

## Tons of spring fun coming!

For details or registration, visit [www.bloomfieldrecreation.org](http://www.bloomfieldrecreation.org).

Pre-registration is required for all programs.

### Adult Programs

Boxing Fitness Class (New! See below)  
Pilates

Sunset Classic Training

Yoga (Wednesdays and Saturdays)  
Zumba (Tuesdays)

### Boxing Fitness Class (*Get fit without hitting!*)

Boxers are among the best-conditioned athletes in the world. Get fit while learning basic boxing techniques, self-defense and self-confidence. Work with a certified boxing trainer. The co-ed, non-contact program is for anyone age 13 or older. Parent/child participation is encouraged.

### Children's Programs

Bloomfield's many popular spring recreation programs are back! Here are some of the season's best selections:

Art  
Tumble Tots  
Gymbles Tots  
Pee Wee Baseball  
Rookie League Softball  
Karate  
US Sports Tennis  
Baton

Hip Hop  
Tap and Ballet  
Chef It Up: Battle of the Week  
My First Chem Lab  
Crazy Chem Works  
Art Enrichment & Creative Play  
Mixed Media Story Telling Art  
Intro to Improv (see below)  
EM 4 Robot Clinic

### Intro to Improvisation

Give your imagination a blast of spontaneity. Learn how to use your observation, concentration, creativity, and quick-thinking skills with improvisation. Boys and girls in grades 1 to 8 learn from an instructor at the Broadway Performing Arts School in Bloomfield.

### Girls Softball Registration

Monday, March 6 (end of business) is the last day to register for Peppermint and Suburban Softball (girls, grades 3 to 8). Registration is \$60. PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED to participate in evaluations/tryouts. Player evaluations will take place at Bloomfield High School as listed below. Prospective players should attend both evaluations; wear athletic clothing and sneakers and bring a glove.

The playing season will run from mid-April to mid-June. Games and practices will take place several days a week, Monday to Saturday.

#### Tuesday, March 7

Grades 5 & 6 – 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
Grades 7 & 8 – 7:30 p.m. – 9 p.m.

#### Wednesday, March 8

Grades 3 & 4 – 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.  
Grades 5 & 6 – 7 p.m. – 8 p.m.  
Grades 7 & 8 – 8 p.m. – 9 p.m.

### Bloomfield Baseball

- **Bloomfield American Little League Baseball** (traditionally for children ages 5 to 12 who attend Fairview, Berkeley, Watsessing and Carteret Elementary Schools) - The last day for registration is Saturday, March 4, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Watsessing School. Bring proof of residency and payment. For details, e-mail league president Gerard Piacenza at [gpm57@verizon.net](mailto:gpm57@verizon.net).

- **Bloomfield National Little League** (traditionally for children ages 5 to 12 who attend Franklin, Demarest, Brookdale and Oakview Elementary Schools) - To inquire about late registration (especially for ages 5 to 8 years), e-mail league president Steve Pekar at [pekarbloomfield@gmail.com](mailto:pekarbloomfield@gmail.com).

- **Bloomfield Babe Ruth Baseball Registration** (traditionally for those age 13 to 16 who live in anywhere in Bloomfield AND throughout Essex County) - Register online at [www.bloomfieldbaberuth.com](http://www.bloomfieldbaberuth.com). Fee: \$125 for in-town players; \$150 for out-of-town players. For details, call league president Anthony Todaro at (973) 743-4440.

### Friday Fun Night

Bloomfield Recreation offers a once-a-month three-hour child-watching service called Friday Fun Night. The fee is \$20 per child. Kids play board games, air hockey, ping pong and pool. They watch movies and have a pizza party. For spring, each session is tied to a holiday theme activity:

- March 10 - St. Patrick's Day baking

- April 7 - Easter egg decorating

- May 12 - Mother's Day jewelry-making