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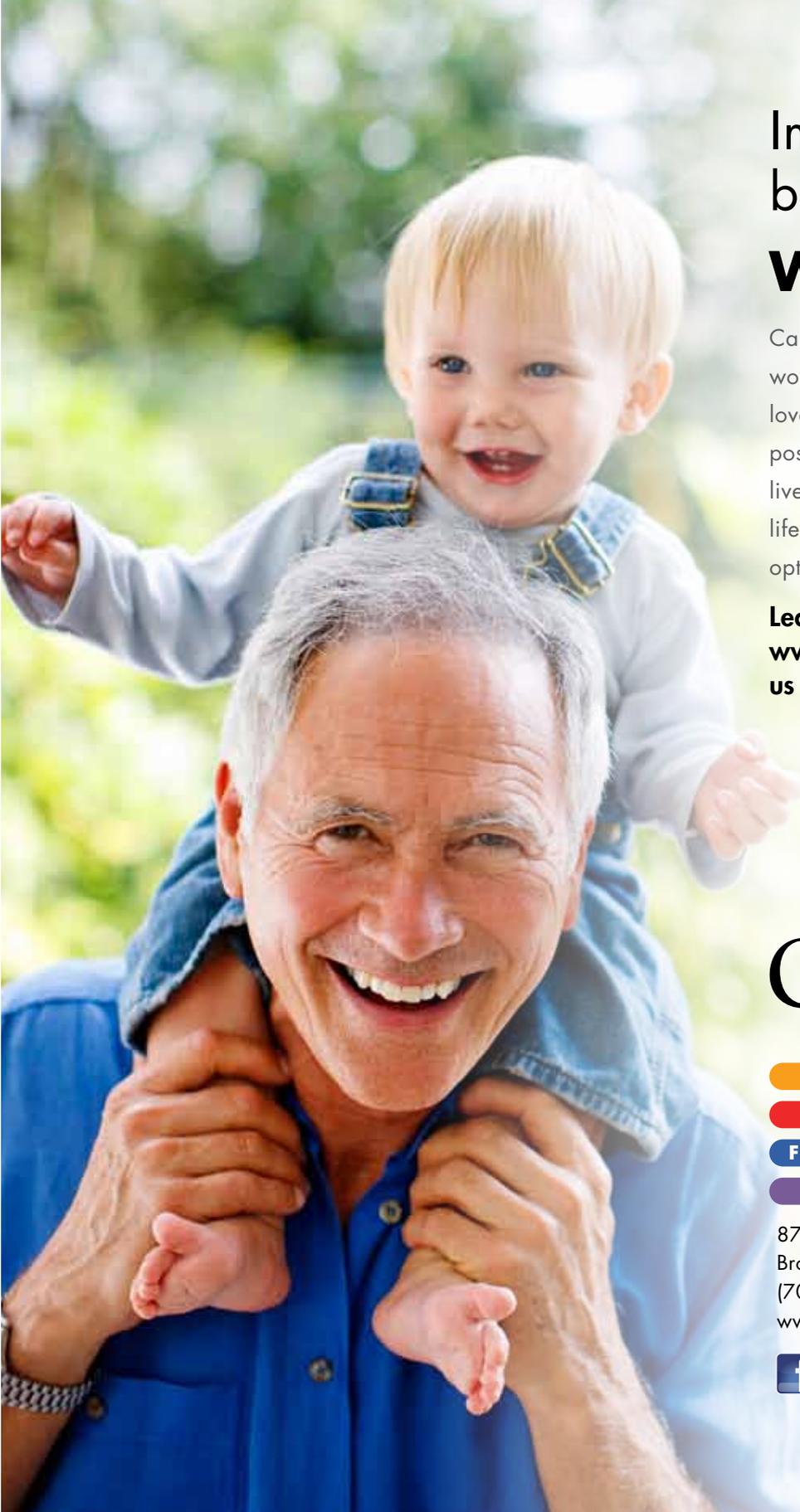
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Community Recreation Co-op

To help increase recreation program offerings to Brookfield residents, the Brookfield Recreation Department has entered into cooperative programming agreements with the Villages of La Grange Park, North Riverside, Summit, Riverside and other surrounding communities.

This co-op will allow residents of each community to participate in more programs at resident rates. All programs from these communities are not co-oped, only those listed in this program book. Co-oped programs can be identified by their location, listed under the program description.

For additional information on a co-oped program, please contact the Host Agency. Refund and cancellation policies are determined by the Host Agency of each program.

Co-op Agencies Parks and Recreation Commission

Community Park District of LaGrange Park
1501 Barnsdale Road
LaGrange Park, IL 60526
708/354-4580

North Riverside Recreation Dept.
2401 S. DesPlaines Avenue
North Riverside, IL 60546
708/442-5515

Riverside Recreation Dept.
10 Pine Avenue
Riverside, IL 60546
708/442-7025

Summit Park District
5700 S. Archer Road
Summit Argo, IL 60501-1465
708/496-1012

Meetings

The Parks and Recreation Commission meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm. These meetings, held in the Municipal Building, Edward Barcal Court Room, allow the appointed Commissioners to provide resident input to the Brookfield Village Board and the Recreation Department on park issues and programming needs. The public is welcome to attend.

Special Events Commission Meetings

The Special Events Commission meets on the 1st Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm. These meetings held in the Brookfield Municipal Building, Edward Barcal Court Room, allow the appointed Special Events Commission to provide resident input to the Brookfield Village Board concerning the public's needs and desires. The public is welcome to attend.

SEASPAR (South East Association for Special Parks and Recreation)

Providing year round recreation programs for individuals with special needs.

Check us out on the web at, www.seaspar.org or call 630-960-7600 for additional information. Seasonal program books available at the Brookfield Recreation Department.

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BRICK PATHWAY PROGRAM

The Brookfield Recreation Department has received a donation from Barbara Weyrick to be used as a memorial for her parents Martha and Anton Kesman. The Kesmans lived in Brookfield for many years. Because of their love for Brookfield and their many hours spent at Jaycee/Ehlert Park, the donation is being used toward a garden and brick pathway.

The Recreation Department is continually raising funds for future park renovations. You can contribute to our parks by purchasing a personalized brick for the pathway.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Bricks purchased will be integrated into symbolic and distinctively landscaped walkway leading to the garden in the park. By purchasing a brick, you will be supporting the development of our parks which will be enjoyed by both children and adults of Brookfield. The Recreation Department will order bricks to be placed in the garden pathway, once each year. All orders need to be turned into the Recreation Department each year by June 15th.

WHAT DOES A BRICK COST?

A 4" x 8" brick is \$100.00 and will accommodate up to three (3) lines of text, 13 characters per line including spacing and punctuation. An 8" x 8" brick is \$200.00 and will accommodate up to five (5) lines of text, 13 characters per line including spacing and punctuation. Inscriptions might recognize families who supported the parks, e.g., "The Johnsons - George, Cindy, Susie and Jeff", or a business which is concerned with the development of Brookfield parks, e.g., "The ABC Company - Serving the Residents of Brookfield". Bricks might also be donated in memory of a loved one.

GIFT CERTIFICATES

Gift certificates are also available. You may purchase a brick for someone special. We will provide you with a certificate which you can present to the recipient notifying them of the gift and permitting them to personalize their own brick.

HOW TO OBTAIN ORDER FORMS

Call the Brookfield Recreation Department at (708) 485-1527 or you may stop by the Recreation Department which is located in the lower level of the Village Hall and fill out a form.

Program Registration Procedures and Information

Interested in joining a program? Register early, some program enrollments are limited, and once they are full, you'll have missed your chance. Programs without sufficient enrollment will be canceled one week before a program is set to begin.

1. Brookfield Resident Registration will begin on Monday, May 4. Registration and payment can be brought in or mailed in to the Brookfield Recreation Department or dropped off at the Brookfield Municipal Building or you can register online at retrac.brookfieldil.gov.

All registration received by 5:00pm on May 4 will be processed by random draw. Registration received after May 4, will be processed daily.

All Village debt (water bill, vehicle tags, parking tickets, past program fees, etc) must be paid to date before registration can be accepted for a program. If an outstanding debt is found, registration will be returned.

Please fill out the registration form (included in this book), sign and date the waiver and submit with payment. **Make checks payable to the Village of Brookfield.**

Non-Resident Registration will begin on Monday, May 11, following the same process as stated above.

2. When registering for a class with age restrictions, the participant must be the required age when the class begins. Proof of age may be required to verify age.

3. CANCELLATION POLICY. The Brookfield Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel any program where there is insufficient enrollment. We may try to combine or alter a program so it can be offered. For programs canceled by the Recreation Department, participants will receive a full refund or credit of the class fee. Once a program has begun, a request for refund or credit must be made within 48 hours of the first class meeting. All approved refund or credit requests from active programs will be processed minus a \$5.00 processing fee and prorated for any class dates attended or supplies purchased. **Refund or credit requests due to injury or extended illness may require a physician's note. No processing fee will be deducted on refunds for medical reasons.** Due to the contract terms of some programs/outings, refunds or credits may not be possible. Refund checks will be issued approximately 20 days from date of remittance.

4. FEES. The fee code used in this book is as follows: **(R)** resident of Brookfield and/or co-oping town residents; **(NR)** non resident of Brookfield and/or co-oping town. All fees are per session unless otherwise noted.

5. RECREATION HOTLINE. This phone line can keep you up to date on any news that may come up in the Recreation Department. Call **708/485-7360** for program cancellations, events, etc and listen to a recording on what's happening.

Sign Up Today to Receive the Village's eNewsletter!

It's easy, just go to www.brookfieldil.gov and enter your email address here ...



The screenshot shows the Village of Brookfield website. At the top left is the Village of Brookfield logo. A navigation bar contains links for Home, About, Departments, Your Local Government, Emergency Information, News & Events, Documents & Forms, FAQ, and Contact. Below the navigation bar is a large banner image of a family sitting on a lawn with a dog, with the text "A Great Place to LIVE. WORK. VISIT. PLAY." and a small "1 2" indicator. Below the banner are three main content areas: "Brookfield Quick Links" with sub-sections for Residents (listing various services like Beautification Commission, Police Department, etc.) and Businesses; "Current Updates" with a section for "Upcoming Recreation Events" listing summer activities like the Summer Recreation Book, Summer Concerts, and Summer Movies; and "Online Payments" with a "Newsletter Sign Up!" form. The form includes an "Email Address" input field, a "Go" button, and a disclaimer: "We will not share or sell your email, you can unsubscribe at any time." A large black arrow points from the text above to the Newsletter Sign Up form.

Brookfield Recreation Department Registration Form

*Head of Household: _____

*Address: _____

*City/State/Zip: _____

*Primary phone: _____

Work/cell phone: _____

*Email address: _____

*Emergency Contact Name/Phone: _____

*Head of Household Birthdate: _____

Mail your registration and payment to:
 Brookfield Recreation Department
 8820 Brookfield Ave.
 Brookfield, IL 60513

Bring in person to the Recreation Dept.
 (drop box available outside office)

Drop registration/payment in the white
 drop-box in Village Hall parking lot

Register online at:
 Rectrac.brookfieldil.gov

*Participant's Name	*Birthdate	*Sex	*Activity Name	Code #	Start Date	Fee
TOTAL						

***Required fields — Registration will not be processed without this information**

Participant Liability Waiver and Hold Harmless Agreement

Please read this form carefully and be aware in signing up and registering yourself and/or your minor child/ward for participation in the above described Activity and any activities associated therewith you will be waiving your rights to all claims for injuries you might sustain arising out of this Activity; and you will be indemnifying, holding harmless and defending the Village of Brookfield, its officials, agents, employees, and volunteers, for any claims arising out of the participation of yourself and/or your minor child/ward under 18 years of age in the Activity.

In consideration of myself and/or my minor child/ward under 18 years of age being allowed to participate in the Activity, I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury associated with the Activity. I agree to assume the full risk of injuries that I or my minor child/ward may sustain, as a result of participating in the Activity and all activities connected or associated therewith. I agree to indemnify, hold harmless and defend the Village of Brookfield, its officials, agents, employees, and volunteers, for any and all claims injuries, damage or loss on behalf of myself and/or my minor child/ward may have against the Village of Brookfield, its officials, agents, employees, and volunteers, as a result of my participation and/or my minor child/ward's participation in the Activity.

The invalidity or unenforceability of any of the provisions hereof shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remainder of this Agreement.

I have read and fully understand the above Waiver and Release of all claims.

Permission to Photograph and Videotape Participants Is Authorized by Your Signature On This Waiver

By signing this waiver, I understand that I and/or my child/ward may be photographed or videotaped at any Village of Brookfield program, event, or facility. I give permission for photographs and videotapes of myself and/or my minor child/ward to be used to promote the Village of Brookfield through press releases, brochures, the web site, and other promotional materials. Such photographs and videotapes will remain the property of the Village of Brookfield. Please tell the instructor and photographer if you do not want to be photographed.

Initial here if you and/or your child/ward do not wish to be photographed _____

Americans with Disabilities Act

The Brookfield Recreation Department encourages participation by everyone! If you or a family member have special needs and would like to participate in a program, we will be happy to make modifications to meet your needs. Please indicate below if you would like information regarding our integration programs and/or modifications for program participants according to the Americans with Disabilities Act.

YES, please call with information

If you do not hear from us within two weeks prior to the start date of a program, we encourage you to contact the Recreation Department.

Medical Concerns

Please note any diet limitations, allergies, special medications, or additional conditions which may affect participation

Participant Name: _____

Comments: _____

ACKNOWLEDGED AND AGREED TO THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 20_____

Authorized Signature of Participant _____
 or Parent/Legal Guardian _____

Candy Cane Park

29th & Park Aves.

Harrison Park

3200 block of
Harrison Ave.

Kiwanis Park

8820 Brookfield Ave.

Madlin Park

Lincoln Ave. between
Madison & Raymond Aves.

Maple South Park

3900 block of
Maple Ave.

Creekside Park

Burlington & Grove Aves.

JC/Ehlert Park

Congress Park
& Elm Aves.

Madison Park

4000 block of
Madison Ave.

Maple North Park

3800 Block of
Maple Ave.

**Veteran's
Memorial Park**

Grand Blvd. &
Sunnyside Aves.

Facility Locations

(all in Brookfield)

Municipal Building

Recreation Hall, Recreation Office and Conference Room
Lower level of the Municipal Building

Recreation House

4301 Elm Avenue

Water Tower

3840 Maple Avenue

Kiwanis Park

8820 Brookfield Avenue

Ehlert Park

Congress Park and Elm Avenues

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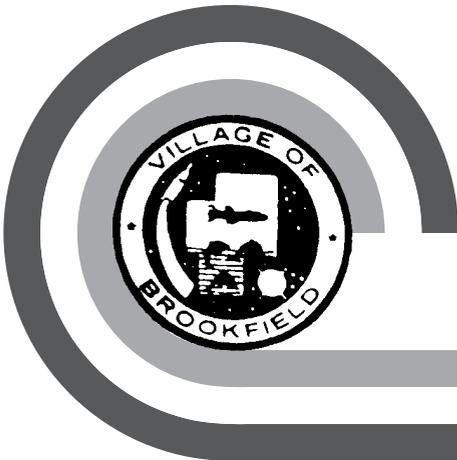
Mary Vyskocil

Michelle Ryan, *Trustee liaison*

Recreation Staff

Mary Pezdek

Arlene Rovner



Safe and Proper Usage of Brookfield's Playgrounds & Parks

Brookfield Parks are open from dawn to dusk every day.

To help keep all users of our playground equipment safe, be sure to:

- use all equipment in the manner it was created for
- adults should select the playground equipment that is age-appropriate for their children and instruct them on how to use it safely
- adults should supervise their children's play to correct behavior and prevent accidents before they occur

Athletic Field/Court Usage Permits

No organized team, league, group/organization may utilize any park facility or athletic field/court without a permit allowing such use. Permits may only be obtained from the Brookfield Recreation Department, Monday-Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm.

No person(s) or group/organization shall bring into the parks any play class, day camp or similarly organized group or activity of any kind without prior permission from the Brookfield Recreation Department.

Splashpad

The Ehlert Park Splashpad will be open May 23 - September 7 (weather dependent), and will be available 11:00am to 5:00pm.

The pavilion adjacent to the splashpad is for all persons to enjoy while watching their children play in the splashpad area. This pavilion is not available for group picnics/parties.

Skatepark

The Ehlert Park Skate Park will be open April through October each year (weather dependent). Use of the skatepark is at your own risk. The Village of Brookfield will not be held liable for any injuries.

While using the skatepark please remember to:

- use the facility responsibly, safely and courteously
- helmets, knee and elbow pads are recommended at all times
- spectators should remain outside the skatepark fence
- food and drink should remain outside the skatepark fence
- bicycles are not allowed in the skatepark
- skatepark will be closed during inclement weather and Village of Brookfield staff has the right to close the skatepark or change the hours of operation without prior notice

Picnic Pavilions

Picnic pavilions, located in Ehlert Park, are available by permit for your family gatherings, May through September. Please call the Brookfield Recreation Department at 708/485-1474 for fee/deposit costs and pavilion availability.

Dogs

Village Ordinance allows dogs in the park with the following conditions:

- No person owning or keeping a dog shall allow such dog to run freely in any park or playground in the Village
- No person owning or keeping a dog shall allow such dog to be in any park or playground in the Village unless such dog remains under control, securely fastened and restrained by a leash not more than eight feet (8') in length. Dog licenses and proof of vaccination must be displayed on the dog's collar
- No person owning or keeping a dog shall allow such dog to enter upon or remain upon any area of the park utilized as an athletic field, court, children's play area or posted to prohibit dogs
- Owners or keepers of dogs shall carry appropriate equipment to and shall immediately clean the dog's waste and deposit the waste in an appropriate waste receptacle

BROOKFIELD PARKS ARE AVAILABLE FOR ALL TO ENJOY.
PLEASE HELP US KEEP THEM CLEAN AND SAFE.

Thank You.

Tots Prep

Our Tots Prep program is designed to allow children to interact with other preschoolers their own age in a learning environment. Age appropriate skills are taught with an emphasis centered around play. Attendance for the entire year is not required, but is strongly encouraged so that the child can benefit from the entire program.

Children must be 3 years of age by August 31, 2015 for the 3 year old program and 4 years of age by August 31, 2015 for the 4 year old program. All children need to be toilet trained for these programs.

Space is still available in the following programs for the 2015-2016 program year:

Water Tower (3840 Maple Ave)

3 year olds: T & Th, 9-11am

Fees: 3 year olds	4 year olds
(R) \$560	(R) \$1050
(5 payments of \$112)	(5 payments of \$210)
(NR) \$675	(NR) \$1260
(5 payments of \$135)	(5 payments of \$210)

Summer Art in the Park

Art workshops held outdoors at our community parks. Sign up for one or all sessions. All ages welcome, children under 5 must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

Session 1:	Kites – Make kites that fly!
Location:	Kiwanis Park, 8820 Brookfield Avenue
Day/Time:	Thursday, June 25/ 9-10am
Fee:	\$12
Code #:	201024-01
Session 2:	Trains – Use paper and other art materials to make a train.
Location:	Maple North Park, 3840 Maple Avenue
Day/Time:	Thursday/ July 16/ 9-10am
Fee:	\$12
Code #:	201024-02
Session 3:	Watercolor nature paintings with natural collage.
Location:	Creekside Park, Grove and Burlington Avenues
Day/Time:	Thursday, July 30/ 9-10am
Fee:	\$12
Code #:	201024-03

Sculpture

Come sculpt with clay, recycled objects, paper, sand clay and wire. This class will introduce traditional and non-traditional materials in a fun and creative way.

Location:	Brookfield, Water Tower Building, 3840 Maple Ave
Days/Time:	Tuesdays and Thursdays/ 9:00-10:00am
Ages:	6 and older
Fee:	\$30
Instructor:	Jenine Clevenger
Code #:	201025-01
Dates:	June 16, 18, 23

Drawing and Mixed Media Painting for Kids

This drawing class will introduce a variety of materials and techniques for young artists to explore. Draw with charcoal, wax etchings with ink, and pastels. One day will be partially held in adjoining park to observe and draw the trees!

Location:	Brookfield, Water Tower Building, 3840 Maple Ave
Days/Time:	Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:00-10:00am
Ages:	6 and older
Fee:	\$30
Instructor:	Jenine Clevenger
Code #:	201036-01
Dates:	July 7, 9, 14

Printmaking

Students will have the chance to try several different print making projects. Students will make mono prints, transfer prints, and foam prints. Kids can also continue to work on their prints through double printing and adding drawings on top.

Location:	Brookfield, Water Tower Building, 3820 Maple Ave
Days/Time:	Tuesdays and Thursdays/ 9:00-10:00am
Ages:	6 and older
Fee:	\$30
Instructor:	Jenine Clevenger
Code#:	201037-01
Dates:	July 21, 23, 28

Preschool Art - Summer Fun

Jump into creativity and expand your child's horizons with Young Rembrandts. Young Rembrandts provides a productive environment where your child will learn how to draw and discover his or her artistic skills. Our students will revel in a colorful collections of summer imagery. A detailed sand pail, a fierce shark, and a serene sailboat scene are just some of the drawings our students will create.

Location:	Brookfield, Recreation House, 4301 Elm Ave
Days/Time:	Monday-Friday/ 1:00-1:45pm
Ages:	3.5 – 5 year olds
Fee:	\$60
Code#:	201046-01
Dates:	June 22-June 26

Preschool Art – Toys

Open the door to artistic wonderment with Young Rembrandts and let them provide a creative environment where your child will learn how to draw and enhance his or her artistic skills. During the month of August, our students will explore the visual wonders of the playroom. Brightly colored toys, imaginative compositions, and playful imagery will excite our students.

Location:	Brookfield, Recreation House, 4301 Elm Ave
Days/Time:	Monday-Friday/ 1:00-1:45pm
Ages:	3.5 – 5 year olds
Fee:	\$60
Code#:	201047-02
Dates:	July 20-July 24

Young Rembrandts – Drawing Workshops Fashion Runway – Tween Style

Young Rembrandts is pleased to offer brand new workshops this summer. Join for 5 days of fashion design and drawing, layering and styling and tons of dazzling accessories. The perfect workshop for the fashionista in your family! Students will learn to draw portraits, figures and tons of the latest “tween fashion” trends.

Location: Brookfield, lower level Municipal Building
Days/Time: Monday-Friday/ 9:00am-12:00pm
Ages: 7-13 year olds
Fee: \$165
Code# 201048-01
Dates: June 22-June 26

Creative Critters – Pastels

Animal lovers rejoice! An all new pastel workshop is here! Students will learn pastel drawing and texturing techniques to illustrate whimsical bees, a fanciful army of frogs, a striking owl and more artistic critters filled with detail. Challenge your creative kids by introducing them to the world of pastels, a guaranteed favorite summer tradition for every Young Rembrandt artist. Cost includes your students very own set of pastels.

Location: Brookfield, lower level Municipal Building
Days/Time: Monday-Friday/ 9:00am-12:00pm
Ages: 7-13 year olds
Fee: \$180
Code# 201048-02
Dates: July 20-July 24

Ballet Elem. I-II

This program is for beginning ballet students and those with one year experience. The foundation of ballet with creative movement. Center and across floor dance steps and movements. French dance terminology and proper dance etiquette will be taught. **Proper dance attire:** Girls: light pink leotard, light pink tights, pink leather ballet slippers. Boys: white t-shirt, black sweatpants, black or white leather ballet slippers. Please no canvas material ballet shoes.

Location: Brookfield, Elite Dance School, 9219 Ogden Ave
Day/Time: Mondays/ 4:00-5:00pm
Ages: 4-6 year olds
Fee: \$85.50
Code # 201010-01
Dates: July 6-Aug 17

Ballet/Tap Combo Elem.

This program introduces your young dancer to the foundation of ballet and tap steps. Barre work, progress to center steps and across the floor movements and ending with the development of the steps into a short dance. Tap focus will be on basic steps and rhythm sounds. French dance terminology and proper dance etiquette will be taught. **Proper dance attire:** Girls: light pink leotards, light pink tights, pink leather ballet slippers and tan tap shoes. Boys: white t-shirt, black sweatpants, black or white leather ballet slippers and black tap shoes. Please no canvas material ballet shoes.

Location: Brookfield, Elite Dance School, 9219 Ogden Ave
Day/Time: Saturdays/ 11:00-12:00pm
Ages: 4-6 year olds
Fee: \$85.50
Code # 201009-01
Dates: July 11-Aug 22

Ballet/Tap Combo Jr. II-III

For the dancer with 2-3 years of dance experience. Participants begin with barre work and progress to center steps and across the floor movements, ending with the development of the steps into a short dance. Tap focus will be on intermediate steps and rhythm sounds. French dance terminology and proper dance etiquette will be taught. **Proper dance attire:** Girls: lilac leotards, light pink tights, pink leather split sole ballet slippers and tan tap shoes. Boys: white t-shirt, black sweatpants, black or white leather split sole ballet slippers and black tap shoes. Please no canvas material ballet shoes.

Location: Brookfield, Elite Dance School, 9219 Ogden Ave
Day/Time: Saturdays/9:15-10:45am
Ages: 8-11 year olds
 (contact Miss Ann before registering)
Fee: \$128
Code # 201008-01
Dates: July 11-Aug 22

Ballet I-II

This class is for the dancer with dance experience looking to challenge themselves more in the world of ballet. Class work based on the teachings of the Russian Vaganova School of Dance. Barre, center, across the floor teachings, steps and syllabus, this class prepares you for pointe class. **Proper dance attire:** black leotard, light pink tights, pink leather split sole ballet slippers. Please no canvas material ballet shoes.

Location: Brookfield, Elite Dance School, 9219 Ogden Ave
Day/Time: Mondays/ 5:15-6:30pm
Ages: 10 and up (grade 5 & over)
Fee: \$107
Code # 201001-01
Dates: July 6-Aug 17



Pointe

For dancers with ballet experience. Participants must also be enrolled in the Monday 5:15pm ballet class for this program. Class is for beginning to intermediate pointe dancers. Proper dance attire: black leotard, light pink tights, pointe shoes.

Location: Brookfield, Elite Dance School,
9219 Ogden Ave

Day/Time: Mondays/ 6:30-7:00pm

Ages: 11 to adult

Fee: \$234

Code #: 201012-01
Dates: July 6-Aug 17

Jazz/Hip-Hop

Mix of jazz and hip-hop and their different styles. Proper stretch, across the floor and center movements will develop into short dances. Proper dance attire: Girls/Boys: (choice of color) leotards, tights, fitted top, fitted pants, biker shorts, unitard and black leather jazz shoes. No loose or baggy street clothes allowed. No street shoes.

Location: Brookfield, Elite Dance School,
9219 Ogden Ave

Day/Time: Tuesdays/ 6:45-7:45pm

Ages: 10 and older (grade 5 and over)

Fee: \$85.50

Code #: 201013-01
Dates: July 7-Aug 18

Jazz/Hip-Hop Jr

Mix of jazz and hip-hop and their different styles. Proper stretch, across the floor and center movements will develop into short dances. Proper dance attire: Girls/Boys: (choice of color) leotards, tights, fitted top, fitted pants, biker shorts, unitard and black leather jazz shoes. No loose or baggy street clothes allowed. No street shoes.

Location: Brookfield, Elite Dance School,
9219 Ogden Ave

Day/Times: Tuesdays/ 5:30-6:30pm

Ages: 7-9 year olds (1st-4th grade)

Fee: \$85.50

Code #: 201014-01
Dates: July 7-Aug 18

Private Dance Lessons

Classes available in ballet, pointe, jazz, tap, hip-hop and lyrical.

Location: Brookfield, Elite Dance School,
9219 Ogden Ave

Dates/Day/Time: varies with availability

Ages: all age levels

Fee: flexible with time required

Call 708/387-1600 for more information.

New Summer Programs!

Summer Dance Camps

Weekly camps offered Mondays through Thursdays
July 6 through August 20

Zumba®

Children and Adults, Ages 4 and up

Contact Ann Lenartson at 708/387-1600 for additional information.

Chefology

This summer the “chefs” are off to China. Enticing aromas will be coming from our kitchen as we stir up simple and tasty recipes, including Sesame Noodles, Chinese Chicken Salad, Stir Fry and Almond Cookies just to name a few. Results can be eaten in class or taken home to share. The recipes prepared will be compiled into a recipe book to take home. NOTE: All allergies must be stated in writing at time of registration.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale

Day/Time: Monday –Thursday/1:30-2:45pm

Ages: 12-15 year olds

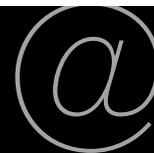
Fee: (R) \$43 (NR) \$53

Code #: 201029-11
Dates: July 27 - 30

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Spanish for Children

A little Spanish as a second language, just for children. Greetings, songs, games and stories are lots of fun as you learn to speak a little and learn a different culture too.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale
Day/Time: Thursdays/ 1:00-1:50pm
Ages: 5 -8 year olds
Fee: (R) \$31 (NR) \$41
Code #: 201016-11
Dates: June 18 – July 23

Broadway Boomers

Fun, silliness and spontaneity include games, scenes and familiar characters to tickle your funny bone. A wonderful introduction to the performing arts using costumes, props and music. A mini performance from classic children's tales will be presented on the last day of class.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale
Day/Time: Tuesdays/1:00-1:50pm
Ages: 3-5 year olds
Fee: (R) \$29 (NR) \$39
Code #: 201030-11
Dates: June 16-July 21

Little Hammers

Hammer, drill and nail for fun and to make projects to take home too. This is an introductory class to real wood and tools. Projects will be painted, stained and finished all by you, with help when needed. Safety goggles will be used and tool time safety will be included. A great class for little carpenters.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale
Day/Time: Monday through Thursday/ 9:30-10:20am
Ages: 4 thru entering Kindergarten
Fee: (R) \$33 (NR) \$43
Code #: 201033-01
Dates: July 27-July 30

Woodworks

Four mornings of woodworking. We will learn and work with different types of wood and finishes. Drilling, latches and hinges are some of the tools and applications we will try. Completed projects will be made to take home. Safety will be stressed and safety goggles are provided. Hand tools used.

Location: LaGrange Park,
1501 Barnsdale Road
Day: Monday-Thursday
Grades/Times: 1st-3rd grade/ 10:30-11:25am
4th-6th grade/ 11:30-12:25pm
Fee: (R) \$39 (NR) \$49
Code #: 201034-11
201034-22
Dates: July 27-30
July 27-30

Chess Camp

This week long summer camp is designed for both beginner and experienced young players. All participants will learn cool new strategies at the appropriate level from a renowned Chess Scholars coach. Each class will consist of a fun interactive teaching period and guided practice time. There will also be a chess competition with prizes! Each camper will take home a chess set and an award. Please bring your own snacks.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale
Days/Time: Monday-Friday/9:00-12:00pm
Ages: 5-12 year olds
Fee: (R) \$135 (NR) \$145
Instructor: Chess Scholars
Code #: 201035-11
Dates: July 27-31

Youth Acting

This exciting group will begin to explore the world of live theater. Introduction to acting, props and costumes for play staging will all add to the fun. Learning theater terms and working of themed scenes will encourage and build self-esteem.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Days/Time: Tuesdays/ 1:00-2:30pm
Ages: 6-8 year olds
Fee: (R) \$39 (NR) \$49
Instructor: Dave Romito
Code#: 201019-11
Dates: June 16 – July 21

Mystery Theater

Learn theater skills through the art of drama. Students will also participate in theater games, use of props, and intro to stage makeup. The group will collaborate in creating and solving a "mystery" in one act. An audience is invited at the end of each session to see a performance. A new drama for each session!

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Day/Time: Monday-Thursday/ 2:00-4:00pm
Ages: 9-13 year olds
Fee: (R) \$97 (NR) \$107
Instructor: Dave Romito
Code#: 201031-11
201031-22
Dates: June 29-July 16
July 20-Aug 6

Summer Stock Theater Camp

Study the basic skills of acting and have fun with exercises and games that examine techniques that an actor uses to establish a character. Exercises include movement, sense memory, personalization, breath control and projection. You will develop a sense to stage presence as well as patience, self-confidence and good communication skills. This 3 week camp will conclude with a free performance "School House Rock". Parents and family are invited. Fee includes a script and CD.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Day/Time: Monday-Thursday/ 9:00am-12:00pm
Ages: 6-14 year olds
Fee: (R) \$140 (NR) \$170
Instructor: Dee Hamilton/Dave Romito
Code#: 201038-01
Dates: June 8 – June 25

Baby's Musical World

Musical play is a wonderful way for baby and family to play together. This class will provide opportunities to help baby develop physically, emotionally, socially and intellectually. Bouncing songs, lullabies, traveling motion and dancing, beat motions using percussion instruments and tickle games and poems will delight your baby and contribute to vital aspects of growth and development at the same time. Parent/caregiver and baby participate in the class together.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Day/Time: Fridays/ 11:30-12:05pm
Ages: Newborn to 16 months with caregiver
Fee: (R) \$57 (NR) \$67
Instructor: Miss Angie
Code#: 201046-01
Dates: June 19-July 31 (no 7/3)

Mighty Music Makers

A musical celebration of the summer season! A variety of music and movement activities will not only meet the child's developmental needs, but will also hold the child's interest and bring the family together. Frogs, worms, flowers and weather sounds are some of the subjects that will be explored through songs and poems. Parent/caregiver and child attend and participate in the class together.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Day/Time: Fridays/ 10:30-11:15am
Ages: 3-5 year olds with caregiver
Fee: (R) \$57 (NR) \$67
Instructor: Miss Angie
Code#: 201045-11
Dates: June 19-July 31 (no 7/3)



Summer Fun Crafts

Wear you spirit on your wrist! Make your own "spirit bracelets" plus beaded sun catchers, flame lanterns, butterflies that fly, soap felting and more! Register with friends, make it a crafting party.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Day/Time: Friday/ 10:30-12pm
Grades: Entering 1st – 3rd grade
Fee: (R) \$33 (NR) \$43
Code#: 201047-01
Dates: June 19-July 24 (no 7/3)

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Youth Day Camps

Kamp Kiwanis – Full Week Camp

Our camp program will keep your child busy with active sports, games and crafts as well as plenty of time to kick back, enjoy the summer and be a kid! Camp fee covers all activities, materials and outings. Campers provide their own lunch and beverage each day.

Location: Brookfield, Municipal Building, 8820 Brookfield Ave, surrounding area
Days/Time: Monday through Friday/ 9:00am-3:00pm
Grades: entering 2nd through 7th

Code #: **Dates:**
 203003-11 Week 1: June 15-19
 203003-22 Week 2: June 22-26
 203003-33 Week 3: June 29-July 2 (no 7/3)
 203003-44 Week 4: July 6-10
 203003-55 Week 5: July 13-17
 203003-66 Week 6: July 20-24
 203003-77 Week 7: July 27-31
 203003-88 Week 8: Aug 3-7

Fees: Fees are per week. Full payment for first week attending plus a \$10 (non-refundable deposit) for each additional week your child will be attending is due at time of registration. Balance of payment is due the Friday before each week begins. No fee discount for vacation, illness, missed days, etc.

Online registration requires full payment.

Weeks 1, 2, 4-8 \$105/week
 Week 3 \$85

Kamp Kiwanis 3 Day Camp

Camp activities similar to above.

Location: Brookfield, Municipal Building, 8820 Brookfield Ave, surrounding area
Days/Time: Mon, Wed and Fri/ 9:00am-3:00pm
Grades: entering 2nd through 7th

Code #: **Dates:**
 203004-11 Week 1: June 15, 17, 19
 203004-22 Week 2: June 22, 24, 26
 203004-33 Week 3: June 29, July 1 (no 7/3)
 203004-44 Week 4: July 6, 8, 10
 203004-55 Week 5: July 13, 15, 17
 203004-66 Week 6: July 20, 22, 24
 203004-77 Week 7: July 27, 29, 31
 203004-88 Week 8: Aug 3, 5, 7

Fee: Fees are per week. Payment follows same procedure as full week camp.

Weeks 1, 2, 4-8 \$73/week
 Week 3 \$50

Kamp Kiwanis Pre/Post Camp

For those needing to add a little more time to their child's day. All pre and post activities are held indoors. No per day fees available.

Location: Brookfield, lower level Municipal Building

Pre Camp
Dates: Same as Kamp Kiwanis dates
Time: 7:30-9:00am
Fees: \$20/week, Full Week Camp
 \$16/Week 3

Code#: 203005
 \$12/week, 3 Day Camp
 203006

Code#:
Post Camp
Dates: Same as Kamp Kiwanis dates
Time: 3:00-5:30pm
Fees: \$34/week, Full Week Camp
 \$27/Week 3

Code #: 203007
 \$20/week, 3 Day Camp

Code #: 203008

Camp Cadets – Ages 3 & 4

This camp program filled with games, crafts, song and socialization will help our young campers Get Out and Play! Camp fees cover all materials. Please pack a small snack and beverage each day for your child.

Location: Brookfield, Recreation House, 4301 Elm Ave
Days: Tuesday and Thursday
Time: 9:30am – 11:30am

Code #: **Dates:**
 203001-11 Week 1: June 16, 18
 203001-22 Week 2: June 23, 25
 203001-33 Week 3: June 30, July 2
 203001-44 Week 4: July 7, 9
 203001-55 Week 5: July 14, 16
 203001-66 Week 6: July 21, 23

Fees: Fees are per week. Full payment for first week attending plus \$10 (non-refundable) deposit for each additional week your child will attend is due at time of registration. Balance of payment is due the Friday before each week begins. No fee discount for vacation, illness, missed days, etc.

Online registration requires full payment.

Weeks 1 – 6 \$30/week

Camp Cadets – Entering K-1st grade

Location: Brookfield, Recreation House, 4301 Elm Ave
Days: Monday, Wednesday and Friday
Time: 9:30am-12:00pm

Code #: **Dates:**
 203002-11 Week 1: June 15, 17, 19
 203002-22 Week 2: June 22, 24, 26
 203002-33 Week 3: June 29, July 1 (no 7/3)
 203002-44 Week 4: July 6, 8, 10
 203002-55 Week 5: July 13, 15, 17
 203002-66 Week 6: July 20, 22, 24

Fees: Fees are per week. Full payment for first week attending plus \$10 (non-refundable) deposit for each additional week your child will attend is due at time of registration. Balance of payment due the Friday before each week begins. No fee discount for vacation, illness, missed days, etc.

Online registration requires full payment.

Weeks 1, 2, 4-6 \$56/week
 Week 3 \$41

Challenger Sports – British Soccer Camps

Challenger Sports has developed an innovative way of coaching that revolves around fun, personal challenge, maximum participation and as much positive feedback as possible. Not only does the “Challenger Way” concentrate on the technical, tactical and physical elements of soccer, it focuses on the player as an individual and not just a player within a team. Fee includes: instruction, camp t-shirt and soccer ball.

Give your kids a real treat – Host a Coach! Host families receive up to \$80 refund on camp fees. **Call Recreation Office at 485-1527 if interested.**

First Kicks

Young players are introduced to game basics through fundamental activities, games and fun soccer challenges. Parents are encouraged to join in and help guide their child through this fun learning experience.

Location: Brookfield, JayCee/Ehlert Park
Days/Time: Monday through Friday/ 9:00-10:00am
Dates: Aug 3-7
Ages: 3-4 year olds
Fee: \$73 (if registered on or before 7/24)
 \$83 (if registered after 7/24)
Code #: 202018-01

Mini Soccer

Fun games, competitions and skill building activities are designed to enlighten and develop budding players.

Location: Brookfield, JayCee/Ehlert Park
Days/Time: Monday through Friday/ 10:00-11:30am
Dates: Aug 3-7
Ages: 4-6 year olds
Fee: \$88 (if registered on or before 7/24)
 \$98 (if registered after 7/24)
Code #: 202019-01

Half Day Camp

Emphasis is placed upon skill development and mastery of core techniques through individual and small group practices and coached games.

Location: Brookfield, JayCee/Ehlert Park
Days: Monday through Friday
Dates: Aug 3-7
Ages/Times: 6-9 year olds/ 12:30-3:30pm
 10-14 year olds/ 12:30-3:30pm
Fee: \$110 (if registered on or before 7/24)
 \$120 (if registered after 7/24)
Code #: 202020-01

Tae Kwon Do - Youth

White Wolf Academy of Martial Arts teaches Tae Kwon Do with influences from other arts (i.e. yoga, tai chi) to strengthen the body, mind and spirit. Tae Kwon Do will help increase your self confidence and self esteem making you more confident and successful. Self defense is an important aspect of Tae Kwon Do, and you will be taught to increase your awareness and ability to confront any situation with calm, clear strength and fortitude.

Location: Recreation Hall, Brookfield Municipal Building
Days/Time: Tuesday and Thursday/ 4:00-5:00pm
Ages: 5-12 year olds
Fee: \$80
Instructor: Chad White Wolf Koch
Code #:
 202002-01 Session 1: June 2–June 25
 202002-02 Session 2: June 30–July 23
 202002-03 Session 3: July 28–Aug 20
 202002-04 Session 4: Sept 1–Sept 24

Kids First Tennis - Spring

Serve It! Certified coaches teach the skills of tennis through a tennis process that is simple and easy to learn. This tennis camp will challenge beginners and advanced players with competitive instructional drills, plus racket grips, techniques on ball spins, speed & quickness drills, body balance, safety awareness and sportsmanship. Participants should bring their own racket to camp.

Location: Brookfield, JayCee/Ehlert Park Courts
Ages: 6-8 & 9-14 year olds
Days/Time: Saturdays/ 9:00-11:00am Wednesdays/ 4:30-5:30pm
Fee: \$69 **Fee:** \$49
Code #: **Dates:** **Code #:** **Dates:**
 202022-11 Apr 18-May16 202022-33 Apr 22-May 20
 202022-22 May 23-June 20 202022-44 May 27-June 24

Kids First Track and Field - Summer

Excellent coaches will focus on teaching sprints, hurdles, jumps, distance running and throws in a safe and fundamental way. The program consists of body balance techniques, speed, quickness and agility drills to help produce a quicker, safer and more powerful performance. A wide variety of time events will take place during each session, concluding with an event championship series on the final day.

Location: Brookfield, JayCee/Ehlert Park
 (meet at the pavilion)
Day: Saturdays
Ages/Time: 5-6 year olds/ 9:00-10:00am
 7-14 year olds/ 10:00-11:00am
Fee: \$49
Code #:
 202006-11 Apr 18-May 16
 202004-22 May 23-June 20

Fencing

This safe, fast-paced sport will be a wonderful new experience for all members of the family. This beginning class will provide you the basis for advancement. All equipment is supplied for the class. Additional family members are encouraged to enroll at 50% of the cost.

Location: Brookfield, 8820 Brookfield Ave, lower level
(enter at east door, police entrance)
Day/Time: Saturdays/ 5:30-6:30pm
Ages: 8 through adult
Fee: \$50
Instructor: Tracy Lapshin, Fencing Sport Club
Code #: **Dates:**
205005-01 May 30-July 11 (no 6/27, 7/4)

Kids First Baseball

This program will prepare and challenge all players with fun competitive drills to help develop skills and maximize player potential. Proven fundamental baseball techniques will be used in batting, fielding, pitching, base running and throwing.

Location: Yena Park, 29th & Harrison Aves, LaGrange Park
Day/Time: Thursdays/ 1:00-2:00pm
Ages: 5-12 year olds
Fee: (R) \$60 (NR) \$70
Code #: **Dates:**
202007-11 June 18 – July 9
202007-22 July 16 – Aug 6

Kids First Track and Field

Coaches will focus on teaching sprints, hurdles, jumps, distance running and throws in a safe and fundamental way. Program consists of body balance techniques including speed, quickness and agility drills that will help produce a safer more powerful performer. A wide variety of timed events will take place each day, with an event championship series on the final day.

Location: Yena Park, 29th and Harrison Aves, LaGrange Park
Days/Time: Thursdays/ 2:00-3:00pm
Ages: 6-14 year olds
Fee: (R) \$60 (NR) \$70
Code #: **Dates:**
202006-33 June 18 – July 9
202006-44 July 16 - Aug 6

Kids First Basketball

This program will offer techniques on shooting, dribbling, passing, speed and quickness, body balance, floor spacing, safety awareness and sportsmanship through skill contests and game play. Players will learn new basketball skills and safety through fundamental coaching that will make them game ready.

Location: Yena Park, 29th & Harrison Aves, LaGrange Park
Days/Time: Thursdays/ 3:00-4:00pm
Ages: 9-14 year olds
Fees: (R) \$60 (NR) \$70
Code #: **Dates:**
202009-11 June 18 – July 9
202009-22 July 16 – Aug 6

Flag Football

A good old American classic! If you don't want to wear helmet and pads, then this is the program for you. We will use junior size footballs and flags just right for grabbing. Enjoy the sport of football as we learn how to pass, catch and use teamwork to our advantage. This is a non-contact sport. In the event of rain, class will be made up on the following Thursday.

Location: Memorial Park, 132 Oak Ave, LaGrange Park (meet at sand volleyball courts)
Days/Time: Fridays/ 9:30-10:30am
Ages: 7-9 year olds
Fee: (R) \$45 (NR) \$55
Instructor: Sports R Us Staff
Code #: **Dates:**
202013-11 June 5 – July 10 (no 7/3)
202013-22 July 17 – Aug 14

Youth Sand Volleyball

Bump, set, SPIKE! These and other skills are learned in this class for both boys and girls. This class starts off with the basic skills and will advance week-to-week accordingly. Teamwork, participation and good sportsmanship are top priorities! A "game" is played at the end of each class. In the event of rain, class will be made up the following Thursday.

Location: Memorial Park, 132 Oak Ave, LaGrange Park
Day/Time: Fridays/ 10:30-11:30am
Ages: 8-13 year olds
Fee: (R) \$45 (NR) \$55
Instructor: Sports R Us Staff
Code #: **Dates:**
202014-11 June 5 – July 10 (no 7/3)
202014-22 July 17 – Aug 14

Lil Pint Soccer

The fundamentals of soccer will be taught in this mini-camp. Children will enhance their soccer skills in a non-competitive environment where teamwork, participation and good sportsmanship are stressed. Both boys and girls with an interest in playing soccer are encouraged to join this program. A "game" will be played at the end of each class. Camp is held outside, please bring a water bottle each day. In the event of rain, class will be made up the following Thursday.

Location: Memorial Park, 132 Oak Ave, LaGrange Park (meet by the sand volleyball courts)
Day/Time: Fridays/ 11:30-12:15pm
Ages: 4-6 year olds
Fee: (R) \$45 (NR) \$55
Instructor: Sports R Us Staff
Code#: **Dates:**
202023-01 June 5 – July 10 (no 7/3)
202023-02 July 17 – Aug 14

Cheerleading

Enjoy the physical fitness, self-confidence and fun that cheerleading skills and up-to-date dance routines with pom-poms can provide. In the event of rain, class will be canceled.

Location: Robinhood Park,
30th and Robinhood Lane, LaGrange Park
(meet on Multipurpose Court)

Day/Time: Mondays/ 10:00-11:00am

Ages: 6-11 year olds

Fee: (R) \$22 (NR) \$32

Code #: **Dates:**
202025-11 June 22 – July 20

Kids First Multiple Sports Camp

Experienced coaches will teach a different sport each day from baseball, soccer, flag football, kick ball and dodge ball, all while giving kids a chance to experience if they like it. General rules of the sport will be explained, including safety and fundamental demonstrations. The game each day will start once the coach feels everyone understands the game.

Location: Yena Park, 29th & Harrison Aves,
LaGrange Park

Days/Time: Monday-Thursday/ 9:00am-12:00pm

Ages: 6-14 year olds

Fee: (R) \$120 (NR) \$130

Code #: **Dates:**
202026-11 June 15 - 18

Bumper Bowling

Every participant is guaranteed to knock down a pin or two without a chance of a gutter ball. This is a great way to learn to bowl and have fun doing it. Fee includes shoe rental.

Location: Eden Lanes,
10159 W. Cermak Road, Westchester

Day/Time: Wednesdays/ 10:00-11:00am

Ages: 4-6 year olds

Fee: (R) \$40 (NR) \$50

Instructor: D. Floto

Code #: **Date:**
202027-11 June 17 – July 15

Bowling

Join us for a morning of strikes and spares at Eden Lanes. Kids will have a ball playing this very fun activity. Fee includes shoe rental.

Location: Eden Lanes,
10159 W. Cermak Road, Westchester

Day/Time: Wednesdays/ 10:00-11:00am

Ages: 7-13 year olds

Fee: (R) \$48 (NR) \$58

Instructor: D. Floto

Code #: **Dates:**
202028-11 June 17 – July 15

Kids First Track and Field Camp

Coaches will focus on teaching sprints, hurdles, jumps, distance running and throws in a safe and fundamental way. Program consists of body balance techniques including speed, quickness and agility drills that will help produce a safer more powerful performer. A wide variety of timed events will take place each day, with an event championship series on the final day.

Location: Yena Park, 29th & Harrison Aves,
LaGrange Park

Days/Time: Monday-Thursday/ 9:00am-12:00pm

Ages: 6-14 year olds

Fee: (R) \$120 (NR) \$130

Code #: **Dates:**
202029-11 June 22 - 25

Kids First Football Camp

This camp will focus on teaching football safety, fundamentals and skills. This includes techniques per position, blocking, tackling, football awareness and sportsmanship. Class will conclude with a flag football game. Players will gain a greater understanding of health, fitness and nutrition for developing strength, giving them a competitive edge.

Location: Yena Park, 29th and Harrison Aves,
LaGrange Park

Days/Time: Monday-Thursday/ 9:00am-12:00pm

Ages: 6-14 year olds

Fee: (R) \$120 (NR) \$130

Code #: **Dates:**
202030-11 June 29 – July 2

Kids First Lacrosse Camp

Lacrosse is a fast paced game that challenges players to get into great physical shape and learn a variety of skills. The camp will focus on teaching lacrosse skills and techniques including: player positions, stick handling, shooting, understanding goal keepers, game awareness and will conclude with a championship lacrosse match.

Location: Yena Park, 29th & Harrison Aves,
LaGrange Park

Days/Time: Monday-Thursday/ 9:00am-12:00pm

Ages: 8-15 year olds

Fee: (R) \$120 (NR) \$130

Code #: **Dates:**
202031-11 July 6 - 9

Kids First Basketball Camp

This camp will offer techniques on shooting, dribbling, passing, speed and quickness, body balance, floor spacing, safety awareness and sportsmanship through skill contests and game play. Players will learn new basketball skills and safety through fundamental coaching that will make them game ready.

Location: Yena Park, 29th & Harrison Aves,
LaGrange Park

Days/Time: Monday-Thursday/ 9:00am-12:00pm

Ages: 6-14 year olds

Fee: (R) \$120 (NR) \$130

Code #: **Dates:**
202033-11 Aug 3 - 6

Ultimate Frisbee Camp

Coaches will prepare players on how to play, enjoy and win as a team in Ultimate Frisbee. This is one of the fastest growing youth sports in the country. The sport can be described as a combination of soccer, football and basketball it's a simple yet demanding game. Coaches will teach how to throw and score points offensively, and how to defend their goal defensively.

Location: Yena Park, 29th & Harrison Aves,
LaGrange Park
Days/Time: Monday-Thursday/ 9:00-12:00pm
Ages: 6-14 year olds
Fee: (R) \$120 (NR) \$130
Code#: 202034 -01
Dates: July 13-17

White Sox Baseball Camp

The White Sox Training Center is coming to LaGrange/LaGrange Park! Young players looking to improve their game will learn basic and advanced baseball skills. The essential skills emphasized will include throwing, hitting, fielding, pitching and running. Throughout the week, use of some fun skill games will reinforce lessons. Whether you're a rookie or an all-star, the Sox Training Center can help you become the best ball player you can be. Each player will also participate in a special Skills Competition. The top 30 qualifiers in each age group throughout the summer will compete in the finals on US Cellular Field in September. Each camper receives six White Sox vouchers (restrictions apply), academy hat, tee-shirt, evaluation report and graduation certificate.

Location: Hanesworth Park,
26th and Barnsdale Road, LaGrange Park
Days: Monday – Friday
Dates: July 14-July 18
Ages/Fee: 5-6 year olds/ (R) \$179 (NR) \$189
7-11 year olds/ (R) \$199 (NR) \$209
Instructors: White Sox Training Academy Staff
Code #: 202032-01
202032-02
Ages/Time: 5-6 year olds/ 8:30-11:00am
7-11 year olds/ 8:30-11:30am

TEEN/ADULT PROGRAMS

Secretary of State – Mobile Services Unit

The mobile DMV is able to renew driver's licenses, provide corrected and duplicate licenses, identification cards, vehicle renewal stickers and vision screening.

Location: Brookfield Municipal Building,
8820 Brookfield Ave
Date: Thursday, August 13
Time: 10:00am to 2:00pm

Chefology

This summer the "chefs" are off to China. Enticing aromas will be coming from our kitchen as we stir up simple and tasty recipes, including Sesame Noodles, Chinese Chicken Salad, Stir Fry and Almond Cookies just to name a few. Results can be eaten in class or taken home to share. The recipes prepared will be compiled into a recipe book to take home. NOTE: All allergies must be stated in writing at time of registration.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Days/Time: Monday – Thursday/ 1:30-2:45pm
Ages: 12-15 year olds
Fee: (R) \$43 (NR) \$53
Code #: 201029-11
Dates: July 27 – 30

Concussion Education Program

Mike Palm and Wally Widelski, members of Athletico Physical Therapy will be on hand to present this concussion education program. This event will help educate the public on one of today's most debated topics. Items that will be discussed: 1) what is a concussion? 2) Signs and symptoms of a concussion, 3) concussion myths, and 4) concussion management tools that include Brain Network Activation (BNA) Testing. By capturing a functional image of the brain, BNA provides one of the safest and most objective means to determine whether or not an individual is 100% ready to participate after a concussive episode.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Day/Time: Monday/ 6:00-7:00pm
Ages: 16 and older
Fee: \$5
Code#: 204004-01
Dates: June 1

Adult Intermediate Spanish

If you are looking to improve your beginning Spanish, experience and expand your vocabulary, then this is the class for you. You will have the experience of conversing and learning in a small group setting. To expand your overall exposure to this important language. Some previous knowledge of Spanish is pre-requisite.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Day/Time: Thursdays/ 6:00-7:30pm
Ages: 16 and older
Fee: (R) \$61 (NR) \$71
Instructor: Jane Bowers
Code#: 204003-01
Dates: June 9 – July 28

Chicagoland Couponing Class

Come learn the basics from the beginning with us in this fun and interactive class. We will go over lingo, store procedures, manufacture's policies and help plan your first haul! Classes will include fun trivia and giveaways. Each participant will receive a coupon starter kit, Q&A time, and post class follow up.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Day/Time: Monday/ 7:00-8:00pm
Ages: 18 and older
Fee: (R) \$23 (NR) \$33
Instructor: K. Stubblefield
Code#: 204005-01
Date: June 8

Morning Coffee and Cards (Bridge Drop In)

Start your day off with some fun bridge play. Wake up the "little grey cells" with some coffee and friendly play. You don't have to be an expert, but you do have to know how to play basic bridge. Tables will be made up as players arrive. Coffee and cards provided for players.

Location: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road

Days/Time: Tuesdays/ 10:00-12:30am

Dates: June 2, July 14, August 11, Sept 1

No registration or fees required, just stop on by.

Polymer Jewelry Making

During this five-week class, design and create your very own clay beads! Jewelry makers will learn how to roll clay, create a design and then string it all together to make a final product that looks store bought. Supplies included in the price.

Note: Limit of 12 people. Participants should be able to handle basic cutting tools such as scissors, wire cutters and sharp objects.

Location: Brookfield, CSS Academy, 3732 Grand Blvd.

Day/Time: Saturdays/ 2:00-4:00pm

Dates: Session 1: June 13-July 18 (no 7/4)

Session 2: Aug 1-Aug 29

Ages: 13 and older

Fee: \$85/session

Register for this program at CSS Academy or call 708-354-4547.

Do-It-Yourself Series: Bath Soaps & Salts

Learn to make your own bath and body products! We will be using natural ingredients including a variety of scented essential oils. Pamper yourself or make a nice gift for someone else. Note: Seating is limited to 12 people, 6 person minimum. Participants should note any allergies before participating.

Location: Brookfield, CSS Academy, 3732 Grand Blvd.

Day/Time: Saturday/ 11:30am-1:00pm

Dates: Session 1: June 20

Session 2: July 18

Session 3: August 15

Ages: 14 and older

Fee: \$30/session

Register for this program at CSS Academy or call 708-354-4547.

Do-It-Yourself Series: Candle Making

Learn to make your own candles! Why buy the same expensive candles in the store, when a handmade candle is so much more personal. Choose your own scents, colors and shapes. Your final product will be a great handmade addition to your home décor or can be used as a gift. Note: Seating is limited to 12 people, 6 person minimum. Participants should note any allergies before participating.

Location: Brookfield, CSS Academy, 3732 Grand Blvd.

Day/Time: Sunday/ 11:30am-1:00pm

Dates: Session 1: June 14

Session 2: July 12

Session 3: August 2

Ages: 15 and older

Fee: \$30/session

Register for this program at CSS Academy or call 708-354-4547.

Sunday Meatless Sensational Series

Are you tired of eating the same old boring meals day to day? Here's a healthy option that will leave your taste buds surprised and satisfied! Each class will explore a new recipe and focus on having a fresh delicious meal on the table in a reasonable amount of time. You will prepare dishes that will appeal to the non-meat eater as well as the carnivore that wants to try something new. Note: Seating is limited to 8 people, 5 person minimum. Participants should be comfortable using basic kitchen equipment such as an oven, stove top and cutting tools and have a general knowledge of the cooking process. Fee includes cost of food and supplies.

Location: Brookfield, CSS Academy, 3732 Grand Blvd.

Day/Time: Sunday/ 4:30-6:15pm

Dates: Session 1: June 14 – Tofu Tostada

Session 2: June 28 – Vegetable Enchiladas

Session 3: July 19 – Whole Wheat Linguini

Session 4: August 2 – Steamed Kale

Session 5: August 16 – Meatless Burgers

Session 6: August 30 – Cultural Cuisine

Ages: 18 and older

Fee: \$40/session

Register for this program at CSS Academy or call 708-354-4547.

TEEN/ADULT SPORTS & FITNESS

Flowing in Strength Yoga

Yoga allows you to become comfortable in your body, improving strength, flexibility and balance. Tone your body and soul while you learn to breathe and relax. Participants need to bring a yoga sticky mat and wear comfortable clothes.

Location: Brookfield, lower level Municipal Building

Day/Time: Monday/ 7:00-8:00pm

Ages: 16 and older

Fee: \$50

Walk in fee: \$12/class

Instructor: Chad White Wolf Koch

Code #: **Dates:**

205003-01 June 15-July 13

205003-02 July 20-Aug 31 (no 7/27, 8/24)

Tai Chi for Stress

Tai Chi is an ancient Martial Art used for health, stress relief and self-defense. Chad White Wolf Koch teaches techniques of Tai Chi using a variation on the Yang long form and elements of Chi Gong. Using the form and exercises, participants will practice using and manipulating their energy to create opening and health in their body, mind and spirit. Wear comfortable clothes that allow a range of movement.

Location: Brookfield, lower level Municipal Building

Day/Time: Mondays/ 8:15-9:30pm

Ages: 16 and older

Fee: \$60

Code #: **Dates:**

205004-01 June 15-July 13

205004-02 July 20-Aug 31 (no 7/27, 8/24)

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1. Social Security
 - a. *Early retirement benefits*
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2. Pension
 - a. *Maximization of income*
 - b. *Monthly income alternatives*
3. Future inflated needs
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B. Current Retirement Plans Analysis

1. Deductible-vs-Non-deductible IRA contributions
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Francis**

**President
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How long in Business:

Over 50 years

Why choose this area:

I have lived and have been involved in this community for over 50 years.

Greatest current business challenge:

Keeping up with all the tax changes and Continuing Education Credits that are necessary for my multiple licenses, including my E.A. status.

What do you love about your work:

The people. I love the many people I have met.

Your business philosophy: To treat clients the way I want to be treated. To treat them as I would treat an invited guest.

Greatest accomplishments:

Receiving the Woman of the Year Award, Cicero Chamber of Commerce Small Business of the Year Award, Multiple Rotarian Paul Harris Fellow Award, Western Springs Chamber of Commerce Woman of the Millenium Award, Five Who's Who Awards, State of Illinois Woman of Distinction Award, Ronald Reagan Gold Award and two times elected Village Clerk of Brookfield.

What have you learned:

I have learned that many people pay taxes unnecessarily. With just a little bit of pre-tax season advice, we can cut their taxes by a lot.

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How long in Business:

Over 37 years

Why choose this area:

I wanted to do financial planning for people who really NEEDED financial planning. 40 years ago there were only financial planners for the rich.

Greatest current business challenge:

Helping my clients remember investing is for the long term and to stick with their goals rather than trying to give into the ups and downs of the market.

What do you love about your work:

The people. My clients become my friends.

Your business philosophy:

To invest my clients' money as I would invest mine or my children's.

Greatest accomplishment:

Being the first Waddell & Reed Representative to maintain 250 million of clients' money under management & being inducted to Waddell & Reed's Hall of Fame.

What have you learned:

I have learned that giving good financial advice can help people turn their dreams into goals that can be reached.

Fencing

This safe, fast-paced sport will be a wonderful new experience for all members of the family. This beginning class will provide you the basis for advancement. All equipment is supplied for the class. Additional family members are encouraged to enroll at 50% of the cost.

Location: Brookfield, 8820 Brookfield Ave, lower level (enter at east door, police entrance)
Day/Time: Saturdays/ 5:30-6:30pm
Ages: 8 through adult
Fee: \$50
Instructor: Tracy Lapshin, Fencing Sport Club
Code #: 205005-01
Dates: May 30-July 11 (no class 6/27, 7/4)

Bellafit Outdoor Boot Camp for Women

Looking for a body-changing workout program? This rise and shine, early morning class is an awesome way to start your day! You'll move non-stop through this 60 minute outdoor workout performing a variety of fun and effective exercises with other motivated, supportive women. If you're looking to lose a few inches, drop a few pounds, get stronger or decrease stress, get registered for this program. In addition to the outdoor workouts, you'll receive a balanced eating guide and at home workout suggestions. All fitness levels are welcome.

Location: Brookfield, Ehler and Kiwanis Park
(email from instructor will provide class location)
Days: Times:
 Mondays 5:30-6:30am
 Wednesdays 5:30-6:30am
 Fridays 5:30-6:30am
Fees: \$80/one class/week/session
 \$150/two classes/week/session
 \$199/three classes/week/session
Instructor: Karen Marzec
Code#: 305014-01 June 1-June 26
 305014-02 June 29-July 24
 305014-03 Aug 3-Aug 28

Bellafit Rock Bottoms

Shape, strengthen and tone your buns, hips and thighs in this 45 minute workout. Body weight moves, exercise band and mat work make up this glute-busting, lower body workout. This class isn't easy, but the results are worth the effort! All fitness levels are welcome.

Location: Brookfield,
Day/Time: Thursdays/ 6:30-7:15pm
Fee: \$99
 Walk in fee: \$15
Instructor: Karen Marzec
Code#: 305018-01
Dates: June 5-July 24

Zumba®

Zumba® features easy-to-follow Latin and international rhythms that will get you moving and energized. It's a total workout, combining all elements of fitness – cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility, boosted energy and a serious dose of awesome each time you leave class. Easy to do, effective and totally exhilarating! This class is appropriate for students of all levels. Routine incorporates light hand weights, and you may bring your own 1-3 pound hand held weights. Come dressed in comfortable exercise attire, including gym shoes.

Location: Brookfield, CSS Academy, 3732 Grand Blvd.
Day/Time: Saturdays/ 9:00-9:50am
Dates: Classes are continuous and begin June 13 (no 7/4, 8/29)
Ages: 18 and older
Fee: \$7/class
 \$60 for a 10 class punch card

Register for this program at CSS Academy or call 708-354-4547

Zumba Gold®

Zumba Gold® classes are an easy to follow program that lets you move to the beat at your own speed. It's an invigorating, community-oriented dance-fitness class that feels fresh, and most of all, exhilarating! Zumba Gold® classes provide modified, low impact moves for beginners, and active older adults. This unique Zumba® formula has longer warm up and cool down sessions and allows participants a chance to improve balance, flexibility and cardiovascular health. Participants should be medically cleared to participate in light to moderate physical activity. Come dressed in comfortable exercise attire, including gym shoes.

Location: Brookfield, CSS Academy, 3732 Grand Blvd.
Day/Time: Mondays & Wednesdays/ 6:45pm-7:45pm
Dates: Classes are continuous and begin June 8 (no 9/7)
Ages: 18 and older
Fee: \$7/class
 \$60 for a 10 class punch card

Register for this program at CSS Academy or call 708-354-4547

Zumba® - Early Morning Fitness

An early morning Latin-inspired dance fitness class that uses high energy music and burns many calories. It's a total workout, combining all elements of fitness – cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility, boosted energy and a serious dose of awesome each time you leave class. Come dressed in comfortable exercise attire, including gym shoes.

Location: Brookfield, CSS Academy, 3732 Grand Blvd.
Day/Time: Tuesdays & Thursdays/ 6:00-7:00pm
Dates: Classes are continuous and begin June 9
Ages: 18 & older
Fee: \$7/class
 \$60 for a 10 class punch card

Register for this program at CSS Academy or call 708-354-4547

Coed Kickball

Grab some friends, head out to the park and remember what is what like to play a simple game of kickball! Get in on this inaugural year of a sports league we hope will be enjoyed for many summers to come. Minimum of 6 teams needed to get things started, maximum 12. Program supervisors on site to keep score, document wins/losses, and keep play within time frame. Team meeting: Tuesday, May 26 – 6:30pm, teams must be registered before team meeting night.

Location: Brookfield, Field #2 Ehlert Park
Day/Time: Tuesdays/ 6:30pm and 7:30pm
Dates: League play scheduled to begin: Tuesday, June 2
Ages: 18 and older
Fee: \$210
Code#: 205019-01

Bag Toss Doubles Tournament

Grab a partner and sign up for this bag tournament, filled with games of fun and friendly competition. Minimum of 6 teams needed to get things started. Teams will self-score, with program supervisor on site to provide equipment and document wins/losses. Team meeting: Wednesday, May 27 – 6:30pm, teams must be registered before team meeting night.

Location: Brookfield, Kiwanis and/or Ehlert Park Bag Courts
Day/Time: Wednesdays/ 6:30pm and 7:30pm
Dates: Tournament scheduled to begin: Wednesday, June 10
Ages: 16 and older
Fee: \$80
Code#: 205021-01

Coed Sand Volleyball

Get your toes in the sand and play! Get your team together and join us for games of fun and friendly competition. Minimum of 6 teams needed to get things started, maximum of 12 teams. Teams will self-officiate, program supervisor on site to keep score, document wins/losses, and keep play within time frame. Team meeting: Thursday, May 28 – 6:30pm, teams must be registered before team meeting night.

Location: Brookfield, Kiwanis and/or Ehlert Park Courts
Day/Time: Thursdays/ 6:30pm and 7:30pm
Ages: 16 and older
Fee: \$180
Code#: 205021-01

Brookfield Aging Well CAT Team

This Community Action Team (CAT) meets the last Monday of each month at 9:30am in the lower level conference room of the Brookfield Municipal Building. The CAT meets to address local aging issues and to create links to the greater Lyons Township community by implementing programs that help the entire Brookfield community become more elder friendly.

If you are interested in helping Brookfield become more elder friendly, please join us! **Questions, call Mary in the recreation office at 708/485-1527.**

The Brook Park Senior Social Club

Meets on Mondays and Fridays 10:00-3:00pm for card playing, socializing and bingo (begins at 12:15pm) in the lower level Recreation Hall of the Brookfield Municipal Building. Monthly business meetings are held on the second Friday of each month. Refreshments served. Visitors welcome.

Brookfield Woman's Club

Meets the first Wednesday of each month, September through June at 1:00pm in the lower level Recreation Hall of the Brookfield Municipal Building. The club helps to support various departments and organizations in the village. All ladies are welcome. Refreshments are served. Help support your community!

For additional information contact Mary at 708/485-4161.

Brookfield Garden Club

Whether you are new to gardening or an experienced gardener, the Brookfield Garden Club welcomes you. Meetings are held on the last Saturday of the month, January through October, at 9:30am in the lower level of the Brookfield Village Hall. Each month the club covers a different gardening topic through speakers, hands on learning, field trips, garden tours, and sharing of personal experiences. The club is also a participant in the Beautification Commission's Adopt-A-Spot program, beautifying and maintaining the flower beds in front of the Village Hall.

For more information, contact Debbie at 708-291-0329.



Shipshewana, Indiana

A motor coach buss will take us to Amish Country where we will be able to shop at one of the largest flea markets, the Shipshewana Flea Market. Lunch is a traditional thrashers meal (included) in an Amish home. After lunch we'll head to downtown Shipshewana for more shopping. A stop at the Guggisberg Cheese Factory on our way home will conclude the day. This outing requires a lot of walking.

Depart From: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Date: Tuesday, June 9
Time: 7:00am-7:00pm
Fee: \$59
Code#: 206014-01

Registration deadline is Thursday, May 28 or until filled.

Chicago White Sox

Come out to "The Cell" and enjoy an evening of White Sox baseball fun. Cheer on Chris Sale, Alexei Ramirez and the rest of the 2015 squad as they battle the Toronto Blue Jays. Seats are located in the bleachers and school bus transportation will be provided. This outing requires some walking.

Depart from: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Date: Tuesday, July 7
Time: bus departs at 5:30pm, 7:05 game
Fee: \$33
Code #: 206010-11

Registration deadline is Monday, June 29 or until filled.

Lunch Cruise on Lake Michigan

A relaxing cruise along the Chicago coastline. Enjoy a delicious lunch (included) while plying the waters of Lake Michigan. Seating both inside and on deck with handicap accessible decks. We will have some time to stroll and a little shopping on the Pier before boarding our coach bus to return home. Diet restrictions must be stated in writing at the time of registration. This outing requires some walking.

Depart from: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Date: Thursday, July 9
Time: 11:00am-4:30pm
Fee: \$68
Code#: 206015-01

Registration deadline is Wednesday, July 1 or until filled.

Lighthouse Outlet Mall & Blue Chip Casino – Michigan City, Indiana

A motor coach bus will take us for an exciting day of shopping and/or gambling. There are many entertaining and exciting options to make our visit a memorable one. There will be time for lunch (on your own), lots of fun and games at the casino including "Penny Alley." Our bus will provide round trip transport for those who would like to take advantage of the great shopping bargains at the Lighthouse Outlet Mall, just a few blocks away. This outing requires a lot of walking.

Depart from: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Date: Thursday, August 6
Time: 10:00am – 5:00pm
Fee: \$29
Code#: 206016-01

Registration deadline is Thursday, July 23 or until filled.

Chicago Cubs

Head on out to the "Friendly Confines" and cheer on Anthony Rizzo, Jon Lester and the rest of your 2015 Cubbies as they go head to head with the Milwaukee Brewers.

Seats are located in the Terrace Reserved OF section and transportation is by school bus.

This outing requires some walking.

Depart from: LaGrange Park, 1501 Barnsdale Road
Date: Tuesday, August 11
Time: bus departs 4:30pm, 7:05 game
Fee: \$33
Code #: 206014-11

Registration deadline is Friday, July 31 or until filled.



Battle of the Bands

Ten years and still going strong! The Village of Brookfield is proud to be a part of the Illinois Parks and Recreation Association's Battle of the Bands program. Each spring teen bands meet in Kiwanis Park to "Battle" it out for prizes and a chance to move on to regional and state competitions.

This year's competition will take place on Sunday, May 17 beginning at 12:00pm in Kiwanis Park. Rain date scheduled for Sunday, June 7.

In 2014 our Battle of the Bands winner went all the way to the Illinois State Fair and won the State Championship! In addition to great bands, the day is filled with food, fun and games. More than just for teens, this has grown to be a great family and community event that showcases the talent of our young adults.

This year's competition will take place on Sunday May 17 beginning at 12:00pm in Kiwanis Park. Rain Date scheduled for Sunday, June 7.

2015 Summer Concerts in the Park

7:00-8:30pm, Kiwanis Park, 8820 Brookfield Avenue

Are you looking for a way to relax after a long and hectic work week without breaking the bank? Join us Friday evenings, for our FREE concerts at the new Kiwanis Park band shell. We present bands across a variety of genres with something to please one and all. Every week will showcase the talents of another great band, so the feel is never the same twice.

It's not just about the music! Join a community of people from in and around Brookfield who all share the same interests. While listening to the pleasing sounds, why not try a game at the new disc golf course. Or, if you'd like a more tranquil experience, take a stroll along the newly paved walking trails. No matter what, there will be something for everyone.

In case of inclement weather, concerts are held in the lower level of the Brookfield Municipal Building, adjacent to Kiwanis Park.

Friday, June 26 Small Time Dave and the Windy City Groove
(big brass sound, Motown, 50's, 60's and 70's rock & blues)

Friday, July 10 Chicago Cuatro Orchestra
(unique music presentation highlighting the traditional Puerto Rican stringed instrument, the Cuatro)

Friday, July 17 Trance
(2014 State of Illinois Battle of the Bands winner)

Friday, July 24 Steve Cooper Orchestra
(ballroom style swing, rock, Broadway and movie tunes)

Friday, July 31 Mason Rivers
(country rock)

7:00-8:30pm, Kiwanis Park, 8820 Brookfield Avenue

2015 Outdoor Movies in the Park

Ehlert Park, Congress Park and Elm Avenues

Grab a blanket, lawn chair, family, friends, neighbors or co-workers and join us a JayCee/Ehlert Park for a new film or an old classic. Come early to stake out your spot and enjoy some of the many park amenities or just relax in a tranquil setting. Snacks are available for purchase. Movies begin when dark.

Friday, June 19 The Amazing Spiderman

Friday, August 7 The Lego Movie

May we suggest to parents that you can check out the appropriateness of the movies for your child at various websites such as www.imdb.com, www.commensensemedia.org, www.parentpreviews.com and www.kidsinmind.com to name a few.

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Fourth of July

The 2015 Village of Brookfield's Independence Day Celebration will take place on Saturday, July 4, 2015. Activities include a parade, beginning at 10am. The festivities begin at 10:00am with the annual parade that departs from the intersection of Grand Blvd and Garfield Ave, traveling down Grand Blvd to Brookfield Ave and into Kiwanis Park.

Following the parade (approximately 12:30pm) we will hold the Party in the Park which will include music, food, beverages and fun! Check the Village's website at www.brookfieldil.gov and the Brookfield Recreation Department's Special Events Facebook page for further details closer to the date.

If you'd like to participate in the parade, please fill out the parade application form (available in this program book, or at the Recreation Office) and return to the Recreation Office by Monday, June 1st.

Lights, Camera, Murder

Come walk the blood red carpet and enjoy a night of secrets, celebrities & scandal. After a night of accolades at the Academy Awards Show, you will attend the A-list after party hosted by millionaire Vanity Affair. With a V.I.P. victim and the celebrities all suspect, you will be called upon to find the criminal by cracking this red carpet caper.

Event check-in will be followed by mingling and dinner, the murder and investigation, evidence presentation and finally the solution. You will receive a character assignment and background information in advance in order to learn your role in the story before you arrive.

The scene is a star-studded Academy Awards after party, so come dressed to impress!

Date: Saturday, November 14, 2015

Time: 6:30-9:30pm

Location: 8820 Brookfield Avenue

Price: \$25, full participation (character assigned)
\$20, dinner and observation only (no part will be assigned) Reservations must be made by:

Monday, September 28

Call Arlene at 708/485-1528 with any questions.



VILLAGE OF BROOKFIELD
 2015 INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE
 APPLICATION FOR ENTRY



DATE: SATURDAY, JULY 4, 2015
 LINE UP TIME: 9:00 A.M.
 PARADE KICKOFF TIME: 10:00 A.M.

MAIL TO: RECREATION DEPARTMENT
 8820 BROOKFIELD AVE
 BROOKFIELD, IL 60513
 PHONE: 708-485-1528
 FAX: 708-485-3050

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JUNE 2, 2015

Applications received after this date will be accepted or declined at the discretion of the Recreation Department

LATE APPLICANTS ARE NOT GUARANTEED A PLACE IN THE PARADE

***REQUIRED FIELD - Applications WILL NOT be processed until we have ALL of this information**

*NAME OF ENTRY _____

*CONTACT PERSON _____

*ADDRESS _____ *PHONE _____

*CITY/STATE/ZIP _____ FAX/EMAIL _____

*SIZE OF ENTRY _____ *NUMBER OF PEOPLE _____
 (MEASUREMENT **OR** NUMBER AND TYPE OF VEHICLES)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION _____

I.E. DESCRIPTION OF UNIT, MODEL & YEAR OF ANTIQUE VEHICLE, REQUESTS FOR PLACEMENT IN LINEUP, INFO FOR PARADE ANNOUNCER, ETC. _____

****WAIVER ON BACK MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE RETURNING THIS FORM****

IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR PARADE AWARDS, YOU MUST FILL OUT THE INFORMATION BELOW:

(ALL ELIGIBLE UNITS ARE AUTOMATICALLY CONSIDERED FOR THE RECREATION AWARD AND JUDGES' AWARD)

CATEGORIES (choose only one that best fits your entry):

____ **ADULT ORGANIZATION:** Civic, Religious, Political & Fraternal organizations w/majority of members 18 or older

____ **YOUTH ORGANIZATION:** Civic, Religious, Political & Fraternal organizations w/majority of members under 18

____ **BUSINESS:** This category covers all businesses

____ **INDIVIDUAL:** Children or adults not with an organized group. Includes vehicles of 1990 – now.

____ **ANTIQUÉ AUTOS:** Vehicles of 1989 and older. Judged on originality and effort expended.

____ **PERFORMING GROUP:** Two or more individuals – children or adults. Includes bands, drill teams, dancers, etc.

Judging is based on expression, color, originality, and quality.

By signing below, I certify that **my entry will not include more vehicles than stated above.** Furthermore, I understand that **throwing candy or other objects at any point during the parade is strictly prohibited.** I acknowledge that failure to comply with either of these criteria or to comply with any rules/requirements may result in my entry being barred from participating in the Village of Brookfield Independence Day Parade in future years.

 Signature of parade entry representative

 Date

YOU!



The Brookfield Recreation Department is looking for photos showing you and/or your family members actively engaged in one of our recreation programs or events. These photos may be used in future recreation books or online at our rectrac registration site. Photos can be sent in anytime throughout the year. Photos need to be no smaller than 300 dpi. Please send your photos to Mary at mpezdek@brookfieldil.gov. All photos received will become the property of the Village of Brookfield. A release waiver will need to be signed by an adult or family guardian before any pictures are published. Please call the Recreation office at 708/485-1527 with any additional questions.

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