



Harrison Recreation Department  
2012/2013  
Fall/Winter Programs



# MESSAGE FROM SUPERINTENDENT OF RECREATION

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914-670-3036

Fall/Winter 2012/1013

Dear Residents of Harrison,

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself. My name is *Gerry Salvo*. I am proud to say that I am a resident of this great town/village. I worked part time for West Harrison Recreation since I was sixteen years old. I graduated from Harrison High School and went on to further my education at Lehman College. I graduated with a Masters Degree in the field of Recreation Education and Administration. I started out my full time career with the Harrison Recreation Department in 2002. I was appointed Superintendent of Recreation in September of 2011. I embrace this leadership role. I look forward to continuing the great reputation of this department. I will strive to add more programs and leisure activities for the residents of this community.

The following pages list numerous recreational opportunities for all ages. Along with our online brochure, you may download applications as well as view league schedules from our website. Please take advantage of all that our department has to offer and enjoy your leisure time via the various parks and playgrounds.

All our offerings are possible because of the help of my hard working full time staff. If you have any questions, comments or ideas, please do not hesitate to call the Recreation Department. I am thankful for this opportunity and look forward to meeting you.

Sincerely,

*Gerry Salvo*

**Gerry Salvo**

Superintendent of Recreation

# Message from the Mayor

Fall/winter 2012/2013

Greetings Residents,

As a long time resident of the Town/Village of Harrison, I have always enjoyed our recreation facilities. Our parks, playgrounds and open spaces greatly impact the exceptional quality of life in Harrison. Our Recreation Department is among the best in New York State, offering a wide variety of programs and activities for residents of all ages.

I hope you are able to take advantage of the many recreational opportunities offered in town. Basketball, soccer, football, golf lessons, dance instruction, lacrosse, tennis, swimming and cheerleading are just some of the activities enjoyed by our community. In addition, Harrison has a variety of art classes, a very active Senior program and two fitness rooms. The town of Harrison also offers special events that include "Its Great to Live in Harrison" Day, Halloween window painting and Town parades.

Superintendent of Recreation, Gerry Salvo, and his staff are always on hand to make sure each resident is fully satisfied with their recreational experience. They are always striving to improve the programs and their hard work and success is reflected in this brochure.

Harrison is a wonderful community that promotes a healthy lifestyle and physical activity for individuals as well as families. I continue to be active in our Recreation Department's programs, and I urge all residents to take advantage of the activities this Department offers. Search the following options and join the programs that interest you and your family. We welcome your participation!!

Very Truly Yours,

Ron Belmont  
Supervisor/Mayor  
Town/Village of Harrison

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# Town of Harrison Facilities

## Recreation Facilities:

Harrison Community Center  
Leo Mintzer Community Center  
Municipal Building  
Sollazzo Center  
Veterans Memorial Building  
West Harrison Senior/Community Center



**Parks:** Passidomo Veterans Memorial Park  
Ron Belmont Pool Complex in Passidomo  
Veterans Memorial Park  
Bernie Guagnini Brentwood Park & Pool  
Congress St. Park  
Pettijohn Park  
Riis Park  
Rose Ave Tot Lot  
Veterans Memorial Park  
Wilding Park

# Recreation Centers

## Sollazzo Center

270 Harrison Avenue  
Harrison, NY 10528

Phone – 914-670-3179 Fax- 914-835-9512

A game room with ping pong, air hockey and foosball tables, TV Room with HDTV cable, 2 outdoor basketball courts and open indoor basketball gymnasium. Center is open on school weekdays from 3pm to 5pm for children 2<sup>nd</sup> thru 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Then again from 7pm to 10pm for ages 9<sup>th</sup> thru 12<sup>th</sup> grades and adults from September thru June.

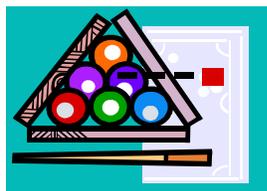
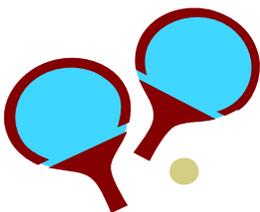
Sollazzo Center is open at 1pm until 5pm and 7pm to 10pm on all weekday Holidays. Also open Saturday evening from 7pm to 10pm for High School grades and adults. It is also available on Saturdays from September to May for Birthday Party rentals. You must have a 2011/2012 Harrison Recreation ID Card to participate.

## Leo Mintzer Center

251 Underhill Avenue  
West Harrison, NY 10604

Phone: 914-949-5265 Fax- 914-949-5292

A game room with ping pong, air hockey, foosball and pool tables, TV room with HDTV cable, and indoor basketball court is open on school weekdays from 3pm to 5pm for children 2<sup>nd</sup> thru 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Then again from 7pm to 10pm for ages 9<sup>th</sup> thru 12<sup>th</sup> grades from October thru April. Leo Mintzer Center is open at 1pm until 5pm and 7pm to 10pm on all weekday Holidays. Also open Saturday evening from 7pm to 10pm for High School grades and adults. You must have a 2011/2012 Harrison Recreation ID Card to participate.



# POLICY INFORMATION

## REFUND POLICY:

- There will be a \$15 processing fee for the withdrawal from any program regardless of reason.
- Partial refunds may be granted if spot can be filled from waiting list.
- Refunds will not be granted after the start of the first session/game or draft.
- Full refunds will be issued for any program cancelled by the Recreation Department.

## PLACEMENT INFORMATION:

- Players will be notified **by the coach** about team placement and first practice as well as the start of the season. **Please refrain from calling the Recreation Department until coach is given ample time to call players.**
- Players moving up to new age groupings will not be moved with former teammates as a group and will be re-distributed; **please refrain from making special requests for team placement.**  
(Excludes K-2<sup>nd</sup> grades)



## PARENTAL RULES OF CONDUCT:

- **Parents** must be **encouraging & supportive** in regard to **all children.**
- **Parents** must **respect** the decisions made by sports officials.
- **Parents** should show **good sportsmanship** so their children may learn by example.

## South East Consortium For Special Services

The Harrison Recreation Department is a member of the SEC for Special Services, Inc., a non-profit organization that provides year 'round therapeutic recreation programs for children & adults with disabilities. South East offers a variety of programs & activities designed to develop physical, social, cognitive & emotional skills. These programs & services are open to all residents in the member communities. For more information regarding the programs offered by South East call 698-5232 for a brochure. We also recognize that there are children & adults who can participate in the regular recreation programs if some accommodations are made. In cooperation with SEC we will determine if accommodations can be made on a case-by-case basis. For additional information regarding inclusion programs please contact the Superintendent, Ron Belmont at 670-3035 or S.E.C at 698-5232.

# Special Events

## **35<sup>th</sup> Annual "It's Great to Live In Harrison" Celebration Columbus Day Observance**

### **Fireworks & Fun**

Location: West Harrison Fire House  
Date: Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm  
Cost: Free



### **Police Department Open House**

Location: 650 North Street, Police Department  
Date: Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 10:00 – 2:00 pm



### **Parade and Festival**

Location: Riis Park  
Date: Monday October 8<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am  
Cost: Free



## **Halloween Window Painting Contest**

**Three Categories: Individual, Family & Team, Harrison Residents only...  
Applications available at Recreation Centers.**

Location: Business Districts  
Instructor: Doreen Grozinger/Barbara Fanelli  
Age/Grade: Grades K-8th  
Date: Sun, October 14<sup>th</sup> , 9:30am–2:30pm  
Rain Date: Sat, October 20<sup>th</sup> & Sun, October 21<sup>st</sup>  
Registration Period: September 6<sup>th</sup> thru October 4<sup>th</sup>  
Make Checks payable to: Town/Village of Harrison  
Cost: \$10.00



## **Holiday Happening**

**Parents can enjoy a day of shopping and get ready for the holiday season while children Kindergarten thru 3<sup>rd</sup> grade enjoy a day of camp at the Sollazzo Center, pizza lunch included.**

Location: Sollazzo Center  
Instructor: Doreen Grozinger  
Age/Grade: Grades K-3<sup>rd</sup>  
Date: TBA  
Registration Period: Oct 11<sup>th</sup> thru December 1<sup>st</sup>  
Make Checks payable to: Town/Village of Harrison  
Cost:



# Special Events

## **Halloween Parades**

Come celebrate Halloween dress-up and march in the Halloween Parades in both downtown Harrison and West Harrison. Harrison residents only

### **Locations:**

#### **Downtown Harrison:**

Parsons School to Riis Park Friday, October 26th, 5:30pm line-up 6:00 start

#### **West Harrison:**

Firehouse, Friday, October 26th, 3:30pm line-up 4:00pm start

Age/Grade:

All ages welcome

Cost:

FREE



## **Letters to Santa**

Write letters to Santa please include name and home address. Letters should be addressed to NORTH POLE. Drop letters off at the Sollazzo Center 270 Harrison Avenue or The Recreation Department at Town Hall 1 Heineman Place, or the Leo Mintzer Center 251 Underhill Avenue, West Harrison mailboxes.

Age/Grade:

All

Date:

Must be mailed prior to December 13<sup>th</sup>

Cost:

FREE – Harrison residents only



# Children's Program

## Preschool Art Class

Children create open-ended art projects. Using a variety of materials children develop small motor skills, color relationship, tactile and shape awareness. Builds social skills and self-esteem while having fun.

**Session I: Sept 10<sup>th</sup> to Nov 19<sup>th</sup>**

**Session II: Nov 26<sup>th</sup> to Feb 11<sup>th</sup>**



Location: Sollazzo Center  
Instructor: Doreen Grozinger  
Date: Mondays, 1pm – 2pm  
Age: 3-5 year olds  
Cost: Session I = \$150, Session II = \$135  
Make checks payable to: Doreen Grozinger

**For more information call Doreen at 914-835-1641**

## Draw, Paint, Sculpt Grades 1-3

Students learn the basics of drawing & painting along with 3-Dimensional work. Exploration of the medium we use is encouraged. Some materials used will include colored pencil, charcoal, acrylics, plaster, clay and wood.

**Session I: Sept 10<sup>th</sup> – Nov 19<sup>th</sup>**

**Session II: Nov 26<sup>th</sup> – Feb 11<sup>th</sup>**

Locations: Sollazzo Center  
Instructor: Doreen Grozinger  
Date: Mondays, 3:30pm – 4:30pm  
Age/Grade: Grades 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Cost: Session I = \$150, Session II = \$135  
Make Checks payable to: Doreen Grozinger



**For more information call Doreen Grozinger 914-835-1641**

# Children's Program

## Mixed Media

A variety of materials to create everything from collage work, painting on canvas, printing, sculpture, textile design, masks & more. A great way to unwind and create. Bring your imagination.....

**Session I:** Sep 11<sup>th</sup> – Nov 20<sup>th</sup>  
**Session II:** Nov 27<sup>th</sup> – Feb 21<sup>st</sup>

Location: Sollazzo Center  
Instructor: Doreen Grozinger  
Date: Tuesdays, 3:30pm – 4:30pm  
Age/Grade: Grades K to 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Cost: Session I = \$165, Session II = \$165  
Make Checks payable to: Doreen Grozinger

**For more information call Doreen Grozinger 835-1641**



## Mixed Media II

More mixed media. More Fun.....

**Session I:** Sept 14<sup>th</sup> – Nov 16<sup>th</sup>  
**Session II:** Nov 30<sup>th</sup> – Feb 15<sup>th</sup>

Location: Sollazzo Center  
Instructor: Doreen Grozinger  
Date: Fridays, 3:30pm – 4:30pm  
Age/Grade: Grades K to 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Cost: Sessions I = \$150, Sessions II = \$150  
Make Checks payable to: Doreen Grozinger



# Children's Program

## Fine Art

More independent work. Drawing from life as well as imagination, painting collage, printing assemblages and much more. Students can work at their own pace.

**Session I: Sept 13<sup>th</sup> – Nov 15<sup>th</sup>**  
**Session II: Nov 29<sup>th</sup> – Feb 14<sup>th</sup>**

Locations: Sollazzo Center  
Instructor: Doreen Grozinger  
Day/Time: Thursdays, 3:30pm – 4:30pm  
Age/Grade: Grades 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>  
Cost: Session I = \$165, Session II = \$180  
Make Checks payable to: Doreen Grozinger



**For more information call Doreen Grozinger 914-835-1641**



## Artistic Ventures:

Art Journals, Assemblages, Canvas Creations. Create art journals from scratch to gather inspiration for 3 dimensional assemblages for paintings. Unleash that creative spirit!

Location: Sollazzo Center  
Instructor: Doreen Grozinger  
Day/Time: Fridays, 4:30 – 6:00 pm  
Date: Sept 14<sup>th</sup> – Nov 16<sup>th</sup>  
Age/Grade: Grades 6, 7 and 8<sup>th</sup>  
Cost: \$180.00  
Make Check payable to: Doreen Grozinger



**For more information call Doreen Grozinger 914-835-1641**

# Children's Program

## DANCE WORKS

Wendy Barletta

Phone: (914)714 – 2131

Email: [danceworks2000@aol.com](mailto:danceworks2000@aol.com)

### Creative Ballet/Tap

Location:

Grade:

Date:

Time:

Make Checks payable to:

Cost:



Veteran's Memorial Building, 218 Halstead Avenue  
Preschool

September 15<sup>th</sup> – April 13<sup>th</sup> (Saturday)

9:00 – 9:50 am

Wendy Barletta

\$395.00

### Ballet/Tap Combo

Location:

Grade:

Date:

Time:

Make Checks payable to:

Cost:

Veteran's Memorial Building, 218 Halstead Avenue  
Kindergarten through 1<sup>st</sup>

September 15<sup>th</sup> – April 13<sup>th</sup> (Saturdays)

9:50 – 10:40 pm

Wendy Barletta

\$395.00

### Jazz/Hip Hop Combo

Location:

Grade:

Date:

Time:

Make Checks Payable to:

Cost:

Veteran's Memorial Building, 218 Halstead Avenue  
1<sup>st</sup> through 2<sup>nd</sup>

September 15<sup>th</sup> – April 13<sup>th</sup> (Saturdays)

10:45 – 11:45 pm

Wendy Barletta

\$395.00

### Ballet

Location:

Grade:

Date:

Time:

Make Checks payable to:

Cost:



Veteran's Memorial Building, 218 Halstead Avenue  
2<sup>nd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup>

September 15<sup>th</sup> – April 13<sup>th</sup> (Saturdays)

11:50am – 12:50pm

Wendy Barletta

\$395.00

### Jazz/Hip Hop/B'dway

Location:

Grade:

Date:

Time:

Make Checks payable to:

Cost:

Veteran's Memorial Building, 218 Halstead Avenue  
3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup>

September 18<sup>th</sup> - April 16<sup>th</sup> (Tuesdays)

5:15 – 6:15pm

Wendy Barletta

\$395.00



# Children's Program

## DANCE WORKS Continued...

Wendy Barletta

Phone: (914)714 – 2131

Email: [danceworks2000@aol.com](mailto:danceworks2000@aol.com)

### Jazz/lyrical/Modern

Location:

Veteran's Memorial Building, 218 Halstead Avenue

Grade:

6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup>

Date:

September 18<sup>th</sup> - April 16<sup>th</sup> (Tuesdays)

Time:

6:15 – 7:15 pm

Make Checks payable to:

Wendy Barletta

Cost:

\$395.00



### Teen Ballet/Tap/

### Company Rehearsal combo

Location:

Veteran's Memorial Building, 218 Halstead Avenue

Age:

13 through 19

Date:

September 18<sup>th</sup> – April 16<sup>th</sup> (Tuesdays)

Time:

7:15 – 8:15 pm

Make Checks payable to:

Wendy Barletta

Cost:

\$395.00



### Lil' Cooks

Come join this educationally, fun-filled, hands-on program designed for 3,4, and 5 year olds! Introduction children to the art of cooking and baking, our young chefs prepare, cook, and eat their own creations. Each "cooking experience" incorporates early math and language skills as participants learn about measuring, counting, word and symbol recognition, and predicting outcomes. Additionally, a story and/or a simple craft is incorporated as well as chef hats and placemats. Parents are invited to arrive 5 minutes prior to the end of class in order to enjoy their Childs' cooking creation. Please inform us ahead of time of any food allergies. For more information email Rosa Carra at [cookingwithclass1@hotmail.com](mailto:cookingwithclass1@hotmail.com) . This is a drop-off class.

\*6 to 10 children per class – register early to ensure a spot for your child.

Locations:

Sollazzo or West Harrison Senior Annex Building

Age:

3, 4, and 5 year olds

Time:

12:00 – 1:00 Friday , November 9- December 21 at the Sollazzo

1:45 – 2:45 Friday, November 9 – December 21 at the Senior Annex Building

(No class on November 23)

# Children's Program

## **Youth Basketball League**

Recreation basketball all players welcome. Play in an organized league, develop basic basketball skills, and team work. League starts in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and continues through High School. Games are played on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays.  
8 Week Season

Location:

Instructor:

Age/Grade:

Date:

Make Checks payable to:

Cost:



LMK, Sollazzo Center, Purchase, Preston, Holy Child

Kristen Ciafone/Nick Callagy

Boys and Girls Grades 3<sup>rd</sup> through High School  
Starts November. Applications available at all Recreation Centers in October

Town/Village of Harrison

\$65

## **Basketball Clinic**

Children develop the basics of basketball. Youth basketball & nets, indoor play.  
4 week program Clinic from 3:30 – 4:15p.m.

Location:

Instructor:

Age/Grade:

Start Date:

Leo Mintzer Center Wednesday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>

Registration Period:

Cost:



Sollazzo Center, Mintzer Center

STAFF

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

Sollazzo Center Wednesday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>

November 5<sup>th</sup> thru December 28<sup>th</sup>

Free

## **Mini-Day Camp**

A fun filled week of day camp including Arts and Crafts, Sports, Games and Special Events.  
Camp is held during Winter Recess in February.

Locations:

Age/Grade:

Instructor:

Date:

Registration Period:

Make Checks payable to:

Cost:



Sollazzo Center

Grades 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup>

Staff

Mon, Feb 18<sup>th</sup> thru Fri, Feb 22<sup>nd</sup> 9:00 am-3:00pm

December 3<sup>rd</sup> thru February 16<sup>th</sup>

Town/Village of Harrison

\$185



# Children's Program

**Floor Hockey "Nerf"** This fun filled activity is held for 4 weeks. The program is held indoors in gymnasium with nerf balls and soft foam sticks. Games start at 3:30pm until 4:15pm. Participants are taught basic Floor Hockey Skills and rules of the game. Each week new teams are formed.

**Mondays at Sollazzo for Kindergarten only**  
**Mondays at Leo Mintzer Center for Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> Grade**



Locations: Sollazzo Center, Leo Mintzer Center  
Instructor: STAFF  
Start Date: Monday, January 28<sup>th</sup>  
Registration Period: December 3<sup>rd</sup> thru January 25<sup>th</sup>  
Cost: FREE

**Floor Hockey** This fun filled activity is held for 4 weeks. The program is held indoors in gymnasium with youth hockey sticks & nerf ball. Games start at 3:30pm until 4:15pm. Participants are taught general Floor Hockey Skills and rules of the game. Each week new teams are formed.

**Tuesdays at Sollazzo for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade**  
**Tuesdays at Leo Mintzer Center for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade**



**Wednesday at Sollazzo for 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>**  
**Wednesday at Leo Mintzer Center for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade**

Location: Sollazzo Center, Mintzer Center  
Instructor: STAFF  
Start Date: Tuesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>  
Wednesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>  
Registration Period: December 3<sup>rd</sup> thru January 25<sup>th</sup>  
Cost: FREE

**Harrison Boys/Girls Youth Lacrosse** - For information and registration go to [www.harrisonyouthlacrosse.com](http://www.harrisonyouthlacrosse.com)



# Children's Program

## Archery

Basic beginning instruction in target archery including safety, shooting techniques, scoring, tackle care and maintenance. Coaching to improve scores. Practice in various indoor and outdoor archery rounds (at archers option leading to competition in local and regional archery events). John Wilde, Level II Nationally certified Archery instructor. (NAA and NADA). John has over 31 years of archery experience shooting on both State and National levels and have taught archery in programs both locally and nationally.

Session I

Sundays starting September 16<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am OR  
Tuesdays starting September 18<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm OR  
Wednesdays starting September 19<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm  
Veterans Park (Crystal Street)

Location:

Instructor:

Sessions II:

Location:

Age/Grade

Make Checks payable to:

Cost:

John Wilde

Wednesdays starting January 9<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm

Sollazzo Center

Grades 3rd thru Adult

Town/Village of Harrison\_

\$75 (10 one hour sessions)



## Umpire Class

Learn the proper mechanics and techniques for umpiring baseball games, taught by certified high school umpires.

Open to boys and girls 14 and older, adults welcome. Upon successful completion of class we will guarantee working games in the 2011 Harrison Little League Spring season.

This is an excellent opportunity to earn extra money...

Location:

Instructor:

Age/Grade:

Time:

Cost:

Dates:

Registration Period:

Sollazzo Center

Nick Callagy

14 & up

7:30 – 9:15 pm

\$25

Late February/ Early March



**The Recreation Department hires staff for various part-time positions. Adults and young adults who are at least 16 years of age are invited to apply. Positions are open for WSI instructor, lifeguards, camp counselors, camp specialists, day camp directors and tennis court attendants. Applications are at all Recreation Centers.**

# Children's Program

## **Diamond Dreams**

Harrison Recreation uses Diamond Dreams Sports Development as its introductory instructional program for the aspiring young athlete. The Program's 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> grades and K to 3<sup>rd</sup> *After School* classes are designed to improve a child's athleticism through drills which target specific skill development. This proven methodology challenges each child individually while raising confidence and fostering success.

After School Programs scheduled to be offered during the 2012-2013 school year.  
**Fee \$199 , payable to Harrison Youth Baseball**

## **CLASS SIZE IS LIMITED – EARLY SIGN-UP RECOMMENDED**

**Basketball I** Grades 1st – 3rd Time: 3:45 – 5:00 pm

**Wednesdays** September 19<sup>th</sup>

**(Purchase School)** Registration starts August 27<sup>th</sup>

**Thursdays** September 20<sup>th</sup>

**(Sollazzo Center)** Registration starts August 27<sup>th</sup>

**Basketball II** Grades K – 3rd Time: 3:45 – 5:00 pm

**Wednesdays** November 7<sup>th</sup>

**(Purchase School)** Registration starts in October

**Thursdays** November 8<sup>th</sup>

**(Sollazzo Center)** Registration starts in October



**Baseball/Softball** Grades K – 3rd Time: 3:45 – 5:00 pm

**Wednesday** TBA

**(Purchase School)** Registration starts in November

**Baseball/Softball** Grades K-3rd Time: 3:45 – 5:00 pm

**Wednesdays** TBA

**(Purchase School)** Registration starts in January



**Fee for programs \$199 – Payable: Harrison Youth Baseball**

# Children's Program

**Nerf Soccer** – Indoor play, soft soccer ball. 4 week program

**Mondays at Sollazzo Center Kindergarten**

**Mondays at Leo Mintzer Center Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> grade**

**Tuesday at Sollazzo Center 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade**

**Tuesday at Leo Mintzer Center 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade**

**Wednesday at Sollazzo Center 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Wednesday at Leo Mintzer Center 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>**



Locations:

Sollazzo Center, Mintzer Center

Instructor:

STAFF

Age/Grade:

Grades K – 5<sup>th</sup>

Start Date:

Week of November 5<sup>th</sup>

Registration Period:

September 10<sup>th</sup> thru October 26<sup>th</sup>

Cost:

FREE



## **Pee-Wee Wrestling Clinic**

Come learn the fundamentals of wrestling. Participants need to wear sweat pants or shorts, sneakers and a tee-shirt. Class size is limited...

**Visit our website: [www.harrisonwrestling.net](http://www.harrisonwrestling.net)**

Locations:

Harrison High School

Instructor:

Vic Arcara

Age/Grade:

Grades 1<sup>st</sup> thru 6<sup>th</sup>

Start Date:

TBA

Program Days:

TBA

Registration begins:

October

Make Checks payable to:

Town/Village of Harrison

Cost:



# Instructional Programs

## Swimming Lessons

Learn how to swim Saturday mornings 9:00 am until 12pm from December 1<sup>st</sup> (8 Weeks) 50 minutes session. Participants register according to grade. 1<sup>st</sup> class participants will be tested & placed according to ability. 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> grade 9:00 am, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> grade 10:00 am, Kindergarten & 1<sup>st</sup> grade 11:00 am.

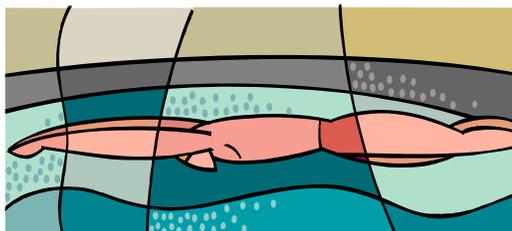
Locations: LMK Middle School Pool  
Instructor: Dorothy Klein – Red Cross Certified  
Age/Grade: Kindergarten thru 5<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Date: Every Saturday starting December 1<sup>st</sup>  
Registration Period: October 22<sup>nd</sup> thru November 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Make checks payable to: Town/Village of Harrison  
Cost: \$100



## Swim Team

Harrison Swim Team is entering its 27<sup>th</sup> season. The team will be participating in the Westchester/ Southern Connecticut area. Parents of interested children should complete the application and return it to the Recreation Department. Fee must be paid in person at registration.

Locations: LMK Pool  
Coach: Dorothy Klein  
Age/Grade: Grades 2nd thru 12th  
Evaluation Dates:  
October 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm 10 & under  
at 7:00 pm 11 & older  
Registration Period: August 30<sup>th</sup> thru October 1<sup>st</sup>  
Make Checks payable to: Town/Village of Harrison  
Cost: \$ 300/ 2nd child \$200



# Instructional Programs

## **Fall Tennis Lessons – 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grades**

16 – 1 Hour lessons with Jeff Greene who has been coaching and teaching tennis for the past 17 years.

Locations:

Instructor:

Age/Grade:

Dates:

Monday/Wednesday

Tuesday/Thursday

Registration Period:

Make checks payable to:

Cost:



Harrison Ave School Tennis Courts

Jeff Greene

2nd thru 4th Grade Boys & Girls

Starting September 10<sup>th</sup> 3:30 – 4:30pm

Starting September 11<sup>th</sup> 3:30 – 4:30pm

August 17<sup>th</sup> thru September 6<sup>th</sup>

Jeff Greene

\$320

## **Fall Tennis Lessons – 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> Grades**

16 – 1 1/2 Hour lessons with Jeff Greene who has been coaching and teaching tennis for the past 17 years.

Locations:

Instructor:

Age/Grade:

Dates:

Monday/Wednesday

Tuesday/Thursday

Registration Period:

Make checks payable to:

Cost:



Harrison Ave School Tennis Courts

Jeff Greene

5<sup>th</sup> thru 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys & Girls

Starting September 10<sup>th</sup> 4:30 – 6:00pm

Starting September 11<sup>th</sup> 4:30 – 6:00pm

August 17<sup>th</sup> thru September 6<sup>th</sup>

Jeff Greene

\$480

# Instructional program

## **Piano lesson: Rhodes piano method – level 1**

The Rhodes award winning system is not just any piano teaching system. It uses proprietary, visual tools that make the basic concepts of music easy to understand. Rhodes certified instructors have students playing real music – with both hands – in no time. And, students learn music they actually want to play. Includes popular, classical and improvisational music in all styles. Classroom keyboards and all materials are included in the registration fee.

Wednesday at the Sollazzo Center, 270 Harrison Avenue - November 7th

Thursdays at the Leo Mintzer Center, 251 Underhill Avenue – November 8th

Age/Grade

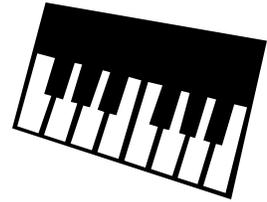
Seniors 2:30PM

Grade 1 – 3 3:45PM

Grades 4-8 5:00PM

Adults 6:30PM

9 week 1 hours classes.



For more information and registration visit [www.rhodesmusiceducation.com](http://www.rhodesmusiceducation.com) or (952)412-3217

# Instructional program

## **Zany-Brainy Drawing Class!**

Do you love to draw funny cartoons? Maybe you have difficulty drawing something? Well, come join local artist/teacher Mike Teator and explore with him the zany-brainy world of drawing and cartooning. Mike has appeared on NBC's Today's Show twice, sharing his love of art and teaching. He also instructs in 9 after school programs. So if you love to draw or you just want to learn to draw, this zany class is for you.

Location:	Leo Mintzer Center
Instructor:	Mike Teator
Age/Grade:	2 <sup>nd</sup> - 5 <sup>th</sup> grade
Day/Time:	Thursday, 5:45 – 6:45
Date:	September 20 – November 8
Cost:	\$139.00
Make Check payable to	Mike Teator

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## **Ballroom Dance Classes for the Entire Family**

Dancing has been popular in all generations: it is a way to make new friends and move to upbeat music. Join us in fun-filled dance classes. Explore ballroom, Latin, folk dances and various dance techniques. Learn how different dance exercises help coordinate and strengthen your body in a way that is beneficial when participating in other sports and activities. Bring a group of friends to... swing, cha-cha, salsa and much more. Find out why "Dancing with the Stars" is one of our nation's favorite shows!!

For more information please go to [www.harrisonballroom.com](http://www.harrisonballroom.com) or call Viktoria Kharkina at **914-886-2292**



# International Student Tours

## INTERNATIONAL EDUCATIONAL STUDENT TOURS

Portugal and Spain 2013

England and France 2014

***We all know how time flies! Planning ahead makes travel extremely affordable; especially if you sign up during the Early Enrollment time by receiving the tours lowest pricing, and utilizing EF Tour's Auto-Pay monthly payment plan. Repeat EF travelers receive an additional \$100 discount!***

Age/Grade: 9th grade and older **at time of travel**  
Organizer and group leader: Marianne Pagano  
[HarrisonEuropeanTravelers@yahoo.com](mailto:HarrisonEuropeanTravelers@yahoo.com)  
(914) 835-5409  
Departure Time: Summer Travel; late June/early July  
(after school ends)  
Deposit: \$95 (non-refundable)

All enrollments must go thru group leader.

Please contact Marianne for enrollment form or prior to on-line enrollment

Mailing List: To be included on tour updates and next info meeting date, send your contact information to [HarrisonEuropeanTravelers@yahoo.com](mailto:HarrisonEuropeanTravelers@yahoo.com)

### **Portugal and Spain 2013:**

Featuring: Lisbon, Seville, Costa del Sol, Granada, Barcelona  
Optional excursion to Morocco available

Go to [www.eftours.com/1140020](http://www.eftours.com/1140020) to view current itinerary and pricing

### **England and France 2014:**

Early Enrollment Discounts will be announced soon.

Featuring: London and Paris

Go to [www.eftours.com/1284192](http://www.eftours.com/1284192) to view current itinerary and pricing

***\*\*\*itineraries and pricing subject to change slightly should tours not run due to size of enrollment\*\*\****

Harrison Patch article with photos from a previous tour: <http://patch.com/N-cqZr>

Friends and family welcome, however students must be in 9th grade at time of travel. Adults who may want to travel; note that tours are fast paced. Contact Marianne prior to enrolling to learn about EF student tour details: meals, hotels, rooming, monthly payment plans, insurance, optional excursions, tipping, modes of transportation, etc...

References from parents and students who have traveled with me are available upon request.

# Adult Program

## Mixed Adult Volleyball

Come join an organized Volleyball league. You need 6 players to enter a team. Game times are 6, 7, or 8pm on Thursday nights and the season is November thru March. Call For information 949-5265.

Locations: LMK Middle School  
Instructor: Thomas Troiano  
Date: Starts Thursday, Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>  
Make checks payable to: Town/Village of Harrison  
Cost: \$750 per team



## Over 30 Men's Soccer Program

Pick-up soccer games at West Harrison Park and Harrison HS. Please contact Ray Kraus 914-631-8900 for more information. 2012 Harrison ID card required

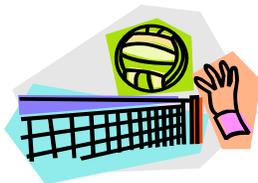
Locations: West Harrison Park , Harrison HS  
Instructor: Ray Kraus 914-631-8900  
Date: Wednesday nights 8pm  
Sun mornings 8am Harrison HS



## Women's Volleyball

2012 Harrison I.D. card required

Location: Sollazzo Center  
Age: 18 and older  
Date: Starts Thursday September 6<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 9:30 am – 11:30am



## Women's Basketball

2012 Harrison I.D. card required

Location: Sollazzo Center  
Age: 18 and older  
Date: Starts Wednesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Time: 9:30 am – 11:30am



# Adult Program

## Women's Soccer

2012 Harrison I.D. card required

Location:

Age

Date:



West Harrison Park

18 and older

Starts Friday, September 7<sup>th</sup>

Fri. 9:30 am – 11:15am

For information call 390-9040

## Adult Basketball Leagues

Play in an organized basketball league. Monday night is "A" Division League, Tuesday night is "B" Division League. For these leagues you must be 18 or older. Wednesday night league is for players 35 and over. For information call 670-3179

Locations:

Instructor:

Date:



LMK Middle School

Gerry Salvo/Rick Magrino

Pre-season meeting in September

Season – October thru February

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday

## Yoga

Focuses on stretching and strengthening, breathing techniques and body/mind awareness. Improve balance and flexibility, decrease stress and create harmony between mind, body, spirit. All levels welcome. Wear comfortable clothing and bring a mat.

Location:

Instructor:

Age

Date:

Time:

Make checks payable to:

Cost:

Veteran Memorial Building

Doreen

18 & Older

Mondays starting September 10<sup>th</sup>

5:30 pm – 6:45 pm (door opens 5:15)

Town/Village of Harrison

\$25 residents \$50 non-residents



## Yoga 2

Same as above, but smaller class size. Wednesdays 5:15 – 6:30pm Starts Wednesday, September 14<sup>th</sup> Ongoing through August at The Harrison Community Center, 216 Halstead Avenue (next door to Vets Bldg)

Walk in fee: \$8.00

Doreen Grozinger – 835-1641

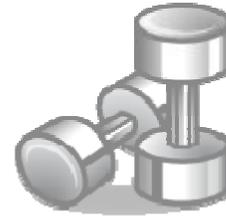
# Adult Program

## **Fitness Center - Sollazzo Center**

Membership available to all residents. The center is equipped with a cardiovascular area ( treadmills, stair master, lifecycles, rowing machines and EFX machines), free and machine weight systems. Attendants are available to help set up a personalized program to fit your needs. A Harrison ID card is included with a membership fee. No tank tops, cut off shirts or cell phones will be allowed in gym.

Cost: \$100 per year (January thru December)  
Plus the cost of ID Card \$30

Payable To: Town/Village of Harrison



## **WEST HARRISON TOASTMASTERS**

Worried about your next big presentation? Westchester Toastmasters can help! Develop better speaking and presentation skills, learn to think quickly and clearly on your feet, build strong leadership abilities. The Toastmasters International program will improve your communication skills and open doors in your personal and professional life. Come visit and be a guest.

For more information visit our website: [www.toastmasters.org](http://www.toastmasters.org) or Westchester Toastmasters at <http://westchester.freetoasthost.us>

Location: Leo Mintzer Community Center  
Contact: Melissa 914-255-1166  
Dates: 1st, 3rd , 5th Tuesdays of every month year-round  
Time: 7:30pm – 9:30pm  
Cost: \$45 for 6 months



## **Karate Program**

To register call the instructor:



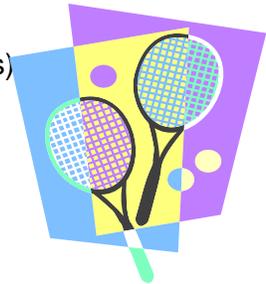
**Leo Mintzer Center**  
**Rico Dos Anjos 914-939-2415**  
Tuesday 5:00 pm- 7:00 pm  
Saturday 10:00 am – 12 noon

# Adult Program

## Ladies Evening Round Robin

A Ladies Round Robin tennis program will be played Thursday evenings under the lights at the Harrison High School tennis courts. 5 weeks  
Current Tennis ID card required. **Program needs 20 participants to take place.**

Location: Harrison HS –Tennis Courts  
Instructor: Eleanor Russo / 835-1410  
Registration: First come first served basis.  
Date: September 20<sup>th</sup> – October 18<sup>th</sup> (5 weeks)  
Time: 7:30 pm  
Make Check Payable to: Town/Village of Harrison  
Cost: \$90.00 (tennis balls included)



## Zumba Classes with Lindsey

ZUMBA. Party yourself into Shape. The Latin inspired, calorie burning, dance-fitness party. A combination of fast & slow rhythms that tone & sculpt the body. Easy to follow steps to help you get in the groove and get in shape. Feel the music and let loose! Zumba with Lindsey Mondays and Wednesdays @ 7pm. Veterans Building, 210 Halstead Ave, across from St. Gregory's Church. For more info call 914-400-7477 or [Lchiararamida@gmail.com](mailto:Lchiararamida@gmail.com)

Location: Veteran's Memorial Building  
Age/Grade: Adult  
Day: Monday and Wednesdays  
Time: 7:00 – 8:00 pm

## Lap Swimming

The return of Lap swim on Tuesday and Thursday nights from 8:00 – 9:00 pm at Louis M. Klein Middle School. Must present current resident ID card at location.

Location: Louis M. Klein Middle School  
Age/Grade: 18 Years and Older  
Day: Tuesday and Thursday  
Date: October 23<sup>rd</sup> - TBA  
Time: 8:00 – 9:00 pm



# Adult Program

## **Traditional Drawing Techniques Art Course for Adults:**

Learn how to construct two dimensional representations of three dimensional objects through the study of linear structure, value, and perspectives. Expanding on these basics, students learn how to create light and form using traditional modeling and rendering techniques. Acquired skills are applied to produce a fully modeled cast drawing.

Location: Leo Mintzer Center  
Instructor: Francesca Noto  
Age: Adult  
Day/Time: Tuesday evening 7:00 – 9:30 pm  
Dates: October 2<sup>nd</sup> – November 13<sup>th</sup>  
Make Check payable to: Francesca Noto  
Fee: \$240.00



For list of materials [www.notoartstudio.com](http://www.notoartstudio.com)

## **Learn To Paint Beautiful Landscapes:**

Come join certified Bob Ross instructor, Mike Teator. Mike Has Taught this technique for 20 years and has thousands of students, teaching Kathie Lee and Hoda how to paint. Even if you have no experience, you can do this

Location: Leo Mintzer Center  
Instructor: Mike Teator  
Age: Adult  
Day/Time: Thursday evening 7:00 – 8:00 pm  
Dates: September 20<sup>th</sup> – November 8<sup>th</sup>  
Make Check payable to: Mike Teator  
Fee: \$130.00 – supplies included



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# Seniors Programs

Harrison has two very active Senior Citizens Clubs, sponsored by the Recreation Department. Dues are \$24.00 per year. Refreshments are served.

**The West Harrison Group** meets on Thursday, from 12:00 pm through 2:00 pm at the West Harrison Senior Community Center, 251 Underhill Avenue to discuss items of interest, play bingo, and discuss activities coming up in the near future.

We also have a drop-in center at the Leo Mintzer Community Center, available Monday through Friday from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm where you may enjoy television, cards and socializing. Tuesday exercise classes from 10:45 am to 11:45 am at the Leo Mintzer Center.

**The Downtown Group** meets every Friday from 12:00 pm through 2:00 pm at the Veterans Memorial Building, 210 Halstead Avenue. We also have a drop-in center at the Harrison Community Center, 216 Halstead Avenue, available Monday through Friday from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm where you may enjoy television, cards and socializing. Tuesday exercise classes from 9:30 am to 10:15 am at the Harrison Community Center.

We serve 2 hot lunches served per week Monday & Tuesday at 12:00 pm for both centers, and a sandwich lunch Thursday in West Harrison. The cost is \$3.00 per lunch, hot or cold. Must sign up and pay the week before.

The Visiting Nurse Services in Westchester visits our Senior Citizens Centers on a monthly basis to provide free blood pressure screening. The nurse is available at the Harrison Community Center from 10:30 am to 11:30 am every 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month and at the Mintzer Community Center from 10:30 am to 11:30 am every 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month. Flu shots are administered once a year in October by the Westchester County Public Health Nurses. If you have Medicare Part B, it is free -- if not -- there is a fee.

Both groups participate in many activities including luncheons, day trips, overnight trips, special movie dates, exercise and line dancing classes, just to name a few. All Seniors are very welcomed to join the nearest center and to participate in all its activities. For further information on recreation and social activities, call Rocco at the **Senior Citizens Center**, at 914-227-7088



# Harrison Recreation Staff

Gerry Salvo	Main Office	Superintendent
Rocco Troiano	Harrison Comm. Ctr.	Recreation Supervisor
Kristen Ciafone	Leo Mintzer Center	Recreation Supervisor
Rick Magrino	Sollazzo Center	Recreation Supervisor
Nick Callagy	Sollazzo Center	Sr. Recreation Leader
Thomas Troiano	Sollazzo Center	Sr. Recreation Leader
Barbara Fanelli	Leo Mintzer Center	Recreation Assistant
Donna Kennedy	Sollazzo Center	Recreation Assistant
Dorothy Klein	Leo Mintzer Center	Sr. Office Assistant
Brenda Capasso	Main Office	Sr. Office Assistant

## To Call us:

<b>Recreation Main Office</b>	<b>670-3035</b>
<b>Harrison Community Center</b>	<b>670-3172</b>
<b>Sollazzo Center</b>	<b>670-3179</b>
<b>Leo Mintzer Center</b>	<b>949-5265</b>
<b>West Harrison Park</b>	<b>630-4062</b>

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**Harrison Recreation Web Site:  
To Download Brochures & Applications  
for all Recreation Programs**  
[www.town.harrison.ny.us/harrison\\_sub\\_dep\\_recreation.html](http://www.town.harrison.ny.us/harrison_sub_dep_recreation.html)

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**If Inclement Weather call:  
Harrison Recreation Hotline at 670-3039**

**For questions, suggestions, comments and/or more information  
you can email us at: [recreation@harrison-ny.gov](mailto:recreation@harrison-ny.gov)**

**The ID Card** is a ***must*** for all Recreation Programs--tennis, adult leagues, pools and Recreation Centers. Parents **MUST HAVE AN ID CARD** to register their children for programs.

**Photo ID Cards Mandatory for all Programs & Facilities:**

The Town of Harrison Resident Identification System is used at all Recreation facilities and programs, and will expire on December 31st annually.

Seniors (65 and older) Lifetime Pass	\$30
Adult (18 to 64 ) Resident ID Card	\$30
Youth (K thru 17) Resident ID Card	\$5

**Program Fees:**

Resident/Fitness ID Card	\$130
Fitness ID with current Resident ID Card	\$100

Enclose your old Harrison Resident ID Card, ***recent utility bill*** with a check for proper amount payable to Town/Village of Harrison  
mail to: Harrison Recreation  
1 Heineman Place  
Harrison, NY 10528

**To renew in person:**

You must bring in your old Harrison Resident ID Card, ***recent utility bill*** with a check for proper amount payable to Town/Village of Harrison

**New ID card**

You must show a photo ID, ***recent utility bill*** and photo must be taken at time of registration. Fee: \$30.00

**Daily Hours:**

Sollazzo Center 9:00am - 4:00pm Monday-Friday  
Mintzer Center 9:00am - 4:00pm Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri, Tues 1-4:00pm

**Night Hours:**

Sollazzo Center 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Monday Only  
Leo Mintzer Center 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Wednesday Only

To replace a lost card there is a processing fee of \$10.00