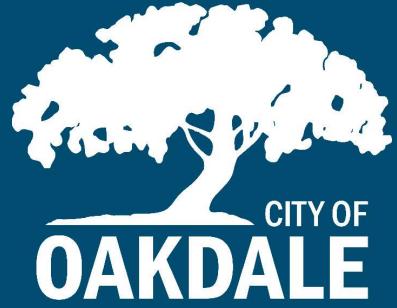


OAKDALE UPDATE

SUMMER 2020



**DUE TO COVID-19, SUMMERFEST WILL NOT BE HELD THIS YEAR.
BUT WE'LL SEE YOU AT NEXT YEAR'S EVENT!**

CITY COUNCIL

COUNCIL MEETINGS held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at 7 PM, at Oakdale City Hall, 1584 Hadley Avenue.

CONTACT THE CITY COUNCIL:

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Council Member Jake Ingebrigtsen Email: jake.ingebrigtsen@ci.oakdale.mn.us	651-216-3343
Council Member Susan Olson Email: susan.olson@ci.oakdale.mn.us	651-324-7078
Council Member Colleen Swedberg Email: colleen.swedberg@ci.oakdale.mn.us	651-779-4373
Council Member Kevin Zabel Email: kevin.zabel@ci.oakdale.mn.us	612-227-1186

ADVISORY BOARDS & COMMISSIONS

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION meets the 1st Wednesday of the month (except January, April, July, or October) at 5:15 PM at Oakdale City Hall, 1584 Hadley Avenue.

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION meets the 3rd Monday of each month at 7 PM at Oakdale City Hall, 1584 Hadley Avenue.

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month (except January or December) at 7 PM, at Oakdale City Hall, 1584 Hadley Avenue.

PLANNING COMMISSION meets the 1st Thursday of each month at 7 PM at Oakdale City Hall, 1584 Hadley Avenue.

TREE BOARD meets several times a year at Oakdale City Hall, 1584 Hadley Avenue.

MEETING MATERIALS: View materials for council, board, and commissions at www.ci.oakdale.mn.us or subscribe at "How Do I", "Sign Up For", "Notifications".

SERVE ON A BOARD OR COMMISSION: Want to serve on an Oakdale Advisory Board or Commission? Go to "How Do I", "Apply For" at www.ci.oakdale.mn.us

WATCH MEETINGS: Select "Watch City Meetings" at the "Your Government" tab at www.ci.oakdale.mn.us. You can get free cable to watch meetings and other local access shows by calling 651-747-3801 and asking for "Universal PEG Service."



CITY OFFICES

City Hall 1584 Hadley Avenue Office Hours:	651-739-5086 8 AM to 4:30 PM
Building Inspection 1584 Hadley Avenue Office Hours:	651-739-5150 8 AM to 4:30 PM
Code Enforcement	651-702-5225
Discovery Center 4444 Hadley Avenue Hours:	651-747-3860 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 8 AM to 4:30 PM Thursday 8 AM to 8 PM Saturday 12 to 4 PM Sunday 1 to 4 PM
Fire 5000 Hadley Avenue Office Hours:	651-731-8886 8 AM to 4:30 PM
Recreation 4444 Hadley Avenue Office Hours:	651-747-3860 8 AM to 4:30 PM
Police 1584 Hadley Avenue Office Hours:	651-738-1025 8 AM to 4:30 PM
<p>Dial 911 any time, for anything needing police, fire, or ambulance. Emergency or non-emergency. Anything. Anytime. Day or night.</p>	
Public Works 1900 Hadley Avenue Office Hours:	651-730-2740 7 AM to 3:30 PM

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Instagram: www.instagram.com/oakdaleminnesota/
Twitter: twitter.com/oakdalemn
Nextdoor: nextdoor.com/agency/city-of-oakdale-1

WEBSITE: www.ci.oakdale.mn.us

Select the orange "Stay Connected" button. Then select the topics that interest you, including recreation offerings; police updates; employment opportunities; and council, board, and commission meeting materials.

NEWS FLASH

View All

CALENDAR

Thu Jan. 1 Planning Committee

Sat Jan. 3 Indoor Market

Mon Jan. 5 Environment

Tue Jan. 6 City Council

Recreation

Stay Connected

Online Payments

Message from your Mayor:

On behalf of the City Council, our advisory boards and commissions, and our staff, I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your patience, understanding, and resilience as we all deal with COVID-19.

As we were putting together this issue of the newsletter, we remained hopeful that this summer might be like any other summer; that we would enjoy Safe Summer Nights, the Community Picnic, and Summerfest. But after careful and thoughtful consideration, and because these events, and others like them, involve months of planning, preparation, and notable investment, it was determined that canceling was the best course of action. While it is not easy to cancel long-standing community events, due to the uncertainty we have been facing and will continue to face, I hope you would agree that the right decisions were made.

At the time of this writing, much remains up in the air. So as the COVID-19 situation continues to unfold, the City will continue to make careful and thoughtful decisions on programs and events as well as when to re-open recreational amenities, when to resume board and commission meetings, and so on. For the latest information, please refer to the City's web site at www.ci.oakdale.mn.us or follow us on Facebook.

Again, thank you for your patience, understanding, and resilience. I also want to take this opportunity to thank you for your boundless support of those serving on the front lines: fire, medical, and police personnel! Thank you for supporting teaching professionals! Thank you for supporting our local restaurants and businesses! Thank you to those who work to make food and supplies accessible. Thank you for adopting parks, adopting storm drains, and helping in other ways to keep our community clean and beautiful! Thank you for decorating stones with uplifting messages for others to find! Thank you for making and donating masks! Thank you for donating to or volunteering at local food shelves! Thank you for helping your neighbors!

Thank you, Oakdale. Truly, thank you.



Are there properties in Oakdale that you admire?
Maybe it's colorful flowers.
Maybe it's nicely shaped greenery.
Maybe it's your own yard!

Nominate the property for an Acorn Award!
www.ci.oakdale.mn.us by June 1 by going to
"Our Community" and then "Acorn Award."

MEET YOUR STORM SEWER

(Did you know you can adopt me at Adopt-a-Drain.org?)

Hello. I'm the storm sewer in your neighborhood. My job is to carry water off your street to lakes, rivers, and wetlands. Unfortunately, the water often brings along with it things like leaves, grass, trash, pet waste, fertilizer, and other items that can negatively affect water quality which, in turn, can be harmful to the fish, birds, and wildlife that depend on clean water. But guess what? You have the power to make sure only water goes into the storm drain! Here's how:

- Keep leaves, seeds, and grass clippings out of streets and gutters.
- Keep trash out of streets and gutters.
- Keep pet waste out of streets and gutters.
- Choose zero-phosphorous fertilizers and keep any spilled fertilizer out of streets and gutters.

THANK YOU!

CITY SEEKING FEEDBACK FOR BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN PLAN



Last summer the City of Oakdale started the process of updating its bike and pedestrian plan. The updated plan will guide bike and pedestrian improvements, in accordance with goals outlined in the City's comprehensive plan, over the next 10 to 20 years. The updated plan is expected to be complete in fall 2020.

The City is currently accepting input from the community, which will help the project team make recommendations about how to make Oakdale more bikeable and walkable.



You can share your input online by taking a brief survey, which includes questions about biking/walking habits and preferences, and by marking your favorite destinations, areas of concern and future route ideas on our online interactive map. Both opportunities will be open for participation through May 31, 2020; links for both opportunities can be found at www.ci.oakdale.mn.us/bikapedplan.



For more information or for alternative options to provide input please contact Communications Specialist Alyssa MacLeod at 651-730-2722.

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OAKDALE AREA
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

2020
OAKDALE AREA
BUSINESS SHOWCASE

SAVE THE
DATE
OCT
31
11am-3pm

.....
Oak Marsh Golf Course Club House
526 Inwood Ave. N, Oakdale, MN
.....

.....
HALLOWEEN FUN!
Trick-or-Treating at every booth. Kids are welcome to wear costumes.



Balloon
Artistry
by Mandana



Contact Jodi Christensen for Booth Registration
651.773.4738 | jchristensen@lakeelmobank.com

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KEEP THINGS GREEN USING LESS WATER

- Water grass and gardens early in the day when temperatures tend to be lower.
- Set a timer when you turn on sprinklers to remind you to turn sprinklers off.
- Position sprinklers so you aren't also watering your driveway or the street.
- Use drip irrigation, soaker hoses and bubblers.
- Use a Smart Controller on your irrigation system.
- Fix leaking faucets and hoses.
- Collect rain water and use to water plants.
- Replace sodded areas with flowers, food producing plants, and native plants.
- Collect water from dehumidifiers and household tasks such as cooking and use to water plants.
- Use a broom instead of a hose to clean up paved areas.
- Mulch around plants to help hold in moisture.

THANK YOU!



**REMEMBER
TO FOLLOW
OAKDALE'S
ODD-EVEN
WATERING
SCHEDULE**

The City of Oakdale 2020 Community Survey
Page 18 of 18

Please complete this survey. Your year of birth does not matter.

CITY TO CONDUCT COMMUNITY SURVEY

This year the City of Oakdale is conducting a community survey. Households will be selected at random to participate. Through the survey, residents rate City services and the quality of life in Oakdale. They also give their opinions about some specific issues and potential projects.

The survey is conducted in partnership with National Research Center (NRC), a Colorado survey research firm. The results provide valuable feedback to the City Council about Oakdale's ongoing services. The data collected is used to determine whether the City is meeting citizens' expectations and areas where improvements could be made.

Surveys will be mailed to selected households mid- to late May. For more information about the community survey, please contact Communications Specialist Alyssa MacLeod at alyssa@ci.oakdale.mn.us or 651-730-2722.

3. Please indicate how likely or unlikely you are to do each of the following.

ELECTION 2020: Important Dates

PRIMARY ELECTION: August 11

Need to Register to Vote?

Preregister by July 21 at www.mnvotes.org or register at your polling place on Election Day.

Want to Vote Early or by Mail?

Early/Absentee voting for the August 11 Primary Election begins June 26 and ends August 10.

Filing for Candidacy: July 28 to August 11

GENERAL ELECTION: November 3

Need to Register to Vote?

Preregister by October 13 at www.mnvotes.org or register at your polling place on Election Day.

Want to Vote Early or by Mail?

Early/Absentee Voting for the November 3 General Election begins September 18 and ends November 2.



Oakdale Garden Club Plant Sale

May 30, 2020 | 9am – 1pm

Corner of Granada Ave and Stillwater Blvd
Oakdale, MN

Most potted plants
between \$2 to \$5

Have a gardening
question? Stop by!

No early sales



Perennials, Natives, Vegetables,
Houseplants, Misc. garden items



Washington
County

Environmental Center



FREE Product Room

Pick up reusable paint, automotive products, cleaners and other products for free. Residents must be 18 years old to participate.

Drive through and drop it off

Household hazardous items such as paint, motor oil, fluorescent light bulbs, and electronics.

4039 Cottage Grove Dr
Woodbury, MN 55129

Tues 11am - 7pm

Thurs/Fri 8am - 4:30pm

Sat 8am - 2pm

Closed on Thanksgiving,
Christmas Eve, Christmas
Day, New Year's Day &
other major holidays.

Open to residents of
Washington, Anoka, Carver,
Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin,
and Ramsey counties. Proof
of county residency, such
as a driver's license, is
required.

More info:

www.co.washington.mn.us
651-430-6655

ELECTION 2020: FAQ

Q. Do I need to register to vote at each election?

A. You only need to register if (1) this is your first time ever voting, (2) if your name or address has changed from the last time you voted, or (3) if you haven't voted in the past four years. Visit www.mnvotes.org to confirm that you are registered at your current address or to register ahead of time. You can also register at your polling place on election day by providing the required proofs of residency.

Q. Oakdale has eight polling locations; how do I know which one is assigned to me?

A. Visit pollfinder.sos.state.mn.us; put in your zip code, house number, and street name to learn your polling place.

Q. Can I vote early at Oakdale City Hall?

A. Absolutely! City Hall, located at 1584 Hadley Avenue, will again serve as an early voting location for Washington County residents. Vote in person during these times:

PRIMARY ELECTION (August 11)
June 26 to August 7: 8 AM to 4:30 PM
August 8: 8 AM to 3 PM
August 10: 8 AM to 5 PM

GENERAL ELECTION (November 3)
September 18 to October 30: 8 AM to 4:30 PM
October 31: 8 AM to 3 PM
November 2: 8 AM to 5 PM

Q. Can I vote early by mail?

A. Absolutely! Apply for absentee ballots at www.mnvotes.org or by calling Washington County at 651-430-6175.

Q. I would like to run for Oakdale city council. When do I need to file for office?

A. Residents may file for the two city council seats at Oakdale City Hall, 1584 Hadley Avenue, from July 28 to August 11. The filing fee is \$5. Candidates will be on the November 3 General Election ballot; persons elected will take office in January of 2021 and serve four year terms.



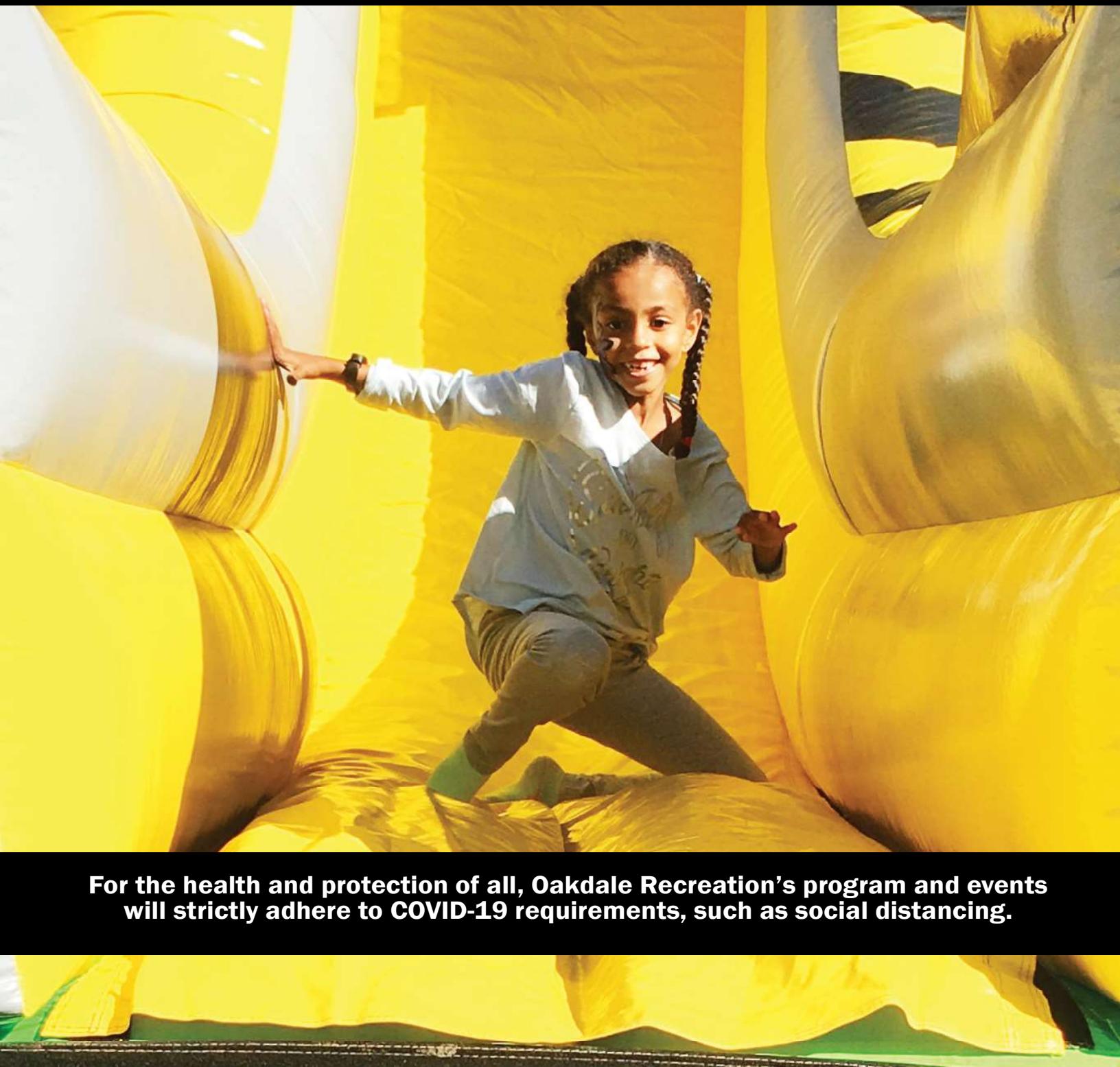
**HOW
MUCH WATER
DO YOU USE?**

The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has a goal for every Minnesotan to use less than 75 gallons of water a day.

- The DNR's website offers a water calculator and tips for using less water at www.home-water-works.org/calculator.
- Consult your quarterly utility statement from the City of Oakdale or call the Oakdale Utility Billing Department at 651-730-2710 to learn about your water usage and how to check for leaks!

OAKDALE RECREATION

SUMMER 2020
PROGRAM GUIDE



For the health and protection of all, Oakdale Recreation's program and events will strictly adhere to COVID-19 requirements, such as social distancing.

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laura.linzmeyer@ci.oakdale.mn.us

General Inquiries 651-747-3860
Park Maintenance 651-730-2740**ADDRESS**4444 Hadley Avenue North
Oakdale, MN 55128**RECREATION
DEPARTMENT HOURS**

Monday to Friday, 8 AM to 4:30 PM

**DISCOVERY CENTER
HOURS**Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday:
8 AM to 4:30 PM
Thursday: 8 AM to 8 PM
Saturday: 12 to 4 PM
Sunday: 1 to 4 PM**FIND US ON THE WEB**at www.oakdalefun.com**FOLLOW US
ON FACEBOOK**www.facebook.com/oakdalefun/**SUBSCRIBE TO
RECREATION UPDATES**Go to: www.oakdalefun.com

Select: How Do I at top of page

Select: Sign Up For

Select: Notifications

Select: Recreation Department
Updates**e-BROCHURES**Get Oakdale Recreation information
instantly and immediately by signing
up for e-brochures. Simply email
laura.linzmeyer@ci.oakdale.mn.us.**ATHLETIC
ASSOCIATIONS**

These athletic associations operate independently from the Oakdale Recreation Department. Although they use city and school facilities, they oversee and organize their own registrations, schedules, fees, etc.

MINNESOTA WOMENS SOCCERwww.mwsl.org**NORTH SAINT PAUL AREA HOCKEY
ASSOCIATION**www.nspaayouthsports.com**NORTH STARS SKATE SCHOOL**

Beginning figure skating and hockey lessons. Ages 3 to adult.
651-501-3667

**OAKDALE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
(OAA)**

Volunteer organization operates youth sports (volleyball, soccer, football, t-ball, baseball, basketball, lacrosse). www.oaaonline.com

OAA Board meets on the 2nd Wednesday of month, 8 PM, at Sgt. Peppers, 930 Helena.

**OAKDALE ADULT SOFTBALL
ASSOCIATION (OASA)**

Operates all men's, women's and co-rec softball leagues.
www.oasa.us

OMNI OTTERS SWIM TEAM

For boys and girls ages 6 to 18+.
www.omniotters.com

**SAINT PAUL - RAMSEY COUNTY
HORSESHOE CLUB**www.sprchorseshoeclub.weebly.com**TARTAN AREA YOUTH HOCKEY
ASSOCIATION (TAYHA)**

Boys and girls grades K to 12.
www.tayha.org

**TARTAN JUNIORS OLYMPIC
VOLLEYBALL PROGRAM**

Girls ages 9 to 18
www.tartanjuniorsvb.wixsite.com

YOUTH WRESTLING K-8 (OAA)

Boys grades K to 8 www.oaaonline.com. Inquiries at wrestling@oaaonline.com

**BEE HIVE**

Our resident bee hive is back! Stop by the Discovery Center now through August to see the inner workings of a live bee hive! You can watch the busy bees from a safe vantage point whenever the Discovery Center is open. *The live hive is available courtesy of local beekeepers, Karen and Duane Voy.*

**BEE KEEPING AND
HONEY EXTRACTION**

Don't miss the Discovery Center's annual beekeeping and honey extraction event!

Local beekeepers, Karen and Duane Voy, will demonstrate how to extract honey from the Center's live hive. They will also give tips on how to be a successful beekeeper. This is a free program.

Date: Thursday, August 13

Time: 6 to 8 PM

Place: Discovery Center
4444 HadleyPlease call 651-747-3860
to reserve your spot!

Events and programs may need to be postponed or canceled due to COVID-19 criteria. Please refer to www.oakdalefun.com for updates.

The Oakdale Discovery Center is located at 4444 Hadley Avenue (find hours on Page 1). The facility is nestled within the wooded and scenic 220-acre Oakdale Nature Preserve and offers rotating art exhibits, aquarium, wildlife exhibits, book and movie exchange, facility rental, and a fireplace with cozy seating. Nearby, discover miles of trails, a forest garden, a floating boardwalk over Mud Lake, fitness stations, and a historic one-room schoolhouse.

DISCOVER ALL THE DISCOVERY CENTER HAS TO OFFER!

BINOCULARS

Stop by the Discovery Center during regular hours to borrow a pair of binoculars to use for exploring in the Oakdale Nature Preserve. Please plan to present a photo ID.

DISCOVERY BACKPACKS

Stop at the Discovery Center during regular hours to borrow one of our "Discovery Backpacks." Inside the packs you will find everything needed for an exploration into the adjacent Oakdale Nature Preserve. Seek out animal tracks, identify different trees and flowers, go on a scavenger hunt, use binoculars to bird watch or catch a glimpse of the deer, fox and owls that call the Nature Preserve home. Catch interesting critters using the insect net.

NORDIC WALKING POLES

Stop by the Discovery Center during regular hours to borrow our Nordic Walking Poles (adult size only). Using Nordic Walking poles turns your walk into a total body exercise that delivers far more motivating results and makes walking more fun! Poles resembling ski poles are used to involve the upper extremities, toning and firming every major muscle at the same time. The poles have rubber tips making it possible to use them on pavement while reducing the impact of the hard surface. Please plan to present a photo ID.

**The Indoor Market returns in November! Vendor applications available starting in August.
For more information: 651-747-3872 or nathan.timmons@ci.oakdale.mn.us**

Have you discovered the restored one-room school house at the Oakdale Nature Preserve? It was built in 1888 as District #12 of Washington County and known as the Eder School. It closed in 1920 and became a storage shed until it was moved to the Oakdale Nature Preserve and restored by the Oakdale-Lake Elmo Historical Society in 2004. Today it is operated by the Washington County Historical Society.

Visit www.wchsmn.org for information on this and other historic sites in Washington County.

Visit the Eder School House:
Sundays: July 5 through August 9,
Noon to 4 PM

SPECIAL EVENT:
Root Beer Float Day at the School House
Sunday, July 26, Noon to 3 PM

SWAP BOOKS AND MOVIES

Bring gently used books and movies to the Discovery Center and swap them for something "new." Books must be in good, readable condition, with the cover intact. Movies must be fully operable and in their original case. The swap is an even exchange. Books exchanged for books, etc. No VHS tapes can be accepted.

SCAVENGER HUNT CHALLENGE

Pick up a Scavenger Hunt Guide at the Discovery Center and then head out into the wild (aka Oakdale Nature Preserve) for a fun and educational scavenger hunt! Prizes given to those who find the items listed in the guide! (Prizes are age 12 and under appropriate).

TANDEM BIKES

Stop by the Discovery Center during regular hours to borrow a tandem bike. There are two available including one that accommodates youth sizes (At least one of the riders needs to be over the age of 18). Please plan to present a photo ID.



EDER HISTORIC SCHOOL HOUSE



AMPED UP ENTERTAINMENT

Are you looking for some fun - FREE programs for your children, grandchildren, or even yourself this summer? Then the Discovery Center Amphitheater is the place to be! On select Thursday mornings throughout the summer, the amphitheater will play host to a variety of programs. (If there is inclement weather, the program will be moved into the Discovery Center).

Place: Discovery Center Amphitheater, 4444 Hadley Avenue

Time: 10 AM (programs are approximately one hour long)

June 18: Mad Science Minnesota

Mad Science Minnesota will perform a variety of science experiments perfect for the outside elements. It may be a fountain of sticky soda or an avalanche of bubbles. Whatever happens, it is bound to be messy!

July 9: Wendy's Wiggle, Jiggle, & Jam

Wendy is going to get the party started! Stop by for a morning of singing, dancing, and movement as we host a backyard concert at the amphitheater.

July 16: U of M Raptor Center

The University of Minnesota Raptor Center will present three raptors: owl, hawk, and falcon, on the glove of their trainer. Each bird of prey will be brought out and discussed.

July 23: Storytime & Crafts with April

Join us for a morning of stories and crafts with our good friend, April.

August 6: Snake Discovery

Join us as a variety of unique, beautiful, living reptiles come to the stage to give you an up-close look at this part of the animal kingdom.

August 20: Bruce the Bug Guy

“Bruce the Bug Guy” will bring a variety of props, images, and live insects as we explore the misunderstood world of insects.

APPLE RIVER GUIDED KAYAK TOUR

Minimum Age: 15 with a parent

Join other outdoor enthusiasts for a guided paddle of the scenic Wisconsin Apple River. Enjoy a relaxing three-hour downstream kayak trip covering eight miles of a remote stretch of the river.

Meet up at the River Island Park in Star Prairie, Wisconsin. We will shuttle to the starting point where you will receive a paddling and safety overview before we get on the water. Then we will begin our journey to see wildflowers, eagles, and other river life.

Bring a lunch to enjoy along the way. Recommended for people with some kayaking/canoeing experience. Must be able to maneuver around downed trees, branches, and some small ripples for the last half mile.

Date: Saturday, July 18

Time: Meet at 9 AM at River Island Park, Star Prairie, WI

Cost: \$65/per person. Includes single kayak, paddle, life vest, shuttle to starting point, and support throughout the day.

Bring Along: Bottled water, snacks, bag lunch, hat, sunscreen, sunglasses, binoculars, and a dry bag/large Ziploc for your gear.

Wear: Dress in layers; wear shoes that strap on and can get wet.

Events and programs may need to be postponed or canceled due to COVID-19 criteria. Please refer to www.oakdalefun.com for updates.

Please register by July 10

DISCOVERY ART GALLERY

Did you know that an amazing art gallery can be found in your community?

The Discovery Art Gallery at the Discovery Center has a long tradition of showcasing the creations of local artists and artisans, featuring a different artist and a wide variety of techniques every month.

The gallery is open Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays: 8 AM to 4:30 PM; Thursdays: 8 AM to 8 PM; Saturdays: 12 to 4 PM; and Sundays: 1 to 4 PM.

FEATURED ARTISTS:

June **Marijo Sarff**
 Acrylic Paintings

July **Susan Solomon**
 and Greg Lecker
 Paintings

August **Tom Florey**
 Photography

September **Tammy Wolfe**
 and Russ Myrman
 Photography

Learn more about being a featured artist by contacting Laura at 651-747-3866 or laura.linzmeyer@ci.oakdale.mn.us



Painting by Bethany Finnern

ART DISCOVERY FAIR

Looking for art for your home or office or would you like
to get a head start on your holiday shopping?

Come to the Art Discovery Fair to find one-of-a-kind artwork from 20+ unique local artists!
Select from paintings, photography, wood, clay, jewelry, and much more!

Saturday, November 14
10 AM to 3 PM
Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley Avenue

KIDCREATESTUDIO launches children into the incredible world of art. Our energized classes offer an exciting format for art exploration. **KIDCREATESTUDIO** focuses on art creation and art education. Lesson plans, designed by an art education professional, are age appropriate and devised to inspire the individual child. **KIDCREATESTUDIO** teachers provide a positive, fun, self-esteem building atmosphere where children learn to express themselves through the visual arts. Parents can be assured their child is being educated in a supportive environment where giggles and grins are encouraged. For more information about **KIDCREATESTUDIO**, visit the website at kidcreatuestudio.com.

UNICORN SLIME

ages 4 to 9 years

Explore the magical, mystical unicorn universe with us! We'll learn the secret recipe for fabulous, glittery unicorn slime that you get to take it home in a unicorn jar so sparkly that it's guaranteed to dazzle! If you love unicorns, you will LOVE this class. *Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child.*

Date: Friday, June 12

Time: 1 to 4 PM

Place: Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley Avenue

Cost: \$33 per child

Please register by June 5

GRANDPARENT & ME MESSY TIME

ages 18 months to 6 years

What grandparent wouldn't love to have a messy good time with their grandchild? Grandma (or Grandpa) will create right along with their grandchild in this popular class. We know your grandchild will be eager to explore our four "mess" stations. We'll get gooey with gunk, play with clay, and more. Making a mess is the best so come ready to get messy!

Children must be accompanied by a caregiver.

Date: Thursday, July 16

Time: 9:30 to 10:30 AM

Place: Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley Avenue

Cost: \$18 per child, includes grandparent

Please register by July 9

BIG MACHINES

ages 3 to 6 years

Diggers, loaders and dump trucks....there's nothing better! Except getting messy with clay as we make our own construction zone art project! Our construction zones will be complete with mounds of dirt, orange construction cones, and a toy truck to drive through the clay. This is a great class for siblings to attend together! *Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child.*

Date: Friday, August 14

Time: 9 AM to 12 Noon

Place: Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley Avenue

Cost: \$33 per child

Please register by August 7

Events and programs may need to be postponed or canceled due to COVID-19 criteria. Please refer to www.oakdalefun.com for updates.

KIDCREATE® STUDIO

Eight weeks of summer fun for ages 6 to 11! Campers will participate in a variety of games, crafts, and special events for each weekly theme. Sign up for 1 week, 2 weeks, or all 8 weeks. Registration deadline is one week prior to the start of each camp.

Days: Monday through Thursday
 Time: 1:30 to 4 PM
 Cost: \$34 per week -- or sign up for all 8 weeks for \$238!
 One week free when you sign up for all Mini Camps!

FOOD ALLERGIES:
 Occasionally, snacks are served at camp.
 If your child has a food allergy, please
 list it on the registration form.

MINI-CAMP SCHEDULE	RICHARD WALTON PARK	OAKDALE NATURE PRESERVE shelter on west side of park
June 8 to 11	Around the World	Oakdale Olympics
June 15 to 18	Color Wars 2	Incredible Edibles
June 22 to 25	Detective Week	Around the World
June 29 to July 2	Holiday Hoopla	Color Wars 2
July 13 to 16	Oakdale Olympics	Detective Week
July 20 to 23	Splashtacular	Holiday Hoopla
July 27 to 30	Incredible Edibles	Splashtacular
August 3 to 6	Final Finale	Final Finale

MINI CAMP PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Around the World: Join us as we travel around the world this week. We'll be playing a variety of games, tasting treats, learning new words from other languages, and making festive crafts from countries all over the world.

Color Wars 2

Back by popular demand! Pick a color, make a flag and let the games begin. This week is all about teamwork, making friends, good sportsmanship and FUN! We'll participate in a variety of games and challenges including a gaga pit, crazy races, a scavenger hunt and more.

Detective Week!

Put on your detective hat and join us for a week of super-sleuthing fun. Every day is a mystery and anything can happen! Investigations may include CSI activities, games, detective kits, invisible ink messages, dusting for fingerprints and cracking codes.

Final Finale

Don't miss out spending our last week at camp enjoying some of our favorite games and activities from the summer! Say goodbye to summer with a last blast of fun!

Holiday Hoopla

'Tis the season for holidays! Come celebrate with a years' worth of holidays all in one week. Bring your holiday cheer and don't forget your holiday themed gear!

Incredible Edibles

Join us for a week of crazy, wacky edible food fun! We'll make edible marshmallow paint, edible slime, edible play dough, magic milk, rainbow pasta, edible glitter and more!

Oakdale Olympics

We'll go for the gold this week as we honor the spirit of the Olympics. Create your own Olympic torch, compete for medals and cheer each other on through fun and exciting Olympic themed challenges, activities and games!

Splashtacular

An annual favorite! WARNING: You will get soaked! Don't miss this year's water week where we will enjoy all things water. Slip-n-slides, splash tag, water balloons, splash painting and, of course, treats to cool us off. Don't forget your swim suit and towel!

Your preschooler (ages 3 to 5) will spend the morning playing games, creating art projects, singing, and socializing. (Children must be potty trained). Sign up for 1 week, 2 weeks, or all 8 weeks! Registration deadline is one week prior to the start of each camp.

Days: Mondays through Thursdays
Time: 10 to 11:30 AM
Cost: \$24/week – or sign up for all 8 weeks for only \$168!
One week free when you sign up for all Small World camps!

FOOD ALLERGIES:
Occasionally, snacks are served at camp.
If your child has a food allergy, please list it on the registration form.

Session 1	June 8 to 11	Storybook Summer	Oakfield Park, south on Helmo, off 50th Street
Session 2	June 15 to 18	Oakdale Olympics	Eberle Park, 38th and Hadley Avenue
Session 3	June 22 to 25	Circus, Circus	Oakdale Nature Preserve (Discovery Center Shelter)
Session 4	June 29 to July 2	Mix, Bubble & Fizz	Oakdale Nature Preserve (Discovery Center Shelter)
Session 5	July 13 to 16	Beach Bash	Walton Park, off Hadley and 15th Street
Session 6	July 20 to 23	Animal Antics	Oakfield Park, south on Helmo, off 50th Street
Session 7	July 27 to 30	Western Week	Eberle Park, 38th and Hadley Avenue
Session 8	August 3 to 6	The Four Seasons	Walton Park, off Hadley and 15th Street

SMALL WORLD CAMP PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Animal Antics

We'll feature a different animal theme each day. We'll make animal crafts, sing animal songs, listen to animal stories and of course act like animals!

Beach Bash

Surf's up! Join us as we kick off the sea-son with a week full of all things beachy. Sand, sea, and sun themed games, crafts and activities... it's "shore" to be a good time!

Circus, Circus

The circus is coming! Don't miss a week under the big top. Activities will include a cupcake walk, circus art, face painting, carnival games and of course, prizes!

Mix, Bubble & Fizz!

Calling all Jr. Scientists! Get ready to conduct experiments, create (safe) explosions, and have a real blast!

Oakdale Olympics

We'll go for the gold this week as we honor the spirit of the Olympics. Create your own Olympic torch, compete for medals and cheer each other on through fun and exciting Olympic themed challenges, activities and games!

Storybook Summer

Campers will go on a magical adventure as books come to life through song, dance, games and crafts.

The Four Seasons

In the spring leaves sprout. Bees buzz in the summer. The fall turns leaves red and gold. Snowflakes begin to fall in winter. Join us as we spend a week celebrating the wonders and magic of each season!

Western Week

Yeee Haaaw! Cowboys and cowgirls, saddle up! Pull on your boots, dust off your hat and get ready to horse around! Western Week! Get ready for a boot scootin' good time during Western Week!

FREE SUMMER CONCERTS WEDNESDAYS

Walton Park Band Shell - 15th Street & Hadley
SPONSORED BY THE OAKDALE RECREATION DEPARTMENT

June 17 Elvis Tribute Artist Steve Marcio:
Remembering the King (7 to 8 PM)

July 8 Youth Band Showcase (7 to 8 PM)
Hey! Interested in performing at the Youth Band Showcase?
Please contact Nathan at nathan@ci.oakdale.mn.us for details.

July 15 Minnesota State Band (7 to 8 PM)
Music Type: *Orchestral*

July 22 Kidsdance (6 to 8 PM)
Music Type: *Kids DJ*

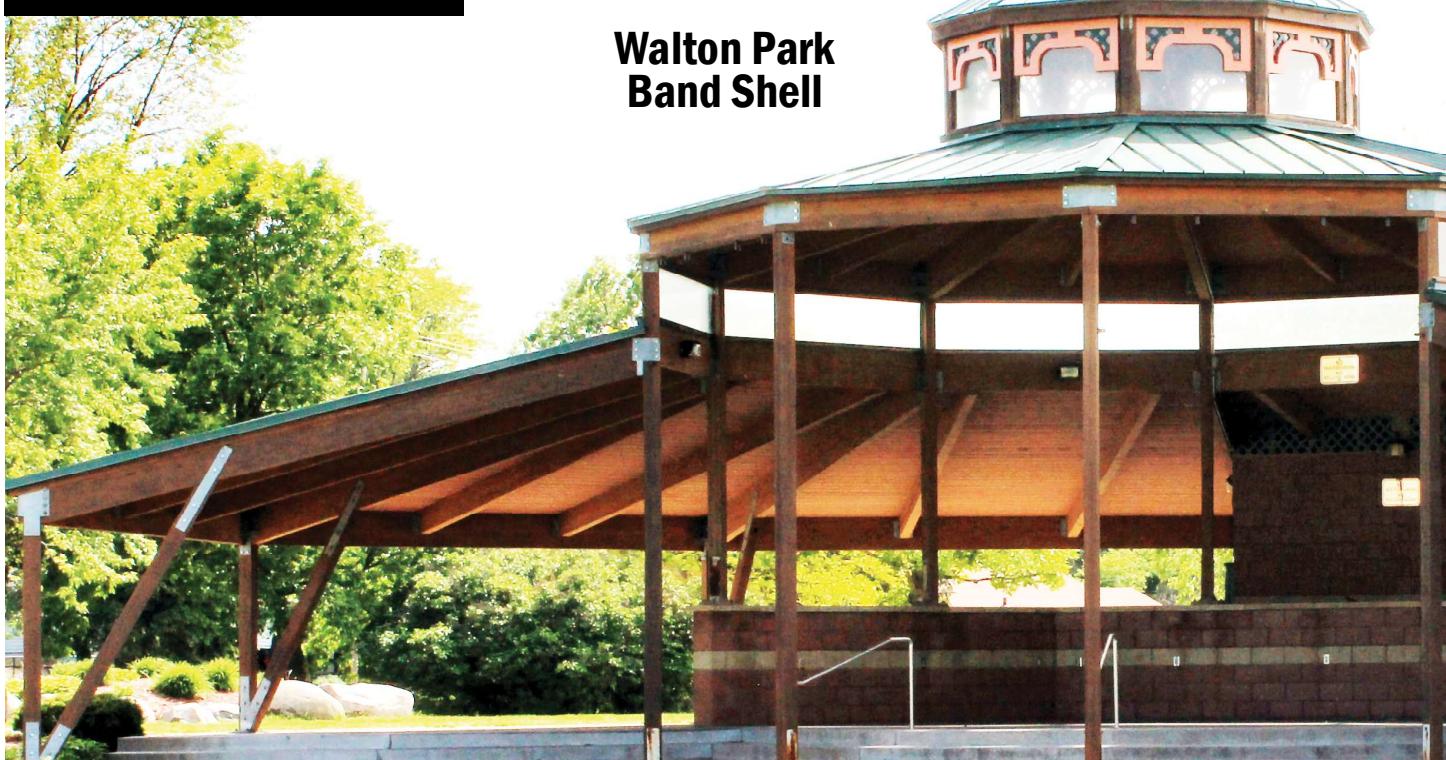
August 5 Saddle Sores (7 to 8 PM)
Music Type: *Classic Country*

August 12 Power of 10 (7 to 8 PM)
Music Type: *Timeless & Current Hits*

BYOC (Bring Your Own Chair!)

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to be postponed or canceled due to
COVID-19 criteria. Please refer to
www.oakdalefun.com for updates.

**Walton Park
Band Shell**



COMMUNITY WALK

WALKING IS REWARDING!

Stop by the Oakdale Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley Avenue, to sign-up for the very popular – and *free* – Community Walk rewards program.

Oakdale residents have the opportunity to walk the 220-acre Oakdale Nature Preserve as much as possible until October 31, with the ultimate goal of reaching a total of 200 miles to earn a \$40 gift card from Target, Hy-Vee, Kwik Trip, or Fleet Farm.

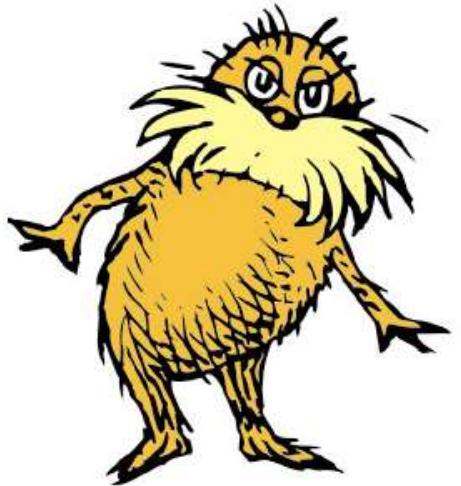
There are plenty of other rewards along the way, including a free t-shirt from Big Frog Custom Shirts.

Recreation staff will track your miles; you just need to fill out and turn in mileage forms each time you walk. Mileage forms are available inside the Discovery Center and outside at the drop box.

The Community Walk program is for Oakdale residents only; proof of residency is required when registering (driver's license, passport, etc.). Children living with parents in Oakdale are eligible; babies and toddlers are not eligible.

Miles Walked	Your Reward!
200	\$40 Gift Card
100	\$20 Gift Card
50	\$10 Gift Card and T-shirt
25	\$5 Gift Card





CURIOUS CRITTERS CLUB

The Discovery Center offers a wide variety of fun and educational nature programs for children ages 3 to 6 on Fridays throughout the year. Children participate in discussions, play games, watch DVDs, and create projects for each themed program. Curious Critters Club kids like to go outside, so please dress for the weather!

Time: 9:30 to 11 AM
 Ages: 3 to 6 years old (children must be potty trained)
 Cost: \$8 per participant, per session
 Place: Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley Avenue

Registration deadline is one week prior to start of program

June 12

The Eyes Have It

I spy with my little eye, an animal that is peeking nearby! Are their eyes like mine? Join us as we explore how different animals see.

June 26

Dr. Seuss and the Lorax

We'll read *The Lorax* by Dr. Seuss and learn why trees are so important to both people and animals and why we should protect the environment.

July 10

Creepy Crawlies

Join us for songs, art and activities based on the popular Eric Carle books like *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*, *The Grouchy Ladybug*, and *The Very Busy Spider*.

July 24

Sunny Day

There's lots to discover on a bright, sunny day! Bees are busy making honey, crickets are chirping in the grass and baby swallows are learning to fly. We'll explore what happens on sunny days in the Oakdale Nature Preserve!

August 7

The Wonderful World of Whales

Plunge into the deep-sea world of these warm-blooded wonders and have a whale of a good time on your learning adventure.

August 21

Down at the Pond

What's happening down at the pond? We'll discover the natural wonders of animal life at the pond.

September 11 Scales and Shells

We'll learn all about our reptile neighbors, snakes and turtles! We'll discover lots of cool reptile facts and go for a walk in search of our scaly friends!

September 25 Autumn Art

Join us as we create our own autumn masterpieces! We'll hike to collect fall leaves, grasses, seeds and other natural materials.

Events and programs may need to be postponed or canceled due to COVID-19 criteria. Please refer to www.oakdalefun.com for updates.

OAKDALE BARK PARK

The City's off-leash dog park is a great place for your pup to run off some energy and meet some new friends. The park, located off 50th Street, between Helena Road and Heather Ridge Road, is open year round. It is fenced with a transition corridor and a separate area for small dogs. A pet waste dispenser and trash cans are available for your convenience. The park also offers paved parking, benches, and running water (summer only). The park opens one half hour before sunrise and closes one half hour after sundown.

Park Rules

- Dogs must be properly leashed, vaccinated, not be in heat, and not designated as a dangerous dog.
- Dogs must be leashed prior to entering and prior to leaving the off-leash area and in the transition corridors.
- Dogs must stay within fenced area when off leash.
- Pet parents are liable for damage or injury inflicted by their dogs.
- Pet parents must be in verbal control of their dogs at all times and prevent aggressive behavior, biting, fighting, or excessive barking.
- Pet parents must be at least 16 years of age and not handling more than two dogs.
- Pet parents must clean up and dispose of pet waste.
- Pet parents must have a visible leash with them at all times.

KEEP PUPS LEASHED

With the exception of the Oakdale Bark Park, dogs must be leashed when visiting city parks and anytime they are out and about in the city..

PICK UP AFTER PUPS

Please keep Oakdale free of dog droppings! When in a park, use a convenient Mutt Mitt's dispenser.

When out walking, carry a few bags with you to keep our streets, trails, boulevards, and sidewalks free of droppings.

Woof!

Thank you! Thank you!



FREE FAMILY FUN!

PRESCHOOL SUMMER STORYTIME

Megan from the Oakdale Library will come to the Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley Avenue, for a series of special preschool story times!

We'll have fun talking, singing, reading, writing, and playing together. We will focus on concepts such as counting, colors, sharing, emotions, patterns, and the alphabet. A simple craft will follow. A free program recommended for developmental ages 0 to 5 and their grown-ups.

Wednesday, June 24	10:30 AM	"Ice Cream"
Wednesday, July 29	10:30 AM	"Magic"
Wednesday, August 26	10:30 AM	"Picnic"
Wednesday, September 30	10:30 AM	"Underwear"

Please call 651-747-3860
to reserve your spots!



TOWER PARK WATERSLIDE

Discover Oakdale's very "cool," refreshing, and free water slide!

Grab a blanket, pack a lunch, and spend the afternoon cooling off at our water slide at Tower Park, located at 8th Street and Guthrie Avenue.

FRIDAYS
July 24 & August 7
1 to 3 PM

All kids need to be accompanied by an adult.

Please bring along non-perishable food items to be donated to the local food shelf.

Events and programs may need to be postponed or canceled due to COVID-19 criteria. Please refer to www.oakdalefun.com for updates.

FREE FAMILY FUN!



MOVIE IN THE PARK

Grab the kids, lawn chairs and blankets, and come to Walton Park to enjoy a night under the stars as "Toy Story 4" is shown on the big screen at the band shell. Concessions will be available. Please bring non-perishable food items for the local food shelf.

TOY STORY 4
Friday, August 21
at Dusk

Movie in the Park is sponsored by the Oakdale Police and Recreation departments.

Rain Policy: Decision to cancel will be made by 4 PM on August 21 and notice posted on the City's web site and Facebook.

TOUCH-A-TRUCK

Don't miss this unique opportunity to find dozens of vehicles in one spot for kids to climb on, sit in, touch, pose for photos and learn about how various trucks work. Kids of all ages can experience what big trucks are really like. Concessions available and *FREE* ice-cream!

Date: Tuesday, September 8
Time: 5 to 7 PM
Place: City Hall Parking Lot, 1584 Hadley

FAMILY FUN FLATABLES

Join us at Walton Park for a full day of jumping, bouncing, diving, and exploring a sea of inflatables! Find over a dozen unique inflatables for a day of nonstop fun for all ages. Bounce castles, obstacle courses, and giant slides are just a few of the inflatables you will find. Plus, a kid's band will provide entertainment! Concessions will be available for purchase as well.

Date: Saturday, September 26
Time: 11 AM to 4 PM
Place: Walton Park - 15th Street and Hadley



FARMERS MARKET

Oakdale's Farmers Market returns June 3! Our market offers a wide variety of fresh and healthy local products in a convenient location! Pick up everything you need for dinner including flowers for the table!

The market is held on Wednesdays, 2 to 6 PM in the City Hall parking lot, 1584 Hadley Avenue.

List of vendors will be available June 1 at www.oakdalefun.com

Want to receive weekly electronic newsletters to find out what's going on at the Oakdale Farmers Market? Email nathan.timmons@ci.oakdale.mn.us to get signed up.

The Farmers Market Accepts Snap EBT. Here's how it works:

1. Present EBT card at SNAP booth.
2. Redeem EBT\$ for tokens.
3. Get matched up to \$10 in "Market Bucks."
4. Buy SNAP approved items.

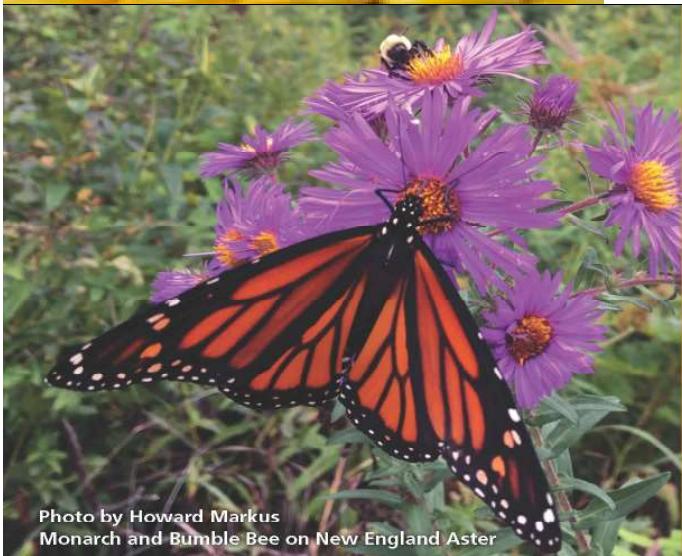


Photo by Howard Markus
Monarch and Bumble Bee on New England Aster

Join Us For Our 10th Annual More-Than-A-Plant Sale!

Expo: Learn how to select and grow native plants from local conservation and restoration groups to benefit pollinators, other wildlife, and water quality.

Market: Purchase Minnesota native plants from a variety of local growers. No cultivars or systemic insecticides.

Cash or Check Preferred

**Free and Open To All
Rain or Shine**

**Landscape Revival:
OAKDALE**

**NEW DATE: Saturday, September 19, 2020
9 am - 1 pm**

**FOOD
TRUCK
TOO!**

**Oakdale City Hall
Parking Lot
1584 Hadley Ave N,
Oakdale**



This summer, the ITS Truck will find its way to a park near you, bringing along fun, new games, a super sound system and Nintendo Wii gaming device! There's a different theme each week, so come outside and join the Oakdale Recreation staff because you know ITS going to be a blast all summer long!

WEEK 1: June 8 to 11 **ITS Kick-off Week**

Welcome to another summer of ITS! We will begin the summer of activities with all that the truck has to offer. This will include the Nintendo Wii gaming system, jumbo games, yard games, and all types of sports gear. Prepare yourself for the rest of the summer, because this is just the beginning!

Monday	10 AM to Noon	Eastside Park
Tuesday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Guthrie Park
Wednesday	10 AM to Noon	Walton Park
Thursday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Goosepond Park

WEEK 2: June 15 to 18 **Everything JUMBO**

Get out and come play some classic games, with a large twist. We will be bringing out all of the giant games for this big week of fun.

Monday	10 AM to Noon	Tanners Park
Tuesday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Furlong Park
Wednesday	10 AM to Noon	Eastside Park
Thursday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Guthrie Park

WEEK 3: June 22 to 25 **Campers vs. Counselors**

Our ITS staff will teach you a new game or two, and we hope that you will teach us a new activity! Join us for a week of blended fun, as we play old classics! Have a new game or activity you want to play or teach us? Come on out, and let's all learn something new!

Monday	10 AM to Noon	Walton Park
Tuesday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Goosepond Park
Wednesday	10 AM to Noon	Tanners Park
Thursday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Furlong Park

WEEK 4: June 29 to July 2 **Fun & Fitness**

Come out for a morning of physical training, stretching, and some cardio. An obstacle course will get us all moving. Test your skills and athletic abilities with a variety of challenges and mini games.

Monday	10 AM to Noon	Guthrie Park
Tuesday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Eastside Park
Wednesday	10 AM to Noon	Walton Park
Thursday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Furlong Park

WEEK 5: July 13 to 16 **Challenge Week**

Color wars, Olympics, ropes course, capture the flag, and treasure hunts. No challenge will be off limits this week. Stop by and test your skills at various activities and games.

Monday	10 AM to Noon	Eastside Park
Tuesday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Guthrie Park
Wednesday	10 AM to Noon	Tanners Park
Thursday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Furlong Park

WEEK 6: July 20 to 23 **Wet & Wild**

Grab your swimsuit and towel and head out into the park. This week will be filled with water activities. We won't get soaked, but we will get wet and wild. Some activities may include water balloon toss and water relays.

Monday	10 AM to Noon	Walton Park
Tuesday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Goosepond Park
Wednesday	10 AM to Noon	Eastside Park
Thursday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Tanners Park

WEEK 7: July 27 to 30 **Arts, Crafts, Games**

Bring your creative mind this week! The ITS Truck Staff will be bringing new crafts, daily, to the park, along with all of your favorite Wii games and activities. Stop by to create a project, or just have a blast with the provided activities!

Monday	10 AM to Noon	Tanners Park
Tuesday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Guthrie Park
Wednesday	10 AM to Noon	Furlong Park
Thursday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Eastside Park

WEEK 8: August 3 to 6 **ITS The Final Week**

ITS staff will recap the entire season with some of their favorite games and activities. Come out and join us as we end the season with everything that the truck has to offer. We are going to be excited to see you come out, but sad to see the season come to an end.

Monday	10 AM to Noon	Walton Park
Tuesday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Eastside Park
Wednesday	10 AM to Noon	Guthrie Park
Thursday	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Furlong Park

**Free, drop-in program.
No need to register.
Come and go as you please!**

Events and programs may need to be postponed or canceled due to COVID-19 criteria. Please refer to www.oakdalefun.com for updates.

The Oakdale Wellness 50+ Team is older adults working to empower older adults to live healthy, active lives by helping to create an environment that makes it easy! During this unique summer, your Oakdale Wellness team is encouraging you to stay in touch on Facebook at Discover Your Fitness ("follow" us), by email at Oakdalewellness50@yahoo.com, or search "Wellness" at www.ci.oakdale.mn.us.

OAKDALE WALKS

The Oakdale Wellness 50+ team has created a unique exercise challenge for 2020.

- 1) Challenge yourself to exercise 210 minutes every week (equivalent to 30 minutes per day).
- 2) Keep track of your effort, be it walking, biking, strength training, yoga, or a strenuous sport like pickleball or tennis (no golf or gardening this year). We will send you a form for keeping track.
- 3) Report every two weeks, starting June 1 by emailing oakdalewellness50@yahoo.com with your total minutes for the two weeks. We will keep track of each participant on a spreadsheet (feel free to use a nickname for privacy).
- 4) Win a prize if, after six weeks, you achieve 1,260 minutes.

Are you up to the challenge?! Send the message "Sign me up!" to oakdalewellness50@yahoo.com with your email address, name, and nickname if you would like.

EAT WELL

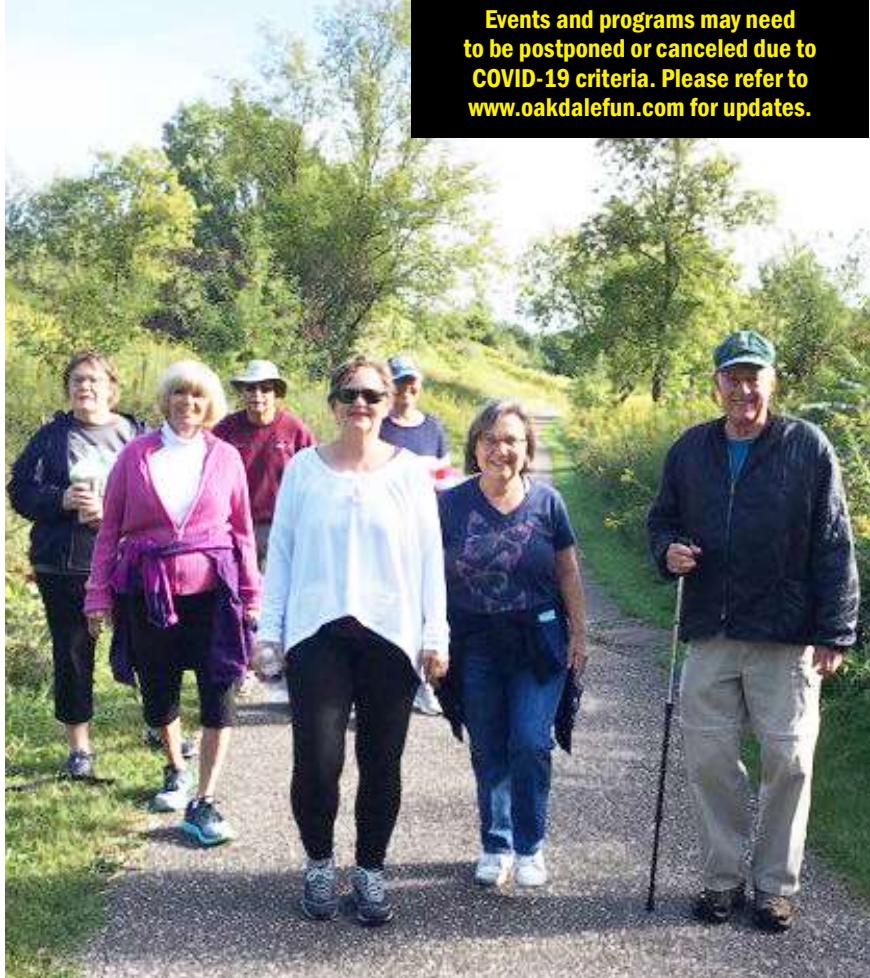
The Oakdale Wellness 50+ Team has created a cookbook, *Healthier Recipes for One or Two*. We would like to share some recipes with you. How about "Brilliant Gazpacho" or "Coconut Nut Chews" to brighten your day? Just send the message "Recipes, please" to oakdalewellness50@yahoo.com to receive recipes from time to time.

OTHER EVENTS:

The Journey to Journaling event and the Bike Maintenance workshop at Gateway cycle will be held later this summer. Watch for new dates to be announced on our Facebook page and to our Yahoo subscribers, as well as on the City website.

The Wellness Book Club will resume via Zoom for the time being. If you would like to join, email oakdalewellness50@yahoo.com. Be well. Keep in touch.

Events and programs may need to be postponed or canceled due to COVID-19 criteria. Please refer to www.oakdalefun.com for updates.



PICKLEBALL

PICNIC SHELTERS

PRINCESS BALL

OPEN COURT PICKLEBALL

Join the Oakdale Pickleball Club for a game of pickleball! All are welcome during open court play. Equipment is provided or bring your own. Courts are located at Tanners Park, Tanners Park Road, south of 7th Street. Courts open to October, pending weather conditions. Questions? Call Chuck at 651-439-5307.

Sundays	3 to 5 PM
Mondays/Wednesdays	6 to 8 PM
Tuesdays/Thursdays/Saturdays	9 to 11 AM

Pickleball Courts at Eastside Park too!



RENTAL FEES: Resident:

Small Shelter Rental \$50
Large Shelter Rental \$100
Shelter & Kitchen \$225
Security Deposit (kitchen) \$300 (no tax)
Walton Park (Band Shell Package) \$400

Includes:

- Band shell
- Two Large Shelters
- Kitchen Facilities

RENTAL FEES: Non-Resident:

Small Shelter Rental \$65
Large Shelter Rental \$150
Shelter & Kitchen \$250
Security Deposit (Kitchen) \$300 (no tax)
Walton Park (Band Shell Package) \$550

Includes:

- Band shell
- Two Large Shelters
- Kitchen Facilities

All fees are subject to county and state sales tax.

CINDERELLA'S DADDY-DAUGHTER PRINCESS BALL



Join ONCE UPON A STAR'S Cinderella, Rapunzel, Jasmine, and Anna for an enchanting evening with your special adult-date! Each princess will enjoy dancing, crafting jewelry, creating a snack & posing for photos with our princesses! Registrants also receive a princess tote bag and castle gift to take home. Couples will have a photo taken with next-day proof access.

Date: Friday, September 25
Time: 6:30 to 8 PM
Place: Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley Avenue
Cost: \$37 per couple
Ages: Recommended 2-1/2 to 8 years of age

Please register by September 18

RENT A PICNIC SHELTER



Pop in this summer at one of our FREE Pop-Up Parks! Pop Up Play Parks is a program for kids to enjoy access to recreation programming in their own neighborhoods. We'll be "popping" in and bringing recreation to you! Our staff will provide games, activities, sports equipment, special events, arts & crafts, and more. Just look for our Pop-Up Play flags!

Check the weekly schedule at www.oakdalefun.com for the Pop-Up Play events near you! This is a drop in program. Children are free to come and go as they please.

Week 1: June 8 to 11			Week 2: June 15 to 18		
Monday	1:30 to 3 PM	Oakfield Park	Monday	1:30 to 3 PM	Tower Park
Tuesday	10 to 11:30 AM	Tower Park	Tuesday	10 to 11:30 AM	Century North
Wednesday	1:30 to 3 PM	Century North	Wednesday	1:30 to 3 PM	Oakfield Park
Thursday	10 to 11:30 AM	Oakfield Park	Thursday	10 to 11:30 AM	Tower Park
Week 3: June 22 to 25			Week 4: June 29 to July 2		
Monday	1:30 to 3 PM	Century North	Monday	1:30 to 3 PM	Oakfield Park
Tuesday	10 to 11:30 AM	Oakfield Park	Tuesday	10 to 11:30 AM	Tower Park
Wednesday	1:30 to 3 PM	Tower Park	Wednesday	1:30 to 3 PM	Century North
Thursday	10 to 11:30 AM	Century North	Thursday	10 to 11:30 AM	Tower Park
Week 5: July 13 to 16			Week 6: July 20 to 23		
Monday	1:30 to 3 PM	Tower Park	Monday	1:30 to 3 PM	Century North
Tuesday	10 to 11:30 AM	Century North	Tuesday	10 to 11:30 AM	Oakfield Park
Wednesday	1:30 to 3 PM	Oakfield Park	Wednesday	1:30 to 3 PM	Tower Park
Thursday	10 to 11:30 AM	Tower Park	Thursday	10 to 11:30 AM	Century North
Week 7: July 27 to 30			Week 8: August 3 to 6		
Monday	1:30 to 3 PM	Oakfield Park	Monday	1:30 to 3 PM	Tower Park
Tuesday	10 to 11:30 AM	Tower Park	Tuesday	10 to 11:30 AM	Century North
Wednesday	1:30 to 3 PM	Century North	Wednesday	1:30 to 3 PM	Oakfield Park
Thursday	10 to 11:30 AM	Oakfield Park	Thursday	10 to 11:30 AM	Tower Park



POP UP PARK LOCATIONS:

Century North Apartments, 4131 Geneva Boulevard
 Oakfield Park, Helmo Avenue and Heather Ridge Road
 Tower Park, 8th Street Lane



HORSEBACK RIDING AT BUNKER PARK STABLE

Ages 8 to 16

Join us for a trip to Bunker Park Stable, a premier horseback riding facility right in our Minnesota back yard.

Come along as we learn about and go for a ride with the horses that call Bunker Park their home. The trip will include a horseback ride and chance to groom the horses.

**Two Dates!
Sign up now!
Space is limited!**

Dates: Fridays, July 17 or August 7

Time: 10 AM: Depart from Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley Avenue

Return approximately 2:30 PM

Cost: \$48 per person per trip: includes horseback riding fee, barn tour, chaperone, and transportation

Please dress appropriately for this adventure (no shorts, no sandals) and bring a nut-free bagged lunch.

Registration deadline one week prior to start of program

VETSFEST

Vets for Music and the City of Oakdale bring you VetsFest 2020. This free admission family festival will include:

- Huey helicopter landing.
- Vintage airplane flyover.
- Military vehicles.
- Have your picture taken in the cockpit of an F4 jet!
- Free children's games (courtesy of Local Union 110 Electrical Workers).
- New this year: vintage car show contest, sponsored by Cops 'n Rodders. Veterans encouraged to enter; others encouraged to enter in honor of a veteran.
- Food and beverage available for purchase.

This event is brought to you by the joint efforts of Vets for Music, City of Oakdale, Metropolitan Regional Arts Council, The MN Vietnam Vets Charity, and the MN Air Commemorative National Guard Museum.

Date: Saturday, July 25

Place: Walton Park, 1584 Hadley Avenue

Time: 11 AM to 6 PM: Festival

11:45 AM: Opening Ceremony

Noon: Music: The Jimmy's (Noon)

Pat McLaughlin Band (2 PM)

To be announced (4 PM)



Events and programs may need to be postponed or canceled due to COVID-19 criteria. Please refer to www.oakdalefun.com for updates.

Our American Red Cross trained instructors help develop water safety and swimming skills for all ages and abilities in a positive and fun learning environment.

Register Online: www.isd622.org/swim

Or by Phone: 651-748-7442

Hmong/Hmoob 651-757-0263

Spanish/Español 651-788-3664

Somali/Soomali 612-707-8439

No in-person or mailed registrations.

SWIM LESSONS

Summer 2020



Reduced rates for group swim lessons are available to district families who qualify for free and reduced meals. 651-748-7442

Parent/Child Classes

(6 months–5 years with adult, child must wear swim diaper if not trained)

You will assist your child in developing water skills through games and play.

30
minute
classes

Parent/Tot (6 months–3 years)

Develop water readiness, safety and basic swim skills.

Parent/Pre K (3–5 years)

Children learn basic swimming techniques through drills and play.

Preschool Classes (4–5 years)

30
minute
classes

Your child will develop water skills through games and play without a parent in the pool.

Turtles (Preschool 1)

Child who will not put face in the water. Child will learn basic swim skills while increasing his/her comfort level.

Bobbers (Preschool 2)

Child will put face in the water and is comfortable in the water.

Super Kids (Preschool 3)

Child who can float on front and back and is ready to learn how to swim independently.

Private & Semi-Private Swim Lessons

30
minute
lessons

For Children or Adults. Instructor customizes each 30 minute lesson. Register online for private lessons. Call for additional times or to register 2 or more for semi-private lessons.

Learn-to-Swim Classes

55
minute
classes

(6 years and older)

American Red Cross Learn-to-Swim classes help youth progress through 6 levels to learn fundamentals, master strokes, and increase endurance.

Level 1 & 2: Fundamental Skills Introduction to Water Skills—floating, gliding, leg & arm movements.

Level 3: Stroke Development Passed Level 2 or can jump in deep water, swim on front and back for 30 feet. Class skills include Front Crawl, introduction to Elementary Backstroke and deep water.

Level 4: Stroke Improvement Passed Level 3. Elementary Backstroke, Sidestroke, Butterfly kick.

Level 5: Stroke Refinement Passed Level 4. Increase endurance of all strokes. Breaststroke, Butterfly, and Sidestroke.

Level 6: Personal Water Safety or Fitness Swimmer

Passed Level 5. Core skills are the same.

Personal Water Safety: emphasis on self-rescue, survival float, survival swimming.

Fitness Swimmer: emphasis on learning to increase and evaluate personal fitness.

Open Swim

Monday afternoons at Skyview!

12:30–2:00 pm

June 15, 22, July 6, 13, 20 & 27

Student/Child.....\$3

Adult.....\$4

Immediate Family...\$10

EVENING SWIMMING LESSONS

7 Group Lessons \$70 | 7 Private Lessons \$168

Skyview Community School

1100 Heron Ave E, Oakdale

	Monday June 8–July 27 (no class June 29)		Tuesday June 9–July 28 (no class June 30)		Thursday June 11–July 30 (no class July 2)	
Class	Time	Class #	Time	Class #	Time	Class #
Parent/Tot	6:00 pm	SPT3	6:00 pm	SPT4	6:00 pm	SPT5
Parent/Pre K			6:30 pm	SP2		
Turtles			6:00 pm	STU3		
Bobbers	6:30 pm	SB4	6:00 pm	SB5	6:30 pm	SB6
Super Kids			7:00 pm	SK3		
Level 1 & 2	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	S1E S1F	6:30 pm 7:30 pm	S1G S1H	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	S1M S1N
Level 1 & 2 Twice a week			Tuesdays & Thursdays, July 7–July 30 6:00 pm Class # S1J 8 lessons \$80 7:00 pm Class # S1K 8 lessons \$80			
Level 3	6:00 pm	S3E	7:30 pm	S3F	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	S3G S3H
Level 4	6:00 pm	S4C	6:30 pm	S4D	7:00 pm	S4E
Level 5	7:00 pm	S5A	7:30 pm	S5B		
Level 6	7:00 pm	S6A				
Private	7:00 pm 7:30 pm	SS1 SS2			8:00 pm 8:00 pm 8:00 pm	SS3 SS4 SS5

Maplewood Middle School

2410 Holloway Ave E, Maplewood

	Monday June 8–July 27 (no class June 29)		Wednesday June 10–July 29 (no class July 1)	
Class	Time	Class #	Time	Class #
Parent/Tot	6:00 pm	SPT1	5:30 pm	SPT2
Parent/Pre K	6:30 pm	SP1		
Turtles	5:30 pm	STU1	5:30 pm	STU2
Bobbers	5:30 pm	SB1	5:30 pm 6:30 pm	SB2 SB3
Super Kids	5:30 pm	SK1	6:00 pm	SK2
Level 1 & 2	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	S1A S1B	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	S1C S1D
Level 3	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	S3A S3B	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	S3C S3D
Level 4	7:00 pm	S4A	7:00 pm	S4B
Private			5:30 pm 6:00 pm 6:30 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm	SM1 SM2 SM3 SM4 SM5

*Tuesday evening offered in partnership
with the City of Oakdale.*

DAYTIME SWIMMING LESSONS

8 Group Lessons \$80 | 8 Private Lessons \$192

Skyview Community School

1100 Heron Ave E, Oakdale

	Session 1 Monday–Thursday June 15–25		Session 2 Monday–Thursday July 6–16		Session 3 Monday–Thursday July 20–30	
Class	Time	Class #	Time	Class #	Time	Class #
Parent/Tot	9:00 am	SDPT1			9:30 am	SDPT2
Turtles	9:30 am	SDTU1			9:00 am	SDTU2
Bobbers	9:30 am	SDB1	9:00 am	SDB2	9:00 am	SDB3
Super Kids	9:00 am	SDSK1	9:30 am	SDSK2	9:30 am	SDSK3
Level 1 & 2	9:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am	SD1A SD1B SD1C	9:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am	SD1D SD1E SD1F	9:00 am 10:00 am	SD1G SD1H
Level 3	9:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am	SD3A SD3B SD3C	10:00 am 11:00 am	SD3D SD3E	10:00 am	SD3F
Level 4	10:00 am	SD4A	9:00 am	SD4B	11:00 am	SD4C
Level 5	11:00 am	SD5A			11:00 am	SD5B
Level 6	11:00 am	SD6A			11:00 am	SD6B
Private	10:00 am 10:30 am 11:00 am 11:30 am	SDS1 SDS2 SDS3 SDS4	10:00 am 10:30 am 11:00 am 11:30 am	SDS5 SDS6 SDS7 SDS8	10:00 am 10:30 am 11:00 am 11:30 am	SDS9 SDS10 SDS11 SDS12

ViniYoga is a therapeutic style of yoga that adapts to the needs of each student.

Classes will include a blend of gentle yoga postures, breathing, and simple meditations to help the body build strength and flexibility while remaining steady and comfortable.

Beginners are welcome as are those who have practiced yoga before. All students are encouraged to move at their own pace. Please wear comfortable clothing and bring a yoga mat.

Instructor: Jennifer Brandt, Owner and Yoga Therapist at Body & Mind Yoga Therapy.

TUESDAY MORNING VINIYOGA

**Session 1: Dates: June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
July 7, 14, 21**

**Session 2: Dates: August 4, 18, 25
September 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
(No class on August 11)**

**Time: 9:30 to 10:30 AM
Place: Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley
Cost: \$69 per person, per session**

WEDNESDAY EVENING VINIYOGA

**Session 1: Dates: June 3, 10, 17, 24
July 1, 8, 15, 22**

**Session 2: Dates: August 5, 12, 19, 26
September 2, 9, 16, 23, 30**

**Time: 5:30 to 6:30 PM
Place: Discovery Center, 4444 Hadley
Cost: Session 1: \$69 per person
Session 2: \$77 per person**

**Registration Deadline:
One week prior to morning or evening sessions**

**Drop in to try any
Viniyoga class for only \$12**

For the Wednesday Evening

*Drop-In Viniyoga sessions, please
pay exact amount by cash or check.*

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COVID-19 criteria. Please refer to
www.oakdalefun.com for updates.



5 WAYS TO PAY:



OAKDALE RECREATION

ONLINE

www.oakdalefun.com

MAIL

4444 Hadley Avenue N,
Oakdale, MN 55128

FAX

651-747-3861

IN PERSON

4444 or 1584
Hadley Avenue

DROP BOX

4444 or 1584 Hadley
Avenue

CANCELLATIONS

Oakdale Recreation reserves the right to cancel, postpone or combine programs, and/or change instructors. Classes with insufficient enrollment will be canceled and payment refunded or credited to your account. Participants will be notified of program cancellations prior to the start of the program.

e-BROCHURES

Receive your brochure by E-mail. You can have all your Oakdale Recreation information instantly and immediately when you sign-up for e-brochures. It's quick and easy to register. Submit your request via e-mail to laura.linzmeyer@ci.oakdale.mn.us and you will begin receiving your brochures with the next issue.

PROGRAM CONFIRMATIONS

You will be contacted only if a program is full, canceled, or if a program change is necessary.

REFUNDS

Registration fees for programs canceled by the Recreation Department will be fully refunded. Other than Adult Trips, participants may cancel a registration three business days before the start of the program and receive a refund, less a \$5 administration fee. Once a refund has been requested, a check will be mailed within 45 days. If the registration payment was charged, a credit to the credit card will be processed. No refunds can be issued once a program has started or if tickets were purchased for a trip or event.

REGISTRATION DEADLINES

Registration deadlines are established for programs to ensure appropriate staffing levels, supplies, and facility needs. Please refer to program descriptions for each program's registration deadline.

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Scholarships are available for persons who need financial assistance to participate in youth programs. Funds are limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information or to request an application, please call 651-747-3860.

WAIT LISTS

If a class or event is full, you may request that your name be placed on a waiting list in the event that an opening occurs.

**Questions?
Call 651-747-3860 or visit
www.oakdalefun.com**

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ACTIVITY Registration Form

PERSON MAKING PAYMENT

Name:		
Address:		
Phone Number:	() -
Second Number:	() -
Email:		

REGISTER PARTICIPANTS

EMERGENCY CONTACT (IF APPLICABLE)

Name:		
Phone Number:	() -)	
Relationship:		
PERMISSION AND WAIVER		
<p>In consideration of your accepting this registration, I hereby, for myself and my heirs, waive any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against the City of Oakdale and its representatives, for any and all injuries from whatever cause suffered by the participants listed in the indicated activities. I understand that the information that I have provided will be distributed to individuals involved with each recreation program.</p> <p>Oakdale Recreation often takes pictures and video of participants for program promotion. The completion of your registration signifies your acceptance of this consent.</p>		

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Receipt sent by email. Receipt also available by mail if requested. Please mail my receipt.

Signature

Date

PAYMENT

Exp _____ / _____ Code _____

Oakdale Recreation | 4444 Hadley Ave N. | Oakdale, MN 55128 | 651-747-3860 | www.oakdalefun.com

SEND COMPLETED FORMS BY MAIL, DEPOSIT IN DROP BOX, OR FAX

Mail (or Drop Box): Oakdale Recreation Fax: 651-747-3861

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