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Scholarship

Waukee.org/PlayItForward

We want everyone to be able to enjoy our programs. If you need assistance to cover part of the program costs for your kids, our Play It Forward program may be able to help. Kids who qualify can receive 50% off the cost of up to two Waukee Parks & Recreation programs for the calendar year.

Who is eligible?

The program is open to Waukee residents 18 years old or younger who qualify for free or reduced lunch at school or an equivalent financial assistance program.

Which programs can I use it for?

You can choose one spring or summer program and one fall or winter program or use both scholarships in the same season. Some programs are not eligible, so review the list online before you submit an application.

How can I apply?

Go to Waukee.org/PlayItForward to learn more about the application process and to submit your application. If you cannot apply online and need accommodation, pick up a printed form at the Waukee Parks & Recreation office in the Waukee Public Works building at 805 University Avenue.

Recreation Information



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"Connecting the community and enhancing the quality of life through recreational opportunities with tradition, excellence and leadership."

Program Registration

Registration will open **September 2** at 8 a.m. for both Waukee residents and non-residents.







- With a printable registration form found at Waukee.org/PrintForm
- In-person or via mail at the Waukee Parks & Recreation Department, 805 University Avenue, Waukee, IA 50263

Parks & Recreation Policies

What is your cancelation policy?

Programs, activities, special events and festivals which are canceled, postponed or changed in location will be announced as soon as possible. Please check Facebook or Waukee.org for updates. Waukee Parks & Recreation reserves the right to cancel a program or an activity that does not meet the minimum number of participants necessary to offer the program.

What is your program refund policy?

Programs/Classes/Camps: A \$5 non-refundable processing fee will be deducted from the refund when an enrollee withdraws from a program at least one week prior to the first day of the program. Within one week of the program start date, a refund will not be issued.

Leagues: A \$5 non-refundable processing fee will be deducted from the refund when an enrollee withdraws prior to rosters being made. After rosters are formed, no refund will be issued.

Trips: Cancelations for trips must be made at least three weeks prior to the trip date to receive a full refund less a \$5 non-refundable processing fee. No refund will be issued for cancelations within three weeks of the trip.

What is your facility rental refund policy?

To receive a refund, reservations must be canceled at least 10 business days prior to the date of the reservation. A \$10 non-refundable processing fee will be deducted from the refund. No refund will be issued for cancelations made within 10 business days of the start of the reservation.

What is your photo/video policy?

Photos and videos may be taken of participants and guests at programs, activities, leagues, trips, special events and festivals. These photos and videos may be used in promotional materials, press releases and kits, magazine articles, newsletters, Waukee.org and any City social media channels.

Connect with us!

Facebook: @WaukeeParksandRecreation

Instagram: @CityofWaukee

Newsletters: Waukee.org/Connect







Youth Programs



Dance Classes with Tippi Toes Dance

Children will learn dance in a fun and positive way, so they are having a blast while gaining new skills. Classes incorporate ballet, tap and jazz styles and techniques while also encouraging self-expression and creativity. High-energy music is used throughout the class to get dancers moving, using their imagination and having fun.

Dates	Wednesdays
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Session 1	September 17-October 22
Session 2	October 29-December 10
	(no class November 26)
Session 3	January 7-February 11
Session 4	February 18-April 1
	(no class March 18)
Time	6:30-7:15 p.m.
Location	
Sessions 1-3	Vineyard Building, north of
	St. Boniface Church
Session 4	Waukee Community Center
Min/Max	5/12
Fee	\$110
Ages	4-5 years old
	8000
Min/Max Fee	Waukee Community Centers 5/12 \$110

2 to Move with Studio Bea Dance

This introductory class helps parents and their little dancer to bond and have fun. Dancers will gain confidence and improve social and gross motor skills while using their imagination to learn and explore dance and movement. Children must be accompanied by a parent.

Dates Session 1 Session 2	Saturdays September 27-November 1 November 8-December 13	
Time	9-9:30 a.m.	
Location	Studio Bea Dance 67 NE Carefree Lane	
Min/Max	4/16	
Fee	\$45 DANCE	
Ages	18 months-3 years old	

Tumbling Tots & Tumbling Tots 2

Little gymnasts will learn basic tumbling motions in a group environment. Tumbling moves, exercises and songs teach balance and coordination. Children must be the required age prior to the start of the session. A parent or guardian must accompany 2- and 3-year-olds.

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Session 1 Session 2 Session 3 Session 4 Session 5 Session 6	October 6-9 November 10-13 December 8-11 January 5-8 February 2-5 March 2-5	
Time 2-3 years old 4-5 years old	5-5:30 p.m. 5:45-6:15 p.m.	
Location Sessions 1-5 Session 6	Vineyard Building, north of St. Boniface Church Waukee Community Center	
Min/Max	ax 4/12	
Fee \$25		

Youth Programs



Holiday Magiclass with Lee Cole

Professional magician, Lee Cole, will teach kids and adults how to entertain and amaze friends, family and classmates with magic they can do anywhere. Any skill level is welcome, and all magic materials are provided.

Date	Monday, December 29
Time	9:30 a.mnoon
Location	Fox Creek Pavilion
Min/Max	4/20
Fee	\$55
Ages	6-15 years old with an adult. One adult may
	accompany multiple kids, but register each child individually



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Kids will learn how to entertain and amaze friends, family and classmates with magic they can do anywhere. Join professional magician, Lee Cole, for two days of fun. All magic materials are provided.

Dates	March 17 and 19
Time	1:30-4 p.m.
Location	Fox Creek Pavilion
Min/Max	4/22
Fee	\$60
Ages	7-15 years old





Fun with Drawing & Painting with Sunflower Fine Art

Come learn drawing and painting skills from a professional artist. Children will have chances to try classic, abstract or animated cartoon style in their practice. The class ranges from creating easy single images to a complete piece of art including main object, background, changes of light and harmonious colors. Sunflower Fine Art is owned by professional artist Tingting S. Beck. Materials for class are included.

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Dates			
Session 1	Sundays, September 14-October 19		
Session 2	Mondays, September 15-October 20		
Session 3	Tuesdays, September 16-October 21		
Session 4	Wednesdays, September 17-October 22		
Session 5	Sundays, October 26-November 30		
Session 6	Mondays, October 27-December 1		
Session 7	Tuesdays, October 28-December 2		
Session 8	Wednesdays, October 29-December 3		
Session 9	Sundays, January 18-February 22		
Session 10	Mondays, January 19-February 23		
Session 11	Tuesdays, January 20-February 24		
Session 12	Wednesdays, January 21-February 25		
Session 13	Sundays, March 1-22		
Session 14	Mondays, March 2-23		
Session 15	Tuesdays, March 3-24		
Session 16	Wednesdays, March 4-25		
Time			
Weekdays	5-6:30 p.m.		
Sundays	3:30-5 p.m.		
Location	Sunflower Fine Art Studio		
	268 W. Hickman Road		
Min/Max	1/6		
Fee			
Sessions 1-12	\$165		
Sessions 13-16	\$120		
Ages	6-18 years old		





Red Cross Babysitter's Training

Build confidence and increase your marketability as a babysitter with the American Red Cross Babysitting Certification class. Participants will gain hands-on practice of life-saving babysitting skills with mannequins. This is a great class for those getting ready to start babysitting on their own or for those who will be in charge of younger siblings for short periods of time. Participants will bring their own sack lunch. Boys and girls are welcome to join any of the classes. Note: CPR is not part of the babysitting training class, so students are encouraged to also sign up for the kids CPR Certification Class.

Dates Session 1 Session 2	Thursday, October 2 Friday, February 27
Time	8 a.m4 p.m.
Location	Waukee Community Center
Min/Max	6/12
Fee	\$90
Ages	11 years and older





CPR Certification Class

Learning CPR is a valuable skill for kids too. Whether you're a babysitter or simply want to help in an emergency, learning CPR today can save a life. According to the Red Cross, immediate CPR can triple the chance of survival after a cardiac arrest. Taught by professionals from the Waukee Fire Department, this hands-on CPR Certification class is designed for kids to learn how to perform CPR, use an AED and help someone who is choking.

Date	Monday, October 27	
Time	9-11:30 a.m.	
Location	Waukee Public Safety Building 815 NW 20th Street	
Min/Max	4/6	
Fee	\$85 (*(W) *)	
Ages	11 years and older	

Parents' Night Out: Friday Night Fun for Kids with Camp Brainiac

Parents can head out for fun or relaxation while the kids enjoy dinner and supervised entertainment. Pizza, snacks and a range of games, activities and crafts are included.

Dates	
Session 1	November 21
Session 2	December 12
Session 3	January 16
Session 4	February 27
Time	5-9 p.m.
Location	Fox Creek Pavilion
Min/Max	10/20
Fee	\$30
Grades	K-5





Youth Programs



Storywalk

Let your imagination go on an adventure while your body enjoys a walk. Discover a different book each month (May-October) displayed along the Heart of the Warrior Trail. Start near the Warrior Lane/Ashworth Drive roundabout and head west along the trail.





Adaptive Youth Sports

Miracle League®

Join the Parks & Recreation Department for one or both of our Miracle League baseball seasons. Miracle League is a nationwide organization that creates opportunities for youth with disabilities to play baseball for free. Spring season has six weekly games and fall is a shortened season of four games.



- Each game consists of two innings
- Every player bats once each inning
- All players are safe on the bases
- Every player scores a run before the inning is over (last one up gets a homerun)
- All games end in a tie
- Community volunteers serve as "buddies" to assist the players throughout the game

Fee	Free
Ages	5-19 years old

Community volunteers are needed!

Sign up as an individual or as a group at Waukee.org/MiracleLeagueVolunteer.





Youth Sports & Fitness



My Grown Up and Me Yoga with Fit & Fierce 515

Have a regular monthly family fitness date with this series of four Saturday morning yoga sessions designed for a parent or caregiver to do with their child. You will learn gentle poses that you can continue to practice at home for ongoing family connection and fitness. Bring water and dress comfortably. Bring your own mat or borrow one from the studio.

Dates	Saturdays September 13, November 8, January 17 & February 28
Time	10-11 a.m.
Location	Fit & Fierce 515, 724 SE Alice's Road
Max	8 adult-child parings
Fee	\$60
Ages	4-12 Fierce

Little Ninjas and Karate with Dickey's Ryukyu

Kids learn the basic fundamentals of taekwondo and karate in a developmentally appropriate format. Classes focus on the proper use of martial arts, self-respect, self-discipline and coordination of mind and body. Instructor Dickey Renshi has more than 30 years of martial arts teaching experience. He is an elementary teacher and three-time inductee into the Martial Arts Hall of Fame.

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Dates	Wednesdays	
Session 1	September 17-October 22	
Session 2	October 29-December 10	
	(no class November 26)	
Session 3	January 7-February 11	
Session 4	February 25-April 8	
	(no class March 18)	
Session 5	April 15-May 20	
Time		
Little Ninjas	6-6:30 p.m.	
Karate	6:35-7:35 p.m.	
Location	Fox Creek Pavilion	
Min/Max	10/20	
Fee		
Little Ninjas	\$35	
Karate	\$40	
Ages		
Little Ninjas	4-6 years old	
Karate	6-Adult	



Youth Golf Clinic -

Taught by certified US Kids Golf, TPI and PGA Pro, Chelsea Soda, this clinic is for young golfers who generally know the basics and want to improve with hopes of playing competitively in the future. Stations will be set up to help junior golfers improve their skills using video technology and launch monitor technology.

Dates Session 1 Session 2	Saturday, September 13 Saturday, September 20
Time	9-11 a.m.
Location	Sugar Creek Municipal Golf Course
Min/Max	5/10
Fee	\$90
Ages	9-14 years old

Youth Sports & Fitness



Indoor Tennis Classes with Life Time

Trained tennis professionals from Life Time lead classes and provide experienced advice as players learn and perfect tennis fundamentals. Classes range from beginner lessons to more advanced tennis strategies, so players can receive instruction tailored to their skill level.

Dates Fall Session 1 Session 2 Session 3 Session 4 Session 5 Session 6 Session 7 Session 8	Mondays, Sept. 8-22 Wednesdays, Sept. 3-24 Mondays, Sept. 29-Oct. 20 Wednesdays, Oct. 1-22 Mondays, Oct. 27-Nov. 17 Wednesdays, Oct. 29-Nov. 19 Mondays, Nov. 24-Dec. 15 Wednesdays, Nov. 26-Dec. 17
Winter Session 1 Session 2 Session 3 Session 4 Session 5 Session 6	Mondays, Jan. 5-26 Wednesdays, Jan. 7-28 Mondays, Feb. 2-23 Wednesdays, Feb. 4-25 Mondays, Mar. 2-23 (no class March 16) Wednesdays, Mar. 4-25 (no class March 18)
Time 4-4:30 p.m. 4:30-5:30 p.m. 5:30-6:30 p.m. 4:30-5:30 p.m. Location	Ages 3-5 years old (Mini Red Ball) 5-7 years old (Red Ball) 8-10 years old (Orange Ball) 11-12 years old (Green Ball) Life Time Fitness Center, 11911 Hickman Road Varies by class

Pickleball Classes with Life Time

Learn and hone your pickleball skills with the help of trained instructors from Life Time. Classes will focus on teaching introductory lessons and skills.

Dates Session 1 Session 2 Session 3 Session 4	Thursdays September 4-25 October 2-23 November 6-20 December 4 -18
Time	4-5 p.m.
Location	Life Time Fitness Center 11911 Hickman Road
Min/Max	4/16
Fee	
Session 1 or 2	\$80
Session 3 or 4	\$60
Ages	11-16

Youth Volleyball League

This 8-week co-ed volleyball league is a fun and practical introduction to the sport for 4th-7th grade students. Week one will focus on the fundamental skills of bumping, setting and serving, while weeks two through eight will allow them to practice their skills in a game setting. Each tea

skills in a game setting. Each team will get one weeknight practice slot per week during the season. **Volunteer coaches are needed!**

Dates	Saturdays January 3-February 21 *snow date: February 28
Times	Games are scheduled between 8 a.m1 p.m. depending on the number of teams.
	Weeknight practices are scheduled between 5:30-8:30 p.m.
Location	Location TBA
Fee	\$135 includes team t-shirt
Grades	4th-5th 6th-7th



Youth Basketball League

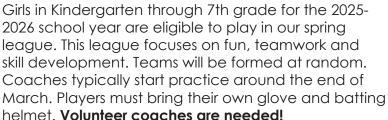
New this year, this league will be split into separate Boys and Girls divisions. If one division does not get at least 32 participants, the grade will combine into a coed league.

Week 1 for this introductory basketball league focuses on fundamentals with practice, drills and a scrimmage. Weeks 2-6 include practice and warm-up time before playing scheduled games. The goal of this league is to teach young participants the basic skills and rules of basketball as well as sportsmanship.

Volunteer coaches are needed!

Dates	Saturdays January 3-February 7 *snow date: February 14
Time	Games are scheduled between 8 a.m5 p.m.
Location	Grant Ragan Elementary
Min	32 per division
Fee	\$85 includes team t-shirt
Divisions	K-1st Boys K-1st Girls 2nd-3rd: Boys 2nd-3rd: Girls





Season (8 games)	April-June
Time	Monday-Thursday nights
Location	Triumph Park
Fee	
Kindergarten	\$96 includes a t-shirt
1st Grade	\$96 includes a t-shirt
2nd Grade	\$96 includes a t-shirt
Minors: Grades 3rd-4th	\$130 includes a t-shirt
Majors: Grades 5th-7th	\$130 includes a t-shirt
Registration Open	Monday, December 1

Spring Girls Advanced Softball League

Girls who have played for 2+ years and have skills beyond the recreational level will enjoy the more disciplined and faster-paced level of play in this advanced league. Coaches typically begin practices in late March. Players must bring their own glove and batting helmet. **Volunteer coaches are needed!**

Season (8 games) Tournament	April-June TBD
Time	Monday-Thursday nights
Location	Triumph Park
Fee	
10U: Grades 3rd-4th	\$190 includes a t-shirt
12U: Grades 5th-6th	\$190 includes a t-shirt
14U: Grades 7th-8th	\$190 includes a t-shirt
Registration Open	Monday, December 1

Adult Programs

Dinner Delights

In this freezer meal party, we take care of the menu planning, shopping and prepping for six dinners. We'll bring all the ingredients and materials; you bring freezer bags or a cooler to take your delicious meals home. View the full menu online when you register.

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Dates Session 1 Session 2 Session 3 Session 4 Session 5 Session 6	Sundays September 7 October 5 November 9 December 7 January 11 February 8	SIMMER SIMPLE
Session 7	March 8	Colombia Colombia
Time	2-4 p.m.	- Deligni-
Location	Vineyard Building of St. Boniface C	
Min/Max	4/15	
Fee	\$150 includes 6 i 3 servings each	meals with







CPR Certification Class

Learning CPR today can help save your child or loved one! According to the Red Cross, immediate CPR can triple the chances of survival after a cardiac arrest. Taught by professionals at the Waukee Fire Department, this in-person CPR Certification class teaches you how to perform CPR correctly, use an AED and help a person who is choking.

Date	Saturday, November 1
Time	9-11:30 a.m.
Location	Waukee Public Safety Building 815 NW 20th Street
Min/Max	4/8
Fee	\$85
Age	18 years and older

Snacks & Facts

On the first Friday of the month, the Waukee Public Library brings you a new fascinating speaker and tasty snacks. We invite you to stay to play bingo at 1 p.m. WAUKEE

September 5, 11 a.m. Estate and Legacy Planning with Trust Bridge Wealth Advisors

October 3, 11 a.m. Why Zoos Exist with Blank Park Zoo

November 7, 11 a.m. Tea Parties Past & Present with Living History Farms

January 2, 11 a.m. Topic TBD February 6, 11 a.m. Topic TBD March 6, 11 a.m. Topic TBD

Location	Waukee Public Library
Fee	Free; snacks provided





Bingo

Try your luck and have some fun yelling, "Bingo!" if you win a round of this classic game of chance. Gather friends or meet some new ones at this monthly event. Improve your odds and play two cards at once if you wish.

Dates	Fridays September 5, October 3, November 7, January 2, February 6, March 6
Time	1-2:30 p.m.
Location	Waukee Public Library
Fee	Bingo \$1 + \$.10 per card played per round, with a maximum of two cards at one time

Waukee.org/Registration



Celebration Belle Fall Foliage River Cruise Trip

Imagine yourself cruising down the Mississippi, admiring the colors of nature all around you. Beautiful scenery abounds as you float up and down the river while listening to music from the 40's to the present. Sit back, listen, and even dance to the sounds of your favorite tunes. Big Band, Country, and Rock and Roll, it's all there. Be sure to visit the gift shop on the 3rd deck, and don't forget your cameras to capture the scenic views!

Date	Thursday, October 23
Time	6:30 a.m7 p.m.
Pick-up	Waukee Community Center
Min/Max	20/25
Fee	\$125 includes lunch, charter bus and all gratuities
Registration Deadline	9 a.m., Monday, September 30



Minnesota Vikings v Chicago Bears Road Trip

We're heading to US Bank Stadium to see the Minnesota Vikings take on the Chicago Bears. Enjoy the view from sections 331 or 332.



Date	Sunday, November 16
Time	5:45 a.m9:30 p.m.
Pick-up	Public Works Building
Min/Max	30/48
Fee	\$165 includes game ticket, charter bus and all gratuities * Children must be accompanied by an adult.
Registration Open	8 a.m., Monday, September 8

Christmas in the Amana Colonies

Experience Christmas in the Amana Colonies! We'll visit the Tannenbaum Forest with over 70 live pine trees decorated by local businesses and groups, enjoy a delicious family style meal at the Ox Yoke Inn and have plenty of time to shop their wide variety of shops featuring locally made goods, treats, quilting supplies, crafts and more!



Date	Thursday, December 4
Time	7:30 a.m5 p.m.
Pick-up	Waukee Community Center
Min/Max	5/12
Fee	\$78 includes lunch, charter bus and all gratuities
Registration Deadline	9 a.m., Monday, November 24

Adult Sports



Adult Coed Indoor Volleyball League

Round up friends, coworkers or neighbors to play in our coed indoor volleyball league on Sunday afternoons at Waukee Middle School.

There will be a B-league (more competitive) and a C-league (less competitive). Regular league play runs for 10 weeks.

Dates	Sundays December 7-March 8
Time	1-5:30 p.m.
Location	Waukee Middle School 905 S Warrior Lane
Fee	\$401.25 per team



Pickleball Classes with Life Time

Learn and hone your pickleball skills with the help of trained instructors from Life Time. Classes will focus on teaching introductory lessons and skills.

Dates	Thursdays
Session 1	September 4-25
Session 2	October 2-23
Session 3	November 6-20
Session 4	December 4 -18
Time	5-6 p.m.
Location	Life Time Fitness Center 11911 Hickman Road
Min/Max	4/16
Fee	
Session 1 or 2	\$80
Session 3 or 4	\$60

Yoga in the Park with Fit & Fierce 515

Join local, certified yoga instructors for a relaxing stretch to kick off your weekend with our Yoga in the Park series. Participants are encouraged to bring a yoga mat, towel, water bottle and \$5 per person to Windfield Park on the second and fourth Saturdays of June-September.

Dates	Saturdays	
	September 13 and	27
Time	8:30-9:30 a.m.	
Location	Windfield Park	Fierce 515
Fee	\$5 per person	515
Ages	12 years and older	



Special Events

Movies in the Park

Enjoy Hollywood's biggest hits under the stars on our huge outdoor screen for free! Bring lawn chairs, blankets and refreshments. Come make memories with family and friends.



"Coco" (PG)

A boy named Miguel dreams of becoming a famous guitar player, despite the misgivings of his close-knit family. When his lofty ambitions cause him to run afoul of a curse, he must journey into the Land of the Dead to seek forgiveness from his ancestors.

Date	Friday, October 10
Time	6:30 p.m. (dusk)
Location	Centennial Park
Fee	Free









Paint-a-Pumpkin

Preregistered participants can pick out their own pumpkin and get creative with the provided paints and brushes. They will also get a glow stick and popcorn. Stick around to have your hand painted with a fun design and see a free movie on the outdoor movie screen.

Date	Friday, October 10
Time	5-6:30 p.m.
Location	Centennial Park Open Shelter
Fee	\$10
Registration deadline	Tuesday, September 30



Special Events

Trick or Trout

Watch hundreds of fish pour into the pond at Triumph Park when the lowa DNR stock it around noon. Then cast a line to catch the freshly stocked trout. If you're 16 years or older and plan to cast a line, be sure to bring your lowa fishing license and trout stamp. Anglers under the age of 16 must either buy their own trout stamp or share a trout catch limit with a licensed adult. If you are lucky enough to catch a tagged fish, turn it in to Waukee Parks and Recreation for a treat from local sponsors.

Waukee Parks & Recreation will have some family-friendly activities, and you can enjoy our fun EPIC playground or wander the trails too.

Date	Monday, October 27	TDICV
Time	11:30 a.m2 p.m.	
Location	Triumph Park pond	TDOLLT
Fee	Free	TKUUI

Get event details the week of the event at Waukee.org/TrickorTrout



This free, family-friendly event will help kids burn off some cabin fever energy. Check out Waukee area businesses as you enjoy games, cookies and prizes and jump on inflatables.

To become a vendor, apply at Waukee.org/FamilyFest after November.

Date	Saturday, January 17
Time	9 a.mnoon
Location	Lutheran Church of Hope-Waukee 305 NE Dartmoor Drive
Fee	Free

Get event details the week of the event at Waukee.org/FamilyFest

























Letters from Santa

Because Santa Claus is so busy this time of year, he asked the Waukee Parks & Recreation Department to help put all the kids of Waukee on his Christmas Wish List. Register your child for a personalized letter from Santa.



Date	November 1-16
Fee	\$5 per child

WinterFest

Join Santa and Waukee Mayor Courtney Clarke as they light the tree in Triangle Park at 6 p.m. sharp. Visit with Santa in person at the Community Center afterward while warming up with hot chocolate and cookies. Join the Waukee Downtown Businesses for open houses and activities.

Attendees are encouraged to bring a nonperishable food item, a new, unwrapped toy or monetary donation to help support neighbors in need through WayPoint Resources.

Date	Friday, December 5	
Time	6-8 p.m.	
Location	Downtown Triangle	









Get event details at Waukee.org/WinterFest







Canopy

Waukee Canopy

WAUKEE RESIDENTS can order up to two trees per household through this program. Orders will be accepted at

Orders will be accepted a Waukee.org/Registration while supplies last.



Pick-Up Date	Wednesday, October 1	
Pick-Up Time	5-6:30 p.m.	
Location	Public Works Building	

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Get Ready for MORE fun in 2026!

Don't miss these other community events in 2026. Watch for details on social media and in City of Waukee newsletters closer to the events.

- Easter Egg Hunt: April 4
- Independence Day Celebration: July 3-4
- Kids Day at the Dallas County Fair: July 9
- Movies in the Park: June 5, July 3, August 7



Love parks and our events?

Apply to serve on the Waukee Park Board. Applications open in November and terms start in January. Get more details at Waukee.org/BoardsandCommissions.

Find other volunteering opportunities at Waukee.org/Volunteer.

Winter Fun

Warrior Park Sledding Hill

1050 4th Street

Waukee has a specially engineered sledding hill at Warrior Park that can make any snow day the greatest day ever. Bundle up and have some winter fun. Parking is available near the hill. Turn off 6th Street just south of the Waukee Cemetery and head back toward the water tower.



Grant Park Outdoor Ice Rink

605 SE Driftwood Lane

Grab your skates and head to the free outdoor rink at Grant Park during the winter months. Donated by the Iowa Wild and Wells Fargo, the 80 x 40 feet rink is open to the public with designated hours for free skating and hockey.

When weather permits, the rink is open daily for hockey from dawn to noon and free skating from noon to dusk. Find rules and opening date information at Waukee.org/IceRink. Follow the Parks & Recreation Facebook page for rink updates. Users must provide their own skates and safety equipment.







Ice Fishing

Ice fishing is only permitted on these City-owned ponds: Tallgrass Pond, Kettlestone Common Ponds and Triumph Park Pond. Fishing is at your own risk, so we encourage you to check ice conditions and follow safety best practices. Fishing is only allowed between sunrise and sunset. Find the full rules for ice fishing on City property at Waukee.org/Fishing under Rules & Regulations.









Outdoor Recreation

More than 25 miles of trails wind through Waukee to connect neighborhoods and residents to different parts of the community and neighboring trail systems. In addition, the City of Waukee invests in trails and greenways to make it easier for residents to travel by foot or bike in their own neighborhoods and enjoy great outdoor spaces.

Grab your bike or take a walk on our main trails: Heart of the Warrior Trail | Raccoon River Valley Trail Sugar Creek Trail | Kettlestone Trails | Prairie Rose Trail

See a full map of Waukee's trails and parks at Waukee.org/Trails.





















For more information about Trailside Dog Park, visit **Waukee.org/DogPark**.

Trailside Dog Park & Trailhead

590 SE Brick Drive

Trailside Dog Park spans four acres just east of Alice's Road, directly south of the popular Heart of the Warrior Trail. The park has separated areas for large and small dogs and open green space as well as public restrooms, parking, drinking fountain, dog waste stations, shade structure and concrete walking paths.

Before purchasing a pass to Trailside Dog Park, Waukee residents must license their dogs with the City at PetData.com. Dog passes come with an entry code to access the park. Pass fees go toward maintenance of the park.

Dog Park Pass Type	Fee
Annual Resident Pass	\$25
Annual Non-Resident Pass	\$45
Daily Pass	\$5

Public Fishing

The City of Waukee works closely with the lowa Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to provide accessible, quality fishing opportunities in the Waukee community. An lowa fishing license is required at any of the public fishing ponds.

To buy a fishing license, explore maps, read lowa fishing regulations and learn more about fishing in lowa, visit lowaDNR.gov/FishLocal. In Waukee, residents and visitors can purchase fishing licenses in person at Fleet Farm, 1300 SE Kettlestone Blvd.

Per lowa's fishing regulations, the daily limit for bluegills is 25 and trout is 5. The daily limit for bass is three, but bass must be at least 15 inches long to keep. Releasing bass back into the water body helps maintain healthy fish populations.

Kayaks, paddle boats and motorboats are not allowed on any City of Waukee ponds.

Northwest Waukee

- Triumph Park pond has an ADA-compliant fishing pier and is part of the DNR trout stocking program.
- Prairie Rose pond is located north of Douglas Parkway and west of north Warrior Lane.
- Public Safety pond is at the corner of Douglas Parkway and NW 20th Street next to the Public Safety building.

Grand Prairie Parkway

- Four ponds can be accessed from the Kettlestone Greenbelt trail.
 - Kettlestone Commons Ponds are north of the Holmes Murphy building and east of Grand Prairie Parkway.
 - Tallgrass Pond is west of Grand Prairie Parkway and south of Tallgrass Lane.
 - Kettlestone Village Pond is north of Westown Parkway and east of SE Parkview Crossing Drive.
 - Waukee Towne Center Pond is south of Target



For City of Waukee fishing rules and regulations, go to **Waukee.org/Fishing**.

Parks

Waukee is home to 22 beautiful City parks and trail amenities. Find walking trails, play areas, sport courts, water features and more.

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See photos and park details at Waukee.org/Parks.		of Ac	Facil	SL	Shell	Fount	to.	
Parks	Address			Restrooms	Shade or Shelter	Drinking Fountain	Parking Lot	
Alice Nizzi Park	715 NE Dellwood Drive	3.2			Х	Х		
Centennial Park	1255 S. Warrior Lane	33.75	2	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Fox Creek Park	522 NE Westgate Drive	18.83	1	Х	Х	Х	Х	
G.E. Davis Park	675 Walnut Street	.25	1				Х	
Glynn Village Park South	2255 S. Warrior Lane	.30				Х		
Glynn Village Trail Amenity	Brodie Street & Dunham Drive	.25						
Grant Park	605 SE Driftwood Lane	1.42		Х	Х	Х	Х	
Heart of the Warrior Trailhead	205 Ashworth Drive	.5			Х	Х	Х	
Painted Woods West - NEW	950 Indian Ridge Drive	8.5		Х	Х	Х	Х	
Raccoon River Valley Trailhead	N 10th Street & Hickman Road	2.5		Х		Х	Х	
Ridge Pointe Park	655 SE Legacy Pointe Boulevard	22.75	1	Х	Х		Х	
Songbird Park	Behind 1070 1st Place	3.7						
Southfork Park	770 SE Southbranch Drive	1.52			Х	Х		
Spring Crest Park - NEW	1195 Spruce Street	5						
Stratford Crossing Park	1250 NW Yorktown Drive	7		Х	Х	Х	Х	
Sugar Creek Park	2955 Serenity Drive	5.05		Х	Х	Х		
Trailside Dog Park & Trailhead	590 SE Brick Drive	4.56		Х	Х	Х	Х	
Triangle Park	Ashworth Drive & 6th Street	.17			Х	Х	Х	
Triumph Park	700 NW Douglas Parkway	67		Х	Х	Х	Х	
Warrior Park	1050 4th Street	7				Х	Х	
Westown Meadows Park	2445 SE Willowbrook Drive	4.89		Х		Х	Х	
Windfield Park	114 Windfield Parkway	4	1	Х	Х	Х	Х	



Facility Rentals

Waukee Community Center, Ridge Pointe Pavilion & Fox Creek Pavilion

Reservations for these year-round facilities can be made up to 180 days in advance of the desired reservation date. Online reservations for Friday through Sunday can be made at all three facilities, as well as Monday through Thursday for Ridge Pointe and Fox Creek facilities. For Monday through Thursday rentals at the Community Center, please call the Waukee Parks & Recreation Department at 515-978-0007.

Centennial Park Enclosed, Centennial Park Open & Windfield Park Open Shelters

These facilities are open for rentals April 1 through October 31. Reservations can be made online up to 180 days in advance of the desired reservation date.

For weekday rentals:

- Book online from March 2-November 30 for weekday reservation dates April 1 through October 31.
- For Fox Creek and Ridge Pointe Pavilions, online weekday reservations are closed December 1-March 1. If you need to book a weekday rental from December 1-March 1, call 515-978-0007 to reserve.



Waukee Community Center

675 Walnut Street

Reserve the Waukee Community Center online for Friday, Saturday and Sunday rentals. For Monday through Thursday rentals, call the Waukee Parks & Recreation Department at 515-978-0007. The 2,800 square foot building includes a refrigerator, sink, microwave, oven, warming drawer and coffee maker. The building has 12 round tables, three rectangle tables and 90 chairs, making it an ideal location for family reunions, small wedding receptions and business meetings.

Length of Time	Fee
Half-day: 9 a.m3 p.m. or 4-10 p.m.	\$175
Full-day: 8 a.m10 p.m.	\$350
Weekday Meeting	\$35/hr
Audio/Visual Equipment	\$50/day

Ridge Pointe Pavilion

655 SE Legacy Pointe Boulevard

The Ridge Pointe Pavilion has a covered concrete patio overlooking the park. Inside the 660 square-foot pavilion, you will find a refrigerator, sink and microwave along with restrooms that are shared with park users. The pavilion has six round tables and two rectangular tables. Those tables will seat 48, and there is additional seating on the patio. The pavilion features two charcoal grills. Year-round reservations are welcome as the pavilion is airconditioned and heated—making it ideal for graduation parties or small celebrations.

Length of Time			
Monday-Thursday Full-day: 8:30 a.m10 p.m.			
Friday-Sunday Half-day: 8:30 a.m3 p.m. or 3:30-10 p.m.			
Friday-Sunday Full-day: 8:30 a.m10 p.m.	\$240		

Fox Creek Pavilion

522 NE Westgate Drive

Fox Creek Pavilion provides a year-round event venue option with air-conditioning during warm

		months and heat during cold months. The 1,2 square-foot facility features a kitchenette, 13 and chairs to seat up to 78 people and attack indoor restrooms, making this a great party or	tables :hed
	Fox Creek	reception location. Length of Time	Fee
risals.	Pavillion	Monday-Thursday Full-day: 8 a.m10 p.m.	\$175
		Friday-Sunday Half-day: 8 a.m3 p.m. or 4-10 p.m.	\$175
		Friday-Sunday Full-day: 8 a.m10 p.m.	\$350

Fox Creek Pavilion

Facility Rentals

Centennial Park Enclosed Shelter

1255 S. Warrior Lane

The enclosed shelter is located on the southwest corner of Centennial Park with a small deck overlooking the park and a charcoal grilling area. Inside the shelter are 12 picnic tables. The shelter does not have heating or air-conditioning and is only available to rent April 1-October 31. This is an all-day rental from 8 a.m.-10 p.m.

Rental fee: \$80

Centennial Park Open Air Shelter

1255 S. Warrior Lane

The open-air shelter is in the heart of Centennial Park and has 11 picnic tables and two charcoal grills. The shelter is available to rent April 1-October 31. This is an all-day rental from 8 a.m.-10 p.m.

Rental fee: \$50

Windfield Park Open Air Shelter

114 Windfield Parkway

The Windfield Park Open Air Shelter sits adjacent to play areas, a full basketball court and a backstop for baseball and softball. Other amenities include a shelter house, four picnic tables, a bike rack, 13 parking spots and a unisex enclosed restroom. The shelter is available to rent April 1-October 31. This is an all-day rental from 8 a.m.-10 p.m. The maximum capacity is 25 people.

Rental fee: \$50



Reserve facilities at Waukee.org/Registration



Golf Course & Programs

Sugar Creek Municipal Golf Course

1505 6th Street

This beautiful 9-hole, Par 34 golf course is typically open mid-March through mid-November, weather permitting. The course is great for beginners while providing a challenge for seasoned golfers. Practice facilities include a driving range, putting green and chipping area. Online tee times, season passes and gift cards are available at Waukee.org/SugarCreekGolfCourse.

2025 Season Passes

Valid through October 31, 2025; subject to 7% sales tax

Junior (Sunday-Saturday, 17 years old & younger)	
Weekday Single (Monday-Thursday & Friday until noon)	\$602
Single Adult (Monday-Sunday)	\$802
Couples (Sunday-Saturday) *Requires proof of 2 persons living at the same residence	\$1,155
Family (Sunday-Saturday) *Requires proof of 3 or more persons living at the same residence. One or two parents, or legal guardians, and children 17 years & younger	\$1,398

Cart Passes

No sales tax

Single (for Weekday Single or Single Adult passes)	\$471
Double (for Couples or Family passes)	\$684

2025 Daily Rates

Subject to 7% sales tax

	9 holes	18 holes
Weekdays (Monday-Thursday & Friday until noon)	\$19	\$30
Weekends (Friday after noon-Sunday)	\$23	\$36
Juniors/Seniors (Monday-Thursday & Friday until noon)	\$13	\$21
Carts (per seat)	\$12	\$16

Range Fees

Subject to 7% sales tax

Small Bucket (30 balls)	\$7
Medium Bucket (60 balls)	\$9
Large Bucket (90 balls)	\$11
Large Bucket Punch Card (10 Large Range Buckets for the price of 9)	\$99



Individual Golf Instruction

PGA Golf professionals are available for private or semi-private golf instruction. Lessons are by appointment and open to all ages and abilities.

Corporate Outings

Our covered patio can host up to 60 guests and serves as a perfect setting for any post-game ceremony. Catering from outside vendors is allowed. Contact SugarCreekGolfCourse@Waukee.org for more information.

Gift Certificates

Get birthday or holiday shopping done easily by purchasing a gift card online.

Join our team!

The Parks & Recreation Department hires many seasonal roles to help run summer programs and keep our parks, golf course and trails looking great from March-October. Look for open seasonal or full-time roles on our fun and friendly team in January at Waukee.org/Jobs.













Waukee.org/Registration

Register for programs, classes, clinics, camps and leagues or reserve shelters, baseball fields and other facilities.

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