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Newsletter & Recreation Guide

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ABENDSCHEIN PARK PHASE 3 DEVELOPMENT COMPLETE

In the spring of 2016, the City began development of Phase 3 of Abendschein Park. This phase included approximately one mile of additional recreational trails through the western and southern portions of the park. A portion of the trail system is a mulch trail that winds through ten acres of high quality forest, providing opportunities to observe wildlife in a peaceful natural setting. In addition, a third and final bridge was installed over the Oak Creek providing access between the southern and eastern portions of the park.

The City intends to update the master plan for Abendschein Park in 2017. Once the plan update is complete, the City will determine future park development. Follow our City Facebook page and our web page for future updates to the park.



On the Cover: The Dale Richards Trail, inside of Emerald Preserve Park.



INTRODUCING MAYOR DAN BUKIEWICZ

Dear Residents of the City of Oak Creek,

I am truly honored to have been chosen by the Common Council to lead the City of Oak Creek as its Mayor. It is an exciting time for Oak Creek and its residents and I look forward to working hard to ensure its success. I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself to you and share with you some of my thoughts and visions for our city.

I have been a resident of Oak Creek for just under 30 years now, having built my home in 1989. I am an electrician by trade and serve as President of the Milwaukee Building and Construction Trades Council. My wife, Carolyn, is a Business Analyst at Rockwell Automation in Milwaukee and serves as Chairwoman of the Oak Creek Celebrations Commission. Our daughter, Mariah, is an Oak Creek High School graduate and is currently working as a nurse in the Appleton area. I have been active in the city for quite some time, serving as 2nd District Alderman since 2008, Common Council President (2010) as well as seats on various commissions and boards. Over the last 9 years, I have worked to represent the City of Oak Creek and Milwaukee County in the areas of planning, finance, personnel, traffic and safety, licensing, and park & recreation commissions. I have sat on the Board of Directors for the Community Center and have done quite a bit of volunteer work for organizations such as the PBS Great TV Auction, numerous Oak Creek Community Center events and the Knights Construction program. My family and I stay rather busy most of the year.

As the City of Oak Creek continues to develop and grow, we must keep our commitments to its citizens. We need to stay true to the same core values and strategic and financial planning that has enabled Oak Creek to seize the opportunity to develop and enhance the City with new businesses and amenities. We need to stay focused on the City's financial health, building a solid tax base, controlling property taxes, and keeping the high level of quality city services that our residents have come to expect. All these things can be done, but it will take time, talent and commitment to accomplish them. I believe the City of Oak Creek has some of the most committed and talented employees anywhere in the state. This, along with a clear understanding of our long-term goals, will surely make Oak Creek one of the most thriving cities in Southeastern Wisconsin.

I will continue to look for new and innovative ways to help make Oak Creek a destination to live work, live, and play in. I will look to strengthen existing partnerships and build new ones. Public and private partnerships have helped us achieve many things we never could have accomplished solely on our own. Developments such as Drexel Town Square and Lake Vista are two examples of how these successful collaborations can translate into significant benefits for our community.

I would like to encourage everyone to spend some time in Oak Creek to see just what a special place it is and meet the people who make it so. From our city parks and the events at Drexel Town Square, to the shopping and dining options throughout Oak Creek, we have it all. Please take the time to discover and celebrate the City of Oak Creek.

I look forward to serving you and my door is always open. Please feel free to contact me with any questions, concerns, or suggestions.

Dan Bukiewicz
Mayor

CITY VISION STATEMENT

**Oak Creek: A dynamic regional leader,
connected to our community, driving the
future of the south shore.**



DOG DAY AT DREXEL

SATURDAY, JULY 15

9 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

DREXEL TOWN SQUARE

Featuring:

- Pier Pups Canine Dock Jumping
- Think Pawsitive agility demonstration and “try it”
- Think Pawsitive canine nosework demonstration
- AKC Canine Good Citizen demonstration and testing
- Door Prizes
- And more!

Join us for our 2nd Annual Dog Day at Drexel! This dog-friendly community event is fun for the whole family. Stop by and check out our PAW-some vendors and rescues!

Ever wonder if your dog would enjoy dock diving? Does your dog love to swim and chase a toy in the water? Then sign up for our dog day canine dock diving! Pre-register your dog at www.pierpups.com. Limited spaces available for “day of” registration.

Please visit the city website:

www.oakcreekwi.org/communityevents, or the City of Oak Creek government page on Facebook for updates and other community related events at Drexel Town Square.

Pet-related vendors may email:

events@oakcreekwi.org for exhibitor information

CITY CELEBRATION EVENTS

JULY 4TH FESTIVITIES

Parade activities will be held on Tuesday, July 4th at 9 a.m. at the intersection of E. Groveland Drive and S. Verdev Drive, ending at approximately 10:30 a.m. at the American Legion Post. There will be FREE ice cream and kid’s activities. Fireworks begin at dusk at the East Middle School. See the link below for map and parade information.

DREXEL TOWN SQUARE EVENTS

SUMMER SOULSTICE FESTIVAL AND 1ST ANNUAL CONCERT

Project 313 will be on stage at 3 p.m. and Rhythm Method will play from 7:30 p.m. to 11 p.m. Help Oak Creek kick off summer on Saturday, June 17 at Drexel Town Square because great music, friends, and food are good for the soul!



MOVIES AT DREXEL TOWN SQUARE

Follow the link below for details.

FALL FESTIVAL

The Fall Festival at Drexel Town Square is a spectacular weekend of harvest, music and art. Enjoy many great activities that the fall season brings our way. From pumpkin picking to hayrides, there’s something for everyone to enjoy!

WINTER FESTIVAL

Come celebrate the holiday season with us! The Winter Festival offers a selection of festive activities. Full of crafts, tastings, and holiday shopping; the Drexel Town Square Winter Festival will be fun for the whole family!

More information coming soon at:

www.oakcreekwi.org/communityevents

www.facebook.com/OakCreekCelebrationsCommission

2017 NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

The Oak Creek Police Department, along with the Oak Creek National Night Out Committee, will be sponsoring the 2017 National Night Out event.

Tuesday, August 1, 2017

6 - 9 p.m.

American Legion Post 434

Lower Hall grounds

9327 S. Shepard Avenue

This free and family-friendly event helps strengthen neighborhood spirit and police/community partnerships and sends a message that Oak Creek neighborhoods are organized and fighting back against crime!

This year's event will include crime prevention and safety messages from local and state agencies; Oak Creek Police Dept. ERU tactical vehicle, and K-9 Unit; Oak Creek Fire Department equipment; Flight For Life; inexpensive food and drink, and a fireworks display. Bring non-perishable food items for the Family Life Center and the Salvation Army, which are local food banks that help the residents of Oak Creek.

WARM WEATHER REMINDERS

With the warm weather comes more activities outside. Please be cognizant of the following:

Noise Issues: The Oak Creek Police Department responds to complaints at all times of the day, but the main hours of enforcement for loud noise/music (per City Ordinance) is between the hours of 10 p.m. and 8 a.m. The Noise Ordinance also designates that lawn care equipment cannot be operated between the hours of 10 p.m. and 7 a.m.

Pedestrians/Bicyclists: Remember to be courteous to others sharing the roadways, i.e., walkers, joggers, bicyclists.

Crosswalk Safety: Remember when a pedestrian is in the crosswalk, vehicles **MUST** yield to the pedestrian. Pedestrians must ensure that it is safe to enter the crosswalk before stepping in front of a vehicle.



Fireworks: City Ordinance prohibits the sale, possession or use of illegal fireworks, except paper caps, snakes and sparklers. However, keep in mind that sparklers can get as hot as 1,200 degrees and can cause serious injury to young hands and eyes. There is zero tolerance on repeat offenders—citations will be issued.

Pet Waste: If you walk your dog, please remember to have them on a leash and pick up your pet's waste and dispose of it properly.

SUMMERTIME HOME SECURITY

The Oak Creek Police Department would like to remind homeowners of a few simple tips to protect your home during this time of year.

- Residents can request a "vacation watch" of their home by the Oak Creek Police Department. Prior to leaving for vacation, contact the Department at 762-8200 (press "0" for Dispatch).
- Do not allow daily deliveries of mail, newspapers, or fliers to build up while you are away.
- Close and lock doors, windows and garage doors. Don't leave keys under doormats, flowerpots, mailboxes or other "secret" hiding places.

- Get to know your neighbors and watch out for each other. If you notice anything suspicious, call 9-1-1 immediately.

CONCERNED PARENTS PROGRAM

The Police Department is concerned for the safety of all residents, and it is often better to confront an underage drinking party before something of a serious nature occurs, such as a car accident. With the Concerned Parents Program, residents fill out a consent form and leave a key to their residence with the Police Department which will be held until their return. The signed consent form gives officers permission to enter their home during their absence, upon receipt of a complaint from a citizen or neighbor, in order to investigate suspected illegal activity such as underage drinking or drug use. To register for this program, stop at the Oak Creek Police Department during normal business hours.



SAFE EXCHANGE ZONE

The Oak Creek Police Department, 301 W. Ryan Rd., has 2 parking spots in their parking lot posted as a Safe Exchange Zone for citizens to use when meeting somebody to complete an exchange of any kind—whether it involves a purchase of some sort, a property exchange, or a difficult family situation.

BUILD A BETTER WORLD SUMMER READING KICK-OFF PARTY

June 16th, 4 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Oak Creek's annual reading program kicks off with a family celebration. Attendees of all ages can join the summer reading program while enjoying refreshments, activities and entertainment by the magical duo Jester Fun! Registration not required.

Weekly summer activities for all ages run June 19 – July 27. For a complete listing of all the amazing programs at the library this summer visit **pages 1-2** of the Acorn, visit our website, or like us on Facebook at:

www.facebook.com/oakcreeklibrary

GET CARDED AT THE LIBRARY!

New to the area?

Library card expired?

Then stop by the library today.

Meet the friendly staff and sign up for a library card. You'll soon discover your library card is the best bargain in town. It's the only card you'll carry with no annual fees and no monthly interest charges. Your card opens the door to life-long learning with the vast store of information available in your Oak Creek Public Library.

Your card entitles you to check out books, music CDs, DVDs, books on CD, magazines and newspapers. It's so easy. All you need to apply for a card is 10 minutes of your time, a photo I.D. and identification with your current address. If your driver's license is up-to-date that's all you need.

All Oak Creek residents age 4 and older are eligible for a library card.



2ND ANNUAL HOGWARTS' REUNION

Support the Oak Creek Public Library

Saturday, July 29 ~ 8 - 11 pm

Oak Creek Civic Center

Wands at the ready! Down some Felix Felicis and join us for trivia, costume contests and all the tasty treats of the Great Hall! You'll have a Riddikulusly good time seeing fellow Hogwarts Alum. All Houses welcome, dress robes optional!

Tickets on sale May 8 at:

www.ocplhogwarts.eventbrite.com

Tickets: \$30/person

Early Bird Pricing – through July 1:
\$25/person

Must be 21 or over to attend. Photo ID must be shown at the door. Tickets are non-refundable.

WE NEED FRIENDS ... SERIOUSLY!

The Friends of the Oak Creek Public Library meets the 1st Thursday of every month at 6 p.m. at the Oak Creek Civic Center.

"The Friends" is a volunteer organization dedicated to helping the library with programs, projects and raising funds to support library initiatives. All money raised by the Friends is given back to the Library.

For more information or to join the Friends visit:

www.oakcreeklibrary.org/friends

The Library is open for your convenience!

Monday – Friday: 9 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Saturday: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Phone: (414) 766-7900

24/7 at:

www.oakcreeklibrary.org

or

www.countycat.mcfls.org



BUILD A BETTER WORLD @ THE LIBRARY

Calling all readers! The library's summer reading program runs June 26 – August 5.

Readers of all ages are invited to track their summer reading and redeem their reading record for great prizes, such as coupons for local restaurants and area attractions. Each participant who completes the program will also receive a keepsake Oak Creek Library backpack, while supplies last.

New this year! Participants have the option to track their reading through a paper reading record or online through the library's website! Register in person at the library or online at:

www.oakcreeklibrary.org/srp

For Additional Library Activities and Programming - See Pages 26 - 29

GARBAGE & RECYCLING COLLECTION INFO FOR UPCOMING HOLIDAYS

When there is a holiday during the regular collection days of Monday through Thursday, from the holiday day forward, Advanced Disposal will be doing your pickups one day later than normal, for the holiday week ONLY. The regular schedule will then resume the next week. Reminder signs are no longer being placed street side.

The following holidays are observed by Advanced Disposal:

- New Year's Day
- Memorial Day
- 4th of July
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Christmas Day

FOR GARBAGE & RECYCLING COLLECTION ISSUES, CONTACT:

ADVANCED DISPOSAL

(262) 679-0860

RECYCLING YARD INFORMATION

Location: 720 W. Puetz Road

Hours: Tuesdays, Fridays & Saturdays 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. In addition, the yard is open Tuesday evenings ONLY until 8 p.m. starting the first Tuesday in April through the last Tuesday in September.

Any residence that receives an individual property tax bill may use the recycling yard. Occupants of manufactured home parks that have private garbage pickup may use the recycling yard for disposal of yard waste ONLY with the exception of grass clippings, which are not accepted.

Closed: Tuesday, July 4th.

- NO items may exceed 4' in length except for branches, furniture, appliances & metals.
- NO contractor vehicles will be allowed in to the yard.
- The yard does NOT accept shingles, roofing materials, grass, gas, medical or hazardous waste, paints or vehicle salvage.
- \$15 per unit fee will be charged for all freon appliances (refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers, air conditioners & water coolers) brought to the recycling yard. Doors need to be removed from refrigerators & freezers.
- Televisions: \$7 per TV will be charged for drop off of same.
- Tires: \$3 per tire will be charged for tires brought to the recycling yard and should be free of rims.

USAGAIN

A bin is located at the yard for depositing textile items such as clothing, shoes, bedding, towels, curtains, handbags, backpacks, etc. The bin is located at the end of the garbage compactors. See yard attendant if you have any questions.

GARBAGE & RECYCLING CART INFORMATION

Household combined garbage not placed in a container provided by the City of Oak Creek or its contractor, will not be collected.

All containers shall be stored upon private property & shall not be stored in the front yard setback.

Garbage shall be placed for collection no later than 6:45 a.m. of the morning of collection.

No carts shall be placed at the curb any earlier than 6:45 p.m. on the day prior to the scheduled collection day. Resident shall restore containers to

their original storage location after collection on the same day as the collection.

For details, see Section 8 of the Oak Creek Municipal code at: www.oakcreekwi.org/collectionlaws



SPRING CLEAN-UP

The Street Department will conduct their spring clean-up beginning on Monday, May 15th, for residential homes or condos that have City provided garbage & recycling pickup. There is **NO CHARGE** for this pick-up.

Items that will be picked up are as follows:

- Garden Clippings - **excluding leaves, grass and branches**
- Furniture
- Wood
- Appliances (**Doors need to be removed from refrigerators & freezers**).
- Construction Materials - **NOT resulting from a contractor**
- Metal
- Mattresses
- Televisions
- Carpeting/Rugs

Items that **will not** be picked up are as follows:

- Paints
- Tires
- Batteries (continued next page)

- Hazardous Materials
- Grass Clippings
- Leaves
- Concrete
- Branches
- Fluorescent Lights
- Concrete/Stone

Residents must have their items at the curb or roadside by 6:45 a.m. on Monday, May 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 fall clean-up on Wednesday, November 15.

See Special Pick-Up section for information on how to arrange for a prepaid special pick-up for other times of the year or if you miss the Spring Clean-Up date.

SPECIAL PICK-UPS

In addition to the fall & spring clean-ups that are provided at NO CHARGE, the City provides special pick-ups for residential homes or condos that have City provided pickup of garbage & recycling.

\$25 special pick up fee includes pick up of the following items:

Appliances (\$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 (\$7 additional fee per TV)

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.

Payment for Special Pick Ups

We only accept CASH or CHECK

Checks payable: "Street Department"

In person payment:

Street Department
800 W. Puetz Road
7 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Monday through Friday

By mail payment:

Mail to the above address with:

1. A list of what is being picked up
 2. The Friday date you are looking to have it picked up
 3. Your address & phone number.
 4. Be sure to include any additional fees from above for freon appliances & televisions.
- Doors must be removed from refrigerators & freezers.**

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/Stone

BASKETBALL HOOPS

There has been an ongoing problem with residents placing basketball standards (hoops) in the right-of-way (Terrace Area). This area is defined as that area between the curb and the sidewalk, and where no sidewalk exists, that area between the street pavement and the right-of-way/property line.

Examples of prohibited items would be basketball backstops, statuary,

flagpoles and other objects. The exception to this is the installation of a mailbox as specified by the US Postal Service. See Section 6.25 Terrace of the Municipal Code.



MULCH

Mulch is generally available for free pick up by residents from mid-April through mid-November at the recycling yard.

Residents may call 570-5682 to check availability and/or to be put on a list to have mulch delivered to their homes for a fee of \$25 per load (approximately 5 yards).

BRANCH PICK-UP DATES FOR 2017

Branches will be picked up beginning at 6:45 a.m. on the following dates:

- Monday, July 3
- Friday, September 1
- Wednesday, November 1

To guarantee that your branches are picked up, have them at the roadside BY the dates listed above, but no earlier than 2 weeks prior. Once we pass through your neighborhood, we will not be back until the next date listed.

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 pick up 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 be brought to the recycling yard at 720 W. Puetz Road. See “Recycling Yard Information” on Page 7.

**For Streets, Parks & Forestry questions, please call:
(414) 570-5682**

BUILDING OR LIVING NEXT TO A WOODLAND

A note from City Forester, Rebecca Lane:

It can certainly be a joy to live next to the wonder of a woodland. Here are some tips to make the best of the experience.

When selecting a wooded lot for development, do have the trees identified by a qualified professional such as a forester or arborist. Besides tree and cost-saving tips, you will learn more about the particular forest which will add to the depth and appreciation of your neighboring woodland.

You may reconsider your purchase of the land if the woodland consists of mainly trees such as American elm and green ash. These are species that have a devastating disease or insect –Dutch elm disease and emerald ash borer (EAB)— and you may soon find yourself with a dead forest. At least one might position the house further away from the woodland.

For various reasons, when the outer trees of a woodland are removed, the inner trees that become the new border may lose their stability, having adapted to the shelter of the edge trees. Further, if roots are damaged in the construction of a lot, the trees will be weakened through ground disturbances like digging, grading, filling and soil compaction (compression of soil particles). Root damage can be as much or more of a problem than above ground injuries to tree trunks or branches. Tree roots commonly grow out from the tree 2 to 5 times the height of a

tree. Under a forest floor is a web of roots growing as far as they are able. It is a fantastic idea to have tree protection fencing erected with a no disturbance/no entry zone through the entire development process.

One way to design a pleasing and safe woodland edge is to frame or draw out the woods with native trees or shrubs that would naturally grow in a woodland edge or understory. Some of my favorites are:

- Serviceberry (*Amelanchier* spp.)
- Pagoda dogwood (*Cornus alternifolia*)
- Ironwood (*Ostrya virginiana*)
- Muscledogwood (*Carpinus caroliniana*)
- Grey or silky dogwood (*Cornus racemosa* or *C. amomum*)

To keep a forest healthy, one should also monitor and remove invasive species. Woody invasive species common in our area are buckthorn and honeysuckle. Invasive species do just as implied: invade. Unfortunately, monitoring and care requires ongoing diligence. In the past, buckthorn control was often accomplished with herbicides or ground disturbance. Thanks to recent ingenuity, the buckthorn baggie has emerged as a viable option for woody invasive control. Any thick plastic with a zip-tie should work on a cut stem.

The ground or herbaceous layer of a woodland can provide enchanting



flora in the springtime. That woodland layer has its own host of invasives - the most common in our area is garlic mustard. Although ground disturbance does occur, garlic mustard is generally pulled prior to seed development in the month of May.

Additionally, some commonly sold ground covers or herbaceous plants may become invasive in woodlands.

For more information regarding Wisconsin invasive plant species, go to their [website](#)!

Hope you have a delightful experience at the woodland edge!

EMERALD ASH BORER UPDATE

EAB has been in Oak Creek for at least 12 years. If your property has untreated ash, the chance of those trees being infested with EAB is nearly 100 percent! It is likely too late to begin treatment though effective treatments have been developed.

Ash EAB continues the march across Oak Creek we are encountering more complex and dangerous removals. The same is true for private property owners. Be safe and refer removals beyond your expertise to a qualified, insured professional. For more details regarding EAB visit:

www.emeraldashborer.info

City Forestry is happy to brainstorm solutions with you or answer questions regarding removal or treatment.

<http://dnr.wi.gov/files/pdf/pubs/fr/FR0464.pdf>

GRILLING SAFETY

There is nothing better than a barbecue on a warm summer night. The Oak Creek Fire Department would like to make sure that residents keep safety in mind when they fire up their grills.

Gas Grill Safety Tips

1. Check grill hoses for cracking, brittleness, holes, and leaks. Make sure there are no sharp bends in the hose or tubing.
2. Move gas hoses as far away as possible from hot surfaces and dripping hot grease.
3. Always keep propane gas containers upright.
4. Never store a spare gas container under or near the grill or indoors.
5. Never store or use flammable liquids, like gasoline, near the grill.
6. Never keep a filled container in a hot car or car trunk. Heat will cause the gas pressure to increase, which may open the relief valve and allow gas to escape.

Charcoal Grill Safety Tips

1. Never burn charcoal inside of homes, vehicles, tents, or campers.
2. Charcoal should never be used indoors, even if ventilation is provided.
3. Since charcoal produces CO fumes until the charcoal is completely extinguished, do not store the grill indoors with freshly used coals.
4. Allow charcoal and ashes to completely cool prior to disposal



SAFE SUMMER SWIMMING

Warmer weather means children spend much of their summer vacations in the water. Whether it's a backyard pool or open water such as a river or lake, parents can take several steps to keep their children safe this summer.

Actively supervise children!

- Enroll children in swimming lessons as soon as possible to get them comfortable with the water.
- Small children should always swim with an adult and older children who are more experienced swimmers should swim with a buddy.
- Make sure that children only swim in designated swimming areas.
- Teach children that open water swimming is much different than swimming in a pool. Current/undertow, uneven bottom surfaces and weather conditions can have an effect on their experience in the water.
- Consider building a fence with a gate around your pool.
- Install an alarm on the gate to alert you if a child enters the swimming pool area without your knowledge.

DID YOU KNOW?

According to the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), 43% of all fires that occur in the home start in the kitchen. Please

remember these basic cooking safety tips to help keep your family safe:

- Be on alert! If you are sleepy or have consumed alcohol don't use the stove or stovetop.
- Stay in the kitchen while you are frying, grilling, boiling or broiling food.
- If you are simmering, baking or roasting food, check it regularly, remain in the kitchen while food is cooking, and use a timer to remind you that you are cooking.
- Keep anything that can catch fire — oven mitts, wooden utensils, food packaging, towels or curtains — away from your stovetop.

DIAL 911

It may seem like a simple task, but in the event of an emergency, dial 911 to reach fire, rescue and emergency medical services. Time is of the utmost importance in the event of an emergency and every second counts. For example, fires double in size every minute. Fires that start out small can easily grow to engulf entire buildings. Serious medical conditions like a heart attack, stroke, or traumatic injury require immediate attention by medical personnel. The Oak Creek Fire Department provides not only fire suppression, but also Paramedic level emergency medical care. With three stations strategically located throughout the city, the Fire Department is only minutes away.

For more information, visit our website at:

www.oakcreekwi.org/fire

Like us on Facebook and follow us on Twitter: @Oak_Creek_FD

WHAT IS PUBLIC HEALTH?

Public health promotes and protects the health of people and the communities where people live, learn, work, and play. Public health works every day to strengthen communities by preventing illness, promoting healthy behaviors, and protecting the community's health. Our health department helps prevent the start and spread of outbreaks and disease by inspecting food stores and our physical environment, targeting disease outbreaks when they occur, and by preparing for emergencies and disasters. We promote healthy behaviors by educating the community to help reduce chronic illness and by providing access and resources to quality health care service. You may never interact with public health, but it is always in the background working to keep you safe and healthy.



HEAT STROKE CAN BE DEADLY

Did you know that on an 80° F day the inside of your vehicle can be upwards of 115° F within 30 minutes? Children and pets die every year when left in a hot vehicle. Leaving the windows cracked does not help. The most serious form of heat stroke occurs when body temperature reaches 104° F or higher and can damage the brain, heart, kidneys, and muscles. Never leave pets or children in a parked vehicle even for a short outing. These deaths are 100% preventable.

NEIGHBORHOOD WALKING MAP

The neighborhood walking map offers 10 routes located throughout the city in residential areas that range from 1 to 4.5 miles to meet everyone's fitness level. You can pick one up a map in the Health Department and the library or access it at: www.oakcreekwi.org/walkingmap

HAVE PETS? IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ALL PET OWNERS

As the weather warms, people will be out in public with their pets more often.

- Always keep control of your animal. Dogs are not allowed to run at large off the owner's property and you must closely supervise them especially when around children.
- If an animal bites a person, they will need to be put in a rabies quarantine.
- Ensure the animal's rabies vaccination and license is up to date.
- Always carry sufficient equipment to immediately remove and properly dispose of your dog's feces whenever you and your dog are off your property and do not allow feces to accumulate on your property.
- Dog feces can pose health risks to people and pets, especially to young children and immunocompromised individuals, such as the elderly. Many pathogens can be spread easily from dog feces such as worms, parvovirus, coronavirus, as well as others. Also, high levels of *E. coli* are commonly found in dog feces. Once left on the soil these pathogens can enter surface and groundwater supplies used

for swimming and drinking and can be absorbed by plants and animals used by humans for food.

- Be a responsible pet owner and remember that these requirements will keep you, your pet, and our community healthy.

BENDER BEACH- WHEN IS IT SAFE TO SWIM?

Did you know that Bender Beach water is tested twice a week for *E. coli*, a bacterium that can cause vomiting and diarrhea? Before you head down to the beach to go swimming, view the beach's condition at www.wibeaches.us. Signs are also posted at the beach to provide guidance on *E. coli* risk in the water. If the level of *E. coli* is too high the beach will be closed for swimming. Check our website to find out more.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

4th Annual Oak Creek Health Fair

October 4th ~ 12 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Oak Creek Community Center

8580 S. Howell Ave.

There will be dozens of vendors and many free health screenings.

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA!

Follow the Oak Creek Health Department on Twitter and like us on Facebook ([@OakCreekHealth](https://www.facebook.com/OakCreekHealth)) for information about events, services, and health news.

What's the Assessed value of my home?



2017 REVALUATION

The Assessor's Office is conducting a revaluation for 2017. Revaluations were also performed in 2014, 2015 and 2016. As opposed to performing revaluations once every three to four years, these annual revaluations ensure assessed values are based on current market conditions which leads to more equitable assessments for property owners.

As in previous years, property owners that were approved for a building permit for remodeling, new construction, additions, wood decks, detached buildings and other similar type permits were visited by a member of the assessment staff to update assessment records. For permits relating to interior remodeling, basement finish, additions and new construction, an interior inspection was attempted. Properties that sold during 2015 and 2016 may have also received a request for an interior inspection. These properties are referred to as comparable sales and are used to establish the assessed value of other properties that have not sold. Verifying sales information with property owners is an important part of the assessment process.

In addition to the fieldwork and sales verification of certain properties mentioned above, owners of

commercial real estate were mailed and asked to complete an Income and Expense Form. This information is for confidential use by the Assessor's Office by State Statute and City Ordinance. The information gathered on these forms is used to help establish equitable assessments for commercial properties based on the current market conditions relating to commercial leases. The form does not request personal or business income, only the income information relating to the lease or potential lease of the property.

Business owners that may or may not own the real estate where they conduct business were also mailed and asked to complete a Statement of Personal Property. Per State Statute, business owners are required

to complete this form and return it to the Assessor's Office annually. These forms were mailed in January 2017 with a due date of March 1.

Property owners were mailed a 2017 Notice of Assessment April 3, 2017. That Notice of Assessment included the 2017 assessed value and included instructions on how to contact the Assessor's Office during the Open Book period in order to schedule a meeting if they were in disagreement with the assessed value.

As of the time of the publishing of this article the Open Book period has closed. Property owners who wish to appeal their 2017 assessment must appeal to the 2017 Board of Review.

The Board of Review is tentatively scheduled to begin in mid-June (the official date had not been determined as of the date this article was written). You may contact the Assessor's Office beginning May 23,

2017 to find out the specific day and time the Board of Review will begin.

The links below are to publications issued by the Wisconsin Department of Revenue relating to the assessment process. The first link is to the [2017 Guide for Property Owners](#)¹ and the second link is to the [2017 Property Assessment Appeal Guide for Wisconsin Property Owners](#)².

If you have questions concerning the assessment process, please contact the Assessor's Office at (414) 766-7069, Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.



CHICKENS! BEES! OH MY!

Here at City Hall, staff receives calls asking if keeping chickens or bees are permitted in residential districts. At this time, chickens and bees cannot be kept in residential districts. The City only permits the keeping and raising of these animals and other domestic stock such as goats, sheep, ducks, and similar poultry in the A-1, Agricultural District.

The City has additional animal regulations which are explained in Chapter 7 of the Municipal Code which can be found at www.oakcreekwi.org/petlicense. Such regulations include dog and cat licensing, limitation on the number of dogs, prohibited animals, and dangerous animals.

¹ <https://www.revenue.wi.gov/DOR%20Publications/pb060.pdf>

² <https://www.revenue.wi.gov/DOR%20Publications/pb055.pdf>

City Calendar ~ Meetings & Events

Note: Dates and times listed are considered tentative only and are subject to cancellation, changes or rescheduling. View the meeting schedule and/or minutes at www.oakcreekwi.org/meetings.

May

1	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
2	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting
3	2:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Immunization Clinic
4	6:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
8	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
	8:30 a.m.	Tourism Commission
9	9:00 a.m.	Water & Sewer Utility Commission
	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	6:00 p.m.	Plan Commission Meeting
10	7:00 p.m.	Traffic & Safety Commission
11	5:00 p.m.	Celebrations Commission
	5:00 p.m.	Parks, Recreation & Forestry Commission
15	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
		Spring Clean-Up Begins, Pg. 7
16	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	5:00 p.m.	Library Board
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council
18	6:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
22	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
23	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	6:00 p.m.	Plan Commission Meeting
29	CLOSED	MEMORIAL DAY

June

1	4:00 p.m.	Board of Health
	6:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
5	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
6	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting
7	2:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Immunization Clinic
8	5:00 p.m.	Celebrations Commission
12	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
	8:30 a.m.	Tourism Commission
13	9:00 a.m.	Water & Sewer Utility Commission
	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	5:00 p.m.	Library Board
	6:00 p.m.	Plan Commission Meeting
14	7:00 p.m.	Traffic & Safety Commission
15	6:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
17	3:00 – 11:00 p.m.	Summer Soulstice Festival/Concert, Pg. 4
19	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
20	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting
27	6:00 p.m.	Plan Commission Meeting

July

3	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
	8:30 a.m.	Tourism Commission
4	CLOSED	JULY 4 TH HOLIDAY
		NO COMMON COUNCIL MEETING
	9:00 – 10:30 a.m.	Parade (Fireworks at Dusk), Pg. 4
5	2:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Immunization Clinic
6	6:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
10	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
11	9:00 a.m.	Water & Sewer Utility Commission
	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	6:00 p.m.	Plan Commission Meeting
12	7:00 p.m.	Traffic & Safety Commission
13	5:00 p.m.	Celebrations Commission
15	9:00 – 4 p.m.	Dog Day at Drexel, Pg. 4
17	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
18	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	5:00 p.m.	Library Board
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council
20	6:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
24	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
25	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	6:00 p.m.	Plan Commission Meeting
29		Hogwart's Reunion, Pg. 6
31	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council Meeting (Monday)

August

1	6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	National Night Out, Pg. 15
2	2:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Immunization Clinic
3	4:00 p.m.	Board of Health
	6:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
7	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
	8:30 a.m.	Tourism Commission
8	9:00 a.m.	Water & Sewer Utility Commission
	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	6:00 p.m.	Plan Commission Meeting
9	6:00 p.m.	Landscape & Beautification, if needed
	7:00 p.m.	Traffic & Safety Commission
10	5:00 p.m.	Celebrations Commission
14	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
15	5:00 p.m.	Library Board
	5:00 p.m.	Municipal Court
	7:00 p.m.	Common Council
17	6:00 p.m.	Police & Fire Commission, if required
21	8:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Immunization Clinic, by appointment
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	6:00 p.m.	Plan Commission Meeting
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2016 REAL ESTATE PROPERTY TAX

SEE WEBSITE FOR MORE DETAILS

Website: www.oakcreekwi.org

Go to: I Want To | View | My Property Tax Information

Tax Information: payments made to the City appear on the City Website as processed.

Delinquent payments made to Milwaukee County are not posted on the City's website.

Permanent Address changes: If your mailing address has changed please contact the Assessor's Office at (414) 766-7069.

PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR TAX COUPON with all payments

- Checks make payable to Treasurer or to City of Oak Creek
- Do NOT combine with other payments
- Checks returned from the bank – payment is void and a replacement payment, plus a separate \$25 recovery fee, must be made with certified funds.
- The City reserves the right to reject any and all checks or certified funds FOR ANY IRREGULARITIES, and is not responsible for taxes not immediately processed or that become delinquent or for interest and penalties on delinquent taxes.

Payment Deadline: Third Installment due May 31st. We do NOT send reminder notices.

Payment Options:

- Mail to: Treasurer, City of Oak Creek, 8040 S 6th St, Oak Creek, WI 53154. Do NOT use the blue return envelope.
- Drive-up 24 Hour Depository: Located at the Civic Center on the southwest corner of the building. NO cash.
- City Hall: Mon. – Fri., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Please note, City Hall closes at 4 p.m., so please allow sufficient time.
- City Hall is closed on Monday, May 29, 2017 in observance of Memorial Day.
- Credit Card & E-Check: Telephone or online only. The service provider charges a convenience fee. See website for details.

Overpayments – No cash refunds; checks are mailed to the payer in three to five weeks.

Delinquent Real Estate Tax

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 until paid in full, regardless of when it becomes delinquent.

Delinquent notices are mailed in June. Payment will be accepted by the City of Oak Creek through July 31, 2017.

Please contact Milwaukee County at (414) 278-4033 for payment after July 31st and all PRIOR YEAR DELINQUENT REAL ESTATE TAX.

Lottery and Gaming Credit – Applications are available on our website or at City Hall. Before applying, please be sure the credit does not already appear on your tax bill.

Those who qualify are owners of a home in Wisconsin who used the home as their primary residence on January 1 (Certificate 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.

2016 Lottery and Gaming Credit is \$112.49. If you qualify and did not receive the credit, submit a 2016 LATE Lottery and Gaming Credit application to the State by October 1, 2017, with a copy of your tax bill. Also, submit the 2017 Lottery and Gaming Credit application as noted below.

2017 Lottery and Gaming Credit: Submit the application to the Oak Creek Treasurer's Office by November 30, 2017; the credit will appear on the 2017 and future Real Estate Tax Bills.

NEW SUBDIVISION/CONDOMINIUM HOMEOWNERS

Real estate property tax bills are based on what improvements are on the property as of January 1st. If the parcel or condominium unit did not exist as of January 1st, it will not receive a tax bill for 2017. On January 1st this property may have been land only and/or part of one large parcel. Please contact your builder/developer, check your sales contract to review your closing statement or contact your attorney to verify if you will be responsible for any property taxes for the current tax year. If you have any questions regarding how tax payments are handled, please call the Treasurer's office at (414) 766-7000, Monday – Friday, from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. or visit the website at



www.oakcreekwi.org | Your Government | Departments | Treasurer's Office | Tax Information.

Address Changes:

If the parcel or condominium unit did not exist as of January 1st, and you moved into the newly constructed home or condominium in 2017, please check the Assessor's Office page on our website or contact the Assessor's Office at (414) 766-7069 to verify current ownership and mailing address information.

Wis. Stats. 74.09 Property tax bill and related information- (6) Effect of Failure to Receive. Failure to receive a property tax bill does not affect the validity of the general property taxes, special taxes, special charges, and special assessments levied or the collection of delinquent general property taxes, special taxes, special charges, and special assessments.



PET LICENSE INFORMATION

Wisconsin State Statutes, Section 174 makes it mandatory for dogs and cats to be licensed.

Licensing Requirements

1. Dogs (limit three) and cats over five months of age
2. A current certificate of rabies vaccination showing the tag number and the expiration date (will be returned with the license)
3. License year of January 1st through December 31st is Due by March 31st

Beginning April 1st, a late fee will be charged except for a new resident or new pet owner who licenses within 30 days of:

- Residency
- Obtaining a dog or cat on or after April 1st
- When a dog or cat reaches five months of age on or after April 1st

Licensing Payment Options

ONLINE, with a credit card at www.madacc.org. Add \$1 to License fee.

BY MAIL

- Make check payable to MADACC, 3839 W Burnham St, West Milwaukee, WI 53215. Add \$1 to License fee.
- Make check payable to City of Oak Creek, 8040 S 6th St., Oak Creek, WI 53154

CITY HALL, cash or check (payable to City of Oak Creek), 8040 S 6th Street.

2017 FEES	License Fee	Late Fee
Natural Male or Female Dog/Cat	\$24.00	\$12.00
Neutered or Spayed Dog/Cat	\$12.00	\$ 6.00

*If late, the license will not be issued without the applicable late fee.

See Municipal Ordinance 7.40 on animal regulations at www.oakcreekwi.org/petlicense. If you have any questions, please contact City Hall at 766-7000.

PET WASTE AND WATER QUALITY

As summer approaches, more people will be out walking their dogs. The City of Oak Creek has an ordinance requiring dog owners to pick up pet waste. In addition to human health concerns, pet waste can contribute to deterioration of the quality of our lakes and streams. When pet waste washes into the water, it breaks down and uses up oxygen. It also contributes nutrients that can make algae grow. Parasites such as Cryptosporidium, Toxocariasis, and Toxoplasmosis can be carried into the waterways from improperly disposed pet waste.



Pet waste may not be the biggest source of water way pollution, but it is one of the many little sources of pollution that can add up to a bigger problem. Properly picking up and disposing of pet waste will benefit the health of our lakes and rivers, by helping to keep them clean.

Meet "Sparkles" in person on Saturday, July 15th at the Dog Day at Drexel.



OUTDOOR BUILDING PROJECTS

Spring is usually the time homeowners think about doing outdoor building projects. Many of these projects require permits. The City website has information, brochures and permit application forms to help get you started. Go to: www.oakcreekwi.org/permits

The City **requires permits** for the following structures:

- fence permit
- deck permit
- pool permit

Accessory Building Permit for:

- shed (greater than 120 sq. ft.)
- detached garage
- gazebo
- pergola

SETBACKS

The first step is to map out where in your yard the structure will be located. The distance from a lot line or house to an accessory structure is called a setback. Setback information is required for all accessory structures except fences. Fences can usually be built on the lot line. There are exceptions if a property has certain types of easements. More information on setbacks can be found in the Oak Creek Municipal Code, Chapter 17 Zoning Code, at this online at:

www.oakcreekwi.org/zoningcode

To assist property owners in determining setbacks, the City may provide a copy of the, “plat of survey,” or map of the lot, if one is on file.

PLANS

A detailed drawing showing how the structure will be built is required, except for sheds, fences and pools. The plan may be one that is drawn by the homeowner or a professional architect.

DOING IT YOURSELF?

Homeowners who are doing the work themselves must sign a ‘Cautionary Statement to Owners Obtaining Building Permits.’

HIRING A CONTRACTOR?

Contractors doing work in the City must provide their Dwelling Contractor Certification number or BCR number, and, their Dwelling Contractor Qualifier number.

SUBMITTAL AND APPROVAL

When you are ready to apply, submit application form, plans and copy of survey to the Inspection Department. Fees are listed under the department’s tab on the City website. **The City accepts checks or cash for payment.** Applications are reviewed in the order in which they were received.

DECKS: MAKING THE CONNECTION

Eight key areas for a safe deck season

By: Jim Mailey, Technical Regional Training Manager, Simpson Strong-Tie

Building a safe deck requires research, proper hardware, regular maintenance and often help from a professional builder or inspector. Many homeowners, however, still view adding a deck to their home as a relatively simple, Do-it-Yourself

project. Yet, of the approximately 50+ million decks in North America, it’s estimated only half meet building code requirements.

The good news is there are things you can do to make your deck safer and prevent injuries. If you have an existing deck, there are several key areas that you should inspect. Checking for wood rot and large cracks is important, but you also must evaluate the deck’s structure as a whole.

To ensure the structural safety of a deck, it should be built with a “continuous load path.” This is a method of construction that uses connectors and fasteners to create a series of solid connections within the deck frame. These connections transfer the deck’s structural load (gravity, lateral and uplift loads) through the deck’s frame and to the ground and adjacent support structure, commonly the house.

A continuous load path requires more than a few nails and some deck boards. There are a total of eight key areas of a deck that must be secured with connectors and fasteners to ensure that the deck’s structure can support all of the weight that’s placed on it. When inspecting a deck, you want to make sure the following areas are properly fastened.

Critical Deck Connections

1. Ledger-to-House Framing. Correct ledger attachment is critical when a deck is attached to another structure, in this case, your house. One of the most common causes for deck failures are ledgers that are not properly secured and pull away from the home. One of the best ways to correctly attach the ledger to a house is with structural screws and hardware into the home’s framing. You need to be able to identify that the rim board inside the home is sufficient (solid sawn lumber, minimum 1” thick OSB, LVL or

- some other solid rim board).
2. **Joist-to-Ledger . Deck floor joists intersect into or over a beam or into a ledger board and must be properly secured to the framing of the house (not attached into the ledger only but, into the framing of the house) to resist uplift, gravity (the weight of the people and materials) and lateral loads.**
 3. **Beam-to-Post.** At the point where a beam meets a post, it must be properly connected to the post to resist gravity, lateral and uplift loads.
 4. **Joist-to-Beam.** Beams must be secured to the joists that support the floor of the deck to resist lateral and uplift forces. Blocking is recommended to prevent the joists from overturning.
 5. **Guardrail Post-to-Deck.** The guardrail connection is another important connection that is often overlooked. To provide enough support for the guardrail, the guardrail post must be fastened to the rim joist and also tied back into the joist framing. Machine bolts through the post and rim joist alone do not meet the performance requirements of building codes. Instead, a metal connector installed into the joist with bolts through the post is needed.
 6. **Stair Tread-to-Stringer and Stair-Stringer-to-Deck.** Stair stringers must be properly connected to the deck, and treads properly connected to the stringers to support the load (weight) on them. In addition, code requirements regarding openings between stair treads and intermediate stair rails or balusters must also be met.

7. **Post-to-Concrete.** To ensure posts are strong enough to properly support weight and structural loads; they must rest on and be anchored to concrete footings. Patios and pre-cast concrete piers (for decks that are attached to the house) do not qualify as proper footings for deck construction. Posts must be correctly attached to a concrete footing to be able to support weight and resist uplift and lateral forces. Unless posts are naturally decay-resistant or made from preservative-
8. **Treated wood and the cut ends** are re-treated, they must be elevated off the concrete by 1 inch to help prevent decay at the end of the post due to moisture.



Corrosion

Not only should the proper connectors and fasteners be present and accounted for in these critical areas, they must also all be in good condition. Outdoor environments are generally more corrosive to metal because connectors are exposed to the elements. In many cases, Simpson Strong-Tie® ZMAX® (G185) and hot-dip galvanized (HDG) connectors and fasteners provide adequate corrosion resistance. There are places that are considered at a higher risk for corrosion, such as areas exposed

to chemicals, industrial zones, areas along the coast or other chloride environments (e.g. when salt is used on a deck, porch, balcony or stairs to melt snow), etc. In these cases, the use of stainless-steel connectors and fasteners is recommended. Connectors and fasteners made from 316 stainless steel provide the highest level of corrosion resistance. For more information about corrosion and connector coating recommendations, visit: www.strongtie.com/corrosion.

Adding the right connectors and fasteners to a deck is a few hundred dollar investment that often will prevent a complete rebuild and keep you and your family safe. It's important to regularly inspect and maintain your deck. If you're not comfortable doing this yourself,

you should hire a qualified, professional home inspector. If built and maintained properly, a deck will result in years of enjoyable and safe outdoor living.

Simpson Strong-Tie has developed a comprehensive Deck Connection and Fastening Guide that can

help you through the process of making sure a deck is safe, secure and code compliant. You can download the guide at:

www.safestronghome.com/deck

Jim Mailey is a technical regional training manager for Simpson Strong-Tie covering the Midwest, Northeast and Mid-Atlantic. He's considered an expert in deck research and safety, and offers a "Deck Framing Connection Seminar" to help professionals get up to speed on proper deck construction, code requirements and appropriate hardware.



SOUTH SUBURBAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

We are pleased to announce that we have recently moved to the east wing of the Oak Creek Civic Center directly across from the Health Department. Visit us at:

Oak Creek Civic Center
8040 S. 6th Street
Oak Creek, WI 53154

Monday through Friday

8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Phone: (414) 768-5845

Email:

info@southsuburbanchamber.com

Website:

www.southsuburbanchamber.com

WEED ORDINANCE

In addition to the weeds mentioned to be noxious under s. 66.0407(b), Wisconsin Statutes, the following weeds are also declared to be noxious weeds within the boundaries of the City of Oak Creek:

- Bull Thistle
- Wild Carrot
- Sour Dock
- Wild Mustard
- Chickory
- Poison Oak
- Poison Ivy
- Sow Thistle
- Burdock

Except as provided in sub. (c), all weeds and grass in platted subdivisions which have buildings on more than 50% of the lots in the subdivision, in multi-family apartments and complexes, planned developments and mobile home districts shall be cut to and maintained at a height not to exceed six (6) inches. All weeds and grass in platted subdivisions which have buildings on 50% or less of the lots or which are not located in platted subdivisions and all weeds and grasses in business and manufacturing zoning districts shall be cut to a height not to exceed one foot (12 inches).

The City may cause all weeds, grass and brush to be cut and removed, in accordance with this subsection and the cost thereof shall be charged to the property owner pursuant to Section 66.0627 Wis. Stats.

The provisions for destruction of noxious weeds and cutting of all weeds and grass as provided above shall not apply to areas which are designated by the Common Council as nature centers or wildlife preserves.

TRANSIENT MERCHANTS

Door-to-Door Soliciting

According to the Municipal Code, all persons going door-to-door soliciting must be licensed by the City of Oak Creek and must wear a photo ID badge. Non-profit and charitable organizations are not required to be licensed, but must be registered at the Police Department. If you are aware of someone soliciting without proper identification, please contact the Police Department at 762-8200.



The City of Oak Creek is always looking for helpful, friendly faces to work in various positions. Did you know that you can complete a Job Interest Card and receive notification when we are accepting applications for a job that interests you?

Simply visit our website:

www.oakcreekwi.org/jobs

Click the Job Interest Card link on the bottom of the page.

Select the categories that interest you, provide your contact information and then enter Submit Request.

For 12 months after you submit the form, you will receive an email notification each time a position opens with the City of Oak Creek whose category matches one that you've chosen. We'll also send you a reminder email in 11 months to give you an opportunity at that time to extend your notification for another year.

CITIZEN REQUEST FOR ACTION

Need help with a city service? Use Oak Creek's Citizen Request for Action (CRA) tool! This online application is easy to use, and allows the resident to track the progress of his or her request.

www.oakcreekwi.org/cra-request



**Oak Creek-Franklin
Joint School District**
BUILDING SUCCESSFUL FUTURES TOGETHER



Two summer care options for students entering grades K4-8 ~

- **Wrap Around Care** during Summer School June 19-July 14
- **NEW THIS YEAR - Full Day Care** July 17-August 25

SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS & CLINICS

Offered throughout the summer



Basketball Football Volleyball Cheer Tennis Soccer
Baseball Rugby Dance Lacrosse Golf

OC AQUATICS

Lessons offered throughout the summer June 12 - August 31

All swim programs @ Oak Creek High School Pool - enter door #21

Family Open Swim - Mon- Thurs, 3:00-5:30pm, June 12-August 17

(pool closed July 3-6)

- **Parent & Child** 6 months - 4 years
- **High School Summer Plunge!**
- **Private Lessons**
- **Swimming for Safety** Levels 1-3
- **Group & Recreational Swim Club**
- **Birthday Parties** Thursdays 3:00-5:30pm



OPEN TRACK

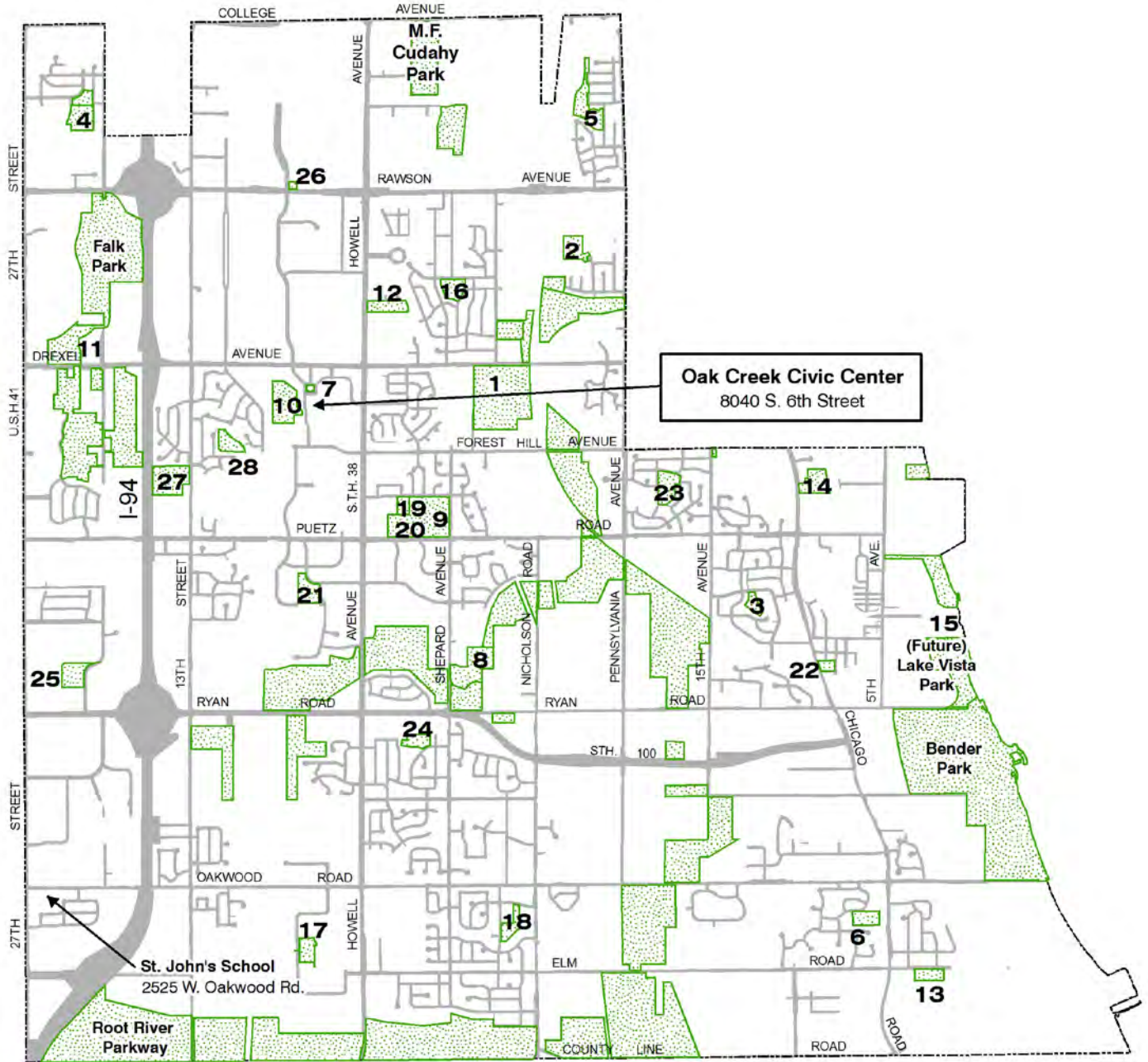
Saturdays 7-11am April 8 - July 1

Oak Creek Knights Community Stadium

Register online @ www.ocfsd.org click Youth Programs

Questions? Call 414-768-6173

FACILITY MAP



Facility Listing

Site	Acreeage (approx.)	Baby swings	Ballfield (s-softball, b-baseball)	Basketball Courts	Cricket Field	Concession Stand	Disc Golf Course	Fields: soccer (s), football (f)	Fishing	Ice Rink	Nature Area	Parking	Pavilion	Pickleball Court	Picnic Areas	Playground	Pond	Recreation Pathway (est. size-miles)	Shelter - Open Air	# picnic tables under shelter	Splash Pad	Skate Park	Sledding Hill	Tennis Courts	Volleyball (sand)
1 Abendschein Park 1311 E. Drexel Ave.	74.50	•	1B		•	•	•	S/F			•	•				•	•	•	•	4		•			
2 Camelot Park 7385 S. Chapel Dr.	10.43	•	1S	•								•			•	•		0.40	•	2					
3 Carrollton School Park 8965 S. Carrollton Dr.	4.40		1S	•								•				•		0.53						2	
4 Cedar Hills School Johnstone Park 2225 W. Sycamore Ave.	17.67			•								•				•		0.44	•	2					S
5 Chapel Hills Park 6735 S. Highfield	17.10	•	1S	•						•	•				•	•		0.62	•	2		•	2	S	
6 Deerfield School 3871 Bluestem Dr.	9.20			•								•				•		0.19							
7 Drexel Town Square 361 W. Town Square Way	1.00																				•				
8 East Middle School 9330 S. Shepard Ave.				•								•						0.85							
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11 Forest Ridge Elementary School 2200 W. Drexel Ave.	14.36			•								•				•									
12 Greenlawn Park 7628 S. Howell Ave.	9.80										•	•			•										
13 Haas Park 4215 E. Elm Rd.	7.50	•	1S	•						•		•			•	•				•	2				S
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Park and Facility Rental Information

Facility Rental Information	Resident Fees	Non-Resident Fees
<p>Courts, ball fields, picnic areas, etc EXCEPT Shepard Hills & Abendschein ball diamonds</p> <p>All Facilities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does not include equipment and supplies • Call for league, tournament, and special event rates • Ball fields available for use starting April 1, weather and field conditions permitting • Facilities not reserved may be used on a first-come, first-served basis • Proof of residency required for resident rate • To receive resident group rates, we require a team roster 	<p>\$6/hour \$8/hour</p> <p>Rent 90 days in advance</p> <p>Most facilities can be reserved online</p>	<p>\$12/hour \$16/hour</p> <p>Rent 30 days in advance</p> <p>Reserve by phoning Recreation Office</p>
<p>Open Air Shelters - 28 ft. Hexagon Includes 2 picnic tables and trash can</p>	<p>1-4 hours: \$20 flat fee Over 4 hours: \$6/hour Rent 1 year in advance</p>	<p>1-4 hours: \$40 flat fee Over 4 hours: \$12/hour Rent 30 days in advance</p>
<p>Open Air Shelters - 40 ft. Hexagon Abendschein Park ONLY Includes 4 picnic tables and trash can</p>	<p>1-4 hours: \$28 flat fee Over 4 hours: \$8/hour Rent 1 year in advance</p>	<p>1-4 hours: \$56 flat fee Over 4 hours: \$16/hour Rent 30 days in advance</p>
<p>Abendschein Park Concession Stand Hours: 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Security Deposit: \$35</p>	<p>Daily: \$35 flat fee Beer Permit: \$15 Rent 90 days in advance</p>	<p>Daily: \$70 flat fee Beer Permit: \$15 Rent 30 days in advance</p>
<p>Henry Miller Park Pavilion, 315 E. Groveland Drive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contact Recreation Office for cancellation policy and security deposit information. • Inside: 6 picnic tables, 2 serving tables, counter, refrigerator with freezer • Outside: +/- 25 picnic tables • Fire Code: Maximum 60 persons • Indoor men's and women's handicap accessible restrooms • There is no stove or microwave 	<p>Weekends/Holidays \$125 flat fee (5/27 to 9/4/17) \$90 flat fee (9/5/17 to 5/25/18) Monday through Friday \$45 flat fee Security Deposit: \$60 Beer Permit: \$15 Rent 1 year in advance</p>	<p>Weekends/Holidays \$250 flat fee (5/27 to 9/4/17) \$180 flat fee (9/5/17 to 5/25/18) Monday through Friday \$90 flat fee Security Deposit: \$60 Beer Permit: \$15 Rent 30 days in advance</p>

See Page 20 & 21 for facility description, location and map.

To reserve a volleyball set, picnic pack or reserve a facility, please call:

OAK CREEK RECREATION
766-7920

OFFICE HOURS
Mon-Fri
9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Volleyball Set Rental

Includes:

- volleyball
- net
- poles
- anchors
- stakes



Call in advance to reserve. Quantities limited.

Resident fee (with \$20 security deposit)
 \$5 per day
 \$10 per weekend/holiday weekend
 (Fri/Sat/Sun)

Picnic Pack Rental

Includes:

- volleyball set
- throw bases
- 2 frisbees
- scoop ball set with ball
- kickball and football



Call in advance to reserve. Quantities limited.

Resident fee (with \$20 security deposit)
 \$6 per day
 \$15 per weekend/holiday weekend
 (Fri/Sat/Sun)

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Is he/she old enough?

Age requirements are as of the date of the first class, unless otherwise specified and are designed to provide the best and safest environment for the children. Please do not request to have your child put in a class he/she does not meet the age requirement for.

How much is it?

Fees and charges are assessed based on the cost of the program. Resident families needing financial assistance for their children to participate are encouraged to contact the office at 766-7920.

The resident fee applies to any person whose primary residence is within Oak Creek city limits at the time of registration and children attending the Oak Creek-Franklin School District.

Transfers and Refunds

Transfers will be made at no charge.

Refunds will be made upon request until 1/3 of the scheduled classes have been held, except as noted. Refunds are issued based on your original payment method. A \$3 service fee will be charged on each refund. Avoid the service fee by requesting credit to your account in place of a refund.

Can I stay and watch?

Only registered participants are permitted in classrooms during instruction. This avoids distractions and interruptions in instruction, and allows adults to participate in an adult-only atmosphere.

You are welcome to discuss your child's progress before or after each class and attend the open house held on the final class date.

Make ups and cancellations

Make up for missed classes is not available 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.

Have a concern?

If a class does not meet your expectations, please contact the Oak Creek Recreation Department at 766-7920 or email rec@oakcreekwi.org to discuss your concerns.

Proof of date of birth

Proof of date of birth for all children is required at their first registration.

Where is my class?

EAST MIDDLE SCHOOL: 9330 S. Shepard Avenue, use Entrance #7

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

OAK CREEK LIBRARY/CIVIC CENTER: 8040 S. 6th Street. Parking in the south lot, use main entrance.

Carpool information

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.

For all other requests please complete the carpool form on Pg. 46 or complete during online registration by clicking on "add a note or info for staff" before proceeding to the shopping cart.

What if I want to register with my adult friend?

Add note on registration form or in "notes to staff" online.

All persons requesting to register together will be processed together. If one member is a non-resident, or waitlisted, all will be processed as such.

ONLINE REGISTRATION

Register for Recreation Classes at:

www.oakcreekwi.org

Click on: "I want to", then "Register for"

Then "Recreational Classes/Activities"

New user?

Call to find out how to get your user name and password:
(414) 766-7920

Visa, Discover, MasterCard and American Express accepted

Register for Library classes at:

www.oakcreeklibrary.org/events

We are closed on:

Memorial Day: Monday, May 29th
Independence Day: Tuesday July 4th

Employment

The City of Oak Creek utilizes an online employment application system.

To apply for employment--

- Visit www.oakcreekwi.org
- Click on "I want to", then "apply for"
- Select "City Employment"
- Click the link for the position you are seeking.

American's with Disabilities Act

Upon reasonable notice, a good faith effort will be made to accommodate the needs of disabled individuals through sign language interpreters or other auxiliary aid at no cost to the individual to participate in recreation programming. Due to the difficulty in finding aides/interpreters, requests should be made as far in advance as possible, preferably at time of registration. For additional information or to request this service, contact:

Oak Creek Recreation Department at (414) 766-7920

or by writing to:

ADA Coordinator, Oak Creek Health Department,

8040 S. 6th Street

Oak Creek, WI 53154

Join our Rec Email lists!

Want to get up-to-the-minute class and activity announcements, want registration reminders?

Want to be the first to know when the "Acorn" is online?

Join our mailing list by using the QR code below or follow the link under "Contact us" to our website and fill out the email list form. We do not share or sell your email information



Contact us

Recreation Service Desk: Monday-Friday 9am-5pm

Phone: Monday-Friday 8am-5pm (414) 766-7920

Office Fax: (414) 766-7942

Visit us at: www.oakcreekwi.org/rec

Email us at: rec@oakcreekwi.org

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

Press 1 for General Information-all others

Press 2 for Team Sports Information

"Like Us" on Facebook!

Search for:

Oak Creek Recreation and

Oak Creek Recreation 50+ Activities

Smile! You're on Camera!

On occasion, our staff may take pictures of participants in recreation programs. These pictures are for our program brochures/bulletin boards. If you do not want your child photographed, please notify the Recreation Office.

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

Acorn information

The Acorn is published 3 times a year: May, August, December



ADULT COMPUTER CLASSES

Adults, 18 and up

Registration required for all classes.

Registration opens 5/17

Location-Technology Training Room

Office for Beginners

4 classes

Do you need to use Microsoft Office products for work or school? Wish that you were more familiar with the basics? Learn the basics in Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Publisher, such as: How to create a simple document, format text, cut, copy and paste, create a monthly expense spreadsheet, use AutoSum, create a simple slideshow, insert pictures, use animations, create a simple flyer and use a template to create a business card.

Begins	Day	Time
6/5	Mon	6-8:30 pm
6/7	Wed	9:30 am-12pm

BYOD – Bring Your Own Device

One-on-one, 45 min. session

Need help accessing an e-Book, using OverDrive, downloading an App, or just basic navigation guidance? This is the program for you! Sign up for a one-on-one session with a Librarian to receive assistance on the topic of your choice with whatever device you bring in. Slots will fill up quickly, so sign up soon.

Begins	Day	Time
7/17	Mon	10am-7pm
7/19	Wed	10am-7 pm

Intermediate Microsoft Office

4 classes

This class is recommended for people who have a basic working knowledge of Microsoft Office (or who have taken a Beginner's Microsoft Office class). Learn more intermediate concepts in Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Publisher, such as: how to use tables and edit headers/footers, use conditional values and create charts/graphs, animate slides and use timing, create shapes and insert building blocks.

Begins	Day	Time
8/7	Mon	6-8:30pm
8/9	Wed	9:30-12pm

For programs requiring registration:

Register online at www.oakcreeklibrary.org/events, in person at the Oak Creek Public Library, or by phone: (414) 766-7900

ADULT ACTIVITIES

Adult Game Club

Registration NOT Required.

Drop-in at the library to play a variety of board and card games. Feel free to bring a friend! Light refreshments will be provided.

Location: Technology Training Room

Day	Dates	Time
Tues	6/13, 7/11, 8/8	1 - 3pm

Coloring for Grown Ups

Registration NOT Required.

Find out what the Adult Coloring Book craze is all about while having fun experiencing the soothing, creative experience for yourself. The library will provide colored pencils, crayons and coloring sheets. You provide the artistic vision.

Location: Technology Training Room

Day	Dates	Time
Mondays	6/12 - 8/14	9:30am - 11:30am

Adult Volunteer Fair

Registration NOT Required.

Meet with local organizations and learn about the volunteer and membership opportunities they have for adults in our community. Light refreshments will be provided.

Location: Multi-Purpost Room

Day	Date	Time
Tuesday	8/15	12pm - 8pm



TEENS

Teen Volunteer Orientation

Age: entering 7th-12th grade

Registration required.

Are you interested in volunteering at the library? This orientation will introduce teens to the volunteer program (expectations, commitment, scheduling) and the opportunities available over the summer.



Begins	Day	Time
Friday	6/2	6-7pm

Location: Multi-Purpose Room

Henna for Beginners

2 classes

Age: entering 6th-12th grade

Registration required.

In this two-part program, teens will learn the basics of the beautiful art of Henna. Participants will receive an introduction to the art, including its preparation and cultural importance. Learn how to create simple henna designs and how to create their own henna cones at home.

Day	Dates	Time
Saturdays	6/24 & 7/1	1:30pm-3pm

Location: Story Time Room

Bliss Tonic Yoga

Age: entering 6th-12th grade

Registration Required.

Bliss-out with this fun and creative yoga class! Instructors from Bliss Tonic will show teens how to use hula hoops with yoga to channel excess energy and de-stress.

Go with the flow!

Day	Date	Time
Thursday	7/27	6pm-7pm

Location: Multipurpose Room

Drop-in Book Club for Teens

Age: entering 9th-12th grade

Registration NOT required.

Meet up with other teens who love to read and talk your hearts out! You'll get recommendations for new books, too.

Last Thursday of the month, year-round

Location: Delphi Room



5pm-6pm

READING BUDDIES

7 weeks

Registration required.

Keep your child's reading skills sharp this summer by signing them up for the Reading Buddies program. Children ages 5-10 will be matched with a teen volunteer who will listen to them read and gently support their reading skills.

Class will not meet on: 7/3

Location: Childrens Department

Begins	Day	Time
6/19	Mon	10am-12pm
6/19	Mon	6-7:30 pm



FAMILY PROGRAMS

Triple Feature Fridays:

Registration NOT required.

Rated G @ 12:00 pm Location: Story Time Room

Rated PG @ 2:00 pm Location: Story Time Room

Rated PG-13 @ 6:00 pm Location: Multi-Purpose Room

Titles of movies TBA.

Bring blankets and pillows and relax while watching movies! Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Please note movie ratings above!

Sponsored by: Friends of the Oak Creek Library.

Fridays	6/23 - 7/28
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There will be no movies on 7/7. No PG-13 movie on 7/28.

Library Family Bingo Night

Registration Required.

Play bingo, win non-cash prizes, chat with friends, and enjoy light refreshments

Day	Date	Time
Wednesday	8/16	6 pm-7pm

Location: Multipurpose Room

TUESDAY CHILDRENS PERFORMANCES

All Performances:

Tuesdays 1:30-2:20pm

Location: Multi-Purpose Room

Geared for children ages 5-11, but all are welcome!

Registration NOT required.

Jeanie B! 6/20

Presented by: Jeanie B Music

Jeanie B! programs are full of interactive and educational musical fun! Children and adults alike are engaged in learning while singing and dancing and laughing together.

Bens Bubble Show 6/27

Presented by: Ben's Bubble Show

An exciting show for all ages! Ben displays an amazing show of science using bubbles! Using just his hands and a few simple tools, watch Ben create beautiful and mind boggling soap bubble sculptures.

Circus Boy 7/11

Presented by: Bobby Hunt

Circus Boy dazzles crowds with comedy, balancing stunts, juggling, and more in this show for all ages. Included in the show is Circus Boy's claim to fame: riding the world's smallest bicycle.

A Tale of Two Hemispheres 7/18

Presented by: Kohls Wild Theatre

Polar bears and penguins may live on opposite sides of the globe, but this 45-minute show teaches children what they can do to help these magnificent animals from home. Join a film crew in "Lights, Camera, Arctic!" to help Ursus the polar bear slow the effects of global climate change. Then the audience will become pirates to help a Humboldt penguin find its treasure in "The Treasure of the Sea." Concepts presented include habitats, energy conservation, sustainable seafood and more!

Mad Science Fire and Ice Show 7/25

Presented by: Mad Science

Children will be dazzled and entertained as they interact with the mad scientists. Foggy dry ice storms, giant beach balls floating in the air and even a special mad science "burp" potion will amaze children as they learn about chemical reactions, air pressure and the states of matter.



WORLD OF ACTIVITIES

ALL "World of Activities":

Children entering grades K5-6 in Sept 2017

Thursdays 1:30-2:30pm Multi-Purpose Room

Registration required.

Playing with Polymers 6/22

A favorite of kids old and young; create your own cup of slime! Mad Science slime is concocted in its own Mad Science Activity Cups (with lids!)

Presented by: Mad Science

The Magic of Rick Allen 6/29

Children love magic and this workshop will provide them with the opportunity to learn some exciting tricks, and tricks of the trade. Each child will take home their own magic trick.

Let's Leave it to the Beavers 7/13

Beavers are one of nature's great builders, complete with their own built in tool kit of teeth, paws and tails! Learn about the beaver's amazing adaptations through interactive theater, simulations and real beaver artifacts!

Presented by: Nature in the Parks

Animals are Builders Too! 7/20

Meet some amazing animal builders including the octopus, spider, crow, bower bird, paper wasp and beaver. Find out who makes a decorated home for his girlfriend, a crazy den to hide in, a lodge that's waterproof, and a trap to catch lunch. Real science specimens, puppets and pictures will keep all ages engaged. Everyone gets to make a 3D paper spider and web to take home.

Presented by: Artist Mary Tooley

Bliss Tonic Yoga 7/27

Flow through a fun, energetic and relaxing yoga class. Learn ways to use yoga to channel excess energy.

Bring: a yoga mat or towel

Presented by: Michelle Anthony, Bliss Tonic Yoga

For programs requiring registration:

Register online at www.oakcreeklibrary.org/events, in person at the Oak Creek Public Library, or by phone: 414-766-7900

STORYTIME

Preschool Storytime

5 classes

Registration required!

This program is designed to be a child's first school experience, incorporating books, songs and other early literacy activities followed by a playtime. Children sit independently with library staff.

Class will not meet on: 7/5

Location: Story Time Room

Begins	Day	Time
6/21	Wed	10:30-11:15 am
6/21	Wed	1:30-2:15 pm

Baby and Toddler Playtime

Registration NOT required.

For ages birth to 3.

Drop in for open play! The Story Time room will be filled with age appropriate toys for children to enjoy. Join in the fun!

Fridays	6/30, 7/21 and 7/28	10-11:30am
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Location: Storytime Room

Family Story Time

All ages

Registration NOT required.

Immerse your child in an enjoyable, interactive literary experience, followed by a playtime.

Wednesdays	6/21 - 7/26	6-6:45pm
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Class will not meet on: 7/5

Location: Storytime Room



SMALL FRY DRIVE-IN

Ages 2 - 5 with adult (Drop-In)

Registration NOT required

Car Decorating

Bring your cardboard box to the library and utilize the materials provided by us to decorate your cardboard cars! Or build and decorate a cardboard car for your child out of a box at home.

Friday	6/9	Between 3pm - 7:30pm
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OR

Saturday	6/10	Between 9am-2pm
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Movie

Bring your decorated car to the library for your child to sit in while they watch a short movie!

Snacks provided. *Car is not required.

Titles of movies TBA.



Day	Date	Time
Friday	6/23	10:30am - 11:30am
Friday	7/14	10:30am - 11:30am

WPRRA Ticket Program



- Ticket arrival varies by vendor. Please call ahead
- Ticket sales are final! No refunds or exchanges.
- First come, first served. Sorry, we cannot mail or hold tickets for pickup.
- NO CHECKS! Cash, VISA, Master Card, American Express and Discover accepted.
- \$.75/ticket transaction fee when using credit or debit card.
- Tickets sold until Friday, 9/1 or until stock is depleted.
- Prices and terms subject to change without notice.
- Purchase tickets IN PERSON ONLY at the Oak Creek Rec Department, 8040 S. 6th Street, 2nd floor service counter in the Library
- Hours: Mon - Fri 9 am-5 pm

Ticket Information	Season	Ages	Rec Office Price	Gate Price	Savings \$\$
Boat Tours - Upper Dells (Age 3 and under FREE)	Mid April-Early November	Adult 12+	\$25.75	\$30.00	\$4.25
		Child 4-11	\$14.50	\$15.00	\$0.50
Ducks - WI Original (Ages 3 and under FREE)	3/14 - 11/14	Adult 12+	\$25.75	\$30.00	\$4.25
		Child 4-11	\$14.50	\$15.00	\$0.50
Mt. Olympus Theme & Water Park (Ages 2 and under FREE)	5/27 - 9/4	Ages 3 & up	\$12.25	\$40.00	\$27.75
Noah's Ark Family Park (under 36" FREE)	5/27 - 9/4	Adult	\$27.00	\$41.62	\$14.62
		Child under 48"	\$27.00	\$30.95	\$3.95
Pirate's Cove Adventure Golf (Ages 4 and under FREE)	Mid-March to Late-October, no expiration date	Ages 5 & up	\$5.50	\$8.50	\$3.00
Six Flags Theme Park (Ages 2 and under FREE) - WE DO NOT SELL CHILDREN'S TICKETS					
"Any Day"	4/29 - 11/5	Ages 3 & up	\$48.25	\$75.18	\$26.93
"WPRRA Week" Must be used July 1 -9 ONLY	Can be purchased at any time	Ages 3 & up	\$36.25	\$75.18	\$38.93
Season Pass	4/29-11/5	Ages 3 & up	\$81.50	\$88.57	\$7.07
Zoo - Milwaukee County (Ages 2 and under FREE)	Expires 12/31/17	Adult 13+	\$10.50	\$14.25	\$3.75
		Child 3-12	\$8.50	\$11.25	\$2.75

PARKS AND RECREATION MONTH

Join us as we celebrate during July!

Watch for FREE activities!

Beginning in mid June calendars with free “Try its”, open house days for camps and sports programs and other activities will be available online or at the Recreation Desk in the Oak Creek Public Library.

Join our Selfie Contest!

We want to see you celebrating the outdoors in our parks!!!! Follow the weekly clue that leads to that week’s highlighted recreational activity or park. Simply take a picture of yourself visiting the park, or enjoying the activity, send it to us, and be entered into a random drawing to win a prize at the end of the month! Clues will be available at our Facebook page, or by contacting the Recreation Office.

1st Place: Two 6 Flags Tickets (Any Day)

2nd Place: One Adult & One Child Milwaukee County Zoo Ticket

3rd Place (Up to 3): One \$10 giftcard for Gastrau’s Mini Golf

Contest policies and rules:

- Open to all Oak Creek Residents, and families in the OC/F school district.
- Clues will be provided on our Facebook page every Friday July 7th thru July 28th for the following week’s activity or park.
- Pictures can be emailed to rec@oakcreekwi.org, dropped off at the Recreation desk, or mailed to Oak Creek Recreation Department (8040 S. 6th Street, Attn: Recreation Department)
- Please include your name(s), address, phone number and email with each photo.
- Picture should include the contestant(s) and clearly identify the answer to the week’s clue.
- All entries must be received by Friday, August 4th
- Enter weekly! Limit of one prize per person.

FALL PREVIEW

Soccer

Boys and Girls Grades 1-8

League	Grade	Time
Minor	1-3	4-5pm
Major	3-5	5-6pm
Middle School	6-8	5-6pm

Schedule:

Week 1 & 2: Tues and Thurs

Weeks 3 through end of season: Thurs practice, Sat Game

Flag Football

Boys and Girls Grades 1-6

League	Grade	Time
Minor	1-3	4-5pm
Major	4-6	5-6pm

Schedule:

Week 1: Wed, Friday, Sat

Weeks 2 through end of season: Wed practice, Sat Game

Soccer and **Football** games are scheduled for Saturdays between the hours of 8am-4pm beginning mid September through the month of October. Exact game times cannot be determined until registration and team selection has been completed. Games may be scheduled on a regular practice day as needed.

Leagues begin early September.

REGISTRATION OPENS MONDAY, AUGUST 7TH

COACHES WANTED

We need coaches! Enjoy sports, kids, and fun? Apply for a Summer Baseball, Fall Soccer, and Flag Football coach position with the Recreation Department.

Apply online at www.oakcreekwi.org. Click on: “I want to”, then, “apply for”, then the category for either Summer, or School Year coaching.



DRAMA

10 classes

One PERFORMANCE each class- during the week of JULY 24th for family and friends

Elementary

Completed grade K5 through 5 when class begins

“Pugly”

Gather round for a musical rendition of Hans Christian Anderson’s fairy tale about a little duck that became a swan. In this refreshed tale what springs from Mama Duck’s nest is none other than Pugly the Platypus. Pugly is sad and lonely until he performs a heroic rescue and becomes a cherished member of the barnyard.



Activ/Sect#	Grades	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
241101-A1	1 - 5	6/19	M&W	5:30-7 pm	\$49/\$98

Middle School

Completed grade 6 through age 16 and students entering grade 5 with previous drama class experience.

“Cinderella and the Substitute Fairy Godmother” by Ed Monk



Cinderella must get to the Royal Ball if she is ever to meet her one true love, Prince Charmful, but all the fairy godmothers have food poisoning! Enter Lucretia Fossilwart, Substitute Fairy Godmother. This will not end well.

(Or will it!)

Day	Time	Activ/Sect#	Grades	Begins	Res/NR Fee
241101-A2	5 up	6/19	M&W	7-8:30 pm	\$49/\$98

Classes will not meet on: 7/3, 7/5

Instructor: Dawn Leys

Location: Oak Creek HS Little Theater- use HS main entrance

FUN AND GAMES

Ages 7 through entering grade 6

Meet at: High School Diamond #2-Central

Sports!

6 classes

Learn about, then play, a different sport each week. We’ve planned Soccer, Flag Football, Dodgeball, Ball hockey, and more for everyone to play. All equipment and supplies are included, no experience necessary!

Class will not meet on: 7/3

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
251004-F1	6/19	Mon	10:50 am-noon	\$22/\$44

Kickball

6 classes

Class will not meet on: 7/4

Everyone plays in this just for fun league. Teams are formed each week with the players in attendance.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
251005-K2	6/20	Tue	12:30-2:00 pm	\$24/\$48

Recess Games

6 classes

Remember those games you played at recess, in the yard, or at playgrounds? Let’s play them again! Wiffle Ball, Dodgeball, 4 square, and more! No practices! We’ll go over the rules and then have some fun, fabulous, & friendly competition.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
251007-K1	6/22	Thu	12:30-2:00 pm	\$24/\$48



DANCE

5 classes

Dance Beginnings

Ages 4 and 5

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
249001-A1	6/22	Th	5:45-6:15 pm	\$26/\$52

Ballet

Ages 5 and up

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
249002-A1	6/22	Th	6:15-6:45pm	\$26/\$52

Hip Hop

Ages 5 and up

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
249005-A1	6/22	Th	6:45-7:15 pm	\$26/\$52

Wear plain leotard or pants with t-shirt. Dance shoes recommended for Hip Hop and Ballet

Class will not meet on: 6/29

Instructor: Annabelle Colla

Location: Library Story Time Room

BABYSITTING

2 - 3 hour classes

Age 11 - 16

The Red Cross Babysitting Course helps you learn safety, supervision and basic care of children.

Attendance at all class sessions and completion of all skills are required to receive certification.

NO REFUNDS AFTER 5PM 1 DAY PRIOR TO CLASS START.

Location: Civic Center Tower Room

Instructor: Amy Hildebrant



Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
240001-A1	6/20	T/Th	6:00-9:00 pm	\$48/\$69
240001-A2	8/8	T/Th	6:00-9:00 pm	\$48/\$69

Instructor: Susan Stadler

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
240001-A3	7/26	Wed	6:00-9:00 pm	\$48/\$69

CREEPCRAWLIES

6 classes

Ages 3-5

Bugs!



Students will learn about the fascinating world of “bugs” and their impact on the environment. Children will get up close and personal with some of the most common insects while participating in fun activities, books, games, songs, and crafts.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
241201-A1	6/21	Wed	5:45-6:35 pm	\$26/\$52

Critters!

Explore the lives and habitats of worms, frogs, snakes and other critters that slither, hop or walk, but are not insects.



Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
241201-B1	6/21	Wed	6:45-7:35 pm	\$26/\$52

Classes will not meet on: 7/5

Instructor: Amy Hildebrandt

Location: St. John’s Room 1

Students are not accompanied by parents during class.

Please dress for messy and/or outdoor activities.

TUMBLING

5 classes

Need an active outlet for the child who is always twisting, turning and upside down? Use that energy while building upper body strength, coordination and balance.

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

Class will not meet on: 7/3

Instructor: Katelyn Edwards

Location: St. John’s Room 1

Tails over Whiskers-ages 3-6

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
245001-A1	3-4	6/19	Mon	6:00-6:30 pm	\$26/\$52
245001-A2	4-6	6/19	Mon	6:30-7:15 pm	\$26/\$52

Beginner Tumbling-ages 5+

245001-B1	5-14	6/19	Mon	7:15-8:00 pm	\$26/\$52
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Morning activities:

8am-trip departure each day

Monday: DIY Monday- crafts and projects

Tuesday: Game day-board games, video games, legos etc

Wednesday: Outdoor Fun day-games and activities outside

Thursday: Movies & Munchies-Movie w/ Make & Eat snacks

Friday: TGI Fun-Campers Choice activities

Fees: Included at no additional fee!

Afternoon Activities

Fees: res/non res

Whole week \$149 /\$169

Individual trips: \$36/\$42 per trip

Except:

Bowling, Cool Waters, Sprechers \$22/\$30 per trip

Lambeau/Bay Beach, Kalahari, 6 Flags \$54/\$64 per trip

Fees include:

- Supervised morning activities 8am until trip departure.
- Bus, admission and lunch (trips indicated with an "L" only) for afternoon field trip.
- Supervised activities until 5pm or return from field trip-whichever is later.

Things to know:

Bring: A bag lunch when not included in field trip, sun-screen and/or bug spray for outdoor activities.

Please dress for the weather.

Refunds are available until 5pm the Friday preceding the camp or trip.

Schedules and trips are subject to change due to circumstances beyond our control. We will notify participants as soon as possible and provide refunds if requested.

All depart and return times are approximate due to unpredictable travel conditions.

Phones, cameras, other personal items and optional spending money will be the responsibility of the participant.

TEEN ADVENTURE CAMPS

High Score week

Activity/sec	Day	Date	Trip	Trip times
291201-A1	Full week		ALL!	8am-5pm
291201-A2	Mon	6/26	LightSpeed	12:30-4:30pm
291201-A3	Tu	6/27	Stonefire (L)	12:30-5pm
291201-A4	Wed	6/28	Action Territory	12:30-5pm
291201-A5	Th	6/29	Adventure Rock	12:30-4pm
291201-A6	Fri	6/30	Bowling (L)	12:30-3:45pm

Sports & Recreation Week

Activity/sec	Day	Date	Trip	Trip times
291202-B1	Full week		ALL!	8am-5pm
291202-B2	Mon	7/10	Bounce Milw	12:30-5pm
291202-B3	Tu	7/11	Disc/Mini Golf	12:30 5pm
291202-B4	Wed	7/12	Sprecher Tour (L)	12:30-5pm
291202-B5	Th	7/13	Altius/Spts Complex*	12:30-4pm
291202-B6	Fri	7/14	Lambeau/Bay Beach(L)	8am-7pm

*Altius Gymnastic/Milw. County Sports complex

Making Waves Week

Activity/sec	Day	Date	Trip	Trip times
291203-C1	Full week		ALL!	8am-5pm
291203-C2	Mon	7/17	Cool Waters	12:30-5pm
291203-C3	Tu	7/18	Country Springs	12:30-5pm
291203-C4	Wed	7/19	Timber Ridge	12:30-5pm
291203-C5	Th	7/20	Blue Harbor (L)	10am- 5pm
291203-C6	Fri	7/21	Kalhari (L)	8am-7pm

Friends & Neighbors Week

Activity/sec	Day	Date	Trip	Trip times
291204-D1	Full week		ALL!	8am-5pm
291204-D2	Mon	7/24	Whirlyball	12:30-5pm
291204-D3	Tu	7/25	Chinooks Baseball(L)	11:30-3:30pm
291204-D4	Wed	7/26	Riverbend*	12:30-5pm
291204-D5	Th	7/27	6 Flags	12:30-9pm
291204-D6	Fri	7/28	Rinkside Sports(L)**	12:30-5pm

* Low Ropes Course and Canoeing

** Gurnee Mills-Escape room w/arcade games.

ARCHERY

Archery Instruction

5 classes

Ages 8 through adult

5 weeks of instruction for beginners or those wanting to improve their skills. Minors must have a parent or guardian present.

Registrants must have their own equipment: bow, arrows, quiver, tab/release and arm guard or pay an additional \$10 for shared use of the club's equipment.

No cross bows or broadhead arrows are allowed.

Questions? Call Mike at (414) 881-7163

Location: Schultz Gun Club

Directions can be found at: www.schultzgunclub.com

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Fee*
241501-A1	8/2	Wed	5:00-7:00 pm	\$40

* add \$10 for use of shared equipment

Fall Bow Hunter's Shoot

2 classes

Ages 12 through Adult

The Schultz Gun Club and Archery Range will have its' 14 target field course, 5 different challenges, open for a 2 week bow hunter tune up. Come and enjoy shooting at targets in a wooded natural setting, 15-40 yards distance. Sharpen your skills while enjoying a casual competitive atmosphere. Sign up with a friend or hunting partner to enjoy the adventure. No cross bows are permitted. Broadheads will be permitted on a limited basis.

Location: Schultz Gun Club

Directions can be found at: www.schultzgunclub.com

Company sponsored teams or questions?

Call Mike at (414) 881-7163

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Fee
241502-A1	8/16	Wed	5:00-7:00 pm	\$25

TAEKWONDO

Ages 6.5 thru adult

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: \$50. 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.

Classes will not meet on: 7/4, 7/6

Instructor: Aaron J. Zehner

Location: St. John's Room 2

Beginner

8 classes

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
246001-C1	6.5-17	6/20	Tu	7:00-8:15 pm	\$32/\$64	
246001-C2	18 & up	6/20	Tu	7:00-8:15 pm	\$38/\$76	
246001-C3	6.5-17	6/22	Th	7:00-8:15 pm	\$32/\$64	
246001-C4	18 & up	6/22	Th	7:00-8:15 pm	\$38/\$76	

Advanced Beginner

16 classes

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
246201-A1	6.5-17	6/20	Tu,Th	7:00-8:15 pm	\$64/\$128	
246201-A2	18 & up	6/20	Tu,Th	7:00-8:15 pm	\$72/\$144	



NEW! SOCCER CAMP

Chicago Fire Soccer Camp

5 - 3 hour sessions

Play. Train. Compete.

For all levels of player, Chicago Fire Community Camps focus on creating a fun learning environment while fostering a love for the game through conditioned practices and small-sided games.

Fee includes a shirt, ball and Chicago Fire Ticket.

Location: St. John's open field area

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Fee
251008-A1	6-10	8/14	M-F	5-8 pm	\$135
251008-A2	11-16	8/14	M-F	5-8 pm	\$135

YOUTH BEGINNER TENNIS

8 classes

Learn tennis, a game that can be played and enjoyed by all ages and abilities. Balls are provided and racquets are available for use during class.

Instructor: Marly Gould

Classes will not meet: 7/4, 7/5, 7/6

Meadowview Tennis Courts

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
247301-B1	5-8	6/13	Tue	5:30-6:30 pm	\$28/\$56
247301-B2	8-15	6/13	Tue	6:30-7:30 pm	\$28/\$56

Carollton Tennis Courts

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
247401-A1	5-8	6/14	Wed	5:30-6:30 pm	\$28/\$56
247401-A2	8-15	6/14	Wed	6:30-7:30pm	\$28/\$56

Oakleaf Tennis Courts

Activ/Sect#	Ages	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
247501-B1	5-8	6/15	Thu	5:30-6:30 pm	\$28/\$56
247501-B2	8-15	6/15	Thu	6:30-7:30 pm	\$28/\$56

YOUTH GOLF

4 classes

Beginner golfers ages 10-16

Lessons are individualized to student's abilities, teaching fundamentals, irons, driver, short game and putting. All are welcome.

Clubs are available for use during class, those using their own should bring a 7 iron.

\$28 FEE for driving range balls due at 1ST CLASS. Payable to Gastrau's Driving Range

Instructor: Bob Harm

Location: Gastrau Driving Range

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
244001-A1	6/6	Tue	6:00-7:00 pm	\$36/\$42
244001-B1	7/11	Tue	6:00-7:00 pm	\$36/\$42

EMPLOYMENT DID YOU KNOW?

The City of Oak Creek is always looking for helpful, friendly faces to work in various positions. Did you know that you can complete a Job Interest Card and receive notification when we are accepting applications for a job that interests you?

Simply visit our website: www.oakcreekwi.org/jobs

Click the Job Interest Card link on the bottom of the page.

Select the categories that interest you, provide your contact information and then enter Submit Request.

For 12 months after you submit the form, you will receive an email notification each time a position opens with the City of Oak Creek whose category matches one that you've chosen. We'll also send you a reminder email in 11 months to give you an opportunity at that time to extend your notification for another year.

To apply now for summer positions:

Go to www.oakcreekwi.org, then click on "I want to", then "Apply for", then the position you are interested in applying for.

Fees include shirt for all leagues, cap for T-Ball, Rookie Ball and Elementary Baseball.

Bring: Mitt, waterbottle and sunscreen

BASEBALL

Mighty Mitts

Ages 3 & 4

Introduce your child to baseball while developing motor skills, coordination and friendships. Players will practice basic skills then participate in a T-ball scrimmage each day. Scrimmage time will vary according to the amount of practice. Everyone bats, everyone plays, every inning!

Class will not meet on: 7/3, 7/5

Meet at: High School Diamond #2-Central

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
251002-A1	6/19	Mon	9-9:45 am	\$24/\$36
251002-A2	6/19	Mon	10-10:45 am	\$24/\$36
251002-A3	6/21	Wed	9-9:45 am	\$24/\$36
251002-A4	6/21	Wed	10-10:45 am	\$24/\$36
251002-A5	6/21	Wed	11-11:45 am	\$24/\$36

T-Ball

Entering K5 through Grade 2 Sept 2017

Baseball using a batting tee to develop correct swing, stressing fun, and fundamental baseball skills.

Class will not meet on: 7/3, 7/4

Meet at: High School Diamond #2-Central

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NRee
251002-B1	6/20	T/Th	9:00-10:00 am	\$45/\$83
251002-P1	6/19	M/W	6:00-7:00 pm	\$45/\$83
251002-P2	6/20	T/Th	6:00-7:00 pm	\$45/\$83

Rookie Ball

Entering grades 2-4 Sept 2017

Baseball using a pitching machine to provide consistent pitches to each batter. Fun and fundamentals are stressed.

Class will not meet on: 7/4

Meet at: High School Diamond #2-Central

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
251003-A1	6/20	Tu/Th	10:15-11:30 am	\$54/\$99

Elementary Baseball

Entering grades 4-8 September 2017

Players will develop skills while having fun. Players pitch. If no pitchers are available then coaches will pitch that day.

The decision to form teams for the season, or at each game, will be made based on registration numbers and announced at the first game.

Class will not meet on: 7/4

Meet at: High School Diamond #2-Central

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
251001-A1	6/20	T/Th	4:00-5:30 pm	\$54/\$99



SOFTBALL

Girls Softball League

Entering grades 4-8 September 2017

Slow pitch softball in a recreational setting. Players will develop skills during a short warm up, then play a game each day.

The decision to form teams for the season, or at each game, will be made based on registration numbers and announced at the first game.

Class will not meet on: 7/3

Meet at: High School Diamond #1-West

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
251006-A1	6/19	M/W	4:00-5:30 pm	\$52/\$97

RECREATION CAMPS

REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Camp Hours:

All day: 8am-5pm-Includes Field Trips, special activities, and Friday lunch

AM only: 8am-1pm Does NOT include most field trips

PM only: noon-5pm Includes most field trips

AM/PM camps include lunch on Friday IF the child is present when served. Times TBA in the Monday newsletters.

BRING: LUNCH, BEVERAGE, WATER BOTTLE and SUNSCREEN.

Early Drop off and Late pick up are available for an additional \$10 fee per week

Please make arrangements with our staff in advance if your child needs to be picked up early, or by another person.

PLEASE NOTE! Participants will be picked up and returned to the camp they are registered at before and after field trips. We are unable to accommodate requests for exceptions to this policy this year.

FEES:

Times	Resident	Non Resident
8am-5pm	\$108	\$145
8am-1pm	\$59	\$93
Noon-5pm	\$69	\$103

LOCATIONS:

Grades 1-3 St John's school Grades 4-7 H. Miller Park

Afterschool Fun

6/19-6/23

Includes: Stonefire Pizza, movie and Friday lunch.

Session/Time	Entering Gr. 1-3	Entering Gr. 4-7
All Day	223102-A1	223102-B1
AM Only	223102-A2	223102-B2
PM Only	223102-A3	223102-B3
Early Drop Off	223291-A2	
Late Pickup	223291-P2	



Back in the Day

6/26-6/30

Includes: Old World Wisconsin, Browns Lake, and Friday lunch.

Session/Time	Entering Gr. 1-3	Entering Gr. 4-7
All Day	223103-A1	223103-B1
AM Only	223103-A2	223103-B2
PM Only	223103-A3	223103-B3
Early Drop Off	23291-A3	
Late Pickup	23291-P3	

Explore the Outdoors

6/12-6/16

Includes: Zoo, Nature Center and Friday lunch.

Session/Time	Entering Gr. 1-3	Entering Gr. 4-7
All Day	223101-A1	223101-B1
AM Only	223101-A2	223101-B2
PM Only	223101-A3	223101-B3
Early Drop Off	223291-A1	
Late Pickup	223291-P1	

Roll With It

7/3-7/7

Includes: Bowling, Roller Skating, and Friday lunch.

No camp July 4th

Session/Time	Entering Gr. 1-3	Entering Gr. 4-7
All Day	223104-A1	223104-B1
AM Only	223104-A2	223104-B2
PM Only	223104-A3	223104-B3
Early Drop Off	223291-A4	
Late Pickup	223291-P4	

Scientists in Training

7/10-7/14

Includes: Planetarium, Discovery World and Friday lunch.

Session/Time	Entering Gr. 1-3	Entering Gr. 4-7
All Day	223105-A1	223105-B1
AM Only	223105-A2	223105-B2
PM Only	223105-A3	223105-B3
Early Drop Off	223291-A5	
Late Pickup	223291-P5	

Sports Mania

7/31-8/4

Includes: Brewers game, Mini Golf and Friday lunch.

Session/Time	Entering Gr. 1-3	Entering Gr. 4-7
All Day	223108-A1	223108-B1
AM Only	223108-A2	223108-B2
PM Only	223108-A3	223108-B3
Early Drop Off	223291-A8	
Late Pickup	223291-P8	

Winter in July

7/17-7/21

Includes: Ice skating, ceramics project, and Friday lunch.

Session/Time	Entering Gr. 1-3	Entering Gr. 4-7
All Day	223106-A1	223106-B1
AM Only	223106-A2	223106-B2
PM Only	223106-A3	223106-B3
Early Drop Off	223291-A6	
Late Pickup	223291-P6	

The Big Splash

8/7-8/11

Includes: Country Springs, Cool Waters and Friday lunch.

Session/Time	Entering Gr. 1-3	Entering Gr. 4-7
All Day	223109-A1	223109-B1
AM Only	223109-A2	223109-B2
PM Only	223109-A3	223109-B3
Early Drop Off	223291-A9	
Late Pickup	223291-P9	



Milwaukee Rocks

7/24-7/28

Includes: Museum, Sprecher Tour and Friday lunch.

Session/Time	Entering Gr. 1-3	Entering Gr. 4-7
All Day	223107-A1	223107-B1
AM Only	223107-A2	223107-B2
PM Only	223107-A3	223107-B3
Early Drop Off	223291-A7	
Late Pickup	223291-P7	

Cowabunga and Sayonara

8/14-8/18

Includes: Action Territory, Summer's End Picnic on Friday

Session/Time	Entering Gr. 1-3	Entering Gr. 4-7
All Day	223110-A1	223110-B1
AM Only	223110-A2	223110-B2
PM Only	223110-A3	223110-B3
Early Drop Off	223291-ED	
Late Pickup	223291-LP	

EXERCISE

Tone n Tighten

6 classes

Great on its own or a nice addition to your regular fitness routine! This class will tone and firm the whole body through the use of resistance bands and light weights. Work at a level that is right for you. Weights and bands are provided.

Class will not meet on: 7/3

Instructor: Amy Hildebrandt

Location: EMS- 6A Common Area

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
261001-A1	6/19	Mon	7:00-8:00 pm	\$26/\$52

Tai Chi/Qigong

5 classes

Tai Chi and QiGong heal and strengthen the entire body, mind and spirit with soft circular movement. Go home relaxed and energized at the same time!

Class will not meet on: 7/5

Instructor: Cathy Stocker

Location: EMS- 6A Common Area

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
261002-A1	6/21	Wed	7:00-8:00 pm	\$48/\$60

Boot Camp Fitness **NEW!**

6 classes

Join us for a full body interval training program combining intervals of cardio and body weight strength exercises for any fitness level.

Class will not meet on: 7/3

Location: EMS- 6A Common Area

Instructor: Liz Moore

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
261003-A1	6/19	Mon	7:00-8:00 pm	\$32/\$64
261003-A2	6/21	Wed	7:00-8:00 pm	\$32/\$64

Fitness Pass

Flexible pass so you can attend 8* fitness classes of your choice when it's convenient for you! No expiration!

Note: 2 visit limit for TaiChi/QiGong, Yoga and The Next Step, Not valid for classes held in Franklin.

Fees: \$40 Resident \$80 Non Resident

Call or stop in for yours.

Stroller Exercise **NEW!**

6 classes

Enjoy a full body interval training workout for Mom with baby in a stroller. The workout combines stretching, jogging, and body weight exercises to create a great workout for any fitness level. The babies love getting to stroll around with mom, and moms love it because they get a great workout!

Class will not meet on: 7/1

Instructor: Liz Moore

Location: Emerald Preserve

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
261004-A1	6/17	Sat	9:30-10:30 am	\$32/\$64



Yoga

5 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.

Class will not meet on: 7/5

Instructor: Cathy Stocker

Location: EMS- 6A Common Area

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
261005-A1	6/21	Wed	6:00-7:00 pm	\$48/\$60

Line Dance Fitness

9 classes

Co-op with Franklin

Wobble, Slide, Hustle, Cha Cha and Tush Push those calories away! No dance experience needed! We'll teach the dance steps you need, however this is not line dance instruction.

Bring a water bottle & your tennis shoes and plan to have fun!

Class will not meet on: 7/5

Location: Country Dale Elem. School-Multi Purpose Room
7380 S North Cape Rd, Franklin

Instructor: Vickie Francolucci

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
261007-F1	6/14	Wed	6:00-7:00 pm	\$41/\$61

TaiChi w/EZ Chair Yoga

6 classes

Seated and standing yoga stretch combined with TaiChi/ QiGong. Excellent for balance, strength, and coordination. Improves mobility, mental outlook and reduces stress. Includes intro to new, easier Tai Chi Fundamentals form.

Bring: Water bottle

No mat needed

Class will not meet on: 7/6

Location: St. John's Room 1

Instructor: Cathy Stocker

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
261010-A1	6/15	Thu	9:05-9:55 am	\$34/\$37

SUMMER SPORTS

Golf - Adult Beginner

4 - 1 hour sessions

Lessons are individualized to student's abilities, teaching fundamentals, irons, driver, short game and putting. All are welcome.

Clubs are available for use during class, those using their own should bring a 7 iron.

Instructor: Bob Harm

Location: Gastrau Driving Range

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
264001-A1	6/6	Tue	7:00-8:00 pm	\$59/\$61*
264001-B1	7/11	Tue	7:00-8:00 pm	\$59/\$61*

*Additional \$28 unlimited driving range ball fee due to Gastrau's at the first class.

Disc Golf **NEW!**

5 Classes

Enjoy the warm weather having a great time playing disc golf! Learn the rules, throwing techniques, scoring, and disc selection, then try out your new skills.

Discs will be provided, or bring a driver, mid range and putter.

Class will not meet on: 7/4

Instructor: John Chojnacki

Location: Disc Golf - Abendschein Disc Golf Course

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
264002-A1	6/20	Tu	6:00-7:00 pm	\$18/\$36
264002-A2	6/22	Th	10:00-11:00 am	\$18/\$36

Kayaking

1 Class

Co-op with Franklin

Learn the basic strokes and safety skills needed to be safe and comfortable paddling a recreational kayak on our many calm inland lakes and rivers.

Instructor: Sherri Mertz, ACA Certified Open Water coastal and Level 3 Kayaking instructor

All equipment provided.

Bring: water bottle, Sunscreen

Wear: synthetic quick dry clothing for optimal comfort

Questions? call (262) 895-2008 or email sherrikayaks@wi.rr.com. Day of trip: call (414) 791-8877

Waiver form required! Download at: oakcreekwi.org/rec

Class will meet at Sportsman's Lounge, 25313 W. Loomis Rd. Wind Lake, WI. Kayaking will be on Wind Lake.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Fee
268001-A1	7/29	Sat	1:30-4:00 pm	\$60

COOKING

Pesto with Punch

1 Class

Pesto isn't just for pasta anymore! Learn a variety of new ways to make and use pesto. Try some samples and take home recipes for those you like.

Instructor: Amy Hildebrandt

Location: Oak Creek Community Center-Day Room

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
292003-P1	7/20	Thu	6-7:30pm	\$10/\$15

Veggie Re-mix

1 Class

Are you tired of the same old corn or steamed broccoli? Think outside of the box, learn new tricks and see vegetables in a new way. Learn more about things like vegetable noodles and cauliflower rice. Try some samples and take home recipes.

Instructor: Amy Hildebrandt

Location: Oak Creek Community Center-Day Room

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
292003-P2	8/10	Thu	6-7:30pm	\$10/\$15

DANCE WORKSHOPS

1 class

Grab your dancing partner and join Eric Guy as he shows you basic steps and variations of these dance styles. Classes are for those with little or no experience.

Location: Country Dale School-Multi Purpose Room
7380 S North Cape Rd. Franklin

Bolero

Join us for the dramatic Bolero

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
269001-F1	6/13	Tue	7:00-8:30 pm	\$12/\$18	

Waltz

Enjoy the grace and majesty of the beautiful Waltz

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
269001-F3	6/6	Tue	7:00-8:30 pm	\$12/\$18	

Mambo

Afro-Caribbean sounds are the soul of this dance originally described as “feeling the music.”

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR	Fee
269001-F4	6/27	Tue	7:00-8:30 pm	\$12/\$18	

FITNESS

Senior Fit

8 classes

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

Bring a water bottle.

Class will not meet on: 7/4, 7/6, 8/3, 8/22

Instructor: Amy Hildebrandt

Location: Oak Creek Comm. Center-Day Room

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
261902-A1	6/13	T/Th	11:30 -12:15 pm	\$16/\$20/\$22
261902-B1	6/13	T/Th	10:30-11:15am	\$16/\$20/\$22
261902-A2	7/25	T/Th	11:30 -12:15 pm	\$16/\$20/\$22
261902-B2	7/25	T/Th	10:30-11:15 am	\$16/\$20/\$22

Gentle Yoga

6 classes

This relaxing class will improve balance, strength and flexibility while reducing tension and stress. Chair and standing exercises, no mat needed.

Class will not meet on: 7/4

Instructor: Cathy Stocker

Location: OC Library Tech Training center

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
292303-A1	6/13	Tu	9:05-9:50 am	\$30/\$34/\$37

Tai Chi/QiGong

6 classes

Come explore the art of relaxation and breathing. Enhance your mental focus, coordination and balance.

Class will not meet on: 7/4

Instructor: Cathy Stocker

Location: OC Library Tech Training center

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
292103-A1	6/13	Tu	9:55-10:40 am	\$30/\$34/\$37

The Next Step

10 classes

Class will not meet on 7/3, 7/6

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. Physio is providing their equipment and the supervision of a registered Physical Therapist for this class at an unbeatable price.

Location: Physio Physical Therapy

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
292003-A1	6/12	M/Th	1- 2P	\$18/\$22/\$22
292003-A6	7/31	M/Th	1- 2P	\$18/\$22/\$22



FYI

Essential Oils **NEW!**

1 Class

Learn about essential oils and the most common practices for using them to bring the essence of these botanicals to your life.

Location: Oak Creek Civic Center

Instructor: Jill Wessel

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
292003-A5	6/20	Tu	6-8pm	\$10/\$20
292003-A7	7/18	Tu	6-8pm	\$10/\$20

Genealogy-A Journey into Your Past **NEW!**

6 Classes

If you have ever wondered about your past, your eccentric Uncle Bob, or where those dimples came from, join us on the “hunt of your lifetime”. Discover the tricks and many resources available to take you into your past, meet heroes you’ve only heard about, and learn the struggles and joys of your ancestors.

Location: OC Library Tech Training Center

Instructor: Brenda Magee

Class will not meet on 7/6

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
292003-C1	6/22	Thu	6:30-8pm	\$25/\$29

RETIREMENT PLANNING

Rules of the Road

Why are some people more successful investors than others? Luck? Probably not. Do they know a “secret”? Definitely not - because there are no real secrets to investing. But there are rules you can follow to work towards your goals.

Join us to learn:

- How to avoid the most common investing mistakes
- Investing strategies for your long-term goals
- What you can do now to prepare for retirement

Location: Library Tech Training Center

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
292003-A3	7/18	Tu	6:00P - 8:00P	FREE!

Estate Planning/Living Trust

Co-op with Franklin

Estate planning is planning for life! Learn how to:

- Maintain control of medical and financial decisions during periods of incapacity.
- Ensure the property you leave for your family gets to the intended beneficiaries, even in the event of remarriage.
- Protect your assets from estate taxes, lawsuits, creditors, and failed marriages.
- Maintain privacy and avoid court control of your affairs.
- Save every tax dollar, professional fee and court cost possible.

Fee is per household.

Location: Franklin High School/Room A110 (enter lower Recreation Dept/Athletic doors)

Presented by: Angermeier & Rodgers Law Firm

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
292003-F1	6/1	Th	7-9pm	\$14/\$21
292003-F2	7/18	Tu	7-9pm	\$14/\$21

Understanding Medicare

Co-op with Franklin

Adults nearing 65

Location: Franklin High School-Library (south entrance main doors)

Instructor: Marsha Kowalski

Getting closer to 65 and don’t know a thing about Medicare? Learn about Medicare Parts A, B and C and other important issues that you need to know about.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
292003-F4	6/13	Tu	10-11:30am	\$14/\$21

Retirement Income Primer

Facility: OC Library Tech Training Center

What happens after the paychecks stop? If you are nearing or entering retirement and are interested in a strategy designed to help build an income stream and make your retirement income last, join us for the information you need.

We’ll examine budgeting for retirement expenses and potential sources of income as well as addressing risks to your retirement income.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
292003-A2	6/27	Tu	6 - 8P	FREE!

TRIPS

Lake Geneva

Enjoy a scenic ride by motor coach to the City of Lake Geneva. After lunch at Sprecher Restaurant & Pub, enjoy light shopping or relax by the lake before boarding The Grand Belle for a narrated tour and an ice cream sundae dessert.

Depart/return: Oak Creek Public Library

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
292001-A2	7/14	Fri	9:55A - 5:20P	\$65/\$69/\$73

Ho-Chunk Casino

Includes: Motor coach transportation and \$25 Rewards Play.

Player's Card required to play. Include card number on the registration form or indicate that you need a new or replacement card. Photo ID and Social Security Card required for winnings over \$1,199.

Cancellation Policy: Refunds (minus \$3) available before 5pm on July 5th, thereafter transferable, but not refundable.

Depart/return: Oak Creek Community Center

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
292001-A4	7/20	Th	7:50A - 7:45P	\$34/\$37/\$39

Potawatomi Casino

Includes: Motor coach transportation, \$20 Fire Keeper Club Rewards Play, and half off the buffet.

Player's Card required to play. Include card number on the registration form or indicate that you need a new or replacement card. Photo ID and Social Security Card required for winnings over \$1,199.

Cancellation Policy: Refunds (minus \$3) available before 5pm on July 31st, thereafter transferable, but not refundable.

Departs/return: Oak Creek Community Center

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	FYC/Res/NR
292001-A5	8/15	Tu	Noon-6:30pm	\$22/\$26/\$30



FOREVER YOUNG CLUB

Ages 50 and better!

Email: foreveryoung@oakcreekwi.org

Phone 766-7920 during Recreation Dept hours

Visit us on Facebook: Oak Creek 50+ Activities

Join us for member discounts on classes designated with an FYC, and member only FREE activities:

Card Social

Location: Community Center, 8580 S Howell Ave
Mondays-9:50am-2:30pm

Coffee, cards and games! Lunch available for a fee during the School Year only.

Pins and Needles Drop in Activity

Location Oak Creek Library Quiet Reading Room

Like conversation and needle crafts? Join us for both!

1st and 3rd Thursday of the month from 10-noon

Beginners welcome. Bring your own yarn/supplies to work on a project. Beverages with lids permitted.

Gardening Club:

Location: Oak Creek Community Center Day Room

Every other Wednesday starting May 24th 10 am

Come garden with us! We'll plant raised bed gardens to grow fresh produce for Garden Club members.

Will not meet on July 5th

Wii Bowling League

Location: OC Library Gaming Room

June 15th 8 weeks

Like bowling? Friends? Fun? Join us for Wii Bowling

Thursdays at 12:45pm

FYC Member Appreciation BBQ

Location: Oak Creek Community Center

Registration required.

Celebrate summer and good times with good friends.

Menu includes: Cheeseburger, chips, fruit, dessert, soda and water.

Activ/Sect#	Begins	Day	Time	Res/NR Fee
292002-A6	8/11	Fri	11am-2pm	FREE!

REGISTRATION INFO

Registration dates*:

Monday, May 22nd: Resident Online, and all "Active Adults"

Wednesday, May 30th: All registration methods open

*Camp registration is currently ongoing!

FYI

Carpool request and info is on the back of form-pg 46.

Registration receipts are emailed to the email address on file.

You can print your online registration receipt at any time.

We can't be responsible for late or incomplete registrations.

Registrations are not accepted at program sites.

How to register:

Online: www.oakcreekwi.org, click "I want to", then "register for" then , "Recreation Classes/activities"

Drop Box: Use the Oak Creek Library Book Drop

Mail in or Walk in: We are located on the 2nd floor of the Library, 8040 S 6th St, Oak Creek WI 53154

.FAX: (414) 766-7942

Phone: (414) 766-7920

Payment methods: MasterCard, Visa, Discover, American Express, Check or Cash

First Registration? Need an online account?

Please provide proof of current residency, proof of date of birth for all minor children, and/or proof of school district attendance for students not living within the OCFSD. We accept any document with the information pre-printed.

— PLEASE PRINT —

Household Name (First/Last): _____

Address: _____

Street

City

State

ZIP

NEW CUSTOMER/INFORMATION UPDATE

Preferred Phone: _____ Alternate Phone: _____

Email: _____ In case of Emergency: _____

WAIVER OF LIABILITY MUST BE SIGNED AT THE FIRST CLASS OF EACH SESSION.

Participant First & Last Name	Gender	Age	Date of Birth	Current Grade 2016-2017	Activity Name	T-Shirt Size (Youthball ONLY!)	1st Choice Activity/ Section	2nd Choice Activity/ Section	Fee
TOTAL FEE									

Special information (ie: medical, physical, allergies): _____

MC VISA Discover AmEx Card # _____ Exp. _____ CVV# _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print Cardholder's Name: _____ Address: _____

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Initials						
Date:						

Summer Highlights

Teen Adventure Camp!

Spend the morning with games, crafts, movies and other activities, then take a field trip in the afternoon. Come all day, everyday, or pick your trips and times.

More information on page 34

Recreation Summer Camps

All day camps with available extended hours before and after. Activities will include traditional kids games and crafts and activities based on the theme of the week. Each week includes 2 field trips/special activities, and lunch on Friday.

More information on page 38 and 39

Youth T-ball, Rookie Ball, Baseball and Softball

Ages 3-entering 8th grade can participate in age appropriate levels of Baseball or Softball. Join us for a great time playing America's favorite pastime!

More information on page 37

NEW Classes!

Stroller Fitness

Boot Camp

Genealogy

Essential Oils

Disc Golf



CARPOOL INFORMATION

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.

For all other requests:

Please have all parents affected by the carpool request complete the form below, or provide a note or email. When registering online, click "add a note or info for staff" before proceeding to the shopping cart.

SPORTS CARPOOL REQUEST

-PLEASE PRINT & COMPLETE FORM BELOW-

All team sports requests are limited to a max. of 3 individuals and are accommodated at the Department's discretion.

Participant #1: _____ Participant #2: _____

Address: _____ Address: _____

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

Place Children together in: Class/Activity Name: _____ Activity/Section: _____

Signature of Participant #1 Parent/Guardian

Date

Signature of Participant #1 Parent/Guardian

Date

SPLASH PAD AT DREXEL TOWN SQUARE

The Splash Pad will be open from approximately Memorial Day to Labor Day. Hours to be determined. Watch our website and Facebook page for details coming soon. **Splash pad closed July 15.**



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Branch Pick Up Dates begins:

July 3

September 1

November 1

Fall Clean Up Begins

November 15

Fall Shred Day

Saturday, September 23

National Night Out

August 1

Oak Creek Health Fair

October 4

Oak Creek Lionsfest

September 1-4

www.oakcreeklionsfestival.com

Spring Clean Up Begins

May 15

GARBAGE COLLECTION ISSUES? CARTS? CART REPAIR?

Advanced Disposal collects both the garbage & the recycling for the City

- Do you have collection issues?
- Need additional carts?
- Replacement carts?
- Repair to either of your carts?

Contact Advanced Disposal at

(262) 679-0860

Stay Connected!

There are a variety of ways residents can stay in touch with the City of Oak Creek:

Visit the City website:

www.oakcreekwi.org

“Like” Us on Facebook at:

www.facebook.com/cityfoakcreek

“Follow” Us on Twitter and Instagram:

[@cityfoakcreek](https://twitter.com/cityfoakcreek)

Live Streaming

All Oak Creek Common Council and Plan Commission meetings available! Live stream will only be available during times when meetings are in open session. Recordings of completed meetings are also available on our website for viewing at a later time at:

www.oakcreekwi.org/live

Oak Creek Community Events

www.oakcreekwi.org/communityevents



BLOCK PARTIES

If you are planning to hold a “block party”, please be aware that City officials require approval.

- Visit the City’s website, www.oakcreekwi.org - City Clerk’s Office, to download or complete a fill-in application, or stop at the City Clerk’s office.
- Fill out an application, approximately two weeks (or more) in advance.
- Include a map detailing where the party is to be held
- The Police, Fire and Street Departments, along with the Alderperson of your district, require approval.
- There is no fee.
- If barricades will be needed to block off a portion of the street, you will be responsible for pickup and delivery from the Street Department, 800 W. Puetz Rd., 570-5682, before 3:00 p.m. Friday.



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- Oak Creek City Hall**(414) 766-7000
- Fax..... (414) 766-7976
- EMERGENCY** 911
- Assessor’s Office** (414) 766-7069
- City Clerk**(414) 766-7023
- Fire (non-emergency)**.....(414) 570-5630
- Garbage Collection Issues, Carts, etc.
- Advance Disposal.....(262) 679-0860
- Health Department**..... (414) 766-7950
- Fax..... (414) 766-7977
- Library Phone**..... (414) 766-7900
- Fax.....(414) 766-7942
- Police**
- General Information.....(414) 762-8200
- Community Resource Bureau.....(414) 766-7624
- Crime Stoppers.....(414) 766-7699
- Municipal Court.....(414) 766-7621
- Open Records Request (police)(414) 766-7658
- Recreation**(414) 766-7920
- Fax.....(414) 766-7942
- Forever Young Club (50+)(414) 766-7920
- 24 Hr. Activity Recording (414) 299-9721
- Press 1: General Information
- Press 2: Team Sport Information
- Streets, Parks & Forestry** (414) 768-6552
- Forestry.....(414) 570-5685
- Recycling (414) 768-6552

- Utility Directory:**
- Water & Sewer Utility(414) 570-8210
 - Emergency.....(414) 768-7060
 - WE Energies Customer Service..... (800) 242-9137
 - Gas Leak or Emergency(800) 261-5325
 - Power Outage Hotline.....(800) 662-4797
 - Diggers Hotline.....(800) 242-8511
 - Wisconsin Natural Gas(800) 236-9874

ELECTED OFFICIALS

- Mayor Dan Bukiewicz.....(414) 208-5048
- City Clerk Catherine Roeske(414) 766-7023
- Treasurer Barb Guckenberger.....(414) 766-7000

ALDERPERSONS

- District 1: Steve Kurkowski(414) 336-0125
- District 2: Gregory Loreck(414) 559-2169
- District 3: Rich Duchniak(414) 840-7037
- District 4: Mike Toman(414) 762-9009
- District 5: Ken Gehl.....(414) 570-0801
- District 6: Chris Guzikowski(414) 759-5418

Not sure who your alderperson is? Go to:
www.oakcreekwi.org/your-government/districts/

MISCELLANEOUS PHONE NUMBERS

- Oak Creek Community Center(414) 768-5840
- 8580 S. Howell Avenue
- Oak Creek Franklin School District(414) 768-5850
- 7630 S. 10th Street
- South Suburban Chamber of Commerce(414) 768-5845
- 8040 S. 6th Street