



## Parks and Recreation

Weston Parks and Recreation  
Update- May 28, 2020

On Tuesday evening May 26, 2020 a special meeting of the Parks and Recreation commission was held to discuss summer camps at the Town of Weston. During this meeting Parks and Recreation staff laid out the State of Connecticut's guidelines for holding in person summer camps. Staff also discussed rising costs associated with facility rentals, deep cleaning fees and availability of PPE. The most important item of discussion was ensuring the safety of campers, staff and the general public. The Parks and Recreation commission voted unanimously to not hold in person summer camps in Weston for the summer of 2020. The Parks and Recreation commission as well as The Town of Weston recognize the strain this puts on families. Parks and Recreation is still in talks to host small in-person programming that may align with the state's social distancing guidelines of groups of 5 as well as implementation of Remote Camps run from homes.

With more than 50 years combined camp experience, our team understands what camp means to our participants, staff and families. However, due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, and the state guidelines- it does not create an environment conducive to providing the best camp experience possible.

Summer catalogs will be out with all of our offerings on Monday 6/1/2020

Thank you,  
Be well.  
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