

WESTWOOD RECREATION DEPARTMENT



WESTWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER
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2016 FALL PROGRAMS

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration begins on Tuesday, September 6, 2016, at 9:00 am on a first-come, first-serve basis either **on-line at www.westwoodnj.gov** or at the Recreation Department. Payment may be made in the form of cash, check, or money order payable to: “Borough of Westwood ”

NON-RESIDENTS: May register on or after Monday, September, 12th, if openings are available for an additional \$25.00 per program.

REFUNDS: If you are not 100% satisfied with any of our programs, you will be issued a full refund.

CLOSINGS: Most recreation programs are NOT held on a borough holiday or when the Westwood School System is closed.

INSURANCE: Medical accident coverage is provided as a secondary insurance. There is a \$250.00 deductible on all claims. If you do not have other insurance, this policy becomes the primary insurer (maximum \$10,000).

CANCELLED PROGRAMS: The Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel or alter any program due to insufficient registration or any other logistical reason. Full refunds are given for cancelled programs.

BOROUGH HOLIDAYS: The Recreation Department will be closed on the following dates: Monday, October 10th (Columbus Day), Friday, November 11th (Veteran’s Day), Thursday and Friday November 24th and 25th (Thanksgiving Holiday)



CHILDREN’S PROGRAMS

All classes are for 8 weeks and are held at the Community Center unless noted.



- ABRAKADOODLE ART** - Kool Kids Paint Class—Grab a paint brush and jump right in for a colorful Kids on Canvas painting adventure. Explore many ways to create cool art like string painting and reflection painting. Classes will be held on Tuesdays, starting on September 27th: Ages 3 1/2-5, 3:30-4:15pm Grades K-5, 4:30-5:30pm **Fee: \$140.00** (includes all materials)
- BALLET/TAP 1**- Our pre-schoolers at this age experience an introduction to ballet and tap. These classes are designed to enhance the coordination and creative ability in a child. Available to ages 3-4 on Fridays from 4:00– 4:45pm beginning September 30th **Fee: \$60.00**
- BALLET/TAP 2**- This class expands and enhances the childrens concept and abilities of the basic techniques of ballet, jazz, and tap using a fun and positive method. Available to ages 5-6 on Fridays from 4:50– 5:35pm beginning September 30th **Fee: \$60.00**
- KIDDIE HOP**- Be Bop is what this class is all about. It combines all the funky moves that you saw on “Hanna Montana.” Available to children ages 6-7 on Fridays from 5:40– 6:35pm beginning September 30th **Fee: \$60.00**
- HIP HOP DANCE** - Come in your funky attire and get ready to perspire. Shake ya shimmy and stomp ya feet. Learn the same dance moves as “Christina Aguilera”. Available to ages 8-12 on Fridays, 6:40-7:15pm beginning September 30th **Fee: \$60.00**
- CERAMIC CRAFT CLASS** Come discover the joy and fun of ceramic crafting. This class will take children through the steps in creating multiple seasonal ceramic pieces such as a candy corn container, ornaments & pencil holders. They will learn the process of painting, glazing & firing. Please bring a smock and a shoe box to class. Classes will be held on Thursdays beginning Sept. 29th. Grade 1-3, 3:30pm, Grades 4-6, 4:30pm. **Fee: \$135.00** (includes all pieces & materials)
- FIELD HOCKEY CLINICS** - Learn all the basics of this fast, fun and exciting sport. Clinics are held on Saturdays beginning Sept 17th for 7 weeks at Westwood High School. 4th-6th grade 11-12:15pm, 7th-8th grade 12:15-1:30pm. Instructed by WHS Varsity Head Coach Jaclyn Magliaro and her staff. No experience necessary! **Fee: \$60.00**
- HOVERCRAFT WORKSHOP (NEW)** Build & take home your very own motorized Hover Racer. Learn all about the history & science behind the hovercraft and how it defies gravity. Take part in other exciting activities involving the science of air pressure. Build a mini-mighty missile launcher & watch it travel as much as 10 feet high!!! This class is for children in grades 1-6 and is held at 4:30-5:30pm on Wednesdays beginning September 28th. **Fee: \$140.00**
- MOMMY/DADDY & ME**- This program will incorporate music, fitness, games, stories, and crafts for children while creating positive interaction between adults. Classes will be held on Thursdays beginning September 29th with limited enrollment; ages 18-23 months: 9:15-10:15am and ages 24-36 months: 10:30-11:30am. Children must be accompanied by an adult. **Fee: \$65.00**
- PIANO LESSONS**- “THE HAPPY PIANO” will be offering piano lessons for children ages 3-6 on Wednesdays, beginning Sept 28th for 10 weeks. Classes are limited to 6 children and keyboards will be provided. Ages 3-4, 4:00-4:30pm and ages 5-6, 4:30-5:00pm. Visit www.happypiano.com for more info. **Fee: \$169.00** (a \$35 fee for materials will be collected at the 1st class for **new students**)
- SOCCER SQUIRTS** - A six-week introduction to soccer for children ages 3-5 run by the United Soccer Academy. Choose either 1:30pm, 3:30pm, 4:30pm or 5:30pm **NEW Parent and Me** class for ages 2-3 at 10:00am on Mondays beginning Sept. 19th at Westvale Park. **Fee: \$125.00**
- SPORT SQUIRTS**- This six-week program will introduce children ages 3-5 to a variety of sports such as Soccer, Basketball, T-Ball, Lacrosse and Hockey, all taking place in a safe, structured environment. Choose either 12:15pm, 3:30pm, 4:30pm or 5:30pm or a **NEW Parent and Me** class for ages 2-3 at 10:00am on Fridays beginning Sept. 23rd at Westvale Park. **Fee: \$125.00**
- TGA - PREMIER JR. GOLF**– Students will learn the basics and fundamentals of the sport while being prepared to play on the golf course. The six week program will be held on Thursdays at Voorhis Park beginning September 22nd. Grades K-3 from 3:30-4:30pm and Grades 4-8 from 4:45-5:45pm For more information, please visit www.playTGA.com **Fee: \$109.00**
- TGA TENNIS LESSONS** - Certified USTA instructors will teach the newest and latest techniques in a fun and engaging environment. Classes are full of high energy, physical fitness and educational components. Racquets provided by TGA. Classes will be held for 6 weeks at McKinley Park. **Fees: Beginner/Advance Beginner \$85.00 Intermediate/Adults \$95.00**
- Sundays (beginning on Sep. 18th)** Adults, 9-10am, Grades 3-8 Intermediates 10-11am
- Mondays (beginning on Sept. 19th)** Beg/Advanced Beginner Grades K-3: 3:30-4:30pm, Grades 4 –8, 4:30-5:30pm
- VOLLEYBALL** - This program will teach all the basic skills: serve, set, volley and spike. Classes will be held on Tuesdays & Thursdays from 9/20-11/10 at the WHS lower gym. 5th-6th grade: 6:00-7:00pm, 7th-8th grade, 7:00-8:00pm **Fee: \$75.00**
- GREAT TREASURE HUNT (NEW)** Children will play a series of games each week, some will be sports oriented & others will be team focused where they have to work together. Each week new games will be introduced and new skills learned. Classes will be held on Thursdays beginning Sept 29th. Grades K-2, 3:45pm, Grades 3-5, 4:50pm. **Fee: \$119.00**
- PING PONG (NEW)** Welcome to the world of Table Tennis. Imagine a game which sharpens mental skill, concentration and focus while learning to bring out the best in you while staying healthy. Ping Pong invigorates brain functionality and moves every muscle of a child’s developing body without being stressed. Classes will be held on Fridays from 5-6pm for grades 1-4 and 6-7pm for grades 5-8 beginning September 30th. **Fee: \$106.00**



Register on-line @ www.westwoodnj.gov



WESTWOOD RECREATION BASKETBALL

REGISTRATION BEGINS TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2016

The Recreation Basketball Program is available to all resident boys and girls in grades 1-8, as well as boys in grades 9-12. (Twp. of Washington included) Practices are usually held during the week beginning in December and games are held on Saturdays beginning January 2017.

Travel Team tryouts will be held in early November.

Fees: Grade 1&2 (clinic) \$50.00; Grades 3-12 \$85.00 *Coaches are needed for all age groups.*

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21ST



ADULT PROGRAMS

RECREATIONAL VOLLEYBALL- A fun yet competitive program, on Mondays starting Sept. 26th for 12 weeks at the Middle School from 8-10 PM. Men and women of all skill levels from novices to veterans are welcome. **Fee: \$20**

POWER VOLLEYBALL- A more competitive program than Recreational Volleyball will meet on Wednesdays from 8-10 PM at Westwood Regional High School beginning September 28th for 12 weeks. **Fee: \$20.00**

OPEN GYM BASKETBALL- This year-round program takes place at the Community Center on Mondays for 18-29 yrs old and Tuesdays and Thursdays for over 30 yrs old from 9-11pm. **Fee: \$35.00 (July-Dec.)**

TENNIS LESSONS- **TGA Premier Tennis** will offer lessons at McKinley Park. The six-week session will be held on Sundays beginning September 18th from 9-10am. It's never too late to learn how to play this life long sport! Grab a few friends & enjoy the Fun! Free loaner racquets are available. **Fee: \$95.00**

FITNESS IN THE PARK- Men & Women of all ages & fitness levels will benefit from this program which is packed with fun & energizing activities. Classes include both cardio & strength, using your own body weight, to get your body looking & feeling its best! Classes are held on Tues & Thurs, 7:15-8pm at Westvale Park for **10 weeks**(CC if it rains) Sept. 20-Dec.1st **Fee:\$115.00**



WESTWOOD SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS

WTW - Washington Twp/Westwood COMPETITION CHEER/DANCE TEAM

Girls in grades 5 thru 8 are eligible to try out in September for the Competition Cheer/Dance Team.

For dates, times and questions, please call Judie Gargano at 201-666-9637.

WILDCATS ROLLER HOCKEY (Member of NJYRHA)

Open to Westwood, Twp. of Washington, Paramus and surrounding towns boys and girls, ages 9 through 17. Registration starts **Monday, September 5th**, online at www.leaguelineup.com/WRHA. Information related to the league and fees is available on our website along with registration forms at www.leaguelineup.com/WRHA. Online registration will be closed on September 25.

For more info e-mail wildcatsrha@gmail.com

Cardinals Ice Hockey Club

Open to boys and girls from Westwood, Twp. of Washington, River Edge, Oradell. Looking for players to participate in our learn to play ice hockey clinics & our fall/winter teams. For more information e-mail cardinalshockeyclub@gmail.com.

DID YOU KNOW?

The Westwood Community Center has multiple rooms available to rent. We can accommodate a small group of 10 or a large event up to 200. Pictures of the entire facility can be found at www.westwoodnj.gov. Call the Recreation Department for more information at 201-664-7882.

HALLOWEEN RAGAMUFFIN PARADE

CareOne at Valley



A CareOne Senior Care Center



All Children in grades Pre-K through 3rd are invited to participate in the Annual Parade on **Saturday, October 29th** beginning at 10am on the Broadway side of the Train Station. The Parade goes up Westwood Ave. to Center Ave. ending at the Community Center where special entertainment is waiting as well as refreshments.

Please join us for this fun, long-time Westwood tradition.



SPECIAL NEEDS

RECREATION PROGRAM!

The Twp. of Washington and Westwood Recreation Departments co-sponsor a year-round recreation program for children with special needs. We offer an Arts/Crafts Program for children ages 3 & up and Basketball, Baseball, Indoor Soccer & Tennis for children ages 7 & up. For detailed information, check out our program brochure at www.westwoodnj.gov



TEEN CENTER



The Teen Center is available to all Westwood and Twp. of Washington residents in Grades 6-9 at no cost. Staff and adult volunteers coordinate weekly activities and special events on Friday nights from 7:30-10:00 pm in a fun and safe environment. Basketball, volleyball, ping-pong, billiards, and air hockey are just some of the activities offered. Students can also play X-Box on a big screen TV or Dance Revolution. Every month there are theme food nights including pizza or heroes. Parents must fill out a registration form at the Teen Center on any Friday night or at the Westwood Recreation Department. Refreshments are available throughout the evening for a nominal fee.

***** OPENING NIGHT WILL BE FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH, AT 7:30 PM *****

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