## West Salem Parks and Recreation 175 South Leonard Street

Office 786-0222 www.westsalemwi.com

Event Cancellation Line 791-0023

## SPRING & SUMMER REGISTRATION 2008

#### How do I register?

General office hours are Monday-Thursday 9AM-3PM and Friday 9AM-Noon. A drop box is located inside at the Recreation office door. The outside drop box is available for all after hours registrations. When mailing, please use the address above. All registrations will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. Full payment is required with registration. Refunds granted, less a \$5 administration fee up to five business days prior to the event or program beginning. Sorry, no refunds for special events or trips. Notification will occur only if a program is full or if program changes are necessary. Please follow registration deadlines where stated. Programs without specific registration information will have a deadline of 5 business days prior to the start date. Please call with any questions.

Employment Opportunities: Umpires, Program Assistants, and Volunteer Coaching positions. Call for an application, 786-0222.

#### PARKSRENTAL

Village Park & Lion's Community Shelter, rental reservations may be made by calling (608)786-1858. Pineview Park and Corral Park are available on a first come, first served basis.



La Crosse County Parks: Veteran's Memorial Park & Neshonoc Park, 785-9770.

### WISCONSIN PARK & RECREATION ASSOCIATION DISCOUNT TICKET PROGRAM

The West Salem Parks and Recreation Department will be participating with area attractions and the WPRA to provide discount tickets for the summer of 2008. Purchase of tickets may be made at the Recreation office. Ticket prices vary, please call for information and availability.

Area Ticket Attractions:

- \*Six Flags Great America
- \*Pirate's Cove
- \*Riverview Park & Waterworld
- \*Milwaukee Zoo
- \*Noah's Ark
- \*Mt. Olympus Water & Theme Park
- \*Original Wisconsin Ducks
- \*Dells Jet Boat
- \*Wild Thing Jet Boats

## WEST SALEM JUNE DAIRY DAYS

June Dairy Days will be held May 30-June 1 Held at the West Salem Village Park



## SCHOOL DISTRICT ANIMAL POLICE (Policy 384)

Animals on School Grounds

Animals are not allowed on school grounds during school hours and public activities. Citizens walking their dogs or other animals through school property must maintain control of the leashed animal and clean up any droppings left by such animal on the District property and are also subject to local laws and ordinance pertaining to animal control.

The only exceptions to this will be for curriculum related activities or other instances as approved by the building principal and for licensed service dogs for individuals with an appropriate disability.



All swimming lessons and open swim information is provided by the School District of West Salem.

Please call the pool directly for further information: (608)786-0323 or the West Salem School District, (608)786-0700.

**Sharks Swim Team Info**: Please contact Beth at 608-738-8553. Season runs early June-early August. Practices are Mon., Wed., Fri., from 5:00-6:30PM. Swim meets will be available.

### LA CROSSE COUNTY FAIR.

Held at the La Crosse County Fair Grounds West Salem, WI. July 16-20



# s, Classes, Activities

#### UW-LA CROSSE CLIMBING WALL, REPELLING & ADVENTURES

Monday, June 9

This program is designed for ages 6-14. The climbing wall, repelling (age 11 and older), flying squirrel and cargo net will provide an unforgettable experience and challenge. Experienced staff will work with and supervise our group. The bus will depart from the W. S. Rec. office at 4PM and return at 8PM. A small snack and water are recommended.

\$20 Village Res.

\$30 Out of Dist.

#### ADVENTURE CLASSES

\$25 School Dist.

#### Kids Kayak at Lake Neshonoc

Fee:

July 18-19 1:00PM-4:00PM July 18 / Lake Neshonoc South

Noon-3:00PM July 19 / Lake Neshonoc South Incoming 6th Grade through 8th Grade students

The West Salem Parks and Recreation Department has teamed up with Jessica Conaway and the UW-L Outdoor Connection to provide this adventure opportunity. Jessica Conaway is a certified Kayak Instructor and she will be sharing her knowledge with the students. By attending this session students will learn the basics of kayaking techniques and have the opportunity to use what they are learning right here at Lake Neshonoc. All equipment provided. No transportation for this event.

Bring: Water bottle, Swimsuit, Towel, and Sunscreen

Fee: \$40 Village Res. \$45 School Dist. \$50 Out of Dist.

#### High School & Adult Adventure Kayak at Lake Neshonoc

July 18-19 4:30-7:30PM July 18 / Lake Neshonoc South 8:30-11:30AM July 19 / Lake Neshonoc South

Incoming High School students through Adult

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No transportation for this event.

Bring: Water bottle, Swimsuit, Towel, and Sunscreen

Fee: \$45 Village Res. \$50 School Dist. \$55 Out of Dist.

#### BEGINNING ARCHERY CLASSES ARCHERY FUN CLASSES at ARROWS IN THE SQUARE, Holmen, WI

(Ages 8-17) Beginning Archery Tuesdays: July 8, 22 6:00-7:30PM

No prior experience necessary.

Archery Fun Tuesdays: July 15, 29 6:00-7:30PM

Basic shooting experience needed.

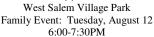
Upon arriving at Arrows In The Square in Holmen, participants will prepare for archery instruction, safety information and shooting. Participants should wear comfortable clothing to move in. This instruction time is just for West Salem kids and is a great introduction to the sport of archery. There will be a limit of 14 participants per class. Additional classes and times may be added to the schedule if this session fills quickly. Sorry, no transportation available for this program. For more information, www.arrowsinthesquare.com or 608-526-2609.

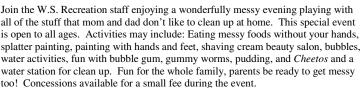
**FREE** Fee:



#### MESSY FEST 2008

#### Dress for the MESS...Messier than Ever





Fee: \$4 per participant, max \$15 per family. Pre-registration encouraged.

#### POPPS CAVE SPELUNKING ADVENTURE

Tuesday, August 5

Incoming 5th Grade and Older, Parents encouraged to attend

Popps Cave is a true caving experience for enthusiasts looking to get right into the action. The cave is located south of Viroqua in Bosstown. The trip will be led by experienced guides from the UW-L Adventure Program. This trip will include mud, darkness and even a few tight spaces. Our group will be provided with helmets and safety equipment. The cave is a constant 50 degrees.

Participants should plan to wear very old clothing, including long pants, long sleeve shirt, sweatshirt, socks and tennis shoes. A flash light is recommended. A back pack with a sack lunch, beverage, complete change of clothes, and a large plastic bag for soiled clothes will be necessary. A small snack and water are recommended for ride home.

The bus will depart from the W. S. Rec. office at 10AM and return at 5:30PM.

\$35 Village Res. \$40 School Dist. \$45 Out of Dist.

#### DEVILS LAKE CLIMBING TRIP

Devil's Lake State Park, WI

Tuesday, July 29

Incoming 5th Grade and Older, Parents encouraged to attend

If you are looking to experience a real climbing adventure here is an opportunity to safely do so. The staff from the UW-L Adventure Program will lead our group up and down several climbing routes throughout the day. A camera may be appropriate

Participants will need proper clothing for the day's weather, sunscreen, sack lunch, several water bottles, socks and tennis shoes and a snack for the ride home. All items must be carried in a true back pack. There is a short hike from the bus parking lot to the climbing site.

The bus will depart from the W. S. Rec. office at 8:00AM and return at 5:00PM. A small snack and water are recommended for ride home.

Fee: \$35 Village Res. \$40 School Dist. \$45 Out of Dist.

#### 4th ANNUAL YOUTH FISHING CONTEST

Sponsored by the West Salem Rod & Gun Club Saturday, May 10

9:00AM-Noon

Veteran's Memorial Park, West Salem

This event is for youth up to 15 years of age. Limit one prize per youth. Bait provided by the West Salem Boy Scouts. Hotdogs and soda will also be available on site by the West Salem Boy Scouts.

For more information please contact Dave Easterday, 786-0372











# **LESSONS & ACTIVITIES**

Ages: 4, 5, 6

#### ART in the PARK 2008

All classes will be held at the West Salem Village Park Shelter Instructor: Charles Brannen, Art Educator

Ages 7 & Older Ages 4-6 6:00-7:00PM 7.00-8.00PM

Session I: June 17, 19, 24, 26 Session II: July 15, 17, 22, 24

Enjoy creating art in a park setting! Artists will use the park as their inspiration while experimenting with a variety of media. Let your creativity soar. Parents are welcome to participate with their child.

\$20 School Dist. Fee per session: \$15 Village Res. \$25 Out of Dist.

#### PRIMARY BALANCE WELLNESS CENTER.

124 S. Leonard, West Salem Instructor: Gayle Nielsen

Little Ninjas: Tuesday/Thursday 5:15-6:15PM

Enrollment ongoing

Relaxation Classes: Mondays 7:00-8:30PM Adults

For class information and registration please contact Gayle at 608-386-7403

#### SPRING SOCCER at PINEVIEW PARK

May 12, 13, 14, 15, Game Day, May 17

Available to non traveling participants grades PK (ages 4-5), K-2.

PK 4:30-5:15PM K 5:15-6:00PM 1st/2nd 6:00-7:00PM

Game Day

PK 9:00-10.00AM K 10:00-11:00AM 1st/2nd 11:00-Noon \$20 Village Res. \$25 School Dist. \$30 Out of Dist.



#### GOLF at MAPPLE GROVE COUNTRY CLUB

Teaching Professional: Kelly DeMarino

Youth Golf Session I June 9, 11,16, 18, 23, 25

Rain dates for Session I: June 30, July 2

Youth Golf Session II July 14, 16, 21, 23, 28, 30

Rain dates for Session II: August 4, 6

Adult Golf June 9, 11, 16, 18 Rain dates: June 23, 25

All sessions will be conducted at the Maple Grove Country Club of West Salem under the guidance of Teaching Professional, Kelly DeMarino.

Class cancellations due to weather will be determined by the instructor. Please contact the golf course directly at 786-0340. The golf course has limited equipment to loan out. Please inquire at the time of registration.

Fee: Adult Golf \$30 Village Res. \$35 School Dist. \$40 Out of Dist. Youth Golf \$25 Village Res. \$35 Out of Dist. Fee: \$30 School Dist.

#### TENNIS INSTRUCTION

Instruction held at the High School tennis courts.

Coach: Julie Kamla

Players will need a tennis racquet. The West Salem Recreation Department has a limited number of older racquets to loan out if necessary. Please inquire at time of registration.

> Incoming Grades K-1st 4:30-5:30PM Incoming Grades 2nd-5th 5:15-6:15PM Incoming Middle-High School 6:30-7:30PM

Dates: Instruction: June 16, 18, 19, 23, 25, 26 Rain Date: June 30 Fee: \$20 Village Res. \$25 School Dist. \$30 Out of Dist.



Rocket Making and Launch Party West Salem Village Park



Mr. Charlie Stoflet will lead students in the making of a rocket and its' launch on the last day of each session. Mr. Stoflet is a science educator with experience in these types of projects. What a great way to make learning come alive.

Session I: July 7, 8 4-5PM Launch Party: July 10 4-6PM Session II: July 14, 15 4-5PM Launch Party: July 17 4-6PM

\$20 Village Res. \$25 School Dist. \$30 Out of Dist.

#### CAMP CREATE, EXPLORE & SO MUCH MORE! June 18, 25, July 2, 9, 16, 23 at W. S. Village Park

Rain date: July 30 Time: 4:00-5:30PM

This camp style program is designed to provide a different experience each day. Please join our certified educator and staff for this themed camp. A snack will be provided, please bring a water bottle or other beverage. Grades incoming K-6.

\$20 Village Res. \$25 School Dist. \$30 Out of Dist.

#### WILD WINDS RANCH Adventures with Horses

Various Sessions Ages 8 and Older



Please join the West Salem Parks & Recreation Department and the Wild Winds Ranch for this new program. Three special sessions have been organized for the youth of the greater West Salem area. Please register for one or all three if you

Each session will include horse care and education as well as guided riding. This is a great introduction to these magnificent animals and their relationship with humans.

Participants should bring a sack lunch with beverage. Appropriate dress would include long pants, t-shirt and smooth sole shoe or boot with 1/2" to 1" heel. An application of bug spray before arriving at the ranch might also be a good idea.

All sessions will be conducted at the Wild Winds Ranch located at N5624 County Road M, West Salem - 2 miles north of the Fairgrounds.

Session I: June 24 4:30-7:30PM Session II: July 22 4:30-7:30PM Session III: August 5 4:30-7:30PM

\$25 all participants, per session

\$65 all 3 sessions

#### SUMMER CONCERT in the PARK WEST SALEM ADULT JAZZ BAND

Sunday, August 17 at the West Salem Village Park 4:00-5:00PM

The West Salem Adult Jazz Band, formed in 1993, will be performing at the West Salem Village Park.

Selections will range from big band classics to more recent pop stylings, and some vocal features to some production numbers.

#### MILWAUKEE BREWERS

11th Annual La Crosse Area Day

Wednesday, August 20

Tickets include bus, tailgate party and game ticket, tailgate luncheon, music, and raffle. Please call for info. 786-1858.



## Summer

#### TEE BALL Registration due May 27, 2008

Volunteer Coaches Meeting: Tuesday, May 27 @ Park & Rec., 7:00PM



The guidelines for this program are girls and boys ages 5 or 6 who are either entering Kindergarten or 1st Grade in the fall of 2008.

The program will introduce children to the game of baseball. Games will be held on Tuesday evenings at 6:15 p.m. behind the West Salem High School on various fields. Practices are usually held right before games.

**Volunteer coaches should be present on May 27.** The season runs June 10 –July 22. Team assignments will be given to the coaches who will then notify their team.

Fee: \$20 Village Res. \$25 School Dist. \$30 Out of Dist.

Late fee of \$10 will be applied to registrations received or postmarked after May 27, 2008

#### PITCH BALL Registration due May 27, 2008

Volunteer Coaches Meeting: Tuesday, May 27 @ Park & Rec., 7:00PM

The guidelines for this program are girls and boys, ages 6 or 7 who are either entering 1st or 2nd grade in the fall of 2008. This is a progression from tee ball.

Children will concentrate on hitting, running, and fielding. A safety baseball is used and is pitched by coaches. Games will be played on Thursday evenings at 6:15 PM behind the West Salem High School on various fields. Practices are usually held right before games. An additional practice may be organized by the volunteer coaches.

**Volunteer coaches should be present on May 27.** The season runs June 12-July 31. Team assignments will be given to the coaches who will then notify their team.

Fee: \$20 Village Res. \$25 School Dist. \$30 Out of Dist.

Late fee of \$10 will be applied to registrations received or postmarked after May 27, 2008

## JUNIOR LEAGUE BASEBALL Registration due May 27, 2008 Volunteer Coaches Meeting: Tuesday, May 27 @ Park & Rec., 7:00PM

The guidelines for this program are girls and boys, ages 8 (exiting 2nd grade) through  $\tau$  age 11/12 (exiting 5th grade). Players may <u>not</u> be on a traveling softball or baseball team.

This program is an introduction to overhand pitching and the general rules for 10 & Under Baseball. Games will be played on Monday and Wednesday evenings on various fields. Practices are usually held right before games. An additional practice may be organized by the volunteer coaches.

**Volunteer coaches should be present on May 27.** The season runs June 11-July 21. Team assignments will be given to the coaches who will then notify their team.

Fee: \$30 Village Res. \$35 School Dist. \$40 Out of Dist.

Late fee of \$10 will be applied to registrations received or postmarked after May 27, 2008

#### GYMNASTICS CAMP

Dates: May 20, 21, 27, 28 Session I
Dates: Aug. 12, 13, 19, 20 Session II

<u>Pre-school (4-5) & K</u> 3:30-4:15PM <u>Gr. 1-3</u> 4:15-5:15PM

Limited availability per class. First come, first served. Register based on grade the participant is currently in.

Fee: \$18 Village Res. \$23 School Dist. \$28 Out of Dist.

#### SUMMER ADULT SOFTBALL LEAGUES

Senior Men's League (35 years and over), now accepting teams for established Wednesday evening play at the West Salem Village Park. Season will include weekly round-robin play and a season end tournament. Please contact the Rec. office for more info.

Adult Co-ed League now forming for Tuesday evening play at the West Salem Village Park. Season will include weekly round-robin play and a season end tournament. Please contact the Rec. office for more information.

Please call for roster packets and general information, 786-0222

#### SUMMER SOCCER CLINIC

August 4, 5, 6, 7 Pineview Park



The camp will focus on the fundamental skills and development of a soccer player. The camp will emphasize personalized instruction as well as small sided games to give each player significant touches on the ball every day. Participants should bring a water bottle, soccer or tennis shoes, and shin protectors. Rain Date: Friday, August 8.

**Schedule** 

IncomingKindergarten -1st6:00-7:00PMIncoming2nd-5th7:00-8:00PM

Fee: \$25 Village Res. \$30 School Dist. \$35 Out of Dist.

#### WIGGLES & GIGGLES at PINEVIEW PARK

Mondays **Dates**: June 16, 23, 30 July 7, 14, 21

Ages 4 and 5 6:00-7:00PM Ages 6 and Older 7:00-8:00PM

This program will introduce one activity each week. Activities to be covered include group games, sports and relays, and cooperative play. Please meet at the Pineview Park shelter for check in. Parent attendance and participation required. **Rain site:** Lion's Shelter

Fee: \$15 Village Res. \$20 School Dist. \$25 Out of Dist.

#### GIRLS TRAVELING FAST PITCH SOFTBALL

This is a volunteer coached league. Teams will be formed at **ages 8-10, 11-12, and 13-14 or grades 2nd-8th**. Teams will be formed based on the number of participants registered.

Games are played on Monday and Wednesday evenings. Typically one game is played per evening starting at 5:30PM, 7PM or 8:30PM. Practices will vary from team to team based on the coach's schedule. Tournaments are optional and will require an additional payment to participate. Season runs mid May-August 8. Transportation is not provided.

Registrations received after May 5, 2008 please add an additional \$15.

Fee: \$45 Village Res. \$50 School Dist. \$55 Out of Dist.

#### FALL FLAG FOOTBALL REGISTRATION

Jr. Flag Football (Grades 1-2, 3-4, 5-6) West Salem Middle School Fields

Registration due Tuesday, September 9, 2008.

#### **Team Night and Parent Meeting:**

Thursday, September 11 at the W. S. Middle School Field

<u>Grades 1-2</u> <u>Grades 3-4</u> 5:30-6:30PM 6:30-7:30PM

Teams are coached by volunteer parents. **Volunteer Coaches are needed** and should be present at the parent meeting for roster and equipment pick up.

One hour games played on <u>Sat. mornings</u> (8:30AM-Noon), 9/13-10/25. One additional weekday practice to be determined by the coach. Team shirts are to be returned. Games will be played at the WS Elementary, Middle School and Pineview Park fields.

Fee: \$20 Village Res. \$25 School Dist. \$30 Out of Dist.

#### WEST SALEM BASKETBALL CAMPS

West Salem High School Open to boys & girls

Incoming Grades K-3rd July 7-July 10 10:00AM-Noon Cost: \$35



Incoming Grades 4-6th July 7-July 10 12:30-3:30PM Cost: \$40

REPERENCE

The camp will be under the direction of Mr. Scott Koepnick. A t-shirt will be provided to each participant. Registrations are available at the Rec. office or through Scott Koepnick, 786-1220, ext. 2014

#### WEST SALEM PARKS & RECREATION SPRING/SUMMER 2008 REGISTRATION FORM

175 South Leonard Street, West Salem, WI 54669 Office (608)786-0222 Event Cancellation Line (608)791-0023

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