

*City of Oak Creek Newsletter
and
Recreation Guide
Fall 2010*

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Dear City of Oak Creek Residents,

Last year we were wondering what happened to the summer weather we were used to having. This summer the heat, humidity and RAIN returned with a vengeance. With the weather in our favor, our residents were able to participate and enjoy the many activities offered in Oak Creek. The 4th of July started with a very long and enjoyable parade, the streets lined with enthusiastic people enjoying the parade and the great weather. We were also able to beat the rain which began minutes after the end of the spectacular fireworks. The "Concerts in the Park" gave us some new and some returning groups which entertained all who attended. Future events will include the Annual Pig Roast, Trick or Treat, Veterans' Day, and the Christmas tree lighting will conclude the fun events available to all.

I am sorry to say that the economy is still a concern to everyone. We seem to have stabilized, but there does not appear to be recovery any time soon. The City is fully aware of the economic problems and is working to maintain a very tight budget. Expenses continue to rise and all departments are working to "tighten their belts." The Delphi property is being razed in preparation for future development. At this point nothing is on the drawing board. I have made it my private crusade to save the small domed observatory building directly north of the main building. I feel that this building should be saved and dedicated to the many men and women and to Delphi who meant so much to the City of Oak Creek. I now have rounded up companies in Oak Creek to volunteer, along with the business responsible for razing the building, to remove the observatory, keep it intact and transport it to the City garage for storage. At some time in the future, we will place it at an appropriate site and dedicate it to all of the employees who once worked at Delphi. The good news is that there is absolutely NO expense to the City, thanks to all the companies who have volunteered to assist in this project.

We still have men and women serving our Country in foreign lands. Please remember them in your thoughts and prayers.

I wish all of our residents a safe, healthy and happy remainder of 2010.

REMEMBER: "It is amazing how much can be accomplished when no one cares who gets the credit!"

Dick

Zoning

768-6527

Pete Wagner, Zoning Administrator/Planner

Parking cars, trucks, and recreational vehicles in residential districts:

According to Municipal Code Section 17.0405, all cars, trucks, and motor recreational vehicles must be parked on an impervious surface such as asphalt, concrete, or gravel on private property. Parking of any motor vehicle on a front lawn or public right-of-way is not permissible.



The parking of boats, boat trailers, campers, utility trailers, snowmobiles and their trailers, all terrain vehicles, and kayaks are allowed to be stored outside in residential districts if they comply with the following regulations:

1. They are located in the rear or side yard and not closer than two feet to the rear or side lot line.
2. If parked in the front yard, they will be parked on a driveway closest to the home as possible.
3. They should be located outside of all rights-of-way, vision triangle and drainage and utility easements.
4. The recreational vehicle should be maintained and in operable condition.
5. Recreational vehicles requiring registration be properly registered.
6. Only ONE major recreational vehicle can be stored outside in the rear or side yard provided it does not exceed 8.5 feet in width, 13 feet in height, & 32 feet long.
7. No semi-trailers are allowed to be parked in any residential zoning district
8. Semi tractors are only allowed in residential districts that have driveway access to a state highway (i.e. Howell Avenue, S. Chicago Road).

Selling of vehicles from residential properties:

Although your property may be located in a prime location for the selling of motor vehicles, there are regulations limiting the number of sales per year and location. According to Municipal Code Section 10.41, the selling of motor vehicles from a residential property is limited to one motor vehicle for sale at a time. In addition, no more than three motor vehicles can be sold from a property in a calendar year. If a resident wishes to sell a vehicle from their home, he/she should park the vehicle on their privately owned paved driveway and NOT on their front lawn or in the driveway approach.

City Celebrations

Email: celebrations@oakcreekwi.org

Pig and Chicken Roast

Sunday, September 12th starting at noon brings the annual Pig & Chicken Roast to Oak Creek's very own Miller Park. Bring your family, friends, & neighbors to enjoy the great food, fun & entertainment. Live music performed by Becca and the boys. Free raffles & games for the kids.

Tickets are \$4 adults/\$1 for kids available at Oak Creek City Hall & Oak Creek Community Center.

Halloween Safe Site

Sunday, October 31st from 4 -6 pm at the Oak Creek Historical Grounds

Veterans Day

Saturday November 6th on the corner of 6th and Rawson at the Oak Creek Veteran's Memorial starting at 9am

Annual Christmas Tree Lighting

Sunday, December 5th
Located at the Oak Creek City Hall/Community Center from 5-7 pm

We need volunteers to help with the planning and running of these events. Consider giving your time to help make these events successful.

E-mail us at:

celebrations@oakcreekwi.org



Trick or Treat

Sunday, October 31

4 pm to 6 pm

Parks & Forestry Department

Doug Schachtner, Director

Jeff Wendt, Maintenance Supervisor

Rebecca Lane, City Forester

Reservations / Permits

Facilities may be reserved/rented **only** by Oak Creek residents with **proof of residency**. Non-reserved facilities (except Henry Miller Pavilion) may be used on a first-come, first-served basis & will be “bumped” by a permit holder. Oak Creek Recreation Department programs have priority for all reservations.

Tennis, Basketball & Volleyball Courts, Soccer & Football fields, ballfields, open field areas & picnic areas.

Rentals accepted 90 days in advance. Rental does not include equipment, supplies, etc. Call for league, tournament & special event rates.

FEE: \$4 per hour

Open Air Shelters. Reservations accepted 1 year in advance

- * Oak Leaf
- * Johnstone
- * Camelot
- * Riverton Meadows
- * South Hills
- * Otjen
- * Manor Marquette
- * Willow Heights
- * Chapel Hills
- * Haas Park

FEE: 1 to 4 hours -Flat Fee \$18.00

Hourly fee over 4 hours: \$5/per additional hour

Volleyball Sets or Throw Bases

Limited availability, call to reserve.

FEE:

\$10 weekend (Fri/Sat/Sun) + \$15 refundable security deposit

\$5 daily (Mon thru Thurs) + \$15 refundable security deposit

Late Fee: \$5 per day

Henry Miller Park Pavilion Rental

May be reserved 1 year in advance. Contact us for cancellation policy and security deposit information.

FEE: Monday thru Thursday \$45

Friday, Saturday, Sunday & Holidays \$90

Oak Creek Disc (Frisbee) Golf

Located in Abendschein Community Park, 1311 E. Drexel Avenue.

Oak Creek Skate Park

Abendschein Community Park, 1311 E. Drexel Avenue.

Open Sunrise (no earlier than 6 am) to Dusk and is not supervised.

Use at your own risk.



Left to Right: Mark Barbara, Representative Valent Professional Products, Rebecca Lane, City Forester, Charles Shouse, Davey Tree and Lawn Expert Company

Legacy Tree Project

Partners in the Management of Emerald Ash Borer (EAB)

In early summer City Forestry became involved with the Legacy Tree Project offered by Valent Professional Products.

The Legacy Tree Project is a partnership between Valent Professional Products and participating municipalities. The project has specific goals which include:

1. Raise public awareness of EAB
2. Assist communities in the battle against EAB through a five-year treatment at no cost to participating communities
3. Encourage private tree treatment versus removal

Valent hired Davey Tree and Lawn Experts to administer a ground/soil injection of the product Safari to 125 municipal trees in Oak Creek.



Emerald Ash Borer Update

You may have noticed that City Forestry has been busy doing a combination of treatment and removal of ash trees this year. Our most economic approach is to treat small trees (seven inches and smaller) as we gradually remove and replace larger ash in the community.

As of this date, July 19, 2010, emerald ash borer can be commonly found in the SW sections of the City, as far east as Oakwood and Meadowview and as far northeast as E. Rawson Avenue and Clement. Basically, these finds indicate that ash borer is everywhere in Oak Creek.

The EAB infestation is firmly established in Oak Creek. Without treatment, nearly all ash trees will be dead in five years. EAB is a fairly fast-moving damaging agent.

We strongly encourage residents to remove or treat ash trees as soon as possible. Spring and autumn are the best times for treatment. Our first strategy is to work to promote and create safe roadways. Secondly, we aspire to stay ahead of a mass of wood production that will be difficult to handle. We would still like to increase our list of wood-burning residents that can handle large chunks of wood for local use.

If you have further questions, please feel free to contact City Forestry.

For further information--check out our webpage at:

www.oakcreekwi.org

click on Departments

click on Parks, Rec & Forestry

or phone the office at:

768-6515

Monday thru Friday - 8 am to 4:45 pm

Parks & Forestry Department

Arbor Day 2010: The year of Emerald Ash Borer Awareness

This year we focused three Arbor Day celebrations on emerald ash borer awareness. As everyone should now be aware, emerald ash borer is pretty well established in Oak Creek. Our "hot zones" are a 1.5 mile radius of I-94 and W. Ryan as well as the Root River Parkway.

Ash removal or treatment are indicated, for public and private ash managers, at this time.

Shepard Hills School

Our first stop was Shepard Hills School and their 5th grade classes. WE Energies representatives joined us (and donated a tree) for the 10th straight year of Arbor Day celebrations with the City! Thank you WE Energies for the beautiful oak!



On that particularly lovely spring day, about 100 people gathered to celebrate Arbor Day.



The site, the street tree corridor of Shepard Hills Park, was perfect for a complete tree replacement demonstration. While the Shepard Hills students watched from a safe distance, City Forestry dropped an ash tree, chipped it, planted a new tree, and lastly, ground the stump.

In lieu of handing out seedlings as we usually do on Arbor Day, we passed out suet to attract local woodpeckers, the number one enemy of emerald ash borer.



Municipal Services Building

Our second stop was the landscape of the Municipal Services Building where we replaced three ash with three bur oak trees.



Carollton School

Our final Arbor Day celebration was held at Carollton School where we replaced a previously removed green ash street tree with – you may have guessed, another oak.



Parkway Apostolic Church

Parkway Apostolic Church returned for a day of park clean up. Thank you for another year of volunteer service!



Fall Elections

Questions? 768-6500

The Fall Partisan Primary Election will be held on Tuesday, September 14, 2010, and the Fall General and Gubernatorial Election will be held Tuesday, November 2, 2010.

PLEASE REGISTER EARLY TO VOTE!

Due to the expected large voter turnout at these elections, those residents not currently registered are encouraged to register early to vote. A qualified elector must be at least 18 years of age, a U.S. citizen, and a resident of the City for at least 10 days prior to registering to vote. You must present a form of ID showing proof of residence. A Wisconsin driver's license or Wisconsin photo ID is preferred.

- You may register to vote:
 - City Hall Clerk's Office Monday through Friday, 8 AM to 5 PM
 - Library during regular business hours
 - By Mail (look for instructions on the City's website)

Please call the City Clerk's Office at 768-6500 with questions about the upcoming elections, or click on "Election Information" on the City's website at www.oakcreekwi.org – for information, including your correct polling location, verification of voter registration, new voter registration, absentee voting, and for consideration for assignment as an election official (poll worker).

Polling sites are as follows:

DISTRICT 1 - WARDS 1-2-3	SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 7630 S. 10th St.
DISTRICT 2 - WARDS 4-5-6	WEST MIDDLE SCHOOL, 8401 S. 13th St.
DISTRICT 3 - WARDS 7-8-9	EAST MIDDLE SCHOOL, 9330 S. Shepard Ave.
DISTRICT 4 - WARDS 10-11-12	CAROLLTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 8965 S. Carrollton Dr.
DISTRICT 5 - WARDS 13-14-15	MEADOWVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 10420 S. McGraw Dr.
DISTRICT 6 - WARDS 16-17-18	OAK CREEK COMMUNITY CENTER, 8580 S. Howell Ave.



2011 Revaluation is under way . . .

The revaluation of all property in the City of Oak Creek is under way. The project, being handled by a team from Tyler Technologies, Appraisal and Tax Division and overseen by the City Assessor's office, is scheduled to begin in the fall of 2010, to be completed by July 2011.

FAQs (FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS):

What is a revaluation?

A revaluation is a complete examination of all property assessments. In the process, some adjustments are made in order to assess all property at 100% of market value. The goal is to fairly and equitably value each property so that taxpayers pay only their fair share.

Why is this being done?

The last revaluation was done in 2007 and assessments have not changed since that time unless improvements were made to an individual property. With the last revaluation dating to 2007, the current assessments are still based on sales that occurred during 2005 and 2006. The 2011 revaluation will be using sales that occurred during 2009 and 2010 to more accurately reflect current market condi-

tions in the city. Furthermore, inequities develop naturally over time between property types and between neighborhoods. The 2011 revaluation will correct these inequities and bring all properties back in line with their respective market value so that each property owner pays only their fair share of taxes based on the current market value. Based on current conditions, without performing a revaluation the level of assessment could climb to as high as 110% of fair market value in 2011.

What revaluation activities will I see in my neighborhood?

Tyler representatives will be visiting many areas of the City starting in the fall of 2010 through the spring of 2011 to collect data and take photographs. The majority of the work for this revaluation will be done in-house; that is, using current data already on file. Field representatives may go on to your property, or may request entry into your home or building if an interior inspection is needed. Generally, interior inspections are needed if the home has been sold within the past two years, if remodeling has been done, or if the inspection is requested by the property owner.

How can I be sure that someone entering my property is a Tyler official?

All vehicles used by the revaluation personnel will display an identification sign and all field personnel will carry official City of Oak Creek photo Identification Cards. ****PLEASE ASK FOR ID FROM ANYONE REQUESTING ENTRY****. If you are in doubt about admitting someone, please call the Assessor's office or the Police Department to verify the individual's credentials BEFORE allowing them to enter.

When will I receive information about my assessment?

All property owners will receive a 2011 Notice of Assessment in late spring to early summer of 2011. The notice will include information about scheduling an open book appointment to review your current assessment if you believe it to be incorrect. The notice will also contain information about the Board of Review.

What if I have more questions about the revaluation?

Contact the staff of the City Assessor's office at 768-6506 if you would like more information.

City Calendar - August to December

AUGUST

2	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting (Monday)
3	5:00 p.m.	NATIONAL NIGHT OUT
4	2:00-5:00 p.m.	Immunization Clinic
5	7:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
10	9:00 a.m.	Water & Sewer Utility Commission
	4:45 p.m.	Library Board
	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission
12	4:30 p.m.	Celebrations Commission
	4:30 p.m.	Board of Health
18	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting
19	9:00-11:00a.m.	Immunization Clinic
	7:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
24	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission
31	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court

SEPTEMBER

1	2:00-5:00 p.m.	Immunization Clinic
2	4:30 p.m.	Board of Health
	7:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
6	CLOSED	LABOR DAY
7	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting
8	7:00 p.m.	Traffic & Safety Commission
9	4:30 p.m.	Celebrations Commission
	6:00 p.m.	Parks, Rec. & Forestry Commission
14	7 a.m. to 8 p.m.	FALL PRIMARY ELECTION
	9:00 a.m.	Water & Sewer Utility Commission
	4:45 p.m.	Library Board
	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
15	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission (Wednesday)
16	9:00-11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic
	7:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
21	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting

OCTOBER

TO BE DETERMINED 2011 BUDGET REVIEW SESSION		
5	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting
6	2:00 - 5:00 p.m.	Immunization Clinic
7	7:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
	4:30 p.m.	Board of Health
12	9:00 a.m.	Water & Sewer Utility Commission
	4:45 p.m.	Library Board
	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission
13	7:00 p.m.	Traffic & Safety Commission
14	4:30 p.m.	Celebrations Commission
	6:00 p.m.	Parks, Rec. & Forestry Commission
19	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting

21	9 - 11 a.m.	Immunization Clinic
	7:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
26	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission
31	4 p.m. - 6 p.m.	TRICK OR TREAT



NOVEMBER

2	7 a.m. - 8 p.m.	FALL GENERAL ELECTION
	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
3	7:00 p.m. (WEDS)	Common Council Meeting
	2 - 5 p.m.	Immunization Clinic
4	4:30 p.m.	Board of Health
	7:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
9	9:00 a.m.	Water & Sewer Utility Commission
	4:45 p.m.	Library Board
	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission
10	7:00 p.m.	Traffic & Safety Commission
11	4:30 p.m.	Celebrations Commission
	6:00 p.m.	Parks, Rec. & Forestry Commission
15	7:00 p.m.	2011 Budget Hearing (tentative)
16	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting
18	9 - 11 a.m.	Immunization Clinic
	7:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
23	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission
25 & 26 CLOSED		THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

DECEMBER

1	2 - 5 p.m.	Immunization Clinic
2	4:30 p.m.	Board of Health
	7:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
7	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting
8	7:00 p.m.	Traffic & Safety Commission
9	4:30 p.m.	Celebrations Commission
	6:00 p.m.	Parks, Rec. & Forestry Commission
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	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission
16	9 - 11 a.m.	Immunization Clinic
	7:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
21	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting
23 & 24 CLOSED		CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY
28	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission Meeting
30 & 31 CLOSED		NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAY



Fire Department

Brian Satula, Fire Chief

Tom Rosandich, Assistant Fire Chief



FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

Fire Prevention Week is October 3-9. This annual event raises awareness for fire safety throughout the country. Following a declaration by President Woodrow Wilson in 1920, Fire Prevention Week has been recognized each year since 1922. It commemorates the Great Chicago Fire of 1871. However, on the same days, the largest forest fire in American history occurred in Peshtigo, Wisconsin. By the time the Peshtigo fire was completely extinguished, 16 towns were burned down and 1,152 people were killed.

This year, as in years past, the Oak Creek Fire Department will be visiting Oak Creek grade schools to spread the fire prevention message to the “Junior Firefighters.” This year’s theme is “Smoke Alarms: A sound you can live with.” Smoke detectors are an essential part of keeping your family safe. They should be tested once a month and the batteries should be replaced twice a year.

HOSPITAL REQUESTS

Medical emergencies can happen when you least expect them. Often times, a hospital destination must be made without much prior thought. Oak Creek emergency medical personnel will offer advice as to which facility is the most appropriate based on the patient’s medical condition. There are certain hospitals that provide specialized care which may require the patient to be transported to a facility other than their primary choice.

Many patients also request that they are transported to the hospital where their primary care physician is based. Keep in mind that, while fire departments and hospital emergency rooms are staffed 24 hours a day, primary care physicians typically work during the day. With that in mind, the advent of technology allows hospitals to share patient information between facilities. Road construction, rush hour traffic or inclement weather may make it beneficial for the patient to be transported to the closest, most appropriate facility. For example, a patient whose primary care physician is based at St. Luke’s Main could be transported to St. Luke’s South Shore. The Oak Creek Fire

Department strives to ensure that the patient’s transition from home to the hospital is as comfortable as possible

CARBON MONOXIDE

Carbon monoxide, an odorless, colorless gas, is a byproduct of the combustion of fossil fuels. When appliances such as furnaces, water heaters, dryers and stoves malfunction or are improperly vented, a build up of carbon monoxide gas can occur. As this gas builds up in a home, occupants may experience headaches, nausea, dizziness, fatigue and confusion. At higher levels, carbon monoxide poisoning symptoms include vomiting, loss of consciousness, and even death. As the winter months draw upon us, the Oak Creek Fire Department would like to remind residents that carbon monoxide detectors should be placed on each level of their home. In addition, they should have appliances inspected by a licensed professional.

OPEN BURNING REGULATIONS

Outdoor burning on commercial and multi-family properties is prohibited without authorization from the Fire Chief or his designee. However, residential open burning is permitted. Prior to ignition of open burning, citizens are required to notify the Oak Creek Fire Department Dispatch Center (414-762-8200) and provide the following information:

1. Responsible party name and telephone number
2. Address of open burning
3. Beginning and ending time of burning
4. Materials that will be burned.



For a complete list of the open burning guidelines, please visit the City of Oak Creek website at www.oakcreekwi.org. Then follow the “Departments” link to the Fire Department webpage.

FAST FIRE FACTS

The history of the fire hydrant dates back to the 1700s. Water mains were made of hollowed out wood. When a fire occurred, firefighters would drill holes into the wood.

They would then insert a fire “plug” into the hole to seal the main. If a fire occurred in that area again, the firefighters would simply remove the plug and have access to the water. In the 1800s, water



mains began to be made of cast iron. Fittings were installed at intervals. These underground connections were then moved above ground; creating the first fire hydrants.

RETIREMENT

The Oak Creek Fire Department would like to congratulate Peter Joncas on his retirement after 27 years of service. Fire Fighter Peter Joncas joined the Oak Creek Fire Department on April 19, 1983, as an auxiliary Fire Fighter. On March 28, 1988, Peter was recommended to the position of full time Fire Fighter by Chief Lyle Brossman. Peter became certified as a Level One and Two Firefighter as well as an EMT.

In January 1999, Peter was severely injured in an oxygen tank explosion at Station #1 while doing a routine morning check on a portable oxygen unit. He received first, second and third degree burns to his arms, hands and face. After three weeks of treatment in an intensive care burn unit at St. Mary’s hospital and two years of rehabilitation he returned to full duty.

Peter received a proclamation from the City of Oak Creek for the “Tax Day Fires”. His experience was instrumental in maintaining control of the dispatch center to dispatch crews to multiple alarms that depleted department resources.

In 2005, Peter was recognized by the American League as the Wisconsin Fire Fighter of the Year. Later that year, he was also awarded the State of Wisconsin Fire Fighter of the Year.

Peter also established the Oak Creek Fire Department Honor Guard program. The Honor Guard has been recognized for presenting the colors at professional sporting events throughout Southeast Wisconsin. The unit also posts colors at community events as well as performing honor guard duties for funeral services.

Congratulations Peter!

Police Department

Acting Chief John Edwards

Captain Mike Bolender



REMINDER: WINTER PARKING

Winter parking begins again December 1st and runs until April 1st. During this time, there is no parking allowed on the streets in the City of Oak Creek during the following hours:

- Monday thru Friday from 2 a.m. to 6 a.m.
- Saturday & Sunday from 2:30 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.

SCHOOL BUS LIGHTS

With the start of the new school year, motorists are reminded to use caution when approaching school buses. Motorists should stop their vehicle not less than 20 feet from the bus when it is displaying flashing red warning lights and remain stopped until the bus resumes motion or extinguishes the flashing lights. This does not apply to vehicles traveling in the opposite direction on a divided highway with a median. School bus operators may submit a written report to the Police Department of those vehicles illegally passing a school bus with its red warning lights flashing. Upon receipt of this information, the Police Department will prepare a traffic citation and serve it upon the owner of the vehicle in violation. The fine for such violation is \$235. Help keep our children safe this school year—stop when you approach a bus flashing its red warning lights!



HALLOWEEN SAFETY

With Halloween just around the corner, the Police Department would like to remind parents of a few tips to keep your children safe while trick-or-treating:

- Children should always trick-or treat with an adult or older sibling.
- Costumes should be reflective, flame retardant, and should fit properly to prevent trips and falls.
- Consider wearing makeup instead of a mask which may hinder or restrict your child's vision.
- Stay in neighborhoods with people whom you are familiar with.

- Remind children not to eat their goodies before an adult can check them.
- Eat only unopened candies and those in original wrappers only.
- Put your outside house light on to show that your family is participating in trick-or-treating.
- Remove objects from your yard that might present a hazard to trick-or-treaters.
- Keep an eye out for suspicious activities or persons in your neighborhood.

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT – THANK YOU

The Oak Creek Police Department and National Night Out Committee would like to thank all of the citizens who attended this year's Oak Creek's National Night Out at the Oak Creek Community Center. This event supports many crime and safety programs offered annually to our community. An extra special "Thank You" needs to be extended to all the local, state, and federal law enforcement and safety agencies present at this event as well as all area business sponsors, numerous donors, the National Night Out Planning Committee and those that volunteered their time to make this community event possible.

FIREARMS SAFETY

As hunting season approaches, it is important to remind our residents of the importance of firearms safety. The majority of accidents that involve a firearm occur in the house. The accidents are a result of negligent handling, improper storage and carelessness. The accidents usually end tragically with serious injuries or even death. Firearms accidents are preventable by following these few simple rules:

- KNOW how your firearm operates and PRACTICE safe handling procedures.
- TREAT every firearm as if it were loaded.
- ALWAYS point a firearm in a safe direction.
- NEVER point a firearm at anything that you do not intend to kill or destroy.
- Use your firearm only for its intended purpose.

- NEVER rely on the firearm's safety
- NEVER leave a firearm unattended.
- LOCK, TRANSPORT and STORE your firearm(s) properly.
- NEVER use your firearm after consuming alcohol or drugs.
- Make sure that each family member takes a firearms safety course offered by the Wisc. DNR.

For more information regarding firearms safety programs, contact the Community Resource Officer Bureau at (414) 766-7624.

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

The Neighborhood Watch Program is available to you and your neighbors, and we need you to get involved! What's in it for you? The answer is safer streets and homes, community spirit, camaraderie with your neighbors, stronger relationships with law enforcement, and so much more. Neighborhood Watch embraces and strengthens many of the things we're already doing, such as watching out for each other's homes or working together to solve problems. Neighborhood Watch brings the power of organization and the ability to focus energy and resources. Often Neighborhood Watch groups get started due to incidents in the community that cause concern. An active Watch reduces these types of crime.

Help keep our community a safe place! Start a Neighborhood Watch Group today! It's easy to participate!

Contact:

**Oak Creek Police Department
Community Resource Bureau
766-7624 for more information**

**Together we can
"Take A Bite Out of Crime."**



DATES OF RUBBISH COLLECTION FOR UPCOMING 2010 HOLIDAYS

<u>HOLIDAY</u>	<u>DATE OF HOLIDAY</u>	<u>DATE OF COLLECTION</u>
Labor Day	Monday, September 6, 2010	Friday, September 3, 2010
Thanksgiving	Thursday, November 25, 2010	Wednesday, November 24, 2010
Christmas	Thursday, December 23, 2010	Wednesday, December 22, 2010
New Year's	Thursday, December 30, 2010	Wednesday, December 29, 2010

*** Watch for "Bring Rubbish to Road" signs in your area. ***

RECYCLING YARD INFORMATION

The recycling yard will be closed on the following holiday dates:

Labor Day	Monday, September 6, 2010
Thanksgiving	Thursday, November 25, 2010 Friday, November 26, 2010
Christmas	Thursday, December 23, 2010 Friday, December 24, 2010
New Years	Thursday, December 30, 2010 Friday, December 31, 2010

The recycling yard hours are Monday through Saturday, 8:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. In addition to the regular hours, the yard is open Tuesday evenings ONLY until 8:00 p.m. starting the first Tuesday in April through the last Tuesday in September.

NO items may exceed 4' in length with the exception of branches, furniture, appliances & metals.

All freon appliances (refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers, air conditioners & water coolers) brought to the recycling yard will be charged a \$15.00 fee.

Tires brought to the recycling yard should be free of rims. A fee of \$2.00 per tire will be charged.

FINAL BRANCH PICK-UP

The last branch pick up for 2010 will begin Friday, October 1st. Residents are reminded that branches should be placed at the curb or roadside prior to the 1st to guarantee a pick up but no earlier than 2 weeks prior. Once we pass through your neighborhood, we will not be back until April 1, 2011.

Reminder, branches are to be stacked neatly with the cut ends facing the road. Roots should be separate from the brush pile. The Street Department **WILL NOT** pickup brush that is the result of a contractor doing work on your property. It is their responsibility to dispose of the brush properly.

Branches may also be brought to the recycling yard, any time of the year, at 720 W. Puetz Road.

The next branch pick up will be April 1, 2011

**For information on
"Special Pick ups"
see page 16**

FALL CLEAN-UP BEGINS NOVEMBER 15, 2010

The Street Department will conduct its fall clean up beginning Monday, November 15, 2010. There is **no charge** for this pick up (except for freon appliances). Items that **will** be picked up are as follows:

- * Yard Waste (excluding leaves, grass and branches)
 - * Furniture * Wood * Mattresses
 - * Appliances (Freon appliances-refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers & water coolers, require a \$15 per item fee to be paid prior to pick-up).
 - * Construction Materials (not resulting from a contractor)
 - * Metal * Televisions * Carpeting/Rugs
- Items that **will not** be picked up are as follows:
- * Paints * Tires * Leaves * Branches * Batteries
 - * Hazardous Materials * Fluorescent Tubes * Grass Clippings

Residents are required to have their items at the curb or roadside by 6:45 a.m. on November 15th in order to be guaranteed a pick up. Once we pass through your neighborhood, we will not return for additional **no charge** pick ups until the spring clean-up, May 16th, 2011. See Special Pick-Ups section for information on how to make arrangements for a prepaid special pick-up for other times of the year or if you miss the Fall Clean-Up date.

RAKING OF LEAVES INTO THE STREET IS PROHIBITED

The City of Oak Creek has adopted Ordinance No. 1984, which prohibits property owners from placing leaves, grass, yard waste or rubbish in the street, alley or sidewalk areas. For your convenience, the ordinance reads as follows:

"No owner or occupant shall allow the street, alley or sidewalk pavements abutting his premises to be littered with rubbish, dirt, grass, leaves or yard waste as defined in S. 8.40. If such owner or occupant shall refuse or fail to remove any such rubbish, dirt, grass, leaves or yard waste as defined in S.8.40 when notified to do so by the Common Council or designee, the City may cause it to be done and the cost thereof shall be reported to the City Clerk who shall spread the cost on the tax roll as a special tax against the premises, pursuant to Sec. 66.66(16), Wis. States. or such cost may be covered in action against the owner or occupant."

The City of Oak Creek does NOT pick up leaves curbside. Residents may bring their leaves to the drop-off site located at 720 West Puetz Road, Monday through Saturday from 8:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. or Tuesday evenings until 8 p.m. through the month of September.





City Treasurer's Office

768-6501

Barbara Guckenberger, City Treasurer

2010 REAL ESTATE PROPERTY TAX BILLS -

Please read the pamphlet that comes with your tax bill for up to date information.

City of Oak Creek
8640 S Howell Ave, PO Box 27
Oak Creek, WI 53154-0027
Treasurer's Office: (414) 768-6501

(Choose option 3 for tax information)

Website: www.oakcreekwi.org go to:

- * Departments, Treasurer's Office
- * **2007 & subsequent tax year information** choose link: [Tax Payment History](#) (2007 and Newer)
- * Put in parcel # (no spaces or dashes) or use name or address
- * Click Search
- * Choose 'Taxes' tab on left (**if this is not available you must update your web browser**) **2006 and prior year tax information:** Please call for information

TAX BILLS are MAILED "RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED" and are **NOT FORWARDED**, on or before the third Monday in December.

PERMANENT ADDRESS CHANGES - If your mailing address has changed please contact the Assessor's Office at (414) 768-6506.

TEMPORARY MAILING ADDRESS - To have your tax bill mailed to a temporary address please call the Treasurer's Office by December 1st (must be requested annually, even if requested in the past.)

PAYMENT DEADLINES

PAID IN FULL - PAYMENT IS DUE JANUARY 31st

INSTALLMENT OPTION, failure to pay a minimum of the amounts shown on the tax bill by each of their due dates will result in delinquency, forfeiture of the installment option plus interest & penalty charges as of February 1st. **WE DO NOT SEND REMINDER NOTICES**

* **FIRST INSTALLMENT** - 50% of net real estate tax plus all special charges due on or before January 31st

* **SECOND INSTALLMENT** - 25% of net real estate tax due on or before March 31st

* **THIRD INSTALLMENT** - 25% of net real estate tax due on or before May 31st

Please include your tax bill(s) with all payments. It will be returned to you with a receipt.

CHECKS - make payable to Treasurer or to City of Oak Creek. **Properly completed/dated checks are processed and deposited the same day. Personal Checks** must include **Name and Address**. Please **DO NOT STAPLE** checks and **DO NOT COMBINE** with other payments. Checks not properly completed, dated or endorsed may be returned unprocessed and your taxes could become delinquent. Checks returned from the bank for any reason are subject to a \$25.00 recovery fee and payment is void. Full replacement payment, plus separate recovery fee, in the form of cash or certified funds, must be received by the original due date to avoid delinquency.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

TRI CITY BANK - (In Person at the Five Oak Creek Locations Only) **THROUGH JANUARY 31st ONLY**. A RECEIPT and IMMEDIATE REFUND for OVERPAYMENT (with proper ID) is given at the bank.

BY MAIL - Your tax bill will be returned with a receipt,

* **ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 31st ONLY:** Please use the **return envelope** (to West Allis PO Box) **enclosed** with your tax bill.

* **ON OR AFTER FEBRUARY 1st to:** Treasurer, City of Oak Creek, 8640 S. Howell Ave., PO Box 27, Oak Creek, WI 53154-0027.

* **DO NOT** use the **return envelope after January 31st** or it may be **returned to sender unprocessed** and your taxes could become **delinquent**. Postmarks from **improperly addressed** envelopes will not be honored.

Payments by mail are **TIMELY** if **ALL** of the following criteria are met:

*it is mailed to the City of Oak Creek in a properly addressed envelope,

* postmarked before midnight of the last date prescribed for making the payment,
* with postage prepaid, and
* is received by the proper official not more than 5 days after the prescribed date for making the payment.

Payments postmarked by December 31st and received within 5 business days will be received as January but will reflect a December Postmark.

DRIVE-UP 24-HOUR DEPOSITORY - located at City Hall on the east side of the south parking lot. **NO CASH PLEASE!** Your tax bill will be returned with a receipt.

BY CREDIT CARD - We are pleased to announce the availability of credit card payments for payment of real estate and personal property taxes. In cooperation with the City of Oak Creek, Official Payments Corporation offers individuals and businesses the opportunity to pay property tax by way of a credit card by telephone or directly over the Internet. This service is safe, reliable, and in accordance with all state and government regulations. In order to process your payment, *Official Payments Corporation, the credit card service provider, charges a convenience fee based on the amount of the transaction, currently 2.75% (\$1.00 minimum fee) subject to change without notice.*

IN PERSON AT CITY HALL - Mon. thru Fri., 8 am to 5 pm (Except Legal Holidays). Please check the website and tax pamphlet you receive with your tax bill for special dates and times for end of the year tax collection.

DELINQUENT REAL ESTATE TAX

Payment not received or post-marked before midnight of the last date prescribed for making the payment is delinquent. **DELINQUENCY** results in forfeiture of the installment option and accumulates **INTEREST AND PENALTY** charges from February 1st at 1 ½ percent per month on the entire unpaid principal balance, regardless of when it becomes delinquent. The USPS postmark governs the date of payment - **NOT** the date on your check.

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City Treasurer's Office & Engineering Department

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Payment of 2009 and PRIOR YEAR(S) **2010 Tax Information continued.....** DELINQUENT REAL ESTATE TAX must be made to MILWAUKEE COUNTY. Please contact them at (414) 278-4033 for information.

LOTTERY AND GAMING CREDIT
If you received the 2009 Lottery and Gaming Credit on or before January 31, 2010, you do not need to recertify for 2010.

Those who qualify are owners of a home in Wisconsin who used the home as their primary residence on January 1 (Certification Date) of the year in which property taxes are levied. Primary residence is defined as the home where an individual lives more than six months of the year.

2009: The 2009 Lottery and Gaming Credit was \$69.88. If you did not receive this credit and were eligible, complete a 2009 Late Lottery and Gaming Credit application and return it, along with a copy of your tax bill, to the State of Wisconsin Department of Revenue at their address shown on the application, by October 1, 2010.

2010: If you first qualify for the Lottery and Gaming Credit beginning in 2010, or if you applied for the 2009 Late Lottery and Gaming Credit, complete and return the 2010 Lottery and Gaming Credit application to the Oak Creek Treasurer's Office by November 15, 2010; the credit will appear on your 2010 Real Estate Tax Bill. For applications received between November 15, 2010 and January 31, 2011, the credit will be deducted from the tax due.

The 2010 Lottery and Gaming Credit amount will be determined in December 2010.

Lottery and Gaming Credit applications are available on our website or at the Treasurer's Office.

OTHER INFORMATION

There is a \$.25 charge for additional copies of tax bills, which must be paid in advance. You may print them free of charge

off the internet. Computers with internet service are available at the Oak Creek Public Library (north of City Hall); you may print a copy for \$.15 at the Library. Happy Fall Season!

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
DO CARS CREATE STORM WATER POLLUTION?



Most people do not realize that in addition to their widely publicized effects on air quality, cars can add numerous

pollutants to our lakes and streams.

We have all seen how a bright fresh new snow turns dirty and dark in areas near roads and parking lots after only a couple of days. This is just one way to visualize the effects of some of the pollution left by our cars and trucks. Each time it snows again, a fresh new layer covers the old grimy layer, until layers of pollution are trapped within the snow banks. Once spring comes, the pollution and particles trapped in the layer of snow will wash with the snow melt into our streams, rivers and lakes. What does not wash off with the snow melt itself, will be left on the pavement until the next rain storm comes along to wash it clean.

Take a look at a parking lot the next time it rains. During the early part of the rain, you may notice an oily sheen, green streaks of leaked antifreeze, and dark gritty particles in the puddles. Look again after it has rained for a while, and you may notice that the oily sheen is no longer there, and the puddles no longer look gritty. Most of us don't stop to think that the ground now looks so clean only because the pollution has been washed away by the rain water, and carried along with the rain water into the storm sewers and ditches, which empty into our lakes and streams with no treatment to remove these pollutants first.

We all know that when the tread on our tires wears away, we need to replace them. What we don't usually think about is that

all the rubber from the tire tread is left on the roads, parking lots, and driveways in the form of small rubber particles. These get washed away during rain storms, and are deposited into our rivers and lakes. Tiny bits of brake pads and rusted metal from cars also get washed into the waterways.

If you change your own oil, do not dump it into a storm drain. Just five quarts of oil from a single oil change can create an oil slick the size of two football fields, or pollute a million gallons of drinking water.¹ Recycling is the only safe way to dispose of used motor oil.

Many people enjoy washing their car at home in the driveway. Although this is not illegal, it can be harmful to the environment. You may have noticed white or dirty foam floating in the creeks, or a thick white film coating the area where a storm pipe opens into a stream. These are usually the result of residential car washing, where the soap is washed off the driveway and into the storm water system. The phosphates in some soaps can act like fertilizer in the water, encouraging algae growth. Decomposing algae is unattractive and also uses up oxygen in the water, which can be harmful to fish in the area. The best alternative is to use a commercial car wash. The wash water from a commercial car wash is often recycled, and the dirty water is sent to a plant for treatment prior to going into our waterways.

The City has initiated a program to identify and prevent illicit discharges throughout the City. City staff are visually inspecting outfalls throughout the City, and conducting chemical sampling if a dry weather flow is present. Most dry weather flows are from sources such as sump pump discharges or lawn sprinklers. However, if the testing shows a parameter is present that indicates illicit discharge, further investigation will be conducted to find and eliminate the source of the illicit discharge. This is one of the ways in which the City is working to protect and improve the quality of our water resources.

¹ UWEX Publication "Can Cars Cause Water Pollution?"



Health Department

Judith Price, Community Public Health Administrator

Sue Wojcinski, Public Health Nurse Supervisor

SEASONAL FLU VACCINATION CLINICS

One of the best ways to prevent seasonal flu is to receive the vaccination each year. An adult seasonal flu clinic will be held on Saturday, October 2 (8:30am-11:30am) if vaccine is available. More information will follow. Additional clinics will be available on our website and the reader board in front of City Hall as they are scheduled.



Call for an appointment. The cost for the flu vaccine is \$30 and \$45 for the pneumonia vaccine. Medicare Part B will be accepted.

Influenza is spread by coughing, sneezing and unclean hands. Refer to the "Flu Planning Checklist" at: <http://www.pandemicflu.gov/plan/individual/checklist.html> or www.oakcreekwi.org for more information.

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM (CERT)

Following a major disaster, first responders who provide fire and medical services will not be able to meet the demand for these services. People will have to rely on each other for help in order to meet their immediate life saving and life sustaining needs.

Consider becoming CERT trained. The CERT course will benefit any citizen who takes it. This individual will be better prepared to respond to and cope with the aftermath of a disaster. CERT training is offered frequently throughout the region and is free to any resident wishing to participate. Further information on CERT training can be obtained at <http://www.coadwi.org/>.

ADULTS NEED SHOTS TOO!

Through the Wisconsin Immunization Program, with funding from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), the Oak Creek Health Department is temporarily expanding the use of vaccines for adults during the regularly scheduled immunization clinics and special "adults only" clinics. The vaccines offered to adults 19 years and older are Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, HPV (Gardasil to age 26; males and females), MMR (for adults born after 1957), Td, Tdap (through age 64) and Varicella. There is a \$10 administration fee per visit. Adults with health insurance should go to their primary health care provider for these vaccines if possible. An adult clinic will be held on December 14; no appointment necessary, but bring your immunization record.

COLORECTAL CANCER

If you are 50 or older, an Oak Creek resident, and interested in a free colorectal cancer screening kit, contact the Health Department. Available while supplies last.

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

It's never too late to start the "12 Months of Preparedness" program. This campaign focuses on three components: 1) Make a plan, 2) Get a kit (a Go-Kit for an evacuation and a Stay-Kit if confined to your home) and 3) Be informed. Follow the "12 Months of Preparedness" suggestions and information on the Health Department's website page or view the display board at City Hall. Start your plan and kit. Give a flashlight, battery powered radio or gym bag as a holiday gift. Volunteer to assist in your community. See the CERT article. Other resources: - www.ready.gov - www.emergency.cdc.gov - www.red-cross.org

WISCONSIN WELL WOMAN PROGRAM (WWWP)

The WWWP provides breast and cervical cancer screening services to qualifying women in Wisconsin. Eligibility requirements are:
* Women age 45-64

- * No health insurance, or insurance does not cover routine check-ups and screening, OR unable to pay deductibles or co-payments
- * Income is at or below 250% of the federal poverty level

THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT IS OFFERING FREE RADON KITS

Radon is a radioactive gas. Any home may have a radon problem. This means new and old homes, well-sealed and drafty homes, and homes with or without basements. The U. S. Environmental Protection Agency estimates that radon causes several thousand preventable lung cancer deaths nationally each year. Testing is the only way to know if you and your family are at risk from radon exposure. If you are interested in obtaining a free radon test kit, please stop in the Oak Creek Health Department; proof of residency is required.

LYME DISEASE PREVENTION WHILE HUNTING AND USING HIKING TRAILS

Lyme disease is an infection transmitted by the bite of a deer tick commonly found on vegetation and animals. Symptoms of the disease include fever, chills, headache, stiffness in joints, weakness and fatigue. The deer tick is most active during the spring and fall. Evidence suggesting that deer ticks are present in at least one Milwaukee County park was found this year.



To prevent contracting the disease:

- * Wear long sleeves and pants
- * Also, apply an insect repellent containing the chemical commonly known as DEET (in a concentration of 20 to 30 %)
- * Brush off clothing before going inside and.
- * Immediately remove any attached tick with a tweezers by grabbing the head and pulling it straight out.

Contact your health care provider if you suspect that you have been exposed.

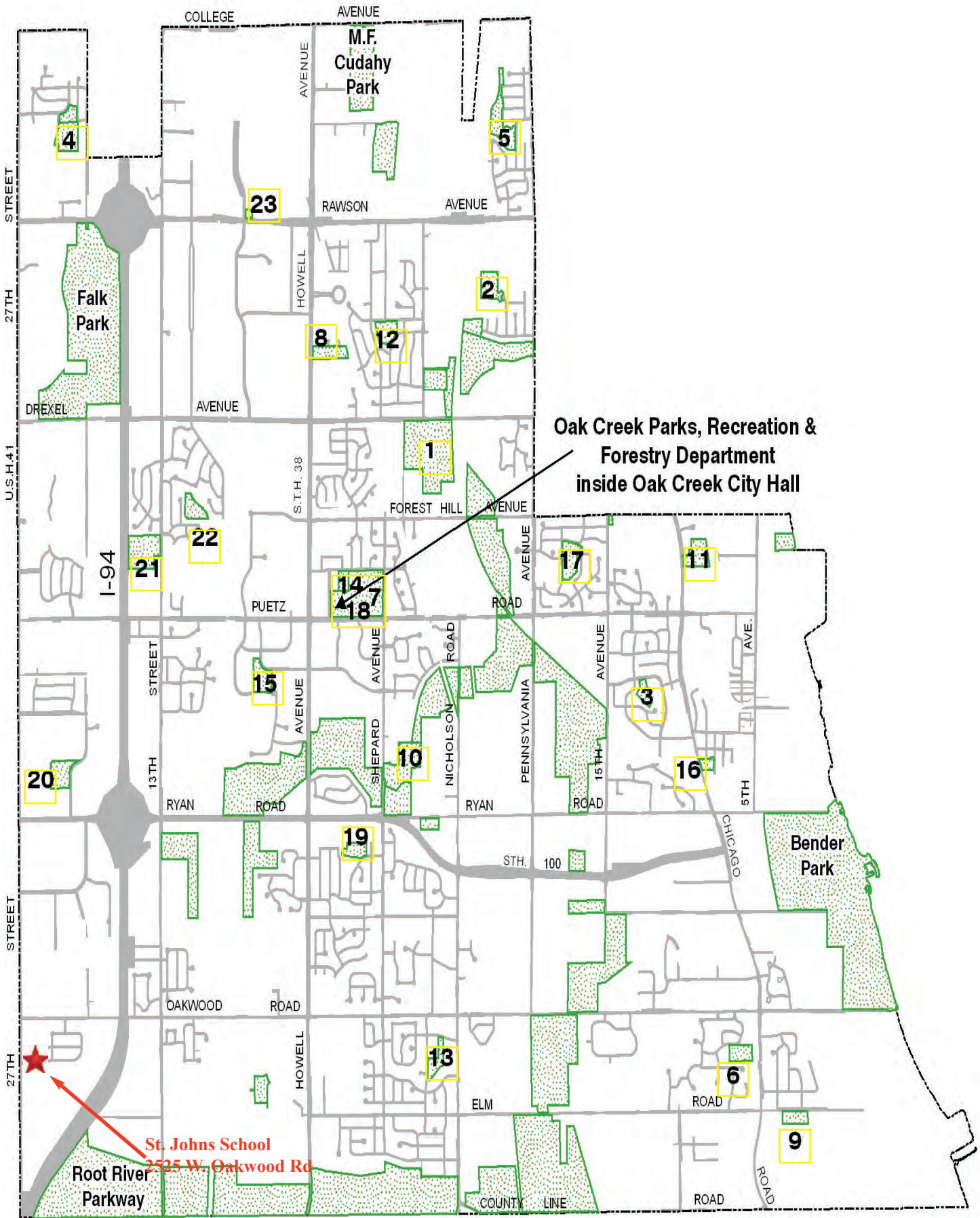
Facilities List & Locations: Parks, Playgrounds & Schools



	Site	Address	Shelter (o-open air, b-bldg)	Indoor Pool	Tennis Courts	Basketball (c-crts, s-standard)	Volleyball (s-sand)	Ballfield (s-softball, b-baseball)	Picnic Areas	Misc: Pond (P), Disc Golf (G)	Playground Equipment	Baby (bucket) swings	Vehicle Parking	Sledding Hill	Ice Rink	Nature Area	Open Play Area	Recreational Pathway (est. size-miles) Non-motorized	Pickleball Court	Skate Park	Soccer (s) / Football (f) fields
1	Abendschein Park	1311 E. Drexel Ave.						1B		G	•	•	•			•	•	•		•	S
2	Camelot Park	7385 S. Chapel Dr.	0			1C	1S	•			•	•	•					0.40			
3	Carollton School Park	8965 S. Carollton Dr.			2	2C	1S				•	•						0.53			
4	Cedar Hills School Johnstone Park	2225 W. Sycamore Ave.				2C					•	•	•								
			0				S	2S	•		•	•						0.44			
5	Chapel Hills Park	6735 S. Highfield	0		2	1C	S	1S	•		•	•	•	•				0.62			
6	Deerfield School	3871 Bluestem Dr.				4S					•	•						0.19			
7	Edgewood School	8545 S. Shepard Ave.				1C, 1S					•	•									
8	Greenlawn Park	7628 S. Howell Ave.							•			•									
9	Haas Park	4215 E. Elm Rd.	0			1C	S	1S	•		•	•	•								
10	East Middle School	9330 S. Shepard Ave.				4S						•						0.85			
11	Kickers Creek Park	8460 S. Chicago Rd.										•									S/F
12	Manor Marquette Park	801 E. Marquette Ave.	0		2	1C	•	1S	•		•	•	•	•				0.41			
13	Meadowview School Park	10420 S. McGraw Dr.			2	1C,2S	S	1S	•		•	•						0.45			
14	Henry Miller Park	315 E. Groveland Dr.	B						•	P					•	•		•			
15	Oak Leaf Park	401 W. Centennial Dr.	0		2	1C	S	1S	•		•	•						0.50			
16	Otjen Park	9300 S. Chicago Rd.	0			1C,1S			•		•	•	•								
17	Riverton Meadows Park	2801 Honeysuckle Dr.	0		1	1C	S	1S	•		•	•	•	•				0.58			
18	High School	340 E. Puetz Rd.		•	9			3S				•									
19	Shepard Hills School Park	530 E. Shepard Hills Dr.				4S	2S				•	•									
20	South Hills Parks	9299 S. 22nd St.	0		2	1C	S	1S	•		•	•	•	•				0.30			
21	West Middle School	8401 S. 13th St.				3S						•									S
22	Willow Heights Park	1111 W. Weatherly Dr.	0		2	1C	•	1S	•		•	•	•					0.41	2		
23	Veterans Memorial Park	552 W. Rawson Ave.																			

Updated: March 2010

Facilities Map: Parks, Playgrounds & Schools



For Your Information . . .

OAK CREEK PUBLIC LIBRARY



Fall 2010 Story Time

Preschool Story Time (ages 3-5)
September 22 – October 27
Wednesdays
10:30-11:15; 1:30-2:15; 6:00-6:45

In-person registration begins
Wednesday, September 15, 2010 10 a.m.

Fall 2010 Toddler Time

Toddler Time (ages 18-35 months)
November 10 – December 8
Wednesdays
10:15-10:45; 11:15-11:45

In-person-registration begins
Wednesday, November 3, 2010 10 a.m.

**Oak Creek residents have first priority
For more information contact
Oak Creek Public Library 764-4400.**

SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL

The blowing and/or shoveling of snow onto City streets is a violation of the City of Oak Creek Municipal Code & is subject to a ticket which carries a \$114 fine. Section 6.24(c) reads as follows: “Prohibited Placement. No person, except the State, County or City shall deposit or cause to be deposited, upon any street, alley, sidewalk, parkway, or public land, any snow or ice taken or removed from his premises. No person, except the State, County, or City shall use private or public lands within the City as a place for the disposal or dumping of snow or ice from public or private property or from another municipality except with the permission of the owner. The deposit of any snow or ice upon any street, alley, sidewalk, parkway, or public lands of the City, contrary to the provisions of this Chapter, shall be and is hereby declared to be a nuisance. The City may remove any snow and ice so deposited and cause the costs of such removal to be charged to the owner or occupant of the property from which said snow or ice was removed and illegally deposited, pursuant to Section 66.60(16), Wis. Stats.”



Property owners are also required to keep the mailboxes and fire hydrants located on their property clear of snow and ice per Section 6.24(d) as follows: “Hydrants and Mailboxes. Every property owner or occupant shall keep all fire hydrants and mailboxes abutting his/her property free and clear of all snow and ice.”

FAIR HOUSING IS YOUR RIGHT

Seeking housing is never an easy task. For many Milwaukee County residents, illegal discrimination makes finding & keeping housing much more difficult than it should be. Housing discrimination is common, yet most people remain unaware of its prevalence. Equal housing opportunity – the idea that all people should have equal access to all the housing they can afford – is still an elusive dream for our community.

Fair housing laws make it illegal for housing providers (landlords, real estate agents, apartment managers, etc.) to discriminate based on any of the following categories:
* Race * Sex * Color * Disability
* National origin/Ancestry
* Religion * Marital Status * Age

- * Family status (household composition, including presence of children)
 - * Sexual orientation
 - * Lawful source of income
- Housing discrimination appears in many different forms. Sometimes housing providers discriminate overtly by making statements to applicants such as “we only rent to working people,” “no kids allowed,” or “we don’t rent to single moms.”

METROPOLITAN MILWAUKEE FAIR HOUSING COUNCIL

In this day and age, however, housing discrimination is often subtle & difficult to detect. Sometimes people leave an interaction with a housing provider not knowing that they were treated differently than other people because of their race, because they have kids or because they have a disability.

- The following are some possible “red flags” that may indicate illegal discrimination:
- * You called about an apartment for rent. You were told that it has been rented, but you continue to see that apartment advertised in the newspaper or with a “for rent” sign.
 - * You ask to make an appointment to see an apartment, & the landlord tells you that you must bring your entire family along
 - * A landlord or apartment manager gives you confusing or contradictory information.
 - * You are told of extremely long waiting lists.
 - * You are told that you don’t meet a housing provider’s eligibility criteria, but the provider won’t tell you what the eligibility requirements are.
 - * A landlord, rental manager, or real estate agent doesn’t return your phone calls.
 - * Your lease is non-renewed for no apparent reason.
 - * Your landlord refuses to allow you to make modifications to your apartment to make it physically accessible for you.

If you’re concerned that you may have experienced a violation of fair housing law, there are ways to address the problem. Victims of housing discrimination have the right to pursue complaints in public administrative agencies, such as the Wisconsin Equal Rights Division. People with housing discrimination complaints may also file lawsuits in state or federal court. If you have any questions regarding housing discrimination, fair housing laws and what your options may be for pursuing a complaint of housing discrimination, call the Metropolitan Milwaukee Fair Housing Council at **278-1240**.

SPECIAL PICK UPS

In addition to the fall & spring clean-ups that are provided at NO CHARGE, the City of Oak Creek provides special pick-ups for residents for a fee of \$15 for the following items:

Appliances (A \$15 additional fee will be charged for Freon appliances – refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers, air conditioners & water coolers)

- * Furniture
- * Mattresses
- * Carpeting/Padding
- * Metals of any kind
- * Televisions

Special pick-ups are done on Friday mornings ONLY. Items for pick up must be at the road by 6:45 a.m. on the scheduled Friday. Residents requesting special pick ups must prepay their fees before noon on Thursday prior to pick up, in order to be put on that Friday’s pick up schedule.

- Please note that special pick ups **will not** be done for the following items:
- * Branches
 - * Yard Waste
 - * Recyclables
 - * Contractor generated materials
 - * Hazardous Waste
 - * Tires
 - * Concrete

Community Education

Event Line 768-6163

*Join us at the
Oak Creek –Franklin
Foundation for Education*

Community Walk for Education

Saturday, October 2, 2010

**Oak Creek High School
Knights Stadium
8:00 a.m. Registration
9:00 a.m. Walk Begins**

*Gather with friends, neighbors and family
to promote education*

The Oak Creek-Franklin Foundation For Education is an independent community organization committed to enhancing educational opportunities of students in our school district.

A 3-mile *casual* walk through Oak Creek

- Refreshments, prizes, entertainment
- \$15/adult; \$10/student; \$45/family
- Free T-shirt if registered before Monday, Sept. 20

Registration forms are available in all district schools and throughout Oak Creek beginning August 3.
Online at: www.oakcreek.k12.wi.us
Go to - Community Link
Go to - Education Foundation

See you at The Walk!



Community Education

FALL 2010 Programs

View a full catalog and register on-line at:

Oakcreek.k12.wi.us

Go to: community education

Register on line

Pay by mail or walk-in service

Arts & Crafts Jewelry Making
Basketry

Cooking Grilling With George
Pizza Pizzazz
Easy Elegant Holidays
Restaurant Knockoffs

Social Chess
Get Your Book Published
Spanish

Self-Help De-cluttering Solutions for Busy
Families

Family Welcome Baby
Homework Help
Family Friendly Websites

Financial Personal Finance for Women
Planning Because You Care
Taming the High Cost of College

Computers Intro to Computers Microsoft Office
2003 & 2007 Classes

***Call our event line at 414-768-6163 for a full
catalog!***

Discount Tickets: Fall, Winter & Spring 2010/2011

- ✓ Tickets **CANNOT** be refunded, returned or exchanged
- ✓ See flyers for details & hours/dates of operation
- ✓ **Tickets arrive in September - Call for availability**
- ✓ **Sorry, NO CHECKS** accepted
- ✓ **CASH, MasterCard, VISA, American Express or Discover Cards** accepted**
- ✓ See individual tickets for expiration dates
- ✓ We do not mail brochures or tickets
- ✓ Tickets sold first-come, first-served and will not be held
- ✓ **Tickets sold thru Friday, May 13, 2011 or stock is depleted**

**** NOTE: \$.80 transaction fee charged PER TICKET when paying by credit/debit card****

Purchase tickets only IN PERSON at:

Oak Creek Parks, Rec & Forestry
8640 S. Howell Ave (inside City Hall)

Tickets Sales Hours:

Monday thru Friday, 8 AM to 4:45 PM

<i>Ticket Information</i>	Ages	Price at Parks & Rec	Gate Price	Save \$\$
Milwaukee Bucks-Lower Level Ticket Voucher** - Regular Season Game! Single game tickets for '10-'11 season. Nov-April Games only! Exemptions include home opener, Boston, Chicago, Lakers, Miami & Orlando. Bucks reserve the right to exclude additional games. ** Vouchers are purchased in the Rec Office and the purchaser <u>mails</u> them to the Buck's Ticket Office. Tkt Office mails tickets to purchaser.	3 & above (Child 2 & under FREE)	\$27.00	\$51.00	\$24.00
Milwaukee Bucks -Upper Level Tickets Voucher** - Regular Season Games. Single game tickets for '10-'11 season. Nov-April Games only! Exemptions include home opener, Boston, Chicago, Lakers, Miami & Orlando. Bucks reserve the right to exclude additional games. ** Vouchers are purchased in the Rec Office and the purchaser <u>mails</u> them to the Buck's Ticket Office. Tkt Office mails tickets to purchaser.	3 & above (Child 2 & under FREE)	\$12.00	\$24.00	\$12.00
Country Springs - Weekday Waterpark Pass Season Sept. 7, 2010-May 15, 2011. Valid Monday thru Thursday. Children younger than 16 must be accompanied by an adult. Children 23 months & under FREE.	2 & above	\$12.00	\$15.00	\$3.00
Country Springs - Weekend Waterpark Pass Season Sept. 7, 2010-May 15, 2011. Valid Friday thru Sunday. Children younger than 16 must be accompanied by an adult. Children 23 months & under FREE.	2 & above	\$19.00	\$25.00	\$6.00
Mt. Olympus Water & Theme Park This ticket is good for all indoor water and theme park activities. If any outdoor water or theme park rides are open during the fall/winter/spring season, they will be included with this ticket. (Certain extreme rides, lazer tag, rock wall not included) Some height restrictions apply and hours are subject to change without notice. Season: 09/08/10 - 05/01/11	No one is FREE	\$9.50	\$19.99	\$10.49
Hotel Rome in Mt. Olympus Water & Theme Park Hotel package includes 1 night stay (double queen room) & up to 4 tickets to Mt. Olympus Indoor Water & Theme Park. Tickets are good for the day of check in & out) Includes Outdoor Theme Park 9/7/10 - mid-Oct. & late March to 5/1/11. Certificate is NOT valid on Saturday and black out days: Oct 28 & 29, Nov 24 thru 26, Dec. 20 thru Jan 2, Jan 14 & 16, Feb. 11, 13, 18 & 20, March 12 thru April 8, April 22, May 13 & May 20. Tickets purchased at Rec Office, customer phones to make reservation & give voucher number. Customer will receive reservation number and they must mention this number at the time of check in along with presenting the voucher. Season 9/8/10 - 5/15/11		\$67.00	On site Prices: \$80 - \$160	\$13 - \$93 depending on night & number of tickets
Zoo-Milwaukee County - Adult (parking not included)	13 & above	\$9.25	\$11.75	\$2.50
Zoo -Milwaukee County Zoo - Child Children age 2 and under FREE	3 thru 12	\$6.25	\$8.75	\$2.50



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HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department is **closed** on the following holidays:

Labor Day: Monday, September 6, 2010

Thanksgiving: Thurs & Fri. Nov. 25 & 26, 2010

Christmas & New Years: Dec. 23, 24 & 30, 31

DEPARTMENT FUNDING

The Oak Creek Common Council provides revenue for Department operations during the year. Non-residents, therefore, are required to pay additional fees for recreation activities.

EMPLOYMENT

PARKS, RECREATION & FORESTRY: Employment applications are available in the Parks, Recreation & Forestry office or online at www.oakcreekwi.org. Applications may be submitted up to one year in advance.

VOLUNTEERS: Please contact the Recreation Supervisor to discuss volunteer opportunities at 768-6515.

CITY EMPLOYMENT: Persons interested in working for the City should visit the City's website at: www.oakcreekwi.org or contact the City Administrator's Office at 768-6591.

AMERICAN WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Oak Creek will make reasonable efforts to accommodate persons with disabilities in the provision of City services, programs or activities. If you require special accommodation in order to participate in a city parks/recreation program, please let us know when you register.

Web Trac !

Register any time (day or night)
for Recreation classes
in the comfort of your
home or office!



<http://city.oakcreekwi.org/webtrac/>

New--

- ✓ **No service charges!**
 - ✓ **No transaction limits!**
- MasterCard, Visa,
Discover & American Express

CONTACT US

OAK CREEK PARKS, RECREATION & FORESTRY:

Office Hours: Monday - Friday
8 AM - 4:45 PM

Office Phone: (414) 768-6515

Office Fax: (414) 768-6518

Visit us at: www.oakcreekwi.org



For cancellation information, please call:
(414) 299-9721

Press 1 for General Information-all others

Press 2 for Team Sports Information

Press 3 for Registration Information

STEP UP TO HEALTH:

We are proud to announce that Oak Creek is a Step Up to Health Community.



*** Fall Poster Contest on Page 47***

SMILE! YOUR PHOTOS WANTED TOO!

On occasion, our staff may take pictures of participants in our programs. These pictures are for our future program brochures/bulletin boards.



Have you taken photos of recreation activities, fun in our parks, beautiful scenery in Oak Creek? We are always looking for good quality photos (digital photos preferred) to use in the "Acorn" and in our brochures.

For further information contact Deb at:

dlukasik@oakcreekwi.org

768-6515

"Acorn" NEWSLETTER & REC. GUIDE

Acorn is published 3 times a year:

* end of April * mid-August

* mid-December

Residents watch your
mailbox or
visit us online at:
www.oakcreekwi.org

FINE PRINT: Things You Should Know

Is She/He Old Enough?

For all programs, **age requirements will be as of the date of the first class**, unless otherwise specified. Please do not request to have your child put in a class he/she does not belong in. All age requirements are set to benefit the children and make instruction more consistent for the program leader. In some instances, the requirements have been set for the child's safety.



How Much Is It?

Fees and charges are assessed according to the cost of the program. The Department does not want to exclude children who are unable to pay fees due to financial hardship. Resident families unable to pay all or part of the fees should contact the office.

Need To Transfer?

Transfers will be made at no charge.

Need A Refund?

Refunds will be made upon request up until 1/3 of the scheduled classes have been held (i.e. 3 classes of a 10 week session) except as noted in individual class descriptions. You may expect your refund check 2 to 4 weeks after your request is received.

A \$3 service fee will be charged on each refund initiated by the participant.

Open House

You are welcome to discuss your child's progress after each class and attend the open house held during the final class session.

Makeups?

Classes missed for individual absences (i.e. illness, vacations, etc.) are not "made up" nor may participants attend classes other than the one they are registered for.

Activities cancelled by the Department will be rescheduled, if possible. If a class is unable to be rescheduled, no refunds will be issued.

Can I Watch?

In an effort to avoid distractions and interruptions in instruction, for your child to have recreation time with his/her peers, and for adults to have time in an adult-only atmosphere, relatives, friends and/or other children are not permitted in classrooms or the pool during instruction.

Have A Complaint?

If a class does not meet your expectations, please contact the Oak Creek Parks, Recreation & Forestry Office at 768-6515 to discuss your concerns.

Do You Have Insurance?

Insurance coverage for program participants is not provided by the Department or by the School District for Department sponsored activities.

Where Do I Park? Enter?

DEERFIELD: Front entrance to school.

EDGEWOOD: Gym doors at rear of building.

HIGH SCHOOL: Main doors or East Entrance #21

SHEPARD HILLS: North doors next to the playground.

WEST MIDDLE SCHOOL: Southwest doors at the back of school next to dumpster.

EAST MIDDLE SCHOOL: Entrance #7

ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL: 2525 W. Oakwood Road. Please enter using the driveway located behind the church, between the church and cemetery

Am I A Resident?

The resident fee applies to any person whose primary residence is within the Oak Creek city limits at the time of registration and children in the Oak Creek-Franklin School District. Current proof of City residency is required as of January 1 each year to receive resident fees.

What If?

My child wants to be on the same team or in a class with a friend or sibling.

Siblings who meet the requirements for the same class section or sports league will be placed together unless otherwise requested in writing by the parent or guardian. All other requests for unrelated children to be placed together:

- ◆ are not guaranteed
- ◆ will be for a maximum of 3 persons
- ◆ may result in the entire group being placed on the waiting list
- ◆ must be in writing and signed by parents/guardians of both children

I want to register with my adult friend:

- ◆ If one person is placed on the wait list, the entire group will be placed on the wait list
- ◆ If one person is a non-resident, the entire group will be processed during non-resident registration (if space is available)

Note: All "Buddy Link" Requests:

- ◆ If you request a buddy link and "the buddy" does not register by lottery deadline, you will be wait listed for the class.

Proof of Date of Birth

- ◆ Proof of date of birth for all children is required at their first registration.
- ◆ If the child's name does not match the parent who is presenting proof of residency, proof of residency in the child's name will be required at their first registration.



Swim

OPEN SWIM Sept. 23 - Dec. 7

Tuesday & Thursday 7:05 - 8:15 PM

Open Swim is held in the Oak Creek Senior High School Pool (east entrance #21) & is FREE to Oak Creek residents.

Open Swim is cancelled--
Tuesday, October 12

Note:

- * All children under 6 years of age must be accompanied by an adult in the water (preferably a parent) during open swim
- * Children under 2 years of age are not permitted in the pool during open swim
- * We do not allow substitutes for swim suits
- * Only swimmers & lifeguards/instructors allowed in the pool area during open swim & lessons!

AVERAGE POOL TEMPERATURE 80 DEGREES, MINIMUM DEPTH 3 FT.

LAP SWIM Ages 16 & Up

September 23 - December 7

8:15 - 9:00 PM
Tuesdays & Thursdays

Lap swim is cancelled--
Tuesday, October 12

Note:

NO children permitted in the pool area during lap swim



Persons new to the program should read the skill descriptions for each level to determine their correct placement.

Age and height requirements are set for the safety & welfare of the students! *Please do not ask for exceptions.*

BEFORE YOU GET WET!

ONLY LIFEGUARDS AND SWIMMERS ARE PERMITTED IN THE POOL AREA DURING SWIM INSTRUCTION & OPEN SWIM.

For safety reasons masks that cover the nose, flotation devices including life jackets, and other equipment and toys are not allowed during open swim.

Unexpected pool closings can occur. Always check to be sure the pool is open & has not reached maximum capacity before leaving children for open swim.

Locker room attendants are NOT on duty, however, locker room checks are made by pool staff. Locks left overnight may be removed at the discretion of the Department. The Department/School District is not responsible for any lost or stolen articles.



Average pool temperature: 80 degrees.

Minimum depth: 36"

PLACE: Oak Creek Senior High School Pool

ENTER: Enter through the east doors #21

IMPORTANT: Participants must provide their own suit (no substitutes allowed).

**RED CROSS CERTIFIED
SWIM INSTRUCTORS**

- | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Lindsay Allard | Carley Guzikowski |
| Amy Hildebrandt | Callia Johnson |
| Dana Johnson | Emily Malinowski |
| Kim Merath | Jonathan Mertz |
| Carol Pultz | Steve Trate |

Need Information? Questions?

**Contact the Rec Department at--
Mon-Fri, 8 am - 4:45 pm
768-6515**

American Red Cross: Learn to Swim (Ages 2 - 14)

LITTLE DIPPERS AGES 2 - 5

Little Dippers I (5 classes)

Familiarize your child with the water, help them enjoy water activities and games and teach them foundation swim skills. Children ages 2-5 will swim and play with a parent or other adult.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
321001-A1	9/22	Wed	6:00-6:30 pm	\$19/\$28
321001-B1	9/18	Sat	11:30 am-12 pm	\$19/\$28
321001-C1 *	10/25	Mon	6:00-6:40 pm	\$19/\$28

Little Dippers II

Parents will help their children build on the skills learned in Little Dipper 1. Enjoy games and activities that teach your child to enjoy the water and prepare them for the next levels of swim lessons.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
321002-A1 *	10/27	Wed	6:00-6:40 pm	\$19/\$28
321002-B1	10/16	Sat	11:00-11:30 am	\$19/\$28
321002-C1	9/20	Mon	6:00-6:30 pm	\$19/\$28

Those classes with an * 4 - 40 minute classes

NOTE: Swimmers who are not toilet trained must wear a commercially available swim diaper.

Location: OCHS Pool



Level I - Intro to Water Skills (9 classes)

Children who have completed 5 yr old Kindergarten & are at least 42" tall. For children with minimal or no previous swim lesson experience. No swim skills required.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
321101-A1	9/22	Wed	6:45-7:30 pm	\$32/\$48
321101-B2	9/18	Sat	10:00-10:50 am	\$32/\$48
321101-C1	9/20	Mon	6:00-6:45 pm	\$32/\$48

Level I - Parent/Child (9 classes)

Parents will help their child learn the skills taught in the Level I Intro to Water Skills class. For 4 year olds who have completed Little Dippers 2, or children 5 and up who have not completed 5yr Kindergarten and/or are not 42" tall. No swim skills are required.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
321102-B1	9/18	Sat	12:00-12:50 pm	\$34/\$51
321102-C1	9/20	Mon	6:45-7:30 pm	\$34/\$51

Level 2 - Fundamental Aquatic skills (9 classes)

For children who meet the age and height requirements for Level 1 AND have passed Level 1, with or without parent, OR can travel 5 yards in the water, bob 3 times exhaling underwater, exit water independently, glide on front with support, roll onto back and float. Swim on front and back 2 body lengths.

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
321201-A1	6-14	9/22	Wed	6:00-6:45 pm	\$32/\$48
321201-A2	6-14	9/22	Wed	7:30-8:15 pm	\$32/\$48
321201-B2	6-14	9/18	Sat	11:00-11:50 am	\$32/\$48
321201-C1	6-13	9/20	Mon	7:30-8:15 pm	\$32/\$48

Level 2 - Parent & Child (9 classes)

Age 4 through 6 who have passed Level 1- with parent. or who have acquired the skills to pass Level 1, but have not completed 5 yr Kindergarten and/or are not 42" tall.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
321202-A1	9/22	Wed	6:45-7:30 pm	\$34/\$51



Level 3 - Stroke Development (9 classes)

Swimmers who meet height and age requirement for classes without parent or who have passed Level 2 or Level 2 with parent. Must be able to step into chest deep water, front float 5 seconds, roll over & back float 5 seconds, front glide and swim 15 body lengths on front and back, tread water, and fully submerge for 5 seconds.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
321301-A1	9/22	Wed	7:30-8:15 pm	\$32/\$48
321301-B1	9/18	Sat	10:00-10:50 am	\$32/\$48
321301-C1	9/20	Mon	6:45-7:30 pm	\$32/\$48
321301-C2	9/20	Mon	7:30-8:15 pm	\$32/\$48



Level 4 - Stroke Improvement (9 classes)

Swimmers who have previously passed Level 3 or can jump into deep water, front crawl 20 yards (face in) with rhythmic breathing, tread water 30 seconds, swim elementary backstroke 20 yards.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
321401-A1	9/22	Wed	6:00-6:45 pm	\$32/\$48
321401-B1	9/18	Sat	12:00-12:50 pm	\$32/\$48
321401-C1	9/20	Mon	6:00-6:45 pm	\$32/\$48

Learn to Swim (Ages 2 - 14)

Level 5 - Stroke Refinement (9 classes)

For those who have previously passed Level 4 or who can enter the water head first, swim front crawl, with rotary breathing and elementary backstroke 25 yards. Swim breaststroke, butterfly and sidestroke 15 yards, tread water for 2 minutes.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
321501-A1	9/22	Wed	6:45-7:30 pm	\$32/\$48
321501-C1	9/20	Mon	6:45-7:30 pm	\$32/\$48



Level 6 - Fundamentals of Diving (9 classes)

For those who have previously passed Level 5 or who can shallow dive in deep water, swim 50 yards front crawl & elementary backstroke, 25 yards breaststroke, butterfly, back crawl and side-stroke & tread water 5 minutes.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
321601-A1	9/22	Wed	7:30-8:15 pm	\$32/\$48
321601-C1	9/20	Mon	7:30-8:15 pm	\$32/\$48

PROOF OF RESIDENCY & DATE OF BIRTH REQUIREMENTS:

- Proof of date of birth at a child's first registration.
- If the child's name does not match the parent who is presenting proof of residency, proof of residency will be required for the child at their "first" registration.
- Proof of residency/attendance in Oak Creek Franklin School District is required at time of first registration and January 1 of each year.

**QUESTIONS ?
(414) 768-6515**

Open Basketball (Teen & Adult)

TEEN OPEN BASKETBALL AGES 11-17

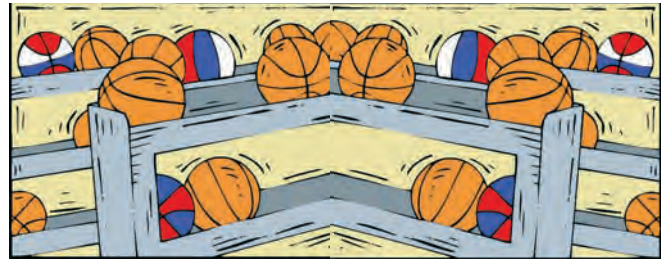
<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>BEGINS / ENDS</u>
Sunday	3 - 5 PM	Oct. 10- Nov. 14

Fee: \$1 Residents with ID*
\$2 Non-resident*
(*fee paid at the door per session)

Residents must have identification available when arriving.

LOCATION: WEST MIDDLE SCHOOL GYM

ENTER: southwest doors at back of school by dumpsters



OPEN BASKETBALL PROGRAM - Ages 18 & Up

Adults in the community may attend the Open Basketball Program in the West Middle School Gym.

<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>AGE(S)</u>	<u>BEGINS / ENDS</u>
Sunday	6-7:30 PM	35 & Up	Oct 10- Nov 14
Sunday	7:30-9 PM	18 & Up	Oct 10- Nov 14

Location: West Middle School Gym
ENTER: Southwest doors at back of school by dumpster

Fee: \$3 Residents with ID / \$5 Non-residents
(fee paid at the door per session)

Residents must have identification available when arriving.

Kids Stuff



Fitness Fun

5 - 45 minute classes

Enjoy ball and bean bag activities, hula hoops, rhythm activities, games and fun! Improve fitness, coordination, social skills and more. Children must be toilet trained.

Instructor: Hope Goelz

Location: Shepard Hills Gym

No class: 11/11, 11/25

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
341201-A1	3-4	9/23	Thu	6:00-6:45 pm	\$18/\$27
341201-A2	3-4	10/28	Thu	6:00-6:45 pm	\$18/\$27
341201-B1	4-5	9/23	Thu	6:45-7:30 pm	\$18/\$27
341201-B2	4-6	10/28	Thu	6:45-7:30 pm	\$18/\$27

Check out--

TODDLER PLAYTIME

See page 28

Bowling (Grades K5 thru 8)

6 classes

Beginners learn to properly select, grip and throw a bowling ball under the tutelage of an on-lane coach. Returning students will refresh their beginner techniques, add the 4 step approach and learn spare shooting and scoring. Fee includes 2 games of bowling and shoe rental. End time is approximate.

Location:
South Park Lanes
305 N. Chicago Ave.
South Milwaukee



No class: 12/25 & 1/1

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
341001-A1	9/11	Sat	10:30 am-12 pm	\$35/\$35
341001-A2	10/23	Sat	10:30 am-12 pm	\$35/\$35
341001-A3	12/4	Sat	10:30 am-12 pm	\$35/\$35



Mite Sports



Players learn basic skills and play in "just for fun" scrimmages. Rules and proper play are introduced and everyone gets an equal chance to play. Fun, learning & sportsmanship are stressed at all times.

Parents are invited to watch a game on the final day of class.

Instructor: Hope Goelz

Location: Shepard Hills Gym

Soccer- Ages 4 & 5

5 - 45 minute classes

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
341302-A1	9/25	Sat	9:00-9:45 am	\$18/\$27
341302-A2	9/25	Sat	9:45-10:30 am	\$18/\$27
341302-A3	9/25	Sat	10:30-11:15 am	\$18/\$27

Basketball

5 - 45 minute classes

No class: 11/27

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
341301-A1	6-7	11/6	Sat	9:00-9:45 am	\$18/\$27
341301-A2	4-6	11/6	Sat	9:45-10:30 am	\$18/\$27
341301-A3	4-6	11/6	Sat	10:30-11:15 am	\$18/\$27
341301-A4	4-6	11/6	Sat	8:15-9:00 am	\$18/\$27



Itty Bitty All Stars (Ages 3 - 5)



5 -45 minute classes

Children will play games and activities relating to a different sport or sports each week. The class will emphasize fundamental skills of throwing, catching, kicking, and more while having fun and learning the basics of a variety of sports. Children should wear play type clothing and gym shoes. Parents do not accompany children in class; however there will be a waiting area available in the St John's school building. Children should be potty trained enough to make it through class without a diaper.

Instructor: Lindsay Allard

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
341203-A1	9/21	Tue	9 - 9:45 am	\$18/\$27
341203-A2	11/2	Tues	9 - 9:45 am	\$18/\$27

Kids Stuff

Themed Crafts Classes

Ages 2.5 to 5 with parent/adult

Instructor: Deborah A. Chvilicek



Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Please dress for a mess. Wear old clothes and a smock!

Please bring only the child(ren) registered for this activity to class

LET'S TIE DYE - 1 class

Participants will be using a variety of craft materials. All supplies are provided. Wear old clothes or bring a smock. Each child will design their own tie dye shirt using dyes in squirt bottles. Dyes are permanent!

All materials, including shirts (youth sizes small or medium) are provided.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
342101-A1	9/16	Thu	9 - 10 am	\$6/\$9

FALL SCARECROW - 1 class

Make an approximately 3 ft. tall scarecrow to take home and display this fall.

All materials are provided.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
342101-A2	10/7	Thu	9 - 10 am	\$6/\$9

HALLOWEEN GHOSTS - 1 class

It's time for the ghosts and goblins, trick or treat and all kinds of spooky things. Make a ghost to hang in your yard, or in the house

All materials are provided.

Finished ghost is 2-3 ft. long.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
342101-A3	10/21	Thu	9 - 10 am	\$6/\$9



FEED THE BIRDS - 1 class

Feed the birds with a bread and cereal treat, and a hanging feeder made from a decorated foam bowl. Put them outside and watch the birds come and enjoy their own Thanksgiving feast.

All materials provided.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
342101-A4	11/4	Thu	9 - 10 am	\$6/\$9

Kids Stuff

More Themed Crafts Classes

Ages 2.5 to 5 with parent/adult



TURKEY & PLACEMAT - 1 class

November is all about turkeys and colorful leaves. Make your own pinecone turkey decoration, and a fall leaf placemat you can use yourself or use as a picture.

All materials provided

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
342101-A5	11/18	Thu	9 - 10 am	\$6/\$9



NO SEW HAT & SCARF - 1 class

The cold winds are blowing and you can make your own “no sew” hat and scarf so you are warm and cozy all winter

All materials provided.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
342101-A6	12/2	Thu	9 - 10 am	\$6/\$9

HOLIDAY ORNAMENTS - 1 class

We'll put together several ornaments and make a bag of magic Reindeer food to sprinkle outside for Rudolph and his friends.

All materials provided

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
342101-A7	12/16	Thu	9 - 10 am	\$6/\$9



Arts & Crafts

8 – 45 minute classes

Participants will be using a variety of craft materials.

All supplies are provided.

Wear old clothes or bring a smock.

Instructor: Rebecca Riddle

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
342001-A1	4-5	9/21	Tue	6:00-6:45 pm	\$20/\$30
342001-A2	6-8	9/21	Tue	7:00-7:45 pm	\$20/\$30

Crafts & Snacks (Ages 5 - 8) 1 class

Mom and Dad can get out for some last minute shopping, or take a much needed break, while the kids make holiday themed crafts and snacks. We'll supply the materials and clean up the mess.

Please inform us of any food allergies so we can prepare.

Instructor: Deborah A. Chvilicek

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
342102-A1	12/18	Sat	10 am-12 pm	\$12/\$18

Kids Stuff

Wee Cook (2.5 - 4 with parent or other adult)



4 – 1 hour classes

Have fun making creative, child friendly snacks requiring minimal preparation and little or no cooking, then enjoy taste testing your creation. Our little chefs will color a page in their "cookbook" for the recipes used in class.

Instructor: Deborah A. Chvilicek

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
341204-A1	9/21	Tue	10 - 11 am	\$24/\$36
341204-A2	10/26	Tue	10 - 11 am	\$24/\$36

Gymboree Art II (Ages 24-36 mths)

5 - 30 minute classes

We'll use our imaginations to create masterpieces with different art materials and textures that coordinate with the selected theme. This class focuses on developing creativity and imagination, as well as early social skills and fine motor skills

Class will not meet on: 11/24

Instructor: Gymboree Instructor(s)

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
349102-A1	9/29	Wed	7:20-7:50 pm	\$42/\$45
349102-A2	11/3	Wed	7:20-7:50 pm	\$42/\$45

Little Learners (Ages 2.5 - 4 yrs)

6 - 45 minute classes



Boost your child's language, coordination, and listening skills through active games, stories, and songs. The class will integrate a variety of learning ideas with a big helping of fun to promote important pre-school concepts and social skills. Parents do not accompany children during this class. Children in diapers may attend, however parents of children in diapers must remain in the building in case the child needs changing. A waiting area will be available.

Instructor: Amy Hildebrandt

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
341205-A1	9/20	Mon	10-10:45 am	\$20/\$30
341205-A2	11/8	Mon	10-10:45 am	\$20/\$30

Gymboree Explorers (Ages 2-3)

5 - 30 minute classes

Your child's creative thinking, gross motor and social skills will all get a boost in this class. We'll top off the class with our signature parachute time and lots of our patented bubbles. Please bring ONLY the child/children registered for this class to classes. Thank you!

Class will not meet on: 11/24

Instructor: Gymboree Instructor(s)

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
349103-A1	9/29	Wed	6:40-7:10 pm	\$42/\$45
349103-A2	11/3	Wed	6:40-7:10 pm	\$42/\$45

Toddler Playtime

The gym will be open for Toddlers and Preschoolers to play while mom, dad or other caretaker supervise and enjoy social time with other adults. Toys and "climbers" will be available for the kids.



Location: St. John's School, 2525 W. Oakwood Rd

Day	Time	Begins/Ends
Monday	9 - 11 am	9/20 - 11/8
Thursday	10 - 11:30 am	9/23 - 11/11

FEE PAY AT THE DOOR PER SESSION:
\$2 per adult with child(ren)

Gymboree Toddlers (Ages 12 mths thru 2 yrs)

5 - 30 minute classes

Enhance gross motor skills, increase self esteem and develop social skills with specially designed games, songs and activities. We'll top off the class with our signature parachute time and lots of our patented bubbles.

Class will not meet on: 11/24

Instructor: Gymboree Instructor(s)

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
349104-A1	9/29	Wed	6:00-6:30 pm	\$42/\$45
349104-A2	11/3	Wed	6:00-6:30 pm	\$42/\$45

Kids Stuff

Babysitting - Ages 11 to 16

The Red Cross Babysitting Course helps you learn the responsibilities of a babysitter. Topics include: safety, supervision and basic care of children. Attendance at all class sessions and completion of ALL written assignments and skills are required to receive certification. Make up classes are not available.

Bring a pen or pencil & a snack/beverage if you would like one.

NO REFUNDS AFTER 4:45PM 1 DAY PRIOR TO CLASS START.

Instructor: Susan Stadler

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Activ/Sect#	Dates	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
340001-A1	9/28 & 10/5	Tue	6-9 pm	\$38/\$56
340001-A2	10/20 & 10/27	Wed	6-9 pm	\$38/\$56
340001-A3	11/8 & 11/15	Mon	6-9 pm	\$38/\$56
340001-A4	12/1 & 12/8	Wed	6-9 pm	\$38/\$56



Drama

10 classes
Student enrolled in grades 1-6 when class begins. Join the fun! Be a part of the Oak Creek Parks, Recreation and Forestry instructional theater class. Discover the basic fundamentals of acting through training in stage direction, facial expressions, character development, vocal interpretation, gestures and auditioning.

Instructor: Dawn Leys

Location: East Middle School-6A Common Area

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
341101-A1	9/20	Mon, Thurs	6 - 8 pm	\$26/\$39

Tumbling

Beginning tumbling and balance skills for children ages 4 & 5. Need an active outlet for the child who is always twisting, turning and upside down? Tumbling is a fun way to use that energy while building upper body strength, coordination and balance.

Reminder: Students are not accompanied by parents during class sessions.

Children must be toilet trained.

Dress: Please wear a leotard or t-shirt and shorts or sweats. No jewelry or clothing with zippers or belt buckles. Long hair should be tied up and shoes may not be worn on mats.

Instructor: Andrea Chasin

Location: SrHi Wrestling Room



Tails Over Whiskers - Ages 4 & 5

5 - 45 minute classes

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
345001-A1	9/20	Mon	6:00-6:45 pm	\$22/\$33
345001-A2	9/20	Mon	6:45-7:30 pm	\$22/\$33
345001-A3	11/1	Mon	6:00-6:45 pm	\$22/\$33
345001-A4	11/1	Mon	6:45-7:30 pm	\$22/\$33

Beginners - Ages 5 & Up

5 -45 minute classes

Need an active outlet for the child who is always twisting, turning and upside down? Tumbling is a fun way to use that energy while building upper body strength, coordination and balance. Dress: Please wear a leotard or t-shirt and shorts or sweats. No jewelry or clothing with zippers or belt buckles. Long hair should be tied up and shoes may not be worn on mats.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
345002-A1	9/20	Mon	7:30-8:15 pm	\$22/\$33
345002-A2	11/1	Mon	7:30-8:15 pm	\$22/\$33

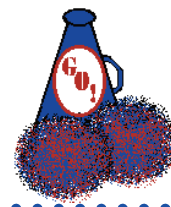
Hype Spirit Cheer (Ages 5-12)

- 6 - 45 minute sessions
- Motions, jumps, stunting, new cheers, chants and dances are the things you'll learn from a Hype Expert at the Hype Spirit cheer class! All participants will sharpen their cheerleading skills, learning and using the proper cheer technique in cheers, chants & dance.

• Location: SrHi Cafeteria

Instructor: Hype Instructor

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
• 349201-A1	5-7	9/22	Wed	6-6:45 pm	\$21/\$23.50
• 349201-A2	8-12	9/22	Wed	7-7:45 pm	\$21/\$23.50



Kids Stuff

Dance

6 - 30 minute sessions

Instructor: Instructor Needed

Location: SrHi Cafeteria.

Wear: Plain leotard and tights, or shorts, sweats and t-shirts/sweatshirt.

COMBO

Ages 4 & 5

Dance fundamentals geared toward the young student. Combo classes will include basic dance steps and rhythms used in ballet, tap and jazz.

Children age 4 must take a combo class.

NOTE: Dance shoes not required

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
349001-A1	9/23	Thur	6:00-6:30 pm	\$14/\$21



BALLET / TAP / HIP HOP

Ages 5 & Up



Students age 5 who have previously taken combo class or other prior classes.

Older students may focus on the dance style they prefer in these classes

DANCE SHOES ARE RECOMMENDED

CLASSES: Thursdays, beginning September 23

Activ/Sect#	Age	Class	Time	Res/NR Fee
349003-A1	5-15	Ballet	6:30-7:00 pm	\$14/\$21
349002-A1	5-15	Tap	7:00-7:30 pm	\$14/\$21
349004-A1	5-15	Hip Hop	7:30-8:00 pm	\$14/\$21



Golf - Youth

4 - 1 hour classes

Beginner golfers ages 10-16

Class will cover the fundamentals of swing, stance, and golf terms.

Clubs are available; participants bringing their own should bring a 7 iron to the first class.

Note: \$24 FEE for driving range balls due at 1st class payable to Gastrau's Driving Range

Instructor: Steve Gastrau

Location: Gastrau Driving Range
1300 E. Rawson Av

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
344001-A1	9/16	Thu	5 - 6 pm	\$18/\$27



Tennis Inst Youth

6 - 1 hour classes

Beginner classes for youth.

Balls are provided by the department and tennis racquets are available for use during class time. Feel free to bring your own racquet.



Instructor: Emily N. Kaestner

Location: Oak Leaf Court, 401 W Centennial Dr.

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
347501-A1	10-15	9/11	Sat	10-11 am	\$19.50/\$29.50
347501-A2	7-10	9/11	Sat	11-12 pm	\$19.50/\$29.50

All registrations opens 9/1

Elementary Soccer/Flag Football (Boys & Girls Gr 1-6)

Soccer & Flag Football REGISTRATION began August 2
for Oak Creek residents & Oak Creek-Franklin School District Students only

PHONE IN 768-6515 registration for Oak Creek residents &
 Oak Creek Franklin School District Students begins **Monday, August 9 at 8 a.m.**

Limited Spaces Available! Non-Resident Registration Opens August 16
 Register online at <http://city.oakcreekwi.org/webtrac/>



Elementary Soccer Boys & Girls: Grades 1 - 6

All participants will receive instruction in the fundamentals & basic techniques used in soccer.

Tuesday, Thursday, Tuesday
September 7, 9, 14

Practice, instruction & team selection
 Minor League (Gr. 1, 2 & 3) 4-5 PM (Tues/Thurs)
 Major League (Gr. 4, 5 & 6) 5-6 PM (Tues/Thurs)

Thursdays
September 16, 23, 30 & Oct. 7, 14, 21

Team Practices
 Minor League (Gr. 1, 2 & 3) 4-5 PM
 Major League (Gr. 4, 5 & 6) 5-6 PM

Saturdays
September 18, 25 & October 2, 9, 16, 23

Games may be scheduled on Thursdays during normal practice times as needed to complete the season.

League	Grades	Activity/Section#
Minor	1, 2, 3	354101 A1
Major	4, 5, 6	354201 A1

Location: Kicker's Creek Park, 8460 S. Chicago Rd., Oak Creek

Fee includes t-shirt: \$33 Resident / \$47.50 Non-resident

**SHIN GUARDS ARE REQUIRED FOR
SOCCER GAME PLAY**

Elementary Flag Football Boys & Girls: Grades 1 - 6

All participants will receive instruction in the fundamentals & basic techniques of flag football.



Wednesday, Friday & Saturday
September 8, 10 & 11

Practice, instruction & team selection-
 Minor League (Gr. 1, 2, & 3) 4-5 PM (Wed/Fri)
 Major League (Gr. 4, 5, & 6) 5-6 PM (Wed/Fri)
 Minor League (Gr. 1, 2, & 3) 1-2 PM (Saturday)
 Major League (Gr. 4, 5 & 6) 2-3 PM (Saturday)

Wednesdays
September 15, 22, 29 & October 6, 13, 20

Team practices-
 Minor League (Gr. 1, 2, & 3) 4-5 PM
 Major League (Gr. 4, 5 & 6) 5-6 PM

Saturdays
September 18, 25 & October 2, 9, 16, 23

Games may be scheduled on Wednesdays during normal practice times as needed to complete the season.

League	Grades	Activity/Section#
Minor	1, 2 & 3	353101 A1
Major	4, 5 & 6	353201 A1

Location: Kicker's Creek Park, 8460 S. Chicago Rd., Oak Creek

Fee includes t-shirt: \$33 Resident / \$47.50 Non-resident

NO SPIKES - TURF SHOES ARE OK

When registering for soccer &/or football, please specify t-shirt size, including "youth or adult" on the order form. Please **order large enough to fit a sweatshirt underneath.**

Youth Sizes: YS (6 - 8) YM (10 - 12) YL (14 - 16)
Adult Sizes: AS (34 - 36) AM (38 - 40) AL (42 - 44) AXL (46)

Youth thru Adult

Archery Bow Hunter Tune-Up (Ages 12 thru adult)

3 classes

This is a 3 week archery camp for bow hunters to sharpen their skills for the hunting season. It is held on a 14 target field course open to adults/legal age hunters and designed to give realistic hunting situations along a wooded trail.. Shoot 4 arrows per target for a total of 56 arrows. Practice butts are also available and a 10-50 yard measured sight-in target can be used for a fee. Broad head arrows allowed on a limited basis.

Directions to Big Muskego Lake can be found at:
www.schultzgunclub.com

Questions? Call Ken at 414-421-1731

Location: Schultz Gun Club

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
341502-A1	9/1	Wed	5:00-7:00 pm		\$25

All registration opens immediately

DISCOUNT GET-AWAY
ATTRACTION TICKETS
FALL / WINTER-SPRING

Pricing/Details on Page 18

Purchase tickets at:
Oak Creek Parks & Rec Office
8640 S. Howell Ave.

- ◆ *Bucks Ticket Vouchers*
- ◆ *Springs Waterpark*
- ◆ *Mt. Olympus Water & Theme Park*
- ◆ *Rome Hotel & Mt. Olympus Theme Park Package*
- ◆ *County Zoo*

TaeKwonDo (Ages 6.5 thru adult)

12 - 1 hour classes

TaeKwonDo is truly a Way of Life sport that isn't just about punching and kicking. It teaches the age old values of honor, respect and perseverance.



Other Fees: Dobok (uniform) is required.

Cost: \$40.00 youth, \$45.00 adult. Instructor will have sizing/ordering information at first class.

Testing for color belts is available; however, additional fees will apply. Protective sparring gear will need to be purchased as students advance.

NOTE: All TaeKwonDo classes will not meet on:
11/23 ,11/25

Instructor: Master John Wellstein, 3rd Degree Black Belt

Location: SrHi Wrestling Room

Beginner (12 - 1 hour classes)

Beginner is for new students, white and high-white belts. It is recommended, but not required, that beginners take classes twice per week.

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
346001-A1	6.5-17	9/14	Tue	6:30-7:30 pm	\$38/\$56	
346001-A2	18 & up	9/14	Tue	6:30-7:30 pm	\$50/\$75	
346001-A3	6.5-17	9/16	Thu	6:30-7:30 pm	\$38/\$56	
346001-A4	18 & up	9/16	Thu	6:30-7:30 pm	\$50/\$75	

Advanced Beginner (24 - 1 hour classes)

Yellow belts and above

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
346002-A1	6.5-17	9/14	Tue,Thu	7:30-8:30 pm	\$72/\$112	
346002-A2	18 & up	9/14	Tue,Thu	7:30-8:30 pm	\$100/\$150	

All TaeKwonDo registration opens immediately

Youth Basketball

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Grades 2 - 8 Separate Boys & Girls Leagues

EARLY NOVEMBER THRU
THE END OF FEBRUARY



PRACTICES:

One night per week

GAMES:

Saturday morning or after-
noon beginning approximatly
SaturdayDecember 18

LOCATION:

Middle or Elementary Schools

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Registration flyers will be available during the last week of September in the Parks & Rec Office and on the Recreation Department website at:

www.oakcreekwi.org

• Oak Creek Residents & Oak Creek Franklin School District students: Drop, fax, mail, or register online** immediately upon receipt of your flyer the last week of September at:

<http://city.oakcreekwi.org/webtrac/>

MON., OCTOBER 11 - Non-resident registration opens.

JUNIOR BASKETBALL LEAGUE K5 KINDERGARTEN & 1ST GRADE

Mixed Boys & Girls League
January 4 thru February 19

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4:



Practice, Team Selection & Schedule Distribution. Times to be scheduled between 6 - 8 pm

PRACTICES--

Saturday, January 8 afternoon **AND**

Mondays or Tuesdays, Jan. 10 thru Feb. 15

6:00-6:45 pm or 6:45-7:30 pm

Time and day to be assigned

GAMES--

Saturday afternoons

January 15 thru February 19

LOCATION--

St. John's School, 2525 W. Oakwood Rd.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Registration flyers will be available during the last week of November in the Parks & Rec Office and on the Recreation Department website at:

www.oakcreekwi.org

- Wed. December 1- Resident & OCF School District Registration opens
- Wed. December 8 - Non-Resident Registration

Youth Basketball IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Proof of residency or school attendance must be presented as of January 1 of each year.

This information must be on file with the recreation department prior to using online registration.

Proof of date of birth is required at the child's first registration with Parks & Recreation.

Health & Safety 16+



First Aid & CPR (Adult, Child & Infant)

3 - 3 hour sessions

Red Cross certification will be issued upon completion of class, including successful completion of all skills and multiple choice test. Book is included with fee.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
362001-A1	9/20	Mon	6 - 9 pm	\$32 / \$48

Adult CPR & First Aid (Ages 16+)

2 - 3 hour sessions

Red Cross certification will be issued upon completion of class, including successful completion of all skills and multiple choice test. Book is included with fee.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
362004-A1	11/2	Tue	6 - 9 pm	\$24/\$36

All Classes: Cancellations must be made by 4:45 one day prior to first class to receive a refund (minus \$3 fee)

Instructor: Susan Stadler

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd



Get Movin' - Adults & Teens 16+

Tai Chi (6-1 hour classes)

Tai Chi is a non-impact exercise program of slow controlled movements of the body, arms, hands, legs, and feet in coordination with the mind and controlled breathing. Practiced daily, Tai Chi improves body awareness, postural alignment, coordination, strength and flexibility.

Bring: Water bottle optional

Instructor: Cathy Stocker

Location: SrHi Cafeteria



Tai Chi - NEW STUDENTS

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
361004-A1*	9/14	Tue	6:00-7:00 pm	\$48/\$51
361004-A2	11/2	Tue	6:00-7:00 pm	\$48/\$51

Tai Chi - RETURNING STUDENTS

This class for returning students or those with previous Tai Chi experience will provide practice in the techniques learned in previous classes as well as continuing instruction of the form.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
361002-A1*	9/14	Tue	7:00-8:00 pm	\$48/\$51
361002-A2	11/2	Tue	7:00-8:00 pm	\$48/\$51

Simply Yoga - Ages 16+ & Up

6 - 1 hour classes

Stressed? Relax your mind while increasing strength and flexibility with simple yoga exercises. This class will teach you basic level breathing techniques and a variety of beginner level seated, standing, and mat postures.



Bring a mat and water bottle

Class will not meet on: 11/2

Instructor: Cathy Stocker

Location: East Middle School-6A Common Area

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
361005-A1*	9/15	Wed	6:00-7:00 pm	\$48/\$51
361005-A2	11/3	Wed	6:00-7:00 pm	\$48/\$51

NOTE: Classes with asterisk (*) indicate Non-Resident registration opens 9/1

Get Movin' - Adults & Teens 16+

Step Aerobics

10 - 1 hour classes
 Shape all those under worked thigh, hip and abdominal muscles without high impact stress. Steps are provided. Participants should wear aerobic/fitness shoes and comfortable clothing.



Bring mat or towel for warm up/cool down

Instructor: Bradley Uelmen

Location: SrHi Cafeteria

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
361001-A1	9/20	Mon	7:00-8:00 pm	\$39/\$58.50

Pilates

10 - 1 hour classes
 Suitable for all ages, Pilates is a full body workout designed to strengthen and tone muscles. By increasing flexibility and balance, improving posture and reducing stress, Pilates will leave you looking & feeling great.

Instructor: Kaye Kass

Location: East Middle School-6A Common Area

Beginners

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
361006-A1	9/21	Tue	7:00-8:00 pm	\$39/\$58.50

Returning Students or those with Pilates experience

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
361006-A2	9/21	Tue	8:00-9:00 pm	\$39/\$58.50

Katie Couric's Arms

9 - 1 hour classes
 Learn what this famous TV personality did to lose those hammocks that swing under your arms when you point to something. This class will include simple exercises that you can do that will strengthen and tone your arms and upper body. Bring weights if you have them (1-3 lbs recommended) or use ours, a towel, water and comfortable clothes.



Instructor: Donna E Marhal

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

No class: 9/23

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
361003-A1	9/21	Tue	6:00-7:00 pm	\$36/\$54
361003-A2	9/16	Thu	6:00-7:00 pm	\$36/\$54

Fitness Ball

10 - 1 hour classes
 Stability ball training will balance your workout and increase your strength and flexibility. This class will help with core muscle strength, balance and coordination.

Bring a mat or towel for warm-up/cool-down and a water bottle.

Fitness balls are not provided. Please bring your own fitness ball.

No class: 11/24

Instructor: Amy Hildebrandt

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
361009-A1	9/20	Mon	6:00-7:00 pm	\$39/\$58.50
361009-A2	9/29	Wed	9:30-10:15 am	\$39/\$58.50

Nordic Pole Walking

7 - 1.25 hour classes
 Turn your regular walking routine into an energy burning, calorie using workout, with less stress to your joints. Nordic Pole walking improves the condition of all your major muscle groups and improves cardiovascular fitness. It can be done almost everywhere, by persons of any age or fitness level.


Poles are available for use at the 1st class. participants will need to purchase poles for subsequent classes. Ordering information will be available at the 1st class (cost approximately \$45 with bag) or purchase at any sporting goods outlet.

Water bottle recommended

Instructor: Vickie M. Strachota

Location: Meet at SrHi Cafeteria

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
361010-A2	9/25	Sat	10:45 am-noon	\$21/\$31.50



Reminder:
 Children may not attend adult classes. Please make any necessary child care arrangements in advance. *Thank you.*

Get Movin' - Adults & Teens 16+

Zumba

Zumba fuses Latin and global music, using dynamic and energetic dance themes to give you a dose of fun and fitness. You'll dance like you've never danced before, all the while gaining the benefits of an aerobic workout. Join us and sweat it out with Zumba!



Bring a towel and a water bottle.

Zumba - Instructor Vickie M. Strachota

6 - 1 hour classes

Location: East Middle School, Rm 6A

Class will not meet: 10/28

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
361012-A1	9/23	Thu	5:45-6:45 pm	\$32/\$48	

Zumba - Hype Instructor

8- 45 minute classes

Location: SrHi Cafeteria

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
361012-A2	9/20	Mon	6:00-6:45 pm	\$35/\$52.50	

Golf Adult



4 - 1 hour classes
Learn the game or improve your score. Beginner classes focus on the fundamentals of swing, stance, and grip. Adv Beginner classes improve on the students current skills.

DRIVING RANGE BALLS: \$24 UNLIMITED
GOLF BALL FEE PAID TO GASTRAU'S

Instructor: Steve Gastrau

Location: Gastrau Driving Range, 1300 E Rawson Av

Beginner

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
364001-A1*	9/16	Thu	6:00-7:00 pm	\$32/\$48	

Advanced Beginner

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
364002-A1*	9/16	Thu	7:00-8:00 pm	\$32/\$48	

NOTE: Classes with asterisk (*) indicates
Non-Resident registration opens 9/1



Fitness Walking

HOURS: Mon. thru Thurs. 6 - 8:30 PM
Saturdays 9 AM to Noon

REGISTER for the Fitness Walking Club. Reap the benefits of staying in shape this fall & winter, while enjoying the motivation of belonging to a group.

- * All walkers **must** wear the Fitness Walking T-shirt to identify them as a walker.
- * **Option:** Earn milestone certificates starting at 10 miles

REGISTRATION: Daily registration accepted at Recreation Office or at check-in desk, semester/seasonal registration information below

CLOSED: Nov. 11, 17, 25, 26 and Dec. 10 thru Jan. 2 & March 3

SEMESTER REGISTRATION INFO:

	Activity/Sec.#
Semester 1-Oct. 4 to Dec. 9	522101 F1
Semester 2-Jan. 3 to April 3	522101 F2

Fee Per Semester: Resident: \$9* / Non-Resident \$14*

***Shirt Fee:** \$6.50 required at first registration, shirt issued at door

FULL SEASON REGISTRATION INFO:

	Activity/Sec.#
Full Season-October 4 to April 3, 2011	522101 FW

Fee for Full Season: Resident \$16* / Non-Resident \$24*

***Shirt Fee:** \$6.50 required at first registration, shirt issued at door)

DAILY FEE (WRISTBAND ONLY). ID REQUIRED:

Daily Fee: Resident \$2.00 / Non-Resident \$3.00

Activity/Section# 522021 DW

Only currently registered walkers **WEARING** shirt **or** wristband will be permitted to walk.

LOCATION: SrHi 1st floor hallways.

Forever Young Club 50+

Join Us!

Visit or call--
 Geogene Gabelbauer, 50+ Activities Coordinator
 During business hours listed below

Email: ocforeveryoung@gmail.com

Business Hours: Mon. thru Thurs., noon to 2:15 pm

Phone: 414-768-5850 (calls returned from noon to 2:15 pm)

or

Oak Creek Parks, Rec & Forestry Department
 Monday thru Friday, 8 AM to 4:45 PM
 414-768-6515

Annual Forever Young Membership **ONLY** \$7/year
 July 1 - December 31 Membership \$3.50

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

- **SAVE** money with member discounts and **FREE** activities
- Reduce stress with an active social life
- Enjoy friends, new and old, at our many club activities
- Improve your fitness level with exercise classes specifically for those 50+
- Expand your horizons with our special interest groups & clubs
- Learn about community resources from our club's library of references, coordinator and speakers



- **Go GREEN!** Sign up for our **priority** activity announcements and club newsletter email option

MEMBERSHIP ELIGIBILITY - EASY AS 1, 2, 3!

1. Oak Creek Resident (limited non-resident vacancies)
2. 50 years of age and up
3. **To join**--Complete membership form & submit dues

CLUBS

"HOT TODDIES": Tennis, golf, biking, hiking whatever your passion, the "Hot Toddies" are here to share in the fun. Actively participate or enjoy as a spectator. Call for more information.

**RED HAT SOCIETY
 LUNCHEON CLUB
 KNIT, CROCHET & CHAT CLUB
 POTS, PETALS & PLANTS GARDEN CLUB**

TRIPS & SPECIAL EVENTS

Stampin' Up Workshop: Wednesday, September 15.
 Learn stamping techniques, share ideas and have fun creating 5 greeting cards with envelopes. There will be no sales at this event, unless requested by a participant.

Ho-Chunk Casino/High Rollers Inc. - Thursday, October 7.
 Motor coach transportation, \$20 in credits at the machines and 10% off meal when using Player's Club Card.

Casino Party - Wednesday, October 20
 Deli lunch, The Aces of Gambling "Blackjack". Win chips to use in our 25+ prize raffle

Racine Theatre/Old Country Buffet - Sunday, October 31
 School bus transportation, comedy product ion "Don't Cry for Me, Margaret Mitchell" and dinner at the Old Country Buffet

Memories Dinner Theatre - Saturday, Dec. 18. Holiday production of "My Gift to You", motor coach transportation and buffet.

Holiday Celebration - Friday, December 17
 Oak Creek Community Center, Oak Creek High School Chorus and holiday buffet

WII SPORTS / WII FIT

exclusively for FYC members at NO fee

Great exercise but you'll be having too much fun to notice.

Wii Sports – Tuesdays 12-12:45 p.m. Here's the answer for those who want to be active and exercise in a social, fun, you'll laugh until your sides hurt atmosphere. Come join the fun with David West leading the way.

Wii Fit – Thursdays 10-10:50 a.m. Senior Day Room. A little more exercise, a little less socializing but no less fun, let Norma Nelson lead you through exercises with Wii Fit.

CARD SOCIAL& BUSINESS MEETING

Mondays, 10 AM to 2:30 PM at "The Center"

ACTIVITIES / CLASSES

- Volunteer Opportunities
- Bingo
- Zumba Gold*
- Fit for the 50's *
- Tai Chi*
- Craft Classes
- Yoga *
- Golf*
- Tai Chi*
- TaeKwonDo*
- Tennis*
- The Next Step
- **and much more . . .**

* classes marked with an asterisk are listed in this "Acorn." Registration & payment at the Recreation Office is mandatory prior to attending class.

Active Adults - 50+

Registrations 1st come, 1st serve:

Forever Young Club Members and Residents - IMMEDIATELY
Non-Resident, Not members - September 1

Zumba Gold (9 - 45 min classes)

Enjoy Zumba geared for active adults ages 50 and better. Enjoy dancing to Latin and global music while getting the benefits of an aerobic type workout.

Instructor: Vickie M. Strachota

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W Oakwood Rd

Class Schedule:

Thursday 9/2 & 9/9

Wednesday 9/15

Thurs 9/30, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21 & 11/4

Wednesday 11/10



Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Rec/NR
361112-A1	9/2	Wed/Thu	9 - 9:45 am	\$24 / \$28 / \$32

Fit for the 50's (12 - 1 hr classes)

Light strength training, chair exercises and standing exercises, warm up and cool downs for the mature adult who wants to begin exercising.

Instructor: David West

Location: Oak Creek Community Center
8580 S. Howell Avenue

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
361902-A1	9/21	Tue,Thu	11 am-12 pm	\$15/\$18/\$24
361902-A2	9/21	Tue,Thu	11 am-12 pm	\$15/\$18/\$24

Necklace Set (1 class)

Your set will include a necklace, earrings and a matching bracelet using "tiger eye" beads with black and gold accents. A sample will be available in the recreation office. Please call for availability. Project is suitable for beginners and above.

Instructor: Dawn Leys

Location: St. John's School, 2525 W. Oakwood Rd.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/ Res / NR
392003 A8	10/28	Thur	10-Noon	\$14 / \$ 16 / \$19



The Next Step (12 - 1 hr classes)

Is it time for the Next Step on the road to fitness? The Next Step is an exciting opportunity to target and strengthen your major muscle groups at a level and pace that is right for you. Therapy Plus is providing their equipment and the supervision of a registered Physical Therapist for this 12 class session at an unbeatable price.

Location: Therapy Plus,
8619 S. Howell Ave.

Instructor: Richard Bigalk, Registered Physical Therapist

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Non-Mbr
392003-A6	9/13	Mon, Thur	1-2 pm	\$18/\$22
392003-B6	11/1	Mon, Thur	1-2 pm	\$18/\$22



Knit/Crochet/Cha Beginners Welcome!

1st & 3rd Thursday of each month
1-3 pm @ Oak Creek Community Center

Yarn provided for:

- * baby blanket to be donated to "Children's Hospital" or
- * comfort shawls for "Threads of Compassion" Southeast Transplant Program

or bring your own yarn to work on your own projects

No CLASS FEE! This is a drop-in class

Call 768-6515 for information



Active Adults - 50+

Registrations 1st come, 1st serve:

Forever Young Club Members and Residents - IMMEDIATELY
Non-Resident not members - September 1

Tai Chi (6 - 1 hr classes)



Bring: Water bottle is recommended
Instructor: Cathy Stocker

Location: St. John's School
2525 W. Oakwood Rd.

Yoga (6 - 1 hr classes)



Location: St. John's School
2525 W. Oakwood Rd.
Instructor: Cathy Stocker

Tai Chi - Beginning Students

Enjoy improved balance, flexibility and calmness and reduce pain and stiffness associated with arthritis. Tai Chi's slow seated or standing movements generate a sense of serenity and renewed energy.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
392003-A2	9/15	Wed	8:45-9:45 am	\$30/\$34/\$37
392003-B2	11/3	Wed	8:45-9:45 am	\$30/\$34/\$37

No class: 9/22, 11/24

NO PRETZEL YOGA

Start getting back into shape with simple, but effective seated and standing yoga exercises that strengthen the cardiovascular system, gently tone and stretch muscles, and improve mental health. No pretzel positions, but optional floor exercises (to be done at home) will be demonstrated.

Class will not meet on 9/22, 11/24

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
392303-A7	9/15	Wed	9:45-10:45 am	\$30/\$34/\$37
392003-A9	11/3	Wed	9:45-10:45 am	\$30/\$34/\$37

Tai Chi - Continuing Students

Continue to enjoy the benefits of Tai Chi's slow, gentle movements in this class for returning students. Students will continue with the form, but practice more while standing. Chairs will be available for use when appropriate.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
392003-A3	9/13	Mon	8:45-9:45 am	\$30/\$34/\$37
392003-A4	11/1	Mon	8:45-9:45 am	\$30/\$34/\$37

MORE POSES YOGA

This beginning Yoga class will still use chairs where appropriate but add a little more challenge with gentle mat poses. Deepen your Yoga stretching and relaxation experience and feel the tension melt away with each class.

Bring: Mat/Water Bottle

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
392303-A5	9/13	Mon	9:45-10:45 am	\$30/\$34/\$37
392303-B5	11/1	Mon	9:45-10:45 am	\$30/\$34/\$37



Busy Lifestyle? Why not drop in?

TEEN OPEN BASKETBALL AGES 11-17

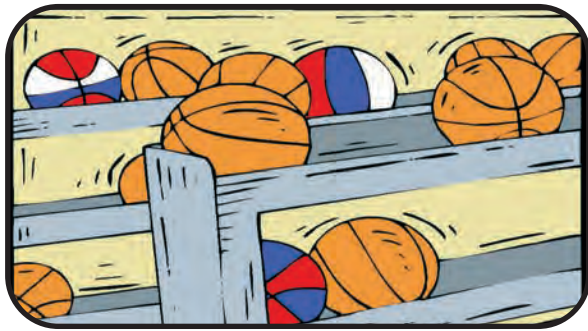
<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>BEGINS / ENDS</u>
Sunday	3 - 5 PM	Oct. 10- Nov. 14

Fee: \$1 Residents with ID*
\$2 Non-resident*
(*fee paid at the door per session)

Residents must have identification available when arriving.

LOCATION: WEST MIDDLE SCHOOL GYM

ENTER: southwest doors at back of school by dumpsters



OPEN BASKETBALL PROGRAM - Ages 18 & Up

Adults in the community may attend the Open Basketball Program in the West Middle School Gym.

<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>AGE(S)</u>	<u>BEGINS / ENDS</u>
Sunday	6-7:30 PM	35 & Up	Oct 10- Nov 14
Sunday	7:30-9 PM	18 & Up	Oct 10 - Nov 14

Location: West Middle School Gym
ENTER: Southwest doors at back of school by dumpster

Fee: \$3 Residents with ID / \$5 Non-residents
(fee paid at the door per session)

Residents must have identification available when arriving.

OPEN SWIM Sept. 23 - Dec. 7

Tuesday & Thursday 7:05 - 8:15 PM

Open Swim is held in the Oak Creek Senior High School Pool (east entrance #21) & is FREE to Oak Creek residents.

Open Swim is cancelled-- Tues., Oct. 12

Note:

- * All children under 6 years of age must be accompanied by an adult in the water (preferably a parent) during open swim
- * Children under 2 years of age are not permitted in the pool during open swim
- * We do not allow substitutes for swim suits
- * Only swimmers & lifeguards/instructors allowed in the pool area during open swim & lessons!

LAP SWIM - Ages 16 & Up

September 23 - December 7

8:15 - 9:00 PM

Tuesdays & Thursdays

Lap swim is cancelled--Tuesday, October 12

***Note:* NO children permitted in the pool area during lap swim**



FITNESS WALKING

Walk indoors in comfort at the Oak Creek High School without having to bundle up for those chilly fall days!

See page 36 for details



Parks & Recreation IS Your Best Investment!!

WISCONSIN PARK & RECREATION ASSOCIATION

10 GREAT REASONS WHY

- 1** Encourages healthy lifestyles
- 2** Increases property values
- 3** Develops community pride and character
- 4** Protects the environment
- 5** Provides families with a safe place to recreate
- 6** Parks make an area more attractive
- 7** Parks provide residents with a sense of pride
- 8** Instills a sense of appreciation for nature
- 9** Provides opportunities to relieve stress
- 10** Where else are you gonna have that picnic?



Registration Made Easy

LOTTERY DEADLINE
Noon on
Wed. Sept. 8

Oak Creek Residents & Oak Creek-Franklin School District Students!

IMMEDIATELY MAIL, FAX, DROP OFF or REGISTER ONLINE

ALL registration received in the office by mail, drop box, online or fax **by NOON on Wednesday, September 8**, will be **included in the lottery**.

Registrations received after that time will be processed at random beginning on **Mon. Sept. 13**

Monday, Sept. 13: Registration received after noon on Sept. 8, will be processed **at random** with Resident & Oak Creek-Franklin School District students **walk-in, fax, mail, online, & phone-in registration for available spots.**

Tues. Sept. 14: **NON-RESIDENT REGISTRATION** for available spots (walk-in, on-line, mail, fax or phone-in)

AM I A RESIDENT?

Resident fee applies to any person whose primary residence is within the Oak Creek city limits & children attending the Oak Creek-Franklin School District at the time of registration. All persons registering for activities must show proof of current residency as stated above. If proof of residency cannot be validated, the non-resident fee will apply.

PROOF OF RESIDENCY & DATE OF BIRTH REQUIREMENTS

- ✓ Proof of date of birth at a child's first registration.
- ✓ If the child's name does not match the parent who is presenting proof of residency, proof of residency will be required for the child at their "first" registration.
- ✓ Proof of residency is required once per year (January 1 - December 31) to receive the resident fee.

QUESTIONS? CLARIFICATION NEEDED?
414-768-6515

NOTES!


- ▶ Receipts will be mailed or given to all registrants. Please check them carefully!
- ▶ You will be notified if your class is filled.
- ▶ **The Department is not responsible for registrations not received on time.**
- ▶ **ONLY** cash, check, VISA, Discover, American Express or MasterCard are accepted for payment in person, fax or mail.
- ▶ \$3 service fee will be charged on refunds.
- ▶ Instructors will not accept registrations &/or payments at class site.
- ▶ **Registrations received without payment &/or required documentation will be returned without processing!**

WAITING LISTS


- ▶ Waiting lists are available if the class you want to register for is filled.
- ▶ Waiting lists **do not carry over** from one season to the next.
- ▶ We call off the waiting list until 1/3 of the class has been completed.

WAYS TO REGISTER


DROP BOXES: located at the east and south entrances to Oak Creek City Hall, and the east end of City Hall parking lot.



MAIL IN OR WALK IN:
Oak Creek Parks, Recreation & Forestry,
8640 S. Howell Avenue (inside City Hall),
P. O. Box 27
Oak Creek, WI 53154
Office Hrs: Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.



FAX: 414-768-6518
Fax your completed form, credit card info, proof of residency or Oak Creek-Franklin School District attendance, & date of birth (if not on file) must be included with fax-in registration.






ONLINE using WEBTRAC:
<http://city.oakcreekwi.org/webtrac/>
You must have a User Name & Password
Call to find out how to get yours--
414-768-6515
Webtrac accepts VISA, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express

NO more convenience fee!
NO maximum transaction amount!

DON'T WAIT TO ENROLL!

Don't wait! Some classes fill before fax, online, walk-in, phone-in and non-resident registration begins.

Classes with insufficient registration will be cancelled at the Department's discretion.



Proof of residency/attendance in Oak Creek-Franklin School District is *REQUIRED* every year beginning January 1.



Oak Creek Recreation - Activity Registration Form

~ Please Print ~

HOUSEHOLD NAME: _____
First Last

ADDRESS: _____
Street City State Zip

PHONE: _____
Home # Work # Mom Dad Cell # Mom Dad Emergency Contact Name / Phone # / Relationship

Email: _____ Do you live within the Oak Creek-Franklin School District? Yes No

RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I understand that the Oak Creek Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department does not assume liability for payment of medical-hospital expenses which may be incurred by myself while participating in this activity, but said liability will be assumed by myself for the duration of the activity. I understand that the School District in which these activities may be conducted does not assume liability for payment of medical-hospital expenses incurred in the activity sponsored by the Oak Creek Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department of the City of Oak Creek, Wisconsin. Participants who do not have medical-hospital insurance coverage are encouraged to purchase this coverage from their own insurance agent. **I have read and fully understand the above waiver of liability statement.**

PARTICIPANT OR PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE						DATE			
Participant First/Last Name	Sex	Age	Birth Date	'10-'11 Grade	Activity Name Required	T-Shirt size Yth. Soccer, & football ONLY	1st Choice Activity/Sect#	2nd Choice Activity/Sect#	Fee
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Special Information: (ie: medical, physical, allergies)-- _____

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DID YOU: Include payment Fill out form completely!
 Include: Proof of date of birth Proof of residency
 Sign/date form Pick a 2nd choice

MasterCard VISA Discover AmExpress Account # _____

Expiration Date: _____ 3 or 4 digit Security Code _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Proof	Need	Have	Office Notes: _____ _____ _____ _____
DOB			
Residency			
Child Res.			
Receipt #			
Initials			
Date			

Feel free to photocopy this page if you need more room or another registration form





Youth Buddy Carpool Request



PLEASE NOTE:

- ✓ Siblings will be placed together-**no form is required**. Notify the office if you **DO NOT** want siblings placed together.
- ✓ All other requests are limited to a maximum of 3 persons.
- ✓ We prefer to accommodate your requests, however any request may be denied at the department's discretion.
- ✓ **NO requests** are accepted for girls softball or elementary baseball.
- ✓ If one member of a group is placed on the wait list, the entire group will be placed on the wait list.
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PLEASE COMPLETE THE FORM BELOW ~ PLEASE PRINT~

Participant #1: _____ Participant #2: _____

Address: _____ Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

In class/activity (list class name & activity/section#): _____

Signature of Participant #1 Parent/Guardian (required)

Date

Signature of Participant #2 Parent/Guardian (required)

Date



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762-8200 or 911
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- ▶ Know why vandalism happens, who's involved & what you can do to help prevent it
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Parks Are for FUN! Fall Poster Contest-Ages 4 to 14



**DRAW, COLOR AND/OR PAINT A POSTER
SHOWING HOW YOU CAN HAVE FUN
IN AN OAK CREEK PARK**



Size: Minimum 8" x 10" / Maximum 18" x 24"

Entries may be mailed, dropped off, or emailed to dlukasik@oakcreekwi.org

Contest open to:

Youth Residents (Ages 4 to 14) of Oak Creek, children living in the Oak Creek Franklin School District or attending Oak Creek Franklin School

Prizes:

1st prize winner in each age category will receive one FREE age appropriate recreation class or activity of their choice.

Entries: Submit entry form with poster

Posters will be on display in the Oak Creek City Hall for voting during the week of December 6-10

Note: *Materials limited to pencil, pen, crayon, markers, paint (no spray or air brush) on paper, poster-board or cardboard.*

Winners will be notified by December 20, 2010

Please note: Computer designed posters or those using other materials will not be eligible for prizes.

ALL entries will be entered in a drawing for:
4 Milwaukee Bucks upper deck ticket vouchers

Posters must be **received by** no later than 4:45 pm:
Friday, December 3, 2010, at

Oak Creek Parks, Recreation & Forestry Office
8640 S. Howell Ave., P O Bx 27
Oak Creek, WI 53154



Oak Creek Parks, Recreation & Forestry - Fall Poster Contest - Entry Form

Entry Form to be completed & submitted with poster

~ Please Print Clearly ~
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Contestant's Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ School Attending: _____

Age Category (circle one): Age 4 - 6 Age 7 - 10 Age 11 to 14

Title of Poster: _____

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CITY OF OAK CREEK

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***August * September * October * November *December**

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CITY PHONE DIRECTORY

Assessor	768-6506
City Clerk	768-6500
TDD Telephone	768-6513
EMERGENCY	911
Engineering	768-6541
Fire (non-emergency)	570-5630
Forestry	768-5861
General Information	768-6500
Health	768-6525
Inspection	768-6547
Library	764-4400
Personnel	768-6591
Planning (Community Development)	768-6527
Police General Information	762-8200
Open Records Requests	766-7658
Municipal Court	766-7621
Community Resource Bureau	766-7624
Crime Stoppers	766-7699
Parks, Recreation & Forestry	768-6515
24 hr. Activity Tape	299-9721
Press 1 General Info.	
Press 2 Team Sports Info	
Press 3 Registration Info.	
Fax	768-6518
Forever Young Club	768-5850
Streets (Recycling/Rubbish)	768-6552
Treasurer	768-6501
Water & Sewer Utility	570-8210

ELECTED OFFICIALS

Mayor Richard Bolender	768-6548
Alderspersons:	
District 1: Daniel Jakubczyk	764-6752
District 2: Daniel Bukiewicz	788-4565
District 3: Steve Scaffidi	234-0635
District 4: Mike Toman	762-9009
District 5: Ken Gehl	570-0801
District 6: Tom Michalski	745-1558

UTILITY DIRECTORY

Water Utility	570-8210
Emergency	768-7060
Ameritech Repair	1-888-611-2344
WE Energies	
Customer Service	1-800-242-9137
Gas Leak or Emergency	1-800-261-5325
Power Outage Hotline	1-800-662-4797
Diggers Hotline	1-800-242-8511
Wisconsin Natural Gas	1-800-236-9874

FOR YOUR REFERENCE

Hunter's Safety (DNR)	414-263-8544
Oak Creek Community Education	414-768-6163
Milwaukee County Parks	414-257-6100
(Runway Dog Park, Bender Park, Falk Park, County bike trails)	
Oak Creek Community Center	414-768-5840
Wildlife Rescue	414-431-6204