

SUMMER PLAYGROUND, LITTLE PEOPLE AND YOUTH NIGHT RECREATION INFORMATION 2010

Youth Night will begin Tuesday June 29 and will end Thursday August 5th. This program is open to all students entering grades 5, 6, 7 and 8th. The program will be held Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:00pm – 9:00pm and will be held at Strong School. We will be playing all sorts of sports and table games. This is a time for all to see their friends in the summer. We have many fun activities and a great staff to have some summer fun. Refreshments will be sold. The registration fee for this program is \$25.00 per student. You may register on any date that your child attends.

The first day of Summer Playground will meet Monday June 28th. Playground will meet from 9:00am – noon. The first day of **Little People will meet Monday June 28th** at child's scheduled time. The first session will meet 9:00am – 10:30am and the second class will meet from 10:30am – noon. Playground and Little People meet Monday, Wednesday, and Friday until August 13th. The registration fee for the Playground and Little People Program is \$35.00 per child for the summer. Family max of \$70.00.

We would like to answer the question **“What happens if it rains?”** Well if it is down pouring then please do not bring your child to the playground. A light drizzle will allow us to hold the program. You may call **860-343-6724** to be sure if recreation will be held or canceled. At times Little People may cancel due to the ground being so very wet. If we have a bad thunderstorm, please come and get your children. If the storm is severe, we will go to Strong School for shelter.

Please have your child wear play sneakers. **No sandals.** They may bring water shoes as we may go in the brook on a hot day. We also would like children to wear playing clothes. We would like all children to bring their own water bottle with their name on it. Please no glass. We will have a cooler of water at the park so that they may refill their bottles. They may also bring a snack if they wish. We will have a scheduled snack time. The sun gets very hot and bright and you may want to put sunscreen on your children before coming to the park. A hat may also help. We play very hard at the park, and sometimes your child's clothes may be dirty or wet. Just letting you all know that when you pick up your child, they may need a change of clothes if you are not going home.

Playground Parents must sign their children in at drop off time. Jr. Counselors can sign themselves in. Parents must also sign out their children with their child's staff member at pick up time. Sign up sheets will be located on a small table in front of the pavilion. Little People will be dropped off at the big tree and also picked up at the big tree. If your child will be going home with another parent, we will require a note for our records. The note should be given to one of our staff directors.

Each child will be assigned a counselor for the day that they are attending the playground program. Groups will be assigned at 9:15 am. Please have your child at the park at this time so that we may put them into groups with their friends. Little people will meet under the tree at their schedule times.

We ask all who are dropping and picking up their children to drive slow. Many children ride their bikes and walk to recreation. Try to park on the side of the park with the pavilion, so that you and your child do not have to cross the road.

Please use the cross walk when crossing the road to the park. No animals allowed at the park during playground hours.

Recreation office Town Hall 860-343-6724

Thank you,

Cell phone number for Allyn Brook Park: TBA

Sherry Hill

Durham Recreation

Staff Members: Sherry Hill Recreation Director
Karen Kean Little People Director
Mike Ford Program Supervisor
Jaclyn Wilkinson Arts & Crafts

Mike Sbona, Andrew Adams, Nathaniel Chausse, Erika Hill, Ashley Lizotte, Michael Finley, Lanya Staneika, Tim Rizzo, Erin Curtis, Amanda Thody, Sebastian Marino, Will be announcing new staff members in June.