HOLDEN RECREATION SUMMER 2023

Happy 20th Birthday to the Holden Pool!

ALL DAY PROGRAM

HALF DAY PROGRAM

SWIMMING

BASKETBALL

TENNIS

ARTS & CRAFTS

Holden Recreation ▪ (508) 829-0263 ▪ www.HoldenRec.com ▪ holdenrec@holdenma.gov

Registration

Visit our website at

www.HoldenRec.com

Registration is **online only.**

If you have not yet set up an account for your household, please log on to www.HoldenRec.com to create your account using the steps provided on the website.

If you already have an account, be sure to verify all information prior to registration.
All household and member information must be accurate and up-to-date in order to register.

Who can register for Holden Recreation summer programs?

Residents of Holden are able to register for seasonal pool memberships, daily pool passes, and all classes/programs (based on age and availability)

RESIDENT registration and purchases of pool pass memberships and programs begins Monday March 6, 2023 at 9:00am

Program registration requires purchase of a pool pass membership

Non-residents are able to register for some programs (based on age and availability)

NON-RESIDENT registration for **PROGRAMS ONLY** begins Tuesday April 18, 2023 at 9:00a.m

NO seasonal pool pass memberships are available for non-residents

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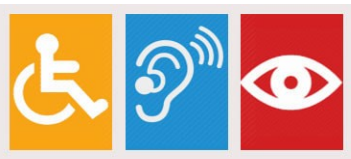
Program Session Dates 2023

**DATE SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON LAST DAY OF WRSD SCHOOL CALENDAR

**Session 1:	June 21 — June 30
Session 2:	July 10 — July 21
Session 3:	July 31 — August 11



No additional user fee or charge is required to make the Town's facilities, programs, services or activities available and accessible to persons with disabilities. Please inform the Recreation Director if you, or a family member, require the attendance of a qualified or licensed personal care attendant.

Town of Holden
Department of Recreation

1204 Main Street (mailing address)
Holden, MA 01520
508-829-0263 ▪ www.holdenrec.com
Office located at 1420 Main Street in Holden (across from WRHS)

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At the time of print this brochure is, to the best of our knowledge, accurate with regards to dates, locations, and program times. Please check www.holdenrec.com for the most up to date information

Pool Admission

SUMMER POOL MEMBERSHIPS are available for Holden residents

online only at www.HoldenRec.com

Pool memberships are required for admission to the pool, use of recreational facilities, and to register for most programs and classes

DAILY POOL PASSES will be available for Holden Residents with proper ID.
They can be purchased in-person (**cash only**) at the pool
or online at www.HoldenRec.com

Non-residents may accompany a Holden resident for the day for an additional fee (see page 5)

Daily passes are available day of to purchase with cash-only at the Pass Checker office.

ONLY DAY PASSES CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE POOL
SEASONAL MEMBERSHIPS CANNOT BE PURCHASED AT THE POOL

CHECKING IN WITH YOUR ID

Residents with seasonal pool memberships or daily passes must provide a valid photo ID and/or proof of residency when checking in at the pool (see page 5)

Registration for Pool Memberships

Online registration for Holden residents will begin **Monday, March 6 at 9:00 a.m.**

What's new at the pool?

The Holden Pool will be offering some exciting new programs and aquatics classes. These include an afternoon half day program, a supervised waterslide class, a toddler splash class, and an new adult swim time group. Our camps and classes will continue to bring fun and excitement to the summer days as we explore new sports like Pickleball!

Pool Hours 2023

The pool will open the first weekend in June for weekend use only.
Weekend hours until school is out for the summer will be Saturday & Sunday from 12:00pm—4:45pm.
Hours of operation change once school is over. (See WRSD website for last day of school information)

SUMMER POOL HOURS

1:00 pm—7:15 pm Monday—Friday (when classes are in session)

11:00 am—7:15 pm Monday—Friday (when classes are **NOT** in session)

*11:00 am—7:15 pm Saturday and Sunday throughout the summer

**See calendar schedule on page 6 for more information*

Recreation Memberships and Passes

****RECREATION MEMBERSHIPS/PASSES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERRABLE****

HOLDEN RESIDENT* INDIVIDUAL POOL MEMBERSHIP **$65**/each

Proof of residency required.

HOLDEN FAMILY* POOL MEMBERSHIP **$182**/family

This DOES NOT include grandparents, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, etc.
Family members listed on family pass purchase must match the town census records
Children younger than 1 do not need a pass, unless they participate in a class.

HOLDEN FAMILY* + NANNY POOL MEMBERSHIP **$247**/family

Includes family (see above) plus one babysitter/nanny
Family must add nanny information to My Rec account

HOLDEN SENIOR* (65+) POOL MEMBERSHIP **$18**/each

DAILY POOL PASS (RESIDENTS ONLY*) **$11** online / **$10** at pool (cash only)

Holden residents only

DAILY POOL GUEST PASS **$20** at pool (cash only)

Must accompany Holden Resident - cash only

Acceptable Forms of ID / Ways to Verify Residency

- Valid license/state issued ID
- Light bill
- Car registration
- Bank statement
- Purchase and sale agreement
- Rental agreement
- Student I.D. (high school only)

Registration and Pool Pass Sales

Online registration for Holden residents will begin Monday, March 6 at 9:00 a.m.

Online registration Non-residents **programs only** will begin Tuesday, April 18 at 9:00 a.m.

Special Events

Join us at the pool for special food themed evenings throughout the summer!

See page 22 for schedule

Facilities

Dawson Recreation and Pool Area
200 Salisbury Street
Holden, MA 01520
(508) 829-6115 Pass Checker Office (open seasonally)

Dawson Recreation and Pool Area

is the home to most of our

summer programming

Holden Pool

Dawson Recreation Pool Facility is equipped with one family pool with beach entry, splash features and slide; and one lap pool with diving board.
To enjoy the pool this summer, you can purchase a seasonal pool membership or a daily pool pass.
Non-resident guests are permitted to purchase a day pass to use the pool facilities when accompanied by a Holden Resident (Holden Resident must be present at the time of entry and remain at the pool with their guest) .
Seasonal memberships are only available for residents.

Basketball, Tennis & Pickleball Courts

See programming information for classes.
The lights are kept on nightly until 10:00 pm.

Playground

Open daily, no charge.

Happy 20th Birthday to the Holden Pool!

The new Dawson Recreation & Holden Pool facilities were opened in 2003, replacing the former pool (pictured right). Join us this summer to celebrate this exciting milestone!

(Former Holden Pool circa 2000)

JUNE 2023

[SCHEDULE IS WEATHER PERMITTING]

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Adult swim times are 3:15—3:30 and 5:15—5:30 daily (at the discretion of the head guard) ∆ **Lap Pool closed** for Swim Team Practice 6pm—7pm (Mon, Tues, Thurs)				1 CLOSED	2 CLOSED	3 **Pool opens** Weekends only 12:00pm—4:45pm
4 12:00pm—4:45pm	5 CLOSED	6 CLOSED	7 CLOSED	8 CLOSED	9 CLOSED	10 12:00pm—4:45pm
11 12:00pm—4:45pm	12 CLOSED	13 CLOSED	14 CLOSED	15 CLOSED	16 CLOSED	17 *12:00pm—4:45pm
18 *12:00pm—4:45pm	19 CLOSED	20 ***Pool opens for the season** *1:00pm—7:15pm	21 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm ***Session 1 starts**	22 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm	23 1:00pm—7:15pm	24 **Saturday swim starts** 11:00am—7:15pm
25 11:00am—7:15pm	26 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm	27 1:00pm—7:15pm	28 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm ▪**Flippin' the Bird** (4-7)	29 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm	30 1:00pm—7:15pm **Session 1 ends** ▪**Potato Potato** (4-7)	

*OPENING DATE SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
*SESSION 1 SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON THE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

▪Food Truck schedule is subject to change

JULY 2023

[SCHEDULE IS WEATHER PERMITTING]

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					▪Food Truck schedule is subject to change	1 11:00am—7:15pm ▪**Off the Hook** (TBD)
2 11:00am—7:15pm	3 11:00am—7:15pm	4 **12:00pm—6:00pm**	5 ∆ 11:00am—7:15pm ▪**Travelin' Bones** (4-7)	6 ∆ 11:00am—7:15pm	7 11:00am—7:15pm ▪**Flippin' the Bird** (4-7)	8 11:00am—7:15pm ▪**TBD** (TBD)
9 11:00am—7:15pm	10 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm **Session 2 starts**	11 1:00pm—7:15pm	12 ∆ 11:00am—7:15pm ▪**Teddy's Lunch Box** (4-7)	13 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm	14 1:00pm—7:15pm ▪**Chick-Fil-A** (4-7)	15 11:00am—7:15pm ▪**Thee Taco Dude** (TBD)
16 11:00am—7:15pm	17 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm	18 1:00pm—7:15pm	19 ∆ 11:00am—7:15pm **Potato Potato** (4-7)	20 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm	21 1:00pm—7:15pm **Session 2 ends** ▪**Thee Taco Dude** (TBD)	22 11:00am—7:15pm ▪**Fired Up Pizza** (TBD)
23 11:00am—7:15pm	24 ∆ 11:00am—7:15pm	25 11:00am—7:15pm	26 ∆ 11:00am—7:15pm ▪**Caribbean Press** (4-7)	27 ∆ 11:00am—7:15pm	28 1:00pm—7:15pm ▪**Morawski** (4-7)	29 11:00am—7:15pm ▪**TBD** (TBD)
30 11:00am—7:15pm	31 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm **Session 3 starts**					

Adult swim times are 3:15—3:30 and 5:15—5:30 daily (at the discretion of the head guard)
∆ **Lap Pool closed** for Swim Team Practice 6pm—7pm (Mon, Tues, Thurs)

AUGUST 2023

[SCHEDULE IS WEATHER PERMITTING]

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
▪Food Truck schedule is subject to change		1 1:00pm—7:15pm	2 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm ▪**Caribbean Press** (4-7)	3 ∆ 1:00pm—7:15pm	4 11:00am—7:15pm ▪**Off the Hook** (4-7)	5 11:00am—7:15pm
6 11:00am—7:15pm	7 1:00pm—7:15pm	8 1:00pm—7:15pm	9 1:00pm—7:15pm ▪**Fired Up Pizza** (4-7)	10 1:00pm—7:15pm	11 1:00pm—7:15pm **Session 3 ends** ▪**Chick-Fil-A** (4-7)	12 **Saturday Swim ends** 11:00am—7:15pm
13 11:00am—7:15pm	14 11:00am—7:15pm	15 11:00am—7:15pm	16 11:00am—7:15pm	17 11:00am—7:15pm	18 11:00am—7:15pm	19 11:00am—7:15pm
20 11:00am—7:15pm	21 11:00am—7:15pm	22 11:00am—7:15pm	23 11:00am—7:15pm	24 11:00am—7:15pm ****Tentative last day**	25	26

Adult swim times are 3:15—3:30 and 5:15—5:30 daily (at the discretion of the head guard)
∆ **Lap Pool closed** for Swim Team Practice 6pm—7pm (Mon, Tues, Thurs)

**CLOSING DATE SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON STAFF AVAILABILITY

Holden Pool Aquatics Programs

Session Dates	
**Session 1	June 21st** — June 30th
Session 2	July 10th — July 21st
Session 3	July 31st — August 11th
**Date subject to change based on last day of school	

New!

Brand new programs for 2023

PROGRAM	TIMES	DESCRIPTION	COST PER SESSION
*Toddler Social Splash (Location: Family pool splash area)	9:15am—9:45am 12:00pm—12:30pm	Ages 0 — 3 An non-instructional splash and play group for kids and parents to socialize and enjoy the water. Increase toddler comfort with water and splash toys	Residents $10 Non-residents $30
Supervised Slide (Location: Family pool slide area)	9:15am—9:45am 12:00pm—12:30pm	Ages 3 + Meant for swimmers who want to enjoy the waterslide but may need assistance. Lifeguards (or parents) will support slide to water transitions.	Residents $40 Non-residents $90
Adult Swim Time	12:30pm-1:00pm Monday-Friday only	Residents 18+ are welcome to sign up for this exclusive time slot to utilize the pool 30 minutes before it is open to the public. Children are not allowed in the pool area until the pool opens at 1:00pm	Residents only $25

***Parent must participate in the water**

New — Small Group Swimming Lessons

This summer, we will be offering small group instruction (half capacity) for Levels 1—4

See next page for prerequisites and course descriptions

COST PER SESSION: RESIDENTS **$60.00** NON-RESIDENTS **$120.00**

**Level 1 Location: Family pool beach area	**Level 2** Location: Family pool stairs	**Level 3** Location: Lap pool shallow end stairs	**Level 4** Location: Lap pool shallow end
12:00pm — 12:30pm	9:15am — 9:45am	9:15am — 9:45am	9:15am — 9:45am

****Parent must be present on the pool deck**

Holden Pool Aquatics Programs

Swim Lessons

We offer a variety of programs for everyone, ranging from non-swimmers and beginners to advanced swimmers.

Lessons operation on the session dates below:

Session Dates	
**Session 1	June 21st — June 30th
Session 2	July 10th — July 21st
Session 3	July 31st — August 11th
**Date subject to change based on last day of school	

Beginner Swim Lessons

COST PER SESSION: RESIDENTS **$40.00** NON-RESIDENTS **$90.00**

LEVEL	CLASS TIMES	PREREQUISITES	DESCRIPTION
***Parent & Child** Location: Family pool splash area	9:45am—10:15am 11:30am—12:00pm	Ages 0 — 3 Parent must participate in the water	Introduces child to water. Creates comfort with parent in water
****Level 1** Location: Family pool beach area	9:45am—10:15am 11:30am—12:00pm 12:00pm—12:30pm	Ages 3 — 5 Feel comfortable in the water without parent	Introduces fundamentals with assistance from instructor and equipment
Level 2 Location: Family pool stairs	9:45am—10:15am 11:30am—12:00pm 12:00pm—12:30pm	At least age 5 Swim without instructor assistance	Introduces independent swimming with the use of flotation. Child will practice basic swim skills on their front and back
Level 3 Location: Family pool slide area	9:45am—10:15am 11:30am—12:00pm	Ages 5 and up Swim short distances without any assistance and comfortable putting head under water	Introduces rotary breathing, front crawl and back crawl. Child will learn and practice these strokes with and without assistance of equipment

***Parent must participate in the water**

****Parent must be present on the pool deck**

PROGRESSION IS BASED ON INDIVIDUAL'S ABILITY:

Proficiency and mastery of skills may take more than one session

We are now offering small group instruction for Levels 1—4

See page 8 for details!

Moderate to Advanced Swim Lessons

LEVEL	CLASS TIMES	PREREQUISITES	DESCRIPTION	COST PER SESSION
Level 4 Location: Lap Pool shallow end	9:45am—10:15am 10:30am—11:00am	Ages 6 and up Have developing rotary breathing and back stroke skills	Child works to improve their stroke and stamina in the water. Breast stroke and backstroke are introduced	Resident $40 Non-Resident $90
Level 5 Location: Lap Pool lap lanes	10:15am—11:00am 11:30am—12:15pm	Ages 7 and up Proficient in front and back crawl. Can swim one length of the pool with ease	Child works to improve strokes and swim more efficiently at longer lengths	Resident $45 Non-Resident $95
Level 6 Location: Lap Pool lap lanes	9:45am—10:45am 11:30am—12:15pm	Ages 7 and up Can comfortably swim two lengths of the pool. Knowledge of front and back crawl and breast stroke	Introduces side stroke and dolphin kick with speed and endurance training	Resident $50 Non-Resident $100
Swim Team Prep 1 Location: Lap Pool deep end	9:45am—10:45am	Ages 7 and up Proficient in front crawl and breast stroke. Can swim 4 lengths of the pool with limited breaks	Child will work to improve all strokes. Introduces butterfly and flip turns. Swimming 50-250 meters	Resident $50 Non-Resident $100
Swim Team Prep 2 Location: Lap Pool deep end	11:30am—12:30pm	Ages 7 and up Must have completed Swim Team Prep 1	Fast paced swim team like class to prepare for competition environment. Swimming 50-500 meters	Resident $50 Non-Resident $100
Emergency Water Safety Location: Lap Pool deep end	11:30am—12:30pm	Ages 11 Have completed Swim Team Prep 1	Students will practice a variety of lifeguarding skills. Scanning, identifying distressed swimmers, emergency water extraction, simulated rescues and survival skills	Resident $50 Non-Resident $100

PROGRESSION IS BASED ON INDIVIDUAL'S ABILITY:
Proficiency and mastery of skills may take more than one session

Join the Holden Harpoons Swim Team!

Swim Team *More details online	Mon, Tues & Thurs 6:00pm—7:00pm Starting June 22nd	Ages 6 and up Must be a Level 4 swimmer	Have fun swimming with the Holden Harpoons Swim Team. Swim meets are with Worcester County summer recreation leagues	Resident $150 Non-Resident $200

Saturday Swim Lessons & Programs

June 24 — August 12

8 TOTAL MEETINGS: RESIDENTS **$40.00** NON-RESIDENTS **$90.00**

There are **no make-up classes** for cancelled Saturday classes

LEVEL	CLASS TIMES	PREREQUISITES	DESCRIPTION
***Parent & Child** Location: Family pool splash area	10:30—11:00AM 8 total classes June 24—Aug 12	Ages 0—3 Parent must participate in the water	Introduces child to water. Creates comfort with parent in water
****Level 1** Location: Family pool beach area	10:30—11:00AM 8 total classes June 24—Aug 12	Ages 3—5 Feel comfortable in the water without parent	Introduces fundamentals with assistance from instructor and equipment
Level 2 Location: Family pool stairs	10:30—11:00AM 8 total classes June 24—Aug 12	At least age 5 Swim without instructor assistance	Introduces independent swimming with the use of flotation. Child will practice basic swim skills on their front and back
Level 4 Location: Lap Pool shallow end	10:30—11:00AM 8 total classes June 24—Aug 12	Ages 6 and up Have developing rotary breathing and back stroke skills	Child works to improve their stroke and stamina in the water. Breast stroke and backstroke are introduced
PROGRESSION IS BASED ON INDIVIDUAL'S ABILITY: Proficiency and mastery of skills may take more than one session			

Adult Swim Time Location: Lap Pool lanes and deep end	10:30—11:00AM 8 total sessions June 24—Aug 12	Residents 18+ are welcome to sign up for this exclusive time slot to utilize the pool lane lanes 30 minutes before it is open to the public.	Residents only $25

Splash Parties

6:00 pm—8:00 pm

Rental involves the use of ONE POOL ONLY (Splash Pool or Lap Pool)

You must have a Seasonal pool pass in order to reserve a pool party. Reservations are made in person at the pool, in the lifeguard office. You cannot reserve more than 1 date at a time.

Payment is due in the form of cash or check in the Recreation office one week before the party date.

COST: $200 for up to 25 people, and $25 for **every additional 10 people.**

Headcount is based on every person on the pool deck in your party.

Seasonal Pool Pass Checker Office: (508) 829-6115

Half Day Program at Dawson Rec

Mornings (9:00am — 12:30pm)

- Half Day Program is located at 200 Salisbury St. / Dawson Recreation Area
- Check your child's age group for exact drop-off and pick-up locations
- Drop off is **no earlier** than 8:55a.m
- Pick up later than 12:30 will result in a $1.00 per minute per child fee.
- Make sure your HoldenRec.com account is up-to-date with accurate contact information, emergency contacts etc.
- Half Day Program registration requires residents to purchase seasonal pool pass.

Children must bring:

1. A tennis racket
2. A water bottle
3. A towel
4. Sunscreen
5. A bathing suit

Please label all items with your child's name.

Children may bring snacks and/or cash for designated snack shack time.

Session Dates	
**Session 1	June 21st** — June 30th
Session 2	July 10th — July 21st
Session 3	July 31st — August 11th
**Date subject to change based on last day of school	

Cost **Per Session**:
Resident: $200
Non-Resident: $250

Grades/ages based on entering Fall 2023

Daily Schedules

1st & 2nd Graders	3rd & 4th Graders	5th grade+ (up to age 13)
Drop off at grass outside pool entrance	Drop off at tennis courts	Drop off at basketball courts
9:00—9:45 am Team Games & Sports	9:00—9:45 am Tennis	9:00—9:45 am Basketball
9:45—10:30 am Tennis	9:45—10:30 am Basketball	9:45—10:30 am Team Games & Sports
10:30—11:00 am Swim Lessons	10:30—11:00 am Swim Lessons	10:30—10:45 am Snack Shack
11:00—11:45 am Arts & Crafts	11:00—11:15 am Snack Shack	10:45—11:30 am Tennis
11:45—12:00 pm Snack Shack	11:15—11:45 am Team Games & Sports	11:30—12:30 pm Swim Lessons
12:00—12:30 pm Playground group play	11:45—12:30 pm Arts & Crafts	

Daily schedules are subject to change at the discretion of the Recreation Director

New!

Afternoon Program at Dawson Rec

(2:00pm — 5:00pm)

- Half Day Program is located at 200 Salisbury St. / Dawson Recreation Area
- Check your child's age group for exact drop-off and pick-up locations
- Drop off is **no earlier** than 1:55 pm
- Pick up later than 5:00 pm will result in a $1.00 per minute per child fee.
- Make sure your HoldenRec.com account is up-to-date with accurate contact information, emergency contacts etc.
- Half Day Program registration requires residents to purchase seasonal pool pass.

Children must bring:

1. A water bottle
2. A towel
3. Sunscreen
4. A bathing suit

Please label all items with your child's name.

Children may bring snacks and/or cash for designated snack shack time.

Session Dates	
**Session 1	June 21st** — June 30th
Session 2	July 10th — July 21st
Session 3	July 31st — August 11th
**Date subject to change based on last day of school	

Cost **Per Session**:
Resident: $180
Non-Resident: $230

Grades/ages based on entering Fall 2023

Daily Schedules

1st & 2nd Graders	3rd & 4th Graders	5th grade+ (up to age 13)
Drop off at grass outside pool entrance	Drop off at tennis courts	Drop off at basketball courts
2:00—2:45 pm Team Games & Sports	2:00—2:45 pm Arts & Crafts	2:00—2:45 pm Monitored Free Swim
2:45—3:30 pm Arts & Crafts	2:45—3:30 pm Monitored Free Swim	2:45—3:30 pm Monitored Free Swim
3:30—4:15 pm Monitored Free Swim	3:30—4:15 pm Monitored Free Swim	3:30—4:15 pm Team Sports & Games
4:15—5:00 pm Monitored Free Swim	4:15—5:00 pm Team Sports & Games	4:15—5:00 pm Arts & Crafts

Daily schedules are subject to change at the discretion of the Recreation Director

Activities & Classes

Session Dates	
**Session 1	June 21st** — June 30th
Session 2	July 10th — July 21st
Session 3	July 31st — August 11th
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Grades/ages based on entering Fall 2023

LEVEL	CLASS TIMES	DESCRIPTION	COST PER SESSION
Tennis Lessons Ages 5—7	9:45am—10:15am 11:30am—12:00pm	Children will play games to learn the basics of tennis while developing their fundamental skills	Resident $40 Non-Resident $90
Tennis Lessons Ages 8—9	9:00am—9:30am 11:30am—12:00pm	Children will play games to develop their knowledge of tennis as well as strengthening their skills in front hand and back hand	Resident $40 Non-Resident $90
Tennis Lessons Ages 10—12	10:45am—11:15am	Children will play games and run drills to develop their knowledge of tennis rules as well as strengthening their skills in front hand, back hand, and serving	Resident $40 Non-Resident $90
Youth Pickleball Ages 8—12	12:30pm—1:00pm 2:45pm—3:15pm	Children will have the chance to learn the rules and build their skills in one of the fastest growing new sports!	Resident $40 Non-Resident $90
Basketball	**Ages 7 — 9** 10:30am—11:30am **Ages 10 — 12** 11:30am—12:30pm	Dribbling, passing, shooting, and teamwork will be the focus of our basketball classes on our newly renovated courts and hoops	Resident $40 Non-Resident $90
Poolside Crafts	10:00am—10:45am	Children will create a new craft daily in our specialized arts & crafts room that overlooks the pool	Resident $40 Non-Resident $90
Counselor in Training CIT	9:00 am—12:30 pm	Teens (age 13-15) will receive hands-on experience working with children. Choices for placement include swim lessons, tennis, half-day camp, arts & crafts, or basketball	Resident $60 Non-Resident $110

All Day Program
(8:00am — 5:00pm)

Children must be entering the first grade in order to attend this program

- Drop off and pick up is at Dawson Elementary School located at 155 Salisbury St.
- Children will spend most afternoons at the pool (weather permitting).
  On rainy days, the program will remain at the school.
- The All Day Program is licensed by the Department of Early Education and Care.
  EEC Requires each child to have enrollment forms. No child can attend without them.
  Please see www.HoldenRec.com for forms.

Children must bring daily:	**Activities include:**
1. Non-refrigerated lunch 2. A water bottle 3. A towel 4. Sunscreen 5. A bathing suit **Please label all items with your child's name** Children may bring snacks and/or cash for designated snack shack time	Arts & Crafts Swimming lessons (during session weeks) Outdoor activities Group games Theme weeks & special guests Open swim time at the pool

2023 Weeks		Program runs from **8:00am — 5:00pm**	
***Week 1**	June 21*—23	**Week 5**	July 17—21
Week 2	June 26—30	**Week 6**	July 24—28
***Week 3**	July 3, 5, 6, 7	**Week 7**	July 31—August 4
Week 4	July 10—14	**Week 8**	August 7—11
**Dates subject to change based on school calendar*		**Week 9**	August 14—18

- A $25.00 non-refundable registration fee is required for **each child** at registration
- All Day Program requires residents to purchase seasonal pool membership
- Full payment for the first reserved week is due at registration.
  Additional reserved weeks require a $25.00/week/child non-refundable deposit.

WEEKLY FEES: 2023 ALL DAY PROGRAM (all costs are per week)			
Weeks 2 –9 (excluding week 3)	$235 for 1 child $420 for 2 children	**Early Drop Off** 7:30am—8:00am	$18 per child **registration required*
***Week 1** (Wed-Fri) **Week 3** (Tues-Fri)	$141 for 1 child / $252 for 2 children $188 for 1 child / $336 for 2 children	**Late Pick Up** 5:00pm—5:30pm	$18 per child **registration required*

**Dates are subject to change based on school calendar*

ALL CANCELLATIONS MUST BE REQUESTED BY EMAIL TO HOLDENREC@HOLDENMA.GOV PRIOR TO **JUNE 1st**

ANY CANCELLATIONS AFTER **JUNE 1st** WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR FULL PAYMENT OF CANCELLED WEEK

All Day Program 2023 Summer Calendar

JUNE 2023

**Dates subject to change based on school calendar*

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
19 NO PROGRAM	**20** NO PROGRAM	**21** WEEK 1 BEGINS* Session 1 begins*	**22** WEEK 1*	**23** WEEK 1*
26 WEEK 2 Session 1 continued*	**27** WEEK 2	**28** WEEK 2	**29** WEEK 2	**30** WEEK 2 Session 1 ends*

JULY 2023

**Dates subject to change based on school calendar*

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 WEEK 3	**4** NO PROGRAM (Holiday)	**5** WEEK 3	**6** WEEK 3	**7** WEEK 3
10 WEEK 4 Session 2 begins	**11** WEEK 4	**12** WEEK 4	**13** WEEK 4	**14** WEEK 4
17 WEEK 5 Session 2 continued	**18** WEEK 5	**19** WEEK 5	**20** WEEK 5	**21** WEEK 5 Session 2 ends
24 WEEK 6	**25** WEEK 6	**26** WEEK 6	**27** WEEK 6	**28** WEEK 6
31 WEEK 7 Session 3 begins				

AUGUST 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 WEEK 7	**2** WEEK 7	**3** WEEK 7	**4** WEEK 7
7 WEEK 8 Session 3 continued	**8** WEEK 8	**9** WEEK 8	**10** WEEK 8	**11** WEEK 8 Session 3 ends
12 WEEK 9	**13** WEEK 9	**14** WEEK 9	**15** WEEK 9	**16** WEEK 9

Other Recreation Programs:

DROP—IN SOCCER

Meet on the Light Department field on Sunday evenings
from 6:30 p.m. – dark beginning June 25th.

Purely recreational! Families are encouraged to attend.

COST: No charge

DROP—IN PICKLEBALL

Meet at the Dawson Recreation courts on Monday evenings
from 6:30 p.m. – dark beginning June 26th.

COST: No charge

Other Town of Holden Recreation Areas to Enjoy:

Eagle Lake Recreation Area
& Mass Audubon Wildlife Sanctuary

66 Causeway St. Holden

No lifeguards on duty

Trout Brook Reservation & Lodge

320 Manning St. Holden

*Lodge rental available through Holden Recreation Office

Trout Brook Recreation Area is 660 acres Holden conservation land with a system of trails for walking, cross-country skiing and mountain biking. Entrances on Manning Street, Mason Road and Sterling Road have parking. A gathering area around the pond includes a picnic pavilion with tables, an open field and a lodge which may be rented for public or private use. Please call the Recreation Department for more information on the lodge and rentals.

Trout Brook Lodge rental fee:

$200.00 / day or overnight for Holden residents, $300.00 / day or overnight for non-residents or organizations not located in Holden.

Reservations to rent the lodge must be made by contacting the Holden Recreation Department at 508-829-0263

Recreation Department Pool Policies:

Pool philosophy: Please protect our community and your children. Parents are responsible for watching their children at all times.

- The Recreation Director and lifeguards have the authority to confiscate any Recreation seasonal or day pass that is misused. The Director, lifeguards and staff have the authority to ask patrons to leave the premises if rules are not followed. It is up to the discretion of the Director, if and when, the pass is returned.
- Participation in all Recreation Department programs is at the registrant's own risk.
- NO CHILD aged 12 or younger should be dropped off at the pool. All children should be under the supervision of an adult. It is the responsibility of that adult to watch the child/children in and/ or out of the water. Lifeguards do not provide childcare services.
- Patrons should communicate any concerns to the Recreation Director or Head Guard.
- In inclement weather, the pool will open at the discretion of the Recreation Director. When thunder and lightning are evident, no one will be allowed in the water until 30 minutes *after* the last clap of thunder.

POOL RULES:

- No running on the pool deck.
- Use the diving board or stairs to enter the lap pool; use ladders to exit.
- No ball playing on the pool grounds.
- An adult MUST be within an arm's reach of their non-swimmer child in the pool.
- Only U. S. Coast Guard approved personal flotation devices are allowed. A parent/guardian must be within an arm's reach of your child if he/she wears one.
- All children not toilet trained, must wear clean, approved swim diapers.
- No conversing with lifeguards while they are on stand.
- No toys are allowed in the pools.
- You must be able to swim 1 length of the lap pool to use this pool.
- No glass bottles are allowed anywhere within the pool grounds.
- Inserting stakes into the ground for umbrellas, tents, etc. is not permitted.
- Parents are responsible for watching their children.

SLIDE RULES:

- No one on the stairs while someone is going down the slide. You can proceed up the stairs once the person in front of you is completely off the slide.
- No catching kids coming off the slide.
- One person on the slide at a time.
- No child who needs assistance is allowed on the slide.
- Must go down the slide feet first sitting up.
- No one is allowed to walk under the slide

(Please note that rules may be adapted only for specialize classes and at the lifeguard's discretion)

Recreation Program Policies:

REGISTRATION

Online registration for Holden residents will begin Monday, March 6 at 9:00 a.m.

Online registration Non-residents **programs only** will begin Tuesday, April 18 at 9:00 a.m.

REGISTRATION AND PROGRAM POLICY

All programs are offered on a first-come, first-serve basis. The Recreation Director reserves the right to cancel or consolidate classes. All Programs (excludes All Day) may be canceled due to the weather at the discretion of the Recreation Dept. Make-ups will only be offered if more than 2 days have been cancelled within the session (**No make-ups will be offered for 1 or 2 canceled days within a session)**. Director will announce when make-ups are held. Refunds will not be offered due to a participant's inability to partake in the scheduled make-up. Refunds, credits or pro-rating will not be issued due to a participants inability to attend during regular session dates or make-up dates.

Staff will not escort children from one class to another, unless the child is enrolled in either the Half Day or All Day Programs.

CHANGE/TRANSFER POLICY

For **any** changes made to the original program registration (time, swim level, session, etc.,) an **$8.00 fee** will be applied for each change. (Excludes All Day and Lifeguard courses. Please see their page for policy information)

REFUND POLICY

Please refer to each program's individual page for any refund policies that may be specific to that program.

Seasonal Pool Memberships and Daily Passes are non-refundable and non-transferable.

No refunds or household account credits will be issued if withdrawal is requested less than 10 business days prior to the program start date. (Excludes All Day and Lifeguarding Courses. Please see their page for policy information)

Refunds will only be given via **household account credit** or **check**. Any refunds issued by check will be processed within 2 to 4 weeks. Per ordinance by the Treasury Dept. we are no longer able to process refunds by credit card.

A full refund (subjected to an $8 administrative fee) will be given for a withdrawal from a program if requested by email to **holdenrec@holdenma.gov** ten business days prior to the program's start date.

All Programs (excludes All Day and Lifeguard Courses) may be canceled due to the weather at the discretion of the Recreation Dept. Make-ups will only be offered if more than 2 days have been cancelled within the session (**No make-ups will be offered for 1 or 2 canceled days)**. Director will announce when make-ups are held. Refunds will not be offered due to a participant's inability to partake in the scheduled make-up.

All Day Program follows separate refund policies. Please refer to All Day Program Page for more information.

Food Truck Summer Schedule

Wednesday	**June 28**	**Flippin' the Bird** Barbeque Sandwiches Burgers
Friday	**June 30**	**Potato Potato** French fry and tater tot food trailer
Saturday	**July 1**	**Off the Hook** Specializes in lobster rolls, chowder, and other New England favorites
Wednesday	**July 5**	**Travelin' Bones** BBQ—Ribs, chicken, brisket, pulled pork, sides and more
Friday	**July 7**	**Flippin' the Bird** Barbeque Sandwiches Burgers
Wednesday	**July 12**	**Teddy's Lunch Box** Specializes in gourmet smash burgers and quesadillas
Friday	**July 14**	**Chick-Fil-A** Chicken sandwiches and chicken nuggets
Saturday	**July 15**	**Thee Taco Dude** Specializing in slow roasted Birria Tacos
Wednesday	**July 19**	**Potato Potato** French fry and tater tot food trailer
Friday	**July 21**	**Thee Taco Dude** Specializing in slow roasted Birria Tacos
Saturday	**July 22**	**Fired Up Pizza** Wood-fired pizza creations
Wednesday	**July 26**	**The Caribbean Press** A taste of the Caribbean in a plate or a sandwich
Friday	**July 28**	**Morawski** Texas style barbeque with a New England flare
Wednesday	**Aug 2**	**The Caribbean Press** A taste of the Caribbean in a plate or a sandwich
Friday	**Aug 4**	**Off the Hook** Specializes in lobster rolls, chowder, and other New England favorites
Saturday	**Aug 5**	**Flippin' the Bird** Barbeque Sandwiches Burgers
Wednesday	**Aug 9**	**Fired Up Pizza** Wood-fired pizza creations
Friday	**Aug 11**	**Chick-Fil-A** Chicken sandwiches and chicken nuggets