# 2015 SPRING & SUMMER CONTROLLER



City of Prairie du Chien Parks, Recreation & Forestry

#### **From the Director**

In an on-going effort to get the word out we once again have provided you with this Spring /Summer Activity Guide as a reference "tool" to share the many offerings we have available through our Parks & Recreation Department. Thanks to our many sponsors, including Peoples State Bank, we are happy to be able to provide you with these programs, special events and fun stuff! Please take time to thank our Sponsors, Coordinators, Instructors, Lifeguards, and many the wonderful volunteers who make this all possible as their commitment bring smiles to our faces every day!

With their help you can see many beautiful gardens, hike well maintained trails, enjoy multiple pool and fitness opportunities, take part in a variety outdoor recreation/leisure experiences, and listen to some cool music on the river to name a few. Life goes by fast so it's important to sloooww down and enjoy the many things that makes our community special. As always we look forward to providing you these many wonderful parks and programs this spring/summer!

Mike Ulrich
Park & Recreation Director

#### **Board of Park Commissioners**



From left to right: Mike McCoy, Tom Nelson (Chair), Jim Welsch, Angie Kramer, Suzie Meyers, Nick Gilberts. Missing: Ron Leys, Monica Horner

#### **LaRiviere Park Board Members**



From left to right: Mike Ulrich (Director), Ivan Hoffland, Dee Baker, Dave Shihata (Chair), Dave Troester, and Mike Mara.

#### **How To Register**

**Option #1** - Online Registration begins May 13th for Summer Recreation Programs (Not swim lessons). Go to http://pdc.recdesk.com/recdeskportal to sign up for easy registration!

**Option #2** - Register for Summer Swim Lessons/Recreation Programs on May 13th from 4:30-6:30 pm at Hoffman Hall or thereafter at the Outdoor Pool when the pool opens on June 6th during pool hours.

**Option #3** - Mail or drop off your completed registration form/fees (Not swim lessons) to City of Prairie du Chien Park & Recreation Dept., 214 E. Blackhawk Ave., Prairie du Chien, WI 53821. For your convenience, an after hours drop box is located in the parking lot behind City Hall. **Deadline May 29th.** 

**NOTE:** Pool Passes will be sold at Hoffman Hall on May 13th from 4:30 - 6:30 pm and thereafter at City Hall until June 5th. Beginning June 6th all passes will be sold at the Outdoor Pool during regular business hours. Must show proof of residency.

The City of PdC may utilize pictures of individuals in programs for advertising purposes.



#### **City Park Shelters**

Park shelters reservations may be made for dates between May 2 and October 31.

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Fort Fun Shelter	E. Wells St. by swimming pool
O'Brien Park Shelter	12th & Fowler Streets
Lochner Park Shelters	Large open shelter & smaller
closed-	in shelter at S. Wacouta & Well
Lawler Park Rock Building	No food or drink allowed
Lawler Park So. & No. Shelter	Water Street
Fourth Ward Shelter	Fisher St. & Villa Louis Road
St. Feriole Island Jaycee Shelter	Bolvin & 5th Streets
St. Feriole Island	
Lessard Park Shelter	End of E. Blackhawk St.
St. Feriole Island Gardens Gazebo	Rolette & 4th Streets
Washington St. Park Shelter	N. Main Street by the Marina
LaRiviere Farm Park Barn	Vineyard Coulee Road
Leamy Shelter	In Sculpture Park on 4th

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#### **Reservation Procedure**

Contact the receptionist in the City Hall office (326-6406) to reserve a shelter. Resident's pay a \$25 reservation fee, non-residents pay \$35. This fee is per shelter per day and must be paid one week after making reservations.

Lessard Shelter..... Blackhawk & Villa St.

Co-sponsored by



Boys & girls ages 8-17 yrs. old. Not a competitive league. Geared for beginner & advanced levels. Combination of lessons, rules,



etiquette & on-course play. Meets at the Barnyard Nine course. Begins Mondays, June 15 - Aug. 3. 13-17 yr olds: 7:30 am - 9:00 am and 8-12 yrs. olds 9 am to 10:30 am. Every effort is being made to have equip. available, if your child doesn't have it. (If you have youth clubs and you are willing to donate for this program please let us know!) Includes 8 wks. of play, instruction & end of year contest! *Please note T-Shirt size*.

Res. Fees: \$40 • Non-Res. Fees: \$50

#### **Youth Tennis Lessons**

All lessons held at Hoffman Hall Courts and begins June 8 - July 22, on Monday and Wednesday with all equipment provided.

Youth Beginners - Ages 5 & up: 9-9:30 am.

Youth Advanced Beginners - Ages 5 & up: 9:30-10:30 am. (1-2 yrs. experience)
Youth Intermediate - 10-10:30 am ( 3 or

more yrs. experience)

Res. Fees: \$10 • Non-Res. Fees: \$20





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## 3 On 3 BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Open to Adults or Graduating 2015 High School Seniors

Sunday Mornings

June 21 - July 26

between 9 am - 12 Noon

#### **Hoffman Hall Recreation Center**

Cost: \$75/team with deadline June 3rd at 4:30 pm

Total number of games played contingent upon teams signed up. For more information, call 326-7207.

Send checks or pay in person to: City of Prairie du Chien Parks & Recreation Department, 214 East Blackhawk Avenue, Prairie du Chien, WI 53821



## **YOUTH/ADULT SPORTS**

#### **Baseball** (For Boys & Girls)

Begins June 9 - July23.

T-Ball - Ages 5-6. Six week introduction to game skill. Participants develop throwing, catching, batting, etc. with modified game play. Meets Tues. & Thurs

modified game play. Meets Tues. & Thurs. from 9-10 am.

Instructional League - Ages 7-9. Seven week introduction to game play utilizing coach pitch & modified game. Meets Tues. & Thurs. from

10:15am - 11:15 am.



All baseball programs will meet at Lochner Park (Players need to bring gloves). Please note T-Shirt size.

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SPORTSWORLD

Res. Fees: \$20 Non-Res. Fees: \$30

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# Girls Summer Volleyball League

at Hoffman Hall's Recreation Center
1600 S. Wacouta Avenue, Prairie du Chien

League play begins June 7 - July 26 with Sunday afternoon/evening games.

Three Divisions of Play:
Varsity, Varsity Reserve/JV, Incoming Freshmen

In an effort to promote girl's volleyball in a regional setting and to have fun, the city of Prairie du Chien Parks & Recreation Department would like to invite all interested teams to this new league!

Fees: \$150/team

For more information call Parks & Recreation Director Mike Ulrich at 326-7207!





This trip is made
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## MILWAUKEE BREWERS VS. CLEVELAND INDIANS

#### **BUS TRIP**

Wednesday, July 22

1 pm game • Miller Park \$28 per person

Sign up and pay at City Hall Monday - Friday 8 am - 4:30 pm

### PRE-SCHOOL/YOUTH LEISURE FUN

#### **Drama Hawks Jr. Camps**

Drama games and activities with an emphasis on having fun and performing a season ending performance July 3, 6:30 pm at PdC HS Theatre. All practice sessions at Hoffman Hall.

Meets June 29 - July 3

Ages 6-8 (9-11:30 am), Ages 9-12 (12 Noon - 3 pm) (Pre-registration required only at City Hall or online by June 1st) -Mandatory parent meeting at first session.

Res. Fees: \$25 • Non-Res. Fees: \$35



#### **Drama Hawks Sr. Camp**



This is geared for teens and adults 13 and over with an emphasis on enhancing your acting skills and includes a closing weekend performance.

Meet: June 12 - August 19th

Sundays and Wednesdays, 5:30 - 7 pm at Hoffman Hall.

Res. Fees: \$25 • Non-Res. Fees: \$35

#### **Every Day Heroes Pre-School Camp**



Get the opportunity to talk to and have a hands-on experience with members of the Fire, Police, EMS and Military. Come see what they do for your community! Ages 3-5 with parent and includes snack! Meets August 3-6 from 9-10 am. All sessions at Hoffman Hall.

Res. Fees: \$5 Non-Res. Fees: \$10

#### Job Opportunities

Applications are accepted year-round for a variety of part-time positions, including scorekeepers, instructors, and officials. If you have talents that you're willing to share and like some extra income, contact the Park & Rec Department at 326-7207.

#### **Outdoor Adventure Day Camp**

This day camp setting on historic St. Feriole Island will allow participants ages 8-12 the opportunity to learn about how the settlers of PdC lived and how we now enjoy the Mississippi River. Hands-on experiences with archery, fishing and canoeing will make this a fun experience for all.

All sessions at Washington Street Park and meet Mondays - Thursdays, Session 1: August 3-6, 1-4 pm Session 2: August 10-13, 1-4 pm

Res. Fees: \$20 Non-Res. Fees: \$30



#### **Youth Cooking Camp**

Learn how to cook simple meals while having fun! Recipes will be provided and participants (Ages 8-13) will be able to eat what they make. Meets from June 22, 23 & 24. 6 pm - 8 pm at Sharing Spaces Kitchen. Class size limit is 12.

Res. Fees: \$20 • Non-Res. Fees: \$30





Community MINDFD\*

**Peoples State Bank ATM Locations** Boscobel, Guttenberg, Seneca, Soldiers Grove, Viroqua Offices Booray's Bar & Grill - Bloomington

LuLu's Bar - Patch Grove Cirrus Vernon Square - Viroqua

Viroqua Area Medical Office Building - Viroqua

Wauzeka - L & M's BP



& 6 Prairie du Chien locations

Prairie du Chien (Downtown & Riverside Square) Bagley • Bloomington • Boscobel Eastman • Glen Haven • Guttenberg Mount Hope • Patch Grove • Seneca **Soldiers Grove** 

Viroqua (Downtown & Vernon Square) • Wauzeka

(1603) 326=3500 (1800) 280=1074 www.peoplesfinancial.com



#### **Youth Fishing Derby**

Co-sponsored by Prairie Rod & Gun Club and Stark's Sports Shop Summer Derby: Sunday, July 12, 4-6 pm. Fall Fishing Derby: Sunday, Sept. 20, 4-6 pm. Equipment & bait provided. Call 326-7207 for more information.





#### **Youth & Family Fishing Camp**

Co-Sponsored by

This camp will provide all ages the opportunity to learn new skills and have fun!

**Washington St Park** Tuesday, July 14th, 6-7:30 pm

Fee: \$2.00 Per Family



#### **Ladies Night Out**

Co-Sponsored by STARK'S

Get together with daughter, mom, grandmas and gal friends for a night of relaxful fishing. All equipment provided but adults must have fishing license. Tuesday, June 30th, 6-7:30pm Washington St Park

Fee: \$2 per family

Hook & Ladder

## Family Fishing Paddling Fun



Saturday, June 27th 10 am - 12 Noon

Bring the whole family for a morning of hands-on fishing, canoeing and kayaking fun as instruction will be given to those wanting to get a sampling of these great leisure programs.



All equipment will be provided. "Firemendoas", chips, and beverage included for a great time on the river for all ages at Washington Street Park.

> Reaistration on-site day of the event. . Fee: \$2.00



Co-sponsored by the Prairie du Chien Fire Department & Cabelas

#### Canoe/Kavak Classes

Geared for recreational users 10 & older. Two hour clinics teach essentials of boat fitting, maneuvering, paddling skills and techniques. Ideal for new paddlers. No roll experience needed and no roll instruction



provided. Must be a competent swimmer. All sessions run on Thursdays, 6-8 pm at Washington St. Park. July 16 or 23rd.

Res. Fees: \$10 • Non-Res. Fees: \$15

#### **Great River Paddlers Club**

This club paddles sections of the lower Wisconsin River, Mississippi River backwaters locally in Wisconsin and Iowa, as well as some smaller inland rivers in our area, such as the Yellow and Kickapoo.



Sunday paddles begin at 10 am at the designated boat landing and are usually 3 hours long. For further information, contact Sally Marshall at 608-326-0542, or e-mail: tigerlilly4434@yahoo.

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# Outdoor



at Washington Street Park (North Main & Washington St.) Co-Sponsored by the PdC Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts



Look no further then the new Outdoor Recreation Center when planning your upcoming adventure on the backwaters of the Mississippi River.

The renovated park will provide individuals, families and groups the opportunity to experience a variety of fun outdoor activities at one great setting! Private groups and instructional class offering are also available per request with additional fees.

	<u> 2 Hour</u>	<u>4 Hour</u>
Canoe with 2 paddles and PFD	\$10	\$20
Single Kayak with paddle & PFD	<b>\$</b> 5	\$10
Bike/helmet (required) provided by Walma	ert! <b>\$5</b>	\$10
Fishing Poles up to 4 hr. use (fully equippe	ed-bait not provided)	\$2
Disc Golf (Rotary course is 1 block away)		\$2
Family Rate (up to 6 individuals - use of all	l equipment)	\$30
Group Rate (up to 25 individuals - use of al	ll equipment)	\$50

Public Hours on Saturdays and Sundays 12-4 pm Otherwise call 326-7207 for reserving of equipment on other days/times

Washington St. Park Improvements were funded by: Wisconsin D.N.R., American Canoe Assoc./L.L. Bean, Cabelas Campfire Committee, 3M Grant, PdC Tourism Council, Iowa Bass Federation, James Dutton Foundation, Wal-Mart and the City of Prairie du Chien.

## **HOFFMAN HALL RECREATION CENTER**

#### **Aquatics. Fitness. Leisure & Fun**

1600 South Wacouta Ave., Prairie du Chien, WI 608-326-2985 • www.prairieduchien.info

Serving the community and surrounding areas health, fitness and recreation needs for 50 years.



NOTE: Pool closed May 29 and reopens August 31!

#### **Gym & Pool Rentals**

Accommodations can be made for business meetings, birthday parties, family reunions, receptions, sporting events, club activities and overnight stays. The historic facility includes: Lobby/meeting room, large gym, fitness rooms and heated olympic size pool. Call 326-7207 for more information on how we can accommodate your group. Equipment provided!

#### **Prices**

	Monthly	Non-Res.	Annual	Non-Res.
MONTHLY PASS		Monthly		ANNUAL
Family*	\$60.00	\$80.00	\$420.00	\$520.00
Adult (Ages 19-62)	\$50.00	\$65.00	\$375.00	\$450.00
Senior**/Youth/Student***	\$40.00	\$50.00	\$325.00	\$375.00
Corporate (10 or more)	\$40.00		\$325.00	

#### **DAILY PASS**

Family	Resident \$10.00!	Non-Resident \$12.00
Adults	. Resident \$5.00	Non-Resident \$6.00
Senior/Youth/Student	. Resident \$3.00	Non-Resident \$4.00

\*Family includes yourself, a spouse and your children in one immediate family, one household only. Children 18 and older cannot be considered for a Family Membership unless they are in college and can show a current registration receipt/ID.

\*\*Seniors are considered age 63 and over. \*\*\*Full-time college student (12 credits undergrad/6credits grad) will be required to show a recent report card or registration receipt/ID. Memberships include unlimited city-sponsored water and land fitness classes, lap swim. open swim, open gym, walking and golf/kayak sampler. Additional annual membership will also include 1/2 off outdoor membership pool pass for June-August.

#### Corporate Memberships 🀙



Hoffman Hall is now offering corporate memberships for Businesses or Institutions within the City of Prairie du Chien that have 10 or more employees.

Employees will need to show proof of their employment at the time of registering at Hoffman Hall's front desk.

Discounted fees: \$40/monthly or \$325/annual (This is good for yourself, spouse and your children in one immediate family, one household only.)

Membership includes unlimited city sponsored water and land fitness classes, lap swim, open swims, open gyms and walking. Annual

memberships will also include 1/2 off Wacouta Aquatic Park membership from June-August.

Take advantage of the many offerings at Hoffman Hall Recreation Center! For more information call Hoffman Hall at 326-2985 or Parks & Recreation Director Mike Ulrich at 326-7207.

Register on-line at http://pdc.recdesk.com/recdesportal

#### **Fitness Class Schedule**

Monday	5:30-6:30 amPilates & Toning			
	9:30-10:30 am Tai Chi (introduction)			
	4:30-5:30 pmPilates & Toning			
Tuesday	5:30-6:30 am Step Aerobics			
	4:30-5:15 pmPilates & Toning			
	9:30-10:30 amTai Chi (Advanced)			
Oct April				
	5:30-6:30 am Body Sculpting			
	5:00-6:00 pm Yoga			
	6:00-7:00 pm Tae Kwon Do Club			
Friday	9:30-10:15 am Tai Chi (Intermediate)			
PILATES & TONING: Toning through breathing, movement with weight				
& resistance. BODY SCULPTING: Tighten & firm using weights, bands,				
balls and more. YOGA: Increase your strength, flexibility & balance.				
STEP AEROBICS: Listen to great tunes while toning & elevating your				
	N DO CLUB: Provides excellent exercise, disciplir	ne		
& confidence for all family members. Call 326-6658 to register & pay				
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locus. Creates bala	nce, flexibility & calmness which relieves stress.			

#### **Open Gym**

November - March

Available for youth and adults with basketball, volleyball, badminton, or even tennis (if requested). Please note because of special event programming some Friday & Saturdays will not be open to the public so please call ahead 326-2985 (Open gyms are included with membership) Saturdays & Sundays 12-5 pm

Monday - Friday 10 am - 4 pm

#### **Walking**

Monday - Friday 8 am - 10 am Beginning June 1st - August 28th, Mondays & Fridays only. However other activities may be also occurring. Fee: \$2.00

#### **Pool Schedule**

Note: Pool closed May 29th and reopens August 31st			
<b>Open Swim</b> 7:30 am - 1 pm			
Fri 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm			
Sat. & Sun 1 pm - 5 pm			
(May and Sept. Only - Sat. & Sun.) 12 - 3 pm			
Lap Swim			
Mon Fri 11:30 am - 1 pm			
Mon Fri 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm			
Sat 8:30 am - 9:30 am			
Sat12 pm - 1 pm			
Sun12 pm 1 pm			
(One lap lane will always be available)			
Water Aerobics			
Mon., Tues., Thurs 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm			
Sat 8:30 am - 9:30 am			
Deep Water Class Mon. & Wed 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm			
Wed 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm			
Home School Swim Class Thurs			
For more information please call 326-2985 or 326-7207			

## MUSIC, SPECIAL EVENTS & RUN/WALKS

## Concerts On The River





Sponsored by the Prairie du Chien Jaycees and City of Prairie du Chien Parks and Recreation Department. Join us each Thursday night from 6:30-8 pm. We will be offering 7 free concerts with a variety of

the area's top musical talents. Those planning on attending are encouraged to bring family and friends with blankets, lawn chairs, and snacks as you'll really enjoy these casual evenings of entertainment.

For more information contact the PDC Parks & Recreation Dept. at 326-7207.

## Check Out The Great Line-Up of Musicians!



#### **June 18 • River City Connections**

The area's top Dixieland Jazz Band is back to give you a chance to get that "Big Easy" feel with lots of good time music!

#### June 25th • 16 Strings and a Stick

This local trio, which includes

a fiddle, will get your toes tapping and hands clapping as they will play a mix of Country, Celtic, Bluegrass and Cajun!

#### July 2nd • Wind In The Barley

A mix of Irish Folk and traditional 60's and 70's Rock 'N Roll.

Come check out the band everybody is talking about! FUN, FUN, FUN!

#### **July 9th • River City Ruckus**

This concert showcase's Prairie du Chien's top musicians playing a variety of great music!

#### July 16th • Guttenberg German Band

This is the area's top authentic German Band with plenty of polka music to go around!

#### **July 23rd • Curtis Crossroads Band**

This trio is made up of fiddle, Bodhran drum and 12 string guitar that play traditional Irish jigs, songs and polkas!

#### **July 30th • Naughty Finger**

This last concert showcases Southwest Wisconsin's best looking classic rock band!

#### 1/2 Marathon & 5K Race



Saturday, May 2nd. Enjoy historic sites & breathtaking scenery of our famous Mississippi River bluffs! Open to runners and walkers. Age group awards and fun for all!

www.pdchalfmarathon.com 608-412-0156



## Crawford County On The Move Walk/Run Training

Looking for motivation to get active? Crawford County on the Move is a 9 week walk/run training program available in 9 local communities. Whether you are new to exercise or already an avid walker/runner, this weekly program will help you take your fitness to the next level. Join us for training tips, nutrition info, and group walk/

runs beginning the week of June 21st. Call Jane Schaaf at 326-0223 for more information. Join us at the annual 5K Walk/Run at the Fair on August 29th!



#### **PdC Glow Run/Walk**

Saturday, May 16. Registration starts at 7:00 pm with the 5K starting at 8:00 pm. The Glow Run/Walk starts at the Skateboard Park, Wells Street, Prairie du Chien, WI.

#### Registration: \$15; Children 10-6 \$10; Children 5 and under Free

Online registration will be available at www.pdcskatepark.org.
\*\*Registration fee includes some glowing articles.\*\* More glow
items will be for sale as well as light refreshments.

All proceeds go towards the Skate Park.

## 45th Annual 5 Mile Run/3 Mile Walk



Saturday, July 18th, 8 am at the Aquatic Park (1401 E. Wells Street) \$10 Entry. Includes T-shirt, refreshments and fun! Awards to top 3 runners in each category. High School; Ages 19-29; Ages 30-39; Ages 40-49; Ages 50-59; and over 60. Registration forms available at Aquatic Park and City Hall. Sponsored by: Crossing Rivers Health and Prairie du Chien Park & Rec Dept. All proceeds go toward Hoffman Hall improvements.



## WACOUTA AQUATIC PARK 1401 East Wells St. / 608-326-8071

#### **Pool Admission**

DAILY PASSES: Mon. - Fri. Weeknights after before 6:30 pm 6:30 pm & Sat. & Sun. **Family** \$10.00 \$8.00 \$4.00 Adult \$3.00 Children (Ages 3-17) \$3.00 \$2.00 Children (Ages 0-2) Free Free JUNE 6TH

ANNUAL PASSES: Non-Resident City Resident \$90.00 Individual \$50.00 **Family** \$70.00 \$120.00

1/2 Off Pool Pass If You Have a **Hoffman Hall** Membership!

Pool Passes will be sold at Hoffman Hall on May 13th from 4:30 - 6:30 pm and thereafter at City Hall until June 5th. Beginning June 6th all passes will

be sold at the Outdoor Pool during regular business hours. Must show proof of residency.

NOTE: Hoffman Hall Memberships also include outdoor pool lap swim & water aerobics!

#### **Pool Schedule**

June 6 - August 21 Monday - Friday Lap swim ......8-9:15 am Water Aerobics .....8:30-9:15 am (Mon., Wed., Fri.) Swim Lessons ......9:10-11:50 am Swim Team .....11:50 am - 1 pm Open Swim .....1-4:45 pm

Lap Swim.....4:45-6:30 am Water Aerobics ......5:30-6:15 pm (Mon., Tues., Thurs.) Deep Water (Wed. Only)

Open swim......6:30-8:30 pm (Closes at 8 pm in Aug.)

Saturday & Sunday

Lap Swim......12 Noon - 1 pm Open swim.....1-4:45 pm Lap Swim.....Sun. only 4:45-6:30 pm

Open swim.....Sun. only 6:30-8:30 pm (Closes at 8 pm in Aug.)

For more information on Swim Team call 563-880-3883.

#### **Swim Lessons**

Swim lesson early sign-up: May 13, 4:30-6:30 pm at Hoffman Hall

May only sign-up for one session at a time.

Session A June 15-24 (Level 1-7) Session B July 6-15 (Parent/Tot-7) Session C July 16-24 (Level 1-7)

PM Lessons Session B Only!

Parent/Tot-2: 5:30-6:15 pm. All Parent/Tot Classes \$15.

Each session class runs: 9:10-9:50 am. 10:10-10:50 am. 11:10-11:50 am FEES: Free to PdC School District Residents, \$15 for PdC School District Non-Residents. After May 13, you must sign up at the pool on June 7 or thereafter when pool is open. For more info. call 326-7207 before June 7, otherwise 326-8071

#### **Puppy Paddle**

**August 22nd** 10 am - 2 pm Dogs must be current on all vaccinations. Only friendly, non aggressive dogs allowed. All dogs must wear buckle collars with identification and



be leashed - no flexi-leads allowed. Females in heat not allowed. For more information 326-2914.

#### **Pool Parties**

Come Join The Fun As WE Celebrate In Some Really Wild and Crazy Ways!

June 24th Luau Party 1:30-3 pm July 8th Christmas in July 1:30-3 pm July 29th Mardi Gras 7-8:30 pm August 12th Western Party 1:30-3 pm



#### **Vacation Ticket Discounts**

A great way to start your summer vacation while saving lots of money! Available at PdC City Hall. Cash only! 214 E. Blackhawk Ave., Mon. - Fri. 8 am - 4:30 pm.

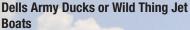
**Noah's Ark Water Park** Adult/Youth \$31.25 (Save \$10.37 per ticket)

Mt. Olympus Water & Theme Park Adult/Youth \$18.00 (Save \$30.03 per ticket)

Milwaukee County Zoo

Adult \$10.50 (Save \$3.75 per ticket) Youth \$8.50 (Save \$2.75 per ticket)

**Pirates Cove Golf** Adult/Youth \$5.50 (Save \$3.00 per ticket)



Adult \$18.00 (Save \$12.00 per ticket) Youth \$9.00 (Save \$4.00 per ticket)

**Upper Dells Boat Tours** 

Adult \$24.75 (Save \$4.00 per ticket) Youth \$13.85 (Save \$.40 per ticket)

**House on the Rock** 

Adult \$22.50 (Save \$7.45 per ticket) Youth \$14.25 (Save \$2.45 per ticket)

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#### **Old World Wisconsin**

Adult \$16.00 (Save \$3.00 per ticket) Youth \$8.00 (Save \$2.00 per ticket)











### **ICAN RECREATION**

(Intergeneration Community Activity Network)

The PdC Park & Recreation department in cooperation with the Opportunity Center will continue to offer summer programming to meet the needs of all ages and ability levels for people to have fun! For information and questions on how to join the fun contact Recreation Coordinator Jackie Friederich at 379-2353 or Kari Kossman at 326-6486.

#### **T-Ball, Kickball and More!**

Play ball, meet new friends and have fun. This program meets at Cecil Smith Ball Field on Tuesdays from 9:30-10:30 am, June 2-30. **Fee: \$5.00 Per Person** 



#### **Fun 'n Games**



Enjoy a variety of outdoor games including Fishing & Disc Golf, hiking and many more fun activities! Meets on Tuesdays, July 7-28, 10:30-1130 am.
SITE: Washington Street Park.
Fee: \$5.00 Per Person

#### **Fitness & Walking Club**

Walk, meet new friends and have some fun. Meets at Hoffman Hall and High School Track on Tuesdays 9:30-10:30 am, August 4-25.

Fee: \$5.00 Per Person



## St. Feriole Memorial Gardens **Trees With A History**

Every person has a story and every tree has a story. This project matches the person with a tree. Here in Prairie du Chien, many notable people have lived or stopped here on their journeys. We have matched

selected people with a tree that will help tell their story.



The Trail of Presidents: Very few small towns can say they have had 22 presidents that lived or visited their communities. We have researched each United States President and have formed a list of the 22 presidents that have visited Prairie du Chien. The Oak tree is America's National Tree. Oak trees are being planted because individual oaks have

played a part in historical events. In the annals of military history "Old Ironsides", the U.S. Constitution, took its nickname from the strength of its live oak hull, famous for repelling British cannonballs. President of Mexico, Vicente Fox was educated at Campion Boys School here. Come visit this one-of-a-kind park to find out more!

## **COOL PARK STUFF**

#### **Rotary Disc Golf Course**

Because of the generous contribution from the PdC Rotary Club you will be seeing a 18 Hole Golf Course developed on St. Feriole Island. There is no cost to utilize the course and you can rent Disc's for



\$2 from the Outdoor Rec. Center. Take advantage of this great activity that will be fun for the entire family! For more info call 326-7207.

#### **PdC Skate Park**

The Children's Advisory Board along with many supporters have added a great skateboard park to the Prairie du Chien Park system. With input from the young people of the Prairie du Chien a design was developed to meet the needs of local skaters. There is no admission charge to the new



park and it is open to skateboards, Rollerblades and BMX style bikes during park hours. It is located in the gravel parking area at the Aquatic Park/Fort Fun complex. Phase 2 is next! Please call Lori at 604-412-2974 if you want to help!

#### **Adopt a Bench**

Create a lasting memory - Celebrate someone you love by adopting a bench in their honor. Perfect for weddings, anniversaries, birthdays, business gifts, in memorandum, or just saying "I love you". This is a great way to support St. Feriole Island Park and upgrade the existing benches that have been weathered over the years! Those who make



these donations receive a personalized plaque on the bench. For more information on how you can enhance the park with a lifetime gift, call Parks and Recreation Director, Mike Ulrich at 608-326-7207.

#### **Memorial Tree Program**

The Parks & Recreation Department works with the St. Feriole Island Gardens to provide many wonderful trees throughout the Island. If you are interested in providing a tree in recognition of a person, location, or event please call Tom Nelson at 326-8602. Because of many generous donations we would like to thank everyone for their support

in providing trees for all to enjoy for many years to come!

## PRAIRIE DU CHIEN PARKS

#### St. Feriole Island

Our busiest park! This park is the site of the earliest settlement and activity in Prairie du Chien.



- Site of the Battle of Prairie du Chien during the War of 1812 and of the First Fort Crawford, where three important Indian treaties were signed.
- Fourth Ward residential neighborhood, until it was relocated following the record flood of 1965.
- Home of the Villa Louis, the Dousman family estate built on the site Fort Crawford.
- Contains Lawler Park, the riverfront, Mississippi River Sculpture
   Park, St. Feriole Island Garden & St. Feriole Island Ball Park and President Trees.
- Host to annual events including the Prairie Villa Rendezvous, Prairie Dog Blues Fest, and Villa Louis Carriage Classic, Mud Run, Oktoberfest and so much more!
- · Ideal for walking, biking & fishing.
- · Good location for watching ducks and eagles in season.
- · Boat landings & picnic areas.
- Two approaches to the island at Blackahwk Ave. & Washington St.
- 18 hole disc golf course.

**Enjoy what the Island has to offer!** 

#### **Mississippi River Sculpture Park**

Located on historical St. Feriole Island along the Mississippi River and adjacent to the Villa Louis. This park includes life size bronze statues of Chief Blackhawk, Voyager Julian Coryer, and Emma Big Bear to name a few. Walking tours are available.

Twilight with the Living Sculptures - Visit with these "real life" sculptures as there past comes to life! Saturday, June 20th, 4 pm. For more information call 326-2721 or go to

http://mississippiriversculpturepark.com



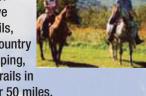
#### St. Feriole Island Gardens



This 10 acre garden and paths are in development stages. Various unique gardens will be part of the project, such as the Children's Garden, Spring Pond Garden, The Stream Garden & Backwater Garden and much more!

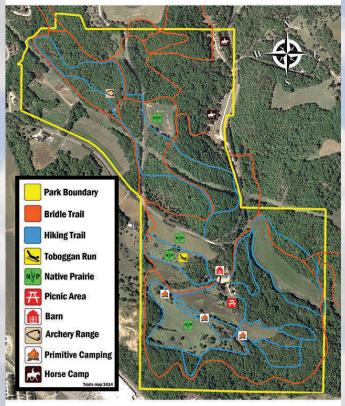
#### **LaRiviere Park**

A 300 acre city park managed for its natural beauty and wildlife. The park is a mix of hardwood forest, grasslands, and native prairie. Provides six miles of hiking trails, nature viewing, bird watching, cross-country skiing, archery area,free primitive camping, picnic area, and shelter house. Horse trails in the park and adjoining trails cover over 50 miles.



For horse trail conditions and horse camping info call 608-734-3692. Located at 662036 Vineyard Coulee Rd., SE, of Prairie du Chien.

#### La Riviere Park



#### **Urban Forestry Program**

The City of Prairie du Chien recognizes that trees provide important economic, social and environmental benefits that significantly improve the quality of urban life. In 2011 the city completed a public street and park tree inventory and prepared a management plan and



tree inventory to provide a sincere commitment to Prairie du Chien's urban forestry program. This document reports the findings of the inventory and makes specific, prioritized recommendations for managing the urban forest resource based on inventory findings, current staffing, budgets and tree circumstances. A companion document, the 'City of Prairie du Chien Emerald Ash Borer Readiness Plan' was also prepared for the purpose of ash and emerald ash borer (EAB) management. Questions directed to Mike Ulrich: 326-7207 or

Terry Meyer: 326-8534

Spring and Summer Activity Guide

## **HOFFMAN HALL DONORS**

## Hoffman Hall Donor Recognition Wall

Because of the support of various businesses, organizations, and individuals we have been able to raise over \$1.8 Million to date for the improvements to Hoffman Hall Phase 1 renovation. Because of this incredible support we look forward to offering more quality activities and special event programming in the future. If you would like to get more information on how to assist with Hoffman Halls Phase 2 upgrades please call Parks & Recreation Director Mike Ulrich at 608-326-7207.





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## **Activity Registration Form**

Participant:	Male	Female	AgeGrade	
Address:	City:		Zip	
Phone #: School Attending:				
Parent's Name:T-shirt Size (If applicable) YS, YM, YL, AS, AM, AL, AXL (circle one)				
Name of program:	Practice Site:	Level & Time:		
Signature of parent/guardian: I hereby understand that my son/daughter has registered to participate in the above state programs, like most programs similar in nature, has some degree of inherent risk involved. Furthermore, my son/daughter is in good physical condition appropriate for the stated activities, and that participants must assume full responsibility for personal injury incurred while taking part in the activities). No accident insurance is provided through the city of Prairie du Chien. Prairie du Chien Park and Recreation has permission (but before and anytime after) to use the participants likeness, name, voice, or works with television, radio, film newspaper, magazines, and other media, and in any form, for the purpose of advertising or communicating the purpose and activities of Prairie du Chien Park and Recreation and/or applying for funds to support these purposes and activities. Please list any special considerations we should know of (medicines, disabilities, etc.)  Please check the box if you are interested in instructing part-time or volunteering.				
Parent/Guardian Signature:	D	ate:		
Please inform us of any allergic reactions or health issues we should be aware of:				



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