



Park District Pointers

February, 2011

Sullivan Community Center, 635 N. Aspen Dr., Vernon Hills, IL 60061
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Just The Two of Us
Friday, March 18 from 6:30-8:30 pm
 Sullivan Center Community Room
 Girls, ages: 3-8 with Dad

We will get into the party spirit with dancing and games by a DJ! Everyone can get creative at our ice cream/dessert bar. All girls will receive a keepsake of this special night.
 Code: 37121-1
 R/NR Fee: \$20/\$25 couple,
 \$10/\$12 each additional child

Beach Party Bonanza!
Sunday, March 6 from 3:00 - 5:00 pm
 Sullivan Center Community Room
 Boys, ages 4-8 with Mom

Join us for an afternoon of fun in the sun! We'll start the party with beach related activities followed by a tasty summertime snack. We'll finish the afternoon with an interactive musical performance by Grammy-nominated artist Dave Rudolf. He'll be singing children's songs in his own unique, interactive way.
 Code: 37141-1
 R/NR Fee: \$20/\$25 per couple
 \$10/\$12 each addtl child

St. Pat's Clover Cake

Rainbows, leprechauns and a pot of gold. How lucky you will feel after completing your Four Leaf Clover Rice Krispie Cake frosted in green icing. It will be topped with an edible rainbow, fondant pot of gold and chocolate gold coin.



Ages 4-12 years
 Dates.....Monday, March 14
 Time4:00-4:45p
 LocLaschen Center, Deerpath Rm.
 R/NR.....\$19/24
 Code.....31414-4

Chess Scholars Spring Break Camp

Develop your child's intellect through the royal game of chess! This camp is great for both beginners and experienced young players. Each day will consist of a fun interactive teaching period and guided practice time, as well as team chess and other fun activities. Both new and returning participants are welcome and will get to the next level under the guidance of an experienced Chess Scholars Coach. There will also be a chess competition with prizes! Each camper will take home a chess set and an award. Please bring your own snacks.



Ages 5-12 years
 Dates.....M-Th, 3/28-4/1
 Time9:00-noon
 LocLaschen Center, Merimac Rm.
 R/NR.....\$162/201
 Code.....31493-1

Fliptastic Camps Staycation Spring Break Camp

Gymnastics, games, obstacle course, trampoline, tumble trak, pit play, craft, snack and more!

Ages: 4-12 years
 Time: 12:30 - 4:30 pm

Code	Dates	Days	Fee
Florida Theme			
32491-1	3/29	T	\$45
Hawaiian Theme			
32491-2	3/30	W	\$45
Mexican Theme			
32491-3	3/31	Th	\$45
32491-4	3 days	T/W/Th	\$120

Flips Gymnastics North Shore
 27825 Irma Lee Circle, Lake Forest
 (847) 367-6555



Here Comes Peter Cottontail!

Miss Cindy will incorporate lots of her fun holiday projects, games, and activities into the weeks before Easter.

Ages 5-7 years
 Dates.....Thurs., 4/7-4/21
 Time4:30-6:00p
 LocSullivan Center, PS Room A
 R/NR.....\$30/38
 Code.....31145-3

New in 2011! Park District Community Garden

Plots are available to lease (\$35 per season) to residents beginning March 1. Park staff will till the garden following the last frost. Garden plot information is available on our website, under the "Parks" tab where you will find the reservation form, a map of the garden site, and a list of FAQ's.

'Caring 4 Children' Babysitting Program



Future sitters

will learn how to deal with emergency and non-emergency situations that could arise while taking care of younger children. We will address topics such as first aid, fire safety, police security, child care, and more.

Participants will receive a manual and tote bag. Certificates of achievement will be awarded. Participants will want to bring a sack lunch with them as we will take a break during the class to eat.

Ages 10-14 years

Dates.....Wed., 3/16

Time4:00-8:30p

LocLaschen Center, Marimac Rm

Fee\$40

Code.....31421-1

Table Tennis Lessons

Learn table tennis from the 2001 Illinois State Champion, Engelbert Solis.



Get hands-on training in a class setting with coaches and a table tennis robot. Lessons include the basic forehand/backhand stroke, pushing, blocking, smash, serving and advanced techniques such as looping, footwork, proper body mechanics and serve returns.

AgesAll

LocSullivan Center Gym

Fee\$99

Time6:00-7:00p

Dates.....Tues., 3/1-4/26, No class 3/29

Code.....32991-1

Dates.....Fri., 3/4-4/29, No class 4/1

Code.....32991-2

Guitar FUN-damentals

Student may bring their own guitar to class, or rentals are available.

Call Kelly at 847.996.6805.

Loc: Laschen Center, Grosse Pointe Rm R/NR Fee: \$120/150 Plus a one-time book/materials fee of \$16.25 payable on the first day of class.

Beginning Guitar 1

Experience quality instruction in a friendly format that stresses fun, as well as learning! Students will learn basic chords, sight-reading & songs.

Ages: 7 years & older

Code	Dates	Day	Time
31612-3	3/14-5/9	M	5-6p

Beginning Guitar 2

Students continue to build on the skills learned in Beginning Guitar 1 and will learn more advanced chords, sight reading and songs.

Prerequisite: Beginning Guitar 1

Code	Dates	Day	Time
31613-3	3/14-5/9	M	6-7p

Guitar Boot Camp 1

Guitar Boot Camp teaches basic chords, scales, strumming patterns, and basic music theory to get the student playing quickly. Emphasis is on learning chord sequences so the student can play some popular songs.

Ages: 13+ years

Code	Dates	Day	Time
31611-3	3/14-5/9	M	7-8p



The Park District will be working in conjunction with Lacrosse America this spring to coordinate travel lacrosse teams for Vernon Hills youth that will participate in the Chicagoland Lacrosse League. This league provides a fun and exciting playing environment for beginners to the elite lacrosse player. Teams will be grouped by grade and ability level. Program emphasis will be on skill development, teamwork, sportsmanship, and equal playing time. All players receive a custom team jersey and team shorts.

Code	Dates	Days & Time	Fee
Bantams (Grades 2-3)			
32911-1	4/17-6/12	Su ... 3:00-4:30p T.....6:30-8:00p	\$215
Lightning (Grades 4-5)			
32912-1	4/4-6/12	Su ... 1:00-2:30p M/W ...6:30-8:00p	\$260
Juniors (Grades 6-7)			
321913-1	4/3-6/12	Su ... 1:00-2:30p M/W ...6:30-8:00p	\$260
Seniors (Grade 8)			
32914-1	4/3-6/12	Su ... 3:00-4:30p T/Th6:30-8:00p	\$260

Registration

1. Register and pay at the Vernon Hills Park District.
 2. Register (Free!) at www.lacrosseamerica.com to receive program information updates.
- Please Note:** All players must rent/purchase all equipment prior to the first practice, equipment WILL NOT be available at the field. Rental/purchase information can be found at chicagolacrossecompany.com.

Afterschool Enrichment
for Hawthorn School District 73 students begin the week of April 4.
Refer to the Spring/Summer Program Guide for details.

Lottery Deadline is March 15th