Recreation Guide

Register Online: rec.algonquin.org
“Zoom” to the North Pole

Want your child to have exclusive time with Santa from the safety of their own home? This Zoom video call will give them a chance to Zoom with Santa and Mrs. Claus directly from the North Pole! This year Santa and his helpers are busier than ever preparing at the North Pole to take extra special measures to make sure each visit this Christmas is a safe visit all across the world for each and every child. The calls will be personalized and will last 5-10 minutes depending on how many family members are participating.

Upon registering for a date, please fill out the family form with information on who will be participating in the Zoom call. We will be in contact based on how many will be participating to assign you a specific time on the date you registered.

Location: Your Home
Fee: $5 per Zoom Call

Pet Photos With Santa

Join us at the Dog Waggin’ for your pet photo with Santa. Pet Photographer, Rich Chapman will take a picture of your dog with Santa at The Dog Waggin’ and provide a digital image for you to keep! Make sure to sign up and an appointment will be scheduled the week prior to the event date. Don’t miss out on this great opportunity to have your dog’s photo with Santa!

Location: The Dog Waggin’
1400 South Main Street, Algonquin

Time: Appointments will be scheduled
Fee: $12 per appointment

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Thank You to our Sponsors...
NEW for 2020
Algonquin Holiday Express
Santa Beep and Greet!!

Cozy up in those PJs and load up in your vehicle to be transported over to the North Pole for a visit with Santa and Mrs. Claus! This is sure to put a little sparkle in your holiday season this year. Visitors will be asked to remain in vehicles for the entire time. Santa and Mrs. Claus will be so excited to see you and your family in a safe way for 2020.

Date: Saturday, December 5
Location: Jacobs High School
2601 Bunker Hill Dr. Algonquin
Time: 4:00-7:00pm
Fee: FREE

ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY
rec.algonquin.org

DO NOT MAIL IN OR DROP OFF REGISTRATIONS.
Registration and on-line payment in full must be received to participate based on enrollment availability.
New Tradition from Maker’s Alley
Collect All 6 Ornaments!!

Handmade on Main and Makity Make are beginning a new tradition for everyone to enjoy. Every year, each shop will create 3 new and unique ornament designs for you to make and collect. Make all 6 and you will get a special gift from us! These can be made any time during studio hours...no reservation needed. Enjoy a night out or pick it up as a Make & Take to create a new tradition and have some fun family time at home! How fun would it be to relax at home with the family in your pajamas while creating memories. All instructions and materials are included.

Instructor: Handmade on Main & Makity Make
Location: Handmade on Main - 320 S Main St, Algonquin
           Makity Make - 328 S Main St, Algonquin
Date: 11/1-12/6
Time: Open Studio Hours
Fee: $10 per ornament
Registration Codes:
3806-1 Ceramic Lace Christmas Tree
3806-2 Ceramic Mosaic Santa
3806-3 Ceramic Snowflake
3806-4 Wooden Present with Bow
3806-5 Wooden Snowman Picture Frame
3806-6 Wooden Elf Picture Frame

Where creativity grows!
These workshops are a collaboration between Handmade on Main and Makity Make at the south end of Main Street in Downtown Algonquin.

Family Vintage Christmas Tree Workshop

Bring back all those wonderful memories of that beautiful Christmas Tree loaded with multi colored lights you may remember from your holidays as a child. Create your own family tree, including all the kids in the painting process of this 12” tall x 17” dia. ceramic tree. You will get the extra large ceramic tree, ceramic base, all the lights, star & clip in light kit. This piece will be handed down in your family for years to come, creating many memories along the way. All instruction & materials included. The price for this class is per family, only one family member needs to register.

Instructor: Handmade on Main
Location: Handmade on Main
           320 South Main Street, Algonquin
Fee: $79 (R) / $89 (NR)

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Magic Class
Kids are guaranteed to have a great time as they learn fascinating tricks from a professional magician! Join this exciting magic class that will be sure to teach you a thing or two about the world of magic. Amaze your family and friends with tricks that involve cards, ropes, coins, mind-reading, and more. While these tricks may appear difficult, you will discover that they are quick to learn and easy to perform. New, age-appropriate tricks are taught each session. All participants will receive a magic kit to take home with them at the end of class.

Instructor: Magic Team of Gary Kantor
Location: Crystal Lake Park District
431 Walkup Ave, Crystal Lake
Fee: $20 (R) / $30 (NR)

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Virtual Options.....

Balloon Animals -Session A & B
Professional balloon artist Gary Kantor introduces a 45 minute on-line class that teaches children the techniques needed to take plain balloons and transform them into incredible balloon animals (like dogs, butterflies, fish, etc.). By watching these on-line videos children will create their own balloon animals, with Gary walking them through each step in the process. Additionally, you can sign up again since each session makes different animal. (Note: you will need your own balloons and balloon pump. The pump and balloons cost about $13, and when you register you will be given information on places to purchase these.)

Code: 3706 - Session A
3707 - Session B

Ages: 7 years old and up
Class Time: Whenever works for you!
Fee: $13

Magic Class -Session A, B, & C
Professional magician Gary Kantor now teaches his popular magic class ONLINE. This 45-minute on-line class teaches children how to perform a number of mind-boggling tricks using everyday household items. Gary will start by explaining the secrets to the tricks, and then both Gary and the children will practice everything in great detail. Additionally, be sure to sign up for this class again since new tricks are taught each session. (When you register, you will be told the household items that are needed for the class.)

Code: 3705 - Session A
3708 - Session B
3709 - Session C

Ages: 5-12 years old
Class Time: Whenever works for you!
Fee: $13
**Basketball Training Camp**
This 6-week basketball class will help you to the next level. We will enhance the basics you may have learned, along with advancing your skills that will concentrate on more teamwork and game strategies. Our speed, agility, and jump training session is built to make our participants faster, stronger, and more agile athletes. We use SKLZ equipment for our class which is highly recommended by multiple coaches and trainers. A scrimmage game will be played at the end of each class.

**Instructor:** Sports R Us Staff  
**Location:** Randall Oaks Recreation Center  
500 Randall Rd. West Dundee  
**Fee:** $63 (R) /$73 NR  
*No Class 11/28*

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**Lil Pint Basketball**
Slam dunk fun in this pint-sized class. With the use of age appropriate equipment, participants will start building the fundamentals for simple drills. Participants will learn skills in passing, shooting, dribbling, and rules of the game. Teamwork, participation, and good sportsmanship are all stressed throughout the class. Games will be played at the end of each class.

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**Floor Hockey**
Calling all you hot shots out there! All the action of hockey on a floor! This class is for both the experienced player and the beginner. This fast paced, low competition class will promote shooting, passing, teamwork, positions, and some game strategies. We provide the sticks and pucks; safety goggles and mouth guards are recommended but not necessary.

**Instructor:** Sports R Us Staff  
**Location:** Randall Oaks Recreation Center  
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**Soccer/T-Ball Combo**
This class is perfect for toddlers who are full of energy and parents who are looking for an introduction to t-ball and soccer. Socialization, teamwork, following directions, key motor skills and having fun will be the focus in this non-competitive environment. For the three weeks of class we will focus on soccer and the second three weeks we will work on t-ball skills. The last class will be a fun game of each sport with parent participation. A fun game will be played at the end of each class. Please bring a water bottle.

**Instructor:** Sports R Us Staff  
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**Sports R Us is committed to keeping participants safe!**
- No more than 10 people including the instructors. Instructors will wear a mask during the class.
- Drills only, no contact sports or games and no contact between individuals.
- No shared equipment. Participants who do not have their own equipment will be provided sanitized equipment. Hand sanitizer will be provide and used before and during classes.
**Virtual Karate**  
**Focus Martial Arts**
Focus Martial Arts will offer karate classes for students interested in training from the comforts of their home. This 4-week, virtual karate session will challenge your child physically and emotionally and provide a much needed social connection. Stay healthy, Stay Strong, Stay Social, Get Focus Martial Arts

**Code:** 3401-2  
**Ages:** 5-7 years old  
**Dates:** 11/4-11/25  
**Time:** 4:30-5:15p  
**Fee:** $45

**Code:** 3402-2  
**Ages:** 8-13 years old  
**Dates:** 11/3-11/24  
**Time:** 5:15-6:00p  
**Fee:** $45

**After you have registered for the class a meeting code and password will be sent directly to you**

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**Adult/Tot Ninja Warriors**
Leap, hop, skip, run your way through obstacles and put your Ninja skills to the test. Parents and Tots have fun in this movement-based class will challenge your Ninja to maneuver over and under objects. We will also play many large group games to further challenge their Ninja skills. Parents or caregiver participation is required.*With Parent*

**Instructor:** Hot Shot Sports
**Fee:** $39 (R)/$49 (NR)
**Location:** Lake in the Hills Village Hall  
600 Harvest Gate LITH

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**Mini Ninja Warriors**
Leap, hop, skip, run your way through obstacles and put your Ninja skills to the test. This fun movement-based class will challenge your Ninja to maneuver over and under objects. We will also play many large group games to further challenge their Ninja skills.

**Instructor:** Hot Shot Sports
**Fee:** $45 (R)/$55 (NR)
**Location:** Lake in the Hills Village Hall  
600 Harvest Gate LITH

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**Jr. Ninja Warriors**
Take everything you learned from Mini Ninja Warriors and test you ninja skills with even more difficult obstacles to leap, hop, skip and run your way through. The large group games will put your Ninja skills to the test in this fun movement-based class.

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**Fee:** $45 (R)/$55 (NR)
**Location:** Lake in the Hills Village Hall  
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FREE Virtual Financial Workshops

A link to participate will be sent prior to the meeting

November 4
Preparing for the Unexpected @ 6:00 pm
Code: 3210
This webinar shares tips on how to develop a proactive strategy for protection and preparing for the unexpected. Strategies include having an emergency fund, establish line of credit, and review insurance/liability protection. The presentation discusses planning for the expected, preparing for the unexpected and positioning your portfolio for both expected and unexpected life changes.

November 11
Tax-Free Investing: It’s Not What You Make, It’s What You Keep! @ 6:00 pm
Code: 3211
This webinar helps inform individuals of the benefits and considerations of choosing investments that offer tax advantages. Additionally, participants will learn about: tax-advantaged investments and their features, tax-free investment returns vs. taxable investment returns, three ways to purchase municipal bonds, and ow tax-free investing can help you achieve your goals faster.

November 18
Rules of the Road @ 6:00 pm
Code: 3212
This webinar introduces ten “rules of the road”to investing. Participants will learn the most common investing mistakes and how to avoid them, investing strategies to help reach their long term goals and what they can do now to prepare for retirement.

November 25
Retirement: Making Your Money Last @ 6:00pm
Code: 3213
This webinar is designed to help individuals prepare to live the retirement they have envisioned. Attendees will learn investment strategies to help build a strategy to last throughout one’s retirement years. In addition, you’ll explore how to address key concerns such as inflation, health care expenses and market volatility as well as ways to prepare in advance for things that may not go as expected.
December 2
Healthcare and Your Retirement @ 6:00 pm
Code: 3214
This webinar addresses what steps investors should take to prepare for healthcare costs to help ensure their retirement savings stay healthy and the potential impact of rising healthcare costs on retirement savings. Additionally, we will provide an introduction to Medicare coverage and costs, long term care costs, available options for supplemental health care and long term care insurance.

December 9
Focus on a Fixed Income @ 6:00 pm
Code: 3215
We’ll discuss the basics of fixed income investments, the advantages of laddering and how fixed income may be part of your investment strategy. We’ll also explore bond characteristics and features, the relationship between interest rates and bond prices, tax advantages of municipal bonds and how bonds may help investors weather market fluctuations.

December 16
Standing Guard: Protect What You’ve Worked For @ 6:00 pm
Code: 3218
We’ll discuss strategies designed to help you guard your most valuable assets and protect your pre- and post-retirement income. We’ll cover risks that could impact your clients financial strategy and solutions to protect against these risks, such as: creating a foundation to protect against unexpected events, protecting income during retirement, and addressing the rising health care and long-term medical care costs.

December 23
Retirement By Design @ 6:00 pm
Code: 3219
This webinar examines how to translate one’s vision for retirement into tangible goals. Whether 10 or 40 years from retirement, attendees will learn investment strategies to help design the retirement they want. We’ll also discuss how you can add flexibility to their strategy to help them handle unexpected events and how you can keep their strategy on track.

December 30
Tax-Free Investing: It’s Not What You Make, It’s What You Keep! @ 6:00 pm
Code: 3220
This webinar helps inform individuals of the benefits and considerations of choosing investments that offer tax advantages. Additionally, participants will learn about: tax-advantaged investments and their features, tax-free investment returns vs. taxable investment returns, three ways to purchase municipal bonds, and ow tax-free investing can help you achieve your goals faster.
FIT4MOM is the nation’s leading prenatal and postnatal fitness program, providing fitness classes and a network of moms to support every stage of motherhood. Now you can enjoy a variety of fitness classes each week virtually from FIT4MOM Greater Northwest Chicago Suburbs. Moms at every stage of motherhood, from pregnancy to empty nest. Your first class is FREE, visit greaternwchi.fit4mom.com/schedule to enroll.

PIYO Live
PIYO is a music driven, athletic workout inspired by the mind/body practices of Pilates and Yoga, which includes flexibility training, strength training, conditioning and dynamic movement. Each class will incorporate the following styles of movement, such as Focus (Poses are held to increase strength), Flow (Rhythmic styles that generates heat in the body and produces sweat, and Fusion (A blend of focus and flow to incorporate dynamic balance and functional training). Achieve wellness by reducing stress, strengthening core muscles and overall toning. Please bring a mat to class, class is performed barefoot. (If you choose, please use Lyrical half-sole slip on shoes.)

Instructor:  Josephine Champion
Location:  Historic Village Hall (1st Floor)
2 South Main St., Algonquin
Fee:  $57

*Max amount of students in class will be 7*

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Babysitter’s Training - 1 Day
If you’re 11-15 years old, you can get the knowledge, skills, and confidence to care for infants and school-age children, combining video, activities, hands-on skills training, and discussion for a complete learning experience. Babysitter’s training shows you how to respond to emergencies and illness with first aid, rescue breathing and other appropriate care, make decisions under pressure, communicate with parents to learn household rules, recognize safety and hygiene issues, manage young children, and how to diaper and care for infants.

Participants must attend the entire class to receive their certificate. Please bring a lunch and drink to class.

Instructor:  American Red Cross Instructor
Location:  Hain House
149 Hilltop, LITH
Fee:  $75 (R) / $85 (NR)

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Algonquin Recreation is committed to your safety as classes return to parks and Historic Village Hall. A few reminders as things start back up:

- Please self-monitor at home for symptoms related to COVID-19. If you exhibit coronavirus disease symptoms (fever, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, chills, repeated shaking with chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell), please do not attend class.

- Participants should wear appropriate face masks upon entering the building and use social distancing of six (6) feet from other people at all times. Participants are welcome to remove face masks while actively participating in exercise programs.

- The space will be sanitized/cleaned after each class held in the building.