

NEWBERG INDOOR PARK

Spring Newsletter

Looking for something fun to do with your kids? Check out these places, recommended by fellow NIP members.

ACTIVITIES

YMCA- Sherwood

We frequent the YMCA for the kids' gym, which is at 10 am on Mondays and Wednesdays. It is free for members and open to kids 5 and under. They have a gym where they lay out a whole bunch of mats for tumbling, jumping and general play. The YMCA also has a pre-school swim time which varies every weekday morning. The shallow end of the pool is open to parents and kids. It's a zero entry pool and they put out toys for the kids to play with. The Y also offers many classes for kids once they turn 3 years old. Costs and times vary on these.

Mudpuddles- Sherwood

Mudpuddles in Sherwood also offers a great music time on Mondays at 10 am. It is free. Miss Debbie leads the kids in songs and movement. She is fabulous!! She is also very popular, so it can get very crowded.

Me Too!- Beaverton

16755 SW Baseline, #102, Beaverton, OR

Parents can have meals or just espressos while the children play in a separate room with an attendant. Parents can peek in at the kids without the kids seeing them, if you want. There is a fee for each child.

They have events like PJ Storytime, Penny's Puppets (dinner show) or Date Nights for parents (usually wine and dessert specials). Long drive from Newberg, but it's a nice place.

Scotty's Playhouse- McMinnville

Church on the Hill- 700 North Hill Road

Huge play structure, similar to Safari Sam's. Very clean. For kids 3-11 (ideal for ages 5-9).

Check their website for hours, as they are only open a couple hours each day and times vary depending on the day of the week. [HYPERLINK "http://www.hillchurch.com/"\t"_blank"](http://www.hillchurch.com/)
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You can rent their place for birthday parties for a reasonable rate (\$100 for 2 hours, including a

building monitor).

FOOD

Ye Olde Pizza Shoppe- Newberg

Their pizza is awesome and they have a "duckie go round" and a candy crane that our kids love. They are very laid back and tolerant of kid noise.

Captain Ron's- Sherwood

We also like Captain Ron's in Sherwood for tolerance factor. They are a pub and serve pub food. They have a good happy hour and the staff is always really great with our kids.

Papa's Pizza- Beaverton

If you want to travel a little, Papa's Pizza in Beaverton has a huge play area that our kids totally love and it's free to customers. Think Mc Donald's on a bigger scale.

VACATIONS

Great Wolf Lodge- Grand Mound, WA (2 hours away)

It seems expensive (starts around \$180 per night for 4 people), but that includes your water park passes for each day. Has an indoor water park with a wave pool, lots of slides, kiddie pool, hot tub, raft ride, restaurants, arcade, MagiQuest game, etc. If you pack a meal or two, it can help keep the costs down.

Sea World, LegoLand, San Diego Zoo- San Diego, CA

Check the internet for coupons and passes. The zoo is too much for little kids (there's a lot of walking and it's usually hot). Sea World was my favorite (I found online coupons for a two day pass for the price of one day). LegoLand was my boys' favorite (6 and 3 yrs old at the time). Both places had rides and plenty of things to see and do. San Diego also has other attractions around the city.