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North Carroll Recreation Council Newsletter

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Membership

Join now to become a member of the North Carroll Recreation Council (NCRC). Prices are \$15.00 for a one year membership, \$25.00 for a two year membership and \$45.00 for a five year membership. As a member you will enjoy discounts on all NCRC programs and activities. **You will also receive an NCRC Discount Card that will allow you unlimited discounts for one-year at 18 local businesses.** You will also receive newsletters to keep you informed of recent and upcoming events. **Membership allows you the opportunity to provide input to any of the NCRC activities and attend council meetings in the Senior Center (across from North Carroll Middle School on the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 8:00 p.m.)** To register, please download the registration form on our website www.northcarrollrec.org, complete and mail it to the address identified on the form.

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Ballet, Dance, Jazz

Happy Fall from everyone at NCRC Dance! The studio is staying very busy with so many young students dancing throughout each week! We will accept new registrations for dance classes through December 15, 2014.

This fall/winter season, we offer 2 fun Mini Dance Workshops that are for anyone looking to have a good time dancing with us! Any level of experience can attend. To sign up, visit our studio anytime, call us at 410-374-0622, or email us at ncrcdance@live.com!

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Holidays in NYC Mini Dance Workshop

Tuesday, November 25, 2014

5:00 pm-7:00 pm

For ages 6-10 years

Cost: \$35.00 due at sign up

There's no better way to get into the Holiday Spirit than taking a step right into New York City! During this Mini Dance Workshop, young dancers will get a NYC experience right at home! They'll travel to popular landmarks in NYC, learn about the famous Radio City Rockettes, create a holiday dance NYC themed craft, and even learn an iconic "Kick-line" from the Radio City Christmas Spectacular! A light snack will be provided for the dancers. At the conclusion of the Mini Dance Workshop, parents will be invited in for a short performance from the dancers, showcasing what they've learned during the 2 hours. Dancers should come dressed in their favorite holiday colors- red, green, gold, & silver....and anything festive they can think of! Come spend a festive evening of dancing with us!!!

For more information contact: Jessica Etzel at 410-374-0622 or ncrcdance@live.com

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Nutcracker Princess Mini Dance Workshop

Saturday, December 13, 2014

4:00 pm-6:00 pm

For ages 4-8 years

Cost: \$35.00 due at sign up

Every young child who is interested in dance should experience the famed holiday Nutcracker Ballet. If your child loves this cheerful holiday show, or if she hasn't experienced it yet, why not try out the Nutcracker Princess Mini Dance Workshop!!! We'll learn the Nutcracker story, dance parts of the main role of Clara, create a Nutcracker themed craft, and get into the holiday spirit with our festive dancing! If your daughter is a girly girl- THIS is the mini workshop for her! A light snack will be provided for the dancers. At the conclusion of the Mini Dance Workshop, parents will be invited in for a short performance from the dancers, showcasing what they've learned during the 2 hours. Dancers should come dressed in their favorite pink & purple clothing.....and, if they'd like to wear a tutu that is even better! Come spend a fun evening with us, sharing in this special holiday event!!!

For more information contact: Jessica Etzel at 410-374-0622 or ncrcdance@live.com

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D&J's Dynamic Dance Co. Italian Dinner & Preview Show

If your child is even slightly interested in joining a competitive dance team for the 2015-2016 season, this is a great event to come and preview our performance. This event will be held on Friday, December 5, 2014, starting at 6:30 pm at North Carroll High School. Tickets will be on sale at the studio in November. When you purchase a ticket for our Italian Dinner & Preview Show, you are getting a delicious meal, along with entertainment for the evening.....and supporting a great team of kids! This is a great opportunity for people in our community to see our dancers in their first performance of the year- it's a small one, but a good one. If you are interested in attending, please email the D&J's Fundraising Committee at dandjfeet@comcast.net.

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NCRC Dance Recitals 2015!!!

Don't miss out on one of the most exciting times of the year for our dancers- their annual recitals!!!! Recital dates are listed below- all 3 performances are conveniently held at North Carroll High School. Tickets for our recitals will go on sale at the beginning of May 2015. Mark your calendars!

Friday, June 19, 2015 @ 7:00 pm

Saturday, June 20, 2015 @ 11:00 am

Saturday, June 20, 2015 @ 5:00 pm

For more information contact: Jessica Etzel at 410-374-0622 or ncrcdance@live.com

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Field Hockey

NCRC Storm Field Hockey has completed another successful season. A big thanks to the parents for bringing their kids to practices and games and their continued support of the program. Also a big thanks to the coaches for their continued commitment and dedication to insuring a quality program to our future field hockey players. Lastly, a huge Thank You to the players for them just being them and taking pride in playing field hockey.

We will again be entering teams to participate in the indoor field hockey league offered at Four Seasons for middle school aged players. This league is solely run by Four Seasons, they decide game times, rules and pricing. Four Seasons plans to have games on Tuesday evenings starting around the week of November 25, 2014. If you are interested in playing or coaching please contact Jill Gouge at JLGouge@qis.net or call 410-374-3556. Prices will be determined by player interest.

This spring we are also planning on offering spring field hockey. More information to come.

For those that do not know about the Storm Field hockey program, here is a quick glimpse. The program divides players by grade and is open to K -8 (9th graders are welcome to participate if they are not playing in high school). We participate in the MYFHL which includes recreational teams from Carroll, Baltimore, Harford, and Howard County. Practices are usually twice per week with games

on Sunday, starting after Labor Day.

Players need a mouth guard, goggles, stick and shin guards.

If your child thinks they want to play but are not sure, they can try the Summer Field Hockey Camp held at North Carroll High School.

For more information on registration and/or the summer camp please visit our website at

www.leaguelineup.com/ncrcfieldhockey or contact Jill Gouge at jlougou@qis.net or call 410-374-3556.

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Horseback Riding (English)

Country Hill Farm is a great place to learn how to ride - Beginner to Advanced English riding lessons. We are open to the public.

Country Hill Farm will be hosting horse shows **December 14 and December 20 and 21, 2014.**

For more information go onto our website

www.countryhillhorsefarm.com or call 410-876-2950.

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Hooked On Hoops Basketball Camp

The 10th Annual Hooked on Hoops Basketball Camp will take place this summer at Manchester Valley High School for Boys and Girls ages 5-14. Directed by Mt. St. Mary's University Hall of Fame Women's Basketball Player and Manchester Valley Varsity Girls' Basketball Coach, Heather DeWees, the camps are designed for players of all levels who want to improve their fundamental basketball skills. Several high schools, travel and AAU coaches will serve on staff along with standout high school and college players from the area.

The 2015 Skills and Drills Academy will be held in the AM and the 2015 Advanced Camp will be held in the PM during the weeks of July 13-16 and July 20-23. The morning session will focus on individual skills and the afternoon will focus on team skills and

scrimmage scenarios. All PM campers must attend the AM session. Brochures will be available ONLINE at NorthCarrollRec.org and via email after February 1st. Please email Coach DeWees to be placed on the email list. Please register early as camp sessions sell out. Early Registration, NCRC and Sibling Discounts are all available. **There is NO ONLINE REGISTRATION available for this camp. Please email hookdhoops@aol.com or call 443-375-7757 for more information.**

2015 Hooked On Hoops dates and sessions are listed below and will be held at MVHS:

July 13-16 Mon - Thurs 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. Skills and Drills Academy boys and girls ages 5-14

July 13-15 Mon - Wed 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. Skills and Drills Academy boys and girls ages 9-14

July 20-23 Mon - Thurs 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. Skills and Drills Academy boys and girls ages 5-14

July 20-22 Mon - Wed 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. Skills and Drills Academy boys and girls ages 9-14

*Players attending both AM & PM sessions will pack a lunch and are supervised during the lunch break.

Heather S. DeWees

Social Studies Teacher
Coach

North Carroll High School
School

410-751-3450

Girls' Varsity Basketball

Manchester Valley High

410-386-1673

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Football and Cheerleading

The 2014 year was another great year for the North Carroll Rec Titans Football & Cheer. We once again had the highest winning percentage of all football programs in Carroll County. In fact, seven of our nine teams across all ages and experienced levels qualified for playoffs and six of them were ranked in the top ten teams for their division in the State of Maryland. We had several new additions this year including Under Armour jerseys that the players

can keep, new "high school" quality goal posts, and upgraded equipment. Next year we are planning improvements to our field surface and better lighting for night games.

Our cheer squads will be participating in the Fall Competition at University of Maryland's Cole Field House and we are organizing the first ever Winter Competition Cheer for this season. We are looking forward to welcoming more families to our organization for winter cheer and football in 2015. **For more information, please visit www.ncrcfootball.com.**

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Manchester Wrestling - Registration for 2014-2015

Registration for boys 5 to 15 years of age. Wrestlers will compete in the Maryland Junior Wrestling League and the Carroll Wrestling Association. Matches are usually on Saturday. Practices start November 11, 2014 and are held on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm, in the wrestling rooms at North Carroll High School and Manchester Valley High School. Practice times and locations may change based on the availability of facilities. The program runs through the last week of March 2015. You can register by mail or at practice. A copy of a birth certificate must be submitted at registration.

Fee: Members \$75, Non-members \$85 (Discount for more than one child per family--\$10 per child).

Registration after October 22nd will be subject to availability. REFUND POLICY - No refunds will be given if requested after December 1st.

More information, including Registration, Behavior Standards and Transfer Policy forms (click on Handouts) is available, on line, at our website www.leaguelineup.com/manchesterwrestling . Print the forms, complete them, and mail, along with your check (NCRC) and a copy of proof of birth, to: 4758 Schalk Road #1, Manchester, MD 21102. New wrestlers must complete all three forms and furnish a copy of their birth certificate. Returning wrestlers are only required to complete the registration form.

For more info, contact Kenny Kiler at 410-239-7028

kiler@hughes.net , or Jason Myers at 410-913-9563
jkm Myers01@yahoo.com.

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Soccer

This Spring the North Carroll Soccer Club will once again be offering a Spring Soccer Recreational League. The Spring Season will be from Mid-March through Mid-May with weeknight practices and Saturday and Sunday games. Registration will open online on January 15th and close on March 1st . Details will be posted on the www.northcarrollsoccer.com website and the NCSC Facebook page as they become available. **Registration will be limited, so mark your calendars to register January 1st for Spring Soccer.**

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Basketball

REGISTRATION WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

In-house boys & girls (grades 3 - 8) registration is closed.

Clinic boys & girls (K-2nd) registration is open through November 21st.

[Website Link Here](#)

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Striking Cobra Newsletter

Striking Cobra Martial Arts is ready for winter with our 15th year in with the N.C.R.C. SCMA is a Kenpo - based style infused with judo and jujitsu. We welcome both children (7 years old and up) and adults (any age), with classes being held:

Tuesdays (Children 6:30-7:30 and Adults 7:30 -8:30)

Friday classes are combined and run from 6:30-7:30.

We are located on Route 27 in West Chester Square. We share space with the NCRC Dance program. Tuition for SCMA is due monthly, with no contracts to sign.

For additional information contact us at

strikingcobrama@gmail.com **or come in to talk to someone in person.**

Your first class is always free!

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Scholarship Entries

The North Carroll Recreation Council will again offer scholarships in the amount of up to \$1,500.00 to any qualified high school senior. This scholarship was established to reward graduating seniors who actively participated in any N.C.R.C. program or contributed as a volunteer and wish to further their education. Application forms and additional information may be obtained from the North Carroll High School Guidance Office, Manchester Valley High School Guidance Office or the North Carroll Branch of the Carroll County Library. Completed applications must be postmarked on or before April 15, 2015. **For more information email NCRCScholarship@yahoo.com**

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North Carroll HOTSHOTS!

The North Carroll Hotshots Girls Fastpitch Organization is currently holding open registrations for the upcoming 2015 softball season. Hotshots Fastpitch is the premier softball organization that is a member of the North Carroll Recreation Council. The Hotshots

offer softball for age groups 8u/10u/12u/14u and 16/18u. Hotshots Softball participates in the Mason Dixon and Central Maryland Leagues and also participates in tournament play. Hotshots are offering both recreation and competitive softball teams. We also have a 6u age group for our younger players.

North Carroll Hotshots are coached by a variety of experienced coaches at all age groups. Hotshots Softball will be offering free skills clinics for all registered players starting in January. There also will be a variety of other clinics that will be offered. **To register or if you need more information you can go to our website www.ncrchotshots.org or the North Carroll Rec Council website for online registration. Any questions feel free to contact Mike at 410-259-7426.**

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NCRC Western Winter Riding Programs

SWEET ROCK STABLES, INC.,
5112 Roller Road, Millers, MD 21102

WESTERN RECREATIONAL RIDING LESSONS WINTER SPECIAL

\$25.00 Riding Lessons

OFFER ENDS MARCH 31, 2015

Holiday Gift Certificates also available

Hourly private western riding lessons are available in our indoor, lighted arena. You will learn proper grooming and saddling of your horse. The cost of your first lesson is \$25.00 which is a \$15.00 savings.

**For more information contact your coordinator Roxy Baldwin
410-374-3870 OR Roxy@sweetrockstables.com**

One Day Holiday Camps 12/27 OR 12/28

For Ages 5 and above. Hours are 9:30 a.m. to Noon. The camp fees are \$45.00 per day.

- Equine Knowledge
- Grooming
- Showmanship
- Riding and Horse Handling Activities

➤ Dismounted Abilities

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Girls Lacrosse Program Spring 2015 Update

NCGL Spring Season 2015 player registration is now open. Please join us for an exciting season of lacrosse, learning, and fun. Coaching and teams will be available for players of all levels, beginner to advance. Please check the website - www.ncgirlslax.com - for schedule changes and program updates.

Player registration and important program information are included with this announcement. This year, player registration will be through our E-Registration site only. Please select the 'Registration' link at www.ncgirlslax.com. There will be no mail in or in person registrations for the 2015 spring season.

Age Determination for the 2015 Season

- Pockets 09/01/07 - 08/31/09 (Kindergarten and 1st grade)
- Tykers 09/01/05 - 08/31/07 (2nd and 3rd grade)
- Lightning 09/01/03 - 08/31/05 (4th and 5th grade)
- Midgets 09/01/01 - 08/31/03 (6th and 7th grade)
- Juniors 09/01/99 - 08/31/01 (8th and 9th grade)

Registration Dates

Pre-Evaluation 2015 - Now thru November 8th.

Post-Evaluation 2015 - November 9th thru January 3rd.

Registration Costs for the 2015 Season

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| 1. Pockets | \$ 90.00 |
| 2. Tykers | \$160.00 |
| 3. Lightning | \$185.00 |
| 4. Midgets | \$185.00 |
| 5. Juniors | \$185.00 |

NCGL 2016 Spring E-Registration Portal

<https://northcarroll.visionproregistration.com/families/login>

NCGL 2015 League Information

NCGL is a member of the Maryland Youth Lacrosse Association, known as MYLA and our Tykers, Lightning, Midgets and Junior's teams will be registered to play other member programs. MYLA is a travel program and games can be scheduled Monday thru Sunday during the regular season at member field locations in Carroll, Baltimore, Harford and Howard counties. Our Pockets program participates with the Carroll Girls Lacrosse League (CGL), of which NCGL is a founding member. CGL members include North Carroll, Westminster (WAX), Gamber, Freedom and South Carroll Girls Lacrosse programs with games being held on Saturdays at member field locations.

**Please note that NCGL is working hard to keep player registration costs as low as possible which is harder in a time of climbing costs. For the 2015 spring season, we have kept all age group fees the same other than our Pockets age group, where an increase was necessary due to increased uniform, referee, and tournament costs. Unfortunately, an increase could not be prevented.

NCGL Registration Discounts

North Carroll Recreation Council Members will receive a \$5.00 discount per player.

A \$5.00 discount will be applied on second or third child if you have multiple girls playing.

NCGL 2015 Season Refund Policy

- 100% refund before 12/01/14 (less admin fee)
- 50% refund before 12/31/15 (less admin fee)
- 0% after 01/11/15

**\$15 administrative fee applies to all refunds

NCGL 2015 Spring Season Player Evaluations

Player evaluations for the spring 2015 season will be held this year outdoors on Sunday, November 9th from 12 pm to 5 pm at Hampstead Municipal Park in Hampstead, Maryland. Age group times and dates will be posted at www.ncgirlslax.com by Sunday, November 2nd. Evaluation attendance is mandatory for Tyker, Lightning, Midgets and Junior's age groups and you must be registered for the 2015 spring season

to attend evaluations. There are no evaluations for the Pockets age Group. Evaluations are an important process in determining player skills and proper team placement. **For players who do not attend evaluations, there will be no guarantee on team placement by skill.** Please bring a mouth guard, lacrosse stick, and goggles to evaluations.

2015 NCGL Winter Training

2015 Winter Team Training for all age groups, by team assignment will be held at Four Seasons Sports Complex full indoor turf field starting on Sunday, January 11, 2015 and continuing weekly through Sunday, March 15, 2015. Team practice times will be posted at www.ncgirlslax.com by

Sunday, December 28, 2014. Winter Training Session dates are:

January 2015

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| 1. Sunday, January 11, 2015 | 12 pm to 2 pm |
| 2. Sunday, January 18, 2015 | 12 pm to 2 pm |
| 3. Sunday, January 25, 2015 | 12 pm to 2 pm |

February 2014

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| 5. Sunday, February 1, 2015 | 12 pm to 2 pm |
| 6. Sunday, February 8, 2015 | 12 pm to 2 pm |
| 7. Sunday, February 15, 2015 | 12 pm to 2 pm |
| 8. Sunday, February 22, 2015 | 12 pm to 2 pm |

March 2015

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| 9. Sunday, March 1, 2015 | 12 pm to 2 pm |
| 10. Sunday, March 8, 2015 | 12 pm to 2 pm |
| 11. Sunday, March 15, 2015 | 12 pm to 2 pm |

2015 Spring Season Important Dates

2015 Team Assignments - Coaches will be issued rosters by Sunday, January 4, 2015 and parents will be notified by Saturday, January 10, 2015.

2015 Team and roster submissions deadline to MYLA (Maryland Youth Lacrosse Association) is February 17, 2015

Indoor Team Practices to begin by Sunday, January 11, 2015 using shared indoor turf field at Four Season Sports complex on Sundays, between 12 am and 2 pm.

2015 Field Day is scheduled for Saturday, March 7, 2015 with a rain date of Sunday, March 8, 2015.

Full outdoor practices to begin on Sunday, March 15, 2015 on school fields.

Spring 2015 Tournament Schedule

Tyker, Lightning, Midgets & Juniors Age Groups

Shamrock Shoot Out 2015 Tournament Dates

Saturday & Sunday - March 21 - 22, 2015

MLC Tournament

Sunday – May 17, 2015

LaxSplash 2015 Tournament Dates

May 29 – 31, 2015

LaxMax 2015 Tournament Dates

June 5 – 7, 2015

Pockets Age Group

Freedom Pockets Play Day Tournament

Saturday, May 30, 2015

**The NCGL will be covering the team registration cost for (Tyker thru Junior's) the Shamrock Shootout Tournament on March 21 – 22, 2015 and the Brine LaxSplash Tournament held on May 29 - 31, 2015. Teams will be formed from players within the age group on a first come, first served basis. NCGL will cover associated team registration cost for the Pocket Playday Tournament held on Saturday, May 30, 2015.

2015 NC Girls Lacrosse LaxFest /Picture Day - Saturday, May 2nd, 2015

Times and dates are subject to change, please check our web site at www.ncgirlslax.com.

Thank you for your continuing support of the North Carroll Girls Lacrosse program. We are in need of **team parents, team sponsors, field maintenance, and administrative positions.**

Please volunteer, your help is needed. **GO NORTH CARROLL!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**

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