

# Bowling Green Parks & Recreation Winter Programs 2010

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## YOUTH SPORTS!

### Dodgeball

Location: Community Center

Age Range: 8-12

Days	Dates	Time	Fee(R/NR)	Session #
Fri	2/5-3/26*	3:45-5:15P	\$32/\$40	510440-04

Drop In Fee: \$5

\*No Class Dates: 4/1

Teams will consist of 3rd-6th graders and will be randomly assorted every week. A supervisor will be on hand to officiate and supervise all participants. Soft, gator-skin dodgeballs will be used.

### Youth Tennis

Location: Veteran's South Building inside City Park

Fee: \$20 City of BG Residents/ \$28 Non-residents

Days	Dates	Time	Ages	Session #
Thu	2/18-3/18	5:00-5:45P	4-5	510440-28
Thu	2/18-3/18	6:00-7:00P	6-8	510440-29

This 5 week clinic will cover the fundamentals of tennis as well as develop motor skills relating to the sport. Foam tennis balls will be used and free loaner rackets are available. Parents and children work one-on-one during this five week class with the help of lead instructors. The Bowling Green Community Tennis Association will lead the clinic.

Registration Deadline: 2/12

### Volleyball League for 4th - 6th Graders

Location: Community Center

Age Range: 8-12

Days	Dates	Fee (R/NR)	Session #
Tue & Sat	2/16-5/8	\$40/\$48	510440-27

Practices are on Tuesdays from 6:30 - 7:30 pm (Begin 3/2)  
Games will be held Saturday mornings (Begin 3/20)  
Pre-season Skills Clinic: 2/16 and 2/23 from 6:30 - 7:30 pm  
Coaches Training: 3/1 from 6 - 9 pm at the Community Center

This ten week program will consist of Tuesday evening practices and Saturday morning games. Volunteer Coaches are needed for this program. Trainer volleyballs will be used in this program. Each participant will receive a t-shirt.

**\$5 late fee will be assessed after the 2/19 registration deadline.**

## YOUTH PROGRAMS!

### Daddy Daughter Dance

Location: Community Center

Age Range: Girls 5-13 w/father or guardian

Days	Dates	Time	Fee (R/NR)	Session #
Fri	2/26	5:30-8:00P	\$35/\$38*	530531-03

\*\$10 per additional daughter

Looking for a great way to spend some quality time with your daughter? Get dressed up and head over to the Community Center for some dinner, dessert, dancing, games and great memories (photo provided of each couple)! Space is limited, so sign up now!

Registration Deadline: 2/19

### Little Dribbler Soccer Skills Clinic

Location: Veteran's South Building inside City Park

Age Range: 4-6

Days	Dates	Time	Fee (R/NR)	Session #
Sat	3/6 - 3/27	10:00 - 10:45A	\$30/\$38	510440-31

Calling all future World Cup stars - let's work on some fundamentals inside while we wait for spring soccer leagues to begin. We will do fun drills, games and mini scrimmages all to reinforce soccer fundamentals. Participants need to have gone through our Start Smart program or participated in a soccer league so that they are at least familiar and comfortable with soccer basics. All they need is a pair of gym or indoor soccer shoes and shinguards. There is a water fountain available but a water bottle would be a good idea! Registration Deadline: 3/1

## ONE MILE FUN RUN!

### Frostbite Fun Run

Location: City Park

Fees: \$15 Pre-registered by 2/12

\$20 Day of Race w/shirt

\$12 Day of Race no shirt

Age Range: All Ages

Days	Dates	Time	Session #
Sat	2/20	Begins at 11 am	530431-02

Get out in the cold and get some exercise at the Frostbite One Mile Fun Run, an event of Winterfest. Run will start and end in City Park doing two laps around the outer circle. All preregistered participants will receive a long sleeve t-shirt. Check in and race day registration will take place at the Scout Building. There will be four categories: 16 & under male/female and 16 & up male/female.

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## NATURE PROGRAMS!

### Adult Nature Programs

Location: Rotary Nature Center

Fee: \$4 City of BG Residents/ \$7 Non-residents

Age Range: 18 and up

Days	Dates	Time	Theme	Session #
Sat	2/20	9:00-11:00A	Animals in Winter	520330-05
Fri	3/19	7:00-9:00P	Astronomy Hike	520330-06
Sat	4/24	9:00-11:00A	Birder Clinic	520330-07
Sat	5/22	9:00-11:00A	Invasive Plants	520330-08

We would like to provide an avenue for people who have a continuing interest in learning more about the world around them. Classes will range from astronomy to native animals and plants and will be a combination of hands-on activities and lectures, hikes and classroom meetings. Parks and Recreation Department natural resources staff members and volunteers will act as the instructors for the classes and we will meet rain or shine, snow or slush, hot or cold, and even in gloom of night, throughout 2010.

### Family Night Hikes

Location: Wintergarden/  
St. John's Nature Preserve

Age Range: All Ages

Fee: \$2 per individual/ \$5 per family

Days	Dates	Time	Session #
Fri	2/19	7:00-8:30P	530330-21
Fri	3/26	7:30-9:00P	530330-22
Fri	4/23	8:00-9:30P	530330-23

Join us for Night Hikes! Learn more about nocturnal animals, astronomy, moon lore, night senses, and enjoy a guided nature walk at night! Programs will be followed by a campfire and desert. Meet at the Rotary Nature Center at the Wintergarden/St. John's Nature Preserve. Please note the start times change by the month to correlate with sunset times. Indoor activities will be substituted for a hike if the weather prevents outside activities.



## ADULT PROGRAMS!

### Western Square Dancing Plus

Location: Veteran's Building inside City Park

Age Range: 18 and up

Days	Dates	Time	Fee (R/NR)	Session #
Tue	2/23-5/11	7:00-9:00P	\$30/\$38	530635-19

Square dancing provides cardiovascular exercise that can burn as many calories as walking, jogging or riding a bicycle. As you execute movements you exercise your brain, keeping it sharp and quick. In addition, square dances are like parties providing fun opportunities for social interaction. No special equipment or clothing is needed.

Registration Deadline: 2/18

### Stewards of Children Education Program

Location: Simpson Building on 1291 Conneaut Ave

Age Range: 18 and up

Days	Dates	Time	Fee (R/NR)	Session #
Tue	2/24	9:00A-12:00P	FREE	520538-01

This is a valuable training for anyone who works with children and for parents and community members who are interested in helping prevent child sexual abuse. This training has been approved for 3 continuing education credits for Ohio Social Workers, Counselors and Nurses. Registration Deadline: 2/19

### 4th Annual Brown Bag Music Series

Location: Simpson Building on 1291 Conneaut Ave

Time: 11:45A-1:00P (Performances begin at 12:15P)

Bring your lunch & enjoy a musical performance by students and faculty from the College of Musical Arts at BGSU.

#### Dates and Music Entertainment

February 5: Alan Smith, cello and Tom Rosenkranz, piano

February 19: BGSU Opera Theatre presents scenes from "The Elixir of Love"

March 19: HeeBeeBG's in concert

March 26: Studio Voice Recital by the Students of Sean Cooper

April 9: Studio Oboe Recital by the students of Jacqueline Leclair