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925 S. Sixth St.
De Pere, WI 54115
(920) 339-4065
(920) 339-4071 fax

CURRENT OFFICE HOURS:

(by appointment only; subject to change)

Mon-Thu.....6:30 am – 4:00 pm
Fri.....6:30 am – 10:30 am

Community Center & Recreation Department

600 Grant St.
De Pere, WI 54115
(920) 339-4097
(920) 339-6348 fax

CURRENT OFFICE HOURS:

(by appointment only; subject to change)

Mon-Thu.....7:30 am – 5:00 pm
Fri.....7:30 am – 11:30 am

Important Phone Numbers

Forestry 339-8362
Senior Programs 336-6054
Nutrition Program 448-4312
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 of every month, 6:30 pm, at City Hall Council Chambers

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Meets 3rd Thursday every other month, 2:00 pm, starting in January

The City of De Pere promotes sustainability!

Program brochures will be mailed to all De Pere residents and are available online and at the following locations:

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

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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 Cindy Lee at the Community Center at 339-4097. The deadline for the applications is Friday, April 23, 2021.

View all of our activities and services and register online at www.deperewi.gov

Registration Begins

April 14 ~ Residents
April 21 ~ 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 sports 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 may be offered to eligible families as part of City of De Pere sponsored holiday giving programs.

Scholarships are awarded on a first come, first serve basis as long as there are available funds and are within the guidelines established. 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.deperewi.gov.

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 age 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!

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

Many themes available: Pirates, Frozen, Tea Party, Princess, Sports, Legos, Race Cars, Teddy Bears, Dance, Tumbling, etc. Thinking of something else? Feel free to ask!

Fee: \$16/child (minimum \$100)

Date availability varies.

**Please contact the
Community Center at 339-4097.**



Seasonal Employment

Recreation Employment: Part-time seasonal employment opportunities are available for various year-round activities. The Recreation Department is currently searching for Lifeguards, Water Aerobics Instructors, Swim Instructors for Parent/Child Swim Lessons, Head and/or Assistant Instructors for Dance, Poms, Tumbling; Kidz Zone Counselors, Adult Softball Umpires, Kickball Officials, 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!

Park and Street Summer Employment: Looking for an awesome summer job where you can get outside and help your community? Come work for the City of De Pere. From helping maintain city buildings, to beautifying our parks and streets, there are great opportunities waiting for you.

For more information please visit the City's website at www.deperewi.gov or contact the Parks & Recreation Department/Community Center at 339-4097.

Gift Certificates Available

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Facilities



Community Center

600 Grant St.

Located in VFW Park, the De Pere Community Center is an active, thriving venue that serves as an epicenter of lifelong learning, health, fitness, enrichment, recreational and celebration opportunities for our community and surrounding region. This bi-level, 15,000-square foot facility has two large multi-purpose rooms with kitchens, two flexible meeting rooms, one multi-purpose room with counter and sink, a game room and lounge area – all for public or private use. It's an ideal location to host 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)	\$160/4 hours	\$190/4 hours
Meeting Rooms (Capacity 50)	\$75/4 hours	\$100/4 hours
	\$105/full day	\$130/full day
Additional Hours	\$25/hour – meeting rooms	
	\$40/hour – large activity rooms	

Note: Currently, room capacity is limited. Call for up-to-date information.

**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 \$40 or until 1:00 am for an additional \$60.*

Note: All fees subject to change.

Tables (6' long, 48" & 60" round) and chairs 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. TV's w/ DVD players are available in large rooms on upper level and in the lounge on the lower level. The facility is equipped with free WiFi access.

For a nominal fee, the following audio-visual equipment is available: 50" TV w/ VCR/DVD player, LCD projectors, 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 \$50 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 – 5:00 pm and Friday, 7:30 – 11:30 am at the De Pere Community Center, 600 Grant St.

Call 339-4097 for more information. **SELLING DATES: May 10 thru September 3, 2021**

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

WISCONSIN DELLS ATTRACTIONS

Noah's Ark Waterpark – Any Day



Excitement for the whole family at America's Largest Waterpark. Enjoy fun in the sun with world-class thrill rides, wave pool, lazy river and more along with kid's fantastic food options.

Gate Price: Adult: \$39.99 Child (Under 48"): \$29.99
Our Price: Adult: \$29.99 Child (Under 48"): \$29.99
Children 36" & under FREE!
Season: May 29 – September 6, 2021

Noah's Ark Waterpark – WPRA Days

August 20 – August 22, 2021 (Waterpark Only)

Our Price: Adult: \$28.99 Child (Under 48"): \$28.99
Children 36" & under FREE!

Mt. Olympus Water & Theme Park

The ultimate Dells adventure offering an outdoor water park and theme park. 7 go-kart tracks, 2 lazy rivers, wave pools with 9 foot waves, amusement rides, and much more!



Gate Price: \$15.00 **Our Price: \$5.75**
Children 2 & under FREE!
Season: May 28 – September 6, 2021

Pirate's Cove Adventure Golf

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



Argh Matesy! Your treasure is at Pirate's Cove Adventure Golf in Wisconsin Dells, mini-golf at its finest. 5 different courses – 91 holes. Clean greens and beautiful landscaping.

Gate Price: \$9.00 **Our Price: \$6.00**
Children 4 & under FREE!
Season: Mid-March – late October

Jet Boat Adventures

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

Gate Price: Adult: \$32.02 Child (4-11): \$16.01
Our Price: Adult: \$27.50 Child (4-11): \$15.50
Children 3 & under not allowed.
Season: Mid-May – Mid-October



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: \$32.02 Child (4-11): \$16.01
Our Price: Adult: \$27.50 Child (4-11): \$15.50
Children 3 & under FREE!
Season: April – Mid-November

Wisconsin Ducks Tour

Adventure on land and water! Our one hour land and water tour includes miles of scenic wilderness trails, rock formations and cliffs on the Wisconsin River.

Gate Price: Adult: \$32.02 Child (4-11): \$16.01
Our Price: Adult: \$27.50 Child (4-11): \$15.50
Children 3 & under FREE!
Season: Mid-March – Mid-November



OTHER AREA ATTRACTIONS

Six Flags Great America

The Midwest's largest theme park.

Come see Maxx Force, the new triple record-breaking launch coaster! Reach speeds of 78 miles per hour in under two seconds on this incredible record breaker, featuring the fastest inversion and tallest double inversion of any rollercoaster in the world!

***Additional charge for waterpark.**

Gate Price: Adult Any Day: \$83.19
Our Price: Adult Any Day: \$55.25
WPRA Week ~ June 27 – July 5: \$41.00
Children 3 & under FREE!
Season: April 25 – December 31, 2021



Milwaukee County Zoo

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

Gate Price: Adult: \$16.75 Child (3-12): \$13.75
Our Price: Adult: \$12.25 Child (3-12): \$10.25
Children 2 & under FREE!
Season: Open year round
Tickets expire on December 31, 2021





OUTDOOR SWIMMING POOLS

Legion Pool & VFW Aquatic Facility

June 12 – August 22

POOLS WILL CLOSE AT 4:30 PM ON JULY 4



ALL SCHEDULES & OPERATIONS SUBJECT TO CHANGE • POOL CAPACITIES MAY BE LIMITED
CONCESSIONS will be open with limited menu of pre-packaged items

Hours of Open Swim

Monday - Friday 1:00 - 4:30 pm & 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Saturday - Sunday 1:00 - 6:00 pm

General Aquatic Admission

To receive resident rates, appropriate identification will be required when purchasing daily admission, season passes and/or when registering for swim lessons. **All patrons entering the aquatic facility must pay admission fees whether intending to swim or not.**

No lifeguards on duty in the baby pool.

Pre-season passes may be purchased at the Community Center through June 11, 2021. In-Season passes may be purchased at either pool when it opens 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 2021 Season Swim Pass. **Replacement cards are \$6 each.**

General Admission Open Swim

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

Pools may have limited patron capacities therefore, open swim admission is first come, first serve.

LEGION ONLY	Resident	Non-Resident
Baby (0-2 yrs.)	\$1.50	\$3
Single (3-59 yrs.)	\$4	\$7
Senior (ages 60+)	\$3	\$7

VFW ONLY	Resident	Non-Resident
Baby (0-2 yrs.)	\$2	\$4
Single (3-59 yrs.)	\$5	\$8
Senior (ages 60+)	\$3	\$8

Lap Swim

Purchase a lap swim membership for use at VFW Aquatic Facility & Legion Pool all summer (best value) or purchase lap swim general admission at the pool's front desk when you attend. **Note: During 11:15 am & 5:15 pm lap swim times, limited lanes will be available due to other programming.*

LEGION POOL	Monday & Wednesday	6:30 am – 8:30 am
	Monday – Friday	11:15 am – 12:00 pm*
	Mon., Tues., Wed.	5:15 pm – 5:45 pm*

VFW AQUATIC FACILITY	Tuesday & Thursday	6:30 am – 8:30 am
	Monday – Friday	11:15 pm – 12:00 pm*
	Mon., Wed., Thurs.	5:15 pm – 5:45 pm*

BOTH POOLS	Resident	Non-Resident
Daily	\$3	\$5
Season Pass	\$45	\$60
Senior (ages 60+)	\$35	\$50

Season Swim Passes

NOTE: All patrons are required to get NEW pool passes this season!

LEGION ONLY	Pre-Season (thru 6/11)		In-Season (begins 6/12)	
	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident
Individual	\$35	\$65	\$45	\$75
Family	\$70	\$150	\$80	\$160
Senior (ages 60+)	\$25	\$65	\$35	\$75

Both LEGION & VFW	Pre-Season (thru 6/11)		In-Season (begins 6/12)	
	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident
Individual	\$45	\$90	\$55	\$100
Family	\$100	\$210	\$110	\$220
Senior (ages 60+)	\$35	\$90	\$45	\$100

****Family:** A family membership may consist of up to 2 adults and up to 3 dependents living in the same household/same address; this includes full-time students living at home. Additional dependents may be added for \$6 each.

On Friday, June 11th the Community Center will be open till 4:00pm to process swim passes.



Fun Specials at the Pools

Specials run during open swim times.

Thursday, July 1 – Goggles The Gator Day
Two lucky patrons will win a pair of goggles in a drawing at 2:45 pm break

Monday, July 12 – Swim Towel Giveaway
Two lucky patrons will win a swim towel in a drawing at 7:15 pm break

Wednesday, July 28 – Freeze Pop Frenzy
Free Freeze Pop for the first 100 patrons

Thursday, August 5 – Flotation Giveaway
Two lucky patrons will win a flotation device in a drawing at 2:45 pm break

Sunday, August 22 – Half Price Concessions Day
All concession items are 1/2 price

Swim Lessons

At this time, all traditional and 9–week swim lessons will not be offered. Instead, both pools will offer semi-private & private swim lessons at the times listed below.

Lessons will be canceled due to severe weather.

Monday – Friday

9:30 – 10:00 am • 10:05 – 10:35 am • 10:40 – 11:10 am • 5:15 – 5:45 pm

Semi-Private Swim 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 register, please see information to the right. Any additional questions call the Recreation Supervisor at 339-4066. **Lessons will depend on instructor availability and pool space.**



VFW Aquatic Facility	Legion Pool
#5351.1221 Package of 4	#5352.1221 Package of 4
#5361.1221 Package of 8	#5362.1221 Package of 8

Package of 4—30 minute lessons:
Fee: \$34 Res / \$49 Non-Res / \$26 Senior Res

Package of 8—30 minute lessons:
Fee: \$61 Res / \$76 Non-Res / \$46 Senior Res

Private Swim Lessons

Private swim lessons are one-on-one instruction designed to meet the needs of the individual participant. Lessons are 30 minutes long. To register, please see information to the right. Any additional questions call the Recreation Supervisor at 339-4066. **Lessons will depend on instructor availability and pool space.**



VFW Aquatic Facility	Legion Pool
#5331.1221 Package of 4	#5332.1221 Package of 4
#5341.1221 Package of 8	#5342.1221 Package of 8

Package of 4—30 minute lessons:
Fee: \$74 Res / \$89 Non-Res / \$56 Senior Res

Package of 8—30 minute lessons:
Fee: \$142 Res / \$157 Non-Res / \$107 Senior Res

Flotation Fridays

We are “BLOWIN” up the 2021 season with our brand new water inflatables obstacle course. Come check out the fun on selected days! **Various areas of the pool could be closed to allow for safe operations of inflatables.**

FRIDAYS	1:00 – 2:45 pm
Location:	June 18 Legion Pool
	June 25 VFW Aquatic Facility
	July 23 Legion Pool
	July 30 VFW Aquatic Facility



Swim Lesson Policies and Procedures

- ✓ **Levels: Parent/Child → Level 3: Parent must be in water with child (1:1 Ratio)**
- ✓ **Levels: 4, 5/6 → Parents are encouraged to be in water, but not required**
 - Parents or others will not be allowed on deck or inside the fence areas to watch
- ✓ All instructors will teach from the deck
- ✓ All participants must arrive ready to swim
- ✓ Enter the pool by the steps or by slide in entry
- ✓ All participants will not be able to change after lessons and exit through gate on deck
- ✓ Participants can bring their own toys/equipment as teaching trainers appropriate for their level
 - i.e. rings, floatable toys, dive sticks, etc.
- ✓ **DIAPER POLICY:** Children who are not toilet-trained are required to wear swim diapers under appropriate swim wear. Removing diapers for swimming is not acceptable.
- ✓ Social distancing will be required at all times

Sign up for Semi-Private & Private Swim Lessons

- Registration may be completed via online, walk-in at De Pere Community Center or at both pools, or by calling 930-339-4066 and providing the following information:

Parent's Name	Phone & Email
Child's Name	Ability/Last Level Completed
Child's Age	Availability (Month/Day/AM or PM)
- Payment must be made at time of registration.
- The Recreation Dept. will share your information with swim staff.
- Based on availability, instructor will call listed parent to set up lesson schedule.
- At the end of the season, a full refund will be issued if the registered participant's lesson was not able to be accommodated.

Rules

- All lesson schedules must be arranged with swim instructor at the time of initial contact. The agreed upon schedule is a commitment between instructor and participant – **only one make-up class will be allowed per lesson package.**
- Available Times *(based on pool schedule and instructor availability)*
- You may only enroll in one lesson per person at a time. Additional sessions must be signed up through the Community Center office.
- **LESSONS ARE NOT GUARANTEED. If accommodations can't be made a full refund will be issued.**

Swim Level Descriptions

Swim lesson class descriptions listed below. Descriptions can also be found on the Pools & Aquatics page on the City of De Pere's website, www.deperewi.gov, click on swimming lessons.

PARENT/CHILD (6 MO. – 3 YRS.) Familiarize children with water through exploration and basic skill sets. Provide general safety information for parents in various water settings such as pools and home. Teach techniques parents can use to orient their children to the water.

LEVEL 1A (3 - 4 YRS.) Blowing bubbles, putting face in water, back and front float with assistance, front crawl arm action, exit water on their own, games that assist with water acclimation and basic water movements (kicking, arm action, breath control). Focus is on water acclimation, fun and comfort in the water.

LEVEL 1B (3 - 5 YRS., OR PASSED 1A) Enter & exit water independently, front and back float with support, 3 bobs, blow bubbles, front and back crawl with assistance. Focus is on skills needed to progress to Level 2 while having fun in the water.

LEVEL 2 Fully submerge head & hold breath for 3 seconds, jump into water, 10 bobs, front float and back float unassisted 5 seconds, front & back glide 2 body lengths, front and back crawl unassisted 5 yards, retrieve a submerged object 2 times assisted.

LEVEL 3 Enter water by jumping in from the side into deep water, retrieve a submerged object 2 times unassisted, front & back glide 5 body lengths, tread water for 30 seconds, front crawl with rotary breathing 15 yards, back crawl 15 yards, elementary backstroke kick 15 yards, head first entry from the side in a sitting & kneeling position.

LEVEL 4 Front crawl with rotary breathing 25 yards, back crawl 25 yards, elementary backstroke 15 yards, breaststroke & sidestroke (scissors) kick 15 yards, front and back open turns, tread water for 2 minutes (using two different kicks), standing front dive from side of pool, feet first surface dive, survival swimming for 30 seconds.

LEVEL 5 Front crawl with alternate breathing 50 yards, back crawl 25 yards, elementary backstroke 25 yards, sidestroke and breaststroke 15 yards, dolphin kick 15 yards, tread water for 5 minutes (using two different kicks), tuck and pick surface dives, long shallow dive, survival swimming for 1 minute.

LEVEL 6 Front crawl and back crawl 100 yards, breaststroke and sidestroke 25 yards, butterfly 15 yards, front and back flip turns, open turn (sidestroke), tread water for 6 minutes (1 minute w/o hands, 2 minutes w/ hands x 2), speed turn and pull out for breaststroke, surface dive & retrieve an object from the bottom (8-10 ft. deep).

Family Swims

Family Swims will be held on **Tuesdays at VFW Aquatic Facility** and **Thursdays at Legion Pool from 4:40 – 5:40 pm**. Special family events will occur during Family Swim time/days. **General admission is half price!**

Week of July 19



Week of August 9



Location:

Fee:

“Olympic” Pool Races

Team competitions - challenge yourself and others to compete in races and be crowned “Olympic” champions!

Cardboard Box Races

Come, create & compete to win! Build a cardboard box on site into a boat and race it in the pool.

Legion Pool & VFW Aquatic Facility

Half price admission!



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 Pool & VFW Aquatic Facility 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
6:30 pm – 10:30 pm

Rates and rental information can also be found on the Aquatics page on the City of De Pere's website, www.deperewi.gov, click on 'POOL RENTALS'

Pool Rental Fees LEGION ONLY

Patron Load	Rental Fee/Hour
1-60	\$120
61-136	\$145
137-236	\$175
237-336	\$200

Pool Rental Fees VFW ONLY – NO SLIDE

Patron Load	Rental Fee/Hour	Rental Fee w/Tot Pool
1-60	\$175	\$200
61-136	\$200	\$225
137-236	\$225	\$250
237-336	\$250	\$275

Pool Rental Fees VFW ONLY w/ SLIDE

Patron Load	Rental Fee/Hour	Rental Fee w/Tot Pool
1-60	\$200	\$225
61-136	\$225	\$250
137-236	\$250	\$275
237-336	\$275	\$300

Inflatables available to rent for an extra \$50

If extra guards are required renter will pay an additional \$20/per guard.

Concessions available for additional \$20 per hour up to 60 patrons.
Parties with 61+ patrons, \$40 per hour.

TOT Pool Rental Fees LEGION & VFW

TOT Pool Rental Fee Schedule	
1 hour rental	\$25 per hour (up to 25 people)

CABANA Rental Fees VFW ONLY

TOT Pool Rental Fee Schedule	
1-3 hour rental	\$25 per hour (min. 1 hr., max. 3 hrs.)

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 11:15 am – 12:00 pm

#5111.1221 **June 14 – July 1**

#5111.2221 **July 5 – July 22**

#5111.3221 **July 26 – August 19** (4 weeks)



Location: Legion Pool

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

4-week: \$50 Res / \$65 Non-Res / \$37 Senior Res

Water Fitness

Keep the workouts going! Water Fitness is a class that focuses on balance, flexibility, relaxation & strength. This is a great combination of pilates and yoga type movements. Enjoy the warm water & calming music. A great class for all ages! *(Must be 13 years and older).*

WEDNESDAYS

July 14 – August 18

#5307.1221 **5:30 – 6:15 pm**

#5308.1221 **6:20 – 7:05 pm**

THURSDAYS

July 15 – August 19

#5309.1221 **5:30 – 6:15 pm**

#5300.1221 **6:20 – 7:05 pm**

Location: Syble Hopp School Pool

Enter through Door #7 in back of school

Fee: \$20 Res / \$35 Non-Res / \$16 Senior 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

#5301.1221 **September 13 – October 25**

#5301.2221 **November 1 – December 13**

6:20 – 7:05 pm

#5302.1221 **September 13 – October 25**

#5302.2221 **November 1 – December 13**

WEDNESDAYS

5:30 – 6:15 pm

#5303.1221 **September 8 – October 20**

#5303.2221 **October 27 – December 15** *No class Nov. 24*

6:20 – 7:05 pm

#5304.1221 **September 8 – October 20**

#5304.2221 **October 27 – December 15** *No class Nov. 24*

THURSDAYS

5:30 – 6:15 pm

#5305.1221 **September 9 – October 21**

#5305.2221 **October 28 – December 16** *No class Nov. 25*

6:20 – 7:05 pm

#5306.1221 **September 9 – October 21**

#5306.2221 **October 28 – December 16** *No class Nov. 25*

Location: Syble Hopp School Pool

Fee: \$24 Res / \$39 Non-Res / \$18 Senior 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

#5281.1221 **September 7 – October 19**

#5281.2221 **October 26 – December 14** *No class Nov. 23*

5:35 – 6:05 pm

#5282.1221 **September 7 – October 19**

#5282.2221 **October 26 – December 14** *No class Nov. 23*

6:10 – 6:40 pm

#5283.1221 **September 7 – October 19**

#5283.2221 **October 26 – December 14** *No class Nov. 23*

Location: Syble Hopp School Pool

Fee: \$22 Res / \$37 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 & 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. (*Kids outside those ages, please contact the Community Center*). Outdoor play improves attention spans, problem-solving skills, creative thinking, and reduces stress. Get the kids outside for a fun break from their electronic devices!



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. **Please watch our Facebook page for any updates.**

The park 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 7th – August 13th

Park program closed Monday, July 5th

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

**Optimist Park will close for lunch from 11:30 am – 12:00 pm
Summer Lunch Program served from 12:00 – 12:30 pm*

\$17.00 per participant

Covers all on-site daily activities for the entire summer

#1001.1221 Braisher Park #1002.1221 Optimist Park
#1003.1221 Kiwanis Park #1004.1221 Patriot Park

Participants are encouraged to register prior to June 7th, 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 28th at www.deperewi.gov. Applications after that date will be considered on an as needed basis. For more information or to pick up an application, please call 339-4097 or stop in at the De Pere Community Center, 600 Grant St.

Summer Lunch Program – East

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

MONDAY – FRIDAY June 14 – August 13

De Pere Optimist Park*
12:00 – 12:30 pm

Dickinson Elementary School
11:30 am – 12:00 pm

Menu will be posted in May 2021 at Optimist Park and online at www.deperek12.org/Parents/FoodService/SummerFeedingProgram

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

***Severe weather location will be Heritage Elementary School
1250 Swan Road, De Pere**

Summer Lunch Program – West

FREE meals available to children 18 years of age and under

MONDAY – FRIDAY June 7 – August 20

Westwood Elementary School
11:30 am – 12:15 pm

Persons over 18 years of age who also participate in a public or private non-profit school program during the regular school year may receive free meals as well. Adults over 18 accompanying children may purchase a summer lunch for \$3.00, cash only!

Menu will be available online at www.wdpsd.com and at Westwood Elementary School.



Sunny Summer Readers

Research is clear that children who don't read during the summer can lose up to three months of reading progress and that loss has a cumulative, long-term effect! Summer reading rocks! Each reader will set their own reading goals and can keep their favorite books. Join the playground staff along with teachers from the Unified School District for our Sunny Summer Reader Program!

WEDNESDAYS June 16 – August 4
12:00 – 1:00 pm
Optimist Park
(with Summer Lunch Program)

THURSDAYS June 17 – August 12
1:30 – 3:00 pm
Legion Park



Kids Night Out to Rule the Pool!

If you are in 4th – 8th grade and looking for some after hour park fun, this is the place to be! Swim with your friends or join park staff for sponge tag, cannon ball splash competitions, beach ball races, and many other activities at the pools after dark! Note: Preregistration required, please call 339-4097 to sign up, payment will be taken at the pool. *Lifeguards will be on duty.*

TUESDAYS 8:45 – 10:15 pm

June 29 **Legion Pool**
July 13 **VFW Pool**
July 20 **Legion Pool**
August 10 **VFW Pool**



Fee: \$4 per participant *No pool passes accepted*



Police and Community Kids (PACK) Program

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



WEDNESDAYS 10:30 – 11:30 am

June 16 Optimist	July 21 Optimist
June 23 Patriot	July 28 Kiwanis
June 30 Legion	August 4 Optimist
July 7 OFF	August 11 Southwest
July 14 VFW	August 18 Braisher

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

Summer Carnival & Games

Awesome event for the whole family! Join the park staff and the summer park program kids as we celebrate a great summer. Bring all of your friends for this evening of games and prizes, activities, music, and summer treats. Sponsored by De Pere Rotary Club and De Pere Area Men's Club.



WEDNESDAY August 4
Optimist Park
5:30 – 7:30 pm
Game tickets are 20¢ each



A hot dog dinner, sponsored by the De Pere Kiwanis Club, will be available for \$1

Kid's Fun Night at the De Pere Beer Gardens *New!*

Let's have a great time at the De Pere Beer Gardens, a community wide, family friendly event held in Voyageur Park! Kids are sure to have a blast participating in field games and activities such as spoon and egg races, sponge pass, parachute games, sack races, giant bubbles and more! Food trucks, live music, craft beer, kid-friendly refreshments and outdoor activities available for the entire family to enjoy.



TUESDAY July 27
Voyageur Park
5:30 – 7:30 pm
FREE!

**Activities sponsored by Jill & Co Real Estate and De Pere Area Men's Club*



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Community Events & the Arts

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 so don't forget your camera! They will 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!

New this year! Bring some money along and come hungry as we will be hosting Weasel's Mini Donuts & More Food Truck!

A menu will consist of mini donuts, hotdogs, mac 'n cheese and refreshments!

FRIDAY September 17 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Location: Southwest Park
(2472 Lawrence Dr., De Pere)

Fee: FREE!



De Pere Beer Gardens

Come one, come all, big or small, the whole family is sure to have fun at our community events - the De Pere Beer Gardens held in downtown Voyageur Park. Stop out and enjoy the great summer weather or beautiful fall day at our events featuring live music, food trucks, craft beer, specialty kid's entertainment and outdoor activities for all ages! Relax, socialize, eat, drink, play or whatever you like to do, this time is for you! Proper ID required for beer wristbands. Net proceeds from the Beer Gardens will go towards a dedicated park fund for future park improvements within the De Pere Parks system.

Follow the City's Facebook page for event updates!

Note: Events/activities may be altered due to restrictions in place for pandemic protocols.

TUESDAYS June 29 (tentative), July 27 & August 31

4:30 pm – 9:00 pm

SATURDAY September 25
11:00 am – 4:00 pm

Location: Voyageur Park

Fee: No admission fee. Free kids entertainment and outdoor activities. Charges for vendor products and services.

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City Band



The De Pere City Band is sponsored by the Parks & Recreation Department and is under the direction of Mr. Ken Petersen. Individuals with good instrumental training are welcome to join the band. Large instruments can be provided in some cases. Concerts and practices have been postponed due to COVID-19. Follow the City's Facebook page and Recreation Department notices for further updates.

Candy Bar Bingo

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

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

WEDNESDAY October 13 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**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



Candy Making Workshop *New!*



Do you admire those fancy filled chocolates? Wish you could create something along those lines for all celebrations and holidays, or just for fun? Look no further! Join us at this fun workshop designed for all ages

and abilities and make a variety of candies including peanut butter cups, cherry cordial and caramels. There will also be a Cocoa Bomb demonstration! All supplies provided; no experience necessary!

Registration is per person.

TUESDAY November 16 5+ yrs. – adult
(7 yrs. & younger accompanied by adult)

#3141.1221 **6:00 – 8:00 pm**

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

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

Herb Garden Workshop *New!*

Join Heather, clinical herbalist from Sweet Willow Herbal Co-Op & Sweet Willow Wellness, for a 90-minute workshop where you'll learn how to create and care for an indoor herb garden. Leave with your own herb garden and several recipe ideas! So come join us for an enjoyable night full of creativity, education, and fun!

WEDNESDAY October 20 10+ yrs.

#3101.1221 **5:30 – 7:00 pm**

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

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



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City of De Pere

October 31st

4:00 – 7:00 pm

Camps & Specialty Programs

Junior League Robotics



Back for a second summer! Build it, program it, play with it and learn from it using LEGO® Mindstorms WeDo software and LEGO® bricks! Students will build race cars, a forklift, boat and more, then program them to complete various tasks. In this

{YEL!} summer camp, students are challenged to build, test, program and modify multiple projects, then use those projects to investigate basic robotics concepts as well as introductory computer coding. Restrain summer brain drain, sign up today. Visit YELKids.com for sample pictures and more information.

MONDAY – FRIDAY 9:00 am – 12:00 pm 6–12 yrs.

#1512.1221 August 2–6

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

Fee: \$135 Res / \$150 Non-Res

Chess Camp

Back by popular demand! All levels welcome. Youth Enrichment League's {YEL!} summer chess camp works with all levels of students. Beginners learn Piece Movement, Capturing, Check, Checkmate, Castling and more; returning students study intermediate lessons (Pins, Forks, Back Rank Mates, as examples); advanced students will study Elimination of Defense, Opening Theory and other advanced concepts. Our summer camps are fun, fast-paced and packed with information. Battle summer brain drain and procure the necessary tools to beat your dad at chess! Sign up today! Visit YELKids.com for more information



MONDAY - THURSDAY 9:00 am – 12:00 pm 6–12 yrs.

#1511.1221 July 19–22

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

Fee: \$105 Res / \$120 Non-Res



Summer Day Camp 2021



There are still 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 7-11 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: \$35 Non-Refundable Registration Fee

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

FULL-TIME (4 – 5 days/week):

Before School: \$42/week

After School: \$49/week

Before & After School: \$82/week

PART-TIME (3 days/week or less):

Before School: \$28/week

After School: \$35/week

Before & After School: \$61/week



Enrollment for 2021 – 2022
school year begins April 14, 2021

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

#1551.1221

October 8

#1552.1221

October 21

#1553.1221

November 19

Location:

Our Lady of Lourdes School Cafeteria

Fee:

\$16 per child



For more information on Kidz Zone or Summer Day Camp programs, please contact Cindy Lee at 920-339-4097 or clee@deperewi.gov.



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Free online registration @ www.deperewi.gov begins:

Wednesday, April 14 ~ Residents

Wednesday, April 21 ~ Non-Residents

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 10:00 – 11:30 am 3–4 yrs.
 #1291.1221 June 15 – July 1
 #1291.2221 July 13 – July 29
Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm./Outdoors
Fee: \$58 Res / \$73 Non-Res

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 September 14 – December 7 3–5 yrs.

No class Nov. 25

#1431.1221 8:45 – 10:30 am
 #1432.1221 10:45 am – 12:30 pm
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$142 Res / \$157 Non-Res



Oodles of Art

Join us in this 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 11 – August 6 3–5 yrs.
No class Jul. 2

#1351.1221 10:45 – 11:30 am

September 17 – November 5 3–5 yrs.

#1351.2221 10:00 – 10:45 am

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

Fee: \$42 Res / \$57 Non-Res

Oodles of Art – Halloween Workshop

By popular request we are offering an evening Halloween workshop for your preschooler! We will be creating a Boo-tiful project, perfect for the Halloween season!

THURSDAY October 14 3–5 yrs.
 #1331.1221 5:00 – 5:45 pm

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

Fee: \$9 Res / \$18 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 11 – August 6 5+ yrs.
No class Jul. 2
 #1581.1221 9:30 – 10:30 am
Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.
 \$42 Res / \$57 Non-Res

Art in the Park *New!*

Participants will enjoy a different, summer themed Art and Craft project at each park. After crafting, the group will be allowed to move to music, explore nature and enjoy all the park has to offer. Different projects each month, sign up for one park or all!

WEDNESDAY 9:30 – 11:00 am 4–10 yrs.

#1641.1221 June 16 VFW Park/Shelter #2

#1642.1221 July 21 Southwest Park/Pavillion

#1643.1221 August 11 Legion Park/Shelter

Fee: \$9 Res / \$18 Non-Res

Crafty Kids – Artists and Illustrators

Join us for a “crafternoon” of fun as we explore different projects each week! We will experiment with different mediums and different tools as we learn about techniques used by some famous artists and popular illustrators. No creative talent or experience needed, just the ability to have fun and imagine!

MONDAYS September 20 – November 8 5+ yrs.
 #1571.1221 5:00 – 6:00 pm

Location: Community Center, Maple Rm.

Fee: \$42 Res / \$57 Non-Res

Superhero 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 are encouraged to dress in costume on Thursday.



TUESDAY – THURSDAY June 8, 9 & 10 4–7 yrs.
 #1201.1221 1:00 – 2:30 pm

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$23 Res / \$38 Non-Res

Youth Programs

Teddy Bear Picnic *New!*

"If you go out in the park today you're sure of a big surprise! If you go out in the park today you'd better go in disguise! For every bear that there ever was will gather there for certain because today's the day the teddy bears have their picnic!" Your child and their best stuffed furry friend are invited to join us as we celebrate Teddy Bear Picnic Day! All participants will enjoy a story, crafts, songs, and of course, a Teddy Bear Picnic with some bear-y fun treats!

Participants should be potty trained.

FRIDAY **July 9** **3-5 yrs.**
 #1631.1221 **11:30 am – 1:00 pm**
Location: VFW Park/Shelter #2 (closest to Community Center)
Fee: \$9 Res / \$18 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 15** **3-5 yrs.**
 #1381.1221 **9:30 – 11:00 am**
Location: East Side Fire Station #1
Fee: \$6 Res / \$12 Non-Res

It All Started With A Mouse! *New!*

Join us as we travel to Hawaii with Moana, Paris with Belle and the Beast and the African savanna with Simba and his family. Each day we will enjoy stories, projects, play time and a special snack. On Thursday participants are invited to dress up as their favorite character.

TUESDAY – THURSDAY **August 3, 4 & 5** **4-7 yrs.**
 #1202.1221 **1:00 – 2:30 pm**
Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.
Fee: \$23 Res / \$38 Non-Res

Sports'tacular

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

TUESDAYS **June 15 – August 3** **4-6 yrs.**
 #1101.1221 **1:30 – 2:15 pm**
Location: Westwood Elementary School Gym
 Westwood Commons (June 29 & July 6)
Fee: \$30 Res / \$45 Non-Res

FRIDAYS **September 10 – October 15** **3-5 yrs.**
 #1102.1221 **10:00 – 10:45 am**
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Fee: \$25 Res / \$40 Non-Res

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Youth Programs

Tumblebees

This class introduces toddlers 1½ - 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 14 – August 9** **1½–2 yrs.**
No class Jul. 5

#1121.1221 **10:30 – 11:10 am**
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm. (Jun. 14–28)
Westwood Elementary School Gym (Jul. 12–Aug. 9)

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

MONDAYS **September 13 – November 29** **1½–2 yrs.**
10:00 – 10:40 am

#1122.1221 **Location:** Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$50 Res / \$65 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. *Please have your child wear comfortable, easy to move in clothing. Bare feet or tennis shoes recommended; no socks/sandals/crocs.*

MONDAYS **June 14 – August 9** **3–4 yrs.**
No class Jul. 5

#1131.1221 **9:30 – 10:10 am**
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm. (Jun. 14–28)
Westwood Elementary School Gym (Jul. 12–Aug. 9)

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

MONDAYS **September 13 – November 29** **3–4 yrs.**
9:00 – 9:40 am

#1132.1221 **Location:** Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$50 Res / \$65 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 **October 22 – December 3** **2–5 yrs.**
No class Nov. 26

#1091.1221 **10:00 – 10:45 am**
Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$25 Res / \$40 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! Please have your child wear comfortable, easy to move in clothing. Bare feet or tennis shoes, no socks/sandals/crocs. *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 4-6 yrs. Little to no tumbling experience.
INTERMEDIATE: Children 6 & older. Can perform basic skills safely; bridge, cartwheels & handstands.
ADVANCED: Children 6 & older. Must be able to perform basic skills proficiently and be able to complete a backward roll, bridge kick over & round-off.

TUESDAYS **September 7 – November 23**

#1141.1221	4:30 – 5:10 pm	3–4 yrs.	Intro
#1142.1221	5:20 – 6:00 pm	4–6 yrs.	Beginner
#1143.1221	6:10 – 6:50 pm	6 yrs. & up	Intermediate/ Advanced

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$50 Res / \$65 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 **10:00 – 10:30 am** **2–3 yrs.**
#1311.1221 **September 1 – October 13** **Shapes & Numbers**
#1312.1221 **October 20 – December 8** **ABC's**
No class Nov. 24

Location: Community Center, Pine/Hickory Rms.

Fee: \$26 Res / \$41 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. Ballet or rubber soled shoes are preferred. This is a great beginner class for your hesitant performer.

WEDNESDAYS **September 8 – November 17** **3–4 yrs.**
#1181.1221 **10:40 – 11:10 am**

Location: Community Center, Pine/Hickory Rms.

Fee: \$34 Res/ \$49 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. 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 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 15 – August 3
 #1151.1221 **6:00 – 6:30 pm Pre-Tap & Ballet 3–4 yrs.**
 #1152.1221 **6:40 – 7:20 pm Tap & Jazz 4–7 yrs.**
 #1153.1221 **7:30 – 8:10 pm Lyrical/Contemp. 7–14 yrs.**

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

WEDNESDAYS June 16 – August 4
 #1154.1221 **12:40 – 1:20 pm Tap & Jazz 7–14 yrs.**
 #1155.1221 **1:30 – 2:10 pm Tap, Ballet & Jazz 4–6 yrs.**
 #1156.1221 **2:20 – 2:50 pm Pre-Tap & Ballet 3–4 yrs.**

Location: Westwood Elementary School Gym
 Westwood Commons (Jun. 30 & Jul. 7)

Fee: \$37 Res / \$52 Non-Res

Pre-Tap/Ballet Fee:
 \$29 Res / \$44 Non-Res



Dance with Ribbons Camp

Let the swirls of color and movement capture your imagination! In this exciting 2¼ hr. camp, children will learn dancing with ribbons to fun music and also enjoy making a cute craft. An entire routine will be performed at the end of camp, so bring your cameras! Each participant will take home a ribbon, craft and a treat! *Extra ribbons available for purchase for \$3 each.*

FRIDAY July 23
 #1241.1221 **9:15 – 11:30 am 5–9 yrs.**

Location: Westwood School Gym

Fee: \$16 Res / \$32 Non-Res

**Fee includes a ribbon for each dancer!*

Pom Clinic

Enjoy three 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. 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. They'll take home a couple cute dance craft projects they made during the clinic along with a special treat, certificate and rooster poms. *Tennis shoes or dance shoes required.*

TUESDAY – THURSDAY July 27 – 29
 #1221.1221 **9:45 – 11:45 am 6–12 yrs.**

Location: Westwood School Gym

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

**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. Tan jazz shoes required. ****An additional fee of \$20 is required for 4" show poms. Fee is not required if you already own the black and white poms. Rehearsal and recital scheduled for March 4 & 5, 2022.**

THURSDAYS September 16 – February 24
No class Nov. 25, Dec. 23 & 30

#1210.1221 **5:10 – 5:50 pm 5–6 yrs.**
 #1211.1221 **6:00 – 6:40 pm 7–8 yrs.**
 #1212.1221 **6:50 – 7:30 pm 9+ yrs.**

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$135 Res / \$150 Non-Res

**Fee includes costume & tights.*

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. Tan jazz shoes preferred. **Twirl Team Jr. is for our younger participants or those new to twirl; Twirl Team Sr. is geared towards those a little older with 1-2 years' experience. Purchase of a baton and ribbon stix required. Rehearsal and recital scheduled for March 4 & 5, 2022.**



TUESDAYS September 14 – February 22
No class Nov. 23, Dec. 21 & 28

#1191.1221 **5:30 – 6:10 pm Twirl Team Jr. 5–9 yrs.**
 #1192.1221 **6:20 – 7:00 pm Twirl Team Sr. 8+ yrs.**

Location: De Pere Middle School Auditoria Stage

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

Fee includes costume & tights.

**An additional fee of \$20 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 \$17, Baton Practice Caps \$5, Ribbon Stix \$3.*



Youth - Adult 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, 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 and jazz. The season will conclude with a recital in March. Proper shoes (black tap, pink or tan ballet &/or tan jazz shoes) required. **Rehearsal and recital scheduled for March 4 & 5, 2022.** All classes held at De Pere High School Resource Rm. unless otherwise noted. Use door #13 from teacher's parking lot on the west side of the high school for entrance.

MONDAYS	September 13 – February 21 <i>No class Dec. 20 & 27, Jan. 17</i>		
#1160.1221	4:50 – 5:30 pm	Tap & Ballet	4–5 yrs.
#1161.1221	5:40 – 6:20 pm	Tap & Ballet	6–8 yrs.
#1162.1221	6:30 – 7:10 pm	Jazz & Hip Hop	7+ yrs.
TUESDAYS	September 14 – February 22 <i>No class Nov. 23, Dec. 21 & 28</i>		
#1163.1221	4:50 – 5:30 pm	Ballet & Jazz	4–6 yrs.
#1164.1221	5:40 – 6:20 pm	Lyrical & Contemporary	7–10 yrs.
#1165.1221	6:30 – 7:10 pm	Tap & Hip Hop	11+ yrs.
WEDNESDAYS	September 15 – February 23 <i>No class Nov. 24, Dec. 22 & 29</i>		
#1166.1221	4:50 – 5:30 pm	Pre-Tap & Ballet	3–4 yrs.
#1167.1221	5:40 – 6:20 pm	Tap & Ballet	4–6 yrs.
#1168.1221	6:30 – 7:10 pm	Tap & Jazz	5–7 yrs.
THURSDAYS	September 16 – February 24 <i>No class Nov. 25, Dec. 23 & 30</i>		
#1169.1221	4:50 – 5:30 pm	Tap & Ballet	5–7 yrs.
#1170.1221	5:40 – 6:20 pm	Pre-Tap & Ballet	3–4 yrs.
#1171.1221	6:30 – 7:10 pm	Tap & Contemporary	8+ yrs.

Location: De Pere High School Resource Rm.
Fee: \$155 Res / \$170 Non-Res
Fee includes costume and tights.

Daddy Daughter Dance

Princesses get your Daddy (or “Special” Grownup) ready for the ball! The First Annual Daddy Daughter Dance will be sure to amaze not only you, but your little princess too! There will be dancing, games, appetizers, a formal photo area and much more! Come and dance the evening away! Be sure to sign up for the correct dance. Reserve your spot now; tickets are sure to sell out fast!

FRIDAY **October 8**
 5:30 – 7:00 pm 3–6 yrs.
 7:30 – 9:00 pm 7–13 yrs.

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm. (lower level)
Fee: \$30 per couple/\$5 each additional daughter (same dance time).

****Tickets must be purchased in person at the De Pere Community Center during business hours.**



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	5:30 – 6:00 pm	5–6 yrs.
#1085.1221	June 7 – July 19 (6 weeks) <i>No class Jul. 5</i>	
#1085.2221	July 26 – August 30 (6 weeks)	
#1085.3221	September 13 – October 25	
#1085.4221	November 1 – December 13	
Location:	Community Center, Pine Rm.	
Fee:	\$21 Res / \$36 Non-Res	
6-week:	\$19 Res / \$34 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	6:15 – 7:15 pm	7+ yrs.
#3051.1221	June 7 – July 19 (6 weeks) <i>No class Jul. 5</i>	
#3051.2221	July 26 – August 30 (6 weeks)	
#3051.3221	September 13 – October 25	
#3051.4221	November 1 – December 13	
Location:	Community Center, Pine Rm.	
Fee:	\$28 Res / \$43 Non-Res / \$21 Senior Res	
6-week:	\$25 Res / \$40 Non-Res / \$19 Senior Res	

Youth - Adult Programs

Social Dance

Looking to brush up on your dancing skills for an upcoming wedding or just a fun night out with your spouse or friend? If so, come and enjoy these popular dance lessons taught in 4-week increments! A Basics Class is required for beginners before attending the class options below. Participants welcome to sign up for the Basics class and the Latin Sampler class in the same session. Comfortable dress clothes and shoes that have a heel with slick bottoms are preferred. *No partner required!* **Classes open to those 16 years & older.**

All Fall participants are welcome to dress up and join us on the last night of class for our **Latin Dance Night Party** which will be held on **December 15 from 7:30 – 9:00 pm.** \$8 per person or FREE for those signed up for the last session.

New!

Basics Class: Required for beginners or those looking to brush up on their skills. Dance basics will be covered such as follow/lead steps, dance directions, ballroom positions (closed, open, butterfly, escort) lady turns and more.

The Latin Sampler: A mix of ballroom and social Latin dances. Participants will learn the basic steps to dances such as the Cha Cha Cha, Merengue, Tango & Salsa in progressive 4-week increments. Direction changes, dips, and partner turns will also be learned. Come learn these Latin dances that will make you look like a professional on the dance floor!

Semi-Private: Experience or Basics Class required or may take Latin Sampler Review Class during the same session. These dance lessons are kept small, up to 8 people. In class we'll decide the type of dance(s) participants would like to work on and will help advance their ability and knowledge of the dance. Participants will be contacted prior to class to discuss their dance needs.

WEDNESDAYS	September 1 – September 22	16 yrs. & older
#2131.1221	6:30 – 7:15 pm	Basics Class
#2132.1221	7:30 – 8:30 pm	Latin Sampler ~ Cha Cha Cha & Merengue
WEDNESDAYS	September 29 – October 20	Basics Class
#2131.2221	6:30 – 7:15 pm	Latin Sampler ~ Tango & Merengue
#2132.2221	7:30 – 8:30 pm	
WEDNESDAYS	October 27 – November 17	Basics Class
#2131.3221	6:30 – 7:15 pm	Latin Sampler ~ Salsa
#2132.1221	7:30 – 8:30 pm	
WEDNESDAYS	December 1 – December 15 (3 weeks)	Semi-Private
#2133.3221	6:30 – 7:15 pm	Basics & Latin Sampler
#2132.1221	7:30 – 8:30 pm	Fall Dances Review

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.
Basics/Semi-Private/3-week: \$24 Res / \$39 Non-Res / \$18 Senior Res
Latin Sampler Fee: \$30 Res / \$45 Non-Res / \$23 Senior Res
Latin Dance Night: \$8 per person
All fees are per person

Latin Dance Night on Dec. 15



Advanced Tae Kwon Do

(Blue Belts & Above)

Take your TKD technique to the next level as you continue working towards your black belt and beyond. Classes will have more focused training on technique, forms, free sparring, breaking, judo, and self-defense. This is a limited contact activity; participants should wear loose fitting clothing. This advanced class is for participants who have obtained a blue belt and higher.

MONDAYS	7:20 – 8:05 pm	7+ yrs.
#3052.1221	July 26 – August 30 (6 weeks)	
#3052.2221	September 13 – October 25	
#3052.3221	November 1 – December 13	
Location:	Community Center, Pine Rm.	
Fee:	\$22 Res / \$37 Non-Res	
6-week:	\$20 Res / \$35 Non-Res	



Youth - Adult Programs

Tai Chi

Tai Chi is a low impact, weight bearing and relaxing exercise with its origins as a Chinese martial art. It involves slow, gentle movements, deep breathing, meditation and Qigong exercise designed to enhance physical and mental health. 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.

MONDAYS 1:15 – 2:00 pm 13+ yrs.

#4021.1221 **June 7 – July 19** (6 weeks)
No class Jul. 5

#4021.2221 **July 26 – August 30** (6 weeks)
Community Center, Hickory Rm./Outdoors

#4021.3221 **September 13 – October 25**

#4021.4221 **November 1 – December 13**

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

FRIDAYS 9:00 – 9:45 am

#4022.1221 **June 4 – July 16** (6 weeks)
No class Jul. 2

#4022.2221 **July 23 – September 3**

#4022.3221 **September 10 – October 22**

#4022.4221 **October 29 – December 17**

No class Nov. 26

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$23 Res / \$38 Non-Res / \$18 Senior Res

6-week: \$20 Res / \$35 Non-Res / \$16 Senior Res



NON-RESIDENTS

Please Note!

When registering for the 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 to register with a discounted rate.



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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. **Due to court renovations, session 2 instruction at VFW tennis courts will not be offered.** 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 14 – July 21

No class Jul. 5 & 7

Sess. 2: July 26 – August 25

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS

Sess. 1: June 15 – July 22

No class Jul. 6 & 8

Sess. 2: July 27 – August 26

Fee: \$50 Res / \$65 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.

		Park	Sess. 1	Sess. 2
K- 2nd Grades				
M/W	9:00 – 10:00 am	Legion	#1041.1221	#1041.2221
T/TH	9:00 – 10:00 am	VFW	#1051.1221	
3rd – 5th Grades				
M/W	10:00 – 11:00 am	Legion	#1042.1221	#1042.2221
T/TH	10:00 – 11:00 am	VFW	#1052.1221	
6th – 8th Grades				
M/W	11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Legion	#1043.1221	#1043.2221
T/TH	11:00 am – 12:00 pm	VFW	#1053.1221	
9th – 12th Grades				
M/W	11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Legion	#1044.1221	#1044.2221
T/TH	11:00 am – 12:00 pm	VFW	#1054.1221	
Adult				
T/TH	5:30 – 6:30 pm	Legion	#2101.1221	#2101.2221



Sports Programs & Leagues

NOTE: League participants and spectators are subject to abiding by restrictions set in place to reflect changing state and local safety policies and procedures.

Adult Kickball League

The Coed Kickball League season begins on **Sunday, May 30th**. Games are played on Sunday evenings at VFW Park. Registration information and team packets will be available online at www.deperewi.gov and at the De Pere Community Center beginning **Monday, April 12th**.

Registration begins: Monday, April 26

Registration ends: Friday, May 21

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 **Tuesday & 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 4 - 6 @ Legion Park

De Pere Knights of Columbus Buggy Coed Softball Tournament

June 25 - 27 @ Optimist Park

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

July 16 - 18 @ Legion Park

Fall League Men's 14" Slowpitch Softball League season begins on **Tuesday, August 31st**. Games are played on Tuesday evenings at Legion Park. Registration information and team packets will be available online at www.deperewi.gov and at the De Pere Community Center beginning **Monday, June 21st**.

Registration begins: Monday, July 12

Registration ends: Friday, August 13

Team Fee: \$130 per team

Player Fee: \$20 Res / \$40 Non-Res



Adult Basketball Leagues

The De Pere Rec Adult Basketball League begins on **Wednesday, October 6th**. 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.deperewi.gov and at the De Pere Community Center beginning **Monday, August 16th**.

NEW! Women's Division at West De Pere High School now being offered!

Returning Team registration begins: Monday, August 30

All Team registration begins: Monday, September 13

Registration ends: Friday, September 24

Team Fee: \$230 per team

Player Fee: \$37 Res / \$57 Non-Res



Youth Flag Football League

Youth Flag Football program is for boys and girls who are entering grades 1st - 8th for the 2021-2022 school year. Our flag football program is designed to develop skills and a foundational understanding of the game while emphasizing participation and sportsmanship! Games are scheduled on the hour typically between 9:00 am - 1:00 pm based on registration. **Team schedules will be available approximately one week before the season starts. Additional practices may be set-up by your coach but are not required.**



Registration deadline is **Friday, August 6th, 11:00 am, in person; Sunday, August 8th online. A \$10 late fee will apply after August 8th.**

Evaluation Day *New!*

3rd & 4th, 5th & 6th, 7th & 8th Grades ONLY

Participants will have the opportunity to participate in a skills evaluation day. Evaluations will be used to help create teams in an extra effort to make teams fair based on evaluated ability.

This is not required to play in league.

Southwest Park

Saturday, August 14 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

SATURDAYS

September 11 - October 30

JIM MARTIN PARK

#1071.1221

1st & 2nd Grade

#1072.1221

3rd & 4th Grade

#1077.1221

5th & 6th Grade

VFW PARK

#1074.1221

3rd & 4th Grade

PATRIOT PARK

#1073.1221

1st & 2nd Grade

SOUTHWEST PARK

#1078.1221

7th & 8th Grade

Fee:

\$43 Res / \$58 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 25th** at 6:00 pm the Community Center.*

***Flag Football Team Assignments:** Participants are assigned to teams at random and based on evaluation results. The only special requests honored will be siblings who may be on the same team if requested.*



Sports Programs & Leagues

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 11 – October 16

9:00 – 9:45 am

#1075.1221

Jim Martin Park

#1076.1221

Patriot Park

Fee:

\$27 Res / \$42 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 Patriot Park and Jim Martin 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 25

9:00 – 11:15 am

Location:

Patriot Park

Jim Martin Park

Fee:

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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.greatergreenbaysfc.com,

call (920) 819-6047 or email 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.

Email questions to dpyhassoc@yahoo.com.

Ages:

Boys & 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 - Fall and Spring. The event offers an opportunity to try the sport of hockey for free. Details will be posted on the website prior to each event on the website at: www.depereyouthhockey.org.

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Fitness Programs

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.** Some fitness classes will continue to be offered as hybrid classes (in-person and online). Face masks are required to be worn inside facilities until further notice. *See page 11 for Water Aerobics classes and pages 20-21 for Social Dance and 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

7:30 – 8:30 am

June 1 – July 13

#2001.1221 In-person
#2001.5221 Online

July 20 – August 31

#2001.2221 In-person
#2001.6221 Online

September 7 – October 19

#2001.3221 In-person
#2001.7221 Online

October 26 – December 14 *No class Nov. 23*

#2001.4221 In-person
#2001.8221 Online

THURSDAYS

7:30 – 8:30 am

June 3 – July 15

#2002.1221 In-person
#2002.5221 Online

July 22 – September 2

#2002.2221 In-person
#2002.6221 Online

September 9 – October 21

#2002.3221 In-person
#2002.7221 Online

October 28 – December 16 *No class Nov. 25*

#2002.4221 In-person
#2002.8221 Online

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm./Online

Fee: \$42 Res / \$57 Non-Res / \$32 Senior Res

Drop-in rates available!

Curious about trying a new fitness class or can't make a class on a regular basis? Or maybe your friend is in town and would like to join you for your fitness class... Not a problem!

Just call our office at 920-339-4097 to check on class availability and to pay the drop in fee. Fee must be paid ahead of time and will apply per class per time; instructors cannot accept payments at class. A waiver form will need to be signed to participate in the class.

Drop-in rates are as follows:

\$10 per class – Any 1 hr. long class

\$8 per class – Any 45 minute class

\$6 per class – Any 30 minute class

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

June 7 – July 19 *No class Jul. 5 (6 weeks)*

#2003.1221 In-person
#2003.5221 Online

July 26 – August 30 *(6 weeks)*

#2003.2221 In-person
#2003.6221 Online

September 13 – October 25

#2003.3221 In-person
#2003.7221 Online

November 1 – December 13

#2003.4221 In-person
#2003.8221 Online

THURSDAYS - Beginner/Yin Style: Beginner/Yin 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

6:00 – 7:00 pm

June 3 – July 15

#2004.1221 In-person
#2004.5221 Online

July 22 – September 2

#2004.2221 In-person
#2004.6221 Online

September 9 – October 21

#2004.3221 In-person
#2004.7221 Online

October 28 – December 16 *No class Nov. 25*

#2004.4221 In-person
#2004.8221 Online

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm./Online

Fee: \$42 Res / \$57 Non-Res / \$32 Senior Res

6-week: \$36 Res / \$51 Non-Res / \$27 Senior Res

Tai Chi Classes!

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 22 for more information.

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!

MONDAYS **8:30 – 9:30 am**

June 7 – July 19 *No class Jul. 5 (6 weeks)*

#2011.1221 In-person
#2011.5221 Online

July 26 – August 30 *(6 weeks)*

#2011.2221 In-person
#2011.6221 Online

September 13 – October 25

#2011.3221 In-person
#2011.7221 Online

November 1 – December 13

#2011.4221 In-person
#2011.8221 Online

TUESDAYS **5:30 – 6:30 pm**

June 1 – July 13

#2012.1221 In-person
#2012.5221 Online

July 20 – August 31

#2012.2221 In-person
#2012.6221 Online

September 7 – October 19

#2012.3221 In-person
#2012.7221 Online

October 26 – December 14 *No class Nov. 23*

#2012.4221 In-person
#2012.8221 Online

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm./Online

Fee: \$42 Res / \$57 Non-Res / \$32 Senior Res

6-week: \$36 Res / \$51 Non-Res / \$27 Senior Res

Strength & Cardio

Your body is your tool in this cardio & strength training class. Each interval focuses on a different area of muscles while incorporating a great cardio workout all without weights. It's designed to tone and strengthen your legs, upper body, back and core for a complete full body workout. No matter what your fitness level is, the end goal is to increase your reps and cardio stamina. 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.

THURSDAYS **6:30 – 7:15 pm**

#3031.1221 **September 9 – October 21**
#3031.2221 **October 28 – December 16** *No class Nov. 25*

Location: Dickinson School Commons

Fee: \$28 Res / \$43 Non-Res / \$22 Senior Res

Yin Yoga

As a form of Restorative Yoga, Yin Yoga features deeper stretches to focus on strengthening and opening of the joints and connective tissues. A consistent Yin Yoga practice helps to regain mobility and ease pain in the body. Other key benefits of practicing this slow, soothing and meditative style of yoga include reducing stress, increasing circulation, balancing internal organs, relieving tension, improving flexibility and encouraging mindfulness. Come and enjoy the camaraderie and a better you!

WEDNESDAYS **8:30 – 9:30 am**

June 2 – July 14

#2013.1221 In-person
#2013.5221 Online

July 21 – September 1

#2013.2221 In-person
#2013.6221 Online

September 8 – October 20

#2013.3221 In-person
#2013.7221 Online

October 27 – December 15 *No class Nov. 24*

#2013.4221 In-person
#2013.8221 Online

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$42 Res / \$57 Non-Res / \$32 Senior Res



PiYo Core

This is a unique class that combines yoga's focus on breath, movement and body awareness with 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!

MONDAYS **5:15 – 6:00 pm**

June 7 – July 19 *No class Jul. 5 (6 weeks)*

#3091.1221 In-person
#3091.5221 Online

July 26 – August 30 *(6 weeks)*

#3091.2221 In-person
#3091.6221 Online

September 13 – October 25

#3091.3221 In-person
#3091.7221 Online

November 1 – December 13

#3091.4221 In-person
#3091.8221 Online

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm./Online

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

6-week: \$32 Res / \$47 Non-Res / \$24 Senior Res



Fitness Programs

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**
 #3061.1221 **June 7 – July 19** *No class Jul. 5 (6 weeks)*
 #3061.2221 **July 26 – August 30** *(6 weeks)*

Location: Community Center, Lower Level Outdoors
Rain dates: Tuesday evenings, same time

#3061.3221 **September 13 – October 25**
 #3061.4221 **November 1 – December 13**

Location: Dickinson School Commons

WEDNESDAYS **6:30 – 7:15 pm**
 #3062.1221 **September 8 – October 20**
 #3062.2221 **October 27 – December 15** *No class Nov. 24*

Location: Westwood Elementary School Gym

Fee: \$28 Res / \$43 Non-Res / \$22 Senior Res

6-week: \$24 Res / \$39 Non-Res / \$18 Senior 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 mature 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**

#4031.1221 **June 2 – July 14**
 #4031.2221 **July 21 – September 1**

Location: Community Center, Lower Level Outdoors

#4031.3221 **September 8 – October 20**
 #4031.4221 **October 27 – December 15** *No class Nov. 24*

FRIDAYS **8:45 – 9:30 am**

#4032.1221 **September 10 – October 22**
 #4032.2221 **October 29 – December 17** *No class Nov. 26*

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$28 Res / \$43 Non-Res / \$22 Senior 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.

Sit & Get Fit *New!*

Get fit from your seat instead of your feet! In this fun, new chair based workout you'll enjoy connecting with others while moving to music through a variety of strength building and stretching exercises designed to improve muscular strength, endurance, and flexibility. Some standing exercises will be introduced while creatively using a chair for balance and support. Whether seated or standing, this workout is gentle on joints and suits mature adults or those with mobility difficulties, arthritis or joint injuries. Although low impact, options are provided to challenge even the most avid exerciser. Light weights, small-hand-held weighted balls, elastic bands and drumsticks are incorporated with gentle movements to build upper body strength and increase range of motion. Heart-healthy relaxation poses will leave you feeling refreshed and energized! *In-person classes only.*

TUESDAYS **1:15 – 2:00 pm**

#4141.1221 **September 7 – October 19**
 #4141.2221 **October 26 – December 14** *No class Nov. 23*

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

THURSDAYS **8:45 – 9:30 am**

#4042.1221 **June 3 - July 15**
 #4042.2221 **July 22 - September 2**
 #4042.3221 **September 9 – October 21**
 #4042.4221 **October 28 – December 16** *No class Nov. 25*

Location: Community Center, Hickory Rm.

Fee: \$33 Res / \$48 Non-Res / \$25 Senior Res

Rockin' Workout!

Do you want a variety of a Rockin' Workout!? If so, try this energetic fitness class that rolls a number of classes into one! You'll experience stretching and strengthening poses, arm/leg movements, core work, balancing/coordination challenges, cardio drumming and even hooping! Get ready to tighten and tone your body and reduce your stress level while incorporating a variety of equipment - drum sticks, dumb bells, bands, balls, weighted hoops and more! Take the challenge to work out your body and rock on! *In-person classes only. Please bring your own workout mat; water bottle also encouraged.*

WEDNESDAYS **6:15 – 7:00 pm**

#3021.1221 **June 16 – August 4** *No class Jul. 7*

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm./Outdoors

WEDNESDAYS **5:30 – 6:15 pm**

#3021.2221 **September 8 – October 20**
 #3021.3221 **October 27 – December 15** *No class Nov. 24*

Location: Community Center, Pine Rm.

Fee: \$28 Res / \$43 Non-Res / \$22 Senior Res

Non-Residents Please Note!

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



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Join us to make connections and new friends! We would love to talk with you and welcome you into our community. Please call 920-336-6054 for more information.

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 12:00 – 2:30 pm
 #4111.1121 2021 Season
 #4111.1221 After June 30, 2021
Location: Community Center, Oak Rm.
Fee: \$26 yearly fee, \$16 after June 30

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 September 8– November 10
 #4061.1221 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm
THURSDAYS September 9– November 11
 #4062.1221 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.
Fee: \$75 Res / \$90 Non-Res / \$57 Senior 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
 #4051.1221 June 3 – July 22
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.
Fee: \$65 Res/ \$80 Non-Res/ \$49 Senior Res

THURSDAYS 5:00 – 8:00 pm
 #4051.2221 September 9 – October 14
 #4051.3221 October 28 – December 9 *No class Nov. 25*
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.
Fee: \$49 Res / \$64 Non-Res / \$37 Senior Res



Herb Garden Workshop *New!*

Join Heather, clinical herbalist from Sweet Willow Herbal Co-Op & Sweet Willow Wellness, for a 90-minute workshop where you'll learn how to create and care for an indoor herb garden. Leave with your own herb garden and several recipe ideas! So come join us for an enjoyable night full of creativity, education, and fun!



WEDNESDAY October 20 10+ yrs.
 #3101.1221 5:30 - 7:00 pm
Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.
Fee: \$12 Res / \$24 Non-Res / \$9 Senior Res

AARP Smart Driver Course

- Sign up now for the AARP Smart Driver – the new and enhanced driving refresher course from AARP Driver Safety.
- The AARP Smart Driver Course teaches:
 - Defensive driving techniques, new traffic laws and rules of the road
 - How to deal with aggressive drivers
 - How to safely navigate adverse weather conditions
 - Useful information on automobile technology and more
- Plus, upon completion, you could save money on your car insurance! Contact your local agent for details.

WEDNESDAY September 15 8:30 am – 12:30 pm
Location: Community Center, Oak Rm. (upper level)
Fee: \$20 AARP Member
 \$25 Non-Member payable day of class
 Make checks payable to AARP. Fee includes all materials
**Please bring your AARP membership card and driver's license for class registration. Register at the Community Center prior to the day of class.*



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Events offered for those 55 years & older unless otherwise noted. Sorry, refunds unable to be issued.

Outdoor Bingo

Every 2nd and 4th Friday of the month, bring your lawn chairs to Legion Park Pavilion for the chance to win cash prizes! Please call the Community Center to reserve a spot. *In the case of bad weather, bingo will be held at the lower level Spruce Rm. of the Community Center. Masks required indoors.*

FRIDAYS 10:00 – 11:30 am

May 14 & 28

June 11 & 25

July 9 & 23

August 13 & 27

September 10 & 24

October 8 & 22

Location: Legion Park Pavilion

Fee: \$5 per person

Registration cost includes 2 bingo cards, bottled water, individually packaged treat, and cash prizes.



Friday Morning Matinees

Join us for our popular movie matinees in the lower level lounge of the Community Center on the third Friday morning of every month! Popcorn available for 50¢.

FRIDAYS 9:30 – 11:30 am

June 18, July 16, August 20, September 17,

October 15, November 19, December 17

Location: Community Center, Lower Level Lounge

Fee: 50¢ popcorn

For movie of the month call 920-336-6054.



Summer Picnic

Join the De Pere Parks & Recreation Department and the Commission on Aging for this annual picnic for ages 55+. Delicious booyah, hot dogs, chips, and desserts will be served followed by BINGO and door prizes. Join us for great food and excitement!

SATURDAY August 28 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

Donations accepted for door prizes.



Gerry Sloan Irish Music *New!*

Born and raised in Dundalk, Ireland Gerry's shows are a tour of Ireland, from Cork to Antrim, Dublin to Galway, his songs and stories from Ireland and the road will have you clapping and singing along! With songs from Ireland's history to modern day favorites, everyone will find something to love. So grab your family and friends, and come along to join in the craic! Enjoy a delicious Irish dessert, coffee and water during the show!

WEDNESDAY September 22 1:00 pm

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm.

Fee: \$6.50 per person

Pre-register by Monday, Sept. 20

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 2 12:00 pm

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

Fee: \$25 per team

Pre-register by Wednesday, Sept. 30

Soup'tacular Spectacular! *New!*

Join us for a soup'tacular time! Lunch will feature soups from some of De Pere's best restaurants! Then, sit back and enjoy the well-loved comedy/musical duo, Darren and Shelly Johnson, for nostalgic tunes, fun duets and hilarious comedy skits! An event you'll be talking about for a long time!



WEDNESDAY October 13 12:00 pm

Location: Community Center, Spruce Rm. & Lounge (lower level)

Fee: \$7.50 per person

Pre-register by Monday, Oct. 11

Veterans Appreciation Luncheon & Card Games

Join us for a delicious luncheon to celebrate our veterans. All veterans and their guest are welcome to attend! Once lunch is served, enjoy a special musical performance! Special thanks to Ryan Funeral Home for sponsoring this event. **Pre-registration required! Each veteran allowed 1 guest.**

Save the date!

WEDNESDAY November 10 12:00 pm

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

Fee: FREE!

Pre-registration required by Wednesday, Nov. 4

Enrichment & Older Adult Programs

Weekly Activities

A variety of activities are offered at the De Pere Community Center, 600 Grant St., for those 60 years and over.
For further information please call the Recreation 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, Knee and Foot → 12:15 pm Sheepshead → 12:15 pm Bridge → 1:00 pm *Stained Glass → 5:00 pm <i>*Registered class – Spruce Rm.</i>
Tuesdays	De Pere Area Men's Club → 8:00 am Bridge → 10:00 am *Partner Cribbage → 12:30 pm <i>*Must have partner</i> Fun With Euchre → 1:00 pm	Fridays	Lounge Open for Cards → 8:00 am – 11:00 am <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 → 10:00 am
Wednesdays	Lounge open for cards → 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Blood Pressure Checks → 10:00 am – 11:30 am <i>1st Wednesday of every month</i> *Oil Painting Class → 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm <i>*Registered class - Spruce Rm.</i>	<i>Come join the fun!</i>	

Foot Clinic

Students from NWTCA 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! Please call 336-6054 or 339-4097 to make an appointment.

THURSDAY November 4

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

Fee: FREE!



Blood Pressure Checks

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

1st Wednesday of the Month

10:00 – 11:30 am

September 1 • October 6

November 3 • December 1

De Pere Community Center, Lounge (lower level)



Fitness classes for Older Adults!

The Recreation Department offers a variety of fitness classes appropriate for older adults to keep active! Classes include:

**Yoga, Yin Yoga, Restorative Yoga, Sit & Get Fit, Tai Chi,
Zumba Gold, Water Aerobics & Social Dance classes**

See pages 10,11, 21, 22, 26-28 for more information.

Homebound Meals – More than Just a Meal!

Meals on Wheels are delivered to homebound older adults in Brown County. Service available to those age 60 & older who are homebound or unable to safely prepare meals. Meals delivered weekdays around the noon hour for a \$4.00 suggested donation. Delivery offers not only a hot, balanced meal, but a well-check & friendly smile. Temporary service also an option for older adults recovering from surgery or illness. Additional precautions taken to ensure customer safety during the Coronavirus Pandemic. Applications completed by phone with meals starting in as little as 2 days. For more information, call the ADRC Nutrition Program at 448-4312.

Carryout Meals

During the COVID Pandemic, the ADRC of Brown County is following the most up-to-date guidance for dine-in locations. As the situation changes, we have changed our operations. At the time of this printing, all dine-in locations are closed, and Carryout Meals are available at select locations. To stay up-to-date with Dine-in & Carryout Meals, please visit <https://adrcofbrowncounty.org/community-cafe-dining-sites/> or call the ADRC at 448-4300.

We Need You!

Enjoy working with older adults? There's volunteer opportunities for meal delivery. Flexibility to fit your schedule! For more information on delivering Meals on Wheels, call the ADRC Nutrition Program at 448-4312 or complete our online interest form at www.adrcofbrowncounty.org/get-involved-volunteer/.

The De Pere Community Center is also looking for volunteers to assist with preparing for special events and other programs. Please call the Community Center at 339-4097 for more information.

Dog Park



Our Dog Park, located in the West Side Industrial Park at 1400 Biotech Way, has been 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 all the hard work and financial support from the group, along with all the donators, 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 920-339-8362 or through e-mail at dmelichar@deperewi.gov.

Memorial Bench and Tree Program

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

Parkway Tree Planting Program

Our spring tree planting orders were taken until March 26. Our fall orders will be taken from the end of 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 920-339-8362 or it can be accessed on the City's website at www.deperewi.gov. 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.

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, Dog Park, Voyageur Park, or as part of the Goose Patrol Program. Dogs must be leashed and waste 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 Park, Recreation & Forestry Department at 920-339-4065.

Parks & Facilities Rental Fees

	Non-Revenue Generating Organizations & De Pere Service Groups	Any Revenue Generating Organizations
Softball/Baseball Fields (per field)	\$60/day with lights	\$120/day + \$25 for lights
Soccer/Football Fields (per field)	\$35/day with lights	\$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. **Since that date EAB has spread significantly on both the E & W sides of our City. Thus far we have removed hundreds of trees with obvious signs of the insect and continue to find additional heavily infested trees on a weekly basis. These will systematically be removed over the course of the year.**

What does this mean for you? It means that if you want any real chance of saving your ash trees you will need to begin treatment of them sooner than later (in many cases it is likely too late already). 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. **It is should also be noted that as an ash tree dies from EAB it becomes more brittle and prone to breakage than an ash that dies from more normal conditions. Therefore we recommend removing your ash as soon as it becomes obvious it is dying from the insect and treatment options are exhausted.

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 – 2021

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

DIRECTIONS TO COMPOST SITE

Take Broadway (Hwy. PP) south; go under the overpass and past Legends Bar on Hwy. PP. Continue south on Hwy. PP, past Valley Cabinets. Turn right onto Rockland 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.

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.

Gypsy Moths

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

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.



Arboricultural Specifications Manual

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



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

Registration Information

REGISTER ONLINE

Go to the City of De Pere website at
www.deperewi.gov

Click this icon & open hyperlink



RESIDENTS ONLY

Online / Mail / Fax / Drop Box
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14

Free online registration will begin on Wednesday, April 14. Registrations may also be mailed in, faxed, or dropped off at the Community Center, 600 Grant St. Registrations received prior to Wednesday, April 14 will be held and randomly processed on that day as time permits.

RESIDENTS & NON-RESIDENTS

Online / Mail / Fax / Drop Box / Walk-in
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21

Open registration, along with free online registration, will begin on Wednesday, April 21. Walk-in registrations will be accepted at the Community Center during regular business hours, 7:30 am - 5:00 pm, Monday thru Thursday, 7:30 am - 11:30 am, 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.

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!

Community Center

Phone: 920-339-4097

Fax: 920-339-6348



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, \$7.50 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.

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