

# North Berwyn Park District's Annual

# Easter Parade

SATURDAY, MARCH 26 10:30 am

#### Parade Route:

Hop down 16th St. from Jefferson Field to Prairie Oak School, 1427 Oak Park Ave.





Saturday, March 26

NBPD Easter Egg Hunt

All Ages 10:00 am Sharp! Jefferson Field, 16th & Wenonah FREE!

#### **NBPD Easter Parade**

All Ages 10:30 am

Parade Route: Down 16th St. from Jefferson Field to Prairie Oak School, 1427 Oak Park Ave.

#### Easter EGGstravaganza

Gather the family and enjoy a colorful array of activities that are sure to delight. Photos with the Easter Bunny and Spring Crafts.

All Ages 11:00 am - 1:00 pm Prairie Oak School FREE!

\*New Location

#### Easter Basket Delivery

Sign up today and bring your personalized basket to the Community Center between March 23 - 25 during normal business hours (on March 25, before 11 am). All baskets will be delivered on Saturday, March 26 between the hours of 1:30-3:30 pm.

All Ages

1:30 - 3:30 pm

\$5 Per Basket Delivered

**Community Center** 

# 252103A All North Berwyn Residents Eligible

Friday, March 25
Annual City Easter
Egg Hunt

Ages 1-10 10:00 am Sharp! Morton West High School Football Field FREE!

**Rain Location: Field House** 

# THINK GREEN with NBPD!

## **BEAUTIFY BERWYN!**

Help us clean and prepare for gardening at your local parks all around the North Berwyn area. Groups or special projects are welcome! To register call (708)749-4900, or drop by 1619 Wesley Ave., registration forms will be

available online as well!

Register by: Friday, April 1

Receive a T-Shirt

Saturday, April 23





Celebrate EARTH DAY all Week!

RECYCLED ART PROJECTS! Recycled arts and crafts projects every evening Monday-Friday

4/18-4/22 5-6pm FREE! \*but must register Ages 4+

4/18: Rainbow Wind Sock 4/19: Nature's Sun Catchers 4/20: Up-cycled Cereal Box Globes

4/21: Nature Mobiles 4/22: Bottle Cap Mosaic

> Location: Community Center

Sign-Up, Show-Up, Clean-Up!

# 2016

North Berwyn Park District

# erwyn Junior Citizen Recognition Program

The annual Best of Berwyn Junior Citizen Program recognizes the top 8th grade students in the City of Berwyn, nominated students should be well-rounded citizens that reside in Berwyn.



Mayor Robert J. Lovero, 2015 Best of Berwyn Hedayah Yehya, Executive Director Joseph C. Vallez

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 29** 

Applications are Distributed to Community **Partners** 

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 8:00 pm **Applications Due to** North Berwyn Park District

MONDAY, APRIL 4 **Judging Begins** 

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4 Best of Berwyn Banquet

If you know an extraordinary student who fits the qualifications, please inform one of our following community partners:

- Berwyn North School District 98
- Elementary School District 100
- The Berwyn Library
- Pav YMCA
- St. Leonard School

- St. Odilo School
- Police Explorers
- Berwyn Park District
- Berwyn Recreation Department
- North Berwyn Park District

## Student Qualifications: Community Service Experience

**Extra Curricular Activities Future Potential for Success**  Academic Excellence High Moral and Ethical Values Resides in Berwyn

Sponsored By:







## **Hello Neighbors!**

The shovels and snowblowers are finally locked away. Now you have time to SPRING into more fun activities. Did you see what this brochure has listed just for you? We've granted the offers you've been asking for, so get in line and register while spaces are still available. We are now

introducing our Early Bird Special, register by March 25th and receive a \$5.00 credit for a future program,

just follow the bird for savings!

Hope to see you soon!

Sincerely,

Ann Mackin, President

#### EARLY BIRD SPECIAL!

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# **Board of Commissioners**

Ann Mackin President

Jeanmarie Hajer-O'Connor Vice President

> Jim Kearns Jr. Treasurer

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Mario Vazquez Sr. Commissioner

Executive Director Joseph C. Vallez



#### **Registration Hours**

Monday-Friday 8:30 am - 8:00 pm

Saturday 9:00 am - 12 noon

#### **Community Center**

1619 Wesley Avenue Berwyn, IL 60402 (708) 749-4900 www.nbpd4fun.org

# Volunteer & Community Service Opportunities

#### **VOLUNTEERS**

Volunteer for the North Berwyn Park District where you will benefit in many ways...

You can serve your community and make new friends as well as be of service to others! Take this opportunity to develop skills and build up your resume! If you are interested in a career in the recreation field, you can gain experience and knowledge that will help you in the future.

Volunteer positions available: Grant Writer/Researcher, Records Retention, Clerical, Classroom Aide, Gardener, Special Events, Instructor, Maintenance, 16<sup>th</sup> Street Theater Production Assistant and Sports Aide!

If you are interested in any position - please pick up a Volunteer Handbook at the North Berwyn Park District, 1619 Wesley Avenue, Berwyn – if you have a skill that is not listed, please let us know!

#### COMMUNITY SERVICE

Are you looking to fill your Community Service requirements? We might be able to help you out, while you help us! Just stop in at the North Berwyn Park District, 1619 Wesley Avenue, Berwyn for your Volunteer Handbook.

#### **QUESTIONS**

Contact Nancy Woods at 708-749-4900 x11 or nwoods@nbpd4fun.org





#### Kids Garage Sale

Hey kids, do you have way too many toys you don't play with anymore and you just don't want to throw them away? Give other children the opportunity to have as much fun with them as you did. Come and sell your old toys at the North Berwyn Park District's annual kids garage sale. You might even find a new toy or two for yourself!

NOTE: Tables will be provided as a spot.

Ages: 6-13 with parent Saturday, May 7

9:00 am-2:00 pm \$10 (\$5 refund at the end of the day) 16th St & Wesley Avenue (Outdoors)

Register By: 5/6 #252102A

Min 10/Max 25

#### Spring Flea Market

Can't finish your spring cleaning because you have way too much stuff and you just don't know what to do with it all? Sell it at our annual spring Flea Market and make a few bucks off of what you no longer need. If you're not a seller, stop by and you might find that one item that you have been looking for. Many hidden treasures are waiting to be discovered! NOTE: Vendors will not be allowed to set up earlier than 8:00 am. 8x10 spot, no tables provided.

All Ages Saturday, May 14 9:00 am-3:00 pm R/NR: \$13/\$15

16th St & Wesley Avenue (Outdoors)

Register By: 5/13





# You may qualify for ASSISTANCE from the Department of Human Services for Child Care!

- 1) Who is eligible for child care assistance from the state?
- Recipient of Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)
- Teen parent enrolled full-time in elementary or high school, or GED classes to obtain high school degree or its equivalent
- Family with a Special Needs child(ren)
- Working family whose monthly income does not exceed 50% of the most currentFederal Poverty Level for their family size (See monthly income levels below)

Family Size	Monthly Income Must Be Below
2	\$664
3	\$838
4	\$1,011
5	\$1,184
6	\$1,358
7	\$1,531
8	\$1,704
9	\$1,878
10	\$2,051

#### **PARENTS RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

Within six months of initial child care assistance eligibility, an eligible family with an absent parent must have an active collection case with the Division of Child Support Services at the Department of Healthcare and Family Services. A case must be opened against the absent parent of every child within the family's household.

If a family does not comply with this requirement within the given time frame, the child care case will be canceled.

# How you can receive **FREE** or **Discounted after**school Care & spring or summer Camp for your child...







Ages: 6-12

Min 10/Max 50

Camp Location: Community Center Register By: Wednesday, March 23

March 28
thru
April 1

# B.A.S.E

Currently enrolled in K-8th Grade. Children must attend Berwyn North School District 98 Schools

Before and After School Experience provides the perfect combination of recreational and educational activities for a well balanced out-of-school experience. Children end each day excited about the broad range of engaging hands-on activities that allow them to develop their interests and skills, as well as having the opportunity to spend time on homework so that they can enjoy more quality time at home.

Homework Support

Transportation to and from School

Trained and Qualified Staff

Arts and Crafts

**Outdoor Activities** 

Afternoon Snacks

Interaction with other Children

## Before School Experience

Code: 224301 A-Z

Date: 8/26-6/1

Time: 7:00-8:30 am

Fee: \$20/5days

Location: Community Center

As low as

\$20 per week

## After School Experience

Code: 224302 A-Z

Date: 8/26-6/1

Time: 3:00-6:00 pm

Fee: \$50/5days

Location: Community Center

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Play Camp

Learn by experimentation and exploration. Children benefit from the feel, sight, and smell of natural materials; they learn concentration, interest, and a love of learning through dressup, singing, art projects, story time, community field trips, playing in the zero depth water park and other activities. Allow your child's spirit and imagination to soar!

**Ages:** 3-5

Time: 9:30 am-1:30 pm Location: Community Center R/NR Fee: \$60/\$66 weekly

#### Fun in the Sun

Grow, make friends, and have fun! Feel the excitement of adventure on our Dynamic Field Trips. Exhibit your competitive spirit in our Organized Sports. Feeling creative? Express yourself through our Performing and Visual Arts. Like to take risks, or just need to cool off? Run through our New Zero Depth Spray Pool. Come experience the endless activities with our qualified staff, develop friendships and lifelong memories.

**Ages:** 6-12

Time: 9:00 am-3:00 pm

Location: Prairie Oak School Gymnasium

**R/NR Fee:** \$93/\$99 weekly

## Summer Camp Monday-Friday

 Week 1: June 6-10
 Week 4: June 27-July 1
 Week 7: July 18-22

 Week 2: June 13-17
 Week 5: July 5-8
 Week 8: July 25-29

 Week 3: June 20-24
 Week 6: July 11-15
 Week 9: August 1-5

 Week 10: August 8-12

**Code:** 213104 A-J **Ages:** 3-5 **Code:** 213303 A-J **Ages:** 6-12

# Before & After Camp Our Before & After Camp Care program

Our Before & After Camp Care program provides a safe and nurturing environment for your children to learn, grow, and develop social skills. Our qualified, trained staff engages youth in active and purposeful play in a way that encourages them to exercise their bodies and their minds. Children must be registered for Fun in the Sun in order to participate in these programs.

**Ages:** 6-12

Location: Prairie Oak School Gymnasium

## Before Camp Care

Days: Monday-Friday
Time: 7:00-9:00 am
Fee: \$23R/\$28NR weekly

Code: 213301 A-J

#### After Camp Care

Days: Monday-Friday
Time: 3:00-6:00 pm
Fee: \$30R/\$35NR weekly

Code: 213302 A-J

#### **DISCOUNTS**

1<sup>st</sup> child full price

2<sup>nd</sup> child 10% DISCOUNT!

#### **NOTE**

Fee includes Camp
T-shirt, Lunch bag and a
Backpack. Please supply
your camper with a lunch
and drink daily.

#### REGISTRATION

To be eligible for the Fun in the Sun Program children must be 6 by June 1, 2016 and not older than 12 by August 1, 2016.

To be eligible for the Play Camp Program children must be 3 by June 1, 2016 and not older than 5 by August 1, 2016.



# PRESCHOOL



Our philosophy is learning through play. Play was once considered to be the opposite of education, but is now regarded by early childhood specialists as the extraordinary educational process by which preschool children become introduced to a world filled with new and exciting discoveries.

#### **Learning Benefits**

- Loving and Caring Atmosphere
- Creative Expression
- Socialization
- Interaction with Peers
- Basic Skill Development



**REGISTRATION** 

To be eligible for the Preschool Program children must be 3 or 4 by September 1, 2016. Children must be restroom independent.



#### The New Kids 1 (2 day classes)

Offering your child an early social awareness of others, building self-confidence in a nurturing environment. Your child will explore important concepts including letters, numbers, shapes and colors. Classes are fun-filled with music, songs, wonderful stories and art projects. All concepts are presented through hands-on learning with the emphasis being fun and discovery! NOTE: Child must be 3 years old by child's first day of school.

#### **The New Kids**

**Ages:** 3-4

Day: Mondays-Tuesdays

Dates: 9/6-5/16

Time: 9:15 am-12:00 pm Location: Community Center R/NR Fee: \$82/\$98 monthly

Min 6/Max 20 Code: 124101A

# The Major Leagues 1&2 (4 day classes)

Encouraging your child to explore on their own as much as possible, they'll do their own drawing, painting, experimenting, buttoning, etc. Through fun and educational activities, we take every opportunity to help each child develop responsibility and self-esteem. NOTE: Child must be 4 years old by child's first day of school

first day of school.

#### The Major Leagues 1

**Ages:** 4-5

Day: Mondays-Thursdays

Dates: 9/6-5/18

Time: 9:15 am-12:00 pm Location: Community Center R/NR Fee: \$139/\$154 monthly

Min 6/Max 20 Code: 124103A

#### The Major Leagues 1

**Ages:** 4-5

Day: Mondays-Thursdays

**Dates:** 9/6-5/18 **Time:** 1:15-4:00 pm

**Location:** Community Center **R/NR Fee:** \$139/\$154 monthly

Min 6/Max 20 Code: 124103B

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#### The Rookies 1&2 (3 day classes)

Exposing your child to an array of activities including art projects, games, dancing and music! Your child will socialize with new friends, while also learning the basics of colors, shapes, numbers and the alphabet! Watch your child discover and grow! NOTE: Child must be 3 years old by child's first day of school.

#### The Rookies 1

**Ages:** 3-4

Day: Wednesdays-Fridays

**Dates:** 9/7-5/19

Time: 9:15 am-12:00 pm Location: Community Center R/NR Fee: \$108/\$134 monthly

Min 6/Max 20 Code: 124102A

#### The Rookies 2

**Ages:** 3-4

Day: Wednesdays-Fridays

**Dates:** 9/7-5/19 **Time:** 1:15-4:00 pm

**Location:** Community Center **R/NR Fee:** \$108/\$134 monthly

Min 6/Max 20 Code: 124102B





# Family/Kids/Teens Just the Two of Us

Need a break from the day to day routine? Come and join us in this engaging adult and child class, where the focus will be on sensory play and development of fine motor skills through creative arts and craft projects. Leave the mess to us and come enjoy some quality time with your little one. Note: Fee is for one adult and one child, second child would be half the fee.

**Instructor:** Sandy Martinez

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 2-5 with adult Day: Mondays Dates: 4/4-5/23 Time: 12:15-1:00 pm

**Location:** Community Center

**R/NR Fee:** \$30/\$35 Min 5/Max 15 Code: 152101A



#### Milk and Cookies Art Party

Leave the child care to us while you enjoy some much deserved "me" time. Kids can enjoy pizza for dinner and milk and cookies for dessert while they create original works of art under the direction of our talented staff. With a different theme each session, your child will be fully engaged while creating fun and unique arts and crafts projects. Space is limited so register today!

Note: Please dress your child appropriately as we plan on making a mess. Fee is per session and includes dinner and dessert. If your child has food allergens, please notify staff at time of registration.

\*Receive a 10% discount per child when you register for corresponding Paint & Pour Session.

See pg. 23 for details

#### 2 sessions

Ages: 4-13 Time: See Below

Location: Community Center

**R/NR Fee:** \$30/\$35

Register By: At least one week prior to class date

Min 6/Max 20 Code: 152109A,B

#### **Session 1** - Star Wars!

Sunday, April 17, 4:45-8:15 pm

#### **Session 2 - Celebrating Superheroes!**

Sunday, May 15, 12:45-4:15 pm



#### Animal Art.



Do you like animals? Wouldn't it be fun to paint or draw animals vou see in nature, at the zoo, or the Shedd Aquarium? Maybe even your own! Let's have some fun depicting all of the wonderful creatures of the world from the biggest to the smallest!

**Instructor:** Cheryl Spran

#### 3 weeks

Ages: 6-16 Day: Wednesdays **Dates:** 5/4-5/18 Time: 4:30-6:30 pm

Location: Community Center

**R/NR Fee:** \$30/\$35 Min 5/Max 18 Code: 152103A



#### Paint your Pet! (1day workshops)

Bring a picture to this workshop and let's paint the love only you have for your precious pet. You will have your choice of medium to express the unique character of him or her! No matter what the pet is, we will talk a little anatomy, composition and color. It is one of my favorite things to do, so come and join in the fun!

**Instructor:** Cheryl Spran

#### One Day Workshops

Ages: 12+ kids and adults Session 1: Saturday, April 16 Session 2: Sunday, May 1

Time: 1:00-4:00 pm

Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$25/\$30 per person, per session Register By: At least one week prior to class date

Min 5/Max 18 Code: 152108A,B

# ART SESSIONS

## JOIN US.....

#### for a day of family fun featuring Creativity!

Bring the whole family out for this exciting art class! A child (or children) attends with parent(s), grandparent(s), special caring adult or caregiver. All participants work on art projects separately, each designed for artists of all ages and abilities. Using imagination and observation, children and adults will experiment with materials, expressing their ideas and feelings through paintings, drawings and collage projects. New communication between the adult and child results from sharing creative experiences in this non-judgmental, fully supportive environment.

Note: Fee is per participant per session. Please dress appropriately, some materials may

stain clothing.

Sign up for all four Family Art Sessions and receive a 10% discount!

# schedule of sessions

#### Session 1 - April 16th: Still Life Paintings

Choose from a variety of items provided to create your one of a kind still life painting.

#### Session 2 - May 7th: Flower Painting

Choose from a variety of images at class time or bring your own flower(s) from home to paint.

#### **Session 3 - May 21st: Shared Painting**

A variety of images will be provided to choose from, or participants may bring an image from home. Family groups will divide the image and each paint one section of it on separate canvases. The completed paintings put together will reflect the individuality of all while creating a complete picture representing the whole family.

#### **Session 4 - June 4th: Abstract Tissue Painting**

This project is incredibly simple but very beautiful. Participants will use bleeding tissue paper to create abstract paintings on canvas.

#### 4 sessions

Ages: 4+ with Adult Day: Saturdays

Time: 10:00 am-12:00 pm Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$10/\$15 per class, per participant
Register By: At least one week prior to class date

Min 6/Max 20

Code: 151110A,B,C,D





Stimulate your child's creativity and energy through ballet! In this class, your little one will be taught through exercise, movements, mime, arm carriage and free expression. Stretching and beginning ballet steps will be learned as well as complete ballet dance! Remember parents, dance promotes discipline, coordination, memory, stamina, and many other positive characteristics which can be very beneficial to your child's future.

**Instructor:** Ms. Marilyn

#### 8 weeks

Baby Ballet
Ages: 3-4
Day: Saturdays
Dates: 4/9-5/28
Time: 12:00-12:30 pm

Location:

Community Center R/NR Fee: \$39/\$49 Min 6/Max 12 Code: 192101B Ballet Ages: 4-6 Day: Saturdays Dates: 4/9-5/28

Time: 10:00-10:35 am

Location:

Community Center R/NR Fee: \$39/\$49 Min 6/Max 15 Code: 192101A



#### Ballet/Tap Intermediate

Keep the fun going! During this class, your child will learn new and advanced ballet movements that will help them increase their strength and grace in movement.

(1/2 hr. ballet & 1/2 hr. tap)

Instructor: Ms. Marilyn

#### **8 weeks**

**Ages:** 7-12 **Day:** Tuesdays **Dates:** 4/5-5/24 **Time:** 6:00-7:00 pm

**Location:** Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$49/\$59 Min 6/Max 15 Code: 192104A a great way to develop rhythm and coordination as well as basic motor skills. Your toddler will learn beginning tap steps and eventually a routine! Best of all, your child will begin to build up a positive self esteem at a very early age.

Instructor: Ms. Marilyn

**Ages:** 3-6 **Day:** Tuesdays **Dates:** 4/5-5/24 **Time:** 5:15-5:50 pm

Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$39/\$49 Min 6/Max 15 Code: 192102A

#### Ballet/Tap Beginner



How much fun it is to dance! In this combination class, your child will begin to learn the art of ballet along with the musical steps of tap. Learning new ways of expressing themselves in an artistic, physical way will make their experience fun and exciting.

Instructor: Ms. Marilyn

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 4-6
Day: Saturdays
Dates: 4/9-5/28
Time: 10:50-11:45 am
Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$49/\$59 Min 6/Max 15 Code: 192103A

For Ballet or Tap Shoes Contact Ms. Marilyn at (708)788-9772

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# Kids/Teens



#### Modeling & Charm ✓

Everything you need to be a model! Runway walking and modeling pivots will be covered, including weekly photo shoots. You'll learn proper grooming such as hair, facial and nail care. Don't wait and register today!

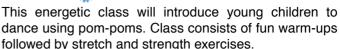
Instructor: Ms. Marilyn

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 6-14 Day: Tuesdays Dates: 4/5-5/24 Time: 4:05-5:05 pm

Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$60/\$70 Min 6/Max 12 Code: 142101A



**Instructor:** Brittany

#### 8 weeks

Poms.

**Mini Poms Ages:** 5-7 Day: Fridays Dates: 4/8-5/27 Time: 5:00-5:45 pm

Location:

Community Center **R/NR Fee:** \$29/\$39

Min 8/Max 15 Code: 192117A Jr. Poms **Ages: 8-12** Day: Fridays **Dates:** 4/8-5/27 Time: 6:00-7:00 pm

Location:

**Community Center R/NR Fee:** \$29/\$39

Min 8/Max 15 Code: 192117B



#### Breakdancing\_



This class will walk you through the basics of uprock, footwork and transitions. Each class starts with a warm up which includes stretching and some basic figures and footwork needed to complete the lesson for the day. Children will be introduced to "old school" movements which will allow students to develop his or her own sense of style during the freestyle part of the session. Our talented, energetic, and friendly instructor, will safely teach the techniques and skills needed to move forward to the next level.

Instructor: Chris Courtney

8 weeks Ages: 7-12 Day: Tuesdays Dates: 4/5-5/24 **Time:** 4:30-5:45 pm

Location: Community Center

Mexican Folkloric Dance

class. Get ready to learn and have fun!

Explore the cultural traditions of folkloric dance and learn

with Sandra from the Flor de Corazon dance troupe. This

class will introduce the most popular dances of Mexico

from states including Jalisco, Vera Cruz, Baja California

Norte, Michoacán and many others. Participants will

need to purchase shoes following the second week of

Instructor: Sandra Valdez

**R/NR Fee:** \$55/\$65 Code: 192105A

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 6-11 Day: Fridays Dates: 4/8-5/27 Time: 4:00-5:00 pm

Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$29/\$39 Min 8/Max 15 Code: 192107A

Min 8/Max 20

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## Kids/Teens

#### Hip Hop



This introductory class is designed to teach students the basics of hip-hop dance. It provides a structured method of learning various dance moves in a fun-filled and vibrant class environment. Get ready to bust a move and show us what you got!

Instructor: Del Toro

#### Cardio Box 4 Kids.



The dynamic combination of martial arts and aerobics makes this a unique class for youngsters who want to learn traditional boxing skills and self-defense techniques. This class will enhance cardiovascular fitness, agility and confidence.

Instructor: Michel Richmond

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 5-12 Day: Saturdays Dates: 4/9-6/11

Time: 11:30 am-12:15 pm Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$29/\$39 Min 8/Max 15 Code: 192113A \*No class 4/16, 5/21

#### 8 weeks

**Ages:** 7-13 **Day:** Tuesdays **Dates:** 4/5-5/24 **Time:** 6:00-6:45 pm

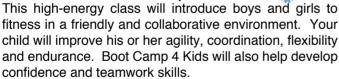
Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$29/\$39 Min 8/Max 12 Code: 172111B

# The EARLY BIRD catches the SAVINGS!

Register by March 25th! \*Follow the bird for savings!

#### Fitness Boot Camp 4 Kids



Instructor: Michel Richmond

#### 8 weeks

**Ages:** 7-13 **Day:** Thursdays **Dates:** 4/7-5/26 **Time:** 6:45-7:30 pm

**Location:** Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$29/\$39 Min 8/Max 12 Code: 172119A

#### You & Me Fit



Gives parents the opportunity to be physically active while bonding with their child. Our certified fitness instructor will lead you through a mix of traditional calisthenics and body weight exercises using interval, resistance and strength training designed to give you a full body workout in less time, boot camp style. The program incorporates safe and effective exercises, stressing proper form and technique. **Note:** Fee is for one adult and one child, second child would be half the fee.

Instructor: Michel Richmond

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 4+

**Day:** Thursdays **Date:** 4/7-5/26 **Time:** 6:00-6:30 pm

Location: Community Center

**R/NR Fee:** \$39/\$49 **Min** 8/**Max** 10 **Code:** 172119B

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## Kids/Teens

#### Tae Kwon Do for Beginners

Learn the basic fundamentals of the Korean art of self-defense, including kicks, blocks, and punches! No martial arts experience needed for this class. Here's the opportunity for you to take a self-defense course and move up the belt ranking ladder. If you are a returning student, you may qualify for the next belt level. Great for developing self-esteem and self-confidence!

**Instructor:** Randy Dittman

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 5-12

Day: Tuesdays, Thursdays

**Dates:** 4/5-5/26 **Time:** 6:30-7:30 pm

Location: Lincoln School Gym

R/NR Fee: \$59/\$69 Register By: 4/2 Min 6/Max 30 Code: 172402A

## Intermediate/Advanced Tae Kwon Do

Students holding a rank of Green Belt or higher will receive advanced instruction. Sparring and advanced form practice will be emphasized. Beginners need instructor's permission to enroll in this class.

**Instructor:** Randy Dittman

#### 8 weeks

**Ages:** 6-15

Day: Mondays, Wednesdays

**Date:** 4/4-5/25 **Time:** 6:45-7:45 pm

Location: Lincoln School Gym

R/NR Fee: \$59/\$69 Register By: 4/1 Min 6/Max 25 Code: 172401A \*No class 4/20



#### It Starts with a Seed

Are you ready to get dirty? In this 100% hands-on-class, students will learn how to amend the soil to prepare for planting at Brocato Playground/Gardens. After carefully sectioning off the garden to conform to our "garden plans" we will begin the planting of cool weather crops. Seeds and seedling will be planted as our garden comes to life. Students will sample prepared vegetables and experience the joy of healthy eating! Class will be held at Brocato Playground/ Garden, weather permitting.

Instructor: Marlene Comella

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 6-12 Day: Tuesdays Date: 4/5-5/24 Time: 4:00-5:00 pm

**Location:** Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$5/\$15 Register By: 4/2 Min 6/Max 12 Code: 282101A



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U8 R\$20/NR\$25

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# Coaches needed! please leave your name and number at the front desk.

# SEASON NINE 2016 LOYALTY

We feel loyalty to our family, to our heritage, to our homeland. We make pledges to tether us to one another. But as we age we form new alliances. If we leave the place of our upbringing, what happens to these ties that bind? Do our devotions remain? Merriam-Webster writes that loyalty "implies a faithfulness that is steadfast in the face of any temptation to renounce, desert, or betray. "When we recall the promises made in our youth, what of these loyalties from our past are part of who we are today, and which ones were left behind? Join us for another provocative season at your theater on 16th Street.







#### APRIL 7-MAY 14, 2016

A hit comedy about books and the people who love them. When the members of a devoted book club become the subjects of a documentary filmmaker and accept a provocative new member, their long-standing group dynamics take a hilarious turn. Sprinkled with wit, joy and novels galore, "The Book Club Play is a dangerous comedy about community, high and low culture, and the absolute terror of group dynamics," -MOLLY SMITH, ARENA STAGE

BY KAREN ZACARIAS DIRECTED BY KEVIN CHRISTOPHER FOX



# **SEPTEMBER 10- 0CTOBER 17, 2016**

Davis and Robby were childhood friends, but that was a long time ago. Now Davis lives in Brooklyn far away from his home of Stockton, CA, in all ways. When Robby shows up in New York unexpectedly, his brash nature sparks conflicts among Davis' new circle spurring debates about race, class, and forcing Davis to confront the person he was and to question where his loyalty lies.

BY A. ZELL WILLIAMS
DIRECTED BY ANN FILMER

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## Adult/Family

## Landscape Painting (1day workshops)

Join us and learn the joy of painting trees, valleys, mountains and the desert... whatever your heart desires is what the landscape expresses. Bring a picture that means something to you and a memory of where you have been or where you want to be. Pictures will also be provided. We will work with acrylic on canvas and creativity will be at the forefront.

**Instructor:** Cheryl Spran

#### Just the Two of Us



Need a break from the day to day routine? Come and join us in this engaging adult and child class, where the focus will be on sensory play and development of fine motor skills through creative arts and craft projects. Leave the mess to us and come enjoy some quality time with your little one. **Note:** Fee is for one adult and one child, second child would be half the fee.

**Instructor:** Sandy Martinez

#### **One Day Workshop**

Ages: 18+ Day: Saturday Dates: 5/21

Time: 1:00-4:00 pm

Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$30/\$35 Register By: 5/18 Min 5/Max 18 Code: 152111A

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 2-5 with adult Day: Mondays Dates: 4/4-5/23 Time: 12:15-1:00 pm

Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$30/\$35 Min 5/Max 15 Code: 152101A



#### The Power of Pastel

Learn the beauty of soft pastel. The medium of the masters... Degas, Renoir, and You. It is a medium that is pure and flexible. We will learn about and experiment with all of the pure beauty it expresses. You will be guided in representing a picture you bring to the class or one will be provided.

Basic materials will be provided but participants may bring their own supplies if desired. Premium pastel paper will also be available for purchase from the instructor the day of the workshop.

**Instructor:** Cheryl Spran

#### Cardio Dance



This dance-based cardio class is a total workout and combines all elements of fitness; cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility. Dance the calories away while learning basic movements and listening to a wide range of high-energy beats!

Instructor: Del Toro

#### 3 weeks

Ages: 18+
Day: Saturdays
Dates: 4/30-5/14
Time: 1:00-4:00 pm

Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$45/\$50 Min 6/Max 18 Code: 152112A

#### 8 weeks

**Ages:** 18+

**Day:** Wednesdays **Dates:** 4/6-5/25 **Time:** 9:30-10:30 am

**Location:** Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$29/\$39 Min 8/Max 20 Code: 172110A



½ oz. Artistic journey

½ oz. Cocktail party

Mix in some friends and a little bit of music for an extraordinary night out!

## Session Menu

You have an inner artist waiting to emerge! Paint & Pour is about trying something new in a creative atmosphere (and of course, a bottle of wine always helps!).

Bring your creativity, and we will provide the rest.

#### 2 Sessions

Participants will be shown a variety of paintings to choose from to serve as their inspiration.

**Ages:** 21+ Must show proof of age at registration and class time.

**Dates & Times:** 

Session 1- Sunday, April 17 5:00-8:00 pm Session 2- Sunday, May 15 1:00-4:00 pm

Location: the Studio

R/NR Fee: \$40/\$50 per class, per participant \$70/\$90 per class, per couple

Register a group of 5 or more and receive 10% off!

Register By: At least one week prior to class date

Min 6/Max 20 Code: 152700A.B.C

**Returning Paint & Pour participants -** Refer a friend and receive \$20 off your next session! Referral must be mentioned at the time of registration.

No Sitter? No Problem! Sign your kids up for our Milk and Cookies Art Party, which starts 15 minutes before Paint & Pour and ends 15 minutes after. Receive a 10% discount per child when you register for Paint & Pour and the Milk and Cookies Art Party at the same time.

See pg. 14 for details

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# Adults

#### Zumba-

Zumba fuses hypnotic Latin rhythms and easy to follow moves to create a dynamic fitness program to blow you away. Zumba workouts achieve long term benefits while experiencing an absolute blast in one exhilarating hour of caloric-burning, body-energizing, inspiring movements meant to engage and captivate for life! Routines feature interval training sessions where fast and slow rhythms, and resistance training are combined to tone and sculpt your body while burning fat. It's the most fun you'll have working out. Come join the party!

Instructor: Gabriel

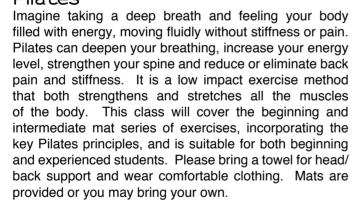
#### 8 weeks

Ages: 16-Adult
Day: Mondays
Dates: 4/4-5/23
Time: 7:15-8:15 pm
Location: the Studio
R/NR Fee: \$35/45
Min 10/Max 20
Code: 172113A

Ages: 16-Adult Day: Wednesdays Dates: 4/6-5/25 Time: 7:15-8:15 pm Location: the Studio

**R/NR Fee:** \$35/\$45 **Min** 10/**Max** 20 **Code:** 172113B

# Beginner/Intermediate



Instructor: Len Palombi, PMA-CPT

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 16-Adult Day: Mondays Dates: 4/4-5/23 Time: 7:30-8:30 pm

**Location:** Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$45/\$55 Min 8/Max 12 Code: 172122A

#### Cardio Box.



Come float like a feather and sting like a bee! This dynamic class incorporates traditional boxing skills, kick-boxing techniques and circuit training to produce a powerful workout that enhances cardiovascular fitness, agility and upper-body strength.

Instructor: Michel Richmond

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 16-Adult Day: Thursdays Dates: 4/7-5/26 Time: 7:45-8:45 pm

Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$29/\$39 Min 8/Max 15 Code: 172111A

#### Yoga .



Ideal for the beginner or intermediate student, this class will help you develop strength, stamina, flexibility and balance control. You will also be introduced to basic postures and stretches. Mats are provided or you may

bring your own.

**Instructor:** Carol Olsen

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 16-Adult Day: Tuesdays Dates: 4/5-5/24 Time: 7:15-8:15 pm

Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$45/\$55 Min 6/Max 12 Code: 172115A

#### Tae Kwon Do for Adults

Beginning students will learn the fundamentals of the Korean art of self-defense. Returning students will receive advanced instruction and will have the opportunity for promotion to the next belt level. This class also serves as a great work out!

Instructor: Randy Dittman

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 13-Adult

Day: Mondays, Wednesdays

**Dates:** 4/4-5/25 **Time:** 7:45-8:45 pm

Location: Lincoln School Gym

R/NR Fee: \$59/\$69 Register By: 4/1 Min 6/Max 25 Code: 172403A \*No class 4/20







#### Cardio Tone & Stretch

A low-impact cardio workout designed with the older adult in mind. Cardio Tone & Stretch consists of warm-ups, stretches, cardio routines, muscle strengthening and cool down all set to fun, upbeat music.

Instructor: Rosemary Spizzirri

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 55+ Day: Mondays Dates: 4/4-5/23 Time: 11:00-11:45 am

Location:

Community Center R/NR Fee: \$25/\$35 Register By: 3/28 Min 8/Max 15 Code: 162112A

#### 8 weeks

**Ages:** 55+ **Day:** Thursdays **Dates:** 4/7-5/26 **Time:** 9:00-9:45 am

Location:

Community Center R/NR Fee: \$25/\$35 Register By: 3/31 Min 8/Max 15 Code: 162112B

#### Tai Chi

This ancient exercise system is being widely recognized to support wellness by releasing stagnation, improving energy awareness and relieving stress through mindful movements and proper breathing. First half hour of the class you will be learning Chi Gong and the second, you will be focusing on Tai Chi.

Instructor: Beatrice DeFranco

#### 8 weeks

Ages: 55+ Day: Tuesdays Dates: 4/5-5/24

Time: 11:30 am-12:30 pm Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$29/\$39 Register By: 3/29 Min 12/Max 20 Code: 162109A

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#### Afternoon Dance Party

Come out and enjoy our *Afternoon Dance Party!* Learn various styles of dance in a fun and friendly atmosphere. Don't wait another minute. It's time for you to get up and hit the dance floor!

Instructor: Del Toro

#### 8 weeks

**Ages:** 55+

Day: Tuesdays & Thursdays

**Dates:** 4/5-5/26 **Time:** 1:00-2:00 pm

Location: Community Center

R/NR Fee: \$15/\$20 Register By: 3/29 Min 15/Max 25 Code: 162111A





Membership is free, just pick up an application at our office or find it at www.nbpd4fun.org under "Downloads"

#### FREE Movies in the Afternoon

**NOW on a BIG screen!** Don't miss out and join us for **Free** Movie **Fridays** at the **Community Center**, movies begin at **1:30 pm!** It's a great way to get away from your daily routine and enjoy a flick with other seniors in the community. No registration is necessary, walk-ins are always welcome. Pick up movie descriptions at the Community Center, 1619 Wesley Ave.

#### FRIDAY, APRIL 1

War Room, 2015, Drama, PG, 120 min.

#### FRIDAY, MAY 6

The Martian, 2015, Adventure/Drama, PG-13, 141 min.

#### **FRIDAY. JUNE 3**

Brooklyn, 2015, Romance/Drama, PG-13, 105 min.

#### Let's Do Lunch!



#### Includes Lunch in fee.

These trips are NBPD's most popular outings and are sure to **fill up fast...**So what are you waiting for? GO REGISTER! If there's a restaurant you've always wanted to go to, drop off your suggestions at the front desk. Lunches are once a month and sometimes require a flat fee at registration vs. paying at the restaurant.

#### Chicago

#### Russian Tea Time

Cuisine: European

CodeDayDateTimeFee162102AM4/1111:15 am-2:30 pm\$49Fee includes transportation, lunch from pre-selected menu & escort.

#### Chicago

#### County Barbecue

Cuisine: BBQ

CodeDayDateTimeFee162102BM5/911:30 am-2:30 pm\$25Fee includes transportation, lunch from pre-selected menu & escort.

#### Important!

Please note that by law, the State of Illinois requires every passenger of a motor vehicle to wear a seat safety belt. NBPD will refuse transportation to anyone who does not abide by this law.



Join our fun bingo group for snacks and prizes.

No registration necessary.

#### Gala Celebrations

Come socialize and have a good time with other seniors in the community! These special socials always include a delicious lunch and great entertainment. Bring a friend or come alone, our friendly group of seniors are always happy to welcome new comers. Space is limited so make sure you register soon.

#### Spring Fling

CodeDayDateTimeFee162101AT4/1211:00 am-1:00 pm\$13Entertainment: Rob Cunningham

#### Summer Fun

CodeDayDateTimeFee163101AT6/1411:00 am-1:00 pm\$13Entertainment: Nora Drysch

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# Adults =

#### **Drury Lane Theatre, Oakbrook Terrace**

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#### Hazel

This world premiere musical comedy is based on the comic strip character created by Ted Key and the popular television series which starred Shirley Booth. Hazel kicks off Drury Lane's 2016-2017 season and is sure to bring nostalgia to Baby Boomers and their parents. Set in the 1960s, it's a time of great change for America, but not all members of the Baxter family are on board. What George Baxter finds not so funny about his wife joining the work force and his maid taking over his household and his life--is a laugh riot. Directed and choreographed by Emmy Award winner Joshua Bergasse, Hazel asks the question: Can a simple maid debone a turkey, save a marriage, uncover a matter of national security and lead a conga line? She can if she's Hazel! Please make your entrée selection of Chicken Breast Mediterranean or Lemon Sole at time of registration. Fee includes transportation, lunch, admission and escort.

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 Day
 Date
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 5/18
 10:30 am-5:00 pm
 \$65

 Min 18/Max 24
 Register By: 4/8

Lyric Opera, Chicago

#### The King and I

\*2nd show Just Added

The King of Siam is an absolute ruler. But he meets his match in Anna, the feisty Welsh teacher he's hired to instruct his many wives and children in the ways of the "civilized" West and help him learn to lead his country into the modern world. The two strong, passionate people from two very different cultures discuss, debate, disagree, and ultimately fall in love to the tune of some of Broadway's greatest songs: "Shall We Dance?," "I Whistle a Happy Tune," "Hello, Young Lovers," "I Have Dreamed," "We Kiss in a Shadow," "Something Wonderful," and more! Based on an inspiring true story, *The King and I* is one of the most popular and groundbreaking musicals of all time. Fee includes transportation, Main Floor seats and escort.

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 12:30-5:30 pm
 \$69

 Min 18/Max 24
 Register By: 4/8

#### The Marriott Theatre, Lincolnshire



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Andrew Lloyd Webber's complex and dynamic musical masterpiece, charting Eva Peron's ambitious rise from poverty to First Lady of Argentina. Featuring a renowned musical score including "Don't Cry for Me, Argentina." Please make your entrée selection of Crusted Cod or Stuffed Chicken Breast at time of registration. Fee includes transportation, lunch, admission and escort.

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 Day
 Date
 Time
 Fee

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 5/26
 9:45 am-4:30 pm
 \$69

 Min 18/Max 24
 Register By: 4/15

#### DON'T MISS YOUR CHANCE TO SEE THESE POPULAR

Broadway Hits!

SHOW YOUR INTEREST!

RESERVE YOUR TICKET!

Cadillac Palace Theatre, Chicago

Beauty and the Beast

CodeDateTimeFeeBeauMay, 2016TBD\$89-\$99

Min 18/Max 24

Cadillac Palace Theatre, Chicago

Chicago The Musical

**Code Date Time Fee** CHIC May, 2016 TBD \$89-\$99 **Min** 18**/Max** 24

#### SNEAK PEEK!

The Odd Couple - 7/27
Singin' in the Rain - 8/3
Ella, Lena & Friends - 9/21
Pump Boys and Dinettes - 9/28

# Room Rentals











with Us!

# Celebrate your party

#### **Room Rentals**

#### **Community Center**

Reserve a room for your special event, rooms include tables, chairs for 40 people. Make arrangements to add your special touch to the room.

#### **Room Rentals**

1:30-5:30 pm on Saturdays & Sundays Fee: \$150 Resident/\$200 Non-Resident Refundable Security Deposit: \$75 \*Extended room rental hours 5:30-7:30pm \*\$50/hr. based on availability.

#### Hett Park/ the Studio

Call for availability and pricing.





#### **Policy**

All renters will need to provide a valid government issued ID and be at least 18 years of age.

Rentals must be paid in full at time of reservation.

All spaces must be cleaned and returned to original conditions or deposit and future rentals will be forfeited.

Renters must fully comply with rental agreement rules provided at time of rental.

## You snooze, you lose...

Don't wait to the last minute to register for your favorite classes and programs! If the class/ program is not at its minimum by the "Register by" date, the class/program runs the risk of being cancelled.

#### **Refunds & Credits**

The North Berwyn Park District will grant refunds/ credits for classes/programs as follows:
Prior to the first scheduled meeting......Total fee
Before the second scheduled meeting.....5% of fee
Before the third scheduled meeting......50% of fee
After the third scheduled meeting......No
refunds/credits

For TRIPS, refunds/credits will not be given after the "Register by" date or unless a replacement can be found.

#### **Equal Access**

No participant shall, on the basis of race, sex, creed, national origin or disability, be denied equal access to programs, activities, services or benefits, or be limited in the exercise of any right, privilege, advantage or opportunity. For special accommodations on a trip, please inform NBPD before the trip's registration deadline.

#### **Waiting List**

We encourage you to get on the waiting list for a program or trip with no more open spaces because we will always try our very best to accommodate a larger group if possible. Payment will not be taken to register on to the waiting list.

#### **Bad Weather?**

Programs may be cancelled due to severe or prohibitive weather. If a program is cancelled, all participants will be notified and a maximum of one session per program will be rescheduled if possible. Note that for special events a rain date may or may not be scheduled. If you have any questions please contact us at (708) 749-4900.

#### **Volunteer Opportunities**

We're always looking for volunteers! If you love working with people then we want you! Take fun trips or lead a social group! For more information on how you can be a volunteer, please contact **Nancy Woods** at **(708) 749-4900 x11.** 

#### Gifts Certificates Available!

Give the gift of FUN! Gift certificates are available for all occasions, year-round, for any amount! Gift certificates may be used for any program or trip.

#### **Photo Disclaimer**

NBPD may take photos and/or video coverage of its programs, special events and their participants. If you do not wish for your photograph and/or video to be used in our website, brochures, flyers or any other publication, please submit your request in writing.

#### Residency

Please note that, persons residing outside of the North Berwyn Park District have different registration dates. North Berwyn boundaries are: north of Cermak between Harlem and Lombard. You are an in-district resident of the Park District if you live in Berwyn. Everyone is welcome to participate in our programs, although sometimes higher fees may apply to people living outside of Berwyn.

#### **Parking**

Park District participants must utilize the south end of the Sokol Tabor parking lot. The lot is located directly behind (east) of the Community Center. Please note that Wesley Ave is reserved for resident parking only. NBPD has 15 minute parking as well as handicap parking directly in front of the building on Wesley Ave, however, cars parked on Wesley Ave for more than 15 minutes will be ticketed.

#### **Board Meetings**

We value your opinions and suggestions. Berwyn residents are invited to attend board meetings held every second Thursday of the month at the Community Center @ 7 pm.

#### **Pets**

Take your dog for a walk through the dog-friendly, Berwyn Gardens. Don't forget to keep him/her on a leash. No pets allowed at all other North Berwyn Park District parks.

#### **Lost & Found**

The North Berwyn Park District is not responsible for any lost or stolen items. Lost and found items are kept for a limited time only. If you have lost something, please contact the front desk immediately.

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Pyrce Park Community Center
1619 South Wesley Avenue
Special Events 

Classes 
Spray Pool 
Playground 
Rentals

Jefferson Field
16th and Wenonah Avenue
Soccer • Flag Football

Prairie Oak Gymnasium
15th and Oak Park Avenue
Soccer 
Volleyball Basketball After School Programs

4 Kriz Park 15th and Maple Avenue Playground 

Skate Park

5 16th Street Theater 6420 West 16th Street Classes • Year-round equity Theater

6 Berwyn Gardens Grove Avenue thru Wisconsin Avenue just north of Cermak Road Gazebo 

• Playground 
• Gardens

7 Unity Park 1227 Kenilworth Avenue Playground

8 Hett Park, Brocato Playground, the Studio 19th Street and Cuyler Avenue Playground • Garden • Spray Pool • Dance Studio

9 Mothers on a Mission Playground Kenilworth Avenue just north of Cermak Road Playground





# CELEBRATING 40 YEARS OF enriching lives through recreation









As an extension of
the North Berwyn Park District,
WSSRA offers our residents
therapeutic recreation
programs. Persons with
disabilities, of all ages and
ability levels are served
by WSSRA.

WSSRA programs are designed and supervised by Recreation Specialists who have educational backgrounds in working with persons with disabilities.

Activities are adapted to allow all participants to be successful.

# **West Suburban Special Recreation Association**

Programs include
fitness, art, Special
Olympics, social, camp,
swim and excursion programs.
Participants gain skills, make
friends, increase self
confidence, visit new places
and have fun in
WSSRA programs!

Lekotek, a family based toy lending/ play program is also available. Our certified Lekotek leaders will guide you through a monthly play session and introduce you to a variety of adaptive toys, making play possible for all children!











west suburban special recreation association 2915 maple street franklin park, il 60131 **P** 847.455.2100 **F** 847.455.2157 wssra.net

Registration for Summer programs start mid May, go to wssra.net for more info!

FIND US ONLINE FOR MORE INFO



