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# THE WILBRAHAM WHISTLE: E-Newsletter ... JANUARY 2020

Our goal is to keep you informed of important information on a monthly basis. For more details on all our family friendly programs, visit [www.WilbrahamRec.com](http://www.WilbrahamRec.com) or visit Facebook: [Wilbraham Parks & Recreation Department](#)

- Falcon Girls Lacrosse (grades 3-8): Registration begins Tuesday, January 14.**  
 Join the exciting game of Falcon Girls Lacrosse! The Falcon Lacrosse Association's goal is to foster and nurture a culture that builds character, sportsmanship and love for the game as well as teaching the fundamentals of the sport. Everyone interested is encouraged to register regardless of the skill level and everyone is placed on a team. Players provide equipment: Goggles, stick & mouth guard.
- Mites Instructional Girls Lacrosse (grades K-2) Registration begins Tuesday, January 14.**  
 Come learn the basics of lacrosse. The fundamentals will be stressed using drills, stations and other teaching techniques. The program begins in late March/early April. Players provide equipment: Goggles and stick & mouth guard.
- Winter Baseball Clinic (Ages 6-10): Registration is currently running until the first clinic.** Registration is taken in-office or by mail-in only, with checks made out to Friends of Recreation. See [WilbrahamRec.com](http://WilbrahamRec.com) for the registration form. Don't be left out in the cold - it's never too early to prepare for the upcoming season! Clinics are open to both boys and girls. Program begins January 5. The program takes place at Powerhouse Training Center in East Longmeadow, MA. \*No online registration\*
- Spring Softball Clinic (grades K-8): Registration begins February 4**  
 Run by Rob Baroni, MRHS Varsity Softball coach, the clinic will work on softball fundamentals and use of the indoor batting cage during this action packed warm-up to the upcoming season. Beginners to pros, everyone is welcome to come! Participants will be divided into age groups. Program takes place the MRHS gym.
- Stars of Tomorrow Dance Program (ages 2 through Teen): Registration ends January 12**  
 We have partnered with Mary Ann Studio of Dance for over 25 years because Mary Ann Langone, Studio owner, is well educated in the area of dance. For 60 years she has offered a very professional program where dancers at any level can learn and enjoy the art of dance in a warm and encouraging atmosphere. Classes are age appropriate and are designed to stimulate the love of dance. The program is on Thursdays beginning January 16.
- ART-Ventures for Kids-Just For Fun Art-Ventures: grades 2-3 at Stony Hill School: Registration ends January 12**  
 Get ready to "create some fun"! Just for Fun Art-ventures lead children on an imaginary tour through the world's greatest art museums, inspiring creativity through exposure to the FUN-damentals of artist's tools, techniques and art forms, many inspired by the masters. But don't just admire these great works—decorate your home with masterpieces of your own!
- ART-Ventures for Kids-Where The Wild Things Are: grades K-1 at Mile Tree School: Registration ends January 12**  
 Art adventurers explore many whimsical and original art forms and techniques, discovering clay and collage, painting and drawing, mask-making and decorating, just to name a few! Sculpt colorful monsters and clay pots, design ceramic robots, decorate birdhouses and wooden guitars, create tape resist t-shirts and so much more. Plus, hear wonderful stories, such as "Where the Wild Things Are" and "Nova the Robot," each relating to a work of art.
- Winter/Spring Mad Science After School Program at Stony Hill School: Registration ends January 20**  
 Develop your special agent and detective skill in this super hands-on program! Uncover the science involved in evidence gathering and analysis. Sharpen your secret agent skills and discover how chemistry and the science of forensics can come to the aid of a secret agent. Secret agents-in-training will use science and awesome technological tools to connect the dots and help sniff out the suspects.
- BOYS LACROSSE: This year, registration for Boys Lacrosse will be taken online only. Visit [WilbrahamRec.com](http://WilbrahamRec.com) for direct link to FYLA registration.**

• **MORE FALL PROGRAMS - PLEASE VISIT [WILBRAHAMREC.COM](http://WILBRAHAMREC.COM) FOR PROGRAM DETAILS** ↓

**CARE TO SAY NAMASTE YOGA** - Registration: Online, Dec. 3 - Jan. 12 / In-office Dec. 3 - Jan. 10

**CHESS WIZARDS** - Registration: Online, Dec. 3 - Jan. 12 / In-office Dec. 3 - Jan. 10

**INDOOR TRACK & FIELD** -Registration: December 10 - January 5 online, December 10 - January 3 in-office

**FUTSAL** - After school at Stony Hill School - Registration ends December 29 online and December 27 in-office

## HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!

**Be on the lookout for Rec Baseball and Softball registration starting February 4!**

**The Spec Pavilion Rental calendar is open—book early!** This updated open sided pavilion with kitchen and bathrooms is a wonderful place to hold a picnic, reunions, graduations, weddings, company/church picnics, and more!