

# Peshtigo Recreation Department Summer Programs

## Preschool Intro to Soccer— Ages 3 and 5

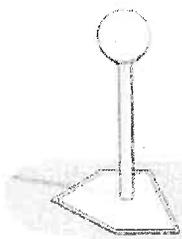
Geared specifically towards preschoolers, this intro to soccer program is being taught by Peshtigo Senior soccer standout Joe Bradley. If you are looking to introduce your preschooler to the world of sports, soccer is a great game to start with. Through youth soccer, little ones can acquire firsthand, practical knowledge about teamwork, sportsmanship, taking turns and cooperation, all while engaging in physical fitness and learning the basic rules of the game.

Sessions will be held on **Thursday evenings June 30, July 7, 14, 21, 28**, at Peshtigo's Badger Park, beginning at 6:00 PM. The cost is \$5.00 for city residents, \$10 for non-city residents, and includes a free a t-shirt.



## Pee Wee T-Ball – Ages 3 to 5

Children will be introduced to America's favorite pastime through the T-Ball Program by teaching basic fundamentals of the game, like throwing, running, and catching. Participants should bring a ball glove if possible, but not mandatory. Parental involvement is always welcome.



Peshtigo High School baseball standout Brock Bero will lead the **3 year old program on Monday and Wednesday evenings, July 18 to August 10**. Peshtigo High School Softball

star Shae Tonn will lead the **4 and early 5 year old program on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, July 19 to August 11**. Both programs begin at 6:00 PM at the Old Little League Field (Field #4) in Peshtigo, south of Business 41 on S. Stephenson Avenue.

The cost is \$5.00 for City residents, \$10 for non-City residents, and includes a free t-shirt. Make sure to bring your cameras!



## Beginner's Swimming Lessons—In the River!

With our beautiful, weed-free beach at Badger Park, we again offer swimming lessons right in Peshtigo. Since the dredging work three years ago, the water quality at the beach has been stellar and conducive to swimming. Local swimming instructor Lorie Hemphill will do the teaching. The dates are all on **Tuesdays, June 28 through August 2**.

The cost for six week series is \$20.00, with a minimum of four people required to hold the class. The maximum sign up is eight people. Children under the age of 9 will need a parent present. Participants are asked to wear tight-fitting t-shirts for comfort and safety. The class is open for those aged 2 and up. Floatation devices will be provided.

## Nature Based Crafts

These classes for children aged 5 to 11 are designed to let children be ecologically friendly and use materials from the natural environment to create beautiful works of art. The classes are set for **Thursday mornings July 7 to August 4, from 9 to 10:30 AM** in the large pavilion at Badger Park. The cost is \$10 for city residents and \$15 for non-residents.

The craft schedule, being taught by Parks and Rec staff member Olivia Brabant and volunteers is July 7: Pet Rocks; July 14: Dream Catchers; July 21: Paint A Pot; July 28: Toad Abodes; and August 4: Bird House Building.



## City-Wide Tent-Out

Anyone who has a tent is invited to camp for free on Saturday night, August 13, on the Small Pavilion side of Badger Park. Parks staff will be on hand to lead all participants in activities and contests. A group campfire will be built and we will even provide the s'mores! Participants are invited to bring their own grills. Games, etc., will begin at 6:00 PM. The Beachside Bathrooms will be open the entire night.

This City-Wide Tent-Out is free, but please sign up for the event by Monday, August 8. No rain date has been set for this event.



Registration for all Peshtigo Recreation programs can be done at Peshtigo City Hall, which is open from 8 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday to Friday. Stop and see Rita! Registration forms are also available from the City of Peshtigo Website (<http://ci.peshtigo.wi.us/parksandrecreation/programs.php>) or from the Peshtigo Parks and Recreation Department Facebook page. Please register as soon as possible.

## Upcoming Programs

### August:

**Lil' Chefs**, a cooking program for children aged 6 to 11;

**Pom Pons**, a fall routine with a performance at a home Peshtigo Football game. Practices will start in August. Pom Pons will also hold a winter session for performance at a January basketball game.

### September:

Flag Football for grades K through 3rd grade. Practices and games will be held in September and October.

**Getting the Most out of Retirement**-for those getting close to that age.

**October through December** : 6th Grade Wishigan League Basketball for both boys and girls, and 4th & 5th Grade Boys and Girls Basketball through the Peshtigo Hoops Clubs.

**All winter:** Men's Basketball Open Gym (old guy basketball).