



JANUARY '18 NEWSLETTER West Orange Rec Department

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HAPPY NEW YEAR



RECORD CROWD ATTENDS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING

Decent weather and a full slate of downtown activities combined to draw another record crowd to Town Hall. Attendees were treated to hot chocolate & cookies, a petting zoo and a Kwanzaa table. One of the special features included a selection of Holiday songs performed by the Roosevelt Middle School Choir. The Unique Performance Arts Center performed a few outstanding dance numbers. Adding excitement to the night was the free raffle of a big 50' screen TV. The night concluded with the Tree Lighting countdown led by Mayor Robert D. Parisi and the arrival of Santa. A new feature this year was our Pre-Tree Lighting Neighborhood Tour, sure to be a permanent addition.



LAST CALL FOR REGISTRATIONS - FOUR GREAT WINTER PROGRAMS

PEE WEE HOOPS HEAD START LACROSSE SPORTS CONDITIONING HEAD START SOFTBALL

**ALL REGISTRATION COMPLETED
THROUGH COMMUNITY PASS**



*West Orange Rec's Official
Online Registration Tool*

PEE WEE BASKETBALL

Starts January 7th Sunday Mornings at Liberty Middle

- 8:45 Girls: Grades K - 3 w/Coach Caniece Williams
- 10:15 Boys: Grades K - 1 w/Coach Brian Dillon
- 11:30 Boys: Grades 2 - 3 w/Coach Brian Dillon

HEAD START SOFTBALL

Starts January 21st Sundays Afternoons at WOHS

- 9:30 AM Girls - Grades 9 - 12
- w/Guest Clinicians

SPORTS CONDITIONING PROGRAM

Starts January 8th Monday Eves. at Pleasantdale School

- 6:00 PM: Grades 3rd - 6th 7:15 PM: Grades 7th - 12th
- Instructor: Coach Mike Marini



HEAD START LACROSSE

**** ALL SESSIONS @ WOHS - PVW GYM ****

CO-ED

- Four Weeks *Starts January 28*
- 1:00 PM Grades K - 2 w/Coach Peter Tourian

BOYS

- Six Weeks *Starts January 14*
- 2:30 PM Grades 3 - 8 w/Coach Peter Torian

GIRLS

- Seven Weeks *Starts January 7*
- 4:15 PM: Grades 3-5 5:45: Grades 6-9
- w/Coach Kailee Beal

West Orange Lacrosse Foundation (WOLF)

Parents Encouraged To Get Involved
Contact: Nick Kambolis - nkambolis@gmail.com

INVASION

New Collages by Lisa Suss

Invasion comments humorously on the wild birds and animals persistently around her home. **Mind's Eye** awakens the senses to the sky and the earth. Exhibit dates are January 13th - February 11th (Open Weekends & Bt Appt. Opening Reception is Saturday January 13 from 1:00 - 3:00 PM

MIND'S EYE

Paintings by Carol Black-Lemon

WO Arts Center

551 Valley Road
West Orange, NJ
info@woarts.org

PAL SPONSORING WEST ORANGE WINTER BASEBALL CLINIC

Sunday Evenings: January 7, 21 & 28 ///Ages -10: 6 - 7:30 PM /// Ages 11-14: 7:30- 9:00 PM///

FOCUS ON AGILITY, THROWING & FIELDING TECHNIQUE, HITTING & PITCHING

**FORM ON
PAL & Rec
Websites**



FOOTSTEPS FOR THE EXCEPTIONAL CHILD

Winter Semester Registration - Classes start in early Feb. Great options are being considered and finalized. Forms delivered to the Schools & on Rec Website by mid January.

Email Blasts - Get on the FOOTSTEPS Email list - www.westorange.org. Click "Notify Me"

Tops Soccer - FREE TOPSoccer Jamboree on Saturday, Feb. 3, 2018 at the Liberty Middle School Gym.

Players: Noon - 1:30 PM Registration Link - <https://www.gotsport.com/asp/application/reg/?ProgramID=55498&Type=PLAYER>

Buddy Clinic: 9:00am until 11:00am

Registration Link: <http://www.njyouthsoccer.com/topsoccer/> More Info On TOPSoccer: newyorkcosmos@verizon.net

FOR MORE INFO ON FOOTSTEPS / PROGRAM COORDINATOR CANDY MYRICK / CMYRICK@WESTORANGE.ORG

MAYOR'S PROGRAM FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

January is our planning month.

Pass along to us any good ideas.

973-243-1169 or ladams@westorange.org

SENIOR CITIZEN PROGRAMS

Winter Programs All Start In January

Zumba Aerobics Yoga

For More Information on Senior Citizen Programs

Call Patty or Estrella at 973-325-4105

*****COMING IN FEBRUARY*****

**Bowling For Scholarship Dollars Eagle Rock Lanes Feb. 3

**WO Classic Film: "Love And Anarchy" AMC Theater Feb. 4

**WO Classic Film: "Black Maria Film Festival"

AMC Theater Feb. 11

**UNICO Breakfast WOHS Sunday, Feb. 18

**WO Classic Film: "Do The Right Thing" AMC Theater Feb. 18

**WO Classic Film: "Shane" AMC Theater Feb. 25

REGISTRATIONS AVAILABLE IN FEBRUARY

Golf Lessons (Grades 3- 8)

Lacrosse Travel Squads: Boys & Girls - Grades 3 - 8

WINTER 2018 MARTIAL ARTS PROGRAM

Starts Jan. 27th Saturday Mornings @ Stagg Fieldhouse

Co-Ed Ages 6 - 12 Twelve Weeks

Register on Community Pass

REC DEPT. CONTACT INFO

Office Address: 60 1/2 Cherry St.

Mailing Address 66 Main St.

Office Hours: Mon. - Fri. 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM

Web: www.westorange.org

Email: recreation@westorange.org

Phone.: 973-325-4150 Fax: 973-243-0621

Weather Hotline: 973-243-1115

Co-Operative Non Profit Organizatons

West Orange Police Athletic League

Web: www.wopal.org

Email: info@wopal.org Phone: 973-736-3595

WO Mountain Top League

Web: www.mountaintopleague.com

Emails: sport specific - check Website Phone: 973-736-1755

West Orange Wrestling Club

Web: N/A Email: jamestrawls@gmail.com

Phone: 973-901-5320

BOWLING FOR SCHOLARSHIP DOLLARS

Sponsored by the West Orange Education Foundation

Saturday, February 3rd Eagle Rock Lanes 7:30 PM

Proceeds Support The Principals Scholarship of WOHS

INFO: 973-715-0582 / anncupo@verizon.net



13th Annual - WO Classic Film Festival

AMC Theater - Essex Green - Sundays @ 2 PM

JANUARY SHOWINGS

January 7 Rosemary's Baby

January 14 The Great Dictator

January 21 Shadow Of A Doubt

January 28 The Music Box & Way Out West
(Laurel & Hardy Double Feature)

MORE GREAT FILMS TO FOLLOW IN FEBRUARY

BASKETBALL HOT SHOT STARTING IN SCHOOLS

The Rec Dept's Annual Hot Shot Competition for 5th grade boys and girls is underway in our Township Elementary Schools. School winners advance to the final round at WOHS on March 18th.

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<https://register.communitypass.net/westorangetownship>