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DCR IS CALLING ALL YOUTH GROUPS

Spots for youth group recreational activities remain at Teddy Ebersol's Red Sox Fields

The Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) still has spring and summer openings for recreational permits on the Teddy Ebersol Fields at the Charles River Esplanade.

The fields are available for baseball, softball, t-ball and soccer weekdays from 3-7pm beginning in April continuing through September. DCR has added a designated parking space for field permittees to accommodate group vans. Additional parking can also be made available.

DCR is proud to be a community resource for all types of outdoor active recreation. The Urban Division manages twenty-eight properties offering active sport facilities including tennis and basketball courts and baseball, softball, soccer and football fields. Groups of all sizes participate in various sports from baseball to tennis to soccer on the DCR's ballfields and courts. They include Little League teams, corporate softball squads, and adult kickball leagues.

For more information regarding potential permit availabilities and the associated fees, please contact DCR's Recreational Permit Division at 617-727-4708 x204 or <http://www.mass.gov/dcr/recreate/fields.htm>

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