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*Summer 2011 Edition*

# READING RECREATION MAGAZINE

*Your guide to community Programs and Events*

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SATURDAY, APRIL 30th

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## ***ABOUT READING RECREATION***

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### **Office Hours:**

**Monday, Wednesday, Thursday:**

**7:30 AM - 5:30 PM**

**Tuesday: 7:30 AM - 7:00 PM**

**Friday - Sunday: Closed**

### **Recreation Division Staff**

John Feudo, Recreation Administrator  
Jim Sullivan, Program Coordinator  
Susan Simeola, Principle Clerk

### **Mission Statement**

The mission of Reading Recreation is to provide the community with year round recreational activities. The Division believes programs should be broad based to meet the recreational needs of all segments of the population. The Recreation Division must continually strive to update and modify programs to meet the community's needs. As Reading's participation and awareness of local recreational programs increase, so do expectations. The Recreation Division strives to be ready to anticipate and adapt to these expectations.

### **Recreation Committee:**

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Joseph Rosseti, Associate Member

The Recreation Committee holds meetings the second Tuesday of every month, at 7:00 PM, in the Reading Town Hall Conference Room. Meetings are open to the public.

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# **REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

**STEP 1: Visit [www.Readingrec.com](http://www.Readingrec.com) and create a user name and password**

**STEP 2: Search and Select Programs for your on-line cart**

**STEP 3: Pay on-line with credit card or Mail the form to the Recreation Division with payment**

**STEP 4: Enjoy the program**

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## **MAIL TO:**

**C/O RECREATION REGISTRATION  
16 LOWELL STREET  
READING, MA 01867**

## **FAX IT TO:**

**(781) 942-5441  
(Please call CC Info)**

## **Enrollment Policy:**

The Recreation Division programs are offered to Reading and Non-Reading Residents unless otherwise noted in the program description. Programs in high demand will give priority to Reading Residents and students currently enrolled in the Reading Public School System. At the Recreation Administrator's discretion, some Recreation sponsored events may only be open to Reading residents.

## **Credit Card Refunds:**

The Reading Recreation Division will only issue credit card refunds if the Recreation Division cancels the program. Participants who request refunds will receive a credit voucher for future Recreation Programs. Families may not transfer credits to other families. A \$10 administrative fee will be assessed to all refunds, except those programs cancelled by the Reading Recreation Division.

## **Program Confirmations:**

The Reading Recreation Division does not send confirmation for any program. If you have registered for a program, we will contact you only if there is a problem with your registration. Please assume you are registered for the program you selected, if you don't hear from us! It is recommended to confirm faxed registrations to ensure we have received them.

## **On-Line Registration**

Most programs are available to be registered for on-line @ [www.readingrec.com](http://www.readingrec.com). Programs that offer special discounts will need to be paid for directly at the Recreation Division as discounts can not be taken on-line. Patrons can still fill out the form on-line must mail or hand deliver the form and payment to the office.

## **Payment:**

All checks are payable to the Town of Reading unless otherwise indicated in the program description. Cash, VISA, Mastercard or Discover also accepted: Please do not mail cash. Full payment must accompany registration unless otherwise stated in the brochure. For payment plan information contact the Recreation Division. We accept:



## **Refunds:**

The Recreation Division must meet instructional and other overhead costs. Refunds for Reading Recreation Division run programs will be granted according to the programs individual requirements. Please see the program write-up for more specific refund policies if applicable. If you are dissatisfied with any program, please let us know before the start of the second class for a pro-rated refund (except for Reading Baseball School and Creative Arts). No refunds are granted for single session programs. For events such as trips and special events, refunds will not be granted. Refunds will be granted in the case of illness or injury, a doctor's note may be required. Refunds will be given if the Reading Recreation Division due to low enrollment cancels a program. A \$10 administrative fee will be assessed to all refunds except for those that are cancelled by the Recreation Division.

## **Typo, Human Errors, or We Goofed...!?**

Occasionally there may be an error or change in the day, times, fees or location in the brochure. If so, we will do everything possible to correct the situation promptly. Thank you for your patience and understanding should these situations arise.

## **Financial Assistance:**

Full and partial financial aid packets are available for all Recreation Programs for Reading Residents. Please contact the Recreation Division for more details. Payment plans are for Reading Residents.

## **Visit our Website:**

[www.readingma.gov/recreation](http://www.readingma.gov/recreation)

You will find updated programming information as well as registration forms, park information and links to the rest of the Town. The Recreation Division website is updated on an ongoing basis, so check back frequently for event and program updates.

## **Where Are We?**

The Reading Recreation Division is located in the Basement level of Town Hall. Just follow the signs when you come in the door!

## **Cancellations:**

The Recreation Division may have to cancel or postpone a course due to low enrollment. If a long-term program must cancel a session due to inclement weather or other unforeseen circumstances, refunds will not be given. Every attempt will be made possible to make up the session. If you are not sure if a program has been cancelled you can call 781-942-9075. You can also check your email account only if you have registered on-line.



## *Summer Season Features:*

### **Rec. Division unveils Readingrec.com**

**Y**ou have probably noticed Reading Recreation has made a change in their registration process. For your convenience they have added some new options for registration. You can now go to a new web portal at [www.readingrec.com](http://www.readingrec.com) which can also be accessed from the town's website to create your very own account!

Reading Rec. anticipates being able to accept credit card registrations on-line by late spring. "We are hoping our residents will take advantage of the new technology," says Recreation Administrator John Feudo. For now the on-line form can be filled out

and mailed, faxed or hand delivered to the Rec. office. "Once you have registered your household on-line you will be able to receive instant updates, programming specials and cancellation information right to your inbox!" Feudo added.

The hope is that folks will find this new process user friendly, convenient and often used. "The great thing about the new on-line program is, folks will be able to update their own information, check balances and even see how much room is left in a program, it's pretty slick."

The new web resource is now open to use for the public.

### **Friends of Reading Recreation-Summer Update**

**F**ORR has a number of annual events coming around again. Please mark your calendars.

Our 5th Annual Biking Clinic will be coming this May (date TBD) with REI's bike technicians doing light tune ups.



The 6th Annual Kids Fun Run will kick off Family & Friends Town Day on Saturday, June 18th at the high school. Last year just over 400 kids ran the race.

Our 5th Annual Memorial Park 5K will take place on Thursday, July 21st @ 6:30pm at Memorial Park. Last year's race had 180 runners including a new age group for kids under 14 years old. In addition to the race, there will be the climbing wall surrounded by our race exhibitors including the ever popular massages by Vitality Spa. Go to the FORR website under 5K for more info and online signup.

We will be holding a 4 Day Middle School Track Clinic from Monday, July 11th – Thursday, July 14th. This will held from 9:00am to Noon and will be run by High School Coach Ken Feit. Each day will feature different events and the last day will be a meet. It is open to boys & girls entering Middle School. The cost of this clinic will be \$75 per runner. This program builds on FORR's successful middle school running programs this past year. For information, please email [info@forr01867.org](mailto:info@forr01867.org)

FORR will be encouraging more recreational interest groups as a way for residents to come together in an informal way.

Into its fifth year, our Sunday morning competitive Adult pick up Soccer games will commence in April @ 7:30am and will run until the Fall. This is a drop in event – there is no commitment to the entire season. Whoever shows, plays! For more information, please email [soccer@FORR01867.org](mailto:soccer@FORR01867.org). This year, we will also have a more recreational soccer group playing on Saturday mornings – for more information, check out our website.

An Adult biking interest group will also resume with meeting times to be determined. For more information on location, please email [biking@FORR01867.org](mailto:biking@FORR01867.org)

Another interest group is the Adult Running Group. The group will resume meeting on Saturday mornings 7:00am at Memorial Park for a 4-5 mile run. For more information, please email [info@FORR01867.org](mailto:info@FORR01867.org).

If you are interested in helping start an interest group, FORR will help through advertising, emails to FORR database, as well as promoting on our website and the Bagel World Bulletin Board.

The Friends of Reading Recreation (FORR) was established to seek private sector donations to enhance the recreational and leisure opportunities in the Town of Reading.

We are grateful for our Lead Sponsors – Reading Cooperative Bank, REI, and Stop & Shop. Through their generosity, FORR has been able to increase its programming, events, and initiatives. For more information on FORR, please check out our website at [www.FORR01867.org](http://www.FORR01867.org)

# VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT

## Champions Among us

### Steve Puglielli

**Y**ou often hear people ask, what makes a great coach? Is it the number of wins, championships, sports background, or the ability to scheme against an opposing team? One might make the case for any of the reasons above, however, not in youth sports. In youth sports coaches can often struggle to find a balance between being competitive and doing what's best for every kid on the team. "Steve is so positive with



all of the kids and does not make it just about winning. Steve makes it about teaching the kids the basics of the game and making sure they enjoy the experience," said Marc Pulpi in speaking of this years "Champion Among Us" Steve Puglielli.

Steve is one of ten children, all one year apart. He moved to Reading nine years ago where he currently resides with his wife

Maria and their four children, Leah (7), Joseph (6), Bridget (2), and the newest addition Claire (11 months). He is a graduate of Bentley College and the current Vice President of Finance & Accounting for the Wilder Companies in Boston. Along with this full time job, his second full time job is being a coach with the Recreation Division. "Steve is the type of coach that you hope your child plays for. His easy going fun attitude is contagious with not only the kids but the parents," commented Jim Sullivan Recreation Program Coordinator who first met Steve during a Saturday Mornings Sports program 4 years ago. "He was out on the court with his daughter Leah helping out with some first day jitters," commented Jim. "I knew right away that Steve would make a great coach when his children were of age. You hope to find volunteer coaches that understand the goals and missions of the Recreation Division and Steve does exactly that," said Jim.

Over the past four years you have probably seen Steve either patrolling the sidelines of a basketball game or coaching 1st base on the ballfield. "Steve has coached 10 teams to date and with his growing family, that number is sure to go up," Jim happily commented.

So we asked his wife Maria, what drives Steve to be so involved with his community?

"For as long as our kids are in sports, he will be there with them, volunteering to coach their teams and helping kids learn the skills involved to play a sport, have fun, and experience what it means to be part of a team," she stated.

As many youth coaches already know, it's not all about coaching the sport; a lot of the time is spent handling behaviors, short attention spans, as well as setting rosters and distributing even playing time. On top of all this you are expected to teach the kids the game as well as teamwork, sound easy? For Steve it's second nature at this point in his coaching career.

"If a child is misbehaving, Steve handles things so positively to bring the child back in and focused. He always gives clear instruction and when players follow these directions, they often meet with success. My son is always ready and anticipating his practice and games while on Steve's team," stated Nancy O'Brian whose son played on Steve's basketball and Tball team this past year.

As you can imagine Steve has a number of children who look up to and admire him as a coach. Steve's biggest fans however, they have the privilege of calling him Dad. "It's awesome having my Dad as a coach. He knows everything about sports!" commented Leah (7). Joseph (6) also commented on his favorite coach "I like that my Dad is there to watch me and he is a good coach. Also, he is right there in case I forget my water bottle and need a drink from the fountain."

A good coach will open many doors for today's youth athlete. That door might lead a child into another season of T-ball/basketball, a relationship with a new friend, a respect for rules, or even understanding right from wrong in the world. Sports are not all about winning and losing and that could not be more evident with Coach Steve. Thanks to Steve and a big thanks to his wife and kids for sharing their Dad with the rest of the community. We are very fortunate and grateful. Congratulations to Steve as this years "Champion among Us!"

## SAVE THE DATE!

*Friends & Family Day  
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March 30 at 7 PM

**Organic Gardening:** Featuring Donald Bishop, owner of Gardens Are Inc.  
April 13 at 7 PM

**Local Eating:** Author Ben Hewitt will talk about his book, *The Town That Food Saved*.  
May 11 at 7 PM

**Green Transportation:** AAA's Car Doctor, John Paul, will give a presentation on alternative transportation.  
May 24 at 10 AM

**Climate Change :** Tina Woolston from Tufts University Office of Sustainability will discuss the effects of climate change in New England.  
June 8 at 7 PM

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# **SPRING TENNIS AND GOLF PROGRAMS**

## **SPRING TENNIS PROGRAM**

*For Ages 4 - 15*

Reading Recreation and USPTA Tennis Professional Gregg Luongo are teaming up for the 9th straight year to bring you this spring time favorite. The Spring program is a great way to introduce or build upon existing skills. Use your new skills all summer long on our new tennis facilities! A "Junior" session consists of 5 group lessons on a weekly basis. Participants may choose any day or days during the week Monday through Friday throughout May and June. Registration is on a first come, first serve basis. Average ratio of participants to instructors in a given session will be a minimum of 3:1 and a maximum of 8:1. See level and times below. Parents are asked to place children respective to their ability. If a child is misplaced, she/he may be switched. Rain Dates will be accommodated as needed.

### **TINY TOTS (AGES 4 - 6): 3:00 - 3:45 PM**

The Tiny Tots group is designed to introduce younger children to the game of tennis. Games will be designed to promote fundamentals and interest on the court. Children will begin to develop movement skills, hand-eye coordination, and basic stroke production.

### **JR DEVELOPMENT I (AGES 7 - 10): 4:00 - 4:55 PM**

For children who are ready to learn and develop basic fundamentals of forehands, backhands, serves, and volleys for practice drills and skill games. Players at the higher level spectrum will be developing skills in rallying, control, and point play.

### **JR DEVELOPMENT II (Ages 11 - 15): 5:00 - 5:55 PM** (Offered Tues and Thurs Only)

This year we are welcoming back the spring program for Middle and High School aged students. This class will be dedicated to increasing all around tennis skills for beginners and intermediate tennis players of this age who may be looking to play High School tennis in the future. The focus will be on stroke production, rallying, and point play.

Dates: Mondays: May 16, 23, June 6, 13 & 20  
Tuesdays: May 17, 24, 31, June 7 & 14  
Wednesdays: May 18, 25, June 1, 8 & 15  
Thursdays: May 19, June 2, 9, 16 & 23  
Fridays: May 20, June 3, 10, 17 & 24  
Please note: No class on May 26th, 27th, 30th

Times: 3:00 - 3:45 PM Tiny Tots (Ages 4 - 6)  
4:00 - 4:55 PM Jr. Development I (Ages 7 - 10)  
5:00 - 5:55 PM Jr. Development II (Ages 11-15)

Fee: \$70 per session

Location: Memorial Park Tennis Courts - Brand New!  
Min 3 / Max 8 players per session per court

## **JR. INSTRUCTION/PRACTICE GOLF CLINIC**

*For Ages 11 - 16*

This clinic will be 4 hours of instruction on both golf improvement and how to practice on their own using the latest in golf technology. Students will learn how to use the video systems and launch monitors at Big Sticks Golf to improve their practicing and golf game. Students will be able to see their swing, learn the equipment and improve their skills. Players should have some knowledge of the golf swing.



Dates: Wednesdays April 20 and April 27

Time: 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Fee \$140 per student

Location: Big Sticks Golf, 25 Ray Avenue, Burlington Min. 2/Max. 4

## **BEGINNER JUNIOR GOLF CLINIC**

*For Ages 7 - 10 & 11 - 14*

Get your junior off to a great start with our beginner golf clinic and learn a sport for life. This program introduces the Junior Golfer to the basics of Golf in a fun clinic atmosphere. All aspects of the game (putting, chipping, pitching, bunker play and the long swing with irons and metals) will be covered during this 5 week 1 hr program. A major emphasis will be placed on proper mechanics of grip, stance, posture and alignment to the target. Our clinic is an excellent opportunity to teach the young golfer all about etiquette, the fundamentals of the golf swing, chipping and putting techniques while using our practice range and practice green. The final session takes place on the actual golf course, allowing the student a chance to play a few holes to gain an experience for the game. Please bring H2O and your clubs. In event of inclement weather, class status to be determined 1 hour before the scheduled class time. If class is cancelled, rain date will apply.

Dates: Tuesdays, May 3rd - May 31st\*\* (5 Weeks)

Times: Session I: 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (Ages: 7 - 10)

Session II: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM (Ages: 11 - 14)

Fee: \$150 includes balls and greens fees.

Location: Rolling Green Golf Course  
311 Lowell Street, Andover, MA

Min. 4/ Max. 8 students

\*\*The final session takes place on the actual golf course, allowing students a chance to play a few holes to gain an experience for the game. The last class might be a little longer than an hour\*\*

# SPRING PROGRAMS

## BABY SITTING COURSE

*Grades 5 and Up*

Reading Recreation is proud to offer this program to the youth work force of our community. This program is being directed by Winchester Hospital staff, for boys and girls grades 5 and up. Participants must bring a baby sitting kit - listing of items to be included will be available at registration. Visit the Recreation website to view info for the babysitting class. Please bring a snack and lunch.



Date: Sat., June 4th  
Time: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM  
Fee: \$85 per participant  
Location: Coolidge Middle School M.P. Room  
Instructor: Winchester Hospital Staff  
Min. 10 / Max. 15

## SPRING FLAG FOOTBALL FOR KIDS

*For Grades 3 to 5*

This program provides each player with an official i9 Sports Flag Football Jersey, mouth guard, and i9 Sports official flag belts - All are yours to keep after the season. Players may wear shorts or sweat pants of any type, though pockets and belt loops are not allowed. Appropriate footwear includes sneakers or cleats (no metal cleats).  
Game Format: Play is 5 on 5 for boys and girls, with no intentional contact allowed. Teams will consist of approx. 7 - 10 players each.



Dates: Session I: Wed, March 30th - May 4th  
(Program will run week of April Vacation)  
Session II: Wed, May 18th - June 22nd  
Time: 1:45PM - 3:15PM  
Location: Wood End Field  
Fee: \$96 per participant/Session  
Min. 10 participants



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## ***SUPER SPORTS***

**FOR KIDS ENTERING GRADES 1ST - 6TH**



This summer favorite is back again! Since its creation, Super Sports has provided a safe, non-competitive environment for children who enjoy the pure fun of playground games and sports. A caring staff supervises and guides as the participants pursue fun in the shade of the gymnasium or under blue skies on the adjacent playing field. Dodgeball, Capture the Flag, Kickball, and Pony Express are just some of the games that will be played during the week. Campers are encouraged to bring a snack and a drink.

Session I: July 18th - July 22nd  
Session II: August 8th - August 12th  
Session III: August 15th - August 19th  
Location: Wood End Elementary School  
Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Fee: \$120 per session  
\$10 discount for 2nd child  
Program Director: Mike McSweeney  
Min. 30/Max 50 participants per session

## ***FLAG FOOTBALL HALF-DAY CLINIC*** **AGES 6 - 12 YEARS OLD**

This clinic is well organized and focused on flag football! Your kids will explore more positioning, specific ball-handling, passing, receiving and running. We use FUN drills and scrimmages to teach! Instructors have various backgrounds from high school coaching to college-level play and all are committed to having FUN while igniting a passionate interest in this sport. Instructor ratio is 1:10. Please pack a snack for your child!

**EQUIPMENT:** All kids will receive an official i9 Sports t-shirt and gift to keep! Players may wear shorts or pants of any kind, but we don't recommend jeans. Cleats are highly recommended.

**SPORTSMANSHIP VALUES:** i9 Sports values sportsmanship and teamwork. Every child is a winner! All participants will be individually recognized at the end of the clinic by the instructors!

Dates: August 8th - August 12th  
Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Fee: \$119 per participant  
Location: Barrows Field

## ***TINYTOT SOCCER***

**FOR BOYS AND GIRLS 4 - 6 YEARS OLD**

Players will have fun learning the basic skills with Reading Memorial High School boys and girls varsity players! Participants must bring a #3 or #4 soccer ball to each session. A ball may be purchased at Dynamic Sports, 163 Main Street, Reading, at a 10% discount if you mention this program.

Dates: Tuesday & Thursday, July 5th - July 21st  
(July 26th will be reserved as a rain date only)  
Time: 9:00 AM - 9:50 AM  
Fee: \$60 per player  
Location: Stadium Turf Field  
Min. 30 / Max. 72 participants per session

## ***TRACK & FIELD ALL COMERS MEETS***

These Track Meets will be open to all ages with appropriate age divisions based on weekly entries. Ribbons will be awarded to all participants! Events will rotate each week with ribbons being given out to all participants. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer time keeper or recorder, please contact the Recreation Division. This helps keep this program at a minimal cost.

Dates: July 13th - August 10th (5 Weeks)  
(Wednesday Evenings)  
Time: Registration 6:00 PM  
Meet begins at 6:30 PM  
Fee: \$1 per individual, per event paid on-site  
Location: RMHS Track  
Divisions: May change due to registrations  
Under 6      7 - 10      11 - 15  
16 - 19      20 - 29      30 or So & 50+

## ***SUMMER KIDS CRAFTS*** **CHILDREN AGES 2 - 4**

Join us for jammed packed weeks of ooey, gooey arts and crafts, stories and songs. Make a mess, have some fun as you watch your 2 - 4 year old create crafts that can be treasured for a lifetime. You don't want to miss out on all of the fun!

Dates: Tuesdays, July 5th - July 26th (4 weeks)  
Time: 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM  
Fee: \$46 per participant  
Location: Wood End Cafeteria  
Min. 5/Max. 10

# RECREATION SUMMER CAMP

KIDS ENTERING K - 7TH GRADE

New Time

SUMMER CAMP NOW OPEN UNTIL 3 PM EACH DAY!

For children entering Grades K - 7 will be provided fun experiences in the areas of Arts & Crafts, Science & Nature, Sports & Games, Cooperative Games and Swimming at the YMCA Pool. Campers must bring a bathing suit, towel, and bathing cap each day to camp. Any request for special groupings should be made at the time of registration only. The camper to staff ratio is 10:1. Campers must bring their own non-refrigerated lunch and drink each day to camp. A special needs counselor is available and special needs children are welcome, however, individual supervision will not be provided. If registering a child with special needs, please contact the Recreation Division for more information.

\*\*Children will not be registered for camp unless a copy of the child's up-to-date immunization record and proof of physical within the last 2 years accompanies the registration. There will be no exceptions. The immunization records must include a completed TB assessment and the results must state that the child is "LOW RISK." For details or questions, please contact your child's primary care physician.

## SUMMER CAMP

Location: Coolidge Middle School

Time: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Fee: \$125 per session on or before June 9  
\$100 Session 2 Only  
\$139 per session after June 9

**Sign up for the whole summer,  
All 8 weeks for just \$849**

### Refund Policy for All Rec. Camps

**100% Refund minus \$10 on or before June 9**

**50% Refund on or before June 24**

**25% Refund on or before June 30**

**No Refunds after June 30**

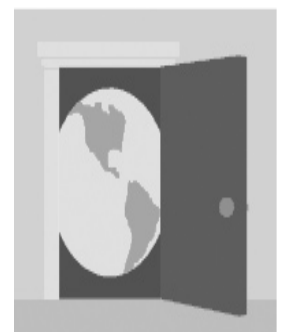
## SUMMER CAMP DATES & SPECIAL THEME WEEKS

Session #:	MONDAY - FRIDAY	THEME WEEK*
Session 1:	June 27th - July 1st	"So you think you can Dance"
Session 2:	July 5th - July 8th (4-Days)	U.S.A (Patriotic week)
Session 3:	July 11th - July 15th	Dodgeball Tournament
Session 4:	July 18th - July 22nd	Reading Rec. Olympic Week
Session 5:	July 25th - July 29th	Halloween in July
Session 6:	August 1st - August 5th	Reading Rec. Talent Show
Session 7:	August 8th - August 12th	Dodgeball Tournament
Session 8:	August 15th - August 19th	Fashion Week (Including PJ Day)
See pg. 12 for August 22 - 26 program options.		
*Theme weeks subject to change without notice.		

**Please note that all Reading Recreation Camps are inspected and licensed by the Reading Board of Health in accordance with the Massachusetts Department of Public Health 105 CMR 430.00 - 430.830.**

### DID YOU KNOW?

ONCE YOU HAVE SIGNED UP FOR ANY WEEK OF SUMMER CAMP IT OPENS THE DOOR TO DISCOUNTS TO A WORLD OF OTHER GREAT PROGRAMS ON PAGES 12 and 13!





# ***RECREATION JUNIOR CAMP***

## ***FOR KIDS AGES 3 - 5***

Appropriate activities in Arts & Crafts, Sports & Games, Science & Nature, and Music are included into each camper's day. See below for new AM and Full Day options. The camper to staff ratio is 5:1. Each Jr. Camper will receive their very own Reading Recreation Summer Camp T-shirt during their first week only. During the summer, campers will enjoy special events such as model magic clay day, Pajama Day, and sports shirt/hat day. All Campers must be able to act independently and must be toilet trained in order to participate in this program. Campers are responsible for bringing their own non-refrigerated snack and drink. This program will be limited to 25 participants per session. Please Note: Children will not be registered for Junior Camp unless a copy of the child's up-to-date immunization record and proof of physical within the last 2 years accompanies the registration. There will be no exceptions. The immunization records must include a completed TB assessment and the results must state that the child is "LOW RISK." For details or questions, please contact your child's primary care physician. Please see refund policy - page 10.

### **JUNIOR CAMP DATES**

Session 1:	June 27th - July 1st
Session 2:	July 5th - July 8th (4-Days)
Session 3:	July 11th - July 15th
Session 4:	July 18th - July 22nd
Session 5:	July 25th - July 29th
Session 6:	August 1st - August 5th
Session 7:	August 8th - August 12th
Session 8:	August 15th - August 19th

### ***JR CAMP HALF DAY OPTION***

Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
 Fee: \$79 per session on or before June 9  
 \$69 Session 2 (4 Day-Special Rate)  
 \$86 per session after June 9

### ***JR CAMP FULL DAY OPTION***

Time: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
 Fee: \$125 per session on or before June 9  
 \$100 Session 2 Only  
 \$139 per session after June 9  
 Location: Coolidge Middle School

**FULL SUMMER DISCOUNT DEALS**  
**8 Weeks Full Day Jr. Camp - \$849**  
**8 Weeks Half Day Jr. Camp - \$540**

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# ***EXTENDED DAY CAMP PROGRAM***

Child must must attend the Reading Recreation Day Camp, or Drama/Musical Weeks during the day, to be eligible.

The "Before Camp Club" and "After Camp Club" programs are designed to provide Reading Recreation Day Campers entering Grades K - 7 with fun-filled Sports & Games, Arts & Crafts and other non-structured activities each morning and/or afternoon. These programs will differ from the day camp in only that activities will be non-structured and may vary on a daily basis. Reading Recreation will maintain a 10:1 participant to counselor ratio for this program. Campers are responsible for bringing their own non-refrigerated snack.

## ***BEFORE CAMP CLUB***

Location: Coolidge Middle School  
 Time: 7:00 AM - 9:00 AM  
 Fee: \$60 per session, \$54 Second Child  
 Daily Fee: \$15 First Child, \$12 Second Child

**BEFORE CAMP -FULL SUMMER RATE**  
**\$480 first child/ \$432 second child**

## ***AFTER CAMP CLUB***

Location: Coolidge Middle School  
 Time: 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
 Fee: \$80 per session, \$77 Second Child  
 Daily Fee: \$25 First Child, \$20 Second Child

**AFTER CAMP -FULL SUMMER RATE**  
**\$640 first child/ \$616 second child**



FOR KIDS ENTERING GRADES K - 7th

What is Camp Extreme you ask? It's the greatest week of camp that you never knew existed! This action packed week of camp isn't for the light hearted, it's for all the diehard sports and gym game fanatics. Competitive juices will be flowing as you and your team compete each day to be called Reading's most EXTREME Camper. Days will be filled with dodgeball, handball, pony express, world cup soccer, and much much more! After this week of camp, you'll be wishing the summer was just beginning!

Dates: August 22nd - August 26th

Time: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Location: Coolidge Middle School

Fee: \$125 (\$10 discount if signed up for any Regular week of Summer Camp)

Min.25/Max. 50 participants



FOR KIDS ENTERING GRADES K - 7th

Camp Create is designed for the artist in your family who is always creating their own masterpieces at home. Each day participants will work on projects designed to bring out their inner artist. Whether your specialty is in gimp, beads, glitter art, painting, paper machete, chalk art or anything else, we got it at Camp Create. It's time to clear off the fridge to make room for your child's very own "Mona Lisa."

Dates: August 22nd - August 26th

Time: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Location: Coolidge Middle School

Fee: \$125 (\$10 discount if signed up for a Regular week of Summer Camp)

Min.25/Max. 50 participants

## ***SPECIAL AFTERNOON PROGRAMS***

The Recreation Division has added some unique and exciting afternoon programming to our line-up.

Each program section below can be signed up for on its individual day. These one-day, 3-hour sessions are geared for ages 5 - 12 and will take place at the Coolidge Middle School Multi-Purpose Room. Please send your child with a peanut-free snack. (Note: Camp participants will be escorted to this program from camp.)

### ***STAR WARS: Jedi Training Workshop***

Is your child interested in becoming a Jedi student in training? Join the team from Event-FULL and participate in several hours that have everything to do with STAR WARS!! Some activities may include: designing and making your own recycled Droid, Making a Training Lightsaber and learning what it is to be a Jedi Knight.

Date: Monday, July 18th

Time: 3:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Fee: \$55 per participant

\$40 if signed up for any week of Rec Camp

Location: Coolidge Middle School MP Room

### ***American Girl Doll Create & Play***

#### ***Theme: Secret Pop Star***

Sign-up and celebrate your American Girl Doll by turning her into a Secret Pop STAR!!! Each participant will design and create a stage and musical instruments for their doll!!!

Date: Wednesday, July 20th

Time: 3:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Fee: \$55 per participant

\$40 if signed up for any week of Rec Camp

Location: Coolidge Middle School MP Room

### ***LEGO PLAYLAND***

This unique workshop will be centered everything LEGO!! Participate in these "LEGO-related" take-home projects, games, building and creating LEGO structures, bases, vehicles, houses and more. Don't miss out on this 1-day workshop that takes a favorite traditional toy and turns it into a fun-filled day with a creative spin! The LEGOs stay with us, but the experience is yours forever!

Date: Tuesday, July 19th

Time: 3:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Fee: \$55 per participant

\$40 if signed up for any week of Rec Camp

Location: Coolidge Middle School MP Room

### ***Star Wars LEGO Playland***

This 3-hour program will be centered everything Star Wars LEGO!! Use your imagination to build Star Wars creations. Maybe you will build a Star Wars Space Craft, a Droid Factory, a Jedi Training Arena, etc...the possibilities are endless!!! The LEGOs stay with us, but the experience is yours forever!

Date: Thursday, July 21st

Time: 3:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Fee: \$55 per participant

\$40 if signed up for any week of Rec Camp

Location: Coolidge Middle School MP Room



# AFTERNOON SUMMER SPORTS LEAGUES

Here is a deal for you! - Sign up for any week of Reading Recreation Summer Camp and get \$15 off any and all programs listed below. Sign up for all four programs and keep your kids busy this summer. Reading Recreation Camp staff will escort all campers signed up for these programs unless the program is canceled for the day due to inclement weather. Each program is limited in space so sign up early!

## WIFFLEBALL LEAGUE

FOR KIDS ENTERING GRADES 3rd - 6th

Everyone claims to be the best wiffleball player, or have the best curveball or even best wiffleball field in their backyard, now it's time to settle the differences. Teams will compete in two 6 inning games each week. Each week will conclude with a home run derby competition if time permits. Are you Reading's best wiffleball player?



Date: Mondays, July 11th - August 15th (6 weeks)  
Time: 3:15 PM - 4:30 PM  
Fee: \$65 (\$15 off if registered for Rec Camp)  
Location: Tennis Court Field/High School  
Min. 10/ Max. 20 Participants

## STREET HOCKEY LEAGUE

FOR KIDS ENTERING GRADES 3rd - 6th

Lace up your shoes, grab your hockey sticks and put in your mouth guard. Teams will be set up each week and will consist of 15 minutes of practice followed by a 45 minute game, with a brief intermission. All games will be supervised by Reading Recreation Staff (seen here making a great save!). Sticks and mouth guards will be provided.



Date: Wednesdays, July 13th - August 17th  
Time: 3:15 PM - 4:30 PM  
Fee: \$65 (\$15 off if registered for Rec Camp)  
Location: Bancroft Ave. Basketball Court  
(Located by Community Tennis Courts/Tot Lot)  
Min. 12 / Max. 16 Participants

## SUMMER BASKETBALL

FOR KIDS ENTERING GRADES K - 6

Join the Reading Recreation staff in this program that will focus on organized game play each week. Teams will practice for 15 minutes prior to playing games. Teams will be randomly selected each week. This program will be broken down by grades.



Dates: Tuesdays, July 12th - August 23th  
(Off - Aug 9th)  
Time: 3:15 PM - 4:30 PM  
Fee: \$65 (\$15 off if registered for Rec Camp)  
Location: RMHS Field House  
Min 20/Max 40 participants

## DODGEBALL LEAGUE

FOR KIDS ENTERING GRADES 3rd - 6th

One of our most anticipated weeks of summer camp is always "Dodgeball Week." Why wait? Gather up your friends and join Reading Recreation and its staff each week for its inaugural Dodgeball season. Players will compete against one another with hopes of being the last person standing. Teams will be formed after the 1st week of game play. Teams will compete against 3 opposing teams each week. Space will be limited to 40 players (10 per team)



Date: Thursdays, July 14th - August 18th  
Time: 3:15PM - 4:30PM  
Fee: \$65 (\$15 off if registered for Rec Camp)  
Location: Multi Court on Bancroft Ave.  
Min. 18/ Max. 30 Participants

**NOTHING ENDS A PROGRAM FASTER  
THAN WAITING FOR THE LAST MINUTE TO  
REGISTER. PLEASE SIGN UP EARLY.**

# STUDENT DEVELOPMENT & LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS

## ADVENTURES IN LEADERSHIP - TLC

FOR YOUNG ASPIRING LEADERS ENTERING  
GRADES 8TH, 9TH & 10TH

Looking for something different this summer? Try this new program which will challenge you to think outside the box.

T is for Teamwork - Students will endure challenging activities each day on the high and low ropes course at the Birch Meadow Complex.



L is for Leadership - Students will spend time in the classroom each day with various guest speakers covering topics from communication to preparing for your first interview.

C is for Community - Each day will include a community service activity. Be it cleaning up a park or helping stock shelves at the food pantry, students will learn the importance of being part of a community and giving back.

### Please Note:

Participants must be willing to participate, test their comfort zones and take direction. Successful participants will be ready each day to take on tasks, solve problems and learn about themselves. Students should meet at the RMHS Field House lobby by 9:00 AM each day and bring a non-refrigerated lunch each day and a drink.

Dates: Session I: July 25th - 29th  
Session II: August 8th - 12th  
Time: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Fee: \$150 per participant/session  
Location: Meet at RMHS Field House Lobby  
Min. 8 participants/Max. 12 participants

The Challenge Course portion of this program will be coordinated and directed by Tom Zaya. Mr. Zaya is currently the Director of Wellness Education for the Town of Reading and is a trained facilitator of ropes courses.

Special thanks to Reading Cares for sponsoring this program!

### \*Sample Daily Schedule

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Challenge Course Activity
11:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Lunch (bring your own)
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Classroom Education Groups
12:30 PM - 2:00 PM	Community Service Activity

\*Schedule will likely vary each day with in the listed time frame.

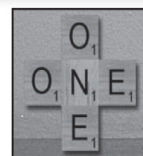
## SUMMER CAMP C.I.T. COUNSELOR-IN-TRAINING PROGRAM

FOR STUDENTS ENTERING 8TH AND 9TH GRADE

Reading Recreation C.I.T.'s will assist Camp Counselors and Specialty Counselors and will move around as needed throughout the camp session. This program is designed to give youths entering the 8th and 9th grade a summertime experience that is fun but also teaches responsibility, leadership, and good communication skills. Please note that this program insists that its participants are assertive and self motivated. The success of this program depends on the willingness of the Counselors in Training to communicate with camp staff and camp participants effectively. For more information on the C.I.T. program, please call Reading Recreation at 781-942-9075. C.I.T.'s may be limited to 4 weeks depending on available spaces. Spaces will be reserved on a first-come, first-serve basis. C.I.T.'s may come for Before Camp and remain late for After Camp. All Camp Registrations will begin on Saturday, April 10th at the Coolidge Middle School Cafeteria at 10:00 AM. Participants will not be registered for camp unless a copy of the child's up-to-date immunization record and proof of physical within the last 2 years accompanies the registration. There will be no exceptions. The immunization records must include a completed TB assessment and the results must state that the child is "LOW RISK."

**\*\* Please note: Counselors in Training are not guaranteed positions as Reading Recreation Counselors in future years. \*\***

Sessions: Refer to Regular Summer Camp Dates on page 10.  
Time: 8:45 AM - 3:15 PM  
Location: Coolidge Middle School  
Fee: \$105 per week /\$84 Week 2  
Max 12 participants per week



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# ***FUN & EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS***

## ***SCI - SPY KIDS***

***FOR KIDS ENTERING 3RD - 5TH GRADE***

Are you a kid who loves to solve who-done-it mysteries, or crack secret codes? Would you enjoy using scientific concepts to solve staged crimes? If you answered yes, come join us for a week of fun that involves solving crime scene mysteries with an educational twist!!

Using scientific concepts "junior investigators" will learn how to complete crime scene powder identification, analyze suspect's finger prints, build an eye spy periscope, crack a crime scene secret code and many other exciting adventures along the way!

Date: July 11th - July 15th

Times: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Fee: \$180 per participant

Location: Parker Middle School Cafeteria

Min 10/Max 20 participants

## ***JUNIOR SCIENTIST FUNZONE***

***FOR KIDS ENTERING K - 2ND GRADE***

If you love experimenting to figure out how the world works then this program is for you. Junior Scientist Funzone is designed to be a fun hands-on exploration of major concepts of earth life, physical, chemical and environmental sciences. Check out glowing jello, elephant toothpaste and tornado in a bottle. Each day will center on experiments that demonstrate important aspects of each topic. Junior scientists will be given fact sheets for all experiments to be repeated at home. Each day will feature three experiments.

Date: July 18th - July 22nd

Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Fee: \$180 per participant

Location: Parker Middle School Cafeteria

Min 10/Max 25 participants

## ***About the instructor: Mrs. D.***

Sci-Spy Kids and Junior Scientist Funzone are run by Heather D'Ambrosio, a middle school science teacher in Revere, MA. Heather received the Outstanding North Shore Science Educator Award in 2010. She has helped to drastically improve her school's MCAS scores by 14 points in 1 year. Heather believes that the students learn best by participating in fun hands-on lab based activities that drive scientific concepts home.

## ***TOP SECRET SCIENCE***

***FOR KIDS ENTERING 1ST - 5TH GRADE***

Come join this very cool and fun summer program!

***TOP SECRET***

Each day the kids will explore up to 20 weird and wacky hands-on science experiments and will make and take

home at least 8 different projects. The scientists are fast paced and funny, and your kids will be thoroughly entertained (they'll even learn some interesting things too). We will explore weird motions and flying things, air and water pressure; crazy chemistry, light and sound, science magic, electricity, magnets, astronomy and more. Be prepared for lots of fun stuff. A wonderful 6 hours of science each day.

Date: August 8th - August 12th

Time: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Fee: \$185 per participant

Location: Wood End Cafeteria

Min 15/Max 40

## ***SPORTSZONE 101***

***FOR KIDS ENTERING K - 5TH GRADE***

This 2-hour course allows for children to appear on television to discuss pro sports that include the Boston Red Sox, New England Patriots, Boston Celtics, and Boston Bruins. Children not only get to appear on television, but receive sports cards each day that help to teach subjects from school including math, geography, history, public speaking, and how to read. While receiving memorabilia, children will also learn whom certain players play for, how to figure out batting averages and earned run averages of their favorite athletes, and where their favorite athletes are from. Creation of their very own television program is another fun experience that the kids will all have an option of learning how to do as well. Children will learn how to score a sports game while watching from home. We also will provide the kids with games throughout the week to win sports prizes. Please note: Session 2 will be more games and outside experience of playing sports with classmates.

Date: Session I: July 25th - July 29th

Session II August 15th - August 19th

Times: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (K - 2nd)

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (3rd - 5th)

Fee: \$145 per participant/session

\$80 additional participants, same family

Location: Barrows Elementary School

Min 10/Max 30 per Session

# ***MORE FUN & EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS***

## ***PRE-ENGINEERING FOR KIDS***

**FOR KIDS ENTERING K - 2ND GRADE**

Create, play and learn. Build a town, city or star base with houses, buildings, pyramids, bridges, tunnels, towers and more. Build motorized cars, trains, buses and trucks; race them, crash them, repair them. Explore the many possibilities of LEGO building systems while learning useful construction techniques.

Dates: August 22nd - August 26th  
Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Fee: \$145 per participant  
Location: Coolidge Middle School Library  
Min. 10/Max. 24 participants

## ***ENGINEERING FUNDAMENTALS FOR KIDS***

**FOR KIDS ENTERING 3RD - 5TH GRADE**

Students take on real-life engineering challenges that explore concepts in physics, architecture, mechanical and structural engineering with over 100,000 pieces of LEGO material. From racecars to battletracks, this is a hands-on and minds-on program suitable for LEGO novices to "maniacs." Designed by engineers, the curriculum challenges both new and returning students to reach the next level of engineering comprehension, all while having fun!

Dates: August 22nd - August 26th  
Time: 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
Fee: \$145 per participant  
Location: Coolidge Middle School Library  
Min. 10/Max. 24 participants

## ***CHESS WHIZARD CLINIC***

**FOR STUDENTS ENTERING GRADES 1ST - 5TH**



You may understand the game of chess, but does your child? This one week clinic is designed to teach children the game of chess as well as tactics and chess terminology with the goal of improving their overall playing skill. Lectures will be given on key chess topics and various chess-related assignments will be distributed by instructors. All participants are divided into groups according to their chess experience. In addition to learning, each child will receive a trophy and a Chess Wizards T-Shirt, plus a folder containing all of the puzzles that they completed during the one week of clinic.

Dates: August 22nd - August 26th  
Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Location: Coolidge Middle School Library  
Fee: \$160 per participant  
Min. 10/ Max 20 Participants

*\*Does your baby or pre-schooler, (birth through 5), need an activity while your other children are attending school?*

*\*Would you like to offer your elementary aged child the benefit of music enrichment classes? (ages 5 and up)*

*\*Are you interested in beginner to advanced vocal/instrumental lessons for child through adult? (ages 5 to adult)*



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# SUMMER SPORTS CLINICS

## H.S. SOCCER MINI CLINIC

FOR BOYS & GIRLS ENTERING GRADES 9TH - 12TH

Former professional all-star, Leo Figueiredo, high school coaches, and college players are offering a pre-season skill and conditioning week of soccer for boys and girls of high school age.



Dates: Monday, August 15th - Thursday, August 18th

Time: 5:00 PM - 7:45 PM

Fee: \$135 per participant

Location: RMHS Turf Fields

Clinic Director: Leo Figueiredo

Staff: Jess Silva, Matt Figueiredo, Mike Sheedy

Players should wear shin pads and bring a ball

## READING FOOTBALL CLINIC

FOR AGES 9-14

Reading Memorial High School Varsity Football Coach John Fiore and his staff will provide each participant a week of instruction in football fundamentals and skills. This is a non-contact skills clinic for offense, defense and special teams' techniques. Also included is daily passing tournament. This clinic is a great way to get ready for the upcoming season and learn more about the game of football. Video study, motivational speakers, and a camp t-shirt will also be provided. Campers should wear football cleats. Water will be provided. Please include your child's offensive and defensive position on your registration form. **NO PLAYING EXPERIENCE IS NECESSARY! NO SIZE OR WEIGHT LIMITS EITHER!**

Dates: August 1st - August 4th

Time: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Fee: \$100 per participant

Location: RMHS Stadium

Clinic Director: John Fiore

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## SENIOR FIELD HOCKEY CLINIC

FOR GIRLS ENTERING GRADES 9TH - 12TH

This program is designed to prepare the participant for high school competition. All instructors have college playing experience. Groups will be small to offer individualized instruction and many repetitions of skills. Skill drills will progress to small game play to full field game play. Videos with highlights from college play will be available.

Players may stay in between sessions if needed, but are free to leave.

All players must provide their own: shinguards, mouthguards, and field hockey approved goggles. Varsity coach Mim Jarema can answer questions at: [mjarema04@gmail.com](mailto:mjarema04@gmail.com). Portions of the proceeds for this program will go toward the RMHS Field Hockey Teams.

Dates: June 27th - June 30th

Time: 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM & 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

(Except June 30 - 9:00 - 11:30 AM only)

Fee: \$250 per participant

Location: Stadium Field Birch Meadow Complex

Min. 15/Max. 40 Participants

## JUNIOR FIELD HOCKEY CLINIC

ENTERING GRADES 5TH - 8TH

This program is designed to welcome both new players and those players that may already have experience playing field hockey. All players will learn the fundamental skills in small groups allowing for individualized instruction, advancing to novelty drills and games. Our goal: have fun learning the skills to play the game of field hockey.

Sticks are available for players to use. All players must wear shinguards and a mouthguard. For game play, players are encouraged to wear goggles.

Former high school players will assist varsity coach Mim Jarema. Mim may be contacted at: [mjarema04@gmail.com](mailto:mjarema04@gmail.com). Portions of the proceeds for this program will go toward the RMHS Field Hockey Teams.

Dates: June 27th - June 30th

Time: 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Fee: \$125 per participant

Location: Turf 2 Field at Birch Meadow Complex

Min. 15/Max. 40 Participants



# SUMMER SPORTS CLINICS

## SUMMER KARATE CLINIC

AGES 3 - 4 AND AGES 5 -10



One of the best karate programs in the country taught by four-time world champion Steve Nugent. This one-week clinic will teach proper stances, breathing, stretching, discipline, confidence and practical self-defense. This class also underlines the importance of nutrition, exercise, fire safety and stranger awareness. All uniforms are included in the class fee.

### **Little Ninjas** - Ages 3 & 4

Time: 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM

### **Little Dragons** - Ages 5 - 10

Time: 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM

Dates: August 2nd - August 6th

Fee: \$108 per participant

Location: Wood End Cafeteria

Min. 3/ Max. 12 participants per session

## BEGINNERS JUNIOR GOLF CLINICS

Get your junior off to a great start with our beginner golf clinic and learn a sport for life. This program introduces the Junior Golfer to the basics of Golf in a fun clinic atmosphere. All aspects of the game (putting, chipping, pitching, bunker play and the long swing with irons and metals) will be covered during the 4 day program. A major emphasis will be placed on proper mechanics of grip, stance, posture and alignment to the target. Our clinic of four, 1 ½ hour sessions is an excellent opportunity to teach the young golfer all about etiquette, the fundamentals of the golf swing, chipping and putting techniques while using our practice range and practice green.

Date: 4 Days Monday - Thursday

Session I: July 11 to July 14

Session II: July 18 to July 21

Time: Ages 7 - 11 8:30 AM to 10:00 AM

Ages 12 - 16 10:30 AM to 12:00 PM

Location: Rolling Green Golf Course Andover, MA

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Fee: \$180 includes balls and greens fees.

- In event of inclement weather, class status to be determined 1hr before the schd. class time.
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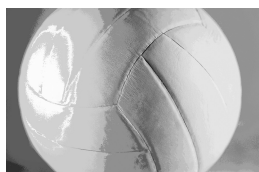
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# SUMMER VOLLEYBALL PROGRAMS

## THE 4/1 ON SUMMER VOLLEYBALL

Join the RMHS Varsity Coach Michelle Hopkinson, her staff, and players for a fun week of Volleyball! This summer we are offering two programs to meet the needs of all levels of play and ability. Each program will focus on teaching fundamental skills, strategies, and rules of volleyball while transitioning into a team atmosphere and having FUN. Our focus is to give each participant a positive experience and opportunity to grow as a volleyball player and an athlete. Each participant will receive a clinic t-shirt. Please note there is a cross-over in grade for these programs as new 6th and 7th grade players may want to participate at a beginners level. If you are not sure which program to sign up for, please contact Coach Hopkinson [mmhopkinson@verizon.net](mailto:mmhopkinson@verizon.net).



### JUNIOR ROCKET VOLLEYBALL CLINIC

PARTICIPANTS ENTERING GRADES 3RD - 7TH

This program is designed for younger players and less experienced older players (younger players must be able to serve and pass in order to participate in this program). In addition to fundamental skills, focus will be given to basic offensive and defensive game strategies for more competitive play.

Dates: August 15th - August 19th

Time: 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Fee: \$100 per player

Location: RMHS Field House

Min. 12/Max. 36 Players

### ROCKET VOLLEYBALL CLINIC

PARTICIPANTS ENTERING GRADES 6TH - 9TH

This program is designed for older players and experienced younger players (younger players must be able to serve and pass in order to participate in this program). In addition to fundamental skills, focus will be given to basic offensive and defensive game strategies for more competitive play.

Dates: August 15th - August 19th

Time: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Fee: \$150 per player

Location: RMHS Field House

Min. 12/Max. 48 Players



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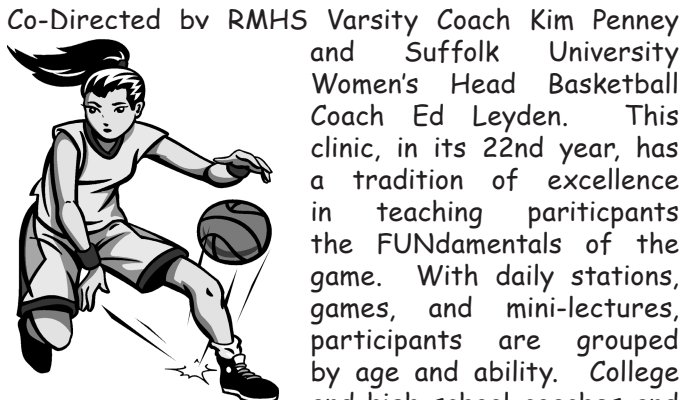
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# **SUMMER BASKETBALL PROGRAMS**

## **22nd ANNUAL READING GIRLS BASKETBALL CLINIC**

**FOR GIRLS ENTERING GRADES 4TH - 9TH**



Co-Directed by RMHS Varsity Coach Kim Penney and Suffolk University Women's Head Basketball Coach Ed Leyden. This clinic, in its 22nd year, has a tradition of excellence in teaching participants the FUNDamentals of the game. With daily stations, games, and mini-lectures, participants are grouped by age and ability. College and high school coaches and players comprise the staff (8:1 player to coach ratio). Advanced instruction is provided for advanced players. Participants of all skill levels are welcome. Limited enrollment, register early for guaranteed placement. Each participant will also receive a clinic t-shirt.

Dates: July 18th - July 22nd  
Time: 9:15 AM - 1:00 PM  
Fee: \$200 per participant  
Location: RMHS Field House  
Directors: Kim Penney & Ed Leyden  
Min. 50/Max. 125 players  
For more info, please call Kim Penney at 781-245-7068 or visit [www.readingbasketball.com](http://www.readingbasketball.com)

## **NEW LOCATION**

## **READING JR. GIRLS BASKETBALL CLINIC**

**FOR GIRLS ENTERING K - 3RD GRADES**

This clinic teaches the fundamentals of basketball in a FUN atmosphere. Through drill stations, games and mini-lectures, participants will learn the rules of the game. Players are grouped by age and ability. High School players serve as instructors. Each participant receives a clinic t-shirt.

Dates: July 25th - July 29th  
Time: 9:15 AM - 12:00 PM  
Fee: \$150 per participant  
Location: RMHS Field House  
Min. 30 /Max. 100 participants  
Clinic Director: Kim Penney  
For more info., please call Kim Penney at 781-245-7068

## **READING BOYS VARSITY BASKETBALL CLINIC**

**FOR BOYS ENTERING GRADES 3RD - 9TH**



This clinic is directed by Boys Varsity Basketball Coach Paul Morrissey and his staff. The clinic offers 4 days of instructional basketball designed to fit all abilities. There are daily games, skill work, as well as interaction with RMHS Varsity players. This program is available to boys entering grades 3 through 9. T-shirts will be given to all participants.

Dates: June 27th - June 30th  
Time: 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM  
Fee: \$180 per participant  
Location: RMHS Field House  
Min. 40/Max. 125 players

## **READING JR. BOYS BASKETBALL CLINIC**

**FOR BOYS ENTERING GRADES K - 2**

A fun week of basketball activities led by Varsity Coach Paul Morrissey and his high school players. The clinic will be for boys entering Grades K - 2. There will be daily contests and prizes. T-shirts will be given to all participants.

Dates: July 11th - July 15th  
Time: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
Fee: \$125 per participant  
Location: Barrows Elementary School  
Min. 20 /Max. 40 Players

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# **SUMMER BASEBALL PROGRAMS**

## **READING BASEBALL SCHOOL**

**FOR BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 5 - 13**

The Reading Baseball School will once again offer outstanding baseball instruction for Reading youngsters this summer. Each clinic includes intensive instruction



in the proper fundamentals of hitting, throwing, fielding, pitching, base running, bunting, infield play, and outfield play. Players will improve specific skills through drills, demonstrations, videotape sessions, and scrimmages. The program is directed by

Pete Moscariello, Varsity Baseball Coach at Reading Memorial High School.

This year Week A will be 4 days and Week B will be a 5-day program! Players will be divided into smaller groups, by age and ability, and emphasis will be placed on individual instruction and improvement. Players will have the choice of selecting one or two weeks of clinics. Both weeks will be indoor/outdoor clinics where we can take advantage of indoor batting cages and nets, while still having access to the outdoor fields. We can use the Field House in case of rain, so no "rain date" is necessary.

Dates: Week A - July 5th - July 8th (4 Day)  
Week B - July 11th - July 15th (5 day)

Choose any combo of the following Sessions:

Week A: 4 Days: Tues. - Fri.

Morning Clinic 9 AM - 12:30 PM: \$154

Full-Day Clinic 9 AM - 3:00 PM: \$234

Week B: 5 Days: Mon. - Fri.

Morning Clinic 9 AM - 12:30 PM: \$189

Full-Day Clinic 9 AM - 3:00 PM: \$289

Pick-up/Drop off will be at the Field House.

## **SPECIAL DISCOUNTS**

Discounts: For 2 Players from the same family take 10% off total fee. For 3 or more players from the same family take 15% off total fee. If you choose both Weeks A & B, take 10% off total.

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## **REC. SUMMER BASEBALL**

**FOR BOYS AND GIRLS ENTERING K - 4TH GRADE**

This is a 4-week program for boys and girls who will enter grades K through 4 next fall. The program will include three games and one practice each week. The purpose of Reading Recreation Summer Baseball is to provide a format for instruction and games, in an atmosphere of fun and encouragement. While daily instruction is a key part of this program, players who desire more intensive and complete instruction should consider The Reading Baseball School. This year we will continue to offer a program that is instructional and fun. Tom Zaya, RMHS Director of Health and Wellness, will again run the on-field operations.

**Pre-Rookie Division:** For players entering Kindergarten. Basic fundamentals, positions, and rules will be stressed. Hitting in games will be soft toss from coaches.

**Rookie Division:** For players entering grades 1 or 2: Basic fundamentals will be stressed. Hitting in games will be soft toss from coaches.

**Rocket Division:** For players entering grades 3 or 4: Mechanics of hitting, fielding, throwing, and base running will be emphasized. Hitting in games will be from live pitching (coaches pitch).

Dates: July 18th - August 11th  
Monday - Thursday (4-Days a week)

Times: 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM  
(All Division meet at the same time each day)

Fee: \$115 per player

Location for all Div.: Birch Meadow Street Field

\*This summer we will conduct the program 4 days per week for 4 weeks, providing 16 total sessions.

We recommend that all summer baseball players use sun protection (sun screen, baseball cap) and bring a water bottle. Full-Day participants should bring a lunch each day and all players may, if they wish, bring a mid-morning snack.

We will contact you only if we cannot enroll you in the Clinic/Session you've chosen.

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# PROGRAMMING WITH EMARC

The Reading Recreation Division is pleased to continue to offer EMARC Recreation programs in our line-up as part of our special needs programming. This is just a small sample of all the programs EMARC offers! Please contact Chenine or Laura at EMARC Recreation, 781-942-4888 x4036 for more information. Any participants who would like to take part in Arc programs must register directly with EMARC and complete an emergency fact sheet. For more information regarding these program and others please visit: [www.theemarc.org](http://www.theemarc.org)! EMARC's Summer Recreation Brochure with dates and times for programs will be available online in May.

## MUSIC THERAPY FOR CHILDREN WITH DOWN SYNDROME

AGES 3 - 7

Let's use music and our strengths to address our skills and our needs. This music therapy group is designed to address the development of skills for children with Down Syndrome, including communication, oral motor, fine and gross motor skills and social skills. We will use the fun and motivation of music to engage the children in songs with functional language to increase communication skills. Children will be singing, playing a variety of instruments and moving to the music as they engage in supportive and therapeutic music making. Parent participation is required - This is not a drop off program.

Thursdays, 3:45-4:35 Dates: TBA  
Location: 20 Gould St (EMARC Building)  
Fee \$150/6 weeks

## SOCIAL SKILLS MUSIC THERAPY

AGES 7 - 12

Join us for fun and engaging music activities including group instrument play, singing new and familiar songs, and movement to music. This music therapy group is for children who are verbal to learn and practice social skills through shared musical experiences. Group goals will be developing awareness of self and others and engaging in appropriate interactions with peers in a supportive musical environment. This program does not require parent participation.

Thursday, 4:45-5:35  
Location: 20 Gould St (EMARC Building)  
Fee \$150/6 weeks

## Expressive Movement

AGES 9 - 14

This group will allow children to express themselves through movement in a relaxed and creative atmosphere; bring your energy and creativity! Movement repertoire will develop and movement confidence will shine. The therapeutic goals for the group will be on improving body image and body awareness, motor skills, social skills, and stress management. Show us what you can do!

Fee \$90/ 6 weeks

## Teen Social Skills Music Therapy

AGES 13 - 16

Want to jam with your friends and make some new ones? The focus of this program will be group songwriting and recording original songs to form a compilation CD, which each member will receive at the end of the program. This group is designed specifically for teens with advanced verbal skills to learn, develop, and practice social skills through shared musical songwriting experiences.

Thursday, 5:45 PM - 6:35 PM  
Location: 20 Gould St (EMARC Building)  
Fee \$150/6 weeks

## Young Adult Music Therapy

AGES 19 - 35

Do you like making music? Listening to your favorite bands? Talking with others about music? Come see what music therapy is all about! In this group, the participants will work together to determine the direction and goals for this group. Sessions may include making music with a variety of instruments, writing new songs, or listening to our favorite music. We can even make our own CD! Come and bring a friend!

Thursday, 2:45 PM - 3:55 PM  
Location: 20 Gould St (EMARC Building)  
Fee \$150/6 weeks

## Creative Movement

AGES 3 - 8

This integrated program will allow children of all abilities to express themselves through movement and music. Individual attention will be provided for thoughts individuals requiring additional assistance to participate. A love more music and movement is all that is needed. The therapeutic goals for this class include; Socialization, body awareness, movement repertoire and sensory integration.

Let's Move it Move it!

Fee \$90/ 6 weeks

## Riverhawks Softball

AGES 13 - 21

Our fifth year of the Riverhawks is here! This is not a Special Olympics Competition team, but an opportunity to get together with friends and volunteers to develop softball skills, have fun and get ready for our own big August game: Parents vs. the Riverhawks! Bring your glove, water and your energy and join us!



Dates: Tuesdays  
Time: 6:00—7:30 p.m.  
Location: Killam Elementary,  
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## Full Day Preschool

For children 2.9 through Kindergarten.

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- Pre-Kindergarten – Children 4 yrs
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## TAS (After School, grades K-5)

This affordable, popular after school program includes at school pick-up, homework help, computers and internet for homework, field trips, small group sizes, snacks, arts/ crafts, games, planned educational activities, outdoor play, caring professional counselors, vacation & summer camps, open snow days, teacher in service days, and many holidays. Quiet space available for private tutoring (additional cost). Children get a break from school and feel like they are home with our caring staff and home like atmosphere. Limited CIT programs are available to older children.

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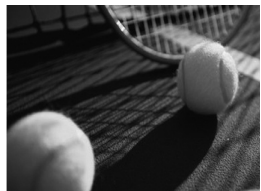
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# SUMMER YOUTH TENNIS PROGRAMS

## SUMMER JR. TENNIS CLINICS

In cooperation with Reading Recreation, Tennis Professional Gregg Luongo rejoins our summer team for his 9th summer. Gregg has been a Professional Tennis



Instructor for over 20 years. He is a certified member of the United States Professional Tennis Association (USPTA), and played as the #1 singles player for Reading High School and The University Of New Hampshire.

Currently, Gregg is a Tennis Pro at Bass River Tennis Club in Beverly, MA. This program is a great way to get introduced to tennis and/or to build upon existing skills at all levels. A junior session consists of 5 group lessons Monday through Friday. Average ratio of participants to instructors in a given session will be a minimum of 3:1 and maximum of 8:1.

Parents are asked to place children respective to their ability. If a child is misplaced, he/she may be switched.

### **Tiny Tots:** (Ages 4 - 6) 9:00 - 9:45 AM

This group is designed to introduce younger children to the game of tennis. Games will be designed to promote fundamentals and interest on the court. Children will begin to develop movement skills, hand-eye coordination, and basic stroke production. This is a great age for children to learn these skills which can help in all aspects of sports play.

### **Jr. Development I:** (Ages 7 - 10) 10:00 - 10:55 AM

For children who are ready to learn and develop basic fundamentals of forehands, backhands, serves, and volleys for practice drills and skill games. Players at the higher level will be developing skills in rallying, control, and point play.

### **Jr. Development II:** (Ages 11 - 15) 11:00 - 11:55 AM

For children who are ready to learn and develop basic fundamentals of forehands, backhands, serves, and volleys for practice drills and skill games. Players at a higher level will be developing skills in rallying, control, and point play.

Fee: \$70 per session (Session B Only: \$56)

A: June 27 - July 1	E: July 25 - 29
B: July 5 - 8	F: August 1 - 5
C: July 11 - 15	G: August 8 - 12
D: July 18 - 22	H: August 15 - 19
	I: August 22 - 26

Rain make-ups: Will be set up by Gregg Luongo

Location: Reading Community Tennis Courts at Birch Meadow

Min 3 / Max 8 players per session per court.

## KIDS ROUND ROBIN

The round robin tourney is on a drop-in basis and will have all participants playing points and games for an hour. The goal here is to allow the kids to practice some of what they have learned in our morning classes and begin to understand putting it towards live ball play.

Starting week of June 27th

Tuesdays: 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Ages: 11 - 15 year olds \$5 per participant

Thursdays: 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Ages: 7 - 10 year olds \$5 per participant

Location: Reading Community Tennis Courts

## CHALLENGER TENNIS

Tennis Professional Gregg Luongo and Reading Recreation will be continuing Challenger Tennis this upcoming summer. We will be offering a 6 week program which will include two 30 minute sessions per week. Focus for this clinic will be on introducing participants with special needs to the game and to develop tennis skills.

This course will run twice a week for 6 consecutive weeks

Dates: June 28th - August 4th (Tues. & Thurs.)

Time: 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM

Fee: \$20 per participant

Location: Reading Community Tennis Courts

Min. 3 participants

## PRIVATE TENNIS LESSONS

Supplement your child's clinics with private lessons. Lessons will run for one hour per session and should be scheduled with Tennis Professional Gregg Luongo and/or assistants Matt Williams and Ben Guth for individual times and location. A Reading Recreation Registration form must be accompanied by payment made out to Town of Reading.

Also available are hitting lessons. This is a great way to fine tune your currently existing skills or practice skills learned in a clinic or lesson for a small fee. The Assistants are available for scheduling an hour where the focus will be on rallying or playing one on one.

Fee: \$55 per hour session private lesson

\$30 per ½ Hour session private lesson

\$20 per hour session hitting lesson

Other groups for adults and children may be set up with Gregg Luongo at alternate times. Contact Reading Recreation to set up a lesson.

# SUMMER ADULT TENNIS PROGRAMS

## ADULT BEGINNERS TENNIS

This class is designed to introduce the game of tennis to a new player and to build upon stroke technique for beginners. Focus over the course of the session will be to develop skills towards live ball hitting and knowledge of all aspects of the game. There are two days to choose from, participants can choose either one of the classes or both. This course will run for 6 consecutive weeks

Date: Tuesdays, June 28th - August 2nd  
Thursdays, June 30th - August 4th

Time: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Fee: \$120 per session

Location: Reading Community Tennis Courts  
Min 3 / Max 8 players per class per court.

## ADULT INTERMEDIATE TENNIS

The intermediate adult class is designed for adults who have participated in the beginner program in the past or for adults who have a good knowledge of correct technique and can rally. Individuals should understand correct forehand and backhand grips and follow throughs. You should be able to sustain a lengthy rally while maintaining the correct stroke. All participants should also have a good understanding of net play as well as be able to serve above 50% success rate. This course will run for 6 consecutive weeks.

Date: Tuesdays, June 28th - August 2nd  
Thursdays, June 30th - August 4th

Time: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Fee: \$120 per session

Location: Reading Community Tennis Courts  
Min 3 / Max 8 players per class per court.

## PRIVATE TENNIS LESSONS

Can't fit a clinic into your schedule? Why not try Private Lessons. Lessons will run for one hour per session and should be scheduled with Tennis Professional Gregg Luongo and/or assistants Matt Williams and Ben Guth for individual times and location. A Reading Recreation Registration form must be accompanied by payment made out to Town of Reading.

Also available are hitting lessons. This is a great way to fine tune your currently existing skills or practice skills learned in a clinic or lesson for a small fee. The Assistants are available for scheduling an hour where the focus will be on rallying or playing one on one.

Fee: \$55 per hour session private lesson  
\$30 per  $\frac{1}{2}$  Hour session private lesson  
\$20 per hour session hitting lesson

Other groups for adults and children may be set up with Gregg Luongo at alternate times. Contact Reading Recreation to set up a lesson.

## 21st ANNUAL READING TENNIS OPEN

Both Reading and Non-Reading Residents may participate. See below for draws and levels. Special thanks to our annual sponsor **Orthopedics Plus Physical Therapy**. We welcome **Wilson Tennis** back again this year with fantastic giveaways for ALL entrants and prizes to winners and finalists. For registration information please call Kate Kaminer at 781-944-5067, Lorraine Salter at 781-944-5951, or Larry LeBatique at 617-510-3070 or visit us on the web at [www.readingtennisopen.com](http://www.readingtennisopen.com)

Location: Reading Community Tennis Courts at Birch Meadow

Dates:

Singles: June 4th & 5th\*

Doubles: June 11 & 12th\*

\*Some draws will begin Fri. Night

Singles Draws & Levels:

Men & Women & Juniors (14 and under)  
Elite, A & B Levels

Doubles Draws & Levels: (Player can enter 2 doubles draws)

- Men & Women & Mixed
- Elite, A & B Levels
- Boys & Girls Junior Doubles (14 & Under)
- Challenger Division
- Wheelchair Tennis Division (Doubles)

Entry Deadline - 1 week prior to each tournament.

Fees: Singles \$30

Doubles \$60 (\$30/person)

All proceeds will benefit the RMHS Boys and Girls Tennis Program and Friends of Reading Tennis sponsored programs.

## 3rd Annual Breast Cancer Research Tennis Tournament



The Friends of Reading Tennis will sponsor the 3rd Annual Tennis Tournament to Support the MGH-ESSCO Breast Cancer Research Fund. 100% of the proceeds will go to the research fund

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Reading Recreation is partnering with Creative Arts to offer exceptional programming and training in visual arts, music and theatre. Together we are able to bring you quality arts programming. Creative Arts is a non-profit community arts school offering programs to all ages and abilities taught by kind & professional instructors. You can find more information about the school, faculty and classes by visiting web site at [www.WeTeachCreativeArts.org](http://www.WeTeachCreativeArts.org) or calling 781-942-9600. PLEASE NOTE: All fees below include a non-refundable registration fee for the Creative Arts Program. For any child interested in acting! Workshops are taught by seasoned actors and drama educators.



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## ***Drama Week***

AGES 6 - 12 YEARS OLD

### **Monday: Acting 101**

All the world's a stage! Practice or learn acting basics such as pantomime, stage direction, scene work, character development, projection, using props and analyzing a script.

### **Tuesday: Story Play**

Students work together in groups to study, rehearse and perform short scenes from favorite fables, fairy tales or children's stories.

### **Wednesday: Acting 102**

Learn or review using props and costumes to enhance character development in different scenes or skits. Students also learn about the audition process and are expected to understand and build upon basic theatre skills.

### **Thursday: Imaginative Acting!**

"I'm ready for my close-up, Mr Demille!" Go behind-the-scenes of theatre by working in groups to write, act in and direct short scenes!

### **Friday: Laugh Out Loud!**

Perfect for your drama king or queen! By learning to listen and observe other actors, students use their own unique abilities, past experiences and motivations to create different characters through games, scenes and hilarious skits.

Date: July 18 - July 22nd

Time: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

(8:45-9:00am drop off, 2:45-3:00pm pick-up)

Fee: \$260 First Child, \$245 Second Child/Week  
\$55 First Child, \$50 Second Child/Day

Location: Birch Meadow School

Min. 6/ Max. 20

Students need to bring two snacks and lunch plus plenty of water to each workshop.

All food items must be peanut & nut-free.

After Care from 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM is available. See pg. 11 for more information on weekly and daily rates.

## ***Musical Theatre Week***

AGES 6 - 12 YEARS OLD

### **Monday: Acting 101 for Musical Theatre**

But first, you've gotta act! Students practice or learn acting basics through games, skits and scenes.

### **Tuesday: Musical Theatre Choreography**

Then, you dance! Learn basic dance steps and choreography commonly used in musical theatre programs.

Acting skills are also incorporated into the day with fun games.

### **Wednesday: Musical Theatre Boot Camp**

Students pair singing and acting while rehearsing a musical scene with a vocal coach. Acting skills are also incorporated using theatre games to keep everyone laughing!

### **Thursday: Introduction to Musical Theatre Auditions**

No experience necessary! Students work in groups with a vocal coach to learn basic singing technique, how to pick an audition piece and, most importantly, to relax have fun! Acting skills are also incorporated to keep the day exciting!

### **Friday: Acting 102 for Musical Theatre**

Learn or review using props and costumes to enhance character development in different scenes or skits. Students also learn about the audition process and are expected to understand and build upon basic theatre skills.

Date: August 1st - August 5th

Time: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

(8:45-9:00am drop off, 2:45-3:00pm pick-up)

Fee: \$260 First Child, \$245 Second Child/Week  
\$55 First Child, \$50 Second Child/Day

Location: Birch Meadow School

Min. 6/ Max. 20

Students need to bring two snacks and lunch plus plenty of water to each workshop.

All food items must be peanut & nut-free.

After Care from 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM is available. See pg. 11 for more information on weekly and daily rates.

## ***SUMMER BAND PROGRAM*** **FOR KIDS ENTERING 4TH - 6TH GRADE**

Take this opportunity to pick up a band instrument, learn to play, learn how to play in ensemble and perform for the town. In partnership with Creative Arts for Kids and Reading Civic Concert Band, excellent instruction is offered along with the opportunity to work with a "real" community band to bring the fun, full experience of music making with friends.

Research has shown that ages 9 - 11 is the prime time for a child to learn to play a wind instrument. Elementary school children who play musical instruments, and stick with it, excel in other academics, take on responsibility better, are more inclined to go on to college. Interest is high in late elementary school, which wanes as children advance into middle school. If good teachers are on hand to start them at the appropriate age and encourage them with good instruction, and there is support at home and a positive social environment in band, the skills learned will transfer to other areas of daily life and responsibilities. A positive experience that balances a sense of achievement with fun and friendship frequently lasts throughout life. Bring a snack, lunch and plenty of water each day. No fruit juice, sodas or sugary drinks allowed, as they damage the instruments! Snacks and lunches must be peanut and nut-free!

Dates: July 12 - August 7th (Last day is Concert)  
Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays  
(off 7/28)  
Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Fee: \$270 1st Child/ \$255 each additional child  
Fee includes a non-refundable family registration fee  
Location: Parker Middle School  
Instruments will be provided by the participants. Rental info can be obtained by contacting Creative Arts.

## ***SUMMER ART CAMPS***

Creative Arts 25, Woburn Street, Reading  
call 781.942.9600 to register or for more information  
Visit [WeTeachCreativeArts.org](http://WeTeachCreativeArts.org) for camp descriptions

Ages 6-12 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
Before & after care available  
June 27-July 8: Workshops: Just Sculpt It  
July 11-15: Ancient Egypt  
July 18-22: Villains & Heroes  
July 25-29: Mixed-Bag Media  
Aug 1-5: Masters & Mediums

Ages 3-5 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM  
July 11-15: People, Places & Things  
July 18-22: Story Book Art  
July 25-29: Mixed-Bag Media  
Aug 1-5: Puppets, Puppets, Puppets!

Creative Arts follows MA State & Town Camp Regulations.

## ***MORE 2 EXPLORE!*** ***ARTISAN JEWELRY CLASS*** **FOR AGES 7 - 12**

Children will learn the art of jewelry design along with jewelry casting using multi mediums. This class will be an exciting and a one of kind experience for your child. Each child will make one - two completed items per day. Children are encouraged to explore their creativity and are introduced to interesting color and texture while improving hand-eye coordination, small muscle development and pattern making skills all in a relaxed, joyful environment! Please make sure your child brings a drink and snack. Not a Creative Arts Program.

Dates: July 18th - July 22nd  
Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Fee: \$168 per participant  
Location: Barrows Elementary School Cafeteria  
Min. 15 /Max. 30 Participants

## ***PHOTOGRAPHY 101 FOR KIDS*** **FOR KIDS ENTERING GRADES 2ND - 8TH**

See your world through a new lens as you uncover the secrets of your camera! Digital and black and white photography. Here's a chance to learn digital photography. Each class will teach a new tex. Children will learn how to express themselves through the lens. Open to all levels. Please bring your digital camera, memory card and your battery with a full charge. Not a Creative Arts program.

The children will be taking a nature walk daily. Please make sure your child wears comfortable shoes. Please bring a drink and snack.

Date: July 11th - July 15th  
Time: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
Fee: \$125 per participant  
Location: Mattera Cabin at 1481 Main Street  
Min. 10/Max. 20 Participants

## ***DISCOVER PIANO*** ***(Four 30-minute lessons)***

This course presents both the basics of real note-reading and the fundamentals of how to move hands and fingers elegantly and easily over piano keys. Teacher R.J. Carroll sets the pace of lessons according to each student's age, abilities and preferences.

Dates and Times: Set up lessons with instructor  
Fee: \$99 per participant  
Location: 207 Highland Ave, Winchester, MA  
Upon registration you will be put in contact with R.J. Carroll to set up lessons.

# ADULT FITNESS PROGRAMS

## KICKBOXING & CORE

This course is designed specifically for adults who have had very little to no exposure to martial arts training. We will cover some of the basics of traditional and modern mixed martial arts. The program will consist of 30 min. of cardio kickboxing and 30 min. of core and toning. Please bring exercise mat with you.

Date: Session I: Wed, April 6th - May 11th  
Session II: Wed, May 18th - June 22nd

Time: 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Fee: \$54 per participant

Location: Live Life Fitness & Wellness  
66-F Concord Street  
Wilmington, MA 01887

Instructor: Jen Tortalano, Certified Trainer  
Min. 8 participants

## ZUMBA

Zumba fuses hypnotic Latin rhythms and easy to follow moves to create a dynamic workout system that will blow you away. Zumba Fanatics achieve long term benefits while experiencing an absolute blast in one exhilarating hour of caloric-burning, heart-racing, muscle-pumping, body-energizing, awe-inspiring movements meant to engage and captivate for life! The routines feature interval training sessions where fast and slow rhythms and resistance training are combined to tone and sculpt your body while burning fat.

Date: Session I: Mon, April 4th - May 9th  
Session II: Mon, May 16th - June 27th  
(no class on 5/23)

Time: 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Fee: \$54 per participant

Location: Live Life Fitness & Wellness  
66-F Concord Street  
Wilmington, MA 01887

Instructor: Jen Tortalano, Certified Trainer  
Min. 8 participants

## The Adopt-An-Island Project

Combine your love for gardening with civic beautification...Adopt-an-Island



This project is coordinated by members of the READING GARDEN CLUB for the Town of Reading. The program is starting its 16th year and has grown from 17 to over 113 sites all over town!

### Current Sites Include:

- Traffic islands
- Corners of streets
- Barrels at the Train Depot
- Islands around the Senior Center and Police Station
- Tannerville Community

### Program Details:

Islands are planted, watered, and maintained from the end of May through October and then put to bed for the winter. Many different groups as well as families and individuals are involved in the program. Adopters often choose a site that is easily accessible to them or has a sentimental value. A sign is created and maintained for each site. The sign indicates the sponsor of the island, and who it is in memory of, or adopted by.

We currently have sites available. If you are interested in more information, please contact either Susan Bowe at [Bbowe@comcast.net](mailto:Bbowe@comcast.net) or Sue Hunter at [Suehunter1@verizon.net](mailto:Suehunter1@verizon.net) (please use AAI in subject line of the E-Mail).

## CARDIO, CORE AND MORE

Mix it up with a combination of cardio, strength training, and core conditioning. This fat-burning cardiovascular class is designed to increase muscular strength and endurance and help boost your metabolism. Class will target large muscle groups, like abs, glutes, chest, shoulders, quads and incorporates pilates to work all of your core abdominal muscles. Toning is a great way to take inches off your measurements, improve posture and feel better. Please bring a mat, set of hand weights, a stability ball and water. No coordination is required and all fitness levels welcome!

Date: Session I: Mon, April 4th - May 9th  
Session II: Wed, April 6th - May 11th  
Session III: Mon, May 16th - June 27th\*  
(no class on May 23)  
Session IV: Wed, May 18th - June 22nd

Time: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Fee: \$54 per participant

Location: Live Life Fitness & Wellness  
66-F Concord Street  
Wilmington, MA 01887

Instructor: Jen Tortalano, Certified Trainer  
Min. 8 participants



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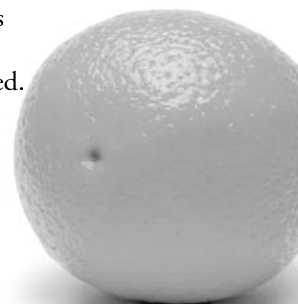


We encourage families to compare assisted living services and amenities with Longwood Place At Reading. Our monthly rates include almost everything, unlike others who charge a la carte fees for each service desired.

*Included in our monthly service fee:*

- Three Meals Served Daily
- Medication Reminder Program
- Lifeline Emergency Response System
- A Calendar of Activities seven days a week.

To learn more, call **Doug Warren** or **Frank Petras** at **781-944-9200**.



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Receive \$25 OFF the joiner's fee when you sign up  
for a membership before 6/30/11!

Member's refer a friend to sign up and receive  
**ONE FREE MONTH** of membership.

Offer not valid at other Y locations. Ad must be presented at Welcome Center Desk to receive discount. May not be combined with other offers. Friend must stay a members for 30 days in order to receive free month.

**BURBANK YMCA**

**781-944-9622**

**36 Arthur B. Lord Dr., Reading, MA 01867**

**[ymcaboston.org/burbank](http://ymcaboston.org/burbank)**



# ***PASSIVE RECREATION AREAS***

Site	Access Point	Activities
Bare Meadows	Pearl Street Mattera Cabin at 1481 Main St.	Trails, Picnic, X-C Ski, View Platform
Schneider Woods	Haverhill Street	Trails, Habitat
Lobs Pound Mill	Mill Street	Trails, Habitat, Fishing Pier
Kurchian Woods	Franklin Street Buckskin Drive Fairchild Drive	Trails, Habitat, X-C Ski
Town Forest	Strout Avenue Fox Run Lane Roma Lane	Trails, Habitat
Theelin Bird Sanctuary	Hancock Street	Trails, Habitat
Pinevale Avenue	Pinevale Avenue Warren Avenue Park Avenue	Trails, Habitat
Maillett/Morgan/Somes	Willow Street Lee Street Hunt Street	Trails, Habitat
Woodland, Higgins	Henzie Street Criterion Street Woodland Street	Trails, Habitat
Mattera	Main Street	Trails, Habitat, Log Cabin

## Mattera Cabin ~ 1481 Main St., Reading MA



**OPEN HOUSE**

Saturday  
10AM - 12PM  
April 30th

Come learn more about the cabin and Mattera conservation area and exciting up-coming opportunities for the whole family.

Contact Recreation Administrator for information on renting the Mattera Cabin for your next meeting or event.

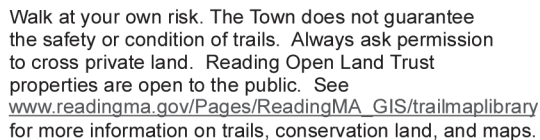
PHONE: 781.942.9075

EMAIL: [jleudo@ci.reading.ma.us](mailto:jleudo@ci.reading.ma.us)

\* Limited parking on site, carpool if possible.



**READING  
CONSERVATION  
AREAS**





# READING RECREATION REGISTRATION FORM

You can use this form for Registration or you can create your own registration form at [www.readingrec.com](http://www.readingrec.com)

See next page for instructions

RECREATION REGISTRATION, 16 LOWELL STREET, READING, MA 01867

Fax to (781 )942-5441 (Credit Card Only)

PARTICIPANTS NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ TOWN: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: M F

PRIMARY GUARDIAN \_\_\_\_\_ WORK or CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

FEE: \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK #: \_\_\_\_\_ CASH \_\_\_\_\_ Checks Payable to "Town of Reading"

Circle One:    Print Exact Cardholder Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please note if the address of the card holder is different than above.

Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT: \_\_\_\_\_ EMERGENCY PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to Participant \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Concerns/Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Program Title	Session/Day	Time	Fee

I/We, \_\_\_\_\_, parent/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, a minor, do hereby consent to his/her participation in the Reading, Massachusetts Recreation Programs and do forever release, acquit, discharge and covenant to hold harmless the Town of Reading and its successors, employees, agents, servants and officers from any and all actions, causes of action, and claims, demands, damages, costs, on account of, or in any way growing out of, directly or indirectly, all known and unknown personal injuries or property damage which I/we may have now or hereafter have as the parent or guardian of said minor and also all claims or right of action for damages which said minor has or hereafter may acquire, either before or after reaching majority resulting from her/his participation of the Reading Recreations Programs and/or receiving medical attention as provided herein; furthermore, I/we hereby agree to indemnify, reimburse or make good to the Town of Reading or its successors, employees, agents, servants and officers any loss or damage or costs, including attorney's fees, the Town or its representatives may incur if any litigation arises from said minor's intentional, grossly negligent, or reckless acts or omissions while participating in said recreation programs. I understand that this program involves physical activity and hereby state that to my/our knowledge such minor is in proper physical condition for participation in such program. I/we also agree to provide such minor with all the proper and required equipment to participate in such programs.

In the event of an emergency requiring medical attention, beyond first aid, I/we hereby grant permission to a physician or hospital personnel designated by the Reading Recreation Division to attend to such minor. I have fully read and understand the terms of this release and waiver.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Must be signed by Parent/Guardian/ of participant under 18

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby forever release, acquit, discharge and covenant to hold harmless the Town of Reading and its successors, employees, agents, servants and officers from any and all actions, causes of action, and claims, demands, damages, costs, on account of, or in any way growing out of, directly or indirectly, all known and unknown personal injuries or property damage which I may have now or hereafter have from my participation in the Town of Reading Recreation Programs. Furthermore, I hereby agree to indemnify, reimburse or make good to the Town of Reading or its successors, employees, agents, servants and officers any loss or damage or costs, including attorney's fees, the Town or its representatives may incur if any litigation arises from my intentional, grossly negligent, or reckless acts or omissions while participating in said recreation programs. I understand that these programs involve physical activity and hereby state that I am in proper physical condition for participation in such programs.

I have fully read and understand the terms of this release and waiver.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Must be signed by Adult Participants

# HOW TO REGISTER ON-LINE!

## WWW.READINGREC.COM



1. LOG-IN TO YOUR ACCOUNT. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ONE, CREATE A NEW ACCOUNT

2. CLICK ON, OR PLACE YOUR CURSOR OVER, THE "BROWSE ACTIVITIES" LINK AT THE TOP OF THE SCREEN AND SELECT A PROGRAM OF INTEREST

3. CLICK "CHOOSE MEMBER" THEN SELECT A MEMBER FROM THE LIST THAT APPEARS. THIS WILL ALLOW YOU TO ADD ACTIVITIES TO THE CART FOR THAT MEMBER OF YOUR HOUSEHOLD

4. CLICK "CHANGE MEMBER" TO ADD ACTIVITIES TO THE CART FOR ANOTHER MEMBER IN THE HOUSEHOLD

5. CLICK "CHECK OUT" TO REVIEW YOUR SHOPPING CART, THEN CONTINUE TO MOVE FORWARD WITH YOUR ORDER

6. CHOOSE PAY ONLINE (WHEN AVAILABLE) OR CREATE A REGISTRATION FORM AND FOLLOW THE STEPS



Sailing on Lake Quannapowitt

The Quannapowitt Yacht Club Youth Sailing Program is a registered children's sport camp with the Town of Wakefield's Board of Health. The sailing program enrolls students starting at 8 years of age and entering third grade through high school. This is a fun way to learn to sail with kids from different communities. We also offer advanced racing programs and participate in several regattas in Massachusetts.

Camp hours are from 9AM to 4PM Monday through Friday.

Session I 6/27-7/8/11 - Session II 7/11-7/22/11

Session III 7/25-8/5/11- Session IV 8/8-8/19/11.

Sailing program cost \$500.00 for members of QYC- \$560.00 for non-members/ per session.

Racing program cost \$1,020.00 for members of QYC-\$1,145.00 for non-members/ it is a 4 week program that encompasses session I and II or session III and IV.

Registration forms and a \$100.00 deposit are now being accepted. Forms can be downloaded at [www.sailqyc.com](http://www.sailqyc.com).

For further information contact Rose Krepps at 781-246-7538 [rose.krepps@comcast.net](mailto:rose.krepps@comcast.net)

We also offer adult sailing lessons. For further information on becoming a member or for our open houses visit our website.

# ***SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION FORM***

You can use this form for Registration or you can create your own registration form at [www.readingrec.com](http://www.readingrec.com)  
RECREATION REGISTRATION, 16 LOWELL STREET, READING, MA 01867

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ GRADE (Fall, 2011): \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ TOWN: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: M F

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Concerns/Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Please be sure you have attached the camper's necessary immunization and physical exam records dated within the past two (2) years. By signing below, the parent/guardian acknowledges that the camper has had a physical exam within the past 2 years and is up to date on all immunizations including: Measles, Mumps and Rubella, Polio Vaccine, Diphtheria and Tetanus, Toxoids and Pertussis Vaccine, Hepatitis B for children born on or after 1/1/92. The immunization records must include a completed TB assessment and the results must state that the child is "LOW RISK." For details or questions, please contact your child's primary care physician.

Summer Camp	Session:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	\$ _____
Junior Camp - Full Day	Session:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	\$ _____
Junior Camp - AM	Session:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	\$ _____
Before Camp	Session:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	\$ _____
After Camp	Session:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	\$ _____
CIT Program	Session:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	\$ _____
Please circle all that apply										Total \$ _____

**IMPORTANT:** Please see Camp Refund Policy on Page 10 of the Summer Edition of the Reading Recreation Magazine.

Program Fee: \_\_\_\_\_ Check #: \_\_\_\_\_ CASH \_\_\_\_\_ Checks Payable to "Town of Reading"

Circle Credit Card:    Print Exact Cardholder Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Grouping Request:** Reading Recreation will attempt to do its best to place campers with requested groupings. Please understand that Reading Recreation must comply with the ratio requirements for counselors to campers and for this reason some groupings may not be allowed. All grouping requests should be made at the time of registration and not after receiving your camp letter.

## RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

I/We, \_\_\_\_\_, parent/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, a minor, do hereby consent to his/her participation in the Reading, Massachusetts Recreation Programs and do forever release, acquit, discharge and covenant to hold harmless the Town of Reading and its successors, employees, agents, servants and officers from any and all actions, causes of action, and claims, demands, damages, costs, on account of, or in any way growing out of, directly or indirectly, all known and unknown personal injuries or property damage which I/we may have now or hereafter have as the parent or guardian of said minor and also all claims or right of action for damages which said minor has or hereafter may acquire, either before or after reaching majority resulting from her/his participation of the Reading Recreation Programs and/or receiving medical attention as provided herein; furthermore, I/we hereby agree to indemnify, reimburse or make good to the Town of Reading or its successors, employees, agents, servants and officers any loss or damage or costs, including attorney's fees, the Town or its representatives may incur if any litigation arises from said minor's intentional, grossly negligent, or reckless acts or omissions while participating in said recreation programs. I/We understand that this program involves physical activity and hereby state that to my/our knowledge such minor is in proper physical condition for participation in such programs. I/We also agree to provide such minor with all the proper and required equipment to participate in such programs.

In the event of an emergency requiring medical attention, beyond first aid, I/we hereby grant permission to a physician or hospital personnel designated by the Reading Recreation Division to attend to such minor. I have fully read and understand the terms of this release and waiver.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



# READING POLICE DEPARTMENT

JAMES CORMIER, CHIEF OF POLICE  
BUSINESS NUMBER 781-944-1212  
EMERGENCY NUMBER 911

The Police Department provides many programs to the community free of charge. We supplement some of the expenses through Community Policing Grants. Many of these programs are contingent upon the grants themselves. The Reading Police Department will always respond to your calls

## **Citizens Police Academy**

Lt. David Stamatis @ 781-942-6763  
[http://www.ci.reading.ma.us/Pages/ReadingMA\\_Police/programs/index](http://www.ci.reading.ma.us/Pages/ReadingMA_Police/programs/index)

The Academy gives the residents of Reading an opportunity to learn more about what the police department does on a daily basis. With public support and understanding so essential to law enforcement, the Citizen Police Academy has proven to be an excellent program to bring the community and law enforcement together for common goals.

The overall goal of the Citizen Police Academy is, "Understanding through Education". This is accomplished by the exchange of information from the citizen participants and law enforcement instructors of the class.

There are classes given in domestic violence, dispatch procedures, community policing, accident investigation, patrol procedures, O.U.I. arrests, firearms, fingerprinting and other law enforcement related topics. An officer ride-along program will be scheduled for students upon completion of the academy.

The class size will be limited to 25 students and applications can be picked up at the police station or filled out online at [http://www.ci.reading.ma.us/Pages/ReadingMA\\_Police/programs/index](http://www.ci.reading.ma.us/Pages/ReadingMA_Police/programs/index)

## **Community Training Room**

Safety Officer Justin Martel @ 781-942-6775

The Reading Police have a Community Room available for Reading Groups and organizations, which seats 48 people. An administration fee is charged for its use. Applications are available at all Town Buildings.

## **Crime Prevention Division**

Lt. Richard Robbins @ 781-942-6757

Lt. Robbins is also available for meetings when areas of concern arise in your neighborhood. You may also schedule a Home Security Survey where you will be provided with tips and helpful information that may assist you in deterring loss due to theft from your home.

## **Operation Identification**

Call 781-944-1212

Operation Identification is a process of engraving a resident's license number onto valuable household items. Identifying property decreases its value to a criminal and may deter a burglar from breaking into a home and taking a resident's possessions. If property is stolen there is a greater chance of tracing and returning valuables to an owner if property is properly marked and recorded. Residents can borrow an electric engraver from the Police Department for three days at no charge.

## **Firearms Identification Cards**

Officer Christopher Picco @ 781- 942-6766

Any resident applying for a card for the first time must take a Firearms Safety Course. For more information on firearms visit: [http://www.ci.reading.ma.us/Pages/ReadingMA\\_Police/forms/index](http://www.ci.reading.ma.us/Pages/ReadingMA_Police/forms/index) and click on the firearms links.

## **Speed/Traffic Studies**

Safety Officer Justin Martel @ 781-942-6775

The Reading Police Department now offers to its residents an opportunity to have their street surveyed for speed, volume and class of vehicle. Recently through a grant funded by the Governor's Highway Safety Bureau (GHSB), The Reading Police Department purchased two traffic/speed survey counters and data recorders.

## **RAD**

Sergeant David Clark @ 781-942-6752  
[http://www.ci.reading.ma.us/Pages/ReadingMA\\_Police/programs/index](http://www.ci.reading.ma.us/Pages/ReadingMA_Police/programs/index)

The Rape Aggression Defense (R.A.D.) System is a comprehensive course for women that begins with awareness, prevention, risk reduction and avoidance, while progression on to the basics of hands-on defense training. R.A.D. is not a Martial Arts program. This system is dedicated to teaching women defense concepts and techniques against various types of assault, by utilizing easy, effective and proven self-defense/martial art tactics. This system of realistic defense will provide women with the knowledge to make an educated decision about resistance. The course consists of four 4-hour sessions.

## **Traffic Safety Speed Trailer**

Safety Officer Justin Martel @ 781-942-6775

The Reading Police Department's speed trailer is a great way to help lower vehicle speeds on problem roadways. The device has a built in radar unit that is connected to a large flashing signboard. The flashing speed makes drivers more aware of their travel speeds and slows traffic down. If your neighborhood could benefit from this device, please contact the Safety Officer Michael Lee for more information.

## **Web Page**

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# ***FIELDS, PARKS AND PLAY AREAS***

## **Birch Meadow Complex-Birch Meadow Drive**

- 3 Softball fields
- 90' Baseball
- Tot Lot
- Adventure Course
- TURF 2 Field
- Community Tennis Courts
- Ice Skating
- RMHS Track
- Soccer/Lacrosse
- Morton Memorial Field
- Castine Memorial Field
- Kick Wall

## **Barrows School-Edgemont Avenue**

- Baseball
- Tennis Courts
- Basketball
- Playground

## **Coolidge Middle School**

- Soccer/Lacrosse

## **Wood End School**

- Field
- Handi-Cap Accessible Playground

## **Parker Middle School- Temple Street**

- Steve Collins Memorial Field (Turf)

## **Symonds Way Field- Symonds Way**

- 90' Baseball Diamond - Soccer (Fall)

## **Memorial Park-Charles Street**

- Basketball
- Tennis
- John and Marge Pacino Bandstand
- Ice Skating
- Playground

## **Hunt Memorial Park-Pleasant Street**

- Baseball
- Playground

## **Washington Park-Washington Street**

- John B. Pacino Memorial Baseball Field
- Tennis Courts
- Basketball
- Playground

## **Killam School-Charles Street**

- Softball/Baseball
- Playground

## **Joshua Eaton School-Summer Avenue**

- Softball/Baseball
- Playground

## **Sturges Park-South Street**

- Softball/Baseball
- Ice Skating, Outdoor
- Basketball
- Tennis Courts

# ***FIELD & PARK RULES AND REGULATIONS***

1. All organized groups must receive a written permit from the Recreation Division, for the reserved use of a facility under the committee's jurisdiction. These facilities include the Tennis Courts, Basketball Courts, Parks, Fields, and Outdoor Skating areas
  - All RMHS, Extra-Curricular Programs receive first priority for practice and games.
  - Required Use before 5:45 PM during the school year must receive approval from the RMHS Athletic Director and a permit from the Recreation Division.
  - Tennis Court - Order of Priority - High School Teams and Physical Education Classes, Recreation Staff, Programming, Adults 18 and Over (Weekdays After 5:00 PM and Sunday Mornings)
2. All groups who receive a permit must pay the applicable fee as adopted in the current fee schedule. The fee schedule is listed in the field permitting and fee policy located on the Recreation Division website.
3. Permitted use of any facility before noon on Sunday is prohibited except by special permit approved by the Recreation Committee.
4. Alcoholic Beverages are not permitted on any public property. If found in violation:
  - A. Permits may be revoked
  - B. Violators may be subject to arrest and prosecution.
5. All groups must dispose of their own trash.
6. Animal waste must be removed by the pet owner. Dogs must be on a leash at all times.
7. Fire Arms, Destructive Weapons, Sling Shots, Bows and Arrows, and Fire Works are prohibited.
8. Fires and Cooking Grills prohibited except by special permit.
9. Golfing/Practice prohibited.
10. Unauthorized vehicles prohibited from driving/ parking on any town field without written permission.
11. If necessary these regulations shall be enforced by the Reading Police Department, who shall cause the immediate termination of any activity that violates these rules and regulations.

**RESIDENTS SHOULD CHECK WITH THE READING RECREATION DIVISION FOR ANY POLICY CHANGES**

# ***READING YOUTH & ADULT SPORT ORGANIZATIONS***

Reading Pop Warner Football Adam Pollock	942 - 9494	Reading Youth Field Hockey Mim Jarema	944 - 7766
Reading Babe Ruth League Jeff Pierce	944 - 7552	Reading Youth Baseball Charlie Ehl	942 - 7924
Reading Baseball School Peter Moscariello	942 - 1362	Reading Youth Basketball John Feudo	942 - 9075
Reading Senior Babe Ruth League Jeff Pierce	944 - 7552	Reading Recreation T-Ball Jim Sullivan	942 - 9075
Reading Legion Baseball Mark Andrick	781-439-1780	Reading Youth Hockey <a href="http://www.eteamz.com/readingyouthhockey/board/">www.eteamz.com/readingyouthhockey/board/</a>	
Reading Lou Tompkins League Jeff Pierce	944 - 7552	Reading Boys Youth Lacrosse Charles Hardy	942 - 1489
Reading Men's Softball Dennis Gray	944 - 9602	Reading Girls Youth Lacrosse Brenda Doherty	942 - 0553
Reading United Soccer Mike Sheedy	msheedy@comcast.net	Reading Youth Softball Frank Driscoll	fpd46@yahoo.com
Eastern Mass Women's Soccer Diana McKee	942 - 7608	Reading Youth Wrestling Jim Roscoe	944 - 1070
Reading Women's Soccer Pat Medina	944 - 7784	Reading Burbank Ice Arena 51 Symonds Way	942 - 2271
Reading Adult Volleyball Steve Quigley	944 - 8349	Reading Women's Sports Nancy Patterson	944 - 0877

## **ATTENTION YOUTH SPORTS COACHES**

You are invited to the 2011  
Reading Youth Sports Coaches Symposium

**DATE: MARCH 29TH**

Topics will cover:  
Bullying Intervention and Prevention  
Concussion and Head Trauma Prevention

Location RMHS Performing Arts Center  
Time: 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Come join the discussion. Coaches have tremendous influence on our youth!



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# Reading Recreation Summer Concert Series

## THEATER ON THE GREEN

**Childrens performances @ Memorial Park**

**Wednesdays, 3:00pm - 4:00pm**

July 6th	Jenny the Juggler
July 13th	Toe Jam Puppet Band
July 20th	Curious Creatures
July 27th	Marvelous Marionettes
August 3rd	Wayne from Maine

## TOUCH OF CLASS

**Family Concerts @ Town Hall Common**

**Sundays, 6:30pm - 8:00pm July**

**6:00pm - 7:30pm August**

July 10th	Bob Bachelder Swing Orchestra
July 17th	Steve Savio Contemporary Music
July 24th	Fab4Ever Beatles Coverband
July 31st	Jolly Rogues Irish Band
August 7th	Reading Civic Concert Band Concert Band