

TOWN OF BROOKFIELD PARK & RECREATION DEPARTMENT



SPRING/SUMMER RECREATION GUIDE 2013



**REGISTRATION DAY
SATURDAY, APRIL 13
8:00 AM - 9:30 AM**

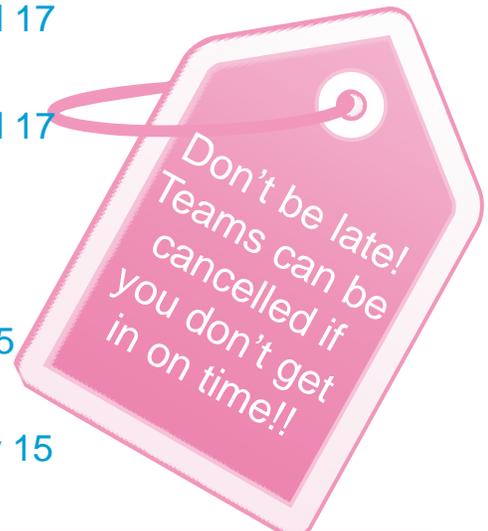


Registration Days

In an effort to continually make the registration process easier, there are some changes in the process for Registration Day and deadlines to avoid having potential teams cancelled. Registration Day will still be at the Town Hall but will simply be at the Park & Rec office window. We are providing a Registration Form in this Rec Guide, as well as online, to streamline the process and allow you to have everything ready before the big day or able to be dropped off in the Night Deposit Box, at Town Hall during office hours, or mailed in.

We still need a form for each individual but you can pay on one check. If you come in person to register, you can also pay cash (sorry, we still can't accept credit cards).

Spring Soccer Deadline	Friday, April 5
LOL Baseball Deadline	Wednesday, April 17
LOL Softball Deadline	Wednesday, April 17
Foxbrook Swimming Lesson Deadline	Thursday, April 25
Blast Ball/T-Ball/Intermediate Baseball Deadline	Wednesday, May 15



Get your Registration Form at
www.townofbrookfield.com



Saturday, April 13

From 8:00 am - 9:30 am
At the Town Hall



Town of Brookfield Registration Form

Participant's Name	Shirt Size	Parent's/Guardian's Name(s)
Address	Age (as of today)	Telephone Number (Night)
City/Zip	Date of Birth	Telephone Number (Day) and/or Cellular Number
Email Address (for program confirmation and program notification; will not be given to any other source)		

Activity	Location	Day(s)	Beginning Date	Time	Fee

Non-resident fee _____

* Parents: Check this box if you are interested in coaching or assisting with your child's team

TOTAL AMOUNT _____

Parent/Participant: Please read the following.

- ☆ Complete one form per child/participant. A copy of your child's birth certificate (17 and younger) must be on file or must accompany this form at the time of registration. Registration forms will not be accepted without a birth certificate and fees.
- ☆ Town of Brookfield residents have the opportunity to register first. Non-residents will be able to register for programs at an additional cost of \$15 per child/per program.
- ☆ Walk-in registration is on a first-come; first-serve basis. Mail-in registrations will be assigned to a team by the Park & Rec Dept. The postmark will be observed as the date received as long as it is after the beginning registration date.
- ☆ There are limits to the number of participants in each program/team. When a program/team is full, it is closed. We will attempt to keep programs/teams open until full or until the deadline date, whichever comes first. If a program/team is full, you can request to be placed on a waiting list. We will make every effort to either place your child in a program/team or open up another program/team.
- ☆ There will be no refunds for cancellations made by the participant after the start of a program.

☆ Copy of this form will be used as your receipt and reminder. The participant should report to the location, time and date as noted.

Medical Problems/Serious Allergies: No _____ Yes _____ Explain: _____

I, do hereby agree to allow the individual named herein to participate in the activity(ies) listed above. I am aware that there may be risks inherent with participation in any activity, and the that the Town of Brookfield, as well as the instructor/coach does not provide accident insurance and cannot assume responsibility for injury to any participant in its programs.

X Signature _____

Date: _____

To Be Used By Park & Recreation Department Only

Birth Cert.: On File _____ Received _____ Town Resident: Y N Paid \$ _____ Check # _____ Rec'd By: _____

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Advertising For Pennies

Opportunities exist for you or your business to support the activities of the Park and Rec Dept. and get your name out into the public. You can't get more area-specific than to advertise to teams and individuals that live, work and play here in the town.

Below you will find some of the programs and events that you can support. Take a look below, pick out the team, program or special event that you would like to sponsor and then pick up the phone and call. Partial sponsorships are also very welcome. Team sponsors will have their name and/or logo imprinted on the uniforms/event and will receive a team picture. All sponsors will be acknowledged in the Town Tidings along with the kids being walking billboards for your business. Don't wait, call today! Other partnerships are welcome; go to www.townofbrookfield.com/sponsors.html

Team & Program Sponsorships

- * Instructional Soccer Team
\$ 200.00 each
- * T-ball and Instructional Team
\$150.00 each
- * County Baseball and Softball Team
\$350.00 each
- * Tennis Equipment
\$200.00
- * Arts & Crafts/Playground Supplies
\$150.00

Sponsorship ideas are always welcome and this list is far from all-encompassing. If you or your business has other ideas or wants to advertise in the Town Tidings Newsletter or these Rec Guides, contact the Park & Rec or go to www.townofbrookfield.com/sponsors.html for further information.

Special Events Sponsorships

- Easter Egg Hunt: Colored Plastic Eggs **\$150.00**
Candy/Toys **\$100.00**
- 4th of July: Tent (1) **\$350.00**
Tent (1) **\$850.00**
Band **\$250.00**
Soda & Ice **\$250.00**
Meat & Buns **\$300.00**
Inflatable Castle **\$400.00**
Donate homemade pies and desserts
Event sponsors
Food, ice cream, etc.

Partial sponsorships welcome! Help us bring more to the events and residents of the town. There is no better way of advertising! Other partnership ideas are always welcome.

TOWN OF BROOKFIELD PARK AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

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Phone: (262) 796-3781 Fax: (262) 796-0339
Chad D. Brown, Director of Parks and Recreation

E-mail: parkrec@townofbrookfield.com
www.townofbrookfield.com

Summer Employment Opportunities

Note: All employees must have their own transportation to and from work.

Baseball/Softball Umpires - Individuals 15 years or older must have knowledge of the game and be available selected weeknights. Attendance at the umpire's clinic is required. Equipment is provided. **Games will begin the first week in June.**

Tennis Instructors - Individuals must be 18 years or older with a very good knowledge of the program skills/game. Class days and times vary throughout the week during the summer. **Sessions will begin the third week in June.**

***Interested individuals can obtain more information and applications at the Park and Recreation Department or online at www.townofbrookfield.com

Make a difference in a child's life... Be a volunteer coach!

Moms, dads, big brothers and sisters we need your help with the youth programs in this guide. No experience necessary, we will train you! You can call 796-3781 today or sign up at the time of registration. ***Coaches must be 18 years old or older. Coaches will receive a \$5.00 discount for their kids on becoming a coach!** A minimum amount of involvement is required for the discount.

Instructional Soccer Coaches - We need you now!!! Practice begins in early April. We can provide lots of great information for those who think they know nothing about soccer. No experience necessary! For more details on the program and clinics, call 796-3781.

Blast Ball/T-ball/Intermediate Baseball/Land O' Leagues Baseball & Softball Coaches - LOL practice will begin mid-May. T-ball and intermediate ball will start the mid-June. Head Land O' Leagues coaches for both baseball and softball are required to be ASEP certified. See page 5 and 12 for more details.

IDEAS! IDEAS! IDEAS!

Do you have some ideas for creative activities that you would like to see programmed? Do you have suggestions that would benefit your programs? We are looking for programs and activities for all ages. The Park and Recreation Department would like to hear what YOU have in mind. Call 796-3781 with details.

Park & Recreation 2013 Committee

Jay Walt, Chairman
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Town of Brookfield 2013 Officials

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Park & Rec Office Information

Hours: 8:00 am—4:30 pm
Monday—Friday

The Town of Brookfield Park & Rec Department is associated with the following professional organizations:



Registration Information

Resident Registration Day

Resident in-person registration will be from 8:00 - 9:30 am, on Saturday, April 13 in the Town Hall (note that some programs have separate, earlier registration dates). Registration forms will be available for pick up the week before at the Park and Recreation Office.

Registration for immediate family members only, thanks!

Registration Schedule In-Person or Mail-In Registration

The Park and Recreation Department will be open 8:00 am - 4:30 pm as well as the following days and times for those unable to make Registration Day (individuals are STRONGLY encouraged to come to Registration Day):

- Tuesday, April 16
from 9:00 am until 5:30 pm
- Monday, April 22
Call for an appointment

NON-RESIDENTS may begin registering on Wednesday, April 17. A \$15 non-resident fee per participant will apply.

How To Register

STEP 1 - At Home:

Review activity guide. Select the activities desired. Take note of the of the registration dates above and visit us during those dates and times.

STEP 2 - During Registration:

Fill in all of the appropriate spaces on the registration form. Make sure to include city and zip code as well as correct shirt size. You will be asked for proof of residency.

Check and RE-CHECK t-shirt sizes.

Bring a copy of a birth certificate (if not on file already) for all of your children who are under 18 that will be participating in our programs.

Make checks payable to: *Town of Brookfield*

STEP 3 - Walk In or Mail In

In order to complete the registration process, the registration form must be filled in completely, all participants under 18 must bring in or have a birth certificate on file and fees must be paid in full.

Walk in: to our Park and Recreation office at Town Hall.

Mail in: Simply pick up a registration form at the Park and Recreation office in town hall and fill out. Mail your check (no cash please), along with proof of residency and a copy of the participants birth certificate to the town hall. *Post marked date will be accepted. If programs are full before the mailed registration is received, you will be contacted and placed on the waiting list.

All programs and teams have a limited number of spots

available. Registration will remain open until all spots are full or until program finalization dates expire. These dates will vary according to class and team. *Land O' Leagues youth sport teams will be the first to close. **Please do not ask us to exceed class limits, or put your child in the wrong age or skill level.***

It is a policy of the Parks and Recreation Committee that program participants help defray the overall costs related to an activity through the assessment of fees and charges.

The Town of Brookfield charges a \$10.00 fee for checks that are returned as uncollectible by our bank.

We reserve the right to change times and locations to fit class sizes, levels, ability, and registration.

Attention Non-Instructional Sports

Registration will still be taken on a first-come; first-serve basis—however, the number of teams and rosters will be determined after the initial enrollment period.

Teams will be created by a roster committee made up of Park & Rec Board Members.

All decisions made by the roster committee will be final.

To help facilitate the committee's efforts in creating the teams and to honor personal requests, a program information sheet will be provided at registration. Program information sheets will allow you to provide information such as:

- a. Prior sports participation
- b. Personal preferences (coaches, teammates)
- c. School attended
- d. Participation in prior years programs

Waiting Lists

If you are unable to register for a program due to a full enrollment, you may request to have your name placed on a waiting list. The department will make every effort to try to accommodate those on waiting lists (there are no guarantees for placement).

TYPO, We Goofed?

Occasionally, there may be an error in days, times, registration requirements, locations or fees. When such errors occur, our staff will do everything possible to correct the situation promptly. The department reserves the right to change program schedules as needed to accommodate demand or school use conflicts. Read your registration receipt carefully as any changes since the printing of the Rec Guide will be noted there. All programs are subject to change. Contact the office for these changes.

Lost and Found

If you have lost or misplace an item in one of our parks or facilities, please contact the Department office. Articles that are found and turned into the office are kept for 60 days. After that period of time, the items are donated to a local charitable organization. The Department of Park & Recreation is not responsible for any lost or stolen items.

Policies & Park Information

Insurance/Liability

The Town of Brookfield does not provide hospital/medical insurance coverage for people participating in sponsored activities and cannot assume responsibility for injury to any participants in its recreation programs. Participants are encouraged to obtain their own insurance coverage prior to the start of the program and to consult with a physician before participating in any strenuous activity.

Transfer Policy

The Town discourages any transfers. Instructors are paid according to original sign-ups. If it is absolutely necessary to transfer a participant to another program, session or team, then the participant's parent or individual 18 years or older must submit a written request to the Park & Recreation Committee no later than one month before the program begins for their review. No transfers will be made once the rosters have been given to the coach/instructor for the overall benefit of the team, group and instructor.

Notice of Nondiscrimination Policy

It is the policy of the Town of Brookfield Park and Recreation Department that no person shall, on the basis of race, religion, sex, color or handicap, be excluded from participating in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity and in employment. If you require special accommodations in order to participate in a Town of Brookfield Parks and Recreation program, please let us know when you register.

Refund Policy

Refunds related to program fees will only be made in the following cases:

- A. Program is cancelled by the department: 100% refund.
- B. Change in the original schedule by the department: 100% refund.
- C. Cancellation by applicant:

- Two weeks prior to the start of the program, a full refund will be given minus a \$5.00 service fee.
- No refunds after the class/program begins.

For Golf Lessons: Refunds will **only** be given for cancellations two weeks before the classes begin due to the contractual nature of the lessons.

Refunds checks take approximately two - four weeks and will be mailed to the participant (parent).

Missed Program Policy

Programs missed for individual absences (i.e. illness, vacation, etc.) are not "made up" nor may participants attend programs other than for the one they are registered.

Late Registration Policy

There will be no pro-rating of program fees for late registration after program(s) have begun.

Photographs

Please be aware that participants may be photographed for promotional purposes (i.e. Rec Guide, website, flyers, etc.)

Park Reservations & Use

Park Reservations

Call in for park availability first. When an open date is confirmed, come into the Town Hall for a permit. Fill out the permit completely with proper dates, contacts, and information. The application must be accompanied by payment. A \$100 refundable deposit and other fees must be paid at time of application. Alcohol permits must be filled out at least one month before the date of event and be accompanied by the alcohol permit fee. Town Board approval is needed for all alcohol permits.

Recreation Picnic Pack

The picnic pack is for rent and includes a basketball, soccer ball, baseball and softball equipment, Frisbee, footballs, jump ropes, and sidewalk chalk for a \$5.00 rental fee.

Park Locations and Amenities

Marx Park: Marx Park is located in the southern part of the town, on the corner of Barker Road and Poplar Creek Drive across from Elmbrook Church. Marx Park has one (1) baseball field, one (1) softball field, two (2) tennis courts, two (2) playstructures, five grills, picnic tables and a shelter with electricity and bathrooms and a basketball court.

Wray Park: Wray Park is located in the northern part of the town, off of Mary Lynn Drive and the corner of Jaclyn Drive. Wray Park has one (1) baseball field, two (2) tennis courts, one (1) basketball court, one (1) grill, two (2) playground structures, picnic tables and a seasonal port-o-let.

Brook Park: Brook Park is centrally located in the town on Brook Park Drive. Brook Park has picnic tables, two (2) grills, and beautiful scenery including two fishing ponds.

Park Hours and Rules

» Parks are open from 5:00 am to 10:00 pm. «

THE FOLLOWING ARE NOT PERMITTED IN THE PARKS:

1. Possession of or consumption of alcohol.
(A permit must be applied for at the town hall and approved by the town board no less than one month before the reservation date.)
2. **Dogs**, cats, pets, etc. – *check for Brook Park exception for dogs*
3. Minibikes, trail bikes, and any other all-terrain, self-propelled or motor vehicles.
4. Feeding of wild geese and ducks.
5. Swimming

Refer to Town of Brookfield Ordinances Chapter 19 for additional ordinances and information.



Marx Park

Located at 700 S. Barker Road on Poplar Creek Drive, this is the main community park in the Town. This is where we celebrate the Fourth of July, Truck Day, Big Splash Day as well as rent it out to groups for baseball tournaments, graduations, weddings, and the like.

There is a wonderful park shelter as well as a gazebo to get out from the elements and two playgrounds to keep the kids busy. There is a basketball court, tennis courts, horseshoes, baseball diamond, softball diamond in addition to water and electric.



Use your smartphone app to “check in” to the parks for specials throughout the year as well as interesting park facts.

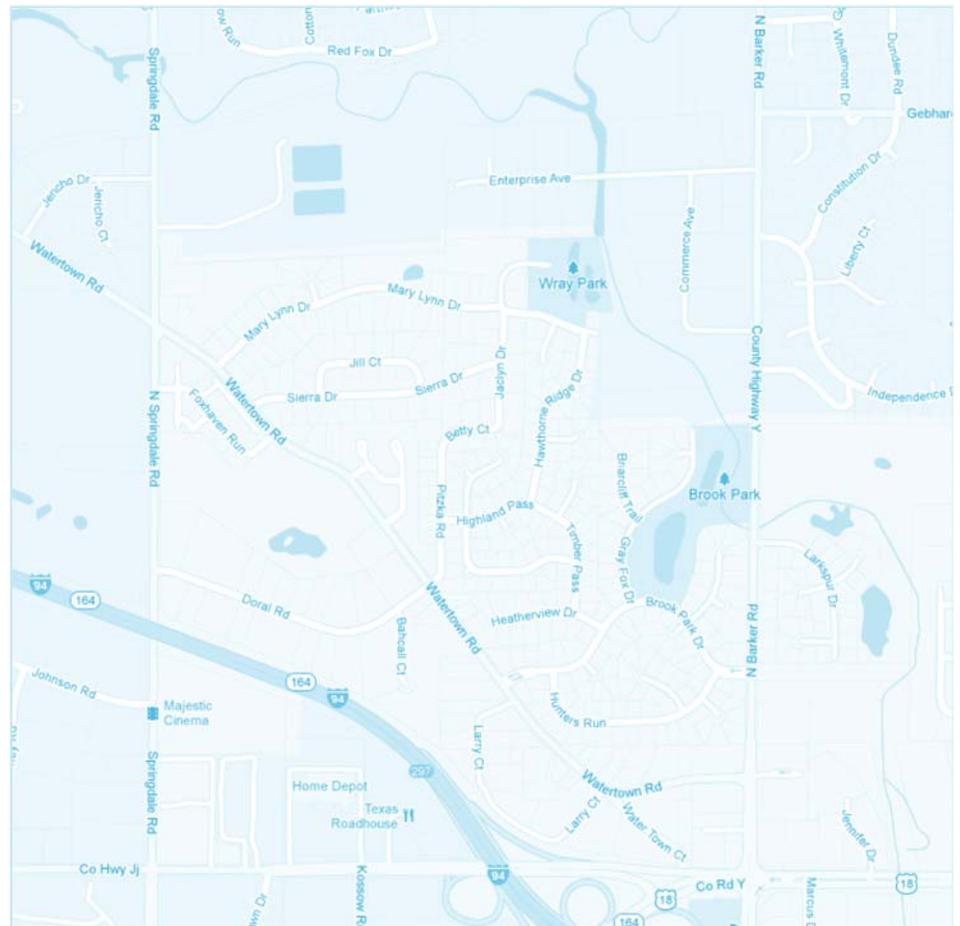
Wray Park

Located at the intersection of Jaclyn Drive and Mary Lynn Dr., Wray Park is a gem in the town. With picnic tables, a shade shelter, basketball court, tennis courts, baseball diamond, and a tennis backstop, this park has all the amenities for relaxation and activity. It is even a great place to catch some frogs, watch beavers play, and let the kids play on the two playgrounds.



Brook Park

A greenspace park, Brook Park is the only town park that allows dogs so bring down your dog and let them stretch out! There are picnic tables for lunch and the fishing is quite good.



Coaches Clinics

National Alliance for Youth Sports (NAYS) Standards

Go to

<http://www.nays.org/TimeOut/National%20Standards.pdf>
for an explanation of these standards that the Town of Brookfield adheres to.

- #1 Proper Sports Environment
- #2 Programs Based on the Well-Being of Children
- #3 Drug, Tobacco & Alcohol-Free Environment
- #4 Part of a Child's Life
- #5 Training for Coaches
- #6 Parent's Active Role
- #7 Positive Role Models
- #8 Parental Commitment
- #9 Safe Playing Situations
- #10 Equal Play Opportunities
- #11 Drug, Alcohol & Tobacco-Free Adults

Parents Pledge To Keep "Kids First"

In order to encourage a positive, enjoyable experience for my child participating in sports, I hereby pledge the following:

- I pledge to place the emotional and physical needs of my child ahead of my own personal desire to win.
- I pledge to be realistic about my child's athletic ability and will help my child to set realistic goals.
- I pledge to teach my child that doing ones best is more important than winning.
- I pledge to remember that children learn best by example. I will provide positive encouragement for both teams and will refrain from making insulting comments to any players, parents, officials or coaches.
- I pledge to respect my child's coaches by supporting them, keeping the lines of communication open, and assisting them when appropriate.
- I pledge to demand a safe and healthy sports environment for my child that is free of drugs, tobacco, and alcohol and will refrain from their use at all children's sporting activities.
- I pledge to review and study the rules of each sport my child plays, and will assist the coach in teaching these rules to my child.
- I pledge to remember that my child plays sports for his or her enjoyment not mine.
- I pledge to remember that the game is for the kids, not adults.



Mitt/Cleat Exchange

Got an old baseball glove? Cleats don't fit?

Here is your chance to make a difference in a kid's summer. We all know how quickly our kids grow out of things and how expensive and time-consuming it can be to get new equipment every year. The Town of Brookfield Park & Rec will have an exchange program for sports equipment. If you have an old glove, cleats, bat, soccer ball, etc. that doesn't fit your needs, bring it to the Park & Rec Department. Look through what is available and take what you need or just donate your equipment for the next generation of athletes.



As a first-time effort, we are in need of a good selection of equipment to start with. Go through your spring cleaning and bring down some sport's equipment. Please make sure that it is usable.

There will be no charge for equipment that is taken but we do ask that you put something back into circulation if you can.

Questions or ideas on how to make the program really purr, contact Chad at the Park & Rec office.

Senior Center

Seniors are invited to participate in programs at the City of Brookfield's Senior Community Center or in any other Department sponsored programs. Programs have been designed with the diverse interests of seniors in mind. Each month offers a variety of specialty programs in which seniors have the opportunity to meet individual interests. Meet friends and enjoy socially enriching experiences, intellectual stimulation, physical fitness programs, educational opportunities, artistic fulfillment, and a daily nutrition program.

The Center is open to any town resident and their spouse, sixty years of age or older. Town residents participating in weekly or monthly programs will be required to pay a \$12.00 annual facility use fee.

Location/Hours - Getting Started

The Brookfield Senior Community Center is located in the eastern segment of City Hall.2000 North Calhoun Road Brookfield, WI 53005, (262) 796-6675

Hours....

Center is open for senior programs Monday-Friday from 9:00 am-3:00 pm. Hours may vary depending on program or activity.

How to Get Started....

Call or stop by the Center for a tour and a newsletter. Newsletters contain information regarding dates, times and space availability for programs and classes. Seniors are asked to complete an annual participation form. We're waiting to hear from you.

Adult/Senior Programs

USTA Adult Tennis League

Announcing a new opportunity for Adults 18 and Older to play tennis. USTA League Tennis provides the opportunity to compete against players of similar ability levels. Be a part of a team; meet new people; play new opponents; participate in competitive tennis; travel to matches and championships; challenge and improve your game; have fun! 40+ and 55+ leagues are being formed. Men, Women, Tri-Level, Combo Leagues. Players must be USTA Members (included in the registration fee).

Contact the Park & Rec with your team information to figure out which league you want to be a part of.

WHEN: Beginning in May
Evenings

WHERE: Marx Park

FEE: \$25

NEW!

NEW!

Adult (16+) Art Classes

Basic Watercolor

This class is for absolute beginners! Come learn a variety of different watercolor techniques, from simple to more complex. We will discuss how to make our color sing and make beautiful, colorful pictures. It will be fun and you will be surprised how easy it can be! Irene Angeles, the instructor, has a B.F.A in Painting and Drawing as well as extensive graduate work in art education.

WHEN: Mondays, July 15, 22, 29, Aug 5, 12, 19
6:00 pm—9:00 pm

WHERE: Town Hall

FEE: \$143

Beginning Drawing 1

Come and enjoy this class for beginners under the guidance of an experienced instructor. Receive individual as well as group instruction. We will work in a stepwise process, from easy geometric forms to more challenging organic forms, while building our knowledge of atmospheric perspective. Many of my students start with stick figures and end the class with beautiful, realistic drawings. Many helpful tips will be brought to light. Irene Angeles has her degree in Painting and Drawing from UWM, with extensive coursework in art education.

Register by May 27 for this class.

WHEN: Mondays, June 3, 10, 17, 24, July 1, 8
6:00 pm—9:00 pm

WHERE: Town Hall

FEE: \$143 per class

There is a \$25 discount if you take both classes!

Cooking Classes

Favorite Restaurant Knock-off Recipes

I'm turning some of my favorite foods from popular restaurant chains into recipes and bringing them to you. I'll prepare for you to taste...

Olive Garden's Zuppa Toscana
Chancery's Kickin' Chicken Pasta
Olive Garden House Salad
Olive Gardens Breadsticks
Cracker Barrel's Double Fudge Coca-Cola Cake

Register by April 11 for this class.

WHEN: Monday, April 15; 6:30—9:00 pm

WHERE: Town Hall

FEE: \$30

Summer Appetizers & Desserts

Summer entertaining is the most fun entertaining; head out to the patio, light some candles, open some wine, pour some cocktails and have a few appetizers and desserts with friends. Tonight I'll give you some inspiration for a season full of friends and fun! You'll sample...

Brazilian Beef Tenderloin Kabobs,
Scallop & Watermelon Skewers
Prosciutto-wrapped Asparagus Spears with Bleu Cheese Mayo,
Pie Chips & Fruit Salsa and
Blueberry-Coconut Tart Plus, lots of cocktail recipes to enjoy with your menu!

Register by May13 for this class.

WHEN: Thursday, May 30; 6:30—9:00 pm

WHERE: Town Hall

FEE: \$30

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Contact: tennis@wisconsin.usta.com | 414-352-9728



Youth Programs

Pee Wee/Youth Tennis Lessons



Pee Wee lessons are for ages 5 - 7 years old (age as of first class). **Pee Wee** tennis will teach the basic fundamentals of tennis i.e. eye-hand coordination, motor skills, and fun! Beginner and Intermediate lessons are for ages 8 - 12 and the Intermediate II lesson is for kids 13 - 15 (age as of first class). The **Beginning player** (first and second year

players) will learn about the court and the basic skills in a fun, educational setting. The **Intermediate player** will also work on the basic skills such as serving, forearm swing and scoring, but will include more games and difficult skills. **Intermediate II** players will refine strokes and play more games. ***Parents: It is important for you to place your child in the appropriate level for their sake and for all other participants.** Please bring a size appropriate racquet and wear non-scutting shoes and loose fitting clothes.

Sessions will run two weeks, Monday - Friday the first week, Monday - Thursday the second week (with Friday as a make-up day for up to two days missed), each class lasting 50 minutes. Min. 4 / Max. 8 per class. **Lesson dates are subject to change due to weather.*

Participants will receive only one T-shirt for the summer, no matter how many classes they sign up for.

FEE: \$30/session

We reserve the right to change times and locations of lessons to meet demand.

All classes are subject to cancellation due to enrollment. Register early to assure a class and session!

You may register for Session II and III after trying Session I without paying the \$5 late fee.

SESSION I: Monday, June 10 - Thursday, June 20

SESSION II: Monday, June 24 - Friday, July 5 (no class July 4)

SESSION III: Monday, July 8- Thursday, July 18

Time	Marx Park	Wray Park
8:30 a.m.	Beginner	Beginner
9:30 a.m.	Pee Wee	Pee Wee
10:30 a.m.	Intermediate	Beginner
11:30 a.m.	Beginner	Pee Wee
12:45 p.m.	Pee Wee	Intermediate II
1:45 p.m.	Beginner	Beginner
2:45 p.m.	Intermediate	Intermediate
3:45 p.m.	Intermediate II	Intermediate II

Eble Ice Rink - Learn to Skate

Class consists of developing basic ice-skating skills for ages 4-11. Youth will develop confidence on the ice by learning to forward and backward skate, turns and stops, and falling and recovery. It is suggested that young children bring helmets (i.e. bike), gloves, and warm clothes to the class (rink temp. approx. 50 degrees). Skate rental is also included in the price of the class.

WHEN: Wednesdays; July 10, 17, 24, 31, Aug. 7
Ages 4-6 from 3:45 pm—4:15 pm
Ages 7-11 from 3:45 pm—4:15 pm

WHERE: Eble Ice Rink

FEE: \$45



Kids Fishing Clinic

Ages 15 and under. Instruction will be provided on knot tying, safe use of equipment, fishing techniques and ID, and safety issues. All instructors teaching at the clinic have completed the DNR Angler Certification Course and have been certified. Registration in advance is not necessary. The daily park entrance fee is included with clinic participation. By: Wern Valley Sportsmen's Club

WHERE: Foxbrook Park

WHEN: Saturday, April 13; hourly between 9am - 3pm

FEE: FREE



Rock Climbing: From the Ground Up

This two day program will give climbers some practice tying knots, belaying and climbing in the gym on Thursday and then on Friday a bus will take the group to Devil's Lake for an unforgettable outdoor rock climbing experience. For ages 13 - 17. Min/Max: 10/19. Instructors: Adventure Rock/Apex Adventure Alliance Staff. Registration deadline: 7/25/13

WHEN: Thurs., August 1; 10am-1pm at Adventure Rock
Friday, August 2; 7am - 5pm at Devil's Lake

FEE: \$90



Rock Climbing: Family Day at Devil's Lake

What a better way to spend a Saturday than with your family rock climbing at Devil's Lake, one of the Midwest's premiere climbing spots! This experience of a lifetime will be sure to become of your family's favorite memories as you work with certified rock climbing instructors from Adventure Rock. Family members must be comprised of immediate family members only. Clothing, itinerary, and exact meeting location will be determined one week prior to program. Park entrance fee will not be included. For ages 6 and up. Min/Max: 3/8 (families)

Registration deadline: 8/15/13

Instructors: Adventure Rock/Apex Adventure Alliance Staff

WHEN: Saturday, August 24; 9am - 3pm

WHERE: Devil's Lake State Park, Baraboo, WI

FEE: \$190

Fox Brook Park Youth Swimming Lessons

A cooperative program with the Waukesha County Parks & Land Use, we will be able to offer a 2 week (Mon. – Fri.; 10, 45-minute lessons) swimming lesson program at Fox Brook Park at 2925 N. Barker Rd. Parking passes for use during these lessons will be sent by the county.

All students will be tested the first class to ensure proper level placement. We reserve the right to move students to the correct level. It is not unusual for children to repeat a level before all skills are completed satisfactorily. Contact us if you have questions on the placement of your child. Must be 5 years old by time of first class.

Level 1 – “Introduction to Water Skills”

Learn how to enter and exit the water safely, experience buoyancy and breath control, floating and kicking on front and back. Introduction to swimming on front and back with alternating arm & leg action. Covers basic water safety rules such as use life jackets and recognizing a distressed swimmer.

Level 2 – “Fundamental Aquatic Skills”

(Need to have passed Level 1) Fully submerge/bobbing, practice front and back floats, turning over, front and back glides, treading water, combined arm & leg actions front & back, developing distance endurance, finning & sculling, picking up objects under water with eyes open, moving in water with lifejacket on.

Level 3 – “Stroke Development”

(Need to have passed level 2) Bobbing with head fully submerged, rotary breathing, front & back glides, treading water, further develops front crawl and begins back crawl, begins butterfly kick and body motion, beginner diving skills, and self-rescue skills.

Level 4 – “Stroke Improvement”

(Need to have passed Level 3) Develops confidence and competency in front & back crawl, breaststroke, elementary backstroke, butterfly, scissors kick, diving rules and skills, jump from height with lifejacket, and covers various rescue breathing skills.

Level 5 – “Stroke Refinement”

(Needs to have passed Level 4) Swim competently for distance in front & back crawl, elementary back stroke and breaststroke. Classes also will work on survival float and swimming, sidestroke, butterfly, additional diving skills, and rescue skills such as caring for a choking victim.

SPECTATOR POLICY:

Parents may observe lessons from outside the beach area only. The reason is to reduce distractions to children and instructors during valuable lesson time. Parents may accompany children to the lesson meeting area on the first day of class and then return to the designated observation area.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY:

Classes will generally not be cancelled due to inclement weather. Dry land drills or indoor classes will be held on

cold days. Please dress your children accordingly on cold days with sweatshirt and pants, sweater or jacket, and an extra towel. Classes may be cancelled due to extreme cold, excessive rain, electrical storm, or hazardous conditions. **Information can be obtained by calling Jan or Danette at Waukesha County (262) 548-7801.**

9:00 – 9:45 am: Level 4 and 5
10:00 – 10:45 am: Level 1, 2, and 3
11:00 – 11:45 am: Level 1, 2, and 3

You must be registered **before** April 26! After that time, you must register with the county and pay an additional fee. No refunds can be given.

WHEN: July 22 - August 2 (Mondays – Fridays)

WHERE: Fox Brook County Park

FEE: \$30

All New
Classes!

Art Attack Courses

All art classes will be held at Marx Park. Severe weather will cancel classes which will be rescheduled. Register for each class separately; sign up for as many as you would like.

Munchkin and Me Art

Your little one and you will explore a variety of mediums from clay to beads to stamps. A variety of stations will be set up each week to allow your little one to explore at their own pace staying longer at the ones that excite them most. Class is for 3-5 year olds and at least one supervising adult.

WHEN: Tuesdays; June 18 to July 16. 10 - 10:30

Wearable Art

Create t-shirts jewelry and more in this class. We will explore techniques from tie dye to wire ring wrapping. This class is great for those who like to take a basic idea and create something with quick results and that allows for endless possibilities for their own creativity. Class is for 5th to 7th graders.

WHEN: Wednesdays; July 24 to August 14; 9:00 - 9:30 am

Decorate It

Create items to decorate your house and room or to give as presents. Possible projects include: pillow cases, coasters, picture frames and wall decor. Projects allow for creative exploration of a variety of materials in practical and long lasting projects. Class is for 4th to 6th graders.

WHEN: Mondays ; July 7 to July 28; 9:30 - 10:00 am

Art Exploration

Explore a variety of conventional and unconventional materials to create paintings, drawings, clay and more. Class is for 5k to 3rd graders.

WHEN: Thursdays; July 11 to August 8; 10:00 - 10:30 am

WHERE: Marx Park

FEE: \$25 per course

Wisconsin Attraction Tickets

The Town of Brookfield Park and Recreation Department in conjunction with the Wisconsin Parks and Recreation Association will again be offering reduced tickets for the public to several Wisconsin attractions.

Attraction	Fee	Savings
Great America	\$41.00	\$22.85
Great America WPRA Week July 6-14	\$31.00	\$32.85
Noah's Ark	\$31.00	\$10.52
Milwaukee Zoo		
Adult	\$10.25	\$4.00
Child (3-12)	\$8.25	\$3.00

Tickets can be purchased at the Clerk's office Monday - Friday, 8:30-4:00 beginning May 14, 2013.

Spring Soccer

Spring/Fall Soccer

Spring Soccer Registration:

Call immediately in order to see if you can be fit onto a team for spring. Teams were formed in fall so only those spots that open up will be available, first-come; first-served.

Registration for soccer is done in the fall of each year. Information is provided in the schools, newspapers, website, and in the Town Tidings. Contact the Park & Rec before trying to sign up. All previous participants have been sent a registration letter. Spring season begins the week of April 15 and ends approximately May 24. The Fall 2013 season will run approximately from the week of September 9 to October 18. Game and practice schedules are not created until registration is done, teams formed and coaching staffs consulted.



Fees for Instructional Soccer Teams:
\$25/participant for spring

Soccer Levels **Instructional Soccer**

There is a 4 yr. and 5/6 yr. old soccer league administrated through the Park and Rec Dept. Players will receive a T-shirt but must supply all other equipment. Practices take place once a week in the evenings. We will have a mini-tournament at the end of the season for fun as well as scrimmages between the teams throughout the season.

4 yr: participants must be born between 8/1/08 – 7/31/09
5/6 yr: participants must be born between 8/1/06 – 7/31/08

Baseball/Softball

DEAR PARENTS:

1. Every child in softball will receive a T-shirt and hat to keep. Blast Ball, T-Ball, Intermediate and Dewdrops players receive a hat and T-shirt. Land O Leagues teams will receive a jersey and hat to keep. We are asking that parents supply the rest of the clothing and footwear that is appropriate for each level. Please read the program descriptions below for requirements or contact the Park & Rec.

2. The Park and Recreation Department is looking for coaches at all levels of play. You can sign up on your child's registration form. You will receive a \$5.00 discount on your child's registration for becoming a coach. We need your help and you get to save a buck!

3. All teams practice at Marx and/or Wray Park

4. Volunteer coaches schedule practices and they could take place any day of the week (typically weekday evenings) Practices for the Land O ' League (LOL) teams are scheduled to begin the week of and end the week of (weather dependent)



5. Players are registered on a first-come, first-served basis. Teams are organized per player request as best as possible; after requests are attempted to be met, teams will be organized by neighborhood. Studies show that children adapt very well when given opportunities to meet new friends while participating in youth sports programs.

6. Registration for Town of Brookfield residents will be processed as it is received after Registration Day. Non-resident registration will be processed the following week.

7. Players missing the registration period will be placed on a waiting list. Waiting list priority is to give the child the opportunity to play. Team assignments are made to any team throughout the town with the greatest need of players

8. All teams are coached by Volunteer Coaches and Assistants. Please indicate your interest in coaching on the registration form. Coaches training/certification is available through ASEP (American Sports Education Program) at no charge.

9. Please indicate participant's shirt size on registration form: YS – Youth Small (6-8), YM – Youth Medium (10-12), YL – Youth Large (14-16), AS – Adult Small, AM – Adult Medium, AL – Adult Large, AXL – Adult X-Large

Blast Ball

The Blast Ball league is the first level for boys and girls who are in the beginning years of playing ball. Blast Ball provides an ideal entry level of play for the youngster who will go on to other levels of the game. It is played with a maximum of 5 players per team. Defensive players take an infield or outfield position and a ball is placed on a tee. The batter hits the ball and runs to the base (only one base is used) where they score a run if they reach base before a defensive player either catches the ball or fields the ball and yells "BLAST". Teams bat through their lineup for one half inning and repeat.

Baseball gloves are not necessary since the ball is soft and light. Practices will be based on coaches availability. Players must wear tennis shoes. Games are at Marx Park on Wednesday evenings beginning June 12 and running through July 17 (weather dependent).

Blast Ball is for ages 4 - 6 (age as of May 1). Practices will be based on coaches availability. Players must wear tennis shoes.

FEE: \$25.00/participant

T-Ball

The T-ball league is the first level for boys and girls who are in the beginning years of playing ball. The number of kids on a team are kept to a minimum to allow for more playing and learning time. T-ball is for ages 6 - 8 (age as of May 1). Practices will be based on coaches availability. Players must wear tennis shoes. Games are at Marx Park on Wednesday evenings beginning June 12 and running through July 18 (weather dependent).

FEE: \$30.00/participant

Intermediate Baseball

The Intermediate Baseball league is a little more advanced and is a transitional level for boys and girls in between the T-ball level and the LOL level. The league will use coaches to pitch during practices and games which is different from years past when we used pitching machines. Intermediate baseball is for ages 7 - 9 (age as of May 1). Practices will be based on coaches availability. Tennis shoes must be worn (molded rubber spikes are okay, but are not required). Games are at Marx Park on Wednesday evenings beginning June 12 and running through July 18 (weather dependent).

FEE: \$30.00/participant

Land O' Leagues (LOL) Baseball/ Softball

The following baseball and softball teams will be representing the Town of Brookfield and playing other communities within Waukesha County. Practices will begin in May with days and times depending on the coaches availability. COACHES ARE NEEDED AT ALL LEVELS! *It is a Park and Recreation Committee policy that no player shall participate in more than one summer baseball team.*

LOL Player Requirements:

A copy of a birth certificate, before any participant is allowed to practice must be on file.

All LOL baseball players and Robins softball players need to purchase a gray pair of baseball pants and a black pair of stirrups (or colors chosen by team). Molded rubber spikes for all county teams are strongly suggested (no metal spikes). T-shirts or jerseys will be supplied by the department.

Fees for LOL Dewdrops/Sparrows/Robins level teams will be:

\$ 45.00/participant

Fees for LOL Raindrops/Puddles level teams will be (includes jersey):

\$ 65.00/participant

Baseball Levels:

Dewdrops: 8-10 yrs.; Players must be 8 years old and shall not have reached their 11th birthday before May 1, 2013 to be eligible. *Home games are generally played on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at Wray Park (away games can vary slightly on days).

Raindrops: 11-12 yrs.; Players must not be 13 before May 1, 2013 (born on or after 5/1/00); there are no minimum age requirements. *Home games are generally played on Monday and Thursday evenings at Marx and Wray Parks (away games can vary slightly on days).

Puddles: 13-14 yrs.; Players must not be 15 before May 1, 2013 (born on or after 5/1/98); there are no minimum age requirements. *Home games are generally played on Tuesday and Friday evenings at Marx Park (away games can vary slightly on days).

NOTE: PLAYERS PARTICIPATING IN HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL ARE NOT PERMITTED TO BEGIN SUMMER LEAGUE PRACTICES UNTIL THE HIGH SCHOOL GAMES ARE COMPLETED (WIAA RULES).

Softball Levels:

Note: All levels of slow pitch teams generally play on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Slow Pitch

Sparrows: 9-12 yrs.; Players are 12 years old and under. A player must not be 12 before May 1, 2013 (born on or after 5/1/01). Home games at Marx Park.

Fast Pitch

Robins: 12-14 yrs; Players are 14 years old and under. Players must not be 15 before May 1, 2013 (born on or after 5/1/98). Home games at Marx Park.

Parent's & Players Web Page

Let the Parent's & Player's Page simplify your life:

- You will be able to check the information you need from anywhere (school, office or home), at anytime, 24 hours -a-day
- The whole team gets the same accurate information
- You will always be updated with changes
- You will always be able to check field locations
- You can print out schedules and team rosters

Check out your information on the Park & Rec website:

www.townofbrookfield.com/parkhome.htm

Special Events & Attractions

Easter Egg Hunt

Presented by WaterStone Bank

All children 8 years old and under are invited to participate in the Easter Egg Hunt. Children will be grouped by ages. We will again have an Easter Egg "Crawl" for the tiny egg-hunters. Refreshments will be served. We are looking for adult volunteers to distribute eggs on the day of the event starting at 8:30 am. Call 796-3781 with questions or go to the website.

WHERE: Marx Park

WHEN: Saturday, March 30, 2013
10:00 am Sharp!
(Rain or Shine!)

FEE: FREE



Carp O' Rama

It's back! The most famous of all fishing tournaments (at least in the town) will return to Brook Park for everyone to enjoy. The derby is open to children ages 4-12 years old. Everyone should bring all of their own fishing equipment and pre-registration is mandatory; call 796-3781 or email parkrec@townofbrookfield.com.

Adult volunteers are needed. Brook Park is located in Brook Park Estates; west off of Barker Road, two blocks north of Bluemound Rd.

WHERE: Brook Park

WHEN: Saturday, June 1
8:30 am—10:30 am
(Rain or Shine!)

FEE: FREE



Annual 4th of July Celebration



The Annual 4th of July Celebration is a Town tradition. We guarantee that every member of your family will have outrageously fun activities to participate in again this year. The day will kick off with the parade at 9:00 a.m. This is followed by activities such as: ***Ice Cream;**

*juice boxes; inflatable rides; *games for all ages; *the Pie Eating Contest; *and the most delicious brats, hot dogs and hamburgers money can buy. All of this food will be sold for OUTRAGEOUSLY LOW PRICES.

Due to the unprecedented volume of visitors to the picnic, volunteers are desperately needed. Get your family, neighborhood, or church group together and lend a hand. Contact the Park & Rec for more information.

Individuals that would like to be in the parade that morning simply need to show up at the Elmbrook Church north

parking lot before 8:45 am. Groups and/or businesses that would like to participate should contact the Park & Recreation Department. Decorate your bike, buggy, wagon, float or carriage with the best that red, white and blue has to offer. Awards are given out to the best decorations so be creative!

Safety Town

This pre-school safety program, sponsored by the Brookfield Task Force on Public Safety Education, Inc., along with the City of Brookfield Police and Fire Departments, emphasizes traffic, fire, and personal safety. The program is for children who will be entering kindergarten in the Fall of 2013 (no exceptions). All sessions are held at Burleigh Elementary School.

Session 1: M – F, June 17 – June 21 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Session 2: M – F, June 24 – June 28 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Session 3: M – F, July 15 – July 19 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Registration In-Person: Saturday, May 11, from 9:00 – 10:00 a.m., in the Multi-purpose Room in City Hall

Maximum: 50/class, \$65.00 (includes Safety Town T-shirt)
Checks should be made payable to: Brookfield Task Force on Public Safety Education, Inc. Mail check and registration form to: Christine Lee, Attn: Safety Town, 1851 E. Moreland Blvd., Waukesha, WI 53186. Call 262-542-9369 for Safety Town information. Each session is limited to the first 50 children.

Note: Parents may register only their child. We are currently accepting applications for Teen Volunteers. For more information, contact: Sara Field at: 262-794-3267, or sara.field@att.net.

Big Splash Day

Presented by WaterStone Bank



Who needs a pool!! Beat the heat and come to Marx Park for a day of wet, wild fun!! Bring your squirt guns (the bigger, the better), water balloons, and your swimsuits and get ready to **get wet**. We will have hoses and sprinklers to keep the

water flowing and plenty of places to fill up water balloons and squirt guns. Refreshments will be provided for everyone to keep the insides as wet and cool as the outsides. Bring the whole family down for the day. We'll run around in the sun and have tons of fun!

WHEN: Thursday, August 15
12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

WHERE: Marx Park

FEE: FREE





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Park & Recreation Department
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www.townofbrookfield.com

Registration Day
Saturday, April 13
8:00 am - 9:30 am