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2024 SPRING / SUMMER BROCHURE

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Letter from the Director

We are happy to announce that our new Watrous Pavilion should be installed and ready for rentals this Spring. The new structure replaces the old structure that was there for many years. The new structure will be the same size, have increased power outlets and lights for all to enjoy. The Parks Department removed adjacent trees, will add additional topsoil and grass to expand the recreational area for your rental enjoyment. Our state-of-the-art tennis/pickleball courts will once again be open for the full season, allowing residents to use them until 9:00 PM. Summer camps, concerts, movies nights and special events will happen throughout the summer.

The Town of Cromwell Farmers Market will be in its 3rd season, running from Memorial Day to Labor Day every Friday from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM. For more information or to become a sponsor, please contact our office. Also returning is Teen Adventure Camp which will run for three weeks and our Little Camp Cromwell program which will now be expanded to five days.

As always, we welcome your feedback and ideas to better serve our community; do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Scott Kieras

Recreation Director

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Meetings are held the first Thursday of each month at 5 p.m.

Mission: The department is charged with providing a variety of leisure time activities for the residents of the Town. These activities are for all ages ranging from preschool through adults, including special needs. Programs include sports leagues, instructional sports, fitness, toddler activities, music introduction, arts and crafts, special events, summer concerts and many other classes.

Compliance with the Americans with

Disabilities Act (ADA): We strive to accommodate all participants in all of our programs. If you require special services in order for you to participate, please contact our department and give us a minimum of 20 business days advance notice prior to the program.

Town Sports Organizations

Cromwell Lions (Youth Football)

cromwelllions.com

cromwelllions@gmail.com

Cromwell Little League

cromwelllittleleague.com

info@cromwelllittleleague.com

Cromwell Chill Soccer Club

cromwellsoccer.com

cromwellchillsoccerclub@gmail.com

Rocky Hill/Cromwell Lacrosse

rockyhilllacrosse.com

rockyhilllax@gmail.com

Rebels Travel Basketball

cromwellrebelsbasketball@gmail.com

Registration Process: Registrations will be processed in the order in which they were received: online, in person, or by phone. Full payment is due at time of registration. A receipt will be emailed to you or printed at your request. In the event a program is full, you will be placed on the wait list and notified.

Photo Policy: By attending or participating in a program, you give us permission to take and publish photos of you. If you do not wish to be photographed, you must include this request in writing.

Non-residents: While we do welcome non-residents to register for our programs, Cromwell residents will receive priority in the registration process. A separate fee for non-residents may apply to eligible programs. Some programs are not available to non-residents.

Pavilion Rentals: The Department will accept reservations for Cromwell residents for pavilion use of Watrous, Pierson or Riverport Park at Frisbee Landing beginning **January 1**. Non-residents may book starting **April 1**. Please refer to our Request for Pavilion use form on our website.

Payment: Payment may be made by cash, check or credit card.
All checks should be made payable to "Town of Cromwell."
Returned checks are subject to a \$20 service charge.

Credit Cards: Our registration software program has been upgraded so that you now have the ability to store your credit card information for future use. Just be sure to toggle the box under "Save This Card".

Removing Credit Card From Account: When a credit card expires or is no longer valid, go to your MyRec account, click Edit Payment Methods in the Accounts box listed in the Account Overview. Click Edit This Payment Method. You will be able to change the billing information or remove payment information completely.

Financial Assistance: Funding is available on a first-come, first-serve basis to those who qualify. For further information, visit our website.

Refund Policy: As Cromwell Recreation Department strives to provide excellent customer service, we make all attempts to provide top-quality programs at reasonable costs. Program costs are based on participation numbers. Refunds can only be given when requested in advance, or when a program's budget allows.

- If a program is cancelled by Cromwell Recreation a full refund will be given.
- Registration may be cancelled up to 5 business days prior to a program starting date. **NO REFUNDS** on tickets or trips.
- No refunds will be given once a program has begun unless there is a wait list for the program or there is a medical emergency. A physician's note will be required.
- Absolutely no refunds will be given for any unused portion of a program.
- All refunds are subject to a \$10 processing fee. Anyone registered for programs with multiple sessions (i.e. summer camp), the fee would apply to each individual session (7 weeks x \$10 = \$70) per child.
- When a program is run by a third party vendor (i.e. Abrakadoodle, etc.) no refunds will be given 5 business days prior to start of the program.
- In the case of summer camp, no refunds will be given once a session begins, without a physician's note.

We reserve the right to: Make changes in price, content, description, etc. at any time without notice.

Updates and Cancellations

For our latest updates and cancellation information please:

- Like our Facebook page:
www.facebook.com/CromwellRecreation/
- Visit our website: www.cromwellrec.com
- Sign up for a MyRec account at <https://cromwellct.myrec.com> to receive email updates
- Call our office at 860-632-3467, ext. 1

For any parks related issues please contact the Public Works Department at 860-632-3420.



TODDLER PLAY GROUP

An open play, drop in social group for ages birth to 5 *with parent/caregiver.*

Ages: Birth - 5 years

Staff: Miss Lynn

Day: Thursdays

Dates: April 4 - June 6*

Time: 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Location: Town Hall Gym

Fee: No fee for Cromwell residents
\$20 per session non-residents



** Must pre-register in order to attend **

PRESCHOOL CRAFTS

Make a variety of seasonal inspired projects. Get ready to paint, glue, color, create and have **FUN!**

Parent supervision required.

Ages: 2 - 5

Instructor: Miss Lynn

Day: Mondays

Dates: April 15 ~ *Spring is in the Air*

May 6 ~ *Mother's Day*

Time: 10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Location: Town Hall Activity Room

Fee: \$15 resident/\$20 non-resident per class



PLAY DATE IN THE PARK

Children and caregivers will meet to play and socialize under the Pierson Park Pavilion. Activities include themed sensory stations, a craft, and free play opportunity. Feel free to head over to the playground after to keep the fun going!

Ages: 2 - 5 *Parent supervision required*

Staff: Miss Lynn

Day/Dates: Monday, April 22 ~ *Earth Day*

Friday, May 24 ~ *Memorial Day Picnic*

Tuesday, July 9 ~ *Teddy Bear Picnic Day**

Time: 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

*1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Location: Pierson Park Pavilion

Fee: \$10 resident/\$15 non-resident

FUN WITH FOOD

Children will learn food preparing skills and take part in making a variety of take home snacks. Miss Lynn plans a good balance of healthy eating and special themed treats while letting the kids explore their culinary skills.

Ages: 3 - 5 *Parent supervision required.*

Instructor: Miss Lynn

Day: Wednesdays

Date: March 27 ~ *Butterflies & Rainbows*

April 24 ~ *Strawberry Delights*

May 15 ~ *Surprise Treats*

Time: 1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Location: Town Hall Activity Room

Fee: \$20 resident/\$25 non-resident
includes all food and supplies



Spring Celebration

Celebrate the start of Spring! Enjoy a themed craft, snack and story. Then set out to hunt for eggs around Town Hall. Bring your camera as we will have the Easter Bunny as a special guest!

Thursday, March 28

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Town Hall Gym

\$5 resident/\$10 non-resident

This event is open to all. Preregistration is required.



Thursday, June 6
9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Pierson Park Pavilion*
*** FREE ***

Everyone loves a picnic!

Join us at Pierson Park to celebrate the last day of Toddler Playgroup and the kickoff of summer! Bring your own snacks. We will provide a refreshing treat.

Included as part of Toddler Playgroup

**In the event of rain will be held in Town Hall Gym*

It is a happy talent to know how to play.

-Ralph Waldo Emerson

MUSIC TOGETHER

Music Together® is committed to helping families rediscover the pleasure and value of musical activity. Each child participates at his or her own level in singing, moving, chanting, listening, watching, or exploring musical instruments. Weekly classes include parent education to help adults understand and enhance their child's music development.

Spring Session ~ Triangle Song Collection: Sing, dance, and "Skip to My Lou," engage in a little dramatic play with "Meow!" and create jazzy rounds with "Hey, Ho, Nobody Home."

Summer Session ~ Harmonica Collection: Take a "Train to the City" and play "Jack-in-the-Box" plus catch fireflies in "Hotaru Koi."

Ages: Newborn to 5 Years with parent or caregiver

Instructors: Alicia Haas (Tues)/Amy Stern (Sat)

Day/Dates: Spring Session: Tuesdays, April 9 - June 11, 10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.
Saturdays, April 13 - June 15, 9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

Day/Dates: Summer Session: Saturday, July 13 - August 17, 9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.*

Location: Town Hall Arch Room/*Riverport Park Pavilion

Fees: \$210 first child, \$130 for first sibling, all other siblings free. *Six-week summer session \$150 for first child; \$80 for first sibling, all other siblings free.



MOMMY OR DADDY & ME



This class is designed to give parents/guardians and their child a chance to enjoy movement, music and dance together. It is a great opportunity for that special bonding time with your precious little one. Learn songs such as "The Wheels on the Bus" with coordinating dance steps.

Age: 1 - 3

Staff: Miss Lynn

Day: Fridays

Dates: March 22 - April 26 (no 3/29)
May 10 - June 7

Time: 9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Location: Town Hall Arch Room

Fee: \$20 resident/\$25 non-resident



STORYTIME BALLET

A different story is read each week and new ballet positions are taught in addition to twirling, skipping, hopping and jumping. Children will also learn "Anna" and "Elsa" aka as a basic Arabesque.

Ages: 1 - 2 *with parent/guardian*

Staff: Miss Lynn

Day: Mondays

Dates: April 29 - June 10 (no 5/27)

Time: 9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Location: Town Hall Arch Room

Fee: \$25 resident/\$30 non-resident

Wear comfortable clothes and socks.



BEGINNER BALLET

Learn ballet the magical way with Miss Lynn. Join us for fun and exciting ways to learn ballet. There will be dancing, sing-a-longs, movement and dance games.

Ages: 2 - 3

Instructor: Miss Lynn, New England Dance

Day: Wednesdays

Dates: April 17 - May 22

Time: 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Location: Town Hall Gym

Fee: \$80 resident/\$85 non-resident

Wear leggings & tank top or leotard and socks or ballet slippers. (Leotard and ballet slippers are optional.)



MULTI-SPORT TOTS

Give your little superstar an awesome first step into sports with Multi-SportTots. This class uses age-appropriate games and activities across multiple sports to explore balance, hand/eye coordination, fitness, sport skills and child development.

Age: 2 - 5*

Staff: Skyhawks Staff

Day: Saturdays

Dates: April 27 - June 8 (no 5/25)

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. ~ Age 2

10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. ~ Age 3

11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. ~ Ages 4 & 5

Location: Pierson Park Practice Field

Fee: \$89 resident/\$99 non-resident

**Parent participation required for ages 2 to 3.5 years*



APRIL VACATION CAMP

Spend April Vacation Week with your friends and enjoy arts and crafts, games and other fun activities. **Must bring your own lunch each day.**

FIELD TRIP: Thursday, April 11 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. going to Lessard Lanes, Plainville. Includes unlimited bowling, \$5 arcade card and lunch (2 slices pizza and drink). **Trip included in price of camp.**

Grades: K - 5

Staff: Camp Cromwell Staff

Days: Monday - Friday

Dates: April 8 - April 12

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Location: Woodside Intermediate School

Fee: \$125 residents/\$135 non-resident



STEAM ART CAMP

Our Planet, Our World! This April vacation camp includes artwork projects, crafts, games and books that inspire people to care for nature. Create a wind sculpture, sea globe, trash can that smiles and art inspired by endangered animals. Explore STEAM concepts and be part of caring for our planet.

Grades: K - 5

Staff: Abrakadoodle Staff

Days: Monday - Friday

Dates: April 8 - 12

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Town Hall Activity Room

Fee: \$175 resident/\$185 non-resident



SPRING BREAK SOCCER CAMP

Players will have the chance to learn the Brazilian methodology of soccer which encourages a more skill-based style of play. It promotes the learning of a variety of techniques that allow players to be creative and innovative on the field. All techniques will be simplified and taught step by step to the younger learners.

Ages: 5 - 14

Staff: Everson Soccer Academy Staff

Days: Monday - Friday

Dates: April 8 - 12

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Woodside Intermediate School Field

Fee: \$165 resident/\$175 non-resident



VACATION BASKETBALL CAMP

Joe Reilly, Head Coach of Wesleyan Men's Basketball Team, along with some of his players will teach critical basketball skills. **Please note:** Transportation will **not** be provided to Recreation's April Vacation Program.

Ages: Grades 3 - 6

Staff: Coach Joe Reilly and Staff

Days: Wednesday - Friday

Dates: April 10 - April 12

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Cromwell Middle School Gym

Fee: \$140 resident/\$150 non-resident



INTRO TO TENNIS

This is designed to bring kids into the game by utilizing specialized equipment, shorter court dimensions and modified games tailored to the age and size of the player, focusing on using drills to improve balance, coordination and agility.

Ages: 4 - 13

Instructor: Miguel Garcia

Days: Tuesdays and Thursdays

Dates: Session 1: April 16 - May 23

Session 2: June 4 - July 11 (no 7/4; class on 7/3)

Session 3: July 23 - August 29

Time: 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Location: Watrous Park Tennis Courts

Fee: \$140 resident/\$150 non-resident



SKYHAWKS VOLLEYBALL

All aspects of the game are taught through drills and exercises that focus on passing, setting, hitting and serving. This co-ed program is designed for the beginner to intermediate player and will incorporate essential life-lessons such as teamwork and sportsmanship.

Ages: 10 - 14

Instructors: Skyhawks Staff

Day: Wednesdays

Dates: April 17 - May 22

Time: 4:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

Location: Town Hall Gym

Fee: \$149 resident/\$159 non-resident



ABRAKADOODLE DOODLERS

Amazing American Artists ~ Create artworks inspired by artists who explore color, celebrate uniqueness, innovate with paint, depict familiar scenes and highlight different cultures. Learn about Thiebaud's enticing goodies, Grandma Moses charming landscapes and Steinberg's fascinating figures.

Ages: Grades K - 2

Instructor: Abrakadoodle Staff

Day: Tuesdays

Dates: March 19 - April 23 (no 4/9)
(5 weeks)

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Location: Edna C. Stevens School

Fee: \$70 resident/\$80 non-resident includes all materials



ANIME DRAWING

Join Abrakadoodle Anime and learn the Japanese art of animation. Learn the basics of head and facial features plus body shapes, hands and feet, animal anime and more. Learn Japanese games and listen to Japanese folktales.

Ages: Grades 3 - 5

Instructor: Abrakadoodle Staff

Day: Tuesdays

Dates: March 19 - April 23 (no 4/9)
(5 weeks)

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Location: Woodside Elementary School

Fee: \$70 resident/\$80 non-resident includes all supplies



KID'S SELF DEFENSE

This class teaches basic karate skills as well as simple moves to escape grabs, chokes and unwanted hugs. Stranger danger and how to handle bullies will also be discussed.

Ages: Grades K - 5

Staff: Debbie Shekosky
Champions Karate School

Day: Thursdays

Dates: April 18 & 25

Time: 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Location: Town Hall Arch Room

Fee: \$30 resident/\$40 non-resident



PAINTING THROUGH THE AGES

Paint beautifully patterned African inspired art, be an expressionist to create a scream-worthy painting, learn the musical tints and shades of Picasso in his rose and blue periods. Fulfill your curiosities discovering art through the ages.

Ages: Grades K - 2 and 3 - 5

Instructor: Abrakadoodle Staff

Day: Tuesdays

Dates: May 7 - June 4
(5 weeks)

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Location: Edna C. Stevens School

Fee: \$70 resident/\$80 non-resident includes all materials



INTRO TO ACTING AND IMPROV



Acting and Improv, Disney Style! (Ages 6-9): Learn stage directions, vocal and physical warm-ups, play acting and improv games, and dabble in musical choreography and singing. Learn all the basic skills of how to be an actor, with a Disney theme!

Acting and Improv, Broadway Bound! (Ages 10-13): Play acting and improv games to strengthen skills and learn about scenes and monologues as well as vocal and physical warm-up exercises.

Staff: Claudia Isabel

Day: Wednesdays

Dates: April 17 - May 22

Time: 4:45 p.m. - 5:45 p.m. ~ (Ages 6-9)
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. ~ (Ages 10-13)

Location: Town Hall Arch Room

Fee: \$50 resident/\$60 non-resident



Parents are invited to come for the final 15 minutes of our last class for students to showcase what was learned.

SIBSHOPS

We know that having a brother or sister with different abilities can be a mixed bag of emotions. Our Sibshops is like a secret club where we do cool activities and talk about things that matter, with other brothers and sisters from families like yours. Play games, make crafts, chat, and even have lunch! It's a chance to meet new friends, share happy moments, and learn how to handle different situations...like the stuff that might bug us sometimes when we have siblings with additional support needs. Come join the fun!

Ages: 9 - 13

Staff: Jeannine Marron, RYT200, RYCYT95
Sibshops Certified Facilitator

Day: Sundays

Dates: April 7 - May 19 (no 4/28, 5/12)

Time: 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Location: Peaceful Chaos Yoga Studio

Fee: \$50 resident/\$60 non-resident

Lunch is provided



ZUMBA

Dance to great music and burn a ton of calories. This is a total workout, combining all elements of fitness ~ cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility, boosted energy and a serious dose of awesome each time you leave class.

Ages: 12 and up
Instructor: Briana O’Leary
Day: Mondays
Dates: March 25 - May 6 (no 4/8)
Time: 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Location: Town Hall Gym
Fee: \$55 resident/\$65 non-resident



POUND FITNESS

Release your Inner Rockstar! Participants build confidence and unleash freedom to let loose and experiment movement, love your body while improving it, make noise and exist exactly as you were designed. Lightly weighted Ripstix® provided.

Ages: 13 and up
Instructor: Donna Dorbuck
Days: Thursdays
Dates: May 2 - June 6
Time: 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Location: Town Hall Gym
Fee: \$50 resident/\$60 non-resident



DEEP BOATING/PWC COURSE

A DEEP Combination Safe Boating/Personal Watercraft Class with Safe Water-Skiing Endorsement is required to operate recreational vessels up to 65 feet including a personal watercraft in Connecticut (age restrictions applied). Take this 8-hour class just in time for the upcoming summer boating season. Upon completing this course and passing the exam, which is given during the last class, you will be able to apply for DEEP’s Certificate of Personal Watercraft Operation. The cost to apply for the certificate is \$50 and is NOT included in the class fee.

Ages: 12 & up
Instructor: DEEP Boating Division Staff
Days: Monday & Wednesday
Dates: April 22 & April 24
Time: 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Location: Town Hall Senior Center
Fee: \$20 resident/\$25 non-resident



BEGINNER TENNIS

This beginner program will get you playing tennis in 8 lessons. Begin by using larger slower balls. Quickly move through progressions to get up to full court play. Lessons and drills will focus on technique, stroke development, and movement.

Ages: 14 through Adult
Instructor: Miguel Garcia
Days: Tuesdays and Thursdays
Dates: Session 1: April 16 - May 23
 Session 2: June 4 - July 11 (no 7/4; class on 7/3)
 Session 3: July 23 - August 29
Time: 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Location: Watrous Park Tennis Courts
Fee: \$140 resident/\$150 non-resident



OPEN GYM PROGRAMS



Men’s Basketball 18+

Tuesday nights in the Town Hall Gym
Ages: 18+
Supervisor: Jorge Sousa
Day: Tuesdays
Dates: April 2 - August 13
Time: 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Location: Town Hall Gym
Fee: \$45 resident/\$55 non-resident

Coed Volleyball

Wednesday nights in the Town Hall Gym
Ages: 18+
Supervisor: Dave Theobald
Day: Wednesdays
Dates: April 3 - August 14
Time: 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. - Beg/Inter.
 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Adv.
Location: Town Hall Gym
Fee: \$45 resident/\$55 non-resident

Men’s Basketball 35+

Thursday nights in the Town Hall Gym
Ages: 35+
Supervisor: Dave Delvalle
Day: Thursdays
Dates: April 4 - August 15 (no 7/4)
Time: 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Location: Town Hall Gym
Fee: \$45 resident/\$55 non-resident

YOGA ~ Vinyasa Flow

Participate at your own level while developing strength, balance and flexibility. Instructor will lead you through a flowing sequence of seated, standing and reclined postures. Please have a yoga mat and wear comfortable clothing.

Instructor: Stacey Schnurr

Day: Tuesdays

Dates: Session 1: April 30 - June 4

Session 2: June 25 - July 30

Session 3: August 20 - September 24

Time: 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Location: Zoom ([link will be emailed prior to the start of class](#))

Fee: \$55 resident/\$65 non-resident



Virtual

YOGA

This class will explore asana (poses) from five different types of yoga: Vinyasa, Yin, Restorative, Gentle and Nidra. Each class includes a guided meditation during savasna (final relaxation).

Ages: 18 and up

Instructor: Jeannine Marron, Peaceful Chaos Yoga

Day: Tuesdays

Dates: April 23 - May 28

Time: 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Location: Peaceful Chaos Yoga Studio

Fee: \$75 resident/\$85 non-resident



ON BOARD WITH TAP

Learn the basic fundamentals of tap dance on an individual tap board that will be provided for you. Tapping on an individual tap board is an energetic form of tap that focuses on technique, rhythm and sounds.

No experience necessary. Tap shoes are required.

Ages: 18 and up

Instructor: Lynn Agnew

Day: Tuesdays

Dates: April 30 - June 4

Time: 5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

Location: Town Hall Gym

Fee: \$45 resident/\$55 non-resident



BROADWAY JAZZ CLASS

Jazz class inspired by a variety of Broadway shows. Learn easy-to-follow steps following Broadway-inspired music. Come laugh, meet people and have the time of your life! There's never a dull moment in Jazz Class!

No experience necessary.

Ages: 18 and up

Instructor: Lynn Agnew

Days: Tuesdays

Dates: April 30 - June 4

Time: 6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

Location: Town Hall Gym

Fee: \$45 resident/\$55 non-resident



WOMEN'S SELF DEFENSE COURSE

This women's self defense class is great for women of all ages ~ teenagers, college students, moms and grandmas. The class includes prevention and awareness tips as well as easy self-defense moves against grabs, chokes, unwanted hugs and more.

Instructor: Debbie Shekosky, Champions Karate School

Days: Thursday

Date: April 18

Time: 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Location: Town Hall Arch Room

Fee: \$30 resident/\$40 non-resident

CORNHOLE LEAGUE

Two players per team; can list alternates on team roster form. Alternates cannot be on any other active roster in our league.

Ages: 21 and up

Staff: Recreation Department Staff

Day: Thursdays

Dates: June 20 - August 15; *playoffs begin August 22*

Time: 6:30 p.m. **OR** 7:30 p.m. matches

Location: Riverport Park

Fee: \$100 per team resident/\$110 per team non-resident

Prizes to top three teams. 24 teams maximum



CROMWELL DIAPER BANK

The Cromwell Diaper bank provides 50 diapers per month, per child for qualifying families. Baby care items such as formula, baby food and clothing are also available while supplies last.

If you need Diapers: Applications can be found on Cromwell Youth Service's website, www.cromwellet.com/youth-services or by visiting the Cromwell Youth Services office.

How you can Help: Cromwell Youth Services is accepting all sized diapers with a special need for size 6. Diapers can be dropped off to the Cromwell Youth Services office.

YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD

Youth Advisory Board (YAB) is made of community members who help guide Cromwell Youth Services in addressing youth and family community issues.

Meetings occur the third Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room of Town Hall. We are looking for members from the community. Please contact Cromwell Youth Services at 860-632-3448 to join.





Every child should have opportunities at camp to learn how to live in a diverse community, embracing and celebrating differences. Inclusion is just as essential to typically developing children communities at large as it is to children with disabilities.

Summer Camp Program

Seven week unified program open to children of all abilities entering Grades K-8 in the Fall of 2024.

You can sign up for one week or all seven.

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: June 24 - August 9 (no camp July 4 and July 5)

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Location: Woodside Intermediate School ~ All Grades

Fee: \$175 per week resident/\$185 non-resident*
 *Week 2 - \$105 resident/\$115 non-resident
 (no 7/4 & 7/5)

\$10 per week sibling discount*
 Must be registered for the same weeks.

**Due to our recreation software you must call the office to have the sibling discount applied.*

Due to increased enrollment in camp, we are pleased to announce that we will be keeping the fees at last year's pricing. Our goal is to hire additional staff to accommodate the wait lists that occurred last year.

Pre and Post Camp

A photo ID is required at time of pick up and your name must appear on the camper pick up form.

Pre-Camp: 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Cost: \$25 per week

Post-Camp: 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Cost: \$25 per week

Note: Campers must bring their own drinks and snacks for pre and post camp. They will not be provided by the camp.

Register by noon on Thursday for the following week. Absolutely no registrations will be accepted after this deadline.

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

Financial Aid will be made available on a first-come, first-serve basis to those who qualify for a maximum of \$350 per participant annually with the proper documentation outlined below.

Payment plans will no longer be issued for camp. To ease the burden of payment for camp all at once, you have the option of registering for one week at a time, space permitting.

APPLICATION PROCESS PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!

- Complete Cromwell Recreation Financial Aid Application for 2024.
- Income eligibility based on the 2023-2024 USDA income guidelines for Free and Reduced Lunches.
- Documentation to be submitted to **Cromwell Human Services Office** along with completed application:
 - Proof of residency
 - Copy of last four weeks of household income
 - Most current bank statement
- Financial Aid may be used towards Recreation Department programs only.
- Applicants will be contacted once approved in order to register for camp/program through the Recreation Department

All information will be kept confidential.

Registration Procedures

- Register online at cromwellrec.com.
- **ABSOLUTELY NO REGISTRATIONS** will be taken after **12:00 p.m. on Thursday** for the following week's camp.
- Campers requiring special accommodations please refer to the ADA section on our website.
- Download the Parent Handbook on our website.
- If your child(ren) is bringing medication, the Authorization for the Administration of Medication form must be filled out by a physician prior to the start of camp. **Please allow adequate time to have these forms completed prior to your child starting camp.**
- All forms are due on the first day of camp.
- Any camper(s) showing up to camp will be turned away if forms are not up-to-date, medication does not meet State requirements, or camper(s) are not registered for that week.
- Space is limited and on a first-come, first serve basis. It is recommended you register early!
- Registration for non-residents begins **May 1. Non-residents will be accessed an additional \$10 per week.**



Little Camp Cromwell will be expanding to offer an additional two-day a week program on Tuesdays and Thursdays. This is for children who are not yet ready for three-days a week or for children who are looking for a five-day a week camp. You now have the option to register for Monday, Wednesday and Friday weekly, Tuesday and Thursday weekly or Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The times for this camp will remain the same from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Little Camp Cromwell offers campers ages 3 to 5 seven weeks of summertime fun! Each week the children will participate in fun-themed activities including songs, stories, outdoor play, water play, arts and crafts, library time and weekly entertainment! Children must be fully potty trained. This is a drop off program and will require parent pick up and drop off each day.

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY

Ages: 3-5 (*must be potty trained*)
Days: Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays
Dates: Week 1: June 24, 26, 28 ~ Sand & Sea
 Week 2: July 1, 3 ~ Stars & Stripes*
 Week 3: July 8, 10, 12 ~ Fun & Fitness
 Week 4: July 15, 17, 19 ~ Knights & Princesses
 Week 5: July 22, 24, 26 ~ Christmas in July
 Week 6: July 29, 31, August 2 ~ Disney
 Week 7: August 5, 7, 9 ~ Carnival
Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Location: Town Hall Activity Room
Fee: \$140 resident/\$150 non-resident (includes t-shirt)
 *\$95 resident/\$105 non-resident (two day week)

TUESDAY, THURSDAY

Ages: 3-5 (*must be potty trained*)
Days: Tuesdays, Thursdays
Dates: Week 1: June 25, 27 ~ Sand & Sea
 Week 2: July 2 ~ Stars & Stripes*
 Week 3: July 9, 11 ~ Fun & Fitness
 Week 4: July 16, 18 ~ Knights & Princesses
 Week 5: July 23, 25 ~ Christmas in July
 Week 6: July 30, August 1 ~ Disney
 Week 7: August 6, 8 ~ Carnival
Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Location: Town Hall Activity Room
Fee: \$95 resident/\$105 non-resident (includes t-shirt)
 *\$47.50 resident/\$52.50 non-resident (one day week)



There will be a **\$23.75** discount if you register for all five days of the same week. In order to receive this discount you must register through the Recreation Department by calling 860-632-3467.



CAMP SUNRISE

A special needs camp for children ages 3 to 21 that provides opportunities for achievement in a supportive environment. Open to residents of Cromwell, Glastonbury, Newington, Rocky Hill and Wethersfield. Camp runs for seven one week sessions from June 17 to August 2, Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Smith Middle School, Glastonbury. Special registration procedures are required through <https://glastonburyct.myrec.com/info/default.aspx>. Transportation is provided from Cromwell Town Hall. For specific questions, please contact Anna Park, Glastonbury Park and Recreation Department at 860-652-7683.



This program is partially subsidized by the Town and through the generosity of the Knights of Columbus.



Teen Adventure Camp

Our Teen Adventure Camp is open to children entering Grades 7 to 9 in September. This camp is perfect for your teenager who is gaining independence, looking to develop new friendships, and taking a break from technology for some field trip fun! Participants are expected to be responsible for behaving in an appropriate, respectful and mature manner. Planned trips are subject to change as inclement weather and unforeseen circumstances can impact both travel and field trip locations.

Days: Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays

Dates: Week 1: July 1, 3*
 Week 2: July 15, 17, 19
 Week 3: July 29, 31, August 2

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Location: Cromwell Middle School

Fee: \$330 per week resident/\$340 per week non-resident; may be paid in full or in three equal payments
 \$110 due upon registration; \$110 due on 5/31 & 6/21 per week registered

Includes cost of transportation, field trips and camp shirt
 *\$220/\$230 for Week 1 (two day week)

WEEKLY TRIPS				
2023	Dates	Monday	Wednesday	Friday
Week 1	July 1, 3	Escape Room Swimming at Rocky Hill	Ocean Beach Park	NO CAMP
Week 2	July 15, 17, 19	Brownstone	Hartford Athletics Swimming at Rocky Hill	Farmington River Tubing
Week 3	July 29, 31, August 2	Winding Trails Farmington	Six Flags New England	Hammonasset Beach

SUMMER MUSIC CAMP 2024

Looking for ways to enhance your music skills and experience individualized instruction over the summer? Then Cromwell's Sixth Annual Summer Music Camp is for you! Annual camp concert to be held on **Friday, August 2 at 11 a.m.** outdoors (weather permitting) or in the Cromwell High School Auditorium.

There is a daily morning group activity outdoors at 9 a.m. that includes recreational sports. Alternative activities to sports will be provided by camp staff.

Ages: Open to students *entering* Grades 4-9 in the Fall of 2024

Staff: Michael Schmidt, Camp Director and
 Cromwell Public School Music Teachers

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: July 8 - August 2

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Cromwell High School

Fees: \$320 resident/\$330 non-resident per camper
 Fee includes camp t-shirt



DAILY SCHEDULE

Class 1 ~ 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Band**
 Choir

Break ~ 10:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

BYO snacks/water

Class 2 ~ 10:45 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Drama/Music Theater
 Jazz Band

Music Technology (Beat Making)
 Beginner: Guitar **OR** Ukulele **OR** Piano

** If any students in grades 3-5 would like to learn a new brass/woodwind/percussion instrument, CMC counselors will offer private lessons during the morning band class.

For detailed information on this program please see our website at cromwellrec.com

MINI HAWK CAMP ~ AGES 4-6

This multi-sport program was developed to give children a positive first step into athletics. The essentials of baseball, basketball and soccer are taught in a safe, structured environment with lots of encouragement and a big focus on fun. Games and activities are designed to allow campers to explore balance, movement, hand/eye coordination, and skill development at their own pace.

Ages: 4-6

Staff: Skyhawks Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: June 17 - June 21 (no 6/19)
August 12 - August 16

Location: Watrous Park - Back Field

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Fee: \$135 resident/\$145 non-resident (June)
\$145 resident/\$155 non-resident (August)

**MULTI-SPORT CAMP ~ AGES 7-12**

This multi-sport camp is designed to introduce young athletes to a variety of different sports in one setting ~ baseball, basketball, soccer and flag football! Athletes will learn the rules and essentials of each sport through skill-based games and scrimmages, walking away with knowledge of these sports along with vital life lessons such as respect, teamwork, and self-discipline.

Ages: 7-12

Staff: Skyhawks Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: June 17 - June 21 (no 6/19)
August 12 - August 16

Location: Watrous Park - Back Field

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Fee: \$179 resident/\$189 non-resident (June)
\$189 resident/\$199 non-resident (August)

**FLAG FOOTBALL ~ AGES 7-12**

Through our 'skill of the day' campers will learn skills on both sides of the ball including the core components of passing, catching, and de-flagging or defensive positioning ~ all presented in a fun and positive environment. The camp ends with the Skyhawks Sports Bowl, giving participants a chance to showcase their skills on the gridiron!

Ages: 7-12

Staff: Skyhawks Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: June 24 - June 28

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Location: Watrous Park - Back Field

Fee: \$189 resident/\$199 non-resident

**TRACK & FIELD ~ AGES 6-10**

This program combines technical development and fundamental techniques with safety while keeping a major focus on fun! The fundamentals of body positioning, stride, proper stretching, and cool-down techniques are all covered in this unique program. Participants will put it all together for one fun-filled day at the end of the week at the Skyhawks track meet!

Ages: 6-10

Staff: Skyhawks Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: July 8 - July 12

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Cromwell High School

Fee: \$145 resident/\$155 non-resident

**VOLLEYBALL ~ GRADES 6-8**

This co-ed program is designed for the beginner to intermediate player and will incorporate essential life-lessons such as teamwork and sportsmanship. All aspects of the game are taught through drills and exercises focusing on passing, setting, hitting and serving. Learn the fundamental skills of the game through game-based drills and daily scrimmages aimed at developing the whole player.

Grades: 6-8

Staff: Skyhawks Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: July 8 - July 12
August 5 - August 9

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Location: Cromwell Middle School Gym

Fee: \$189 resident/\$199 non-resident

**TENNIS ~ AGES 4-5 & 6-12**

This program breaks down the fundamental skills of tennis through games and exercise to improve the athlete's overall coordination and technique. Learn proper grips, footwork, strokes, volleys and serves. Athletes will learn the rules and etiquette that make tennis such an exciting game to play. Ages and skill levels will be divided accordingly.

Ages: 4-5 and 6-12

Staff: Skyhawks Staff

Days/Dates: Monday-Friday, July 15 - July 19

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. ~ Ages 6-12
12:15 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. ~ Ages 4-5

Location: Watrous Park Tennis Courts

Fee: \$145 resident/\$155 non-resident (Ages 6-12)
\$79 resident/\$89 non-resident (Ages 4-5)

Summer CAMPS

KICK, CATCH AND SPLASH ART CAMP

Kickstart your summer by learning about athletes who are artists too. Design whimsical basketball courts, be inspired by artistic swimmers who create geometric designs, paint silhouettes of skateboards doing tricks and visual effects showing an equestrian and their horse. Also design fashion sneakers, Olympic medals and gymnast sculptures while learning sports can be an art form.

Ages: Ages 6-12

Staff: Abrakadoodle Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: June 17 - 21

Location: Various locations

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Fee: \$65 day resident/\$75 day non-resident
\$300 full week resident/\$310 full week non-resi.



DOODLER SUMMER ART CAMP

World Travel 3-D Art Camp!

Travel with us on this creative journey and create 3D masterpieces inspired by world cultures. Create art using a variety of materials, play games and understand that through art we can connect with people around the world.

Ages: Ages 6-12

Staff: Abrakadoodle Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: August 19 - August 23

Location: Town Hall Gym

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. ~ Half Day

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. ~ Full Day

Fee: \$170 resident/\$180 non-resident ~ Half Day

\$300 resident/\$310 non-resident ~ Full Day

CIRCUIT LABS

Circuit Makers 101: Grades 1-3. Junior children will gain experience with creating their own electronics. Each class day consists of a circuitry lesson and a hands-on electronics project.

App Inventors: Grades 4-7. Use MIT App Inventor software to make fun, creative apps and explore wireless communication.

Grades: 1-3 and 4-7

Staff: Circuit Lab Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: July 8 - July 12

Location: Town Hall Room 222

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. ~ Grades 1-3

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. ~ Grades 4-7

Fee: \$185 resident/\$195 non-resident

CIRCUIT LAB

S.T.E.A.M. LEGO® CAMPS

Young children begin to explore simple machines using LEGO® early childhood materials. Projects include drummers, scissor-lifts and wedge launchers. Older age group works with standard LEGO® to problem solve challenges involving structure, levers, gears, and pulleys.

Ages: 5-6 and 7-9

Staff: Exceptional Youth Educational Services Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: August 12 - August 16

Location: Town Hall Room 222

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. ~ Ages 5-6

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. ~ Ages 7-9

Fee: \$140 resident/\$150 non-resident



EVERSON SOCCER CAMP

Players will have a chance to learn the Brazilian way of soccer to advance and accelerate their game and soccer skills. Camp will focus on individual skills, techniques, striking, speed, agility and quickness, small side games, tactical concepts and goalie training.

Ages: 5-14

Staff: Everson Soccer Academy Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: July 22 - July 26

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Watrous Park - Back Field

Fee: \$185 resident half day/\$195 non-resident



BEGINNER GOLF CAMP

This unique, games-based play program and modified learning equipment make it easier for kids to hit the ball. Putting, chipping, pitching and full swing are taught through games, simple repetitive motions and learning rhymes that make it easy for young kids to learn. Specially designed, age-appropriate golf equipment is provided.

Ages: 5-8

Staff: Skyhawks Staff

Days: Monday through Friday

Dates: August 5 - August 9

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Riverport Park Grass Parking Lot

Fee: \$145 resident/\$155 non-resident





ABRAKADOODLE: Kevin and Brian are co-educational directors for Abrakadoodle Central Connecticut. Together, they manage a team of teachers who bring art to the central Connecticut region. They also enjoy bringing a free-spirited safe space for kids to foster their creativity through art by showing techniques and different artistic styles. They have one philosophy when it comes to art: There is **no** wrong at Abrakadoodle!



MUSIC TOGETHER: ALICA HAAS' Music Together® journey began in 2015, after the birth of her son. Growing up she was in her high school marching, jazz, and concert bands and many choirs. She even plays the ukulele. Music Together® has allowed her the opportunity to explore her love of music with her two children, Connor and Amelia. Her energetic and enthusiastic teaching style makes her engaging to children and adults.



MUSIC TOGETHER: AMY STERN received a bachelors of music in music education with a minor in Spanish from Susquehanna University and a Masters degree in Music Education with an emphasis in the Kodaly methodology from the University of Hartford Hartt School of Music. She teaches K-3rd grade general music and chorus in Higganum.



POUND FITNESS: DONNA DORBUCK describes herself as a fitness enthusiast. She rediscovered fitness when her daughter got older and a co-worker didn't want to go to a Zumba class alone. She has never looked back! Donna enjoys taking on the challenges of a variety of fitness classes and when she discovered Pound, she was immediately hooked on the format. She believes that working out should be fun and approachable and encourages her students to get lost in the music!



YOGA/ADAPTIVE INCLUSIVE PROGRAMS: JEANNINE MARRON is a Cromwell resident with a strong desire to increase access to programs for those with disabilities. She is a trauma informed adult and children's yoga instructor with a specialty in serving those with cognitive, physical, or emotional challenges. Jeannine is also certified in First Aid, Mental Health First Aid, and concussion response.



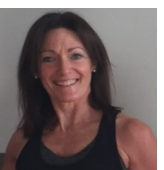
ZUMBA: BRIANA O'LEARY is a life-long dancer who has been a Zumba instructor since 2014. She found her passion for Zumba after looking for opportunities to continue dancing after graduating college. She is certified to teach B1, Aqua Zumba, Zumba Kids, and Zumba Kids Jr. Her favorite part is seeing the smiles and hearing the cheers when a class favorite comes on the playlist. When Briana is not teaching Zumba, she is over at Woodside Intermediate School teaching her third grade students.



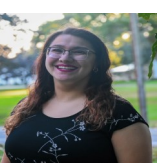
PRESCHOOOL PROGRAMS/DANCE CLASSES: LYNN AGNEW is an instructor at New England Dance with 48 years of teaching experience. She has studied under the direction of prominent teachers and currently also instructs at Fred Astaire Dance Studio and Caffery's Dance Studio. She continues to share her passion for the art of dance to so many lucky students in Connecticut, both children and adults.



SELF DEFENSE CLASSES: Debbie Shekosky, owner and master instructor of Champions Karate School, has been teaching karate and self-defense classes for over 28 years. Her passion is to empower women and children by teaching them the skills and mindset to protect and defend themselves.



YOGA: STACEE SCHNURR started practicing yoga in 2003 and immediately fell in love with the mind-body-soul connection. She completed her Yoga Teacher Training at Bloom Yoga Fitness Studios then finalized her certification and became a E-Registered Yoga Teacher 200. She received her yin yoga and meditation teacher certification. She believes everyone can benefit from yoga and find what they need: calm, confidence, courage, love, peace, positivity, power, presence or strength.



INTRO TO ACTING AND IMPROV: CLAUDIA ISABEL is an actor, playwright, and director who grew up in Cromwell. She holds a BA in Theatre and Creative Writing from Seton Hall University in New Jersey. When she's not coaching students at Company 'N Tempo Music Theatre & Dance Centre, she is acting in productions across Connecticut, New York, and New Jersey and showcasing her original plays.



LEGO® PROGRAMS: Exceptional Youth Educational Services (E.Y.E.S) provides opportunities for children ages 4-12 to explore problem solving activities using a hands-on approach to their learning and higher order thinking. We have four programs using LEGO® as the tool for experiential learning and reinforcing S.T.E.A.M. concepts ~ Build With Me, Building Up STEAM, STEAM Works, and Full STEAM Ahead.



Solar Eclipse Party
Monday, April 8
2:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Pierson Park Pavilion*

Join us for a group viewing of the near-totality solar eclipse! There will be crafts, snacks and stories. All registered participants will receive a **free** pair of eclipse glasses.

*Make sure to sign up **each individual attendee** on the Library website as there is a limited number of glasses.*

** Rain location **Belden Room at Town Hall***

SPONSORED BY:



Wednesday
May 29
 (Rain Date:
 Thursday, May 30)

CELEBRATION

5:00 p.m. ~ Riverport Park
Concert 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Music by Jukebox 45 Show Band

All are welcome!

The first 75 Cromwell Seniors to register for the event will receive a coupon for a **free** dinner ticket for the onsite food truck. Call 860-632-3447 to register.

SPONSORED BY:



Join us on Tuesday,
JULY 9 at Pierson
Park to Celebrate
National Teddy
Bears' Picnic Day!



1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

All ages welcome ~ young and old!
 Spruce up your favorite teddy bear and join us!
 Enjoy free playtime on the playscape, story time courtesy of the Cromwell Belden Public Library and a Teddy Bear Parade!
 Special treat will be provided.

Cost: \$10 resident/\$15 non-resident

Medication Safe
Storage Lock Bags
Available for
FREE



Keep children safe by locking up medications and other substances. Cromwell Youth Services has a limited supply of safe storage lock bags available to Cromwell residents for pick up at our office.

Please contact Cromwell Youth Services at 860-632-3448 for more information.

2024 Town of Cromwell Farmers Market

The Town of Cromwell Farmers Market will be back for the 2024 season! The market is located on the Connecticut River at the scenic Riverport Park and aims to support the local economy, enrich the quality of life in our town, and promote the public health and environmental benefits of eating local. Every Friday from 4 to 7 p.m. the Town of Cromwell Farmers Market becomes the “Town Square” of our community. The market has become a weekly community favorite providing farm-fresh vegetables, locally sources products, artisans, food trucks, and live music. We look forward to seeing you there!

SAVE THE DATES!

Fridays
June 7 through September 6
4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Riverport Park



Become a
SPONSOR!

For additional information contact the Recreation Department at recreation@cromwellct.com or call 860-632-3467

Become
A VENDOR



SUMMER CONCERT SERIES
Riverport Park at Frisbee Landing
Wednesdays*
 (*Rain date Thursdays)
6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.



June 26 Cobblestone Road ~ Bringing the *fire* back to Country Music
In conjunction with the Cromwell Belden Public Library
Kickoff to Summer Reading!

July 10 Downtown 6 ~ Dance music through the decades

July 17 Afterglow ~ Rock through the 90's, 2000's and today's Top 40 pop and rock hits

July 31 Skyway ~ Classic dance music from 70's, R&B to current hits

August 7 Jamie's Junk Show ~ Acoustic Rock, Reggae, Bluegrass and Jazz

August 21 Juicebox ~ Top 40 Party Band

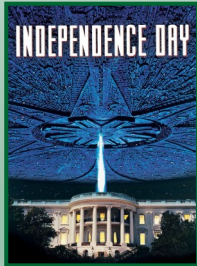
In conjunction with the Cromwell Belden Public Library
Summer Reading Wrap Up



Pack a picnic supper, bring a lawn chair or blanket and sit back and enjoy!
Food Trucks will also be onsite for your dining pleasure!



Pierson Park Football Field
Wednesdays*
 (*Rain date Thursdays)
6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.



July 3



July 24



August 14

Pack a picnic supper, bring a lawn chair or blanket and sit back and enjoy!
Food and Ice Cream trucks will also be onsite.



DISCOUNT TICKETS ~ LAKE COMPOUNCE

Discount tickets are available through the Recreation Department for Lake Compounce. The savings in purchasing these tickets from the Recreation Department is considerable. Cost through the Recreation Department is **\$37.50 per ticket**. These are **Good Any Day** tickets for both general admission (cost at gate \$59.99) or the under 52" ticket (cost at gate \$49.99).

Tickets must be purchased in person at the Recreation Department Offices located in Town Hall.



Back to School Program

Applications are available from July 1 - August 9, 2024

Each year, with the assistance of the Salvation Army, local civic organizations, businesses, and resident donations we are able to provide backpacks and school supplies to those in need. Please contact Cromwell Youth Services at 860-632-3448 or by emailing cromwellyouthservices@gmail.com.



SPLASH PAD AT WATROUS PARK



Open from Memorial Day to Labor Day
Operational Hours: Daily from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Splash pad may be closed at any time due to weather, maintenance or other operational concerns.

- * Splash Pad is unsupervised. All children under the age of 12 must have adult supervision.
- * Toddlers must wear swim diapers.
- * Patrons engaging in horse play or foul language will be asked to leave.
- * Climbing on the splash pad features is strictly prohibited.
- * Keep glass containers, bicycles, skateboards and in-line skates off the splash pad.
- * No food or drink on the splash pad.
- * NO SMOKING.
- * No pets allowed on splash pad.
- * Please practice social distancing.

For your safety, splash pad is under video camera surveillance and is regularly monitored.

WATROUS PARK TENNIS COURTS

Open from March through November (weather permitting)

Courts available on a first come, first serve basis from dawn until 9 p.m.

Six tennis courts, three of which are lined for six pickleball courts.

No food, glass or alcoholic beverages.

No pets allowed.

No bicycles, roller blades or skateboards on the courts.

Proper footwear required.

Do not vandalize nets or other equipment.

Lights are turned on automatically from sunset to 9 p.m.

Pickleball storage locker contains nets and balls. You must call the office at 860-632-3467 for combination.

For your safety, tennis courts are under video camera surveillance and is regularly monitored.



PAVILION RESERVATIONS

The Cromwell Recreation Department will be accepting reservations beginning **January 1, 2024** from Cromwell residents who wish to reserve one of the pavilions at Pierson Park, Riverport Park or Watrous Park.

Non-residents may register beginning **April 1, 2024**.

Please find a Request for Pavilion Use form on our website. This form along with the required fees must be returned to the Cromwell Recreation Department in order to secure your date.



Pierson Park



Riverport Park



Watrous Park





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