

# Veterans Park District Newsletter

The purpose of the Park District is to enhance the quality of life of our residents by offering the best in recreational and leisure services. Visit our website at [www.vpdpark.org](http://www.vpdpark.org) or call 708-343-5270 for more information.

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## Gouin Pool Early Bird Passes on Sale

Early Bird Prices: March 1-April 25: R \$32

Regular Season Pass: R \$39/N \$50

Gouin Pool Opening Day: Saturday, May 23

Stop by one of our registration offices and complete a registration form. A valid photo ID or 2 current utility bills showing your name and address required. Season passes are non-refundable. **Gouin Pool, 2400 Scott St., Franklin Park**

## VPD Swim Academy

Learn to swim in this 6-level program.

Ages 6+; Tue/Thu; April 7-30; 7:35-8:15 PM; R \$50/N \$65

Ages 6+; Tue/Thu; April 7-30; 8:20-9 PM; R \$50/N \$65

Location: West Leyden High School

## SPRING BREAK



FUN ACTIVITIES EACH DAY!

Ages: 6-12

March 30, 31, April 1, 2, 3

9 AM-4 PM

Grant Park Recreation Center

R \$140/N \$160

Before Care: 8-9 AM; R \$30/N \$50

After Care: 4-6 PM; R \$30/N \$50

Contact: Nico Urbinati



### Flashlight Candy & Egg Hunt

AGES 6-10; Thursday, April 2; 8 PM

Gouin Park Playground, Franklin Park

### Egg Scrambler

AGES 2-10; Friday, April 3; 6:30-7:30 PM

George A. Leoni Complex Indoor Turf, Melrose Park

### Egg & Candy Hunt

AGES 2-10; Saturday, April 4; 9:30 AM

Trumbull Park Playground, River Grove

### Easter \*EGG\*stravaganza

ALL AGE FAMILY EVENT

Saturday, April 4; 11 AM-12:30 PM

Grant Park Glick Hall, Northlake

**FREE EVENTS!**

## Flag Football

Players are encouraged to employ skills used in football such as running pass routes, play calling, defensive positioning, the fundamentals of blocking and pass coverage. These skills and others will be put to use in a "game time" environment while the players scrimmage each week.

Ages: 7-10; Mon/Wed, Apr 27-May 20; 6:30-7:30 PM

R \$45/N \$55 (Makeup Date: May 25)

George A. Leoni Complex (Indoor Turf), Melrose Park



## Youth Fit

Kids have fun while learning basic exercise techniques. Obstacle courses and other activities will create a healthy, competitive atmosphere and keep them engaged.

Ages: 7-15; Thursdays, April 2-May 7

5:30-6:30 PM; R \$35/NR \$50

Location: Cimbalo Fitness Center, Melrose Park



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## Tumbling: Level 1

Beginner tumblers will learn forward rolls, cartwheels, bridges, and jumps. Strength and flexibility are also needed to progress into the higher level classes. Children will be evaluated at the end of each session and advised when to move to the next level.

Ages: 4-5 (Parents may stay with young children)

Wednesdays, March 25-May 13;

5-6 PM; R \$45/ NR \$60

Cimbalo Fitness Center, Melrose Park



## Tumbling: Level 2\*

This class is designed to perfect your child's beginner skills and add new skills. Skills to be taught are: backbends, handstand forward rolls, and round-offs. Children will be evaluated at the end of each session and advised when to move to the next level.

Ages 6-10; Wednesdays, March 25-May 13

6:10-7:10 PM ; R \$45/NR \$60

Cimbalo Fitness Center, Melrose Park



\*Tumbling Level 3 also available. Call for more details.

## VPD Soccer Drills and Skills

Are you looking for a class to have a lot of fun while learning soccer skills? We have the perfect class for you. Our VPD staff will lead you and your friends in specific drills while you improve your overall understanding of the game. Each class lasts for one hour and the children will rotate through different stations and drills. Smaller sided games will be used to bring everything together at the end of each class.

Ages 5-10; Mon/Wed; Apr 6-May 13; 7:30-8:30 PM;

R \$45/N \$60; Makeup Date: May 18

Location: George A. Leoni Complex Turf

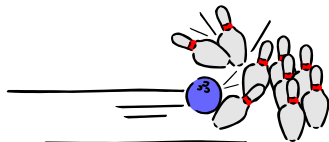


## SPECIAL RECREATION

### Special Olympics

### Bowling Training

Population: DD, AUT, MI



This is a training program for those athletes that are interested in competing in Special Olympics Bowling.

Ages: 8+; Wednesdays, April 15-June 3; 6:15-8:15 PM

R \$40/N \$45; Location: Stardust in Addison

*Bus pick up is between 5 and 6 p.m. Busing: \$12; available to in-districts residents only. Area Games: Saturday, July 11 at Stardust Bowl in Addison. Sectional Bowling Games: Sunday, Oct. 18 at State Games: Saturday, Dec. 5 in Peoria. Special Olympics Illinois Region C.*

**Call Kathy for more information: (708) 343-5270.**



Register early for Summer Day Camp,  
Special Recreation Camp, Sports Camp,  
and Gouin Pool Early Bird Passes.



# SUMMER KICKOFF CELEBRATION

Saturday, April 25 • 11 AM-2 PM

Grant Park, Glick Hall

## FREE FAMILY EVENT!

FREE GIVEAWAYS \* FACE PAINTING

RAFFLES \* CRAFTS \* GAMES

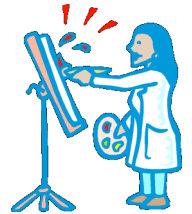
## Splash of Color: Watercolor Painting I

Through this class, children will become more creative, increase their critical-thinking skills, and will gain a lifelong appreciation of art. By teaching your children painting, you're also opening them up to an entire world of artistic expression! All supplies are included and you will finish 2 to 3 projects to take home.

Ages: 6+; Mondays, Mar 16-Apr 20;

5-6 PM; R \$48/N \$58;

Location: Grant Park, Trevino Hall



## Drawing for Beginners

Give your child a new way to see the world – through drawing! Basic drawing techniques will be covered in this class, aimed at helping young children expand their imagination, uncover their creative sides, and interpret what they see. Supplies are included.

Ages: 6+; Fridays, Apr 17-May 22;

5-6 PM; R \$48/N \$58

Location: Grant Park, Trevino Hall



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