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# meet the playground leaders



**WILL MAHONEY**

ALICIA PARK

Will is a student at UW-Oshkosh. His favorite playground game is dodgeball and can't wait to make some memories this summer. He wanted to become a playground leader because of the leader he had growing up.



**ALISON CECIL**

ALICIA PARK

Alison attends the University of Arkansas. She was born and raised in Arkansas but her parents moved to Appleton last year. She loves hopscotch and can't wait to meet the kids and spend time with them outside this summer.



**COLE TREMBLE**

APPLETON MEMORIAL PARK

Cole attends UW-Oshkosh and is excited to be back as a leader for the second year. He loves to play capture the flag and looks forward to having fun outside with the kids and keeping them active.



**TRENTON WADDELL**

APPLETON MEMORIAL PARK

Trent is a student at Appleton North High School and loves fishing and is on the fishing team. He is very involved in Boys Scouts, jazz band, orchestra, and track. He is a believer in helping others to feel happy and confident with themselves.



**MEGAN HUSS**

APPLETON MEMORIAL PARK



**LAUREN BERGEL**

COLONY OAKS PARK

Lauren is a student at UW-Whitewater studying education. She is looking forward to building relationships with the kids and get more experience in her area of study. She loves dodgeball, kickball, and pretty much anything outdoors.



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**WILL GUILBEAULT**  
COLONY OAKS PARK

Will is a student at Appleton North High School. He loves to play basketball, baseball, and volleyball in his free time. He wanted to become a playground leader because he loved the program when he was a kid. He's excited to play games with the kids this summer.



**SOPHIE VERKUILEN**  
DERKS PARK

Sophie attends UW-Whitewater and is back for her second summer as a playground leader because she had so much fun last year! She likes having water balloon fights and is excited to meet new kids.



**ETHAN SEVERIN**  
DERKS PARK

Ethan attends UW-La Crosse and enjoys playing sports, working out, and hanging with friends. He wants to share his love for activities, games, and the outdoors with the kids he meets this summer. Watch out, he loves being competitive!



**SAM OSWALD**  
ERB PARK

Sam is a student at UW-Oshkosh. He is super energetic and loves being active all day. He enjoys playing sports and games, especially dodgeball. He is looking forward to meeting new people and having fun with the kids.



**ALEXIS KIMBALL**  
ERB PARK

Alexis (Lexie) attends UW-River Falls working towards a degree in Speech-Language Pathology. Her sister was a leader a few years ago so she wanted to have the same great experience. She likes to play basketball and kickball.



**OLIVIA PETERSON**  
ERB PARK

Olivia just graduated from UW-Milwaukee and hopes to be a math teacher. She loves engaging with kids and providing a fun and supportive atmosphere for them. She enjoys playing cards, making crafts, cooking, biking, and swimming.



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**JEFF MESSER**

GREEN MEADOWS PARK

Jeff attends UW-Madison and has been in our playground program for 10 years as a participant, junior leader, and a leader! He likes to run and listen to music in his free time. He loves working with kids and is excited to make new connections this summer.



**LAURENCE COTE**

GREEN MEADOWS PARK

Laurence attends UW-LaCrosse. She is bilingual and loves to hike. She's ready for the water games and is looking forward to spending the summer outdoors, along with building relationships with the kids.



**OWEN MAAS**

HIGHVIEW PARK

Owen goes to Kaukauna High School and enjoys playing football and baseball in his free time. He is back for a second year because he had a great time last summer making connections and spending time with the kids.



**MORGAN GRATHEN**

HIGHVIEW PARK

Morgan attends UW-Eau Claire and is pumped to be a playground leader to gain experience towards her future career. She also really enjoys getting to know kids and their unique personalities. Many games of Groundy and Spud will be played with Morgan!



**LILY ALTMANN**

HOOVER PARK

Lily goes to Appleton East High School and also works as a barista at Starbucks. She embraces this opportunity to spend time with little kids and get good leadership experience for the future, along with getting to know more people in the community.



**MATTHEW TOIVONEN**

HOOVER PARK

Matthew goes to Xavier High School. In his spare time he likes sports, fishing, hiking, and skiing. He's ready to get a good game of kickball going with the kids this summer. Being outside and hanging with the kids will make a great summer for Matthew.



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**LEAH NOLTE**  
HUNTLEY SCHOOL PARK



**LINDSAY BAUER**  
HUNTLEY SCHOOL PARK

Lindsay attends UW-Oshkosh pursuing a teaching degree. She is happy to be getting experience working with kids this summer and meeting new people. She also coaches cheer at Appleton North and just got a new puppy, Buzz!



**ZOEY NEILS**  
KIWANIS PARK

Zoey attends UW-Eau Claire and is involved in a student organization called CHAARG which helps college kids workout. She's back for her second year because she had such a great time with the kids last year. Her favorite playground game is Sandman.



**STEPHANIE FREMONG-LONGDON**  
HIGHVIEW PARK

Steph works at Wilson Middle School and is looking forward to working with kids in a less structured environment. She loves reading, hiking, cooking, and eating in her spare time. She enjoys the game Ships Across the Ocean.



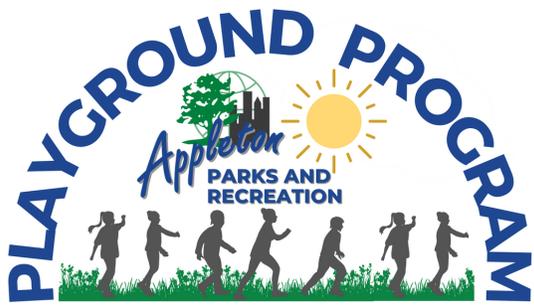
**ABBY DAUN**  
LINWOOD PARK

Abby attends UW-Oshkosh and is back for her second year as a Playground Leader. She plays a great game of tag and can't wait to meet all the kids this year. In her free time she likes reading or watching movies/shows.



**JULIANNA LARSEN**  
LINWOOD PARK

Julianna goes to UW-Stevens Point and is really looking forward to working with the kids this summer. She enjoys hiking, boating, and hanging with friends/family. An interesting fact about Julianna is that she was adopted from Bulgaria.



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**COURTNEY TESCH**  
PEABODY PARK

Courtney attends Concordia University and heard from a friend how fun it was to be a Playground Leader, so she applied! She loves being outside, running, and hiking and is most looking forward to the annual park vs. park kickball tournament.



**ELI VOGEL**  
PEABODY PARK

Eli attends UW-Superior and grew up participating in the playground program. He really enjoyed his leaders as a kid so he is taking his chance to be like them. He has six siblings, loves dodgeball and disc golf, and can't wait to make some memories this summer.



**ABBEY BERNARD**  
VOSTERS PARK

Abbey attends UW-Oshkosh and also works at the Boys & Girls Club. She is pursuing a teaching degree and is happy to gain more experience working with the kids this summer. She is looking forward to playing many games of Spud and getting sunburnt!



**LOGAN VERBOOMEN**  
VOSTERS PARK

Logan attends UW-Oshkosh and enjoys weightlifting along with hanging out with friends. His nickname is Boomer and he heard from a friend that being a Playground Leader is super fun, so he went for it! He's planning on having a blast this summer with the kids.



**REESE BUCHINGER**  
PARK FLOATER

Reese goes to Kimberly High School and is back for her second summer. She will be filling in at different parks for leaders that have days off. She loves spreading kindness and meeting new kids and staff. She really enjoys watching the kids make new friends.



**Abby Hopfensperger**  
PARK FLOATER

Abby will be joining us the end of June and will be filling in at different parks for leaders that have days off.