

HAMILTON-WENHAM RECREATION

SPRING/SUMMER 2023 BROCHURE



16 UNION ST. HAMILTON, MA

Resident Registration Opens March 6th
Non-Resident Registration Opens March 13th

**HAMILTON-WENHAM
RECREATION DEPARTMENT MISSION STATEMENT**

The Hamilton-Wenham Recreation Department provides a wide variety of programs designed to improve the quality of life for residents by meeting physical and recreational needs. We promote life long lessons through play, education and community wide events.

Hamilton-Wenham Recreation Department
16 Union St.
Hamilton, MA 01982
978-468-2178
www.hwrecreation.com

Office Business Hours:

Monday	8:00am - 4:30pm
Tuesday	8:00am - 6:30pm
Wednesday	8:00am - 4:30pm
Thursday	8:00am - 4:30pm
Friday	8:00am - 12:30pm

Joint Recreation Committee Members

John Cusolito	Wenham
Len Dolan	Wenham
Dan Curran	Wenham
Steve Ozahowski, Chair	Hamilton
Brad Tilley	Hamilton
Reggie Maidment	Hamilton

The Joint Recreation Board is made up of six members, three residents of Hamilton and three residents of Wenham. The Board meets once a month to discuss various recreation issues.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT STAFF

Director

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COURSE CANCELLATION

Classes that do not attain the minimum enrollment will be cancelled 48 hours prior to the scheduled start date. If cancelled you will receive a full refund. We reserve the right to reschedule or change classes. You will be called if your class is cancelled, otherwise, plan on attending.

COURSE CONFIRMATION

We DO NOT provide confirmations for program registrations. You will be called if a class is filled and you will be placed on the waiting list. Otherwise, plan on attending.

MAKE UP CLASSES

All attempts will be made to reschedule classes that have been cancelled due to inclement weather or instructor absence. We are not responsible for making up classes that are missed due to the participants inability to attend.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

All classes will run unless you are otherwise notified. In the event that we need to cancel programming/event an email and a text alert will be sent to class participants. It will also be posted on our website at www.hwrecreation.com.

FILLED CLASSES

You are urged to register as soon as possible. Classes are filled on a first come first served basis. We do not "hold" spots. If your class is filled, you will be placed on a waiting list.

PARTICIPANT PHOTOGRAPH POLICY

Periodically, the Recreation Department photographs/videotapes program participants for promotional use. Unless the participant/guardian informs us of their desire not to be photographed, the Recreation Department will use photographs/videotapes for their promotional purposes.

REFUND POLICY

1. Full refund for a cancelled class
2. You will receive a full refund if you cancel more than 5 business days before the start of the program.
3. You will receive a refund minus a \$10 administrative fee if you cancel less than 5 business days before the start of a program.
4. Prorated refunds will be given at the discretion of the Recreation Director
5. All refunds will be issued in the form of a check.

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WWW.HWRECREATION.COM

Please visit our website to browse activities, register for classes and view any new announcements

HOW TO REGISTER

Step 1: Visit www.hwrecreation.com and create a user name and password

Step 2: Search and select activities and add them to your on-line cart

Step 3: Pay on-line with credit card* or print and mail form to the Rec. Dept.

***PLEASE NOTE WE ONLY ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS OR CHECKS. NO CASH.**

*All Refunds will be issued in the form of a check. Service fees will be refunded back to the credit card in full.

If you do not wish to register on-line, we have two other options for registration

Walk-In:

Recreation Center
16 Union St., Hamilton MA
Hours on page 2

Mail to:

HW Recreation Department
16 Union Street
Hamilton, MA 01982

REGISTER EARLY!!

Registration for MOST programs will close 1 week prior to the first class.
Please register early to ensure your spot!

TEXT ALERTS!!

If you wish to receive text alerts regarding activities please opt in your account for mobile alerts.



INTERESTED IN WORKING FOR OUR DEPARTMENT THIS SUMMER?

The Recreation Department is accepting applications for a number of open positions for the summer of '23.

To view an updates list of job openings and instructions on how to apply please visit our website www.hwrecreation.com or contact our office for more information.



Important Pool Information

CONTACT INFORMATION

Recreation Office: (978) 468-2178 (prior to pool opening)

Pool Office: (978) 626-5270

MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION

Memberships are ONLY available to residents of Hamilton or Wenham. Registration will open starting on Monday, March 7th. Memberships may be made online, in person, or over the phone. If the membership is not purchased in person, arrangements must be made with the Recreation Department to receive your passes.

MEMBERSHIP CARDS CANNOT BE PURCHASED AT THE POOL

MEMBERSHIP CARDS

Membership cards must be brought to the pool to gain access. Please make sure to bring YOUR own card and not someone else's. Staff may seek further information from the membership holder if deemed necessary.

PAYMENT

Memberships can be purchased via check or credit card, drop in fees can be paid at the pool by cash or check. Credit Card/ATM transactions are unavailable at the pool.

REFUND POLICY MEMBERSHIPS

In order to receive a refund on a membership participants must cancel at least 2 weeks prior to the opening of the pool

[Returning Membership Holders](#)

Membership cards purchased previously will be automatically activated if a membership is purchased for this season. A new membership card is only needed for first time membership holders.

NON-RESIDENTS

Non-Residents may not enter the pool unless they are accompanied by a resident with a guest pass. Information on how to obtain a guest pass is in the membership page

WEATHER CLOSURES

The Pool will close immediately at the first sign of lightning, thunder or severe weather and remain closed for at least 30 minutes. The pool will not re-open until 30 minutes has passed without any additional sign of lightning, thunder or severe weather. During this time patrons will not be allowed to remain within the pool enclosure.

HEALTH AND SAFETY CLOSURES

In the event the pool water chemistry fails to comply with state regulations the pool will be closed to bathers until the water chemistry is brought back into compliance. Please make sure to take a cleansing shower before entering the pool.

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

In the event of an injury or missing person, please notify the Pool Office immediately.



Open Swim Hours of Operation

(Swimmers Must Exit Water 15 minutes Prior to Close)

June 17th - June 25th (Pre-Season)

Monday - Friday	2:00pm - 7:00pm
Saturday	11:30am - 7:30pm
Sunday	11:00am - 6:30pm

June 26th - August 20th (Regular Season)

Monday - Friday	12:30pm - 7:30pm
Saturday	11:30am - 7:30pm
Sunday	11:00am - 6:30pm

August 21st - August 27th (Post Season)

Monday - Friday	2:00pm - 7:00pm
Saturday - Sunday	12:30 - 7:00pm

The schedule for the 4th of July, and August 28th - September 4th will be released at a later date.

POOL RENTALS

Due to staffing concerns the Recreation Department is not taking pool rentals at this time. If anything changes we will be sure to alert the public.

VETERANS MEMORIAL POOL EARLY BIRD FEES (PRIOR TO FRIDAY, MAY 26TH)

MEMBERSHIPS RESTRICTED TO HAMILTON WENHAM RESIDENTS

MEMBERSHIP TYPES	PRICE
<p style="text-align: center;">HOUSEHOLD MEMBERSHIP</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>This Membership includes ALL PERSONS living in a household</i></p>	\$180
<p style="text-align: center;">INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Membership includes any individual 3 years or older</i></p>	\$60
<p style="text-align: center;">INDIVIDUAL SENIOR/ VETERAN MEMBERSHIP</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Membership includes 1 person over the age of 60 or a Veteran</i></p>	\$40
<p style="text-align: center;">CAREGIVER PASS</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>The Caregiver Pass can only be purchased by a Family or Individual Membership holder. The Caregiver Pass can only be used by someone accompanying a member of that particular membership. The Caregiver Pass can be used by any number of individuals (non-resident included), by one individual per visit</i></p>	\$45

POOL FEES STARTING ON SATURDAY, MAY 26TH

TYPES	PRICE
<p style="text-align: center;">HOUSEHOLD MEMBERSHIP</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>This Membership includes ALL PERSONS living in a household</i></p>	\$205
<p style="text-align: center;">INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Membership includes any individual 3 years or older</i></p>	\$70
<p style="text-align: center;">INDIVIDUAL SENIOR/ VETERAN MEMBERSHIP</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Membership includes 1 person over the age of 60 or a Veteran</i></p>	\$40
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GUEST PASSES & DAILY FEES

GUEST PASS

A Guest Pass can ONLY be purchased by residents. Guests can only attend the pool with someone who is a resident. Guest passes are sold as either a one time visit or a pack of three. Non-Residents may be admitted to the pool with a guest pass. Maximum 3 guests per visit.

\$10/1

\$25/3

VETERANS MEMORIAL POOL DAILY FEES (FAMILY CAP \$30)

TYPES	PRICE
AGES 2 AND UNDER	FREE
AGES 3 -17	\$9
AGES 18 - 59	\$10
SENIORS (60+)	\$5
5 AFTER 5	\$5 AFTER 5:00PM

FREE SENIOR SWIM

Every Saturday the season Hamilton and Wenham Seniors (60+) will have free access to the pool from 11:00am - 11:30am.

AGES: 60+
DATES: Saturdays (Starting 7/1)
TIME: 11:00am - 11:30am
COST: Free
LOCATION: Veterans Pool



PRESCHOOL SWIM LESSONS H

Preschool Beginner : Children age 3-5 who have little to no experience in the water, who require flotation to swim. Instructors will work on basic swimming skills such as paddling, kicking and blowing bubbles.



Preschool Advanced: Children age 3-5 who can comfortably swim without flotation for a least 5-10 yards. Children will work on basic stroke development such as front crawl, backstroke & rhythmic breathing.

Children will be broken up into smaller groups based on swim level

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
3-5	Saturdays, July 1st -August 19th	9:00am - 9:30am	Veterans Pool	\$133
3-5	Saturdays, July 1st - August 12th	10:20am - 10:50am	Veterans Pool	\$133

YOUTH SWIM LESSONS H

Youth Beginner Swim Lesson: Children age 6-12 who have little to no experience in the water, who require flotation to swim. Instructors will work on basic swimming skills such as paddling, kicking, putting face in the water and blowing bubbles.

Youth Advanced Swim Lesson: Children age 6-12 who can comfortably swim without flotation for at least one length of the pool. Children will work on stroke development for front crawl, backstroke, breaststroke as well as rotary breathing.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-12	Saturdays, July 1st - August 19th	9:40am - 10:10am	Veterans Pool	\$133

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HAMILTON WENHAM RECREATION

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Don't wait until the last minute

REGISTER EARLY!

N = NEW PROGRAM
H = HIGH DEMAND

HURRICANES SWIM TEAM

The Hurricanes offer swimmers of all levels a chance to compete in a fun atmosphere as well as the opportunity to strengthen their swimming skills. Participants must be able to swim at least one length of the pool without stopping while demonstrating proficient front crawl or backstroke. Please note that your swimmers age bracket is determined base on their age as of July 1st! Registration fee includes a white practice cap and 1 team cap for swim meets.



HURRICANE SWIM TEAM SWIM MEET INFORMATION

Swim Meets are typically held on Wednesdays. The meet schedule for 2023 will be released at a later date.
 Bus transportation is provided for all away meets.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6 and Under	Monday, June 26th - Friday, August 4th	7:30am - 8:30am	Veterans Pool	Residents: \$136 Non-Res.: \$170
7-10	Monday, June 26th - Friday, August 4th	8:00am - 9:00am	Veterans Pool	Resident: \$136 Non-Res: \$170
11-16	Monday, June 26th - Friday, August 4th	7:00am - 8:00am	Veterans Pool	Resident: \$136 Non-Res: \$170

JR. LIFEGUARD PROGRAM

The Jr. Lifeguard program is designed for 14 & 15 who have an interest in aquatics. Participants will learn about water safety, rescue skills and techniques, and assist with swim lessons by shadowing our current lifeguard staff. Once registered our department will work on a schedule to fit your needs.

Once officially certified participants of this program will be eligible for employment at Veterans Pool. Or Department will reimburse the expense for certification if the participant moves forward with lifeguard certification and commits to working at the Veterans Memorial Pool.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
14 & 15	TBD	TBD	Veterans Pool	\$25

FIRST ANNUAL

SPLASH & DASH



Calling all kids!! Come participate in our first annual splash & dash! Participants will be broken down into age brackets with various distances based on their age.

Ages 5-12

More information to come at a later date.



Sunday July 30th

CHECK IN: 8:15AM @ THE POOL

\$25 PER PARTICIPANT

Medals for all participants and prizes for top 3 in each age group.

Due to High Demand the Patton Park Summer Program is available for residents of Hamilton and Wenham ONLY

CONTACT INFORMATION

Recreation Office: (978) 468-2178 (prior to pool opening)
Park Office: (978) 626-5271

LOCATION

The Summer Park Program will be held at Patton Park. We will be utilizing the tennis courts, ball fields, playground, gazebo, and of course the POOL.

PATTON PARK SUMMER PROGRAM OFFICE HOURS

Recreation Department Staff will be available at the pool office from 8am - 9am, during the days of the program for any summer park program related office needs.

SWIMMING POOL ACCESS

Each group will have a minimum of 30 minutes of swim time each day. Swim time could increase based upon weather or specially planned activities. As part of the park registration fee the Tiny Tanks and Little Generals group will receive instructional/structured swim during their scheduled swim time. All other groups will have free swim. If your child does not wish to swim they must stay with their group, staff will plan activities accordingly during the period. In order to swim in the deep end participants must pass a swim test administered by a lifeguard. Anyone who fails the swim test or chooses not to take it must swim in the shallow end or kiddie area. Life-jackets are available though participants may bring a personal flotation device if they wish.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

If heavy rain and/or severe weather is forecasted participants will be notified the evening before and the park program will be held at the Buker School, Recreation Center, and/or The Community House. In the instance that severe weather strikes while the program is at Patton Park, children will be escorted across the street to the Community House/Winthrop School for shelter.

PARENT MANUAL

All Parents/Guardians will receive a parent manual prior to the start of the program. The manual will provide parent with contact information, drop off and pick up locations, daily schedules, and all other pertinent information regarding the program.

FIELD TRIPS

The All stars and Jr. All stars will be going on weekly field trips, permission slips will be provided at the start of the week and be due before the field trip is set to leave. PLEASE NOTE, the field trips will extend the day beyond 1:30.

WHAT TO BRING

Participants should bring a lunch, snack, bathing suit, flotation device (if needed), tennis racket, sun tan lotion and plenty of water.

***Patton Park Summer Program is Nut Free**



PATTON PARK SESSIONS 

- Session 1: June 26th - June 30th**
- Session 2: July 3rd - July 7th* *No Camp 7/4 (4 days)**
- Session 3: July 10th - July 14th**
- Session 4: July 17th - July 21st**
- Session 5: July 24th - July 28th**
- Session 6: July 31st - August 4th**
- Session 7: August 7th - August 11th**
- Session 8: August 14th - August 18th**

Junior All Star & All Star Field Trips 2023

- Session 1: Kimball Farms (6/29)
- Session 2: SkyZone Glow Jump (7/6)
- Session 3: Gillette Stadium Summer Camp Day(7/12)
- Session 4: Water Country (7/20)
- Session 5: WooSox Game (7/26)
- Session 6: Roller World (8/3)
- Session 7: Canobie Lake Park (8/10)
- Session 8: Apex Entertainment (8/17)

Special Entertainment 2023

- Session 1: Curious Creatures
- Session 2: Snake Day
- Session 3: Discovery Museum
- Session 4: Teddy Town
- Session 5: Inflatable Water Slide
- Session 6: Carole Weidman
- Session 7: Carnival/Violet the Clown
- Session 8: Make Your Own Sundaes

TINY TANKS (ENTERING PRE-K)

****Participants must be 4 years old to attend****

This program will be geared to our younger participants and feature arts and crafts, free play, sports games, and movement activities. All participants will receive heavily supervised swim during their swimming time.

Grade Entering	Session	Time:	Location:	Fee:
Pre-K	Sessions 1, 3-8	8:45am - 1:15pm	Patton Park	\$126
Pre-K	Session 2	8:45am - 1:15pm	Patton Park	\$102



LITTLE GENERALS (ENTERING K)

The Little Generals program provides supervised, safe and fun programming for children. It is our goal for each child to create great park memories by providing an active outlet for both physical and social needs. Participants will engage in activities such as arts & crafts, swimming, tennis, sports, and weekly special events. Participants receive supervised swim during their swim time.



Grade Entering	Session	Time:	Location:	Fee:
K	Sessions 1, 3-8	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$126
K	Session 2	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$102

FROG CATCHERS (ENTERING 1ST GRADE)

This program incorporates sports & games, arts & crafts, swimming, tennis and more into a day of laughing, friends and memories. Children will enjoy open swim during their swim time., flotation devices will be made available at the pool if needed.

Grade Entering	Session	Time:	Location:	Fee:
1st	Sessions 1, 3-8	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$126
1st	Session 2	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$102



SWAMP DUCKS (ENTERING 2nd GRADE)

This program incorporates sports & games, arts & crafts, swimming, tennis and more into a day of laughing, friends and memories. Children will enjoy open swim during their swim time., flotation devices will be made available at the pool if needed.



Grade Entering	Session	Time:	Location:	Fee:
2nd	Sessions 1, 3-8	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$126
2nd	Session 2	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$102

YOUNG EXPLORERS (ENTERING 3RD GRADE)

Let kids be kids! This program incorporates sports & games, arts & crafts, swimming, tennis and more into a day of laughing, friends and memories. Children will enjoy open swim during their swim time, flotation devices will be made available at the pool if needed.



Grade Entering	Session	Time:	Location:	Fee:
3rd	Sessions 1, 3-8	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$126
3rd	Session 2	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$102

JUNIOR ALL STARS 4TH GRADE

This group is for children entering 4th grade in the fall. The Jr. All -Stars is a program that incorporates all the fun of the park program but also adds age appropriate field trips and activities each week. Participants will get at least 30 minutes of free swim time each day; all participants must pass a swim test to swim in the deep end.

Grade Entering	Session	Time:	Location:	Fee:
4th	Session 1, 3-8	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$152
4th	Session 2	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$128



JUNIOR ALL STARS 5TH GRADE

This program is for children entering 5th grade in the fall. The Jr. All -Stars is a program that incorporates all the fun of the park program but also adds age appropriate field trips and activities each week. Participants will get at least 30 minutes of free swim time each day; all participants must pass a swim test to swim in the deep end.



Grade Entering	Session	Time:	Location:	Fee:
5th	Session 1, 3-8	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$152
5th	Session 2	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$128

ALL-STARS (ENTERING 6TH & 7th GRADE)

For children entering 6th or 7th grade in the fall the All -Stars is a program that incorporates all the fun of the park program but also adds age appropriate field trips and activities each week. Participants will get at least 30 minutes of free swim time each day; all participants must pass a swim test to swim in the deep end.

Grade Entering	Session	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6th & 7th	Session 1, 3-8	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$152
6th & 7th	Session 2	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$128



EARLY MORNING DROP OFF

Staff will be available to supervise your children starting at 8am. Typically there will be one organized activity per day leading up to the start of the camp day. Early Morning Drop off will be located at the playground.

Grade Entering	Session	Time:	Location:	Fee:
Pre-K - 7	Sessions 1, 3-8	8:00am - 8:45am	Patton Park	\$25
Pre-K - 7	Session 2	8:00am - 8:45am	Patton Park	\$20

PM PARK

Need child care coverage until 3:30pm? Try our PM Parksters Program. Children will engage in structured activities, open play, as well take a dip in the pool on hot days. Daily snacks are provided. Children participating in Tiny Tanks are not eligible for PM Parksters.

Grade Entering	Session	Time:	Location:	Fee:
K - 7	Sessions 1, 3-8	1:30pm - 3:30pm	Patton Park	Daily / \$15 Full Week / \$70
K - 7	Session 2	1:30pm - 3:30pm	Patton Park	Daily / \$15 Full Week / \$56

C.I.T. PROGRAM

The CIT program is an educational program, with a curriculum designed to develop the people and technical skills necessary to be an effective camp counselor. All CIT applicants should be interested in working with children and possess maturity, flexibility, a strong work ethic, and the ability to have fun.

Age:	Session:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
13-15	1	June 29th - July 24th	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$45
13-15	2	July 27th - August 21st	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$45

C.I.T. PROGRAM + TEEN TRIPS

C.I.T.'S who wish to attend the teen field trips may do so by registering for this program. Trips are included in the total price and are discounted. Only trips within the session are included.

Age:	Session:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
13-15	1	June 29th - July 24th	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$150
13-15	2	July 27th - August 21st	8:45am - 1:30pm	Patton Park	\$150

COMMUNITY HOUSE AFTERCARE

Families seeking after camp care (3:30 pm - 5:30 pm) can register for "Summer at TKC" through The Community House. TKC staff will pick up after camp participants at the Park and walk them across the street to The Community House.

*Registration for this program is made directly with The Community House

**Children MUST be registered for PM Park to attend

Register at: <https://www.ezchildtrack.com/parentportal/?c=tkc284>

TEEN TRIPS

Participants will attend supervised field trips throughout the area.



Funtown Splashtown (Saco, ME)

Participants will be able to explore both the water park and ride park in what is sure to be a fun filled day.



PATTON HOMESTEAD
A CULTURAL CENTER

Apex Entertainment (Marlborough, MA)

Participants will get 1 hour of bowling, 30 minutes of arcade time, and a bumper cars. Participants will receive pizza for lunch.



Take Flight Adventure Park (Kittery, ME)

Participants will need to work together to navigate Take Flight's Aerial Adventure Park.



K1 Speed (Wilmington, MA)

Participants will ne indoor kart racing as well as receive pizza for lunch.

Grades:	Dates:	Trip	Departure Time	Fee:
7-9	Wednesday, June 28th	Funtown Splashtown USA	9:00am	\$60
7-9	Wednesday, July 12th	Apex Entertainment	8:30am	\$60
7-9	Wednesday, July 26th	Take Flight Adventure Park	8:45am	\$60
7-9	Wednesday, August 9th	K1 Speed	8:45am	\$60

**REGISTRATION IS CURRENTLY OPEN FOR ALL “LATE WINTER” PROGRAMS AT
WWW.HWRECREATION.COM**

KIDS TEST KITCHEN

Each class presents students with an opportunity to explore new or familiar foods in their raw, unmanipulated state. Then, working as a team, we'll slice, dice, peel, measure, and cook until we've prepared the finished dish. Lessons are planned to celebrate seasonal produce – warm you on a cold winter day and offer ideas for quick and healthy family meals. At the end of class your aspiring chef will receive the main ingredient, or a sample of the finished dish, and the recipe so that they can show off what they've learned! Even the most reluctant eaters enjoy KTK, where participation is expected, but tasting is always optional. Each session arrives with fresh new recipes and ideas to inspire your healthy eater!

Kids have food allergies, but they shouldn't miss out on the fun. We know allergies and can work around them, making sure that everyone is having fun and staying safe. *Please clearly disclose all food allergies and/or dietary restrictions upon registration.

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
5-10	Wednesdays, March 1st - April 5th	3:15pm - 4:15pm	Recreation Center Meeting Room	\$150

SPORTSZONE 101: TOP TIER TRIVIA

Is your child a know-it-all... Oh wait, I think we phrased that wrong. Let's try again! Does your child love to learn about new things, tell you every little detail about obscure topics, test their wits at restaurant game tablets, or dream about starring on Jeopardy one day? If so, our Top Tier Trivia class would be the perfect fit! We will test participants in individual and group settings on a wide range of topics for amazing prizes. This will be an interactive class using the latest technology. Let's see if you have what it takes to be the next "Quizzard of Oz", "Google Geek", "You're a Quizzard Harry", or "Head of the Nerd Herd". We can't wait to test your skills!

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
7-11	Wednesdays, March 1st - April 5th	3:15pm - 4:15pm	Recreation Center	\$109

SPORTS ZONE 101: NERF WARS

Come test your individual and team effectiveness as a participant in our Nerf RIVAL Battlegrounds! The RIVAL series is designed with Nerfers ages ten and up in mind, as it features high-performance, high-speed Nerf blasters that are perfect for competitive, team-based play. If you have ever wanted to try out Paint ball, this is a great, safe alternative! The RIVAL blasters use squishy Nerf pellets, which is perfect for competitive gaming because players can feel when they get hit, but the pellets don't hurt like Paint ball or Airsoft. This awesome program puts a fresh spin on traditional games like Capture the Flag, King of the Hill, and Zone Wars, while also allowing participants to get great exercise, learn strategic planning skills, and make new battle-tested friends. Participants will play different games throughout the day, with individual and team-based challenges, so there is always something new and exciting to strive for. We will also have all sorts of obstacles for the students to interact with, so they never know what to expect!

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
5-11	Fridays, March 3rd - April 7th	4:45pm - 5:45pm	Recreation Center	\$125

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WWW.HWRECREATION.COM**

SPORTSZONE 101: SILLY GAMES

Children of all ages love to be silly and have fun, especially the youngest of us. We see this firsthand every time we run our Silly Games program! We will play games like: Builders and Bulldozers, where children either build or bulldoze cones set up around the gym; Bowling for Noodles, like real bowling but with pool noodles; and Kooky Relays! Participants can practice working together, sharing with other children, and learning methods for problem-solving and conflict resolution

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
5-8	Fridays, March 3rd - April 7th	3:30pm - 4:30pm	Recreation Center	\$109

SPORTSZONE 101 BASEBALL CLINIC

Tune up those skills before the spring season starts! Players, ages 6 to 12 will have intensive instruction in proper baseball mechanics and techniques. Kids will be split up by age. The clinic includes comprehensive instruction in the proper fundamentals of hitting, throwing, fielding, pitching, bunting, infield play, and outfield play. Players will improve specific skills through drills, demonstrations, and scrimmages.

5 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-11	Sundays, March 5th- April 2nd	12:00pm - 1:00pm	Recreation Center	\$125

SPORTSZONE 101 SOFTBALL CLINIC

Players, in grades 2 through 8 will have intensive instruction in proper softball mechanics and techniques. Kids will be split up by age. The clinic includes comprehensive instruction in the proper fundamentals of hitting, throwing, fielding, pitching, bunting, infield play, and outfield play. Players will improve specific skills through drills, demonstrations, and scrimmages.

5 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-12	Sundays March 5th - April 2nd	1:15pm - 2:15pm	Recreation Center	\$125

LA VIDA ROCK GYM: ROCK CLIMBING

Take advantage of Gordon College's wonderful Bennett Center! This program will provide children with a chance to learn about rock climbing and to participate in rock climbing under the direction of trained staff. Who will make it to the top of the wall? Come find out in this awesome rock climbing adventure.

5 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
8-12	Session 2: Wednesdays March 15th- April 12th	2:30pm - 3:30pm	Gordon College Bennett Center Rock Gym	\$90

REGISTRATION IS CURRENTLY OPEN FOR ALL "LATE WINTER" PROGRAMS AT WWW.HWRECREATION.COM

WICKED COOL FOR KIDS: LEGO JR. BUILDERS STEM

This program continues with LEGO Learn to Learn curriculum and focuses on STEM based activities, critical thinking, and problem solving. Make your own math game, build symmetrical designs, and learn about simple machines by building a lever. Design structures, animals, and communities in collaborative and educational challenges.

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
5-7	Mondays, March 20th - May 1st* *No class 4/17	3:30pm - 4:30pm	Recreation Center	\$158

ARCHERY

During this program participants will learn to shoot a bow and arrow in this Olympic archery development program. Classes are taught by a certified archery instructor. All equipment is provided. Students will progress at their own pace.

5 Weeks



Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
9+	Thursdays, March 30th - May 4th* No Class 4/20	3:30 pm : 4:30pm	Patton Homestead	\$112

MIDDLE SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Bring your friends and enjoy some time to shoot hoops or play pickup basketball games. Recreation staff will be on hand to help monitor and facilitate this program. Children must be in grades 6-8 in order to participate.

Registration is required. No Drop-Ins

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
11-14	Tuesdays, March 21st - May 2nd	4:00pm - 6:00pm	Recreation Center	\$40
11-14	Tuesdays, May 9th - June 20th	4:00pm - 6:00pm	Recreation Center	\$40

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ADULT PICKLEBALL LESSONS

Beginner/Advanced Beginner Clinic (2.0 to 2.5 Levels): Class for Players new to the Game or only playing a short time who would like to learn to achieve better fundamental techniques in their game. Strokes & shots that will be taught are: volley, dink shots, serve & return, & forehand/backhand drive shots. Students will also learn the rules of match play & how to score while learning the basics in a fun-filled manner!

Instructor: Sue Carnevale

5 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+ (Beginner)	Fridays, March 3rd - March 31st	12:00 - 1:00pm	Recreation Center	\$86
18+ (Advanced Beginner)	Friday, March 3rd - March 31st	1:00pm - 2:00pm	Recreation Center	\$86

COLLEGE FUNDING: YOU CAN AFFORD COLLEGE IF...

You PLAN in advance; you UNDERSTAND the financial aid process; you ACT early enough to be successful. Financial Aid goes to the families who plan in advance - ideally before December 31st of the child's sophomore year of high school. This course will teach you the concepts and strategies that will help you maximize your financial aid by understanding the process, and how implementing strategies may increase a family's eligibility even if you have a "high income" or own a business. The greatest amount of financial aid goes to the families who act in the years before college.

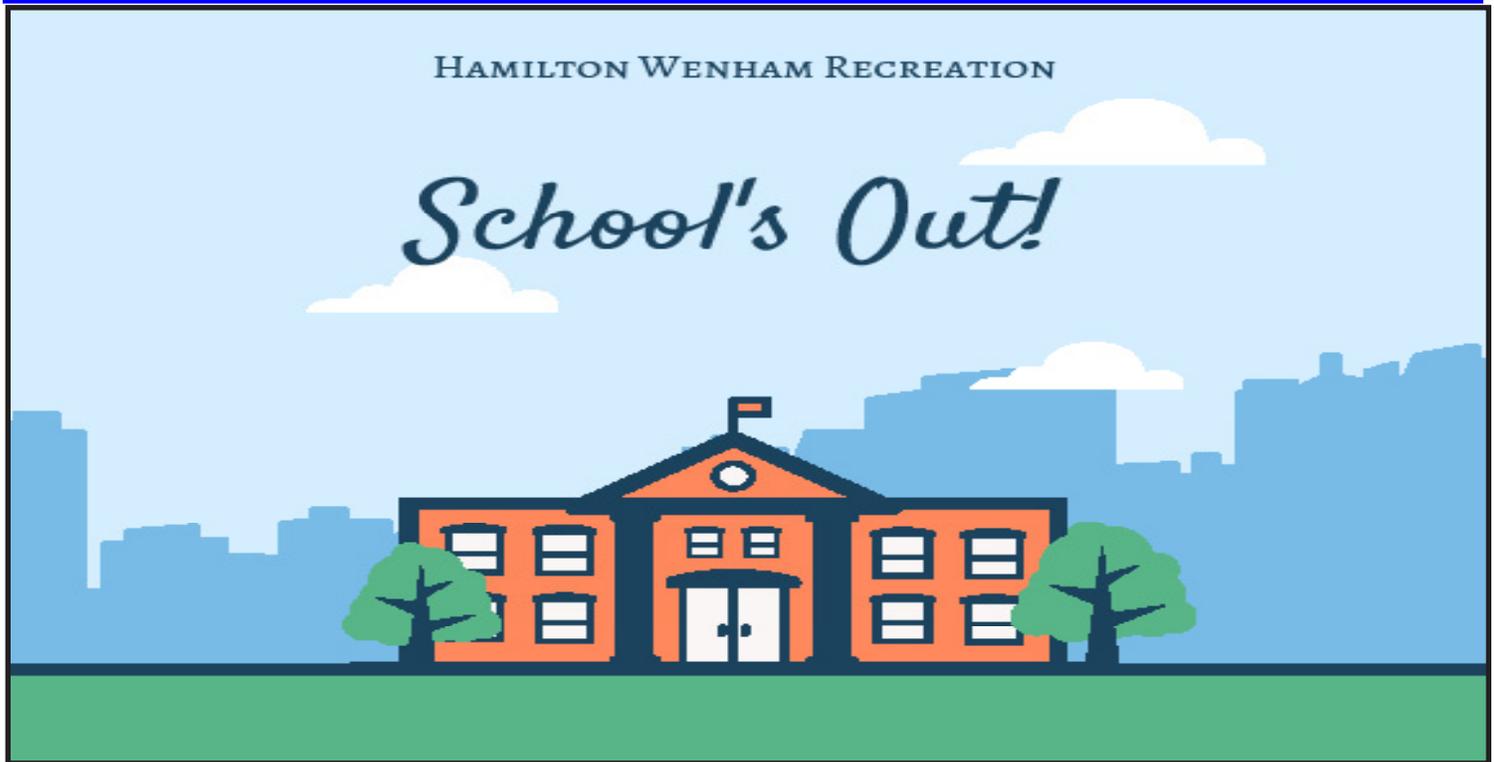
Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
Adults	Wednesday, March 15	6:30pm - 8:30pm	Recreation Center Meeting Room	FREE

SATURDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Women's Pick up style basketball. No referee, this is for fun and exercise!!

Registration is required. No drop-ins

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Saturdays, March 25th - May 20th	8:00am - 10:00am	Recreation Center	\$50



SPORTSZONE 101: NO SCHOOL FUN

Join us as we help advanced your skills in a variety of games including street hockey, soccer, flag football, pickle, dodgeball, basketball, baseball, and many others. Games will be played in a “TOURNAMENT STYLE” to allow for friendly competitions. Participants will get to enjoy learning how to play games better, be a great teammate, and have fun! Each participant will receive a daily sports prize for their hard work and team play!

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
5-11	Monday, March 13th	9:00am - 12:00pm 9:00am - 3:00pm	Recreation Center	\$35/Half \$65/Full

HEALTH AND SAFETY INSTITUTE (ASHI): BABYSITTING CERTIFICATION COURSE

The new Child and Babysitting Safety (CABS) program from ASHI gives teenagers and young adults everything they need to know for safe and successful babysitting. From getting started with their business, to dealing with parents and children, to key safety, care giving, and first aid tips, the magazine-format CABS guide and vlogger-style video make learning fun.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
10-16	Monday, March 13th	9:00am - 12:00pm	Recreation Center	\$50



SPORTSZONE 101

FRIDAY FUN NIGHT

JOIN SPORTSZONE STAFF FOR A NIGHT OF FUN! EQUIPMENT AND PIZZA PROVIDED. OPEN PLAYTIME FOR THE KIDS!

FRIDAYS MARCH 24TH- APRIL 14TH



You deserve a break for a few hours before the weekend hustle and bustle kicks in, don't you? We can help! Some of our fondest memories from our school age years were Friday night socials. You would show up, meet your friends, maybe play a little basketball, gaga, or ping pong, there might even be some karaoke in the background with another area for board games and food. We want to bring that experience back for the next generation. If the last few years have taught us anything, it is the value of socializing – we want to help create a fun, exciting, and safe environment for that socializing to happen. The atmosphere will not be a traditional, rigid structure. It will resemble a social club with young adult supervision and interaction, and pizza will be provided!

\$30 PER SESSION
\$110 ALL FOUR

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
8-12	Friday, March 24th	6:00pm - 8:00pm	Recreation Center	\$30
8-12	Friday, March 31st	6:00pm - 8:00pm	Recreation Center	\$30
8-12	Friday, April 7th	6:00pm - 8:00pm	Recreation Center	\$30
8-12	Friday, April 14th	6:00pm - 8:00pm	Recreation Center	\$30
8-12	All Four Session	6:00 - 8:00pm	Recreation Center	\$110

SATURDAY NIGHT DODGEBALL TOURNAMENT

Join us with your friends for a Saturday night dodgeball tournament. Snacks and water will be provided for participants



**SATURDAY MARCH 18TH
AGES: 5-12
\$30 PER PARTICIPANT
6:30PM-8:30PM
RECREATION CENTER**

**REGISTER AT
WWW.HWRECREATION.COM
REGISTER BY 3/11**

HAMILTON WENHAM RECREATION
&
HAMILTON COA

BINGO

night

Saturday March 25th

4:30PM-6:30PM

Recreation Center Gym

Event is FREE but please register ahead of time.

*A night for
Family Fun*

Join us for a family BINGO night!!
Snacks & Refreshments will be available.

BINGO Cards will be available at the door but please register ahead of time so we have enough supplies for everyone!

Register at www.hwrecreation.com



PUZZLEPALOOZA

Sundays

Feb. 26th

&

Mar. 19th

4:00PM-6:00PM

\$15 PER TEAM

HAMILTON COA

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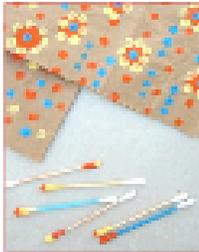
Puzzlers, get your family/team together and come to the inaugural Puzzlepalooza jigsaw puzzle challenge! Teams of two to six people will compete to finish a the same 300 piece puzzle in the shortest amount of time! Puzzles are provided.

Only 1 person per team needs to registerMaximum of 10 teams, so register early. Prize sfor first- and second-place finishers



Art Workshops

The Hamilton-Wenham Recreation Department is excited to announce art programs designed to be inclusive & enjoyable for both budding & experience artists!



Painting with Tots:

*6 sessions for \$150
*3-5 years old
with caregiver

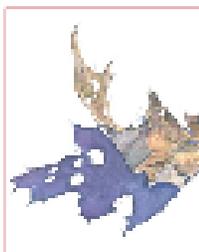
Wednesdays, 10-11am
March 15th - April 19th



Shadow Drawing:

*6 sessions for \$150
*6-9 years old with caregiver
present

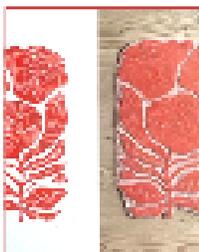
Wednesdays, 3:30-4:30PM
March 15th - April 19th



Shadow Painting:

*6 sessions for \$150
*10-14 years old, caregiver
welcome but not required

Thursdays, 3:30-4:30
March 16th - April 20th



Black-printing Basics:

*6 sessions for \$250
*10 +

Thursdays, 6:30-8PM
March 30th - May 4th



**HOLLY ERICKSON,
MFA**

Holly earned her Masters degree from Boston University. She is skilled in numerous areas of art & looks forward to sharing a new skill with you!



**Patton Homestead:
North Wing**

650 Asbury Street
Hamilton

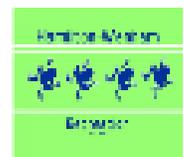


**Scan this code or
visit website to
learn more +
REGISTER!**

Class descriptions included in link!
<https://hamiltonwenham.ma.myrec.com/info/activities>



PATTON HOMESTEAD
A CULTURAL CENTER





SOCCER SHOTS: PRESCHOOL SOCCER

Soccer Shots Mini is a high-energy program introducing children to fundamental soccer principles, such as using your feet, dribbling and the basic rules of the game. Through fun games, songs and positive reinforcement, children will begin to experience the joy of playing soccer and being active. Our 4 and 5 year old participants utilize creative and imaginative games to focus on basic soccer skills like dribbling, passing and shooting.

SOCCER SHOTS NOW REQUIRES AN ANNUAL PARTICIPANT FEE OF \$35. THIS FEE IS **NOT INCLUDED** IN THE BELOW PRICE. ANNUAL FEES ARE GOOD FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR.

9 WEEK

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
2- MINI	Sundays, April 16th - June 11th	9:00am - 9:30am	Patton Homestead	\$165*
3- CLASSIC	Sundays, April 16th - June 11th	9:40am - 10:15am	Patton Homestead	\$165*
4-5- PREMIER	Sundays, April 16th - June 11th	10:25am - 11:05am	Patton Homestead	\$165*

SUPER SOCCER STARS

At Super Soccer Stars it is our goal to teach soccer skills in a fun, non competitive, educational environment. Our philosophy is to use soccer to nurture and develop self confidence and to develop teamwork in every class. Our specially designed curriculum uses positive reinforcement and a low child to coach ratio to ensure that each child improves at his or her own rate while having endless fun! No Equipment required. Many of the older children will wear cleats.

8 Weeks



Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
2-3	Fridays, April 28th - June 16th	3:30pm - 4:10pm	Patton Homestead	\$176
3-4:	Fridays, April 28th - June 16th	4:15pm - 5:00pm	Patton Homestead	\$176
4-5	Fridays, April 28th - June 16th	5:05pm - 5:55pm	Patton Homestead	\$176

STEVE NUGENT'S KARATE INSTITUTE: LITTLE DRAGONS KARATE

This class teaches proper stance, breathing, stretching, discipline, confidence and practical self defense. All uniforms and belts are included in the class.

10 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
3-5	Thursdays, April 6th - June 15th* *No Class 4/20	4:00pm - 4:30pm	Recreation Center	\$216

LITTLE SCHOLARS: HABLO ESPAÑOL

Ever wondered how to say your favorite words in Spanish? Join us on a journey to be introduced to the basics of the second most spoken language in the world through an innovative, dual- language, thematic approach with games, stories, songs, and art. Children participating in this class will be exposed to the following Spanish concepts: colors, body parts, numbers, family members, and common phrases.

8 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
3-4	Wednesdays, April 26th - June 14th	3:00pm - 4:00pm	Recreation Center	\$144

PRESCHOOL SPORTS



Join Kayleigh Hills for a morning full of fun! This program is designed for children new to sports. The focus is on the fun and fundamentals of soccer, basketball, and other team and group games. The children will work on skills needed to play these games and learn about teamwork and sportsmanship in a fun, safe setting

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
2-4	Wednesdays, April 26th - June 7th	11:30am - 12:30pm	Recreation Center	\$65

SPORTSZONE 101: BIRDIE, PUTT & CHIP: INTRO TO GOLF

Golf is a lifelong sport. The smell of the fresh-cut grass, the crisp morning air, the feeling of the perfect tee shot – it's hard not to love a few hours on the greens. But what makes golf even better is playing with friends and loved ones. We can't promise that we will produce the next pro golfer in our program, but we can guarantee that your children will have lots of fun, be introduced to traditional golf grips and hitting stances, and get a little practice with putting and chipping. Using the U.S. Kids Golf Early Start program, each class will consist of short lessons followed by small group activities. Our goal is to introduce the children to the game of golf in a fun and interactive way so they can join you on the greens one day!

5 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
3-5	Fridays, April 28th - June 2nd	10:00am - 11:00am	Fairhaven Field	\$109

MINI TENNIS 

Our Mini Tennis programs for ages 3 - 5 is conducted on a smaller court, using a red, low compression ball, which is slower and lower bouncing than a traditional Tennis ball. This adaptation allows players to develop their game in a safe and successful way, whilst ensuring fun for all! This program will teach the basic shot mechanics along with developing children’s coordination and fundamentals of movement. All lessons are conducted using a variety of high energy, fast paced, fun games, designed to capture the attention of children this age ensuring maximum fun for your budding Tennis champ!

6 Weeks

Instructor: Maria Schena

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
3-5	Saturdays, April 29th - June 10th* *No class 5/27	11:00am - 11:45am	Patton Park Tennis Courts	\$108

KNUCKLEBONES: MICRO SPORT

Knucklebones’ Multi Sport is the perfect blend of fundamentals and fun, focusing on traditional sports including Soccer, Basketball, and Tball, along with not so traditional sports like Wheels, Lil’ Ninjas and Gymnastics. Each class is supported by an array of our unique outside the box equipment; from RhinoSkin balls to climbing structures, balance beams to mini basketball hoops, our age appropriate equipment is sure to help enhance your child’s passion for play while learning new skills.

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
3-5	Sundays, April 30th - June 11th* *No class 5/28	10:30am - 11:20am	Pingree Park	\$122



STEVE NUGENT'S KARATE INSTITUTE: KARATE

This program provides introductory karate skills, teaches proper stances, breathing, stretching, self-discipline, coordination and practical self defense. All uniforms and belts are included.

10 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-12	Thursdays, April 6th - June 15th* *No Class 4/20	4:30pm - 5:20pm	Recreation Center	\$216

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8 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
5-6	Wednesdays, April 26th - June 14th	3:00pm - 4:00pm	Recreation Center	\$144

WACKY WEDNESDAYS

Join Patton Park Sports Director Kayleigh for early release fun! Participants will have an afternoon of sports including kickball, capture the flag, speedball, and more!

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
5-11	Wednesdays, April 26th - June 7th	1:00pm - 2:00pm	Buker School Field	\$65

YOUTH RUNNING CLUB

Want to learn to run, improve your running, or just stay active this fall? Would you like to train for a fall race? Join us for a FUN running program that will focus on proper warm-up, running technique, cool down, and stretches. We will utilize many games and age appropriate running activities to make you an all-around better athlete. Bring a water bottle and appropriate sneakers for running. The Youth Running Program is for boys and girls. T-Shirt included. Parent volunteers are welcome to join us.

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-12	Wednesdays, April 26th - May 31st	2:30pm - 3:30pm	Patton Park	\$20

YOUTH TENNIS LESSONS 

This program will teach the basic shot mechanics along with an introduction to match play and the rules of Tennis! All lessons are conducted using a variety of high energy games and drills, designed to improve the game of your future Tennis star!

6 Weeks

Instructor: Maria Schena

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-9	Saturdays, April 29th - June 10th* *No class 5/27	11:45am - 12:45pm	Patton Park Tennis Courts	\$108
10-13	Saturdays, April 29th - June 10th* *No class 5/27	12:45pm - 1:45pm	Patton Park Tennis Courts	\$108



KIDS TEST KITCHEN

Each class presents students with an opportunity to explore new or familiar foods in their raw, unmanipulated state. Then, working as a team, we'll slice, dice, peel, measure, and cook until we've prepared the finished dish. This winter we'll celebrate ingredients that will warm your bones on a cold day and offer ideas for quick and healthy dishes for the family to enjoy together. At the end of class your aspiring chef will receive the main ingredient, or a sample of the finished dish, and the recipe so that they can show off what they've learned! Kids have food allergies, but they shouldn't miss out on the fun. We know allergies and can work around them, making sure that everyone is having fun and staying safe. *Please clearly disclose all food allergies and/or dietary restrictions upon registration

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-11	Tuesdays, May 2nd - June 6th	3:30pm - 4:30pm	Recreation Center	\$168

CHESS WIZARDS: CHESS CLUB

Say yes to chess! Join Chess Wizards for an interactive, scholastic program where kids will collaborate, gain confidence, improve chess skills, meet new friends, and work out their most powerful muscle – their brains! Appropriate for beginner to intermediate chess players, our program includes instruction in tactics and strategy, as well as individual game play. All students will receive a trophy, puzzle folder and wizards t-shirt. Come join the fun!!!

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-12	Thursdays, May 4th - June 8th	3:30pm - 4:40pm	Recreation Center	\$136

SPORTS ZONE 101: OUTDOOR NERF WARS

Come test your individual and team effectiveness as a participant in our Nerf RIVAL Battlegrounds! The RIVAL series is designed with Nerfers ages ten and up in mind, as it features high-performance, high-speed Nerf blasters that are perfect for competitive, team-based play. If you have ever wanted to try out Paintball, this is a great, safe alternative! The RIVAL blasters use squishy Nerf pellets, which is perfect for competitive gaming because players can feel when they get hit, but the pellets don't hurt like Paintball or Airsoft. This awesome program puts a fresh spin on traditional games like Capture the Flag, King of the Hill, and Zone Wars, while also allowing participants to get great exercise, learn strategic planning skills, and make new battle-tested friends. Participants will play different games throughout the day, with individual and team-based challenges, so there is always something new and exciting to strive for. We will also have all sorts of obstacles for the students to interact with, so they never know what to expect! There will be no shortage of fun in this program, and we provide all the necessary supplies, so join the excitement today!

NERF BATTLEFIELD COURSE: Kids will enjoy our man-made, blow up obstacle course structures which help to protect and hide behind in your games to make the setting epic!! All Nerf Equipment and obstacles are sanitized before and after use. Kids can bring their own equipment so long as it's labeled properly!

Kids Should Bring: Water, Comfortable Shoes!



6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-11	Fridays, May 5th - June 9th	3:30pm - 4:30pm	Fairhaven Field	\$119

SPORTSZONE 101: WEDNESDAY HALF DAY TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS PROGRAM

Looking for an active after school program for your child? Check our Sportszone 101's new half day program! In this action packed program, children will participate in a variety of games, such as street hockey, soccer, football, dodgeball, basketball, wiffleball, and many others! In addition to learning the fundamentals of these sports, we will have exciting discussions about current events in sports, learn the importance of maintaining a healthy active lifestyle, and reinforce in-class learning using sports cards and prizes. Each participant will receive a daily sports prize.

BUS TRANSPORTATION AVAILABLE VIA BUS 10. SPOTS ON THE BUS ARE LIMITED SO REGISTER EARLY!

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-11	Wednesdays, May 10th - June 14th	1:00pm - 3:00pm	Recreation Center	\$144

WICKED COOL FOR KIDS: SUPERHERO SCIENCE 

What makes a superhero super? Physics! Conduct gravity experiments to learn what it would take for Superman to leap over tall buildings in a single bound. Create optical illusions to understand how Wonder Woman’s jet can disappear. Investigate how Spiderman (and real spiders) can walk up walls. Examine Batman’s super gadgets and morph into the world of superheroes using the science that could make superheroes a reality.

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
7-12	Mondays, May 8th - June 18th* *No Class 5/29	3:30pm - 4:30pm	Recreation Center	\$158

SPORTSZONE 101: FLAG FOOTBALL

During this program offered through Hamilton Wenham Rec, we will be playing flag football together in a fun and safe “Super Bowl” environment. Participants will rotate through different flag football games each week, playing different positions to help build skills and confidence on the field. All kids will learn the proper technique of playing and will also be given flags and flag belt for games.

Most games will take on in a 3 vs 3 and 5 vs 5 style game each week based on enrollment.

Kids should wear comfortable running shoes!

This program is open to both boys and girls.

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-11	Wednesdays, May 10th - June 14th	3:15pm - 4:15pm	Fairhaven Field	\$119



ON SITE ARCHERY: FAMILY ARCHERY 

Why let just the kids have all the fun? Archers will learn a step-by-step approach to shooting a bow. You will start by learning the range safety rules and procedures before moving onto the fun part, shooting. Some things you will experience include learning how to keep a scorecard and participating in other fun shooting games. Some of the benefits of archery include improved focus, patience, strength, coordination, and confidence among others.

No experience needed. Everything you need for the class is supplied by On Site Archery. If you have your own bow, you may bring it, but Bob will need to approve it prior to being used in class.

5 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
9+	Mondays, May 15th - June 19th* *No Class 5/29	6:30pm - 7:30pm	Patton Homestead	\$112

MIDDLE SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Bring your friends and enjoy some time to shoot hoops or play pickup basketball games. Recreation staff will be on hand to help monitor and facilitate this program. Children must be in grades 6-8 in order to participate.

Registration is required. No Drop-Ins

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
11-14	Tuesdays, May 9th - June 20th	4:00pm - 6:00pm	Recreation Center	\$40

WENHAM COUNTRY CLUB: GOLF LESSONS

These lessons will introduce beginning or novice golfers to the fundamentals of the golf swing, including balance, tempo, and timing. All aspects of the game will be covered, such as, driving, iron play, chipping, and putting. Participants need to bring their own clubs.

5 Weeks



Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
5-8	Mondays, April 24th - May 22nd	3:30pm - 4:30pm	Wenham Country Club	\$116
9-12	Mondays, April 24th - May 22nd	4:40pm - 5:40pm	Wenham Country Club	\$116

MA SPORTS LEAGUES: OUTDOOR MULTI SPORT

Join the MA Sports Leagues as they bring various sports and games indoors for the winter! Each week will focus on a different sport. Sports that will be played include: Dodgeball, Soccer, Kickball, Basketball, Floor Hockey & Bubble Soccer.

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-12	Tuesdays, April 25th - May 30th	3:30pm - 4:30pm	Recreation Center	\$108

TEEN INTERVIEW PREP



Interviewing can be a stressful experience for teens whether they are looking for their first job or going to their first college interview. In this workshop, teens will learn self-presentation skills and important talking points to help succeed at an interview

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
14-18	Tuesday, May 2nd	6:00pm - 7:30pm	Hamilton COA	\$20

**NORTH SHORE NATURE
AFTER SCHOOL ADVENTURE**



After School Adventures is a great way for your child to unwind and release energy after a long day in school. After playing a few games, students will follow North Shore Nature Programs’ educator-naturalists into the fields and woods of the Patton Homestead to explore. This spring we will investigate the frogs living in the Homestead’s pond, search for salamanders under logs, use nets to capture insects, and learn which spring plants are safe to nibble on. We can guarantee your child will come home dirty, tired, and happy with a story to tell.

6 Weeks



Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-10	Mondays, April 24th - June 5th* * No Class 5/29	3:30pm - 5:00pm	Patton Homestead	\$200

SQUIRREL SQUAD: PRESCHOOL NATURE PROGRAM



An outdoor nature-play series for Pre-K nature lovers. This parent and child program meets every week for 1.5 hours of pure fun in the great outdoors. Participants learn a love of the earth in all weather from a young age, and learn social skills through circle time, collaborative play and songs.

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
2.9-4 w/ adult	Saturdays, May 6th - June 10th	9:30am - 11:00am	Patton Homestead	\$ 130

“KNOW PLACE LIKE HOME” INTERGENERATIONAL HIKING SERIES



Join us for a series of family and community oriented guided hikes, focusing on lesson like trail etiquette, safety , stewardship and environmental education topics. Hikes take place on wheelchair and stroller accessible trails in town and go at a pace set by the group.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
0-99	Saturdays, April 29th, May 27th, & June 24th	1:00pm - 3:00pm	Various Places in Town	\$15

Walk/Bike to School/Work Day

Coming
Spring 2023



Join us for walk/bike to school and work day!
Don't live close enough to walk/ride to school?
Meet at Crosby's parking lot and walk/ride with a group.
Help reduce the town's carbon footprint for a day and
improve your health! When you arrive at school receive
a sticker!

**REGISTER TO PARTICIPATE AT
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SPORTSZONE 101: TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS

For our April Vacation week, we will allow kids of all ages to play all their favorite games in a tournament style format flag football, dodgeball, pickle, soccer, baseball, kickball, basketball, battleship, four corners, and others! There will also be exciting discussions about sports and free play opportunities.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-11	Tuesday - Friday, April 18th - 21st	9:00am - 12:00pm	Recreation Center	\$139
6 - 11	Tuesday - Friday, April 18th - 21st	9:00am - 3:00pm	Recreation Center	\$169

LETGOYOURMIND: LEGO ENGINEERING

Each day students will build two different motorized LEGO brick creations using axles, gears, battery packs and motors. Students will have iPad powerpoint instructions to guide them along as they create their builds each week. Once their build is complete students will have time to modify their motorized LEGO brick creation any way they would like!

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-11	Tuesday - Friday, April 18th - 21st	9:00am - 12:00pm	Recreation Center	\$180

DAVE N BUSTERS FIELD TRIP

Join us on a field trip to Dave n Busters. Participants will enjoy several hours of arcade fun along with a buffet for lunch which will include sliders, chicken fingers, mac n cheese , fries and drinks.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-12	Wednesday, April 19th	Bus Departs: 8:30am	Dave n Busters, Woburn, MA	\$65



NORTH SHORE NATURE ECOSYSTEM INSANITY WEEK



Spend a week exploring the diverse habitats of the Patton Homestead! Campers will search fields, forests, and wetlands for native animals while learning a bit more about what makes these ecosystems work. Campers will be challenged to make their own soil, catch frogs and dragonflies, and learn which habitats make good homes for our local animals. Become an ecosystem expert!

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-8	Monday, June 26th - Friday, June 30th	9:00am - 3:00pm	Patton Homestead	\$475
9-11	Monday, June 26th - Friday June 30th	9:00am - 3:00pm	Patton Homestead	\$475

NORTH SHORE NATURE I WILL SURVIVE WEEK



If you decided to live in the woods, would you be able to survive? During this extremely popular week, we will provide you with the basic skills you need to make a “comfortable” home in the woods. Try your hand at building a weatherproof shelter, learn what plants are safe to eat, attempt to catch fish using primitive tools, and learn how to start a fire without matches. While you may not be ready to leave your life of comfort, by the end of the week you’ll have the skills to do so



Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-8	Monday, July 3rd - Friday, July 7th* *No Class 7/4	9:00am - 3:00pm	Patton Homestead	\$385
9-11	Monday, July 3rd - Friday July 7th *No Class 7/4	9:00am - 3:00pm	Patton Homestead	\$385



SOCCER SHOTS: PRESCHOOL SOCCER

Soccer Shots Mini is a high-energy program introducing children to fundamental soccer principles, such as using your feet, dribbling and the basic rules of the game. Through fun games, songs and positive reinforcement, children will begin to experience the joy of playing soccer and being active. Our 4 and 5 year old participants utilize creative and imaginative games to focus on basic soccer skills like dribbling, passing and shooting.

SOCCER SHOTS NOW REQUIRES AN ANNUAL PARTICIPANT FEE OF \$35. THIS FEE IS **NOT INCLUDED** IN THE BELOW PRICE. ANNUAL FEES ARE GOOD FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
4-5	Monday - Thursday, June 26 - June 29th	9:00am - 12:00pm	Fairhaven Field	\$180*
6-8	Monday - Thursday, July 12th - July 15th	9:00am - 12:00pm	Fairhaven Field	\$180*

MINI TENNIS

Our Mini Tennis programs for ages 3 - 5 is conducted on a smaller court, using a red, low compression ball, which is slower and lower bouncing than a traditional Tennis ball. This adaptation allows players to develop their game in a safe and successful way, whilst ensuring fun for all! This program will teach the basic shot mechanics along with developing children's coordination and fundamentals of movement. All lessons are conducted using a variety of high energy, fast paced, fun games, designed to capture the attention of children this age ensuring maximum fun for your budding Tennis champ!

6 Weeks

Instructor: Maria Schena

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
4-5	Mondays, June 26th- July 31st	3:00pm - 3:45pm	Recreation Center	\$108

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YOUTH TENNIS LESSONS 

This program will teach the basic shot mechanics along with an introduction to match play and the rules of Tennis! All lessons are conducted using a variety of high energy games and drills, designed to improve the game of your future Tennis star!

6 Weeks

Instructor: Maria Schena

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-9	Mondays, June 26th - July 31st	3:45pm - 4:45pm	Patton Park Tennis Courts	\$108
9-12	Mondays, June 26th - July 31st	4:45pm - 5:45pm	Patton Park Tennis Courts	\$108

SEACOAST UNITED: FIELD HOCKEY CLINIC

Seacoast United emphasizes the fundamentals of field hockey, as well as teach elite skills needed to compete at the highest level. Through skill sessions and instruction we feel that basic skills and exposure to the game of field hockey are the building block from which successful players are born. Seacoast United Field Hockey Camps offer the field hockey player a fun, yet challenging atmosphere. The staff is committed to promoting the individual athletic development of each camper by creating a fun and healthy learning environment. If you are a new or existing player who is looking to have a great time while working on your individual and team skills, our camps are for you!

Each athlete will get hands on coaching and will come away from camp with a greater knowledge of the game, an improved skill level and a love for the sport!!

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
7-14	Monday - Thursday, July 17th - 20th	9:00am - 12:00pm	Fairhaven Field	\$150

SPORTSZONE 101: FLAG FOOTBALL 

During this program offered through Hamilton Wenham Rec, we will be playing flag football together in a fun and safe “Super Bowl” environment. Participants will rotate through different flag football games each week, playing different positions to help build skills and confidence on the field. All kids will learn the proper technique of playing and will also be given flags and flag belt for games.

Most games will take on in a 3 vs 3 and 5 vs 5 style game each week based on enrollment.

Kids should wear comfortable running shoes! This program is open to both boys and girls.

6 Weeks

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-11	Monday - Thursday, August 7th - 10th	9:00am - 12:00pm	Fairhaven Field	\$150
6-11	Monday - Thursday, August 28th - 31st	9:00am - 12:00pm	Fairhaven Field	\$150

SEACOAST UNITED: SOCCER CLINIC 

Seacoast United's Grassroots Soccer Camps are a unique opportunity for young children to get involved in the game of soccer. The overall theme is for children to relate having fun with playing soccer and to develop the necessary skills to be a competitive player in the future. The program ranges from ages 3 to 5, and offers a unique learning experience for all involved. Each age group is appropriately challenged with specifically designed developmental games and activities.

Seacoast United Summer Skills Soccer Camp programs (ages 6-14) are a fantastic way for your children to be introduced to SUSC's fun developmental approach to the game of soccer. Our professional, dedicated, full time coaching staff will offer sessions full of fun technical challenges and game play. SUSC Summer Skills Half Day Soccer Camps (3 hrs) appropriately challenge players in a fun learning environment while developing important individual skills. These classes then incorporate their skill work into scrimmage play allowing all players a chance to recognize how their confidence with the ball relates to game play situations and success.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
3-5	Monday - Thursday, August 14th-17th	9:00am - 9:45am	Fairhaven Field	\$96
6-14	Monday - Thursday, August 14th - 17th	9:00am - 1:00pm	Fairhaven Field	\$198

FUN4ALL: WET & WILD WEEK 

Slip and slide on over to Fun4All's Wet and Wild Week where participants will beat the heat and have tons of summer fun! Our water themed week is sure to have campers building lasting friendships as they play water themed games and use our custom built sprinklers and other fun toys. Our coordinators are eager to match your camper's excitement with lots of fun games, activities, and more at Wet & Wild Week!

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
6-11	Monday - Thursday, August 21st - 24th	9:00am - 1:00pm	Fairhaven Field	\$180

WICKED COOL FOR KIDS: STEAM STUDIO

Join the STEAM movement: where science, technology, engineering and math collide with art! Construct kinetic wind-powered sculptures, kaleidoscopes, and crystal solutions. Make squishy dough circuits to wire your own light-up creation and build a hydroponic garden. Get messy with colors, chemicals and creations to create cool rainbow slime, density tubes and sparkling salt crystals. Full day participants will also construct a binary code key chain, 3-D nature boxes and things that glow in the dark

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
5-11	Monday - Friday, August 21st - 25th	9:00am - 4:00pm	Recreation Center	\$395

GORDON COLLEGE BENNETT CENTER: LAP SWIM

Join us at Gordon College Bennett Center for open lap swimming. You must register with the Recreation Department to get your swimming pass. This pass allows you to lap swim during the days and times shown below. However, times may change due to the college's activity schedule. Please check with the Bennett Center for exact days and times. (Bennett Center 978-867-3737) Locker room and shower facilities are available. 20 VISIT PUNCH CARD WITH NO EXPIRATION DATE!

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Pool Schedule Available on College Website	See Website	Bennett Center Pool Gordon College	Resident: \$65 Non- Resident: \$80

GORDON COLLEGE BENNETT CENTER: WALKING PASS

Enjoy the Bennett Center walking track for free. Come take advantage of this great opportunity for indoor walking space. Please register at the Recreation Department to receive your FREE pass.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Monday, Wednesday, & Friday	9:30am - 11:30am	Bennett Center Gordon College	Free

GORDON COLLEGE BENNETT CENTER: WATER EXERCISE

Feeling sore when you wake up in the morning? Need a low impact way to work out? Join our water exercise class at Gordon College. This class is a great way to relieve stress and work out without causing undue pain to your body. Enjoy a morning in the pool getting back into shape!

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Tues./Thurs, March 16th - April 27th	10:00am - 11:00am	Bennett Center Pool	\$45

ADULT BEGINNER TENNIS

Our adult tennis program is designed for those who want to learn the fundamentals of tennis and for players looking to improve their game! Each night, players work on their tennis skills, hand-eye skills, basic tennis strokes, technique, ball & racket control, and have lots of fun! All abilities are welcome!

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Saturdays, April 29th - June 10th* *No Class 5/28	1:45pm - 2:45pm	Patton Park Tennis Courts	\$130
18+	Mondays, June 26th - July 31st	6:00pm - 7:00pm	Patton Park Tennis Courts	\$130

SATURDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Women's Pick up style basketball. No referee, this is for fun and exercise!!
Registration is required. No drop-ins

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Saturdays, March 25th - May 20th	8:00am - 10:00am	Recreation Center	\$50
18 +	Saturdays, June 17th - August 26th	10:00am - 12:00pm	Recreation Center	\$50

SATURDAY MORNING MEN'S BASKETBALL



Mens Pick up style basketball. No referee, this is for fun and exercise!!
Registration is required. No drop-ins

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Saturdays, March 25th - May 20th	10:00am - 12:00pm	Recreation Center	\$50
18+	Saturdays, June 17th - August 26th	8:00am - 10:00am	Recreation Center	\$50

EARLY AM ADULT BASKETBALL

Adult Pick up style basketball. No referee, this is for fun and exercise!!
Registration is required, No drop-ins

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Wednesdays, April 26th - June 21st	6:15am - 7:45am	Recreation Center	\$50
18+	Wednesday, June 28th - August 23rd	6:15 - 7:45am	Recreation Center	\$50

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ADULT BASKETBALL



Adult Pick up style basketball. No referee, this is for fun and exercise!!
Registration is required, No drop-ins

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Wednesdays, April 26th - June 21st	7:45pm - 9:30pm	Recreation Center	\$50
18+	Wednesday, June 28th - August 23rd	7:45pm - 9:30pm	Recreation Center	\$50

PATTON PARK PICKELBALL CLASH



Join us at Patton Park for a fun morning of round robin/tournament style doubles play. Play schedule will be based on the number of teams entered. Teams will be matched for play by skill level. Prizes will be given for teams that place. Fee is per team.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Saturday, June 3rd	9:00am	Patton Park Tennis Courts	\$20

INDOOR BEGINNER PICKLEBALL LESSONS 

We will advance your game by teaching more advanced shots and developing your in game strategy. Work on your shot readiness, awareness, anticipation and moving. Court shoes are required.

Instructor: Kasie Cran- PPR Associate Coach

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Thursdays, March 16th - April 13th	12:15pm - 1:15pm	Recreation Center	\$72

INTRO TO PICKLEBALL 

Introduction Class: This intro class is perfect for people that have played Pickleball 0 times. If you have played 5 or less times but still want to learn the scoring and rules better, this class works for you as well. Individuals looking to learn how to play Pickleball using the correct rules and scoring. No previous racket sport experience needed. Court shoes are required.

Instructor: Kasie Cran- PPR Associate Coach

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Thursdays, March 16th - April 13th	1:15pm - 2:15pm	Recreation Center	\$72

OUTDOOR ADULT PICKLEBALL LESSONS 

Beginner/Advanced Beginner Clinic (2.0 to 2.5 Levels): Class for Players new to the Game or only playing a short time who would like to learn to achieve better fundamental techniques in their game. strokes & shots that will be taught are: volley, dink shots, serve & return, & forehand/backhand drive shots. Students will also learn the rules of match play & how to score while learning the basics in a fun-filled manner!

Instructor: Sue Carnevale

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Beginner: Fridays, April 14th - May 12th	12:00pm - 1:00pm	Patton Park Tennis Courts	\$72
18+	Adv. Beginner: Fridays, April 14th - May 12th	1:00pm - 2:00pm	Patton Park Tennis Courts	\$72

SATURDAY INDOOR PICKLEBALL 

Non-Competitive fun indoor play. Register with some friends to join in on all the fun. Basic understanding of play is required, there is no instruction/instructor. This is a "pick-up" style program. Spaces are limited to ensure playing time.

Ages:	Dates:	Time:	Location:	Fee:
18+	Beg/Intermediate: Saturdays, April 1st - May 6th	3:00pm - 5:00pm	Recreation Center	\$50
18+	Intermediate/Adv.: Saturdays, April 1st - May 6th	5:15pm - 7:15pm	Recreation Center	\$50

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