

## Fall & Winter Recreation Programs 2014/15

### Adult Evening Water Exercise

Oct 13-Nov 19, 2014  
Jan 5-Feb 11, Feb 16- Mar 25  
6:30 -7:30pm, John Muir Pool  
Mon /Wed nights Fee: \$37 Wausau residents, \$47 non-res. Space limited, pre-registration required.  
No children or drop-ins allowed.

### Skating with Charlotte

Adult Beg. & Adv Figure Skating  
Oct 15-Dec 3, '14 & Jan 7-Feb 25, '15  
Wednesdays 10-11am. Fee: \$20  
MPB #1, Marathon Park, Wausau  
Pre-registration/on-site registration allowed. Skate for free-11AM to 1pm after each class. (please note construction may delay the start of this class one week)

### DL Corbin Shooting Range Park

Open thru. Nov. 21, 2014. Fee: \$3 daily, \$30 season. Kids 12 & under, free w/ adult. Targets and ear cover for sale on site. Call 715-261-1550 for details.

### Camping

Season open through Oct. 31, 2014  
Electric/dump sites-Big Eau Pleine & Marathon Pk. Electric-Dells of the Eau Claire. FIREWOOD CARRY-IN BAN IN EFFECT. Firewood sold on site. Call 261-1566 for rates and site information.

### Sylvan Hill Snow Tubing

Open Dec 12- Feb 28 (weather permitting) Open daily for Christmas Break. Holiday hrs 1:30-5 or 6 to 9:30pm. Weekend hrs Fri. 6-9:30pm, Sat.1:30-5 or 6-9:30pm, Sun 1:30-5pm. Must be 42 inches tall to ride. One rider per tube. Fee: \$6-13 & under (min. 42 inches tall); \$8.50 14 & older. Hill available to rent for private parties. Call 715 261-1550 for details. Group rates now available.

### Sledding Hills in Wausau

Open when snow cover permits.  
Hours: sunrise to 11pm Fee: FREE!  
Locations:  
Pleasant View-1221 Sumner St (lights)  
"3M" Park-405 Park Blvd (lights)  
Riverside Park-100 Sherman St  
Schofield Park)-606 E Randolph St

### Dog-Gone Snow Stomps

Jan 11 & Feb 8, 2015. 1-4pm  
Splash Pad Marathon Park  
Fee: \$5 per Adult. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. Proof of current vaccinations required. Door prizes & doggie clean-up bags provided on site. Cancelled if air/wind-chill temps are 10° or colder.

### Cross-Country Skiing/Snowshoeing

Open when snow conditions permit.  
9-Mile County Forest Recreation Area w/groomed & signed trails, ski & snowshoe rentals, a chalet & 3.7 miles of trail with lights for night skiing. Season or daily pass required, Call for rates, hours and conditions 715-261-1550. American Legion/Sylvan Hill w/groomed trails. Park Shelter w/ restrooms & snack bar available when tubing hill is open. Donation requested.

### Indoor Ice skating (w/skate rentals)

Dates: Oct 6- Mar 6, Mon-Fri 11am - 1pm. Oct 22- Feb 4, Wed. 7-9pm, Sun. 2-5pm. Hours subject to change due to special events and/or scheduling conflicts. Call 715-261-1550 for rates & to confirm weekly hours. (Note: Construction may delay the start of public skating by one week.)

## How many Pets per household??

### Wausau Approves Pet Fancier Permit

On September 9, 2014, the City Common Council passed an ordinance amending the limit of cats and dogs per household. A "Pet Fancier" permit has been approved.

"Pet Fancier" means any person owning, keeping or possessing on their property, at one location, up to and **NOT TO EXCEED five (5) dogs or cats combined**, with the **maximum number of dogs being four (4) and the maximum number of cats being four (4)**; limited to a single or two family dwelling. The annual Pet Fancier Permit fee is \$35.00 and can be obtained at the Wausau City Clerk's Office. Pet Fancier's permits shall expire on December 31 each year.

Please note that all pet owners must license each animal and provide a safe, clean, environment for their pet. Those purchasing a Pet Fancier permit must not have a conviction for cruelty, neglect or mistreatment of an animal. Pet Fancier permits granted hereunder may be revoked, suspended or not renewed for just cause upon notice and an opportunity to be heard by the Public Health and Safety Committee.

The City Humane Officer may be called upon to inspect the premises of all animals located in the city, if just cause is noticed. Just cause shall include having an animal declared as a dangerous or prohibited dangerous animal under section 8.08.200 of the Wausau Municipal Code.

## Pet License Deadline



Pet licenses are required for all dogs or cats more than four months of age on January 1 of any year, or four months of age within the license year, regardless of whether or not your pet is allowed to go outside.

Proof of rabies vaccination, expiration date and proof of spayed or neutering is required at the time of licensing. The license can be obtained in a variety of ways:

- In person at the Customer Service Counter or mail a payment along with required documents to City Hall 407 Grant Street, Wausau, WI 54403
- You can visit PetData at [www.Petdata.com](http://www.Petdata.com) and process the application electronically
- You can mail the application and payment to Wausau & Weston Animal Licensing C/O PetData, P.O. Box 141929, Irving, TX 75014-1929

Dog and cat licenses are due no later than March 31 of every year. A late fee of double the regular license fee in addition to the required license fee is imposed if the license is obtained after March 31. The forfeiture for NOT having a current pet license is \$177.00.

*Thank you for being a responsible pet owner.*

## Construction/Remodeling Projects

If you are planning any construction or remodeling projects, we would like to remind you that building permits are required for most projects within the City of Wausau, including installation/ replacement of siding and roofing, construction of decks, stoops, ramps, and sheds, and for alterations/remodeling (kitchen cabinets, drywalling, etc.). Separate permits are required for any electrical or plumbing work.

**Fences:** Permits are also required for the construction, erection and placement of fences on properties in the City, and for the replacement or expansion of existing fences. The purpose for requiring permits for fences is to ensure the location, height, materials and maintenance of them, so they properly comply with City regulations and in order to prevent the creation of nuisances.

For more information, contact the Division of Inspection and Zoning at 715.261.6780 or visit their website at: [www.ci.wausau.wi.us/Departments/Inspections/ResidentialPermitRequirements.aspx](http://www.ci.wausau.wi.us/Departments/Inspections/ResidentialPermitRequirements.aspx)

### Important Reminders For The Heating Season:

- Make sure that your furnace/heating unit is in proper working condition by having it serviced through a licensed heating contractor. Also, be sure to change filters monthly or as recommended by the manufacturer.
- Make sure that you have the required number of smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors installed and that they are in working condition. These detectors and fire extinguishers are the most important life safety devices that no home should be without.