About SEASPAR

SEASPAR provides recreational programs and services for people with disabilities who are residents of our twelve member entities:

- Village of Brookfield
- Clarendon Hills Park District
- Darien Park District
- Downers Grove Park District
- Village of Indian Head Park
- Park District of La Grange
- Community Park District of La Grange Park
- Lemont Park District
- Lisle Park District
- Village of Western Springs
- Westmont Park District
- Woodridge Park District

In addition to the Wonders Multi-Sensory Room, SEASPAR offers year-round programming for all ages and all disabilities, including: weekly social, artistic, cultural, and fitness programs; special events and trips; day camps; Special Olympics training; adapted sports; inclusion services; and much more!

How to “Wonder”

Visiting Wonders requires registration through SEASPAR.

Location

The Wonders Multi-Sensory Room is located in the Lisle Recreation Center – Door 8, at 1925 Ohio Street in Lisle.

Programs and Special Events

Our Sensory Sunday program allows participants ages 3 and older to experience Wonders on flexible dates with a 5- or 12-visit punch card. Call us at 630.960.7600 for more information.

Weekly programs, special events, and adapted programs are also offered at the site. Refer to our seasonal program guide to learn more about current offerings.

Field Trips and Group Visits

If you would like to schedule a visit for a field trip or other group, please call us at 630.960.7600.

Learn More

Visit SEASPAR.org/Wonders to watch a video and view more photos of Wonders in action!
What is “Wonders”?

Wonders is SEASPAR’s Multi-Sensory Room. Built in 2014, Wonders was the first Multi-Sensory Room within a municipal building in the country.

Wonders features interactive equipment that pleases the senses in a variety of unique and soothing ways.

Wonders primarily benefits individuals of any age with:
• Autism/autism spectrum disorders
• ADHD
• Sensory processing disorders
• Dementia

Benefits of visiting Wonders include:
• Improved mood
• Fewer disruptive behaviors
• Decreased anxiety
• Decreased fear
• Improved communication
• Enhanced interpersonal interactions

Features of Wonders

Wonders’ specially-designed equipment appeals to the auditory, tactile, olfactory, and visual senses.

The Gesturetek Cube creates an interactive projection on the floor with amazing special effects which are gesture-controlled.

The Soundbeam 5 converts movements into sound and music. Individuals are enabled to express themselves through this contact-free musical instrument.

Bubble tubes provide multi-sensory feedback and stimulate the visual system. Individuals can control color changes and color change speed with the push of a button.

The Vibroacoustic Learning Chair offers beanbag styling with mold-to-the-body comfort. Music is played through the chair so that the individual is surrounded by the music and can also feel its gentle vibrations.

Sparkle and marble walls let individuals control colors and lights with the touch of their hands, and feel the calming coolness of glittering glass.

Essential aromatherapy oils can be diffused into the room, dispersing a calming and pleasant scent.

Sensory toys are also available for individuals to move around the room as they please. Examples include the Jumbo Love Bug, aromatic stuffed animals, weighted blankets, and more!