

north berwyn

park district

fall 2026

Registration begins: In District-August 17, 2026 Non District-August 19, 2026



SPECIAL EVENTS

SEPT. 12

9 am-3 pm

FALL FLEA MARKET



Vendors:

Showcase your products, connect with the community, and reach a crowd of eager shoppers and treasure hunters. It's a great opportunity to grow your business and be part of a fun, high-energy event—reserve your spot today, space is limited!

Shoppers:

With a wide variety of local vendors offering everything from collectibles to one-of-a-kind items, there's something for every shopper. It's the perfect outing for bargain hunters, thrifty shoppers, and anyone looking for hidden gems. Don't miss this chance to find something truly unique—mark your calendar and join us for a day of shopping and fun!

Vendors

Ages: 18+ yrs.

D/ND Fee: \$15/\$20

Location: Joseph C. Vallez
Activity Center, 1529 Harlem Ave.

Code: 254101A

Pre-registration is required to sell

Vendor set-up begins at 8:00 am

Spots are 8' x 10'

Vendors must provide their own table & chairs

ALL AGES WELCOME . PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

SEPT. 25

6-8 pm

LOTERIA

Join us for a lively night of Loteria
(a game similar to BINGO) to celebrate
Mexico's Independence Day!

Tickets will include popcorn, water,
and a card pack (3 cards per pack)!

Additional cards and concessions will be
available for purchase!

**Buy your tickets before August 18th for
the early bird rate!**

Ages: All ages welcome

Day: Tuesday

D/ND Fee: Before 9/18: \$5/\$10

After 9/18: \$10/\$20

Location: Joseph C. Vallez
Activity Center, 1529 Harlem Ave.



**OCT.
03**

5:00-7:00 PM

**PRAIRIE OAK SCHOOL GYM
1427 OAK PARK AVE.**

D/ND \$15/\$20

PER PERSON

**ALL AGES WELCOME
CHILDREN MUST BE
ACCOMPANIED BY AN
ADULT.**

**PRE-REGISTRATION
IS
REQUIRED!**

**Power up for an out-of-this-world adventure!
Join us for a Super Mario Galaxy Party filled with pizza,
goodies, music, games, and nonstop fun!
Dress as your favorite Mario character and get ready to jump,
race, and collect stars as you take on exciting challenges
with friends.**

**Costumes are encouraged, so bring your Mario, Luigi,
Princess Peach, Yoshi, Bowser, or any favorite character to life!**

**Don't miss this action-packed party—it's going to be a SUPER
good time!**





HALLOWEEN WEEKEND

OCT. 24

FALL FEST

TRUNK OR TREAT

12:00-2:00 PM

JOSEPH C.
VALLEZ ACTIVITY CENTER
1529 HARLEM AVE. PARKING LOT

FREE . ALL AGES WELCOME . FEES MAY APPLY TO SOME ACTIVITIES

CANDY . PUMPKIN PATCH . CRAFTS . GAMES . PHOTOS
COSTUME CONTEST (1PM) . AND MORE...

Join us for a
SPOOK-TACULAR afternoon of
Trunk or Treat Fun!

Get ready to collect some
ghastly treats at each car
and participate in our
EPIC costume contest!

WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU
HAVING A
HOWLING GOOD TIME!



HALLOWEEN HOUSE

DECORATING CONTEST

Hey, Halloween enthusiast!

Are you nuts about decorating your house for Halloween?

Let's make it a SPOOK-TACULAR spectacle and outdo the neighbors!

OCTOBER 22, judging begins @ 7 pm

Register By: 10/19

prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place

** ONLY North Berwyn residents eligible*



FREE . ALL AGES WELCOME . PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED



HALLOWEEN HOUSE &

STORYTELLING TOUR

Join us for a SPOOKY adventure as we visit the neighborhood's most decorated houses for Halloween.

Then gather around for some pizza, cookies & scary stories that will send shivers down your spine and make you laugh!

OCTOBER 23, tour begins @ 7:30 pm

Register By: 10/19

Meeting Location:

Joseph C. Vallez Activity Center





SPECIAL EVENTS

OCT. 30

DIA de los MUERTOS

PAINT and POUR

6:00-8:00 PM

**COMMUNITY CENTER
1619 WESLEY AVE.**



CELEBRATE LIFE, LOVE AND CULTURA....



Dia de los Muertos, Paint & Pour 1 day

Celebrate life, love, and memory at this special Paint & Pour night inspired by Día de los Muertos! Whether you're planning a unique date night or looking for a heartfelt way to honor a loved one who has passed, this event offers the perfect blend of creativity and connection. Step-by-step instructions provided—no experience needed. All paint and supplies included. Refreshments and drinks (wine) will be provided. Let the colors of tradition guide your brush as you create a vibrant piece of art in tribute and celebration.

Ages: 21+ yrs. *with valid identification*

Day: Friday

Date: 10/30

Time: 6:00-8:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$35/\$40 per person

*Register with a partner or friend and receive
\$5 off per person

Location: Community Center

Code: 154700A

Min/Max: 10/30

Register by: 10/23



HONOR THE PAST, CELEBRATE THE PRESENT, AND CREATE SOMETHING BEAUTIFUL IN TRIBUTE.



**GOT
TALENT?**

AUDITION WORKSHOP



Polish your audition for
Berwyn's Got Talent
or work on a song and get ready
to shine like a star!

Selling a song takes more than a great voice. It doesn't matter if you're playing a role onstage in a musical, or singing in a rock band, you need to know how to tell a story and connect with your audience.



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3
9:00 am-12:00 pm

COMMUNITY CENTER
1619 WESLEY AVE.

7+ YRS.
D/ND FEE: \$20/\$25

Kelly Anne Clark will help take your performance to the next level. Kelly is a two-time recipient of Chicago's Joseph Jefferson award and is a proud union member of AEA and SAG-AFTRA. She has been performing for over 30 years - regionally, off-Broadway and in London.

** If you are singing you will need to bring a karaoke track or accompaniment of some sort.*



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7 . 2:00-4:00 PM . FREE!



LOCATION: JOSEPH C. VALLEZ ACTIVITY CENTER
1529 HARLEM AVENUE

GUIDELINES

- Entry Deadline: September 1-15
- Email: mdimaso@nbp4fun.org
- Include: Name, phone number
- All ages welcome
- Submit an audition video, must be 3 minutes or less.
- Must provide all props, music, and materials for their performance.
- Performances must be appropriate for all ages
- Open to all types of talent
- Finalists (15) notified by: October 1

Bring your energy, creativity, and confidence — and show us what you've got!

Berwyn's Got Talent... and that talent could be YOU!

Do you have a talent that can wow a crowd? Singers, dancers, comedians, magicians, musicians, spoken word artists, cultural performers, and more — this is your moment to shine!

Here is your chance to perform live in front of an excited audience and a panel of three judges ready to be amazed. Whether you're a seasoned performer or stepping onto the stage for the first time, we want to see what makes you unique!

***Top 3 acts win prizes and earn the title of Berwyn's Brightest Stars!**

CARDBOARD CAR DRIVE-IN MOVIE



Kids will have the opportunity to design and decorate a car that they will sit in to enjoy a screening of the original Cars movie!

We will provide the materials as well as pizza, popcorn, and a drink for the show!



Feel free to bring a blanket or pillow for your child to use while they enjoy the movie in their custom creation!
(we will have chairs for adults, and additional concessions available for purchase).

DATE: SATURDAY, 11/14

AGES: All ages- children must be accompanied by an adult

LOCATION: Joseph C. Vallez Activity Center . 1529 Harlem Ave.

TIME: 4:30-8:00 pm
(Movie starts at 5:30 pm)

MIN/MAX: 20/50

FEE PER PERSON:
D/ND FEE: \$15/\$20

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

4:30-5:15 pm

THE PIT STOP

Each registered child will pick out a pre-assembled box upon arrival and begin to decorate!

5:15-5:30 pm

SNACK STOP AND PARKING

We will guide the kids to park their hotrod for the movie and pass out concessions.

5:30 pm

SHOWTIME!

Grab your snacks, buckle up, and enjoy the movie!



LETTERS TO SANTA



FREE . ALL AGES WELCOME . NOVEMBER 30-DECEMBER 12

Write a letter

Santa's waiting for your little ones' letters! Make sure they spill all the tea about how good they've been! Don't forget to include what's on their wish list.



Include return address

Don't forget to include your return address so Santa can write back with some HO-HO-HO-merous responses!



Drop it off

Take your letter to Santa's Mailbox located just inside the lobby of the Community Center before December 12. It's big & blue, you can't miss it!



Receive a letter from Santa

Keep an eye on your mailbox for a special letter from the jolliest fellow around!



SPECIAL EVENTS

**DEC.
12**

12 PM-2 PM

**COMMUNITY CENTER
1619 WESLEY AVE.**



FREE . ALL AGES WELCOME . FEES MAY APPLY TO SOME ACTIVITIES

**GIFT STATIONS . CANDY . CRAFTS . PHOTOS WITH SANTA
PET PHOTOS WITH SANTA (1:30pm)**



Unlock the magic of the holiday season by stopping by to visit Santa and sharing your dreams and wishes with him.

Capture a priceless moment with the jolly old man himself and make this holiday one to remember!



**WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU
HAVING A
HO-HO-HO GOOD TIME!**



SPECIAL EVENTS



CHRISTMAS HOUSE

DECORATING CONTEST

Hey, neighbor!

Want to prove you're the ultimate holiday host?

Enter our contest and show Santa what you've got!

DECEMBER 17, judging begins @ 7 pm

Register By: 12/12

prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place

** ONLY North Berwyn residents eligible*



FREE . ALL AGES WELCOME . PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED



CALLS FROM **SANTA**

Santa has a Ho-Ho-Ho message for your loved one!

Whether they've been naughty or nice, Santa will give them a belly laugh with his jolly words of encouragement!

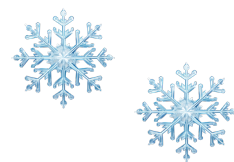
Picture their face when they receive their free personalized phone call from the big man himself in the North Pole!

DECEMBER 18, calls between 6-8 pm

Call: (708) 749-4900

Visit: 1619 Wesley Ave.

Register By: 12/12





NORTH BERWYN PARK DISTRICT...

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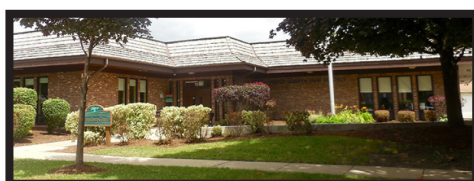
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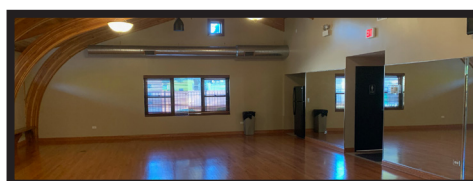
Scan here for easy access to our web-site, class updates, photos, and more!



Facilities



Community Center
1619 Wesley Ave.
(708)749-4900
Monday-Friday 9 am-7 pm
Saturday 9 am-12-pm



the Studio
6300 W. 19th St.
(708)749-4900



Joseph C. Vallez Activity Center
1529 Harlem Ave.
(708)749-4900
available by appointment

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...WHERE THE FUN BEGINS!



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Hello to our North Berwyn Community!

As the vibrant colors of fall begin to appear, we're reminded of how special this season is at the North Berwyn Park District. From community celebrations and youth programs to fitness classes and seasonal events, each experience brings neighbors together and strengthens the connections that make our community so unique.

This Fall Brochure is filled with exciting opportunities for all ages to stay active, learn something new, and make lasting memories. Whether you're joining us for our annual Fall Fest, participating in a favorite program, or discovering a new hobby, our dedicated staff is committed to providing fun, safe, and enriching experiences for everyone.

Thank you for continuing to make the North Berwyn Park District such an important part of our community. Your participation and support allow us to grow and create programs and events that bring people together.

On behalf of the Board of Commissioners and the entire North Berwyn Park District staff, we wish you a wonderful fall season and look forward to seeing you in our parks, facilities, and programs.

With warm regards,

Jim Kearns Jr.
President, Board of Commissioners
North Berwyn Park District



Board of Commissioners Meeting Schedule

The North Berwyn Park District holds regular board meetings on the second (2nd) Thursday of each month at the Joseph C. Vallez Activity Center located at 1529 Harlem Ave. Berwyn, IL., unless otherwise noted or posted. Meetings begin at 5:00 p.m.

Meeting Dates

August 13, 2026

September 10, 2026

October 8, 2026

November 12, 2026

December 10, 2026



** Registration must be made 1 week in advance of session to avoid cancellation*

Mixed Media Masterpieces

In the art world there are no limits, so why limit yourself to one medium? In this class, students will have the opportunity to sculpt, collage, paint, draw, and more! Weekly lessons will be presented at class time, giving participants the opportunity to explore the wide world of mixed media art, where the only limitation is your imagination.

Ages: 6-14 yrs.

Day: Mondays

Time: 4:30-6:00 pm

Location: Community Center

Min/Max: 6/15

8 weeks

Date: 9/14-11/9

***No class 10/12**

D/ND Fee: \$50/\$60

Code: 154105A

4 weeks

Date: 11/23-12/14

D/ND Fee: \$25/\$35

Code: 154105B

Basic Drawing Tech *8 weeks* black, white and color

This 8 week course outlines various techniques in drawing using pencil, color pencil, charcoal, crayon, pen and markers. The course will introduce participants to composition, siting the subject on paper, shading and using color to create a finished drawing.

Ages: 13-18 yrs.

Day: Tuesdays

Date: 9/8-10/27

Time: 4:30-6:00pm

D/ND Fee: \$50/\$60

Location: Community Center

Code: 154104A

Min/Max: 6/15



Intro to Drawing and Painting

This class will present students with a weekly lesson in art and art history. The students will then adapt and transform the lesson to create works of art that are truly inspirational and personal. Multiple drawing and painting techniques and mediums will be covered, giving participants the opportunity and freedom to explore the many options an artist has to choose from.

Ages: 6-12 yrs.

Day: Wednesdays

Time: 4:30-6:00pm

Location: Community Center

Min/Max: 6/15

8 weeks

Dates: 9/9-10/28

D/ND Fee: \$50/\$60

Code: 154103A

4 weeks

Date: 11/11-12/2

D/ND Fee: \$25/\$35

Code: 154103B

Collage for Kids

No paints or crayons or pencils for this class! Just a lot of imagination, a pair of scissors, a bottle of glue, and all of the different colors and textures we can think of to make our works of art. Like a quilt made of cloth, a mosaic made of tiles, or a stained glass, beautiful works of art are often made from pieces of materials. It will be a lot of fun to create a different picture each week with the little objects that surround us each day!

Ages: 6-14 yrs.

Day: Thursdays

Time: 4:30-6:00pm

Location: Community Center

Min/Max: 6/15

8 weeks

Dates: 9/10-10/29

D/ND Fee: \$50/\$60

Code: 154108A

4 weeks

Date: 11/12-12/10

***No class 11/26**

D/ND Fee: \$25/\$35

Code: 154108B

From Fiber to Characters *8 weeks*

Get ready to twist, stitch, and sculpt your imagination into life! In this hands-on fiber arts class, students will dive into the colorful world of textiles—learning the basics of hand weaving, experimenting with soft sculptural forms, and creating their very own handmade stuffed characters. Using yarn, fabric, and a variety of fun materials, participants will explore how texture, structure, and simple stitching can transform fibers into unique, dimensional works of art. No experience needed—just bring your imagination!

Ages: 18+ yrs.

Day: Fridays

Date: 9/11-10/30

Time: 4:30-6:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$60/\$70

Location: Community Center

Code: 154107A

Min/Max: 6/15



Mixed Media Explorations: Layer, Texture & Story *8 weeks*

This hands-on course introduces students to the creative possibilities of mixed media art. Through layering materials such as paper, fabric, paint, found objects, and drawing media, students will experiment with texture, composition, and personal expression. Projects will focus on combining techniques like collage, mark-making, painting, and simple construction to create unique, dimensional artworks.

Ages: 18+ yrs.

Day: Saturdays

Dates: 9/19-11/14 ***No class 10/24**

Time: 9:30-11:00 am

D/ND Fee: \$60/\$70

Location: Community Center

Code: 154106A

Min/Max: 6/15



Pre K Young at Art

In this incredibly fun and upbeat class, children will have the opportunity to learn about the various ways they can express themselves through the arts. This class goes beyond your typical arts and crafts projects, and introduces students to the wide world of art through theater, dance, and visual arts projects. Children will be able to freely express themselves in a supportive and engaging environment.

*Child must be restroom independent

Ages: 3-6 yrs.

Day: Tuesdays

Time: 4:30-6:00pm

Location: Community Center

Min/Max: 5/8

8 Weeks

Dates: 9/15-11/3

D/ND Fee: \$60/\$70

Code: 154102A

4 weeks

Date: 11/17-12/8

D/ND Fee: \$30/\$40

Code: 154102B

Pre K Young at Science

In this class, your child will explore the world of science through understanding what, why, and how things work. Children will learn life skills such as problem-solving, cause and effect, creativity and self-exploration through various experiments and activities. Please dress your child ready to make a mess!

*Child must be restroom independent

Ages: 3-6 yrs.

Days: Thursdays

Time: 9:30 am-11:30am

Location: Community Center

Min/Max: 5/8

8 Weeks

Dates: 9/10-10/29

D/ND Fee: \$60/\$70

Code: 154110A

4 weeks

Date: 11/12-12/10

***No class 11/26**

D/ND Fee: \$30/\$40

Code: 154110B



Ceramic Paint Nights 1 day

Unwind and unleash your creativity in a fun, laid-back evening! Pick your favorite ceramic piece to paint and personalize with endless possibilities. We provide all the supplies—you just bring your imagination! Ideal for everyone, from beginners to seasoned artists. Come join the colorful fun!

Ages: All ages *Children under 5 yrs. must be accompanied by an adult

Day: Fridays

Date: 10/9 Halloween Ceramics
12/4 Christmas Ceramics

Time: 6:00–7:00 pm

D/ND Fee: prices begin at \$5 per piece

Location: Community Center

Code: 154113A,B

Min/Max: 6/15



Pumpkin Decorating 1 day

Do you need to add a little something extra to your Halloween décor? Then join us as we paint and decorate a craft pumpkin sure to get you in the haunting mood! This popular event usually sells out so register early! All supplies are included and our wonderful staff will assist everyone as we create our unique pumpkins!

Ages: All, Children under 6 yrs. must be accompanied by an adult

Day: Friday

Date: 10/16

Time: 6:30–7:30 pm

D/ND Fee: \$15/\$17 per pumpkin

Location: Community Center

Code: 154100A

Min/Max: 5/25

Trim a Mini Tree 1 day

Get into the holiday spirit by decorating your very own mini Christmas tree! We'll provide the tree, ornaments, and festive decorations—just bring your creativity and holiday cheer. Take your one-of-a-kind creation home to brighten the season!

Ages: All, Children under 5 yrs. must be accompanied by an adult

Day: Friday

Date: 12/11

Time: Drop in anytime between 6:00–7:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$15/\$20 per tree

Location: Community Center

Code: 154100B

Min/Max: 5/25



B.A.S.E



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B.A.S.E provides the perfect combination of recreational and educational activities for a well-balanced out-of-school experience. Children end each day excited about the broad range of engaging hands-on activities that allow them to develop their interests and skills, as well as having the opportunity to spend time on homework so that they can enjoy more quality time at home. The B.A.S.E program currently serves students enrolled in K-8th Grade that attend Berwyn North School District 98 Schools.

Grades: K-8th grades

Day: Mondays-Fridays

Date: 8/2026-6/2027

Location: Prairie Oak School

Before Care Time: 7:00-8:25 am

Before Care Fee: \$40 per week (5 days)

Before Care Code: 224301

After Care Time: 3:00-6:00 pm

After Care D/ND Fee: \$80 per week (5 days)

After Care Code: 224302-305

** Registration must be made 1 week in advance of session*

** Children must be restroom independent*

Program Benefits

- Homework Support
- Transportation to & from School
- Trained & Qualified Staff
- Arts & Crafts
- Outdoor Activities
- Afternoon Snack
- Interaction with other Children

CAMP IGLOO /WHEN SCHOOL'S OUT



Camp Igloo *2 weeks*

Bundle up for a week of frosty fun at Camp Igloo! This winter break camp is packed with exciting indoor and outdoor activities, crafts, games, and winter-themed adventures.

Whether we're building snow creations, sipping hot cocoa, or making cozy crafts, campers will stay active, creative, and connected all week long. Perfect for kids looking to make new friends and enjoy the magic of winter!

Ages: 6-12 yrs.

Day: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

Week 1 Date: 12/21, 12/22, 12/23

Week 2 Date: 12/28, 12/29, 12/30

Time: 9:00 am-3:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$65/\$80 per week

Location: Prairie Oak School Gym

Code: 211306A,B

Min/Max: 6/40

Before & After Camp Igloo *2 weeks*

Need a little extra time before or after camp? Our Before & After Camp Igloo program provides a safe, supervised space where campers can ease into the day or wind down after all the fun. Kids will enjoy relaxed activities, games, and crafts in a warm and welcoming environment. It's the perfect solution for busy families needing flexible drop-off and pick-up times! * A small snack will be provided for After Care campers

Ages: 6-12 yrs.

Day: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

Week 1 Date: 12/21, 12/22, 12/23

Week 2 Date: 12/28, 12/29, 12/30

Location: Prairie Oak School Gym

Min/Max: 6/40

Before Care Time: 7:00-9:00 am

Before Care Fee D/ND: \$21/\$31 per week

Before Care Code: 211304A,B

After Care Time: 3:00-6:00 pm

After Care Fee D/ND: \$30/\$40 per week

After Care Code: 211305A,B



When School's Out, We're In

No school? No problem! Our When School's Out, We're In program offers a fun, safe, and engaging day of care for kids when school is closed. Children will enjoy a variety of activities including games, crafts, indoor play, and more. It's a great way for kids to stay active, social, and creative while parents enjoy peace of mind. Perfect for school holidays, institute days, and breaks!

Grades: K-8th

Date: Mon. 10/12, Tues. 11/3, Mon. 11/23,

Tues. 11/24, Wed. 11/25, Mon. 1/4, Mon. 1/18

Time: 7:00 am-6:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$45/\$55 per day

Location: Community Center

Code: 224306A-G

Min/Max: 6/20

- * Registration must be made 1 week in advance of session
- * \$15 late fee will apply for late registration
- * Registration forms must be complete and accurate prior to attendance
- * Must bring a sack lunch and beverage daily
- * Children must be restroom independent



** Registration must be made 1 week in advance of session to avoid cancellation*

Baby Ballet *8 weeks*

Watch your little one's imagination soar in this playful and energetic introduction to ballet! Through gentle stretches, expressive movement, fun mime, and graceful arm carriage, your child will begin to explore the magic of dance. They'll learn beginner ballet steps and even complete a full ballet routine! And parents—ballet is more than just fun! It also helps build coordination, discipline, memory, and confidence—skills that will benefit your child for years to come.

Ages: 3–5 yrs.

Day: Wednesdays

Date: 9/30–11/18

Time: 4:30–5:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$49/\$59

Location: Community Center

Code: 194101A

Min/Max: 6/10

Ballet/Tap Beginner *8 weeks*

Dancing is so much fun! In this engaging combo class, your child will explore the graceful movements of ballet and the rhythmic beats of tap. They'll discover new ways to express themselves through music and movement, making each class a joyful and creative adventure!

Ages: 4–6 yrs.

Day: Wednesdays

Date: 9/30–11/18

Time: 5:15–6:05 pm

D/ND Fee: \$59/\$69

Location: Community Center

Code: 194103A

Min/Max: 6/12



Purchase Ballet or Tap Shoes Contact: Ms. Marilyn @ (708) 788-9772



Ballet/Tap Intermediate *8 weeks*

Master new, advanced ballet techniques that build strength and elegance, paired with an energetic tap session—half ballet, half tap—to elevate your skills and confidence.

Ages: 7-11 yrs.
Day: Wednesdays
Date: 9/30-11/18
Time: 6:15-7:15 pm
D/ND Fee: \$62/\$72
Location: Community Center
Code: 194104A
Min/Max: 6/12

Yoga *10 weeks*

Develop strength, stamina, flexibility and balance control. You will also be introduced to basic postures and stretches. Mats are provided or you may bring your own.

Ages: 16+ yrs.
Day: Thursdays
Date: 9/24-12/3 *No class 11/26
Time: 7:15-8:15 pm
D/ND Fee: \$55/\$65
Location: Community Center
Code: 174115A
Min/Max: 5/10

Poms *8 weeks*

Get moving with lively warm-ups, stretches, and strength exercises! Learn foundational poms techniques and finish strong with a fun choreographed dance. Intermediate poms skills and dance techniques will be taught to ages 8-12 yrs.

Ages: 5-7 yrs.
Day: Fridays
Date: 9/18-11/6
Time: 5:30-6:15 pm
D/ND Fee: \$35/\$45
Location: Community Center
Code: 194117A
Min/Max: 6/12

Ages: 8-12 yrs.
Day: Fridays
Date: 9/18-11/6
Time: 6:20-7:20 pm
D/ND Fee: \$45/\$55
Location: Community Center
Code: 194117B
Min/Max: 5/10





** Registration must be made 1 week in advance of session to avoid cancellation*

Tiny Tigers Tae Kwon Do 8 weeks

This class is designed for younger children that might have a difficult time following a regular martial arts class. It gives an introduction to the Tae Kwon Do and martial arts etiquette through structured practice in an age-appropriate and fun environment! All participants will receive a Certificate of Completion at the end of the session.

Ages: 5-7 yrs.

Day: Saturdays

Date: 9/26-11/28 ***No class 10/24, 10/31**

Time: 9:45-10:30 am

D/ND Fee: \$39/\$49

Location: Community Center

Code: 174406A

Min/Max: 5/10

Judo 8 weeks

Learn the basic throwing, grappling, and falling techniques of the Japanese art of Judo. Self-defense aspects will also be taught. A great class for those with no martial arts experience or even for our current Tae Kwon Do students wishing to supplement their existing skills.

Ages: 7-12 yrs.

Day: Saturdays

Date: 9/26-11/28 ***No class 10/24, 10/31**

Time: 10:45-11:45 am

D/ND Fee: \$39/\$49

Location: Community Center

Code: 174405A

Min/Max: 6/12





Tae Kwon Do Intermediate/Advanced *10 weeks*

Designed for students ranked Green Belt or higher, this class builds on foundational skills while advancing technique, form (poomsae) refinement, and controlled sparring. Emphasis is placed on confidence, discipline, respect, and self-control in a challenging yet supportive environment. Instructor approval required for beginner participation.

Ages: 6-15 yrs.
Day: Mondays & Wednesdays
Date: 9/14-11/30 *No class 10/12, 11/23, 11/25
Time: 6:00-7:00 pm
D/ND Fee: \$69/\$79
Location: Lincoln Middle School Gym
Code: 174401A
Min/Max: 6/15

Tae Kwon Do Adults *10 weeks*

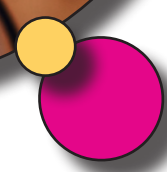
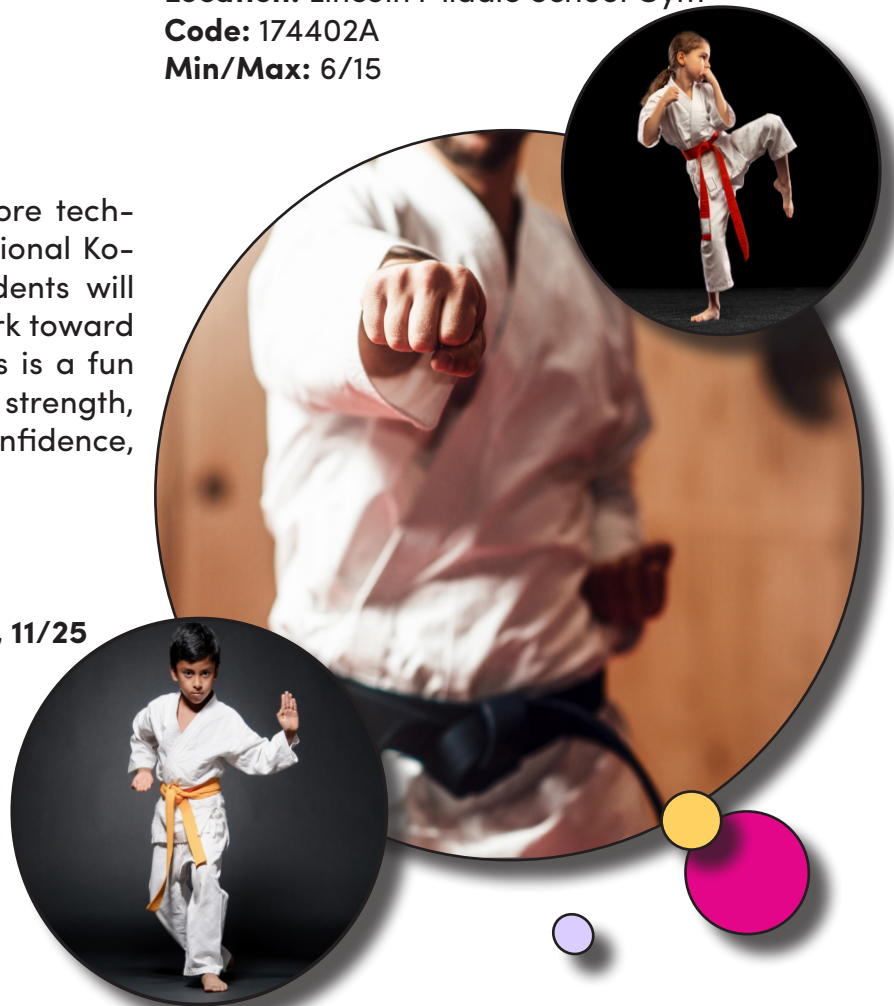
Beginners will be introduced to the core techniques and fundamentals of this traditional Korean martial art, while returning students will continue to advance their skills and work toward earning their next belt level. This class is a fun and structured way to build physical strength, improve focus and discipline, boost confidence, and develop respect and self-control.

Ages: 13+ yrs.
Day: Mondays & Wednesdays
Date: 9/14-11/30 *No class 10/12, 11/23, 11/25
Time: 7:00-8:00 pm
D/ND Fee: \$69/\$79
Location: Lincoln Middle School Gym
Code: 174403A
Min/Max: 6/15

Tae Kwon Do Beginners *10 weeks*

Discover the fundamentals of Tae Kwon Do, a traditional Korean martial art that focuses on discipline, respect, and self-confidence. Participants will learn basic kicks, blocks, punches, and stances in a supportive and structured environment—no prior experience required. Classes emphasize coordination, balance, listening skills, and self-defense fundamentals while encouraging personal growth and goal setting. Returning students may continue their training and work toward advancement to the next belt level as skills develop.

Ages: 6-12 yrs.
Day: Tuesdays & Thursdays
Date: 9/15-12/1 *No class 11/3, 11/24, 11/26
Time: 6:00-7:00 pm
D/ND Fee: \$69/\$79
Location: Lincoln Middle School Gym
Code: 174402A
Min/Max: 6/15





** Registration must be made 1 week in advance of session to avoid cancellation*

Beginner Ukulele

Many young musicians start their musical journey with a Ukulele and it's easy to see why. The Ukulele is the perfect size for young students who are still developing the dexterity and strength required to play a guitar. Students will learn the basic cords of a Ukulele and how to transition between these cords.

Ages: 5-13 yrs.

Day: Tuesdays

Time: 4:30-5:00 pm

Location: Community Center

Min/Max: 5/10

8 weeks

Date: 9/15-11/3

D/ND Fee: \$65/\$75

Code: 184108A

4 weeks

Date: 11/17-12/8

D/ND Fee: \$33/\$43

Code: 184108C

Intermediate Ukulele

For students comfortable with basic chords like C, F, G7, C7, Am, and G. We'll start with a quick review, then explore new chords, chord families, and how they connect. Each week builds on the last to deepen skills and confidence.

Ages: 5-13 yrs.

Day: Tuesdays

Time: 5:15-6:00 pm

Location: Community Center

Min/Max: 5/10

8 weeks

Date: 9/15-11/3

D/ND Fee: \$75/\$85

Code: 184108B

4 weeks

Date: 11/17-12/8

D/ND Fee: \$38/\$48

Code: 184108D



Beginner Guitar

This course is designed for beginners on the guitar and it will cover the basics of the instrument and music fundamentals. Students will learn fingerboard knowledge, music notation, strumming, basic techniques, and chords.

Ages: 10-17 yrs.

Day: Tuesdays

Time: 6:15-6:45 pm

Location: Community Center

Min/Max: 5/10

8 weeks

Date: 9/15-11/3

D/ND Fee: \$65/\$75

Code: 184101A

4 weeks

Date: 11/17-12/8

D/ND Fee: \$33/\$43

Code: 184101C



Intermediate Guitar

Intermediate Guitar offers continued experience in music making and performance, with the opportunity for improvement of fundamental skills in guitar. Students with previous guitar experience build on their skills and knowledge, adding chords, new strumming and finger-picking patterns, movable major and minor scales, basic music theory, more complex bass lines and lead sheets, and ensemble skills for a variety of music.

Ages: 10-17 yrs.

Day: Tuesdays

Time: 7:00-7:45 pm

Location: Community Center

Min/Max: 5/10

8 weeks

Date: 9/15-11/3

D/ND Fee: \$75/\$85

Code: 184101A

4 weeks

Date: 11/17-12/8

D/ND Fee: \$38/\$48

Code: 184101D

Private Lessons

Private lessons are also available for \$30.00 per 30 minute session.

Please call us at 708-749-4900 to inquire about availability.

- * Students must provide instrument
- * Instrument rental is available, please indicate at registration if needed. If rental is needed please indicate if left handed
- * Guitar rental- \$100, Ukelele rental -\$60 refundable upon return of instrument in good condition

About The Instructor

For more information regarding our instructor please visit www.peterbuddguitar.com



SPORTS



Soccer League *10 weeks*

Kick off fall with fun and teamwork! Our soccer rec league is perfect for players of all levels to build skills, boost confidence, and make new friends in a supportive, game-filled season. Don't miss out—register today and get in the game!

Participants must bring their own water, shin guards and wear appropriate athletic gear.

Ages: 4-14 yrs.

Day: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Date: 9/8-11/12

Time:

Tuesday

4-5 yrs.: 5:30-6:15 pm

6-7 yrs.: 6:15-7:15 pm

8-9 yrs.: 7:15-8:15 pm

Thursday

10-11 yrs.: 6:00-7:00 pm

12-14 yrs.: 7:00-8:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$105/\$115

Location: Jefferson Field

Code: 204000A-E

Min/Max: 10/40

Register by: 9/2

** a \$15 late fee will be applied after registration date*

Game Schedule: Tentative, subject to change

Day: Saturdays

Dates: 9/12-11/14

Time: 4-5 yrs.: 9:15-10:00 am

6-7 yrs.: 10:00-11:00 am

8-9 yrs.: 11:00 am-12:00 pm

10-11 yrs.: 12:00-1:00 pm

12-14 yrs.: 1:00-2:00 pm

Volleyball Skills Clinic *10 weeks*

These volleyball clinics are perfect for athletes of all levels. During the 60 minutes, players will focus on passing, setting, serving, and attacking through fast-paced, targeted drills. Nets are set lower to support skill development.

Participants must bring their own water and wear appropriate athletic gear.

Ages: 7-14 yrs.

Day: Mondays & Wednesdays

Date: 9/9-11/11 ***No class 10/12**

Time: 7-10 yrs.: 6:00-7:00 pm

11-14 yrs.: 7:00-8:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$105/\$115

Location: Prairie Oak School Gym

Code: 204006A,B

Min/Max: 10/30

Register by: 8/25

** a \$5 late fee will be applied after registration date*

Basketball Skills Clinic *10 weeks*

Our Basketball Skills Clinic offers a fun, high-energy way for young athletes to build their skills in a low-pressure setting. Coaches focus on age-appropriate conditioning, agility drills, and game play to help players grow and gain confidence.

Participants must bring their own water and wear appropriate athletic gear.

Ages: 7-14 yrs.

Day: Fridays

Date: 9/11-11/13

Time: 7-10 yrs.: 6:00-7:00 pm

11-14 yrs.: 7:00-8:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$105/\$115

Location: Prairie Oak School Gym

Code: 204001A,B

Min/Max: 10/30

Register by: 8/25

** a \$5 late fee will be assessed after Register by date*



Co-Ed Adult Soccer 8v8 *10 Weeks*

Join our adult soccer league for 8 games of friendly games! Captains will register their team with the park district and pay the fee for registration. Teams must be made up of 10-14 players with 2 female players per team. Team uniforms are not included; we request that all teams pick a color and coordinate that all players wear that color. For more information, please reach out to Anna De La Torre, adelatorre@nbpd4fun.org or (708) 749-4900 ext.21!

Ages: 21+ yrs.

Day: Fridays

Date: 9/11-11/13

Time: 6:00-8:30pm; schedules will be sent on 9/4

D/ND Fee per team: \$800/\$820

Location: Jefferson Field

Code: 204013A

Min/Max: 4/8

Register by: 9/3



Soccer Mini Defense/Goalie Clinics *4 Weeks*

Sharpen your skills & get ready for our winter season with this targeted clinic that'll work on your defensive skills!

Ages: 7-14 yrs.

Day: Saturday

Date: 11/21-12/19 ***No clinics the week of 11/22**

Time: 7-10 yrs.: 11:30 am-12:30 pm

11-14 yrs.: 12:30-1:30 pm

D/ND Fee: \$40/\$45

Location: Prairie Oak School Gym

Code: 204010E,F

Min/Max: 10/40

Register by: 11/17

Soccer Mini Offense Clinics *4 weeks*

Sharpen your skills & get ready for our winter season with this targeted clinic that'll work on your defensive skills!

Ages: 7-14 yrs.

Day: Saturday

Date: 11/21-12/19 ***No clinics the week of 11/22**

Time: 7-10 yrs.: 9:30-10:30 am

11-14 yrs.: 10:30-11:30 am

D/ND Fee: \$40/\$45

Location: Prairie Oak School Gym

Code: 204010C,D

Min/Max: 10/ 40

Register by: 11/17

Soccer Mini Clinics *4 weeks*

Join our soccer clinics to work on specific skill sets! We'll be working on offensive, defensive skills as well as skills and conditioning.

Ages: 7-14 yrs.

Day: Tuesday and Thursday

Date: 11/17-12/17 ***No clinics the week of 11/22**

Time: 7-10 yrs.: 6:00-7:00 pm

11-14 yrs.: 7:00-8:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$40/\$45

Location: Prairie Oak School Gym

Code: 204010A,B

Min/Max: 10/40

Register by: 11/17

Volleyball Open Gym *4 Weeks*

Looking to get extra reps in? Join our open gyms to play in informal games!

Ages: 11-14 yrs.

Day: Monday & Wednesdays

Date: 11/16 – 12/16 ***No open gym on week of 11/22**

Time: 6:00-7:30 pm

D/ND Fee: \$60/\$70

Location: Prairie Oak School Gym

Code: 204007A

Min /Max: 10/30

Register by: 8/25



THEATER

16TH
STREET
CHILDREN'S
THEATER



** Registration must be made 1 week in advance of session to avoid cancellation*

Play in a Day 1 day sessions

You will create a brand-new play in seven hours. You start the day by picking an original creature that you will be in our play. You will decide what type of creature you are. Do you fly, swim, crawl on the ground? Maybe you are a robot? Which of the other creatures are your friends? Are you afraid of any of them?

Draw pictures of what you look like and start deciding how you will play with the other creatures. Through a series of theater games, we create a story for our characters. Then you create masks and simple costumes. You will decide on what the world looks like that our creatures live in and create a simple set.

Finally, after a little rehearsal, we will present our play for our family and friends at 3:30pm.

Ages: 5-14 yrs.

Day: Saturday

Date: 11/28

Time: 9:00 am-4:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$50/\$60 per session

Location: Community Center

Code: 264811E

Min/Max: 4/10

**Please have students come with lunch.*





Stage Combat Advanced Found Objects *8 weeks*

Must have instructor approval to register

This class is for students with prior stage combat skills. This class will teach students armed stage combat for the theater using "Found Objects" for the fights! With a concentrated focus on partnership, safety, and storytelling through movement. Focus on hand-to-hand combat and quarterstaff. Learning how to understand and apply basic stage combat techniques in a safe and effective manner -- Develop a better sense of awareness, balance, control, and coordination. Learn partnering skills that include clear communication and trust. We will present a group fight at the final session for friends and family.

Ages: 9-13 yrs.
Day: Mondays
Date: 9/14-11/9 ***No class 10/12**
Time: 4:00-5:00 pm
D/ND Fee: \$65/\$75
Location: Community Center
Code: 264811B
Min/Max: 4/10



Ready, Set, Act *8 weeks*

Learn the basic skills of acting through theater games and exercises. We will explore the physical and emotional aspects of creating a character. Each actor will learn a short scene, the "same one"- and through this, learn how dialogue can help shape a character! This class will end with a showcase of their work for family and friends!

Ages: 8-12 yrs.
Day: Wednesdays
Date: 9/9-10/28
Time: 4:00-5:00 pm
D/ND Fee: \$65/\$75
Location: Community Center
Code: 264811C
Min/Max: 4/10

Stage Combat Beginners Basics *8 weeks*

Learn the basics of unarmed fighting for the stage in this class covering the basics of tumbling and stage combat. Learn how to safely execute individual actions (such as falls, rolls, and somersaults) as well as partner-based actions (such as pushes, slaps, punches, kicks, and hair-pulls). We will cover how to do this all in a safe and fun manner. We will also learn respect for our bodies and others. We will present a group fight at the final session for friends and family.

Ages: 9-12 yrs.
Day: Mondays
Date: 9/14-11/9 ***No class 10/12**
Time: 5:00-6:00 pm
D/ND Fee: \$65/\$75
Location: Community Center
Code: 264811A
Min/Max: 4/10



Theater Games *8 weeks*

Bring your fun and creative self to a weekly hour of theatre games! This is a class to stretch your creativity - from improvisation games to ensemble building games - this class is for the enthusiastic actor who wants to wring the fun out of every moment on the stage! This class will end with a showcase of their new improvisation and stage skills!

Ages: 6-10 yrs.
Day: Wednesdays
Date: 9/9-10/28
Time: 5:00-6:00 pm
D/ND Fee: \$65/\$75
Location: Community Center
Code: 264811D
Min/Max: 4/10





1st Mondays, "Let Me Tell You!" A Curated Story Telling Jam

hosted by 2-time Moth winner Errol McLendon

Everyone tells stories. At family gatherings. In bars and coffee shops. Here is your opportunity to share your personal stories with your community. Stories can be funny or poignant. About love or tragedy, or maybe both. They can be about something you learned or something you wish you had never done. Something historic you witnessed or were a part of.

Submit a description of a 7 - 8 minute story you would like to tell to errol.mclendon@gmail.com to be included in an evening of friends sharing stories with friends. First time tellers are welcomed and encouraged.

A free Zoom workshop will be offered two weeks prior to each show to help enhance your story in a relaxed, informal environment. One-on-one coaching will also be available.

** Snacks, soda, beer, and wine will be available for purchase throughout the show.*

Ages: 18+ yrs.

Day: Monday

Date: 8/3, 9/14, 10/5, 11/2, 12/7

Time: 7:00-9:00 pm

Fee: Free

Location: Joseph C. Vallez Activity Center
1529 Harlem Ave.

16th St. Children's Theater Fall Production: TBD

Every great production begins with the right people in the room. During this session, we are prioritizing our actors by selecting the perfect script only after our ensemble is finalized. Your presence directly determines the story we tell, ensuring a production that fits our cast perfectly.

Students will rehearse twice a week as they prepare for a full weekend of live performances. From auditions to opening night, they'll experience every part of a real production—costumes, lighting, props, and sound included! Along the way, they'll learn to work as a team, build characters, memorize lines, and help create props and costumes. A fun, hands-on way to discover the magic of theater!

Ages: 8-17 yrs.

Day: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Date: 9/8-12/10 *No class 11/3, 11/24, 11/26

Time: 4:30-6:30 pm

D/ND Fee: \$250/\$280

Location: the Studio

Code: 264815A

Min/Max: 10/10

Performances:

Friday, December 11, 2026 @ 7:00 pm

Saturday, December 12, 2026 @ 2:00 pm

Sunday, December 13, 2026 @ 2:00 pm

Tickets:

\$10 for adults

\$5 for children 4-12 yrs.

Purchase tickets

by calling

(708)749-4900 or

visit us @ 1619 Wesley Ave.

**This show is subject to enrollment numbers and may be changed to meet the cast size.*



YOU MAKE THEATER LIVE

North Berwyn
Park District's

16th
STREET
THEATER

Still Doing It *Two person show*

Still Doing It is Val & Jeff Gee telling the story of their life the only way they know how—honest, funny, and occasionally a little messy.

Two immigrants. A long marriage. A lot of miles and a lot of stories.

From raising kids to raising eyebrows, from cars that barely made it up hills to moments that changed everything, they look back (and sometimes sideways) at how they got here—and why they're still laughing.

It's about love, survival, culture clashes, bad decisions, good music, and the strange, beautiful business of building a life together.

Mostly, it's about this: after everything... they're still doing it.

Bio

Life's a blast with Val & Jeff Gee. Married in 1970. Irish twins circa '73. Flew across the pond in '83. Started their own business in '85. Became American citizens. Acquired two sons-in-law. Got 3 grandkids. Did all kinds of crazy stuff like climbing to Base Camp, Mount Everest, Val going all spiritual and shaving her head; Jeff beating cancer; starting a comedy Fawltly Service dining business in Lake Forest, hired to do standup comedy on the train from Wilmette to Chicago, performing The Queen and Prince Phillip at the Winnetka Follies to drowning in the recession, climbing back out, writing books, telling stories, and still keeping their corporate business afloat after 38 years. Their target audience is everyone who wants to laugh out loud at life.



Performances: *This is an 18+ show*

September 18, 2026 @ 7:00 pm

September 19, 2026 @ 7:00 pm

September 20, 2026 @ 2:00 pm

Tickets: \$15

Performance Location:

the Studio
6300 W. 19th Street
Berwyn, IL 60402

Purchase tickets by calling (708) 749-4900
or visit us @ 1619 Wesley Avenue

*Tickets available for purchase at the door

Visit us @ www.nbpd4fun.org



** Registration must be made 1 week in advance of session to avoid cancellation*

Silver Studio 15 weeks

This class is sure to get you excited about getting creative! We will provide participants with a wide variety of materials and mediums to experiment and create with. You will find that we have created a space for learning and practice where all students, whether beginning or experienced, can inspire one another and discover the artist within.

Note: All materials and instruction will be provided, but participants are welcome to bring materials from home if desired.

Ages: 55+ yrs.

Day: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Date: 9/8-12/17 ***No class 11/26**

Time: 10:00 am-12:00 pm

D/ND Fee: \$25/\$30

Location: Community Center

Code: 164106A

Min/Max: 5/10

Lantern Parade Workshop 1 day workshop

In collaboration with the Berwyn Public Arts Initiative

Create your own beautiful lantern in this fun, hands-on workshop! Learn simple decorating techniques, express your creativity, and take home a unique handmade lantern. All materials are provided.

Ages: 55+ yrs.

Day: Friday

Date: 9/18

Time: 12:00-1:00 pm

D/ND Fee: Free

Location: Community Center

Code: 164105A

Min/Max: 5/20



***New Day** Tai Chi *10 weeks*

This low-impact class will focus on improving your strength, balance, and focus while reducing stress and boosting brain power! A chair will be used to provide additional support for seated and standing exercises.

Ages: 55+ yrs.
Day: Tuesdays
Date: 9/22-12/1 ***No class 11/24**
Time: 12:00-1:00 pm
D/ND Fee: \$45/\$55
Location: Community Center
Code: 164109A
Min/Max: 5/10

Chair Yoga *10 weeks*

Stretch the spine, strengthen the core and relax your joints! This class will focus on gentle stretches performed sitting or standing and using a chair for support. Yoga postures and breathing techniques will be combined to improve flexibility and promote mobility while helping to increase your oxygen intake.

Ages: 55+ yrs.
Day: Wednesdays
Date: 9/23-12/2 ***No class 11/25**
Time: 10:30-11:30 am
D/ND Fee: \$45/\$55
Location: Community Center
Code: 164107A
Min/Max: 5/10

Self Defense for Women *8 weeks*

Designed specifically for mature women (seniors)! Learn to protect yourself through this exciting low-impact class where you will be taught practical, yet effective prevention, escape and striking techniques. Don't be a victim and learn the principles behind proven techniques to defend yourself!

Ages: 55+
Day: Thursdays
Date: 9/24-11/12
Time: 4:15-5:00 pm
D/ND Fee: \$39/\$49
Location: Community Center
Code: 164112A
Min/Max: 6/15

Just Breathe

Let your breath lift you as you learn how to release tension from head to toe. Then breathe freely and learn how to soothe your joints. Let four square breathing help you discover your own peaceful place. Enjoy many of the benefits of yoga minus the movement.

Ages: 55+ yrs.
Day: Fridays
Time: 11:00-11:45 am
Location: Community Center
Min/Max: 5/10

8 weeks
Date: 9/11-10/30
D/ND Fee: \$35/\$45
Code: 164108A

6 weeks
Date: 11/6-12/18 ***No class 11/27**
D/ND Fee: \$25/\$35
Code: 164108B





* Registration must be made 1 week in advance of session to avoid cancellation

Let's Do Lunch!

These trips are NBPD's most popular outings and are sure to fill up fast.....

So what are you waiting for? GO REGISTER!

If there's a restaurant you've always wanted to go to, drop off your suggestions at the front desk. Lunches are once a month and sometimes a flat fee is required at registration vs. paying at the restaurant.

Oak Brook

Labriola Ristorante

Cuisine: Italian

Code	Day	Date	Time	Fee
164102A	M	9/28	11:15 am-3:00 pm	\$72
Min 20/Max 24		Register By: 8/28		

Fee includes: Transportation, three-course family-style lunch & non-alcoholic beverage.

Westmont

Neat Kitchen & Bar

Cuisine: American

Code	Day	Date	Time	Fee
164102B	M	10/26	11:00 am-3:00 pm	\$72
Min 20/Max 24		Register By: 9/26		

Fee includes: Transportation, three-course family-style lunch & non-alcoholic beverage.

Oak Brook

Blanco Cocina & Cantina

Cuisine: Mexican

Code	Day	Date	Time	Fee
164102C	M	11/30	11:15 am-3:00 pm	\$69
Min 20/Max 24		Register By: 10/30		

Fee includes: Transportation, three-course lunch & non-alcoholic beverage.



Senior Galas in the Afternoon

Join us for a wonderful time connecting with fellow seniors in the community! Our special galas feature a delicious lunch and fantastic entertainment, making for an enjoyable and engaging afternoon. Whether you bring a friend or come solo, you're always welcome—we love seeing you! Don't miss out on the fun!

Upcoming Galas

Date: October 13- Fall Fun
Entertainer: Tommy Barroso
Code: 164101A

Date: December 8-Winter Ball
Entertainer: Peter Miletic
Code: 164101B

Ages: 55+ yrs.
Day: Tuesdays
Time: 11:00 am-1:00 pm
Fee: \$15
Location: Community Center



Movies in the Afternoon

Join the North Berwyn Park District for a delightful afternoon at the movies! Sit back, relax, and enjoy classic and contemporary films in a welcoming and friendly atmosphere. Whether you bring a friend or come solo, we're always happy to see you! Don't miss out on this wonderful opportunity to socialize and enjoy great entertainment. See you at the movies!

Ages: 55+ yrs.
Day: Fridays
Date: 9/4, 10/2, 11/6, 12/4
Time: 1:30 pm
Fee: Free
Location: Community Center

Bingo in the Afternoon

Join us every Monday and Wednesday for Free Bingo at the North Berwyn Park District! Enjoy a fun-filled afternoon of games, laughter, and great company. Whether you're a seasoned player or new to the game, everyone is welcome! Come socialize, win prizes, and make new friends in a warm and inviting atmosphere. We can't wait to see you there!

Ages: 55+ yrs.
Day: Mondays & Wednesdays
Time: 1:30-3:00 pm
Fee: Free
Location: Community Center



Upcoming Movies

September 4: Song Sung Blue, PG-13, 2025, Musical/Romance, 2 hr. 13 min.

October 2: Mirror, Mirror, PG, 2012, Adventure/Fantasy, 1 hr. 46 min.

November 6: The Devil Wears Prada 2, PG-13, 2026, Comedy, 1 hr. 59 min.

December 4: Project Hail Mary PG-13, 2026, Sci-Fi/Adventure, 2 hr. 36 min.



* Registration must be made 1 week in advance of session to avoid cancellation

Indiana

A Taste of Shipshewana



In the heart of Amish Country, you'll visit some of the local Shipshewana gems such as a giant bulk food store with time to shop where the locals shop. A few of the other stops are at a bakery, a noodle maker, a cheesemaking facility or a pretzel making shop just to name a few of the scrumptious, mouth-watering treats you can sample on your journey. A local guide will join us offering tidbits and stories of the Amish way of life and explaining their gift of creating amazing food. We'll also feast on a delicious lunch at an Amish homestead and enjoy an Amish Threshers meal complete with their incredible homemade pies. **Fee includes motorcoach transportation, tour, lunch, and trip leader.**

Code	Day	Date	Time	Fee
AMISH	W	8/26	7:00 am-7:30 pm	\$129
Min 30/Max 55			Register By: 7/24	

Paramount Theatre,
Aurora



Mean Girls

Based on the iconic Tina Fey film, *Mean Girls* is a hilarious musical with heart, telling the story of Cady Heron, a sweet and smart new girl who's just moved from Africa to suburban Illinois. When she enters the wild world of North Shore High, she quickly finds herself tangled up with The Plastics, the school's most popular – and most ruthless – clique led by queen bee Regina George. As Cady tries to fit in, she learns that popularity comes with a price – and revenge can get ugly fast.

Fee includes transportation, lunch at Fireside Grille, admission, and trip leader.

Code	Day	Date	Time	Fee
MEAN	W	9/9	10:00 am-5:30 pm	\$89
Min 18/Max 24			Register By: 8/14	





Apple Holler, Sturtevant, WI

Apple Picking



Join us as we embrace the beauty of nature and indulge in the simple pleasures of farm life in this perfect fall activity! We'll be guided through a narrated, tractor-drawn wagon ride and will receive a ¼ peck bag to pick fresh apples. We'll learn about the farm's earth-friendly growing practices, as well as how they cultivate apples, pears, and peaches. Our stops include a visit to their Family Farm Park and Farm Store & Gift Shop for additional fun and goodies. Enjoy a delicious homemade lunch featuring hot apple pie and ice cream.

Fee includes transportation, admission, lunch, and trip leader.

Code	Day	Date	Time	Fee
APPLE	W	10/21	8:30 am-5:00 pm	\$79
Min 30/Max 40				Register By: 9/18



Griffin Museum of Science & Industry, Chicago

Christmas Around the World



Explore the rich holiday traditions from around the globe in this annual beloved celebration. It began in 1942 with a single tree and today, features a four-story Grand Tree, surrounded by a forest of more than 50 trees and displays. It's a one-of-a-kind experience that brings a whole world of holiday joy under one roof! In addition to Christmas Around the World, we'll have timed-entry tickets to the Numbers in Nature and Coal Mine exhibits.

Fee includes transportation, admission, lunch, and trip leader.

Code	Day	Date	Time	Fee
WORLD	W	11/18	9:30 am-4:00 pm	\$65
Min 18/Max 24				Register By: 10/16



Paramount Theatre, Aurora

A Christmas Carol



Rediscover the magic of the holiday season with *A Christmas Carol*, the timeless tale that warms hearts and reminds us of the true spirit of Christmas. Ebenezer Scrooge, a bitter and lonely miser, is visited on Christmas Eve by three ghosts who take him on a journey through his past, present, and future. Along the way, he learns how to once again experience joy, compassion, and the power of generosity. Whether you're experiencing Scrooge's transformation for the first time or reliving the magic of the classic story once again, this play enriched with live music will leave you filled with hope and holiday cheer.

Fee includes transportation, lunch at Fireside Grille, admission, and trip leader.

Code	Day	Date	Time	Fee
CAROL	W	12/9	10:00 am-5:30 pm	\$89
Min 18/Max 24				Register By: 11/6

SNEAK PEEK



**Sunday in the Park with George
February 2027**

**Joseph and the Amazing
Technicolor Dreamcoat
May 2027**



FACILITY RENTALS



Community Center 1619 Wesley Avenue

- Ideal for any occasion
- Versatile space tailored to your needs
- Ample parking
- Tables and chairs for up to 40 guests
- Two (2) rooms available

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Our spacious banquet facility comfortably accommodates up to 200 guests.

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Make Your Event....*unforgettable!*

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Party Wagons

The Party Wagons were designed with YOU in mind, they are equipped to make your next event seamless and memorable.

With outdoor party season upon us we hope that these wagons will strengthen a sense of community among neighbors, residents, and friends.

****available only from June-September***

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UNFORGETTABLE MEMORIES!

Party Wagons include

- 10 TABLES
- 100 CHAIRS
- PA SYSTEM
- 4 BARRICADES
- 2 CORN HOLE GAMES
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VOLUNTEER



Join our Volunteer Community

Volunteer for the North Berwyn Park District where you will benefit in many ways...

You can serve your community and make new friends as well as be of service to others! Take this opportunity to develop skills and build up your resume!

If you are interested in a career in the recreation field, you can gain experience and knowledge that will help you in the future.

* Volunteer must be 16+ yrs.

NANCY WOODS @ 708.749.4900 X11
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ENRICHING LIVES THROUGH RECREATION

As an extension of the North Berwyn Park District, West Suburban Special Recreation Association (WSSRA) provides year-round recreational opportunities for individuals with disabilities of all ages and abilities.

WSSRA offers a wide variety of programs, including:

- Fitness & Wellness
- Special Olympics
- Social Activities
- Art & Creative Programs
- Day Camps
- Swimming
- Excursions & Community Outings

Through participation in WSSRA programs, individuals build skills, develop friendships, increase self-confidence, explore new experiences, and most importantly—have fun!

WSSRA also offers Lekotek, a family-based toy lending and play program designed to support children with disabilities and their families.

Register for seasonal programs and learn more at wssra.net.



IMAGINARIUM SENSORY ROOM

Located at the GEORGE A. LEONI COMPLEX:
800 N. 17th Ave., Melrose Park, IL



The Imaginarium Sensory Room is a place for children with special needs to enjoy a multi-sensory experience in a calm and relaxing environment.

Schedule your Private Play Session at WSSRA.Net

Join the WSSRA Team!

If you are energetic, creative, passionate and want to make a difference in your career path and the lives of others, you are a great fit for our team!



Scan Here to Apply



For more information, contact Joe Juhasz at joej@wssra.net or (847) 455-2100

FIND US ONLINE FOR MORE INFO



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LOCATIONS



PYRCE PARK, COMMUNITY CENTER

1619 Wesley Ave.

This location features our administrative offices, two (2) playgrounds on poured in place surfaces, a splash pad, two (2) rental spaces, classroom space.

JEFFERSON FIELD

16th & Wenonah Ave.

This location features a Soccer Field and is part of Jefferson School, Berwyn North School District 98.

PRAIRIE OAK GYM

1427 Oak Park Ave.

This location features a full size gym and is part of Prairie Oak School, Berwyn North School District 98.

MACKIN PARK

15th & Maple Ave.

This location features a skate park, a playground, and green space.

JOSEPH C. VALLEZ ACTIVITY CENTER

1529 Harlem Ave.

This location features a rental space, and ample parking.

BERWYN GARDENS

Grove Ave. - Wenonah Ave., North of Cermak

This location features a gazebo, a playground, and passive green space.

HETT PARK, BROCATO PLAYGROUND the STUDIO

19th & Cuyler Ave.

This location features a playground, a splash pad, and home to the 16th St. Children's Theater.

MOTHERS ON A MISSION PLAYGROUND

Kenilworth Ave. North of Cermak

This location features a handicap accessible playground.





Avoid Cancellations

Don't wait to the last minute to register for your favorite classes and programs! If the class/program is not at its minimum by the "Register by" date, the class/program runs the risk of being canceled.

Refunds & Credits

The North Berwyn Park District strives to offer the best in recreational activities, events, and programs however we do recognize there may be times when you may not be satisfied. Please be aware of the following when requesting a refund/credit:

1. A \$5 processing fee will be charged if a refund/credit is requested after "class register by" deadline (please allow 2 weeks for processing).
2. Refunds/credits will not be issued after the second session of any class.
3. For Trips and Let's do Lunch, a refund will only be issued if a substitute can be found.

Equal Access/ADA Accommodations

No participant shall, on the basis of race, sex, creed, national origin or disability, be denied equal access to programs, activities, services or benefits, or be limited in the exercise of any right, privilege, advantage or opportunity. For special accommodations, please contact Nancy Woods @ nwoods@nbpd4fun.org.

Waiting List

We encourage you to get on the waiting list for a program or trip with no more open spaces because we will always try our very best to accommodate a larger group if possible. Payment will not be taken to register on to the waiting list.

Bad Weather

Programs may be canceled due to severe or prohibitive weather. If a program is canceled, all participants will be notified and a maximum of one session per program will be rescheduled if possible. Note that for special events a rain date may or may not be scheduled. If you have any questions please contact us at (708) 749-4900.

Class Age Range

Classes are designed to meet the needs of specific age ranges and developmental abilities.

Participants must be the proper age before the first day of the class(es) they are to attend.

Gifts Certificates Available!

Give the gift of FUN! Gift certificates are available for all occasions, year-round, for any amount! Gift certificates may be used for any program or trip.

Photo Disclaimer

NBPD may take photos and/or video coverage of its programs, special events and their participants. If you do not wish for your photograph and/or video to be used in our website, brochures, flyers or any other publication, please submit your request in writing.

Residency

Please note that, persons residing outside of the North Berwyn Park District have different registration dates. North Berwyn boundaries are: north of Cermak between Harlem and Lombard. You are an in-district resident of the Park District if you live in Berwyn. Everyone is welcome to participate in our programs, although sometimes higher fees may apply to people living outside of Berwyn.

Parking

Park District participants must utilize the south end of the Sokol Tabor parking lot. The lot is located directly behind (east) of the Community Center. Please note that Wesley Ave is reserved for resident parking only. NBPD has 15 minute parking as well as handicap parking directly in front of the building on Wesley Ave, however, cars parked on Wesley Ave for more than 15 minutes will be ticketed.

Pets

Take your dog for a walk through the dog-friendly, Berwyn Gardens. Don't forget to keep him/her on a leash. No pets allowed at all other North Berwyn Park District parks.

Lost & Found

The North Berwyn Park District is not responsible for any lost or stolen items. Lost and found items are kept for a limited time only.



NORTH BERWYN PARK DISTRICT'S

CORRIDA DEL MARIACHI 5K

DATE/VENUE

SATURDAY AUGUST 15

16TH & WESLEY AVE. BERWYN, IL 60402

MORE INFO

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JOIN THE NORTH BERWYN PARK DISTRICT IN PROMOTING HEALTH AND WELLNESS IN OUR COMMUNITY BY RUNNING /WALKING AND CELEBRATING IN OUR SEVENTH 5K RUN.

TAMALES, JARRITOS, DJS AND MARIACHIS ON THE COURSE, FOLKLORIC DANCERS, VENDORS