

INDIANOLA PARKS & RECREATION

FUN TIMES

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | SPRING, 2022 EDITION

Lil' Nature Creators

Do you have a budding artist? A child that sees pictures in the clouds? A young creative one that just can't get enough nature? This four-week session is for them! Each week we'll go out into nature to gather our "supplies" and come back to create a project to take home. Please wear closed-toe shoes and be dressed for the weather as we will walk through the forest for our supplies.

After the registration deadline Wesley Woods will email a welcome letter to participants with additional registration paperwork that will be necessary for participation.

Program # 6813 **Min/Max:** 4/10
Day/Dates: Thursdays, April 21 - May 12
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 pm
Age: 6 - 9 year olds
Location: Wesley Woods Camp & Retreat Center
10896 Nixon St, Indianola
Fee: \$65 (\$60)
Registration Deadline: Thursday, April 14, *or when full*

Ropes-Fanatic

Come join us for three sessions of all things ropes! The first week we'll start low to the ground but with lots of problem-solving at the low challenge course. For week two, we'll see how far we can get at the climbing wall. We'll save the best for last and finish strong with the high challenge course and zip line! Participants must be 12 years old (by the third session). Participants should wear long shorts, leggings, or pants as well as closed-toe/closed-backed shoes (no crocs or slide sandals) to all three sessions.

After the registration deadline Wesley Woods will email a welcome letter to participants with additional registration paperwork that will be necessary for participation.

Program # 6815 **Min/Max:** 4/10
Day/Dates: Tuesdays, May 24 - June 7
Time: 6:30 - 8:00 pm
Age: 12 - 17 year olds
Location: Wesley Woods Camp & Retreat Center
10896 Nixon St, Indianola
Fee: \$70 (\$65)
Registration Deadline: Tuesday, May 17, *or when full*

A black poster for a Spring Formal event. At the top left is the McDonald's logo with the slogan "I'm lovin' it". To its right is a white crescent moon. Below the moon is the text "SPECIAL FRIENDS" in white. The main title "SPRING FORMAL" is in large, white, serif font. Below it is "FRIDAY, APRIL 29" and "6:30 - 8:00 PM" in white. The location "INDIANOLA ACTIVITY CENTER" and "2204 W. 2ND AVE (HWY 92)" is listed below. A blue circular graphic contains the text "ALL INDIVIDUALS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS, AND THEIR FAMILIES, CHAPERONES, RESPITE PROVIDERS OR SCL WORKERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND." in white. At the bottom, a blue banner says "FREE ADMISSION" and "THANKS TO OUR SPONSOR, MCDONALDS OF INDIANOLA". The poster is decorated with white stars and blue floral ornaments hanging from the top.

Spring Camp Adventure

Join us for a Spring Camp Adventure at Wesley Woods! Learn to cast a fishing pole while spending some time fishing, paddle a canoe around horseshoe pond, spend time in the woods and make a nature-themed craft, visit the animals down at the farm and enjoy s'mores around the fire. Please wear closed-toe shoes and be dressed for the weather.

Program # 6814 **Min/Max:** 4/10
Day/Dates: Tuesdays, April 19 - May 10
Time: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
Age: 8 - 14 year olds
Location: Wesley Woods Camp & Retreat Center
10896 Nixon St, Indianola
Fee: \$65 (\$60)
Registration Deadline: Tuesday, April 12, *or when full*

It's Tea Time!

Mothers and Grandmothers, gather your favorite young ladies and gents for a sumptuous afternoon tea party! Don your finest apparel and join us for finger sandwiches, decadent sweets, and, of course, tea (or lemonade). You'll create lasting memories as you enjoy fun activities and games and take a picture at our beautiful Selfie Station with your favorite young people. Dolls and teddy bears are welcome to come along as special guests!



Program # 6816 **Min/Max:** 12/48
Day/Date: Wednesday, May 18
Time: 3:00 - 4:30 pm
Age: Children age 3 - 5th grade with adult
Location: Indianola Activity Center
Fee: \$15 (\$12) for each person who attends
Registration Deadline: Wednesday, May 11, or when full

Toad House: Make & Take



Join a Warren County Naturalist and Indianola Parks & Recreation to learn all about how toads can be our friends in the garden or flower bed. We will learn about some of the different toads of Iowa and who you might have in your backyard!

Then we will learn about what makes a good toad house and each participant will make their own to take home with them. There is a \$5 materials fee for this program.

Registration is required by 12pm on Thursday, May 12, to ensure we have enough materials. Please register at: www.warrencb.org/events or call 515-961-6169.

Program # 6808
Day/Date: Saturday, May 14
Time: 10:00 - 11:00 am
Location: Buxton Park Children's Garden
Fee: This activity is free, but pre-registration required and a \$5 materials fee will be collected at the event.
Registration Deadline: Thursday, May 12, at noon.

Indianola Junior Fire Academy

Plan to have lots of fun this summer while you learn about fire and the job of a firefighter in this course offered by members of the Indianola Fire Department. Discover how hard it is to escape to safety in the smoke house fire safety trailer. Learn how to douse flames with a fire extinguisher. Tackle the firefighter obstacle course, and model real fire gear. Handle the huge hoses and improve your aim with water target practice. We will finish with a fire hose race, trophies and wacky water fights, so dress to get wet and bring a towel! All students will receive an official IJF Academy t-shirt, plus a certificate upon graduation.

To ensure a safe environment, class size will be limited and **masks are required for all participants.**

We ask if your child has attended this class in previous years that they do not enroll again, in order to provide this opportunity for as many as possible.

A signed waiver is required and can be downloaded from our website. Please bring the completed form with your child on the first day of the academy.

Program# 6811 **Age:** 7 - 10 years
Min/Max: 10/25 **Days:** Thursday & Friday
Dates: June 9 & 10 **Time:** 9:00 - 11:30 am
Location: Indianola Fire Station
Fee: \$26 (\$21)
Registration Deadline: Friday, May 27, or when full

Special Friends
Hawaiian Luau
FRIDAY, JUNE 3
6:30 - 8:00 PM
INDIANOLA ACTIVITY CENTER
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AND THEIR FAMILIES, CHAPERONES, RESPITE PROVIDERS
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NO REGISTRATION FOR SPECIAL FRIENDS DANCES!**

T-Ball Leagues • 4-7 years

SPONSORED BY PEOPLES BANK

6-week program with teams coached by adult volunteers. This program is designed to meet the needs of all skill levels. Please consider the opportunity to positively influence youth at a young age, volunteer coaches are vital to the success of this program!

Required equipment for parents to provide: ball glove
Optional equipment: cleats, baseball/softball pants

Age Cutoff Date: June 6, 2022
Practice/Game Times: 5:30 pm, 6:30 pm or 7:30 pm
Practices will tentatively begin the week of June 6
Location: Moats Park & Pickard Park
Registration Deadline: Friday, May 13

Guaranteed availability through May 13.

After the deadline there may not be spots available and a \$15.00 late fee is assessed.

#	Age	Game/Practice Days	NR (Res) Add \$15 after 5/13
6691	4 & 5 yrs	Tuesdays (1 day/week)	\$31 (\$26)
6690	6 & 7 yrs	Mon AND Thurs (2 days/wk)	\$45 (\$40)

Youth Tennis • 6-14 years

Why not take a swing at summer tennis lessons?! Prerequisite: Willingness to learn and have fun! This program will adapt to each age group and provide a great set of tennis fundamentals taught through a variety of games, relays, and drills. Fee includes a T-shirt. All skill levels and abilities are welcome!

Equipment needed: Please bring your own racket if you have one. If you do not have your own racket, we do have a limited supply available for your use at no charge.

Lead Instructor: Matt Price,
Simpson College Men's Tennis Coach

Days: Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays
(Thursdays reserved for weather make-ups)

Location: Indianola High School Tennis Courts

Fee: \$40(\$35) **Min/Max:** 8/15

Please join the text update group for your session by visiting
<https://tinyurl.com/y5e389lp>

#	Dates	Time	Age	Sign up by
6802	June 6, 7, 8 & June 13, 14, 15	5:30 - 6:20 pm	6-8 yrs	Friday, May 27, or when full
6803		6:30 - 7:20 pm	9-10 yrs	
6804		7:30 - 8:20 pm	11-14 yrs	
6805	July 11, 12, 13, & July 18, 19, 20	5:30 - 6:20 pm	6-8 yrs	Friday, July 1, or when full
6806		6:30 - 7:20 pm	9-10 yrs	
6807		7:30 - 8:20 pm	11-14 yrs	




INDIANOLA

Wednesday, May 4, 2022
Meet starts 5:30 PM
403 S 15th Street, Indianola
FREE YOUTH EVENT!

AGE DIVISIONS: 6-14 YRS **WINNERS IN EACH EVENT AND AGE GROUP (7-14) WILL QUALIFY FOR THE LIVE HEALTHY IOWA KIDS TRACK CHAMPIONSHIP IN MARSHALLTOWN ON JUNE 18**

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
BRANDON DECOOK | BDECOOK@INDIANOLAIAOWA.GOV | 515.961.9420

REGISTER ONLINE THROUGH APRIL 29 AT 5:00 PM

[LiveHealthy IOWA Kids TRACK.ORG/COMPETITIONSITES](https://livehealthyiowa.org/kids/track.org/competitionsites)

info@livehealthyiowa.org | 888.777.8881 Live Healthy Iowa



Disc Golf Clinic

Instructional clinic for all ages that will be divided into different age groups. There will be different games played and each participant will have the opportunity to play several holes throughout the clinic. Fee includes a disc golf starter set with a putter, midrange, and driver discs.

In this clinic you will learn: the basics of disc golf, rules, throwing techniques, and how discs fly. All skill levels are welcome!

Program #: 6698 **Min/Max:** 8/30
Day/Dates: Wednesdays, June 15 - July 6
Time: 5:30 - 7:00 pm
Age: 5 years & older (unless accompanied by an adult)
Location: Pickard Park Disc Golf Course
(Meet at the Pickard Park Shelter)
Fee: \$45 (\$40)
Registration Deadline: Friday, June 10, or when full

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