

HEREFORD REC OFFICE NEWSLETTER

SPRING 2012

HEREFORD REC FOOTBALL

The Hereford Youth Football program has the ability to support two teams per age group provided there is sufficient turnout. It is for ages 5-14 (no high school students) and involves full contact at all levels. Each age group has a weight limit. Any player who is over the weight limit may still participate, but will be restricted to play tackle-to-tackle. Your child will be placed at the level and age group that best suits both your child and the program. Coaches requests WILL NOT be honored. Since football is a travel program, there are no guarantees that siblings or relatives will be placed on the same team. Each child MUST attend the evaluation which is held the first week of practice. Practices are held at Hereford MS. Season dates are August 1st through November 30th, 2012. Online registration opens April 1st. The fee is \$175 for 1st child, \$155 for 2nd or more and includes Jersey. **NO REFUNDS!** For more details and a link to online registration, please visit www.herefordrec.org. For information not found on the website, you may email the chairperson: Brenda Arbogast @ blarbogast@yahoo.com



HEREFORD REC CHEERLEADING

This program is for girls ages 4—14 who enjoy cheerleading. No experience necessary. Squads cheer for Hereford Rec Football games on Saturdays and compete in at least 2 competitions. The season dates are August 6 thru October 31, 2012. The fee is \$100 per participant. Registration is online only, begins April 1 and ends June 1, 2012. To register, go to herefordrec.org. For further information, you may contact Stacey Curtis @ slcurtis00@gmail.com.

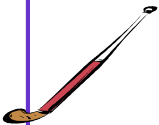
ADULT SOFTBALL

The adult softball program is a fun, non-competitive, coed league for ages 21 years and older. Participants must register as a team. No individual registrations will be accepted this year. Games are played at Hereford area schools. All skill levels are welcome! The season will operate from mid-June through the end of July. For registration information, please visit www.seventhdistrictrec.com. Additional inquiries can be submitted to Janet Barr @ pjcksbarr@comcast.net.



HEREFORD REC FIELD HOCKEY

The Field Hockey program accepts girls in grades 3-9. The season runs from late August through the first week in November with the Harvest Hockey Tournament. Registration will be online starting May 1 and ending June 15. Please visit www.herefordrec.org for further info or email Beth Palumbo @ bpalumbo@fidelityengineering.com or Pam Litsinger @ plitsinger@comcast.net.



ZUMBA

Offered by 7th District Recreation Council

Zumba is a Fun & Fast-paced cardiovascular dance workout for ages 18 and up. No previous experience needed!! Basic Steps Level I. Certified Instructor. Classes are Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 7:30 pm in the Hereford High Gym. Clothing: wear comfortable clothing and shoes suitable for a cardiovascular workout. A new session will be starting up soon.

Keep a check on the website: seventhdistrictrec.com for start-date, registration and other info. You may contact Diana Woltereck @ dwoltereck@hotmail.com / 410.329.2119 for further inquiries.

SPIRIT LACROSSE PROGRAM

Girls and boys Spirit Lacrosse starts on April 14th and ends May 19th and is open to ages 5-6. Boys practices will be on Tuesdays, girls on Thursdays, games are on Saturdays and all takes place at Hereford Middle School. Registration is currently open and can be done online at www.herefordrec.org. The fee is \$75. Hurry, registration ends April 11th.

For further inquiries, you may contact the chairperson, James Arthur at jarthur@telecomsys.com.



HEREFORD REC OFFICE NEWSLETTER

SPRING 2012

PAGE 2



5TH DISTRICT AND SPARKS FALL REC SOCCER

Outdoor Rec Soccer is a program open to kids in the 5th and Sparks school districts from kindergarten thru 8th grade. No experience required. The program starts in mid August and runs through the end of October, 2012. Practices are one night a week and games are on Saturdays at local Hereford area schools. Registration begins April 1st and ends June 15th. Cost is \$75 per participant or \$140 family package. For more information and to register online, visit www.herefordrec.org. For further inquiries, you may contact the Sparks Chairperson, Joe Kingeter at joseph.kingeter@irs.gov, or the 5th District Chairperson, Dan Donovan at dan@windybrook.com.

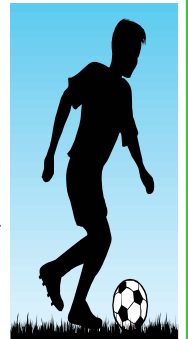
PRETTYBOY FALL REC SOCCER

The goal of our program is to teach basic fundamentals of soccer, promote fitness, encourage competition and most importantly HAVE FUN! The spirit of competition on the soccer field gives the children an environment of hard work, team-play, sportsmanship and physical skill. We expect our players to respect others and themselves, and to be self-disciplined. The season begins August 1 and goes through the end of October. Cost is \$60 per player or \$110 family package. Online registration begins April 15 and ends June 15, 2012 and is open to ages 4-13. Prettyboy Rec Council has a brand new website: www.prettyboyrecreationcouncil.com. Check it out...here you will find a link to online registration and more detailed information. For further information, you may contact the Chairperson, Vince Craig at vince.craig@glassjacobson.com.

7TH DISTRICT FALL REC SOCCER

Fall 2012 Registration for 7thD RC soccer will open April 1, 2012 and close June 22, 2012. This outdoor soccer program provides teams for players from age 5 through age 18. Clinic and Under-7 play on co-ed teams, Under-8, Under-10 and Under-12 play on boys' teams and girls' teams. Under-14, Under-18 play on co-ed teams. Our goal is to teach basic fundamentals of soccer, promote fitness, encourage competition, and most importantly HAVE FUN! The spirit of competition on the soccer field gives the children an environment of hard work, team-play, sportsmanship and physical skill. We expect our players to respect others and themselves, and to be self-disciplined. To register, visit www.seventhdistrictrec.com and click on the 'soccer' link.

Further information can be obtained by contacting the Chairperson, Trevor Kilgore at 410-357-8898 or via email at outdoorcommissioner@7drcsoccer.com.



HEREFORD REC AFTER-SCHOOL SOCCER

HZRPC is sponsoring a new program next fall – After-School Soccer for 6th 7th and 8th graders at Hereford Middle School. We hope to have 2 girls teams and 2 boys teams. The teams will play other area middle schools, both public and private, from September through early November, immediately after school. This program is intended to complement, not conflict with, the existing Outdoor Rec and Travel programs. We think it will be a lot of fun for the kids to play against other middle schools. Registration starts April 1 and ends May 11 (online only).

To register, go to www.herefordrec.org and click on '6th-7th-8th GRADE SOCCER' link.

For more information, contact herefordsoccer@gmail.com.

HZRPC TRAVEL SOCCER

The Hereford Soccer Club is a competitive travel program for those living in or attending school in the Hereford area. Youth ages 7-13 can tryout for this program which takes place at Hereford Middle School.

The season runs from June 12—May 13, 2012. Online registration is currently in progress and ends on June 3rd. Tryouts are scheduled for June 4-7 and will take place at Hereford MS from 6-8pm. Much more detailed information and a link for registration is available at

www.herefordrec.org. For information not found on the website, you may contact John Pflugrad at john@pflugrad.net.



HEREFORD REC OFFICE NEWSLETTER

SPRING 2012

PAGE 3

PRETTYBOY HomeB.A.S.E SUMMER PROGRAM

Now accepting registrations for the HomeB.A.S.E. Summer Program. Our theme this year is "HomeB.A.S.E. Around the World". We will be exploring different cultures, cuisines & crafts from all over the world. There will be field trips, visitors, activities, games and so much more. Join us for a fun adventure this summer. We offer various sessions for your convenience. For more information on times, rates, etc. please contact Judy Ober: 410-357-9509 / judee357@comcast.net.



7TH DISTRICT TOTS CO-OP PRESCHOOL

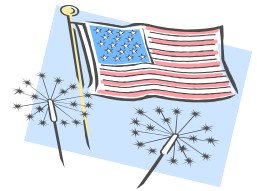
This program serves 3 and 4 year old children in the 7th District ES Tot/Recreation Room. The dates of operation are September 12 through May 13, 2012. The cost is \$300 for 3's and \$1,300 for 4's plus a \$50 non-refundable registration fee for both. Registration is currently in progress and will continue until classes are full. The 7th District Tots Preschool co-op is a great opportunity for your child to learn, play, socialize with other children their age, and have fun! Our classes offer a varied daily schedule, featuring multiple learning centers, guided instructional time, activities geared for kindergarten readiness, classroom visitors, and free play. Parents volunteer in the classroom with their child 1-2 times per month. Our goal is to provide a fun, enriching, and meaningful time for you and your child. Our staff strives to provide a nurturing environment in which 3 and 4 year old children can learn, grow, and transition into a classroom setting. Our 3 year old class meets T/Th from 9-11:30 AM and our 4 year old class meets M/W/F from 9 AM to 1:30 PM.

Please contact the chairperson for more information and to register: Mandy Myrick: 410-227-8134 / 7thdistricttots@gmail.com.

HEREFORD INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

SUNDAY JULY 1, 2012

Festival in town 2pm—7pm Festivities at HHS 5pm—10pm
Parade begins at 6pm Fireworks at dusk near Hereford HS
Visit www.herefordparade.org



RECYCLE YOUR OLD BICYCLES - BIKE SWAP—MAY 12, 2012



WHEN: Saturday May 12, 2012 **WHERE:** Hereford HS front parking lot. **HOW:** 9am-11am Drop off used bikes (must be in good working order). Noon-1pm Select a free used bike that fits your child. Daycares, schools and the public are welcome to take any remaining bikes. For more info. please visit www.seventhdistrictrec.com or email Leslie Sipes @ lesliesipes@yahoo.com.

ADULT VOLLEYBALL

This program is for adults ages 18 and over who enjoy playing volleyball. It takes place every Tuesday from Sept. 4, 2012—June 18, 2013 in the Hereford HS gym. During September, October, April, May and June, the times are 8-10 pm. In November, December, January, and February, times are 9-11 pm. Registration will open on May 1st and run through December 1, 2012 and will be online only. Visit herefordrec.org for more info. or you may contact Stacey Curtis @ slcurtis00@gmail.com.



LADIES DOUBLES TENNIS

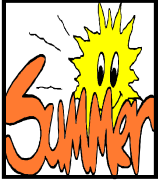
For Women aged 18 and up. Games take place at 7th District ES, Prettyboy ES and Hereford HS tennis courts. Season dates—April 10 through June 11, 2012 Fee: \$25 per participant
Registration is currently in progress via email .
To register, email: Ellen DiMayo @ ecdimayo@aol.com



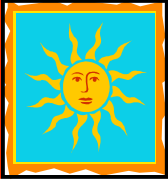
HEREFORD REC OFFICE NEWSLETTER

SPRING 2012

PAGE 4



BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR THE SUMMER CAMP NEWSLETTER
Coming Soon



A "2012 SUMMER CAMP SUMMARY" can be found on the below-listed websites.

Don't See What You're Looking For?

Program information is listed on the three area Rec Council websites.
Please visit:

www.herefordrec.org
www.seventhdistrictrec.com
www.prettyboyrecreationcouncil.com



Would you like to receive our newsletters electronically? Just email Donna at daking@baltimorecountymd.gov to be added to our electronic mailing list.

BALTIMORE COUNTY REC AND PARKS DIRECTIVE—LIGHTENING

Upon the first sound of thunder or sighting of lightning, department staff will direct all in attendance to immediately go to their cars or enter a building, if possible. No one will be allowed to return to the field until 30 minutes after the last sound of thunder and sighting of lightning. Staff will have complete authority on any decisions made at our facilities. In the absence of Department Staff, volunteer coaches and officials should follow the same procedure.



INCLEMENT WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

If a decision to cancel games has been made by 4pm, Rec. Office staff will contact the Program Commissioners and Director of Umpires. The Commissioners will contact their coaches, who in turn will contact their players.

As soon as a determination has been made, it will be posted on the following websites: www.herefordrec.org, www.prettyboyrecreationcouncil.com, www.seventhdistrictrec.com. Also, a cancellation announcement will be posted on the Rec. Office line at 410-887-1938 at 4pm.

On questionable days, **please do not call the Rec. Office before 4pm.**

The Baltimore County Department of Recreation and Parks Hereford Recreation Office, works in conjunction with the three area Recreation Councils (Hereford Zone R&P Council, 7th District Rec Council and Prettyboy Rec Council) to facilitate recreation opportunities for the Hereford Area. We are always looking for new programs and new volunteers.

Get involved today!

HEREFORD RECREATION OFFICE

Located at Hereford High School (near gym)

17301 York Road Parkton, MD 21120 / 410.887.1938 / fax 410.357.9370

Maria Bieneman - Community Supervisor / mbieneman@baltimorecountymd.gov

Jim Jones / Activities Coordinator / jjones@baltimorecountymd.gov

Donna King / Administrative Asst. / daking@baltimorecountymd.gov

