

Recreation Programming Report – November 2023
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Northfield Skating School

- Began fall session on Sunday, Oct. 1,
- Sixty participants – normal participation

Adult Drop-In Basketball

- Began Wednesday, Oct. 11
- Wednesday evenings, 6:30 – 9 pm, Northfield Middle School
- Seeing an increased level of interest and participation

Adult Drop-In Indoor Soccer

- Began Sunday, Oct. 22
- Sunday evenings, 6 – 8 pm, Northfield Middle School
- 21 enrolled, accepting drop-ins

Mini Raider Football Camp

- Concluded in October
- 28 enrolled, increase in participation from 2022

Fall Tennis

- Concluded Oct. 21. Second fall offered
- 32 participants, down a few from last year
- Carleton College student athletes volunteer coaches & NHS student athlete coach

Fall Track & Field Sampler

- Concluded Oct. 28. Second fall offered
- 39 participants, up a few from last year
- St. Olaf Track and CC student athlete coaches

Flag Football

- Concluded Oct. 16
- 187 Participants, up 20 from last year
- St. Olaf, Carleton, NHS student athletes as coaches – Extremely positive feedback!

Qigong

- Popular fall session with 13 enrolled
- Due to interest, added the next level of qigong to winter/spring options

Fencing

- First time running fall program
- Full with 20 enrolled

Boxing

- New offering
- 24 participants total registered for first two fall sessions

Raider Fitness

- New session began, Monday, October 30
- In transition – looking for experienced & certified instructor

Open Gym / Drop-In Pickleball

- Began Sunday, November 5
- Wednesdays @ Bridgewater Elementary, 7:30 – 9:30 pm
- Sundays @ HS and Bridgewater Elementary, 12 – 4 pm (Age Friendly, no cost)

Adult Basketball League

- Began Sunday, November 5
- Games played at 6:00 & 7:10, and 8:20 pm, through mid-March @ Northfield High School
- Thirteen teams are registered (9 teams in 2021, 11 teams in 2022)

Cornerstone on the Vermillion

- Equestrian Club begins Nov. 17

CPR/AED Recertification

- Class offered Saturday, Nov. 11 @ the Northfield Middle School

Winter/Spring Registration

- The Community Education brochure will be released on Friday, December 1
- Registration opens Friday, December 1