

OUTDOOR ICE RINKS

Arthur School Rink

Located just north of Arthur School, this unsupervised rink is constructed using a plastic liner which results in better quality ice and a longer skating season. There are timed lights that shut off at 10pm.

Bever Park Rink

Located in Bever Park, this unsupervised rink is constructed using a plastic liner which results in better quality ice and a longer skating season. There are timed lights that shut off at 10pm.

SLEDDING HILL

Soar down the giant, snow covered hill at Jones Park! The sledding hill opens when enough snow accumulates to completely cover the hill. Call the Winter Sports Hotline, (319) 286-5700, for sledding conditions before you head out into the cold.

CROSS-COUNTRY SKI TRAILS

Cross-country (Nordic) ski on a trail near your home, or venture out to enjoy trails throughout the city. Trails are located at Cherry Hill Park, Ellis Golf Course, Jones Golf Course, Twin Pines Golf Course, and the Sac and Fox Trail. They are opened, marked, and groomed when they are completely covered with snow. Call the Winter Sports Hotline, (319) 286-5700, for trail openings and conditions.

LOOKING FOR ACTIVITIES FOR YOUR PRESCHOOLERS?

Sign them up for the Daddy/Daughter Dinner Dance, High Tea with Grandma, Hoop It Up Basketball, Junior Bowling, Little Aces Tennis or Santa’s Workshop. Also, check out the Play! guide online for these additional programs:

It’s a Mess! (2-4 yrs. with Adult)

Movers and Shakers (3-5 yrs.)

Play, Music & Fun (1-3 with Adult)

Private Swim Lessons (3 yrs. & up)

Red Cross Swim Lessons (6 mos. & up)

WINTER CEDAR RAPIDS PARKS AND RECREATION

WWW.CRREC.ORG (319) 286-5731

2000 MOUNT VERNON ROAD SE

ACTIVITIES

American Girl Winter Holiday Party (8-12 yrs.)

Join us for a winter party at Ushers Ferry. Explore the different holiday traditions of the American Girls by playing games, baking holiday foods and engaging in historical pastimes.

#314706-01	Tu	12/30	9am-12pm
\$22 (R \$18)		Ushers Ferry	

Daddy/Daughter Dinner Dance (4-10 yrs. with Dad)

Dads! Spend a magical evening with your daughter. Put on formal attire for a sit-down dinner and dance with your little girl. Register early - fills up fast!

#302801-01	F	2/6	6:30-8:30pm
\$49 (R \$42)/couple		Ushers Ferry Lodge	

\*NEW\* “Frozen” Princess Tea (5+ yrs.)

Calling all the Princesses of Winter! Join us for a magical “Frozen” tea party with Anna, Elsa and friends as we thaw out with hot tea and goodies, games and music.

#314709-01	Sa	2/21	1-2pm
\$14 (R \$13)		Ushers Ferry	

\*NEW\* January Handy Kids Workshop: Crochet Pot Holder (6+ yrs. with Parent)

Learn some simple crochet stitches and make simple and colorful pot holder to take home and use. Yarn and needles provided. Supplies are included in the fee.

#314106-01	Sa	1/31	9-11am
\$15 (R \$14)		Child (Parents Free)	Ushers Ferry

\*NEW\* February Handy Kids Workshop: Bird Feeder (6+ yrs. with Parent)

Learn about birdwatching while making and decorating your own bird feeder to help attract more feathered friends to your yard. Supplies are included in the fee.

#314106-02	Sa	2/21	9-11am
\$15 (R \$14)		Child (Parents Free)	Ushers Ferry

High Tea with Grandma (All Ages)

Grandmothers and grandchildren are invited to a tea party at Ushers Ferry. Sip tea from fine china and enjoy teatime goodies while listening to live music. Bring your family stories to share with the group.

#314703-01	Sa	1/31	2-3pm
\$14 (R \$13)/person		Ushers Ferry	

Holiday Time in Santa’s Workshop (12 & Under with Adult)

Start the holiday season with a visit to Ushers Ferry. Enjoy a snack, baking and decorating, and toy making. Don’t forget to have your photo taken with Santa Claus!

#314707-01	Sa	12/6	9-11am
\$14 (R \$13)/Child (12 & under)		Ushers Ferry	

Admission free for adults accompanying children.

\*NEW\* Spanish for Kids (8-12 yrs.)

Learn the basics of the Spanish language such as numbers, letters, common verbs, nouns and everyday sentences.

#310106-01	M	1/12-2/16	5:30-6:30pm
\$43 (R \$36)		Ambroz	

\*NEW\* Sunday Social (All Ages)

Learn old-fashioned dances, bake cookies on the wood stove, and learn and play games. Don’t forget to bring your skis and sleds for fun in the snow (if we have any)! Advance registration is not required.

#314801-01	\$5 Child (2-12 yrs.)	1/18
#314801-02	\$9 Adult	1/18
#314801-03	\$5 Child (2-12 yrs.)	2/22
#314801-04	\$9 Adult	2/22
Su	1-4pm	Ushers Ferry

\*NEW\* Little Pioneers (6-8 yrs.)

Spend an old-fashioned morning with the kind of games, chores and fun any pioneer child would have enjoyed! Make a simple toy, play parlor games and bake cookies on the wood stove.

#314710-01	F	1/2	9-10:30am
\$11 (R \$10)		Ushers Ferry	

Winter Pioneer Day Camp (9-12 yrs.)

Explore the wonders of an early 1900’s winter. Learn how to heat your house and cook on a wood stove, make your own toys, and try your hand at all sorts of old-fashioned chores from hauling wood and water to mending socks, making quilts, and (most importantly) using your imagination to make your own fun.

#314105-01	F	1/2	10am-12pm
\$14 (R \$13)		Ushers Ferry	

ART CLASSES

Camera & Composition Basics (14+ yrs.)

Learn film and digital camera basics including aperture, shutter speed, and programmed functions along with the keys of composition and how to take great photos. Students provide their own equipment and process their images outside of class. Class fee does not include processing.

#303102-01	Sa	2/7-3/14	10-11:30am
\$43 (R \$36)		Ambroz	

Fun with Art (8-11 yrs.)

Have fun exploring the madness of mixing multiple media together. Painting, drawing, chalk, charcoal, gooey substances and found objects will be used to create fun and imaginative forms, constructions and paintings.

#303205-01	Th	2/26-4/16*	5-6pm
\$43 (R \$36)		Ambroz	

\*No class 3/19, 3/26

REGISTER NOW!

ONLINE: Go to www.CRREC.org. Credit card payment only.

FAX: Fill out the form below and fax it to us at (319) 286-5732. Credit card payment only.

WALK IN: Stop by the Ambroz Recreation Center, 2000 Mt. Vernon Rd. SE, 8am-5pm weekdays.

MAIL IN: Mail the form below to: Cedar Rapids Parks & Recreation, 2000 Mt. Vernon Rd. SE, Cedar Rapids IA, 52403. Check and credit card payment accepted.

CALL IN: Call us at (319) 286-5731 weekdays from 8am-5pm. Space permitting with a credit card only.

Please Print

Adult Name: Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Choice	Prog. #	Program Name	Day/Time	Registrant’s First, Last Name	M/F	DOB*	Shirt Size	Fee
First								
Second								
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\*Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Total Program Fee \_\_\_\_\_

☐ CHECK ENCLOSED (Make payable to: City of Cedar Rapids)

Circle: Visa MasterCard Discover Expiration Date: / Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number: 

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Can we email your receipt? If yes please list address: \_\_\_\_\_

YOUTH WAIVER AND PHOTO/VIDEO PERMISSION (One form per participant for youth programs only.)

Participant Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN: I hereby authorize my son/daughter to register to participate in the above stated program(s) sponsored by the City of Cedar Rapids Parks & Recreation Department. I understand that this (these) program(s), like most programs similar in nature, has (have) some degree of inherent risk involved. Furthermore, my son/daughter is in good physical condition appropriate to participate in the stated activity(ies) AND I UNDERSTAND THAT THE PARTICIPANTS MUST ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR BODILY INJURY INCURRED WHILE TAKING PART IN THE ACTIVITY(IES). NO ACCIDENT INSURANCE IS PROVIDED THROUGH THE CITY OF CEDAR RAPIDS. I grant the Cedar Rapids Parks & Recreation Department permission to use pictures or videos taken of my child during participation in programs. I waive my right to inspection or compensation.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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## ART CLASSES

### \*NEW\*Adult/Child Pottery Workshop (5-9 yrs. with adult)

Learn the art of pottery with your child. Have fun experimenting with clay and learning building techniques while you complete a project to take home. One adult per child or one adult per two children.

#303405-01	Adult/1 Child	\$24 (R \$20)
#303405-02	Additional Child	\$11 (R \$10)
Sa	1/10-1/31	10-11:30am
Ambroz		

### Kids & Clay (5-9 yrs.)

Learn how to work with clay including forming techniques, decoration and glaze application. **Materials/firing are included in the class fee.**

#303201-01	Tu	1/6-2/10	5-6pm
#303201-03	Tu	2/24-4/14*	5-6pm
\$43 (R \$36)	Ambroz		
*No class 3/17, 3/24			

#303201-02	Sa	1/10-2/14	9-10am
#303201-04	Sa	2/28-4/18*	9-10am
\$43 (R \$36)	Ambroz		
*No class 3/21, 3/28			

### Kids, Clay & Wheel (8-17 yrs.)

Want to learn how to throw a pot on a wheel? This beginning wheel class is for 8-17 year olds. You'll also learn about glazing. **Materials/firing are included in the class fee.**

<b>8-14 years</b>			
#303203-02	Th	1/8-2/12	6-7:30pm
#303203-04	Th	2/26-4/16*	6-7:30pm
\$50 (R \$43)	Ambroz		
*No class 3/19, 3/26			

<b>13-17 years</b>			
#303203-01	M	1/5-2/9	6-7:30pm
#303203-03	M	2/23-4/13*	6-7:30pm
\$50 (R \$43)	Ambroz		
*No class 3/16, 3/23			

### Kids' Drawing (7-11 yrs.)

Expand your drawing abilities through guided experiences using a variety of media including pencils, pastels, felt tip and charcoal. Practice specific exercises aimed at developing your "seeing" skills.

#303811-01	Tu	1/6-2/10	6-7pm
#303811-02	Tu	2/24-4/14*	6-7pm
\$43 (R \$36)	Ambroz		
*No class 3/17, 3/24			



### Winter Break Puppetry Workshop (7-10 yrs.)

Make a papier mâché hand puppet using clay, tissue paper and scraps of fabric, buttons and other trim to complete your unique puppet's costume. Make puppets, play with puppets and learn to put on a puppet show by the end of the week. Create a funny character with exaggerated features and experiment with a variety of character voices to bring your puppet to life. Let your imagination soar!

#203206-01	F, M, Tu, W	
12/26, 12/29, 12/30, 12/31	9-11am	
\$44 (R \$37)	Ambroz	

### \*NEW\* Kids' Sculpture (8-11 yrs.)

Create whimsical sculptures from wire, clay, soap, papier mâché, paper and found objects.

#303123-01	Th	1/8-2/12	5-6pm
\$43 (R \$36)	Ambroz		

## MUSIC CLASSES

### Intro to Guitar - Youth (8-16 yrs.)

Have you ever wanted to learn to play guitar? We'll teach you the basics, and have you playing in two lessons. Get ready for hours of fun and enjoyment. Guitars will be provided at Ambroz.

<b>8-10 yrs.</b>			
#318301-01	M	1/12-2/23*	5:30-6:15pm
\$76 (R \$68)	Ambroz		*No program 2/16

<b>11-16 yrs.</b>			
#318301-02	M	1/12-2/23*	6:15-7:15pm
\$76 (R \$68)	Ambroz		*No program 2/16

### Guitar II - Youth (8+ yrs.)

Continue improving your skills and learn more great songs in this advanced guitar class. Participants are strongly encouraged to take Intro to Guitar before this class. Guitars are available for use at Ambroz.

<b>8-16 yrs.</b>			
#318302-01	Tu	1/13-2/17	5:30-6:30pm
\$76 (R \$68)	Ambroz		

### Keyboard Classes

Learn keyboard skills in these six-week sessions using printed music and recorded and pre-programmed songs. Music is available to purchase the first day of class. Prices range from \$8-\$10.

### Beginner - Level I (7-12 yrs.)

Level I is for students with no prior keyboard experience.

#306102-01	Th	1/8-2/12	5-6pm
#306102-03	Th	2/26-4/16*	5-6pm
\$49 (R \$42)	Ambroz		
*No class 3/19, 3/26			

#306102-02	Sa	1/10-2/14	10-11am
#306102-04	Sa	2/28-4/18*	10-11am
\$49 (R \$42)	Ambroz		
*No class 3/21, 3/28			

### Beginner - Level II (7-14 yrs.)

Students at this level understand note values of quarter, half, whole, and dotted half and have a basic knowledge of bass and treble staves.

#306103-01	Th	1/8-2/12	6-7pm
#306103-02	Th	2/26-4/16*	6-7pm
\$49 (R \$42)	Ambroz		
*No class 3/19, 3/26			

## SPORTS

### Girls Hoop It Up Basketball - Winter Season (4-9 yrs.)

This all-female program teaches girls basketball fundamentals, sportsmanship and teamwork in a non-competitive atmosphere. **Register by 1/2.**

<b>4-5 years</b>			
#311313-01	Th	1/15-2/26	5:30-6:15pm
\$45 (R \$38) includes shirt	Ambroz		

\*NEW\* If you already have a CR Parks & Rec basketball jersey, register for an activity listed below:

<b>6-7 years</b>			
#311311-01	Th/Sa	1/15-2/14	
	Th: 6:30-7:30pm, Sa: 9-10am		
\$52 (R \$45) jersey not included	Ambroz		

<b>8-9 years</b>			
#311312-01	Sa	1/17-2/28	10:45-11:45am
\$45 (R \$38) jersey not included	Harding		

\*NEW\* If you DO NOT have a CR Parks & Rec basketball jersey, register for an activity listed below:

<b>6-7 years</b>			
#311311-02	Th/Sa	1/15-2/14	
	Th: 6:30-7:30pm, Sa: 9-10am		
\$66 (R \$58) incudes jersey	Ambroz		

<b>8-9 years</b>			
#311312-02	Sa	1/17-2/28	10:45-11:45am
\$59 (R \$51) includes jersey	Harding		

### Boys Hoop It Up Basketball

**(4-13 yrs.) Must be age 4 by start date.** Learn the fundamentals and rules of basketball and play games. **Register by 1/2.**

<b>4-5 years (45 minute practices or games)</b>			
#311301-01	Sa	1/17-2/28	11-11:45am
\$45 (R \$38) includes shirt	Gibson		

<b>4-5 years (45 minute practices or games)</b>			
#311301-02	M	1/12-3/2*	5:30-6:15pm
#311301-03	M	1/12-3/2*	6:30-7:15pm
\$45 (R \$38) includes shirt	Ambroz		
*No program 2/16			

\*NEW\* If you already have a CR Parks & Rec basketball jersey, register for an activity listed below:

<b>6-7 years (1 hour practices or games)</b>			
#311302-01	M/F	1/12-2/13	5:45-6:45pm
\$52 (R \$45) jersey not included	Gibson		

<b>6-7 years (1 hour practices or games)</b>			
#311302-03	Tu/F	1/13-2/13	5:30-6:30pm
#311302-04	Tu/F	1/13-2/13	6:40-7:40pm
\$52 (R \$45) jersey not included	Ambroz		

<b>8-9 years (1 hour practices or games)</b>			
#311304-01	M/F	1/12-2/13	6:50-7:50pm
\$52 (R \$45) jersey not included	Gibson		

<b>10-12 years (1 hour practices or games)</b>			
#311305-01	Sa	1/17-2/28	9:30-10:30am
\$45 (R \$38) jersey not included	Harding		

\*NEW\* If you DO NOT have a CR Parks & Rec basketball jersey, register for an activity listed below:

<b>6-7 years (1 hour practices or games)</b>			
#311302-02	M/F	1/12-2/13	5:45-6:45pm
\$66 (R \$58) includes jersey	Gibson		

<b>6-7 years (1 hour practices or games)</b>			
#311302-05	Tu/F	1/13-2/13	5:30-6:30pm
#311302-06	Tu/F	1/13-2/13	6:40-7:40pm
\$66 (R \$58) includes jersey	Ambroz		

<b>8-9 years (1 hour practices or games)</b>			
#311304-02	M/F	1/12-2/13	6:50-7:50pm
\$66 (R \$58) includes jersey	Gibson		

<b>10-12 years (1 hour practices or games)</b>			
#311305-02	Sa	1/17-2/28	9:30-10:30am
\$59 (R \$51) includes jersey	Harding		

### Boys NEW\* Youth Basketball Open Gym (4-9 yrs.)

Drop by and get some extra practice in areas designated for specific age groups. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Updates at: <a href="http://www.CRYouthSports.com">www.CRYouthSports.com</a> .			
Sa	10/25-12/13	8-10am	
Sa	1/10-3/21	9-10:45am	
\$3/day (Exact cash. No credit cards or checks.)			
Gibson			



**ACTIVE CHOICE**  
Choose a high  
activity program

### Youth Tennis Lessons

Game, Set and Match...Learn the lifelong sport of tennis. These programs emphasize specific skills and games for each age level using the USTA QuickStart format. Classes are coordinated by highly qualified and certified Westfield Tennis Club tennis professionals and offered to children ages 4-16. To register, call (319) 286-5731. Questions? Call (319) 396-7060.

### Little Aces Tennis Lessons (4-6 yrs.)

#209101-07	Tu	12/2-12/23	4:15-5pm
#209101-08	Sa	12/6-12/27	3:30-4:15pm
#309101-01	Tu	1/6-1/27	4:15-5pm
#309101-02	Sa	1/10-1/31	3:30-4:15pm
#309101-03	Tu	2/3-2/24	4:15-5pm
#309101-04	Sa	2/7-2/28	3:30-4:15pm
\$49 (R \$42)			
Westfield Tennis Club, 3511 18th Ave. SW			

### Hot Shots Tennis Lessons (7-11 yrs.)

#209102-10	M	12/1-12/22	5-6pm
#209102-11	Th	12/4-12/18*	4:30-5:30pm
#209102-12	Sa	12/6-12/27	4:30-5:30pm
#309102-01	M	1/5-1/26	5-6pm
#309102-02	Th	1/8-1/29	4:30-5:30pm
#309102-03	Sa	1/10-1/31	4:30-5:30pm
#309102-04	M	2/2-2/23	5-6pm
#309102-05	Th	2/5-2/26	4:30-5:30pm
#309102-06	Sa	2/7-2/28	4:30-5:30pm
\$49 (R \$42)			
Westfield Tennis Club			

\*If your session has only 3 classes scheduled, you may make up the 4th on another day and time during that session.

### Future Stars Tennis Lessons (12-16 yrs.)

#209103-04	Tu	12/2-12/23	5-6pm
#309103-01	Tu	1/6-1/27	5-6pm
#309103-02	Tu	2/3-2/24	5-6pm
\$49 (R \$42)			
Westfield Tennis Club			

### Junior Volleyball (8-13 yrs.)

This instructional volleyball program sponsored by Mathnasium is designed for kids ages 8-13. Beginners as well as experienced players are welcome. Learn the basic rules of this great sport in a fun atmosphere. **Register by 1/2.**

<b>Beginner: 8-10 years</b>			
#311901-01	Sa	1/17-3/21	12-1pm
\$52 (R \$45) includes shirt	Gibson		

<b>Intermediate: 8-10 years</b>			
#311901-02	Sa	1/17-3/21	1:15-2:15pm
\$52 (R \$45) includes shirt	Gibson		

<b>11-13 years</b>			
#311901-03	Sa	1/17-3/21	2:30-3:30pm
\$52 (R \$45) includes shirt	Gibson		

### Junior Bowling

**(4-14 yrs.) Must be age 4 by start date.** Learn one of America's favorite games! The fundamentals and rules of bowling will be taught in a fun and entertaining manner. **Register by 1/2.**

#311509-01	Tu	1/13-3/3	4-5:30pm
\$68 (R \$60) includes ball/shoe rental + 2 games			
Westdale Bowling Center			

### Take-Down Wrestling (6-10 yrs.)

Learn the fundamentals and rules of one of Iowa's favorite sports in this instructional program for kids.

**Register by 1/2.**

<b>Level 1</b>			
#311902-01	W/Sa	1/14-2/14	
	W: 5:30-6:30pm, Sa: 10:30-11:30am		
\$52 (R \$45) includes shirt/mouthguard			
Ambroz			

<b>Level 2</b>			
#311902-02	W/Sa	1/14-2/14	
	W: 6:40-7:40pm, Sa: 11:45am-12:45pm		
\$52 (R \$45) includes shirt/mouthguard			
Ambroz			

## SWIMMING

### Swim Lessons

Get swimming! We offer swim lessons for ages 6months and up. Go to [www.CRREC.org](http://www.CRREC.org) for more information.

**Session Dates:**

“C” Jan. 3-Feb. 13  
“D” Feb. 14-Mar. 21 (No class 2/16)  
“E” Mar. 28-May 7

### Open Swim (All Ages)

Large inflatables are in the pool on the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month. Deep end is open the remaining Fridays of each month. No food allowed at these swims. Flotation devices are allowed crowd permitting.

F	4-8pm
Su	1-4pm
\$4.50 or pass	

### Early Dismissal Mini Swims (All Ages)

School's out early - Let's swim!			
W	12/3	2-4pm	
W	1/7	2-4pm	
W	2/4	2-4pm	
\$2.25 or pass			

### Holiday & School Break Swims (All Ages)

School's Out! Swim at Bender Pool.			
M	12/29	1-4pm	
Tu	12/30	4-8pm	
W	12/31	4-8pm	
\$4.50 or pass			