

Summer Special Events

2018 SCHEDULE & REGISTRATION



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Essex Junction Recreation & Parks

We Create Community Through People, Parks & Programs

Mission areas

- Provide recreational experiences for all ages
- Provide community opportunities for fun and celebration
- Offer affordable and accessible programs
- Provide diverse learning experiences
- Promote lifelong health and wellbeing
- Maintain environmental stewardship of our parks and facilities

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Essex Junction Parks

Maple Street Park

38 acres of park land
 recreation center
 2 swimming pools
 concession stands
 4 pavilions
 baseball fields
 tennis courts
 basketball court
 playground areas
 nature trails
 skate park
 bike park
 gaga ballpit

Cascade Park

10 acres of park land
 tennis courts
 basketball court
 baseball field
 playground areas

Stevens Park

8 acres of park land
 nature trails
 large open area

Registration Information

Only registered participants are permitted in programs. Registrations are on a first come, first served, PAID basis. EJRP accounts must be in good standing at time of registration. Register early as programs have a minimum and maximum enrollment.

Resident: One who resides in the Village of Essex Junction.

Non-Resident: One who resides in any community outside of the Village of Essex Junction.

Non-resident surcharge: (built into program fee)

\$10 per participant for programs with fees less than \$50;

\$15 for programs with fees \$50-\$99;

\$20 for programs with fees \$100 or more.

Walk-in: In person registrations may be made between 8am-4pm, Monday-Friday. You can use the drop box next to the front door during non-business hours.

Mail-in: Mail-in registration may be made by sending in payment and the registration form. Include a self-addressed stamped envelope if you need a receipt.

Online Registration: Available for most programs. Visit www.ejrp.org to view programs and register.

Waiting Lists: We maintain wait lists at no cost. We will attempt to offer additional classes for programs with large wait lists.

Payment: All programs must be paid at registration with check, cash, or credit card.

Cancellations: For cancellations and program changes, call 878-1375. If EJRP cancels a class during a session and rescheduling is not possible, refunds will NOT be issued. If a program has not met the minimum enrollment requirement one week prior to the first class, it will be cancelled.

Refunds: For a refund, EJRP must be notified one week prior to the start date of the class. If a refund is distributed, a \$5 administration fee will be assessed. A separate policy applies to licensed childcare.

Program Location: All program locations are subject to change.

ADA Compliance: We are committed to providing individuals with disabilities equal access to our parks, facilities, and programs. We are willing to make reasonable accommodations in our programs in order to include those needing assistance. If you have a disability requiring special accommodations please notify us at least two weeks prior to the event so that we can make the appropriate arrangements.

Scholarships: If you are unable to pay due to hardship, please request a Scholarship Application from the Essex Junction Recreation & Parks office. All requests are confidential and considered on an individual basis. Only residents of the Village of Essex Junction are eligible.

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Special Events

Dinner & Ice Cream in the Park

Join us each Tuesday this summer for dinner and ice cream in the park! A dinner food truck and Dudley's Delights ice cream truck will have items to purchase each week, in the Maple Street Park parking lot. Enjoy a night in the park and support your community as some of the proceeds from sales go directly to providing program scholarships. Food Truck Nights are weather dependent. Check facebook.com/EJRec for updates.

DATE Tuesdays, June 26–August 21
TIME 3–7pm
PLACE Maple Street Park

Very Merry Theatre: *The Wiz*

Come see this unique local touring theatre company for children and teenagers who perform classical drama and literature including works by Shakespeare, Dickens, and Twain, as well as Broadway musicals. This year's performance will be *The Wiz*, a timeless tale of Dorothy's adventures through the Land of Oz presented as a fun, family-friendly, modern musical.

DATE Friday, August 3
TIME 6:30pm
PLACE Maple Street Park
FEE Free

Great American Backyard Camp-Out

Co-sponsored with Essex Parks & Recreation

Get ready to kick off July's National Parks & Recreation Month by getting OUT. Thousands of people across the nation will gather in their backyards, neighborhoods, communities and parks to take part in an event that provides a fun-filled evening for all generations to get outside and connect with nature. For the first time, both recreation departments will be collaborating to host this event and we invite you and your family to reserve a campsite at Sand Hill Park, set up camp, swim at Sand Hill Pool, play family games, have a campfire BBQ dinner with friends and enjoy a bonfire. Lite fare will be provided along with access to the grill. Campsites will be assigned to each family. Please register by family/campsite, not per person.

DATE Saturday, June 23
TIME Saturday 3pm–Sunday 9am
PLACE Sandhill Park
FEE Free
CODE 180401A
NOTE Pre-registration required. Camping gear, including a tent and sleeping bags are NOT provided – you must bring your own.

No Strings Marionette Company: *Wasabi, A Dragon's Tale*

Co-sponsored with the Brownell Library

Celebrate summer reading with this special event! Brought to life through exquisitely crafted marionettes and sumptuous story-book scenery we'll see a modern-minded fairy tale where Princess Aja happily contemplates her upcoming marriage to Prince Olaf. Aja's perceptions promptly vanish when fire-breathing Wasabi swoops from the sky, reduces the palace to ashes and carries off her betrothed! You will be delighted as the spunky Princess, with a little help from her wise fairy friends, outwits Wasabi to save the kingdom and the day.

DATE Wednesday, August 8
TIME 6:30pm
PLACE Maple Street Park
FEE Free
NOTE Kids who hand in their reading log will get an achievement certificate and a free book after the show. Reading logs can be picked up from the Brownell Library all summer.

Senior Picnic

The recreation staff at EJRP will serve a delicious summer lunch for residents of Essex Junction and Essex Town ages 55+. Come socialize with your friends and enjoy food and entertainment. Registration is required.

DATE Wednesday, July 11
TIME 12–1:30pm
PLACE Maple Street Park
FEE \$5 per person
CODE 170301A



Movie Night in the Park

Join us for an end of summer night time movie at Maple Street Park! We will provide the lawn space, popcorn and a family-friendly movie. Bring a chair, blanket, or sleeping bag and get comfortable for a great family fun event!

DATE Friday, August 17
TIME 8pm
PLACE Maple Street Park
FEE Free

25th Annual Fourth of July Celebration

Once again, EJRP will host the July 4th Celebration at Maple Street Park. This night is sure to be unforgettable with fun and food for the whole family.

ENTERTAINMENT

- Mini fun town with bounce castle and obstacle course
- Big Blue Trunk games and obstacle course
- Face Mania facepainting
- Balloon sculpting
- Fireworks show at 9:30 pm
- And more!



MUSIC

Back for another year of fantastic music, Trevor Contois and Friends are putting together a killer line-up for this year's celebration. The band starts rockin at 6:30pm and will be performing today's top hits and classics from Bruno Mars, Justin Timberlake, Beyonce, Stevie Wonder, Michael McDonald, Steely Dan, Toto, and more!

Featuring: Trevor Contois, Drums/Musical Director/Arranger; Dave Contois, Keyboards/Arranger; Rosie Newton, Vocals; Michael Lawler, Vocals; Mingo Maquera, Guitar/Vocals; Chris Doncaster, Bass Guitar; Chris Peterman, Saxophones; Adam Sawyer, Trombone; Kevin Avery, Trumpet; Travis Groat, Sound Engineer

FOOD

Come on an empty stomach and support our community organizations! The following food & drinks will be for sale:

- Hamburgers, hot dogs, and drinks by Essex Junction Little League
- Pulled pork by the Lions Club
- Pizza by Essex CHIPS
- Baked goods by local Girl Scouts
- Dudley's Delights Ice Cream Truck

DATE Wednesday, July 4
TIME Festivities start at 6pm; Fireworks at 9:30pm
PLACE Maple Street Park. Rain site: Essex High School Ice Rink
FEE This event is free and open to the community.
NOTE **The pool, food and drink, activities, and other products will be available for purchase. The pool closes at 6pm on July 4.**

18th Annual Essex Junction Block Party & Street Dance

This is a free community event celebrating downtown Essex Junction. Come and meet your friends and neighbors in the heart of our historic downtown. Activities include face painting, Roaming Railroad, balloon art, and a bounce castle. There will be a large variety of food from local restaurants. Dance in the street to music by the X-Rays.

DATE Saturday, July 28
TIME 5–9pm
PLACE Railroad Avenue and Lincoln Place



Special Events

Essex Dog Days of Summer

The Essex Dog Park is hosting the 7th annual Essex Dog Days of Summer celebration. This is open to everyone, including your on-leash pups, who will be allowed in the park for an exciting day.

DATE Sunday, August 26

TIME 11am–2pm

PLACE Maple Street Park

FEE This event is free, except for the swim. All proceeds will help maintain and enhance the Essex Dog Park, located at 111 West Street.

NOTE For more information, please visit www.ejrp.org. Dogs should be friendly and socialize well with other dogs and humans. No fighters or biters. All dogs must be licensed and wearing their tag. Dogs showing signs of aggression will be asked to leave. One handler can only bring a maximum of two dogs.

Local Dog & Pet Related Vendors

Meet with some of your local dog and pet related vendors to see and sample products and talk with owners and experts.

TIME 12–2pm

Essex Dog Jog

Co-sponsored by All Breed Rescue

The day will start with a dog and owner 2 mile run/walk. Dogs must be on a short leash (6' or less) and under the control of a responsible owner, who is age 16+. Strollers/baby joggers are welcome. This course starts and ends at Maple Street Park, and travels the roads/sidewalks throughout the Countryside development. Various awards will be presented to dogs in the small (up to 25lbs), medium (26–50lbs), and large (51+lbs) dog categories.

TIME 11am

FEE \$15 pre-registration per dog / \$20 race day registration

CODE 170603A

If I Could Only Paddle Like a Doggy...

Starting at 12pm, the Maple Street Pool will be open for the dogs. There is no charge per person. Both the small and large pool will be open, including the low diving board. Dogs must be on leash from the parking lot into the pool area. Please do not bring toys that your dog is possessive over, however, you may bring balls, Frisbees or other toys that they won't mind sharing.

TIME 12–2pm

FEE \$5 per dog

NOTE This event is for dogs to swim in the pool, not for people. Please do not bring your children with the idea that they will be able to go swimming...they will be disappointed!





Discount Amusement Park Tickets

EJRP is selling discount tickets for Six Flags New England and The Great Escape. The proceeds from the sale of the discounted tickets aid the Vermont Recreation and Parks Association and its many services and programs. Tickets can be purchased at 75 Maple Street, during normal business hours with cash, check, or credit card.

| PRICE | EJRP | Gate | Discount |
|--|------|---------|----------|
| Great Escape Adult (over 48") | \$40 | \$61.99 | 35% |
| Great Escape Parking Passes | \$18 | \$20 | 10% |
| Six Flags New England Adult (over 54") | \$40 | \$67.99 | 41% |

Five Corners Farmers Market

The Five Corners Farmers' Market is coming back for Summer 2018! The Market will be in a new location in Five Corners, at 3 Main Street in Essex Junction! Market vendors offer produce, meat, specialty food, agriculture, prepared food, crafts, and there will also be a featured community table. The Five Corners Farmers' Market is excited to host a wide range of talented musicians at our Wednesday evening markets.

The Market will be held on Wednesdays, 4–7:30pm from May 30–August 29 and 3:30–6:30pm from September 5–October 3. For a full list of vendors and musicians, to learn more and volunteer, please check out the website: 5cornersfarmersmarket.com and Facebook page: @5CornersFarmersMarket.



Free Breakfast & Lunch!

EJRP is proud to once again partner with Child Nutrition Services at EWSD to present the Summer Foods Service Program, featuring free breakfast and lunch for all community members age 18 and younger, Monday–Friday, for 10 weeks this summer!

Service is available at Fleming School, 21 Prospect Street. Monday–Thursday, with breakfast from 9–10am and lunch from 11:30am–12:30pm. Service is available at Maple Street Park, 75 Maple Street.

Monday–Friday, with breakfast from 10am–12pm and lunch from 12–2pm. The program begins on June 18 and concludes on August 10 at Fleming and August 24 at Maple Street. There is no service on July 4.

Races

28th Annual Father's Day Fun Run

Join us for our 28th Annual Father's Day Fun Run 5K (3.1 mile) certified road race. T-shirts are guaranteed to all racers who are registered before June 7. We will have our popular prize categories for placers, including fastest overall male, female, dad, senior, and more. Sign up with Dad or Granddad and their registration is free!

DATE Sunday, June 17
TIME 9am / Onsite registration & packet pick-up: 7:45–8:45am
PLACE Maple Street Park
FEE \$15 pre-registration / \$20 race day registration
CODE 170600A

Timberlane Dental Brite Nite 5K

Grab your flashing, glowing, neon gear and join us for our 5th annual Brite Nite 5K! This 3.1-mile out-and-back race starts off on Main Street and continues down Educational Drive, turning down Old Colchester Road, with the turn-around at the Tree Farm. Multiple music and light stations set up along the course will keep you energized and having a great time. Awards, prizes, and snacks to follow the race. Register by July 13th to guarantee yourself a t-shirt and glow gear. Due to safety concerns, this race is not suitable for walkers.

DATE Saturday, July 28
TIME On-site registration and packet pick-up: 8–8:45pm
 Race starts at 9pm
 Post-race party and awards 9:30–10pm
PLACE Ivy Lane
FEE \$20 pre-registration/\$30 race-day registration
CODE 170602A

7th Annual Essex Half Marathon

For the last six summers runners have loved this out and back course, with a loop in the middle, and we are gearing up for a bigger and better race in 2018! This will be the first year we are also offering a 10k option! The race starts at Essex High School before bringing racers to the country back roads of Essex. At mile 4, runners will encounter a one mile incline and leg burn while trying to conquer Curve Hill. Runners will feel the comfort of the dirt roads as they run their way up and down the hills of Lost Nation Road. The turn-around spot is the end of Lost Nation Road, at the intersection of Old Stage Road. Runners will continue back on Lost Nation Road before cruising down Lamore, back onto Colchester Road to Old Colchester Road, towards the finish. Friends, loved ones, and fans will be cheering as runners sprint to the finish. The cutoff time for this event is 3 hours. The Essex Half Marathon is a certified course. Certification code VT12008JK, 10k certification code to be announced.

DATE Sunday, July 22
TIME 8:30am
PLACE Start & Finish: Essex High School, 2 Educational Drive
NOTE **Packet pick up: Saturday, July 21, 12–4pm, Fleet Feet Sports, 76 Pearl St., Essex Junction**
Sunday, July 22, 7–8am Essex High School Ice Rink
CODE 170601A Half Marathon Distance
 170601B 10k Distance

| FEES | | Half Marathon | 10k |
|------------------------|--------------|---------------|------|
| Regular Registration | Mar 1–Jun 30 | \$55 | \$45 |
| Late Registration | Jul 1–21 | \$65 | \$55 |
| Day of Registration | Jul 22 | \$95 | \$85 |
| Day of Distance Change | | \$20 | \$20 |



EJRP RUNNING RACES



Join us for one of our races or all of them!

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|---|--------------|
| March Mud-Season Mixer | March 24 |
| Maple Street Park Running Series (Thursdays)..... | May 3–June 7 |
| Father's Day Fun Run..... | June 17 |
| Essex Half Marathon & 10K..... | July 22 |
| Timberlane Dental Brite Nite 5K..... | July 28 |
| Essex Dog Jog 5k..... | August 26 |
| Halloween Hustle 5K..... | October 27 |

Register online at www.essexhalf.com, in person at Maple Street Park, or over the phone at 878-1375.

Aquatics

Maple Street Pool

Maple Street Pool 872-3370

Pool & Facility Rentals 878-1375

Pool Schedule Saturday, June 16–Saturday, August 25
***After August 1, the pool closes at 7pm*

Monday–Friday
 7:30am–12:05pm Lessons & Swim Team
 12:15–12:30pm Pass-holder entry
 12:30–5pm Public Swim
 5–6pm Family Swim
 6–8pm** Public Swim
 8–9pm Pool Rentals

Saturday–Sunday
 9:15–10:55am Lessons/Rentals
 11–11:15am Pass-holder entry
 11:15am–5pm Public Swim
 5–6pm Family Swim
 6–8pm** Public Swim
 8–9pm Pool Rentals

Daily Pool Fees

Youth \$5* Adult \$7* Half price after 6pm
**\$3 off with proof of Village residency. Must provide student ID, license, or other written evidence upon entry.*

SEASON PASSES NOW AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE ONLINE!

| Season Pass | Res | Non-Res | Code |
|------------------|------|---------|---------|
| Family | \$85 | \$150 | 180500B |
| Two-person | \$65 | \$115 | 180500A |
| Individual Adult | \$45 | \$80 | 170500A |
| Individual Youth | \$35 | \$65 | 160500A |

Family: 2 adults and children under 19, residing at same address.
Two-person: 2 individuals residing at same address.

**Passes will be new this summer.
 Old passes will no longer work.**

Swim Lesson Groups

Maple Street swim lesson curriculum was developed by Annie Cooper (swimwithannie.com)

Please sign your child up based on the age they will be on the first day of the session you are enrolling in. Your child must be able to participate in a group setting. To give your child the best experience, base their enrollment on their current skills.

Parent & Me **6+ months** (with parent) Light swim activities with some guidance and teaching intended for parent and child to become harmonious in water.

Toddler **36–47 months**

Preschool **4–5 years** Children who have not yet entered kindergarten.

School Age **5–18 years** Children who are in or have completed kindergarten.

| GROUP | CURRENT SKILLS | WILL WORK ON |
|---|---|---|
| Beginner | First exploration of water and group lessons. Needs assistance/reassurance in water. | Putting mouth, nose, eyes, cheek, hair, ears in. Explore use of noodles/backpack. |
| Paddler | Travels with no assistance using noodles/backpack. Underwater feelings range from absolutely not to maybe a quick dunk. | Gaining a desire to be comfortably underwater. Explore ears in while on back. |
| Underwater Ease | Happily hangs out underwater. Can briefly float/travel in water with face in, without a floatation device. | Moving forward with face in. Propulsion. On back, ears in. Explore coming up for air. |
| Swimmer | Swims with face comfortably in water, takes breath, re-submerges without assistance; 15+ yards in water over head. | Exploration of all four strokes, independent back swim, swimming underwater at depth. |
| Strokes | Some experience with all four strokes. Can swim 25 yards multiple times during a lesson | Explore a natural ease and efficiency in water in all four strokes. |
| Efficiency | Experience with all four strokes. Can swim 50+ yards comfortably. | Explore efficiency and endurance. |
| Diving: Intro | Comfortable jumping in deep water. | Jumping and diving off the side and board. Entering water head first. |
| Diving: Head First | Comfortable jumping in deep water and happily enters the water head first. | Diving off the board. Front, back, reverse and inward dive. |
| Swim Team & Rookie Swim Team | Experience with all four strokes. Can swim 25 yards multiple times. Thoroughly enjoys swimming. | Build camaraderie and teamwork in a welcoming atmosphere. |

Swim Lessons

When registering for Monday–Friday morning and evening lessons, include the session letter in the blank (1####A#).

Morning Schedule

ONE WEEK SESSIONS

Monday–Friday
5-days/week, 1-week

Session B: July 9–13
\$35 resident/\$45 non-resident

Session D: July 30–August 3
\$35 resident/\$45 non-resident

TWO WEEK SESSIONS

Monday–Friday
5-days/week, 2-weeks

Session A: June 25–July 6
No class July 4.
\$53 resident/\$68 non-resident

Session C: July 16–27
\$59 resident/\$74 non-resident

Session E: August 6–17
\$59 resident/\$74 non-resident

| MONDAY–FRIDAY | 10:25–10:55am | 11–11:30am | 11:35am–12:05pm |
|-------------------------------|---------------|--|-----------------|
| Parent & Me | | | 105001_6 |
| Toddler: Beginner | 115101_4 | | 115101_6 |
| Toddler: Paddler | | 115201_5 | |
| Preschool: Beginner | 125101_4 | 125101_5 | |
| Preschool: Paddler | 125201_4 | 125201_5 | 125201_6 |
| Preschool: Underwater Ease | | 125301_5 | 125301_6 |
| School Age: Beginner | | | 135101_6 |
| School Age: Paddler | 135201_4 | 135201_5 | 135201_6 |
| School Age: Underwater Ease | 135301_4 | 135301_5 | 135301_6 |
| School Age: Swimmer | 135401_4 | 135401_5 | 135401_6 |
| School Age: Strokes | 135501_4 | 135501_5 | 135501_6 |
| School Age: Efficiency | 135601_4 | | |
| School Age: Diving Intro | | 135701_5 | |
| School Age: Diving Head First | 135701_4 | | |
| Swim Team | 135801A | 7:30-8:30a.m, Mon–Thu, Jun 25–Aug 2 (K-12) | |
| Rookie Swim Team | 135801B | 8:35-9:05am, Mon–Thu, Jun 25–Aug 2 (K-3) | |

Evening Schedule

Monday–Thursday
4-days/week, 2-weeks

Session F: July 9–19
\$59 resident/\$74 non-resident

Session G: July 23–August 2
\$59 resident/\$74 non-resident

All evening classes will be taught in the large pool in the lap lanes.

| MONDAY–THURSDAY | 5:40–6:10pm | 6:15–6:45pm | 6:50–7:20pm | 7:25–7:55pm |
|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| SchoolAge | Paddler 135201_7 | Underwater Ease 135301_7 | Swimmer 135401_7 | Strokes 135501_7 |

Saturday Schedule

ONE WEEK SESSIONS

1-day/week, 8-weeks

Session J: June 23–August 11
\$59 resident/\$74 non-resident

| SATURDAY | 9:15–9:45am | 9:50–10:20am | 10:25–10:55am |
|-----------------------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| Toddler: Beginner | 115101J8 | | |
| Toddler: Paddler | | 115201J9 | |
| Parent & Me | | | 105001J0 |
| Preschool: Beginner | 125101J8 | | |
| Preschool: Paddler | | 125201J9 | |
| Preschool: Underwater Ease | | | 125301J0 |
| School Age: Beginner | 135101J8 | | |
| School Age: Underwater Ease | | 135301J9 | 135301J0 |
| School Age: Paddler | 135201J8 | | |
| School Age: Swimmer | | 135401J9 | |
| School Age: Strokes | | | 135501J0 |

Aquatics

Maple Street Recreational & Rookie Swim Teams

Swim Coaches: Annie Cooper & Maple Street Swim Instructors
An opportunity for swimmers in grades K-12 who are prepared to swim hundreds of yards with strong strokes, are happy to swim for an hour, and are willing to be challenged. Swimmers will gain the knowledge and skills to improve their efficiency in the water in a fun and recreational way. We are not a part of the Champlain Valley Swim League and do not have formal, weekly meets. However, swimmers are welcome to participate in the community swim meets. A fun way to improve your competitive swimming skills in an encouraging environment. Swimmers may swim up to four mornings per week, or less. It's up to you! No pressure.

DATE Monday–Thursday, June 25–August 2
PLACE Maple Street Pool
NOTE Participants should be able to swim 25 yards multiple times.

Recreational Swim Team

TIME 7:30–8:30am
AGE Entering grades K–12
FEE \$99 resident/\$114 non-resident
CODE 135801A

Rookie Swim Team: For those who want to be on the Swim Team but aren't quite ready for the full hour.

TIME 8:35–9:05am
AGE Entering grades K–3
FEE \$55 resident/\$70 non-resident
CODE 135801B

Community Swim Meets

Join Annie Cooper and friends for one, two, or all three community swim meets! We are offering the opportunity for people of all ages (kids, teens, and adults) to hop in the pool for a fun yet competitive swim. You pick your event(s) and how many you want to participate in. We will group swimmers by age and heat as best as we can. Spectators are welcome to come and cheer! Swim Ribbons will be given to every participant. Events may include 25/50 butterfly, backstroke, breaststroke, freestyle, 100 freestyle, and 100 individual medley.

AGE All Ages
PLACE Maple Street Pool
FEE \$7 per swimmer (includes registration for as many events as you choose)
NOTE Pre-registration is encouraged, but not necessary.

| CODE | DAY | DATE | TIME |
|---------|-----|--------|-------|
| 135901A | Fri | Jul 6 | 7–8pm |
| 135901B | Fri | Jul 20 | 7–8pm |
| 135901C | Fri | Aug 3 | 7–8pm |

American Red Cross Waterfront Lifeguarding

This is a two-part course with online and in-person course content. This course provides entry-level participants the knowledge and skills to prevent, recognize and respond to aquatic emergencies and to provide care for breathing and cardiac emergencies, injuries and sudden illnesses until EMS personnel take over, including in aquatic facilities in non-surf, open-water areas found at public

parks, resorts, summer camps and campgrounds. Prerequisites: Swim 550 yards continuously; Tread water for 2 minutes using only the legs; Complete a timed event within 1 minute, 40 seconds: swim 20 yards; Surface dive to a depth of 7 to 10 feet to retrieve a 10-pound object; Return to the surface and swim 20 yards on the back using legs only to return to the starting point; Exit the water without using steps or a ladder. Participants who successfully complete this course receive an American Red Cross certificate for Lifeguarding/First Aid/CPR/AED and Waterfront Skills, both valid for 2 years.

AGE 15+
DATES Monday–Friday, July 9–13
TIME 5–9pm
PLACE Maple Street Pool
FEE \$350 resident / \$370 non-resident
NOTE Participants will also be required to complete roughly 7 hours of online work outside of class time
CODE 150507A



Swim with Annie

EJRP has formally partnered with Swim With Annie to offer swim lessons year-round. Swim With Annie has provided the curriculum for our Maple Street swim lessons in the summer and training for our instructors since 2009. Annie Cooper will be teaching the lessons listed below. We are pleased to provide these opportunities.

DATE July 9–August 19, Six week session: 1-day/week, 6-weeks
PLACE Monday–Friday: The Spa at The Essex, 70 Essex Way
 Saturday– Sunday: PT360 Shelburne, 6221 Shelburne Road
FEE Parent and Me: \$80; all other lessons: \$180
NOTE For swim lesson age and group descriptions, please see page 2.

Swim with Annie Summer Kick-Off

Get your swimmer started off right with one week of lessons with Annie.

AGE School Age
PLACE The Spa at The Essex
DATE Monday–Friday, June 25–29

| TIME | GROUP | CODE | FEE |
|--------------|-----------------|----------|-------|
| 9:30–10am | Beginner | 135101K1 | \$150 |
| 10–10:30am | Paddler | 135201K1 | \$150 |
| 10:30–11am | Underwater Ease | 135301K1 | \$150 |
| 11–11:30am | Swimmer | 135401K1 | \$150 |
| 11:30am–12pm | Strokes | 135501K1 | \$150 |
| 12–12:30pm | Efficiency | 135601K1 | \$150 |

| Age | Group | The Spa at The Essex, 25 yard pool | | | | | PT360 Shelburne, 10 yard pool | |
|-------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| Parent & Me | | 9:30–10am 105001L1 | | 9:30–10am 105001L2 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| Toddler | Beginner | | | | | 9:30–10am 115101L1 | | |
| | Paddler | | | | | 10–10:30am 115201L1 | 9–9:30am 115201L2 | 9:30–10am 115201L3 |
| Preschool | Beginner | | | | | 10:30–11am 125101L1 | | |
| | Paddler | 10–10:30am 125201L1 | 12–12:30pm 125201L2 | | | 11–11:30am 125201L3 | 9:30–10am 125201L4 | 8–8:30am 125201L6 |
| | | | | | | | 1–1:30pm 125201L5 | 11:30am–12pm 125201L7 |
| | | | | | | | | 1–1:30pm 125201L8 |
| | Underwater Ease | | | | | 11:30am–12pm 125301L1 | 8–8:30am 125301L2 | 8:30–9am 125301L4 |
| | | | | | | | 10–10:30am 125301L3 | |
| School Age | Beginner | | | 10–10:30am 135101L1 | | | | |
| | Paddler | | 10:30–11am 135201L1 | 12–12:30pm 135201L2 | | | 10:30–11am 135201L3 | 9–9:30am 135201L4 |
| | Underwater Ease | 10:30–11am 135301L1 | 11–11:30am 135301L2 | 10:30–11am 135301L4 | 9:30–10am 135301L6 | 12–12:30pm 135301L8 | 11–11:30am 135301L9 | 10–10:30am 135301L12 |
| | | | 11:30am–12pm 135301L3 | 11:30am–12pm 135301L5 | 10–10:30am 135301L7 | | 11:30–12pm 135301L10 | 12–12:30pm 135301L13 |
| | | | | | | | 1:30–2pm 135301L11 | |
| | Swimmer | 11–11:30am 135401L1 | 9:30–10am 135401L3 | 11–11:30am 135401L4 | 10:30–11am 135401L5 | | 8:30–9am 135401L7 | 10:30–11am 135401L9 |
| | | 11:30am–12pm 135401L2 | | | 11–11:30am 135401L6 | | 12–12:30pm 135401L8 | |
| | Strokes | 12–12:30pm 135501L1 | 10–10:30am 135501L2 | | 11:30am–12pm 135501L3 | | 12:30–1pm 135501L4 | 11–11:30am 135501L5 |
| | | | | | | | | 12:30–1pm 135501L6 |
| | | | | | | | | 1:30–2pm 135501L7 |
| | Efficiency | | | | 12–12:30pm 135601L1 | | | |

S.T.E.A.M. Camps

S.T.E.A.M. is an educational approach to learning that uses Science, Technology, Engineering the Arts and Mathematics as access points for guiding student inquiry, dialogue and critical thinking. The end results are students who take thoughtful risks, engage in experiential learning, persist in problem solving, embrace collaboration and work through the creative process. These are the innovators, educators, leaders and learners of the 21st-Century. — Education Closet

The Arts

Shakespeare's Twelfth Night

Instructor: Lauren Palmer,
Hour Glass Youth Theatre

Do you dream of fantastical worlds filled with heroes and adventure? Come wander into the wonderful world of Twelfth Night full of mischief, merry chaos, and a perilous shipwreck. Campers will paint their own unique sets, create colourful disguises, and step into the shoes of the clowns, lords, and ladies of this classic play. Guaranteed to have everyone laughing and playing as campers explore the beauty of Shakespeare's story in an easy-to-understand way.



AGE Entering grades 3–6
DATE Monday–Friday, June 25–29
TIME 9am–3pm
PLACE Hiawatha Gymnasium
FEE \$200 resident/\$220 non-resident
NOTE Campers should bring a lunch, two snacks, a water bottle, sunscreen, and wear comfortable clothes for movement indoors and outdoors.
CODE 130201A

Wacky Wire Camp

Instructor: Tina Logan, ADL Art Teacher
 Spend a week creating stabiles, mobiles, sun catchers, and more! Students will explore techniques with wonderful and wacky wire while learning about wire art from South Africa and the art of Alexander Calder. No prerequisite needed, only the ability to take risks and have fun!

AGE Entering grades 4–8
DATE Monday–Friday, June 25–29
PLACE ADL Art Room
NOTE Please bring a water bottle and bag lunch if you are staying all day. Snack and camp T-shirt to tie-dye included.

| CODE | TIME | FEE |
|---------|----------|-------------------------|
| 140202A | 9am–12pm | \$195 res/\$215 non-res |
| 140202B | 1pm–4pm | \$195 res/\$215 non-res |
| 140202C | 9am–4pm | \$295 res/\$315 non-res |

Fun with Fiber

Instructor: Tina Logan, ADL Art Teacher
 Spend a week making sock animals, stuffies, needle felted creatures, yarn paintings, weaving, jewelry and more! This camp will introduce the wonders of creating cool things out of fiber. No experience necessary, only imagination and enthusiasm.

AGE Entering grades 4–8
DATE Monday–Friday, July 9–13
PLACE ADL Art Room
NOTE Please bring a water bottle and bag lunch if you are staying all day. Snack and camp T-shirt to tie-dye included.

| CODE | TIME | FEE |
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| 140201A | 9am–12pm | \$195 res/\$215 non-res |
| 140201B | 1pm–4pm | \$195 res/\$215 non-res |
| 140201C | 9am–4pm | \$295 res/\$315 non-res |

¡Hola Amigos Camp!

Instructor: Tina Logan and Soraya Reina, ADL Teachers
 Explore Spanish speaking countries through their art, language, and culture! Students will be introduced to basic Spanish language skills while learning about cultural traditions through art, music, food and games. We will end our week-long adventure with a ¡Fiesta!

AGE Entering grades 3–5
DATE Monday–Friday, July 16–20
TIME 9am–3pm
PLACE ADL STEAM Room
NOTE Please bring a water bottle and bag lunch. Daily snack will be provided.
FEE \$295 resident/\$315 non-resident
CODE 130202A

EHSPN Summer Camp



Instructors: Tom Preska, EHSPN

Interested in sports? Interesting in filming? Learn how to film, edit and produce your own action sports short film! Work with the teacher and former students of Essex High Schools sports show EHSPN to create dynamic images and video. In this camp you will learn how to use a camera as well as editing equipment to produce exciting films. Over the week we will split between shooting and editing and you will learn the skills that will allow you to excel at both.

AGE Entering grades 5–10
DATE Monday–Friday, July 30–Aug 3
TIME 9am–3pm
PLACE EHS Library and Maple Street Park
FEE \$275 resident/\$295 non-resident
CODE 140200A

Discovering Drama!

Instructor: Ellie Tetrick, Professional Actress

Drama teaches cooperation and collaboration while inspiring creativity and enhancing self-expression. Campers will have a blast discovering their “inner actors” in this FUN, hands-on, beginner drama camp! Children will learn the basics of drama by playing active theatre games, improvising, exploring costumes and puppets, and working together to bring stories to life! The week’s fun will culminate with a performance on Friday afternoon. Tetrick has worked for over 20 years, in film, commercials, TV and onstage in theaters.

AGE Entering grades 1–5
DATE Monday–Friday, July 30–August 3
TIME 9am–3pm
PLACE Hiawatha Gymnasium
FEE \$200 resident/\$220 non-resident
NOTE **Campers should bring a lunch, two snacks, a water bottle, sunscreen and wear comfortable clothes for movement indoors and outdoors.**
CODE 130200A

Band Camp

Instructor: Adam Sawyer, ADL Band Teacher

Come spend a week playing a variety of ensemble music from classical to jazz in a fun, relaxed environment. All band instruments welcome, including piano and guitar. Performance on the last day.

AGE Entering grades 6–9
DATE Monday–Friday, August 13–17
TIME 9am–12pm
PLACE ADL Band Room
FEE \$75 resident/\$90 non-resident
NOTE **Participants must have 1 year of experience with their instrument.**
CODE 140203A

The Trades

Youth Woodworking

Instructors: Stuart Cheney and Sachi Hergesheimer, Sawmill Studio
 Build self-esteem through independent, hands on woodworking this summer. Learn a new craft and make some sawdust! This class will show you how to make several small woodworking projects using hand tools. Learn how to layout, cut, shape, and assemble your projects. There will be no power tools used and no experience with hand tools is necessary. To learn more about projects and what we do in class, check us out at www.facebook.com/sawmillstudio.

AGE Entering grades 1–6
DATE Monday–Friday, July 16–20
TIME 9–10:30am
PLACE ADL Middle School old Tech Ed Room
FEE \$115 resident/\$135 non-resident
CODE 130300A

Cool Creative Cooking Camp

Instructors: John and Cindy Dowman, CTE Instructors
 Looking to be actively engaged all morning long while creating lots of delicious food and baked goods? Working with professionally trained instructors, campers will learn basic knife skills, cooking and baking skills, ingredient identification and presentation skills. Each day campers will receive lunch and dessert of their own creation and recipes used during the camp.

AGE Entering grades 4–9
TIME 8am–12:30pm
PLACE Center for Technology Essex

| CODE | DAY | DATE | FEE |
|---------|---------|------------|-------------------------|
| 140300A | Mon–Fri | Jun 18–22* | \$199 res/\$219 non-res |
| 140300B | Mon–Fri | Jun 25–29 | \$199 res/\$219 non-res |

**Dates may be adjusted dependent upon snow days.*

Baking for Beginners Camp

Instructor: Kathy Lawrence, EWSD Librarian

Learn how to read a recipe, measure Ingredients, and bake sweet or savory treats! Each day is themed and will start with a read-aloud. Recipes and themes will be different from last summer, so repeat campers can learn something new! Perfect for the beginning baker.

AGE Entering grades 1–4
DATE Monday–Friday, June 25–29
TIME 9–11am
PLACE ADL Middle School
FEE \$90 resident/\$105 non-resident
NOTE **Please let EJRP know of any food allergies at time of registration. If campers have their own apron or smock. It's a good idea to bring it, along with a water bottle**
CODE 130301A

S.T.E.A.M. Camps



Super Hero Master Builders & Stop Motion Animation

Become a master superhero builder as we create LEGO vehicles, structures and machines that will help defeat the arch enemy villains. Using STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) principles students will engineer ways to protect themselves by constructing super hero cars, magnet levitation trains, magnetic cranes, and more! Students will use gears and motors to learn about mechanical devices such as levers, magnets, wheel and axles. Help save the day from the arch enemy villains. In the afternoon, students will build their own mini movie set and create an animated movie using LEGO mini figures and other objects. The students will also learn how to edit their movies and add titles/credits using Professional Stop Animation software

AGE Entering grades 1–4
DATE Monday–Friday, July 23–27
TIME 9am–3pm
PLACE Hiawatha
NOTE **Please bring a lunch. Participants will receive a LetGO Camp t-shirt. You'll go home with many great ideas and fun memories, but not your LEGO creations.**
FEE \$305 res/\$325 non-res
CODE 130302A

EV3 Battle Bots with Super Heroes, Villains & Stop Animation/Mine-craft

Come and join us as we build Super Hero bots that can defeat the arch villain. In this class students will learn how gears can create awesome speed and power. Children will apply the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) principles and build several versions of EV3 robots and battle villain bots. They will learn C-based programming and use problem-solving skills to help the robots solve the different challenges. Students will use mine craft to build super hero lairs that are filled with traps and defenses to protect them from arch evil villains. They will learn how to use Command Blocks/Redstone to create traps and other defenses. In the afternoon, students will build their own mini movie set and create an animated movie using LEGO mini figures and other objects. The students will also learn how to edit their movies and add music, narration and titles using Professional Stop Animation software.

AGE Entering grades 4–8
DATE Monday–Friday, July 23–27
TIME 9am–3pm
PLACE Hiawatha
NOTE **Please bring a lunch. Participants will receive a LetGO Camp t-shirt. You'll go home with many great ideas and fun memories, but not your LEGO creations.**
FEE \$305 res/\$325 non-res
CODE 140302A

Four Corners Cuisine Camp

Instructor: Kathy Lawrence, EWSD Librarian
 Savor the flavors of the world's major continents! Campers will learn basic cooking, food prep techniques, and terminology. They will have a chance to put herbs, spices, grains, and fresh vegetables together in a variety of dishes from the four corners of the world!

AGE Entering grades 4–8
DATE Monday–Friday, July 9–13
PLACE ADL Middle School
TIME 9–11am
FEE \$90 resident/\$105 non-resident
NOTE **Please let EJRP know of any food allergies at time of registration. If campers have their own apron or smock, It's a good idea to bring it, along with a water bottle.**
CODE 140301A



EJRP is proud to once again partner with Child Nutrition Services at EWSD to present the Summer Foods Program: free breakfast and lunch for anyone 18 and under, Monday-Friday at Maple Street Park, June 25–August 24.

Recreational & Wellness Camps

Maple Street Bike Park Camps

The Maple Street Bike Park consists of a pump track and three dirt jump lines to provide an exciting and progressive riding experience for beginner through expert riders. We have a unique wooded location at Maple Street Park that is adjacent to the Skate Park. Sign up for one of these opportunities to strengthen your riding abilities with a local expert rider, to gain confidence and skills to effectively navigate the pump track, and/or to explore the challenges of the dirt jumps.

NOTE **Bike and helmet required. Knee, shin, and elbow pads recommended. No pegs, kickstands, or training wheels. Bikes must be in good working order.**

Intro Bike Park Camp

Learn intro to pump track riding, basic bike maintenance, and trail repair and maintenance.

AGE Entering grades 1–4
DATE Monday–Friday, July 9–13
TIME 9–10am
FEE \$35 resident/\$45 non-resident
CODE 130100A

Beginner Bike Park Camp

Learn basic pump track skills (pumping and cornering), jump etiquette, basic jumping skills, bike maintenance, using the pump track, beginner jump line, and jump building and maintenance techniques.

AGE Entering grades 4–8
DATE Monday–Friday, July 9–13
TIME 10:15am–11:45pm
FEE \$50 resident/\$65 non-resident
CODE 130100B

Mountain Bike Camp

This camp is designed for those looking to further explore and develop their mountain biking skills. Explore the back woods of Essex, Williston, and Jericho. Average daily mileage is 8-12 miles.

AGE Entering grades 4–9
DATE Monday–Friday, July 23–27
TIME 9am–12pm
PLACE Meets at ADL parking lot and continues to various local sites
FEE \$96 resident/\$111 non-resident
NOTE **Drop-off location may change. Bike, water, and helmet required.**
CODE 130102A

Skate Camp

Instructor: Talent Skate Park Staff

Develop patience and perseverance while overcoming fear. We all fall down but learning to get back up again is the heart of skateboarding. Whether you are a beginner just trying to figure out how to ride on ramps or an expert looking to take it to the next level, you will have a great time at this camp. Local skaters will provide instruction for skateboarders of all abilities.

AGE Entering grades K–8
DATE Monday–Friday, July 30–Aug 3
TIME 9am–12pm
PLACE Skate Park at Maple Street Park
FEE \$121 Village & Town resident/\$141 non-resident
NOTE **Skateboard, helmet, and wrist guards required.**
CODE 130101A

Girls Roller Derby Camp

Instructor: Green Mountain Derby Dames Skaters

Spend the week with veteran skaters from the Green Mountain Derby Dames learning all the basic skills of skating on quad roller skates: skating, stopping, agility, speed and endurance. Campers will learn the importance of working as part of a co-operative team, on and off skates. Campers will learn the basics of how to play roller derby in a controlled, safe environment that focuses on teamwork, getting to know the positions and some rules, and safe gameplay. Off-skates activities will include derby crafts, coming up with team names, and decorating team jerseys. This camp is suitable for beginners as well as experienced skaters.

AGE Girls entering grades 2–12
DATE Monday–Friday, July 16–20
TIME 1:30–5:30pm
PLACE Essex High School Rink
FEE \$81 resident/\$96 non-resident
NOTE **Required gear: Quad roller skates (not roller blades), knee pads, elbow pads, wrist guards, helmet, mouth guard. All gear must fit snugly and securely. Bring your own water bottle and snack. Campers can purchase gear packages ranging from skates only to full sets of gear; contact EJRP for ordering information. Safety equipment used for skateboarding would be appropriate for this camp.**

| CODE | GRADE |
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| 160100A | 2–5 |
| 160100B | 6–8 |
| 160100C | 9–12 |

Recreational & Wellness Camps

Tennis Camp

Instructor: USTA

EJRP has teamed up with USTA to bring you quality tennis instruction at affordable prices. The perfect opportunity for your child to learn a lifelong sport in a fun and recreational way. This active program will give your child the opportunity to learn the fundamental skills of tennis. Players will be taught the rules of the game and will work on their forehand, backhand, and more! Each player will receive a tennis t-shirt.

AGE Entering grades K–6

PLACE Maple Street Park

FEE \$45 resident/\$55 non-resident

NOTE Bring your own racquet to each lesson if you have one.

| CODE | GRADE | DAY | DATE | TIME |
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| 130103A1 | K–2 | Mon–Fri | Jun 25–29 | 9–10am |
| 130103A2 | 3–6 | Mon–Fri | Jun 25–29 | 10:15–11:15am |
| 130103B1 | K–2 | Mon–Fri | Jul 9–13 | 9–10am |
| 130103B2 | 3–6 | Mon–Fri | Jul 9–13 | 10:15–11:15am |
| 130103C1 | K–2 | Mon–Fri | Jul 30–Aug 3 | 9–10am |
| 130103C2 | 3–6 | Mon–Fri | Jul 30–Aug 3 | 10:15–11:15am |

Kids Creative Yoga Camp

Instructor: Sylvia Kabusk, Ananta Yoga, South Burlington

Swim like a dolphin! Dance like a snowflake! This camp is a joyful approach to teaching children about themselves, each other, and the universe in which they live. This fun and engaging camp weaves together yoga, expressive movement, cooperation activities, songs, crafts, and stories helping to promote children's self-confidence, expression, and mutual self-respect. Children experience the joy of being in their body, connecting with their breathing, and learning to celebrate their individuality and uniqueness. Each session will be unique as every class has something new to learn. Sign up for multiple sessions for a full day of creative expression!

AGE 4–5 years

DAY Monday–Friday

DATE July 9–13

TIME 9–11am

PLACE Hiawatha

FEE \$89 resident/\$104 non-resident

NOTE Bring a nutritious snack, water bottle, and a yoga mat if you have one.

CODE 120100A



Girl Spirit Creative Yoga & Movement Camp

Instructor: Sylvia Kabusk, Ananta Yoga, South Burlington
Do you enjoy movement, music, creating, and relaxing? You will learn fun combinations of yoga, tumbling basics, and dance to foster self-confidence and positive self-image where every girl is a winner! In addition, you will enjoy creating beautiful crafts to take home at the end of the week. Girls experience the joy and freedom of being in their body, deepening their connection with the world around them, and celebrating their individuality and uniqueness! No special skills required. Just come as you (perfectly) are!

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| AGE | Entering grades 1–8 |
| DATE | Monday–Friday, July 9–13 |
| TIME | 12–3pm |
| PLACE | Hiawatha |
| FEE | \$132 resident/\$152 non-resident |
| NOTE | Bring a nutritious snack, water bottle, and a yoga mat if you have one. |
| CODE | 160101A |

Archery Camp

Instructor: Pelkey's Archery
Archery is all inclusive and FUN! Shooting a bow & arrow will teach discipline and build confidence. Participants will learn safety, basic skills and fundamentals, and have fun through individual instruction, shooting as well as team building drills.

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| AGE | Entering grades 2–8 |
| DATE | Monday–Friday |
| PLACE | Maple Street Park |
| FEE | \$56 resident/\$71 non-resident |

| CODE | DATE | TIME |
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| 130104A | Jul 23–27 | 1–1:50pm |
| 130104B | Jul 23–27 | 2–2:50pm |
| 130104C | Jul 30–Aug 3 | 1–1:50pm |
| 130104D | Jul 30–Aug 3 | 2–2:50pm |



Junior Golf Camp

Instructor: Dan Lehmann, PGA Pro
Learning the game of golf has never been more fun. Our junior golf program is designed to keep kids entertained, while they learn all the basics of full-swing, short game, putting and rules and etiquette.

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| AGE | Entering grades 3–9 |
| DAY | Monday–Friday |
| PLACE | Catamount Country Club, 1400 Mountain View Road in Williston |
| NOTE | Lunch is included in the full-day program. Friday is half-day instruction followed by pizza party and prizes. Golfers may stay and play 9 holes for free unsupervised following the party. |

| CODE | GRADE | DATE | TIME | FEE |
|----------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------|
| 130105A1 | Entering 3–9 | Jun 18–22 | 8:30am–12pm | \$210 |
| 130105A2 | Entering 6–9 | Jun 18–22 | 8:30am–4pm | \$395 |
| 130105B1 | Entering 3–9 | Jun 25–29 | 8:30am–12pm | \$210 |
| 130105B2 | Entering 6–9 | Jun 25–29 | 8:30am–4pm | \$395 |
| 130105C1 | Entering 3–9 | Jul 9–13 | 8:30am–12pm | \$210 |
| 130105C2 | Entering 6–9 | Jul 9–13 | 8:30am–4pm | \$395 |
| 130105D1 | Entering 3–9 | Jul 16–20 | 8:30am–12pm | \$210 |
| 130105D2 | Entering 6–9 | Jul 16–20 | 8:30am–4pm | \$395 |
| 130105E1 | Entering 3–9 | Jul 23–27 | 8:30am–12pm | \$210 |
| 130105E2 | Entering 6–9 | Jul 23–27 | 8:30am–4pm | \$395 |
| 130105F1 | Entering 3–9 | Jul 30–Aug 3 | 8:30am–12pm | \$210 |
| 130105F2 | Entering 6–9 | Jul 30–Aug 3 | 8:30am–4pm | \$395 |

Tossing Loops: Learn to Fly Fish

Instructor: Mike Abbott, Tasty Water Adventures
Come join us for an introduction to fly fishing! Learn skills like preparing your setup, casting, identifying insects, and how to approach fish. This fun and engaging camp will strengthen children's connections with our local waterways and fisheries. Sign up today and come toss some lines with us! Camp will include days spent practicing and learning at Maple Street Park and trips to local fishing spots.

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| AGE | Entering grades 4–8 |
| DATE | Monday–Friday, August 13–17 |
| TIME | 9–12am |
| PLACE | Maple Street Park and nearby fishing locations |
| FEE | \$125 resident/\$145 non-resident |
| NOTE | No equipment is required, but river-safe footwear will be important |
| CODE | 140100A |

Don't miss our new EHSPN Camp!
Details on page 15.

Chargers & Young Hornets Sports

EJRP has teamed up with ADL Middle School and Essex High School coaches and players to bring you the best local instruction in sports camps. Let our own middle and high school coaches and athletes serve as the role models and instructors for your child as they develop their skills in a fun summer camp opportunity.

Chargers Baseball Camp

Join ADL Coaches Tyler Peckham and Joe Emery for this fun and exciting baseball camp. Emphasis will be on having fun, with quality instruction in fundamentals. Skills will be learned and practiced through fun drills and games.

DATE Monday–Friday, June 25–29

PLACE Maple Street Park

TIME 9:30am–12pm

AGE Entering grades 2–6

FEE \$70 res/\$85 non-res

CODE 130106A

NOTE Campers should bring a glove and water bottle every day. Cleats are not required, but campers should wear shoes that are comfortable to run in. Baseball caps are highly recommended. One year of organized tee ball/baseball experience required.

Young Hornets Soccer Camp

Join Coach Barber and the EHS Girls Soccer team for this week of fun and fundamentals. Young Hornets Soccer Camp is a great way to work on developing your soccer skills, game IQ, and conditioning, all while having a blast. All experience levels are welcome, from first time player to veteran Charger.

DATE Monday–Friday, July 16–20

PLACE Maple Street Park

NOTE Please bring cleats and a water bottle

FEE \$75resident/\$90 non-resident

| CODE | TIME | GRADE |
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| 130109A | 9am–12pm | Entering K–3 |
| 130109B | 12:30–3:30pm | Entering 4–8 |



Young Hornets Gymnastics Camp

A non-competitive, fun environment to develop your skills as you learn vaulting, floor exercises, and the balance beam. Join Coach Mary Krug and the EHS Gymnastics team as they guide your child to a better understanding of the elements involved in gymnastic competition and will safely instruct them in gymnastic basics.

AGE Entering grades K–6
DATE Monday–Friday, July 16–20
TIME 9–11am
FEE \$65 resident/\$80 non-resident
PLACE Essex High School
CODE 130107A



Young Hornets Volleyball Camp

Why wait until high school to start having fun playing volleyball? This camp is open to girls and boys who looking for an opportunity to experience what volleyball is all about. We have designed this camp specifically with young players in mind and have modified our equipment, techniques, drills, and games to make learning volleyball fun. Campers will get exposure to all aspects of the game, but focus mostly on the basic fundamentals and skills that are needed for the first year level of competition. This camp will be led by the coaches and players of The Essex High School State Champions Volleyball Team. Young Hornets Volleyball Camp is a great way to introduce kids to this fantastic sport in an atmosphere that is positive, energetic, and fun!

DATE Monday–Friday, July 23–27
PLACE Essex High School Gymnasium
AGE Entering grades 5–9
TIME 9–11am
FEE \$65 resident/\$80 non-resident
NOTE Please bring sneakers and a water bottle
CODE 140101A

Young Hornets Ultimate Frisbee Camp

In 2015, Essex High School introduced a new and exciting spring sport.... Ultimate Frisbee! Ultimate frisbee has become one of the fastest growing sports in the country! Why do we think that is? It is a lot of fun, everyone of all ages can enjoy the game, and it promotes teamwork and sportsmanship. In the Youth Ultimate Frisbee Camp campers will understand the basic fundamentals of ultimate frisbee through technique, drills, and games. Also the campers will understand the “spirit of the game” and understand sportsmanship through this program.

DATE Monday–Friday, July 23–27
PLACE Maple Street Park
AGE Entering grades 4–10
TIME 9am–12pm
FEE \$70 resident/\$85 non-resident
NOTE Please bring sneakers and a water bottle
CODE 130108A

Young Hornets Preseason Football Camp

Join EHS varsity coach Drew Gordon, his coaching staff, and varsity football players to get ready for the Chargers’ season. This preseason experience will be a fun, engaging opportunity to tune up your football skills, work with varsity football coaches and players, and have fun! No prior experience needed.

AGE Entering grades 2–8
DATE Monday–Friday, July 30–August 3
TIME 5:30–7:30pm
PLACE Maple Street Park
FEE \$70 resident/\$85 non-resident
NOTE No football equipment needed. Please bring a water bottle.
CODE 130110A

Young Hornets Girls’ Lacrosse Camp

Come lax with us! Young Hornets Girls’ Lacrosse camp is designed as a week long camp to introduce girls to the rules and regulations of the competitive game. While working with members of the Essex Women’s Lacrosse program, players will improve hand-eye coordination, hone shot accuracy, and develop team unity, all to maximize game sense. Come take part in this ever-growing and popular sport!

DATE Monday–Friday, July 30–Aug 3
PLACE Maple Street Park
AGE Entering grades 2–8
TIME 9am–11am
FEE \$65 resident/\$80 non-resident
NOTE Please bring sneakers and a water bottle
CODE 130114A

Youth Sports Leagues & Programs



Summer Basketball Clinics

Instructor: Coach BJ Robertson

BJ Robertson's training model is specifically designed to improve the whole player by focusing on the following core areas: character development, resiliency training, responding to authority and feedback, teamwork development, individual skills training, peak performance training, and Leadership development. The benefits of BJ's training far exceed the bounds of basketball. BJ's resume includes a clinical background in psychology from Saint Michael's College, a successful college basketball career, semi pro experience, a proven coaching record across many levels and effective teaching as a Vermont high school teacher. Unlike other local basketball workouts, BJ's training model utilizes documented feedback to produce outcomes. Player's and their families require feedback in the core areas for a player to reach their full potential.

DATE Tuesday and Thursday, June 19–August 2

PLACE Fleming Elementary Gym

FEE \$40 resident/\$50 non-resident

NOTE No practice July 3 or 5

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| 140102A | 6–7pm | Boys entering grades 5–6 |
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| 140102B | 7–8pm | Boys entering grades 7–8 |
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BJ's Basketball Camp

Instructor: BJ Robertson

Join Coach BJ Robertson and his staff this summer for a week of skill development, team building, and friendly competition! Each morning will start with agility and skill building drills designed to reinforce fundamental techniques. Once the campers have been coached up, we'll spend the rest of our days playing live, competitive games because there is no better teacher than experience!

DATE Monday–Friday, July 30–August 3

TIME 9am–12pm

AGE Entering grades 3–6

PLACE Essex High School Gym

FEE Before July 1: \$75 resident/\$90 non-resident

After July 1: \$100 resident/\$115 non-resident

CODE 130115A

Summer Strength & Conditioning

Instructor: Parisi Speed School Performance Staff

Strength and Conditioning is a crucial part for athletic development as well as human development! This program will focus on teaching athletes sound technique, while being in a physically challenging environment. The sessions will be kept in a small group ratio to ensure safety of the athletes as well as proper coaching instruction. Each week will bring a different focus to the weight room with the goal of exposing athletes to various training schemes that build as the summer progresses. Whether you are here for a week or the entire summer, we look forward to training and teaching you how to get the most out of your time in the weight room!

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| AGE | Entering grades 7–12 |
| DATE | Tuesdays and Thursdays, June 26–July 26 |
| TIME | 9–10:30am |
| PLACE | Essex High School Weight Room |
| NOTE | No class week of July 2–July 6. Please dress for physical activity and bring a water bottle. |

| CODE | DAY | DATE | FEE |
|---------|---------|-------------|-------------------------|
| 150100A | Tue/Thu | Jun 26–28 | \$30 res/\$40 non-res |
| 150100B | Tue/Thu | Jul 10–12 | \$30 res/\$40 non-res |
| 150100C | Tue/Thu | Jul 17–19 | \$30 res/\$40 non-res |
| 150100D | Tue/Thu | Jul 24–26 | \$30 res/\$46 non-res |
| 150100E | Tue/Thu | All 4 Weeks | \$100 res/\$120 non-res |

Summer Youth Soccer League

Instructor: EHS Varsity Girls Soccer

This new and improved soccer league will feature exciting pick-up games each week. We want to continue to provide a fun, recreational, and skill-enhancing summer soccer experience. This format and structure accommodates busy summer schedules for families and allows us to change up teams for a new and exciting experience each week. Skill-building and warm-up sessions will be followed up by games which will range from 4v4 to a full match.

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| AGE | Entering grades K–6 |
| DATE | Girls: Mondays, July 9–Aug 13 Boys: Wednesdays, July 11–Aug 15 |
| TIME | 6:45–7:45pm |
| PLACE | Maple Street Park |
| FEE | \$41 resident/\$51 non-resident |
| CODE | Girls: 130111A Boys: 130111B |

Jr. Hornets Soccer

Instructor: EHS Varsity Girls Soccer

This exciting parent/child introductory program prepares your child for organized soccer in a fun, non-competitive environment. Age appropriate equipment will be used to teach kicking, dribbling, trapping, throw-ins, and agility. Each participant will receive a t-shirt and size-3 soccer ball.

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| AGE | 3–5 years with parents |
| PLACE | Maple Street Park |
| FEE | \$47 resident/\$57 non-resident |

| CODE | AGE | TIME | DAY | DATE |
|----------|-----|-------------|-----|---------------|
| 120101A1 | 3–4 | 4:45–5:30pm | Mon | Jul 9–Aug 13 |
| 120101A2 | 4–5 | 5:45–6:30pm | Mon | Jul 9–Aug 13 |
| 120101B1 | 4–5 | 4:45–5:30pm | Wed | Jul 11–Aug 15 |
| 120101B2 | 3–4 | 5:45–6:30pm | Wed | Jul 11–Aug 15 |

Parent/Child Tennis

Instructor: USTA

This parent and child program teaches both the adult and the child the fundamentals of tennis. In all of our busy lifestyles, it is nice to learn and exercise with your child. Have fun and play the game of tennis with your kiddo this summer!

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| AGE | Kids entering grades K–6 and their parent/guardian |
| DATE | Wednesdays, July 11–August 15 |
| TIME | 6:30–7:30pm |
| PLACE | Cascade Park |
| FEE | \$69 resident/\$84 non-resident |
| NOTE | Please bring your own racquet to each lesson. |
| CODE | 130112A |

Kids Group Golf Lessons

Instructor: Dan Lehmann, PGA Pro

This weekly program will provide your child with a great introduction to the game of golf. Skills will be built and improved upon each week.

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| AGE | Entering grades K–6 |
| PLACE | Catamount Country Club, 1400 Mountain View Rd., Williston |
| FEE | \$90 |
| NOTE | Parent/guardian must attend with child if he/she is under the age of 8. |

| CODE | AGE | DAY | DATE | TIME |
|---------|--------------|-----|--------------|----------|
| 130113A | Entering K–2 | Tue | Jul 10–31 | 4–4:45pm |
| 130113B | Entering 3–6 | Wed | Jul 11–Aug 1 | 5–5:45pm |

**Already enrolled in Camp Maple Street, REACH, or STAR
but see an exciting specialty camp the same week? Sign up and get
25% off the specialty camp (must register in-person or over the phone).**

Adult Programs

Men's Basketball League

This popular fast-paced league plays on Thursday nights.

AGE 18–59 years
DATE Thursdays, June 7–August 23
TIME 6pm and 7:15pm games
PLACE Essex High School
FEE \$45 resident/\$55 non-resident
CODE 170100A

Men's Softball League

Sign your team up for a competitive, slow-pitch league at Maple Street Park. Please note all games are played on field with 90-foot base paths.

AGE 18+
DATE Wednesdays, June 6–August 15
TIME 6–10pm
PLACE Maple Street Park
FEE \$250 per team
NOTE **Fee includes 12 team t-shirts.**
CODE 170101A

Adult Golf Clinics

Instructor: Dan Lehmann, PGA Pro

Come and learn the basics of game or improve the skills you have. In either case, we'll make learning and improving your game fun and easy. Catamount's Golf Center will conduct adult golf clinics for beginners and intermediate golfers. Join one or more sessions as your game improves.

PLACE Catamount Country Club, 1400 Mountain View Road, Williston

TIME 6–7:30pm

FEE \$140

NOTE **No Class on July 4.**

| CODE | LEVEL | DAY | DATE |
|----------|----------------------------|-----|---------------|
| 170102C1 | Beginner/Adv. Beginner | Tue | Jun 19–Jul 17 |
| 170102C2 | Adv. Beginner/Intermediate | Wed | Jun 20–Jul 18 |



Adult Program Packs

Art Pack

Back for a second season, add to your recreation repertoire through our new program bundles. At EJRP we're firm believers that adults need to have fun too and these programs are designed for opportunities to try something completely new, meet others in the community with similar interests, and have fun learning in a small group environment. Sign up for one or all of them!

FEE All 4 classes: \$200 resident/\$220 non-resident
Per class: \$55 resident/\$70 non-resident
AGE 18+
CODE 170201E for all 4 programs (individual program codes below)

Clay Hand Building Workshop

Instructor: Tina Logan

Explore the amazing possibilities of clay through basic hand building and glazing techniques. Learn how to create functional and nonfunctional work with pinch, coil and slab methods. Let your inspiration and interest guide your work. No experience necessary, just a desire to play with clay! This class will have two sessions.

DATES Wednesday, July 18 and Thursday, July 26
TIME July 18, 6–9pm; July 26, 6–8pm
PLACE ADL Art Room
CODE 170201B

Basket Weaving

Instructor: Susan Domas

Try your hand at weaving with this charming flower basket and learn an age old handcraft technique that is still only done by hand worldwide! This basket has a beautiful accent strip of birch bark, and can be used to hold flowers, sunglasses, candles, or other small items. Let a weaver with 23 years of experience introduce you to this intriguing art form! Materials & tools will be provided.

DATE Saturday, July 21
TIME 9am–12pm
PLACE Maple Street Park Conference Room
CODE 170201C

Painting Exploration Class

Instructor: Tina Logan

Learn some painting techniques and color theory while you try your hand at creating a painting with gouache or acrylic paint. You can work abstractly or from a still life or visual reference. No prerequisite needed, only the ability to take risks and have fun!

DATE Saturday, July 28
TIME 6pm–9pm
PLACE ADL Art Room
CODE 170201D



Essentials of Gluten-Free Baking

Instructor: Kathy Lawrence

Interested in gluten-free eating but tired of paying high prices in stores for products that aren't always tasty? Come and learn about helpful resources and some essential tips for gluten-free baking. Leave with a tried-and-true recipe for making your own gluten-free baking blend. Participants will make pizza as part of the class.

DATE Thursday, August 2
TIME 6–8pm
PLACE Essex Alliance Church
CODE 170201A

Preschool & Licensed Childcare

EJRP Preschool Program

In the fall of 2018, the EJRP Preschool Program will enter its tenth year of providing a quality preschool experience, at an affordable price, right in the center of the Village. Our 3 and 4 year old classrooms are located side by side, providing a unique opportunity for children to progress from one year to the next as they prepare socially, emotionally, and educationally for kindergarten.

NOW ACCEPTING REGISTRATIONS FOR FALL 2018

FOR 3 YEAR OLDS: School year beginning on August 29, 2018 for students who are age 3 before September 1, 2018.

FOR 4 YEAR OLDS: School year beginning on August 29, 2018 for students who are age 4 before September 1, 2018.

OUR PROGRAM: We provide a full-day, year-round, STARS accredited, licensed preschool program. With an established tradition of providing quality childcare and enrichment programs, we are committed to creating a safe, wholesome environment in which 3-5 year old children can learn to communicate, cooperate, and care about each other. We are dedicated to promoting your child's learning and development in order to successfully prepare them for school. The EJRP Preschool program is an affordable, local option, operating at 21 Park Street. If you are seeking a quality, nurturing, and educational program that is both affordable and accessible, EJRP Preschool is for you. Financial assistance is available to qualified families through Childcare Resource, 863-3367. We are an Act 166 partner with many local school districts.

EJRP PRESCHOOL OFFERS

- Play-based, emergent curriculum
- Socialization skills
- Positive educational and learning environment
- Fun, educational field trips to extend learning
- Caring, nurturing staff
- Low staff to child ratios
- Full-year coverage
- Convenient Essex Junction location
- Licensed by the state of Vermont Child Development Division

OUR LOCATION: We are located in the heart of Essex Junction at Park Street School, 21 Park Street. Built in 1873, this traditional school house offers a great place and accompanying green space to grow and play.

REGISTRATION: An appointment with the Preschool Director is required prior to registering. After appointment, there is a \$50 per child, non-refundable registration fee. This fee is not covered by Childcare Resource. Please call 878-1375 to set up an appointment.

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| AGE | 3–5 years old, child must be 3 or 4 by September 1 |
| DATE | Monday–Friday, year-round |
| TIME | 7:30am–5:30pm |
| PLACE | Park Street School, 21 Park Street |
| FEE | \$242/week resident, \$260/week non-resident (2018-19) |
| NOTE | To register your child, please call EJRP at 878-1375. Children must be completely potty trained. |

Village Kids After School Care

This STARS accredited, Licensed Childcare program provides quality afterschool care for students at Hiawatha, Summit, and Fleming schools, from 3–6pm throughout the school year. Daily on-site activities include group games, sports, homework support, enrichment opportunities, a nutritional snack, and time to unwind at the end of the school day. Monthly field trips allow children to explore local attractions and experience new places. Financial assistance is available to qualified families through Childcare Resource, 863-3367.

REGISTRATION: All Village Kids registrations must be made in person only. Registration forms are available online for you to print and bring in with you to register. Please bring a completed registration form and a check, cash, or credit card to pay the \$35 per child registration fee. Children who are less than 5-days per week must maintain a consistent schedule for the days of the week that they participate. For more information about Village Kids, call 878-1375.

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| DATE | Monday–Friday, 2018–2019 school year calendar |
| TIME | 3–6pm |
| NOTE | There is a \$35 per child, non-refundable registration fee required at time of registration. This fee is not covered by Childcare Resource. |

| CODE | SCHOOL | GRADE |
|---------|----------------------|-------|
| 338100A | Hiawatha School | 1–3 |
| 338200A | Summit Street School | 1–3 |
| 338300A | Fleming School | 4–5 |
| 338400A | Maple Street Park | K's |

2018–2019 WEEKLY TUITION RATES

| Days per week | First child | Additional child |
|---------------|-------------|------------------|
| 2 | \$36.50 | \$32.50 |
| 3 | \$51.75 | \$45.75 |
| 4 | \$65.00 | \$57.00 |
| 5 | \$76.25 | \$66.25 |



Essex Junction Recreation & Parks

Family Program Registration

OFFICE USE ONLY ☐ Paid ☐ Entered

☐ Resident: Village of Essex Junction ☐ Non-Resident: Essex Town ☐ Non-Resident

NAME (PARENT/GUARDIAN)

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

E-MAIL

HOME PHONE

WORK PHONE

CELL PHONE

Would you like to be added to our e-mail list? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please list the phone number and name of a responsible adult if parents are not available.

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME

EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBER

Please list any medical conditions, physical limitations/restrictions for any family member

List each participant's information

| NAME | M/F | DATE OF BIRTH | GRADE | SCHOOL | PROGRAM CODE & NAME | FEE |
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| TOTAL ENCLOSED | | | | | | |

Please send me confirmation on my classes, via: ☐ e-mail ☐ mail (please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope for this option).

Form of Payment (make payable to Essex Junction Recreation and Parks or EJRP)

☐ Cash ☐ Check

CHECK NO.

☐ Credit Card ☐ Discover ☐ Master card ☐ Visa ☐ AMEX

ACCOUNT NO.

EXPIRATION DATE

CCV

Waiver & consent agreement: I am fully aware of the risk inherent and hereby give my consent of the above named applicant to participate in the program(s) offered by Essex Junction Recreation & Parks, and agree to hold harmless the Village of Essex Junction, its employees, elected officials, or any volunteers or instructors from any and all liability from any injury, claims, costs or loss of services which might be incurred by participation in said programs, activities, or events. Permission is hereby granted for my child/participant to receive emergency treatment, if needed and I authorize the attending physician to administer any necessary medical attention. Furthermore, I certify that my child/participant is in excellent health and that there are no limitations to his/her participation except as stated in writing above. I hereby consent to and authorize Essex Junction Recreation and Parks the right to publish, reproduce and use for advertising or any other purpose, any photograph, video image, an audio recording or other likeness of my child or family member. I have read this document carefully and sign it voluntarily with full knowledge of its significance.

SIGNATURE (PARENT/GUARDIAN IF PARTICIPANT IS UNDER 18)

DATE

ADDITIONAL SIGNATURES REQUIRED FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS OVER THE AGE OF 18

DATE

ADA Compliance: We are committed to providing individuals with disabilities equal access to our parks, facilities, and programs. We are willing to make reasonable accommodations in our programs in order to include those needing assistance. If you have a disability requiring special accommodations please notify us at least two weeks prior to the event so that we can make the appropriate arrangements.

Return by mail, fax or in person with payment payable to:

Essex Junction Recreation & Parks, 75 Maple Street, Essex Junction, VT 05452 Tel 878-1375 / Fax 872-3371



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Special Events Calendar

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| 28th Annual Father's Day Fun Run | Sunday, June 17 |
| Great American Backyard Camp-Out | Saturday, June 23 |
| 25th Annual Fourth of July Celebration | Wednesday, July 4 |
| 7th Annual Essex Half Marathon | Sunday, July 22 |
| 18th Annual Block Party & Street Dance | Saturday, July 28 |
| Timberlane Dental Brite Nite 5K | Saturday, July 28 |
| Very Merry Theatre: The Wiz | Friday, August 3 |
| No Strings Marionette Company | Wednesday, August 8 |
| Movie Night in the Park | Friday, August 17 |
| Essex Dog Days of Summer | Sunday, August 26 |
| Essex Dog Jog | Sunday, August 26 |

