

RECREATION GUIDE

Summer 2026



Community Events • Programs • Youth Sports

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Activities Guide

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Social Media and Important Dates

Facebook: City of Volga Parks and Recreation
<https://www.facebook.com/volgaparkandrec/>
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 Remind: Text @volgapnr to 81010 or email
volgapnr@mail.remind.com

Baseball signup: February 17th at 3:00pm -
 March 9th at 3:00pm
T-Ball and Jr. T-Ball: March 16th at 3:00pm -
 April 13th at 3:00pm
All other Activities: March 16th at 3:00pm -
 Two weeks before the start of the activity at
 3:00pm

SUMMER ACTIVITY GUIDE

Register Online!



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STEPS TO SIGNUP:

- Go to volgacity.recdesk.com
- Create an Account or Log In
- Add all household members



NEED HELP?

- Call us at 605-627-9113 (Mon-Fri, 7:30am - 4:30pm)

Visit the videos below

- [RecDesk Software Community: Create a New Account & Add Household](#)
- [RecDesk Software Community: Register for a Program on Community](#)

REFUNDS:

- If there is a cancellation due to weather there will be no refund issued.
- If the city cancels an activity a refund will be issued.
- If a registration is canceled two weeks prior to event, we will issue a refund.

Please watch Facebook and Remind for announcements and cancellations.

Make Reservations & Register for Classes and Activities: volgacity.recdesk.com



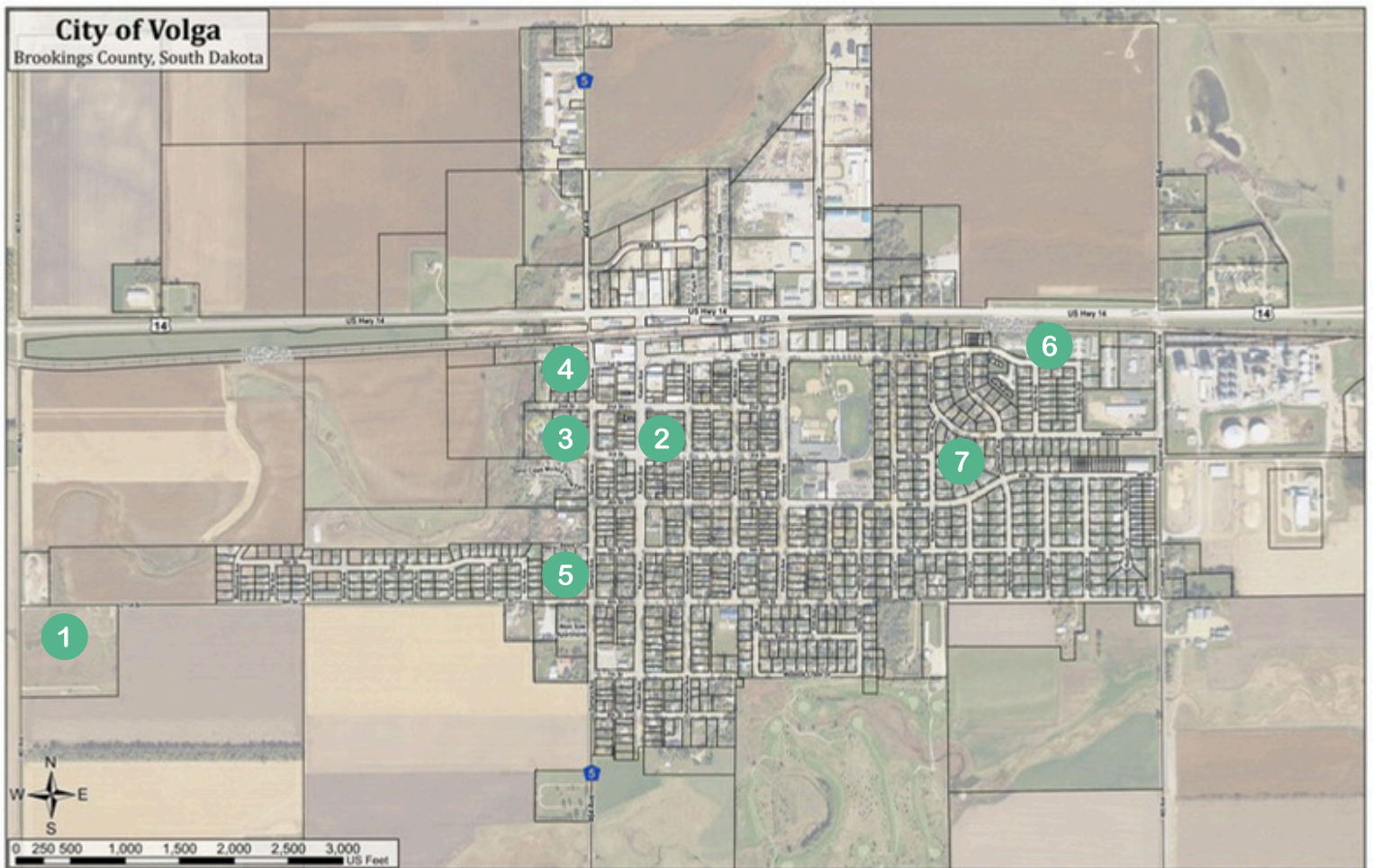
Photos taken at classes and during programs may be used by the City of Volga for promotional purposes.

The City of Volga does not discriminate on the basis of special needs. The Volga Parks & Recreation Department will attempt to make accommodations if possible. Please advise of any special needs at registration.

Please keep this guide for your records.

The Parks and Recreation Department and Pool reserve the right to change dates, times, locations and fees found in this brochure.

Parks and Facilities Map



PARKS

- 1 Archery Range, W 6th St
- 1 Community Gardens, W 6th St
- 3 Doc and Roma Peeke Park, 225 Samara Ave
- 1 Dog Park, W 6th St
- 5 George Kiner Park, 102 Ardis Ave
- 6 Sunrise Park, E 1st St
- 7 One Acre Park, Adams Ave

FACILITIES

- 2 Auditorium, 212 Kasan Ave
- 3 City Pool, 225 Samara Ave
- 4 Community Center, 109 Samara Ave

City Events



WEEKEND OF
JUNE 12TH-14TH, 2026

This year's Old Timers Day theme is
"The Greatest Show in Volga"
(Circus).

The annual Old Timers Day weekend includes fireworks, food trucks, vendors, a parade, a race, and so much more!

The City of Volga needs additional community members to help make this event even better! If you have interest in being on the Old Timers Day planning committee, please reach out to City Hall or Lindsey at 605-627-9113, Lindsey@volgacity.com.

To be a vendor or sponsor for the weekend please call City Hall!

Follow our Facebook page "Volga Old Timers Day" for updates and more information!



Baseball

T-BALL

Jr T-Ball

4 & 5 year old boys and girls
Practice will be twice a week at 8-9am on either Monday and Wednesday or Tuesday and Thursday depending on which team your child is on. Once teams are finalized, we will post the practice schedule on your RecDesk account.
Games: Tuesdays at 6:00-7:00pm
Season Dates: June 1st - July 30th

T-Ball

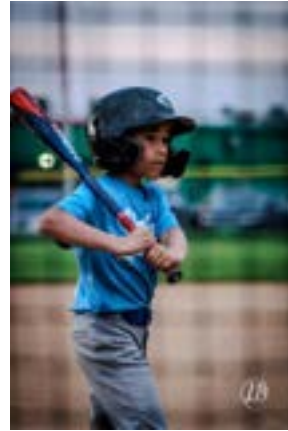
6 & 7 year old boys and girls
Practice will be twice a week at 9-10am on either Monday and Wednesday or Tuesday and Thursday depending on which team your child is on. Once teams are finalized, we will post the practice schedule on your RecDesk account.
Games: Tuesdays at 7:00-8:00pm
Season Dates: June 1st - July 30th

These programs are put on by Park and Rec staff. They are a fun introduction to baseball. Players will learn the basics of baseball as well as play a few evening games. \$70/student. (Includes t-shirt)

The first games will take place on June 9th. There will be an optional end of the year tournament if enough players are signed up on August 4th. More information to come.

BASE will walk students to this activity.

No practices or games the week of June 29th-July 3rd.



TRAVEL BASEBALL

8U

7-8 years old
Cost: \$80.00 (Includes jersey)

10U

9-10 years old
Cost: \$105.00 (Includes jersey)

12U

11-12 years old
Cost: \$105.00 (Includes jersey)

Volga participates in the MinnDak Baseball League. All age groups are determined by how old the child is on **Jan. 1st, 2026**. Please indicate at sign up if you have interest in coaching your child's team. Sign up is from **February 17th-March 9th at 3:00pm**. The season runs from mid May through the end of June. Practices starting in April at the coach's discretion. New this year, there will be no morning rec practices. Players are still encouraged to come to the field and practice on their own.

All softball signup will occur separately with the Volga Softball Association.

Sports and Recreation

BASKETBALL CLUB

This is for students interested in learning the basic techniques of basketball. Students will practice drills, scrimmage, and play games. All skill levels are welcome. Each level has a max of 30 students. All practices will take place at the City Auditorium, but may be moved to the school's outdoor courts if weather allows. \$45.00/Student

Juniors

Students entering grades K-3rd
Monday and Wednesday @ 1:00-2:00pm
June 15th-July 22nd

Upper Elementary and Middle School

Students entering grades 4th-7th
Monday and Wednesday @ 2:00-3:00pm
June 15th-July 22nd



VOLLEYBALL CLUB

This is for students interested in learning the basic techniques of Volleyball. Students will practice drills, scrimmage, and play games. All skill levels are welcome. Each level has a max of 30 students. All practices will take place at the City Auditorium, but may be moved to the outdoor sand courts in the City Park if weather allows. \$45.00/Student

Juniors

Students entering grades K-3rd
Tuesday and Thursday @ 1:00-2:00pm
June 16th-July 23rd

Upper Elementary and Middle School

Students entering grades 4th-7th
Tuesday and Thursday @ 2:00-3:00pm
June 16th-July 23rd

PICKLEBALL CLUB

This is for students interested in learning the basic techniques of Pickleball. Students will practice drills, play matches, and games. All skill levels are welcome. Each level has a max of 15 students. All practices will take place at the City Auditorium. \$45.00/Student

Juniors

Students entering grades K-3rd
Monday and Wednesday @ 12:00-1:00pm
June 15th-July 22nd

Upper Elementary and Middle School

Students entering grades 4th-7th
Tuesday and Thursday @ 12:00-1:00pm
June 16th-July 23rd

NEW Gym Games

Is your child's favorite subject gym time? Sign them up for Gym Games this summer! We will explore different games each day with all of your favorites, including capture the flag, dodgeball, sharks and minnows, and so much more! We will meet at the City Auditorium, but may be moved to the school ball fields if weather allows. Max 40 students. \$35.00/Student.

Students entering grades K-5th
June 1st-4th & 8th-11th 1:00-2:00pm

No Practices June 29th-July 3rd
City staff will walk BASE students to and from these activities.

Arts, Music, and Science

THEATRE CAMP

For students interested in musical theater. This camp includes singing, choreography, one-act plays, improvisation, theater games, props & set artwork. Camp is led by Jeanna Brandsrud and Kelsey Beckman. All practices and performances will take place at the Sioux Valley Performing Arts Center. A maximum of 50 students can participate. \$75.00/student.

Students entering grades 4th-9th
July 6th-10th & July 13th-16th, 9:45am-12:00pm
Performance July 16th at 7:00pm

SCIENCE CLUB

Embrace your inner scientist. This club will do a different experiment each session. Prepare to get messy! This club is instructed by park and rec staff. This event takes place at the Community Center and has a max of 15 students per day. \$35.00/student

Students entering grades:
K-1st - Wednesday June 3rd and 10th, 10:00-11:00am
2nd-3rd - Wednesday June 17th and 24th 10:00-11:00am

YOGA CLUB

Students in Yoga will play fun games, learn new Yoga poses, and meet new friends. Please bring a yoga mat or towel. Yoga club will meet once a week for four weeks at the Community Center and has a max of 30 students. \$35.00/Student

Students entering grades K-5th
Thursday June 4th, 11th, 18th, and 25th @ 10:00-11:00am



ART CLUB

Is your student interested in letting their creative side out? Sign up for Art Club to do some tie-dyeing, canvas painting, and more! This club is instructed by park and rec staff. This event takes place at the Community Center and has a max of 15 students per day. \$35.00/student

Students entering grades:
K-1st - Tuesday June 2nd and 9th, 10:00-11:00am (June 2nd will be at the Doc and Roma Peeke Park)
2nd-3rd - Tuesday June 16th and 23rd, 10:00-11:00am



There will be no staff transportation for these activities.

Additional Activities

NATURE DAY

A great activity to get outside and enjoy nature. We will teach children about kayaking, canoeing, fire safety, and fort making. We will take them hiking through trails where they will learn about and explore different plants and animals. Students can bring a snack and water. Buses will transport students from the Sioux Valley High School parking lot to Oakwood. Buses leave at 11:00am and return at 2:00pm. Please arrive by 10:45am for loading. 1 day per student, max of 20 students per day. \$35.00/student

Students entering grades 1st-8th
June 5th, June 26th, or July 17th @ 11:00am-2:00pm

BASE and city staff will walk students to and from this activity.

BIKE FAIR

This is a great event that Officer Jeremy Kriese has put on for many years. Officer Jeremy will present a video and review safety rules and then the children get to ride their bikes through a fun obstacle course. All ages are welcome. Located at the Community Center parking lot. Provided at no cost.

Monday, June 1st @ 11:00am-12:00pm. Ending times vary on how many kids participate and how quick we get through all stations.



SAFETY TOWN

This is an introduction to basic safety programs in the city. They will go over Fire, Police, EMS, and other basic safety procedures. All ages are welcome. Located at the Community Center Parking Lot. Provided at no cost.

Tuesday, June 9th @ 11:00am-12:00pm. Ending times vary on how many kids participate and how quickly we get through all stations.



FISHING DAY

A great activity to get outside and catch some fish. Students need to bring their own fishing pole, snack, and water. Buses will transport students from the Sioux Valley High School parking lot to the Dakota Nature Park. Buses leave at 11:00am and return at 2:00pm. Please arrive by 10:45am for loading. 1 day per student, max of 15 students per day. \$35.00/student

Students entering grades 1st-8th
June 12th, July 10th, or July 24th @ 11:00am-2:00pm

BASE and city staff will walk students to and from this activity.

NEW YOUTH ARCHERY

Do you have interest in learning more about archery? Volga is partnering with Oakwood State park to bring a day of Archery to our range in Volga. There is a maximum of 15 students per session. \$35.00/student

Students entering 1st-8th
June 8th 11:00am - 12:00pm

If the first session fills up we will offer a second session from 12:00pm-1:00pm.

Transportation is not provided for this program.



Aquatics

Red Cross Swimming Lessons

Must be 5 years old by June 1st, 2026 for level 1.

Two week long sessions. Monday-Friday
All Levels: \$45.00/Student.

***Please note:** Two weather days are built into the schedule, so makeup days are typically not necessary.

PRESCHOOL

Recommended for first time swimmers **ages 3-5**. Swimmers will familiarize themselves with the aquatic environment and acquire rudimentary basic aquatic skills. This class will help participants begin to develop positive attitudes and safe practices in and around water. Parents are welcome to watch from the perimeter of the pool while the students are learning.

LEVEL 1 - INTRO TO WATER SKILLS

Swimmers must be 5 years old by June 1st, 2026 to sign up for this level. This level will orient participants to the aquatic environment and help them gain basic aquatic skills. It will help participants begin to develop positive attitudes and safe practices around water.

LEVEL 2 - FUNDAMENTAL AQUATIC SKILLS

This level will build on the basic aquatic skills and water safety skills and concepts learned in level 1.

LEVEL 3 - STROKE DEVELOPMENT

This level will build on skills learned in levels 1 and 2 to help swimmers achieve basic water competency in a pool environment. They will learn the fundamentals of strokes.

WATER FITNESS HOUR

These times are for swimmers **18 years old and up**. This time allows for adults to enjoy the pool through exercise or enjoyment. The afternoon hour will have a guard on duty to instruct water aerobics if interested. The evening hour will not have a lifeguard on duty. Swimmers can either purchase a season pass for \$40 or a day pass for \$4. M-F 12-1pm & 5:15-6:15pm

Private Swim Lessons

One week 30 minute sessions. \$65.00/student. Must be 5 years old by June 1st, 2026. *Limited availability*

LEVEL 4 - STROKE IMPROVEMENT

This level will help swimmers improve proficiency in performing the swimming strokes.

LEVEL 5 - STROKE REFINEMENT

This level will help participants refine their performance of all six swimming strokes. This level is designed to improve their speed and stamina.

LEVEL 6 - SKILLS PROFICIENCY AND PERSONAL WATER SAFETY

This level refines strokes so swimmers have a greater efficiency and effectiveness over longer distances. It teaches swimmers how to prevent aquatic emergencies in various aquatic environments and to introduce and practice self-rescue techniques.



JUNIOR LIFEGUARD

This class does not provide a lifeguard certification upon completion of class. This class is for **11-14 year olds**. This class is 1 hour Monday-Friday for 2 weeks. This class will take place at the city pool. It will focus on building a foundation of knowledge, attitudes and skills to develop future lifeguards. This class also goes over the basics of First Aid, CPR, and AED. \$35.00/student

Monday - Friday 4:00-5:00pm
June 1st-5th & 8th-12th

Sessions

SWIM LESSONS ARE
MONDAY-FRIDAY
FOR TWO WEEKS

SESSION 1: JUNE 15TH-26TH
SESSION 2: JULY 6TH-17TH
SESSION 3: JULY 20TH-31ST

SWIM LEVELS BY SESSION:

LEVEL	SESSION 1(6/15-6/26)	SESSION 2(7/6-7/17)	SESSION 3(7/20-7/31)
Preschool	4:40 - 5:10pm	4:40 - 5:10pm	4:40 - 5:10pm
Level 1	10:00 - 10:30am 10:40 - 11:10am 4:00 - 4:30pm	10:40 - 11:10am 11:20 - 11:50am 4:00 - 4:30pm	10:00 - 10:30am 11:20 - 11:50am
Level 2	10:00 - 10:30am 10:40 - 11:10am 11:20 - 11:50am	10:00 - 10:30am 4:00 - 4:30pm	10:40 - 11:10am 11:20 - 11:50am 4:00 - 4:30pm
Level 3	11:20 - 11:50am 4:00 - 4:30pm	10:00 - 10:30am 10:40 - 11:10am 11:20 - 11:50am	10:00 - 10:30am 10:40 - 11:10am 4:00 - 4:30pm
Level 4	4:00 - 4:30pm 4:40 - 5:10pm	10:40 - 11:10am 4:00 - 4:30pm	10:00 - 10:30am 11:20 - 11:50am
Level 5	10:00 - 10:30am 10:40 - 11:10am	11:20 - 11:50am 4:40 - 5:10pm	4:00 - 4:30pm
Level 6	11:20 - 11:50am	10:00 - 10:30am	10:40 - 11:10am 4:40 - 5:10pm

FEES & PASSES

Season Passes

- **Single:** \$55
- **Family:** (up to 6 people in one household) \$155
- **Nanny:** \$20
- **Water Fitness:** \$40

Day Passes

- **Ages 2 & under:** Free
- **Ages 3-17:** \$4
- **Adults (18+):** \$7
- **Water Fitness:** \$4

Nanny passes are for people 14+ and only covers when they are accompanying children. Please add them to your household and label "Nanny" after their first name.

POOL HOURS

Monday-Friday

- **Open Swim:** 1:00-4:00pm & 6:30-9:00pm
- **Water Fitness:** 12:00-1:00pm & 5:15-6:15pm

Saturday-Sunday

- **Open Swim:** 1:00-8:00pm



THANK YOU TO OUR GENEROUS SPONSORS!

