

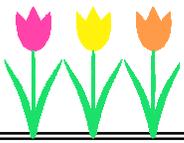
FRANKLIN RECREATION

SPRING BROCHURE 2016



REGISTRATION BEGINS
FRIDAY, FEB. 5TH AT 8:30AM
Register on-line at www.franklin.ma.us/recreation





REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Franklin Recreation
275 Beaver Street
Franklin, MA 02038



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Megan Woodacre, Program Coordinator
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www.franklin.ma.us/recreation

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Phone: (508)613-1666

Registration Information

Walk-in & Online registration for selected Winter Programs will begin on Friday, Feb 5th at 8:30am. For online registration, please visit our website www.franklin.ma.us/recreation and choose the "online registration" tab. To register in person, our address is 275 Beaver Street.

Recreation Policy

All programs are offered on a first come, first serve basis. Franklin Recreation reserves the right to cancel or consolidate a program that does not meet the minimum participant registration numbers. Remember, nothing terminates a program faster than waiting until the last minute to register. Sign up early to avoid disappointment.

Refund Policy

Refunds are only issued in the event of a cancelled program or if there is a medical emergency with a doctor's note. A \$10.00 fee will be charged for all refunds.

Inability to Pay

The Recreation Department has established a Program Assistance Fund for all Recreation programs and Franklin Youth Sports programs offered through the Town of Franklin. The Program Assistance Fund was established with the understanding that there are residents who cannot afford the registration fee and are therefore unable to participate. The sole purpose of this fund is to find ways to give every child and family the opportunity to participate in recreation activities while providing a mechanism for equitable treatment and optimal accommodation for resident families in need.

PROGRAM/COURSE CONFIRMATION

We do not send registration confirmations. Please understand that it is your responsibility to know the date, time, and location of any program. A participant is registered only when payment is received.

WE USE EMAIL for Program Changes and Updates

We primarily communicate through email so please be sure to check any emails you receive from us.

You are always welcome to call us at 508-613-1666 or email us: franklinrecreation@franklin.ma.us

Photographs-Facebook/Electronic Media

Photographs may be taken of participants and sent to newspapers or posted on Franklin Recreation's Facebook, Instagram, and our new Phone App. **If you do not want your child's photograph publicized**, please notify the instructor or office prior to the start of the program.

Weather Policy

When the Franklin School Department cancels school because of emergencies or weather conditions, all Recreation Department programming will be cancelled for the entire day. If a storm develops later in the day, please call the Office, (508) 613-1666 or visit our website at www.franklin.ma.us/recreation

Wait Lists

If you are interested in a program that is full, please call to be on the wait list or register on-line if a waitlist is available. If there is a cancellation, people on the waitlist will be the first to be called.

PROGRAM LOCATIONS:

1. **Multi Purpose Room (Pre-k Classes):** 275 Beaver Street, entrance in the back.
2. **Art Room:** 275 Beaver Street, entrance in the back.
3. **Beaver Pond Turf & Chilson Beach:** 450 Beaver Street.
4. **Fletcher Field:** 65 Peck Street.
5. **King Street Memorial Park:** 730 King Street.
6. **Dacey Field:** 680 Lincoln Street.
7. **Delcarte Conservation & Rec:** Pleasant Street.



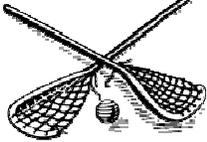
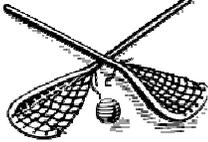
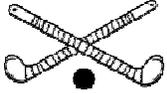
Registration begins Feb.
5th for ALL programs

Register online at www.franklin.ma.us/recreation

Recreation Department

Franklin Youth Sport Organizations

To access additional links, please click on the link below and go to Franklin Youth Sports Organizations,
http://franklinma.virtualtownhall.net/Pages/FranklinMA_Recreation/index

<p style="text-align: center;">Franklin Chargers Football</p> <p>AJ Grant P.O. Box 66 Franklin, Ma 02038 Email: football@franklinchargers.net www.franklinchargers.org</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">Additional links -NFL Flag Football</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Franklin Girls Softball</p> <p>Rick Power P.O. Box 706 Franklin, Ma 02038 Email: fgsa@fgsafastpitch.org www.fgsafastpitch.org</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">Additional links -Tornado</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Franklin Youth Baseball</p> <p>Jeffrey Boudreau P.O. Box 40 Franklin, Ma 02038 440-9553 www.franklinyouthbaseball.com</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">Additional links -Legion -AAU</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Franklin Youth Soccer</p> <p>Bjorn Dragsbaek P.O. Box 525 Franklin, Ma 02038 520-4070 www.franklinyouthsoccer.org</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">Additional links -Four Kicks -John Smith -MARPLE -Misson</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Franklin Boys Youth Lacrosse</p> <p>Tom O'Rourke P.O. Box 263 Franklin, MA 02038 528-1754 Email: franklinlax@yahoo.com www.franklinlax.com</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">Additional links -Friday Night Lights -NESLL</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Franklin Girls Youth Lacrosse**</p> <p>Ryan Jette 275 Beaver Street Franklin, MA 02038 508-613-1666 Email: rjette@franklin.ma.us www.franklin.ma.us/recreation</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">Additional links -MBGLL -Mavericks -Mass Elite -Cmass -NESLL</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Franklin Flyers Youth Hockey</p> <p>Bill Shaughnessy P.O. Box 71 Franklin, Ma 02038 446-7853 Email: president.fyha@gmail.com www.franklinflyers.org</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">Additional links -Spit Fires -NHL Street Hockey -Eastern Hockey Fed.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Franklin Youth Basketball**</p> <p>Ryan Jette 275 Beaver Street Franklin, Ma 02038 508-613-1666 Email: rjette@franklin.ma.us www.franklin.ma.us/town/recreation</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">Additional links -Metro -CYO</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Franklin Youth Field Hockey**</p> <p>Ryan Jette 275 Beaver Street Franklin, MA 02038 508-613-1666 Email: rjette@franklin.ma.us www.franklin.ma.us/recreation</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">Additional links -Mass Falcons</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Franklin Youth Volleyball**</p> <p>Megan Woodacre 275 Beaver Street Franklin, MA 02038 508-613-1666 Email: mwoodacre@franklin.ma.us www.franklin.ma.us/recreation</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">Additional links CMass SMASH Metrowest</p>

Recreation Department Hours

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 8:30 am-4:30 pm
 Wednesday 8:30 am-6:30 pm
 Friday 8:30 am-1:30 pm

PEE- WEE BASEBALL

4-6 Years Old

Saturdays, at 9:00am-3:00pm (Times Vary)**Tuesdays, 5:30pm-7:00pm****Dates:** April 19– June 21st

This Intro league is designed to teach children 4-6 years old the fundamentals of baseball & softball in a fun, non-competitive environment. Pee-Wee baseball will concentrate on hitting, base running, throwing, & fielding through timed stations and controlled games. All players receive a team shirt and baseball hat. There will be a rotating schedule on Tuesdays and Saturdays for all ages. The schedule will be posted online and also sent via email. A parade for all Pee-Wee players will be held in April. More information to follow.

Location: Fletcher Field **Fee:** \$90**Registration begins:** February 1st.**PEPSI Pitch, Hit & Run Baseball Skills****Age:** 7-14 **Saturday, May 7th 3:45-4:45pm****Location:** Pee- Wee Fields @ Fletcher Field

Major League Baseball and Franklin Recreation Department are giving kids a chance to showcase their baseball abilities. The competition allows kids to display three baseball skills; hitting, pitching, and base running. Winners in each age category will advance on to the sectional competition and possibly end up at Fenway Park at a Red Sox Game.

NHL Street Hockey

Last summer, our street hockey program had over 100 kids and 10 NHL teams represented. We will hold a skills clinic during the first two sessions to evaluate the players. Then, we will break them up into equal teams so that games will be fair and fun for all. Game times may vary from 5:45 or 7:00 p.m. held on Mondays and Wednesdays.

Ages: 5-12**Fee:** \$100**June 6th-August 3rd****Location:** Fletch Field****Registration begins April 1st******Run For Your Life****Grades:** 3rd-6th**Thursdays, 4:00-5:00pm****Date:** April 28-June 2

The purpose of this program is to help participants maintain a positive attitude toward accomplishments, avoid injuries and ENJOY the sport of Running!! This is a non-competitive, "set your own goals" program. We will focus on import aspects of running such as; warm up, cool down, stretching, proper running form, pace setting, keeping a log/journal, rest and recovery and good nutritional habits including hydration.

Location: Pond Street Recreation Complex, Norfolk,
Fee: \$70 (includes T-Shirt)**Girls on the Run****Grades 3rd-8th**

This experiential learning program for 3rd-8th graders combines self esteem enhancing, uplifting warm ups and workouts that encourage emotional, social, mental, spiritual, and physical development. Girls will train for 8 weeks, while taking part in team building activities. This is not an exclusive track program, although running will be the emphasis.

This program will be held at Franklin High School track and fills up quickly!

Instructor: Gracielle Kane**Dates:** April 9th– May 28th, SATURDAYS**Time:** 10:00-11:00am**Location:** Franklin High School Track**Fee:** \$85**Youth GOLF****Age:** 8-15 Years Old

Try our popular group golf lessons with head Golf Professional, Mark Capithorne at New England Country Club in Bellingham. These progressive golf lessons will cover putting, chipping, bunker-play, irons, and woods. Mark brings along some of his top instructors to teach kids in a group setting. If you do not have your own club, no problem. Please call NECC before your child's lesson begins

Location: New England Country Club**Dates:** Thursdays, May 5– June 2nd, 6:00-7:00pm**Fee:** \$85 per person**TENNIS Lessons!****Location:** The Adirondack Club**Fee: \$95 per student**

Junior Tennis Lessons: Have fun and learn the sport of a lifetime!! Players will learn rally skills, & racket/ball control. We use game based activities to ensure your child will learn while still having fun!

Ages: 7-10 Year olds, 9:30-10:30am**Session 2:** February 14– March 13th, **SUNDAYS**

Intermediate Tennis Lessons: Players hone their skills and really develop rally skills while enjoying tennis specific games and competition.

Ages: 11-14 Year Olds, 10:30-11:30am**Session 2:** February 14-March 13th, **SUNDAYS**

Girls Lacrosse– Still accepting registration

ARTventures Afterschool Studios

Grades: Current 4th, 5th & 6th graders (9-12 year olds)

Instructor: Ms. Anne Marie

Mondays: 6 week program.

Our mixed media art classes will cover a wide range of Mediums and art techniques, including drawing, painting, printmaking, collage, sculpture and much more! Students will learn and build upon art concepts and processes while creating their own fantastic masterpieces! Both 2D and 3D concepts will be explored, along with introduction to famous artists and their styles.

Monday Class Dates: March 7-April 11th

Time: 3:45-5:15pm

Fee: \$115.00 per student

Max. Number participants: 18 per class

LOCATION: 275 Beaver Street

Registration opens February 5th. **Must call in to register**



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ARTventures Afterschool Studios

Grades: Current 2nd, 3rd & 4th graders (7-9 year olds)

Instructor: Ms. Anne Marie

Tuesdays: 6 week program.

Our mixed media art classes will cover a wide range of Mediums and art techniques, including drawing, painting, printmaking, collage, sculpture and much more! Students will learn and build upon art concepts and processes while creating their own fantastic masterpieces! Both 2D and 3D concepts will be explored, along with introduction to famous artists and their styles. (More dates- to be announced)

Tuesdays Class Dates: March 8-April 12th

Time: 3:45pm-5:15pm

Fee: \$115.00 per student

Max. Number participants: 18 per class

LOCATION: 275 Beaver Street

Registration opens February 5th. **Must call in to register**



ARTventures Afterschool Studios

Grades: K-2nd graders (5-7 year olds) **NO PRE-K**

Instructor: Ms. Anne Marie

Thursdays: 6 week program.

Our mixed media art classes will cover a wide range of Mediums and art techniques, including drawing, painting, printmaking, collage, sculpture and much more! Students will learn and build upon art concepts and processes while creating their own fantastic masterpieces!

Thursday Class Dates: March 10-April 14th

Fee: \$115.00

Time: 3:45-5:15pm

Max. Number participants: 18 per class

LOCATION: 275 Beaver Street.

****Registration begins February 5th. Must call to register.****



ARTventures Mask Making Workshop

We will be offering a Mask Making Workshop taught by Ms. Anne Marie during February Break! Tuesday (2/16) & Thursday (2/18) for artists ages 8-11 years old only. Must attend both sessions in order to complete mask. More information in our February Break section.

Check it out!



508-613-1666

FIRST FRIENDS

2-3 Years Olds

Instructor: Ms. Kelley & Ms. Nicole

MONDAYS: 9:00-10:30am

April 4th– May 23rd. No class during April Vacation



Do you have a 2- 3.5 year old who wishes they could go to school? Let your preschooler enjoy some independence and socialization with peers in this preschool curriculum based drop off class taught by two certified teachers. Each week we will explore a different theme and have related activities such as stories, songs, fingerplays, art activities, and games as well as gross motor play. This 1 1/2 hour class is a great transitioning first step before preschool and longer drop off activities. Snack is provided, however if your child has allergies we ask that you provide their snack. Also, please send a labeled sippy cup for your child.

Location: 275 Beaver St. Entrance in the back.

Min. Participants: 5 **Max. Participants:** 10 **Fee:** \$80

MORE FUN W/ FRIENDS LUNCH BUNCH

3-5 Year Olds

Instructors: Ms. Kelley & Ms. Nicole

MONDAYS: 11:00am-1:30pm

April 4th– May 23rd. No class during April Vacation



Has your child already had fun in First Friends and is ready for a little more fun time for them and free time for you? This 2 1/2 hour class for 3-5 year olds is the same fun as More Fun with Friends with a lunch bunch component. **Send your child with a lunch and drink** and we will supply a great time! Remember to dress comfortably for play and we may even get a little messy!

Location: 275 Beaver St.– Entrance in back.

Fee: \$100

MORE FUN W/ FRIENDS

2-5 Year Olds

Instructors: Ms. Kelley & Ms. Nicole

WEDNESDAYS: 9:00-11:00am

April 6th– May 25th. No class during April Vacation.

Has your child already enjoyed First Friends? Children will enjoy the same First Friends experiences while exploring a different theme every week. We have increased our class time to 2 hours to allow for more involved activities. Snacks are provided, however if your child has allergies we ask that you provide their snack.



Location: 275 Beaver St.- Entrance in back.

Max. Participants: 10 **Fee:** \$90

SCIENCE ADVENTURE

2.5-5 Years old, drop off class

Instructors: Ms. Gretchen & Ms. Lisa

WEDNESDAYS: 9:30-11:30am

April 6-May 18-No class week of April Vacation



It's never too early to introduce your child to the world of Science! Come explore the world around you and become a scientist! Each week, children will participate in 3-4 activities that focus on one area of science. Students will explore the world around them using magnifying glasses and their five senses, build their own simple race car to test gravity, "play" with solids, liquids, and gases, make their own ice cream, construct a boat, build a habitat for a special friend, and lots more! Stories, music, and movement will also be incorporated throughout the class. Each week, objectives and take home activities will be provided.

Location: 275 Beaver St.– Entrance in back.

Fee: \$90 **Max. Participants:** 10

OOEY-GOOEY

15 months-2.5 Years with Adult

Instructor: Ms. Kelley & Ms. Nicole

THURSDAYS: 9:00-10:30am

April 7th– May 26th. No class during April Vacation

This class is designed to be a mini-version of our First Friends. It is a shortened class time with an adult to prep them for the drop off where they will enjoy singing, dancing, movement as well as the freedom to explore our classroom, while engaging in some structured activities if they choose. Each week will have a theme and children will make a take home project assisted by their adult.

Please dress for mess!

Location: 275 Beaver St. - Entrance in the back.

Maximum Participants: 10

Fee: \$70

MORE FUN W/ FRIENDS

2-5 Year Olds

Instructors: Ms. Kelley & Ms. Nicole

TUESDAYS: 9:00-11:00am

April 5th– May 24th. No class during April Vacation



Has your child already enjoyed First Friends? Children will enjoy the same First Friends experiences while exploring a different theme every week. We have increased our class time to 2 hours to allow for more involved activities. Snacks are provided, however if your child has allergies we ask that you provide their snack.

Location: 275 Beaver Street– Entrance in back.

Fee: \$90 **Max. Participants:** 10

Kid Care Babysitting

This introductory babysitting class allows potential sitters the opportunity to learn about the business of babysitting. After 4 hours of training, you will receive a certification card and be put on our Call-A-Teen program list for possible babysitting jobs. Child care & wellness will be the focus with basic first aid and safety tips from Franklin Police & Fire, and a child care specialist. Please bring a lunch and a drink.

Age: 11-14 Years Old

Date: Tuesday February 16th (***FEBRUARY BREAK***)

Time: 9:00am-1:00pm

Location: 275 Beaver Street

Fee: \$60.00



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Robotic System

Recommended for ages 10 & up

Instructor: Carl Geden, Electrical Engineer

Thursdays: 4:00-5:30pm

March 17-April 14 (5 weeks)



Students will be instructed in robotic systems by constructing a remote controlled robotic arm. Each participant will build, operate and keep a robotic arm.

Location: 275 Beaver Street- Entrance in back

Fee: \$135 per student. Includes robotic arm, remote and batteries. All tools that are needed to construct the robotic arm are supplied by the instructor.

Home Alone Safety

Want to leave your child home alone confidently? This class will teach them everything necessary when staying home alone. Children will learn telephone and door answering techniques, internet safety, accident and fire protection and first aid techniques. We'll also talk about how to manage your time when you're home alone for short period of time. The class includes a variety of teaching methods, including a video and role playing.

Ages: 9-14 years old

Fee: \$45 per child

Tuesday, March 29th, 3:00-5:00pm. 275 Beaver Street

PETER COTTONIAL'S EGGCELLENT ADVENTURE Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Peter & his friends will entertain kids with egg painting, pictures, face painting, and a huge egg hunt. Bring your own basket and join the fun. Bring your cameras for some great photos!

Held at Franklin High School Gym

9:00-10:30am Friday, March 25th (Good Friday)

\$10 per child

****Sign up early****

Mother Daughter Tea Party!

Friday, May 6th 3:30-5:00pm

We request the honor of your presence at our 3rd annual Mother's Day Mother-Daughter Tea Party! Please join us in your "party best" for 1.5 hours of fun including crafts, music, and a formal tea party. Activities will include creating a matching necklace and a bracelet, cupcake decorating, mother-daughter games, and creating a special picture frame for mother and daughter! *Jewelry, gloves and hats are strongly encouraged!*

Fee: \$10 per child, ages 3 and up

Location: 275 Beaver Street

Social Netiquette

Tuesday, March 29th, 5:00-7:00pm

Social Netiquette focuses on practical things students can do to develop their ethical capacities to make good decisions and remain open to talking about their online activities and experiences with people they trust, including their parents.

Content overview includes:

- Dangers of mobile phones and texting
- Social ethics and rules of social networking
- Social networking and friendships including setting boundaries, values, and ethics.

Behavior in real life should mirror cyber life

- Facebook/Instagram/Twitter Friends: The more the better?
- Social networking protocols & etiquette: pictures, videos, personal information, screen name.

Ages: 8-15 years old

Fee: \$45 per child

Location: 275 Beaver Street



CPR & First Aid

Ages: 15 and up

Instructor: Laura Atwood

WEDNESDAY: 6:00-9:00pm

DATES: 2/10, 3/9



The Franklin Recreation Department in conjunction with HIS (Health & Safety Institute) will be partnering up with CPR & first aid training to Franklin Residents. Certified instructor Laura Atwood has years of experience training individuals in the Franklin community. Whether for employment, school, babysitting, or just an overall understanding of infant, child and adult CPR; this course is the course for you and your family. Certifications are valid for 2 years after the completion of this course. Each participant will receive a certification card upon completion of the course.

Location: 275 Beaver St.– Entrance in the back.

Fee: \$60 per participant

LADIES LIGHT HIKE

Age: Adult

Instructor: Nanci Cahalane

Thursday Or Saturday Sessions. 9:45-11:00am

THURSDAYS: April 28-June 2nd

SATURDAYS: April 30-June 11

(No hike May 28th– Memorial Day Weekend)

Add dimensions to your walking or jogging– do you like the idea of hiking but don't want to go alone? Hiking is a fantastic exercise as well as a great time to get some fresh air and explore new places! This class moves at a good pace– we'll be looking for hills! We will meet at various local locations every week. First meeting location: F. Gilbert Hills State Forest, Foxboro, MA.

Location: Emailed to you by instructor weekly

Fee: \$25 per session

Note: Canceled only for very inclement weather; make-ups after 2nd cancellation.

Ready to Run a 5K??

Age: Adult

Instructor: Nanci Cahalane

Thursdays 6:30-7:30pm (once a week for 10 weeks)

April 28th– June 30th

If you've ever thought about becoming a runner or running again after taking years off here is your opportunity! This adult program is designed to get you off the couch or away from the desk and ready to run a 5K (3.1 miles). In this 10 week program which is catered to beginners you will progress from a walker to a runner. Workouts will be followed with stretching and advice about running and nutrition.

Location: Pond Street Recreation Complex, Rte. 115 Norfolk, MA

Fee: \$75.00

HAPPY DOGS HIKE

Age: Adult

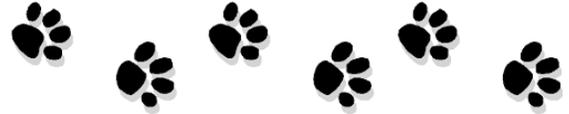
Instructor: Nanci Cahalane

Wednesdays, 10:30-11:15am

April 27– June 1

Hike with your "Best friend" this winter! Join other dog owners in this group exercise! Regular play dates with other dogs are an important part of your dog's wellbeing. Let's get together for some fresh air and a hike through the woods with your dog. Each week we will meet at a different location. Locations will vary; you will be given a list of locations, with directions, at the first meeting. Bring a leash, pick-up bags and water for your dog.

Fee: \$25.00 per session



KENPO KARATE LESSONS

Karate Kids

Ages: 5-12 years old

Instructor: Master James Bryant

Wednesdays 5:00-6:00pm

Session 1: 2/10-3/23 (no class 2/17)

Session 2: 3/30-5/11 (no class 4/20)



Teen, Adult & Senior Self-Defense & Martial Arts

Age: 13 & up; Seniors 65+

Instructor: Master James Bryant

Wednesdays 6:30-7:30pm

Session 1: 2/10-3/23 (no class 2/17)

Session 2: 3/30-5/11 (no class 4/20)

This ongoing Kenpo Karate martial arts program will help new and experienced students get in shape while developing balance, flexibility, increased strength and endurance, coordination, confidence, awareness and self-defense techniques.

Location: 275 Beaver Street

Fee: \$65 (60 minutes) for Karate kids or Teen/adult/senior

Open Enrollment : Contact James Bryant at 781-910-9752 or james.bryant@masterscenters.com to register your child.

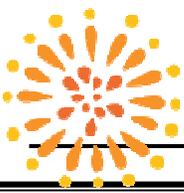
Adult Golf Lessons

Try our popular group golf lessons with head Golf Professional, Mark Capithorne at New England Country Club in Bellingham. These progressive golf lessons will cover putting, chipping, bunker-play, irons, and woods. Mark brings along some of his top instructors to teach kids in a group setting. If you do not have your own club, no problem. Please call NECC before your lesson begins

Location: New England Country Club

Dates: Tuesdays, May 3– May 31st

Fee: \$85 per person 6:00-7:00pm



February Vacation!!

EXTREME Science!

Wednesday, February 17th, 1:00-2:15pm

EXTREME Science is a class that explores the extreme conditions that exist in nature in regards to temperatures and electricity. The temperature section will use Liquid Nitrogen as a tool and will enable students to explore the cold side of temperature and participate in experiments that will demonstrate the effects of cold temperatures on ordinary objects. Students will make **INSTANT ICE CREAM using Liquid Nitro!** The electricity section will explore the nature of electricity. AC and DC will be explained and demonstrated with simple circuit experiments. Electrostatics will be discussed using a Van DeGraaff generator for demonstration. Students will participate in experiments using static electricity and will use safety goggles and gloves during ALL experiments.

Ages 7 and up!

Fee is \$25.00

Location: Franklin Recreation Dept.



LAUNCH Trampoline Park!

Thursday, February 18th, 10:00-11:30am

Launch Trampoline Park is an indoor sports and family entertainment facility with over 15,000 sq. feet of connected trampolines forming one GIANT jumping surface and angled trampoline walls to bounce off of! Launch Trampoline Park is suitable for all ages! Your child will have the option to play any and all of the following activities: Open Jump, Trampoline dodgeball, and foam pit fun! Location: Norwood

Fee: \$35.00

Ages: 7 and up

The bus will depart the Recreation Department at 9:20am. Please drop your child off at 9:15 to sign waivers. Pick up will be back at the Recreation Department at 12:15pm

TUBASLIDE SNOWTUBING!

Friday, February 19th 10:00am-12:00pm

Join Franklin Recreation as they spend the morning at one of New England's biggest tubing park! Together, we will experience the newest winter recreational activity when we head to TubaSlide at Ski Ward Ski Area in Shrewsbury, MA.

The trip will include two hours of tubing, hot chocolate and bus transportation to and from TubaSlide. Please send your child with a lunch, extra clothes to change into post tubing. They must wear snow pants, jacket, boots, mittens and a hat.

The bus will depart the Recreation Department at 9:25am sharp. Please drop your child off inside the Recreation Department to sign waivers. The bus will return back around 12:45pm

Ages: 7-15* Adults welcome too!

Fee: \$50 per person

Rock Climbing @ Rock Spot!

Wednesday, February 17th 1:00-3:00pm

Indoor Rock Climbing is both an amazing experience and great exercise! Rock Spot Climbing is a state of the art facility with around 9,000 square feet of climbing! They have trained professional staff members to assist with all ages for 2 hours of supervised climbing.

What's included: All equipment needed for rock climbing, transportation to and from the field trip.

Please send your child with comfortable clothes and sneakers are a must! Please pack a snack and a drink for your child.

The bus will depart the recreation department at 12:15pm sharp. Please drop your child off inside the recreation department at 12:00pm to sign waivers. The bus will be back at the recreation department around 3:45pm.

Fee is \$35.00

Location: Providence, RI

Ages: 7 & up



ARTventures Mask Making Workshop

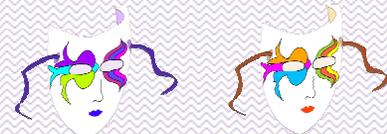
Tuesday and Thursday 2/16 & 2/18 (must attend both)
10:00am-12pm**

Mask making is an art form that shows up in countless cultures all around the world and throughout history! Come to this fun class and learn about different types of masks and their purposes. Whether they are purely artistic or ritualistic, masks are fascinating and inspiring pieces of art! Each student will be encouraged to use many materials to create their masks, such as plaster, cardboard, aluminum foil, paint, fabric and SO much more! Students should wear old clothes or bring a smock!

Ages: 8-11 Years Old

Fee: \$50

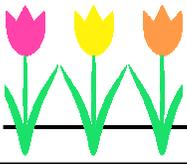
Location: Franklin Recreation Department- Entrance in rear of building



Registration will begin Friday,
February 5th for all Programs
including February Vacation!



FEBRUARY VACATION



Community Page

Pack 126 Cub Scouts!

Enrolling boys entering grades 1st-5th

The scouting experience includes:

Family Camping, Pinewood Derby, Outing & Field Trips, First Aid, Hiking, Fishing, Swimming, Outdoor Games, Woodcrafts, Sports & Community Service.

The Cub Scout program stresses the following 12 core charter values:

Citizenship, Faith, Positive Attitude, Compassion, Respect, Health & Fitness, Cooperation, Honest, Resourcefulness, Perseverance, Courage & Responsibility.

For more information about signing up for Cub Scouting or visiting an Open House contact Jennifer at Chair@franklinpack126.org



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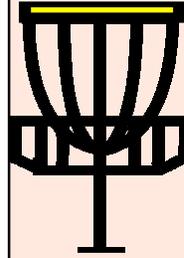
EARTH DAY!

For over 10 years, the Town of Franklin has conducted this event in an effort to educate the public on recycling, beautification, and general clean up of the town. Earth Day is celebrated on Friday, April 22nd throughout the United States. Franklin usually hosts their own earth day either the Saturday before or after Earth Day. We will announce a date when Earth Day approaches.

Help us keep Franklin looking beautiful by helping us clean our local parks, roads, schools, and town greenery! If you are interested in helping out, please contact the Recreation Department for further details!

9:00am-Noon.

Dacey Field Disc Golf Course!



Have you checked out our 18 hole Disc Golf Course at Dacey Field?

For more information about the course, call our office (508) 613-1666

Recreation Parks & Playground VIDEO

Have you checked out our Recreation Parks and Playground Video?

Video Highlights Franklin's many playgrounds, parks, fields and much more!

You can find the video on our Facebook Page and on our website!

Social Media

Don't forget to check out Franklin Recreation on Social Media!



Franklin Recreation @FranklinRec Franklinrecreation

NOTE: SLEDDING

Sledding at Dacey Field is noted as a dangerous activity. There are several impediments (signs, fences, & goal posts) that pose safety hazards

****Please sled at your own risk****

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Peter Cottontail's EGGcellent Adventure: 9:00-10:30am, March 25 (Good Friday) @ FHS

Mother-Daughter Tea Party: 3:30-5:00pm, May 6th. Tea party attire recommended!



SUMMER CAMP INFORMATION

Franklin Recreation

275 Beaver Street
Franklin, MA 02038

Ryan Jette, Director
Megan Woodacre, Program Coordinator
Dianne Wilson, Admin Assistant
Sheila Adiletto, Admin Assistant

www.franklin.ma.us/recreation
Email: franklinrecreation@franklin.ma.us
Phone: (508)613-1666
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Additional Camp Information

Our program begins at 8:30am each day and finishes at 3:30pm. We have early drop off or late pick up available at an additional cost of \$10.00 per session per child. Please make arrangements to have your child picked up promptly. Our drop off and pick up policy is enclosed within. Camp is for children ages 5-14 Years Old.

The program meets at King Street Memorial Field unless otherwise noted. On rain dates, we will move our program indoors (School TBD).

All costs include the weekly fee, except for field trips, early drop off/late pick up, and the ice cream truck.

Please inform us of any medical conditions/allergies before registering your child. Please include all medical conditions/allergies on your child's registration form. Our staff will not administer medications other than epi-pens.

Again This Summer

We will be offering our 3 day option for camp! The cost of the program is \$100.00 for 3 days. You can sign up for any 3 days of the week but you must specify which days you would like to attend camp when you register in the notes section or anywhere on the registration form.

Last but not least, in case of an emergency you can call the Recreation Department (508) 613-1666

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome parents and campers! Attached you will find important & newly updated information regarding summer camp. Please make certain to read through this packet in its entirety, and fill in the necessary information. Please complete the registration form carefully and enter all emergency phone numbers, allergies, and pick up personal. You can also register at the Recreation Department or on the Recreation Department website. Submit registration form, photo of your child & check made payable to the Town of Franklin. Mail to 275 Beaver Street, Franklin MA 02038 with payment.

Policy Changes: Registration, Field Trips, LIT

1. Camp age is extended to 14 years old and we have **ELIMINATED** our CIT program. We now are offering a Leader in Training Internship Program (LIT) for 15 & 16 year olds. This will include an interview process, \$100.00 fee and we will choose a limited number of candidates. If your 15 & 16 year old is interested, please contact us as space is limited.
2. Our new policy requires all campers be registers by the Friday **BEFORE** camp starts. Registration/ payment will **NOT** be accepted onsite at King Street under any circumstances. Registration will not be open during the weekend, so please be sure to register your child up early.
3. Again this summer we will be attending weekly field trips. Registration for the field trips **MUST** be completed and paid for a week before the scheduled trip due to policies and procedures from the venues we will be attending. Payment and registration for camp/field trips will **NOT** be accepted on site.



Sign up **BEFORE** May 20th
to receive a 20% Summer Camp
Discount!!

Register online @ www.franklin.ma.us/recreation

Welcome to Franklin Summer Camp

Important Information & Camp Activity Schedule

The Recreation Department and our camp counselors are looking forward to a fun-filled summer! We have a few requests to help make your child's camp experience the best it can be!

What to Bring: Please make sure that your child has a hat and sunscreen (not administered by staff), as well as a towel and swimwear each day. We may use sprinklers, water balloons, etc. on days that are not designated water days, especially if it is very hot. We encourage that swimwear be worn under any other clothing if possible. Also, please make sure that your child has sneakers for sport activities. Please make sure to send your child with plenty of *beverages*, a snack for snack time and a lunch.

Extras: The ice cream truck comes each day at 2:00pm. If you want to send your child with money for ice cream, please send them with no more than \$2.00, and be sure to discuss with your child a safe place where you would like them to keep their money (backpack, etc.) as counselors will not be responsible for your campers money.

Label, Label, Label: Please label all of your child's belongings. We do not have a lost and found **and we are not responsible for lost or missing items**. Please check to be sure your child has all of his/her things when you pick them up.

Rain Days: In the event of rain or inclement weather, camp will be moved to a school in Franklin (School still TBD). The Recreation Department will notify everyone around 7:00am via email or the night before if we know the weather will be poor. Drop off and pick up will take place at the designated school.

Pick-Up: All campers must be picked up no later than 3:30pm, unless you are on the late pick up list. It is essential that parents check in with their child's counselor at pick-up. A picture ID is required for parents picking up if they are not the parent who dropped their child off. Please list all drop off and pick up personal during registration to ensure a smooth drop off and pick up process.

Special Activity Schedule

Mondays– Start off your camp experience by meeting our highly trained and enthusiastic staff

Tuesdays– Wa-Wa-Waterslide!!

Wednesdays– Weekly field trips!! We will be going to zoo's, arcades, bowling, paintballing, Pawsox Game and other fun outings. Field trips are a separate fee of \$20.00 and must be paid during camp registration or a week before the scheduled field trip. Due to limited spots per field trip, it is wise to sign up early.

Thursday– Get your camp shirts tie-dyed by our experts & Waterslide Thursday!!!

Friday– Friday fun day with Pizza for lunch!

Other fun activities will be added to this as we get closer to the start of summer camp! Feel free to check in with our office for up to date information on Summer Camp Fun!

Franklin Summer Camp Registration Form

Participants Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Age: _____ Gender: M/F

Day Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Email: _____ Shirt Size: (Circle) YS YM YL AS AM AL AXL

****Please note: Shirts run a bit small, so order accordingly****

Emergency telephone #: _____ Parent or Guardians Name: _____

******List two persons to contact in case of an emergency; someone who will be available to pick up your child from summer camp******

Emergency contact #2 name and telephone number(s): _____

Does your child have allergies? _____ (i.e., nuts, bee's, dust, etc.). Allergic to medication? _____

Does your child take medications? If so, please list: _____

Check box(s) for selected program 3 days of camp, \$100 (Days?) _____ Early Drop off (7:30A) Late Pick up (4:30P) (\$10 daily early drop/late pick up)

Summer Camp Full Day (8:30A-3:30P) M-F
\$150 weekly M-F

Weekly Field trip on **Wednesday** \$20. *****Must pay this added fee with Registration*****

Registration will not be accepted at camp.

Physicians Name: _____ Telephone #: _____ Insurance Company: _____

Check the box corresponding to week(s) attending camp

Week 1: June 27-July 1st
Ryan's Amusement- Bowling

Week 2: July 5-July 8th
Southwick's Zoo

Week 3: July 11-July 15th
Pinz- Laser Tag, Bowling and Arcade!

Week 4: July 18-July 22nd
Breezy Picnic & Water Slides

Week 5: July 25-July 29th
Redsox game, 1:35pm \$25.00

Week 6: August 1-August 5th
Launch Trampoline Park

Week 7: August 8-August 12th
Forrest Family Fun Center- Roller Skating

Week 8: August 15-August 19th
Laser Craze- Laser Tag

Credit Card #: _____ Expiration Date: _____ CVC _____

Name on Card: _____ Amt \$: _____

Registration must be accepted on the Friday before the week you are attending camp.

Please register or mail in registration to Franklin Recreation Department, 275 Beaver Street, or use our online registration at:

www.franklin.ma.us/recreation

****Mandatory pictures need to be attached to this application. (Sorry we are not able to return pictures)****

Wednesday Field Trip Schedule

All field trips will be an additional fee on top of summer camp. We will need to have a FINAL head count the Friday before the field trip date to let the company/venue know how many tickets to print, etc. Some field trips will be longer than others but most will be half day field trips. Please call the Recreation Department with any questions regarding the field trip schedule.

****YOU MAY NOT SIGN UP THE DAY OF THE FIELD TRIP****

Week 1: Ryan's Amusement– BOWLING!

Do you enjoy candlepin bowling? If so, this is the perfect field trip for you!! Please bring a lunch and a snack for your camper.

Week 2: Southwick's Zoo

Are you an animal lover?! Than let's head to Southwick's Zoo together and explore animals, reptiles, bugs, and much more!! Please bring a lunch and a snack for your camper.

Week 3: Pinz! Laser Tag, Bowling and Arcade!

Have you ever wished you could crawl into a video game and become one of the players? Well, here's your chance to be part of a real life video game! Upon arrival, we will play some glow in the dark bowling followed by arcade time and lunch! Please bring a lunch and a snack for your camper.

Week 4: Breezy Picnic and Water Slides

Three, 300' waterslides with unlimited rides! Spacious, immaculately maintained picnic grounds. Large picnic tables by the water and throughout the grounds to relax and enjoy your lunch. Lake swimming with sandy areas for kids. Snack bar and game rooms are also on the premises. Certified life-guards at the beach and slides. Clean restrooms and changing facilities.

Week 5: Red Sox Game

Let's cheer on the Red Sox as they take on the Detroit Tigers on **Wednesday**, July 27th. This is an afternoon game, 1:35pm game time. Please bring a lunch, snack and drinks along with money if they wish to purchase something at the stadium.

Week 6: Launch Trampoline Park

Launch Trampoline Park is an indoor sports and family entertainment facility with over 15,000 sq. feet of connected trampolines forming one GIANT jumping surface and angled trampoline walls to bounce off of! Launch Trampoline Park is suitable for all ages! Your child will have the option to play any and all of the following activities: Open Jump, Trampoline dodgeball, and foam pit

Week 7: Forrest Family Fun Center– Roller Skating!

Let's have a ball and skate our afternoon away at Forrest Family Fun Center! Your child will enjoy inline roller skating on Forrest' Families 190X90 inline roller skating arena! We will also have access to the arcade at anytime during the field trip. Please pack a lunch and a snack for your camper.

Week 8: Laser Craze

Get ready to have some fun! Laser Craze is a 24,000 square foot entertainment center and has the most advanced laser tag system in the world played in the most state-of-the-art multi-level arena in New England. You don't want to miss this field trip!

For many of the field trips, we will be leaving camp via school bus provided by Holmes Bus Company at 10am and lunch will be held at the field trip location. We will return by 3:30pm for pick up. For those who do not wish to attend field trips, camp will still run as normal at King Street.



Town of Franklin Recreation Franklin/Medway Summer Camp



2016 Leader in Training Internship Program (LIT)

*** This new LIT Internship program is replacing the CIT program. We are eliminating our CIT program due to our re-structured camp***

Leader in Training Internship Program- What is it?

This program is an opportunity to spend a summer with our highly trained and enthusiastic staff. Candidates will develop self-awareness, build conflict resolution skills, and identify and address personal challenges. This does not guarantee a counselor position in future summers; however it does offer an opportunity to show off your skills and desire to be in the running for a counselor position post LIT Internship Program.

How do I go about becoming an LIT?

All interested candidates must participate in an interview process with the Director of Recreation and the Camp Director. Please call the Recreation Department to schedule your interview.

Who are we looking for?

We are looking for candidates' ages 15 -16 years old who are motivated, creative, independent, and candidates who are especially enthusiastic about our summer camp. We would prefer a candidate who can devote their entire summer; however we will take your vacations into consideration.

What is expected of you?

After a candidate is accepted into the program, we require attendance to camp Monday through Friday, 8:00am-3:30pm. We require attendance all eight (8) weeks unless vacations are specified ahead of time with the camp director.

Candidates will also be expected to attend First Aid and CPR training held by the Recreation Department prior to the start of camp. We want candidates to feel they are part of our camp staff.

Fee and other information:

There is a one time \$100.00 fee which covers all eight (8) weeks of camp, CPR and First Aid training, t-shirt, pizza Friday's, certain field trips, and all of the wonderful experiences you will gain in our internship program.

If you are interested, please call the Recreation Department to set up an interview. The interviews will be conducted up until the end of April. All qualified candidates will be notified of their acceptance by the end of May.

QUESTIONS? Contact Megan Woodacre, Program Coordinator. mwoodacre@franklin.ma.us

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Annual Easter Egg Hunt
PETER COTTONTAIL'S
EGGCELLENT ADVENTURE
Held at Franklin High School Gym
9:00-10:30am Friday, March 25th (Good Friday)
Sign up early
\$10 per child

3rd Annual
Mother Daughter Tea Party!
Friday, May 6th 3:30-5:30pm

Franklin Recreation APP!

Check out our new Recreation Department App!
The app can be downloaded from the iTunes store or Google Play Store. Type in "Franklin Recreation"



20% OFF SUMMER CAMP!
EXPIRES: MAY 20TH

Coupon valid for King Street Camp only. Camp runs from June 27th to August 19th, drop off is 8:30am and pick up is 3:30pm. Call (508) 613-1666 or visit us at 275 Beaver Street with any questions.

**Expires: 5/20/16 and is valid for King Street camp only.

Coupon can also be used for the three day option.

Coupon cannot be used for early drop off, late pick up and field trips. **