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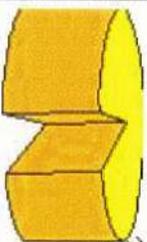
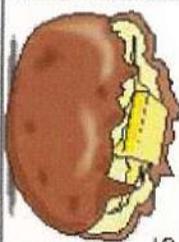
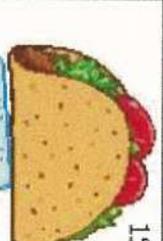
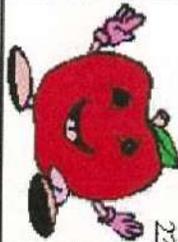
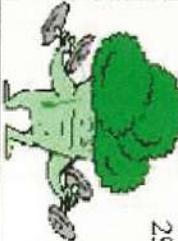
Weekly Newsletter
Information for
Griswold Elementary School

Griswold Public Schools January 2022 Breakfast Menu

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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All children eat free. This includes Breakfast and lunch for 2021-22

Additional choices available daily
 Additional choices are: PB+J on Wheat, Turkey Sandwich or Chef's choice or Salad
 Bread offerings are whole grain. Milk offerings are 1% white or fat free flavored. Milk is offered with all meals

	2	Apple Muffin Strawberries Milk	3	Banana Bread Peaches Milk	4	Nutri Grain Bar Strawberry, graham Apple Slices Milk	5	Cinnamon Bun Craisins Milk	6	Kix Cereal, graham Apple Milk	7		8
	9	Cheerio Cereal, 10 grahams Blueberries Milk	10	Blueberry Bread Peaches Milk	11	Nutri Grain Bar 12 Blueberry, graham Apple Slices Milk	12	Cinnamon Bun Craisins Milk	13	Cinn Toast Cereal, graham Apple Milk	14		15
	16	MILK Day No School	17	Banana Bread Peaches Milk	18	Nutri Grain Bar 19 Strawberry, graham Apple Slices Milk	19	Cinnamon Bun Craisins Milk	20	Cheerio Cereal, 21 grahams Blueberries Milk	21		22
	23	Apple Muffin Strawberries Milk	24	Blueberry Bread Peaches Milk	25	Nutri Grain Bar 26 Apple, graham Orange Wedges Milk	26	Cinnamon Bun Craisins Milk	27	Kix Cereal, graham Apple Milk	28		29
	30	Cheerio Cereal, 31 grahams Blueberries Milk	Meal choices are subject to change daily based on market availability and deliveries										

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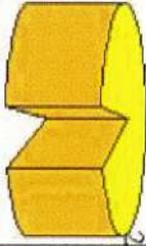
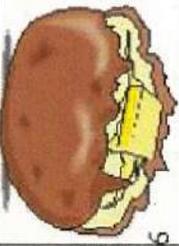
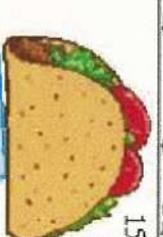
Griswold Public Schools January 2022 Lunch Menu

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	Chicken Patty on a Bun Potato Wedges Corn, Pears	Hot Dog on a Bun Baked Beans Baby Carrots Apple Slices	Cheese Burger on a Bun Tater Tots Mixed Fruit	French Toast Sticks Sausage Patty Potato Hashbrown Pears	Pizza Choice Side Salad Applesauce Cup	
	Chicken Nuggets ⁹ Sweet Potato Fries Green Beans Mixed Fruit	Grilled Cheese Sandwich Tomato Soup Broccoli, Apple Slices	Teriyaki Chicken Dippers Side Salad Pears	Mozzarella Sticks ¹³ Bread Sticks Green Beans Fresh Apple	French Bread Pizza Choice Corn Strawberry Cup	
	M.L.K. Day No School	Beef Nachos, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Black Beans, Brown Rice, Peaches	Cheese Burger on a Bun Tater Tots Mixed Fruit	French Toast Sticks ¹⁰ Sausage Patty Potato Hashbrown Pears	Pizza Choice Side Salad Applesauce Cup	
	Chicken Patty w/ ²⁴ Lettuce & Tomato Corn Pears	Grilled Cheese Sandwich Tomato Soup Broccoli, Apple Slices	Pasta w/ Meat Sauce ²⁶ Green Beans Dinner Roll Apple	Mozzarella Sticks ²⁷ Bread Sticks Green Beans Fresh Apple	French Bread Pizza Choice Corn Strawberry Cup	
	Chicken Nuggets ³¹ Sweet Potato Fries Green Beans Mixed Fruit	Meal choices are subject to change daily based on market availability and deliveries				

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The first Friday in February (February 4) is National Wear Red Day. On this day in February, which is considered American Heart Month, everyone across the country dons the color red in order to raise and spread awareness in hopes to help eradicate heart disease and stroke in millions of women all over the nation. So put on your reddest red — and let's paint Griswold Elementary RED.

Stay tuned for more information about the Kids Heart Challenge and how we will celebrate and show support this year. Remember, the last day to contribute to this cause is February 28th.



Jump Rope for Heart

You may already know that our annual Jump Rope for Heart community service event is almost here! Note that the American Heart Association, its 42nd year has renamed this event KIDS HEART CHALLENGE. This is Griswold Elementary School's 13th year participating in this event to help children who suffer from heart conditions, while at the same time keeping our own heart healthy. We will kick off our campaign in February ~ National Heart Month!

Note: ANYONE WHO REGISTERS ONLINE will receive a KHC Heart Heroes wristband (you do not have to earn any money). We are encouraging all children to gather donations online or by mobile app and are discouraging cash donations if at all possible. Checks should be made out to: American Heart Association.

More information to come as we close in on our February Heart Month. Please keep in mind that we are unable to host the afterschool event as we have previously prior Covid. In the meantime you can register online at heart.org/KidsHeartChallenge or, on your app. Find it by searching "Kids Heart Challenge" in your app store. Help your child meet all the Heart Heroes characters and complete Finn's Mission.

If you have any questions between now and February 28th our closure to this event. Please email me @ rotten-paggioli@griswoldpublicschools.org

Thank you and have a wonderful, safe break with your family!

Rose Otten Paggioli

Diane Langlais



Coat

WINTER D R O V E

COATS SCARVES GLOVES

Accepting New Children's Items Only.

January 19-February 16

Drop-Off Location:

Griswold Elementary School

A box will be located in the vestibule at drop-off and pick-up as well as in the main doors

FOR MORE INFO CALL KELSEY BEST (860)376-7617

Griswold High School
Project Safe Grad 2022

February Daily Give-Away!
\$20.00

28 Chances to WIN!!
One winner drawn each day
YOU CAN WIN MULTIPLE TIMES!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Feb. 1 \$25 Green Onion	Feb. 2 Car Speaker	Feb. 3 \$25 Home Goods	Feb. 4 \$50 Chili's	Feb. 5 JBL Headphones
Feb. 6 \$75 Massage Gift Card	Feb. 7 \$25 Charlene's Diner	Feb. 8 \$25 Breakfast -N- Things	Feb. 9 \$25 Bed, Bath & Beyond	Feb. 10 \$25 Aidi's	Feb. 11 Supershops \$300 Photo Session	Feb. 12 Google Speaker
Feb. 13 AirPods	Feb. 14 \$50 Shell Gift Card	Feb. 15 \$40 Brewett City	Feb. 16 \$30 Dean's Corner	Feb. 17 \$40 Kranky's	Feb. 18 \$50 Big Y Basket	Feb. 19 \$100 Walmart Gift Card
Feb. 20 \$50 CASH	Feb. 21 \$75 Paint Party	Feb. 22 Fishing Charter for 2 \$200	Feb. 23 \$40 AMC Movie Gift Card	Feb. 24 Norwes. Basket \$100	Feb. 25 Wilson Cake Decorating Set \$150	Feb. 26 \$100 Walmart Gift Card
Feb. 27 Resident Roots Wreath \$65	Feb. 28 65" TV					

If your name gets picked, you win that day's prize and your ticket goes back into the give away to possibly be drawn again and again and again!

For more information on tickets please email:
Kate Gilgenbach at KEGilg@SBCglobal.net or
Eileen Hanes at Bella1now@gmail.com
Proceeds to benefit Project Safe Graduation 2022

PTO Update:

For the month of January, the PTO will be holding an Executive Board Meeting only... We will see our members in February!

Please join us at the next

Griswold Elementary School PTO General Meeting:

When: Tuesday, February 8th from 6:00- 7:00 PM

Where: GES Library Media Center

Please note: Masks are required in the building regardless of vaccination status

or virtually: Video call link:

<https://meet.google.com/ykz-njut-veb>

Or dial: (US) +1 334-409-1205 PIN: 270 368 882#

What: We will be discussing fundraisers and events!

Who: Parents, Grandparents, Guardians, Teachers, and

Community Members

Please help out and show your support! We all benefit! "It takes a village to raise a child."

Questions?? Please email gespto@griswoldpublicschools.org

**Griswold Elementary School PTO
January 2022 Executive Board Meeting Minutes**

Date, Time, and Location: Tuesday, January 11, 2022 6:00 PM GES Library Media Center

Becky C. gave an update about how to apply for a Walmart grant. Shivon M. registered PTO on Cybergrants to be able to apply for a Walmart grant.

Becky C. also gave an update about the sock fundraiser. Samples should be arriving soon. There were thoughts about selling them for \$8.00/ pair for Spirit Weeks as they cost PTO \$5.00/pair.

Becky W. talked about the Walkathon to be done on a weekend day in the Spring using the website 99 Pledges to facilitate the sign-up/ donation process. She noted that other PTOs have brought in significant funds from this fundraiser and 99 Pledges only takes a small percentage.

At the end of the meeting, Liz R. sent out an email to some members that were present at the December meeting. In the email she explained that the PTO would like to start a Valentine Candy Gram Fundraiser.

At 7:25 PM Lindsay Gladue made a motion to approve the spending of up to \$600 on pop it key chains for the Valentine Grams. At 7:31 PM Jenna Motta seconded the motion.

Minutes were approved by:

Rebecca Wyzycki and Becky Cluff on Thursday, January 20, 2022 at 10:09 AM



Valentine Candy Grams

Wish everyone you know a
"Happy Valentine's Day"
With a personalized valentine gram.

Write a message to a lucky recipient and we'll attach it to a special treat.



Valentine grams will be ready to deliver to classrooms on Valentine's day.

Cost \$3.00 per gram

*Includes keychain pop-it and a piece of candy.

Please send in money with candy gram slip.



All slips must be in by February 10th

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Recipient name: _____

Recipients teacher: _____

Message: _____

From: _____



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Bagged Lunch

+ Coffee

+ Cold Drinks

+ Food Pantry

+ Personal

Care Items

+ Clothing



FEED THE NEED

**SERVING
YOUR**

**COMMUNITY
ON THE 4TH
TUESDAY!**

FEB 22

APRIL 26

JUNE 28

FREE PICK UP : 12-2:15 PM

PARKING LOT WALK UP EVENT

@GRISWOLD YOUTH CENTER

68 ASHLAND STREET

JEWETT CITY, CT 06351



**WE ARE
HIRING**

**JUNE 20 TIL AUG 12
9 AM - 4 PM**

**SUPERVISORS
35 HOURS PER WEEK
\$16 PER HOUR**

**COUNSELORS
35 HOURS PER WEEK
MINIMUM WAGE**

***PARENTS! DID YOU KNOW!?
IF HIRED... THEN ONE OF YOUR CHILDREN CAN
ATTEND CAMP FOR FREE!***

APPLY @ GRISWOLDREC.ORG (CLICK NOW HIRING)

DEADLINE MAY 1



TOWN OF GRISWOLD
PARK AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT'S
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY



POSITION TITLE:
SUMMER CAMP COUNSELOR
15 years old and up

OUR PROGRAMMING MISSION

REC + WELLNESS + VARIETY = FUN & SOCIALIZATION

JOB DESCRIPTION

We are looking for role models who are positive, upbeat & fun-loving individuals who are compassionate and as exhibit a encouraging personality. Our selected Counselors enjoy making others smile, are great mentors and adore teaching sports, activities, crafts, or other elements that produces a boundless camp environment & everlasting experience for all participating youth.

REQUIRED SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE:

- Must have a positive, fun-loving spirit that inspires youth ages 5 – 13 years old.
- Must interact with all youth on a consistent basis without fail.
- Must be able to adapt to a very busy & fluid recreational camp setting.
- Must be able to take direction and complete expectations of your supervisors.
- Must understand that your actions are mimicked & observed by hundreds of campers therefore a professional and caring attitude is always a necessity.
- Must respect that our staff reflect our program & the town's department.
- Must show up on time and dedicate your time to our program, for all eight weeks.

THIS OPPORTUNITY IS SEASONAL

Employment Period: June 20 – August 12
35 hours per Week for 8-Weeks

HOURLY RATE

Minimum Wage

HOW TO APPLY?

Send Resume to:

Park & Rec Dept (Staff) at 28 Main Street, Jewett City, CT 06351

Or email to: director@griswoldyfs.com (subject: SC job)

Placement of employees will be based departmental needs based on enrollment projections. Background checks are required. We are an equal opportunity employer. All applications will be reviewed. Please note, those with biological/foster children ages 5-13 are able to have one child to attend camp for no fee.

Deadline to Apply is Thursday, May 1st at 12 pm



TOWN OF GRISWOLD
PARK AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT'S
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY



POSITION TITLE:
SUMMER CAMP SUPERVISOR

OUR PROGRAMMING MISSION

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JOB DESCRIPTION

This individual will be responsible for the supervision, management, planning, implementation, and responsibility for developing activities at the Griswold Summer Camp. Candidates must be able to produce a safe, secure & social environment, for our resident's children ages 5 to 13 years old, that is an instructive, entertaining & an overall unforgettable experience by planning/designing all activities, managing sub staff, exhibiting an outstanding level of professionalism while consistently interacting with the children directly as a mentor, caregiver & friend.

REQUIRED SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE:

- Must be able to create a weekly schedule of sports, activities, and programming opportunities.
- Must be able to stay within a budget and getting the most out of a limited budget.
- Must have strong communication skills, practical and strong decision-making skills, versatility, initiative, and strong human relation skills.
- Must be able to lead a group of peers and campers in a professional manner at camp & on trips.
- Must understand the needs of and be able to effectively care for children ages 5 - 13 years old.
- Must have the ability to work well with children in cooperation with staff, and parents of participants.
- Must be able to work flexible hours and weekends if requested.
- Must be willing to stay consistently active and interacting with the children, throughout each session.
- Must lead by example with a positive attitude in all situations that may arise.

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\$16.00 per hour

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Deadline to Apply is Friday, May 1 at 11 am



JUNE 20 > AUG. 12
9 AM - 4 PM

8-weeks
pick & choose which weeks

AGE AS OF AUG. 13, 2022!
Ages 5&6 = Residents Only
Ages 7-13 = All Towns

ENROLL:
GRISWOLDREC.ORG

OUR MISSION

To produce a safe, secure & social environment, for our resident's grades K-8th, that is an instructive, entertaining & an overall unforgettable experience.

off July 4 (federal holiday)

RATES WITHOUT DISCOUNT

PER CHILD, PER WEEK:
GRISWOLD RESIDENTS: \$130
ALL NON-RESIDENTS: \$180

+ CREDIT CARD PROCESSING FEE
(CHECK/MONEY ORDER HAS NO FEE)



EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT
SAVE \$20 PER CHILD, PER WEEK
DISCOUNT ENDS MARCH 31

DEADLINE TO ENROLL:
JUNE 1ST!

DROP OFF LOCATIONS:

Child's Age as of AUGUST 13, 2022!
Ages 5,6,7 & 8 @ Griswold Elementary School
Ages 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 @ Griswold Middle School



MUST HAVE A FAMILY ID # TO ENROLL IN CAMP!
OUR PROVIDER ID: 200143578

REC + WELLNESS + VARIETY = FUN



CAMPER CHECK-IN LOCATIONS

(CAMPER ID CODE WILL BE GIVEN AT CHECK-IN, REQUIRED AT CHECK-OUT)

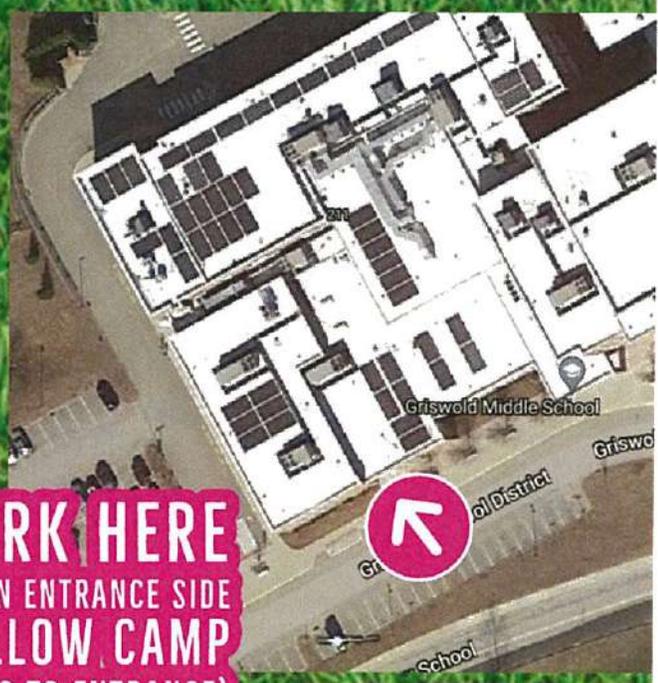
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AGES 5,6,7 & 8
@ GES TEACHERS ENTRANCE

AGES 9,10,11,12,13
@ GMS CAFETORIUM

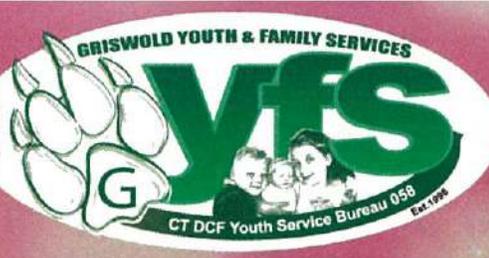


PARK HERE
(SLATER AVE SIDE)



PARK HERE
(MAIN ENTRANCE SIDE FOLLOW CAMP SIGNS TO ENTRANCE)

CHECK IN/OUT ANYTIME = 9:00-4:00PM



NIGHT-LIGHT PARADE & FESTIVAL

APRIL 9

PARADE @ 7:30

FESTIVAL @ 8:00

ROUTE STARTS:

**@ GMS >
SLATER AVE
> MAIN ST
> ASHLAND ST**

**END AT:
VETERANS PARK
@ FESTIVAL**



BE IN PARADE

ALL ORGANIZATIONS, BUSINESSES WELCOME!

SIGN UP: GRISWOLDREC.ORG

**CALLING ALL JEEPS, VEHICLES, FLOATS, FAMILIES, BIG WHEELS,
LITTLE WHEELS, WALKERS, STROLLERS, CRAWLERS..**

WE WELCOME ALL!

LET'S BRING THE COMMUNITY TOGETHER!



**FESTIVAL DETAILS:
COMING SOON**



NIGHT-LIGHT PARADE & FESTIVAL

APRIL 9
PARADE @ 7:30
FESTIVAL @ 8:00

ROUTE STARTS: @ GMS >
SLATER AVE > MAIN ST
> ASHLAND ST END AT:
VETERANS PARK
@ FESTIVAL

**RAIN DATE:
SUNDAY APRIL 10**

**Parade Participant Time:
7:30 - 8:00 pm**

PARADE TIMELINE:

- 6:45 pm -

all parade participants
line up at GMS

- 7:20 pm -

Lewett City Fire Dept. Blocks Off

- 1) All traffic on Slater Ave
- 2) All traffic on Ashland St.
- 3) Traffic into Main St.

- 7:30 pm -

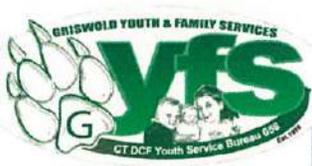
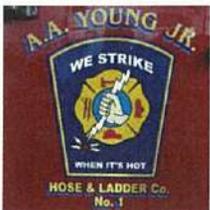
Parade Starts & Leaves GMS

- ~8:00 pm -

Parade Ends at:
Veterans Memorial Park

- 8:15 pm -

All Road Blocks are Removed
Traffic is back to routine



**Parade Staging
in GMS Parking Lot**



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Join us for an unforgettable SHINE-THRU PARADE and VIRTUAL CELEBRATION! Music, dancing, special guests and more; this is a night you won't want to miss!

Shine-Thru Parade- Feb. 5, 1-3pm
Griswold Middle School
211 Slater Ave, Griswold CT
Snow Date Feb. 6

Virtual Celebration Feb. 11, 6pm

Hosted By Quinebaug River Church, 32 School St, Griswold, CT

For more information and to register, visit
gotorc.org/activities, email events@gotorc.org,
or call 860-576-5740

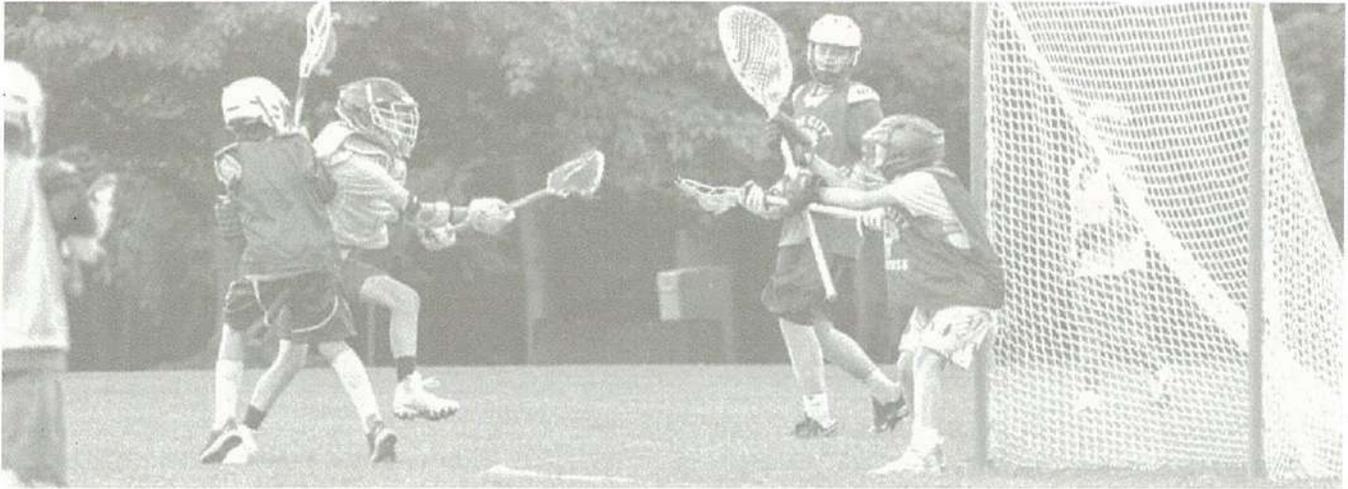
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special needs 14+

NIGHT TO SHINE
GLOBAL PARTNER





Norwich Youth Lacrosse Association Winter Program



COST: \$100.00* (*An active US Lacrosse yearly membership is also required \$30.00)

LOCATION: Summit Fitness and Sports Center, 2 Wisconsin Avenue, Norwich

DATES: January 9th through March 27th; 8am-12pm

- AGE GROUPS:**
1. **8am-9am:** Girls U8 and U10 (Ages 6-9)
 2. **9am-10am:** Girls U12 and U14 (Ages 10-13)
 3. **10am-11am:** Boys U12 and U14 (Ages 10-13)
 4. **11am-12pm:** Boys U8 and U10 (Ages 6-9)



**Not sure what lacrosse is?!?
Come try it for free at our first session!**

**Don't have gear yet? We have limited loaner
equipment available for new players.**

**Contact us to find out about
Financial Assistance**