

Marlborough Parks & Recreation

2026 Spring/Summer Programs (Front & Back)

Registration begins March 1st – online, in person, or via mail
www.marlboroughct.net. For more info, call 860-295-6203.

Youth Programs – Arts/Crafts

Cravola Imagine Arts – Wild World: The Art Of Conservation – Grades K-6, Tuesdays, April 7th – May 19th, 3:15-4:15pm in the MES cafeteria. Kids take an around-the-world cultural adventure. They explore far-off places and learn about the people who live there, from the Americas to Polynesia, from the city to the countryside. They experiment with Cravola products, while trying art techniques developed by local artists and artisans. They make different masterpieces each week such as drums, masks, canvases, prints, buses and more. Registration fee is \$142.00 resident/\$147.00 non-resident.

Music/Dance

Tiny Twirlers Dance Class - Ages 2-3 with caregiver, Tuesdays, 5:00pm-5:30pm, March 24th - May 26th. Children will be introduced to basic dance moves, work on their motor skills, and develop a sense of music. Lots of fun, smiles and movement exploration! All classes held at Dance Dynamics in Hebron. Dress code: Girls: Leotard and tights, pink ballet shoes. Boys: T-shirt and sweatpants, black ballet shoes. Registration fee is \$136.00. (No class April 14th)

Tiny Twirlers Dance Class - Ages 2-3 with caregiver, Saturdays, 9:30am-10:00am, March 28th - May 30th. Children will be introduced to basic dance moves, work on their motor skills, and develop a sense of music. Lots of fun, smiles and movement exploration! All classes held at Dance Dynamics in Hebron. Dress code: Girls: Leotard and tights, pink ballet shoes. Boys: T-shirt and sweatpants, black ballet shoes. Registration fee is \$108.00. (No class 4/4,4/18,5/23)

Sparkling Spinners -Ages 3-6, Thursdays, 4:30pm-5:00pm. March 26th - May 28th. All classes held at Dance Dynamics in Hebron. Registration fee is \$136.00. No class April 16th.

Classes/Activities

After School Co-Ed Dodgeball League – Grades 5 & 6, Mondays, March 23rd – May 11th, 3:15pm – 4:15pm. Participants will be divided up into teams each week to play various dodgeball games. No dodgeball on April 13th and May 4th. Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Elementary School community room. Registration fee is \$30.00 resident.

After School Co – Ed Handball League – Grades 5 & 6, Wednesdays, April 1st – May 20th, 3:15pm – 4:15pm. Participants will be divided up into teams and play weekly games. No handball April 15th and May 13th. Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Elementary School Gymnasium. Registration fee is \$30.00 resident.

LEGO Pokemon Engineering - Grades K-4, Wednesdays, April 1st – May 13th, 3:15pm – 4:45pm. We will use LEGO® to build our strongest Avengers to defeat Thanos, help Thor retrieve Mjolnir, swing through the city with Spider-man, and tell Hulk to....Smash! Our journey will take us to battles in this world and beyond; are you up to the challenge? Registration fee is \$136.00 resident/\$141.00 non-resident.

Mad Science-NASA Space and Beyond – Grades K-6, Thursdays, April 9th – May 21st, 3:15-4:15 in the MES cafeteria. When students join this program after school, they join us for an exploration of some of our favorite classes. We could be confronting aliens in one class, chemistry in the next and maybe even some art concepts. This program offers something for everyone! A science-related take-home activity accompanies every class. Registration fee is \$142.00 resident/\$147.00 non-resident.

Soccer Shots Mini – Age 2, Saturdays, April 18th – June 12th, 3pm – 3:35pm at the West Road Memorial upper field. Registration fee is \$90.00 resident/\$95.00 non-resident. No session on May 23rd.

Soccer Shots Classic – Ages 3 - 5, Saturdays, April 18th – June 12th, 3:45pm – 4:30pm at the West Road Memorial upper field. Registration fee is \$113.00 resident/\$118.00 non-resident. No session on May 23rd.

Spring Into Yoga – Kids Yoga & Mindfulness Series – Ages 3-10, Tuesdays, April 21st – May 12th, 5:15pm – 6:00pm at the Marlborough Senior Center. Let's SPRING into yoga this season! Each week, we'll embark on an exciting yoga adventure centered around movement, play, and mindfulness. Your child will learn a variety of yoga poses, practice breathing, explore mindful games & crafts, then calm the body & mind with a relaxing wind-down. Class instruction provided by Rachel Kacynski. Please bring your own yoga or exercise mat. Parent/guardian must attend to observe or participate with their child. Registration fee is \$58.00 resident/\$63.00 non-resident/\$20.00 drop in fee.

Adult Sewing – Know Your Machine - Ages 16 and up, Thursday, April 23rd, 5:30pm – 7:00pm at the Marlborough Senior Center. Do you have a sewing machine still in the box? Have you always wanted to do your own simple alterations or make items for your home and family, this 101 the basics class is for you. Registration fee is \$52.00 resident/\$57.00 non-resident.

Intergenerational Multicultural Club – Grades 5 & 6, Fridays, April 24th – May 29th, 3:30 – 4:30pm at the Marlborough Senior Center. Students will be filling culture boxes with objects such as dolls, coins, brochures from countries of your origin, decorate the boxes, talk about your heritage. Then we will celebrate with ethnic snacks. No cost to participate.

CPR Certification – Saturday, May 2nd, 9:00am – 11:30am at the Marlborough Senior Center. This class is for any individual who is looking for self-improvement, basic CPR for work that does not require a First Aid component, or families looking to ensure safety in the house and around the pool area. What is covered: Adult, child and infant CPR, foreign-body airway obstruction, Automated External Defibrillator (AED). This is NOT a course if you are a Medical Provider or a Day Care Provider. Registration fee is \$113.00 resident/\$118.00 non-resident.

Affinity Esports (Gamers Retreat) – Ages 7-17, Fridays, May 1st – June 5th, 3:15pm – 4:15PM in the MES cafeteria. A diverse and socially driven class where kids can explore different gaming genres, build social skills through team play, and develop positive gaming habits in a fun, balanced environment. No class on May 22nd. Registration free is \$135.00 resident/\$140.00 non-resident.

Skyhawks Multi Sports Tots – Ages 2&3, Thursdays, May 7th – June 4th, 5pm – 5:45pm at the MES gymnasium. Begin an athletic journey with Multi-SportTots! This program offers a variety of sports through fun, age-appropriate activities, enhancing balance, coordination, and fitness. This engaging introduction to multiple sports is packed with learning and teamwork! Parent participation is required with children 3.5 years and younger. Registration fee is \$90.00 resident/\$95.00 non-resident.

Skyhawks Multi Sports Tots – Ages 4&5, Thursdays, May 7th – June 4th, 6pm – 6:45pm at the MES gymnasium. Begin an athletic journey with Multi-SportTots! This program offers a variety of sports through fun, age-appropriate activities, enhancing balance, coordination, and fitness. This engaging introduction to multiple sports is packed with learning and teamwork! Registration fee is \$90.00 resident/\$95.00 non-resident.

Kids Sewing – Pajama Bottoms – Ages 6 and up, Thursday, May 7th, 5:30pm – 7:00pm at the Marlborough Senior Center. Kids will create their own pajamas. Students will learn the basics of machine operation while learning how to insert elastic, linings, creating hems and more. Each participant will take home their projects. All supplies are included. Class instruction is provided by Miss Ashley. Registration fee is \$79.00 resident/\$84.00 non-resident.

Tennis Lessons – Ages 5-7, Wednesdays, May 13th – May 27th, 3:45pm – 4:30pm at the Blish Park Tennis Court. Players will develop new skills and techniques through enjoyable activities and drills. The classes will be run by Shaun Keane who has over 20 years of teaching and running tennis clinics to a variety of ages. 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 \$65.00 resident/\$70.00 non-resident.

Tennis Lessons – Ages 8-12, Wednesdays, May 13th – May 27th, 4:30pm – 5:30pm at the Blish Park Tennis Court. Players will develop new skills and techniques through enjoyable activities and drills. The classes will be run by Shaun Keane who has over 20 years of teaching and running tennis clinics to a variety of ages. 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 \$85.00 resident/\$90.00 non-resident.

Safe at Home – Grades 4-6, Tuesday, May 19th, 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 \$50.00 resident/\$63.00 non-resident.

Safe Sitter – Grades 6-8, Saturday, June 27th, 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 \$140.00 resident/\$145.00 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 /Fitness

Beginner Tai Chi – Tuesdays, 12 – 12:45pm beginning in January at the Marlborough Senior Center. Tai Chi is an ancient Chinese health practice of slow gentle movements that research shows to help improve your balance, flexibility, physical and mental well-being. Some benefits of tai chi are: releasing tensions and stress, developing mind/body awareness, increasing balance, fostering present time consciousness. Registration fee is \$40.00 resident/\$45.00 non-resident

Beginner & Intermediate Tai Chi – Thursdays, 1:00pm – 2:00pm at the Marlborough Senior Center. Tai Chi is an ancient Chinese health practice of slow gentle movements that research shows to help improve your balance, flexibility, physical and mental well-being. Registration fee is \$40.00 resident/\$45.00 non-resident.

ZUMBA - Tuesdays, 6:30-7:30pm at the Marlborough Senior Center. The exciting, simple dance routines done to Latin and International music, will have you moving and grooving. Registration fee is \$50 residents/\$55 non-residents/\$12 drop-in fee. Class instruction provided by Anna Boose.

Adult Volleyball – Thursday nights at the Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Elementary School Gym – 8:00-10:00pm - \$5 per week – Drop-In. Session runs until June 2nd.

Adult Drop In Basketball– Sunday mornings at the Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Elementary School Gym – 8:00-10:00am - \$5 per week. Session runs until April.

Dance

Adult Beginner Ballet – Ages 18 and up, Tuesdays, March 24th – May 26th, 6:30pm – 7:15pm. Class is held Dynamics in Hebron, CT. Registration fee is \$181.00. No class April 14th.

Adult Tap – Ages 18 and up, Thursdays, March 26th – May 28th, 8:00pm – 8:45pm. Class is held at Dance Dynamics in Hebron, CT. Registration fee is \$181.00. No class April 16th.

Summer Camps/Programs

Netto Summer Day Camp – Grades K-7, June 22nd – August 14th at Blish Park. Campers will enjoy camp games, arts & crafts, swimming, sports, field trips and special events. All campers are supervised by counselors and lifeguards trained in CPR/First Aid. Registration is \$185.00 resident/\$195.00 non-resident.

Swim Lessons – These classes are designed to allow swimmers to develop good habits in the water, become comfortable in the water, learn and refine new strokes, and become stronger, safer swimmers. Lessons will begin the week of June 29th. All lesson levels are offered. All lessons are held at Blish Park. Registration fee is \$65.00 resident/\$70.00 non-resident.

Lego – Radical Rides – Ages 5 - 7, June 23rd – June 27th, 8:30am – 11:30am. Start your engines with tens of thousands of LEGO® parts as you dive into the vast world of vehicles! Build and design an array of exciting machines, traversing land, sea, and air, with the assistance of experienced PlayWell instructors. Learn about the engineering principles behind motors, gears, and everything that vrooms and zooms! Class is held in the Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Cafeteria. Cost is \$155.00 resident/\$160.00 non-resident.

Lego – Radical Rides – Ages 7 - 12, June 23rd – June 27th, 12:00pm – 3:00pm. Get anywhere, any way by building fast and furious vehicles of all kinds! Dive into our tens of thousands of LEGO® parts while you learn about the engineering behind vehicle design and creation. We guarantee that our Play-Well instructors will help you get movin' and groovin' through the world. Class is held in the Elmer Thienes – Mary Hall Cafeteria. Cost is \$155.00 resident/\$160.00 non-resident.

Safe Sitter – Grades 6-8, Saturday, June 27th, 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 \$140.00 resident/\$145.00 non-resident.

Skyhawks Basketball Camp - Ages 7 – 12, June 22nd – June 26th, 9:00am – 3:00pm at the Marlborough Elementary School gym. This fun, skill intensive program is designed for beginning to intermediate athletes. An active week of passing, shooting, dribbling and rebounding. Boys and girls will also learn vital life lessons such as respect, teamwork and responsibility. Registration is \$185.00 residents/\$190.00 non-residents.

Skyhawks Mini –Hawk Camp (Soccer, Baseball and Basketball) – Ages 4 – 6, June 29th – July 2nd, 9:00am – 12:00pm at the Marlborough Elementary School gym. This multi-sport program gives children a positive first step into athletics. The essentials of each sport are taught in a safe, structured environment with lots of encouragement and a focus on fun. Registration fee \$130.00 residents/\$135.00 non-residents.

Skyhawks Multi - Sport Camp (Soccer, Baseball and Basketball) – Ages 7 – 10, June 29th – July 2nd, 9:00am – 1:00pm at the Marlborough Elementary School gym. This multi-sport program is designed to introduce young athletes to a variety of different sports in one setting. Athletes will learn the rules and essentials of each sport through skill-based games and scrimmages. Registration fee \$130.00 residents/\$135.00 non-residents.

Mad Science-Red Hot Robots with Coding – Grades K-6, June 22nd – June 26th, 9:00am-12:00pm in the MES cafeteria. Children will learn the basics of robotics by constructing their own age appropriate robot throughout the week. They will gain a basic knowledge of the science of wheels, simple machines, and gears. They will experience different types of robotic devices including line tracking and responsive robots. Robots go home with campers on the last day of the program. Supplies included. Registration fee is \$193.00 resident/\$198.00 non-resident.

Crayola Arts- Bouncy Bendy Arts in Motion – Grades K-6, July 6th – July 10th, 9:00am-12:00pm in the MES cafeteria. ART-ventures with a totally unique twist! Make masterpieces with real moving parts, create the illusion of movement, and discover art processes that use motion to get amazing results. Combine metal, wood, and paper to build Spinning Sculptures inspired by Calder, and design Stretchy Stained-Glass art you can re-shape again and again. Sculpt goofy Clay Monsters, craft Bendy Paper Lizards, and paint Seascapes like Monet. Create Matisse Watercolor Banners, Fireworks Flowerpots, and Textured Tissue Paper art. Design Kaleidoscopes, Dancing Pasta Sculptures, and Scribble T-shirts. Draw zany self-portraits inspired by Silberzweig and decorate Cupcake Boxes with fluffy frosting and sprinkles. Registration fee is \$193.00 resident/\$198.00 non-resident

Skyhawks Flag Football Camp – Ages 7 – 12, July 13th – July 17th, 9:00am – 1:00pm at the Marlborough Elementary School gym. Boys and girls learn skills on both sides of the football including the core components of passing, catching and defense – all in a fun and positive environment. Registration fee is \$165.00 residents/\$170.00 non-residents.

Tennis Lessons – Ages 5-7, July 13th – July 16th, 9:00am – 9:45am at the Blish Park Tennis Court. Join Shaun Keane and some RHAM tennis players for the Hebron Grip n' Rip Tennis Camps! Players will develop new skills, refine techniques, and enhance their overall game through fun and engaging activities, drills, and games. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced player, this camp is designed to help athletes of all levels grow their skills in a positive and structured environment. Rain date 7/17. Registration fee is \$70.00 resident/\$75.00 non-resident.

Tennis Lessons – Ages 8-12, July 13th – July 16th, 9:45am – 10:45am at the Blish Park Tennis Court. Join Shaun Keane and some RHAM tennis players for the Hebron Grip n' Rip Tennis Camps! Players will develop new skills, refine techniques, and enhance their overall game through fun and engaging activities, drills, and games. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced player, this camp is designed to help athletes of all levels grow their skills in a positive and structured environment. Rain date 7/17. Registration fee is \$90.00 resident/\$95.00 non-resident.

Skyhawks Sand Volleyball Camp – Ages 10- 14, July 20th – July 24th, 9:00am – 1:00pm at Blish Park volleyball court. All aspects of volleyball are taught through drills and exercises that focus on passing, setting, hitting and serving. This program is designed for the beginning and intermediate player. Boys and girls will develop skills through game-speed drills and daily scrimmages. Registration fee is \$165.00 for residents/\$170.00 non-residents. Camp is held at the Blish Park sand volleyball court.

Skyhawks Mini –Hawk Camp (Soccer, Baseball and Basketball) – Ages 4 – 6, July 27th – July 31st, 9:00am – 12:00pm. This multi-sport program gives children a positive first step into athletics. The essentials of each sport are taught in a safe, structured environment with lots of encouragement and a focus on fun. Registration fee \$150.00 residents/\$155.00 non-residents. Camp is held at Marlborough Elementary School gym.

Special Events/Trips

Easter Egg Hunt – Saturday, March 28th at Blish Park! Visit the Easter Bunny and have fun with family and friends at the egg hunt. Ages 2 and under @ 11:00am, Ages 6-8 @ 11:15am, Ages 3-5@11:30am, ages 7 - 10@ 11:45am.

Kids Fishing Derby – Saturday, May 2nd, 9:00am – 11:00am at Blish Park. This event is held for anyone from 4 to 15 years of age. Registration for this event is \$10.00. Prizes will be awarded for biggest fish, smallest fish and first fish caught.

Boston Red Sox vs. New York Mets – Saturday, July 11th, 4:10pm. Trip Includes: A Charter Bus, Ticket to the game, Cookout at the stadium: Hamburgs, Hot Dogs, Sweet & Sour Meatballs, Sausage & Peppers, Assorted Salads, Chips, Water and Soda, games and prizes on the bus. Registration fee is \$185.00 (400 level seating), \$255.00(lower level seating). Bus picks up/drops off at Putnam park and ride in Glastonbury.

Family Movie Night (The Super Mario Galaxy Movie) – Friday, August 14th, 8pm on the Town Green. Come down to the green and enjoy the newest Super Mario movie with friends and family.