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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29TH
@ 12:00PM

SUMMER 2023 ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

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AVAILABLE PROGRAM POSITIONS!

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🙀 GROUP LEADERS

SPECIALISTS

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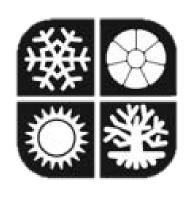
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ALL RACES AND ETHNICITIES
ALL RELIGIONS
ALL COUNTRIES OR ORIGIN
ALL GENDER IDENTITIES
ALL SEXUAL ORIENTATIONS
ALL ABILITIES & DISABILITIES
ALL LANGUAGES
ALL AGES

EVERYONE.

WE STAND HERE WITH YOU

YOU ARE SAFE HERE



Who Are We?



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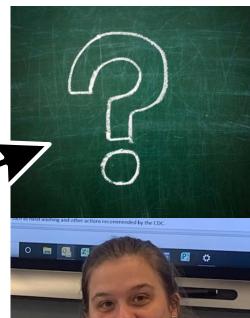
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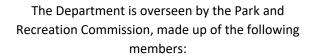
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Chris Gerstel, Chair Michelle Geddes, Vice Chair Cindy Chaston Dina Hannigan, Member Frederika Lalonde, Member Responsibilities of the Commission:

Empowered by Chapter 45 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Park and Recreation Commission:

- Serves as steward of over 300 acres of land
- Oversees and schedules all outdoor athletic facilities
- Oversees the Pools at the RRC
- Develops long-range plans related to open space and recreation
- Coordinates and provides support services to many community organizations
- Provides youth leadership training and volunteer resource development

Where Can You Find Us?

Stop by the office at:

Rosemary Recreation Complex 178 Rosemary Street Needham, MA 02494

Give us a call at:

781.455.7930

Email us at:

parkandrecreation@needhamma.gov

Visit our informational site at:

https://www.Needhamma.gov/495/Park-Recreation

Register for programs, activities and events at:

http://www.NeedhamPrograms.com

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Important Town Numbers

COA 781.455.7555

Conservation 781.455.7550 x248

DPW 781.455.7550

Fire 781.455.7580

Housing 781.455.7550 x220

Library 781.455.7559

MBTA 617.222.3200

Police 781.455.7570

Public Health 781.455.7940

Public Schools 781.455.0400

RTS 781.455.7568

Town Hall 781.455.7500

Youth & Family 781.455.7500 x267

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Registration Information

Registration Quick Notes

- There are no guarantees for any method of registration, so choose the method most comfortable to you.
- Remember to put your name on the waitlist if a space is not available; no payment is collected for a space on waitlist.
- All programs are offered to Needham residents on a first come, first served basis, including any students attending the Needham Public Schools. Financial Assistance
- Credits may be used online.

Financial Assistance & Scholarships

Financial assistance is available to Needham Residents. Please send a letter of need to us at parkandrecreation@needhamma.gov. A recommendation of need is also needed for processing. Letters can come from school guidance, Youth & Family Services, Needham Food Pantry, Needham Community Council, religious organizations and others. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact us at 781.455.7930. We strive to give everyone an opportunity to participate in our programs and events!

Registration

Register for all Park & Recreation programs online, in the office, or by mail. Participants are accepted on a first come, first serve basis. If the class is FULL, you can be placed on a waitlist. If an opening becomes available, we will contact you. Due to the number of registrations, we do not confirm placement. If you do not hear from us, you should assume you are enrolled.

Non-Residents

Non-Needham Residents may register one week after resident registration begins, on a space-available basis.

Cancellations

The Park & Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel programs which do not support themselves. If a class must be cancelled due to weather, instructor illness, facility issues, etc., the Department will make every effort to contact participants. No classes are held when the Needham Public Schools have been cancelled. If a class is cancelled, you will be notified regarding a make up class.

Refund Policy

The Department has a NO REFUND policy unless the program is cancelled or there are special circumstances. In most cases, credits are given and do not expire. All requests need to be submitted to Park and Recreation *in writing* to parkandrecreation@needhamma.gov.

Accessibility

The Park & Recreation Department strives to make all of our programs accessible to all. If participants have special needs, please contact the Director in advance. Stacey can be reached at smulroy@needhamma.gov or at 781.589.0960.

Park Donations

You can make a donation on your registration form or write a separate check in honor of your favorite park. All gifts will be placed in the Trust Fund for Parks and will be used for park improvements. Call 781.455.7930 for more information.

Registration Information

Lost & Found

Please call 781.455.7930 if you've lost something at a Park & Recreation park, facility, event, or program.

Typos, Errors, We Goofed!?

Occasionally there may be an error or change in the day, times, fees or location in the brochure. If so, we will do everything possible to correct the situation promptly. Thank you for your patience and understanding should these situations arise.



Programs do not meet on the following dates unless noted otherwise:

June 19th - Juneteenth July 4th - Independence Day

Town Offices are closed on all national holidays.

Notify Me is a notification system that will send you an email or text message when new information is posted on the Town of Needham website, including program updates, field status and ice depths!!

- 1. Go to www.needhamma.gov and click on the 'Notify Me' bubble in the middle of the webpage.
- 2. Enter your email address (or cell phone number for text messages).
- 3. Select email type, HTML or Text
- 4. Select box for FIELD STATUS, RECREATION INFORMATION, and more!
- 5. Click the SUBSCRIBE button.



Town Newsletter: Register for the News you Need(ham) by going to www.needhamma.gov and clicking on the blue button labeled: Sign Up for the Town's Email newsletter











Needham Court Badges

NEEDHAM COURT BADGES

Badges are required for all public court use at Mills Field, Newman School and Needham High School Tennis Courts from April through October each year. Badges are available to Needham residents ages 8 and up. Badges can be purchased online, by mail or at the Park and Recreation Office. Any resident using the public courts must have a copy of their receipt, either printed or available on a mobile device, and be ready to show matching photo identification.

FEES	RESIDENTS
Family	\$65
Individual (8+)	\$50
Senior (60+)	\$22

Use of Courts

- sunrise to sunset.
- Courts will be used on a first come, first served caps prior to leaving the courts. basis. All users must be Needham residents with a Guests valid Court Badge.
- No one may not operate Private Lesson Business on holder must supervise their guest at all times. courts.
- Only the games of tennis or pickleball are permitted <u>Pickleball Policy</u> on the courts. In-line skates, roller skates, and skateboards are not permitted. The courts are not to be used for practice space for any non-tennis sport.

Waiting for Use of Courts

- Change over on courts will be on the hour, quarter past the hour, half past the hour, and quarter to the hour. Appropriate designation has been posted at each court. If players are waiting to use a court, the group at the designated time must clear the court.
- Adults have priority use of the courts after 6:00pm. Players, ages 16 and under, shall yield the courts if adults are waiting to play, unless playing with an adult at the time.
- The Park and Recreation Commission reserves the right to modify these rules when it is in the best interest of the public and to suspend the seasonal badge of any individual.

Keep Our Courts Beautiful

• Courts will be open for residential public use from All litter and debris must be removed at the end of use. Please remove all water bottles and tennis ball cans and

One (1) guest is allowed per adult badge holder. The badge

- Courts 1-3 at the high school will be painted and can be used by Pickleball players 7 days a week from dawn till dusk, with exception of the any times the Park & Recreation Department are holding tennis lessons. The NHS courts can only be used weekdays after school until dusk and weekends from dawn to dusk.
- Courts 2, 3 & 4 at the Mills Courts will be lined and available, exclusively for any Pickleball players from 7:00am – 12:00pm, Monday through Sunday. After noon each day, all courts will be first come first serve and follow the rules and guidelines posted at the courts.
- There are no prescheduled events allowed at any of our courts unless previously authorized by the Park & Recreation Department. This includes tournaments, practices, games, private lessons and the like.

The Pools at Rosemary

Please follow the link on the next page to view the standalone brochure on the Pools at Rosemary. Some common questions have been answered below:

Frequently Asked Questions

When will the Pools at Rosemary open for the summer?

• As long as we don't have any snow days - the Pools at Rosemary will have a soft opening from June 10 - June 11. The Pools will then be closed from June 12 - June 16. The Pools will then have their grand opening on June 17 and will be open for the remainder of the summer!

When will the pools close for the year?

• The pools will be open through the end of August. The normal hours will apply through August 13. After that, we may have to alter or shorten our hours depending on staffing.

Are there time slots this summer? Do I need to preregister?

• There are no time slots this summer. As a result, preregistration is not available.

Where can I purchase a Season Pass for the Pools at Rosemary? What is included in a Season Pass?

Your season pass can be purchased online, in person at the booth, or in person at the office. With a
Season Pass, you are allowed admittance at the pool any time the pool is open to the public so long as
pool capacity has not been reached.

• How can I know if pool capacity has been reached? How do I know if the pool has been closed because of weather or other conditions?

Any and all pool related updates will be posted on our social media pages. During the week, you can
also contact the Park and Recreation office and ask any questions you may have regarding pool
opening and closing. Needham Park and Recreation uses the weather app "Weather Bug" when
viewing forecasts.

Will you run out of Season Passes to sell?

 $\circ~$ At this time, there is no limit on the number of Season Passes being sold.

Can I purchase a daily pass in advance?

Daily passes can be purchased online in advanced and can be used any day the pool is open.
 Admittance may not be possible if pool capacity is reached.

The Pools at Rosemary

• Where can I find the hours for the Pools at Rosemary?

• All hours for the Pools at Rosemary are listed on our website. Generally speaking, the pools are open for free swim most afternoons and early evenings and on weekend mornings. Some evenings may be unavailable due to Swim Team meets.

How do I join the Needham Sharks Swim Team?

• Registration for the Needham Sharks Swim Team takes place online on our website and in person at the office. Tryouts are required for all participants.

• How do I register my child for swim lessons? What about adult lessons or adaptive swim lessons?

 Swim lessons for children of all ages are available for registration on our website. To schedule adult swim lessons or adaptive swim lessons, please email our department director at smulroy@needhamma.gov

Can I reserve the Pools at Rosemary for birthday parties, holidays, or other events?

• The Pools at Rosemary are not currently available for private reservation. You are welcome to attend the Pools at Rosemary as part of your event, but all rules regarding registration and capacity must still be followed.

• What food is available at the Pools at Rosemary? Can I bring outside food to the Pools at Rosemary?

• Vending machines (candy, snacks etc), and novelty ice creams are available as long as supplies last. Large bills (\$20s, \$50s etc) are not accepted. Outside food is permitted, please just clean up after yourselves and alert staff to any spilled drinks or food. Please, please, please no glass or ceramic in the pool area!

Can I bring alcohol to the Pools at Rosemary?

• Alcohol is not allowed at the Pools at Rosemary

Please follow the link or scan the QR code to view the Pool brochure: www.needhamma.gov/5341/Brochures



4th of July Celebrations

Fireworks Spectacular

The Needham Exchange Club, with the support of the Town of Needham, will be offering an exciting evening of fireworks, food, live music and more! Come down to Memorial Field and enjoy all of the festivities! This event is organized by the Needham Exchange Club. For any questions, please visit their website at: www.needhamexchangeclub.org.

Date: Monday, July 3 **Start Time:** Dusk

Location: Memorial Field

July 4th Parade

The Needham Exchange Club, with the support of the Town of Needham, will be hosting Needham's Annual 4th of July Parade! Featuring fire trucks, police cruisers, historic cars, marching bands, floats, and much more! Set up your chairs and blankets along the route shown below for the best view of the parade! This event is organized by the Needham Exchange Club. For any questions, please visit their website at: www.needhamexchangeclub.org.

Date: Monday, July 4 **Start Time:** 9:00am

Start Location: Needham Town Center



Camp Registration Requirements

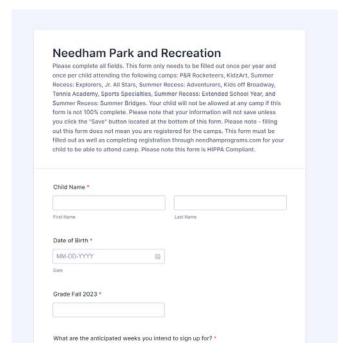
PLEASE NOTE: YOUR CHILD CANNOT ATTEND CAMP UNLESS YOU COMPLETE 100% OF THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS LISTED BELOW:

The below requirements can be fulfilled on our secure JotForm link: https://form.jotform.com/230396051347050

This link can also be found on our registration website: www.needhamprograms.com and on our Facebook page at: www.facebook.com/NeedhamRecreation/.

The following must be entered into JotForm or uploaded to JotForm:

- 1. Parent Contact Information
- 2. Sunscreen/Bug Spray Authorization
- 3. A list of people authorized to pick up the participants that are not a parent/guardian.
 - a. Authorized persons will be required to show an ID to complete a pick-up.
- 4. A current medical history which lists allergies, required medications, and any health conditions or impairments which may affect the individuals' activities while attending the camp.
 - a. This form must be signed by a physician and uploaded to JotForm.
- 5. A report of a physical examination conducted during the preceding 18 months.
 - a. This form must be signed by a physician and uploaded to JotForm.
- 6. A certificate of immunization
 - a. This form must be signed by a physician and uploaded to JotForm.



When you access JotForm using the link above, you'll see a screen like the one to the left. Just fill out each field and upload the relevant forms when prompted. If you experience any difficulties, please contact Needham Park and Recreation at 781.455.7930 or at parkandrecreation@needhamma.gov

Camp Registration Requirements:

Frequently Asked Questions

- What is JotForm?
 - JotForm is an online form builder that Needham Park and Recreation is using to collect health history and care
 information in a way that is easy to use and also HIPAA compliant. JotForm is used by several Park and
 Recreation departments from around the state including the towns of Weston and Natick.
- Why is Needham Park and Recreation collecting health history and care information?
 - Needham Park and Recreation has made the exciting switch to being a camp this summer. In previous years, Needham Park and Recreation offered summer programs which are legally distinct from camps. Massachusetts camp regulations listed under MA State Regulation 105 CMR 430 requires that we collect this information in a safe and secure way to ensure that we are the best prepared to support and protect our participants. MA State Regulations can be found at: https://www.mass.gov/regulations/105-CMR-43000-minimum-standards-for-recreational-camps-for-children-state-sanitary-code-chapter-iv.
- Which programs are now "camps" and which programs are not? Do I need to complete the JotForm documentation for all registrations?
 - P&R Rocketeers, KidzArt, Summer Recess: Explorers, Summer Recess: Adventurers, Summer Recess:
 Summer Bridges, Summer Recess: ESY, Kids Off Broadway, Jr. All Stars, Tennis Academy, and Sports
 Specialties are all summer camps and require JotForm documentation to be completed. All other listed activities
 in this brochure are not camps and do not require JotForm documentation to be completed.
- Do I need to fill out JotForm documentation for each week that I register? What if I am registering for multiple camps?
 - JotForm documentation only needs to be completed one time each year regardless of how many camps or weeks you will attend. Within the form, we ask that you mark down which weeks, and which camps you think you will be attending. This is to help us organize the data so we can be sure everyone is up to date. It does not require you to sign up for those weeks or prevent you from registering for weeks later in the summer that you did not originally indicate.
- What happens if I don't complete the JotForm documentation?
 - Needham Park and Recreation will remind all participants prior to the start of the summer to fill out the JotForm
 documentation. As MA State Regulations require that all participants have their medical forms submitted to us,
 we will be unable to accept any participants whose information is not complete. Any participants dropped off
 with incomplete information will be required to be picked up by a parent or guardian.
- How do I know I completed the JotForm documentation, and that Needham Park and Recreation received it?
 - You will receive an email receipt upon completion of the form. Needham Park and Recreation will contact you via email or phone in the event your documentation is not complete.
- What is actually changing now that the summer programs are summer camps?
 - The transition from program to camp will ensure that our staff are better prepared and informed to assist with any medical questions that arise. In terms of policy, games, and activities there will be almost no noticeable changes from previous years as Needham Park and Recreation followed nearly all MA State Regulations regarding running camps even if we were not legally defined as one. This transition to camps is largely a series of changes on the registration and organizational side of things and has significantly less effect on the experience the participants enjoy.

Weekly Themes and Camp Schedule

The themes and dates below apply to the following camps: P&R Rocketeers, Summer Recess, KidzArt, Kids off Broadway, Jr. All Stars, Sports Specialties, and Tennis Academy.

<u>Session</u>	<u>Dates</u>	Weekly Theme		
Week 1	June 26 - June 30	Under the Sea		
Week 2	July 3 - July 7 (4 Day Week, No Program on July 4, Prorated Registration)	Red, White and Boom!		
Week 3	July 10 - July 14	Monster Madness		
Week 4	July 17 - July 21	P&R Beach Party		
Week 5	July 24 - July 28	Out of this World		
Week 6	July 31 - August 4	Spectacular Safari		
Week 7	August 7 - August 11	Wacky Wizards		

Summer Camp Quick Reference Guide

Camp Name	Ages	Times	Description	Fee	Location
P&R Rocketeers	3-5	9am-12pm	Toys, Circle Games, Arts and Crafts	\$165	Newman
KidzArt	4-7	9am-12pm	Arts and Crafts	\$165	Newman
Summer Recess: Explorers	5-7	9am-4pm	Group Games, Arts and Crafts, Sports	\$260	Newman
Jr. All Stars	7-10	9am-4pm	Sports, Group Games	\$290	Eliot
Summer Recess: Adventurers	7-11	9am-4pm	Group Games, Arts and Crafts, Sports	\$260	Newman
Kids Off Broadway	7-13	9am-4pm	Theater, Acting Games	\$290	Eliot
Tennis Academy*	8-13	9am-4pm	Tennis Lessons, Group Games	\$290	Needham High
Sports Specialties*	11-14	9am-4pm	Sports, Group Games	\$290	Needham High

^{*}Participants of these programs will be traveling to the Rosemary Pool two afternoons per week

Summer Camp: Half-Day Programs

These camps require completion of JotForm documentation as described on Pages 12 & 13.

P&R Rocketeers

For those who are on vacation from pre-school or ready for a break from home! Participants at "P&R Rocketeers" will enjoy active and quiet games, crafts music/dance, storytelling, and creative play both indoors and outdoors. *Participants must be potty trained*. Please bring a water bottle and a nut free snack each day.

Staff: Park and Recreation Staff

Ages: 3 - 5

Session 1: 7, one-week sessions, 9:00am - 12:00pm **Session 2:** 7, one-week sessions, 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Session 1 Limit: 20 participants per sessionSession 2 Limit: 10 participants per sessionLocation: Eliot Elementary School Room 307

Fee: \$165 Week 2 Fee: \$130



KidzArt

This half-day program is for kids who love to create! Using the weekly themes and the support of a highly inventive staff, kids will work on a variety of projects using different mediums. The highlight of each week is a Friday show where we will showcase all of the great art from the week! Please bring a nut free snack and a water bottle each day.

Staff: Park and Recreation Staff

Ages: 4 - 7

Session: 7, one-week sessions, 9:00am - 12:00pm

Limit: 15 participants per session

Location: Newman Elementary School Room 308

Fee: \$165 Week 2 Fee: \$130



Summer Camp: Summer Recess

These camps require completion of JotForm documentation as described on Pages 12 & 13.

Summer Recess: Explorers

If you like playing a wide variety of games and activities, including sports, circle games, arts and crafts, indoor activities, outdoor activities and more, then Summer Recess is for you! Participants will enjoy new games and beloved classics everyday based on weekly themes. Please bring a water bottle, a nut free lunch, and two nut free snacks each day.

Staff: Park and Recreation Staff

Ages: 5 - 7

Session: 7, one-week sessions, 9:00am - 4:00pm

Limit: 30 participants per session

Location: Newman Elementary School Cafeteria

Fee: \$260 Week 2 Fee: \$210



Summer Recess: Adventurers

If you like playing a wide variety of activities, including team games, sports, arts and crafts, indoor activities, outdoor activities and more, then Summer Recess is for you! Participants will enjoy new games and beloved classics everyday based on weekly themes. Please bring a water bottle, a nut free lunch, and two nut free snacks each day.

Staff: Park and Recreation Staff

Ages: 7 - 11

Session: 7, one-week sessions, 9:00am - 4:00pm

Limit: 30 participants per session

Location: Newman Elementary School Cafeteria

Fee: \$260 Week 2 Fee: \$210



Looking for Summer Recess:
Pioneers? We have combined this program with Summer Recess:
Adventurers. As a result, Summer Recess: Adventurers is now available for kids ages 7-11!

Summer Camp

These camps require completion of JotForm documentation as described on Pages 12 & 13.

Jr. All Stars

For youth of all abilities, try out a variety of common and uncommon sports including ones you like and ones you'd like to try out! Activities include soccer, basketball, whiffle ball, flag football, dodgeball, capture the flag, kickball, ultimate frisbee, pickle and many more! All equipment will be provided. Please bring a water bottle, a nut free lunch, and two nut free snacks each day.

Staff: Park and Recreation Staff

Ages: 7 - 10

Session: 7, one-week sessions, 9:00am - 4:00pm

Limit: 35 participants per session

Location: Eliot Elementary School Gym

Fee: \$290 Week 2 Fee: \$235



Kids Off Broadway

Theater is... improvisational training, character development, props, set design, costume creation, writing and on-stage performance. Participants will use their imagination to create a memorable scripted performance based on beloved children's books. Friday, participants will be showcasing their self-expression and creativity in a live performance for family and friends to enjoy! Please bring a water bottle, a nut free lunch, and two nut free snacks each day.

Staff: Park and Recreation Staff

Ages: 7 - 13

Session: 7, one-week sessions, 9:00am - 4:00pm

Limit: 20 participants per session

Location: Eliot Elementary School Performance Center

Fee: \$290 Week 2 Fee: \$235



Summer Camp

These camps require completion of JotForm documentation as described on Pages 12 & 13.

Tennis Academy

Game, Set, Match! Whether you're new to tennis or have some experience, Tennis Academy will teach, improve skills, and elevate your game in a fun, positive environment. In the mornings Tennis Academy will focus on improving tennis skills while in the afternoon participants will enjoy exciting team games and activities. Please bring a water bottle, a nut free lunch, two nut free snacks, and your own tennis racket each day. Participants will be going to the Rosemary Pool on Wednesday and Friday afternoons if the weather is nice.

Staff: Park and Recreation Staff

Ages: 8 - 13

Session: 7, one-week sessions, 9:00am - 4:00pm

Limit: 30 participants per session

Location: Needham High School Tennis Courts

Fee: \$290 Week 2 Fee: \$235

Pool Visit: Wednesdays and Fridays from 1:15pm - 3:30pm



Sports Specialties

Come play a wide selection of different indoor and outdoor team-based sports! Participants will be split up into different teams at the beginning of each week and compete with one another throughout the week. Every day participants will play a variety of different sports and activities like soccer, basketball, capture the flag, dodgeball, street hockey, kickball, and so much more. Please bring a water bottle, a nut free lunch, and two nut free snacks each day. Participants will be going to the Rosemary Pool on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons if the weather is nice.

Staff: Park and Recreation Staff

Ages: 11 - 14

Session: 7, 1-week sessions, 9:00am - 4:00pm

Limit: 35 participants per session

Location: Needham High School A Gym

Fee: \$290 Week 2 Fee: \$235

Pool Visit: Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:15pm - 3:30pm



Leaders in Training

Leaders in Training registration require completion of JotForm documentation as described on pages 12 & 13.

Needham Park and Recreation is thrilled to announce the return of the Leaders in Training program. This program is designed to bring our teens to our summer programs and introduce them to the skills necessary to be a successful summer camp counselor. Anyone interested must apply by the below date and undergo a selection process which will include a short interview.

Our Leaders in Training program will provide opportunities to volunteer with our camps such as: Summer Recess: Explorers and Adventurers, P&R Rocketeers, KidzArt, Jr. Allstars, Kids Off Broadway, Sports Specialties, and Tennis Academy. All Leaders in Training must attend our Leaders in Training Workshops. The dates for the workshops will be announced later in the season.

Leaders in Training are initially registered for 35 hours over a 1 week session (9am-4pm) unless you're registered for the week of July 4th which will be 28 hours. Additionally, KidzArt is a half day program running from 9am - 12pm so the hours for this program would be 15 for a regular week and 12 for the week of July 4th. Any time beyond that is up to the discretion of the Group Leaders and the Site Directors at their program. All Leaders in Training will receive two shirts at the workshops.

Available Weeks:

1. June 26 - June 30

2. July 3 - July 7 (No camp July 4)

3. July 10 - July 14

4. July 17 - July 21

5. July 24 - July 28

6. July 31 - August 4

7. August 7 - August 11

Available Programs & Age Requirements:

P&R Rocketeers (13+)

KidzArt (13+)

Summer Recess: Explorers (13+)
Summer Recess: Adventurers (13+)

Jr. All Stars (13+)

Kids Off Broadway (14+)

Tennis Academy (14+)

Sports Specialties (15+)

Registration Information:

Registration Location: In person and online at www.needhamprograms.com

Registration Start Date: March 29 at 12:00pm **Registration End Date:** April 21 at 12:00pm

Selection Process Start Date: April 26 at 1:00pm, prospective LITs notified via email

Ages: 13+

Available Spots: Two per camp per week

Registration Fee: After completing the selection process, applicants will need to pay a one time \$50

registration fee

Puddlestompers

Puddlestompers Drop-Off Summer Camp

PUDDLESTOMPERS Summer Camps offer an amazing hands-on nature experience for children ages 4-7! Following weekly themes, each week we will investigate a different topic in nature through hands-on exploration, active movement, outdoor play, songs, stories, games, and crafts. Join us for 5 weeks in Needham as we wiggle like worms, hop like bunnies, flap like butterflies, and learn all about the plants and animals that come alive in the summer sunshine! We can't wait to explore with you. Programs will be based at Newman Elementary School, with outdoor exploration and nature walks using the Newman trail system. Please pack your child(ren) with a nut free snack and lunch, as well as weather appropriate clothing and a water bottle. All participants must be potty-trained. PUDDLESTOMPERS is in compliance with all MA COVID-19 guidelines and protocols. Early drop off is available each week from 8:20am - 9:00am for an additional \$75 per registration. This is available as an "add on product" within each weekly registration.

Staff: Puddlestompers Staff

Ages: 4 - 7

Time: 9:00am - 1:00pm

Early Drop off: 8:20am - 9:00am Late Pick Up: 1:00pm - 3:00pm Session 1: June 26 - June 30 Session 2: July 10 - July 14

Session 3: July 17 - July 21 Session 4: July 31 - August 4

Session 5: August 7 - August 11

Location: Newman Elementary School

Fee: \$510 per session Early Drop Off Fee: \$75 Late Pick Up Fee: \$230

Min/Max: 4/20





Summer Programs With Needham Community Theatre

Music Theater Bootcamp

Students will use the three elements of Musical Theater-Acting, Singing, and Dancing to explore scenes and songs from a variety of musicals, from classic old school musicals to more modern ones. We will learn to make props and scenery and will present a short showcase on Friday of each session. Students should dress comfortably so they can move. Students will have two snack breaks and a lunch break each day and should bring their own labeled lunch box as well as water bottle. No nuts, please. No experience required. Session one will include songs/scenes from Oliver, Mary Poppins, and the Sound of Music. Session two will include songs/scenes from Cinderella, Elsa, and Frozen. Session three will include songs/scenes from The Lion King, Encanto, and Coco.

Staff: NCT Staff - Lisa Kelleher

Ages: 8 - 11

Time: 9:30am - 3:00pm

Session 1 - Old School Musicals: June 26 - June 30

Session 2 - Disney Royalty Musicals: August 14 - August 18 **Session 3 - Modern Disney Musicals:** August 21 - August 25

Location: Rosemary Recreation Complex

Min/Max: 5/15







Summer Programs With Sidekick Sports Academy

Sidekick Sports Summer Vacation Basketball

The Sidekick Sports Academy Basketball Clinic provides children the opportunity to experience the highest standard of coaching in a fun environment. Our professional coaches will teach fundamentals and how to succeed in basketball. Prizes and awards will be given daily through the theme of a Jr. NBA tournament! In keeping standings throughout the week, coaches will keep teams as balanced as possible, providing for the best possible experience for all players. Bring plenty of water, two nut free snacks and a nut free lunch every day.

Staff: Sidekick Sports Academy Staff

Ages: Grade 3 - 8

Day/Time: Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 3:00pm

Session 1: July 26 - July 30

Session 2: August 14 - August 18 **Session 3:** August 21 - August 25

Location: Broadmeadow Elementary School Gym

Session 1 Min/Max: 10 /40 Session 2/3 Min/Max: 10/20

Full Day Fee: \$255 Half Day Fee: \$195





Summer Programs With Fun4All

All Fun4All Programs require a signed waiver to participate. Waiver can be found on www.needhamprograms.com in the program description.

Outside the Lines - Art

Join us this summer for a unique and exciting art experience! Our art program will focus on exploring art through different mediums. Watercolor, collage, vision boards, and tissue art are just some of the different ways we will express our creativity through art during this action-packed week. This week's themes are foil painting and splatter painting, and each student will be asked to make at least one artwork using each theme! Our instructors will also give brief art lessons to teach students about some famous painters and their artwork. And when it is time for art break, students will be playing games and having fun with new friends! Please

bring two nut free snacks, a nut free lunch, and a water bottle.

Staff: Fun4All Staff **Ages:** Grades 1 - 6

Time: 9:00am - 3:00pm **Dates:** June 26 - June 30

Location: Memorial Park Field House Multipurpose Room

Min/Max: 8/20

Fee: \$250

Slime Week

It's slime time as we spend a week with students to create new slime recipes that are only limited to your imagination! Our popular Slime Week teaches students the basics of how to make their own slime, and then shows students some of the most popular and trending slime recipes. Some of the slime is even edible! Our coordinators show students the latest slime tips and tricks and encourage creative thinking and working with friends. Students can customize their own slime by adding colors, scents, and textures. Once the slime is made, students can mold and play with their new creations. Slime Week lets kids get their hands dirty and have fun, but leaves the mess in the classroom and out of the car and home! Please bring two nut free snacks, a nut free lunch, and a water bottle.

Staff: Fun4All Staff **Ages:** Grades 1 - 6

Time: 9:00am - 3:00pm

Dates: August 14 - August 18

Location: Memorial Park Field House Multipurpose Room

Min/Max: 8/20

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Hands on Science

Calling all future scientists! Put on your safety glasses and get ready for your next experiment in this weeklong program. Some of the experiments students will conduct during the week include using charcoal to purify water, making real crystals, testing how sugary drinks can impact teeth, and learning how colors can affect memory. Students are always encouraged to ask questions, get creative, and learn new skills in our safe, action-packed environment. And when our future scientists are done with their experiments, our instructors are excited to coordinate team games that help bring kids together and create lasting memories. Time for a little bit of education, and a whole lot of fun with science and friends! Please bring two nut free snacks, a nut free lunch, and a water bottle.

Staff: Fun4All Staff **Ages:** Grades 1 - 6

Time: 9:00am - 3:00pm

Dates: August 21 - August 25

Location: Memorial Park Field House Multipurpose Room

Min/Max: 8/20





Summer Programs

Kids Night Out

Give yourself the night off and treat your child to a supervised night of fun and interacting activities, a pizza dinner AND a movie! PJs and sleeping bags are not required but are allowed and encouraged.

Staff: Park and Recreation Staff

Ages: Grade K - 5

Day/Time: Friday, 5:30pm - 9:00pm

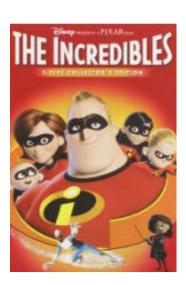
Session 1: July 14 - Zootopia

Session 2: August 4 - The Incredibles **Location:** Memorial Park Field House

Min/Max: 10/20

Fee: \$35





Kids' Test Kitchen

Kids' Test Kitchen is on a mission to get young eaters cooking, tasting, and thinking about healthy ingredients! Working as a team, we'll slice, dice, peel, measure, and cook until we've prepared the finished dish. At the end, each student will receive the main ingredient, or a sample of the finished dish, and the recipe so that they can show off what they've learned!

Staff: Kids' Test Kitchen Staff

Ages: Grade 1 - 4

Time: 9:00am - 12:00pm **Session 1:** July 17 - July 20 **Session 2:** July 31 - August 3

Location: Eliot Elementary School Room 163

Min/Max: 8/12



Summer Programs

Impact Speed and Agility

Impact Speed and Agility training sessions help improve an athlete's speed, agility, and explosiveness. By teaching important FUNdamentals and proper movement, participants learn the athletic skills that enable them to take their game to the next level. In addition to the basics, participants gain confidence and learn the value of hard-work and leadership that make great teammates and influential young people off the field.

Staff: Impact Speed and Agility Staff

Ages: Grade 6 - 12

Times: 8:30am - 10:00am **Session 1:** June 26 - June 29

Session 2: July 3 - July 7 (No program on 7/4)

Session 3: July 10 - July 13 Session 4: July 17 - July 20

Location: Brock Field, DeFazio Park

Min/Max: 10/20

Fee: \$95



USTA Tennis in the Parks

Led by an approved USTA Net Generation tennis coach, the program will focus on developing the skills to serve, rally and play - so it's perfect for beginners and first-time players. Once the skills are there, participants will play fun matches with other players in the program. This program uses modified tennis balls, age-appropriate rackets, court sizes, and the latest fun and engaging activities that help players successfully learn and play the game quicker! All players in their first session receive and keep a new age-appropriate racket!

Staff: United States Tennis Association Staff

Location: Needham High School Tennis Courts

Min/Max: 7/8

Fee: \$70

Session 1 Ages: Grade 1 - 2

Session 1 Day/Time: Tuesdays, 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Session 1 Dates: July 11 - August 15

Session 2 Ages: Grade 3 - 5

Session 2 Day/Time: Wednesdays, 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Session 2 Dates: July 12 - August 16

Session 3 Ages: Grade 6 - 8

Session 3 Day/Time: Thursdays, 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Session 3 Dates: July 13 - August 17



Coming Soon!

More programs will be added to this brochure over the spring. Below are a few of the ones we're coordinating right now!

Paddle Boston - Kayaking and Stand Up Paddleboarding for Youth and Adults

Needham Park and Recreation will be working with Paddle Boston to offer kayaking lessons and stand up paddleboarding lessons for both youth and adults. In previous years, these programs have been taken place on the Charles River for about two hours at a time.

Needham Golf Club - Champion's Golf League

Needham Park and Recreation is currently talking with the Needham Golf Club about offering both a (late) spring Champion's Golf League and a summer Champion's Golf League. We anticipate this program taking place on Tuesday mornings again.

Needham Golf Club - Golf Lessons for Youth and Adults

Needham Park and Recreation is currently talking with the Needham Golf Club about offering golf lessons for youth and adults both later this spring and during the summer. We anticipate this program taking place on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons/evenings again.

USTA - Gender Inclusive Social Tennis League

Needham Park and Recreation is coordinating with the USTA to see about offering the Gender Inclusive Social Tennis League again this summer. This program has taken place at the Newman Tennis Courts on Thursday evenings in previous years.

Code Wiz Needham - Minecraft Coding and Roblox Game Development

Needham Park and Recreation is coordinating with Code Wiz Needham to offer Minecraft Coding and Roblox Game Development classes again this summer. In the past, the Minecraft classes have taken place on Tuesday evenings and Saturday mornings. Roblox Game Development has taken place on Thursday evenings and Saturday mornings.

Portal to Adventure: Dungeons and Dragons

Needham Park and Recreation excited to begin working with Needham's own Portal to Adventure to offer some Dungeons and Dragons adventures this summer. This program is currently planned to take place from Monday to Friday in the mornings across two weeks this summer!

Do you have any programs you'd like to see offered by Needham Park and Recreation? Reach out to parkandrecreation@needhamma.gov with your ideas and suggestions!

Adult Programs

Adult Yoga - Iyengar Based Flow

Join us in stretching, balancing, strengthening, and relaxing in our Adult Yoga class. Classes are taught by a certified instructor in a warm and welcoming environment for newbies or long-time yogis at heart.

Staff: Verna Gurwitz

Ages: 18+

Day/Dates: Wednesdays, June 21 - August 9, September 13 - September 27

Beginner: 6:45pm - 7:45pm **Intermediate:** 8:00pm - 9:00pm

Location: Center at the Heights, second floor balcony

Min/Max: 6/20

Fee: \$55



Dance: Ballroom Dancing

Dancing is a perfect combination of physical activity, social interaction, and mental stimulation. Learn the basic step elements, posture, poise, lead/follow, technique, etc. Dances include Merengue, Waltz, Foxtrot, Tango, Swing, Rumba, and Salsa/Cha Cha. No partner required. Please wear comfortable shoes.

Staff: Paul Hughes

Ages: 15+

Dates: June 28 - August 16

Day/Time: Wednesdays, 8:00pm - 9:00pm **Location:** Rosemary Recreation Complex

Min/Max 6/20





Adult Programs

Dance: Line Dancing

Beginner line dancing is great fun while you improve memory skills, strengthen bones, develop better balance, relieve stress, and put a smile on your face. Each dance is broken down first, demonstrated and then danced to contemporary music that you will enjoy! No need to have a partner! Please wear comfortable shoes

with smooth soles.

Staff: Paul Hughes

Ages: 15+

Dates: June 28 - August 16

Day/Time: Wednesdays, 7:00pm - 8:00pm **Location:** Rosemary Recreation Complex

Min/Max 6/20 **Fee:** \$115



Senior Exercise

These classes are designed to help folks, ages 50 and older, stay fit in an enjoyable, social and supportive setting. Emphasis on cardiovascular fitness and endurance, range of motion, and injury prevention!

Staff: Shirley Klepadlo

Day/Time: Wednesdays, 9:15am - 10:15am **Location:** Rosemary Recreation Complex

Min/Max: 10/25

Age: 50+

Session 1: June 7 - August 9

Session 2: August 30 - September 20

Session 1 Fee: \$30 Session 2 Fee: \$15



Do you have concerns about falling?

The Needham Board of Health is offering a FREE 8-week program where you can learn how to manage fear of falls and increase activity levels! The program is held on Wednesdays from 4/5 – 5/24 from 11am – 1pm at the Rosemary Recreation Complex. Contact Needham Town Nurse Hanna Burnett at 781 455 7940 ext. 218 or email hburnett@needhamma.gov to register! Spots are limited.

Adult Programs

Senior Yoga

Traditional Hatha yoga postures will be used and tailored for the senior population! Increase flexibility, balance, and stretch with some quiet meditation and relaxation. Participants should bring a yoga mat.

Staff: Judi Brady

Age: 50+

Dates: June 7 - September 8

Day/Time: Fridays, 10:00am - 11:00am **Location:** Rosemary Recreation Complex

Min/Max: 10/30

Fee: \$30



Tennis Lessons

Are you looking for an introduction to the basics of tennis? The beginner lessons will cover using forehand and backhand strokes, serving, and understanding the rules of the game. The advanced beginner and intermediate courses are for someone who is looking to develop court strategy and improve their technique. The advanced classes will cover skills like stroke positioning, volleying, and serving. Please bring a racket. Instructors may adjust your class level as needed.

Staff: Coach Benoit

Ages: 18+

Location: Newman Elementary School Tennis Courts

Fee: \$85

Min/Max: 5/12

Tuesdays

Dates: July 11 - August 1

Beginner/Advanced Beginner: 5:30pm - 6:30pm

Intermediate: 6:30pm - 7:30pm

<u>Saturdays</u>

Dates: July 15 - August 5 **Beginner:** 9:00am - 10:00am

Advanced Beginner: 10:00am - 11:00am

Intermediate: 11:00am - 12:00pm



NEEDHAM COMMUNITY RESOURCES

BASEBALL

American Legion Post #14 Baseball

A competitive, evening baseball program for Ages 14 - 19. Sign-ups and try-outs will be held in May.

Website: https://www.legion.org/

baseball/teams/2021/ma/305116



Charles River YMCA Tee-Ball & Baseball

Fall and Spring season programs for Ages 3 - 6, focusing the skills and fundamentals consisting of drills followed by a game, with an emphasis on sportsmanship, teamwork, fun and fair play.

Website: https://ymcaboston.org/healthy-living/youth-sports/

Needham Summer Baseball

Competitive travel teams for Ages 14 - 18, competing in leagues with other area towns. Tryouts are held in May. Website: http://www.needhambaseball.com/Page.asp? n=64836&org=NEEDHAMBASEBALL.COM

Needham Baseball & Softball

Spring season runs April through June for Ages 5 - 15. Summer travel team runs mid June through July. Fall Travel Baseball runs September through October. Website: http://www.needhambaseball.com/ Default.asp?org=NEEDHAMBASEBALL.COM

BASKETBALL

Charles River YMCA Jr. Celtics Basketball

This Winter program is set up for children in Grade Pre-K - 4th. This program will emphasize sportsmanship, teamwork and wellness.

Website: https://ymcaboston.org/ healthy-living/youth-sports/



Needham Basketball Association

Instructional program for youth in Grades 1 - 4. The season is held from January through mid March. Website: http://needhambasketball.com/

Needham Metrowest Basketball League

An instructional, competitive, grade based regional travel Fall/Winter program for Grades 4 - 8. Tryouts are held in September, practices are twice a week, and start early November, one game per week starting early December (Sundays) and all teams compete in playoffs through mid March.

Website: https://www.needhammetrowestbball.com/

Needham Youth Basketball League

An in-town league for everyone Grades 5 - 8 in which everyone plays and no one is cut. The season runs from November through March.

Website:

https://www.needhamyouthbasketballleague.com

CHEERLEADING

Needham Jr. Football & Cheer

Needham Junior Cheerleading is a recreational program open to children in Grades 2 - 8. We emphasize spirit, teamwork, safety and commitment.

Website: https://needhamfootball.net/cheer/

FIELD HOCKEY

Needham Youth Field Hockey

Teaches fundamental field hockey skills, introduce team play while encouraging good sportsmanship and is offered to Grades 1 - 6 for our Fall season, and

Grades 1 - 7 in the Spring.

Website: https://www.needhamyouthfieldhockey.com/

FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING

Charles River YMCA Flag Football

An instructional program in the Spring and Fall for Ages 5 -11 focusing on the basic fundamentals and game rules with an emphasis on sportsmanship and fair play.

Website: https://ymcaboston.org/ healthy-living/youth-sports/



NEEDHAM COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Needham Flag Football League "NFFL"

Needham Flag Football is a Fall season, non-contact, coed league for youth in Grades K - 8. We are a member of the nationally known NFL Flag League. Website: https://www.needhamflagfootball.com/

Needham Junior Football & Cheerleading

These programs are for youth n Grades 2 - 8. The season runs from early August through November.

Website: https://

needhamfootball.net/football/



HOCKEY

Needham Youth Hockey Association Inc.

A Winter youth hockey program for youth, Ages 4 - 17, with an emphasis on developing skills, fun, sportsmanship, respect and fair play. Website: http://www.nyha.org/



LACROSSE

Needham Girls' Lacrosse

Developmental lacrosse programs for girls in Grades 1-8. The primary season is in Spring, though there are also clinics and a "fall ball" program for girls in Grades 5 - 8.

Website: http://www.needhamlacrosse.com/

Needham Boys' Lacrosse

These Spring & Fall season programs for Grades K - 8 are designed to teach necessary skills needed to succeed in lacrosse as well as to expand upon already learned skills at an age-appropriate level. Website: http://www.needhamboyslacrosse.com/

128 Lacrosse

128 Lacrosse Club is a select High School Boys Lacrosse club. The program is separated into three seasons (Fall Ball Team, Winter Skills, and Summer Teams).

Website: http://www.128lacrosseclub.com/

SOCCER

Charles River YMCA Pre-School Soccer

Program is offered for Ages 3 - 6. This program focuses on learning the basic fundamentals and rules followed by a game with an emphasis on fun and sportsmanship. Website: https://ymcaboston.org/healthy-living/youth-sports/

Needham Soccer Club

For Grades 1 - 12 (Ages 7 - 18), the purpose of the club is to promote and enhance the game of soccer.

Website: http://needhamsoccer.com/



SOFTBALL

Needham Baseball & Softball

Spring is for Grades K - 8 and requires no prior softball experience and includes professional skills training. Year round travel softball for Ages 8 - 18 focuses on skill development and competitive games.

Website: http://www.needhambaseball.com/Page.asp? n=73850&org=needhamsoftball.com

SWIMMING

Charles River YMCA Swimming

Swim lessons, adaptive aquatics and exercise, Special Olympics Swim Team for Ages 6 and up. Competitive Swim Teams for Ages 5 and up.

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Website: https://ymcaboston.org/healthy-living/healthy-living-swimming/swimming-lessons/

TRACK & FIELD

Needham Track Club

Summer season for Ages 3.5 - 14 offers training and low-key competition with emphasis on fun. Fall season for 7 - 14 is a cross country program. Winter season for Ages 7 - 14 is an indoor program featuring practice, training and meets.

Website: http://www.needhamtrack.org/

NEEDHAM PARKS, PLAYGROUNDS, FEILDS & FACILITIES

Avery Field - Webster Street

Amenities: One youth diamond. Parking: Street parking only.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Broadmeadow School - 120 Broadmeadow Road

Amenities: Two youth diamonds. Playground for with equipment for Ages 3 - 5 and Ages 5 - 12.

Parking: Park in the lower parking lot, off of

Broadmeadow Road, to the right of the school.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Claxton Field - Central Avenue

Amenities: Two adult softball diamonds. Public restrooms Parking: The parking lot is located off of Central Avenue, across from the RTS entrance. There is no parking on Central Avenue.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Cricket Field - Hillside Avenue

Amenities: Two multi-purpose fields. Playground with equipment for Ages 3 - 5. Half basketball court.

Parking: All players and spectators should park in the spaces along Sunnyside Road.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

DeFazio Park - 380 Dedham Avenue

Amenities: Two synthetic multi-purpose fields with lights. Two grass multi-purpose fields. One 60' diamond & one 90' diamond. 8 - lane synthetic track. Playground with equipment for Ages 3 - 5 and Ages 5 - 8. Picnic area with grills. Public restrooms. Parking: Park in an orderly manner leaving spaces for emergency vehicles. Do not park in fire lanes. There is no parking on Dedham Avenue, George Abbot Road other neighborhood streets, or on the fields.

Dogs: Town of Needham By-Law: NO Dogs at DeFazio, except for certified service dogs.

Dwight Field - Dwight Road

Amenities: One youth diamond.

Parking: Park in parking lot. Keep children away from

steep hill for their safety.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Eliot School - 135 Wellesley Avenue

Amenities: One youth diamond. Playground with equipment for Ages 3 - 5 and Ages 5 - 8.

Parking: Parking is available in school lot. No vehicles are permitted on the playground area.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Greene's Field - Pickering Street

Amenities: One youth diamond. One small multi-purpose grass field. Playground with equipment for Ages 3-12. Basketball court. Passive park. Picnic area.

Parking: Park on Pickering Street. Parking is not permitted at the Stephen Palmer Building.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

High Rock School - Sylvan Road

Amenities: One youth diamond. One multi-purpose grass field.

Parking: Please park in the school parking lot. Street parking is only permitted on the Linden Chambers Apartments side of Linden Street.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Memorial Park - 92 Rosemary Street

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Amenities: One synthetic multi-purpose field with lights. One synthetic 60' diamond with lights. One grass 90' diamond with lights. Outdoor gazebo. Public restrooms. Parking: Use parking lot or high school lot for auxiliary parking. Do not block emergency access. Please be

Dogs: Town of Needham By-Law: NO Dogs at Memorial Park, except certified service dogs.

NEEDHAM PARKS, PLAYGROUNDS, FEILDS & FACILITIES

Mills Field - 96 Gould Street

Amenities: One youth diamond. Tennis courts. Pickleball courts Playground with equipment for Ages 3 - 6. Picnic area with grills. Basketball court. Public restroom.

Parking: Be courteous to neighbors when parking. No parking is permitted on the basketball courts.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Mitchell School - 187 Brookline Street

Amenities: Two youth diamonds. Playground with equipment for Ages 5 - 12. Basketball court.

Parking: Parking available off Brookline Street and

Lindbergh Avenue. Be courteous to neighbors.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Needham High School - 609 Webster Street

Amenities: One small grass multi-purpose field. Tennis Courts. Pickleball courts. Parking: Park in designated areas only. Do not

block emergency vehicle access.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Newman School - 1155 Central Avenue

Amenities: Three youth diamonds. Playground with equipment for Ages 3 - 6 and Ages 5 - 12. Tennis Courts. Parking: Do not block the tennis bang board when parking. Groups using Newman #3 should park to the left of the Newman School and walk through the path to the field. There is no parking on Central Avenue or the berm adjacent to the field.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Off Leash Dog Space - Pine Street

Amenities: Open, fenced in space for dogs.

Parking: Park in designated areas only. Do not block

emergency vehicle access.

Dogs: Yes please!

Perry Park - Beaufort Avenue

Amenities: One youth diamond. Playground with equipment for Ages 3-6. Basketball Court.

Parking: Park along the field, not at the fire hydrant or corner. Be courteous to neighbors.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Pollard Middle School - 200 Harris Avenue

Amenities: One youth diamond. One multi-purpose grass field. Asphalt recreation area. Pop-Up skate park. Parking: Parking available off of Bradford Street in parking lot at rear of school. Do not block emergency access.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Riverside Park - Riverside Street

Amenities: One small multi-purpose grass field.

Playground with equipment for Ages 3 - 6.

Parking: Park adjacent to the park, and be courteous to neighbors.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Sunita Williams School - 585 Central Avenue

Amenities: One small multi-purpose synthetic field. Playgrounds with equipment for Ages 3 - 5 and Ages 5 - 12. Two half basketball courts.

Parking: Parking is in the front, one playground is in front and the other is in the back.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

Walker-Gordon - 174 Charles River Street

Amenities: One 90' diamond. Playground with equipment for Ages 3 - 5. Half basketball court. Passive park. Fishing is permitted in Walker Pond.

Parking: Park only the parking lot, in an orderly manner, leaving emergency access. Do not park on grassy areas. Be respectful of neighbors.

Dogs: Must be leashed at all times. Please don't allow dogs to defecate on playing fields or in playgrounds.

