



Western DuPage Special Recreation Association (WDSRA)
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We are the Western DuPage Special Recreation Association providing social and recreational programs for children, teens and adults right here in DuPage County.

BIG THANK YOU

We want to give a big thanks to WDSRA staff Phil, Ryan, Macey, and Emily for supporting the Special Olympics at Sunday's Polar Plunge! They participated in the plunge held in St. Charles Sunday morning.

WDSRA is proud to offer a variety of Special Olympic sports and field dozens of teams.

SUMMER CAMP BROCHURE: Is online!

Make summer a great experience for both you and your camper! Camps are filled with sports, games, crafts, swimming, and a whole host of other fun activities that will make 2024 a summer to remember.

Registration Opens: 3/18

Registration Ends: 4/5

Lottery Spun: 4/8

Find the 2024 Summer Camp brochure [here!](#)

FOCUS GROUP INVITATION: Marianjoy

Marianjoy wants to hear from you! Your voice is needed to better identify and understand the needs of those living with a disability. Whether you are a person with a disability, a caregiver or an advocate, we need your input. Register by Friday, March 8th

For complete details click [here.](#)

SPECIAL NEEDS SCREENING: Kung Fu Panda 4

Saturday, March 16th @ 11am

Studio Movie Grill

301 Rice Lake Square, Wheaton

As a reminder, the SMG sensory friendly Special Needs Screenings present movies with the lights up and the volume low. Moving around, talking, and even dancing in the aisles is welcome. Tickets are available at the box office as early as the Wednesday prior to these screenings. Tickets are free for all attendees. Please check the website to confirm dates and showings.

Complete details at www.studiomoviegrill.com.

SUMMER HIRING: Secure Your Summer Job NOW!

Interested in working programs? Know someone who is? Please pass this along!

We are hiring program staff for camps, swim lessons, inclusion, and more!

For complete details or to apply, visit <https://secure6.saashr.com/ta/6189871.careers?CareersSearch>.

THANK YOU

We want to extend a big thank you to all our guests, sponsors, donors and volunteers who made this event spectacular! It was great to see so many people come out in support of our participants and families! We are working on a full recap to be able to report – we will post that on our website soon. The evening was filled with great people being very generous and having a really fun time.

The Bash is our signature fundraiser held Saturday, March 2nd at the Abbington, Glen Ellyn

Wrap

With that, all I can do is wrap it up. If you have any questions about anything we talked about here today, please give us a call. We are happy to answer them all! Contact us at 630-681-0962 or check out our website at www.wdsra.com. And please, stay connected with us by following us on Facebook or signing up for our enews.

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Western DuPage Special Recreation Association (WDSRA) provides engaging, community-based recreational programs and inclusion services for children, teens, and adults with special needs. WDSRA offers Special Olympics, adapted sports, dance and art programs, camps, trips, special events, and more. WDSRA's mission, the development of individuals through recreation, makes it possible for individuals to grow personally, connect with their community and discover their potential.

WDSRA is an award-winning organization and a cooperative extension of nine park districts serving the communities of Bloomingdale, Carol Stream, Glen Ellyn, Naperville, Roselle, Warrenville, West Chicago, Wheaton, and Winfield.

MISSION *We enrich lives, connect communities and create fun through inclusive recreational opportunities.*

VISION *A world of opportunities, belonging and individuals reaching their full potential.*

Learn more at www.wdsra.com.