



2025-2026 Fall/Winter Brochure

as of 8/8/25

General Information

Mason City Recreation Department

100 S Federal Ave, Suite #201

Mason City, Iowa 50401

Business Hours 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Monday - Friday

Office: 641-421-3673 Fax: 641-421-3635

Email: recreation@masoncity.net

Website: www.masoncity.net

Facebook: *Mason City Parks & Recreation*

Instagram: *masoncityparksnrec*

Youth Assistance Program

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In Person, By Phone

Online, Mail-in or Fax-in

We accept cash, checks or credit/debit cards. Registration for all programs begins August 1 - unless otherwise noted!

Who to call for Information

Frederick Hanford Adult Softball

Complex (641) 421-3673

Highland Park Golf Course

(641) 423-9693

MacNider Campground

(641) 421-3679

Multipurpose Arena

(641) 421-3673

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Cancellations, Postponements & Changes

All activities and programs are dependent upon weather conditions, facility availability, etc. If the Recreation Dept. does cancel, postpone or change program sites it will be posted on our Website home page and Facebook! We will also send emails and text messages to participants if we have their approval. **To receive emails and text messages please email the department your cell phone number and provider along with the accounts to assign to (children).** Every attempt will be made to re-schedule activities that are cancelled. However, no partial class or session refund will be given if weather does not allow re-scheduling.

Photo Policy

Photos are periodically taken of participants in our programs. Please be advised that these photos are for the Recreation Department's use only and may be used in future brochures, website, flyers or public relations. If you do not want your photo publicized, please contact the **Recreation Office at 421-3673.**

**REFUND
POLICY**

Full Credit may be given for cancellations BEFORE The registration deadline. After the deadline, NO refund will be issued, other

than for medical reasons.

If no registration deadline is mentioned, the registration deadline is considered one week prior to the starting date, for all refunds

Youth Activities

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Before & After School Childcare

Schools: Harding, Hoover & Roosevelt Schools

Date: 2025 - 2026 School Year

Days: Monday - Friday (full and half days)

Time: 7:00-8:00am & 3:00-5:30 pm (1:40 Wed.)

Enrollment Fee: \$25 (forms to fill out)

Hourly Fee: \$3 per hour

You will be charged only for the time you are there!

Register: August 8 & through the school year!

Snow Delays: Drop your child off at the Recreation office and we will bus them to the school.

Snow early outs: We bus them to the Recreation office for you to pick up!

Winter Break Camp

Games, Crafts, Field Trips planned!

Age: 5-12 year olds

Dates: December 26, 29, 30, 31, and January 2nd

Times: 7:00 am – 5:30 pm

Registration Fee: \$35 per day

Site: Recreation Office - offsite activities planned

Registration Deadline: December 19

Paperwork to fill out if not in 2025/26 BNA

No School Adventure Camps

No School come to Adventure Camp!

Theme days for crafts, field trips and games!

Lunch and Snack provided

Age: 5 to 12 year olds

Dates: Monday, October 27, 2025 - TBD

Monday, January 19 - TBD

Monday, February 16 - TBD

Friday, April 3 - TBD

Time: 7:00 am to 5:30 pm (lunch provided)

Site: Recreation Office - offsite activities planned

Fee: \$35 per camp

Registration Deadline: 1 week prior to camp

Paperwork to fill out if not in 2025/26 BNA

Fall Toddler Time @ the Rec

Boys and girls will play games:

Tag, Jump the River, Simon Says, etc.

Age: 2 to 5 year olds

Date: October-November (Monday Nights)

Time: 6:00-7:00 pm

Site: Recreation Office, Mall & Arena

Fee: \$5 child/adult each night (pay @ door)
Adult participation required.

2025 Halloween Party

Saturday, November 1st

Join us between 1:30 and 3:30 pm @ the Recreation Office for some Halloween fun!

Games, Crafts & More!!

Costume Contest:

1:30=3&4, 2:00=5&6, 2:30=7&8 & 3:00=9&10

Sponsored by: TBA

Meet the Staff - Destiny Hoffrogge



I am Destiny and I'm heading into my 5th year working with Parks & Rec. I began working in 2021 in the Before School Program. The following summer I worked my first Fun N Sun Summer Camp. I then started working the After School Program and

Winter/Spring Break Camps. Outside of Parks & Rec you'll probably find me taking too many pictures of my dog Toby or getting too competitive in Mario Kart.



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Youth Activities Scholarships Available For Youth Activities - see front cover!

Boys Flag Football

Mouth guards required.

****Tiny Tot FB** 4 year olds
BK FB 5 yrs - 1st graders
B2 FB 2nd & 3rd grades
B4 FB 4th - 6th grades (draft)

Practices: Scheduled by coach

Games Begins: Saturday, September 6

Game Days: Tue & Thurs nights & Saturdays

Game Times: Vary

Site: Norris Softball Complex

Fee: \$35 Resident - \$40 Non-resident

Registration: June 30 - July 30

(late fee \$6 after 7/30, \$10 after shirts ordered)

Coach's Mtg: Tuesday, August 19 @ 7:15 pm

****Tiny Tot:** Parent/Adult participates with child, bring own nerf football. Meets Thursdays @ 6:00 p.m. from September 11 to October 9.

Girls Soccer

Shin & Mouth guards required.

****Tiny Tot** 4 year olds
GK league 5 yrs - 1st graders
G2 league 2nd & 3rd graders
G4 league 4th & 5th graders (draft)
G6 league 6th - 8th graders (draft)

Practices: Scheduled by coach

Games Begins: September 6

Days: Tue & Thurs nights and Sat. mornings

Game Times: Vary

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Coach's Mtg: Tuesday, August 19 @ 6:00 pm

****Tiny Tot:** Parent/Adult participates with child, bring own #3 soccer ball. Meets Tuesdays @ 6:00 p.m. from September 9 to October 7.

Volunteer Coaches Needed

Adult volunteer coaches are needed for each youth sport. Adults may request to coach with another adult in order to work out personal schedules. If you are interested in helping, please fill out a coach's application. Coaches must attend the appropriate coach's meeting (times & dates to be announced) and become certified through the National Youth Sports Coaches Association (NYSCA).

No Coach Policy

The MC Recreation Department's Youth Sports Programs rely heavily on Volunteer Parents/Adults to Coach. If a volunteer does not step forward to coach, the department will provide a staff person to instruct at practices - parents will be assigned to organize games. However, your child's sports experience may not be as enjoyable as if a volunteer were coaching. In such circumstances there will be a parent's meeting to discuss game dates and responsibilities.



Archery Lessons - Youth/Adult

***Pee Wee:** 8&9yrs @ 5:45-6:30 pm
Elementary: 10&11yrs @ 6:30-7:15 pm
Senior: 12 & older @ 7:15-8:00 pm

Date: Mondays, September 8 - October 13

Fee: \$40 Resident - \$45 Non-resident

Late Fee - \$5 starting 9/2

Site: Mohawk Archery Club (840 12th St NW)

Limit: 10 each Class

*** Pee Wee:** Parent/Adult must attend with child.

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Youth Activities

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Fall Tumbling Lessons

Pre-School (3&4 yr) 9:00 & 10:55 am
Kiddie (5&6 yr) 9:35 am
Elementary (7 & older) 10:15 am
Date: Saturdays, October 18 - December 6
Site: Recreation Office - Blue Room
Fee: \$35 Resident - \$40 Non-resident
Late Fee - \$5 starting 10/13

Pre-School Sports Program

Age: 3&4 year olds with parent or adult
Date: Friday, Oct 17 - Nov 21
Fee: \$38 Resident - \$43 Non-resident
Late Fee - \$5 Starting 10/13
Time: 6:00 pm
Site: Harding School
Limit: 20



Coed Dodgeball

Leagues: 1/2nd graders and 3/4th grades @ 6:00 pm
5/6th grades and 7/8th grades @ 7:00 pm
Dates: Tuesdays, November 4 - December 9 **Site:** TBA
Fee: \$35 Resident - \$40 Non-resident Late Fee - \$5 Starting 10/28
Registration Deadline: Friday, October 31



Coed Volleyball

Leagues: 1st & 2nd Graders Practice Mon
3rd & 4th Graders (draft) Practice Tues
5th-7th Graders (draft) Practice Thurs
First Practice: Saturday, October 18
Games: Saturdays - First Game October 25
Times: Vary
Site: Salvation Army & MC Schools - TBA
Fee: \$40 Resident - \$45 Non-resident
Registration Deadline: Wednesday, October 1
(late fee \$6 after 10/1, \$10 after shirts ordered)
Coach's Meeting: Mon, Oct. 13 @ 6:00 pm

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Meet the Staff - Camie Thornblade

I have been working for the Parks and Rec Department since 2017. During my time with Parks and Rec, I have worked child-care, pool front desk, volleyball camp instructor, pool concessions, youth complex concessions, pool slide supervisor, and adult volleyball supervisor.



When I'm not working, my hobbies include spending time with my family, playing and coaching volleyball, reading, and watching movies.



Youth Activities

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2026 Winter Tumbling Lessons

Pre-School (3&4 yr) 9:00 & 10:55 am

Kiddie (5&6 yr) 10:15 am

Elementary (7 & older) 9:35 am

Date: Saturdays, January 3 - February 14

Site: Recreation Office - Blue Room

Fee: \$35 Resident - \$40 Non-resident

Late Fee - \$5 starting 12/26/25



2025-2026 Winter Cheerleading

Tiny Tot (4-6 yrs) 12:30-1:15 pm

Mini (7-12 yrs) 1:15-2:15 pm

Registration Deadline: Friday, December 12

Late Fee - \$5 starting 12/13

Date: Saturdays January 3- February TBA
(may practice some Wednesday nights)

Site: Recreation Activity Rooms

Fee: \$40 Resident - \$45 Non-resident

Cheerleaders will perform at local Games/Events!

2026 Youth Basketball Leagues -

***Tiny Tot** - 4 year olds & coed

Parent/Adult participates with child.

Meets Fridays @ 6:00 pm Jan 9 - Feb 13

Leagues:

5 yr olds & Kindergarteners coed

1st & 2nd Grade Boys (no draft)

1st & 2nd Grade Girls (no draft)

3rd & 4th Grade Boys (in/out town draft)

3rd & 4th Grade Girls (in/out town draft)

5th & 6th Grade Boys (draft)

5th & 6th Grade Girls (draft)

Registration: Mon, Sept. 29- Wed, Dec. 3

(late fee \$6 after 12/3, \$10 after shirts ordered)

Coach's Meeting: Tuesday, Dec 30 @ 6:00 pm

First Practice: Saturday, January 3, 2026

Practice: Week nights .. Times Vary

Games: Saturdays, some during the week

First Game: Saturday, January 10, 2026

Game Times: Vary

Sites: Salvation Army, MC Schools & others - TBA

Fee: \$40 Resident - \$45 Non-resident



NIACC - Youth Soccer Camps

More Info This Winter



2026 Youth Spring Soccer

Registration Begins January 26, 2026

Leagues: 4 year olds to 8th Graders

Girls/boys form different leagues.

For More Information Contact

the Office or go Online!

Ray Rorick Soccer Complex

Sponsors & Coaches Needed!!

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Adult Activities

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Adult Fall Volleyball Women's Power League

Games Begin: September 10
Days: Wednesday Nights
Game Times: 6:00, 7:00, 8:00 & 9:00 pm
Registration: August 1 - August 30
Site: Lincoln Intermediate School
Fee: \$160 per team



Adult Winter Volleyball Women's Power League

Games Begin: January 7
Days: Wednesday Nights
Game Times: 6:00, 7:00, 8:00 & 9:00 pm
Registration: December 2 - December 30
Site: Lincoln Intermediate School
Fee: \$160 per team

Adult Coed Open Gym—Volleyball

Dates: November 18, 25
December 2, 9, 16
January 6, 13, 20, 27
February 3, 10, 17, 24
March 3, 17, 24, 31
April 7, 14
Day: Tuesday Nights
Fee: \$50 for the season (Pay @ Rec Office)
\$5 per night (if not registered for season)



Adult Flag Football Tournament 6 on 6 and max of 10 players per roster

Tournament Date: Saturday, October 18
Game Times: 9:00 am and played every hour
Site: Frederick Hanford Softball Complex
Fee: \$75 per team
Registration: September 3 - October 10

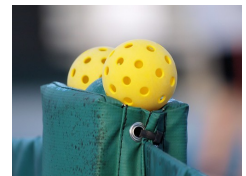
Adult Coed Open Gym—Basketball

Play Begin: November 4 - March 3
Days: Tuesday Nights
Play Time: 6:15 to 9:00 pm
Site: Hoover Elementary School
Fee: \$5 drop in fee



Adult Coed Open Gym—Pickleball

Play Begin: November 5 - March 4
No: 11/26, 12/24 &
12/31
Days: Wednesday Nights
Play Time: 6:15 to 9:00 pm
Site: Hoover Elementary School



Adult Archery Lessons

Senior: 12 & older @ 7:15-8:00 pm
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Fee: \$40 Resident - \$45 Non-resident
Late Fee - \$5 starting 9/2
Site: Mohawk Archery Club (840 12th St NW)
Limit: 10 each Class



Parent/Guardian _____ E-mail address: _____

I, understand by participating in sports/activities sponsored by the Mason City Parks & Recreation Department that such activity has a certain inherent risks that can and do result in injury, that can be serious, life limiting and life threatening. I understand and agree to release the Parks & Recreation Dept. and the City of Mason City, its' elected officials, employees or volunteers from all claims resulting from any and all injuries sustained while participating in sports/activities, except that arising out of the sole negligence of the Mason City Parks & Recreation Dept., its' elected officials, employees or volunteers.

***Non-resident Fee:** Anyone living outside the 50401 zip code will be charged a non resident fee of \$5 per activity.

Coaching Waiver: By sending in the mail in/fax form you agree to the waiver: I agree that if a volunteer coach does not step forward to coach my child's team that I will help coach at the games of my choosing or those assigned by the \Program Supervisor.