Decorah Parks & Recreation 2025 Summer Programs & Activities

All programs & activities are filled on a first come first served basis, register early for best availability.

Recreation Programs (Grade level is based on grade completed)			
Dates	**Camp & Cost**	**Time**	**Grade**
June 3, 10, 17– Reg due May 20	**Archery** Cost: $45	4:00-4:50pm 5:00-5:50pm	3rd-8th
June 9-12 -Reg due June 3	**Kickoff to Summer Camp** Cost: $18	9:00-9:50	1st– 3rd
		10:00-10:50	4th-6th
June 16-19-Reg due June 10	**Ultimate Sports Camp** Cost: $18	8:00-8:50	1st-2nd
		9:00-9:50	3rd-4th
		10:00-10:50	5th-6th
June 23-26 -Reg due June 17	**Adventures in Nature Camp** Cost: $18	9:00-9:50	1st-3rd
		10:00-10:50	4th-6th
June 30– July 3— Reg due June 24	**Team Sports Camp** Cost: $18	8:00-8:50	1st-2nd
		9:00-9:50	3rd-4th
		10:00-10:50	5th-6th
July 7-11 - Reg due July 1	**Golf Camp** Cost: $24	8:30-9:30am	4th-7th
July 14-17- Reg due July 8	**Outposts** Cost: $24	9:15-10:15	3rd-4th
		10:30-11:30	5th-7th
July 20-24- Reg due July 11 (Carrie Lee Auditorium)	**Drama Show Camp** Cost: $60	July 20: 3-7pm. July 21-23: 8am– 4pm. July 24: 8am-show 4:00pm Showtime	2nd-8th

NEW

Archery Camp:

June 3rd, 10th, & 17th

(Completed 3rd-8th grade)

Cost: $45

Volleyball Camp

ArtHaus Camp

Details to Come!

COMING SOON

Tots Camp & Pee Wee Kids Camp (ages 4-7)		
Cost is $24 per week		
Dates	**Camp Theme**	**Time**
June 2-5	Mad Science	1:30-3:30pm
June 9-12	Adventures in Nature	1:30-3:30pm
June 16-19	Water Week	1:30-3:30pm
June 23-26	The Mighty Jungle	1:30-3:30pm
June 30– July-3	Outer Space	1:30-3:30pm
July 7-10	Fun on the Farm	1:30-3:30pm
July 14-17	Superheroes	1:30-3:30pm

Baseball & Softball (Grade level is based on grade completed)			
Program	**Dates**	**Time**	**Grade**
Tee Ball - Cost: $36 Reg due May 28	Mon & Wed, June 11-25	6:30-7:30pm	TK & K
Coach Pitch - Cost: $36 Reg due May 28	Mon & Wed, June 11-25	6:30-7:30pm	1st & 2nd
1st Grade Baseball/Softball Camp Cost: $24 Reg due July 3	Mon & Wed, July 21-30	1:00-2:15pm	1st grade
Little League Baseball Cost: $48 Reg due May 28	**June 9 - July 11** (3 days per week) *Optional Practice week of June 2*	1:00-2:15pm	2nd-4th grade
Big League Baseball Cost: $48 Reg due May 28	**June 9 - July 11** (3 days per week) *Optional Practice week of June 2*	2:30-3:45pm	5th-7th grade
Junior League Softball Cost: $48 Reg due May 28	**June 9 - July 11** (3 days per week) *Optional Practice week of June 2*	10:00-11:15am	2nd-4th grade
Senior League Softball Cost: $48 Reg due May 28	**June 9 - July 11** (3 days per week) *Optional Practice week of June 2*	11:30am-12:45pm	5th-7th grade

Archery Camp: June, 3rd, 10th, 17th

NEW

(Completed 2nd-8th grade) Cost: $45

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: Tuesday, May 20

Join certified USA Archery Instructor Sam Lewey and Logan Hahn for a 3-week archery camp designed for beginners and experienced archers alike! This class covers the basics of archery, including safety, equipment, physical and mental steps of shooting, and proper form. No prior experience is required, and all skill levels are welcome. We provide all the necessary equipment, but you're welcome to bring your own—just make sure it's inspected beforehand for proper fit and function (Anthem Archery offers free inspections for camp participants). The camp will take place at the Decorah Archery Range at Will Baker Athletic Fields. Free t-shirt included!

Limited Capacity: 8 per class (16 total)

2nd-4th Grade will meet 4:00-4:50pm

5th-8th Grade will meet 5:00-5:50pm

June 9-12: Summer Kickoff Camp

(Completed 1st-6th grade) Cost: $18

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: Tuesday, June 3

Join us for a week of summer adventures and team building! This program will include team building activities, games and competitions that are sure to be high energy, challenging and lots of fun! Classes will meet at a different location each day. Schedules will be emailed to participants prior to the start of the program. This program will be held Monday thru Thursday with Friday available as a make-up day if a class is cancelled due to rain. Participants should bring their own backpack and water bottle, and wear shoes that can get wet, sunscreen and bug spray to each class.

June 16-19: Ultimate Sports Camp

(Completed 1st-6th grade) Cost: $18

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: Tuesday, June 10

Come ready to get your heart racing playing the 'not so typical' sports you love! This program will include the not so traditional sports like capture the flag, frisbee golf, and ultimate football. This program will be held Monday thru Thursday with Friday available as a make-up day if a class is cancelled due to rain. Participants will play a different sport (or two) each day. Classes will meet at a different location each day. Schedules will be emailed to participants prior to the start of the program. Participants should bring a water bottle and wear sneakers to each class.

June 23-26: Adventures in Nature Camp

(Completed 1st-6th grade) Cost: $18

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: Tuesday, June 17

Join us for a week of outdoor adventures including exploring Decorah's various water systems and investigating the creepy crawly cuddly critters around us. Location will change daily and participants should be ready to walk or explore in the water and mud. Schedules will be emailed to participants prior to the start of the program. This program will be held Monday thru Thursday with Friday available as a make-up day if a class is cancelled due to rain. Participants should bring their own backpack and water bottle, and wear shoes that can get wet, sunscreen and bug spray to each class.

June 30– July 3: Team Sports Camp

(Completed 1st-6th grade) Cost: $18

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: Tuesday, June 24

Come ready to get your heart racing playing the typical team sports you love! This program will include traditional team sports like soccer, wiffle ball, and flag football. Participants will play a different sport (or two) each day. This program will meet at Will Baker Athletic Fields. Participants should bring a water bottle and wear sneakers to each class.

July 7-11: Golf Camp

(Completed 4th-7th grade) Cost: $24 (t-shirt included)

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: Tuesday July 1

This week long program covers golf fundamentals, techniques, rules, regulations, and actual course play. Participants may bring their own clubs. Equipment will also be provided. This program will be held Monday-Thursday, July 7-10 at Will Baker Athletic Fields. Friday, July 11, all participants are invited to join our staff for actual course play at Silvercrest Golf & Country Club from 8:30 to 11:00am. Participants should bring a water bottle and wear sneakers to each class.

July 14-17 Outposts

(Completed 3rd-7th grade) Cost: $24

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: Tuesday, July 8

Join us for a different activity each day including canoeing, biking, and hiking! Classes will meet at a different location each day. Schedules will be emailed to participants prior to the start of the program. This program will be held Monday thru Thursday with Friday available as a make-up day if a class is cancelled due to rain. Participants should bring their own backpack and water bottle, and wear sneakers, sunscreen and bug spray to each class.

Drama Show Camp - In Carrie Lee Auditorium

(Completed 2nd-8th grade) Cost: $60

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: Friday, July 11

Join us for drama camp led by director, Mark Potvin. This program will culminate with a production of Seussical! JR. Thursday, July 24th at 4:00pm!

Participants will meet July 20th 3pm-7pm, July 21-24th 8:00am– 4:00pm, then 8:30am– Showtime July 24th. Participants should bring their own lunch each day. Participants should bring a water bottle to each class.

Recreation Programs

Tots & Pee Wee Kids Camp

Tots Camp (ages 4 & 5)

Join us for hours of outdoor and indoor activities, fun, friendships and exploration! This program encourages children to discover the joy of the world around them through hands-on activities in art, science, storytelling and so much more. Tots Day Campers play and learn new skills while forming wonderful relationships with their peers, and engaging in a fun theme based curriculum developed especially for this program.

Pee Wee Kids Camp (ages 6 & 7)

Give your child a summer full of fun, friends, and discovery. Pee Wee Kids Camp features theme based hands-on activities and adventures. Children make choices, work with others, and participate in sports, science, nature, and art projects. Pee Wee Kids campers will learn more about themselves and the world around them as they engage with their peers under the leadership of our staff.

Tots Camp & Pee Wee Kids Camp

1:30-3:30pm at West Side Early Childhood Center

Dates	Camp Theme
June 2-5	Mad Science
June 9-12	Adventures in Nature
June 16-19	Water Week
June 23-26	The Mighty Jungle
June 30– July 3	Outer Space
July 7-10	Fun on the Farm
July 14-17	Superheroes

Cost: $24 per week

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Tuesday before program start date.

Tennis (Grade level based on grade completed)

Dates & Cost	Time_	Grade-
June 2-5	4:10-5:00pm	K-1st
Cost: $18-Reg	5:10-6:00pm	2nd-4th
due May 23	6:10-7:00pm	5th-adult
June 9-12	8:00-8:50	K-2nd
Cost: $18 -Reg	9:00-9:50	2nd-4th
due June 6	10:00-10:50	4th-7th
June 16-19	4:10-5:00pm	K-1st
Cost: $18 -Reg	5:10-6:00pm	2nd-4th
due June 13	6:10-7:00pm	5th-adult
June 23-26	8:00-8:50	K-2nd
Cost: $18 -Reg	9:00-9:50	2nd-4th
due June 20	10:00-10:50	4th-7th
July 7-10	8:00-8:50	K-2nd
Cost: $18 - Reg	9:00-9:50	2nd-4th
due July 3	10:00-10:50	4th-adult

Free Activities!

Live Healthy Iowa Kids Track Championships: Tuesday, May 20 at 4:30pm. Pre-registration required.

Kids Fishing Day at Twin Springs Trout Pond

Saturday, June 7 at 9:00am

Seasons of a Prairie- Summer Prairie Festival

Sunday, June 22, 2025 from 1:30pm-4:00pm

at the Decorah Community Prairie

For more information visit, https://parks.decorahia.org/

Partnering Activities!

Iowa Scholastic Mountain Bike Races

Saturday, May 31 from 9:30am-12:30pm

https://www.facebook.com/

Baseball/Softball Camp

(For Youth Just Completing 1st Grade) Cost $24

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: July 3 (t-shirt included)

Children finishing 1st grade are invited to join Park-Rec staff for a baseball/softball camp! Participants will use real baseballs and softballs to learn skills and fundamentals. This program will be held 1:00-2:15pm, Mondays & Wednesdays, July 21-30 on City Ball Diamond #1 (the high school softball field). Participants should wear sneakers (or rubber cleats) and bring their own glove and water bottle. Park-Rec will provide helmets, bats and other equipment needed.

Sponsored by Decorah Bank & Trust

Fair Fun Run

An event for the whole family on Saturday, July 12. Distances will be 3/4-mile for children 12 & under and 3 miles for all ages. Race headquarters is the Winneshiek County Fairgrounds. Sponsored by Collins Aerospace, Casper Plumbing & Heating, Inc., Deco Products Company, Hacker Nelson & Co., Oneota Valley Family Eye Care, and Viking State Bank.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Friday, June 27

REGISTRATION FEE: $6 w/o a shirt, $12 with a shirt

Recreation Programs

Tee Ball & Coach Pitch

FOR YOUTH JUST COMPLETING TK THRU 2ND GRADE

Cost: $36

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

Baseball/softball skills will be taught and games will be played at Will Baker Athletic Fields Mondays and Wednesdays, June 11 thru June 25 from 6:30 to 7:30 pm. Each evening will include a short skill session followed by a game played with wiffle balls.

Schedules will be emailed to participants prior to the start of the program. Participants must have their own glove. Players should bring a water bottle, and wear sneakers and bug spray. Bats provided by Decorah Parks & Recreation will be shared amongst participants.

Parents: Please consider volunteering, we are in need of coaches for each team!

Tee Ball (completed TK-K): Participants will hit off of a tee and all batters will have a chance to hit each inning.

Coach Pitch (completed 1st-2nd grade): Coaches or staff will pitch and all batters will have a chance to hit each inning.

TEAM SHIRT SPONSORS FOR TEE BALL ARE: Deco Products Company, Helms Funeral Homes, Oneota Valley Family Eye Care, and Dixie's Biergarten

TEAM SHIRT SPONSORS FOR COACH PITCH ARE: Deco Products Company, Mabe's Pizza, and Fowler Financial

Little League & Big League Baseball

FOR BOYS JUST COMPLETING 2ND THRU 7TH GRADES

Cost: $48

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

This program at the City Diamonds will be held Monday thru Friday, June 9 thru July 11 with optional practices the week of June 2. Participants will practice and play games about three days per week. Practice and game dates will vary weekly, but it is our hope that each participant will have at least one practice and two games each week.

Schedules will be emailed to participants prior to the start of the program. Participants must have their own glove. Players should bring a water bottle, and wear sneakers or cleats (no metal spikes allowed). Players are encouraged to bring their own helmet and bat if they have one. Park-Rec will provide helmets and bats for those that need them. Equipment (including catcher's gear) provided by Decorah Parks & Recreation will be shared amongst participants.

Little League Baseball (Completed 2nd-4th grade) will be held 1:00-2:15pm

Big League Baseball (Completed 5th-7th grade) will be held 2:30-3:45pm

TEAM SHIRT SPONSORS FOR THE LITTLE AND BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL PROGRAM ARE: AssuredPartners, Casper Plumbing & Heating, Inc., Deco Products Company, Friest & Associates Realtors, Lifetime Financial Solutions, Perry Novak Electric, Thompson & Casper, LLC., Prairie Lakes Church, Scooter's Coffee, Rilling Family Chiropractic, Rockweiler Appliance & TV, Inc., Shear Wonders Salon & Boutique, Stanley Engineered Fastening, T-Bock's Sports Bar & Grill, West Side Dental and WinnMed

Junior & Senior League Softball

FOR GIRLS JUST COMPLETING 2ND THRU 7TH GRADES

Cost: $48

REGISTRATON DEADLINE: WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

This program at the City Diamonds will be held Monday thru Friday, June 9 thru July 11 with optional practices the week of June 2. Participants will practice and play games about three days per week. Practice and game dates will vary weekly, but it is our hope that each participant will have at least one practice and two games each week.

Schedules will be emailed to participants prior to the start of the program. Participants must have their own glove. Players should bring a water bottle, and wear sneakers or cleats (no metal spikes allowed). Players are encouraged to bring their own helmet and bat if they have one. Park-Rec will provide helmets and bats for those that need them. Equipment (including catcher's gear) provided by Decorah Parks & Recreation will be shared amongst participants.

Junior League Softball (Completed 2nd-4th grade) will be held 10:00-11:15am

Senior League Softball (Completed 5th-7th grade) will be held 11:30am-12:45pm

TEAM SHIRT SPONSORS FOR THE JUNIOR & SENIOR LEAGUE SOFTBALL PROGRAM ARE: AssuredPartners, Deco Products Company, Lifetime Financial Solutions, Pioneer– Mitch Hemesath, Perry Novak Electric, Scooter's Coffee, Rilling Family Chiropractic, Shear Wonders Salon & Boutique, and WinnMed