



# Western DuPage

Special Recreation Association

Enriching Lives.  
Connecting Communities.  
Creating Fun.

## FAMILY FUN FEST

THE ultimate  
end-of-summer  
celebration!

## SUMMER FUN STARTS HERE!

- Coffee Crawl
- In-Between Club
- Wildcat Training Camp

SUMMER 2024 PROGRAM GUIDE



Our Mission	Our Vision	Core Values
We enrich lives, connect communities and create fun through inclusive recreational opportunities.	A world of opportunities, belonging and individuals reaching their full potential.	Respect • Passion • Innovation Integrity • Communication Collaboration • Fun

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### SUMMER REGISTRATION

Registration Begins: April 29th at 9am  
Registration Ends: May 3rd at 5pm

**Conformations will be sent  
out the week of May 20th.**

## WDSRA OFFICE

*The office is temporarily closed to the public.*

116 N. Schmale Road, Carol Stream, IL 60188  
**630-681-0962**

[WWW.WDSRA.COM](http://WWW.WDSRA.COM)

*After hours and on the weekends, please leave a voice mail message. Staff will return your call as soon as possible. WDSRA continues to have an Emergency Call Forwarding Feature on our phone system for the benefit of parents and staff. If you have an emergency on the weekend, you can call the WDSRA office, 630-681-0962, and listen to the prompt.*

*Si usted habla español y desea más información sobre los programas y servicios de WDSRA, por favor marque 630-681-0962 y pregunte por Rosa Matos. Rosa está disponible para servirle durante el horario de WDSRA, de Lunes a Viernes, 9:00am-4:00pm.*



**New Program**



**Requires Walking**

requires participant to keep pace with group and requires a lot of walking.

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The WDSRA Board of Directors meets every other month. These meetings are usually held at WDSRA and are open to any community member. Call the office or visit [www.wdsra.com](http://www.wdsra.com) for the time and location of each meeting.

## Certification & Credentials

Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist (CTRS) and Certified Park and Recreation Professional (CPRP) are designations granted to professionals who can demonstrate through education and work experience that they meet the criteria set by the National Recreation and Park Association (NRPA) Certification Board and the National Council for Therapeutic Recreation Certification. These professionals have a Bachelor's or higher degree from an NRPA-accredited program, have passed a certification exam, and earn and maintain sanctioned Continuing Educational Units (CEU).

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# WDSRA FOUNDATION



It All Starts With a Gift . . . Helping Sustain In-Person Programs, Virtual Programs and Inclusion Services.

## Making Special Recreation Available to All Families!

Keeping programs affordable and accessible is our commitment. Because of the labor intensive nature of our programs, the constant fluctuation of part-time staff needs, and rising costs overall, we continually need to bridge the gap between the cost of programming and the support received through tax revenues. That gap is filled through the generosity of grantors and donors. **Learn more at [www.wdsra.com](http://www.wdsra.com).**

### The WDSRA Foundation

- Assists with scholarships, vehicle purchases, program supplies, inclusion services, special projects and more
- Generates funding through donations, sponsorships, events, appeals and more
- Proceeds benefit WDSRA participants and families

For more information on the WDSRA Foundation, contact WDSRA Superintendent of Communications & Development, Lea Jackman at 630-681-0962 ext 580 or [leaj@wdsra.com](mailto:leaj@wdsra.com).

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*All donations made to the WDSRA Foundation go directly to support WDSRA programs and services. A 501 (C) 3 not-for-profit organization.*



## Charlie Long/WDSRA Golf Classic

**Monday, June 3, 2024**  
Arrowhead Golf Club, Wheaton

You get to enjoy a great day of golf knowing that your contributions are creating a better life for children, teens and adults with special needs. With 18 holes of fun and sun, you are supporting the quality community-based programming on which our families and participants rely. Funds may be used to support programming needs, purchase sensory materials, scholarships, and more.

### It's a win for you and for WDSRA!

*Complete details at [www.wdsra.com](http://www.wdsra.com).*





# family FUN FEST

FREE

ALL AGES

JOIN THE FUN!

THE Ultimate End-of-Summer Celebration!

Grab your friends, family and neighbors for **THE LAST BIG PARTY** of the season. There will be carnival & yard games, inflatables, mini golf, face painting, balloon artist, air brush tattoos, hot dog cart, popcorn, Kona Ice, Dj. **Friends and family invited!**

Sunday, September 8

1:00-4:00pm

Riverwalk Grand Pavilion, Naperville

*See page 17 for full details.*

## Coffee CRAWL

Saturday mornings are for sipping coffee, eating pastries, and chatting about weekend plans with your friends.

*See page 20 for details.*

## IN-BE-TWEEN CLUB

Families asked and we delivered! Exclusively for tweens, this is THE place to be for the coolest friendships and the most unforgettable moments.

*See page 22 for details.*


## DANCE FOR FUN



Hey kids! We'll turn up your favorite tunes and learn some of the newest dances. You'll be able to take your new moves to any dance floor.

*See page 23 for details.*

## WATER AEROBICS



Grab your towel and join us in the therapy pool with this low impact water workout!

*See page 31 for details.*

## WILDCAT TRAINING FLAG FOOTBALL CAMP



Training camp is here! Now you can train like the pros do in preseason.

*See page 31 for details.*



CHECK OUT  
THESE GREAT  
CLASSES!

# SPECIAL EVENTS



## Summer Kick-Off Party - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 16 years & older**

Kick off your summer with a party! We will be playing outdoor games and serving up some of your favorite snacks including Kona Ice snow cones. The fun continues with a magician who will be putting on a magical show you won't want to miss. Meet at Seven Gables Park in Wheaton, behind the playground at the Gazebo. This program may be cancelled due to inclement weather.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300007-1	SU	2:00-4:30pm	6/2

Location: Seven Gables Park, Wheaton

Fee: \$53

## Hollywood Palms - Megan Maulding

**Ages 18 years & older**

Join us for a night at Hollywood Palms, where we will catch the latest film with friends! We will be screening a G, PG, or PG-13 movie. Your fee covers both dinner and a movie ticket. It's the perfect way to enjoy an evening filled with great food and entertainment! Please note: An email will be sent out the week before with the name of the movie. Transportation will not be provided. You must meet the group directly at the movie theater.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300008-1	W	6:00-9:00pm	6/12

Location: Hollywood Palms, Naperville

Fee: \$60

## Cosmic Laser Light Show - Katie Leone



**Ages 16 years & older**

Start your summer by joining WDSRA at the Cosmic Laser Light Show at Triton College. Here, you watch brilliant laser lights and visual effects performed to the famous hits of Lady Gaga. From Bad Romance to Born This Way, you will experience a magnificent performance.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300009-1	SA	8:30-9:30pm	6/15

Location: Triton College, River Grove

Fee: \$35

Drop-off WPDCC: 7:30pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 10:15pm

## Tiki Terrace Dinner & Show - Katie Leone

**Ages 18 years & older**

WDSRA is taking you on a mini vacation! Come with us to the Tiki Terrace to eat a three-course meal in a Hawaiian-themed venue while experiencing a Luau. You will enjoy all the sights, sounds, and tastes of the South Pacific!

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300010-1	SA	4:15-7:15pm	6/22

Location: The Tiki Terrace, Des Plaines

Fee: \$110

Drop-off WPDCC: 3:15pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 8:15pm



## Kane County Cougars - Megan Maulding

**Ages 16 years & older**

We invite you to join us for an afternoon at the ballpark! Come and experience America's favorite pastime as we watch the Kane County Cougars face off against the Lake County Dockhounds. It's the perfect opportunity to experience the excitement of the game and soak in the atmosphere of baseball! The program fee includes a game ticket and a meal voucher for a hot dog, chips, and a soda. Dietary restrictions cannot be accommodated for the meal voucher. However, you may bring additional money if you'd like concessions.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300011-1	SU	1:00-4:00pm	6/23

Location: Kane County Cougars, Geneva

Fee: \$56

Drop-off WPDCC: 12:00pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 4:45pm

## Dance Around the World - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 18 years & older**

Oh, the places you'll go! See the world in one night and try different cuisines that originated from other countries. Appetizers and refreshments will be provided while DJ Chris plays your favorite tunes as we dance the night away. **Naperville Crew and Carol Stream Cruisers will be attending this dance. If you are enrolled in one of these clubs, please do not register for this event. Location to be determined.**

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300012-1	F	6:30-8:30pm	6/28

Location: Wheaton Area

Fee: \$42

Drop-off Fort Hill: 5:45pm

Pick-up Fort Hill: 9:15pm

Drop-off On-Site: 6:30pm

Pick-up On-Site: 8:30pm

## Museum of Illusions - Kristen Stepniak

**NEW!**

**Ages 18 years & older**

You won't believe your eyes when entering the Museum of Illusions! Immerse yourself in mind blowing illusion rooms where you will grow, shrink, defy gravity, walk on walls and more. Ride in style with a limo that will be taking the group to the museum and back. Please be aware when registering that the illusion rooms are meant to trick the mind and your senses. If you would like more information about this museum, visit their website at [www.moichicago.com](http://www.moichicago.com) to get a sneak peek of what the rooms consist of.

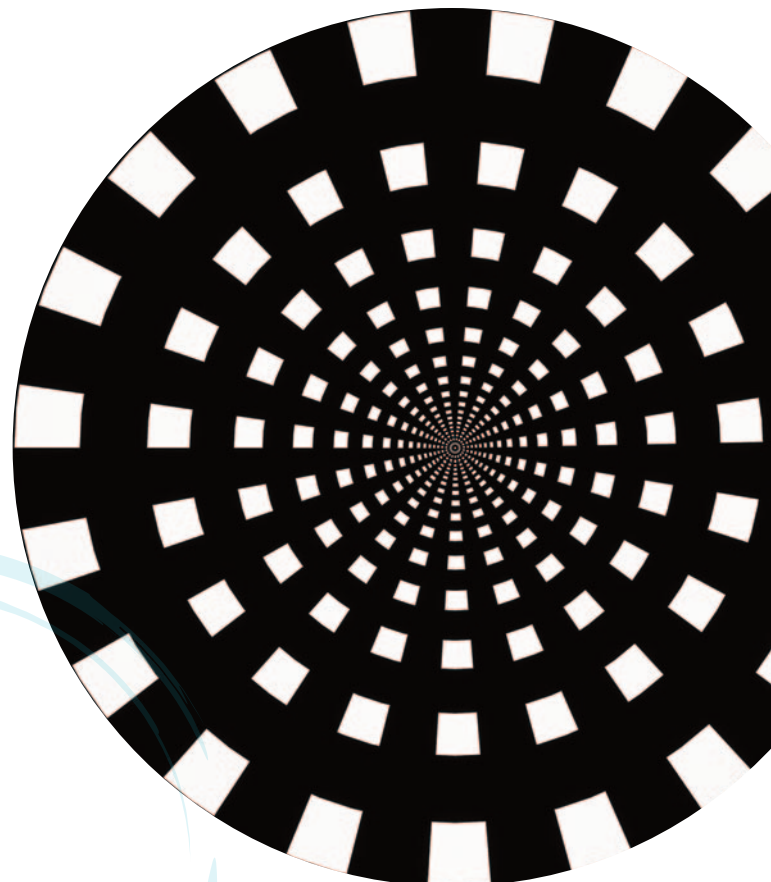
Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300013-1	SA	2:00-3:30pm	6/29

Location: Museum of Illusions, Chicago

Fee: \$121

Drop-off WPDCC: 12:45pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 4:45pm



# SPECIAL EVENTS

## Studio Movie Grill - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 18 years & older**

Movie lovers, we are headed to the big screen! Dinner and the movie are included in the program fee. Depending on the length of the movie, the drop-off and pick-up times may change. You will be contacted prior to the event with final times and with the movie title. The group will be seated in a private theater and the showtimes are different than what is displayed on the theater's website. Depending on the month, movies can either be classics or new. The movie will be G, PG or PG-13.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300015-1	W	5:30-8:30pm	7/10

Location: Studio Movie Grill, Wheaton

Fee: \$50

Drop-off Studio Movie Grill: 5:30pm

Pick-up Studio Movie Grill: 8:30pm

## Schaumburg Boomers - Katie Leone

**Ages 18 years & older**

We invite you to join us for an evening at the ballpark! Come and experience America's favorite past time as we watch the Schaumburg Boomers face off against the Windy City Thunderbolts. It's the perfect opportunity to experience the excitement of the game and soak in the atmosphere of baseball! The program fee includes a game ticket and a meal voucher for a hot dog, chips, and a soda. Dietary restrictions cannot be accommodated for the meal voucher. However, you may bring additional money if you'd like concessions.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300016-1	SA	6:30-9:30pm	7/13

Location: Wintrust Field, Schaumburg

Fee: \$62

Drop-off WPDCC: 5:15pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 10:15pm

## BUNCO - Megan Maulding

**Ages 16 years & older**

Roll on over for an exciting BUNCO night! Join us to play BUNCO, savor delicious food from a local restaurant, win prizes, and spend quality time with friends. It's sure to be a memorable and fun-filled evening!

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300017-1	SU	3:30-6:00pm	7/14

Location: ARRCC, Naperville

Fee: \$45

Drop-off WDSRA: 2:45pm

Pick-up WDSRA: 6:45pm

Drop-off ARRCC: 3:30pm

Pick-Up ARRCC: 6:00pm

## LOL Comedy Show - Kristen Stepniak

NEW!

**Ages 18 years & older**

Laughter is the best remedy! This is a family friendly comedy show that will get you laughing with your friends. WDSRA will provide pizza, refreshments, and popcorn during the show.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300018-1	SA	7:30-9:00pm	7/20

Location: Laugh Out Loud Theater, Schaumburg

Fee: \$67

Drop-off WPDCC: 6:45pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 9:30pm

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## Fishing Derby - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 16 years & older**

Fishing is the reel deal! This will be a peaceful day at the pond catching a variety of fish alongside your friends. Bring a sack lunch as the group will eat together outdoors. A ranger from the forest preserve will supply all the equipment and lead the activity.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300019-1	SU	11:00-1:00pm	7/21

Location: Herrick Lake Forest Preserve, Wheaton  
Fee: \$25

Drop-off WPDCC: 10:45am  
Pick-up WPDCC: 1:15pm

## Blue Man Group - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 18 years & older**

The Blue Man Group performances are celebrations of human connection through art, music, comedy, and non-verbal communication. You will rock, laugh, and party at this unique show! Ride in style with a limo that will be taking the group to the show and back.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300021-1	SA	2:00-4:00pm	7/27

Location: Briar Street Theater, Chicago  
Fee: \$160

Drop-off WPDCC: 12:00pm  
Pick-up WPDCC: 5:15pm

## Hawaiian Luau Dance - Katie Leone

**Ages 18 years & older**

Aloha! We will have a blast dancing the night away, Luau style. Dress up in Hawaiian-themed costumes and experience tropical refreshments with your friends. Come ready to dance! **Wheaton Socialites and Naperville Nighthawks will be attending this event. If you are enrolled in one of these clubs, please do not register for this event. Location to be determined.**

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300020-1	F	6:30-8:30pm	7/26

Location: Wheaton Area  
Fee: \$42

Drop-off Fort Hill: 5:45pm  
Pick-up Fort Hill: 9:15pm

Drop-off On-Site: 6:30pm  
Pick-up On-Site: 8:30pm



# SPECIAL EVENTS

## Wonderverse & Dinner

- Kristen Stepniak



**Ages 18 years & older**

Step into the world of virtual reality! Virtual reality is a simulated experience that gives you an immersive feel of a virtual world. Scenes and objects appear to be real, making you feel like you're in their surroundings. At Wonderverse, the group will have the chance to experience Ghostbuster VR.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300022-1	SU	4:00-6:00pm	7/28

Location: Wonderverse, Oakbrook

Fee: \$104

Drop-off WPDCC: 3:15pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 7:00pm

## People's Resource Center

### Art Class - Katie Leone

**Ages 18 years & older**

WDSRA is collaborating with People's Resource Center. This special event will focus on creating your own personal collage with various materials such as stickers, feathers, sequins, foam pieces, and more.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300023-1	TU	6:30-8:00pm	7/30

Location: People Resource Center, Wheaton - 201 S Naperville Rd, Wheaton, IL 60187

Fee: \$28



## Movie in the Park - Zootopia - Katie Leone

**Ages 16 years & older**

Ever wanted to watch a movie under the stars? Now you can! Join us outdoors at the Carol Stream Park District to watch the 2016 Disney hit "Zootopia". You don't want to miss this vibrant and heartwarming story! Bring your own snack, blanket, and chair. More details will be emailed one week prior to this event.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300036-1	TH	7:30-10:00pm	8/1

Location: Fountain View Recreation, Carol Stream

Fee: \$30

Drop-off Fort Hill: 6:45pm

Pick-up Fort Hill: 10:45pm

Drop-off Fountain View Recreation: 7:30pm

Pick-up Fountain View Recreation: 10:00pm

## Hibachi Dinner - Megan Maulding



**Ages 18 years & older**

Join us for an unforgettable evening of entertainment and Japanese cuisine! Highly skilled chefs are ready to dazzle you with their culinary expertise as they prepare your favorite dishes right before your eyes on a traditional hibachi table. Don't miss out on this dynamic dining experience that promises to captivate all your senses.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300024-1	SA	4:00-6:00pm	8/3

Location: Kiku, 2764 Aurora Ave, Naperville

Fee: \$70

Drop-off WDSRA: 3:15pm

Pick-up WDSRA: 6:45pm

Drop-off Kiku: 4:00pm

Pick-up Kiku: 6:00pm

# SPECIAL EVENTS



## Cubs VS Sox Watch Party - Katie Leone

**Ages 16 years & older**

The ultimate Chicago baseball showdown! Rock your team gear, cheer for your team and feel the excitement of the game as both teams battle it out for bragging rights. You bring the team spirit and we will bring the refreshments.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300026-1	F	7:00-9:45pm	8/9

Location: Fountain View Recreation, Carol Stream

Fee: \$40

Drop-off Fort Hill: 6:15pm

Pick-up Fort Hill: 10:30pm

Drop-off Fountain View Recreation: 7:00pm

Pick-up Fountain View Recreation: 9:45pm

## Hollywood Palms - Megan Maulding

**Ages 18 years & older**

Experience the latest film with friends! We will be screening a G, PG, or PG-13 movie, and the fee covers both dinner and a movie ticket. It's the perfect combination for an evening out! Please note: an email will be sent out the week before with the name of the movie. Transportation will not be provided. You must meet the group directly at the movie theater.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300025-1	W	6:00-9:00pm	8/7

Location: Hollywood Palms, Naperville

Fee: \$60

## Raging Waves Waterpark - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 16 years & older**

Experience the thrill of the largest waterpark in Illinois! Waterslides, lazy rivers, swimming pools, and more will help cool you off on a hot summer day! Participants will need to bring money to purchase lunch at the park.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300027-1	SA	10:00-2:00pm	8/10

Location: Raging Waves Waterpark, Yorkville

Fee: \$75

Drop-off WPDCC: 9:00am

Pick-up WPDCC: 2:45pm

Baseball game, movies, water park fun!

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## Lemont Car Show - Kristen Stepniak Ages 18 years & older



Do you enjoy the unique makes and models of a variety of cars? Then this event is for you! Spend your summer evening at the Lemont Car Show. We will check out all the cars, listen to music, and get dinner at Digs on Canal.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300029-1	W	6:00-8:30pm	8/14

Location: Downtown Lemont

Fee: \$54

Drop-off WPDCC: 5:15pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 9:00pm



## Dancing in the Park - Megan Maulding Ages 18 years & older

Indulge in an evening of dancing at the Naperville Grand Pavilion. The DJ will be spinning tunes, refreshments will be served, and activities will be available for everyone to enjoy. Please note: if you are meeting onsite, please enter through the Centennial Beach parking lot and check-in at the pavilion with a WDSRA staff.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300030-1	F	6:00-8:00pm	8/16

Location: Grand Pavilion, Naperville

Fee: \$42

Drop-off WDSRA: 5:15pm

Pick-up WDSRA: 8:45pm

Drop-off Grand Pavilion: 6:00pm

Pick-up Grand Pavilion: 8:00pm



## Galloping Ghost Arcade - Kristen Stepniak Ages 18 years & older



We are going old school at this arcade! Galloping Ghost Arcade is the largest video arcade in America. You will find over 800 original games that have come from all over the world to play including Pac Man, Donkey Kong, and more. The best part is you have unlimited play time on all the games.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300031-1	SA	1:30-3:00pm	8/17

Location: Galloping Ghost Arcade, Brookfield

Fee: \$51

Drop-off WPDCC: 12:45pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 3:45pm



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# SPECIAL EVENTS



## Chicago Dogs Game - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 16 years & older**

We invite you to join us for an afternoon at the ballpark! Come and experience America's favorite pastime as we watch the Chicago Dogs face off against the Lake Country Dockhounds. It's the perfect opportunity to experience the excitement of the game and soak in the atmosphere of baseball! The program fee includes a game ticket and a meal voucher for a hot dog, chips, and a soda. Dietary restrictions cannot be accommodated for the meal voucher. However, you may bring additional money if you'd like concessions.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300033-1	SA	6:00-9:15pm	8/24

Location: Impact Field, Rosemont

Fee: \$55

Drop-off WPDCC: 4:45pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 10:00pm

## Chicago Cubs Game - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 18 years & older**

Go Cubs Go! We are headed to the ballpark to see the Chicago Cubs bat against the Toronto Blue Jays. Ride in style with a limo that will be taking the group to the game and back. Tickets, food, and limo are included in the program fee. All bags must be smaller than 16 x 16 x 8 inches. Plastic water bottles can be brought into the arena but must be sealed and unopened. The stadium is cashless, plan to bring a credit card for additional concessions you want to purchase.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300032-1	SU	1:00-4:30pm	8/18

Location: Wrigley Field, Chicago

Fee: \$171

Drop-off WPDCC: 11:00am

Pick-up WPDCC: 5:45pm

## Six Flags

### Great America - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 18 years & older**

We are calling all thrill-seekers! It's time to have the ride of your life as we venture through Six Flags Great America Theme Park. The program fee includes your ticket, parking, and a one-day dining deal package. You will be able to eat at the park all day long. Participants registered must be able to walk long distances independently and have the ability to go on all rides with the group and staff. Remember to dress appropriately for the weather.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300034-1	SU	11:00-6:00pm	8/25

Location: Great America, Gurnee

Fee: \$163

Drop-off WPDCC: 9:30am

Pick-up WPDCC: 7:30pm

# SPECIAL EVENTS



## Studio Movie Grill - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 18 years & older**

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Code	Day	Time	Dates
4400001-1	W	5:30-8:30pm	9/4

Location: Studio Movie Grill, Wheaton

Fee: \$50

Drop-off Studio Movie Grill: 5:30pm

Pick-up Studio Movie Grill: 8:30pm

## Saddle Up - Megan Maulding

**Ages 21 years & older**

Round up your friends and join us for a boot-scootin' good time! Experience dinner, dancing, and unforgettable fun at Saddle Up Saloon. Saddle Up is a country-themed entertainment and sports bar where we will learn how to line dance from the pros! You must be at least 21 years old and bring a valid ID.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300035-1	W	6:00-8:30pm	8/28

Location: Saddle Up Saloon, Naperville

Fee: \$60

Drop-off WPDCC: 5:15pm

Pick-up WPDCC: 9:15pm

Drop-off Fort Hill: 5:45pm

Pick-up Fort Hill: 8:45pm

## Bags & BBQ - Katie Leone

**Ages 16 years & older**

Summer is NOT over yet! Spend your Friday evening joining us for this fun-filled event to celebrate the remaining days of summer. Nature, Bag games, delicious BBQ, and friendship will end your summer on a high note. You don't want to miss this! Transportation will not be provided for this event. Please meet onsite at Seven Gables Park at the pavilion.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4400002-1	F	6:00-8:00pm	9/6

Location: Seven Gables Park, Wheaton

Fee: \$35





# SPECIAL EVENTS



## Shopping, Lunch & Train Adventure - Megan Maulding

**Ages 18 years & older**



Treat yourself to an afternoon of fun, food, and shopping with friends! Join us as we take a quick Metra Train ride to the beautiful and historic city of Geneva. Explore over 100 specialty shops, sweet shops, and fine restaurants. The group will enjoy a delicious lunch at Burger Local where they serve the best burgers in the suburbs! Please wear gym shoes and dress for the weather. The cost of the train ticket and lunch are included in the program. If you wish to purchase souvenirs or a sweet treat, please bring money.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4400004-1	SA	11:00-4:15pm	9/14

Location: Geneva

Fee: \$70

Drop-off WPDCC: 11:00am

Pick-up WPDCC: 4:15pm



**THE Ultimate End-of-Summer Celebration!**

## Family Fun Fest – Emily Ackerman

**All ages**

It's the ultimate end-of-summer celebration! Grab your friends, family and neighbors for the last BIG party of the season. There will be games, activities, music, snacks, and more! Everyone is invited to this FREE event. See our ad on page 6 for details.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300028-1	SU	1:00-4:00pm	9/8

Location: Riverwalk Grand Pavilion, Naperville

Fee: Free

## Riverboat Cruise - Megan Maulding

**Ages 18 years & older**

Enjoy a sense of peace and tranquility as you cruise the scenic Fox River on the paddlewheel riverboat! After the boat ride, we will take a walk-through picturesque Pottawatomie Park. The group will end the afternoon by enjoying a delicious lunch with friends at Alter Brewing Company. Dress for the weather. Please wear gym shoes.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4400005-1	SU	12:15-3:15	9/15

Location: Pottawatomie Park, St. Charles

Fee: \$72

Drop-off WPDCC: 11:45am

Pick-up WPDCC: 4:00pm



## FTEA UPDATE

We were excited to partner with FTEA for horsemanship this summer, however they have permanently closed.

# SOCIAL PROGRAMS



## Red: Movie Mania – Megan Maulding

**Ages 18 years & older**

It's show time! Join us at Hollywood Palms to watch the latest movie with some friends. Your movie ticket is included in the fee. Participants must bring their own money for dinner and are required to purchase at least one item from the menu. Times are approximate and may change based on showtime. Get ready for a cinematic experience with great company!

**Please note: an email with the movie, showtime, and pick-up times will be sent out the week before.** The movies will be rated G, PG, PG-13 or R. Transportation is not provided. You must meet the group directly at the movie theater.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302003-1	M	6:00-9:00pm (T)	6/17, 7/1, 7/15

Location: Hollywood Palms, Naperville

Fee: \$90

Drop-off Hollywood Palms: 6:00pm

Pick-up Hollywood Palms: TBD

## Program Transportation

For safety purposes participants must go home the same way they arrived. Vehicles may be pre-assigned and WDSRA cannot guarantee they will be on the same bus as friends/ significant others.

## Dinner & A Movie - Katie Leone

**Ages 18 years & older**

Lights, Camera, Action! We will be showing a G, PG, or PG13 movie at Fountain View that will be voted on by the group. While we watch the movie, WDSRA will provide a delicious dinner. See you there!

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302000-1	M	6:30-8:45pm	6/17-7/22

Location: Fountain View Recreation, Carol Stream

Fee: \$85

Drop-off Fox Bowl: 6:00pm

Pick-up Fox Bowl: 9:15pm

Drop-off Fountain View: 6:30pm

Pick-up Fountain View: 8:45pm

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# SOCIAL PROGRAMS

## Blue: Ice Cream Social - Megan Maulding Ages 16 years & older

Here's the scoop: we think the best way to celebrate summer is with ice cream! Join us as we sprinkle on the fun at a variety of local ice cream shops. The group will meet at ARRCC and travel to different ice cream shops each date. It's a sweet way to explore new flavors and enjoy the summer vibes together! If you are enrolled in bowling, transportation will be provided. Please bring a picnic dinner to eat before we have ice cream. If you are not coming from bowling, meet onsite at ARRCC and you can choose to eat dinner before you arrive, or bring a picnic dinner to eat with the group. A schedule will be sent a week prior to the start date.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302009-1	TH	7:00-8:30pm	6/27, 7/18, 8/1

Location: Naperville Area  
Fee: \$70

Drop-off Bowlero: 6:30pm  
Drop-off ARRCC: 6:45pm  
Pick-up ARRCC: 8:30pm



## Blue: Mini Golf Madness - Katie Leone Ages 16 years & older

Summer, friends, and mini golf! In this program, you will get the chance to play 18 holes with your friends. What a perfect way to celebrate summer! A mini golf schedule will be emailed a week prior to the start date. All participants must meet at WDSRA and take transportation to and from the mini golf location. **Please note:** some mini-golf courses are not wheelchair friendly.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302001-1	TH	6:15-7:45pm	6/27, 7/18, 8/1

Location: Varies  
Fee: \$63

Drop-off WDSRA: 6:00pm  
Pick-up WDSRA: 8:00pm

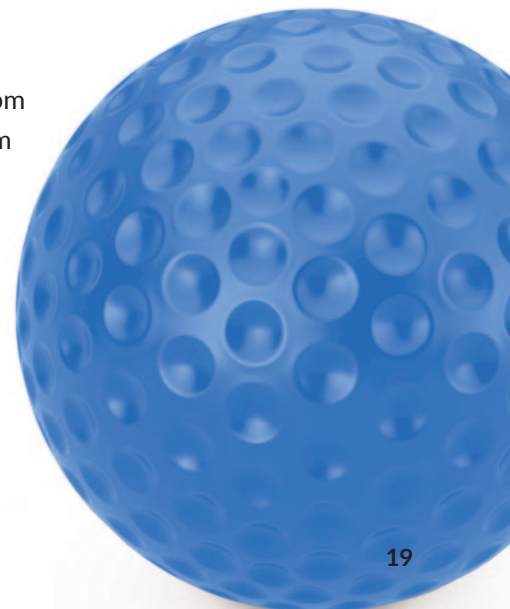
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Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302010-1	TH	7:00-8:30pm	6/20, 7/11, 7/25

Location: Naperville Area  
Fee: \$69

Drop-off Bowlero: 6:30pm  
Pick-up Bowlero: 9:00pm



# SOCIAL PROGRAMS

## Red: Summer Night Concerts - Katie Leone Ages 16 years & older

Join us for the Summer Celebration Series in Carol Stream. In this program, we will get the chance to listen to different genres of music on a beautiful summer night. Rock out with your WDSRA friends! Participants will need to bring their own blanket or lawn chair. All participants must meet at WDSRA and take transportation to and from Fountain View.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302002-1	TH	7:00-9:00pm	6/20, 7/11, 7/25

Location: Fountain View Recreation, Carol Stream  
Fee: \$55

Drop off WDSRA: 6:30pm  
Pick up WDSRA: 9:30pm

## Swim at Rice Pool - Kristen Stepniak Ages 16 years & older

Cool down during the summer evening at Rice Pool! Whether you relax in the pool, go down a water slide, or underneath a waterfall, you're bound to have a good time. If you are coming from bowling, transportation will be provided immediately afterward. If you are not coming from bowling, you will meet on-site at Rice Pool in Wheaton. Please bring money for concessions as the group will eat together. You may also choose to eat dinner before you arrive.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302004-1	M	5:15-7:15pm	6/17-7/22

Location: Rice Pool, Wheaton  
Fee: \$81

Drop-off Fox Bowl: 5:00pm  
Drop-off Rice Pool: 5:15pm  
Pick-up Rice Pool: 7:15pm

# Coffee CRAWL

NEW!

## Coffee Crawl Ages 18 years & older

Saturday mornings are for sipping coffee, eating pastries, and chatting about weekend plans with your friends. The group will be walking to a different coffee shop each week from Central Athletics. In the event of inclement weather, you will need to be dropped off at the coffee location. Coffee and pastry are included in the program fee. A schedule of the coffee shops will be sent a week prior to the program.

## Red: Coffee Crawl - Kristen Stepniak

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302005-1	SA	9:00-10:30am	6/22, 7/13, 7/27

Location: Central Athletics Complex, Wheaton  
Fee: \$77

Drop-off Central Athletics Complex: 9:00am  
Pick-up Central Athletics Complex: 10:30am

## Blue: Coffee Crawl - Megan Maulding

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302006-1	SA	9:00-10:30am	6/29, 7/20, 8/3

Location: ARRCC, Naperville  
Fee: \$77

Drop-off ARRCC: 9:00am  
Pick-up ARRCC: 10:30am



# SOCIAL PROGRAMS



## Blue: Patio Party - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 18 years & older**

Evenings will be spent on the patio with good views and good food! Each week, the group will be walking to a different restaurant and exploring great food as we enjoy the summer weather. A schedule will be sent a week prior to the program.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302008-1	W	6:00-8:30pm	6/26, 7/17, 7/31

Location: Varies

Fee: \$124

Drop-off Central Athletics Complex: 6:00pm

Pick-up Central Athletics Complex: 8:30pm

Drop-off WDSRA: 5:30pm

Pick-up WDSRA: 9:00pm

## Red: Ice Cream Social - Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 18 years & older**

Here's the scoop: we think the best way to celebrate summer is with ice cream! Join us as we sprinkle on the fun at a variety of local ice cream shops. The group will meet at Central Athletics and walk to different ice cream shops each date. It's a sweet way to explore new flavors and enjoy the summer vibes together! A schedule will be sent a week prior to the program.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4302007-1	W	6:00-8:00pm	6/19, 7/10, 7/24

Location: Central Athletics Complex, Wheaton

Fee: \$75

Drop-off Central Athletics Complex: 6:00pm

Pick-up Central Athletics Complex: 8:00pm

Drop-off WDSRA: 5:30pm

Pick-up WDSRA: 8:30pm



What's your favorite flavor?

# SOCIAL CLUBS

## Friday Night Social Club

Make Fridays your night out with friends! A new activity every week keeps the fun going. Don't miss out on the excitement, laughter, and adventure. The ultimate way to spice up your Friday nights! *Activities and outings may occur between the hours of 6-9 pm. Some activities may require additional spending money, and you may be asked to meet onsite at the location. A detailed activity schedule will be emailed one week before the start date and posted on the WDSRA website under schedule and forms.*

### Red: Nighthawks - Megan Maulding

Ages 18-29 years

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4301002-1	F	6:00-9:00pm	6/21, 7/12, 7/26

Location: Fort Hill, Naperville

Fee: \$85

### Blue: Naperville Crew - Megan Maulding

Ages 30 years & older

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4301003-1	F	6:00-9:00pm	6/28, 7/19, 8/2

Location: Fort Hill, Naperville

Fee: \$85

### Blue: Carol Stream Cruisers - Katie Leone

Ages 18-29 years

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4301001-1	F	6:00-9:00pm	6/28, 7/19, 8/2

Location: Fountain View Recreation, Carol Stream

Fee: \$85

### Red: Wheaton Socialites - Kristen Stepniak

Ages 30 years & older

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4301000-1	F	6:00-9:00pm	6/21, 7/12, 7/26

Location: Central Athletics Complex, Wheaton

Fee: \$85

### Blue: Teen Scene - Kristen Stepniak

Ages 14-21 years

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4301004-1	F	6:00-9:00pm	6/28, 7/19, 8/2

Location: Central Athletics Complex, Wheaton

Fee: \$75



## Saturday Night Social Club

### Blue: In-Be-Tween Club - Megan Maulding

Ages 8-14 years

Families asked and we delivered! Exclusively for tweens, this is THE place to be for the coolest friendships and the most unforgettable moments. A new activity each week keeps the fun fresh. Don't miss out! Please note: some activities may require additional spending money and you may be asked to meet onsite at the location. A detailed schedule will be emailed one week before the start date and posted on the WDSRA website under schedule and forms.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4301005-1	SA	4:00-6:00pm	6/29, 7/20, 8/3

Location: Fort Hill, Naperville

Fee: \$75



# CULTURAL ARTS PROGRAMS



## Blue: Craft- n-Creation - Katie Leone

**Ages 16 years & older**

In this program, we will be diving into new and unique crafts that will stretch your art abilities. Various techniques will be taught, including painting, drawing, collage, and so much more.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4304000-1	M	7:00-8:00pm	6/24, 7/8, 7/22

Location: Fort Hill, Naperville

Fee: \$80

## Drumline - Katie Leone

**Ages 14 years & older**

In cooperation with the Rosemont Cavalier Drum and Bugle Corps, WDSRA is excited to offer this drumming program. You will get the chance to learn new percussion with a group called King Cobras Drumline. Can't wait to see you there!

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4304001-1	TU	6:00-7:00pm	5/28-6/18

Performance: 6/30

Location: St. Irene's, Warrenville

Fee: \$40

## Just Dancin' - Katie Leone

**Ages 16 years & older**

Express yourself, get fit, and share the fun with friends as you learn the latest dance moves. Dance to your favorite tunes and create unforgettable memories on the dance floor.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4304004-1	TH	6:00-7:00pm	6/27-8/8

Location: ARC Center, West Chicago

Fee: \$50

No Program: 7/4

## Colorguard - Katie Leone

**Ages 14 years & older**

We are excited to continue collaborating with the fantastic Rosemont Cavalier Drum and Bugle Corps. You will get the chance to learn new dances and flag sequences. This room is not wheelchair accessible.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4304002-1	TU	7:00-8:00pm	5/28-6/18

Performance: 6/30

Location: St. Irene's gym, Warrenville

Fee: \$40



## Dance for Fun - Katie Leone

**Age 8-15 years**

We'll turn up the tunes and learn some of the newest dances. Our instructor will keep this class lively, teach basic skills and dance floor etiquette. Take that energy and shake it off, shake it off... all while making new friends!

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4304003-1	TU	4:00-5:00 pm	6/18-7/23

Location: Xilian (1163 E. Ogden Ave., Ste 610

Naperville, IL 60563)

Fee: \$50

# INDIVIDUAL PROGRAMS



## Individual Piano & Voice - Katie Leone

**Ages 6 years & older**

Find your inner maestro and express yourself through music. Take one-on-one lessons with a professional music instructor! The instructor will adjust your lesson to fit your musical needs. This is a 6-week program. You have the option to choose piano or voice.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4303000-1	M	5:00-5:30pm	6/17-7/29
4303000-2	M	5:30-6:00pm	6/17-7/29
4303000-3	M	6:00-6:30pm	6/17-7/29
4303000-4	M	6:30-7:00pm	6/17-7/29

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4303001-1	TH	6:30-7:00pm	6/20-8/1
4303001-2	TH	7:00-7:30pm	6/20-8/1
4303001-3	TH	7:30-8:00pm	6/20-8/1
4303001-4	TH	8:00-8:30pm	6/20-8/1

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4303002-1	SA	12:30-1:00pm	6/29-8/10
4303002-2	SA	1:00-1:30pm	6/29-8/10
4303002-3	SA	1:30-2:00pm	6/29-8/10
4303002-4	SA	2:00-2:30pm	6/29-8/10

Location: WPDCC, Wheaton

Fee: \$95

No Program: 7/1, 7/4, 7/6

Registration for these individual programs are first-come first-served. If the program is full you can either choose a new time or register for the waitlist.

## Individual Dance - Katie Leone

**Ages 6 years & older**

Have you ever wanted to learn how to dance with moves that impress? Now is your chance! Take one-on-one lessons with a dance instructor. Find your rhythm and express yourself through dance.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4303003-1	TH	5:00-5:30pm	6/27-8/8
4303003-2	TH	5:30-6:00pm	6/27-8/8

Location: Arc Center, West Chicago

Fee: \$95

No Program: 7/4

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# INDIVIDUAL PROGRAMS



## Individual Guitar & Ukulele - Katie Leone

**Ages 6 years & older**

Learn to master the basics or learn more advanced concepts like finger exercises, picking techniques, and essential scales on the guitar or the ukulele with WDSRA's instructor, Tony Spadaro. Individuals will need a guitar or ukulele.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4303005-1	TU	3:30-4:00pm	6/18-7/23
4303005-2	TU	4:00-4:30pm	6/18-7/23
4303005-3	TU	4:30-5:00pm	6/18-7/23
4303005-4	TU	5:00-5:30pm	6/18-7/23
4303005-5	TU	5:30-6:00pm	6/18-7/23

Location: Fort Hill, Naperville

Fee: \$95

## Individual Art - Katie Leone

**Ages 6 years & older**

Spend your Saturday mornings one-on-one with a professional art instructor. Here, you will get the opportunity to learn different art techniques and designs. Each lesson is adjusted to meet the participant's skill set.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4303004-1	SA	9:00-9:30am	6/22-8/3
4303004-2	SA	9:30-10:00am	6/22-8/3
4303004-3	SA	10:00-10:30am	6/22-8/3
4303004-4	SA	10:30-11:00am	6/22-8/3

Location: Central Athletics Complex, Wheaton

Fee: \$95

No Program: 7/6



Everyone's an artist ... let's create!

# VIRTUAL PROGRAMS



Registration for virtual programs are first-come first-served.

## Individual Virtual Piano & Voice – Katie Leone Ages 6 years & older

Find your inner maestro and express yourself through music. Senja Morgan will be teaching piano and voice lessons via Zoom. Master all of your singing and piano skills virtually! **Those signing up for piano lessons must have a piano or keyboard at home; you do not need a piano for voice lessons.** Zoom link will be emailed out before the first day of class and used every week.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4310005-1	SA	9:00-9:30am	6/22-8/3
4310005-2	SA	9:30-10:00am	6/22-8/3
4310005-3	SA	10:00-10:30am	6/22-8/3
4310005-4	SA	10:30-11:00am	6/22-8/3
4310005-5	SA	11:00-11:30pm	6/22-8/3
4310005-6	SA	11:30-12:00pm	6/22-8/3

Location: Virtual  
Fee: \$95  
No Program: 7/6

## Virtual Art Expressions -Katie Leone

**Ages 10 years & older**

Are you tired of surfing the internet to find art activities you can do while sitting at home? Look no further. Join WDSRA staff and your friends for a virtual art class! Supplies used will be everyday items you may have around your house or get creative and use what you have! A schedule, supply list and Zoom link will be sent out one week prior to program.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4310003-1	W	4:00-5:00pm	6/19-7/31

Location: Virtual

Fee: \$25

No Program: 7/3

## Virtual Let's Make Dinner: Apps & Mocktails – Katie Leone

**Ages 10 years & older**

Get ready for a fresh new take on Let's Make Dinner! Create tasty appetizers and mix refreshing mocktails that will impress your friends & family's tastebuds. WDSRA staff will take you step-by-step through each week's recipe instructions in real-time. Recipe plans, ingredient lists, and Zoom link will be emailed one week before the start of the program.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4310004-1	TU	4:00-5:00 pm	6/18-7/23

Location: Virtual

Fee: \$25

# VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

## Virtual Bingo – Megan Maulding

**Ages 8 years & older**

B-I-N-G-O! Come join us and play with your friends virtually. Our WDSRA staff will guide you through this classic favorite. Details will be provided in advance on how to access a printable bingo card or create your own set of cards. Make sure you have your bingo markers, cards, and ears ready to hear those numbers called out!

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4310000-1	W	6:30-7:30pm	6/19-7/31

Location: Virtual

Fee: \$25

No Program: 7/3

## Virtual Karaoke – Megan Maulding

**Ages 16 years & older**

Get ready to step up to your virtual stage, crank up the volume, and grab that microphone! Each participant will have their moment in the spotlight to serenade us with their favorite karaoke tunes. During registration, please be ready to provide the six songs you'll be singing, so our staff can prepare the playlist.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4310001-1	TH	6:30-7:30pm	6/20-8/1
4310001-2	TH	6:30-7:30pm	6/20-8/1

Location: Virtual

Fee: \$25

No Program: 7/4

## Virtual Social Hangout

### Game Show Bonanza – Kristen Stepniak

**Ages 16 years & older**

Get your gaming on in the comfort of your own home. Each week the group will play a different virtual gameshow. This could include Wheel of Fortune, Family Feud, and more. Join in on this social fun!

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4310006-1	F	3:00-4:00pm	6/21-8/2

Location: Virtual

Fee: \$25

No Program: 7/5

## Virtual WWE – Macey Horbach

**Ages 18 years & older**

Step into the electrifying world of WWE like never before with our cutting edge virtual program. Join us as we dive deep into the latest news, updates, and behind-the-scenes action of the WWE. This program is your ultimate destination for all things WWE. Immerse yourself in the excitement, drama and adrenaline pumping moments of the WWE universe from the comfort of your screen.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4310010-1	M	5:30-6:30pm	6/17-7/22

Location: Virtual

Fee: \$30



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# ADULT TRIPS



## Camp Duncan - Megan Maulding

Age 18-40 years

Sign up for four days of fun with your WDSRA friends. This beautiful YMCA camp is on a private lake full of things to do such as swimming, kayaking, paddle boating, hiking, campfires, archery, and more. This program is not wheelchair friendly and does require participants to do a lot of walking and keep pace with the group. We will be staying in air conditioned rustic cabins with bunk beds. Participants must be able to perform all daily living skills independently and function at a 1:4 staff to participant ratio. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is due upon registration. The balance must be paid in full by August 12th. A detailed schedule and additional information will be emailed out two weeks prior to the trip.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300042-1	M-TH	9:00am(M)- 3:00pm(TH)	8/19-8/22

Location: Camp Duncan, Ingleside

Fee: \$675

Drop-off Winfield: 9:00am (Monday)

Pick-up Winfield: 3:00pm (Thursday)



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Nothing more fun than a summer at Camp Duncan!

## Gatlinburg Tennessee - Katie Leone

**Ages 21 years & older**

Join us for a long weekend adventure in the beautiful Gatlinburg, Tennessee. There's so much to experience, from exploring the magnificent Sky Bridge, to fishing at the Trout Farm, touring the Forbidden Caverns, and soaking in the well-known Dollywood. Come and enjoy the mountains and caverns with us! We will be staying in a VRBO home with a hot tub and game room. Each participant will have their own bed. A \$250 non-refundable deposit is due upon registration. Participants must be able to perform all daily living skills independently and function at a 1:5 staff-to-participant ratio. A detailed schedule and additional information will be emailed two weeks before the trip.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4400000-1	TH-M	8:00am-6:00pm	10/10-10/14

Location: Gatlinburg, Tennessee

Fee: \$1,235

Drop-off WDSRA: 7:30am (Thursday)

Pick-up WDSRA: 6:00pm (Monday)



## Overnight Outdoor

**Adventure** - Megan Maulding

**Ages 18 years & older**

Previously known as the weekend river trip. Explore nature by going on an overnight outdoor adventure! WDSRA and the forest preserve district of DuPage County are partnering to offer outdoor enthusiasts a trip of camping, fishing, boating, archery, and nature exploration. This special overnight will be guided by experts and designed to accommodate beginners so even if you have never camped before, you are welcome to join! All equipment and food for meals are included. Participants will need to bring their own sleeping bag, pillow, and toiletries. A \$50 non-refundable deposit is due upon registration. Participants must be able to perform all daily living skills independently and function at a 1:5 staff-to-participant ratio. Participants can expect to paddle a kayak for 90 minutes, hike for 60 minutes, and sleep in a tent with peers of the same gender.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4300043-1	SA-SU	8:30am (SA)- 11:00am (SU)	9/14-9/15

Location: Blackwell Forest Preserve, Warrenville

Fee: \$160

Drop-off WPDCC: 8:30am (Saturday)

Pick-up WPDCC: 11:00am (Sunday)

# BOWLING PROGRAMS



It's how  
we roll!



## Adult Bowling - Macey Horbach

**Age: 14 years & older**

Come join us each week for WDSRA's favorite pastime! You will bowl with old friends and meet new ones as you work on improving your game. Beginners through advanced bowlers are welcome. The fee includes up to two games (if time allows), shoe rental, and adaptive equipment.

## Wheaton

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4308000-1	M	4:00-5:00pm	6/17-7/22

Location: Fox Bowl, Wheaton  
Fee: \$85

## Roselle

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4308001-1	M	5:00-6:00pm	6/17-7/22

Location: Bowlero, Roselle  
Fee: \$85

## Naperville

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4308002-1	TU	5:00-6:00pm	6/18-7/23
4308003-1	TH	4:15-5:15pm	6/20-8/1
4308003-2	TH	5:25-6:25pm	6/20-8/1

Location: Bowlero, Naperville

Fee: \$85

No Program: 7/4

# ATHLETIC PROGRAMS

## Fitness

### Tae Kwon Do - Macey Horbach

#### Ages 8 years & older

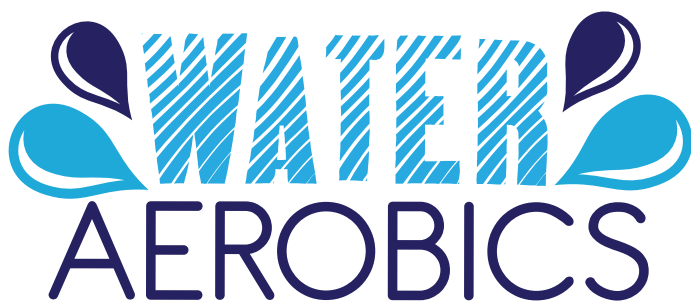
Start your journey today and unlock your full potential in Tae Kwon Do! Led by Master Frank, a highly experienced instructor, this program caters to individuals of all abilities. Through a combination of physical and mental exercises, you will enhance your concentration, balance, coordination, gross motor skills, endurance, and flexibility. Whether you are a beginner or have prior experience, this program is designed to help you become a champion.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305005-1	SA	11:00-11:45am	6/22-8/3
4305005-2	SA	12:00-12:45pm	6/22-8/3

Location: Lions Panzek Martial Arts, Winfield

Fee: \$75

No Program: 7/6



### Water Aerobics - Macey Horbach

#### Ages 10 years & older

Get ready for this low-impact water workout. Throughout this program we will use the natural resistance of the water while doing different workout movements such as running in place and other aerobic exercises. Grab your towel and join us in the therapy pool!

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305002-1	TU	4:00-5:00pm	6/11-7/16

Location: Therapy Pool, Fountain View Recreation Center

Fee: \$75

## Youth Athletics

### Youth T-Ball - Macey Horbach

#### Ages 7-15 years

Join us in some fun! Throughout this program we will work on improving your Tball skills such as, hitting, fielding, and being part of a team! This is a great way to learn the basics of Tball and make new friends. \*This program is not part of Special Olympics Illinois competition.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305008-1	SA	9:00-10:00am	7/27-8/17

Location: DuPage River Complex - Naperville

Fee: \$45

### Youth Flag Football - Macey Horbach



#### Ages 7-15 years

Get ready to experience the thrill of football in a fun and safe environment. This program is designed to introduce kids to the fundamentals of the game while emphasizing teamwork, sportsmanship, and skill development. Led by an experienced coach, participants will learn the basics of passing, catching, running and flag pulling. Grab your flags, lace up your cleats and join our new action-packed season of flag football. \*This program is not part of Special Olympics Illinois competition.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305011-1	SA	9:00-10:00am(T)	6/8-7/20

Location: Naperville Area

Fee: \$80

No Program: 7/6

# ATHLETIC PROGRAMS

## Spin Class – Macey Horbach

**Ages 16 years & older**

Get your cycle on! During this class, we will work up a sweat while cycling to our favorite tunes. We will include interval training and a chance to challenge yourself to reach your goals. So, grab that water bottle, and let's get moving.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305001-1	SU	11:00-11:45am	6/16-7/28

Location: Warrenville Community Building

Fee: \$75

No Program: 7/7

## Fit Fusion – Macey Horbach

**Ages 16 years & older**

Get ready to sweat, push your limits, and achieve a healthier you! Throughout this energizing fitness experience, you will leave feeling stronger and more empowered! Led by WDSRA staff, this class is designed to challenge and motivate you to reach your fitness goals. You'll improve your overall fitness with cardio, strength training, and flexibility exercises.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305006-1	W	6:00-7:00pm	6/19-7/31

Location: 95th St Center, Naperville

Fee: \$75



## Wheaton North H.S Flag Football

– Macey Horbach

**Ages 14 years & older**

One of our favorite collaborative programs is back this summer! For anyone who wants to be a gridiron great, WDSRA is offering flag football with the support of the Wheaton North football team. The coaches will run scrimmages with athletes from the high school mixed in with our WDSRA Wildcats, to make for super fun competition. Fee includes a t-shirt. Dates and times may change. \*This is not the Special Olympics Flag Football team.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305000-1	SA	9:00-10:00am	6/22-8/3

Location: Wheaton North High School

Fee: \$70

No Program: 7/6

## Outdoor Basketball – Macey Horbach

**Ages 16 years & older**

Lace up your sneakers for the great game of basketball but with a fun twist- outside! This program offers a unique opportunity to improve your skills, enhance your teamwork and enjoy the fresh air. Led by experienced coaches, you'll receive expert guidance and training tailored to your individual needs. Grab a ball, dribble, shoot and score your way to basketball success in this outdoor program!

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305004-1	SA	10:30-11:30am	6/22, 7/13, 7/27

Location: Seven Gables, Wheaton

Fee: \$40

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# ATHLETIC PROGRAMS



## Pickleball – Macey Horbach

**Ages 14 years & older**

WDSRA is offering the fun and exciting sport of Pickleball. Pickleball is a fast-growing racquet sport. This fun and engaging game is played on a badminton court with a lower net and can be played as singles and doubles. You will learn strategies that include lobbing, overhead slamming, and fast volley exchanges at the net. Paddles and balls will be provided. Section 1 is for newer/ beginner players. Section 2 is for more advanced players.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305007-1	SU	12:00-1:00pm	6/16-8/4
4305007-2	SU	1:00-2:00pm	6/16-8/4

Location: Wheaton Sports Center, Wheaton

Fee: \$75

No Program: 7/7



## Outdoor Cornhole – Macey Horbach

**Ages 16 years & older**

Get ready to experience the thrill of this popular outdoor game that combines skill, strategy, and friendly competition. Doesn't matter if you are new to the game or a seasoned player, this program provides a welcoming and inclusive environment for all. Grab your bags, aim for the hole, and let the good times roll with cornhole!

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305003-1	SA	10:30-11:30am	6/29, 7/20, 8/3

Location: Seven Gables, Wheaton

Fee: \$40

# WILDCATS SPORTS PROGRAMS



## Wildcat Flag Football - Ryan Fleck

**Ages 16 years & older**

Hut, Hut, Hike! Ever dream of throwing a touchdown as a quarterback? How about scoring a touchdown as a running back or wide receiver? WDSRA flag football is waiting for you. We will work as a team setting up and executing plays before taking the field against other area teams. The regional competition will be held in October at Northern Illinois University. Teams that earn a gold medal at the regional competition will qualify for the state flag football competition in Peoria November 2, 2024. You must have a current Special Olympics medical form on file, which is valid through December 2024.

### North/Central

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4306001-1	W	5:30-7:00 pm	7/10-9/25

Location: Central Area

Fee: \$125

### South

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4306001-2	W	5:30-7:00 pm	7/10-9/25

Location: South Area

Fee: \$125

## Wildcat Volleyball - Ryan Fleck

**Age 16 years & older**

Bump, Set, Spike your way around the court! Work on these fundamentals with your teammates at practice and then put these skills to the test, as your team works to be the first to win 2 out of 3 sets to win the match! *The regional competition will take place September 22nd. Teams that earn a gold medal at the regional competition will qualify for fall games in the Rockford area in late October 2024. You must have a current Special Olympics medical form on file, which is valid through November 2024.*

### North/Central

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4406001-1	TU	6:30-8:00pm	8/6-10/1

Location: Ackerman Sports & Fitness Center - Glen Ellyn  
Fee: \$145

### South

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4406001-2	TU	6:30-8:00pm	8/6-10/1

Location: South Area  
Fee: \$145

# WILDCATS SPORTS PROGRAMS

## Wildcat Floor Hockey - Ryan Fleck

### Age 16 years & older

Speed your way around the court in this fast-paced, high energy, physical sport. Coaches will spend the first few weeks teaching the fundamentals of floor hockey before our teams take on the competition of other area teams. *The season will end with the State Floor Hockey Tournament in the middle of November. All players must provide their own helmets with a protective shield, hockey gloves, and shin guards. You must have a current Special Olympics medical form on file, which is valid through December 2024.*

### North/Central

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4406000-1	M	6:30-8:00pm	9/9-11/11

Location: Ackerman Sports & Fitness Center - Glen Ellyn  
 Fee: \$125

### South

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4406000-2	M	6:30-8:00pm	9/9-11/11

Location: South Area  
 Fee: \$125



## Wildcat Competitive Golf - Ryan Fleck

### Ages 16 years & older

Drive, chip, and putt your way to birdies on the golf course! Coaches will evaluate athlete skills to determine if athletes should compete in 3,6, or 9-hole competition, based on criteria set by Special Olympics Illinois. All athletes must demonstrate proper course etiquette and have their own clubs. Athletes may also provide a caddy. Athletes must provide three 9-hole scorecards outside of the golf program. **Scorecards must be turned into Ryan by June 11th. If you do not turn in three 9-hole scorecards, you will not be able to compete at the competition on July 22.** *The 3,6,9-hole competition will take place July 22nd at Bartlett Hills Golf Course. Athletes earning a gold medal at the area event will qualify for the state tournament in Decatur, IL September 7-8, 2024. You must have a current Special Olympics medical form on file, which is valid through October 2024. \*This is our Special Olympics Golf program. If you register for this program, you must intend on competing at Bartlett Hills on July 22.*

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4306002-1	M	6:00-8:00pm	6/10-7/29

Location: Arrowhead Golf Course, Wheaton  
 Fee: \$100

## Wildcat Recreation Golf -Ryan Fleck

### Ages 16 years & older

Do you want to score some birdies? This is your chance to do so! The first few weeks, we will get some practice in at the range and putting green. After we have honed our skills, we will take what we have learned out onto the course. We will play a few holes. *Please note: this program differs from competitive golf in that this program is designed for individuals who will not be competing but will still have an opportunity to play the course.*

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305012-1	M	6:00-8:00pm	6/24-7/29

Location: South  
 Fee: \$75

# WILDCATS SPORTS PROGRAMS

## WILDCAT TRAINING



### Wildcat Flag Football Training Camp - Ryan Fleck

**Ages 16 years & older**

Are you ready for this exciting new program? Football training camp is here! Let's put in the same work the pros do and get ready for the flag football season. We will learn the basics of flag football while also creating new plays to help us gear up for the flag football season!



#### North/Central

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305013-1	W	5:30-7:00pm	6/12-6/26

Location: Central Area  
Fee: \$40

#### South

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305013-2	W	5:30-7:00pm	6/12-6/26

Location: South Area  
Fee: \$40

### Wildcat Floor Hockey Clinic - Ryan Fleck

**Ages 16 years & older**

Who's ready for one of WDSRA's newest programs? During this new program, athletes will learn the basic fundamentals of floor hockey. We will work on stick handling, passing, shooting, and positioning to get us ready for the floor hockey season!



#### North/Central

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305014-1	M	6:30-8:00pm	8/5-8/26

Location: Ackerman Sports & Fitness Center - Glen Ellyn  
Fee: \$55

#### South

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4305014-2	M	6:30-8:00pm	8/5-8/26

Location: South Area  
Fee: \$55

### Wildcat Bocce - Ryan Fleck

**Ages 14 years & older**

Bocce is quickly becoming WDSRA's fastest growing sport. Come play singles, doubles, or team bocce, or you can choose 2 of the 3 options. We will teach proper techniques and learn the strategy of the game. We will be offering two sessions this year in order to accommodate more athletes in this booming program. Please register for only one session. Competition will take place on September 14th at Grant Park in Northlake. You must have a current Special Olympics medical form on file, which is valid through October 2024.

#### Session 1

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4406002-1	TH	5:00-6:15pm	8/1-9/12

Location: Seven Gables, Wheaton  
Fee: \$75

#### Session 2

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4406002-2	TH	6:15-7:30pm	8/1-9/12

Location: Seven Gables, Wheaton  
Fee: \$75

# WILDCATS SPORTS PROGRAMS

## Region C Bowling Tournament - Ryan Fleck Ages 15 years & older

Looking for some competition? Shoot for your high score in the Regional Bowling Tournament. Athletes must have participated in the winter and spring bowling programs and be able to bowl 3 games without bumpers to be eligible to compete. Please note: Athletes must have a Special Olympics athlete consent form and a Special Olympics medical form on file through August 2024 to be able to register for the program.

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4306004-1	SA	TBD	7/27

Location: Stardust Bowl, Addison  
Fee: \$25

## Wildcat Unified Golf - Ryan Fleck Ages 16 years & older

It's year two of Wildcat Unified Golf. Team up with a partner to strive for your best score over 9 holes! Unified athletics allows Special Olympics athletes to be paired with a partner. Athletes interested in Unified Golf will be required to bring their own partner. Both athletes and partners will play their own ball from tee to green. **Athletes and partners must provide three 9-hole scorecards outside of the golf program. Scorecards must be turned into Ryan by May 14th. If you do not turn in three 9-hole scorecards, you will not be able to compete at the competition on June 24th.** Partners must complete Special Olympics Class A volunteer paperwork. The competition will be June 24 at Randall Oaks in West Dundee. Both players must provide 3 scorecards outside of Wildcats Golf. Athletes must have a current Special Olympics medical form on file, which is valid through October 2024. *Athletes and partners must register and pay the fee for the program. Athletes, please register for your partner using the partner program code below.*

### Athletes

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4306003-1	M	6:00-8:00pm	6/10-7/29

Location: Arrowhead Golf Course, Wheaton  
Fee: \$100

### Partners

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4306003-2	M	6:00-8:00pm	6/10-7/29

Location: Arrowhead Golf Course, Wheaton  
Fee: \$50

## Wildcat Unified Bocce - Ryan Fleck Ages 14 years & older

Are you looking for something a little slower paced but still want to be a part of a team? Then bocce is the sport for you. Join us each week as we work on learning the game and strategy. Unified athletics allows Special Olympics athletes to be paired with a partner. Athletes interested in Unified Bocce will be required to bring their own partner. Both the athlete and partner will compete in the regional competition. Partners must complete Special Olympics Class A volunteer paperwork. Competition will take place on September 14th at Grant Park in Northlake. You must have a current Special Olympics medical form on file, which is valid through October 2024. *Athletes and partners must register and pay the fee for the program. Athletes, please register for your partner using the partner program code below.*

### Athletes

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4406003-1	TH	5:00-6:15pm	8/1-9/12

Location: Seven Gables, Wheaton  
Fee: \$75

### Partners

Code	Day	Time	Dates
4406003-2	TH	6:15-7:30pm	8/1-9/12

Location: Seven Gables, Wheaton  
Fee: \$20



# SYNERGY ADAPTIVE ATHLETICS



Synergy Adaptive Athletics helps individuals of all ages with a primary physical disability Live Life To Its Fullest through a variety of adaptive athletics opportunities. We believe everyone should have equal access to the wide range of benefits sports opportunities can provide. We help make that possible by offering programs and resources to assist athletes in realizing those benefits **For more information about specific sports and practice times, please contact:**

**Athletics/Synergy Manager:** Phil Eide  
**Phone:** at 630-681-0962  
**Email:** phile@wdsra.com

## Boccia

**Age 8 years & older**

Boccia is designed for individuals with a primary physical disability affecting his/her lower body. Athletes with cerebral palsy, muscular dystrophy, arthrogryposis, spinal cord injury, or other diagnoses. The sport is broken up into three divisions of athletes who will throw and one division with ramps for people who are unable to throw a ball out to five meters or more. While the sport is designed to be played from a wheelchair, ambulatory athletes are welcome to join our program as well. This target-based sport is combining the precision of archery and the intellectual challenges of chess.

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## Wheelchair Basketball

**Age 3 years & older**

Wheelchair basketball is designed for individuals with a primary physical disability affecting his/her lower body. Athletes with a spinal cord injury, spina bifida, amputation, limb length difference, ankle fusion, cerebral palsy, or other diagnosis that affects one's ability to play competitive standup basketball, may qualify. Individuals do NOT have to be an everyday wheelchair user to play the sport. The sports wheelchair is simply a tool used to allow everyone to compete on an equal playing field.

## Archery

**Age 14 years & older**

Archery is an exciting lifetime sport that grows with you. Whether starting at a beginner level to learn the fundamentals of archery safety and basic technique, or to further develop more advanced skills, Synergy Archery will provide you with the tools and support to reach your goals. This program is open to anyone with a primary physical disability, including individuals with a visual impairment. Adaptive equipment is available.

## Rock Climbing

**Age 7 years & older**

Climbing is an activity which can be easily adapted to any ability level for people with physical disabilities. Synergy Adaptive Athletics joins Adaptive Adventures in providing opportunities for people with physical disabilities to enjoy the sport of climbing by providing instruction and adaptive climbing gear to help each individual reach new heights. Whether you are an everyday wheelchair user or ambulatory, there are as many or as little adaptations to utilize in climbing to new heights with our group.



## **Rec & Roll**

**A DAY PROGRAM OF WDSRA**

### **Rec & Roll 1:6 Ratio**

Participants must be able to successfully participate in a 1 staff to 6 participant ratio and perform all of their own daily living skills. Participants attending Rec & Roll must be toilet trained, responsible for independent care such as feeding and dressing, devoid of emotional outbursts that require 1:1 staffing. Please send a sack lunch daily.

Limit: 12 participants per day

Locations:

Naperville; Sportsman's Clubhouse, Naperville  
Carol Stream; WDSRA office, Carol Stream  
Glen Ellyn; Ackerman WDSRA Room, Glen Ellyn  
Wheaton; Central Athletic Complex, Wheaton  
Winfield; Charles R. Beggs Activity Center, Winfield

Rec & Roll is a community-based recreation program for individuals ages 22-55 years. The program emphasizes social interaction, community outings, service projects, and more. Recreational activities are planned to help people with disabilities develop and enhance their quality of life. The daily schedule can include animal therapy, volunteer projects, gardening, field trips, fitness, outdoor recreation, crafts, and games.

### **Rec & Roll 1:3 Ratio**

If your family member needs a little more assistance to be successful, then this day program is for you. The daily schedule is a mixture of staff-directed and participant-directed large and small group activities. Participants must be able to successfully participate in a 1 staff to 3 participant ratio. Rec & Roll Fountain View and Rec & Roll Fort Hill are designed for participants who may require some assistance with daily living skills and may require emotional support from staff. Please send a sack lunch daily.

Limit: 9 participants per day

Locations:

Fountain View; Fountain View Recreation Center, Carol Stream  
Fort Hill; Fort Hill Activity Center, Naperville

## *How to join!*

New participants interested in the opportunity to register for Rec & Roll must fill out an interest form to pre-arrange an intake assessment to determine whether they meet the programs eligibility requirements. This assessment will help staff determine which Rec & Roll is most appropriate. Staff ratio will be determined at this time by the Day Program Assistant Manager. For Naperville, Wheaton, or Winfield locations, contact Meghan Toliver and Carol Stream or Glen Ellyn locations, contact Katie Lyter. If you are unsure of which site is best for your participant, email [recandroll@wdsra.com](mailto:recandroll@wdsra.com).

Scan for our interest form.



# WELCOME NEW FAMILIES

## If you are a new family or participant, start by contacting WDSRA at 630-681-0962.

### New Participant Intake

As a new participant to WDSRA, the front office team will send you an initial intake form. After you complete it, they will set you up with a household account in RecTrac (our registration system). They will send you your household account information which will be used to register for WDSRA programs. You will also receive an invite to fill out ePACT, which securely collects your child's health and emergency contact information. This additional information provides WDSRA staff the opportunity to properly staff programs and provides an environment that will be successful and enjoyable to the participant. For safety reasons, an individual without current ePACT medical information will not be permitted to participate in WDSRA programs. During this initial process, an outreach staff member will contact you to make your transition to our programs as effortless as possible.

### Outreach and New Families

Our outreach staff can make your transition to our programs as effortlessly as possible. Staff focuses on welcoming new families, answering questions, navigating forms and processes, and recommending appropriate programming for your loved one. We get to know your participant and family before starting programs so WDSRA can serve you better. We will also provide contact information for resources your participant may need.

### Inclusion Services

WDSRA and its member park districts believe all individuals should be provided with leisure opportunities that allow for performance at their highest level of ability. We understand not every person who has a special need desires WDSRA programming. In cooperation with our member districts, WDSRA staff will assist and advise any resident who is interested in participating (inclusion) in a local park district program. WDSRA will provide the type of support deemed necessary for successful participation. Supports may include training with park district staff members, consultation with the individual and their family members, and the assistance of a support staff member. WDSRA provides all inclusion services at no cost to the individual.

### Registration Information

#### Ways to Register:

- Online Registration (Preferred Option)
- Drop-off or mail-before the start of registration, All mailed and dropped-off registration forms will be processed concurrently with online registrations and processed in random order.
- Phone in registrations are not accepted.

### Virtual Program Registration

Registration will be first-come, first-served for both residents and non-residents.

### Individual Lesson Registration

Registration will be first come, first served for residents and non-residents.

### In-Person Program Lottery Registration

All In-Person program registrations will be assigned once WDSRA "spins" the lottery, randomly assigning enrollments to the programs you have registered for. The lottery will be spun for residents first, followed by non-residents. If the program has met the maximum number of participants, those not enrolled will be added to a waitlist. If you are placed on a waitlist and WDSRA can accommodate you safely, you will be enrolled in the program and notified.

### Out of District Policies

Families living outside a WDSRA Park District member district and belonging to a neighboring SRA are welcome to register in WDSRA programs with no additional fee. During lottery registration, in-district families will be spun first, followed by out of district families. This would apply to NEDSRA, FVSRA, NWSRA, and SEASPAR residents.

- If you live within a community with a Park District that does not belong to a Special Recreation Association a 50% fee will be assessed per program.
- If you live in a community without a Park District or in an unincorporated area that falls outside of the Park District boundaries, a 50% fee will be assessed per program. An example of this would be Wayne residents and some parts of West Chicago.



# REGISTRATION, SCHOLARSHIPS

## Registration Notes

Registrations will not be processed if a fee balance remains from a previous season. Program fees will not be prorated for late registration. The scholarship request deadline is the same date set for resident registration.

If a program closes due to large enrollment, a paid waiting list of those interested will be kept. If space does not open in the program, your payment will be automatically refunded.

A class may be canceled if enrollment is less than five participants for children's programs and five participants for adult programs unless otherwise noted.

## Special Olympics

For an athlete to compete in a Special Olympics program, a current Special Olympics Medical form must be on file at the WDSRA office. The Special Olympics Medical form is valid for three years from the date of the doctor's signature.

WDSRA Policy states an athlete cannot register for a Special Olympic program until you have a current form on file. If you are interested in participating in a Special Olympics program, please contact the WDSRA office for a form or download a form from our website at [www.wdsra.com](http://www.wdsra.com). **Parents and athletes are responsible for returning the completed form to the WDSRA office before you register.**



## Annual Scholarships

The scholarship request process is intended to allow participants/families who qualify for financial assistance to take part in recreation and leisure opportunities through the use of available funds. All funds for scholarships are obtained through the WDSRA Foundation's annual fundraising campaigns. Each year the amount available fluctuates based on the amounts received.

Scholarships are only available for residents of the association's nine-member park districts. Scholarships are awarded to participants who have completed the annual scholarship application and qualify for financial needs. Applications are accepted anytime during the year but all applications expire on December 31. Fifty percent of the program fee for three (3) programs per season may be awarded. Payment plans may be arranged if needed. For more specific guidelines regarding scholarships, please visit our website at [www.wdsra.com](http://www.wdsra.com) and go to the links tab for WDSRA forms or contact the WDSRA office.

# CANCELLATIONS, REFUNDS

## Weather Cancellation Policy

In the event of severe weather, WDSRA may decide to cancel programs in the best interest of our participants. The following guidelines will be used to determine cancellations:

**Summer** - Severe Summer Weather Outdoor programs or indoor programs without air conditioning: temperature above 95 degrees, a heat index above 100 degrees or a heat advisory issues by the National Weather Service. Other Weather All programs (including indoor): tornado warning is in effect in DuPage or surrounding county. WDSRA will use discretion for all other weather warnings and watches.

## Canceling Programs

- WDSRA staff will look at all circumstances beginning two hours before the starting time of the program or first pick-up to determine if the program should be canceled.
- If the program is canceled, program staff will attempt to reach all participants and staff by phone using the calling post messaging system to inform them of the cancellation.
- Missed programs due to weather are made up the week following the end of the program. If this is not possible, you will be issued a refund per program refund guidelines.



## Refund Procedure

Refund requests for all programs must be received no less than 2 weeks prior to the start of the program.

- If the withdrawal request is received prior to 2 weeks you will receive a refund minus \$10 drop fee, any pre-purchased supplies, and non-refundable deposits.
- A refund will not be given if the request is received less than 2 weeks prior to the start.
- Refunds will not be issued for missed classes.
- Cancellations for weekly programs will be rescheduled or a refund will be issued. Special Olympics weather refunds will be issued for missed games, but not for missed practices.
- A house credit will be issued for refunds of \$10 or less.
- Any variance to the refund procedures will be included in the program description.
- All refunds will be issued in the same form as payment was made.

## PROGRAM POLICIES

When arriving at/departing from a program, parents are asked to check in with the staff person in charge of the program before leaving your child. WDSRA staff is not responsible for the supervision of participants who arrive prior to the start of the program. Also, if a participant is to be picked up by an unfamiliar guardian, neighbor, babysitter, etc. the parents are asked to notify the WDSRA staff person in charge of the program prior to the occurrence.

To provide for safe and meaningful learning experiences, a 1:3 staff-to-participant ratio is maintained for children's activities, a 1:4 ratio for teen activities, and a 1:6 ratio is maintained for adult activities. Some programs may have a higher ratio, depending on individual needs. When children of various ability/age levels are enrolled in the same program, WDSRA will group them according to their abilities.

## Meeting on Location

For safety reasons, WDSRA will only allow participants to meet on location for community events (rather than taking the WDSRA transportation) when there is one main entrance/exit. Participants will not be allowed to meet at locations with multiple doors such as, but not limited to a mall, festival, carnival, etc.

## Program Transportation

For safety purposes participants must go home the same way they arrived. Vehicles may be pre-assigned and WDSRA cannot guarantee they will be on the same bus as friends/significant others. WDSRA requires a minimum of 3 participants at a pick-up location. Transportation will be canceled if the minimum is not met. You will be notified if this occurs for any program.

## Late Pick-Up Policy

In order to be fair to our participants and program leaders, WDSRA has enacted a late pick-up policy, and we would appreciate your cooperation in this matter. Many of our programs have more than one pick-up location and if one person is late, it may disrupt the schedule of others who are being picked up at another location. In addition, many of the WDSRA program leaders have responsibilities after everyone is picked up. We request that you double-check the pick-up time and be prompt.

## Dietary Restrictions

Due to the amount and various types of dietary needs, WDSRA will only provide an alternative option for meals when the program is preparing/making their own food. If the program is attending a special event or eating at a restaurant in the community, the family must look ahead at the menu and relay the participant's order to the head instructor upon arrival. You may be asked to send or make appropriate accommodations for your participant on occasion.



## Behavior Code

Participants, staff, volunteers, and parents are expected to exhibit appropriate behavior at all times. The following guidelines have been developed to make WDSRA's programs safe and enjoyable for everyone. Additional rules may be developed for particular programs and athletic leagues as deemed necessary by the staff. Staff, participants, volunteers, and parents shall:

- show respect to all participants, staff, volunteers, and parents
- refrain from using foul language
- refrain from causing bodily harm to other participants, staff, coaches, or parents
- demonstrate respect for equipment, supplies, and facilities
- represent WDSRA in a manner that is consistent with the goals, objectives, and ethics of the association

## Discipline

A caring and positive discipline approach will be used. WDSRA reserves the right to dismiss a participant, staff, volunteer, or parent if it is in the best interest of the association. Each situation will be evaluated on its own merit.

## Atlanto-Axial Subluxations (ASC)

Individuals who have Down Syndrome have a high risk of having ASC. For the safety of WDSRA participants with Down Syndrome, a doctor's note proving they have been cleared of this condition by an x-ray is required to participate in any program that could potentially injure the neck area.

# EQUAL ACCESS, PHOTOGRAPHY

No participant shall be denied equal access to programs, activities, services, or benefits or be limited in the exercise of any right, privilege, advantage, or opportunity on the basis of race, sex, creed, national origin, or disability.

## Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Grievance Procedure

The Western DuPage Special Recreation Association has established an internal grievance system for prompt and equitable resolution of grievances alleging any action by the Western DuPage Special Recreation Association that would be prohibited by the ADA or the applicable Title II Rules. Grievances should be directed to:

**Superintendent of Inclusion & Risk Management,  
Compliance Officer, WDSRA**

Mail: 116 N Schmale Road, Carol Stream, IL, 60188

Phone: 630-681-0962

Please call WDSRA to schedule a meeting.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The Western DuPage Special Recreation Association (WDSRA) is committed to conducting its recreation programs and activities in a safe manner and holds the safety of participants in high regard. WDSRA continually strives to reduce such risks and insists that all participants follow safety rules and instructions that are designed to protect the participants' safety. However, participants and parents/guardians of minors for this program/activity must recognize that there is an inherent risk of injury when choosing to participate in recreational activities.

You are solely responsible for determining if you or your minor child/ward are physically fit and /or skilled for activities contemplated by this agreement. It is always advisable, especially if the participant is pregnant, disabled in any way, or recently suffered an illness, injury, or impairment, to consult a physician before undertaking any physical activity.

## Warning of Risk

Despite careful and proper preparation, instruction, medical advice, conditioning, and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury when participating in any recreational activity/program. Understandably, not all hazards and dangers can be foreseen. Participants must understand that certain risks, dangers, and injuries due to acts of God, inclement weather, slipping, falling, equipment failure, failure in supervision, premise defect, and all other circumstances inherent to recreational activities/programs exist. In this regard, it must be recognized that it is impossible for WDSRA to guarantee absolute safety.

## Say Cheese

WDSRA staff occasionally takes photos or videos of participants for promoting/advertising our programs, services, events, activities, and facilities in our brochures, website or social media, and other promotional avenues.

By registering for, participating in, or attending WDSRA programs, events, or other activities, the participant (or parent/guardian of a minor participant) irrevocably agrees to the use and distribution by WDSRA of his or her image (or of his minor child/ward) in photos, video recordings, and any other electronic reproductions of such programs, events, and activities for any purpose without inspection or approval and without compensation, rights to royalties or any other consideration now and in the future.

## Connect With Us!



# REGISTRATION FORM

Register online at [www.wdsra.com](http://www.wdsra.com)

Mail: WDSRA, 116 N Schmale Rd., Carol Stream, IL 60188

Email: [registration@wdsra.com](mailto:registration@wdsra.com)

Phone: 630-681-0962

Are you a new participant with WDSRA?

Yes  No

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address (if different than above): \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mom Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Dad Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Disability: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Park District: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ T-Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST NAME	PROGRAM NAME	PROGRAM CODE	PICK UP/DROP OFF LOCATION	FEE
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
<b>YOU MUST SIGN AND DATE THIS FORM FOR YOUR REGISTRATION TO BE PROCESSED</b>			<b>TOTAL</b>	\$

Printed Name of Person Signing Form

Signature of participant (or parent/guardian if under 18)

Date

I have read and fully understand the information on the reverse of this form, warning of risk, assumption of risk and waiver and release of all claims. If registering a minor participant, I further attest that I have read the reverse to my minor child/ward.

CARDHOLDER NAME	ACCOUNT NUMBER	EXP DATE	3 DIGIT	AMOUNT

# REGISTRATION, WAIVERS

## Waiver and Release of All Claims & Assumption of Risk

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in the signing and participating in this program/activity, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages, or loss which you or your minor child/ward might sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with and associated with this program/activity (including transportation services, when provided).

I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participants in this program/activity, and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of any and all injuries, damages or loss, regardless of severity, that my minor child/ward may have (or accrue to me or my child/ward) as a result of participating in this program/activity against WDSRA, including officials, agents, volunteers and employees (hereinafter collectively referred as WDSRA).

I do hereby fully release and forever discharge WDSRA from any and all claims for injuries, damages, or loss that my minor child/ward or I may have or which may accrue to me or my minor child/ward and arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with this program/activity.

In the event of an emergency, I understand and authorize WDSRA staff and officials to secure from any licensed hospital, physician and/or medical personnel any treatment deemed necessary for immediate care for myself or minor/ward and agree that I will be responsible for payment of any and all medical services rendered.



## Photo/Video Release

I hereby authorize and give my consent to WDSRA to photograph/video my child (or me) or to obtain outside photographs/video of my child (or me) participating in WDSRA activities/events/programs, and without limitation, to use such photographs/video in connection with promoting/advertising the services, programs, and facilities of WDSRA, without consideration of any kind.



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