



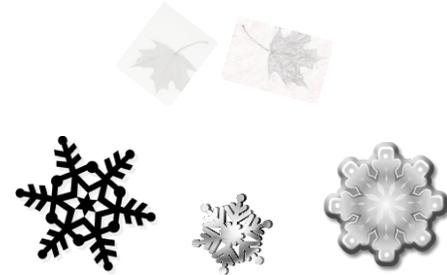
WINTER FEST

The annual Homer WinterFest will take place on January 27th and 28th, 2017. Start the festivities Friday evening with Homer Elks' Fish Fry followed by the bonfire and the Village of Homer Recreation sponsored dance from 7-9 pm. Saturday morning will begin with a pancake breakfast at the Community Building followed by the parade. There are children's events at the Elementary School, and antiques and craft fair at the Intermediate School. You will need a team to enter the human dog sled race, or just come and watch the fun! You be the Judge annual Chili Cook-off will be held at Hobeau's. The David Harum Senior Center holds a flea market sale and also has for sale their well-known pizza, whoopee pies, cinnamon buns and FREE popcorn! Enjoy the wine tasting at the American Legion! Check out the WINTERFEST website <http://www.homerwinterfest.org> for more information or any changes

DAVID HARUM SENIOR CENTER

Seniors, 60 and over meet at the David Harum Senior Center, Monday through Thursday; the schedule may vary due to holidays and weather. Monday 9:30 to noon painting classes are held and the Center opens at 2:00 p.m. with an evening dinner beginning at 4:30 p.m., followed by card games. The first Monday of the month, get there early, is homemade pizza night! Tuesday through Thursday, the Center opens at 9:00 a.m. and lunch is served from 11:30 – 12:30. Ceramic classes are held from 9:00 – 11:30 each Tuesday. Join the Wii activities on Wednesday and the last Wednesday of the month is Pancake brunch from 10:30 – 12:00. The Wednesday before Thanksgiving (Nov. 23rd) will be celebrated with a Thanksgiving lunch, served family style. The Wednesday before Christmas (Dec 21st) will also be celebrated with a special Christmas lunch. Please call the Center to make reservations for lunches at 749-2362 or with any questions.

Fall and Winter Programs



Village of Homer Recreation Department 2016 – 2017



<http://www.homerny.org>

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*** There is now a non-resident fee of \$10. Anyone not in the Village of Homer or Town of Cortlandville must add \$10 to program costs.

PARKS:

HARRY A. CALALE PARK

Located on West Street. (Rt. 281). This Facility is used for Softball, Football, Tee-ball and Lacrosse.

ALBERT J DURKEE MEMORIAL PARK

Located on Rt. 11 one half mile north of the center of the Village Green. Durkee Park has a pavilion, picnic facilities, fishing spots, and a playground with in a beautiful and quite setting for the whole family to enjoy.

NEWTON PARK

Located on the corner of Cayuga St. and Bartlett Ave. Three blocks west of Main St. This Park has a neighborhood recreation area with swings and slide.

GEORGE VERNUM MEMORIAL PARK

Located on Main St. just south of the Homer Fire Station and behind the Homer Recreation Department. This facility provides a lighted basketball court and off street parking.

NEWTON WATER WORKS PARK

Located on Route 281 (North West Street). This facility offers a picnic pavilion.

GRIGGS FIELD

Located on Hudson Street, behind Newton Water Works. This facility is the home field of Homer Little League, and Tee-ball

Pavilion Reservations: To reserve a pavilion in the Village, contact the Recreation Office at 53 South Main St. Homer, N.Y. 13077. Phone number is 749-2161. Reservations for pavilion use accepted after January 1, 2016, during business hours.

Look Forward to Spring



Easter Egg Hunt – Saturday, April 15, 2017
12:00 noon on the Village Green

Spring sign-ups
Watch the Village Web Site
<http://www.homerny.org>



School Break Days

9/5/16 - Labor Day, 10/6/2016 – 15 minute early dismissal, 10/7/16- Staff Development Day, 10/10/16- Columbus Day, 11/11/16-Veteran's Day, 11/14/16 - Parent Conference Day K-12, 11/23/16 - 11/25/16 - Thanksgiving Break, 12/26/16-1/02/2017- Holiday Recess, 1/16/2017- Martin Luther King Day, 1/30/2017- Early Dismissal ½ day, 2/20/2017- 2/24/2017 - Winter Recess, 3/17/2017-Staff Development Day, 4/14/2017 – 4/21/2017-Spring Recess, 5/29/2017- Memorial Day. Other Dates and times to be announced in the Cortland Standard or Homer School website at www.homercentral.org

If school is cancelled there will be no activities.

Village of Homer 2016– 2017



Fall/Winter Recreation Schedule

Office Hours:

Fall & Winter Hours
Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

About this Brochure:

This brochure includes events and programs that will be available for the fall and winter seasons. Some of the programs have special registration dates and times. Please check the website (<http://www.homerny.org>) for any changes to the information and keep this for future reference.

For More Information:

Additional information can be obtained by calling the Recreation Department during office hours at 749-2161, website at <http://www.homerny.org> or e-mail us at homerrecdir@gmail.com

Recreation Staff:

Recreation Director	TBD
Recreation Assistant	Karen Gaebler
Boys Basketball	Steve Franco
Girls Basketball 7,8 & 9-12	Roger Sager
Girls Basketball K - 6	Roger Sager
Homer Youth Football	Patrick Quinn
Homer Flag Football	Mark Bertram
Cheerleading	Julie McChesney

Village Government:

Mayor
Genevieve Suits
Trustees
Patrick Clune, Ed Finkbeiner,
Kevin Slack, Eugene Smith

Recreation Commission:

Chairperson, Gary Harrington
Commission Members
Michelle Baker, Ward Dukelow, Matt Small,
Brian Pepper, and Jeff Shattuck

Sign –up Sheets

Registration forms are available at the Recreation Department, 53 South Main Street or the Village of Homer website at <http://www.homerny.org> Watch the Cortland Standard for any special announcements.

PLEASE NOTE: I, the Mayor, and the Board of Trustees support the registration deadline (no exception) as posted in this brochure and on registration forms. This should allow programs to begin as scheduled and with hats, shirts, etc. received by program start dates.

Genevieve A. Suits

Special thanks to:

*Lawrence "Buzz" Barber &
Village DPW
Radio Station
Oldies 101.5
Homer School District
Director of Athletics
Mike Carboine*

Note to Parents and Players:

We look forward to working with you again this fall. A small reminder to everyone, that these are RECREATION programs. We want everyone to have fun and maybe learn some skills along the way. Please remember that our coaches are volunteers and our rules are often modified to accomplish these goals.

Liability

The Village of Homer (or anyone acting on its behalf) is not responsible for any injury, damage or other claim of any nature as a result of an individual's participation in a Village recreational program, except if the injury, claim or damage is caused by the gross negligence of the Village of Homer (or anyone acting on its behalf).



Senior Walking

This program is for any adult who would like to get some exercise by walking in a safe environment. If you are interested in this year's program it will be held at the Jr. High / Intermediate School. The Halls will be available, when school is in session, October 24th – March 24th from 4 to 9 p.m. Please contact the Recreation Department at 749 – 2161 if you have any questions.



BODY BAR FITNESS - This toning class is held at the **Center for the Arts**. This is a low impact class that focuses on toning, utilizing a **BODY BAR** (weighted bar) for all muscle groups, including abs. All levels of fitness are welcome! **Classes are held Wednesdays 6:00 PM and Saturdays 8:30 AM. Cost is \$6/class, punch cards are available for a discounted rate.**

Contact *Valerie Cleland* at vcleland70@gmail.com or call (607)280-8649 for a current schedule as there are additional locations/times added through the year.

Other Activities



Christmas on the Green Ceremony

December 9th from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. join the fun and festivities. Bring children of all ages to see **Santa** and receive a special treat. Hot chocolate and cookies will be available for all to enjoy.

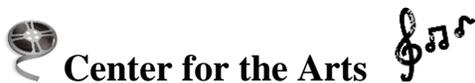
Skating on the Green



Program will run December 1st until March 2nd weather permitting

Halloween October 31st

Cider and Donuts at the American Legion 5 – 7:30 p.m.
Candy check at the Fire Station by TLC and the Homer Police Department 6 – 9 p.m.



Center for the Arts Free Events

Please check out their website and other events at
<http://www.Center4art.org>

Support your local football team Homer Youth Flag Football 2016 Schedule

To Be Announced

2016 Schedule Senior Division Homer Youth Tackle Game Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Senior</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
9/17	Groton	Home	3:00pm
9/24	South Seneca	Away	3:00pm
10/1	Dryden	Home	3:00pm
10/8	Ithaca	Away	2:30pm
10/15	Moravia	Home	3:00pm
10/23	Lansing	Away	3:00pm
10/29	Tully	Home	3:00pm

2016 Schedule Junior Division

<u>Date</u>	<u>Junior White</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
9/17	Groton	Home	1:00pm
9/24	South Seneca	Away	1:00pm
10/1	Dryden	Home	1:00pm
10/8	Ithaca	Away	12:30pm
10/15	Moravia	Home	1:00pm
10/23	Lansing	Away	1:00pm
10/29	Tully	Home	1:00pm

Cheerleaders will be cheering at the tackle football games. Come out and support your local teams and cheer them on!

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th & 6th Grade Boys Basketball

Program opens November 7th and runs through December 16th, Practices will primarily consist of Fundamental skills and technique work progressing to scrimmage style game play later in the session. Practices times are:

1st & 2nd Monday 5:30-7:00pm @ EL & Saturday 8-9:00am @ IN
3rd & 4th Wednesday 5:30-7:00pm @ EL & Saturday 9-10:00am @ IN
5th Monday 7:00-8:30pm @ EL & Saturday 10-11:00am @ IN
6th Wednesday 7-8:30 pm @ EL & Saturday 11-12pm @ IN

Cost: Resident \$35.00 Non-resident: \$45.00
Deadline for Registration: October 30, 2016 – No Exceptions

3rd, 4th, 5th & 6th Grade Boy's Travel Basketball

Practices for boy's travel basketball will begin January. Practices will be Monday or Tuesday nights and most games will be on Saturdays. This program will run through mid March. Practice days and times are subject to change based on gym availability.

7th & 8th Grade Boy's Travel Basketball

Practices for boy's travel basketball will begin January. Practices will be Monday or Tuesday nights and most games will be on Saturdays. This program will run through mid-March. Practice days and times are subject to change based on gym availability.

**MUST PARTICIPATE WITH INHOUSE PROGRAM
TO PARTICIPATE IN THE TRAVEL LEAGUE**

Cost: Resident \$35.00 Non-resident: \$45.00
Deadline for registration: December 16, 2016 - No Exceptions

Registrations forms on website or at Recreation Office



K - 3rd Grade Girls Basketball

A combination of drills for improving fundamentals & basic skills and scrimmages. This program will run Jan. – Feb. The schedule will be TBD on gym space.

Resident Cost: \$35.00 Non-Resident: \$45.00



4th & 6th Grade Girls Basketball

The schedule will be TBD on gym space. A combination of drills for improving fundamentals & basic skills and scrimmages. This program will run Nov. – Feb.

Resident Cost: \$35.00 Non-Resident: \$45.00



Girl's 7th & 8th Grade Basketball

Days & times may vary due to holiday, school activities and Roger Sager's availability

Starting October 1st through December 17th. This program will run Thursday nights from 6:30 until 8:30p.m., and Saturday 12:00-2:00 pm. Resident Cost: \$35.00 Non-Resident: \$45.00



9th – 12th Grade Girls Basketball

This program allows you to brush up on skills 50% drills/50% scrimmage September 7th through November 5th

Resident Cost \$15.00 Non-Resident \$25.00



Ski & Snow Board Club



Labrador Mountain Tuesdays Grades 3-5 and Fridays Grades 6-12 Ski Pass \$99.00, Bus Fee \$30.00 and \$10.00 non-resident fee (if applicable) if paid by **DEADLINE November 30, 2016** **After November 30th and before December 23rd:** Ski Pass \$99.00, Bus Fee \$45.00 and \$10.00 non-resident fee (if applicable) Registrations accepted through 4:00 December 23rd. Parents are welcome to participate at Pass Cost of \$120.00, subject to nonresident fee is applicable

Registrations will be available Village website homerny.org or at the Recreation Office.