

# EARLY CHILDHOOD / YOUTH RECREATION

## DINOSAUR EXPEDITION

**Age: 4 - 8 years**

Are dinosaurs a hit in your house? Then this class is for your child! Learn which dinosaurs roamed the Great Plains, what they would eat, and how they would hunt to survive. After we learn about these dinosaurs, we will trek out to the sand to search for fossil remains. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402039A	Th	June 14	10-11:30am	\$10/\$13

**Sibling Fee:** \$5 for each additional sibling  
**Location:** Jones Island Park Pavilion  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 18  
**Register By:** June 7

## NEW! TROLLS PARTY

**Age: 3 - 7 years**

Join Queen Poppy for this once in a lifetime Trolls Party! We'll be dancing, singing and helping her bring a brand new day of celebration to Bergen Town. Don't miss this night of glitter fun! Pizza dinner and juice will be served. This is a drop off class, so it's a great option for parents who want to drop the kids off and have a date night! (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402079A	F	June 22	5:30-7:30pm	\$17/\$21

**Sibling Fee:** \$12 for each additional sibling  
**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room UL  
**Instructor:** Ms. Sam  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 18  
**Register By:** June 15

## NEW! FLASHLIGHT SUMMER ADVENTURE

**Age: 4 - 8 years**

Join us for some old fashioned summer fun! We will play flashlight tag, have a scavenger hunt and read stories under the stars. Hot dogs, chips and juice will be served. Parents, have a night out while the kids have fun with us! (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402080A	Sa	July 14	6-8pm	\$17/\$21

**Sibling Fee:** \$12 for each additional sibling  
**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room UL  
**Instructor:** Ms. Sharon  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 18  
**Register By:** July 7

## PIRATES OF THE GREAT LAKES

**Age: 4 - 8 years**

Pirates loved to find secret places to hide their treasures and what better spot than Gray's Lake! Hear a story about how pirates sailed through the great lakes, landed on the shores and hiked to our own Grayslake to hide treasure. We will have our own map to follow to find exactly where "X" marks the spot. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402038A	Th	July 19	10-11:30am	\$10/\$13

**Sibling Fee:** \$5 for each additional sibling  
**Location:** Jones Island Park Pavilion  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 18  
**Register By:** July 12

## NEW! DESPICABLE ME

**Age: 3 - 7 years**

Watch as criminal mastermind Gru uses a trio of orphan girls as pawns for a grand scheme, but finds that their love is changing him for the better. We'll also play games, read a story and make a craft. Pizza, popcorn and juice will be served. This is a drop off class. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402081A	F	July 20	5:30-7:30pm	\$17/\$21

**Sibling Fee:** \$12 for each additional sibling  
**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room UL  
**Instructor:** Ms. Sam  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 18  
**Register By:** July 13

## NEW! THOMAS THE TRAIN FUN!

**Age: 3 - 7 years**

The story of Thomas & Friends goes beyond the world of Sodor! This evening will be filled with tons of trains and tracks for everyone to play with. You'll even have a chance to meet Thomas himself! We'll read a story, make a craft and enjoy pizza and juice for dinner. This is a drop off class. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402082A	F	Aug. 24	5:30-7:30pm	\$17/\$21

**Sibling Fee:** \$12 for each additional sibling  
**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room UL  
**Instructor:** Ms. Sam  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 18  
**Register By:** Aug. 17

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## FAIRY GARDEN

**Age: 4 - 8 years**

Custom decorate your own fairy garden pot. All supplies will be provided for your creation, as well as the helpful hands of Ms. Sharon. Bring a sack lunch and a drink, and enjoy the creative process! (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402070A	M	June 18- July 9	11:30am- 1:30pm	\$48/\$60

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room UL  
**Instructor:** Ms. Sharon  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 12  
**Register By:** June 11

## GARY KANTOR'S MAGIC CLASS

**Age: 5 - 12 years**

Amaze family and friends with tricks that involve cards, ropes, coins, mind reading and more. While the tricks may appear difficult, you'll discover that they are quickly learned and easy to perform. All materials are provided and each child will receive a magic kit to take home. Feel free to sign up for multiple classes, new tricks will be taught at each class. This is a contractual program. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
410015A	W	June 20	6:45-7:40pm	\$20/\$25

**Location:** Libertyville Sports Complex  
**Min / Max:** 5 / 30  
**Register By:** June 13

## FORT & OBSTACLE BUILDING 101

**Age: 4 - 8 years**

This class is a must for aspiring fort and obstacle course aficionados! We'll set up an environment that is sure to create excitement for your youngster. Join us to create obstacle courses, forts and imaginative play, while using large motor skills and spatial development. This is a drop off class designed to burn energy! (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402071A	Th	June 14-July 5	10-11:30am	\$45/\$56

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room UL  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 12  
**Register By:** June 7

## PIRATES IN TRAINING

**Age: 4 - 8 years**

Join Ms. Sharon to learn about famous pirates and make your very own treasure map! On the last day of class, we'll hunt for our very own treasures, using clues we've found. This is a drop off class. Participants should bring a sack lunch and drink with them each day. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402043A	Tu	June 19- July 10	11am- 12:30pm	\$45/\$56

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room UL  
**Instructor:** Ms. Sharon  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 12  
**Register By:** June 12

## JUST PAINT THE CHARACTERS - FEATURING NEW CHARACTERS!

**Age: 6 - 12 years**

Join Ms. Joni on an adventure! We'll read a social story on a specific character trait, then paint this character on canvas and create a paper bag puppet. Each participant will take home their masterpieces to use as a visual reminder to have good character. All supplies are included in the fee. Please wear play clothes and bring a smock to class. If your child is too young for this class, see page 35 for a Mommy & Me Painting Class for ages 1-5 years. This is a contractual program. (KR)

Character:	Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
Respectful Rabbit	410003A	Tu	June 19	11:30am-1:30pm	\$26/\$33
Friendship Frog	410003B	W	June 20	11:30am-1:30pm	\$26/\$33
Healthy Hippo	410003C	Th	June 21	11:30am-1:30pm	\$26/\$33
Behavior Bear	410003D	Tu	July 17	11:30am-1:30pm	\$26/\$33
Warm-Hearted Walrus	410003E	W	July 18	11:30am-1:30pm	\$26/\$33
Do-er Duck	410003F	Th	July 19	11:30am-1:30pm	\$26/\$33
Responsible Rabbit	410003G	T	Aug. 14	11:30am-1:30pm	\$26/\$33
Manners Monkey	410003H	W	Aug. 15	11:30am-1:30pm	\$26/\$33
Self-Esteem Elephant	410003I	Th	Aug. 16	11:30am-1:30pm	\$26/\$33

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room A  
**Instructor:** Characters of Character  
**Min / Max:** 5 / 15  
**Register By:** One week prior



## VIDEO GAME ROBOTICS

**Age: 6 - 8 years**

Build robotics and use them as controllers for your Scratch video animation projects! You and a partner will use LEGO Robotics kits to build a controller for your Scratch game (think Wii). This amazing course uses the most innovative tools available to experiment with robots and sensors that communicate with the computer to control your games! This is a contractual camp. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402065A	M-F	July 9-13	9:30-11:30am	\$216/\$270

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room A  
**Instructor:** Computer Explorers  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 12  
**Register By:** July 2

## EDISON PROGRAMMABLE ROBOT LAB

**Age: 6 - 8 years**

Meet Edison! Students will discover robotics as they work with Edison, the LEGO® compatible, programmable Bot! Students will use barcodes to program Edison to do everything from making music to "battling" in the Sumo ring! Students ages 6-8 years will also be introduced to basic graphical programming. This is a contractual camp. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402072A	M-F	Aug. 6-10	9:30-11:30am	\$216/\$270

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room A  
**Instructor:** Computer Explorers  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 12  
**Register By:** July 30

**TechStars programs are...** exciting, fun, team-based experiences where students become producers of technology through cutting-edge technology and hands-on projects that build 21st century skills and connect science, engineering, math (STEM) with the arts!

## NEW! MINECRAFT ULTIMATE POWER USERS: MODS & CODING

**Age: 9 - 12 years**

Let your imagination transform your Minecraft experience into a unique world YOU create! This class is for Intermediate and Advanced students with basic Minecraft knowledge. Working in pairs, students will discover how to expand their worlds' abilities using popular game-enhancing mods. Learn to use, manipulate and evaluate mods that alter the appearance and game play. Build traps, arrow launchers, faster rail systems and more & participate in building challenges! Did you know you can create and program Minecraft ROBOTS to do your mining for you? Learn how to code using the Minecraft Computer Craft Mod and put those robots to work. Working with a partner you'll start out programming with a graphical interface and then evolve to text-based coding as you learn to program with Lua. Soon you'll be able to focus on mining what YOU want! Note: Prior experience with Minecraft is required. This is a contractual camp. (KR).

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
410025A	M-F	July 9-13	9:30-11:30am	\$216/\$270

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room B  
**Instructor:** Computer Explorers  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 12  
**Register By:** July 2

## PHYSICAL COMPUTING WITH MICROBITS

**Age: 9 - 12 years**

The BBC microbit is a pocket-sized computer that you can code, customize and control to bring your digital ideas, games and apps to life. The microbit is a powerful mini-computer! Students will see their code come to life in a physical and tactile environment. They will create emoticon displays, games, messages, light and music. Kids will take home a Microbit kit at the end of class. This is a contractual camp. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
410026A	M-F	Aug. 6-10	9:30-11:30am	\$216/\$270

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room B  
**Instructor:** Computer Explorers  
**Min / Max:** 6 / 12  
**Register By:** July 30

## INSTRUCTORS WANTED!

Do you enjoy working with young children? Are you looking for a flexible part-time job? We're looking for you! We need passionate instructors for Parent & Tot, Early Childhood and Youth Recreation classes. If you're interested in learning more, please contact Kendra Ring at [kring@glpd.com](mailto:kring@glpd.com). We'd love to hear from you!



## YOUNG REMBRANDTS African Safari Workshop

**Age: 6 - 12 years, girls & boys**

Go on a Safari adventure with Young Rembrandts this summer! We will explore the exciting land and many animals that inhabit Africa. In 3 days, we will draw a variety of animals in various scenes with different media. To keep things exciting, we will explore the African Safari through the fun technique of cartoon as well. We will even challenge our artistic talents by creating two large scenes – one in a graphic style filled with a variety of animals and another focusing on the twists and turns of a African snake completed with pastel chalks. Our exploration through Africa allows for a bounty of adventure and creativity. This is a contractual program. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
410030A	M/W/F	July 16-20	1-2:30pm	\$98/\$122

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room A  
**Min / Max:** 5 / 12  
**Register By:** July 9

## YOUNG REMBRANDTS Fashion Runway Workshop

**Age: 6 - 12 years, girls & boys**

This stylish Young Rembrandts workshop is tailored for the aspiring fashionista. Join us for 3 days of "runway chic," as we illustrate the various aspects of fashion design. Step into the shoes of a fashion magazine editor as you design and draw an eye-catching fashion magazine cover - and let's not forget about purses! Design the perfect purse to go along with the outfit of your dreams. Finally, draw your model stepping out onto the runway in your fashion originals. If you love to design clothes and are hip to the latest fashions, this drawing workshop is a perfect fit. This is a contractual program. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
410060A	M/W/F	June 18-22	1-2:30pm	\$98/\$122

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room A  
**Min / Max:** 5 / 12  
**Register By:** June 11

## YOUNG REMBRANDTS

### Anime & Manga Drawing Workshop

**Age: 5 - 7 years, girls & boys**

Why sit in front of the TV and watch cartoons when you can draw amazing characters and awesome scenes of your very own? Join us for 3, action-packed days as Young Rembrandts hosts a wonderful Anime and Manga Drawing Workshop. Our students will create dazzling illustrations that are influenced by popular Japanese anime and manga themes. Colorful characters with expressive personalities jump off the page. Our students will be delighted as we create drawings that emulate the popular anime and manga art styles. Don't miss out on an exciting opportunity to produce wonderful artwork. Sign up today! This is a contractual program. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
402036A	M/W/F	July 23-27	1-2:30pm	\$98/\$122

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room A  
**Min / Max:** 5 / 12  
**Register By:** July 16



## CHESS WIZARDS SUMMER CAMP

**Age: 6 - 12 years, girls & boys**

Chess Wizards is a premier chess education company providing fun, informative and challenging chess lessons to students. Chess Wizards teaches children many important life concepts, such as learning the ability to win graciously and accept defeat with dignity and sportsmanship. Students will be divided into groups according to their chess experience. At the end of this session, each student will have had the chance to participate in a mini-chess tournament. This is a contractual program. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
410020A	M-F	June 25-29	9am-3pm	\$318/\$398
410020B	M-F	July 30-Aug. 3	9am-3pm	\$318/\$398

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room A  
**Min / Max:** 10 / 25  
**Register By:** June 18 & July 23



#PeopleofParksandRec

"We moved to Grayslake just over 2 years ago and immediately got involved with the Park District. Our little started preschool in the 3 year old program and is now almost finished with the 4 year old program. We've done sports, dance, Easter egg hunts, and more, and we've always had a great time! We love the Grayslake Park District!"

– Danielle Garcia

### Calling all junior high students ages 12-15 years!

Are you looking for volunteer hours? Flip to page 50 to learn how to become a VIP and earn cool rewards through our Volunteer Incentive Program!



### NEW! SNAPSHOTZ: INTRO TO EVERYDAY PHOTOGRAPHY

**Age: 6 - 12 years**

The best camera is the one that you have with you. Make the most of your camera and capture everyday moments outside of a studio! Learn photography basics in a class taught by a professional photographer. Point and shoot Nikon Coolpix Cameras will be available to rent at class \$10/session. Participants are free to bring their own cameras. This is a contractual program. Teens and adults - do you want to learn more about photography, too? There's also a Z Shots Photography class for ages 13 & up! See page 50 for details. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
410006A	Tu	July 10-31	6-7pm	\$58/\$72

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room A  
**Instructor:** Z Shots Photography  
**Min / Max:** 5 / 10  
**Register By:** July 3

## WITH IMAGINATION! HALF DAY THEATRE CAMPS / CLASSES



Does your child love acting, being creative and performing? Check out these NEW With Imagination! Half Day Theatre Camps with Ms. Amy!

### NEW! "FRACTURED FAIRY TALES"

**Age: 7 - 12 years**

Think you know the story of the 3 Little Pigs? Cinderella? The Gingerbread Man? Think again! In this class we'll explore different versions of familiar stories and choose the ones we'd like to perform. Parents/caregivers and siblings will be invited back at 11:40am to watch our performance! Please bring a snack and water bottle. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
410021A	F	June 29	9am-12pm	\$25/\$31

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room UL  
**Instructor:** Ms. Amy  
**Min / Max:** 4 / 12  
**Register By:** June 22

### NEW! "MEANWHILE, BACK AT THE RANCH"

**Age: 7 - 12 years**

Based on the story by Trinka Hakes Noble, Rancher Hicks lives out west where nothing much ever happens. He heads to town one while his wife Elna stays behind. Nothing much is new in town... but meanwhile back at the ranch, exciting things are happening from the cat having kittens to Elna winning a new refrigerator to a winning lottery ticket being sent to her. A variety of zany characters round out this fun play. We'll become familiar with the original story and create our own scenery. Parents/caregivers and siblings will be invited back at 11:40am to watch our performance! Please bring a snack and water bottle. (KR)

Code:	Day:	Date:	Time:	Fee (R/NR):
410022A	F	July 20	9am-12pm	\$25/\$31

**Location:** Recreation Center Multi-Purpose Room UL  
**Instructor:** Ms. Amy  
**Min / Max:** 4 / 12  
**Register By:** July 13