

VESTAL RECREATION

Summer 2021



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607-754-3368**

www.vestalny.com



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We will be following CDC & NYS Covid Guidelines. Please check their website the week of your camp.

Vestal Town Band

There will be no Band performances until after September. A summer band camp will be held. For more information, please email Gail at daisydrum@yahoo.com.

Mission Statement

Our mission, as the Town of Vestal Recreation Department, is our commitment to enhance the quality of life for all residents, by providing a variety of wholesome, affordable recreational activities and services that encourage lifelong learning, fitness and fun for the Vestal community. We strive to meet the community's recreational needs in a clean, safe and friendly environment. It is an ongoing goal, to introduce new and innovative programs as the changing community dictates.

TOWN PARKS

Arnold Park - Andrews Rd.
African Road Park - African Rd.
Barlow Park - Main St.
Castle Gardens Park - Garden Lane
David Avenue Park - David Ave.
DEC Flood Fields - Main St.
Ethel Place Park - Ethel Pl.
Fuller Hollow Park - Marietta Dr.
Harold Moore Park - Old Vestal Rd.
Jones Park - State Line Rd.

Memorial Park - Four Corners
Middendorf Park - Juneberry Rd.
Richards Ave Park - Richards Ave.
Ross Corners Park - Old Owego Rd.
Stair Park - Murray Hill Rd.
Stratford Park - Stratford Dr.
Twin Orchards - Myrtle St.
Vestal Center Park - Coleman St.
Willow Point Park - Gates Rd.
Vestal Rail Trail

For more information about our parks, go to
<https://www.vestalny.com/departments/recreation/parks.php>

Town Board

Town Supervisor:
John Schaffer
Town Council:
Patty Fitzgerald
Suzanne Messina
John Fletcher
Jason Ellis

**Be sure to visit our website:
www.vestalny.com**



Like us on Facebook.com/Town of Vestal Recreation Department

Please keep checking the website for more information on the **Fall Field Hockey League.**

Free Supervised Playground Program



The Town of Vestal Recreation Department would like to invite you to spend a morning, afternoon or both in the park. A variety of crafts, games, literature, and special events will be provided for your enjoyment. Make new friends and create new memories. **All supervised playground activities are free and open to boys and girls ages 5 & up.** Children younger than five years are welcome to attend, but they must be accompanied by an adult. **See the calendar.**

Register online at Vestalny.myrec.com Create a new account with your household information and add all the members of your household. Next, register for the playground that your child wants to attend. By registering online and filling out your cell phone number and carrier, we can text you on any program updates due to the weather. The playground is a free drop-in program and even though the participants may not choose to attend every day, it is required to register.

Inclement weather sometimes forces us to close the parks. If it appears to be an all-day rain we will close the parks. If there is a storm during the program hours, for safety reasons, we will close the playground and send the children home. We may also close due to extreme heat warnings. We can text you any closing updates, but you must register online at Vestalny.myrec.com. The supervised park sites and times are listed on this page.

Save the date

Wednesday, August 4th

5:00 - 7:30 PM

Arnold Park

Town celebration — details to follow.

Check our website for up to date information!

Calendar of Events at the Playground Sites

Mark your calendars...

On the following dates, your park counselors will create special activities based on the theme! Ask your counselor for the details and join in on the fun! Dates are subject to change depending upon the weather.

- Monday, June 28 - All sites open
- Wednesday, June 30 - Mismatch Day
- Friday, July 2 - 4th of July Celebration
- Monday, July 5 - Closed for Holiday**
- Wednesday, July 7 - Crazy Hair Day
- Friday, July 9 - Pirate Day
- Wednesday, July 14 - Crazy Sock Day
- Friday, July 16 - Beach Day
- Wednesday, July 21 - Hat Day
- Friday, July 23 - Happy Birthday to All!
- Wednesday, July 28 - Pajama Day
- Friday, July 30 - Olympics at the park
- Friday, August 6 - All Playground sites close at noon for the season. ☺

Due to COVID there will be NO water fountains. Please have your child bring a water bottle marked with their name on it. Current NYS/CDC Guidelines will be followed.

Playground Locations

Monday - Friday

June 28 - August 6

All parks close from Noon - 1:00 PM for lunch and are unsupervised during this time.

1. African Road Park
African Rd. Code: PL-AR
2. Stair Park
Murray Hill Rd. Code: PL-STR
3. Vestal Center Park
Coleman St. Code: PL-VC2

VOLLEYBALL CAMP

Monday - Friday See below for Dates & Ages

Learn the fundamentals of volleyball. They include: bumping, setting, serving and game situations through fun drills and game play. Open to boys and girls. Attended primarily by girls. Participants must bring their own water. **OUTDOOR CAMP THIS SUMMER**

Director: Joe Nemecek, Vestal Girls Varsity Volleyball Coach

[July 19 - July 23 - Ages: 3rd - 6th grade](#)

Times: 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM **Use Code:** VB3-6

[July 26 - July 30 - Ages: 7th - 8th grade](#)

Times: 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM **Use Code:** VB7-8

[July 26 - July 30 - Ages: 9th - 12th grade](#)

Times: Noon – 2:30 PM **Use Code:** VB9-12

Cost: \$50.00 Resident, \$60.00 Non-Resident

Includes: T-shirt

Location: Arnold Park, Andrews Rd. Shelter #3

Sand Volleyball Pit – **OUTDOOR CAMP THIS**

SUMMER To Register: Go to page #8 for registration options. **Online option available.**

Rain policy—Due to Covid, there are no facilities available for indoor use. There will be no makeups or refunds for weather cancellations.

CHEERLEADING CAMP

June 28 - July 1 Monday - Thursday

Spend a fun-filled week dancing, cheering, and jumping. Girls will learn basic arm motions and jumps, as well as an original dance and cheer. Participants will be working on the fundamentals every girl should know before trying out for CYO. This camp is a great opportunity to learn if cheerleading is the sport for you! Participants must bring their own water with their name on it.

Director: Katie Donlin, Former Varsity Basketball Cheerleading Coach

Times: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Ages: 4 - 10 years. Participants divided by age.

Cost: \$45.00 Residents, \$55.00 Non-Residents

Includes: Pompoms and t-shirt

Location: Arnold Park - Shelter #1 & 2

To Register: Go to page #8 for registration options. **Online option available. Code - CHR**

Rain policy—Due to Covid, there are no facilities available for indoor use. There will be no makeups or refunds for weather cancellations.

CO-ED SOCCER CAMP

July 26- July 30 Monday - Friday

Learn soccer skills and tactics in an instructional environment that is challenging and fun! The focus of the camp will be to develop skills of the game through many exciting activities. Skills taught will include: ball control, passing, receiving, shooting/finishing, and goal keeping. Individual defending and attacking skills and tactics will also be covered. Both boys and girls are welcome and participants will be grouped according to age. Participants must bring a water bottle with their name on it. Also wear shin guards and sneakers or plastic cleats.

Director: Ted Hudock

TIMES & AGES:

5 - 6 years

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Cost: \$40.00 Resident

\$50.00 Non-Resident

Code - SOC5-6

7 - 12 yrs. divided by age

9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Cost: \$50.00 Resident

\$60.00 Non-Resident

Code - SOC7-12

Includes: T-shirt

Location: Ross Corners Field, Old Owego Rd.

To Register: Go to page #8 for registration options. **Online option available.**

Rain policy—Due to Covid, there are no facilities available for indoor use. There will be no makeups or refunds for weather cancellations.

SOFTBALL CAMP

July 12 - 16 Monday - Friday

This camp will cover all softball fundamentals, including: the offensive elements of the game: hitting, bunting, and base running. The defensive elements: catching, throwing, fielding, and fielding by position. Introduction to beginning/intermediate pitching mechanics. Participants must provide their own glove, running shoes or cleats., and their own water. Also bring a bat and a helmet if you have one.

Director: Kristen Duff, Vestal Girls JV Softball Coach

Times: 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Ages: 8 - 15 years - Participants divided by age.

Cost: \$50.00 Resident, \$60.00 Non-Resident

Includes: T-shirt

Location: Harold Moore Park, Old Vestal Road

To Register: Go to page #8 for registration options. **Online option available. Use Code: SOFT**

Rain policy—Due to Covid, there are no facilities available for indoor use. There will be no makeups or refunds for weather cancellations.

GIRLS LACROSSE CAMP

July 12 - July 15
Monday - Thursday

This camp will emphasize stick skills with a focus on fundamental passing and catching techniques, dodging, draws, ground balls, basic defensive techniques and effective offensive concepts. Small group instruction will allow for individual attention. Players will be grouped by skill level to allow proper skill progression and success. Skills will be taught through drills and fun activities that allow participants to develop confidence and to enjoy the game of lacrosse. Small group team activities will be introduced as well as our famous T-shirt activity where each player designs and makes their own Vestal lacrosse t-shirt. Participants must bring their own water.

Director: Jeremy Daino, Vestal Girls Varsity Lacrosse Coach

Times: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Ages: Grades 3rd - 8th

Cost: \$50.00 Resident, \$60.00 Non-Resident

Includes: T-shirt, lacrosse ball, awards, contests, games

Please note: Participants must provide girl's lacrosse stick and goggles. Mouth guards are provided.

Location: Sammon Field, Clayton Ave.

To Register: Go to page #8 for registration options. **Online option available. Use Code: GLX**
Rain policy—Due to Covid, there are no facilities available for indoor use. There will be no makeups or refunds for weather cancellations.

BASEBALL CAMP

June 28 - July 1 Monday - Thursday

The camp will cover all baseball fundamentals, including: the offensive elements of the game: hitting, bunting, and base running. The defensive elements: catching, throwing, fielding, and fielding by position. Open to boys and girls. Participants must bring own glove, sneakers or cleats, and water bottle with their name on it.

Director: Rob Carr, Vestal Boys Modified Coach

Times: 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Ages: 7 - 12 years. Participants divided by age.

Cost: \$50.00 Resident, \$60.00 Non-Resident

Includes: T-shirt

Location: Vestal Little League Field, Clayton Ave.

To Register: Go to page #8 for registration options. **Online option available. Use Code: BASE**
Rain policy—Due to Covid, there are no facilities available for indoor use. There will be no makeups or refunds for weather cancellations.

GIRLS ADVANCED SOCCER

August 16 - August 20 Monday - Friday

This camp will include advanced techniques and tactics taught in small and large group game situations. Instruction is designed to meet the needs of high school athletes. The latest in strength and condition training will be used each day. Techniques (skills) necessary to compete at the high school level and beyond will be taught and reinforced through drills and games. Positional roles in different offensive and defensive team strategies will be emphasized. Instruction from highly qualified coaching staff with college soccer experience. Participants must bring their own water.

Director: Bill Stepanovsky, Former Vestal Girls Varsity Soccer Coach

Times: 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Ages: 7th - 12th grades

Cost: \$55.00 Resident, \$65.00 Non-Resident

Includes: T-shirt

Location: Ross Corners Park, Old Owego Rd.

To Register: Go to page #8 for registration options. **Online option available. Use Code: GADS**
Rain policy—Due to Covid, there are no facilities available for indoor use. There will be no makeups or refunds for weather cancellations.

ADVANCED BASEBALL

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
July 13, 14 and 15

The three day clinic will teach championship level drills and skills and how to have fun playing baseball. Learn competitive strategies of a professional baseball player. Learn how to train and practice like an elite player. Must have two years of Little League experience. Participants must bring own glove, sneakers or cleats, and water bottle with their name on it.

Director: Rob Carr, Vestal Boys Modified Coach

Times: 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Ages: 10 - 12 years (Two years Little League experience required)

Cost: \$45.00 Residents, \$55.00 Non-Residents

Location: Vestal Little League Field

To Register: Go to page #8 for registration. **Online option available. Use Code: ABC**
Rain policy—Due to Covid, there are no facilities available for indoor use. There will be no makeups or refunds for weather cancellations.

BOYS LACROSSE CAMP

July 19 - 23 Monday - Friday

Learn all phases of lacrosse this summer. Skills include: passing, catching, cradling, scooping ground balls, shooting, dodging, offensive & defensive strategy, face-offs & goal keeping.

Director: Chris Dutkowsky, Vestal Boys Varsity Lacrosse Coach

Times: 9:00 - 11:30 AM

Ages: 7 - 14 years Participants divided by age.

Cost: \$55.00 Resident, \$65.00 Non-Resident

Includes: T-shirt, lacrosse ball, and awards. Goalie sticks, gloves, helmets, shoulder pads and mouth guards are provided. Participants must provide lacrosse stick, arm pads and their own water bottle.

Location: Sammon Field, Clayton Ave.

To Register: Go to page #8 for registration options. **Online option available. Use Code: BLX**

Rain policy—Due to Covid, there are no facilities available for indoor use. There will be no makeups or refunds for weather cancellations.

GIRLS FIELD HOCKEY CAMP

August 9 - 13 Monday - Friday

Participants will learn field hockey skills in a challenging and fun environment. The camp will focus on skill development through exciting drills and games. Skills taught will include dribbling, passing, receiving, positioning, shooting and goal keeping. Includes drills for specific situations, conditioning techniques and game play.

Participants must provide: shin guards, running shoes, goggles (optional), their own stick and water bottle.

Director: Emily Barnard, Vestal JV Field Hockey Coach

Ages: Kdg. (must be 5) – 8th grades - Participants divided by age.

Times: 4:00—6:00 PM

Location: Arnold Park

Cost: \$50.00 Resident, \$60.00 Non-Resident

Includes: T-shirt, ball, and mouth guard

To Register: Go to page #8 for registration options. **Online option available. Use Code: FHCA**

Rain policy—Due to Covid, there are no facilities available for indoor use. There will be no makeups or refunds for weather cancellations.

Free Concerts

Tuesdays

7:00 PM – 8:30 PM



Vestal Gazebo

Front St. & Main St.

Bring your family and lawn chairs for a free evening of entertainment. In case of rain, the band will decide if they must cancel at 7:00 PM. Concerts are not re-scheduled. Please follow NYS/CDC guidelines for COVID.

Tuesday, June 22

Martha Weber Trio
Woodwind Trio

Tuesday, June 29

Crushed Velvet
Big band, modern pop, etc.

Tuesday, July 6

Ridin' the Rails
Entertainment with songs of
the railroad

Tuesday, July 13

Southern Tier Brass
Musical Mix

Tuesday, July 20

Music Unlimited Little Big
Band
Swing & Jazz

Tuesday, July 27

Mason Warrington Orchestra
Big Band Swing

Tennis Lessons



Director: Ryan Cummings
Certified Instructor, US Professional Tennis Registry

Learn how to play tennis this summer. Each age division will learn: forehand ground stroke, backhand ground stroke (for both, one-handed backstroke), serve, volley, overhead smash, lobs, service return, game strategy for singles and doubles. Participants are divided by their age and level of experience. Classes will be conducted in two-week sessions, Monday through Thursday. Participants must provide their own tennis racquet and water bottle. Tennis balls provided.

Rain Policy: In case of bad weather, we will have to cancel lessons. Due to COVID and the policy of outside groups using Vestal schools, there is no indoor space. Make-up will be on the Friday of the week of the missed class. No refunds will be given.

Location: Tioga Hills Elementary School, Glann Rd., Apalachin, Vestal High School's seven competition courts.

To Register: Go to page #8 for registration options.



For immediate confirmation register online at Vestalnyny.myrec.com

Tennis Session 1 - June 28 - July 9 Monday - Thursday

No class Monday, July 5 for holiday—Make up Friday July 9

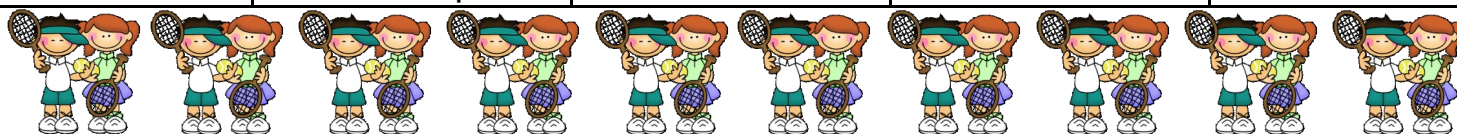
Times	Ages	Program Code	Resident Fee	Non-Res. Fee
9 – 10 AM	6-9 yrs	T9-1A	\$45.00	\$55.00
10 - 11 AM	10-12 yrs.	T10-1A	\$45.00	\$55.00
11-12:30 PM	13 & up	T11-1A	\$55.00	\$65.00

Tennis Session 2 - July 12 - July 22 Monday - Thursday

Times	Ages	Program Code	Resident Fee	Non-Res. Fee
9 – 10 AM	6-9 yrs	T9-2B	\$45.00	\$55.00
10 - 11 AM	10-12 yrs.	T10-2B	\$45.00	\$55.00
11-12:30 PM	13 & up	T11-2B	\$55.00	\$65.00

Tennis Session 3 - July 26 - August 5 Monday - Thursday

Times	Ages	Program Code	Resident Fee	Non-Res. Fee
9 – 10 AM	6-9 yrs	T9-3C	\$45.00	\$55.00
10 - 11 AM	10-12 yrs.	T10-3C	\$45.00	\$55.00
11-12:30 PM	13 & up	T11-3C	\$55.00	\$65.00



Online registration - We have a software program which has simplified registration. To get started go to Vestalny.myrec.com and **Create New Account** with your household information. This registration system allows us to accept credit card payments. A convenience fee will be applied to all credit card transactions and electronic checks. **Be sure to add all the members of your household into the account.** Don't forget to enter your cell number with the carrier so we can text you with any last minute program changes. Your new household account will provide you with registration history, financial history and much more. We look forward to enjoying this enhanced registration experience with you. **For immediate program confirmation, register online at Vestalny.myrec.com.**

Other options are still available:

- **Mail In:** Complete registration form below and mail with fee to Vestal Rec., 516 Front St., Vestal, NY 13850.
- **Drop off:** 516 Front St., Vestal, in mail slot on the door 24/7. Drop-off does not guarantee immediate enrollment, you will receive a receipt via email or mail as confirmation. You can also pay in person during business hours by cash, check, or money order. Use form below. We will notify you if a program is full.

Town Web page: To view the full **Town of Vestal website** go to www.vestalny.com. At the top choose **Departments** and then **Recreation** for all of our activities and registration form. This site will also link you to online registration.

Registration Deadline: We accept registrations until an activity is full. If we do not get enough participants to run the program, we will cancel and refund you. If registering for an activity that includes a t-shirt, you must register three weeks before program starts, to guarantee correct size. **Wait list:** If a class is full you can be placed on a wait list for no charge. We will contact you if an opening occurs.

Fees: All fees must be paid in full and are due at the time of registration. Partial payments are not accepted. All checks and money orders are made out to: Town of Vestal. **Refund requests** must be made no less than **one week** prior to the start of the activity. Program fees will be refunded either by check or credit on your card, and may take up to two weeks. Returned checks will be charged \$20 service charge. You must bring in amount due plus the service charge in cash only. Credit card and electronic check convenience fees are non-refundable.

Non-Resident fee: A fee of \$10 is included in the non-resident fee. If you do not live in the Town of Vestal, you are considered a Non-Resident. If your children go to Vestal Schools but you live in Apalachin, you are considered a non-resident of the Town of Vestal. Town taxes and school taxes are completely separate.

All participants and their legal guardians assume all risk of any injuries arising out of or connected with these programs. The Town of Vestal shall not be liable for any damages whatsoever.

No REFUNDS for rain or storms.

Registration Questions?
 Call us at 754-3368
 or email kwickman@vestalny.com

Town of Vestal Recreation Dept., 516 Front St., Vestal, N.Y. 13850 Cash or Check Registration Form

Parent/Guardian (FIRST) _____ (LAST) _____

Must be 18 years or older to register. Date of Birth _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Cell phone (____) _____ Cell Phone Carrier _____ Receive Texts Yes No
 (Example - Verizon)

Home phone (____) _____

E;Mail Address _____ (This is also your user name)

Receipt e-mailed or leave e-mail blank if you want receipt mailed. Please print.

Secondary Parent/Guardian (FIRST) _____ (LAST) _____

Cell phone(____) _____ Emergency Contact and Phone# _____

T-Shirt Sizes
Youth
YS - Small (6 - 8)
YM - Med. (10 - 12)
YL - Large (14 - 16)
Adult
AS - Small (34-36)
AM - Medium (38-40)
AL - Large (42-44)
AXL - X-Large (46)

Participant Name First - Last	Sex	Date of Birth	Grade Going	Program Code	Activity Name	T-shirt Size	Fees

Date Received: _____ Date Processed: _____ Total _____

Make Checks payable to: Town of Vestal