

Family Support: Recreation & Summer Camps

Opportunities do exist for parents interested in including their child with special needs in a specific recreational activity, but it can be challenging to have your child with a disability participate in after school or weekend activities.

Our Recreation Program can provide assistance by hiring college work-study students and working with organizations and venues sponsoring the activities, to make those activities more accessible to your child. Supervision is provided by the Recreation and Leisure Coordinator and the child's family. The Recreation and Leisure Coordinator also has a list of local organized teams participating in the Special Olympics.

We have developed the **Recreational Opportunities in Strafford County Guide** which lists local activities and places to visit. This guide was accurate at time of print but be sure to call ahead and make sure nothing has changed.

We also help families meet the expense of providing summer recreational opportunities through community programs and summer camp. Please see our **Summer Recreation and Camp Guide** for details about programs in the area.

Both the Recreational Opportunities and the Summer Recreation guides can be downloaded from the Family Support page on our website.