

We want to demonstrate our appreciation of children and families in our community by promoting a safe and healthy event for youth.

There are three benefactors for Children's Week and they include the Appleton Parks and Recreation, the Appleton YMCA and the Building for Kids.

We hope you will join us for some of these fun events and activities!

www.appletonchildrensweek.com



SUNDAY, JULY 21, 2019

Children's Week Kick-Off Event At Erb Park

Join us for our kick-off party taking place during our Kids Fun Run at Erb Park. Anyone ages 2-12 is invited to come out and participate in the runs (which are broken down by age group). The event will once again kick off with the mascot race! Festivities start at 6:00 pm Visit our website at www.appletonparkandrec.org to pre-register for the event.

FREE Admission At Erb & Mead Pools

On Sunday Erb and Mead Pools will be open and free of charge for kids 16 and under. Erb pool features diving boards, in-water basketball hoops, two giant run-out water slides, and leisure pool with water features, and Mead pool features zero-depth entry and a water slide! Pack your beach towel and sunscreen and take advantage of this great opportunity to enjoy the pools for FREE!

Kids-Free Hours:

Erb Pool: 1:00-8:00 pm

Mead Pool: 12:00-8:00 pm

FREE "Dive-In" Movie At Erb Pool

Join us for our Christmas in July "Dive-in" movie. The movie shown will be "Elf" and will begin at dusk (around 8:30 pm). Those attending are encouraged to bring a raft to float on. The diving area of the pool will not be open during this time.

MONDAY, JULY 22, 2019

FREE Youth Clinic / Learn To Skate With Fox Cities Roller Derby

Come learn about this awesome sport with the skaters and coaches of your Fox Cities Roller Derby team! Learn some of the basic skills, and then stick around to watch the Derby skaters compete in a mock bout. Clinic will take place from 6:00 - 8:00 pm at Skater's Edge, located at 5713 Integrity Way in Appleton. Format is safe and inclusive of all ages & abilities! Admission and skate rental for the clinic are FREE!

FREE Small Bucket Of Range Balls For Kids At Reid Golf Course

From course open until 2:00 pm kids (ages 18 and under) can come and enjoy free range balls. Call Reid at (920)832-5926 with questions.

FREE Discover Scuba Trial At Erb Pool

1:00-2:30 pm All equipment and instruction provided by Mountain Bay Scuba. Participants will need to complete a waiver prior to participation.

10th Frame – 2 FREE Bowling Games

Kids under 17 get two free bowling games and shoe rental with adult supervision. On Mondays, the 10th Frame opens at 3:00 pm!

One Hour Of Free Jump At Vertical Velocity Trampoline Park

Enjoy a FREE hour of jump on Monday during our open hours from 10:00 am – 6:00 pm (On other days during Children's Week enjoy an hour of jumping for only \$8.00.)

TUESDAY, JULY 23, 2019

FREE Beginner Karate Class

Have you ever thought about signing your child up for Karate? Come and try the FREE class at 9:00 am at Karate America East – W3173 Springfield Drive.

Barlow Planetarium

Everyone is \$4 for the weekday matinee family show at either 2:30 pm or 3:45 pm
Matinee feature show: Secret of the Cardboard Rocket.

Kids Rummage Sale Through Appleton Parks & Recreation

Join us at Pierce Park from 9:00 am – noon for the 7th annual event. Youth will be on hand selling gently used toys, games, clothing, and accessories. You must be registered to sell items but not to shop. To register go to www.appletonparkandrec.org.

FREE Batting Cages At Badger Sports Park All Day

All ages are welcome to come and enjoy the batting cages at NO CHARGE! Call (920) 830-6900 with questions.

10th Frame – 2 FREE Bowling Games

Kids under 17 get two free bowling games and shoe rental with adult supervision. Bowling hours are 11:00 am to 8:00 pm

FREE Dance-O-Rama (With Unity Dance Academy Staff)

Ages 4 – 18 are welcome to come and experience a new genre of dance during this fun event. (2nd floor City Center in dance studios 1, 2 and 3 from 1:00-3:00 pm) Call Chelsey at 832-3927 with questions.

	STUDIO I	STUDIO II	STUDIO III
1:00-1:10	Stretch/warm up	Stretch/warm up	Stretch/warm up
1:10-1:45	Intro to Ballet	Ballet	Open acrobatics
1:50-2:20	Intro to Jazz	Jazz	from 1:10-2:50
2:25-2:50	Intro to Hip Hop	Hip Hop	w/Ms. Katie
2:50-3:00	Cool down/stretch	Cool down/stretch	Cool down/stretch

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 2019

FREE Beginner Karate Class

Have you ever thought about signing your child up for Karate? Come and try the FREE class at 9:00 am at Karate America East – W3173 Springfield Drive.

FREE 11th Annual Children's Parade

Registration is required and can be done at www.buildingforkids.org. The parade starts at Houdini Plaza at 6:00 pm and ends in City Park with a Family Reception that goes until 8:00 pm

Funset Boulevard Free Unlimited Attractions All Day!

Children will have FREE unlimited access to the Train Ride, Bumper Cars, Carousel, Giant Kid's Playground, Toddler Zone. Laser Tag admission is NOT included but will be offered at half price admission.

10th Frame – 2 FREE Bowling Games

Kids under 17 get two free bowling games and shoe rental with adult supervision. Bowling hours are 11:00 am to 8:00 pm

FREE Indoor Batting Cages At Play It Again Sports Appleton – All Day!

Kids 14 and under are invited to come enjoy free indoor batting cages during business hours, 9am-8pm. For more information, contact Play It Again Sports at 920-735-0432.



THURSDAY, JULY 25, 2019

Barlow Planetarium

Everyone is \$4 for the weekday matinee family show at either 2:30 pm or 3:45 pm
Matinee feature show: Secret of the Cardboard Rocket.

10th Frame – 2 FREE Bowling Games

Kids under 17 get two free bowling games and shoe rental with adult supervision. Bowling hours are 11:00 am to 8:00 pm

Annual Parks & Recreation Department's Playground Fair

This is the BIGGEST Parks and Recreation Department special event of the year!! Our energetic Playground Leaders and local businesses/organizations sponsor two fun-filled days of carnival games, the trackless train, new and exciting inflatables, great food and entertainment. Visit the prize redemption center and cash in your tickets for fun prizes to take home with you.

LOCATION: Pierce Park

DATES: Thursday & Friday, July 25th and 26th from 2:00 - 8:00 pm

Friday only from 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm we will open the Fair for families with children with special needs

FEE: \$5.00 = 1 wristband* & 1 punchcard**, \$2.00 = 1 punchcard**

**The wristband allows for unlimited use of all inflatable rides and attractions during the two-day fair; must have for inflatable use*

***One (1) punchcard allows the holder the ability to play up to 10 carnival games; punchcard may not be used for inflatable rides/attractions*

FRIDAY, JULY 26, 2019

Annual Appleton Parks & Recreation Playground Fair

(2-8 p.m. @ Pierce Park) – See Thursday
Playground Fair open from 12:30-2:00 pm for families of children with special needs.

10th Frame – 2 FREE Bowling Games

2 FREE kids under 17 bowling admissions and shoe rental with adult supervision. Bowling hours are 11:00 am - 8:00 pm.

SATURDAY, JULY 27, 2019

FREE art project with the Fox Cities Building for the Arts/The Trout Museum of Art

Join our community art project from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm by adding strips of fabric and yarn to one of our fiber art tents! Use macramé knots or friendship bracelet twists to add color, line, form, and texture to tents that will be hung from trees during Sunday, June 28th's Art at the Park!

The Academy – Free 30 Minute Karate Class

This special class will cover life 10 am (4 & 6 year olds) and 10:30 am (7 - 12 year olds). FREE Uniform for the first 20 participants!

Free Skateboard Lesson Provided By Nest (North East Skateboarding Trust)

Free lesson will be offered at the Telulah Skate Park for all ages 5 - 14 from 9:00 - 10:00 am. No pre-registration needed. Lessons will be taught by individuals from Surfin' Bird Skate Shop.



WEEK LONG EVENTS

FREE WEEK AT THE FOX CITIES YMCA'S

Entrance to all Fox Cities YMCA locations will be free for all children ages 16 and under and their families. All children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Fun events and activities will be taking place throughout the week such as kids fitness classes, inflatables, arts/crafts projects, etc. For a full list of activities offered throughout the week visit their website at: www.ymcafoxcities.org/all-events.

JOHNSON BANK – BRING IN YOUR PIGGY BANK

Throughout Children's Week, kids can stop by Johnson Bank with their change and run it thru the change counter. Kids who do this will also receive a goody bag, a fresh baked cookie and balloon!

HISTORY MUSEUM AT THE CASTLE

Free child with a paid adult admission Monday through Friday of Children's Week. Mention "Children's Week" to get the discount.

FREE BOWLING AT SUPER BOWL

Get 2 free games of bowling (shoe rental not included) from 11:00 am to 5:00 p.m. by registering at www.kidsbowlfree

VERTICAL VELOCITY TRAMPOLINE PARK

Enjoy an hour of jumping for only \$8.00 (\$5.00 discount).

Additional Events

Timber Rattlers Promotions

SUNDAY, JULY 21, 2019

- **Brewers Sunday** – Play catch on the field pre-game. Player autographs after the game. Brewers themed jerseys worn on field. Brewers Fan Makeover.
- **Pre-Game Catch on the Field**
12:00 - 12:30 pm
Fans are invited to play catch on the field!
- **Post-Game Player Autographs** – Stick around after the game to get autographs from T-Rat players!
- **Curious George** – will be at the ballpark to take pictures with fans!
- **GIVEAWAY** – Corbin Burnes Bobblehead - the first 1,000 fans through the gates will receive a 2016 Corbin Burnes Bobblehead!

MONDAY, JULY 22, 2019

- **Qdoba Q'Monday** – Purchase any Qdoba entree on any Monday game at any Appleton, Neenah, or Oshkosh location and receive a FREE Monday game ticket.
- **Curious George** – will be at the ballpark to take pictures with fans!

Fleet Feet Sports

All week long stop into Fleet Feet Sports 3404 West College Ave. Appleton, WI 54914 to get \$10 off a child's shoe 14 and under.



ADDITIONAL EVENTS DURING CHILDREN'S WEEK

Appleton Public Library Classes & Events

MONDAY, JULY 22, 2019

- **Wonderful Infants and Ones (Pre-Walkers to 23 Months)**
10:00 - 10:45 am
Storytime for pre-walkers and toddlers with social playtime after. Participation in the storytime is necessary to take part in playtime. Siblings welcome.
- **Time for Twos (24-35 months)**
11:00 - 11:45 am
Storytime for 2-year-olds with social playtime after. Participation in the storytime is necessary to take part in playtime. Siblings welcome.
- **LEGO Lab (All Ages)**
6:15 - 7:00 pm
Stop by and create a masterpiece out of Legos. Siblings are welcome.

TUESDAY, JULY 23, 2019

- **Puppet Palooza (All Ages)**
9:30 - 10:15 am & 10:30 - 11:15 am
Enjoy stories, puppet shows and a craft or activity!
- **Maker Quest (Grades K-6)**
2:00 - 4:00 pm
Drop-in space designed for students to embrace their creativity and innovation while exploring hands-on STREAM activities with a monthly theme of Mind-Boggling Toys!

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 2019

- **Stories & Stuff (All Ages)**
9:20 - 9:50 am & 10:05 - 10:35 am
Join us for stories, music, movement, media, puppets, and more! No registration necessary.
- **FREE 11th Annual Children's Parade**
Take part in the Children's Parade along with the APL Children's Services Team! We will be celebrating our summer space theme by wearing galaxy head-bopper headbands while we march!
Meet us at Houdini Plaza at 5:30 pm & we will start marching at 6:00 pm. *After the parade, take part in the family-friendly festivities at City Park.*
Registration is required and open until July 24.
Register at the library or online at www.apl.org! All participants need to submit a waiver to join in the fun!

THURSDAY, JULY 25, 2019

- **Rockin' Round the Universe with Randy Peterson (All Ages)**
10:00 - 10:45 am & 1:30 - 2:15 pm
Using large, colorful models of planets, comets and our own spectacular spaceship, Randy will be bringing our story to life with musical and educational fun, all presented for young astronauts! Along the way we'll be singing the 'Mars Macarena', doing the 'Jupiter Jump' and dancing to 'The Pluto Polka.'
- **Fun With Books**
5:00 - 5:45 pm
Improve your literacy skills and develop a love of reading and language through stories and activities. Designed for English Language Learners. We will give a snack and free book in each class.

FRIDAY, JULY 26, 2019

- **Play & Learn (Ages birth to 5 years)**
10:00 - 11:00 am
Help your child develop pre-reading skills, social skills and confidence through interactive, play-centered learning. Each week we will explore a different theme through sensory activities, dramatic play, crafts, books, games and fun! Siblings welcome.
- **Play and Learn Hispanic Edition (Ages birth to 5 years)**
1:00 - 2:00 pm
Ayude a su hijo/a a desarrollar destrezas de pre-lectura, sociales y a sentirse orgulloso de sí mismo/a través del aprendizaje interactivo centralizado en juego con otros niños.
Designed for families whose primary language is Spanish. The program will help children, ages birth to 5 years, develop pre-reading skills, social skills, and confidence through interactive, play-centered learning. We will explore sensory activities, dramatic play, crafts, books, games and fun! Siblings welcomed.
- **Play & Learn: Hmong Edition (Ages birth to 5 years)**
2:30 - 3:30 pm
For Hmong families and their children birth to 5. Help your child develop pre-reading skills, social skills, and confidence through interactive play-centered learning.

