PARKS & Recreation



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SPRING & SUMMER 2016 - PROGRAM GUIDE

FREE SUMMER EVENTS!

Both Entertainment in the Park and Otsego Movie Night are sponsored by:

ENTERTAINMENT IN THE PARK

TUESDAYS: 10:00 a.m.

at Otsego Prairie Park!

JUNE 7: Raptor Center *Program includes four raptors including a bald eagle*

JUNE 14: Circus Manduhai Mongolian Circus Act

JUNE 21: Kid Dance Interactive DJ Party

JUNE 28: Tricia and The Toonies Family Fun Show

JULY 5: Brodini Family Comedy & Magic Show

JULY 12: Splatter Sisters Family Entertainment

JULY 19: Alphabits Children's Interactive Music

JULY 26: Bazillions Kids Friendly Rock & Roll

AUGUST 2: Brian Richards Magic Show, *Fun Interactive Magic Show*

AUGUST 9: Schiffelly Puppets *Entertaining puppet show*

AUGUST 16: Zoo Mobile See a variety of different animals

AUGUST 23: Raptor Center *Program includes three raptors*



OTSEGO MOVIE NIGHT

Bring the family and enjoy an outdoor movie on our 16' movie screen. All of the movies are free and will be shown at different parks throughout Otsego in August.

In case of inclement weather movies will move inside to Prairie Center. Please call the Rec Info line at 763.235.3148 the day of the movie.

MOVIE SCHEDULE AND LOCATION:

AUGUST 10 SCHOOL KNOLL SpongeBob: Sponge Out of Water (PG)

AUGUST 17 ZIMMER PARK Hotel Transylvania 2 (PG)

AUGUST 24 FRANKFORT PARK Good Dinosaur (PG)

AUGUST 31



PRAIRIE PARK Star Wars The Force Awakens (PG 13) Star Wars Costume Contest: Dressing up is encouraged: Prizes will be awarded! Subject to change due to release date

ADULT MOVIE NIGHT OUT!

TUESDAY, AUG 2: Plan an adult night out and come to Otsego Regional Park. Remember to bring chairs, blankets and snacks. Movie: **Grown Ups (PG 13)**



MY LITTLE LIBRARY STORY TIME

Coming to a park near you! My Little Library Story Time will be rotating through Otsego Parks through this summer. Kids, bring your parents and come and play with friends, read stories, make an art project, play some games, and have a snack!

WEDNESDAYS: 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. PRAIRIE PARK June 15 - August 24 (Not gathering July 6)

THURSDAYS: 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. At the following Parks:

JUNE 16: Frankfort Park JUNE 30: Beaudry Meadows JULY 14: School Knoll Park JULY 28: Zimmer Farm Park AUGUST 11: Kittredge Crossings Park AUGUST 25: Frankfort Park



MULTI-SPORT CAMP

This camp gives an introduction to girls and boys to the fun and excitement of soccer, flag football, and basketball. There is no pressure, just lots of fun!

MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS

SESSION 1: June 13 - July 13 No Class the week of July 4 SESSION 2: July 18-August 10 Ages 4-6 10-10:45 a.m. Prairie Park \$30

FLAG FOOTBALL

Otsego Parks and Recreation Flag Football League is for girls and boys ages kindergarten to third grade. This program provides players an opportunity to engage in non-contact continuous action while learning lessons in teamwork. Players learn lessons that help them succeed on and off the field. Kids will get a jersey.

THURSDAYS, September 8 – October 20 Ages K-1st and 2nd-3rd Grade 5:45-6:45 p.m. Prairie Park \$45

OTSEGO SAFETY CAMP

This is a camp that you won't want to miss! Learn how to stay safe and keep your cool in all types of situations and environments. Safety Camp includes interactive games, hands-on experiences, and sessions taught by a variety of safety experts. Campers will receive lunch, snacks, a t-shirt, and a goodie bag. Join us for a great day of safety fun! Please bring bike and helmet to participate in the bike realated activities. Safety Camp kicks off with lunch at noon! There will be a graduation ceremony at 3:45 p.m. – parents are encouraged to attend!

Register early - space is limited! Sign up for the whole day with Kids Warrior Boot Camp!

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13

12:00 – 4:00 p.m. at Prairie Center \$20

TENNIS LESSONS

Start playing tennis with instruction for beginners on strokes, strategy, rules, terms, and equipment. Participants will be introduced to tennis by qualified and experienced local instructors.

WEDNESDAYS

SESSION 1: June 15, 22, 29, July 13, 20, 27 \$39

SESSION 2: August 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 \$29

AGES 5-8: 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. **AGES 9-12:** 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. School Knoll Park Tennis Courts

SOCCER CAMP

This program is designed to teach kids the fundamentals of soccer in a fun supportive environment. Skills that will be developed are dribbling, shooting, passing, and team work. Participants will also have chance to scrimmage.

MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS

SESSION 1: June 13 - July 13 No Class the week of July 4 SESSION 2: July 18 - August 10 Ages 4-6 9:00 - 9:45 a.m. Prairie Park \$30

SOAR THEATER

The St. Michael, Otsego, Albertville, Rogers (SOAR) Regional Arts Group along with the Teen Advisory Group (TAG) will be hosting two nights of theater programming in the parks. Each night will begin at 6:30 p.m. with games and a costume contest followed by two performances starting at 7 p.m. each lasting approximately a half/hour. The performances will take place in Prairie Park!

TUESDAY, JUNE 28

6:30 p.m. Snow White & King Mitas

TUESDAY, JULY 19 6:30 p.m. Cinderella & Alice in Wonderland Prairie Park FREE!

SNAG GOLF

SNAG (Starting New At Golf) teaches the basics of golf and gets you ready to hit the course. Learn how to putt, chip, pitch, and drive before you take on an actual golf course. All equipment is provided by instructor.

MONDAYS/WEDNESDAYS

AGES 6-8: 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. **AGES 9-11:** 10:30 - 11:45 a.m. July 11, 13, 15; 18, 20, 22 Prairie Park \$50

YOUTH GOLF PROGRAM

Fun is the number one rule with the parks and recreation youth golf program. Riverwood National golf pros will provide in-depth instruction and supervision in proper swing, chipping, putting rules, and etiquette.

TUESDAYS: 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. 4 Sessions: August 2–23 Riverwood National Golf Course \$45

YOUTH GOLF LEAGUE

Kids ages 10-14 will play a eight week league starting June 22 through August 17. Riverwood National staff will be on hand to direct the league and for some instruction.

WEDNESDAYS

12:00 – 2:30 p.m. **8 SESSIONS:** June 22 – August 17 *Not meeting on July 6* Vintage Gold Course \$115

KIDS WARRIOR BOOT CAMP

Your child will participate in adventurous games, activities and an awesome and challenging obstacle course. We will focus on fitness and having fun This boot camp is for kids of all fitness levels. Expect to get wet!

Sing-up for the whole day with Otsego Safety Camp!

WEDNESDAY JULY 13

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Prairie Center \$10

ARCHERY CLASS

Young archers come out and learn or refine your skills this summer. Kids will learn archery with the instruction of the professional staff of Archery Country at their facility in Rogers. All equipment is provided.

THURSDAYS, June 9 - June 30 Ages 8-16 Beginner: 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. Intermediate: 11:15 - 12:15 p.m. Class located at Archery Country: 21135 S Diamond Lake Road, Rogers, MN 55374 \$55

DAY AT THE RANGE

Archery Country of Rogers is teaming up with us to offer an introduction to archery at our new Otsego range. Their staff will provide basic instruction and equipment. This is a **free event** but preregistration is required. Space is limited so register early.

THURSDAY, JUNE 23

Ages 8-16 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Prairie Park Archery Range FREE!



763.400.8826 www.archerycountry.com

CHEER XTREME

This class is designed to teach children the basic skills needed to advance in the sport of cheerleading. Your child will learn to memorize cheers and master the art of performing them. With professional instruction, they will learn arm motion techniques, proper posture, jumps, kicks, and tumbling. For more information or to register please contact Coach Carla Ekwall at 651.242.7131 or Director Michael Haatvedt at 651.900.9236, or e-mail cheerxtreme1@ yahoo.com.

REGISTRATION NIGHT: Prairie Center **TUESDAY, MAY 24**

6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

TUESDAYS

12 SESSIONS: June 7 - August 30 Not meeting July 5 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. LEVEL 1: Ages 3-8 LEVEL 2: Ages 9-18 Prairie Center \$10 per week/\$40 month/\$120 session Scholarships Available

TAEKWONDO PROGRAM

Looking to help build your child's confidence and focus while battling of the summer time blues? This Introductory Taekwondo class is the place for them! Our program is designed to build confidence, discipline, and self-defense with proven martial arts, while having fun in a safe and positive environment. The World Taekwondo Academy of Rogers has been teaching students to expect excellence from themselves in a challenging and supportive way since 1969. Come see why they have been voted the #1 Taekwondo Program in the country! A uniform is included in the price of the course.

TUESDAYS, 10:30 – 11:15 a.m. 6 SESSIONS:

June 14 – July 19 Not meeting July 5 Ages 5 & up Prairie Center \$40



MAGIC CARD WORKSHOP BY LOCAL MAGICIAN BRIAN RICHARDS

In this very unique workshop, your child will learn many different card tricks. This workshop runs 60 minutes and all your child needs for this activity is a deck of playing cards. With this one prop your child will be set to explore the wonderful world of magic.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10

7:00 – 8:00 p.m. Ages 7-12 Prairie Center \$20



EAST WRIGHT COUNTY FASTPITCH LEAGUE

Register now! For more information go to www.otsego.mn.us Otsego teams are now being set-up for ages 9-10; 11-14.

TINY T-BALL

Tiny T-Ball is a fun league where parents can be right next to their child as they experience one of their first sports activities. Kids will learn how much fun playing sports can be while refining their skills in hand-eye coordination, running, and sportsmanship. Kids will get a t-shirt and a hat.

TUESDAYS: June 7 – July 26 Registration Deadline May 24 No games the week of the July 4 Ages 3-4 **SESSION 1:** 5:00 – 5:45 p.m.

SESSION 2: 6:00 – 6:45 p.m. Otsego Prairie Park \$40

T-BALL

T-Ball is an entry-level league to introduce young players to baseball. Players will develop their skills while focusing on the basic fundamentals of throwing, fielding, and hitting. Team sizes are small with 8 to 10 players per team. Players all hit from an adjustable batting tee. All participants will receive a t-shirt and hat.

Please note:

Parent or adult will participate at all times with their child.

TUESDAYS: June 7 - July 26 Registration Deadline May 24 No games the week of July 4 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. Ages 5-6 Otsego Prairie Park \$40

TOT TIME TUMBLING AGES 2& 3 WITH A PARENT

In this class children will learn the basic skills of gymnastics in a safe environment and will develop coordination using a variety of mat exercises, low balance beam, tumbling and games. Students should wear leotards or shorts and t-shirts. Please tie back long hair. Parents will participate with their child.

THURSDAYS SESSION 1: 5:45 - 6:20 p.m. 8 sessions: March 10 - May 5 Not meeting March 24

SESSION 2: 9:00 – 9:35 a.m. 8 sessions: June 9 – Aug 4 *Not Meeting July 7*

SESSION 3: June 9 – August 4 Not Meeting July 7 8 sessions: 5:45 p.m. – 6:20 p.m. \$35 per session



JUMP JAMBOREE

You won't want to miss out on the fun; Jump City of Otsego will be setting up oodles of bouncies In City parks throughout the summer for an evening of unlimited jumping. Inclement weather, please check website.

TUESDAY, JUNE 21: Prairie Park TUESDAY, JULY 12: Zimmer Park TUESDAY, AUGUST 23: Frankfort Park 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Register at www.ci.otsego.mn.us.* *Online registration closes the day before the event. \$10 online registration, \$13 at the event

OTSEGO PARKS & RECREATION DAYS AT JUMP CITY

Get out and bounce at Otsego's newest indoor bounce park! Jump City is pairing up and offering Parks and Recreation Days! Kids and parents will enjoy everything Jump City has to offer for only \$6 and parents are free! All kids must be accompanied by an adult.

THURSDAY: APRIL 14

5:00 - 8:00 p.m. Otsego Jump City, 5889 Queens Ave NE Register at www.ci.otsego.mn.us.* \$6 child, parent is free. *Online registration closes the day before the event.

TUMBLING CLASSES: All classes held at PRAIRIE CENTER

INTERMEDIATE TOT TUMBLING WITH A PARENT

In this class, children will continue to learn the basic skills of gymnastics they learned in Tot Time Tumbling in the same fun and safe environment. Students should wear leotards or shorts and t-shirts. Please tie back long hair.

THURSDAYS

SESSION 1: 6:30 – 7:05 p.m. 8 classes: March 10 – May 5 *Not meeting March 24*

SESSION 2: 9:45 – 10:20 a.m. 8 classes: June 9 – August 4 *Not Meeting July 7*

SESSION 3: 6:45pm -7:20 p.m. 8 classes: June 9 - August 4 Not Meeting July 7 \$35 per session

ADULT FITNESS: All classes held at **PRAIRIE CENTER**

ZUMBA

Ditch the workout and join the party. Come dance your way to a firmer, better body with motivating music and fun dance moves. It is a "feel happy" workout and you'll love the results.

WEDNESDAYS

EACH SESSION 10 WEEKS 6:00-6:45 p.m.

SESSION 1: March 9 - May 18 Not meeting March 16 SESSION 2: June 8 - August 10 \$35 per session

SATURDAYS **4-WEEK SESSION**

9:30 - 10:15 a.m. March 12 - April 9 Not meeting March 19 \$15

> Find more information. programs or register online at www.ci.otsego.mn.us.

For questions or more information, call 763-235-3148.

DATE NIGHT! COUPLES CANOE TRIP

Couples will park at the Otsego Regional Park and be bussed to landing on the Mississippi River. Canoes, paddles, and life jackets are also included so sit back and enjoy an evening on the river. At the completion of the canoe trip, a picnic dinner will be served in the park. After dinner, plan on staying and watching the movie "Couples Retreat" on our large outdoor movie screen. You will have VIP seating (please bring your own chairs or blankets)

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

5:30 p.m. **Otsego Regional Park** 15186 96th Street NE \$80 per couple

ACTIVITIES FOR 55+ AT OTSEGO PRAIRIE CENTER

MONDAY AND WEDNESDAYS;

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Please see website (Recreation 55+ tab) for more info: otsego.recdesk.com/recdeskportal/

TABATA

During this class we will take a variety of exercises and complete them in timed segments. This makes this class easy to follow, easy to modify to your own intensity level, and loads of fun! This method has been proven to be the most effective way to quickly burn calories, increase cardiovascular endurance, and tone your body.

WEDNESDAYS, 6:45 - 7:30 p.m.

4-WEEK SESSION June 8 - June 29 \$15

PIYO

PiYo is a combination of Pilates and Yoga fused together along with great music for a full body low impact workout that will increase core strength, flexibility, stamina, balance and posture, as you move from one exercise to the next, using only your body weight.

WEDNESDAYS

EACH SESSION 6 WEEKS 6:45-7:30 p.m. SESSION 1: April 6 - May 11 SESSION 2: July 6 - August 10 \$22 per session

BARRE FUSION

In this class we will combine easy to follow ballet, yoga, and Pilates exercises in a format to get your heart rate up and burn mega fat, along with full body strength exercises using light resistance to tone your entire body.

All fitness levels welcome. If you have light weights we encourage you to bring them.

WEDNESDAYS **4-WEEK SESSION**

6:45 - 7:30 p.m. March 2 - March 30 Not meeting March 16 \$15

FREE RUNNING CLUB

For those who love running, or those who want to start running. We will meet at least once a week and will have different levels of running. This club will make running fun and motivate people to push through their goals and set new ones.

Informational Meeting: WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30 7:30 p.m.

SQUARE FOOT GARDENING FOR PARENT AND CHILD

Have you always wanted to start a garden but not sure how to begin? A Square Foot Garden is more than just a perfect place to grow vegetables/flowers - it is an ideal environment for sharing and teaching kids of all ages.

An experienced gardener will guide you and your child through the process on how to make a square foot garden. At the end of class, you will take home information on gardening and a packet of seeds.

THURSDAY, MAY 12

6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Prairie Center \$15



SPRING FLING DANCE!

Otsego Park and Rec offered the Fall Ball Dance for young adults with disabilities and it was a blast! Come shake your tail feathers for our "Spring Fling Dance". Your PCA or chaperone is also welcome to join vou! Dance will be from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Refreshments will be for sale at the event. A photo prop area will also be available. so bring your camera!

Reserve your spot or buy your tickets at the door.

SATURDAY, MAY 7 from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Prairie Center \$5

RAMSEY **BIKE CLUB**

Ramsey Cycling Club was created to be a gathering point for riders of all ages and levels to enjoy the cycling experience together.

Check website for Calendar: sites.google.com/site/ramseycyclingclub/ home.