



NORTH of the RIVER
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FUNBOOK

fall/winter 2022

NOR FALL FESTIVAL

Celebrate the changing of the seasons with us as we host our 5th Annual Fall Festival. Bring your family and friends to enjoy a kids' zone with carnival games, bounce houses, vendor booths and so much more. The day ends with a movie in the park...and it's all FREE! There will be a free lunch for the first 200 guests.

S 10/15 1:00p - 4:00p N. Meadows FREE

VETERAN'S DAY SLIDE SHOW

Honoring all who served! Submit a photo of your veteran and his/her rank to be included in a special Veteran's Day presentation for all to see. Upload your veteran anytime on our website from August 31st - October 12th. The slideshow will be posted on our website and social media on Veteran's Day.

NOR CHRISTMAS PARADE

Join us for the 49th year of the NOR Christmas Parade Holiday Tradition! This year's theme will be Merry Grinchmas! Want to participate in the NOR Christmas Parade? Head on over to www.norfun.org for all the details on how you can be a part of this NOR tradition.

S 12/10 10:00a N. Chester Ave. FREE

FENCING

RECREATIONAL FENCING

Partnering with Kern Athletic Fencing Foundation (KAFF), youth and adults can learn the basics of Foil Fencing in an introductory 4 week course. Classes are held at KAFF's fencing studio located upstairs of the Bakersfield Woman's Club, 2030 18th St. All equipment will be provided. Participants must wear athletic shoes, full-length sports pants and bring a water bottle.

S	9/17 - 10/8	Ages 13+	12:00p - 2:00p	\$100
S	10/29 - 11/19	Ages 8-12	12:00p - 2:00p	\$100

For registration or any additional info, visit www.KernAFF.org.

PARAFENCING

Athletes with mobility impairments can try the Paralympic Sport of wheelchair (seated) fencing with private or semi-private lessons. All equipment is provided. Contact KAFF for a free consultation at www.KernAFF.org.

VARIES ONGOING Ages 13+ VARIES FREE

YOUTH EVOLUTION SOCCER

LEVEL 1 (Ages 3.5-4.5)

Learn fundamental movement skills and build overall motor skills. This course is designed for children to learn the fundamentals of soccer.

LEVEL 2 (Ages 5-7)

This course will focus on dribbling, passing, shot technique and teamwork. Children will be introduced to fitness and sportsmanship, providing an opportunity for children to be challenged through fun games and team interaction.

LEVEL 3 (Ages 8-11)

This course is aimed to improve large motor skills, spatial awareness and teamwork. The instructor will focus on agility, drills become a bit more advanced and teach children how to perform under pressure.

SESSION 1 (9/6 - 10/4)

T	Level 2	4:00p	Polo	\$105
T	Level 3	4:45p	Polo	\$105
T	Level 1	5:35p	Polo	\$105

SESSION 2 (10/11 - 11/1)

SESSION 3 (11/15 - 12/13)

T	Level 1	3:00p	Polo	\$84
T	Level 2	3:30p	Polo	\$84
T	Level 3	4:15p	Polo	\$84

YOUTH EVOLUTION BASKETBALL

LEVEL 1 (Ages 3.5-4.5)

Learn fundamental movement skills and build overall motor skills. This course is designed for children to learn the fundamental concepts of basketball.

LEVEL 2 (Ages 5-7)

This course will focus on dribbling, passing, shot technique and teamwork. Adjustable hoops and appropriately sized basketballs are used to always provide just the right amount of challenge.

LEVEL 3 (Ages 8-11)

The level 3 course is aimed to improve large motor skills, spatial awareness and teamwork. Drills are focused on more complex activities that include fast breaks, coordinated offensive plays and multiple defensive structures.

SESSION 1 (9/7-10/5)

W	Level 2	4:00p	GA	\$105
W	Level 3	4:45p	GA	\$105
W	Level 1	5:35p	GA	\$105
W	Level 2	6:15p	GA	\$105

SESSION 2 (10/19-11/9)

SESSION 3 (12/7-12/21)

W	Level 2	4:00p	GA	\$84
W	Level 3	4:45p	GA	\$84
W	Level 1	5:35p	GA	\$84
W	Level 2	6:15p	GA	\$84

NOR DANCE

Let's get moving with our new tap, ballet and tumbling lessons. Classes provided for different levels based on age and experience, including learning advanced dance techniques. Come join the fun!

STAR BABIES: 18months-2 Years (adult participation)

This fun class is a great way to introduce your little ones to dance, music, movement and more while enhancing their gross motor skills and working hand-eye coordination.

LITTLE STARS: Ages 3-6 Years

This fun hour-long combination class will consist of age-appropriate lessons in tap, ballet and tumbling. Each class we will bring dance to life with fun props, stories and creative movement.

TWINKLING STARS: Ages 6-13 Years

This is an hour-long combination class consisting of Tap, Ballet and Tumbling. With so much to learn, this class will focus on structure and technique while keeping it light and fun.

SESSION 1 (9/10 - 10/1) \$65* **SESSION 2 (10/8 - 10/29) \$65***
SESSION 3 (11/5 - 11/19) \$50* **SESSION 4 (12/3 - 12/17) \$50***

No classes: 11/26, 12/24 & 12/31

T	Star Babies	9:00a - 10:00a	RV
T	Little Stars	10:00a - 11:00a	RV
T	Twinkling Stars	11:00a - 12:00p	RV

LINE DANCING

Country Line Dancing is a fun way to exercise and socialize. We will learn line dances like Electric Slide, Tulsa Time, Watermelon Crawl, Boot Scootin' Boogie and Cowboy Cha Cha. A drop in year round class. Ages 13+

M	Beginners	5:30p - 6:30p	GA	\$6
M	Intermediate	6:30p - 7:30p	GA	\$6

PENNY BINGO

Penny bingo is a game that you can play from just one penny. Activity offers the same thrill and excitement as the higher stake games, but for a fraction of the cost. Not only are they a low-risk way for new players to learn how to play bingo, but they are popular amongst experienced players too.

Th	Ages 50+	5:30p - 8:00p	GA	Varies
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ORDER OF THE DRAGON

Master Earl Absher, 8th Degree black belt, teaches a combination of Tae Kwon Do, Karate, and self-defense. Practical "real life" self protection program for all students. Goals are to teach self defense, stranger dangers, and safety awareness, with an emphasis on respect and discipline. Year round program begins September 7th, sign up any time! Monthly charge (three classes per week) or \$10 drop-in rate. Ages 4+

T	White Belt	6:00p - 6:40p	GA	\$49
T	Yellow Belt	6:45p - 7:25p	GA	\$49
T	Orange Belt	7:30p - 8:10p	GA	\$49
W	White Belt	6:00p - 6:40p	GA	\$49
W	Yellow Belt	6:45p - 7:25p	GA	\$49
W	Orange Belt	7:30p - 8:10p	GA	\$49
F	White Belt	6:00p - 6:40p	GA	\$49
F	Yellow Belt	6:45p - 7:25p	GA	\$49
F	Orange Belt	7:30p - 8:10p	GA	\$49



WINTER BREAK CAMP

We invite campers to join us for two weeks of camp. Each day features activities based on holiday themes and offers a variety of games, arts and crafts and special activities. Ages 6-12. Bring your own lunch and snacks.

T-Th	12/27 - 12/29	7:30a - 6:00p	GA	\$99
T-Th	1/3 - 1/5	7:30a - 6:00p	GA	\$99
	Both Sessions	7:30a - 6:00p	GA	\$178

YOUTH TENNIS

Class will focus on basics including hand eye coordination, grip, swing, stance and game based drills. Participants must bring a racquet.

SESSION 1 (8/13 - 9/17)		SESSION 2 (10/1 - 10/29)		
S	Beginner	8:30a - 9:30a	Madison Grove	\$65*
S	Beginner	8:30a - 9:30a	Westdale	\$65*
S	Intermediate	9:30a - 10:30a	Madison Grove	\$65*
S	Intermediate	9:30a - 10:30a	Westdale	\$65*
S	High School	10:30a - 11:30a	Madison Grove	\$65*
S	High School	10:30a - 11:30a	Madison Grove	\$65*

SESSION 3 (11/12 - 12/17)				
S	Beginner	10:30a - 11:30a	Madison Grove	\$65*
S	Beginner	10:30a - 11:30a	Westdale	\$65*
S	Intermediate	11:30a - 12:30p	Madison Grove	\$65*
S	Intermediate	11:30a - 12:30p	Westdale	\$65*
S	High School	12:30p - 1:30p	Madison Grove	\$65*
S	High School	12:30p - 1:30p	Westdale	\$65*

ADULT TENNIS

Class will focus on basics including hand eye coordination, grip, swing, stance and game based drills. Participants must bring a racquet.

SESSION 1 (10/2 - 10/30)		SESSION 2 (11/13 - 12/18)		
Su	Beginner	9:00a - 10:00a	Silver Oak	\$65*
Su	Intermediate	10:00a - 11:00a	Silver Oak	\$65*

LACROSSE CLINICS

NOR will partner with the Bakersfield Youth Lacrosse League to teach participants the basics of this fast moving, action packed sport during a **FREE** clinic. Register online at www.bakersfielddyouthlacrosse.com is preferred, but walk up registration is available. Boys & Girls ages 8-18 in school. For more info, call [377-8711](tel:377-8711).

S	11/19	10:00a - 12:00p	Polo	FREE
S	12/3	10:00a - 12:00p	N. Meadows	FREE
S	1/7/23	10:00a - 12:00p	Liberty	FREE

COMING SOON - Bakersfield Youth Lacrosse League. The 2023 season runs from February to May. Registration opens November 1. For more information, contact laxadmin@bakersfielddyouthlacrosse.com or (661) 377-8711. www.bakersfielddyouthlacrosse.com.

* Residents living within the District's boundaries receive a rate discount at registration.

ADULT SPORTS

Stay in shape and enjoy the friendly competition of one of our Adult Sports programs. Entry fees are per team, so sharing the cost with friends makes it affordable and fun. Visit our website for registration deadlines for each sport's season.

COED VOLLEYBALL				
T/Th	8/2 - 9/15	Summer	RL	\$375
T/Th	9/20 - 11/3	Fall	RL	\$375

COED SOFTBALL				
Su/T/Th	9/6 - 12/11	Fall	GA/N.Rosedale	\$450
Su/T/Th	1/22 - 4/27	Spring '23	GA/N.Rosedale	\$450

COED BASKETBALL				
M-Th	8/8 - 10/6	Fall	RL/GA/RV	\$550
M-Th	3/14 - 5/4	Spring '23	RL/GA/RV	\$625

COED KICKBALL				
W	8/17 - 9/28	Fall	N. Rosedale	\$250
W	1/25 - 4/29	Spring '23	N. Rosedale	\$450

OPEN GYM

Fee: \$30 15-day pass or \$3 per day. Players AND spectators must pay fee. Pickleball nets are provided, players will need to set-up and take down nets. Paddles and Wiffle Balls are NOT provided. Ages 18+. **CASH ONLY**.

BASKETBALL				
T/Th/F	Ongoing	11:00a - 2:00p	RL	\$3
T/Th	Ongoing	11:30a - 2:00p	GA	\$3

PICKLEBALL				
M-F	Ongoing	11:30a - 2:00p	RV	\$3
Su	Ongoing	11:30a - 2:30p	RV	\$3

Schedule subject to change.

DISC GOLF

It's a walk in the park with a point! Try this exciting and popular sport, played similarly to golf but with "Frisbee-like" discs. In partnership with Kern County Disc Golf Club, we offer an 18 hole course at Riverview with different tee locations. All ages.

Weekly	Continuous	Park Hours	Riverview	FREE
Weekly	Continuous	Park Hours	San Lauren	FREE

NEIGHBORHOOD PLACE

We offer free educational, social programs and activities to assist children up to five years of age to learn skills necessary for adequate school preparation. All children must be current with immunizations.

LITTLE LEARNERS

Little Learners offers free educational, recreational and social opportunities.

M-Th Ages 18mo - 5yrs 8:45a - 9:45a RV FREE

4 & 5 READY TO STRIVE

Get your child ready for kindergarten! Our 4 & 5 Class is structured toward kindergarten readiness focused on our new curriculum Science, Technology, Engineering, Math (STEM) and Literacy. Age appropriate hands-on activities are provided to help further your child's educational development, expand their social skills and learn in a classroom environment.

M-Th Ages 4 - 5 10:00a - 11:00a RV FREE

We also provide **COURT APPROVED PARENTING** classes. For more information, contact Beth Vagle at bvagle@norrecreation.org

CO-OP PRESCHOOL

Our children's school year program provides hands on activities, arts/crafts, music and fun activities that include holiday celebrations. Children will participate in hands-on learning age-appropriate activities focused on (STEM) Science, Technology, Engineering, Math, Literacy and much more! Parents are required to help with activity prep work once per month. Child must be toilet trained and current with immunizations!

One time registration fee of \$25.

GREENACRES (Ages 4-5. Must be age 4 by 9/1/22)

M-Th	9/6/22 - 11/17/22	8:30a - 11:30a	\$678 Session/\$276 Month*
M-Th	11/28/22 - 2/24/23	8:30a - 11:30a	\$678 Session/\$276 Month*
M-Th	2/27/23 - 5/18/23	8:30a - 11:30a	\$678 Session/\$276 Month*

RIVERVIEW (Ages 3-5. Must be age by start date.)

M-Th	9/6/22 - 11/17/22	10:00a - 1:00p	\$590 Session/\$240 Month
M-Th	11/28/22 - 2/24/23	10:00a - 1:00p	\$590 Session/\$240 Month
M-Th	2/27/23 - 5/18/23	10:00a - 1:00p	\$590 Session/\$240 Month

REGISTER NOW FOR THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR 2022/2023!

DISCOVERY SPORTS (formerly Tot Sports)

It's never too early to work on your child's motor development skills. NOR's Discovery Sports program provides the building blocks for learning basic sports skills in a FUN, non competitive environment. Parents participate with their children, so it is fun for the entire family. Choose two different sports and SAVE! Receive a 10% discount on 2nd sport when you register for two sports (per child) at the same time. Includes t-shirt, ball and medal.

FOOTBALL (9/24 - 10/29)

S	Age 3-4	2:00p	N. Meadows	\$59*
S	Ages 5-6	3:00p	N. Meadows	\$59*

FOOTBALL (10/4 - 11/1)

S	Age 3	9:00a	Almondale	\$59*
S	Age 4	10:00a	Almondale	\$59*
S	Ages 5-6	11:00a	Almondale	\$59*
T	Age 3-4	3:30p	Almondale	\$59*
T	Ages 5-6	4:30p	Almondale	\$59*

BASKETBALL (11/12 - 12/20)

S	Age 3	9:00a	RL	\$59*
S	Age 4	10:00a	RL	\$59*
S	Age 5-6	11:00a	RL	\$59*
T	Age 3-4	3:30p	RL	\$59*
T	Ages 5-6	4:30p	RL	\$59*

SOCCER (8/13 - 9/17)

S	Ages 3	9:00a	Westdale	\$59*
S	Ages 4	10:00a	Westdale	\$59*
S	Ages 5-6	11:00a	Westdale	\$59*
T	Ages 3-4	3:30p	Emerald Cove	\$59*
T	Ages 5-6	4:30p	Emerald Cove	\$59*
Th	Ages 3-4	3:30p	Emerald Cove	\$59*
Th	Ages 5-6	4:30p	Emerald Cove	\$59*

INDOOR SOCCER (11/10 - 12/15)

Th	Ages 3-4	9:00a	GA	\$59*
Th	Ages 5-6	10:00a	GA	\$59*

JUNIOR THEATRE

HALLOWEEN BASH

Join the fun and become part of our Halloween Bash entertainment. Participants will rehearse in characters in preparation for a fun day of Halloween Bash performance. Refreshments and goodies are provided. Ages 6-18.

WORKSHOP

M-Th 10/10 - 10/28 6:00p - 8:00p RV \$110*

PERFORMANCE

S 10/29 6:00p TBA \$10

RUDOLPH

Join us for the holiday season production of "Rudolph". All levels are welcomed from beginner to experienced. Ages 5.5-18.

AUDITION

S 10/15 6:00p RV

WORKSHOP

M-Th 11/1 - 12/9 6:00p - 8:00p RV \$295*

PERFORMANCE

S 12/10 6:00p TBA \$10

SANTA LIVE VIRTUAL HOME VISITS

Welcome Santa into your home with a LIVE virtual visit this holiday season. Santa will send you an invitation to visit for a few minutes to greet your family with holiday cheer! Must have an email address and internet to participate. Registration begins Tuesday, November 15th. For reservations, contact us at 392-2020.

M-F 12/5 - 12/18 5:30p - 9:00p FREE

S/Su 12/11 - 12/18 TBA FREE



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2 WAYS TO REGISTER

NOR makes it easy to register for any of our programs.

ONLINE

Visit our website at www.norfun.org and click on the ONLINE REGISTRATION button in the top right corner of any page.

IN PERSON

Visit any of our community centers listed below to have one of our friendly, helpful clerks assist you with your registration needs.

IN-DISTRICT PRICES

Many NOR programs offer a discounted rate for residents living within District boundaries. Look for the asterisked (*) prices or ask a clerk for more information. Not all programs are eligible. Discounted price will be reflected at check-out during registration.

NOR FUNBOOK KEY

GA - Greenacres Community Center
2014 Calloway Drive, 93312
[392.2010](tel:392.2010)

RL - RiverLakes Ranch Community Center
3825 Riverlakes Drive, 93312
[392.2000](tel:392.2000)

RV - Riverview Community Center
401 Willow Drive, 93308
[392.2020](tel:392.2020)

SAC - Rasmussen Senior Center
115 E. Roberts Lane, 93308
[392.2030](tel:392.2030)

M - Monday
T - Tuesday
W - Wednesday
Th - Thursday
F - Friday
S - Saturday
Su - Sunday

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PLEASE NOTE:

Programs and leagues are subject to change, postponement or cancellation based upon additional mandates or restrictions issued by the State of California or the Kern County Department of Public Health as it pertains to COVID-19.



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price discounts!**