

## Register By Dec. 1 for Youth Basketball

Youth Basketball will be available to K-6th grade boys and girls beginning in January. Registrations will be accepted until December 1st. No registrations will be accepted after that date. Practice will tentatively start the week of Jan. 4th with the games beginning Jan. 9th. Please indicate if your child has a night that they are unable to practice. Please remember that we try to accommodate out of town participants for car pooling however that does not mean that you will be on the same team. Please be sure to indicate if your child has siblings playing in the league. Please consider being a volunteer coach. Your child will appreciate your efforts and so will the park district! Call for more information!  
 In-district \$50  
 Out-of-district \$60

## Register By Nov. 9 for Cheerleading

Calling all Cheerleaders to return to the basketball courts for the 2010 season. Children in K-6th grades are invited to participate in the cheerleading program that runs with the basketball program. Registrations will be accepted until Nov. 9th. Practices will be held at the Woodland Grade School on Friday evenings at 5:00 p.m. All participants must be fitted for uniforms by Nov. 9th. Uniforms are provided for the cheerleaders with children retaining the tennis shoes, hair bows, and spank's. For more information contact the park district.  
 In-district \$50  
 Out-of-district \$60

## Jingle Bells Jury Play



The Watseka Park District and the Old Courthouse Museum presents *Jingle Bells Jury* by Jay Moriarity and directed by Sally Webb. The family oriented production is set for Friday, November 27th at 4:30 p.m. in the courtroom of the Old Courthouse Museum. The play will begin the Christmas countdown in Watseka and the production will begin prior to the downtown Christmas Parade hosted by the Watseka Area Chamber of Commerce.

Join us as young Jim Dandy faces a Christmas court of justice. It is up to the Toy Maker to discover why Jim is acting so strangely. Discover for yourselves the answer which involves a teddy bear and bad kids that aren't all that bad.

Tickets are on sale now for the play. Tickets are \$3 for children 12 and under and \$5 for all others. Seating is limited and early purchase is recommended.



## Christmas Crisis at Mistletoe Mesa



The Watseka Park District would like to cordially invite you and your group to join us at Miss Karol's restaurant in Watseka for our Christmas dinner theater. The evening is a perfect time to entertain co-workers or just relax before the holidays with Christmas Crisis at Mistletoe Mesa by R. Eugene Jackson and directed by Sally Webb.

Join us as Mama (Angie Foster) and Ebenezer Grunch (John Graham) ban Christmas in the town of Mistletoe Mesa. They even kidnap Santa Claus and as their evil plan looks almost complete enter our hero Happy Holiday (Wayne Lehman). This melodrama filled with twists and turns and lots of humor is sure to keep you laughing and promises to end on a "Happy Holiday" note. The performance is set for Saturday, December 19 with dinner at 6:30 p.m. and the performance at 7:30 p.m. Tickets to the dinner theater are \$20 which includes your choice of two dinner entrees and the performance. There will be a cash bar available. Seating is limited. Tickets are available now and early purchase is recommended.



## Off We Go with the Park District and Travel Discoveries

Join us as we team up with Travel Discoveries for some low cost trips to welcome in the Fall and start off the Holiday season. Welcome in Fall with a trip to the Cadillac Palace Theater in Chicago to see Andrew Lloyd Weber's Tony Award winning, Best Musical, CATS. The trip is scheduled for Sat., Oct. 17 with the bus leaving the First Christian Church in Watseka at 11:00 a.m. for the 2:00 p.m. show and returning to Watseka at approximately 7:30 p.m. Great seats and transportation included in the \$110 ticket price. Call right away this event is filling quickly. Start your Holiday season with a trip to the Museum of Science and Industry Christmas Around the World and Holiday of Lights. More than 50 trees decorated by Chicago's ethnic communities will greet you at this Diamond Anniversary celebration. Choral groups will entertain you on the Holiday Stage. A special boxed lunch with private dining is also included in this memory making day trip. The bus will leave Watseka at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 21st and return around 5:00 p.m. The cost for this trip is \$70 which includes transportation, admission and lunch. Call today for more information and reservations. 2010-Plan on seeing Shrek and Billy Elliot the Musical with us!

## October

**FIT Challenge/Watseka Wide Day of Play**  
 Dates: Oct. 4  
 Time: 10:00-2:00  
 Ages: 5-12  
 Location: Watseka Park District  
 Registration deadline: Oct. 2  
 Course fee: No Fee  
 Description: Fun and games and challenges just for kids. Leave the kids with us while you enjoy Harvest Daze.

**JK Art Classes (Puppets)**  
 Dates: Oct. 6-Nov. 10 Tuesdays  
 Time: 5:00-5:45 p.m.  
 Ages: 5-10  
 Location: Watseka Park District  
 Registration deadline: Oct. 5  
 Course fee: \$30 In-district \$35 Out-of District  
 Instructor: Julie Kunce  
 Description: Creating various types of puppets, requires lots of fun and creativity.

**JK Art Classes (Shaping Classes)**  
 Dates: Oct. 8-Oct. 29 Thursdays  
 Time: 5:00-5:45 p.m.  
 Ages: 5-10  
 Location: Watseka Park District  
 Registration deadline: Oct. 5  
 Course fee: \$25 In-district \$30 Out-of District  
 Instructor: Julie Kunce  
 Description: Advanced shaping class using several mediums including clay, foam and mosaics.

**JK Art Classes (Shaping 3-5)**  
 Dates: Oct. 6-Oct. 20 Tuesdays  
 Time: 11:00-11:30 a.m.  
 Ages: 3-5  
 Location: Watseka Park District  
 Registration deadline: Oct. 5  
 Course fee: \$20 In-district \$25 Out-of District  
 Instructor: Julie Kunce  
 Description: Introduction to play dough, goop and shaping tools.

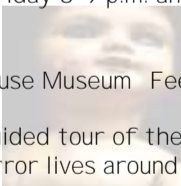
**Boot Camp Interval**  
 Dates: Oct. 12-Nov. 18 Monday and Wednesdays  
 Time: 6:45-7:45 p.m.  
 Ages: Adults 18-45  
 Location: Watseka Park District  
 Registration deadline: Oct. 11  
 Course fee: \$42 In-district \$50 Out-of District  
 Instructor: Laura McDivitt  
 Description: Improve cardio and strength training.

**Upper Body Toning for Ladies Only**  
 Dates: Oct. 12-Nov. 19 Monday and Wednesdays  
 Time: 6:00-6:30 p.m.  
 Ages: Female adults 18-54  
 Location: Watseka Park District  
 Registration deadline: Oct. 11  
 Course fee: \$32 In-district \$37 Out-of District  
 Instructor: Laura McDivitt  
 Description: Safe and effective exercise program with emphasis on improving upper body strength.

**Senior Fit**  
 Dates: Oct. 13-Nov. 18 Tuesdays and Thursdays  
 Time: 9:00-10:00 a.m.  
 Ages: 55 and older  
 Location: Watseka Park District  
 Registration deadline: Oct. 12  
 Course fee: \$35 In-district \$40 Out-of District  
 Instructor: Laura McDivitt  
 Description: Learn safe and effective exercise plans as well as target heart rates.

**Children's Costume Parade**, October 21 6:00 p.m. Park District

**Dorrance's Dungeon and FrightFest**  
 Dates: Oct. 29-Oct. 31  
 Time: Thursday and Friday 6-9 p.m. and Saturday 8-11 p.m.  
 Ages: 6 and older  
 Location: Old Courthouse Museum Fee: \$3 Adults \$2 Children  
 Description: Take a guided tour of the basement at the museum where terror lives around every turn...set a record and more



Call about continuing classes in:  
 Yoga Tumbling ASPA

Don't forget about our Birthday Party Packages and room rentals.

## November

Nov. 9 Last Day to register for Cheerleading

Jingle Bells Jury Play, Nov. 27, 4:00 p.m. Museum

**Shopalooza Craft Show**  
 Dates: Saturday, November 28  
 Time: 8:00-1:00 p.m. No Fee for Admission  
 Join us for quality hand-made crafts and start or finish your Christmas shopping in Watseka.

## December

Dec. 1st Last Day to register for Youth Basketball

Dec. 19th Christmas Crisis at Mistletoe Mesa Play 6:30 dinner play at 7:30

### ED's Corner...

I know that our park district information coming to you via the newspaper has been somewhat confusing but in an effort to cut expenses we opted to reach more people for less money by taking advantage of the coverage that our local paper has. Our quarterly newsletter will be in the newspaper on the last Monday and in the Spirit on Tuesday. The same information will also be available on our website. We are trying very hard to make sure that you are able to access our information in a friendly and convenient fashion. As always if you have questions or need assistance call the office. We appreciate your support and hope that you enjoy the programs and services available at the Watseka Park District.

Sherry Johnson, ED

Participant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ T-shirt size if applicable: YS YM YL AS AM AL AXL

*\*Please be sure of the shirt size, additional t-shirts or replacement t-shirts will be at the participant's expense.*

Parent's/Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Days my child unable to practice: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be willing to coach a team or assist with a program? \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Medical Conditions: \_\_\_\_\_ Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

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