office and let us know you'd like to try a class. A waiver form will need to be signed to participate in class.

Rockout! Workout!

This new cardio drumming workout features 45 minutes of low-impact, high-velocity rock action. Cruise through stretching and strengthening poses, basic core engagement, balancing challenges and more, while drumming away your stress with your own pair of lightly weighted drumsticks. We'll focus on sculpting your abs, buns, back, arms, and legs while drumming out the backbeat to some great rock, rap, and pop hits! *Please bring your own workout mat; water bottle also encouraged.*



THURSDAYS 6:30 – 7:15 pm
 #3021.1218 **September 6 – October 18**
 #3021.2218 **October 25 – December 13** *No class Nov. 22*
Oct. 25 class held at West De Pere Middle School Commons
Location: Dickinson School Commons
Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res / \$21 Senior Citizen Res

Tai Chi is 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 21 for more information.

NON-RESIDENTS Please Note!

When registering for Yoga, PiYo Core 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.

Fitness Programs

Insanity! *New!*

Insanity is a high-intensity, full body workout that is completely personal to you! Every move comes with modifications and variations to make sure you get the most out of your workout! Insanity is organized into blocks, each block consists of four exercises, and each exercise is done three times for 30 seconds each. The blocks are organized with exercises for plyometrics & speed, strength & stability, agility & coordination, and abs & core. If you're looking for a fun environment and challenging workout, this group fitness class is the class for you! *Please bring your own workout mat; water bottle also encouraged.*

TUESDAYS **6:30 – 7:15 pm**
 #3031.1218 **September 4 – October 16**
 #3031.2218 **October 23 – December 11** *No class Nov. 20*
Location: Dickinson School Commons
Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res / \$21 Senior Citizen Res

Program deadlines are 1 week prior to the start of the program. Register early so your favorite class does not get canceled. No refunds will be issued one week prior or after an activity has started.

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!



MONDAYS **6:30 – 7:15 pm**
 #3061.1218 **June 4 – July 9** *(6 weeks)*
 #3061.2218 **July 16 – August 27**
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.
 #3061.3218 **September 10 – October 22**
 #3061.4218 **October 29 – December 17** *No class Nov. 19*
Location: Dickinson School Commons
THURSDAYS **7:15 – 8:00 pm**
 #3062.1218 **September 6 – October 18**
 #3062.2218 **October 25 – December 13** *No class Nov. 22*
 Oct. 25 class held at West De Pere Middle School Commons
Location: Dickinson School Commons
Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res / \$21 Senior Citizen Res
6-week: \$25 Res / \$40 Non-Res / \$19 Senior Citizen Res

Beginner's Strong by Zumba

Tired of the same old workout? Then mix it up with Beginner's Strong by Zumba! This high energy class combines cardio interval training, toning and core work with the science of synced music motivation. Fun music and easy to follow moves will motivate and invigorate to keep you moving and having a great time all while burning calories, building muscle tone, and strengthening your core. High intensity or low intensity?...you choose! Class can be modified to your fitness level so you get the most out of your workout! *Be sure to bring a water bottle, towel and/or a workout mat as a portion of the class will be on the floor for core work.*

WEDNESDAYS **6:30 – 7:15 pm**
 #3063.3218 **September 5 – October 17**
 #3063.4218 **October 24 – December 9**
 No class Oct. 31 & Nov. 21
Location: West De Pere High School, Multi-Purpose Rm.
Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res / \$21 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**
 #4031.1218 **September 5 – October 17**
 #4031.2218 **October 24 – December 12** *No class Nov. 21*
FRIDAYS **8:45 – 9:30 am**
 #4032.1218 **September 7 – October 19**
 #4032.2218 **October 26 – December 14** *No class Nov. 23*
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$27 Res / \$42 Non-Res / \$21 Senior Citizen Res

NON-RESIDENTS Please Note!

When registering for Yoga, PiYo Core 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.



Enrichment & Senior Programs

Open Watercolor Group

Adults, have fun and get some of those unfinished paintings finished! Join fellow painters and share laughs as well as painting "advice". No instructor provided.

THURSDAYS 12:30 – 3:00 pm

#4111.1218

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Location: Community Center, Oak Rm.

Fee: \$25 yearly fee, \$15 after June 30

A Painter's Paradise for Studio Oil Painting

Refresh or keep your painting skills alive during summer break! This is an opportunity to share ideas and expertise with each other. Bring your paints and artwork and spend some social painting time together! No instructor for this program.

WEDNESDAYS 12:30 – 3:30 pm

#4081.1218

June 6 – August 15 *No class Jul. 4*

THURSDAYS 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

#4082.1218

June 7 – August 9

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$15 per person

Studio Oil Paint

Explore the basics of oil painting in these 10-week, 3-hour classes. 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

#4061.1218

September 5 – November 7

WEDNESDAYS 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm

#4062.1218

September 5 – November 7

THURSDAYS 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

#4063.1218

September 6 – November 8

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

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

Senior Line Dancing *New!*

No partner is required, so this is a great way to get exercise, meet new people, and have a great time! Dancing is one of the best forms of whole body exercise! The class is designed for senior citizens looking to learn the basics and grow your skills. See you on the dance floor!

MONDAYS 1:00 – 2:30 pm

#2121.1218

September 10 – October 22

#2121.2218

October 29 – December 10

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

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



Stained Glass

Beginning students and continuing glass crafters, join us for this 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. Classes will be geared to all levels of skill. Come have fun and create your own art!

THURSDAYS 5:00 – 8:00 pm

#4051.1218

June 7 – August 2 *No class Jul. 5*

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$61 Res / \$76 Non-Res / \$44 Senior Citizen Res

THURSDAYS 5:00 – 8:00 pm

#4051.2218

September 6 – October 11

#4051.3218

October 25 – December 6 *No class Nov. 22*

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

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

AARP Smart Driver Course

The course is intended to help drivers 50+ live more independently as they age and remain safe on today's roads. Some insurance companies may offer a discount upon completion of the course and participants should contact their local agent for more details.

Some of the course objectives that will be covered are:

- Maintaining proper following distance
- Minimizing the effect of dangerous blind spots
- Properly using seat belts, airbags and all car features
- Effects of medication on driving
- Maintaining physical flexibility
- Monitoring the driving skills and capabilities of yourself and others
- How to safely drive roundabouts

WEDNESDAY **September 12** 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Reserve your seat by Tuesday, Sept. 11

Location: Community Center, Oak Rm. (upper level)

Fee: \$15 AARP Member, \$20 Non-Member
Fee payable day of class and includes all materials.
Make check payable to AARP.

**Please bring your AARP membership card and driver's license for class registration. Register at the Community Center prior to or at 8:15 am the day of class.*

Friday Morning Matinees

Join us on select Friday mornings for our popular Movie Matinees! For those who would like to stay for lunch, please register by 10:00 am the day before. For the daily menu or to make a reservation please call 920-983-1675. *Lunch is on a donation basis!*

FRIDAYS 9:30 – 11:30 am

**June 15, July 20, August 17, September 21,
October 19, November 16, December 21**

Location: Community Center,
Lower Level Lounge

Fee: 50¢ popcorn

For the movie of the month call 336-6054.



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Summer Brunch Bingo *New!*

Join us for a delectable homemade brunch with bingo to follow. Brunch ticket includes two bingo cards! Two additional cards can be purchased for 50¢ a piece.

FRIDAY **June 22** **12:00 pm** 
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm. (lower level)
Fee: \$7 per person
Register by Wednesday, June 20

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 will go on sale beginning in July. Don't miss out on all the great food and excitement!

SATURDAY **August 25** **12:00 pm**
*Doors will open at 10:30 am for open cards.
 Lunch served at 12:00 pm with bingo to follow.*
Location: Community Center,
 Spruce Rm. & Lounge (lower level) 
Fee: \$5 per person

Sorry, no tickets will be sold after Thursday, August 23. No refunds.

Donations accepted for door prizes.

Elvis-John-Live! *New!*

Experience the magic of Elvis! Join award winning John Hardginski in a wonderful tribute show packed with energy and audience interaction for a fun and memorable time! Some of Elvis' favorite refreshments served after the show! You won't want to miss this one!

FRIDAY **September 28** **1:00 pm**
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm. (upper level)
Fee: \$5 per person
Register by Friday, Sept. 21

Partners Cribbage Tournament

Grab your partner and come join the fun! Fee includes lunch, homemade desserts, and entrance into High Crib & High Hand. All money paid out minus event costs. Minimum 20 teams. Doors open at 11:30 am.

SATURDAY **October 13** **12:00 pm**
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm. (lower level)
Fee: \$24 per team
Register by Thursday, Oct. 11



Chili Luncheon and Bingo

Join the De Pere Commission on Aging for our delicious annual homemade chili luncheon complete with our famous desserts! Bingo following lunch. **Lunch ticket includes two bingo cards!** Two additional cards can be purchased for 50¢ a piece!

FRIDAY **October 26** **12:00 pm**
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm. (lower level)
Fee: \$7 per person
Register by Wednesday, Oct. 24

Veterans Appreciation Luncheon & Card Games *New!*

Join us for a delicious homemade patriotic-themed luncheon to celebrate our veterans. Veterans and friends are all welcome! After lunch play cards or games of your choice.

WEDNESDAY **November 14** **12:00 pm**
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm. (lower level)
Fee: \$4 per person (Veterans)
 \$5 per person (Non-Veterans)
Register by Friday, Nov. 9

Horns A Plenty Show A Must See! *New!*

Kick off the Holiday Season with Horns A Plenty! This free concert, under the direction of Don Krause, founder and director of the Fox Valley Horn Club and a member of symphonies and orchestras for more than 40 years, will feature French Horns exclusively! Horn players young and old will perform Holiday favorites! Donations are welcomed and encouraged and will directly fund music scholarships for aspiring horn players and recreation scholarships for City of De Pere youth. Homemade desserts and refreshments provided after the show!



SATURDAY **November 17** **1:00 pm**
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm. (lower level)
Fee: FREE! Donations towards scholarships appreciated.

Limited number of free tickets available starting Sept. 4



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Please call to schedule a tour: Sheila Steinfeldt • 920-676-2307

Enrichment & 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 Activity Coordinator at 336-6054.

Mondays	Lounge open for cards → 8:00 am – 12:00 pm Sheepshead → 12:15 pm Bridge → 12:15 pm Dominoes → 1:00 pm	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 and Foot → 12:15 pm Sheepshead → 12:15 pm Bridge → 1:00 pm
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	Fridays	Lounge Open for Cards → 8:00 am – 4:00 pm <i>(Not on movie day, 3rd Friday of every month)</i> Friday Morning Matinee – 9:30 am <i>(3rd Friday of every month)</i> Duplicate Bridge → 12:30 pm Dominoes & Games → 1:00 pm
Wednesdays	Lounge open for cards → 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Blood Pressure Checks → 10:30 am – 11:30 am *Oil Painting Class → 9:00 am – 4:00 pm <i>*Registered class - Spruce Rm.</i>	<p>If you or your group is interested in joining us for lunch before or after your card game, please call 983-1675. RSVP's must be made one day in advance.</p>	

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 the De Pere Health Department 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 336-6054 or 339-4097.

2nd THURSDAY of the month **9:15 – 10:00 am**

Location: Community Center, Oak Rm. (upper level)

Fee: FREE!

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.

THURSDAY **November 1** **9:00 – 11:00 am**

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm. (lower level)

Fee: FREE!



Blood Pressure Checks

Blood Pressure Checks are performed twice a month at the De Pere Community Center by nurses from the De Pere Health Department.

1st & 3rd Wednesday of the Month

10:30 – 11:30 am

De Pere Community Center, Lounge (lower level)



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 **11:00 am, Monday thru Friday. Reservations MUST be made by 10:00 am one day in advance.** For more information please call 983-1675.

Homebound Meals are designed to provide one hot, nutritious meal each weekday if you are:

- 60 years of age or older; or
- an adult age 18+ and are on disability or in the process of applying for disability (with an approved waiver) **and**
- are homebound,
- not able to go to a dining site,
- not able to prepare meals,
- don't have someone to prepare a meal for you; and
- do not reside in a complex that offers meals.

Volunteers Needed!

The Aging and Disability Resource Center of Brown County is looking for volunteers to assist in a variety of areas for the Nutrition Program during the weekdays. If interested please call Mary Jo at 983-1675.

Fitness classes for seniors!

The Parks & Recreation Dept. offers a variety of fitness classes appropriate for seniors: Yoga, Chair Flow Yoga, Restorative Yoga, Tai Chi, Zumba Gold, Line Dancing & Water Aerobics.

See pages 11, 21, 26-29 for more information.

Dog Park



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. 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, exercise structures and other small upgrades to enhance the experience. We also built a new open air shelter for users to enjoy! We welcome you to stop out and enjoy our beautiful fenced in facility.

We have been very fortunate to have the support of our volunteer group, the De Pere Dog Park Association, and numerous Eagle Scouts. These scout projects and financial support from the group have made the park a reality. To continue to build and add onto our park, though, we still need continued support from the community. 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.

Parkway Tree Planting Program

Our spring tree planting orders were taken until March 30th. 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.*

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.

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.

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.

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

	<u>Non-Revenue Generating Organizations & De Pere Service Groups</u>	<u>Any Revenue Generating Organizations</u>
Softball/Baseball Fields (per field)	\$60/day with lights	\$120/day + \$25 for lights
Soccer/Football Fields (per field)	\$35/day with lights	\$60/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 charge
Swimming Pools	Contact department for availability and rates	

Emerald Ash Borer

In July 2016 we identified our first case of Emerald Ash Borer on the NE side of De Pere. The crown of the mid-sized ash was thin and the homeowner wondered what was wrong with it. After choosing to remove the tree our arborists examined some of the branches from the upper crown and found some exit holes that appeared to be 'D' shaped (the familiar, tell-tale sign of EAB). There were no significant sprouts or increased woodpecker activity on the tree (other tell-tale signs of an infestation). After peeling the bark and finding a few more holes we had a representative from the WDNR take a look at the find and our fears were confirmed. Unfortunately in October 2016 we found our second infested tree on the W side of De Pere. The same subtle signs occurred in this tree – the crown was a bit thin and we did find only a couple of 'D' shaped exit holes, but no other tell all signs of the insect. Since that time we have located and removed several other infested ash trees at various locations in the City.

What does this mean for you? **It likely means that EAB has spread throughout the City.** It means that if you want any real chance of saving your ash trees you will need to begin treatment of them. 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 it yourself with various products (if your tree is less than about 47 inches in circumference [i.e., 15 inches in diameter at breast height (DBH)]) or you can have a professional treat your trees (for trees typically over that size). If you choose to do nothing, unfortunately the ash in your yard are likely to succumb to EAB. The choice, however, is ultimately yours. I have also been recommending to residents that they start to replant before the insect kills your ash trees. Fill in areas of ash with other diversified species of trees so that if you choose to not treat the trees you have, these newly planted trees will likely get a good foothold and be ready to push better growth once the ash are removed.

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 - <http://emeraldashborer.wi.gov/>; another good one is - www.emeraldashborer.info.

Compost Facility Hours – 2018

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 Cabinet. Turn right onto Rockland Rd. just south of De Pere Veterinary Service. Go past Mommaerts Auto Salvage; compost site is on the same side of the road as Mommaerts.

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 free permit and a vest for their dog to participate. Please contact the Parks, Recreation and Forestry Department at 920-339-4065 for further details.



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 1st to September 1st.** 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 & Bench Memorial Program

Celebrate a special occasion, honor someone you hold dear or remember a loved one by donating a tree, bench or swinging bench. A tree or bench makes a lovely gift or memorial and also contributes to the beauty and variety of the park landscape.

A tree spreads its strength and beauty across the years to become a lasting recognition of remembrance. Trees will be planted either in the spring or fall of each year as weather permits, depending on the species of tree.

A bench offers relaxation and a lasting memory for the donor. Benches require a 6-10 week lead time from the date of the initial order to final installation (depending on season and weather).

Ordering Information: To order a tree, bench or swinging bench, please call Don Melichar with the De Pere Parks Department at 920-339-8362. We will assist you with the process of selecting a tree or bench, and choosing a fitting location/park for your memorial.



For any questions, concerns or comments on these or any other forestry related topics, please contact the City Forester at 920-339-8362.

Registration Information

REGISTER ONLINE

Go to the City of De Pere website at
www.de-pere.org

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Recreation Registration

RESIDENTS ONLY

Online / Mail / Fax / Drop Box

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

Free online registration will begin on Wednesday, April 11. Registrations may also be mailed in, faxed, or dropped off at the Community Center, 600 Grant St. Registrations received prior to Wednesday, April 11 will be held and randomly processed on that day as time permits.

RESIDENTS & NON-RESIDENTS

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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18

Open registration, along with free online registration, will begin on Wednesday, April 18. Walk-in registrations will be accepted at the Community Center, Monday thru Friday, during regular business hours, 8:00 am – 4:30 pm, Monday thru Friday.

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

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.

Community Center 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, \$7.00 per class per participant will be charged for processing (*unless otherwise noted*), with the balance of the fee being refunded. No refunds will be issued 1 week prior 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 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

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

A 24-hour drop box is located at the west entrance of the Community Center.

Online registration is free and encouraged!

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