



JACKSON COUNTY CENTRAL

# Community Education

APRIL THROUGH JULY  
2023

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I believe in lifelong learning and strive to develop programs that will enhance the lives of those in our community.

Look inside, find something new, and register! Never stop trying new things.

Kortney Nesselth,  
Community Services Coordinator

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**What are your talents?  
Why not share them with others?**

Over the years, many people have taught Community Education classes for Jackson County Central. Teaching and sharing skills with others encourages a sense of community and can be very enjoyable. JCC Community Education is always looking for new ideas, classes, activities, and facilitators.

Fall class information for August through November is due on or before June 25.

**Bad Weather?**  
Tune in to AM 1190/ FM 105.7 for weather related concerns and cancellations.

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## JCC Community Education

### Philosophy for Youth Sports & Activities

JCC Community Education Youth Sports are designed to allow all children an opportunity to have fun, participate and learn fundamental sport skills. We are committed to providing both educational and recreational programs and services.

Participants will learn sportsmanship, respect, teamwork, fair play and self-confidence. The sports environment will be safe and well-maintained. Prudent behavior by adults is mandatory.

### Essential components of JCC CE Sports Philosophy

1. All children in our communities who meet the basic program registration requirements have a right to participate in JCC CE youth sports programs.
2. JCC CE programs are about the development of the individual and the learning of the sport.
3. JCC CE will offer programs at a reasonable cost while providing quality facilities and quality equipment for both volunteers and participants.
4. JCC CE will recruit volunteers who have the ability to act as role models, mentors and facilitators.
5. All participants in JCC CE youth sport programs shall be treated fairly, and without regard to race, color, disability, religion, sex or national origin.
6. JCC CE youth sport program practices and games should be an enjoyable, challenging and learning experience for all participants.
7. Those people in coaching and leadership positions in JCC CE youth sport programs shall lead by example through the promotion of fair play and sportsmanship.
8. JCC CE programs focus on the enjoyment of the sport—not the score.
9. JCC CE age policy is as follows: a. Children should play at their grade level for CE sports through grade 6. b. In a program set up by grade levels, coaches and volunteers may not bring up a younger player when a player at the correct age level is available—through grade 6. c. If it is necessary to divide a grade level into two teams because of large numbers, the teams should be divided as evenly as possible by skill level. There will not be a “varsity” group and a “b-squad” group. d. Parents may use an “Age Waiver Form” to apply for a higher placement in special circumstances.
10. Parents Guidelines—parents must: a. Select a program that will enhance your child’s emotional, physical, social and educational well-being. Make sure your child is properly equipped. b. Encourage a drug-, tobacco- and alcohol-free environment for their children. c. Recognize that youth sports are only a small part of a child’s life. d. Make a serious effort to take an active role in the youth sports experience of their child providing positive support as a spectator, coach and/or caring parent. e. Be a positive role model for sportsmanlike behavior at games and practices. f. Insist on safe playing facilities and healthful playing situations. g. Insist on equal sports play opportunity for all youth regardless of race, creed, sex, economic status or ability. h. Be drug-, tobacco- and alcohol-free as coaches and fans at youth sports activities.
11. JCC Community Education will follow the MN State High School League guidelines and will not take the place of the high school activities governed by the MSHSL.

## Facility Usage

**The School Board of Jackson County Central Public School District 2895 recognizes that school facilities belong to all of us. Encompassing a wide range of buildings and facilities, our schools are one of the community’s greatest assets. Allowing groups and organizations to utilize school facilities is an important part of using our schools to the fullest extent.**

**Obtain a facility use application or to read through Regulations and Charges, visit our website at [www.jccschools.com](http://www.jccschools.com), under the Community tab.**



## People Powered Health Plans

Eligible UCare members may get up to a \$15 discount on many community education classes in Minnesota. Members must have UCare insurance at the time of registration and throughout the duration of the class. Members need to provide their UCare member ID number when registering for class. Limits and restrictions may apply.



# Early Childhood Family Education

A program of Jackson County Central Community Education



**EARLY CHILDHOOD FAMILY EDUCATION** provides services for parents and their children ages birth to 5.

## *The concept...*

*The beginning years of a child's life are crucial. Intellectual, social and emotional growth occurs rapidly from birth to age 5. During the important years before school, parents are the first and most significant teachers of a child. They direct the child's perception of himself or herself and his or her world.*

## Come experience all we have to offer!

Early Childhood Family Education provides services for parents and their children ages birth to 5. It is funded through JCC Community Education. You are invited to participate in any program activities if you are the parent of a child ages birth to 5, and if you live within the JCC School District attendance area.

ECFE and Discovery Place Preschool are located in the lower level of Riverside Elementary in Jackson and in Pleasantview Elementary in Lakefield.

*"The beginning years of a child's life are crucial."*

## • Early Childhood Family Education Classes •

**Spring Session**  
April 11th-May 16th

Looking for a fun excuse to get of the house and interact with your child after being cooped up all winter? We have just the thing for you! Come to our Early Childhood Family Education class this spring

and have a blast doing our weekly themed crafts, games and activities.

**Who:** Children birth through Preschool Age

**When and Where:** Tuesday's at Riverside Preschool classroom 5:30-6:30 starting April 11th-May 16th.

**Cost:** The cost is \$60 for six weeks of classes, scholarships are available.

## Early Childhood Screening

JCC Schools will provide a FREE Early Childhood Screening for preschoolers who are 3 years old by Sept. 1, 2022. Areas screened include speech, language and concepts, motor skills, vision, hearing, emotional and health history. Information packets will be mailed to eligible families in March. Call early to get your child's appointment set. If you do not receive a packet, please call the ECFE office to request one. Early Childhood Screenings are required before entry into Kindergarten. Our last screening of the year will take place Monday, May 1st from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at Riverside Elementary in the Discovery Place Preschool area.

## Discovery Place 2023-24 Registration

Discovery Place Preschool is excited to announce that preschool registration is now open for the 2023-24 school year. Registration packets for next year's Discovery Place Preschool have been mailed to eligible families in March. Registration paperwork can be found online on the JCC school website or by calling our office (507-847-5868). Registration is due with a \$20 fee to hold your space. Please remember to register early, as classes fill quickly.

There are scholarships available to qualifying families; please fill out registration form completely.



## Looking ahead...

### Early Childhood Screening

Jackson Campus  
Monday, May 1st, 2023  
4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

### Preschool Graduation

Jackson Campus &  
Lakefield Campus  
Thursday, June 1st, 2023  
5:30-6:30 pm  
More details to follow

## Discovery Place Preschool

### Jackson Campus

#### 3-Year-Old Preschool

Children must be 3 years old by  
Sept. 1, 2023

Classes: Monday, Tuesday,  
Wednesday, and Thursday 8 to  
10:30 a.m. or

Classes: Monday, Tuesday,  
Wednesday, and Thursday 12:30  
to 3:05 p.m.  
\$150/month

#### 4/5-Year-Old Preschool Full Day

Children must be 4 years old by  
Sept. 1, 2023

Classes: Monday, Tuesday,  
Wednesday, Thursday, and  
Friday,  
8:00 a.m. to 3:05 p.m.  
\$500/month

### Lakefield Campus

#### 3-Year-Old Preschool

Children must be 3 years old by  
Sept. 1, 2023

Classes: Monday, Tuesday,  
Wednesday, and Thursday 8 to  
10:30 a.m.  
\$150/month

#### 4/5-Year-Old Preschool Full Day

Children must be 4 years old by  
Sept. 1, 2023

Classes: Monday, Tuesday,  
Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday,  
8:00 a.m. to 3:05 p.m.  
\$500/month

Summer and before/after  
school care is available at  
Kid's Club. Childcare and  
preschool bundled pricing  
available by calling 847-  
5868.



Discovery Place Preschool &  
ECFE Office Hours  
Monday through Friday  
8 a.m. to 3:30p.m.



Amber Lessman, director  
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Jackson County Central's

# KIDS CLUB CHILDCARE



- Located at Riverside and Pleasantview Elementary
  - 6:30am-5:30pm Monday-Friday
  - Includes non-school days and summer
  - Before and after school care
  - Ages 33 month- 5th grade
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Contact Us: Holly Schmit  
holly.schmit@jccschools.net  
507-847-5868

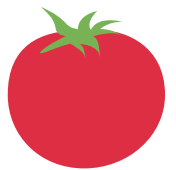
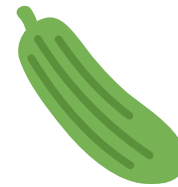
## YOUTH GARDEN CLUB BY JCC FFA

A fun-filled, educational experience for our youth entering into grades 3, 4 and 5. Students get to plant a garden plot early in the program, be the caretaker throughout the summer, enjoy fruits and vegetables during harvest, and clean-out their plot at the end. Plus, the students have the opportunity to take home their own produce. Each garden will have carrots, radishes, onions, green beans, peas, leaf lettuce, tomatoes, cucumbers and peppers along with zinnias.



As the garden grows, so will their minds with hands-on activities learning about plants including art projects and cooking. Each session will begin in the Ag room at the High School (lower north parking lot, door #10). Then we will move outside, weather permitting.

Our FFA views Garden Club as an excellent opportunity for young people to become connected with agriculture at an early age. Space is limited, so claim your spot!



**Instructors:** FFA Advisors, FFA High School Members

**Dates:** Wednesdays

May 24, May 31, June 7, 14, 21, 28, July 12, 19, and 26

**NOTE:** Garden maintenance and clean-out must be done independently from August 2 - September 8.

**Time:** 9:00 - 10:30 am

**\*Exception:** May 25 and May 31 will be 3:30-5:00 pm

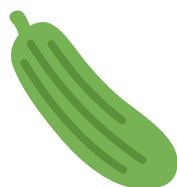
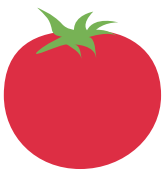
**Location:** JCC Ag Room & HS Grounds

**Fee:** \$40.00

**Register By:** May 10

**Maximum:** 18

**\*\*We ask that students have a pair of gardening gloves with them each day of class.**





## **GIRLS ELEMENTARY BASKETBALL**

Grades K-6, come to learn the fundamentals of basketball. Improve your passing, dribbling, defense, rebounding, and shooting. This camp includes a t-shirt.

Instructor: Coach Rafiel York

Dates: June 26-30

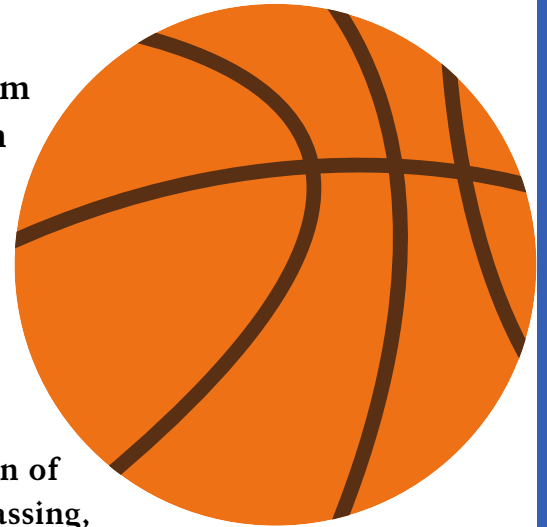
Fees \$50

Grades K-3 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Grades- 4-6 10:00 am - Noon

Location:

High School Aux. Gym



## **BOYS BASKETBALL CLINIC**

Grades K-7 will build a strong foundation of basketball basics, focusing to improve passing, dribbling, defense, rebounding, and shooting.

Instructor: Coach Alex Hein

Dates: July 10-14

Times/Fees:

Grades K-3 10:00 - 11:00 am (\$30)

Grades 4-6 11:00 am - 12:30 pm (\$40)

Location: JCC High School, Aux gym

## **YOUTH TRACK + FIELD**

Allow children in grades K-6 to explore the options that track & field has to offer! The first three sessions will be practicing and enhancing skills. The fourth Monday will be a track meet.

Instructors: Coach Rafiel York, JCC Track Coaches, and JCC Track & Field Athletes

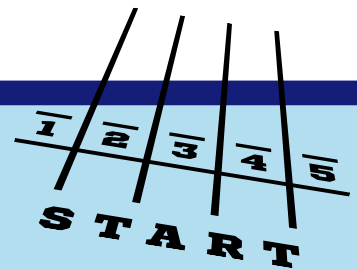
Dates: Mondays, May 1, 8, 15, & 22

Time: 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Location: JCC High School Track

Fee: \$25.00 - includes a Huskies Track Shirt!

Register By: April 18





# SUMMER GYMNASTICS 2023

## BEGINNERS

Mondays  
11:00-12:00 a.m.  
5 Week Session

**Cost: \$75.00**

June 19th—July 24th

Classes payable to JCC

\*Must be 5 years old

No Class July 3rd

## INTERMEDIATES

Thursdays  
3:00-4:00 p.m.  
5 Week Session

**Cost: \$75.00**

June 22nd-July 27th

Classes payable to JCC

No Class July 6th



## SUMMER GYMNASTICS DAY CAMPS



**WED., JULY 5, 9:00-12:00**

**WED., JULY 19, 9:00-12:00**

**WED., AUGUST 2, 9:00-12:00**

**WED., AUGUST 16, 9:00-12:00**

**Cost: \$45 each**

Beginners-Achievers level

\*Must be 5 years old

Camps payable to Tammy Handevidt

## BACK HANDSPRING/ KIP CLINICS

**FRIDAY, JULY 21ST**

**FRIDAY, AUG. 11TH**

10:00-12:00

**Cost: \$25 each**

Beginners-Achievers level

\*Must be 5 years old

Clinics payable to Tammy Handevidt

*Full Payment is required at  
the time of registration.....Classes will fill fast!*

Gymnast \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Parents \_\_\_\_\_ Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Beginners (M) \_\_\_\_\_ Intermediates (TH) \_\_\_\_\_

Summer Day Camp:

July 5th \_\_\_\_\_ July 19th \_\_\_\_\_

Aug 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ Aug 16th \_\_\_\_\_

BHS Clinics July 21st \_\_\_\_\_ Aug 11th \_\_\_\_\_

Send Registration to:

Tammy Handevidt, 1519 North HWY, Jackson MN 56143

Class sessions payable to: JCC

Day Camp & Clinic Fees payable to: Tammy Handevidt

### Gymnastics = Risk

*By the very nature of the activity, gymnastics carries a risk of physical injury. No matter how careful the gymnast and coach are, no matter how many spotters are used, no matter what height is used or what landing surface exists, the risk cannot be eliminated. Risk can be reduced, but never eliminated. The risk of injury includes minor injuries such as bruising and more serious injuries such as broken bones, dislocations, and muscle pulls. The risk also includes catastrophic injuries such as permanent paralysis or even death from landings or falls on the back, neck, or head.*

- USA Gymnastics

*I understand that JCC Public schools do not provide any accident or health insurance coverage for my child while participating in athletic programs. I fully understand that it is my responsibility to provide insurance for my child. I am aware that the school district DOES NOT cover athletic injuries. I agree not to hold Community Education, the school, or anyone acting in its behalf, responsible for an injury occurring to the student named in the proper course of such athletic activities or travel.*

*I have read the foregoing and will abide by the principles and regulations contained therein. I hereby give my consent for the gymnast named to participate.*

Signature of Parent/Guardian

**Classes & Clinics fill fast.....  
Send your registration in right away!**

# BASEBALL - SOCCER - SOFTBALL

## BASED ON SPRING GRADE 2023

### **YOUTH SPRING SOCCER LEAGUE - GRADES K-6**

Dates and Times: Saturdays

April 29, May 6, 13, 20

Makeup day: May 27

Times: First game starts at 10:00 am

Fee: \$25

### **PRESCHOOL TEE-BALL - AGES 4 + 5 (AS OF 6/1)**

Dates: Wednesdays

Coaches: Matt Madden and Shelly Condon

May 31, June 7,14,21

Times: Range from 5:00-7:00 pm

Location: Dumont Park, Jackson

Fee: \$15

### **SOFT TOSS - GRADES K-1**

Dates: Mondays & Wednesdays

May 31, June 5,7,12,14,19,21,26,28

Makeup date: June 29

Times: Range from 5:00-7:00 pm

Location: Riverside, Jackson

Fee: \$25

### **PITCHING MACHINE - GIRLS GRADES 2-3**

Practice dates will be the last two weeks in May at the discretion of the coach.

Games are held in Jackson or in Windom.

This is a traveling league due to participation numbers.

Dates: Mondays & Wednesdays,

Starting May 31, June 5,7,12,14,19,21,26

Times: Game times from 6:00-7:00 pm

Location: Softball fields, Jackson

Fee: \$50

### **PITCHING MACHINE - BOYS GRADES 2-3**

Practice dates will be the last two weeks in May at the discretion of the Coach.

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays

June 1,6,8,13,15,20,22,27

Times: Game times from 6:00-7:00 pm

Location: Softball Fields Jackson

Fee: \$50

### **MINOR LEAGUE - BOYS GRADES 4-5**

This is a traveling team between Martin County West, Madelia, Truman, Northrup, Blue Earth, and Fairmont.

Dates: Mondays & Wednesdays,

Starting 1st week of June

Times: Game time 6:30 pm

Fee: \$80

### **JUNIOR LEAGUE - BOYS GRADES 6-7**

This is a traveling team between Martin County West, Madelia, Truman, New Ulm, Northrup, Blue Earth, and Fairmont.

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays,

Starting 1st week of June

League Tournament July

Times: Game time 6:30 pm

Fee: \$80

### **PONY LEAGUE - BOYS GRADES 8-9**

This is a traveling team between Martin County West, Madelia, Truman, New Ulm, Northrup, Blue Earth, and Fairmont.

Dates: Tuesdays

Starting 1st week of June

League Tournament July

Times: Game time, double-headers 5:30

Fee: \$80

### **HUSKIES FAST PITCH - GIRLS GRADES 3-11**

Registration through Morgan Christoffer.

### **HUSKIES BASEBALL - BOYS GRADES 10-12**

Registration through Mike Wierson.

## INTERESTED IN COACHING?!

Requirements:

- Ability to have fun!
- Internal background check will be cleared prior to the season.
- Review the JCC Community Education Philosophy for Youth Sports.

Please indicate your interest on the registration form. We appreciate your time and efforts to making our summer recreation programs a success!

# 2023 BASEBALL, SOCCER, + SOFTBALL REGISTRATION

**PARENT**

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

I would enjoy coaching (circle one): Yes, Definitely! No Thanks.

If Yes, circle one: Adult Small Adult Medium Adult Large Adult X-Large Adult XX-Large

**PLAYER**

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Circle One: Male Female

Grade (Spring Grade 2022): \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

School: Jackson County Central / Immanuel Lutheran / Other

T-shirt Size (Circle one): Youth X-Small Youth Small Youth Medium Youth Large

Adult Small Adult Medium Adult Large Adult X-Large Adult XX-Large

Does the participant require any accommodations (Circle One)? YES NO

If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**ACTIVITY**

\$15 \_\_\_\_\_ Tee Ball - Girls and Boys ages 4-5 who have NOT completed Kindergarten

\$25 \_\_\_\_\_ Soft Toss - Girls and Boys currently in grades K-1

\$50 \_\_\_\_\_ Pitching Machine - Girls currently in grades 2-3

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\$80 \_\_\_\_\_ Minor League - Boys currently in grades 4-5\*

\$80 \_\_\_\_\_ Junior League - Boys currently in grades 6-7\*

\$80 \_\_\_\_\_ Pony League - Boys currently in grades 8-9\*

\$25 \_\_\_\_\_ Soccer - Girls and Boys currently in grades K-6



**Payment and Registration must be received by:**

**April 10 for Soccer**

**May 1 for Softball & Baseball**

**Late Registrations will NOT be accepted.**

**Based on Spring Grade 2023**

Baseball hats are sold online. Order by March 25.

Pre-approval required to play up a league.



Payment Included: CASH CHECK CHECK NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

Ucare ID (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

**PAYMENT**

**CONSENT**

**PARENT PERMISSION:**

I, the undersigned parent/guardian of the above identified, a minor child, hereby consent to the participation of said child in the JCC Community Education program, activity, or class and do further agree to hold harmless the Jackson County Community Education, its officers, directors, members, agents and employees from any and all claims, actions, or demands arising out of or which occur by reason of the participation of said minor.

X \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian

DATE

# Come splash with us!

## Summer 2023

### Swim Lesson Registration



- Classes minimum 6 | Maximum 10
- Classes are first come, first serve.
- Select BOTH a time and level option.
- One registration form per swimmer per session.
- Due to limited staff, we can only offer levels 5 & 6 by request.
- Must be at least age 3 for preschool
- Must be at least age 5 for level one.

**CLASS SELECTION**

- SESSION 1 → JUNE 12-16 , 19-23
- SESSION 2 → JULY 10-14 , 17-21
- SESSION 3 → AUGUST 1-4 , 7-11

**TIMES AND CLASSES WILL BE DETERMINED ON MAY 1ST.  
CONTACT KELLY @ POOL WITH QUESTIONS.**

**PARENT**

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**SWIMMER**

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Circle One: Male Female

Current age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the participant require any accommodations (Circle One)? YES NO

If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**PAYMENT**

**\$40.00**

Payment Included: CASH CHECK CHECK NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

Ucare ID (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

**CONSENT**

**PARENT PERMISSION:**  
I, the undersigned parent/guardian of the above identified, a minor child, hereby consent to the participation of said child in the Jackson Indoor Pool swimming lesson program and do further agree to hold harmless the Jackson Indoor Pool, its officers, directors, members, agents and employees from any and all claims, actions, or demands arising out of or which occur by reason of the participation of said minor.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian DATE

## DRIVER'S EDUCATION

JR'S Driving Institute LLC offers professional drivers education which includes classroom and behind the wheel instruction for the Jackson, Windom, Sherburn Minnesota area. They are Licensed and Certified by the MN Dept of Public Safety. Let Jr's Driving Institute LLC make the Drivers Education experience enjoyable & easy!

Steps to getting your driver's license:

- 30 hours of classroom training
- Must be 15, take & pass permit test
- 6 hours behind the wheel training
- 50 hours logged, supervised driving
- Must be 16, take & pass license exam
- Must have permit for 6 months before taking the exam
- Must be 14 by the first day of class.

JUNE 8th @ 6pm PARENTS MEETING

June 12th 9:00am- Noon

Dates: June 13 - 16 & 19 - 23 from 1:30pm - 4:30pm

\*June 20 will be 9:00 am - Noon

30 Hours of Classroom Instruction - Cost \$125

6 hours of 2 hours Sessions of Behind the Wheel Instruction - Cost \$250

REGISTER TODAY!

JRSDRIVINGINSTITUTE@GMAIL.COM

507-841-1711

JRSDRIVINGED.COM

## CHILDRENS THEATRE CAMP

Come learn about the theatre and the skills needed to perform! Attendees will learn characterization, vocalization, dancing, singing and listening skills. In addition, have fun with make-up, set designs, costumes and other realms of theatre has to offer!

Director: Kristin Stoltenberg

Co-Director: Emily Stubbe

Ages 7-15

Dates: July 10-12, 17-21

Time: 1-4pm

Location: JCC Performing Arts Center

Fee: \$40

Register by: June 30th

Public Performance: July 21st @ 7pm



# CHEERLEADING

## ELEMENTARY CHEER

Our elementary competitive cheer team is looking for fun and energetic K-6th graders to join us in our 2023-2024 season! Our season starts in the middle of September and goes through the end of January. We practice 2-3 times a week. We travel to 4-5 Saturday competitions.

Grades K-6 (Fall 2023)

Head Coach: Lizabeth Wade

Assistant Coach: Betsy Bolte

Fee: \$350 \* can be split into 2 payments due Aug. 8th and 1st day of practice.

Practice location: Riverside Elementary

Time/day: TBD

Mandatory Parents meeting to order shoes and uniforms:  
**Tuesday, August 8th @ 6:00PM**  
**at Riverside Elementary School**

Please contact Lizabeth with any questions by email  
lizabethwade@gmail.com or  
phone 507-841-3281

## MIDDLE SCHOOL CHEER

### NEW IN 2023!

An exciting extension to our elementary competitive cheer, we now offer competition cheer to 5th-9th graders. We will practice 2-3 times a week beginning in September and go to the end of January. We travel to 4-5 competitions, have 2-3 home performances and will have an end of the year banquet.

Grades 5-9 (Fall 2023)

Head Coach: Ashley Heinrichs

Fee: \$375 \* \$175 due April 15th

Please contact Ashley with any questions  
@ ashheinrichs@hotmail.com or 507-841-0053



## LIFEGUARD RECERTIFICATION

Learn how to provide immediate care in cardiac, breathing, and first aid emergencies until advanced medical personnel arrive. Each participant will take home a CPR rescue mask kit. Join us so you know what to do in a medical emergency.

Instructor: Megan John

Date: April 8th

Times: 5:00 pm - 8:00pm

Location: Jackson Pool

Fee: \$100.00

Register by: April 5th

Minimum: 5 |



**American  
Red Cross**

## DRIVING FOR LIFE

Spend an evening with the Department of Transportation learning about our State's efforts *Towards Zero Deaths*. The first half of this class will be presentation style followed by interactive simulation - distracted driving, seatbelt importance, and more!

Date: Tuesday, April 26

Time: 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Fee: FREE

Location: JCC HS

Auditorium Conference Room

Minimum: 5 | Maximum: 25

Pre-registration required.

Instructor: Annette Larson, TZD Regional Coordinator with the Minnesota Department of Transportation and Cottonwood/ Jackson Safe Roads Coalition Members

## NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL DEFENSIVE DRIVING - 4 HOUR

An abbreviated, yet engaging course reinforcing good driving skills and habits. This 4-hour course is an ideal refresher. It offers practical strategies to reduce collision-related injuries, fatalities, and costs associated with motor vehicle crashes. Registrants, ages 55+, are eligible to receive a 10% discount on automobile insurance.



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Chapter of the National Safety Council



Instructor: Kathy Pederson

Date: April 20

Location: Lakefield Library

Time: 5:00 - 9:00 pm

Fee: \$30.00

Register by: Four business days prior

Minimum: 15

Date: May 11

Time: 12pm- 4:00pm

Location: Jackson

## WEST FORK COMPOSITE CYCLING TEAM

Calling all 6th-12th graders (Fall 2022)! Southwest Minnesota is starting a mountain bike racing team through the Minnesota Cycling Association to compete in the Minnesota Middle and High school racing league.

Our local park, Belmont County Park, is projected to have their off-road trails complete mid-summer 2022. Practices will be held here with paved trails and hill training in between. Practice will begin July 1. Racing takes place August through October. Typically each participant will enter into four races each season, but this is completely up to you!

Need a bike? Friends of the Jackson County Trails have purchased four to get the team started.

Registration opens April 1.

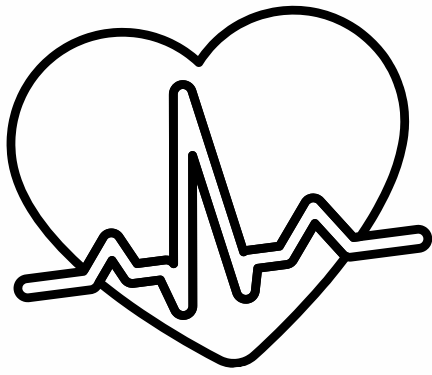
Register online at [minnesotacycling.org](http://minnesotacycling.org)

Questions?

Contact the Jackson County Parks Department

**BUILDING STRONG MINDS,  
BODIES, AND CHARACTER  
THROUGH CYCLING.**





## WALKING TRACK

Monday through Friday  
School year: 6:30 am - 9:00 am

Summer: 6:30 am - 4:00 pm

High School Gym

Please use parking lot A &  
enter Door #2



**WE ARE  
OPEN**

## PICKLEBALL

Join in on one of the fastest growing sports in America! Pickleball is a paddle sport created for all ages and skill levels. The rules are simple and the game is easy for beginners to learn, but can develop into a quick, fast-paced, competitive game for experienced players.

The basics of Pickleball are:

1. A fun sport that combines many elements of tennis, badminton, and ping-pong.
2. Played both indoors or outdoors on a badminton-sized court and a slightly modified tennis net.
3. Played with a paddle and a plastic ball. It's a game for everyone!

Supervisors: Bob and Arlene Vee

Date: Sundays

Time: 5:30 - 7:30 pm

Location: JCC High School Aux Gym

Fee: \$2.00 per night, pay at the door. Punch cards available

Supervisors: Bob and Arlene Vee

Date: Tuesdays starting in June

Time: Afternoons - Watch for specifics

Location: JCC High School Aux Gym

Fee: \$2.00 per night, pay at the door. Punch cards available



# SENIOR FITNESS CLASS

at Prairie Rehabilitation and Fitness

"Come for the fitness, stay for the fun!"

Tuesday and  
Thursday  
10:00AM

507-847-4333  
816 3rd Street  
Jackson, MN

For all fitness levels. 45 minute class. \$5/session, \$3 for members





## TODDLER SWIM THURSDAYS

Encourage water discovery and burn off some of your little one's energy in a safe, warm environment this winter! This time is reserved for children ages 5 and under.

Thursdays 10:00 - 11:30 am

\$1.00 per swimmer

Offered MOST Thursdays at the Jackson Indoor Pool.

No pre-registration.

Please follow us on Facebook for schedules and updates: @JCCPOOL



## LUNCH HOUR LAPS

Make aqua jogging, water-walking, and lap swimming part of your life-long fitness goals. Allow lunch hour laps to fit into your busy schedule and help you stay on track!

Date: Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Saturdays

Time: 11:30 am - 1:00 pm

Location: Jackson Indoor Pool

\*no pre-registration

\*\*Watch the pool schedule for changes.

## SUMMER OPEN GYM

Summer open gyms are our way of opening the schools for some indoor activities. Join us for free time to shoot hoops, pass a volleyball, play catch, etc. The track will also be available for walking and running. We ask that only clean gym shoes are worn in our facilities. We will be taking appropriate safety precautions, and adapting as standards change. No need to register, just show up! Children 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult 18 and older. Our supervisors have the right to ask anyone to leave and only return when rules can be followed and respected.

Sundays

Location: High School auxiliary gym

Time: 3:00 - 5:00 pm

Supervisors: Andrew and Rachel Hesse

## CO-ED ADULT SUMMER

### SAND VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE

LAKEFIELD

The Ladies of Lakefield are excited for another summer in the sand... sand volleyball!

Thursdays all summer

Games at 6, 7, & 8 pm

Please call: (605) 830-1717

or email: Christie.Anderson223@gmail.com



## DEB'S WATER AEROBICS

Relax, lose weight, tone up, and jam out during water aerobics! This low-impact activity is great for sore muscles and joint pain sufferers.

Instructor: Deb Hample

Date: Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays

Time: 8:00 - 9:00 am

Location: Jackson Indoor Pool

Fee: \$5.00 per class, no pre-registration

\*Watch the pool schedule for changes.

## SWIMMING POOL RATES

Daily

- Ages 0-4, \$1.00
- Ages 5-18, \$3.00
- Ages 19-64, \$4.00
- Ages 65+, \$3.00
- Sauna \$1.00

Punch Card - \$35.00 for 10 punches

Single Monthly - \$20.00

Single Yearly - \$200.00

Family Monthly - \$40.00

Family Yearly - \$400.00

Parties - \$40.00 for 10 swimmers for 2 hours

## Summer 2023

### JCC Indoor Pool Pass

Good for unlimited open swim times

June 4 - September 7, 2022.

# \$40.00



- Pool passes are for youth 0-18 years
- Children ages 8 and under must be accompanied, at all times, by someone 14 years or older.
- Pool Pass listing will be kept at the pool front counter. You must sign in each day.

## SPLISH, SPLASH BIRTHDAY BASH!

Weekend parties at the pool are a fun way to celebrate without all the mess! Reservations must be made at least a week in advance.

Friday evenings, Saturday and Sunday

10:00 am - Noon or 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

\$40.00 per 10 swimmers

\$1.50 for each additional swimmer



2023 Pool Admission:  
 Family Pass - \$150.00  
 Individual Pass - \$90.00  
 Punch card (11 entries) - \$50.00

Daily: \$5 per person  
 Like us on Facebook:  
 Lakefield Aquatic Center  
 Questions?.

Call: City Hall at ( 507) 662-5457  
 Aquatic Center (507) 662-6133

**SESSION 1**

- July 10-13, 17-20
- 10AM- 11AM     11AM- NOON

**SESSION 2**

- August 7th-10, 14-17
- 10AM- 11AM     11AM- NOON



**\$40** PAYMENT MADE TO CITY OF LAKEFIELD

Payment Included:    CASH  
 CHECK                  CHECK NUMBER

**PARENT**

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (    )    -   

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**SWIMMER**

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Circle One:    Male    Female

Current age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the participant require any accommodations (Circle One)?    YES    NO

If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**CONSENT**

**PARENT PERMISSION:**  
 I, the undersigned parent/guardian of the above identified, a minor child, hereby consent to the participation of said child in the Lakefield Aquatic Center swimming lesson program and do further agree to hold harmless the Lakefield Aquatic Center, its officers, directors, members, agents and employees from any and all claims, actions, or demands arising out of or which occur by reason of the participation of said minor.

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X \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Parent/Guardian

DATE

# JACKSON COUNTY FAIR

The 2022 154th Jackson County Fair has something for everyone!

Join the fun July 25 - 29.

Watch for event details.

Facebook: Jackson County Fair, MN  
Instagram: jackson\_county\_fair\_mn



BEAUTIFUL INSIDE & OUT  
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## BIO GIRLS JACKSON LAKEFIELD

BIO Girls increases the self-esteem of participants through empowerment of self and service to others. They develop life skills through a research-based curriculum, noncompetitive physical activity, service projects, and positive mentoring.

There are 12, 90 minute sessions - focusing on kindness, leadership, mental wellness, and healthy relationships.

Registration will open in June. Follow them on Facebook for updates: @BIO Girls - Jackson-Lakefield, MN

Email with questions:  
jackson-lakefield.mn@biogirls.org



# SPLASH 'N JACKSON

Jackson Splash Pad  
High School Softball Fields

Open Memorial Day  
through Labor Day  
10:00 am - 8:00 pm



## YOUTH TRIATHLON

Fun for kids of every skill level. Our tri encourages & instills healthy and happy lifestyles in our youth.

Friday, June 9

### 5-7 Course:

- 15 meter swim
- 1 mile bike ride
- 1/4 mile run

### 8-10 Course:

- 25 meter swim
- 2 mile bike ride
- 1/2 mile run

### 11-14 Course:

- 50 meter swim
- 4 miles bike ride
- 1 mile run

Relay team options available for ages 11-14.



## CITY-WIDE CELEBRATIONS

### Jackson

Jackson Days  
August 17-20

Follow us on Facebook:  
Jackson Area  
Chamber of Commerce



### Lakefield

Summerfest

Third week in June

Follow us on Facebook:  
Lakefield MN Summerfest



## CITY-WIDE GARAGE SALES

### Jackson

Spring: May 5-7

Fall: August 17-20

Watch for listings in the  
Jackson County Pilot!



### Lakefield

Spring: June 9 & 10

Follow us on Facebook:  
Lakefield MN Garage Sales



## CITY-WIDE CLEAN-UP

### Jackson

West side: May 6th

East side: April 29th



### Lakefield

Spring: Week of June 5th



## LAKEFIELD FOOD SHELF

Location: 416 Broadway, Lakefield  
 Contact: Connie Rossow  
 Phone: 507-841-3350  
 Email: connie@therossows.com  
 Facebook: Lakefield MN Food Shelf  
 Hours of Service:  
 First Tuesday: 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm  
 All other Tuesdays 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Please consider contributing to our community through the donation of non-parishable food and hygiene items. Drop off at the Lakefield Library or Food Shelf.

## JACKSON FOOD SHELF

Location: 1229 North Highway, Jackson  
 Email: jacksonfoodshelf@gmail.com  
 Facebook: Jackson County Food Shelf  
 Hours of Service:  
 • Tuesdays 10:00 am - 11:00 am  
 • Thursday 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm  
 • Delivery Truck arrives the 2nd and 4th week of each month.



## COMMUNITY TRANSIT

FOR JACKSON AND COTTONWOOD COUNTIES

Community Transit of United Community Action Partnership is available to provide transportation for riders of all ages and incomes.

- Our lift accessible buses operate Monday - Fridays, 6:30 am to 6:00 pm.
- Dispatch hours are Monday - Friday, 8:00 am - 4:30 pm.
- Ride requests are to be scheduled 24 hours in advance.
- Monthly unlimited bus ride coupons are available.
- Volunteer drivers who drive their own vehicles are also available for rides to areas or hours not served by the buses.

Contact Community Transit at 507-847-2632, ext. 1

## JCC MUSIC BOOSTERS

SUPPORTING THE MUSIC PROGRAM, ONE NOTE AT A TIME!

The JCC Music Boosters' goal is to support our Band and Choir programs at JCC Schools, through fundraising, donations, volunteerism and awareness so any student can participate in these great groups!

In addition to a general donation, you can support our cause by participating in our spaghetti feed, purchasing a bleacher seat, or fund our town-canvassing of the husky logo.

If you would like more information, please contact [jccmusicboosters@gmail.com](mailto:jccmusicboosters@gmail.com), follow us on twitter @jccmusicbooster or like us on Facebook: JCC Music Boosters.

Please send donations to:

JCC Music Boosters, PO Box 119 Jackson, MN 56143

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Donation Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## HEAD START

Head Start is a FREE, family-focused preschool program for income-eligible children ages 3 to 5. Head Start is a comprehensive program that provides a quality preschool experience while helping parents to assure that children are receiving needed health, dental, and nutrition education and services. In Jackson County, Head Start is provided by United Community Action.



Children may participate in our classroom program which meets in Jackson 4 days/week for 6 hours each day during the school year. Transportation is provided within the City of Jackson. Free breakfast and lunch is provided. Early Head Start is for children ages birth - 3 years old. Weekly home visits with these families as well as occasional group meetings are done. For information about Head Start, contact United Community Action at 1-800-658-2448.



## ABE/GED

The Southwest Adult Basic Education website provides classes around the area. Go to: [www.southwestabe.org](http://www.southwestabe.org) then select the Jackson region.



## READING INCENTIVES FOR ALL AGES

Registration begins June 1 and the final day to earn prizes is August 25. Register in person, by phone, or online at [jclmn.org/summer](http://jclmn.org/summer)

**Infant & Toddler** - Easy, fun activities to complete with your little one during the summer.

**PreK-4th Grade** - Complete 12 activities on the activity log to earn a prize & 24 activities to earn another prize.

**Tween, Grades 5-7** - Keep track of your minutes read to earn prizes and a BINGO card.



**Teens, Grades 8-12** - Keep track of your minutes read to earn prizes and a BINGO card.

**Adult** - Get a BINGO by reading to earn prizes.

**Family** - Complete activities as a family to get a BINGO and earn a prize.



## 2023 SUMMER LIBRARY PROGRAM

### MAIN EVENTS

Jackson events are at the Government Center East Cafeteria, Enter in Door #7.

Lakefield & Heron Lake events held at the libraries unless otherwise noted.

The Zoo Man presents:

#### ANIMALS + REPTILES

Jackson - June 14 at 10:00 am, 2:00 pm & 6:00 pm

Lakefield - June 15 at 10:00 am & 1:00 pm

\*At the Bethlehem Lutheran Church Welcome Center in Lakefield\*

Heron Lake - June 15 at 4:00 pm

Ralph Covert presents:  
**RALPH'S WORLD!**

Jackson - June 21 at 10:00 am & 2:00 pm

Lakefield - June 22 at 10:00 am & 1:00 pm

Heron Lake - June 22 at 4:00 pm

Magic Bob & Beautiful Lynn Marie present:

#### THE KID'S COMEDY MAGIC SHOW!

Jackson - June 28 at 10:00 am & 2:00 pm

Lakefield - June 29 at 10:00 am & 1:00 pm

Heron Lake - June 29 at 4:00 pm

Mixed Nuts presents:

#### LAUGH-OUT-LOUD COMEDY!

Jackson - July 12 at 10:00 am & 2:00 pm

Lakefield - July 13 at 10:00 am & 1:00 pm

Heron Lake - July 13 at 4:00 pm

Racheal Kroog present:

#### KIDPOWER WITH RACHEL!

Jackson - July 19 at 10:00 am & 2:00 pm

Lakefield - July 20 at 10:00 am & 1:00 pm

Heron Lake - July 20 at 4:00 pm

### SUMMER STORYTIME

Stories - Fingerplays - Music

Summer Storytime for toddlers-early elementary will be offered at each library.

- Lakefield - Tuesdays at 10:00 am, June 13 - August 22
- Jackson - Fridays at 10:00 am, June 16 - August 25
- Heron Lake - Fridays at 9:45 am, June 16 - August 25



THERE ARE NO  
LIBRARY EVENTS  
HELD THE WEEK  
OF JULY 2 - 8.

### CRAFTS KITS FOR ALL AGES

Craft kits include supplies and instructions and will be available while supplies last. Call the library to reserve your craft kit up to one week in advance.

- Storytime craft kits for Toddler through PreK will be available in June, July, and August.
- Children's craft kits for Kindergarten through 4th Grade will be available in June, July, and August.
- Tweens, Teens and Adults monthly craft kits will be available in June, July, and August.

### STEAM TIME!

Explore science, technology, engineering, art, and math with fun experiments and projects in this exciting weekly program!

Registration is required. They can attend any or all of the weeks.

- Jackson - Mondays at 12:00 pm - 12:45 pm, June 12 - July 17
- Heron Lake - Tuesdays at 11:30 am - 12:15 pm, June 13 - July 18
- Lakefield - Fridays at 12:00 pm - 12:45 pm, June 16 - July 21

### CRAFTERNOON

Stop into the library for some creative time! Craft supplies will be available for you to have fun and create something new each week from your own imagination.

- Lakefield - Wednesdays, 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm, June 14 - August 23
- Heron Lake - Wednesdays, 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm, June 14 - August 23
- Jackson - Thursdays, 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm, June 15 - August 24

### TWEEN + TEEN EVENTS

The Jackson County libraries in Jackson, Lakefield, and Heron Lake will be holding Tween and Teen events during the summer. Check with your local library for a schedule and to register for events. Go to [jclmn.org/summer](http://jclmn.org/summer) for more details.

## ADULT SPRING PROGRAMS

The Jackson County Library System has monthly events for adults. They are free to attend!



### APRIL 3 + 4 - SKALLY LINE

Join the Jackson County Library System for foot stomping old time music and sensational, salacious stories from and about Minnesota. You'll sing! You'll Dance! You'll be astounded! They will be at the Jackson Library on April 3 at 6:30 PM. On April 4, they will be at the Lakefield Library at 2 PM and the Heron Lake Library at 5:30 PM. These events are funded in part or in whole with money from Minnesota's Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.

### MAY 3 - FRAUD AWARENESS

Join us at the Jackson County Library System on Wednesday, May 3 for a Fraud Awareness program presented by the Jackson County Sheriff's Office. The Sheriff's Office will educate participants on various types of fraud such as email, physical mail, and cell phone scams. Presentations will be at the Jackson Library at 12 PM, the Lakefield Library at 2 PM and the Heron Lake Library at 5:30 PM. For the Lakefield and Heron Lake events, the local police departments will also be sharing helpful advice.



## SUMMER FAMILY EVENTS

### OUTDOOR FAMILY MOVIE

Grab a chair and blanket and join us for a movie under the stars! Contact your library for movie details. These events are funded in part with money from Minnesota's Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.

- Jackson - 9:00 pm on Friday, June 2
- Lakefield - 9:00 pm on Friday, June 9
- Heron Lake - 9:00 pm on Friday, June 23

### BEDTIME STORYHOUR

Come in your pajamas! For toddlers through early elementary children.

- Jackson - 6:30 pm on June 8, July 13, & August 10
- Heron Lake - 6:30 pm on June 8, July 13, & August 10
- Lakefield - 6:30 pm on June 15, July 20, & August 17

### STORY STROLL

Back by popular demand! Read a story as you stroll together in Lakefield, Jackson, and Heron Lake.

Dates of new stories: June 12, June 26, July 10, July 24, August 7, and August 21

### FAMILY BINGO

Bring the whole family for a fun night of BINGO!

- Jackson - Tuesday, July 18 at 6:00 pm
- Lakefield - Wednesday, July 13 at 6:00 pm
- Heron Lake - Wednesday, July 19 at 6:00 pm

### PUBLIC WORKS DAY

Join the library and the City of Jackson to explore departments of the public works including: Ambulance, Electric and Water! They will have some of the cool equipment they use on the job for children to see and learn about. There will even be the Sumer Skhool Treats ice cream truck to join in the fun! This event is brought to you by the Jackson Ambulance Service & the library.

Tuesday, June 20 from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
at Ashley Park in Jackson

### JACKSON LIBRARY

311 3rd Street, Jackson, MN 56143  
(507) 847-4748

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 10:00 am - 7:00 pm  
Wednesday, Friday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

### LAKEFIELD LIBRARY

410 Main Street, Lakefield, MN 56150  
(507) 662-5782

Monday 1:00 pm - 5:30 pm  
Tuesday, Wednesday 11:00 am - 5:30 pm  
Thursday 11:00 am - 7:00 pm  
Friday 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

### HERON LAKE LIBRARY

401 9th Street Heron Lake, MN 56137  
(507) 793-2641

Tuesday, Thursday 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm  
Wednesday 3:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
Friday 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

SUMMER HOURS: JUNE 1 - SEPTEMBER 4  
WEBSITE: [WWW.JCLMN.ORG](http://WWW.JCLMN.ORG)



# 4-H SUMMER FUN!



Discover the mystery & magic of 4-H!

[z.umn.edu/JacksonCounty4HDayCamp2023](http://z.umn.edu/JacksonCounty4HDayCamp2023)

<u>Wednesday, June 7</u>	<u>Wednesday, June 14</u>	<u>Wednesday, June 28</u>
9:30 - Noon	9:30 - Noon	9:30 - Noon
North City Park	Ashley Park	Heron Lake Playground (City Park)
Lakefield, MN	Jackson, MN	Heron Lake, MN
Snack provided	Snack provided	Snack provided



SCAN TO REGISTER!



## 4-H is for everyone!

To register, contact the Jackson County Extension/4-H Office at 507-662-5293, email [mnext-jackson@umn.edu](mailto:mnext-jackson@umn.edu) or complete a registration form at: [z.umn.edu/JacksonCounty4HDayCamp2023](http://z.umn.edu/JacksonCounty4HDayCamp2023)

\* PLEASE NOTE: Youth who are not enrolled in 4-H will be required to complete a signed authorization form prior to participation.

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JACKSON COUNTY

### 2022 4-H DAY CAMP PAYMENT FORM

Cash or check (checks made to *Jackson County 4-H Federation*)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (day) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

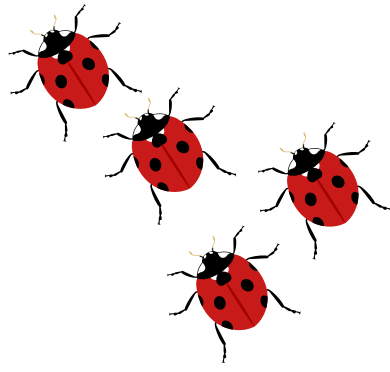
### I HAVE REGISTERED FOR :

- Jackson location
- Lakefield location
- Heron Lake location

**Mail to:** Jackson County Extension Office  
607 South HWY 86  
Lakefield, MN 56150

Payment enclosed





## PreK Camps

### Colors of Nature

June 14th - 15th, 9:00 a.m. - noon

Cost: \$55 members \$60 non-members -

The colors of the rainbow aren't just up in the sky, they're all around us! Campers will learn all about the many colors of nature and make some vibrant works of Technicolor nature art.

### Call of the Wild

August 23rd - 24th, 9:00 a.m. - noon

Cost: \$55 members \$60 non-members -

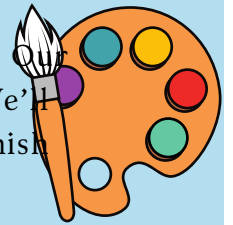
Prepare to make some messes this summer. Have fun in the mud and explore bugs all under the warm sun. You'll want to bring some spare clothes for this one because it will get wild.

## K - 2nd grade Camps

### Creative Nature

June 8th - 9th, 9:00 a.m. - noon

Cost: \$75 members \$80 non-members - Nature inspires all types of artists. Our young artists will try their own hands at a variety of different art styles. We'll be drawing, painting, crafting, and letting our creative powers run wild. Finish up camp with a showcase of all the camper's works.



### Adventures in the Tall Grass

June 20th - 23rd 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Cost: \$80 members \$85 non-members - Play games and get creative as we hunt for wild Pokémon, discover new Pokémon species, and learn how they survive in the wild.

### Mad Scientist Training Academy

July 19th - 20th, 9:00 a.m. - noon

Cost: \$75 members \$80 non-members - Put on your lab coats and goggles. It's time for some fun science experiments! These projects range from clean to messy, indoors to outdoors, and from weird to silly. Get ready to discover as scientists with us!



### Make Some Waves

August 1st - 3rd, 9:00 a.m. - noon

Cost: \$75 members \$80 non-members - Aye aye Maties! Get ready to board our ship and sail the waterways with us. We'll search for buried treasure, spend time playing in the water, and you won't even have to walk the plank!

## 3rd - 6th grade Camps



### Pokemon: Summer of Discovery

3rd - 5th grades June 27th - 29th, 9:00a.m. - 2:00p.m.

Cost: \$90 members \$95 non-members - Do you want to become a Pokémon Master? Whether you're new to Pokémon or you're already an expert, join us as we learn about the real life animals Pokémon are based on! You'll play games to earn badges and even create your own Pokémon!

### On the Banks of Lone Tree Creek

3rd - 5th grades July 11th - 14th, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Cost: \$105 members \$110 non-members - We're stepping back in time to find out what life was like for pioneers on the prairie. Leave modern technology behind as we power down and experience what life was like for the Minnesotans of the past!

### Outdoor Explorers

4th - 6th grades July 24th - 25th, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Cost: \$80 members \$85 non-members - Have you ever wanted to be an explorer, venturing out into worlds unknown? There's a whole world waiting to be discovered in your own backyard! Explore everything the outdoors have to offer, from the smallest insect to the tallest tree. Like any good explorer, record your observations in your very own field journal. Campers will receive a field journal kit that includes a PEBC drawstring bag, a magnifying glass, a journal and more!

### Camper Lead

6th - 8th grades August 7th - 8th, 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Cost \$75members \$80 non-members - We're letting you take the lead on this camp. Campers will work together to decide each day's schedule and choose which nature skills to focus on.

### E-Nature Camp

3rd - 5th grades August 23rd - 25th, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Cost: \$90 members \$95 non-members - Lights! Camera! Action! Join us as we learn how to appreciate nature using technology such as cameras to take pictures or video. We'll take photos and videos. We will also go over the basics of editing, so we can continue to appreciate what we saw after camp ends.

# Garden Club

2nd grade and up  
Tuesdays, May 2nd - September  
Tentative garden clean up day April 29th

During school 3:30 - 5:30 p.m.  
During the summer 8:00 - 10:00 a.m.  
Cost: \$105 members \$115 non-members - Gardeners will  
meet one day a week to care for their  
gardens and do fun activities! Cook healthy recipes, make  
garden art and take home the veggies

you grow!



## Camp Registration

Return Form & Payment to:  
Prairie Ecology Bus Center  
Po Box 429, Lakefield, MN 56150  
Online Registration also available!

Camp(s) you are registering for:

Camp t-shirt additional \$12.00 Size \_\_\_\_\_

Camper's Name

Grade in 2022-2023 \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian's Name

Phone

Work#

Email:

Emergency Contact Name & Number

Allergies:

Circle One:

Needs Ride Does not need ride

## Important Camp Information

- Free Busing available. May be contingent on busing availability from United CommunityAction.
- Scholarships available. Visit our website or email us for a scholarship application
- Online registration and pay available
- Camp t-shirts need to be ordered by May 19th.
- Registrations are due 3 days before camps
- Payment is due before the first day of camp
- Cancellations 1 week before camp will receive 100% refund,
- There will be no refunds for cancellations after that.

## REGISTRATION MADE EASY:

- Mail in registration forms to:  
JCC Community Education  
PO BOX 119  
Jackson, MN 56143
- Drop off registration forms to:  
Any School Admin. Counter
- Email registration forms to:  
Kortney.neseth@jccschools.net
- Need another form?  
www.jccschools.com/community
- Please submit a separate check for each class or activity.

## GUIDELINES:

**Register Early:** Avoid disappointment. Many classes have limited enrollment and are filled on a first come, first serve basis. On the flip side, if minimums are not met, classes are subject to cancellation.

**Confirmation:** Once your fee is paid, you are officially registered. Please plan to attend. You will only be notified if the class is cancelled.

**Enrollment Cancellation:** Please notify the Community Education Office prior to the first day of the class. Refunds will not be given if cancellation is received any later.

**Inclement Weather:** Weather-related changes will be announced on KKOJ 1190 AM / KRAQ 105.7 FM. Community Education classes are not held when school is cancelled.

## REGISTRATIONS INFORMATION:

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Circle One: Male Female

Current Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the participant require any accommodations (Circle One)? YES NO

If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Ucare ID (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Included: CASH CHECK CHECK NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size: Youth S M L XL Adult S M L XL XXL

## CIRCLE ONE:

### Adult Interests

- Lifeguard Recertification \$100
- Driving for Life, FREE
- Senior Fitness, page 16
- Defensive Driving, \$30

License Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Youth Interests

- Baseball, page 10-11
- Basketball, Boys K-3, \$30
- Basketball, Boys 4-7, \$40
- Basketball, Girls K-6, \$50
- Lifeguard Recertification \$100
- Driver's Education, page 13
- Elementary Cheerleading \$350

### Youth Interests, Continued

- Garden Club, \$40
- Gymnastics, page 9
- Jackson Pool Swimming pass, \$40
- Jackson Pool Swimming Lessons, page 12
- Jackson County 4-H, page 24
- Lakefield Pool Swim Lessons
- Library Programs, page 22-23
- Middle School Cheerleading \$375
- Prairie Ecology Bus, page 27
- Soccer, Pages 10-11
- Softball, Pages 10-11
- Theater, \$40
- Track & Field, \$25

## PARENT PERMISSION:

I, the undersigned parent/guardian of the above identified, a minor child, hereby consent to the participation of said child in the JCC Community Education program, activity, or class and do further agree to hold harmless the Jackson County Community Education, its officers, directors, members, agents and employees from any and all claims, actions, or demands arising out of or which occur by reason of the participation of said minor.

X

Signature of Parent/Guardian

DATE