

2013 ACTIVITY GUIDE



Tomah Parks & Recreation Department

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GENERAL INFORMATION

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On June 10th, 1969 the Board of Commissioners for the Municipal Parks and Recreation Department came into existence. The City of Tomah Parks and Recreation Department under the direction of the Parks and Recreation Commission continues to plan, develop, and supervise the park system, recreation park, aquatic center and provide fun-filled recreational and leisure activities for the citizens of Tomah. The City of Tomah maintains over 120 acres of parks, green areas, and smaller tracts of land. The Parks and Recreation Department and its affiliates offer over 30 programs in recreation and leisure activities for youth, adult and special needs individuals. The City also operates a family aquatic center for the community. The goal is to insure the safety of the patrons during lesson instruction and open swimming. Recreation Park is the City of Tomah's special purpose park in that it functions as a location for larger events and gatherings. With its nearly 60 acres of land and numerous buildings, Recreation Park is by itself a small park system within the City of Tomah Parks and Recreation Department.

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GOT A PROGRAM

IDEA?

Contact Parks and
Recreation Department
at
608-374-7445

Insurance: Park and Rec does not provide accident or hospital insurance for individuals participating in sponsored activities. It is recommended that participants obtain or review their personal insurance policies (medical, accident and liability.)

TYPO, WE GOOFED?

We make every effort to ensure the accuracy of the information contained in this publication. We occasionally make mistakes. If this happens, we apologize and ask for your understanding and patience with any inconvenience it may cause.

THANK YOU

- *To the Tomah School District (Custodians, Teachers, and Administrative Staff).*
- *To our dedicated staff and volunteers.*
- *To all the people, organizations, sponsors, businesses, and city departments who have sponsored or given assistance to the department.*

TOMAH AQUATIC CENTER



411 EAST HOLTON ST., 374-7446

2013 POOL SEASON JUNE 7th-AUGUST 19th
(TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

MONDAY-FRIDAY

9:15AM-10:15AM LAP SWIM Monday-Thursday

10:30AM-11:45AM SWIM LESSONS

12:00-1:00PM ADULT LAP SWIM/OPEN SWIM (deep end closed for lap swimming only)

1:00PM-4:30PM OPEN SWIM

4:30-6:00PM SWIM TEAM MON & WED (9-10am on FRI)

5:00-5:55PM WATER AEROBICS TUES. & AQUA ZUMBA THURS.

4:40PM-5:55PM SWIM LESSONS

6:00PM-8:00PM OPEN SWIM

SATURDAY & SUNDAY

12:00-8:00PM OPEN SWIM

MAKE A SPLASH!

DAILY ADMISSION:

YOUTH (3-17yr old) \$3.00

ADULT \$5.00

LAND LOVER \$2.00 (no swimming)

LAP SWIM/WATER AEROBICS \$3.00

AQUA ZUMBA \$5.00

PUNCH PASS FOR CITY RESIDENTS ONLY*

10Punches For \$20 (1Punch Youth, 2 Punches for Adults)

Purchase only at pool must show proof of City of Tomah Residency.



RESIDENT SEASON PASS

FAMILY \$135.00

ADULT \$85.00

CHILD \$65.00

NON-RESIDENT SEASON PASS

FAMILY \$165.00

ADULT \$105.00

CHILD \$85.00

Proof of City Residency is required to acquire season passes or punch pass at the resident rate.

FAMILY DEFINED — Family is defined as all persons who are immediately related by blood or legal marriage, including adopted/foster children who permanently reside at the address. "Extended" family members will not be honored with a family pass. All season pass registrations are subject to review and approval.

AQUATIC CENTER RULES & POLICIES

- If you plan to leave the pool and come back (same day), you will need to get your hand stamped by the pool attendant prior to leaving the facility
- Children ages 6 and under must be supervised by an adult at all times, and will not be allowed in the facility unless accompanied by an adult.**
- The pool will close if there is heavy rainfall, danger of an electrical storm, is unusually cold outside, or due to lack of participants. Decisions for lessons will be made every half hour. Contact the pool at (608)374-7446 for further information.
- Rain checks will be issued if the pool closes within the first hour of open swimming for any reason, otherwise there are NO daily admission refunds.
- Slides will close due to lack of staff or unruly behavior by participants.
- If a child has more than one time-out in a day, they will be removed from the pool with a phone call to the parents.

SWIM LESSONS

Parent/Child Aquatics Developed for children 6 months to 3 years, Parent and Child Aquatics helps young children get ready to swim by emphasizing fun in the water. Parents and children participate in several guided practice sessions that help children learn elementary skills, including water entry, bubble blowing, front kicking, back floating, underwater exploration and more.

Pre-School Aquatics Children ages 4 and 5 learn water safety, survival skills and foundational swimming concepts in a safe and fun environment. Skills are age-appropriate, allowing students to achieve success on a regular basis.

Learn to Swim

Our six-level Learn-to-Swim program is unlike anything offered by other learn to swim programs. The program is designed for children over 6 years all the way up to adults, and students progress through the levels at their own pace, mastering the skills in one level before advancing to the next. Each level of Learn-to-Swim includes training in basic water safety and helping others in an emergency, in addition to stroke development

- Level 1: Introduction to Water Skills**
- Level 2: Fundamental Aquatic Skills**
- Level 3: Stroke Development**
- Level 4: Stroke Improvement**
- Level 5: Stroke Refinement**
- Level 6: Swimming and Skill Proficiency**

**For lesson cancellations call:
374-7449**

**Class schedule subject to change
pending enrollment.**

SEMESTER 1 (WEEKDAYS)

JUNE 10-JUNE 19 (rain dates June 20,21)

- Session 1 10:30am-11:05am (Levels 1-5)**
- Session 2 11:10am-11:45am (Pre-School, Levels 1-3,6)**
- Session 3 5:20-5:55pm(Pre-School,Parent/Child Level 1)**

SEMESTER 2 (WEEKDAYS)

July 8-July 17 (rain dates July 18,19)

- Session 1 10:30am-11:05am (Pre-School, Levels 1-3, 6)**
- Session 2 11:10am-11:45am (Pre-School, Levels 2-5)**
- Session 3 4:40-5:15pm (Parent/Child, Level 1-2)**
- Session 4 5:20-5:55pm (Pre-School, Level 1-2)**

SEMESTER 3 (WEEKDAYS)

July 22-July 31 (rain dates Aug 1,2)

- Session 1 10:30am-11:05am (Levels 1-5)**
- Session 2 11:10am-11:45am (Pre-School, Levels 2-4,6)**
- Session 3 4:40-5:15pm (Pre-School, Level 1-2)**
- Session 4 5:20-5:55pm (Parent/Child, Level 1-2)**

Swim Lesson Fee:

**Residents: \$20 Non-Residents \$35
Residents must show proof of residency**

**SUMMER SIGN UP SUNDAY MAY 19TH
RECREATION PARK RECREATION BUILDING
GOLD BUILDING
4:30PM-6:00PM
SIGN UP FOR
SWIM LESSONS, POOL PASSES,
& SUMMER ACTIVITIES!
If you missed sign up you may register at or
call the Tomah Aquatic Center @ 374-7445
starting June 3rd. (Classes may be limited)**



POOL TACULAR EVENTS



SWIM WITH DAD

SUNDAY JUNE 16 12PM-CLOSE

Celebrate Dad's special day at the Pool!

No matter what age he is, bring your Dad swimming for Free! All fathers receive free admission to pool when accompanied by one or more kids at regular price. Great opportunity for Dads & kids to have fun together.

SPECIAL SUMMER SPLASH

SUNDAY JULY 13TH

Noon-1:30PM

Time Designated for special needs individuals.

CANNONBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

July 19th 1:00PM

ALL-CITY & CELEBRITY

AGE GROUPS: 8 & UNDER, 9-11 YRS, 12 & OLDER, CELEBRITY.

REGISTRATION 1:00PM-1:30PM

COMPETITION BEGINS 1:30PM

FEE: ENTRANCE TO THE POOL

TROPHIES TO WINNERS

AQUA ZUMBA

THURSDAY NIGHTS

5PM @Tomah Aquatic Center

JUNE 13-AUGUST 8 (no class July 4)

Cost:\$5 per class

Certified Instructor Tonya Gnewikow

Questions contact 387-0304



Check out the Tomah Aquatic Center for more fun events!
608-374-7446

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YOUTH AND ADULT

SUNDAY AUGUST 11TH @ 12NOON

TOMAH AQUATIC CENTER

RUN, BIKE, SWIM

AGE GROUPS: 7-8yrs, 9-10yrs, 11-12yrs, 13-16, 17-35, 36 & older.

Distances will vary for each age group

\$10.00 includes t-shirt

PICK UP REGISTRATION FORM AT CITY HALL OR

@www.tomahonline.com

BRING THE FAMILY OUT FOR A DAY OF FUN!



TOMAH TORPEDOES SUMMER SWIM TEAM

IT'S A SPLASH!

The Torpedoes Swim Team program is an introductory instructional swim team. The goal for each participant is to become a better swimmer, develop sportsmanship & teamwork, improve physical fitness, self-esteem & have fun!

Practices: Mon & Wed 4:30pm-6:00pm and Fri. 9:00am-10:00am

Season runs Monday June 10th-Monday August 5th, 2013

Fee: \$25 Residents, \$40 Non-Residents or

\$10 w/ Season Pass (individual or family)

Open to all swimmers ages 7 & up-

All Swimmers must pass a 25 yd swim test to join the team

Swim test & Registration Monday June 10th @ 4:30pm.

DUCK RACES

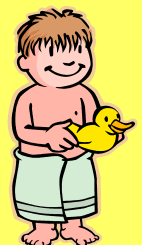
EVERY THURSDAY DURING

AFTERNOON BREAK

SEE DETAILS @ Tomah Aquatic Center

PICK A DUCK WIN A PRIZE

FREE!



YOUTH SPORTS

LITTLE SLUGGERS T-BALL (4-5yrs)

7 week introduction in game skill. Participants develop throwing, Catching, batting, etc. with modified game play.

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY

TIME 9:00am-11:15am

9:00am-9:45am Last Names A-H

9:45am-10:30am Last Name I-P

10:30am-11:15am Last Names Q-Z

3 Days of Practice times as listed above.

WINNEBAGO PARK

Games Schedules will be handed out at 3rd Practice

Program Begins June 10th

Fee: \$5 (Includes t-shirt & hat)

Sign up at Summer Sign up day or 1st practice



BATTER UP! PONYTAIL SOFTBALL

Youth ages 6-7yrs old Tuesday & Thursday @
Winnebago Ball field
9:00AM-10:30AM

Begins June 11th

Cost \$5 (includes hat & T-shirt)

Sign up at Summer Sign up day or 1st practice

ROOKIE LEAGUE SOFTBALL

Youth ages 10 & under Tuesday & Thursday @
Winnebago Ball field
4:00PM-5:30PM

Begins June 11th

Cost \$5 (includes hat & T-shirt)

Sign up at Summer Sign up day or 1st practice

GYMNASTICS

COME JOIN THE AMAZING GYMNASTIC CLASSES
HELD BY THE TOMAH PARKS & REC STAFF

Classes offered:

Pre-School (3-5yrs), Beginner, Advanced Beginner,
& Intermediate

SPRING & FALL SESSIONS

For Dates & Times log onto

www.tomahonline.com



MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Youth ages 6-7yrs old
Tuesday & Thursday @ Bud's Ballpark
9AM-10:30AM (practice) first 2wks
After 2 weeks of practice
Players will be split into teams
and games will be played.

Begins June 11th

Cost \$5 (includes hat & T-shirt)

Sign up at Summer Sign up day or 1st practice

PLAY BALL! MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Youth ages 9-12yrs old
Tuesday & Thursday @ Bud's Ballpark
2PM-3:15PM (practice) first 2wks
After 2 weeks of practice
Players will be split into teams
and games will be played.

Begins June 11th

Cost \$5 (includes hat & T-shirt)

Sign up at Summer Sign up day or 1st practice

FOR INFORMATION ABOUT OTHER YOUTH
SPORTS LOG ONTO THE FOLLOWING
WEBSITES:

YOUTH FOOTBALL:

www.tomahyouthfootball.com



YOUTH SOCCER:

www.tomahyouthsoccer.com



YOUTH HOCKEY:

www.tomahhockey.com

YOUTH WRESTLING:

www.tomahyouthwrestling.com



YOUTH BASKETBALL:

www.tomahyouthbasketball.com



YOUTH BASEBALL:

<http://tomahyouthbaseball.com>



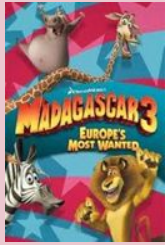
DATE TBD CHECK FOR DETAILS IN APR. 26th ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT WIDE TRACK MEET

RUN, RUN, AS FAST AS YOU CAN! COMPETE IN VARIOUS
TRACK AND FIELD EVENTS HOSTED BY THE TOMAH PARKS &
REC AND TOMAH HIGH SCHOOL TRACK TEAMS.

MOVIE IN THE PARK

FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK INVITES
your entire family for
A NIGHT IN THE PARK

FRIDAY June 7th @WINNEBAGO PARK
Activities to began @ 5:30pm Fishing Derby
FOOD, FUN, & FAMILY FRIENDLY MOVIE
ON A OUTDOOR THEATRE
RAIN SITE: RECREATION PARK



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Arbor Day Poster Contest

Sponsored by the Tomah Forest Advisory Board

What is Arbor Day?

Arbor Day is a special holiday that celebrates one of our most valuable natural resources... trees! Since 1872, people across the country have set aside the last Friday of April for planting trees and caring and appreciating the trees growing all around. Tomah is celebrating too!

The theme: **Trees Are Terrific in All Shapes and Sizes** must be on the poster. All words must be spelled correctly.

Entries must be on white paper 8 1/2" x 11" in size.

Artists must be a student in 6th, 7th, or 8th grade in the Tomah School District

Submit entry by deadline of Wednesday, **April 24th, 2013-3:30 p.m.** to TMS office

The student's first and last name and grade must be written or signed in the lower right- hand corner on the front of the poster.

Entries may be done in marker, crayon, paint pens, watercolor, ink, acrylic, colored pencil, and/or tempera paint.

Collages are not acceptable. (Do not glue anything on your poster.)

Computer or photo generated art and/or printing is not acceptable.

Entries should not display the names of commercial products, companies, or organizations.

**Winner will be announced at the Arbor Day Tree Planting Ceremony
Friday, April 26th, 2013-4:00 p.m. at Tomah Middle School**

The contest winner will receive \$25.00 and the winning Poster will be framed and displayed outside the Tomah Parks and Recreation Office.



Teaching today's children - tomorrow's leaders- about the importance of trees in our lives.



Winnebago Wednesday

June 12th- August 7th from 10-11am

Winnebago Wednesday is an event for everyone in Monroe County to enjoy. Every Wednesday from June 12th- August 7th (except July 3rd) the family fun starts at 10 am and runs until 11 am at Winnebago Park (Ellen Drive and Brandon Street). Lunch is provided by the Tomah School District for all children who attend (thanks for Jesse Bender for arranging lunches!). There will be a different theme each week; some of the themes include Nature Day, Science Day, Transportation day, Petting Zoo and much, much more. There are a variety of different movement games, art, learning and fun with a focus on infants through school-age children. There is no charge for attending. For more information, contact Julie at The Parenting Place at (608)374-4190 or juleehatona@theparentingplace.net. Please note that we do not meet if it is raining. Mark it on your calendar. We hope to see everyone there!



Without local sponsorship, we would not be able to hold this event. Thank you!

www.theparentingplace.net

301 W Elizabeth Street Tomah, WI (608) 374-4190



YOUTH FISHING DERBY

FRIDAY JUNE 7TH

WINNEBAGO PARK POINT PAVILION

Open to: Youth Ages 17 & Under

Divisions: 11 & Under, 12-17yrs.

Entry Fee: Free

Registration: 5:30pm (Point Pavilion), Derby begins @ 5:30pm

Weigh-Ins Ends:7:00pm (No fish registered after this time)

Prizes: Immediately following weigh-ins.

Fishing Poles and Bait available if needed.

Special Thanks to: La Crosse "takemefishing" program!



Prizes & Bait
Sponsored by:
Ace of Tomah



Summer is just around the corner!

Check out what the Boys & Girls Club has to offer!

SUMMER PROGRAM OPTIONS:

SUMMER DAY CAMP (June 10-August 23)

Hours: 7:00 AM- 6 PM

Cost: \$15 a day (punch card system)

Included with this Fee:

- Fun Programs, Games & Field Trips
(field trips have additional costs)
- Breakfast, Lunch & Snacks provided

"SUMMER DAY CAMP REGISTRATION BEGINS"

March 25th for current members, and April 1 for new members

Registration Fee

Prior to May 15th - \$10 per child registration fee & 1 punch card (\$7.5 purchase, includes T-Shirt)
After May 15th - \$20 per child registration fee & 1 punch card (\$7.5 purchase, T-Shirt while supplies last)

OR

SUMMER DROP-IN HOURS (June 10-August 23)

Hours: 2 PM-6 PM

Cost: FREE! All current members can drop-in at this time for no fee!
Additional Fun Programs and Activities



Who comes to the BGC?
Any child ages 7+ is welcome to attend

Who oversees the children?
Trained and Professional staff mentor & play with all youth. We have a 1 staff to 18 children ratio.

How do I sign up?
Stop by for a tour at our Main Unit:
105 W. Milwaukee St, Tomah
or call The Club at 374-4386.

GREAT FUTURES START HERE.
www.bgcwestcentralwi.org - # 355-2582



TOMAH PUBLIC LIBRARY SUMMER FUN!

Start your summer off right by mixing fun and smartness at the
Tomah Public Library.

Come to our kick-off party on June 14th to find out how much fun you can have during the summer.

Mondays and Tuesdays- 10 a.m. *Storytime* for children grades 1 and younger. Children listen to a variety of fun stories followed by craft time.

Mondays and Tuesdays-11:15a.m. *LUNCHBUNCH* for children grades 1 and older. Children listen to a chapter from a story while they eat their lunch; craft time follows.

Monday nights - 6:30p.m. *Storytime* for children (and parents) who are unable to come to daytime events; craft time follows. Children who sign up for (and complete!) the summer reading program will be able to attend the big "end-of-the-summer-reading-party" on August 16th. Every year we try to make the end-of-the-summer party better than the year before, come and see what fun we have planned for this year's party.





Be Part of The Tomah Timberwolves' Summer PACK



Positive Adventures Creating Knowledge

Mark your calendar!!!!

June 24th-August 1, 2013



Come Spend Some Time With Us...

Some sample classes from last year included:

Adventure Challenge, Magic School Bus, Angling, Art in the Park, Spanish, Arts and Crafts, Crochet, Basketball, Down on the Farm, Getting Ready for Kindergarten, Beading, Golf, Canoeing, Piano, Book Club, Bowling, Bookmaking, Bug's World, Cartooning, Holidays, Clay, Card Making, Games, Photography, Science Experiments, Keyboarding, Greek Mythology, Summer Success Math and Reading, Internet Basics, Sewing, Weight Lifting, Kites, Volleyball, Origami, Lifetime Sports, Paper Mache, Cooking, Intro to Acting, Puppetry, Kites, Healthy All the Way, Learn to Swim, Fitness Training, Creative Building, Dance, Books at the Movies, Pyramids and Mummies, Scrapbooking, Ultimate Frisbee, and Robotics.

Informational packets and sign-up information will be available by April 2nd at all school locations.

Questions?? Call Michelle at 374-7056

If You Believe, You Will Achieve

ADULT SPORTS & FITNESS



9 to 5 Running Club



(9 weeks to a 5 Mile Race)

This 9 week program is geared towards Beginner/Intermediate runners who have limited training time but want to cross the finish line at the Remembering Jesse Parker 5 mile race. Whether you're looking to complete the course in a personal best time, or just want to cross the finish line, group camaraderie will help you accomplish your goal.

Group workouts will be held twice a week (6:00 a.m. on Wednesdays and 8:00 a.m. Saturdays at the Tomah high school track) for 9 weeks, starting Saturday May 4th; and culminating with participation in the Remembering Jesse Parker 5 mile race on Saturday June 29th in Tomah.

Cost is \$20 per person plus \$25 registration fee for the race, which is a donation to the Remembering Jesse Foundation, will be paid separately – please see its website at www.runjesse.com. Registration forms are available at Tomah Parks & Rec; or on the first day of training -8:00 a.m.

Saturday, May 4th at the THS Track.

Grab a partner and/or make new friends on the running trail.

More details contact Dennis Coffey (608-343-2578)

"WHEEL ROCK YOU"

INDOOR CYCLING CLASS
FOR CLASS SCHEDULES & TIMES
LOG ONTO www.tomahonline.com



What is it? An aerobic exercise that takes place on a specially designed stationary bicycle called a spinning bike. As you pedal, motivating music plays and the instructor talks you through a visualization of an outdoor cycling workout: "You're going up a long hill now; you can't see the top yet...." During the class you vary your pace -- sometimes pedaling as fast as you can, other times cranking up the tension and pedaling slowly from a standing position. This helps you to focus inwardly and work on your mind as well as your body.

AQUA ZUMBA

THURSDAY NIGHTS

@Tomah Aquatic Center
 JUNE 13-AUGUST 8 (no class July 4)

Cost:\$5 per class

Certified Instructor Tonya Gnewikow
 Questions contact 387-0304



OPEN FLOORBALL AT T.H.S. Small Gym SUNDAY NIGHTS

BETWEEN 5PM-6PM We Play 7yrs of age up to Lower Teens.

BETWEEN 6PM-7PM We Play Upper Teens to Adults.



All groups co-ed.
 Please wear gym shoes!

ADULT SOFTBALL (10th grade & Older)

MEN'S LEAGUE:

Wednesday Evenings
 May - August
 Glendale & Bud's Ball Park

Women's League:

Thursday Evenings May-August
 Bud's Ball Park

Summer Co-Rec Softball:

Monday Evenings June-August
 Bud's Ball Park

FALL Co-Ed League:

Wednesday Evenings & Some Monday's
 August-October Glendale & Bud's Ball Park

For more information and roster log onto:
www.tomahonline.com



ADULT BASKETBALL (11th grade & older)

MEN'S LEAGUE:

Wednesday Evenings December-March
 Tomah Senior High

Open Gyms: December-March
 Sunday 7pm-9pm Tomah Middle School

For more information and sign up deadlines log onto:
www.tomahonline.com



ADULT VOLLEYBALL (9th grade & older)

Women's Outdoor Sand Volleyball:

Wednesday Evenings(6PM-9PM)
 May through August @ Glendale Park

CO-ED Outdoor Sand Volleyball

Tuesday Evenings (6pm-9pm)
 June-July @ Glendale Park

Co-Ed Indoor:

Sunday Evenings (4pm-8pm) September-December
 Tomah Senior High

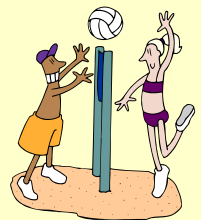
Women's Indoor

Sunday Evenings (3:30pm-8pm) January-March
 Tomah Senior High

Open Gym

Sunday's 1:30pm-3:00pm November-March
 Tomah Senior High

For more information and sign up deadlines log onto:
www.tomahonline.com or contact 374-7445



Interested in starting a Fitness Class
Contact the Parks and Recreation Department
@608-374-7445 or email jprotz@ci.tomah.wi.us

SPECIAL RECREATION & PARK DEPT. TREE PROGRAMS

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EVENTS DESIGNATED FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS, Their friends and families.

All events free due to the generous support and sponsorship of
Jesse Parker Races INC.

FOR MORE EVENTS AND SIGN UP INFORMATION LOG ONTO
WWW.TOMAHONLINE.COM

SPECIAL SATURDAYS

For Special Needs individuals.
Time designated to learn swimming,
water skills and also open swim time.

Saturday's
June 15, 29, July 20, August 3, 17
11:00am-12:00pm
Tomah Aquatic Center



SPECIAL SUMMER SPLASH

SUNDAY JULY 14TH
NOON-1:30PM

Time Designated for
special needs individuals.

SPOOKTACULAR HALLOWEEN PARTY

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24TH
RECREATION PARK
6PM-7:30PM



COSTUME CONTEST,
GAMES, BINGO, FUN!



HOLIDAY PARTY

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15TH
RECREATION PARK
GOLD BUILDING
5:30PM-7:00PM
FUN, FOOD, & FRIENDS

City of Tomah Forest Advisory Board F.A.B.

The newly established Forest Advisory Board is looking for volunteers and board members. For more information please contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 608-374-7445



Mission Statement Draft:

The appointed community volunteer Forest Advisory Board (FAB), along with its master plan, will provide information to city departments and commissions on the protection, enhancement, coordinated management, and overall health and diversity of Tomah's community forest through research and public input, and will promote the economic, environmental, and social benefits of the community's forest through education, outreach, and partnerships.

Fall boulevard tree planting project



The City of Tomah Parks and Recreation Department, in conjunction with the Frank G Andres Charitable Trust, is making trees obtainable, at no charge, to property owners for the purpose of boulevard planting this fall. An late September, early October delivery date is expected.

*Sites must comply with the regulations found in City ordinance 48-19 to 48-37.
*All planting, watering and trimming of trees shall be the responsibility of the individual property owner. Trees shall be planted in the middle of the boulevard. Trees that reach a maximum, mature height of greater than 18 feet shall not be planted under overhead transmission lines. Trees shall be planted at least 25 feet from street intersections. Large or medium-sized trees shall be planted at least 15 feet from driveways. Trees shall also be planted at least 10 feet from curb boxes or water shut-offs. Trees shall be spaced a minimum of 30 feet apart. No tree shall be planted in a boulevard less than four (4) feet in width.

The Tomah Parks and Recreation Department asks property owners who are interested in the tree program to file an application provided at the city clerk's office. Those who have experienced street construction recently and have lost shade trees as a result or those with homes that face the south or west are especially encouraged to apply. Phone calls will not be accepted. Parks and recreation employees will inspect the property to see that it conforms to ordinance. After the inspection, the employees will determine the appropriate specie of tree and stake the exact spot where it shall be planted. A copy of planting instructions will be attached to the tree.

Distribution will be made on a first come-first serve basis. The number of trees given to each property owner will be limited to **one (1)** per owner based on the availability of large and low-growing trees (to be planted under overhead transmission lines).

The species of trees available for distribution were chosen for their quick growth rate, tolerance to road salt, shallow root systems, inability to bear fruit, high resistance to serious diseases and insects and ability to grow low enough so as not to interfere with overhead transmission lines.

Joe Protz
Director

Donate a Park Bench or Tree

Celebrate someone you love by purchasing a Park Bench or Tree for a City Park in their honor. For more information on how you can enhance the park system with a lifetime gift call Parks and Recreation Director, Joe Protz at 608-374-7445.



Looking for a great place to hold a family reunion, class reunion or just a fun family get-together?

Tomah's location offers more than 200 acres of green space among our 8 City parks and 2 neighborhood Parks. Winnebago Park and Firemen's Park both offer enclosed shelters. Reservations for the enclosed shelters and open-air pavilions can be made at the office of the City Clerk, 819 Superior Avenue between the hours of 8:00 am to 4:30 pm Monday – Friday or by calling (608) 374-7420.

Tomah City Parks

▲ Buckley Park



Located at 411 East Holton Street, Buckley Park is home to The Tomah Aquatic Center. Read about the Aquatic Center on page 15.

▲ Memorial Park



Located at 515 N. Superior Avenue and Arthur Street. Open-air picnic pavilion, public restrooms, playground equipment and picnic area.

Home of the Tomah Veteran's Memorial.

▲ Frank S. Andres Firemen's Park



Located at 703 E. Monroe Street. Open-air picnic pavilion, enclosed shelter, public restrooms, horseshoe pits, volleyball court and playground areas.

▲ Gillett Park



Located at 1316 Superior Avenue. Playground area, picnic area and gazebo. The Little Red School House Museum is also located in Gillett Park. The Museum is open Memorial Day to Labor Day, Wednesday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm and Saturday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm. Free admission.

▲ A. L. Butts Park



Located at 1114 Parkview Drive. Open-air picnic pavilion, public restrooms, playground area, picnic area and boat landing.

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Neighborhood Parks

Grumann Park: Playground Area located at Kristi Lane and Jodi Circle.

Waterman Park: Playground area and picnic area. Located at Waterman Avenue and Pine Street.

Looking for A Shelter to Reserve?

Enclosed Shelters

Winnebago Park

Fireman's Park

Residents: \$70, plus \$50 Deposit

Non-Resident: \$100, plus \$50 Deposit

Open Air Shelters

Winnebago Point & Central

Fireman's Lions & Giesler

Veteran's Park

Lake Park

Butts Park

Resident \$45 Non-Resident \$70



▲ North Glendale Avenue Ball Park Complex



Located at 302 N. Glendale Avenue. Softball & baseball diamonds, concession stands and public restrooms.

▲ Veteran's Park



Located at 1010 North Glendale Avenue. Open-air picnic pavilion, public restrooms, playground area, nature trail, soccer fields and picnic area.

▲ Winnebago Park

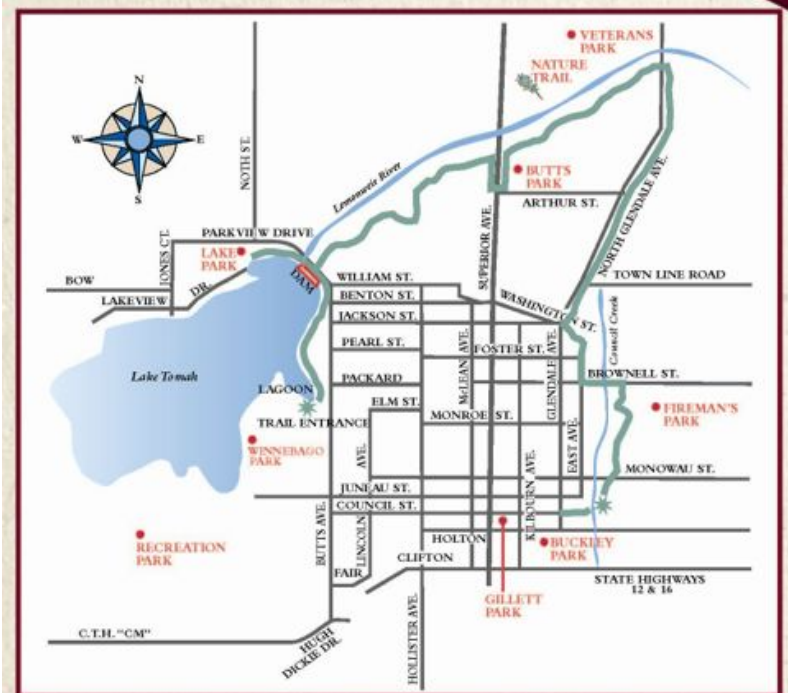


Located at 903 Brandon Street. Two open-air picnic pavilions, enclosed park shelter, public restrooms, little league baseball diamond, two boat ramps for access to Lake Tomah, volleyball courts, horseshoe pits, picnic area and Winnebago Wonderland playground – 10,000 square foot playground area.

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Recreation Trail

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RECREATION PARK 12

WEDDINGS, EVENTS, SHOWS, OUTINGS.
COME TO TOMAH'S RECREATION PARK

Owned & Operated by the City of Tomah Parks & Recreation Department

1625 Butts Avenue, Tomah, WI 54660

Located on the corner of Butts Avenue & County Hwy. CM

For information on planning an event at Tomah Recreation Park, contact the City of Tomah Parks & Rec. Dept. at (608) 374-7445. For pricing log onto www.tomahonline.com

Multi-Purpose Building

White Multi-Purpose Building (Hockey Building) Multi-Purpose Building is 25,000 sq. ft. with available tables & chairs, large overhead entrances, sound system, show facilities and bleacher section.

Home to Tomah Youth Hockey and Open Skate.

For Open Skate hours log onto www.tomahonline.com

Or www.tomahhockey.com



Recreation Building

Great for weddings, banquets, and large gatherings seating for over 500 guests, available tables & chairs, large overhead entrances, Full Bathrooms with showers.

OUTDOOR SKATING RINK

Recreation Park Mose Lamb Outdoor Rink is open 7 days a week until 10:30pm with lighted outdoor rink. Attached to the Recreation Building.

Warming area open when the Ice Arena is open.

Opens when weather gets to below freezing.

Exhibit Building

8,700 Sq. Ft. with available tables & chairs, kitchen area, & restrooms. Large overhead door entrance.

TOMAH ROTARY CLUB & TOMAH PARKS & REC

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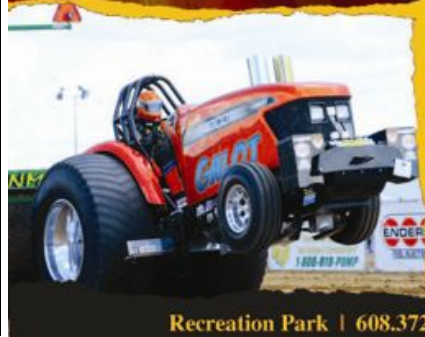
FIRST WEEKEND IN FEBRUARY

For list of events

VISIT www.tomahrotary.org

- Medallion Hunt
- Euchre Tournament
- Bean Bag Bash
- Torchlight Run/Walk
- & Much More!

www.tomahtractorpull.com
4 Days | 2 Pull Tracks
38th Annual Budweiser Dairyland Truck & Tractor Pull
June 20-23 • 2013 | June 19-22 • 2014



Monroe County Fair

July 24-28 • 2013 | July 23-27 • 2014

www.monroecountyfairwi.com

Livestock Exhibits • Carnival
Youth & Adult Exhibits
Family Stage Shows • Small
Animal Learning Center
Champion Rodeo • Monster
Motorcross • Live Music In Beer
Garden • Farmer Olympics



Recreation Park | 608.372.2081 | Tomah • WI 54660

SPECIAL EVENTS

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Remembering Jesse Parker Races

5mile Run, 5K Run/Walk,
Children's Races, Special Needs Stampede, Senior Stroll.

June 29, 2013

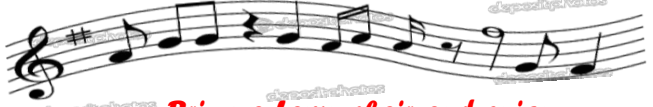
Benefit Charity Water Organization, High School Scholarship, Local charity

Perks: Free t-shirt, goody bag, pancake breakfast, beverages, door prizes, awards

FOR REGISTRATION INFORMATION LOG ONTO www.runjesse.com



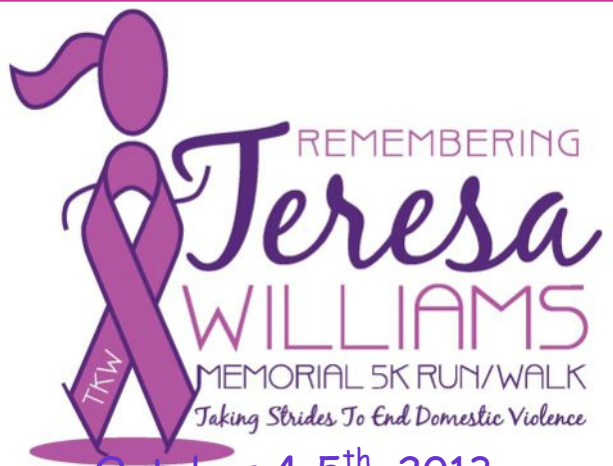
May-September 2013
2nd Wednesday of the Month
6-8:30 p.m.
Concessions Available!



Bring a lawn chair and enjoy
Performers and Artists sharing their
Music and Art in Gillett park!
List of Bands available
@ BearCreekRecording.com

May 8th -Kick-off Summer
June 12th
July 10th
August 14th
September 11th -Patriots Day Tribute

2013 MIDWEST
FLOORBALL CHAMPIONSHIP
Saturday April 13th, 2013
Tomah High School
Games Begin at 11am



October 4-5th, 2013

Come help us put a stop to Domestic Violence.
Funds Raised help support Monroe County's Domestic Violence
Shelter and provide scholarships to Graduating Seniors.

Want to learn more:

- 5k Run/Walk
- Duathlon
- Walk A Mile In Her Shoes

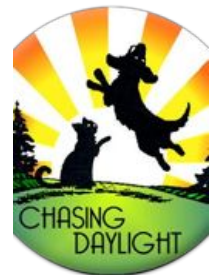
www.rememberingteresa.com

MUTT STRUT & FUN FEST

Sunday May 19th @ Winnebago Park
Events begin @ noon.

POOCH PLUNGE

Sunday September 1st @
Tomah Aquatic Center
Events begin @ 1pm



For more information, rules, registration forms
Visit www.chasingdaylight.org

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 - BUTTS PARK- Tomah Knights of Columbus
 - FIREMAN'S PARK- Tomah Fire Department
 - GILLETT PARK- Tomah Rotary Club
 - N. GLENDALE COMPLEX- Tomah Sports Boosters
 - MEMORIAL PARK- Tomah Veteran's Association
 - WINNEBAGO PARK- Tomah Lion's Club
 - WINNEBAGO PARK- Tomah Middle School
- For more information about Adopt-A-Park Contact the Parks and Recreation Office @ 374-7445



For more Community Events Visit the Greater Tomah Area Chamber of Commerce Convention & Visitor Bureau @www.tomahwisconsin.com or Call 608-372-2166



www.tomahonline.com

TOMAH PARKS & REC ACTIVITY REGISTRATION FORM

Paid: _____

Participant: _____ Male Female Age: _____ Grade: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ School Attending: _____ Parent's Name: _____

Name of Program: _____ Site: _____ Level & Time: _____

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN: I hereby understand that my son/daughter has registered to participate in the above stated program(s), like most programs similar in nature, has some degree of inherent risk involved. Furthermore, my son/daughter is in good physical condition appropriate for the stated activity(ies) AND THAT PARTICIPANTS MUST ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY INCURRED WHILE TAKING PART IN THE ACTIVITY(IES). NO ACCIDENT INSURANCE IS PROVIDED THROUGH THE CITY OF TOMAH. Tomah Park and Recreation has permission, (both before and anytime after), to use the participants likeness, name, voice, or words in either television, radio, film, newspaper, magazines, and other media, and in any form, for the purpose of advertising or communicating the purpose and activities of Tomah Park and Recreation and/or applying for funds to support these purposes and activities.

Please list any special considerations we should know of (medicines, disabilities, etc.)

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____