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## Parks and Recreation Winter Program Registration Under Way

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*Powell, OH:* If variety is the spice of life, then the Powell Parks and Recreation Department has plenty of ways to keep things spicy in the new year. The department has just published its Winter/Spring Program Guide, and registration for all activities is under way.

“We have many of our popular classes returning for another year, and some new classes really show quite a bit of diversity in our offerings,” said Silas Bowers, assistant director of the Parks and Recreation Department.

The department is again offering a full slate of classes for all ages this winter and spring. Among the popular programs back for another year are “Sporties for Shorties” (introduces children ages 3-5 to soccer, basketball and teeball), “On the Mat Martial Arts” (kids 4-12 develop their Taekwondo skills while building character) and “Tumblin’ 4 Kids” (gymnastics classes for all skill levels for kids 2-12), to name a few.

New programs added to the roster this year include “On the Loose with Dr. Seuss,” a class for ages 3-6 that features Dr. Seuss books and crafts and snacks that go along with each book; “Organic Vegetable Gardening,” where adults 18 and older will learn the basics of growing healthy, fresh vegetables organically; “Fun with Fondant,” a baking class for ages 14 and older where participants will learn how to cover a cake, make a ruffle and create simple flowers; “Microsoft Word,” an adult class that teaches the ins and outs of document creation, editing and the use of fonts, shapes and alignment; “Beginning Sewing,” an introduction to sewing for ages 7-13; and holiday-themed classes that celebrate Valentine’s Day and St. Patrick’s Day.

Also new this year is a “New to You Bridal Exchange and Expo,” an event where soon-to-be newlyweds can find several wedding-related businesses under one roof and browse for second-hand wedding essentials. The expo is scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 26 at the Municipal Building.

Winter/Spring Program Guides are available at the Municipal Building, the Powell branch of the Delaware County District Library, the Greater Powell Area Chamber of Commerce and at various Powell businesses. For more information about programs or the Bridal Expo (including information about commercial booth rental or second-hand table rates), contact the parks and recreation department at 614-885-9820.

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