

# WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP RECREATION DIVISION

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*Program Directory  
Spring/Summer 2004*

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# Township of Washington

## TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE

Vincent Calcagno, Mayor  
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David Fried  
Mark Tobias



## RECREATION DIVISION

Chris Merias, Director of Recreation  
Erin Lysy, Administrative Secretary

54 Robbinsville-Allentown Road  
(In-person registration only)  
Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.

(609) 259-7082 Ext. 110  
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Washington Township  
Recreation Division  
1117 U.S. Route 130  
Robbinsville, NJ 08691

## RECREATION & CULTURE COMMITTEE

Patricia Barby  
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Christina Critelli  
Donald DeAngelis  
Christopher Lucido  
Betty O'Donnell  
Greg Zalenski  
Vincent Calcagno, Township Committee Liaison

## Directory

### Washington Twp. Little League

**Greg Zalenski, President: 448-7274**

[president@wtll.org](mailto:president@wtll.org)

[www.wtll.org](http://www.wtll.org)

Baseball, t-ball, and softball program for children ages 5-16. Registration begins in November for the Spring season.

### Robbinsville Soccer Association

**Jim O'Donnell: 426-1893**

[soccersa@aol.com](mailto:soccersa@aol.com)

[www.rsasoccer.com](http://www.rsasoccer.com)

Youth recreational soccer program for children ages 4-13. Fall and Spring programs offered. In-person registration for the Fall 2004 will take place at the Community Festival on June 12th.

### Robbinsville Wrestling Assoc.

**Jeff Condit: 259-0370**

[rwainfo@optonline.net](mailto:rwainfo@optonline.net)

[www.eteamz.com/robbinsville\\_wrestling](http://www.eteamz.com/robbinsville_wrestling)

**Mark Bossie: 259-1313**

RWA teaches the sport of scholastic wrestling and conducts wrestling matches for children enrolled in grades K- 8. The team participates in multiple youth leagues and Middle School programs during the season, providing opportunities for wrestlers of all skill levels to participate and succeed. Season runs from early November - early March. Registration information will be available in early September 2004.

### Robbinsville Basketball Association

**Mike St. John: 259-0591**

[mqstjohn@verizon.net](mailto:mqstjohn@verizon.net)

[www.robbinsvillebasketball.com](http://www.robbinsvillebasketball.com)

Youth recreational basketball league held at Pond Road Middle School and Sharon Elementary School. Season runs from November to March.

### Robbinsville Senior Fellowship Club

**Joe Evanchick: 259-3538**

The club meets at the Washington Township Senior Center and is open to anyone interested. The membership fee is \$10.00. Meetings are held on the last Friday of each month at 1:30 p.m.

### Washington Twp. Senior Club

**Marcia Ackerman: 655-1732**

The club meets at the Washington Township Senior Center on the 2nd & 4th Wednesday of each month at 1:45 p.m. Membership fee is \$10.00

### Boy Scout Troop 79

**Jeff Sikora, Scoutmaster: 448-3397**

<http://cnjc-bsa.org>

**Tim Dring, Troop Committee Chairman: 259-5636** [tdring@prdus.jnj.com](mailto:tdring@prdus.jnj.com)

Troop 79, part of the BSA Central Jersey Council and the National Boy Scouts of America program, is the only Boy Scout Troop located in Washington Twp. Membership is open to boys 11 to 17 years of age, or to Cub Scouts who have earned their Arrow of Light Award and have completed 5th Grade. Boys may register at any time during the year.

### Allentown-Washington Girl Scout Service Unit

**Trish Buckley, Co-Service Unit Director: 208-0394**

**Sonja Walter, Co-Service Unit Director: 259-3388**

The Girl Scout program is committed to helping today's girls become tomorrow's leaders. There are 5 age levels: Daisy Girl Scouts, ages 5-6; Brownie Girl Scouts, ages 6-8; Junior Girl Scouts, ages 8-11; Cadette Girl Scouts, ages 11-14; and Senior Girl Scouts, ages 14-17. Registration dates for 2004-2005 will be scheduled in early Sept.

### Robbinsville Lacrosse Assoc.

**Neil Brown: 584-8552**

[robbinsvillelacrosse@yahoo.com](mailto:robbinsvillelacrosse@yahoo.com) [www.eteamz.com/robbinsvillelacrosse](http://www.eteamz.com/robbinsvillelacrosse)

Youth lacrosse program for boys and girls in grades 3 - 8. Program is offered in the Spring.

### Washington Twp. Police Athletic League

**Christopher Nitti, Executive Director: 259-3900**

[www.robbinsvillepal.org](http://www.robbinsvillepal.org)

**Ed Birdsall, Director of Football: 371-9384**

Youth football and cheerleading program. Open to children ages 6-13.

# Kids & Teens

## SPRING 2004

### TENNIS LESSONS

**Instructor: Ho Scott, PTR Instructor**

Participants register for one (1) day and time of their choice:

**Pee Wees (4-6) \$40**

**Fri 5:30-6:00 pm April 23 - June 11**

**Fri 6:00-6:30 pm April 23 - June 11**

**Sat 12:00-12:30 pm April 24 - June 12**

**Beginner (6-8) \$80**

**Fri 4:30-5:30 pm April 23 - June 11**

**Sat 12:30-1:30 pm April 24 - June 12**

**Beginner (9-12) \$80**

**Fri 3:30-4:30 pm April 23 - June 11**

**Sat 1:30-2:30 pm April 24 - June 12**

**Adv Beg/Interm. (10-13) \$80**

**Fri 5:30-6:30 pm April 23 - June 11**

**Sat 2:30-3:30 pm April 24 - June 12**

**Tantum Park**

The Tennis Network will conduct instructional tennis lessons. Pee wee (4-6 years) lessons will introduce children to tennis related skills such as eye hand coordination, tracking, balance and handedness. Emphasis will be on fun and success. The junior tennis lessons (6-13 years) will focus on conditioning, footwork, stroke mechanics, shot selection, placement, depth, spins, scoring, rules and sportsmanship. Class sizes are limited.

### GOLF LESSONS

**Instructor: Mike Beal, PGA Professional**

**Ages 8-12 \$95 (\$105 non-res)**

**Tue & Thur 5:00-6:00 pm April 27 - May 13**

**Ages 12-16 \$95 (\$105 non-res)**

**Tue & Thur 5:30-6:30 pm May 25 - June 10**

**Miry Run Country Club**

This three-week program will introduce the beginner golfer to the fundamentals of the game including: proper swing, putting, chipping, sand play, and rules. All skill levels are encouraged to participate. Equipment can be provided by Miry Run Country Club, if necessary. Participants should wear sneakers or golf shoes. Total of six classes. Class sizes are limited.

### INTRO TO CREATIVE PAINTING

**Instructor: Deborah Paglione**

Accomplished local artist, President Washington Twp. Arts Council, and past President Garden State Watercolor Society.

**Grades 5-8 \$80**

**Wed 4:45-6:15 pm April 28 - June 2**

**Senior Center, Arts/Crafts Room**

This new class will introduce the beginner artist to exciting painting and drawing techniques with the use of watercolor, acrylic, pastels, pencil and crayon. Emphasis on proper use of paint and brushes. Art supply kit is included. Class is limited to 15 participants.

### BABYSITTING TRAINING

**Instructor: American Red Cross**

**Ages 11-15**

**Tue & Thur (3 classes) 6:00-9:00 pm May 4 - 11**

**Pond Road Middle School**

Interested in being a babysitter? This training program is designed to give the babysitter the knowledge, skills, and confidence to care for infants and school-age children. Class size is limited to 12 participants. Participants must attend all three (3) classes.

### ARCHERY

**Instructor: Jon Bach**

Certified NFAA Expert level 4 Instructor & Director, X-Ring Archers School of Archery

**Ages 10-14**

**Tue 3:30-5:00 pm April 27 - June 1**

**Tantum Park**

Experience the challenging sport of archery. This class is designed to teach safety techniques and basic fundamentals of archery. Hands-on activities will allow children to develop their skills. Equipment is provided. Class size is limited.

### SKATE PARK MEMBERSHIPS 2004-05

The Washington Township Recreation Division will be accepting registrations for 2004-05 skate park membership beginning on April 8th. Current memberships expire April 30, 2004. New memberships will be valid from May 1, 2004-April 30, 2005. Membership permit helmet stickers are required to use the skate park. Call the Recreation Dept. for more details or visit our website to download an application after April 8th.

#### ANNUAL PERMIT MEMBERSHIP FEES

**Washington Township Residents \$45**

**\*Each additional sibling \$10**

**Non-residents \$90**

**\*Each additional sibling \$20**





# Adults

## SPRING 2004

### GOLF LESSONS

**Instructor: Mike Beal, PGA Professional**

**Ages 18+ \$105 (\$115 non-res)**

**I: Tue & Thur 6:00-7:00 pm April 27 - May 13**

**II: Tue & Thur 6:30-7:30 pm May 25 - June 10**

**Miry Run Country Club**

This three-week program will introduce the beginner golfer to the fundamentals of the game including: proper swing, putting, chipping, sand play, and rules. All skill levels are encouraged to participate. Equipment can be provided by Miry Run Country Club, if necessary. Participants should wear sneakers or golf shoes. Class sizes are limited. Total of six classes. Join with a friend and learn the game of a lifetime.

### TENNIS LESSONS

**Instructor: Ho Scott, PTR Instructor**

**Ages 18+ \$80**

**Sat 11:00 am-12:00 pm April 24 - June 12**

The Tennis Network will conduct this entry level program, which will introduce players to footwork, stroke mechanics, placement, scoring, rules and sportsmanship. Classes meet one (1) day per week. Class size is limited.

### BOCCE

Come out and enjoy Bocce Night every Wednesday night, 6:30 - 10:00 pm, at the new bocce court located next to the Washington Twp. Senior Center in the Municipal Complex. The Robbinsville Bocce Club is looking for interested players for open play and to form a league. Play begins on April 3rd, weather permitting. If interested, come out on a Wednesday night or call John Gaffney, (609) 259-9336, for more information. The club is open to all township residents.

### COMMUNITY FESTIVAL

**Sat 2:00 pm June 12**  
**Community Park Free Admission**

All residents are cordially invited to the annual Washington Township Community Festival at Washington Twp. Community Park on West Manor Way. The rain date will be Sunday, June 13th. The Festival will feature a children's play zone, games & contests for all ages, a food court, talent show, live music, pony rides, a magic show, a paint ball range and much more fun for the whole family. A spectacular fireworks display at dusk will highlight the festivities. Come out and celebrate with your friends and neighbors!

### "MOVIE IN THE PARK"

**8:30 pm Friday, June 25**  
**Tantum Park Free Admission**

Join us for an old-fashioned night at the movies. The show will begin at dusk and is free to the public. Bring the whole family with your blankets and lawn chairs for a night at the movies under the stars.

Main Sponsor: First Washington State Bank.

# Kids & Teens

## SUMMER 2004

### SUMMER CAMP

**Grades 1-5 (Fall 2004) \$210 per 2-week session (\$10 sibling discount per session)**

**9:00 am-3:00 pm June 28 - August 20**

**Sessions:**

**I June 28 - July 9 (no camp July 5th)**

**II July 12 - 23**

**III July 26 - August 6**

**IV August 9 - 20**

**Sharon Elementary School**

Our experienced and trained staff plans a variety of indoor and outdoor activities, including: sports, games, arts & crafts, special guest entertainers, Mad Science workshops, 3 days of swimming per week at Miry Run Country Club, special theme weeks and much more fun. Campers are grouped according to age/grade and participate in activities appropriate for their age level. *For a registration form, please call the Recreation Dept. or visit our website.*



### FOOTBALL CAMP

**Instructors: Todd Brunner, NFL Scout & former college quarterback, Pat Roberts, NFL Scout**

**Grades 2-5 (Fall 2004) \$85 (\$95 non-res)**

**Mon-Fri 9:00 am-12:00 pm June 28 - July 2**

**Grades 6-9 (Fall 2004) \$85 (\$95 non-res)**

**Mon-Fri 1:00-4:00 pm June 28 - July 2**

**Tantum Park**

This new camp will emphasize the basic fundamentals and techniques used to play the game. All positions, both offensive and defensive, will be taught to all players. A live touch game will highlight the end of each day. Participants must wear proper football shoes. Each camper receives a camp t-shirt.

### CHEERLEADING CAMP

**Instructor: Cara DePiano**

Former gymnast and current cheerleader for TCNJ & other experienced cheerleaders from Connections Gymnastics.

**Grades 1-4 (Fall 2004) \$100 (\$110 non-res)**

**Mon-Thur 9:00 am-12:00 pm July 12 - 15**

**Grades 5-8 (Fall 2004) \$100 (\$110 non-res)**

**Mon-Thur 12:30-3:30 pm July 12 - 15**

**Connections Gymnastics, 1100 Route 130, Robbinsville**

This new camp is designed for the beginner cheerleader. Participants will learn the fundamentals of cheerleading, including jumps, stunts, and cheers. Camp will also include instruction on strength, flexibility, and basic tumbling skills from rolls to handsprings. Skill progressions will be taught on the floor, tumble trak, and the trampoline using safety mats and spotting belts. Each camper receives a medal.

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## SUMMER 2004

### GIRLS BASKETBALL CAMP

**Instructor: Linda Weise**

Head Basketball Coach, Hamilton High West

**Girls, ages 7-12**

**\$80 (\$90 non-res)**

**Mon-Fri 9:00 am-12:00 pm**

**July 26 - 30**

**Sharon Elementary School**

This camp is designed to teach the fundamentals of the game and will feature individual and team instruction, offensive and defensive drills, games, and contests. Campers will be grouped according to age and skill level. Emphasis is on fun and learning. Each camper receives a camp t-shirt.

### GIRLS LACROSSE CAMP

**Instructor: Jan Pittas**

Varsity Lacrosse Coach, The Peddie School

**Girls, grades 3-8 (Fall 2004)**

**\$80 (\$90 non-res)**

**Mon-Fri 9:00 am-12:00 pm**

**July 19 - 23**

**Community Park**

This camp is designed for beginners only and emphasizes fundamental skills and techniques. Camp will focus on individual skills, and defensive and offensive strategies. All positions will be taught. Each camper must provide her own stick, shoes (preferably cleats), mouthpiece, and water bottle. Each camper receives a camp t-shirt.

### TENNIS LESSONS

**Instructor: Ho Scott, PTR Instructor**

**Pee Wees (4-6 Years)**

**\$60**

**Mon & Wed 12:00-12:30 pm**

**June 21 - Aug 4**

**Beginner (6-8)**

**\$150**

**Mon, Wed 10:00-11:00 am**

**June 21 - Aug 6**

**Fri 9:00-10:00 am**

**Beginner (9-12)**

**\$150**

**Mon, Wed, Fri 9:00-10:00 am**

**June 21 - Aug 6**

**Beg/Adv Beginner (12-15)**

**\$150**

**Mon, Wed 11:00 am-12:00 pm**

**June 21 - Aug 6**

**Fri 10:00-11:30am**

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### GOLF CAMP - BEGINNER

**Instructor: Mike Beal**

PGA Professional

**Ages 8-12**

**\$100 (\$110 non-res)**

**Mon-Thur 9:00 am-12:00 pm**

**July 19 - 22**

**Miry Run Country Club**

Golf Camp will cover the fundamentals of the game including: proper swing, putting, chipping, sand play, and rules. The camp will also feature daily contests and a mini-tournament on the final day with an awards presentation and picnic. Equipment can be provided by Miry Run Country Club, if necessary. The camp will be limited to the first 20 players who register. Each camper receives a camp t-shirt.



### GOLF CAMP - ADVANCED BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE

**Instructor: Mike Beal**

PGA Professional

**Ages 11-15**

**\$100 (\$110 non-res)**

**Mon-Thur 9:00 am-12:00 pm**

**August 2 - 5**

**Miry Run Country Club**

This camp is designed for graduates of our beginner golf camp and the more advanced young golfer. Instruction will focus on sharpening your skills and to help you reach the next level. The camp will also feature daily contests and a mini-tournament on the final day with an awards presentation and picnic. Equipment can be provided by Miry Run Country Club, if necessary. The camp will be limited to the first 20 players who register. Each camper receives a camp t-shirt.

### GIRLS BASKETBALL LEAGUE

**Grades 6-8 (Fall 2004)**

**\$45**

**Monday nights**

**June 28 - August**

**Municipal Complex outdoor courts**

Our summer league is a great opportunity to fine-tune your game in a fun and relaxed environment. Each player will be assigned to a team after a player evaluation session. The mandatory player evaluation session will be held on Monday, June 21st at 6:30 pm at the Municipal Complex outdoor courts. The deadline to register is June 1st.

### BOYS BASKETBALL LEAGUE

**Grades 6-8 (Fall 2004)**

**\$45**

**Tuesday nights**

**June 29 - August**

**Municipal Complex outdoor courts**

Our summer league is a great opportunity to fine-tune your game in a fun and relaxed environment. Each player will be assigned to a team after a player evaluation session. The mandatory player evaluation session will be held on Tuesday, June 22nd, at 6:30 pm at the Municipal Complex outdoor courts. The deadline to register is June 1st.

# Kids & Teens

## SUMMER 2004

### BOYS HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Grades 9-12 (Fall 2004)

\$45

Thursday nights

July 1 - August

Municipal Complex outdoor courts

Our summer league is a great opportunity to fine-tune your game in a fun and relaxed environment. Each player will be assigned to a team after a player evaluation session. The mandatory player evaluation session will be held on Thursday, June 24th, at 6:30 pm at the Municipal Complex outdoor courts. The deadline to register is June 1st.

**Volunteer Coaches are needed for all basketball leagues.**

If you are interested in coaching, please contact the

Recreation Division at  
(609) 259-7082 ext. 110

### DISCOUNT AMUSEMENT PARK TICKETS

Discount tickets for several amusement parks are available for purchase at the Recreation Department. Tickets with significant discounts are available to **Great Adventure Theme Park and Water Park, and Sesame Place.**

Tickets purchased in advance can be used any day selected during the season. Unused tickets must be returned by September 17, 2004 in order to receive a full refund. Call the Recreation Dept. after May 10th for ticket prices.

#### Save the date!

4TH ANNUAL WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP  
CYCLING CLASSIC  
September 12, 2004

The event will feature various competitive road races and free kids' races. Check our website for more details in the coming months.

Visit our website for new programs and updated program information:

[www.washington-twp.org](http://www.washington-twp.org)



# Adults

## SUMMER 2004

### VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE

Adults 18+

\$175 Resident Team Fee

(minimum of 8 players on roster must be either Twp. residents or employed within the Twp.)

\$200 Non-Resident Team Fee

June 16 - mid-August

Wednesdays nights

Municipal Complex

Another fun and exciting Co-Ed Adult Volleyball League is on hand and will once again be held at the outdoor courts at the Municipal Complex. The league will be limited to the first eight (8) or ten (10) teams, up to 12 players per roster, who return their team information, individual registration and team fee. Fees include team shirts.

Call the Recreation Dept. for a Team Application.

## Just for Seniors

Senior citizen activities are held at the Washington Township Senior Center, located in the Municipal Complex, 1117 Route 130, Robbinsville. For more information concerning all activities, programs, clubs, guest speakers, and the nutrition program, call the Senior Center at 259-7082 ext. 140.

Below are just some of the activities offered at the Senior Center. Monthly newsletters detailing all current programs and activities are available at the Senior Center.

**EXERCISE GROUP:** Tuesday & Fridays at 10:45 a.m.

**BINGO:** Wednesdays & Fridays after lunch. Bingo is delayed on club meeting days which include the second and fourth Wednesday and the last Friday.

**LINE DANCING:** Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

**CHORAL GROUP & BAND:** Tuesday afternoons. Call Dottie Bleistein, 259-1812, for more information.

**KNITTING, & CROCHETING CLUB:** The club makes hats and lap blankets for hospitals and nursing homes. Call Dottie Bleistein, 259-1812, or Mary Thederahn, 371-0655, for more information.

**INTERNET ACCESS:** "Surf the web" in the computer room.

**YOGA:** Tuesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. There is a small fee for participation.

**ART CLUB:** Monday mornings at 10:00 a.m. Free style oil or water-based painting for all levels of participation.

# Registration

Programs are open to all Washington Township residents. All registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis. Space is limited for some programs. Registrations and payments, in the form of cash or check, are accepted at the Recreation Division. Checks should be made payable to "Washington Township Recreation."

**Mail-in registrations:**

Washington Twp. Recreation Division,  
1117 Route 130, Robbinsville, NJ 08691

**In-person registrations are also accepted at the Recreation Office:**

54 Robbinsville-Allentown Road  
Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**Program Cancellation Policy**

The Recreation Division reserves the right to cancel any program if there is insufficient enrollment or change any of the dates, times, locations, ages, fees or other information for any program. All registration fees for cancelled programs will be refunded.

for all refunds granted. No refunds will be granted after a program has started. The summer camp program has a separate refund policy, which will be noted on pertinent registration information. Program fees for certain programs are non-refundable.

**Refund Policy**

*No exceptions will be made to this policy. Please read carefully.* Registrants who wish to withdraw prior to the start of a program may be issued a refund only if the Recreation Division is notified in writing at least ten (10) days prior to the starting date of the program. A 20% administrative service charge will be imposed

Please complete all information that is requested on the form below. Please complete one registration form per person per program. This form may be duplicated or additional forms may be obtained at the Recreation Office. Proper payment must accompany the registration form. Summer Camp and Adult Volleyball require a separate registration form that can be obtained at the Recreation Department.

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## Washington Township Recreation Registration - Spring/Summer 2004

Name of Program \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Date(s) of Program \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Participant	Sex M/F	Date of Birth	Age	Grade in Fall 2004	School
Address					
Parent(s)		Home Phone		Work Phone	

Please list any medical condition/allergies that would restrict participation in any activity:

\_\_\_\_\_ realize there is a risk of being  
(Participant or Parent / legal guardian)

injured that is inherent in all sports and recreation programs. I hereby indemnify, hold harmless, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages against the Township of Washington, Washington Township Recreation Division, and their agents, servants and employees, and other such individuals who may be involved in the planning and implementation of the program, for claims by participants, heirs, executors, administrators, or any other third party injuries that may arise from participation in this program, or acts of negligence arising out of this agreement.

I also authorize the Washington Twp. Recreation Division to use any photographs, videotapes, or recordings of the participant named above as may be needed for public relations purposes.

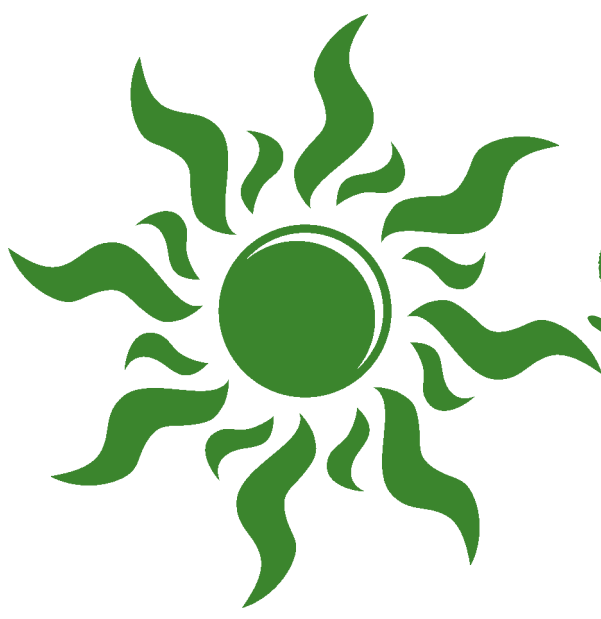
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