

HARTFORD PARKS & RECREATION SPRING/SUMMER PROGRAM GUIDE 2023



Five Villages, Three Rivers, One Town

Hartford * Quechee * West Hartford * White River Junction * Wilder



GENERAL INFORMATION

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Commission Responsibilities

The Commission shall consult with and advise the Director of Hartford Parks & Recreation in matters affecting recreation programs; park/facility related projects, policies and finances. The Commission assists in the development of long-range planning for recreation and park needs of the community. Members must be committed to attending one meeting a month. Meetings are held the second Thursday of each month at 5:00 p.m. in the Hartford Town Hall. These meetings are open to the public and input is always welcome.

Contact Us

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171 Bridge Street, White River Junction, VT 05001
Phone: 802-295-5036, Email: recreation@hartford-vt.org
Website: hartfordrec.com
Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Scholarship Assistance

Scholarship assistance is available through Hartford Parks & Recreation to **Hartford residents only**. Scholarships are funded through the *Brian Hanson Scholarship Fund*. You may request an application by emailing recreation@hartford-vt.org or by calling the office at 802-295-5036. Copies are also available at the Hartford Parks & Recreation Office. Our form may also be downloaded at: hartfordrec.com

Vision Statement

The residents of Hartford and the surrounding communities recognize the vital importance of natural places and recreation. Through diverse programming that aims to reach all, regardless of age, gender, race, physical or mental ability, sexual orientation or socioeconomic background, the Hartford Parks & Recreation Department cooperates with community groups to bring a variety of recreational opportunities to local residents. The department is committed to maintaining the highest quality parks and facilities while dedicating itself to improving its program offerings and practices to meet current and future needs.



Message from the Director

Dear Hartford Residents:

I am pleased to offer you our Spring and Summer Program Guide. Within, you will see how Hartford Parks & Recreation is committed to enhancing the quality of life for our residents. Through quality parks and recreational programs, we play a key role in shaping the character of our Town and are committed to insure that every community member has an opportunity to recreate and enjoy the public parks system.



As we move into the spring and summer season, the Department wishes to remind the community of the Town of Hartford leash requirements for dogs and other pets. The leash ordinance requires dogs to be on a leash unless you are in one of Hartford's designated off leash areas. Did you know that the estimated 850 registered dogs in the Town account for 232,870 pounds of pet waste. Please remember to always pick up after your pet and dispose of pet waste properly. Bring a poop scooper and bag when you take your dog on a walk. Bags and waste disposal cans are available in most parks during the open season.

We look forward to seeing you in our parks and facilities this spring and summer.

Yours in Recreation,

Scott Hausler, CPRP, Hartford Parks & Recreation Director

Mission Statement

Our mission is to serve the recreational needs of the community by offering lifelong learning through recreational and educational programming utilizing existing parks and facilities.

Our Commitment To Quality

Your satisfaction is our number one goal. We strive to provide you with high quality facilities and recreational programming. We take pride in making your recreational experience an enjoyable one. To help us serve you better, please share your concerns and/or suggestions by visiting us or emailing recreation@hartford-vt.org.

Background Checks

It is the policy of the Town of Hartford to conduct annual criminal background checks of all volunteers and sub-contractors providing unsupervised care or services to vulnerable populations (youths ages 17 and under, adults with disabilities and the elderly). The Hartford Parks & Recreation Department will only select persons who are of good character and possess the skills and qualifications necessary to fulfill their role. Providing a safe and enjoyable environment for all of our participants is a primary consideration in Hartford Parks & Recreation Department's mission.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Inclusion and ADA Accessibility Plan

Hartford Parks & Recreation actively promotes inclusive practices in order to meet the needs of participants, families, and staff in our programs. Everyone is welcome to attend Hartford programs and facilities regardless of ability, background, culture, religion, gender or economic circumstances. Through inclusive practice, we aim to reflect our wider community and promote positive attitudes to the similarities and differences in each other. In adherence to the Americans with Disabilities Act, we strive to offer reasonable accommodations to enable people with disabilities to become fully included in our programs and facilities.

Accommodations Procedures

Please contact the Hartford Parks & Recreation Department office at 802-295-5036 or visit the office at 171 Bridge Street, White River Junction to request an accommodation request or grievance form.

Get Involved

There are many ways to *Get Involved*, including coaching or officiating youth sports, instructing programs or courses, volunteering for events or park labor, as well as numerous sponsorship opportunities.

General Refund Policy

If you are dissatisfied with a program after the first session/class, you must submit a **written explanation** to Hartford Parks & Recreation prior to the second session/class to be eligible to receive a refund. Written explanation must be sent to recreation@hartford-vt.org. In the event of an extended illness or injury, **we must be notified immediately** and we will issue a pro-rated refund. A medical and/or doctor explanation may be required.

Discounted amusement park tickets, discounted ski/snowboard tickets, one day programs, community events that involve ticket sales, and bus trips are non-refundable.

An effort will be made to schedule a make-up date if a class/program/game is canceled due to any causes beyond our control. If this is not possible, no partial refund will be provided.

Refunds will be applied as a Household credit unless otherwise requested. Processed refund requests, **other than a Household Credit**, will be charged a \$5.00 cancellation fee. This does not apply to our Camp Ventures Cancellation/Refund Policy (see below).

Camp Ventures Cancellation/Refund Policy (Updated)

If you decide to cancel a week of Camp Ventures, a written explanation must be emailed to recreation@hartford-vt.org. Camp Ventures cancellations will be assessed a \$25 fee per session. **To be eligible for a refund or credit, cancellations must be made by June 15, 2023. No refunds or credits will be issued on cancellations made after June 15, 2023.**

Full refunds (less credit card convenience fees, if applicable), will be issued for programs cancelled or altered by the Hartford Parks & Recreation Department.

Credit/Debit Card Convenience Fees: Applicable credit/debit card **convenience fees** are non-refundable.

Refunds may take three to four weeks to process. No cash refunds.

Registration Information

- ◆ Online registrations at hartfordrec.com
- ◆ In-Person at the Hartford Parks & Recreation Office
- ◆ Call us at 802-295-5036
- ◆ *A surcharge of 3.5% on the total transaction amount on credit or debit card purchase, which is not greater than our cost of acceptance.*

Registration Guidelines

Parent or guardian signature is required for youth 17 and under.

REGISTER EARLY! Many programs fill quickly. Program cancellation could occur if our minimum enrollment numbers have not been met.

Registration Guidelines (Continued)

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: We must meet our minimum enrollment number one week prior to the start date of programs. If we have not met the minimum by the deadline, the program may be cancelled. If we have met the minimum, we will continue open enrollment until the program is filled or the class begins.

Please be aware that program information, location, instructors and/or fees could be subject to change. Some circumstances may be beyond our control.

Mail-in registration payments must be received at least **four days prior** to program start date.

Program fees are payable at the time of registration (cash, check or credit/debit card). You can register online with a credit or debit card at hartfordrec.com.

We provide equal opportunity to anyone who would like to participate in our programs.

If you require special accommodations, please contact the Hartford Parks & Recreation Office prior to the program's starting date.

RESIDENTS are those who **reside** in the Villages of Hartford, Quechee, West Hartford, White River Junction, or Wilder.

Team Athletic Registration Information

Registrations for team athletic programs will be accepted on an on-going basis until the registration deadline. It is crucial that participants register prior to the registration deadline. The number of teams, coaches, equipment and schedules are determined by the pre-registration numbers.

Any registration request made after the registration deadline will be considered on a case-by-case basis. Consideration to accept participants after the registration deadline will depend on the number of available coaches, team sizes, playing spaces, equipment and uniforms/shirts. *See each individual program to view the deadline details.*

Athletic Schedules

Team athletic schedules are viewable at hartfordrec.com. Click on the "Soccer Ball icon" and the schedules will appear.

New Program Idea

Are you an instructor that has an idea that would make a great program or would like to see a new program offered in your community? If so, please share your idea with us! Please contact the Hartford Parks & Recreation Department at (802) 295-5036 or recreation@hartford-vt.org to share your idea!

Program Guide Sponsorship

Hartford Parks & Recreation thanks
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of the 2023 Spring/Summer Program Guide.



PARKS & FACILITIES

We are proud to be affiliated with these organizations!



Park hours are down to dusk. Alcohol and tobacco use prohibited. Dogs must be leashed at all times when on any park property. Groups and families may use parks for special occasions by completing a Park/Facilities Application. Updated 2.24.2023.

Parks & Facilities	Park Benches	Picnic Tables	Tennis Courts	Restrooms or Port-a-let	Horseshoe Pits	Natural Areas	Community Garden	Basketball	Baseball/Softball Diamonds	Athletic/Open Field	Playground	Pond (PD) / River R. / Pool (P)	Dog Park	Dog Off Leash Area	Fishing Access	Boat Launch	Carry-in Boat Launch	Open Air Shelter / Pavilion	Outdoor Theatre	Gazebo	Trails	Ice Skating (Outdoor)	Grills	Splash Pad
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Park Ordinances: For more information, visit hartford-vt.org

SHERMAN MANNING AQUATIC FACILITY



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TOWN OF HARTFORD
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Sherman Manning Aquatic Facility

The Sherman Manning Aquatic Facility features a unique zero depth entry, exercise lap lanes, spiral slide, mushroom waterfall, and a water spray deck featuring a variety of spouting fountains and a water tunnel. Shade structures with lounge chairs provides for pool side relaxation along with a new control entry and family changing rooms.

Sherman Manning Aquatic Facility Address

Located at the Hartford High/Middle School Campus, 291 Highland Avenue, WRJ, VT 05001. Phone: 802-295-5036.

Scholarships Available - Hartford Parks & Recreation recognizes that some residents of the Town of Hartford, VT need financial assistance to participate in certain recreational activities. The Sherman Manning Aquatic Facility is an eligible activity and scholarships are available for family and season youth passes. Scholarships are funded through the *Brian Hanson Scholarship Fund*. You may request an application by emailing recreation@hartford-vt.org or calling the office at 802-295-5036. Copies are also available at the Hartford Parks & Recreation Office. The form may be downloaded at <https://www.hartford-vt.org/DocumentCenter/View/4861/Brian-Hanson-Scholarship-Application>

Memberships go on sale May 1st

Type of Pass	Fee	Description
Family Season Pass	\$95	A family up to 4 members. \$10 for each additional member. Non-resident, add \$15
Youth Season Pass	\$45	Ages 5-20. 4 years of age and under receive FREE admission. Non-resident, add \$15
Adult Season Pass	\$55	Ages 21-64. Non-resident add \$15
Senior Citizen/Veteran Season Pass	\$20	Ages 65+ or Veteran. Non-resident add \$15
Daily Pass	\$3	Single day access per person
Organization	\$200	\$200 base rate up to 10 members. \$10 for each additional member. Non-resident add \$15

Thursday Night Teen Pool Parties

Sponsored by: Hartford Community Coalition



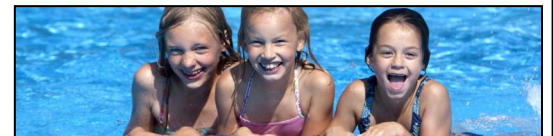
Bring your friends for a fun night of swimming, games, snacks, and music at the pool! Teen Pool Parties are a great way to get out and enjoy a fun, welcoming, and safe environment. Staff will be onsite to supervise. Pre-register to secure your spot!

Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Thursday Night Teen Pool Parties	11-17	Th	6/22/2023-8/10/2023	6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	S. Manning Aquatic Facility	\$5/person or \$30 for Pool Party Pass

Friday Family Swim

Sponsored by: Hartford Parks & Recreation

Join Hartford Parks & Recreation at the Sherman Manning Aquatic Facility for a family fun event during June, July, and August. Music, games, family fun!



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Friday Family Swim	N/A	F	Dates TBA	6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Sherman Manning Aquatic Facility	TBD



NOTICE: Special Events, programs, activities, dates, times are subject to change without advance notice.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Beginner Mountain Biking for Women

Instructors: Anna Schaal and Liz Burdette, BICP and PIMBA Certified Instructors

Do you enjoy riding your mountain bike but sometimes have difficulty with trail obstacles? Do you lack the confidence to tackle new trail challenges? Are you looking for more women to ride with and to become a stronger, safer rider? If so, this 4-week beginner mountain biking series is for you! We will break down technical skills and take these to the trail to conquer challenges with support and encouragement. Riders will progress to reach their desired goals by building new bike skills with increased confidence. Fundamental elements will be emphasized, including neutral and ready position, bike body separation, pedal position, trail scanning, braking, steering and speed, gearing and cadence, timing and coordination. You will develop essential tools to expand your riding ability in the future as well as build a new community of likeminded women mountain bike riders. Well-functioning mountain bike, helmet, water bottle needed.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Beginner Mountain Biking for Women	16+	W	4/26/2023-05/17/2023	6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Forest	\$125R / \$135NR

Golf Clinics

Instructor: Peter Harris, PGA Professional

These programs are great for players looking to start from scratch and for those who want to take their game to the next level and improve their fundamentals. Clinics will be taught at Fore-U Golf Center.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Women's Golf Clinic	16+	M	4/24/2023-5/15/2023	5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$180
Adult Golf Clinic	16+	W	4/26/2023-5/17/2023	5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$180
Senior Golf Clinic	55+	W	5/10/2023-5/31/2023	10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$180
Yoga for Golfers	16+	F	5/5/2023-5/26/2023	10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$180
Driving Clinic	16+	Sa	5/6/2023	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$45
Sand Clinic	16+	Sa	5/13/2023	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$45
Short Game Clinic	16+	Sa	5/20/2023	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$45
Iron & Hybrid Clinic	16+	Sa	7/29/2023	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$45
Play Better Golf School	16+	F/Sa	5/26/2023-5/27/2023	Varies	Fore-U Golf Center	\$245
Adult Golf Clinic	16+	W	7/5/2023-7/26/2023	5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$180
Sand Clinic	16+	Sa	7/8/2023	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$45
Driving Clinic	16+	Sa	7/15/2023	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$45
Short Game Clinic	16+	Sa	7/22/2023	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$45
Irons & Hybrid	16+	Sa	7/30/2023	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Fore-U Golf Center	\$45
Golf Course Learning #1	16+	M	6/5/2023	5:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	Carter Country Club	\$125
Golf Course Learning #2	16+	M	7/10/2023	5:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	Carter Country Club	\$125
Golf Course Learning #3	16+	M	8/7/2023	5:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	Carter Country Club	\$125
Play Better Golf School 1	16+	F/Sa	7/14/2023-7/15/2023	Varies	Fore-U/Carter Country Club	\$245
Play Better Golf School 2	16+	F/Sa	8/11/2023-8/12/2023	Varies	Fore-U/Carter Country Club	\$245

Pickleball Active Play Pass

Pickleball might be a strange name, but it's a ton of fun! Pickleball is a paddle sport created for all ages and skill levels. The rules are simple, and the game is easy for beginners to learn, but can develop into a quick, fast-paced, competitive game for experienced players. We always welcome new players. Come give it a try! We have equipment on-site that can be used if you need it. This is great exercise and lots of fun for all ages!



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Pickleball Active Play Pass	18+	Tu/Th	4/18/2023-11/9/2023	5:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	Maxfield Pickleball Courts	\$30 or \$2 Drop-in Fee

Ultimate Frisbee

Ultimate Frisbee Skills and Drills for women and non-binary adults is open to all levels from beginners to advanced. Join the fun and meet new people while getting some great exercise. We will run drills to build skills and confidence. If we have the numbers, we will scrimmage. This series is sponsored by Upper Valley Ultimate, a community group that has been playing since 2000. Beginners, advanced players, and everyone in between are welcome! Instruction will be provided for beginners. Wear cleats or running shoes with good traction.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Ultimate Frisbee	18+	W	5/10/2023-8/16/2023	5:30 p.m.-7:00 p.m.	Watson Memorial Park	\$20 R/NR

ADULT PROGRAMS

Step it Up with Hartford Parks & Recreation

Walking is one of the healthiest, safest, and easiest ways to begin a fitness program. Pre-register.



Maxfield Monday Walks

Each week, the group will enjoy a 60-minute walk at the Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex. This is a great way to get outside, exercise, and socialize with others. Approximate mileage is 2 - 2.5 miles. **Meet at Pavilion B by 8:30 a.m.**

Hikes

Bring shoes/boots, appropriate clothing, water bottle, and a snack. Intermediate to moderately difficult terrain. Group will average 2 - 3 miles each trip. Transportation to/from is available with the Hartford Parks & Recreation van. Meet at the Town Hall by 9:00 a.m.

Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Hurricane Town Forest	18+	W	4/5/2023	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Hartford, VT	FREE!
Gile Mountain	18+	W	4/19/2023	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Norwich, VT	FREE!
Colette Trail	18+	W	5/3/2023	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Enfield, NH	FREE!
Boston Lot	18+	W	5/17/2023	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Lebanon, NH	FREE!
Hazen Trail	18+	W	5/31/2023	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Hartford, VT	FREE!
Maxfield Monday Walks	18+	M	4/24/2023-6/19/2023	8:30 a.m.-9:45 a.m.	Maxfield Walking Path	FREE!

Grafton Pond Kayak Trip

Nothing beats a beautiful summer evening on the pond! This trip is guided with instruction by Hartford Parks & Rec Staff. Meet at The Hartford Town Hall. Spend the evening enjoying the scenery and the peacefulness on the pond. First timers welcome, no experience required. Transportation is provided by P&R in the 15-passenger van. ***Rental includes kayaks, paddles, life jacket**



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Kayaking	18+	W	8/16/2023	4:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Grafton Pond	\$25R / \$35 NR

Kayak Outings

Come explore the Connecticut River at Kilowatt North Park! Paddlers will have a Parks & Rec staff member providing basic paddling instruction as needed and leads the group on the river. No prior experience necessary, **Kayaks, life jacket, and paddles are provided.**



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Kayak Outings	18+	Tu	7/11/2023	4:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m.	Kilowatt North Park	\$15 per person
Kayak Outings	18+	Tu	7/18/2023	4:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m.	Kilowatt North Park	\$15 per person
Kayak Outings	18+	Tu	7/25/2023	4:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m.	Kilowatt North Park	\$15 per person
Kayak Outings	18+	Tu	8/1/2023	4:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m.	Kilowatt North Park	\$15 per person

Card Making Workshops

Instructor: Karen McNall

Let's get crafty with our Card Making Workshops. Each month focuses on a different theme and technique. No experience necessary. All supplies are included. Card Making is a great opportunity to make new friends, learn a new hobby and have fun. **Registration closes at 5:00 p.m. on the Monday prior to event date.**



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
March Card Class	13+	W	3/29/2023	5:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$16 R/NR
April Card Class	13+	W	4/26/2023	5:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$16 R/NR
May Card Class	13+	W	5/31/2023	5:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$16 R/NR
June Card Class	13+	W	6/28/2023	5:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$16 R/NR
July Card Class	13+	W	7/26/2023	5:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$16 R/NR
August Card Class	13+	W	8/30/2023	5:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$16 R/NR

SCHOOL BREAK & AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Adventure Club

Adventure awaits! Join Parks and Rec staff as we take trips to new areas, learn new skills, and reach new heights. Whether we're kayaking the Connecticut, splitting a bullseye, or searching for salamanders, we're bound to have a blast. Participants should dress appropriately, depending on the adventure of the day. A detailed program schedule will be outlined before the club begins. A snack and all materials will be provided.



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Adventure Club	3-6	W	4/19/2023-5/31/2023	2:45 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$145R / \$155 NR

After School in the Parks

Come hang out with Parks & Rec after school! Spend time with old friends, make new ones, and enjoy both free play and structured activities. Learn about stewardship and responsibility as we appreciate our amazing parks! A snack will be provided. Bring a water bottle. In the event of inclement weather, the program will be cancelled.



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
After School in the Parks	1-5	F	5/5/2023	2:45 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	Frost Park	FREE!
After School in the Parks	1-5	F	5/19/2023	2:45 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	George Ratcliffe Park	FREE!
After School in the Parks	1-5	F	6/2/2023	2:45 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	Watson Memorial Park	FREE!

Crafternoon for Kids

Hartford Parks & Recreation's Crafternoons will offer a wide variety of arts and crafts projects for grades 2-5 to stimulate creativity, social interaction and skill development. A fun and safe after school program for any kid!

Our goal is to provide an experience that will allow each child to explore their imagination through creative engagement, while having fun.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Crafternoon for Kids	2-5	Tu	3/14/2023-4/04/2023	2:45 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$50R / \$60NR

Comics Class

Instructor: Daryl Seitchik

Daryl Seitchik is a cartoonist who loves drawing with kids! She has taught workshops at schools and museums throughout New England and has enjoyed adapting these classes into a virtual format. Daryl received her MFA from the Center for Cartoon Studies in 2018, and her comics work has been nominated for Ignatz and Eisner Awards. She recently became a cartoonist for The New Yorker. Materials needed: pencils, pens, stack of blank paper.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Comics Class-Spring Session	9-14	F	5/5/2023-6/9/2023	3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$80R / \$90NR

Improv Comedy

Instructor: Tatum Barnes

Discover leadership skills through improv! This course is an introduction to improvisational performance for children in grades 2 through 5. We will explore improv comedy games, character exercises and team building to develop flexibility and confidence. Together with our troupe, each member will laugh and learn through structured play. With creative thinking and active listening, students will flex their imagination muscles to the fullest! **This 4-session class for DBS students only**



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Spring Session	1-5	M	4/17/2023-5/8/2023	2:45 p.m.-4:45 p.m.	DBS	\$50R

Lego Club

Join Hartford Parks & Recreation for an afternoon of Lego Building! Each participant will be given their own bucket of LEGOS to build awesome creations! Fun is always part of the equation and we are here to learn from our play. Each week will follow theme builds and outdoor play time is also included. Snack is provided. **Hartford residents only.**



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Spring Session	1-5	Th	4/20/2023-6/1/2023	2:45 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$85R

SCHOOL BREAK & AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITIES

No School Fun Day-Bowling Edition

Enjoy the day-off with Parks & Rec! We will play games, enjoy the outdoors, make art, and go bowling! Our goal is to provide a safe, caring, creative, and fun recreation experience. **What to bring:** Water bottle, lunch, appropriate clothing.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
No School Fun Day-Bowling Edition	7-12	F	3/31/2023	9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$45R

Table Top Tuesdays

Roll the dice and sign up for our first Dungeons & Dragons After School Program! Use problem-solving, imagination, and teamwork to create a story of epic proportions. A sure-fire hit for fans of the Stranger Things in Life; fantasy books, video games, and more. No experience is required to enjoy this improvised table-top adventures. Snacks will be provided.



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Dungeons & Dragons	3-6	Tu	4/18/2023-5/30/2023	2:45 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$85R / \$95NR

VINS Spring Theme: Eco-Engineers



Eco-Engineers will lead students on an investigation to discover which animals are engineers in their own ecosystem and which have even inspired human inventions. From building dams like a beaver to exploring airplane designs modeled after birds, VINS will guide young engineers in hands-on activities that will spark innovation and reveal how the natural world can inspire us to solve real world challenges. Transportation is provided from school to VINS.

Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Eco-Engineers for WRS Students	3-5	Th	04/20/2023-05/11/2023	2:35 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	VINS-Quechee, VT	\$100

JULY IS
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MONTH



Since 1985, people in the United States have celebrated Park and Recreation Month in July to promote building strong, vibrant and resilient communities through the power of parks and recreation and to recognize the more than 160,000 full-time park and recreation professionals – along with hundreds of thousands of part-time and seasonal workers and volunteers – that maintain our country's local, state and community parks.

Parks & Recreation
Professionals Day

July 21, 2023

hartfordrec.com

We are proud to announce the 2023 Park and Recreation Month theme, as voted by NRPA members: "Where Community Grows." This July, we will celebrate the vital role park and recreation professionals play in bringing people together, providing essential services and fostering the growth of our communities.



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BROADWAY VENTURES, HPAC, CHESS

Broadway Ventures

Summer Musical Theatre Program: Shrek the Musical

Director: Brycen Nardone. Choreographer/Producer: Andrea Nardone, Music Director: Alicia Dale

Broadway Ventures is a two-week-long, musical theatre intensive program, where students will perform a “full-length, well known musical!” Whether this is your first theatrical experience or your tenth, Broadway Ventures is for you! Performers will be fully immersed in every aspect of the stage experience, from singing, dance, stage management, and acting. If you long for the spotlight or are just interested in being in a show, Broadway Ventures will be a transformative experience where you discover your passions, talents, and what it takes to perform a musical!



For full camp details, visit hartfordrec.com / Camp Website: broadwayventuresvt.org

Auditions: May 17th at 5:00 p.m., HHS / Callbacks for students accepted: May 25th, 5:00 p.m., HHS

Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Broadway Ventures	6-12 Incoming	M-F	7/10/2023-7/22/2023	8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.	Hartford High School	\$230R / \$240NR

Hartford Performing Arts Camp

Whether you like to play an instrument, dance, act, or sing, this is the camp for you! Hartford Performing Arts Camp is a week-long day camp for children entering grades 6 through 9 who have an interest and/or passion for the performing arts. Campers will select to participate in band and/or musical theater as well as an arts elective. On Friday afternoon, our camp culminates with a community performance. At camp, we love to get outside for HPAC Olympics, when campers get to play a variety of fun games like a water balloon toss or a relay race.



To play in the band, campers need to have been playing a band instrument for at least one year. Participants need to bring lunch every day, except Friday. A t-shirt and Friday's lunch are included in the registration fee.

Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Hartford Performing Arts Camp	Entering 6-9	M-F	7/31/2023-8/4/2023	9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Hartford High School	\$200R / \$220NR

Chess Wizards-Summer Chess Camp

Chess Wizards offers fun, intellectual and challenging chess education and tournament experiences to children of all abilities and ages. We believe learning should be fun! Kids play chess because it is fun, not because it ‘is good for their cognitive, social, and emotional development.’ Our students learn chess is fun on Day 1! In addition to lessons and traditional gameplay, we incorporate variations of chess games that build teamwork and foster a genuine enjoyment of a game over a thousand years old!



Students will get to do some exciting physical activities, drawing from classic camp games and introducing fun, strategy-themed games of our own design. Add in some team chess games, healthy snacks, camp awards (and swag), and you have an experience that your kids have been waiting all summer for!

Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Chess Wizards #1 Full Day	6-12	M-F	7/24/2023-7/28/2023	9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$340.00R / \$360NR
Chess Wizards #1 Half Day A.M.	6-12	M-F	7/24/2023-7/28/2023	9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$240.00R / \$260NR
Chess Wizards #1 Half Day P.M.	6-12	M-F	7/24/2023-7/28/2023	9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$240.00R / \$260NR
Chess Wizards #1 Full Day	6-12	M-F	8/14/2023-8/18/2023	9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$340.00R / \$360NR
Chess Wizards #1 Half Day A.M.	6-12	M-F	8/14/2023-8/18/2023	9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$240.00R / \$260NR
Chess Wizards #1 Half Day P.M.	6-12	M-F	8/14/2023-8/18/2023	9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$240.00R / \$260NR



LACROSSE, YOUTH SOFTBALL, SOFTBALL CAMP

Hartford Youth Lacrosse Club (HYLC) For Grades 3-8



All Players: Must provide their own equipment. **Boys:** Helmet, stick, gloves, shoulder pads (NOCSAE), athletic protective cup, mouthguard, cleats. **Girls:** Goggles, stick, mouth guard, cleats.

Registration Process:

Step 1: Register your player(s) at uslacrosse.org/ and record the membership number (Fee is \$30). Required for insurance purposes.

Step 2: Register your player(s) hartfordrec.com. Fee is \$110 for residents, \$130 for non-residents.

Registration and Deadline: Registration begins on January 30, 2023 and closes on March 8, 2023.

Please register early to ensure a space. There will be a delay between submission of registrations, processing, and confirmation. Please expect a one week processing time. Participation will not be allowed until all registrations are in order. If you are in a financial hardship, scholarships are available. Please reach out to <http://www.hartforyouthlax.com> for more information.

The combined USA Lacrosse & Hartford Recreation Department Fees provide valuable insurance/benefits and cover the costs associated with field equipment and referees. Lacrosse has a very short window to fit in games. Games for any team can and will be held on any weeknight or weekend day, which may include Holidays. These games are unavoidable and will not be changed. We do our best to avoid school conflicts, however, some may be inevitable. It is important to note that we share indoor spaces and fields with other groups, which limits our availability for games and practices. For additional information about the program, please email: hartforyouthlax@gmail.com or our [Facebook Page](#).



Little Sticks Lacrosse

Volunteer Coaches are needed for Little Sticks Lacrosse

Registration Deadline: April 16, 2023

This is an introduction to the game of lacrosse for boys and girls in grades K-2. The program will teach the fundamentals of lacrosse in a fun, positive and safe environment. This will be a non-contact, non-equipment program. Players will be broken out into groups and rotate as a team between 3-4 teaching stations each week. Age appropriate equipment is used in teaching shooting, passing, catching, cradling, stick handling, and running and agility. Equipment will be available. Each participant receives a t-shirt. **No program on May 27, 2023.**



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Little Sticks Lacrosse	K	Sa	4/22/2023-6/3/2023	9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.	Kilowatt South	\$35R / \$45NR
Little Sticks Lacrosse	1-2	Sa	4/22/2023-6/10/2023	9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.	Kilowatt South	\$35R / \$50NR

Softball

The Youth Softball program is for Hartford Residents only. Our softball program introduces and develops age appropriate skills and gameplay strategies that lead to steady improvement, and provide a solid foundation for success and lifelong enjoyment of the game. Children will be taught proper techniques, and be given plenty of opportunity to showcase their skills in scheduled league games. Players will participate in weekly practices and an 8-10 game season. Children will receive a team t-shirt and team cap. Participants must supply their own gloves, gray pants, cleats, and helmet. Games will be played against surrounding Upper Valley teams. **Junior Softball** is for players in 3rd & 4th Grade. This is an introduction to "kid pitch" softball. **Senior Softball** is for players in 5th & 6th Grade. Players pitch the entire game. **Registration Deadline: April 9, 2023.**



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Senior Softball	5-6	MWF	4/17/2023-6/16/2023	TBA	George Ratcliffe Park	\$55R
Junior Softball	3-4	TuThSa	4/18/2023-6/15/2023	TBA	George Ratcliffe Park	\$50R

Rising Stars Softball Camp

Coach: Danielle Tenney

This clinic offers athletes the chance to learn from former Division I Softball Player, Danielle Tenney. For the 2023 summer, Danielle will be offering eight pitching and catching skill sessions for all ages and all levels. Players will need to bring their own glove and sneakers.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Catching Clinic	8-18	MW	6/19/2023-7/17/2023	5:15 p.m.-6:00 p.m.	HMMS/HHS Field	\$100R / \$110NR
Pitching Clinic	8-18	MW	6/19/2023-7/17/2023	6:00 p.m.-6:45 p.m.	HMMS/HHS Field	\$100R / \$110NR



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YOUTH BASEBALL

Baseball

Youth Baseball Program is for Hartford Residents only. All participants will be issued a team shirt and team cap. Participants must supply their own gloves, gray pants, cleats, and helmet. (Gray pants are optional for Quickball and Rookies). If you are unable to provide your own baseball helmet, please contact Jay McDonough, jmcdonough@hartford-vt.org. The Parks & Rec Department will issue you a helmet to use for the season.



Majors Baseball is for players in 5th & 6th Grade. Days: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday. Times may vary between 5-8pm on weekdays, Saturday's are reserved for make-up games only. If we have multiple teams, teams will be divided equally by skill level. Majors Baseball will play by the Cal Ripken rules and be part of the Upper Valley Cal Ripken League. End of season tournament will take place in early June.

Minors Baseball is for players in 3rd & 4th Grade. Days: Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday. Times may vary between 5-8pm weekdays. If we have multiple teams, teams are divided equally by skill level. Minors Baseball will play by the Cal Ripken rules and be part of the Upper Valley Cal Ripken League. End of season tournament will take place in early June.

Rookies Baseball is more advanced than the Quickball Program, but the focus is still very much on skill progression and FUNdamentals. Teams will play on a field with 60' bases and the coach will be pitching. Rookies practice Mondays and Wednesdays and play in-house games (times will vary between 5-7:30pm). Teams will be divided equally.

Registration Deadlines

Majors: March 31st
Minors: March 31st
Rookies: April 19th

Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Majors Skills Assessments	5	M	April 3, 2023	6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.	Wendell A. Barwood Arena	N/A
Majors Skills Assessments	6	M	April 3, 2023	7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Wendell A. Barwood Arena	N/A
Minors Skills Assessments	3	Tu	April 4, 2023	6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.	Wendell A. Barwood Arena	N/A
Minors Skills Assessments	4	Tu	April 4, 2023	7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Wendell A. Barwood Arena	N/A
Majors Baseball	5-6	MWFSa	4/3/2023-6/11/2023	TBA	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$65R
Minors Baseball	3-4	TuThSa	4/4/2023-6/11/2023	TBA	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$65R
Rookies Baseball	1-2	MW	4/24/2023-6/7/2023	TBA	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$42R

Quickball

Quickball is truly revolutionary national program designed for children ages 4-6 who are just beginning to explore the game of baseball and softball. Quickball makes the game more exciting and active to play and watch! Each child is given a bat and ball to keep and take home with them to play in the yard! Quickball grabs the attention of young players and lets them learn baseball and softball fundamentals without being bored or intimidated. This fast paced and developmental game was designed to replace t-ball. No longer will kids be limited to 3 swings off a "T" each game and the hope of a single play in the field. Quickball is such a successful program because of it's action-packed game structure. The CORE concepts teach the game in a whole new FUN way! Rapid Rotation. Inclusiveness. Pitch to Hit. Keep it moving. Everybody contributes. Never Boring.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Quickball	4	Sa	4/22/2023-6/10/2023	9:00 a.m.-9:45 a.m.	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$40
Quickball	5	Sa	4/22/2023-6/10/2023	10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$40
Quickball	6	Sa	4/22/2023-6/10/2023	9:00 a.m.-9:45 a.m.	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$40

Hartford Summer Baseball Program

Baseball players ages 13-16 will have the opportunity to play baseball through the summer months. The team will play in a local summer league and end of the season with a league tournament. **Eligibility:** If your child is between the ages of 13-16. Teams will play or practice 3 times per week from June through the end of July. Practices/Games will be held at DBS or Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Summer Baseball	13-16	MWF	6/12/2023-7/29/2023	TBA	Maxfield & DBS	\$120R / \$130NR

Hartford Heat Baseball

The Hartford Baseball and Softball Association (HBSA) will be offering baseball opportunities for Summer 2023. 8U (ages 6-8) skills development and 10U & 12U competitive tournament teams as well as skills development teams will be organized based on interest. Please reach out to cal.ripken.hartford.vt@gmail.com with interest in participating.



Tournament Team (both Minor and Major) Registration Deadline - April 1, 2023. Skills Development - June 2, 2023

Skills Development: An extension of the HPRD spring league, kids continue skills development and play in local games as they have time and if other towns field teams.

Tournament Team: Minor and Major baseball players will have an opportunity to tryout for the Cal Ripken tournament trail teams.

Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Majors Tournament	<12 y/o on 5/1	MWFSa	April-mid August	TBA	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$175R
Minors Tournament	<10 y/o on 5/1	TuThSa	April-mid August	TBA	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$175R
Majors Skills	5/6 Grade	TBD	July-mid August	TBA	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$100R
Minors Skills	3/4 Grade	TBD	July-mid August	TBA	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$100R
Rookies Skills	1/2 Grade	TBD	July-mid August	TBA	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$100R

FOOTBALL, TRACK & FIELD, UVAC SWIM TEAM

Summer Flag Football

This non-contact flag football program is a perfect introduction to the game for the young athlete or for those who simply want to brush up on their skills in preparation for the fall program. The program is designed to create an atmosphere that encourages all players to learn and develop fundamental football skills in a non-contact environment. Players will learn techniques to help them excel such as passing, receiving and footwork, in addition to speed and agility work to help with their physical literacy. Offensive and defensive principles will be addressed as participants continue to learn the game and develop their understanding of team concepts and sportsmanship.



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Summer Flag Football	3-6	Tu	7/11/2023-8/15/2023	5:30 p.m.-7:00 p.m.	Watson Memorial Park	\$40R / \$50NR

Minicanes Football

Program Philosophy: The Greater Hartford Youth Football Association is a volunteer-based program for players entering Grades 4-6. Our goal is teaching the fundamentals of tackle football while participating in a competitive football league. Sportsmanship and teamwork are the foundations of this program. Registration is open to the first 50 players registered.

Practices: Tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings (5:30 p.m.) with games being played on the weekends. The season runs from mid-August to the end of October. Practices are held at Dothan Brook School. Players must meet minimum practice requirements before playing in games.

Registration Begins: May 22 for former players only. **New player registration** opens June 5 and closes when full.

Registration Fee: \$150 per player (checks made payable to GHYFA). You must supply a valid email address on the registration. Registration fee includes a team sweatshirt.

Equipment: Players supply their own cleats, water bottles and practice jerseys. All other equipment is provided by GHYFA. Players must participate in our fundraising to help cover the cost of other equipment. **Contact Information:** minicanesvt@gmail.com



Football Camp

Instructors: Hartford Varsity and Middle School Football Staff

The players will be taught the fundamentals of football by the Hartford Varsity and Middle School Staff. Each day will be spent learning individual offensive and defensive skills as well as team concepts. Friday is used as a make-up day in the event of bad weather during the week. Players who have not received a helmet and shoulder pads prior to camp may pick up on July 10th from 4:00-5:00 p.m. Players are required to have a mouth guard and water bottle. Players must be going into grades 7-12.



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Football Camp	7-12	MTuWTh	7/10/2023-7/13/2023	5:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Hartford High School Football Field	\$75R / \$85NR

Track & Field

Boys and girls of all skill levels are welcome to participate in the track and field program. This program gives participants the opportunity to train for and compete in a local track meet. Participants will compete in age appropriate programs. This is a great opportunity to meet new friends and be physically active. Join the team today! Don't forget to wear comfortable clothing and bring a water bottle. State Track meet will be held July 22nd in St. Johnsbury. Hanover Track Practices—TBA



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Track & Field	5-14	TuTh	5/23/2023-7/27/2023	6:00 p.m.-7:15 p.m.	Wendell A. Barwood Arena & Hanover HS Track	\$55R / \$65NR

Join Upper Valley Aquatic Swim Team

Join our team with the best coaches, friendly team culture, convenient practice times, and complimentary individual membership to Upper Valley Aquatic Center when you join. Two locations: Upper Valley Aquatic Center and Colby-Sawyer College. Now registering for ages 5-19. Questions? sellis@uvacswim.org

For more information, visit UVACswimteam.com



GOLF, KARATE, SOLID, TENNIS, SPRING SOCCER

The First Tee Golf Program

Instructor: Peter Harris, PGA Member, Jr. Golf Leader, Expert at Golf Swing Instruction & Club Fitting

The First Tee Program is an international youth development organization, introducing the game of golf and its inherent values to young people. First Tee helps shape the lives of young people from all walks of life by reinforcing values like integrity, respect and perseverance through the game of golf. Golfers will enjoy a hands-on experience in a fun environment.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
The First Tee-Junior Golf	8-15	Th	5/4, 5/11, 5/18, 5/25	4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	Fore-U	\$125R / NR
The First Tee-Junior Golf Camp #1	8-13	Tu/W/Th	6/27, 6/28, 6/29	1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.	Fore-U/Carter CC	\$295R / NR
The First Tee-Junior Golf Camp #2	8-13	Tu/W/Th	7/18, 7/19, 7/20	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Fore-U/Carter CC	\$295R / NR
Junior Golf-Learn to Swing #1	5-7	Th	7/6, 7/13, 7/20, 7/27	3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.	Fore-U	\$125R / NR
Junior Golf-Learn to Swing #2	8-13	Th	7/6, 7/13, 7/20, 7/27	4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	Fore/U	\$125R / NR
School of Golf	8-14	W, Th	8/2-8/17	1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.	Fore U/Carter CC	\$395 R / NR

KARATE

Instructor: Brett Mayfield

This program is an ongoing traditional Japanese Karate program that teaches basic to advanced movements and forms. The program emphasizes self-awareness and confidence. Students may test for traditional karate belt ranks as they progress in each session. Please wear loose, comfortable clothes. **No class on June 29, July 3. Youth Karate sessions for ages 5-6, no longer available.**



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Youth Karate Session 1	7-18	MW	4/17/2023-5/10/2023	5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.	Holistic Healthcare	\$45R / \$55NR
Youth Karate Session 2	7-18	MW	5/15/2023-6/12/2023	5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.	Holistic Healthcare	\$45R / \$55NR
Youth Karate Session 3	7-18	MW	6/19/2023-7/17/2023	5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.	Holistic Healthcare	\$45R / \$50NR
Youth Karate Session 4	7-18	MW	7/24/2023-8/16/2023	5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.	Holistic Healthcare	\$45R / \$55NR

SOLID SUMMER SPEED, AGILITY, AND CONDITIONING

Looking for a way to gain a competitive edge?

Be on the look out for this program in late Spring

Instructor: Spencer Brown is the Director of Strength & Conditioning at the collegiate level. Spencer

has a Master's Degree in Exercise Science with a concentration in Performance Enhancement & Injury Prevention. He was a four-year letter winner as a Division I college football player.

Join SOLID LLC this summer if you are looking for ways to: stay healthy, get faster, become more athletic, be a better teammate and leader. SOLID LLC is committed to individual development built on a strong foundation. No experience necessary.



Youth Tennis Programs

Grab your tennis racket and get ready to play! Whether you are a beginner, intermediate or an advanced player, this program will improve your game and help you get more enjoyment from tennis. The tennis programs focus on skill refinement as well as practice and match play to develop consistent, well-rounded tennis players. Each player is given personal attention and taught through repetition in an enjoyable and positive atmosphere. Clinics will be offered during the summer. Check our [website](#) for updated program information.



SPRING SOCCER

The Spring Soccer program is an introductory skills development program for our youngest players. The main focus is to provide our players with the correct tools to have fun and develop a passion for the game of soccer, while teaching participants the basic skills.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Spring Soccer	4-7	Tu	4/25/2023-6/6/2023	5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.	Watson Memorial Park	\$35R / \$45NR

CAMP VENTURES SUMMER CAMP, CIT PROGRAM

Camp Ventures Summer Camp

MISSION: To provide a safe environment for all children where they can experience friendships, expand their creativity, learn new things and have FUN.



CAMP VENTURES Summer Camp is a full day program offering eight week-long sessions. At Camp Ventures, we offer an authentic camp experience, with limited technological interactions. We believe that every kid should have the chance to just be a kid and experience nature and their surroundings in a fun, safe, and supportive environment!

CAMP VENTURES Summer Day Camp offers the best of...

- Excitement, energy, and a world of adventure to explore
- Memories in the making with fun-filled activities and friendships
- Sportsmanship, teamwork, and skill-building
- The magic of creative expression and artistry
- Amazing camp games and activities
- Weekly field trips, swimming, special guests/performances and Field Days at the Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex

Camp Hours: 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Camp Location: WABA/HMMS School

Cost: \$200/Resident / \$220 Non-Resident Per Camper, Per Week

Explorers: For Campers who have completed Grade K-2

Adventurers: For Campers who have completed Grade 3-6

Summer Lunch Program: Camp Ventures is pleased to offer a **FREE** Summer Food Program this summer! All campers attending Camp Ventures this Summer will receive lunch every day they attend camp at no extra cost and no additional registration required! Weekly menu will be provided.



Resident Registration: Begins March 6, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. / **Non-resident Registration:** Begins March 13, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.

Payment Options: A deposit of \$50 per week is required at the time of registration. Balance must be paid in full by May 12, 2023. You are welcome to pay in full at any time. **Failure to pay your camp balance will result in immediate removal from the camp roster and you will forfeit your deposit.**

IMPORTANT CAMP DATES: Week 1 will start on Wednesday, June 21st to accommodate the school schedule. No camp on July 3rd and July 4th. Camp will close at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, June 30 and July 21st for staff development. Camp pick-up on Friday's will take place at the Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex by 4:30 p.m. on the following dates: 6/23, 7/7, 7/28, 8/4.

Sibling Discounts: Receive \$15 off your registration when signing up a sibling(s) for a week of camp. No coupons or codes. Simply register all your attending children at the same time for the same session and the savings are automatically applied.

Camp Ventures Cancellation Policy: **Camp Ventures cancellations will be assessed a \$25 fee per session. To be eligible for a refund or credit, cancellations must be made by 6/15/2023. No refunds or credits will be issued on cancellations made after June 15, 2023.**

Week #	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Week 1	K-6	WThF	6/21/2023-6/23/2023	8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	HMMS/WABA	\$120R / \$140NR
Week 2	K-6	MTuWThF	6/26/2023-6/30/2023	8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	HMMS/WABA	\$185R / \$205NR
Week 3	K-6	WThF	7/5/2023-7/7/2023	8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	HMMS/WABA	\$120R / \$140NR
Week 4	K-6	MTuWThF	7/10/2023-7/14/2023	8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	HMMS/WABA	\$200R / \$220NR
Week 5	K-6	MTuWThF	7/17/2023-7/21/2023	8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	HMMS/WABA	\$185R / \$205NR
Week 6	K-6	MTuWThF	7/24/2023-7/28/2023	8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	HMMS/WABA	\$200R / \$220NR
Week 7	K-6	MTuWThF	7/31/2023-8/4/2023	8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	HMMS/WABA	\$200R / \$220NR
Week 8	K-6	MTuWThF	8/7/2023-8/11/2023	8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	HMMS/WABA	\$200R / \$220NR

Camp Ventures CIT: Learn. Grow. Lead.

Full Summer (\$600): June 19-August 11, 2023. By taking part in our **Counselor-in-Training program**, your child will make lasting friendships, while enjoying many benefits from their experience. CITs are typically former campers who would like the opportunity to continue participating in the Camp Ventures Program in a leadership role, assisting camp counselors with camper activities. These young adults will acquire invaluable leadership and mentoring skills that will assist them in future endeavors and provide them with the experience and skills it takes to be a future camp counselor. CIT's will go on exciting teen trips off site, chaperoned by Parks & Rec staff.

Registrations are limited. Interested applicants may download an application from hartfordrec.com prior to the deadline. Application will be available mid-March. Application Deadline May 5, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.



CIT Interviews: Interviews are scheduled for May 11th.

WICKED COOL FOR KIDS STEAM CAMPS, TEEN PROGRAMS

Wicked Cool For Kids STEAM Camps



Minecraft Mania

Minecraft Mania is a blend of virtual learning and companion, hands-on activities that explore science and engineering using the Minecraft game. Minecraft Mania supports kids working in groups and uses a private local server. Kids use an interactive avatar to investigate a game-based educational environment. Engage in computer and real-world activities covering geology, engineering, physics, and biology. Learn about the properties of rocks and minerals and take home your own rock collection. Apply your skills to build skyscrapers and simple machines and plant your own crops in fun experiential trials.

LEGO Engineering

What LEGO challenges do kids love? Our LEGO Engineering program includes STEM-based challenges and free-building. We will build mechanisms that incorporate gears, flywheels, and cams to build amazing contraptions. We will crank up the fun using creativity to build with LEGOs in problem solving challenges. Kids can design a spinning eggbeater or create a car to carry LEGO bricks. Make it a full day! Merge LEGOs with machine power to create a power car, dragster, and dog bot!

The camp is offered in collaboration with Wicked Cool for Kids. Wicked Cool for Kids is an education company that specialized in customized enrichment programs in science, art, and technology for kids through 6th grade.

Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Minecraft Mania	2-5	M-F	6/26/2023-6/30/2023	9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$400R / \$420NR
LEGO Engineering (Half Day)	1-5	M-F	8/7/2023-8/11/2023	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$300R / \$320NR
LEGO Engineering (Full Day)	1-5	M-F	8/7/2023-8/11/2023	9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	\$400R / \$420NR

Teen Adventure Getaways

Have a blast this summer on the Teen Adventure Getaways! Hartford Parks & Recreation staff will accompany your teen on exciting local adventures! The Teen Adventure Getaway trips offer a wide variety of outdoor and adventure-based activities! We provide opportunities for challenge, adventure and exploration in a safe, guided environment. Cost varies per trip. Getaways include admission, transportation and supervision. Bring a bagged lunch, snacks, and water bottle.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Get Air Trampoline Park	10-15	Th	3/30/2023	12:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.	Williston, VT	\$45R / \$55NR
Outdoor Laser Tag	10-15	Fr	4/14/2023	9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Goshen, NH	\$40R / \$50NR
Fun Spot Arcade & Weir's Beach	10-15	Th	6/22/2023	9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	Laconia, NH	\$20R / \$30NR
Outdoor Laser Tag	10-15	Tu	6/29/2023	9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	Goshen, NH	\$40R / \$50NR
Take a Hike!	10-15	Th	7/6/2023	9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	White Mtns, NH	\$20R / \$30NR
Killington Adventure Center	10-15	Th	7/13/2023	9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	Killington, VT	\$45R / \$55NR
Get Air Trampoline Park	10-15	Tu	7/20/2023	9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	Williston, VT	\$45R / \$55NR
Outdoor Laser Tag	10-15	Tu	7/25/2023	9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	Goshen, NH	\$40R / \$50NR
Sunapee Beach Trip	10-15	Th	8/3/2023	9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	Sunapee, NH	\$20R / \$30NR

Teen Kayak Trip

Nothing beats a beautiful summer day floating on a lake! The trip is guided with instruction by Hartford Parks & Rec Staff. Meet at the Wendell A. Barwood Arena. First timers welcome. No experience required. Transportation to and from is provided by Hartford Parks & Recreation. *Program includes use of kayak, paddle, and life jacket.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Teen Kayak Trip	12-17	Tu	8/8/2023	9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	North Hartland Lake	\$35R / \$45NR

Kayak Outings

Come explore the Connecticut River at Kilowatt North Park! Paddlers will have a Parks & Rec staff member providing basic paddling instruction as needed and leads the group on the river. No prior experience necessary, Kayaks, life jacket, and paddles are provided.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Kayak Outings #1	12-17	Tu	7/11/2023	4:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m.	Kilowatt North Park	\$15 per person
Kayak Outings #2	12-17	Tu	7/18/2023	4:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m.	Kilowatt North Park	\$15 per person
Kayak Outings #3	12-17	Tu	7/25/2023	4:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m.	Kilowatt North Park	\$15 per person
Kayak Outings #4	12-17	Tu	8/1/2023	4:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m.	Kilowatt North Park	\$15 per person

HUNTER ED, FLY FISHING, ARCHERY, M/M, GREEN-UP

Vermont Hunter Education Online Courses

There's a lifetime of satisfaction to be found in the woods of Vermont, and it begins with Hunter Education. Would-be hunters, bow hunters and trappers must successfully complete their respective course in order to purchase their first license. All Hunter Education courses are being held online and are **FREE**.

Class graduates will leave the Hunter Education courses with a thorough understanding of how to get a lifetime of enjoyment out of Vermont's magnificent natural resources. Topics covered include: Introduction to Hunter Education (History, Purpose and Sponsors) Firearms and Hunting Safety, Hunter Responsibility, Personal Preparedness, Wildlife Conservation, Hunting Opportunities, and Specialty Hunting.

Register for a course online at <https://www.hunter-ed.com/vermont/>



Introduction to Fly Fishing

Instructors: Vermont Fish & Wildlife Let's Go Fishing Instructor

Introduction to Fly Fishing Clinic will teach you everything you need to know about fly fishing! Learn about fly fishing equipment, regulations, entomology, flies, knots, habitat, and casting. Participants will have the opportunity for hands-on fishing. All of the necessary gear needed to participate in this class is provided. Participants do not need a fishing license to participate in this program. Open to men and women ages 12+.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Introduction to Fly Fishing	12+	Tu	6/6/2023	4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	FREE!

Discover Archery

Instructors: Hartford Parks & Recreation Staff

Learn the basic archery skills and techniques from a USA Archery Certified Instructor. This intro course is great for adults and children, making it a great outing that everyone in your family will enjoy. Participants will learn archery safety, equipment, shooting form, and shooting etiquette while improving shot accuracy and consistency. Build Upper Body Strength- Challenge the Mind- Improve Concentration- Enhance Self-Confidence- Relax the Spirit. **All necessary equipment is provided.** Minimum Age: 7 (13 and under with a parent or guardian)



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Archery, Spring #1	7+	M	5/1/2023	4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	Erwin Clifford Park	\$15R / \$20NR
Archery, Spring #2	7+	M	5/15/2023	4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	Erwin Clifford Park	\$15R / \$20NR
Archery, Summer #1	7+	M	6/26/2023	4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	Erwin Clifford Park	\$15R / \$20NR
Archery, Summer #2	7+	M	7/17/2023	4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	Erwin Clifford Park	\$15R / \$20NR
Archery, Summer #3	7+	M	8/7/2023	4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	Erwin Clifford Park	\$15R / \$20NR

Migration and Meditation

Instructor: Tatum Barnes

Join Amateur Bird Nerd / Professional Meditation Facilitator Tatum Barnes for a peaceful excursion into Nature. Spring migration will be in full swing as we watch out for warblers and spy sparrows high and low. We will also delight in a mindful moment, grounding our bodies and sharpening our minds. No experience with either bird watching or meditation is required. Materials are provided, however, feel free to bring your own binoculars.



Activity	Ages	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Migration & Meditation	7+	F	5/12/2023	10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Hartford Town Hall	FREE!

GREEN-UP DAY 2023 - MAY 6, 2023

Green-Up Day is Saturday, May 6. We encourage volunteers to go out at their convenience, but if you go out before May 3, please store your green-up trash at home.

Bags: Beginning Monday, April 17, Green-Up bags will be available at the **Hartford Town Hall and the Quechee Library**. Please take only the number of bags you plan to fill and write down the section of road that you plan on green-up. Bags also will be available on Green-Up Day, Saturday May 6 between 8:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. at the Town Hall and Quechee Green.



LIBRARIES

“All Together Now” Summer Story Hour at the Parks

Hartford Librarian, Nadine Hodgdon, will host story hours at the parks this summer, presenting stories about friendship and community. There will be games, songs, and take-home craft kits. The Greater Hartford United Church of Christ will provide picnic lunches to all participating families. In case of rain, story hours will be held at the Hartford Library, 1587 Maple Street, Hartford Village. For more information, please contact hartfordvtlibrary@gmail.com



HARTFORD LIBRARIES

Did you know that Hartford has four libraries? Be sure to visit one today!



Hartford Library

1587 Maple Street, Hartford
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 9-6 p.m.
Wednesday, Friday: 12-6 p.m.
Saturday: 9-12 p.m.
Story Hour is Thursday at 10 a.m.
hartford@vals.state.vt.us
802-296-2568

West Hartford Community Ctr. & Library

5133 Route 14, West Hartford
Monday: 2-6 p.m.
Tuesday/Wednesday: 9-12 p.m. / 1-6 p.m.
Thursday: 9-12 p.m. / 1-5 p.m.
Story Hours is Wednesday at 10:00 a.m.
westhartfordlibraryvt@gmail.com
802-295-7992, Story Hour is Wednesday at 11 a.m.

Quechee Public Library

1957 Quechee Main Street, Quechee
Monday/Wednesday/Friday: 10- 6 p.m.
Tuesday/Thursday: 2-7 p.m.
Saturday: 10-2 p.m.
Story Hour is Wednesday at 10 a.m.
info@quecheelibrary.org
802-295-1232

Wilder Club & Library

78 Norwich Avenue, Wilder
Tuesday/Saturday: 10-1 p.m.
Thursday/Friday: 2-5 p.m.
Story Hour is Tuesday at 10 a.m.
info@quecheelibrary.org
802-295-6341



Youth Cheerleading

Participants will learn the fundamentals of cheerleading in a fun and safe environment. The 3-6 grade team will cheer for youth football home games. These events will take place on Sunday afternoons at the Hartford High School football field. Uniforms and pompoms will be provided. Participants must wear sneakers. K-2 is an instructional program and will not participate in games.



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Youth Cheerleading	K-2	Tu	9/9/2023-10/21/2023	TBA	HMMS Gymnasium	\$35R
Youth Cheerleading	3-6	TuTh	8/29/2023-10/26/2023	TBA	HMMS Gymnasium	\$45R

Field Hockey

Registration Deadline August 27, 2023

Learn basic field hockey skills and fundamentals in a fun and encouraging environment. Field hockey team shirts, socks, balls, and goalie equipment are provided. Participants need to provide their own mouth guards, shin pads, stick and cleats. **Game days will vary.**



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Field Hockey	3-4	MW	8/28/2023-10/25/2023	5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.	Watson Memorial Park	\$45R
Field Hockey	5-6	MWF	8/28/2023-10/27/2023	5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.	Watson Memorial Park	\$50R

NFL Flag Football

Registration Deadline August 27, 2023

This program offers participants an introduction to flag football and an opportunity to continue to improve your skills in a fun and learning environment. Each player will receive an NFL team-branded reversible jersey and their own NFL Flag Football belts. Grades 1-2 will focus on fundamentals and have an opportunity to play a few games against other teams. Grades 3-6 will play games against other towns. **No practice on 9/4/2023.**



Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
NFL Flag Football	1-2	TuTh	8/29/2023-10/19/2023	TBA	George Ratcliffe Park	\$50R
NFL Flag Football	3-6	MWF	8/28/2023-10/27/2023	TBA	George Ratcliffe Park	\$60R

Youth Soccer

Registration Deadline August 27, 2023

Grade 3-6 Soccer: Teams will be made during the first week of practice. Teams will play games against other towns. Players must supply game shorts, shin guards, cleats, and mouth guards. Team shirts are provided for games. **Game days will vary.**



K-2 Soccer: Participants will be split into groups and will focus on skills, drills, and small sided games. This is an in-house program. Players must wear shin guards. Cleats and mouth guards are highly recommended.

Pre-k Soccer: A fun and high energy program introducing children to fundamental soccer principles; using your feet, dribbling and the basic rules of the game. Through fun games and positive reinforcement, children will experience the joy of playing soccer and being active.

Activity	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fees
Boys Soccer	5-6	MWF	8/28/2023-10/27/2023	TBA	Kilowatt South	\$50R
Girls Soccer	5-6	TuThSa	8/29/2023-10/28/2023	TBA	Kilowatt South	\$50R
Boys Soccer	3-4	MWF	8/28/2023-10/27/2023	TBA	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$45R
Girls Soccer	3-4	TuThSa	8/29/2023-10/28/2023	TBA	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$45R
Grade 2 Soccer	2	ThSa	9/9/2023-10/21/2023	Th 5-6pm/Sa 10-11am	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$40R
Grade 1 Soccer	1	Sa	9/9/2023-10/21/2023	9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$35R
K Soccer	K	Sa	9/9/2023-10/21/2023	9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$35R
Pre-k Soccer	Pre-k	Sa	9/9/2023-10/21/2023	10:15 a.m.-11:00 a.m.	Maxfield Outdoor Sports Complex	\$30R



BRIAN HANSON SCHOLARSHIP, BLOCK PARTY, VOLUNTEERS

Scholarship assistance is available through the **Brian Hanson Scholarship Fund**

Request an application by emailing recreationhartford-vt.org, calling 802-295-5036, or downloading at hartfordrec.com

BRIAN HANSON
SCHOLARSHIP FUND

8th Annual **BLOCK PARTY**
FREE EVENT
for all residents ages 0 - 100+

Kick-off to Summer 2023
Wednesday, June 21st
5-8pm
Lyman Point Park

FREE FOOD • LIVE MUSIC • FUN ACTIVITIES

- Raffles Give-aways Demos
- Facepainting Balloons
- #HealthyHartford
- Dance Performance
- LIVE Music
- Safe Family Fun
- Health & Wellness Information

Learn more at www.hcvt.org
Find us on Facebook and Instagram

Hartford Parks & Recreation Appreciates our Volunteers!

Upcoming Events

Special Events, Programming, Youth Sports

To be added to our volunteer list, please call our office at 802-295-5036 or send us an email at recreation@hartford-vt.org

Volunteers Needed



FAMILY ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT SERIES

Movies in the park

Hartford Parks & Recreation is bringing fabulous family fun to the neighborhood! Join us for a **FREE**, outdoor family movie, at Lyman Point Park with the large **EPIC Outdoor Cinema Screen!**
In Collaboration with HCC. Sponsored By: Mascoma Bank

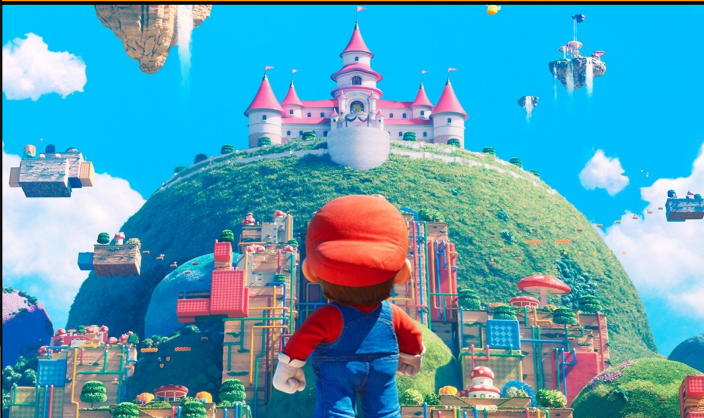
Friday, June 30
Lyle, Lyle Crocodile



Friday, July 28 - No Way Home



Friday, August 18
Super Mario Bros Movie



Little Red Wagon
July 14, 2:00 p.m.
HMMS Gymnasium

Molly McFolly and the Littlest Leprechaun.

Molly McFolly tends to act before she thinks. She also often thinks she knows more than she does.

This leads to a series of follies including the folly caused by a bit of stereotyping (as it turns out, about Leprechauns). Featuring Celtic Music and puppets, this show is about learning lessons the hard way and making unlikely friends.



Jason Tardy
July 21, 11:00 a.m.
Maxfield
Rain Location: HHS

Jason Tardy's show is a combination of many years of relentless practice and virtually no social life. How else could he pull off standing on a yoga ball, juggling an ax, spiked mace, and toilet plunger, while reciting the alphabet forward and backwards at the same time? He also performs innovative choreographed juggling to music, fitting his body through a tennis racket, and if you trust him enough, he will perform fire eating, fire breathing and fire juggling. Sometimes Jason is funny.



Modern Times Theater
The Punch and Judy Show
July 28, 2:00 p.m.
Maxfield
Rain Location: HMMS

This updated classic follows the troubles and travails of puppetry's favorite loudmouth, Mr. Punch. The skillfully operated hand puppets are made of garbage and up-cycled material, and are chock full of surprises and tricks, as is the elaborate stage. **It's a low-tech old-time spectacle, entertaining to children of all ages: from one to one hundred.** By taking the best from the long tradition of Punch and Judy shows, and bringing the art form into the 21st century, this classic remains alive, vital, and hysterical to both children and adults today.



SUMMER CONCERTS, TRAIL RUN, JUNETEENTH

2023 Summer Concert Series in the Park

Wednesdays 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

All concerts are open to the public and **FREE** of charge with plenty of parking. Alcohol and tobacco are prohibited in our parks. Dogs must be leashed at all times when on park properties.

Lyman Point Park

167 Maple Street, White River Junction, Vermont

June 28	Gerry Grimo & East Bay Jazz	Swing Era/Oldies
July 5	Dave Keller	Soul/Blues
July 12 *	The Flames	Classic Rock
July 19 *	Chad Hollister	Roots Rock
July 26 *	John Lackard Blues Band	Blues
August 2	The Moonlighter's Big Band	Big Band Swing
August 9	Shrimptunes	Classic Rock/Country

* July is Parks & Recreation Month. Join Parks & Rec at 5:00 p.m. for family friendly, activities, yard games, and food!



HURRICANE HILL TRAIL RUN HARTFORD, VERMONT

Saturday, July 22, 2023, Race Start 9:00 am

Pre-registration: Online at PinnacleStrive.com, accepted until July 21, 4pm. Cost: \$20 (20+), \$15 (\$15) Under 15 **FREE!**

Day-Of Registration Hours & Fees: 7:30-8:45 a.m. / Cost: \$25 (20+), \$25 (\$20 (15-19), **Free (14 and under)**)

Distance: 5K/10K Trail Run. Walkers are welcome on the 5K.

Series: 10K is the qualifier for the series runners

Free T-Shirt for the first 100 pre-registered runners

Awards: Great raffle prizes that all racers are eligible for

Hartford Parks & Recreation Department Trail Run is part of the **WNHTRS!**

Parking and registration is located at the Upper Valley Aquatic Center, 100 Arboretum Lane, WRJ, Vermont. The race start is located about .75 miles (mostly uphill!) from the registration area. A bus will be available to transport runners to the starting line. **On-line Registration** at PinnacleStrive.com

Contact Info. Scott Hausler: shausler@hartford-vt.org



Bring Families and Friends

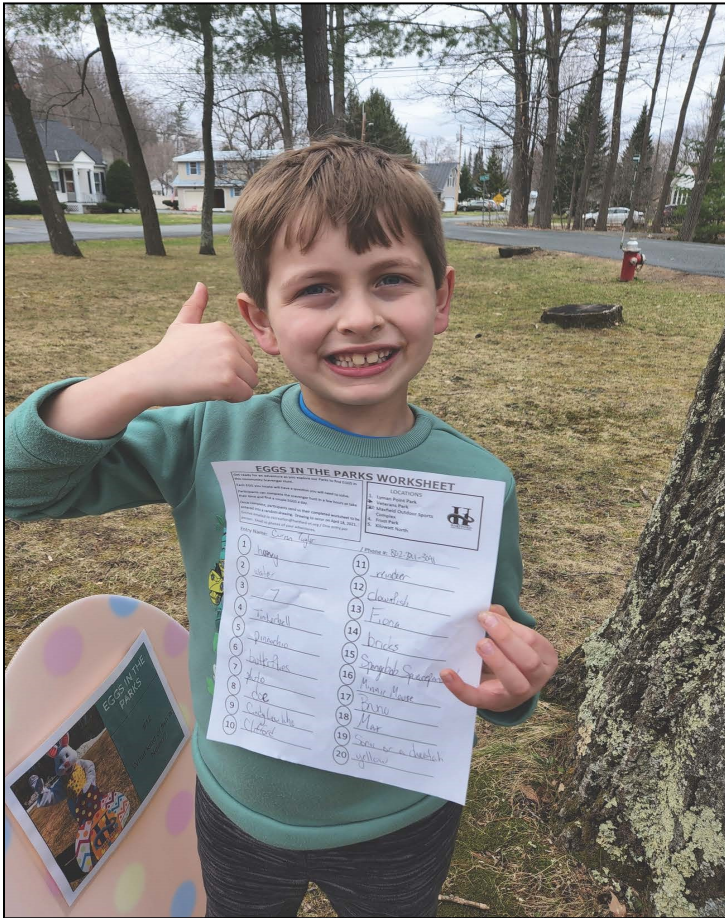
JUNE TEENTH

SATURDAY, JUNE 17 ~ 2:00

LYMAN POINT PARK White River Junction

Sponsored by Town of Hartford and
Hartford Committee on Racial Equity
and Inclusion

EGGS IN THE PARKS & EGG SCRAMBLE



EGGS IN THE PARKS

April 1-9, 2023

Get ready for adventure as you explore our Parks to find our bright, colorful EGGS!

Each egg you locate will have a **trivia question** you will need to solve.

To participate, download the Eggs in the Park Worksheet at hartfordrec.com or stop by Town Hall for a copy.

Submit your completed worksheet, along with a photo, to recreation@hartford-vt.org to be eligible for our random prize drawing!



Last day to submit your entry is April 10th
Winners to be announced April 11.



Saturday, April 8, 2023

Dothan Brook School

The Spring Egg Scramble is our version of the perfect Egg Hunt. Rain, snow or shine won't stop the Egg Scramble.



Here is the line-up:

- Ages 3 and Under: 9:30 a.m.
- Ages 4-6: 10:00 a.m.
- Ages 7+: 10:30 a.m.

FREE Event
Bring your own baskets
Pets are not permitted
Children must be supervised at all times

Wear your boots as it could be snowy or muddy and do not forget your baskets.

Questions? To Donate Prizes? Volunteer?

802-295-5036
recreation@hartford-vt.org

Help us provide essentials to The Haven Food Pantry by bringing a non-perishable food item to the Egg Scramble.



NOTICE: Special Events, programs, activities, dates, times are subject to change without advance notice.

Hartford's Annual Independence Day Celebration

Tuesday, July 4th, 2023

Kilowatt Park South, 6pm

Live Music from the Conniption Fits

Children's Activities

Delicious Food

Spectacular Fireworks Show

Proudly Sponsored By Hartford Parks & Recreation



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