

SUMMER RECREATION 2020

- A strange year. Because of the Coronavirus this year is full of questions. Many events are subject to change. We will do everything in our power to give kids a great experience in 2020. Just know that some things will be out of our control. Thanks in advance for your patience and understanding.

A variety of activities are offered throughout the summer by the Hortonville Recreation Department. Games, crafts, and special events are just some of the things the program has to offer.

REGISTRATION

Registration will be on Friday, June 12th from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm at the new Municipal Building on 531 North Nash Street. Fees for this year will be \$150.00 for residents of Hortonville. (A resident is defined as someone who lives inside the Village limits, not a person who lives in the school district.) For non-residents, the fee will be \$225.00 per child. Registration will consist of filling out the registration card (one is included in this booklet) and paying the registration fee. Please remember to include an emergency phone number on your child's registration card in case of injury, illness, or inclement weather. Children must be at least 6 years of age to participate in the program. We ask that the younger kids be able to attend to their own basic needs. Not all 6 year-olds are ready for the program. We will have extra supervision this year and ask that kids communicate if they are leaving the park for any reason. Registrations will not be accepted before the registration date (Friday the 12th of June). If you have any problems, please call Mike Sommers at 920-843-0940. Recreation t-shirts will be available at registration.

- **We are capping the number of kids this year at 150. Safety is the number one priority! The ratio of kids to supervisors can't be more than 15:1. Friday's registration is set up as first come/first served. The first 75 residents and the first 75 non-residents will guarantee spots in the 2020 Summer Program. We will make a waiting list if anyone drops out.**

HOURS AND LOCATION

This year's program will again take place at Commercial Club Park (one of the most beautiful parks in the state)! Hours will be 9:00 – 11:30 in the morning, and 12:30 – 3:00 in the afternoon. There will be supervision over the lunch hour in the park. Please feel free to pack lunches for the kids and know that they will be cared for during the lunch hour. There is no regular program on Fridays (see Friday section). High school students are encouraged to volunteer community service for this program. If you know someone who is interested, please have them give me a call (Mike Sommers 920-843-0940).

- If you need accommodations regarding the Americans with Disabilities Act, please contact us to make the necessary arrangements.

RAIN POLICY

The park will be closed if it is raining at 9:00 am and will reopen at 12:30 pm if weather permits. On rain days, we try to acquire a gym from either the Hortonville Elementary, Middle, or High Schools. Lately, this is very difficult due to the fact that many of those facilities are being used for camps, athletics, or the floors are being redone over the summer months. We will announce cancellation on the Village of Hortonville website (www.hortonvillewi.org). For the last couple of years we have been using the **REMIND APP** to notify parents of cancellations, changes in the schedule, and other comings and goings. If you aren't sure about the status of REC----please don't hesitate to call me at 920-843-0940. The announcements will be made by 7:00 am.

GOLF LESSONS

Travis Bauer, manager of Grandview Golf Club, will be handling junior golf lessons for 2020. The cost will be \$40 or included to anyone with a GVGC season kids pass. And lessons will start June 30th and runs through July 28th. Lessons will be from 9:00 am to 11:00 am each Tuesday morning. Please call 920-779-6421 for more details.

“NCAA” BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Teams will be picked June 23rd. All kids in the summer program are eligible for this basketball league. If your child can't make the draft, we will place them on a team. Both boys and girls play in this league. We also have basketball contests after the games. (“TKO” like HORSE but with a partner, “HOT SHOTS,” contestants get 60 seconds to accumulate as many points as possible by making shots from different spots on the court.)

“FANTASTIC FRIDAYS”

For 2020 we wanted to offer participants some new activities where the kids get to explore some things. Here is what we have on the schedule for the Fridays in June and July.....

Friday, June 26th > Bowling > 9:00 – 10:30 > Hortonville Lanes

Friday, July 3rd > No Program > 4th of July Vacation

Friday, July 10th > Water War > 10:00 – 12:00 > Commercial Club Park (Bring Squirt Guns!)

Friday, July 17th > Fishing Derby > 9:00 – 11:30 > Meet at Commercial Club Park/Black Otter Lake

Friday, July 24th > Home Run Derby/All Star Game > 9:00 – 12:00

Friday, July 31st > Penny Carnival/Awards/Scavenger Hunt > 9:00 – 1:00 > Commercial Club Park

HORTONVILLE REC T-SHIRTS

Don't Forget!!!! Hortonville Rec. T-Shirts are available at registration on Friday, June 12th. Throughout the summer, we will have shirts on hand. They are recommended for field trips (they make it easier for counselors/supervisors to spot our kids in big crowds.)

PHONE NUMBERS

Alonzo Park Pavilion Reservations	779-6011
Otto Miller Park Softball/T-Ball/Little League Reservations	920-915-4243
Miller Park > (HYS Scheduler)	

FIELD TRIPS

Due to many different factors we will not offer field trips for the summer of 2020. We just felt it was in the best interests of our workers, participants, and bus drivers to take this year off.

NEW FOR 2020

We are looking for donations to help those who are currently experiencing a financial hardship that wouldn't allow families to enroll their children into the Summer Recreation Program for 2020. Please contact Mike Sommers at 920-843-0940 to learn how. We will be setting up a fund just for the purpose of giving aid to those families who qualify. The donations would make a child's summer!

BEHAVIOR CLAUSE

If we have a discipline problem which calls for the removal of a child from the summer program, we felt it was necessary to have a procedure in place.

If the incident occurs before the half-way point, we will refund 50% of the registration fees. If the incident occurs after the half-way point in the program, there will be no refund. Please remember that this program is a privilege not a right. The Commercial Club is very kind to allow us to use an awesome park and participants need to follow the rules so all those involved can have a safe and fun environment. Hopefully, this will be a great experience for all.

The above will apply for any parent or legal guardian who voluntarily withdraws their child.

INSURANCE

The Village of Hortonville does not carry individual accident insurance for participants. By registering for recreation programs, participants and their parents and legal guardians understand that injuries may occur while participating in, traveling to, or from a recreation activity. Parents, guardians, and participants further understand that if they want insurance protection needed from possible injuries, they are responsible for acquiring such insurance.

- Please remember that the program runs from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm from Monday through Thursday. The Summer Rec. Program is not a babysitting service to watch children either before 9:00 am or after 3:00 pm. Please be courteous and be on time when picking up kids and please do not assume your children will be supervised before 9:00 am (some parents dropped children off as early as 8:00 am in the past, and we are not responsible for providing supervision in those cases.)

Thanks for your cooperation!

Mike Sommers
Hortonville Rec. Department Director

<u>June 12th</u> REGISTRATION Summer Program 9-3 Municipal Building -531 North Nash(Cap of 150!)	<i>For Junior Golf Lessons please contact Travis Bauer at 779-6421.</i>	<u>June 22nd</u> Summer Program Begins! "RBI" Draft Arts and Crafts	<u>June 23rd</u> NCAA Buckets Draft Bingo Family Feud	<u>June 24th</u> Kickball Dodgeball Tournament
<u>June 25th</u> "RBI" Doubleheader Obstacle Course	<u>June 26th</u> BOWLING 9:00 – 10:30	<u>June 29th</u> Obstacle Course Flag Football Arts and Crafts	<u>June 30th</u> Dodgeball Tourney Kickball/Frisbee Baseball/Obstacle Course	<u>July 1st</u> NCAA Buckets Hide the Prize Obstacle Course
<u>July 2nd</u> "RBI" Baseball DH! Arts and Crafts	<u>July 3rd</u> NO PROGRAM Happy 4 th of July	<u>July 6th</u> NO PROGRAM Happy 4 th of July	<u>July 7th</u> "RBI" Baseball 4 person Battleball Bingo/Hide the Prize	<u>July 8th</u> NCAA Buckets Hot Shots! Brainquest
<u>July 9th</u> "RBI" Baseball Circle Dodgeball Art Contest	<u>July 10th</u> WATER WAR! 10:00 - NOON	<u>July 13th</u> Summer Olympics Bingo Family Feud!	<u>July 14th</u> Summer Olympics NCAA Buckets Arts and Crafts	<u>July 15th</u> Summer Olympics "RBI" Baseball DH! Coloring Contest
<u>July 16th</u> "RBI" Baseball Hide the Prize Soccer/Frisbee Golf	<u>July 17th</u> FISHING DERBY! 9:00 – 11:30 Meet at Comm. Club Park at 9:00 am	<u>July 20nd</u> Kickball Battleball Frisbee Golf NCAA Buckets	<u>July 21st</u> NCAA Buckets "TKO Tournament" Frisbee Baseball	<u>July 22nd</u> Arts and Crafts Talent Show! Soccer World Cup
<u>July 23rd</u> "RBI" Doubleheader! Kickball/Dodgeball Trivia Contest	<u>July 24th</u> Home Run Derby! All-Star Game 9:00 – 12:00	<u>July 27th</u> NCAA Buckets RBI Playoffs Bingo	<u>July 28th</u> World Series! National Anthem sung by Tony Fannin! Arts and Crafts	<u>July 29th</u> Connect Four Tournament Japanese Battleball Tourney Hide the Prize!
<u>July 30th</u> Chess Tournament Kickball Championship of the World! (4 teams) Frisbee Golf Doubles	<u>July 31st</u> Penny Carnival 9-1 Awards Lunch Provided Scavenger Hunt		THE HORTONVILLE RECREATION DEPT THANKS YOU FOR PARTICIPATING!	HAVE A SAFE REST OF THE SUMMER!!!