

# Marlborough Parks & Recreation

## 2023 Fall Programs (Front & Back Page)

Complete program descriptions available

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Registration now open – online, in person, by mail or by phone (860)295-6203

### Youth Programs – Art/Crafts

**Acrylic Landscape Painting** - Grades 1 & 2, Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Elementary School Art Room – Wednesdays, 3:30 – 5:00pm, September 13<sup>th</sup> – October 4<sup>th</sup>. Students will be guided through the techniques of landscape painting. Students can bring a photo of a landscape of their own choosing or choose from a collection provided by Ms. Ketterer. All materials are provided. Students are encouraged to bring a snack. Fee is \$90 for residents/\$95 for non-residents.

**Artventures – Where the Wild Things Art!** – Grades K-4, at Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Elementary School Cafeteria. Tuesdays, 3:15 – 4:15pm, October 17<sup>th</sup> – November 28<sup>th</sup>. Art-venturers explore many whimsical and original art forms and techniques, discovering clay and collage, painting and drawing, mask-making and decorating, just to name a few! Sculpt colorful hybrid creatures and clay pots. Design ceramic robots, celestial wind chimes, and awesome airplanes. Decorate birdhouses, wooden guitars, and goofy masks. Create cityscape printmaking, letter collages, and panda drawings. Even make your own tape resist t-shirts! Plus, hear wonderful stories, such as "Where the Wild Things Are" or "Nova the Robot," that go hand-in-hand with each project. Humor and surprises are always included. Explore, experiment, create! Art-venturers bring home awesome works of art each week! So much FUN! Fee is \$115.00 for residents/\$120.00 for non-residents. No class on 11/7.

**Acrylic Landscape Painting** - Grades 3-6, Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Elementary School Art Room – Wednesdays, 3:30 – 5:00pm, October 18<sup>th</sup> – November 8<sup>th</sup>. Students will be guided through the techniques of landscape painting. Students can bring a photo of a landscape of their own choosing or choose from a collection provided by Ms. Ketterer. All materials are provided. Students are encouraged to bring a snack. Fee is \$90 for residents/\$95 for non-residents.

### After School Programs

**After School Co-Ed Kickball** – Grades 5 & 6, Wednesdays, 3:15 – 4:15pm, September 20<sup>th</sup> – October 25<sup>th</sup> at Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall baseball field. Registration fee is \$30.00.

**Mad Science – Crazy Chemworks** – Grades 1 - 6, Thursdays, 3:15 – 4:15, October 12<sup>th</sup> – November 30<sup>th</sup> at Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Elementary. We'll learn about the tools scientists use in their laboratories, as well as atoms, molecules and reactions, acids and bases, fluorescence and phosphorescence. We'll also examine and investigate super sticky things by exploring suction, hydrogen bonding and static cling. We'll also see some very cool dry ice demonstrations! Continue the science at home with fun labware take-homes and experiments.! No class 11/16 and 11/23. Registration fee \$115 resident/\$120 non-residents.

### Music/Dance

**Tiny Tappers (ages 3-5)** – Tuesdays, 10:30am-11:00am, September 12<sup>th</sup> -Nov 14<sup>th</sup>. All classes are held at Dance Dynamics in Hebron. Registration fee is \$140.00.

**Tiny Twirlers (Ages 2-3)** – Tuesdays, 9:30am-10:00am, September 12<sup>th</sup> - Nov 14<sup>th</sup>. Registration fee is \$140.00. All classes are held at Dance Dynamics in Hebron.

**Sparkling Spinners (ages 3-4)**-Tuesday 10:00am-10:30am. September 12<sup>th</sup> - November 14<sup>th</sup>. All classes held at Dance Dynamics in Hebron. Registration fee is \$140.00.

**Sparkling Spinners (ages 3-5)**-Thursdays, 4:45pm-5:15pm. September 14<sup>th</sup> - November 16<sup>th</sup>. All classes held at Dance Dynamics in Hebron. Registration fee is \$140.00.

**Tiny Twirlers (Ages 2-3)** – Thursdays, 5:15pm-5:45pm, September 14<sup>th</sup> - Nov 16<sup>th</sup>. Registration fee is \$140.00. All classes are held at Dance Dynamics in Hebron.

## Classes and Activities

**Kids Sunset Yoga in the Park**- Ages 3 and up, Wednesdays, Sept. 6th—Oct. 4th, 5:50pm—6:15pm

Location: Blish Park Cost: \$50.00 resident/\$55.00 non-resident/\$15.00 drop in.

**Soccer Shots Mini** – Age 2, Saturdays, September 9th – October 28th, 3pm – 3:30pm at the West Road upper field. Registration fee is \$105.00 resident/\$110.00 non-resident.

**Soccer Shots Classic** – Ages 3 - 5, Saturdays, September 9th – October 28th, 3:40pm – 4:25pm at the West Road upper field. Registration fee is \$110.00 resident/\$115.00 non-resident.

**Tennis Lessons** – Ages 8 – 12, Tuesdays, September 12th – September 26th, 4:00pm – 5:00pm at the Blish Park Tennis Courts. Players will develop new skills and techniques through enjoyable activities and drills. Instruction will be differentiated amongst the levels of the players in each of the clinics to ensure each player is improving on their skill set. Registration fee is \$70.00 residents/\$75.00 non-residents. Instruction provided by Shaun Keane.

**Adventures in STEM with Lego** – Grades K-4, September 19th – October 24th, 3:15pm – 4:15pm in the MES cafeteria. Let your imagination run wild with tens of thousands of LEGO® parts! Build engineer-designed projects and use special pieces to create your own unique designs! Registration fee is \$114.00 resident/\$119.00 non-resident.

**Parents Night Out** - Grades K – 6, Friday, September 22nd, October 20th, November 17th & December 15th, 6pm – 9pm at the Marlborough Senior Center. Drop off the kids and enjoy an evening out at a movie, dinner or shopping for a few hours. Kids will have the option of participating in arts and crafts activities, games, sports or watching a movie. Pizza and beverages will be provided. Registration fee is \$20.00 per child resident/\$25.00 per child non-resident.

**Safe at Home** – Grades 4-6, Tuesday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 5:00pm – 6:30pm at the Marlborough Senior Center. Participants will learn skills to prepare them to be safe when home alone. Registration fee is \$38.00 resident/\$43.00 non-resident.

**Safe Sitter** – Grades 6-8, Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, 9:00am – 2:00pm at the Marlborough Senior Center. Designed to prepare students in grades 6-8 to be safe when they're home alone, watching younger siblings, or babysitting. The Instructor-led class is filled with fun games and role-playing exercises. Students even get to use manikins to practice rescue skills like choking rescue! Registration fee is \$110.00 resident/\$115.00 non-resident.

**Kids Sewing 101: Stretch & Sew** - Thursdays; Dec. 7th—21st, 4:30p-6p, at the Marlborough Senior Center.

Kids will learn how to thread, operate and troubleshoot their sewing machines while creating a dress and pair of leggings. Techniques including Hems and elastic application. Students must bring their own machine and scissors. Fabric and notions materials will be provided. Registration fee is \$85 resident/\$90 non-resident.

**Horseback Riding Lessons** – Ages 5 and up, English or Western style instruction. The lessons are private and are an hour in length. The lessons days and times are flexible. The instructor will contact you upon registration to set up lesson day and time. Instruction provided by Jo-Ellen Lemanski. Registration fee is 4 lessons for \$175.00 residents/\$180.00 non-residents.

## Adult Programs - Classes/Activities

**Adult Beginner Ballet** – ages 18 and over, Mondays, September 11<sup>th</sup> – November 13<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm – 7:45pm at Dance Dynamics in Hebron, CT. Registration fee is \$190.00 resident.

**Adult Hip Hop** – ages 18 and over, Mondays, September 11th – November 13th, 7:45pm – 8:15pm at Dance Dynamics in Hebron, CT. Registration fee is \$190.00 resident.

**Beginner Adult Tap** – ages 18 and over, Tuesdays, September 12th – November 14th, 11:00am – 11:45am at Dance Dynamics in Hebron, CT. Registration fee is \$190.00 resident.

**Adult Tap** – ages 18 and over, Tuesdays, September 12th – November 28th, 7:45pm – 8:15pm at Dance Dynamics in Hebron, CT. Registration fee is \$190.00 resident. No class 10/31 & 11/21.

**Dog Obedience – Polite Dog Manners** – Mondays, September 11<sup>th</sup> – October 16<sup>th</sup>, 4:30pm – 5:30pm. Classes are held at the Marlborough Senior Center. Beginner level classes for dogs 5 months and older. Positive training for the family dog. Your dog will receive training in the following skills: paying attention, sit, down, stay, polite greetings, coming when called and loose leash walking. Registration fee is \$115.00 resident/\$120.00 non-resident. Class instruction provided by Beth Vincent.

**Pickleball**- Wednesdays & Thursdays, 9:00am—11:00am. Location: Blish Park Tennis Courts  
Cost: No fee for this program.

**Adult Volleyball** – Thursday nights at the Elmer Thienes Elementary School Gym – 8:00-10:00pm - \$5 per week – Drop-In. Session begins October 5th.

### **Fitness**

**ZUMBA Class Fall Session**- The 6 week class will begin Tuesdays, September 18th - November 23rd, 7:00-8:00pm in the Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Elementary School Cafeteria. Fee for the program is \$60 for residents and \$65 for non-residents, \$10 drop-in fee. Register on the Park & Rec website.

### **Trips/Special Events**

**Town Wide Tag Sale** – Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup> from 8:30am – 1:00pm. Registration forms online or available in Town Hall. Fee is \$25 with a deadline of September 29th, no exceptions.

**Salem Massachusetts (on your own)** - Saturday, October 14th. Trip Includes charter bus, free time in Salem and snacks/games with prizes on the bus. Registration fee is \$80.00. Bus leaves from Putnam park and ride in Glastonbury at 7:15am/returns 7:30pm.

**NY Giants vs. NY Jets** - Sunday, October 29th, 1:00pm at Met Life Stadium. Trip includes charter bus, upper level end zone ticket to the game, cookout before the game, food after the game, cornhole tournament, pick'em pool, music, games and prizes on the bus. Registration fee is \$335.00. Bus leaves from Putnam park and ride at 6:30am/returns at 8:30pm.

**Driveway Reflective Number Signs** - The cost of the sign is \$50. Help emergency services personnel find your home without delay. Vertical sign is double sided 8” x 24” with 4” numbers on blue highway reflective metal. Order forms are online and at Town Hall.