

Closter Recreation Commission

Please check the Closter Recreation website for schedules and updated news!

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WINTER SPORTS REGISTRATION INFORMATION

ONLINE REGISTRATION for Closter and Haworth residents will open for the following Winter Sports on **Tuesday, October 1st**

Go to www.closterrec.com and follow the Registration button link to Community Pass.

Winter sports practices for Grades 5 ~ 8 will begin in November and the practices/games for K ~ Grade 4 will begin in January. *(Schedules below are tentative. Firm schedules will not be available until late December.)*

BASKETBALL

Kindergarten Girls & Boys Gr 1 & 2 Girls & Boys	Practices/Games on Saturday mornings or Saturday afternoons
Gr 3 & 4 Boy	Practices/Games on Fridays after 6pm
Gr 3 & 4 Girls	Practices/Games on Monday and Thursday nights
Gr 5 & 6 Boys & Girls*	Games on Saturdays <i>(*Practices based on coach's availability)</i>
Gr 7 & 8 Boys*	Games mostly Monday nights <i>(*Practices based on coach's availability)</i>
Gr 7 & 8 Girls*	Games Wednesdays/Thursdays, Saturdays/Sundays <i>(*Practices based on coach's availability)</i>

****PLEASE NOTE** that in order to be considered for Travel Basketball (Grades 3-8), the child **must** play Rec Basketball. There will be a separate registration fee for travel basketball based upon how many players are carried on each team. For all sports, once teams are picked, children cannot and will not be moved from one team to another.

A TRAVEL BASKETBALL GOOGLE DOC /INTEREST FORM will be sent out in the coming weeks, please fill this out asap to receive info on Travel tryouts. Travel basketball tryouts for boys and girls in grades 3-8 will be held approximately after Oct 9 for a two week window and we will ONLY be sending out travel tryouts info to children that are registered for REC basketball or filled out the travel interest form. Information on days/times of tryouts will be posted on the Closter Recreation Website on or by 10/9.

INDOOR SOCCER

Gr 1 & 2	Practices/Games on Sunday afternoons from 1:45-2:45pm starting in January
Gr 3 ~ 8	Practices Tuesday nights, games Sunday afternoons. Tryouts will be held for travel indoor soccer

WRESTLING

K ~ Gr 8	Practices 2~3 days a week. Matches on Saturdays or Sundays.
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COACHES are needed for all rec and travel sports, so PLEASE consider volunteering to help with your child's sports experiences! Parents -- register yourself as a volunteer coach in CommunityPass if you are interested in coaching or assisting any sports teams for the upcoming seasons. We will only be contacting parents who sign up to coach via the separate CommunityPass COACH VOLUNTEER program. In order to coach or assist in any way, parents must take a one-time Rutgers safety class. Future Rutgers can be found on the Closterrec.com website, but these spots fill up QUICKLY so please sign up asap. It is recommended to sign up for one of the online classes vs the in person classes. (Closter Rec will reimburse you for the fee that is collected for taking this class)

REGISTRATION FEES FOR WINTER SPORTS

Register early to take advantage of the early bird fee!! If your child decides not to play after you register, you will receive a refund for the entire registration fee. Please note that if you drop out after the teams are picked and uniforms are ordered, only a partial refund will be given.

<p>EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p>Deadline – Friday 11/1</p> <p>K ~ Gr 8 \$170</p>	<p>REGULAR REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p>Deadline – Thursday 11/28</p> <p>K ~ Gr 8 \$220</p>	<p>LATE REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p>Starting Friday 11/29</p> <p>K ~ Gr 8 \$270</p>
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Halloween Parade – Save the Date! This year's Halloween parade will take place on Sunday, October 27th, as part of the HALLOWEEN FALL FESTIVAL PTO EXTRAVAGANZA and CLASSIC CAR SHOW. More information on this spectacular town event will be sent out in the coming weeks and posted on closterrec.com. There will be a Costume Contest following the parade.