



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.*

### **FALL BROCHURE: Online now**

The fall program brochure is online. Be sure to check out all your favorites and NEW programs being offered. Fall registration ends Friday, 8/4 @ 5pm.

*You can find the brochure at [www.wdsra.com](http://www.wdsra.com)!*

### **DONOR IMPACT: Scholarships**

**Thank you Duly Health and Care!** WDSRA recently received a generous \$7,500 grant from the DuPage Medical Group Charitable Fund, a donor advised fund of The DuPage Community Foundation, dba DuPage Foundation. The grant is to provide scholarships for individuals facing financial challenges.

Everyone needs to have access to programs regardless of their financial challenges. The ability to pay should never limit someone's access to special recreation. This grant will help ensure that those needing assistance will receive it.

**THANK YOU DULY HEALTH AND CARE FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

### **MORTON ARBORETUM: Sensory Friendly Hour in the Children's Garden**

Sensory friendly times are being offered in the Children's Garden at The Morton Arboretum. You can enjoy a quieter environment with limited attendance AND access a variety [of supports](#) including a social story, choice board and sensory map to prepare for your visit. It can be a memorable experience for the whole family!

**Mondays, 8/7 & 8/14 @ 5:15pm-6:15pm**

*Complete information can be found at <https://mortonarb.org/location/childrens-garden/#access-and-inclusion>.*

### **SPECIAL NEEDS SWIM: Sunset Pool**

These inclusive and welcoming evenings dedicate the pool to creating a calm and enjoyable environment so individuals can experience the freedom and therapeutic benefits of swimming. Whether

you want to practice your strokes, enjoy the weightless sensation of floating, or simply unwind, Sensory Swim is the perfect opportunity.

**Monday, 8/7 @ 6-7:30pm**

**Sunset Pool, 483 Fairview Ave., Glen Ellyn**

Resident: \$3 per person

Nonresident: \$4 per person

**For more information, visit <https://gepark.org/sunsetpool/> or call 630-858-7665.**

### **TASTE OF ROSELLE: Stop by our Table!**

**WDSRA will be there! Stop by and say hi!** The Roselle Lions Club is hosting the 41st Annual Taste of Roselle. Enjoy great food, live entertainment, carnival, craft fair, and more.

Friday 8/4 thru Sunday 8/6

- Friday 6-11pm
- Saturday 12-11pm
- Sunday 12-8pm

Taste of Roselle will be held on Main Street, between Roselle Road and Park Street.

**Visit the [Taste of Roselle on Facebook](#) for details, including the full entertainment lineup.**

### **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](http://www.wdsra.com). And please, stay connected with us by following us on Facebook or signing up for our enews.

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### **WDSRA**

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.*

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