

SPRING & CAMPS 2023

Recreation & Parks

PROGRAM GUIDE

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WELCOME TO SPRING WITH CARROLL COUNTY RECREATION & PARKS!

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REGISTRATION

2023 SPRING & CAMPS Program Registration
for **Carroll County residents opens on Wednesday February 8, 2023**
and on **Wednesday February 15, 2023 for Out-of-County residents.**

Phone

410-386-2103, Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

Online

Visit ccrec.recdesk.com

Walk-In

Visit our Recreation & Parks office at:
300 South Center Street, Westminster, MD 21157

By Mail

Send completed registration form and a check payable to *Carroll County Commissioners* to:
Carroll County Department of Recreation & Parks
300 South Center Street
Westminster, MD 21157



FREEDOM PARK DONATION MATCH CHALLENGE

A very generous anonymous donor has agreed to match donations up to \$200,000 for additional play equipment at Freedom Park that would be unique and a destination attraction. Donations are being accepted from individuals, clubs and businesses. Donations are being accepted now for play equipment to be installed in 2023.



To donate today
scan the QR code
or visit
ccrecpark.org.



Piney Run Park Employment Opportunities

**PARK RANGERS • PARK ASSISTANTS
SUMMER CAMP COUNSELORS**

Please contact Piney Run Park for
more information or questions regarding
employment.

Phone: 410-795-5165

Email: PineyRunStaff@carrollcountymd.gov



SIGN UP FOR YOUR 2023 DOG PARK MEMBERSHIP!



BENNETT CERF DOG PARK
(near Random House)

544 Manchester Road
Westminster, MD 21157



**SOUTH CARROLL
DOG PARK**

SOUTH CARROLL DOG PARK
(behind South Carroll Senior & Comm. Center)

5928 Mineral Hill Road
Eldersburg, MD 21784

To sign up for a Carroll County Recreation & Parks
Dog Parks membership, visit ccrec.recdesk.com!



See pricing and more information on **page 26**.

HELPING HANDS

KEEP OUR PARKS GREEN

The **Helping Hands** campaign is an excellent opportunity for local groups and organizations to help keep their local parks beautiful with organized clean-ups, trash pickup, and trail maintenance.

To learn more about
Helping Hands, visit
ccrecpark.org or
scan the QR code.



Special Events & Programs

First Day of Spring Plant a Flower

Monday, March 20 from 1:30 -2:30pm
at Westminster Community Pond Pavillion
Program #23SP09.02

Celebrate the first day of spring with Recreation & Parks! Each participant will decorate their very own flowerpot and choose from an assortment of flowers. All ages are welcomed to the program.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Resident: \$6 per person • Non-Resident: \$7 per person

Henry Lysy Annual Kid's Fishing Rodeo

Sunday, April 30 from 8am - 12pm
at Westminster Community Pond

Ages 1 - 15 years • **Program #23SP09.45**

Free Event, held rain or shine, from 8am-noon, at the Westminster Community Pond. This event is for kids ages 15 and under. The pond will be closed to any age 16 and older. Awards for each age group will be given. Please register for the correct age group; 6 & under, 7-9 years, 10-12 years and 13-15 years.

Instructor: Recreation and Parks Staff

Free Event

Annual Krimgold Park Kid's Fishing Rodeo

Sunday, May 21 from 8am - 12pm
at Krimgold Park

Ages 1 - 15 years • **Program #23SP09.46** Free event, held rain or shine, from 8am-noon, at Krimgold Park. This event is for kids age 15 and under. The ponds will be closed to anyone age 16 and older. Awards for each age group will be given. Please register for the correct age group; 6 & under, 7-9 years, 10-12 years and 13-15 years.

Instructor: Recreation and Parks Staff

Free Event

TR Day at the Farm Museum

Tuesday, June 13 from 11am - 2pm
at Carroll County Farm Museum

Ages 1 - 95 years • **Program #23SP09.01**

TR Day is an All Inclusive Event open to anyone who'd like to share a fun afternoon with adaptive recreation participants, their families, friends & caregivers. Enjoy a delicious catered lunch, cool exhibits, music, dancing, games, art activities, vendors and wildlife exhibits!

Instructor: Recreation and Parks Staff

AR Participant: \$8 per person

Care Giver/One-on-One/Parent: \$8 per person

Individual: \$8 per person

At Gate: \$10 per person

TR Day Vendor: \$10

School's Out Fun Day

Thursday, April 6 from 8:30am - 4:30pm
at Robert Moton Center

Ages: 5-11 years • **Program #23SP09.03**

No school, no problem! The recreation and parks staff will be offering on and offsite activities for school aged children. We will be spending the morning at the Charles Carroll Community Center enjoying a craft, the outdoor playground and lunch. We will be heading to the RC Theatre in the afternoon to enjoy a movie. Lunch includes 2 slices of pizza, snack and a drink. Grades K- 6th.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Resident: \$50 per person • Non-Resident: \$53 per person

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Piney Run Nature Center

April 22, 2023, 1-4 pm

30 Martz Road, Sykesville, Md 21894



Games, Activities and Events for Kids

**Ask a Master Gardener Plant Clinic
Bay-Wise and many other tables**

Displays and handouts from Environmental Groups

Presented by:



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School's Out Fun Day

Tuesday, April 11 from 8:30am - 4:30pm
at Robert Moton Center

Ages: 5-11 years • Program #23SP09.04

No school, no problem! The recreation and parks staff will be offering on and offsite activities for school aged children. We will be spending the morning at the Charles Carroll Community Center enjoying a craft, movie time and lunch. We will be heading to Hickory Falls (Hanover, PA) in the afternoon to enjoy the indoor play area. Lunch includes 2 slices of pizza, snack and a drink. Grades K- 6th.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Resident: \$50 per person • Non-Resident: \$53 per person

Wine Down Time: Mother's Day Edition

Friday, May 12 from 6 - 7:30pm
at Piney Run Park Pavilion #6

Ages: 21+ years • Program #23SP09.05

Come celebrate Mother's Day early as we wine down with wine, cheese, and make a DIY wood serving tray. We will be spending time painting our serving trays and enjoying cheese and wine. Bring your favorite wine and we will provide cheese and the DIY material. The program will be held at Piney Run Park. Participants must be 21 or older.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Resident: \$25 per person • Non-Resident: \$28 per person

2023 Philadelphia Flower Show - Indoors

Tuesday, March 7 from 7:15am - 6:30pm

Program #23SG10.01

Departing from Carroll County Farm Museum at 7:15 am.
Returning at 6:30 pm.

The PHS Philadelphia Flower Show is the nation's largest and longest-running horticultural event and features stunning displays by the world's premier floral and landscape designers. This year's theme is: "The Garden Electric!" That spark of joy that comes while giving or receiving flowers — this is the moment captured by "The Garden Electric." From the dazzling array of colors, unique shapes and textures, and rich fragrances of gorgeous floral displays and gardens come feelings of excitement and celebration. This year's theme brings the electrifying presence of today's most dynamic designers of floral arrangements, lush gardens, and landscapes to visitors from around the world

Instructor: Megan Erpenstein

Register by 2/3/2023

Resident: \$110 per person • Non-Resident: \$115 per person

Registration from 2/3/2023 - 3/6/2023

Resident: \$120 per person • Non-Resident: \$125 per person

Washington DC One Day Trip 2023

Program #23SP10.01 • Saturday, April 15 from 7am - 9pm

Departing from Westminster at 7 am. Arriving in DC by 9 am.

Departing from DC at 7 pm. Returning to Westminster by 9 pm.

The National Cherry Blossom Festival and Parade will be celebrated with the parade starting at 10am and ending at 12. The bus will be dropping us off at Union Station near the parade route and festival. If you'd like to attend either of these, they are just a suggested option as you have the day to enjoy and explore on your own!

Instructor: Megan Erpenstein

Resident: \$50 per person • Non-Resident: \$55 per person

CORPORATE WORK DAYS



Get out of the office and into nature by participating in a team building work day at a Carroll County Recreation & Parks Park!

For more information or to schedule a corporate volunteer work day, contact us at ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov.



- Plantings
- Trail Maintenance
- Erosions
- Bridges
- Pipe Crossings
- And more!

September 23, 2019, Wartz Distributors at Piney Run Park



2023 Teens on the Go Camps and Day Trips

Save the Dates

Weekly camps: June 26-29 and July 24-27

Single Day Trips: July 6, 10 and 13

Registration will be available this spring.

Teens on the Go programs are for teens entering 6-10th grade for Fall 2023.



Hand Building with Clay

Tuesdays, April 25 - May 30 from 6:30 - 8pm
at Freedom Elementary School

Ages 7+ years • Program #23SP02.02

This class can be for both kids and adults. It's great fun to learn how to make things out of clay. Basic techniques will be demonstrated for making pinch pots, which can then be made into small cups, bowls, even little pitchers. Students will be shown how to roll out slabs of clay used for making tiles or trivets or constructed into form such as plates, mugs, pitchers, candle holders or boxes. Students will learn the techniques for making small, sculptured pieces like little animals or monsters or whatever they think up! The last two weeks of the class will be devoted to glazing the clay pieces. Bring plastic bags to keep your work moist and a box and packing material (such as newspaper or extra plastic bags) to carry your work home in between classes. * Material fee \$25 due to instructor at first class.

Instructor: Suzanne Brault

Resident: \$66 per person • Non-Resident: \$69 per person

Exploring Watercolor

Wednesdays, April 26 - May 31 from 6:30 - 8pm
at Freedom Elementary School

Ages 7+ years • Program #23SP02.03

Whether you are experienced at watercolor painting or not, this program will be fun and rewarding for all levels. Students who are beginners will learn various watercolor techniques and how they can apply these techniques. For example, they will learn techniques such as wet on dry and how to make various types of washes that will be useful for painting beautiful dramatic skies full of clouds or skill rich with the lovely hues of a sunset. They will

learn how to make a full range of paint effects from the soft muted colors of foggy days to the bright pure colors that look like stained glass. Beginning and more advanced students alike will learn about design considerations and color composition. Many examples will be shown for instruction and inspiration and everyone in class will be encouraged to explore and discover new ways to express themselves with images and color. * Material fee \$20 due to instructor at first class.

Instructor: Suzanne Brault

Resident: \$66 per person • Non-Resident: \$69 per person

Homeschool Hand Building with Clay

Tuesdays, April 18 - May 23 from 12:30 - 2pm
at Charles Carroll Community Center

Ages 7-18 years • Program #23SP02.01

Parents are welcome to sit in on this class, and they can sign themselves up too if they like. It's great fun to learn how to make things out of clay. Basic techniques will be demonstrated for making pinch pots, which can then be made into small cups, bowls, and even little pitchers. Students will be shown how to roll out slabs of clay that can be used for making ties or trivets, or constructed into forms such as plates, mugs, pitchers, candle holders or boxes. Students will learn the techniques for making small, sculptured pieces like little animals or monsters or whatever they think up! The last two weeks of the class will be devoted to glazing the clay pieces. Bring plastic bags to keep your work moist and a box and packing materials (such as newspaper or extra plastic bags) to carry your work home in between classes. *Material fee \$25 due to instructor at first class.

Instructor: Suzanne Brault

Resident: \$66 per person • Non-Resident: \$69 per person

PAVILION RENTALS

To reserve a pavilion, visit ccrec.recdesk.com, or you can call our offices at 410-386-2103.

- Bennett Cerf Park
- Deer Park
- Freedom Park
- Krimgold Park
- Leister Park
- Mayeski Park
- Double Pipe Creek Park
- Landon C. Burns Park
- Piney Run Park
- Sandymount Park
- North Carroll Community Pond
- Westminster Community Pond
- Westminster Veterans Memorial Park



For more information, visit ccrecpark.org, or call 410-386-2103.



LEISTER PARK



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EPIC Programs

Adult & EPIC: Flex & Balance

Tuesdays, March 28 - May 16 - May 7 from 11 - 11:45am
at Leister Park (Upper Parking Lot)

18+ years • 8 Sessions • **Program #23SP14.03**

As we age, our strength, flexibility and sense of balance diminish. This program will incorporate stretching, balance and resistance exercises to help improve and maintain your flexibility and balance. The exercises in this program will, at times, incorporate the use of a chair, which will be provided. Individuals will need to be able to stand for at least short periods of time. The program is geared toward age 50+, however all adults 18 or older are welcome to register.

Instructor: Theresa Whalen

Resident: \$60 per person • Non-Resident: \$63 per person

EPIC: Belly Dancing

Tuesdays, March 21 - May 9 from 1:30 - 2:30pm
at Robert Moton Center

50-80 years • **Program #23SP14.02**

Come explore one of the oldest forms of dance, BELLY DANCE, and discover it's many health benefits. "Shimmy" into improved balance, posture, strength, coordination, flexibility and confidence. We will be working with a veil to strengthen upper body and arms. Feel empowered through Belly Dance!

Instructor: Charlene "Candy" Ranlet

Resident: \$34 per person • Non-Resident: \$37 per person

EPIC: "Footloose" @ Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre

Wednesday, April 12 from 9:15am - 5:15pm
at Robert Moton Center

50-95 years • **Program #23SP14.04**

Adaptive Rec & EPIC have partnered up for a fun afternoon trip to the Dutch Apple Theatre in Lancaster PA to enjoy the Musical Footloose! We will have lunch (11:30) before the show which starts at 1pm. Based on the 1984 movie, Footloose tells the story of teenager Ren McCormack, moving from Chicago to small-town Bomont, where the Reverend has convinced the town to ban dancing. In this electrifying hit musical, Ren must teach the town the wisdom of listening to young people and to just have fun and dance. Hear the hits "Almost Paradise," "Let's Hear it for the Boy," "Holding Out for a Hero," "Footloose" and so many more! Running Time: 1 HOUR AND 45 MINUTES. Rec & Parks provides 10-passenger van transportation. Fee includes show with meal and transportation.

Resident: \$85 per person • Non-Resident: \$95 per person

EPIC: Line Dancing

Tuesdays, March 21 - May 9 from 10:45 - 11:45am
at Robert Moton Center

50-80 years • 8 Sessions • **Program #23SP14.01**

Join this fun fitness program at the Robert Moton Center gymnasium! This program will be paced on participants' abilities, with time to socialize. This has been an on-going program for many of the participants, so some experience is helpful or if you feel like you pick up quickly imitating steps. Come for the exercise, stay for the enjoyment. Program is geared toward adults age 50+, however all adults 18+ are welcome. Breaks will be taken to cool down and socialize. Be sure to dress in comfortable clothing and bring a water bottle.

Instructor: Candy Ranlet

Resident: \$34 per person • Non-Resident: \$37 per person



"We cancelled it because you didn't register!"

Sometimes excellent programs with amazing instructors are cancelled when too many people wait until the last minute to register. Our classes are self-supporting and we must meet a minimum number of participants before a class or program will run.

Interested in a program, don't hesitate — register today!

Health & Wellness Programs

Zumba w/Alex

at North Carroll Senior & Community Center

Zumba® takes the "work" out of workout, by mixing low-intensity and high-intensity moves for an interval-style, calorie-burning dance fitness party! Once the Latin and World rhythms take over, you'll see why Zumba® Fitness classes are often called exercise in disguise. Come dance with us!

Instructor: Alexandra Shilling

Drop-In rate: \$11/\$12

Wednesdays, March 1 - April 12 from 6:30 - 7:30pm

16+ years • 7 Sessions • **Program #23SP04.01**

Drop-In • **Program #23SP04.01-A**

Resident: \$65 per person • Non-Resident: \$68 per person

Mondays, March 6 - April 10 from 6:30 - 7:30pm

16+ years • 6 Sessions • **Program #23SP04.02**

Drop-In • **Program #23SP04.02-A**

Resident: \$55 per person • Non-Resident: \$58 per person

Mondays, April 17 - May 29 from 6:30 - 7:30pm

16+ years • 6 Sessions • **Program #23SP04.03**

Drop-In • **Program #23SP04.03-A**

Resident: \$55 per person • Non-Resident: \$58 per person

Wednesdays, April 19 - May 31 from 6:30 - 7:30pm

16+ years • 7 Sessions • **Program #23SP04.04**

Drop-In • **Program #23SP04.04-A**

Resident: \$65 per person • Non-Resident: \$68 per person

Pickleball for Beginners

Ages 16+ years • 5 sessions

Mondays, from 4:30 - 5:30pm at Robert Moton Center

Program #23SP04.05 March 13 - April 10

Program #23SP04.06 April 24 - May 22

No experience necessary. Come join the fun and learn how to play pickleball! Whether you are a beginner or simply want to improve your skills, this is the class for you. We will learn serves, volleys, and dinking as well as discuss paddle and feet positions for better attacks and volleys. The classes will be mostly instruction and application of skills. Each night we will add additional information until we put it all together and play pickleball towards the end of the 5-week sessions. No supplies needed just come with a fun attitude and willingness to learn. Please make sure to wear proper foot wear (Tennis shoe is preferred, but any type of sneaker will be ok to start this class).

Instructor: William Gill

Resident: \$52 per person • Non-Resident: \$55 per person



Visit ccrecrepark.org for the latest information about Recreation & Parks programs and to register.

Pickleball Level II

Ages 16+ years • 5 sessions

Mondays, from 5:30 - 6:30pm at Robert Moton Center

Program #23SP04.07 March 13 - April 10

Program #23SP04.08 April 24 - May 22

This class is designed for the person who took Pickleball for Beginners 1 or has played socially but doesn't feel comfortable with all the rules of the game. This class will be an extension of the Beginner 1 class to keep working on serves, returns, volleying, and scoring. This class will be 50% instruction and 50% play to reinforce already learned skills and create muscle memory. No supplies needed just come with a fun attitude and willingness to learn. Please make sure to wear proper foot wear (Tennis shoe is preferred but any type of sneaker will be ok to start this class).

Instructor: William Gill

Resident: \$52 per person • Non-Resident: \$55 per person

Pickleball Level III

Ages 16+ years • 5 sessions

Mondays, from 6:30 - 7:30pm at Robert Moton Center

Program #23SP04.09 March 13 - April 10

Program #23SP04.10 April 24 - May 22

This class is designed for players who have taken pickleball beginner 1 and or 2 and feel they are ready to move to the next level. If you want to improve your skills, this is the class for you! We will work on bettering already learned skills of serves, dinking, and volleys. This class will focus on shot placement. For this class you should have your own paddle but no supplies needed- just come with a fun attitude and willingness to learn. This class will be 80% instruction and application of new information and 20% playing and applying what was learned. Please make sure to wear proper foot wear (Tennis shoe is preferred but any type of sneaker will be ok to start this class).

Instructor: William Gill

Resident: \$52 per person • Non-Resident: \$55 per person



Health & Wellness Programs

Clogging Beginner I/II

Mondays, March 27 - June 5 (No Class 4/10, 5/8 & 5/29)

* See times below.

at Robert Moton Center

8+ years • 8 Sessions • Program #23SP04.11

A fun contemporary American Folk Dance for all to enjoy (and it's easier than you think!) Each level is *1/2 hour in length.

*Beginner I is held at 3:50pm; Beginner II is held at 6:40pm.

There is no class on 4/10, 5/8 & 5/29. Beginner I students will learn basic fundamentals working on form, movement, sounds/steps, combining into simple dance routines-no experience needed. Please wear a thin-soled shoe (leather sole works best) or tennis shoe. Taps may be purchased at a \$26 fee. Beginner II will continue learning basic steps & routines, working on team dance formations as well; for those having completed approx. 1 year of Beginner instruction.

Instructor: Becky Morehouse

Resident: \$40 per person • Non-Resident \$43 per person

Clogging Intermediate & Advanced

Mondays, March 27 - June 5 (No Class 4/10, 5/8 & 5/29)

* See times below.

at Robert Moton Center

14+ years • 8 Sessions • Program #23SP04.12

A fun contemporary American Folk Dance for all to enjoy! Each class level is 1 hour. *Intermediate level meets at 4:30pm and requires 2+ years' experience. *Advanced meets at 5:30pm and is for the well-experienced clogger. Wear WHITE clogging shoes with jingle taps. We will learn new routines/steps, and practice while working on group dance form, accuracy and precision; sessions include some free dance time.

Instructor: Becky Morehouse

Resident: \$55 per person • Non-Resident: \$59 per person

Line Dancing - Beginner

Thursdays, March 30 - June 8 from 6 - 7pm (No 4/6, 5/4 & 6/1)

at Westminster Sr. & Community Center

12+ years • 8 Sessions • Program #23SP04.13

Dancing is one of the best exercises and is certainly great fun! Come join Rec & Parks to learn the steps to some popular line dances. Some routines are danced at weddings and festivals, some are old standbys, and some are choreographed to the latest songs. We use a variety of genres so there is a favorite for everyone! This is a great program for teens as well as adults- it's good, fun exercise for all! Each session includes review of previous songs as well as practice sheets. Be sure to wear comfortable shoes & clothing and bring bottled water. A small break is taken about mid-class. All levels welcome- no experience is needed, just the ability to follow along so come join the fun! Encourage a friend to sign up with you for added enjoyment!

Instructor: Becky Kishter

Resident: \$40 per person • Non-Resident: \$43 per person

Line Dancing - Intermediate

Thursdays, March 30 - June 8 from 7- 8pm (No 4/6, 5/4 & 6/1) at Westminster Sr. & Community Center

12+ years • 8 Sessions • Program #23SP04.14

Dancing is one of the best exercises and is certainly great fun! Come join Rec & Parks to learn the steps to some popular line dances. Some routines are danced at weddings and festivals, some are old standbys, and some are choreographed to the latest songs. We use a variety of genres so there is a favorite for everyone! This is a great program for teens as well as adults - it's good, fun exercise for all! Each session includes review of previous songs as well as practice sheets. Be sure to wear comfortable shoes & clothing and bring bottled water. A small break is taken about mid-class. We recommend at least 1 year of experience as this program runs at a faster pace with more difficult dance formats and less review time.

Instructor: Becky Kishter

Resident: \$40 per person • Non-Resident: \$43 per person

Yoga in the Park

Tuesdays, May 16 - 30 from 6 - 6:45pm

at Westminster Veterans Memorial Park

14+ years • 3 Sessions • Program #23SP04.15

Drop-In • **Program #23SP04.15-A**

Come enjoy an all-levels yoga program outside at the beautiful Westminster Veterans Memorial Park. Bring a towel or yoga mat for the program. Ages 17 and younger must be joined with a participating adult. Indoor option available in the event of inclement weather at Robert Moton Center.

Instructor: Mallory Kusterer

Resident: \$30 per person • Non-Resident: \$33 per person

Drop-In rate: \$12/\$13



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Registration is by Team only.

Follow the Carroll County Sports Complex Facebook page for updates on registration information. If you do not already have a team, call or email to add your name to the Free Agent list for teams looking to add players.

 [WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/CCSPORTSCOMPLEX/](https://www.facebook.com/ccsportscomplex/)

For more information on the Sports Complex contact Becky Kishter at 410-386-2098 or bkishter@carrollcountymd.gov.

Athletic & Sports Programs

Tae Kwon Do

Ages: 8+ years • 20 sessions each

Program #23SP03.01 • Mechanicsville Elementary School
Mon. & Wed., February 13 - April 19 from 7 - 8:30pm

Program #23SP03.02 • Linton Springs Elementary School
Tues. & Thurs., February 14 - April 20 from 7 - 8:30pm

Tae Kwon do is a Korean system of self-defense. We teach the traditional style with real world applications. We start each class with a stretching program, then begin an excellent cardiovascular workout with blocking, kicking, and punching. We work on self-defense against striking, kicking and holds.

Instructor: Master Wesley

Resident: \$167 per person • Non-Resident: \$170 per person

Sibling Discount (resident): \$162 per person

Sibling Discount (non-resident): \$165 per person

Tae Kwon Do All Levels

Ages: 8+ years • 10 sessions each

Program #23SP03.03 • Mechanicsville Elementary School
Mondays, February 13 - April 17 from 7 - 8:30pm

Program #23SP03.04 • Linton Springs Elementary School
Tuesdays, February 14 - April 18 from 7 - 8:30pm

Program #23SP03.05 • Mechanicsville Elementary School
Wednesdays, February 15 - April 19 from 7 - 8:30pm

Program #23SP03.06 • Linton Springs Elementary School
Thursdays, February 16 - April 20 from 7 - 8:30pm

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Instructor: Master Wesley

Resident: \$87 per person • Non-Resident: \$90 per person

Sibling Discount (resident): \$82 • (non-resident): \$85 per person



Tae Kwon Do Beginner Youth

Ages: 5-9 years • 10 sessions each

Program #23SP03.07 • Mechanicsville Elementary School
Mondays, February 13 - April 17 from 6 - 7pm

Program #23SP03.08 • Linton Springs Elementary School
Tuesdays, February 14 - April 18 from 5 - 6pm

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Instructor: Master Wesley

Resident: \$62 per person • Non-Resident: \$65 per person

Sibling Discount (resident): \$57 • (non-resident): \$60 per person

Tae Kwon Do Intermediate

Ages: 5-9 years • 10 sessions each

Program #23SP03.09 • Mechanicsville Elementary School
Wednesdays, February 15 - April 19 from 6 - 7pm

Program #23SP03.10 • Linton Springs Elementary School
Thursdays, - February 16 - April 20 from 5 - 6pm

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Instructor: Master Wesley

Resident: \$62 per person • Non-Resident: \$65 per person

Sibling Discount (resident): \$57 • (non-resident): \$60 per person

Homeschool Boys Gymnastics

Thursdays, March 2 - April 20 from 10:45 - 11:45am
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages: 6-17 years • 8 sessions • **Program #23SP03.11**

Designed for the beginning gymnast. Students will learn basic skill on all gymnastics equipment and trampoline. Student/instructor ratio 8:1.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$180 per person • Non-Resident: \$185 per person

Homeschool Girls Gymnastics

Thursdays, March 2 - April 20 from 9:45 - 10:45am
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages: 6-17 years • 8 sessions • **Program #23SP03.12**

Designed for the beginning gymnast. Students will learn basic skill on all gymnastics equipment and trampoline. Student/instructor ratio 8:1.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$180 per person • Non-Resident: \$185 per person



Interested in a program?

Register online today at
[ccrecpark.org!](http://ccrecpark.org)

Athletic & Sports Programs

Mommy & Me Gymnastics

Thursdays, March 2 - April 20 from 9 - 9:45am
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages: 2-3 years • 8 sessions • **Program #23SP03.13**

Designed for the younger child, with parental assistance, to learn beginning movements and activities in a structured environment. Student/instructor ratio 7:1.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$160 per person • Non-Resident: \$165 per person

Preschool Gymnastics

Thursdays, March 2 - April 20 from 9 - 9:45am
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages: 3-4 years • 8 sessions • **Program #23SP03.14**

Designed to develop basic movement, balance and listening skills through structured gymnastics activities. Teacher directed without a parent. Student/instructor ratio 6:1.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$160 per person • Non-Resident: \$165 per person

Kindergarten Gymnastics

Thursdays, March 2 - April 20 from 4:30 - 5:15pm
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages: 5 years • 8 sessions • **Program #23SP03.15**

Designed to develop basic movement, balance and listening skills through structured gymnastics activities. Teacher directed without a parent. Student/instructor ratio 6:1.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$160 per person • Non-Resident: \$165 per person

Tumbling Gymnastics

Thursdays, March 2 - April 20 from 7:30 - 8:30pm
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages: 6-17 years • 8 sessions • **Program #23SP03.16**

Designed for all levels. Students will learn basic tumbling skills using the floor, trampoline and tumble track. Student/instructor ratio 8:1.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$180 per person • Non-Resident: \$185 per person



Boys Basic Gymnastics

Saturdays, March 4 - April 22 from 12 - 1pm
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages: 6-17 years • 8 sessions • **Program #23SP03.17**

Designed for the beginning gymnast. Students will learn basic skill on all gymnastics equipment and trampoline. Student/instructor ratio 8:1.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$180 per person • Non-Resident: \$185 per person

Girls Basic Gymnastics

Saturdays, March 4 - April 22 from 11am - 12pm
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages: 6-17 years • 8 sessions • **Program #23SP03.18**

Designed for the beginning gymnast. Students will learn basic skill on all gymnastics equipment and trampoline. Student/instructor ratio 8:1.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$180 per person • Non-Resident: \$185 per person



Introduction to Horsemanship

at Sweet Rock Stables

6+ years • 2 sessions each

Program #23SP03.19

Monday & Wednesday, April 3 & 5 from 4 - 5pm

Program #23SP03.20

Tuesday & Thursday, April 11 & 13 from 5 - 6pm

Program #23SP03.21

Monday & Wednesday, April 17 & 19 from 4 - 5pm

Program #23SP03.22

Tuesday & Thursday, April 25 & 27 from 5 - 6pm

Program #23SP03.23

Monday & Wednesday, May 1 & 3 from 4 - 5pm

Program #23SP03.24

Tuesday & Thursday, May 9 & 11 from 5 - 6pm

Program #23SP03.25

Monday & Wednesday, May 15 & 17 from 4 - 5pm

Program #23SP03.26

Tuesday & Thursday, May 23 & 25 from 5 - 6pm

Lesson Includes: How to groom a horse including his/her mane and tail. How to Pick (Clean) a horse's hooves correctly. How to safely and properly lead and control a horse on the ground. *You will do limited riding in these two lessons.

Instructor: Sweet Rock Stables

Resident: \$135 per person • Non-Resident: \$140 per person

Athletic & Sports Programs

Little Lax

Ages 4 - 8 years • 10 sessions each

Program #23SP03.27 • at Deer Park
Saturdays, March 18 - May 20 from 9 - 9:45am

Program #23SP03.28 • at Deer Park
Saturdays, March 18 - May 20 from 10 - 10:45am

Program #23SP03.29 • at Sandymount Field 1
Sundays, March 19 - May 21 from 1 - 1:45am

Program #23SP03.30 • at Sandymount Field 1
Sundays, March 19 - May 21 from 2 - 2:45am

Program #23SP03.31 • at Leister Park Multipurpose Field
Wednesdays, March 22 - May 24 from 3:30 - 4:15pm

Program #23SP03.32 • at Leister Park Multipurpose Field
Wednesdays, March 22 - May 24 from 4:30 - 5:15pm

Introduces lacrosse to children in a fun, easy way. Our professional coaches teach basic lacrosse techniques to learn the world's most popular game.

Instructor: Level 5 Athletics

Resident: \$87 per person • Non-Resident: \$90 per person

Level 5's Soccer Stars

Ages: 5-7 years • 10 sessions each

Program #23SP03.33 • at Deer Park
Saturdays, March 18 - May 20 from 9 - 9:45am

Program #23SP03.34 • at Deer Park
Saturdays, March 18 - May 20 from 10 - 10:45am

Program #23SP03.35 • at Deer Park
Sundays, March 19 - May 21 from 1 - 1:45pm

Program #23SP03.36 • at Deer Park
Sundays, March 19 - May 21 from 2 - 2:45pm

Program #23SP03.37 • at Sandymount Field 2
Mondays, March 20 - May 22 from 3:30 - 4:15pm

Program #23SP03.38 • at Sandymount Field 2
Mondays, March 20 - May 22 from 4:30 - 5:15pm

Program #23SP03.39 • at Leister Park Multipurpose Field
Wednesdays, March 22 - May 24 from 3:30 - 4:15pm

Program #23SP03.40 • at Leister Park Multipurpose Field
Wednesdays, March 22 - May 24 from 4:30 - 5:15pm

Program #23SP03.41 • at Sandymount Field 1
Fridays, March 24 - May 26 from 3:30 - 4:15pm

Program #23SP03.42 • at Sandymount Field 1
Fridays, March 24 - May 26 from 4:30 - 5:15pm

Level 5's Soccer Stars (ages 5-7) program is designed to introduce or provide a continued path in and around the game of soccer.

Our experience uses age-appropriate games and exercises from around the globe to deliver sessions that are healthy, informative, and fun. Our team atmosphere helps develop both social and life skills, even for our youngest soccer players. Our unique method of soccer instruction helps children become familiar with athletics, to properly play the world's most popular game early on. Our innovative, skills-based curriculum helps teach character building and development while keeping the children on their feet. The program uses creative games and the weekly sessions focus on basic soccer skills like dribbling, passing, and shooting. We also highlight a positive character trait each session such as respect, teamwork, and being brave. We will expose your child to the fun of soccer and provide the foundation needed to get started in the sport.

Instructor: Level 5 Athletics

Resident: \$87 per person • Non-Resident: \$90 per person

Introduction to Martial Arts

First Class held on Tuesday, April 4 from 6 - 6:40pm
at Tristar Martial Arts of Westminster

Ages 4-6 years • **Program #23SP03.43**

Get started on your journey into martial arts with this 6 week program. Your child will learn about respect and self-discipline as well as how to deal with bullies as they earn their white belt. Uniform is included, no experience necessary. After the first lesson students may pick one of the four options. Tuesdays at 6pm, Thursdays at 4:40pm, Fridays at 5:20pm-OR- Saturdays at 9:40am.

Instructor: Tristar Martial Arts of Westminster

Resident: \$69 per person • Non-Resident: \$72 per person

Introduction to Martial Arts

First Class held on Tuesday, April 4 from 5:20 - 6pm
at Tristar Martial Arts of Westminster

Ages 7+ years • **Program #23SP03.44**

Get started on your journey into martial arts with this 6 week program. Learn the basics of Japanese martial arts and earn your white belt. Uniform is included, no experience necessary. After the first lesson students will proceed with 2 sessions for 6 weeks (40 minutes). Students may pick two of the four options. Monday at 7:20pm, Tuesday at 5:20pm, Wednesday at 6pm,-OR- Saturday 9:40am.

Instructor: Tristar Martial Arts of Westminster

Resident: \$89 per person • Non-Resident: \$92 per person

Future Stars Soccer Clinics

Fridays, April 14 - May 26 from 3:30 - 4:30pm
at Deer Park

Ages 4-6 years • 7 sessions • **Program #23SP03.45**

Future Star is the perfect introduction to the fun world of soccer. Children are introduced to the basics of soccer in a play-oriented yet structured format, using child-friendly but realistic soccer equipment. Each child is given the opportunity to work within their ability level but taught in a group environment. The Future Stars program will help the little ones strengthen relationships, and mental health, make friends and make a happier kids in the sport. Creating our future soccer stars.

Instructor: Brazilian United Corporation

Resident: \$130 per person • Non-Resident: \$135 per person



Interested in a program?
Space is limited, register now!

Register online today at
ccrec.recdesk.com.

Athletic & Sports Programs

Brazilian Soccer Clinics

Fridays, April 14 - May 26 from 5:30 - 6:30pm
at Deer Park

Ages 7-10 years • 7 sessions • **Program #23SP03.46**

The Brazilian soccer clinics are open to all kids and soccer levels to learn the genuine Brazilian Soccer. Developing skills and abilities by learning from an international experienced coach. We create the best environment to increase the kid's footwork, soccer skills, tactical, physical, and mental since BUC's philosophy goes beyond soccer. The clinic is a 1-hour session to experience high-intensity and quality training.

Instructor: Brazilian United Corporation

Resident: \$130 per person • Non-Resident: \$135 per person

Brazilian Soccer Clinics

Fridays, April 14 - May 26 from 6:30 - 7:30pm
at Deer Park

Ages 11-15 years • 7 sessions • **Program #23SP03.47**

The Brazilian soccer clinics are open to all kids and soccer levels to learn the genuine Brazilian Soccer. Developing skills and abilities by learning from an international experienced coach. We create the best environment to increase the kid's footwork, soccer skills, tactical, physical, and mental since BUC's philosophy goes beyond soccer. The clinic is a 1-hour session to experience high-intensity and quality training.

Instructor: Brazilian United Corporation

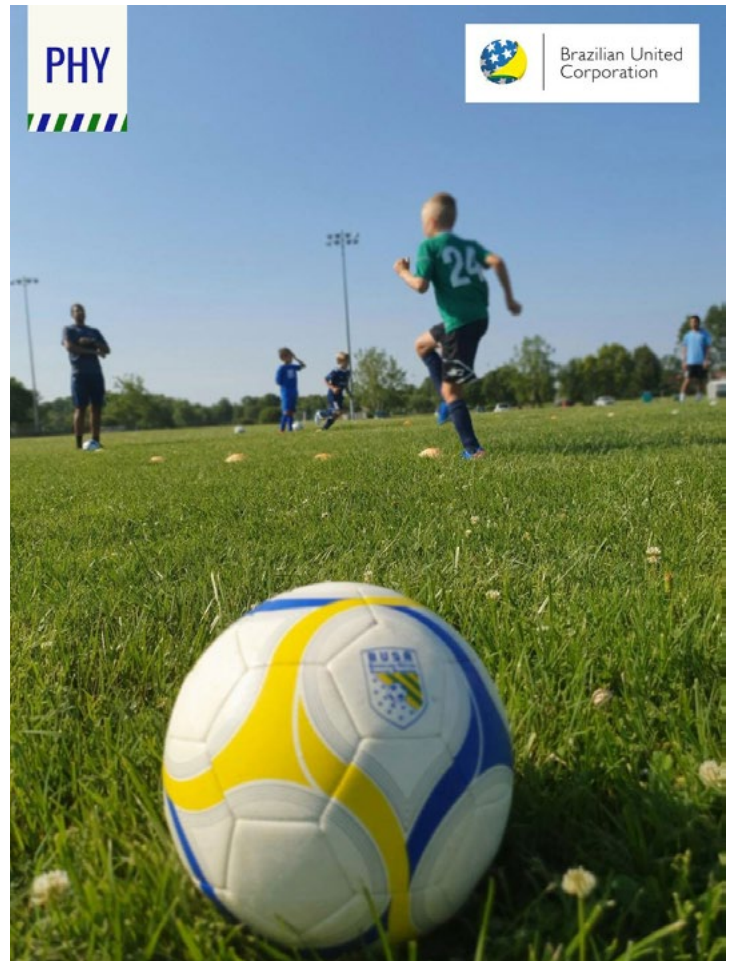
Resident: \$130 per person • Non-Resident: \$135 per person



"We cancelled it because you didn't register!"

Sometimes excellent programs with amazing instructors are canceled when too many people wait until the last minute to register. Our classes are self-supporting and we must meet a minimum number of participants before a class or program will run.

**Interested in a program,
don't hesitate — register today!**



Adult Soccer

Ages: 18+ years • 6 sessions

Program #23SP03.48

at the Carroll County Sports Complex
Thursdays, May 4 - June 8 from 6:30 - 8pm

Adult Soccer at the Sports Complex! Ages 18 and older are welcome to register. This program has a drop-in format, however registration is for all 6 sessions. Participants will play against each other on a full-size field and goals. This is a great opportunity for adults to get outside, have fun and play soccer! Bring your own soccer ball and bottled water. Be sure to wear a white shirt each week and bring a black or dark colored shirt for playing against each other.

Instructor: Megan Erpenstein

Resident: \$30 per person

Non-Resident: \$35 per person



Adaptive Recreation Programs

Adaptive Rec Lacrosse

Sundays, April 2 - May 7 from 4 - 5pm
at Carroll Community College

6-60 years • **Program #23SP01.01**

The goal of adaptive lacrosse program is to give athletes with physical and intellectual disabilities an enjoyable lacrosse experience that is active, exciting and most of all, fun.

Instructor: Jim Long

Adaptive Rec Participant(resident): \$22 per person

Adaptive Rec Participant (non-resident): \$26 per person

Adaptive Rec Swimming

Wednesdays, March 1 - April 19 at Carroll Springs School

Program #23SP01.02-A Ages 2-7 5:30 - 6:30

Program #23SP01.02-B Ages 8-12 6:30 - 7:30

Program #23SP01.02-C Ages 13- Adult 7:30 - 8:30

Exclusive to Adaptive Recreation eligible participants. A 50 minute American Red Cross learn-to-swim program, students taught by age level and at their own level and pace. 1 on 1 assistance is NOT provided and parent or adult (age 16 or older) is required to participate in the water with the participant. Siblings without disabilities are encourage to participate, but must be in the same age category.

Instructor: Janis Krolus

\$45 Resident: per person • Non-Resident: \$48 per person

Adaptive Rec Walk Carroll

Wednesdays, March 15 - April 19 from 10:30am - 12pm
at Deer Park

10-80 years • **Program #23SP01.03**

Walk Carroll, is a walking program for citizens of Carroll County. Adaptive Recreation will walk on Wednesdays, at Deer Park, from 10:30-12. Program will start March 15th and end April 19th / 6 sessions. . Dress for the weather. Everyone must register. Walk when you can and at your own pace!

Instructor: AR Specialist and Volunteers

Free Event

Adaptive Rec Z-Fitness

Ages 14+ years • at Carroll Springs School

Program #23SP01.04 • Tuesdays, 3/7 - 4/4 from 6 - 6:30pm

Program #23SP01.05 • Tuesdays, 4/18 - 5/16 from 6 - 6:30pm

All Inclusive Program that's open to all; with emphasis on Adaptive Recreation participants, siblings, parents and caregivers. A multi-cultural dance-exercise experience with energizing music for a fun workout! Easy to follow-all abilities welcome. Everyone must register.

Instructor: Melanie Haifley

AR Participant(Resident): \$25 per person

AR Participant(Non-Resident): \$28 per person

Care Giver/one-on-one/Parent: \$28 per person

Footloose @ Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre

Wednesday, April 12 from 9:15am - 5:15pm

Ages 50-95 years • **Program #23SP01.06**

Adaptive Rec & EPIC have partnered up for a fun afternoon trip to the Dutch Apple Theatre in Lancaster PA to enjoy the Musical Footloose! We will have lunch (11:30) before the show which starts at 1pm. Based on the 1984 movie, Footloose tells the story of teenager Ren McCormack, moving from Chicago to small-town Bomont, where the Reverend has convinced the town to ban dancing. In this electrifying hit musical, Ren must teach the town the wisdom of listening to young people and to just have fun and dance. Hear the hits "Almost Paradise," "Let's Hear it for the Boy," "Holding Out for a Hero," "Footloose" and so many more! Running Time: 1 HOUR AND 45 MINUTES. Rec & Parks provides 10-passenger van transportation. Fee includes show with meal and transportation.

Instructor: Rec & Park Staff

Adaptive Rec Participant: \$80 per person

Care Giver/one-on-one/Parent: \$85 per person

St. Patrick's Day Dance

Friday, March 17 from 6 - 8:30pm

at Carroll Springs School

Ages 12+ years • **Program #23SP01.07**

This event is exclusive to Special Olympics and Adaptive Recreation participants their siblings/parents/caregivers, Friday March 17, 2023

Instructor: AR Specialist

Resident: \$8 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person

Surprise in the Park-Landon C Burns

Mondays, March 20 - April 17 from 10:45 - 11:30am

at Landon C. Burns

Ages 16+ years • **Program #23SP01.08**

Surprise in the Park is a 45 minute outdoor activity such as croquet, ball toss and snag golf. Weather permitting, come on out and enjoy this FREE Activity while getting some lite exercise.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Resident: Free



SAVE THE DATE!

Therapeutic Recreation Day



Tuesday, June 13, 2023
from 11am-2pm at the Farm Museum

- Birds of Prey Exhibit
- Dancing & DJ Music
- Game Wheel
- Balloon Creations
- Creepy Crawler Exhibit
- Corn Hole Toss
- Great Food
- Vendors & More!!

Program #23SP09.01

For more details contact Ann Marie at 410-386-2686 or email afoster@carrollcountymd.gov

100 MILE CHALLENGE



Join us in 2023 for Carroll County's 100 mile challenge! Start anytime during the year, and walk, run, hike, paddle, pedal, or any combination, to a healthier you. Complete as a family, or with a group of friends. This self-paced challenge must be completed by December 31, 2023. Track your progress through the QR code. Those that complete 100 miles will be eligible for fun prizes. This challenge is sponsored by the Partnership for a Healthier Carroll County, Walk Carroll and Carroll County Department of Recreation and Parks.





PLAY LIKE A PRO

Youth Spring 2023 season runs Sundays between 12-5pm (schedule will be determined once registration closes), April 23rd through June 11th (June 18th rainout date). Come play flag football at the Carroll County Sports Complex, Littlestown Pike, Westminster.

Register at: ravensflagfootball.com, deadline is March 5th. Questions: Becky Kishter 410-857-4832

www.ravensflagfootball.com




SUMMER Movie Nights

FREE EVENT



**SATURDAY, JUNE 17TH 2023
AT SANDYMOUNT PARK
MOVIE: THE BAD GUYS 2022 PG**

**FRIDAY, JULY 14TH 2023
AT FARM MUSEUM
MOVIE: LYLE, LYLE CROCODILE 2022 PG**

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 19TH 2023
AT DEER PARK
FAMILY CAMP 2022 PG**

SEE MORE DETAILS AT CCRECPARK.ORG



ANNUAL HENRY LYSY KIDS FISHING RODEO

Sunday, April 30 from 8am-Noon at Westminster Comm. Pond

6 and under • 7-9 years • 10-12 years • 13-15 years

Program #22WG06.45

This FREE event is held rain or shine, bring your own fishing gear. Westminster Community Pond is located at 30 College View Blvd. Westminster, MD. To save time, preregistration is recommended. No Fee



ANNUAL KRIMGOLD PARK KIDS FISHING RODEO

Sunday, May 21 from 8am-Noon at Krimgold Park

6 and under • 7-9 years • 10-12 years • 13-15 years

Program #22WG06.45

This FREE event is held rain or shine, and support by Freedom Area Recreation Council and the Friends of Krimgold Park. Bring your own fishing gear. To save time, preregistration is recommended. Krimgold Park is located at 5355 Woodbine Road. Woodbine, MD.. No Fee



Nature & Environment Programs

Piney Run Park & Nature Center

Nature and Nurture Preschool Program

Fridays, 3/3, 4/14, 5/5 from 10 - 10:45am

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3-5 years

Program #23CP11. 03

Let nature nurture your child with stories, crafts, animal encounters, hikes, and more! An adult is required to participate. Dress to be outdoors.

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$21 per person • Non-Resident: \$23 per person

Animal Encounter - Feeding Time

Saturday, March 4 from 10 - 11am

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 04

Learn about our Nature Center animals and their diets, both in the wild and in captivity. Then help a naturalist prepare lunch and feed the animals.

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person

Signs of Spring

Saturday, March 11 from 10 - 11am

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 05

Where's the green? Look high, look low, from buds in the trees to skunk cabbage on the ground- We will hike to the creek to discover signs of Spring.

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person



Saturday, April 8, 2023 from 7am-Noon at Piney Run Park
All Ages • Pre-registration: \$10 per angler • Day-of: \$15 per angler
Program #23WG06.40

St. Patrick's Day Treasure Hunt

Friday, March 17 from 10 - 11am

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 06

Start at the Nature Center and follow the clues to find the leprechaun's pot of gold hidden in Piney Run Park.

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person

March for Parks

Saturday, March 18 from 9 - 11am

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 07

March For Parks – Piney Run 5K Fun Run/Walk: Do you enjoy Piney Run Park? Inhaling the fresh air, having a front seat view to wildlife, fishing from the lake, and so much more? Why not show that support by joining us for our March for parks? Saturday, March 18th – Day of Registration begins at 8am; race is from 9am to 11am. Go online at ccrec.recdesk.com and check out our Spring Program Guide for more details and to register for this event. \$15 for pre-registration and \$20 day-of.

Instructor: Piney Run Staff

Before 3/18/23: \$15 per person • 3/18/23: \$20 per person

Morning Bird Walk Program



We will be exploring the unpaved paths through some woods and fields, and near the four ponds. Wear sturdy, comfortable shoes for walking on uneven grass paths. We will not be walking through wetlands but the ground still could be wet. Bring a pair of binoculars for better viewing of the birds, any type will help. Anyone with an interest is welcome to come along, regardless of their birding skills. Please meet at the Pavilion.

at Krimgold Park

Ages: 16+ years

Program #23CP11. 08 Friday, April 21 from 7 - 9am

Program #23CP11. 09 Friday, May 5 from 7 - 9am

Instructor: Kris Phillips - Friends of Krimgold Park

This is a free program



**Friday, July 14, 2023 from 6-11pm
at Piney Run Park.**

Program #23WG06.43

**All Ages • Preregistration: \$15 per angler
Day-of: \$20 per angler**

Preregistration applies through 4pm on
Thursday, July 13, 2023

VENDORS AND VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are looking for vendors and volunteers for the Family Summer Fest and Farmers Market. Vendors can sell baked goods, produce, plants/flowers, crafts or any other type of business that sells goods.

**Farmers Markets will be on every other
Wednesday (bi-weekly) from May 17, 2023 to
September 20, 2023 from 3pm to 7pm at the
Charles Carroll Community Center.**

**Family Summer Fest is
June, 23 2023 4:30 to 9pm.**

Please contact the Department of Recreation and Parks
at ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov for more information.

NATURE CENTER BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Looking for something fun to do on your birthday? Book it at Bear Branch Nature Center or Piney Run Nature Center!

For more information on birthdays at the Nature Centers, contact Piney Run Nature Center at 410-795-6043 or Bear Branch Nature Center at 410-386-3580.



Nature & Environment Programs

Volunteer Training

Wednesday, March 22 from 10am - 2pm
at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 18+ years

Program #23CP11. 01

Share your love of nature as a volunteer! Piney Run Park is looking for volunteers to assist with school field trips and guided kayak trips. Volunteers are paired with experienced staff members. No experience is necessary and training is provided. Lunch is provided.

Instructor: Gina Porter

Resident: \$10 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person

Nature's Mysteries

Saturday, March 25 from 10 - 11am
at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 10

Come to the park to help unravel some of nature's mysteries. How can owl's hunt at night? Why does a turtle have a shell? Why is a fox's tail so fluffy? Let's figure these puzzles out together!

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person

Natural Egg Dying

Saturday, April 1 from 10 - 11am
at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 11

Bring a dozen hard boiled eggs to decorate using all natural dyes made from plants and natural pigments.

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person

Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 8 from 10 - 11:30am
at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 12

Join us as we explore the woodlands of Piney Run Park to find hidden eggs. Bring your baskets, and excitement! We will meet at the nature center patio and proceed from there! Once all the eggs are found, you will be able to open your eggs to see what treasures may await!

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person



Visit ccrec.recdesk.com for the latest information about Recreation & Parks programs and to register.

Piney Run Nature Center Information

Nature Center Hours (March - November)

Wednesday-Saturday | 11am-5pm

Sunday | Noon-5pm

Mondays & Tuesdays | Closed

Nature Center Hours (December - February)

Monday-Friday | 11am-4pm

Saturday, Sunday & Holidays | Closed

Phone: 410-795-6043

Email: pineyrunpark@carrollcountymd.gov

Piney Run Park Information

Park Open-Season Hours

Open All Week | 7am-Sunset

Entrance fees collected at the gatehouse: \$6/vehicle for Carroll County Residents; \$12 for non-residents. Season passes are available for \$75/vehicle for Carroll County residents; \$100/vehicle for non-residents.

*Vehicle entry fees are waived for Nature Center programs in this section for preregistered participants only (must be registered 24-hours before the program).

Park "Off-Season" Hours (December - February)

Monday-Friday | 8am-4pm

Saturday & Sunday | Closed

No vehicle entry fee is collected during the "off-season", there is no boating, visitors are still welcome to walk the trails and fish from the shore.

Piney Run Nature Center Volunteer Opportunities

Front Desk Volunteers

Interested in volunteering for the Nature Center front desk? We need nature loving volunteers to answer the phones, take program registration, weed gardens and help with general upkeep. Ages: Adult

Animal Care Volunteers

Are you an animal lover? Help care for the animal ambassadors at Piney Run Nature Center. Training is provided. Ages 16+

Field Trip Volunteers

Share your passion for nature with the hundreds of school children that visit Piney Run each year. Training is provided. Ages 18+

Email: pineyrunpark@carrollcountymd.gov to volunteer!

Nature & Environment Programs

Guided Kayak Trip

Thursdays & Saturdays, April 13 - May 25 from 1 - 2:30pm
at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 4+ years

Program #23CP11. 13

Enjoy a serene paddle around Piney Run Lake as you enjoy scenic views of the forested shoreline and abundant wildlife. No experience is necessary. Kayak, Paddle, and life vest are provided. Youth 15 and under must have an adult present in the same boat. Meet at the Yak Shak behind the Nature Center.

Instructor: Park Ranger

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$23 per person



Faerie Frolic

Saturday, April 15 from 10 - 11am
at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 14

You're invited to frolic with the faeries at Piney Run Park. Faeries, Elves, and Magical Creatures of all kinds are welcome to join in the fun. Make a magic wand, sample faerie tea, and take a hike to discover the magic of the forest. Costumes are welcome!

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person



Frog Call Night Hike

Saturday, April 29 from 7:30 - 8:30pm
at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 7+ years

Program #23CP11. 15

Join a naturalist on a guided hike to listen for amphibians and identify their nocturnal calls.

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person

Full Moon Owl Prowl

Friday, May 5 from 8 - 9pm
at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 7+ years

Program #23CP11. 16

Learn about these nighttime birds of prey and meet our resident owls. Then join a naturalist on a guided hike to listen for the wild owls that call Piney Run home.

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person



Girl Scout Campout

Friday, May 5 from 6 - 9pm
at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 6+ years

Program #23CP11. 17

Spend a night in nature at Piney Run Park. Scouts will hike, rotate through stations, and enjoy snacks and songs around a campfire. Each participant will receive a Piney Run fun patch. Bedtime snacks and breakfast are provided. One adult must attend for every 6 scouts. All scouts and adults must register for the program. Brownies- Participants will earn Trail Adventure, Cabin Camper, and Brownie Bugs badges. Brownies will camp inside the yurt and the Nature Center. Juniors- Participants will earn Trail Adventure, Camper, and Animal Habitats badges. Juniors will camp outdoors and must bring their own tents and camping gear.

Instructor: Gina Porter

Resident: \$25 per person • Non-Resident: \$25 per person

Nature & Environment Programs



OUTREACH AND PRIVATE PROGRAMS

Interested in organizing a hike, planetarium show, or nature-themed program for your group at Bear Branch Nature Center? Contact Bear Branch Nature Center at 410-386-3580 for topic ideas or request your own!

Build an Insect Hotel

Saturday, May 6 from 10 - 11:30am

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 18

Learn about insects and their habitats. Then use natural materials to build an insect hotel to take home.

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person

Mothers Bloom Best

Saturday, May 13 from 10 - 11am

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 19

On the eve of Mother's Day, learn about animal mothers and then make a specially painted pot with your very own handprint, filled with a special flower and crafted with love!

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$10 per person

Perennial Swap

Saturday, May 20 from 10 - 11am

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 20

Join local plant lovers and novice gardeners for our spring plant exchange. Meet behind the nature center to share the bounty of perennial plants, shrubs, trees, and seeds. Please label your contributions and bring along any information to share. If you do not have anything to share, please come as there are usually plenty of extra plants needing a home.

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Free Event

Spring Scavenger Hunt

Saturday, May 27 from 11am - 5pm

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 21

Stop by the Nature center to pick up a book of clues. Once you've completed the scavenger hunt, return to the nature center to collect a prize.

Instructor: Max Bukowitz

Resident: \$5 per person • Non-Resident: \$5 per person

Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Benefits of Meditating Outside

Saturday, March 4 from 2 - 3pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 15+ years

Program #23CP11. 22

Join us for a presentation on the benefits of meditating in nature. Participants will learn about the benefits of meditation, the benefits of spending time in nature, and what happens when we combine the two. There will be time for questions and group discussion after a meditation demonstration. This is a great program for those who haven't started a meditation practice yet. Will be held outside weather permitting.

Instructor: Kristina Duncan

Resident: \$15 per person • Non-Resident: \$16 per person



MAPLE FEST 2023

HASHAWHA ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER AND BEAR BRANCH NATURE CENTER

MARCH 4TH AND 5TH FROM 10:00AM - 1:00PM

It's the sweetest time of the year!

Adventure out to our Sugarbush stand, watch a tapping demonstration, learn how to boil your sap, and even taste test some MD local syrup before taking some home with you!

Pancake Breakfast to be served on March 5th.

THIS IS A CASH ONLY EVENT!

NO PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED. SHOW UP AND REGISTER FOR THE ACTIVITIES THAT INTEREST YOU THE MOST!

Nature & Environment Programs

Full Moon Yoga and Meditation - Worm Moon

Tuesday, March 7 from 6 - 7:30pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 15+ years

Program #23CP11. 23

Join us for a 60 minute yoga class and 30 minute guided meditation to honor the Worm Moon. The March full moon is named for the Earth worms and beetle larvae (also "worms") that begin to move this time of year. This nature-themed practice will help you begin to move after the long winter. Yoga will be indoors. The meditation will be outside, weather permitting.

Instructor: Christine Gallo and Kristina Duncan

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person

Full Moon Yoga and Meditation - Spring Series

3/7, 4/6, 5/6 from 6 - 7:30pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 15+ years

Program #23CP11. 24

Awaken your energy and find your flow with a nature-inspired full moon yoga practice and meditation. A 60 minute yoga practice is followed by a 30 minute guided meditation.

March 7th- Full Worm Moon

April 6th- Full Pink Moon

May 5th- Full Flower Moon

These practices could be just what you need to energize your body and calm you mind.

Instructor: Christine Gallo and Kristina Duncan

Resident: \$55 per person • Non-Resident: \$56 per person

Feeding Frenzy

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Program #23CP11. 25 Thursday, March 9 from 10- 11am

Program #23CP11. 26 Sunday, April 16 from 1- 2pm

Program #23CP11. 27 Saturday, May 27 from 10- 11am

Join the Naturalist as she feeds the animal ambassadors that call Hashawha home. Learn about what they eat, how they eat it, and meet some animals up close and personal! You will even be able to help feed some of the animals! Parents/Guardians are required to stay.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$8 per person



Meditation in Nature - Full Spring Series

Thursdays, March 9 - May 18 from 5 - 5:45pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 15+ years

Program #23CP11. 28

Come join our meditation group every other Thursday outside of Bear Branch Nature Center. This outdoor (weather permitting) guided meditation session will focus on connecting to the world around us. There will be some time available after to share any thoughts or questions. Please bring anything you will need to feel comfortable for the 30 min meditation session; a towel, yoga mat, etc. Dates: March 9th, March 23rd, April 6th, April 20th, May 4th, May 18th.

Instructor: Kristina Duncan

Resident: \$100 per person • Non-Resident: \$105 per person

Program #23CP11. 28-A • Thursday, March 9 from 5 - 5:45pm

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person

Program #23CP11. 28-B • Thursday, March 23 from 5 - 5:45pm

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person

Program #23CP11. 28-C • Thursday, April 6 from 5 - 5:45pm

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person

Program #23CP11. 28-D • Thursday, April 20 from 5 - 5:45pm

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person

Program #23CP11. 28-E • Thursday, May 4 from 5 - 5:45pm

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person

Program #23CP11. 28-F • Thursday, May 18 from 5 - 5:45pm

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person

Nature & Environment Programs

Planetarium Show

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 5+ years

Program #23CP11. 29 Saturday, March 11 from 7:30 -8:30pm

Program #23CP11. 30 Saturday, April 8 from 7:30 -8:30pm

Program #23CP11. 31 Saturday, May 13 from 7:30 -8:30pm

Come one, come all! Come see, and hear, exotic tales about astronomy and journey through our galaxy. Afterwards take a look through our telescopes and see "live" what was talked about inside. Time machines provided weather permitting. Planetarium shows are held at Bear Branch Nature Center and begin at 7:30pm, with stargazing to follow. Telescope observing is weather dependent.

Instructor: Westminster Astronomical Society

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$8 per person

Herp Hike Night

Friday, March 17 from 7:30 - 9pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Program #23CP11. 32

It ain't easy being green, but it's the perfect night to find some friends who are green! Salamanders and Frogs are making their journeys to their breeding grounds. Join the Naturalist to discover just who is using our pools!

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$8 per person

Falconry 101

Sunday, March 26 from 1 - 2:30pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Program #23CP11. 33

Ages: 14+ years

Join the Naturalist (and Falconer) to learn the ins and outs of Falconry! Meet live birds of prey up close, learn how they hunt and what they eat, and discover if you have what it takes to enter the falconry field.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Resident: \$10 per person • Non-Resident: \$11 per person



Environmental Field Trips

Are you an elementary school teacher looking for a fun educational field trip for your class?

Bear Branch Nature Center and Piney Run Nature Center field trips include a 45-minute naturalist-led presentation and hands-on, outdoor activities based on grade level (aligned with the Carroll County Public School science curriculum).

For more details about each Nature Centers field trip offerings, contact Bear Branch Nature Center at 410-386-3580 or Piney Run Nature Center at 410-795-6043.

Adult Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 1 from 7:30 - 8:30pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 21+ years

Program #23CP11. 34

Egg hunts aren't just for kids anymore! Adventure around the trails of Hashawha Environmental Center on the hunt for eggs containing raffle tickets. After the hunt, use those tickets to enter drawings for themed baskets featuring wine, chocolate, gift cards and more! Bring a flashlight! Please note that this program is for adults aged 21 years or older! You will be on trails in the park in the dark. Please wear appropriate footwear as the trails may be rocky and slippery.

Instructor: Friends of Hashawha and Bear Branch and Staff

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$22 per person

Full Moon Yoga and Meditation - Pink Moon

Thursday, April 6 from 6 - 7:30pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 15+ years

Program #23CP11. 35

Join us for a 60 minute yoga class and 30 minute guided meditation to honor the Pink Moon. The April full moon is called the Pink Moon for the spring phlox that blooms this time of year. This nature-themed practice will help warm our bodies and minds in preparation for the coming spring. Yoga will be indoors. The meditation will be outside, weather permitting.

Instructor: Christine Gallo and Kristina Duncan

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person



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Nature & Environment Programs

Natural Egg Dyeing

Saturday, April 8 from 1 - 2pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 5+ years

Program #23CP11. 36

Play with Nature's own ingredients this spring! Discover how different spices, produce, and other pantry items can change normal eggs to spectacular colors. Please bring some boiled eggs (up to a dozen) and wear clothes you don't mind getting stained. Dyes and helpful tools will be provided for you to create your egg-masterpieces!

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$8 per person

Nature Scouts - Spring Session

Wednesdays, April 12 - May 31 from 6 - 7:30pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Program #23CP11. 37

8 Sessions

Let's go on adventures, play, and learn together! Nature Scouts is an 8-week program designed for families to reconnect with each other and the natural world. We will learn about the natural world through play, creativity, research, and adventure; and we encourage getting dirty and silly. Weekly themes for the spring session include: Let's Get to Know Each Other, Spring has Sprung, Backyard Birding, Naturally Creative, Gardening at Bear Branch, Clouds and Weather, Insect Hunt, and Nature Connection and Celebration. Sessions are outside, weather permitting.

*The cost of the program is per family (up to 5) as we encourage families spending time and learning about nature together. *Any person over the initial 5 will be an additional \$25.

Instructor: Christine Gallo and Kristina Duncan

Resident: \$120 Family of 5 or less

Non-Resident: \$125 Family of 5 or less



Colonial Cooking at the Martin Cabin

Saturday, April 15 from 11am - 12pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 3+ years

Program #23CP11. 38

Join us for a hands-on cooking demonstration as we travel back in time to the early 1800s to prepare a typical springtime lunch on a colonial farm.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Resident: \$10 per person • Non-Resident: \$12 per person

Put Some Spring in Your Step Nature Therapy Walk

Saturday, April 15 from 9am - 12pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 12+ years

Program #23CP11. 39

"Nature's peace will flow into you as sunshine flows into trees. The winds will blow their own freshness into you, and the storms their energy, while cares will drop off like autumn leaves." – John Muir. If that sounds good, join us for a nature therapy walk and see what nature can offer you. A nature therapy walk isn't a hike, vigorous exercise, or a bath. It is slowing down and taking in nature through our senses by combining a slow walk with meditation and imagination. *Participants are encouraged to bring water and a snack, wear comfortable shoes, and dress for the weather.

Instructor: Christine Gallo

Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person

Owl Prowl

Friday, April 28 from 7:30 - 9:30pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages: 10+ years

Program #23CP11. 40

What goes Hoot in the night? Owls of course! Join the Naturalist for an in-depth look at the hunters of the night sky. We will begin indoors to learn some background information about owls and understand owl-calling etiquette. We will then head outside to call for the wild owls that live around Hashawha. Be prepared for the weather and darkness! While we hope to be able to call in some owls, nature is wild and undecided – we will take an up close look at our Owl Ambassadors after attempting to call in the wild residents.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Resident: \$10 per person • Non-Resident: \$11 per person

Bear Branch Nature Center is Looking for volunteers ages 14+ to assist with Summer Nature Camp 2023.

Six weeks of camp will occur between July 5th and August 11th. Commitment of at least one week is required. Camp Counselors will be introduced to leadership and camp management skills while also enjoying the fun of summer camp. Training will include site orientation, animal handling instruction, role-play scenario exercises, and basic leadership training in games, crafts, hikes, and other activities. Service Hours can be accrued during this volunteer opportunity.

If interested in applying for a Camp Counselor position, please contact the Park Naturalist at bearbranch@carrollcountymd.gov for an application. After a review of applications and interviews, selected counselors will be required to attend training on June 24th, 2023 from 10:00am – 12:00pm at the Nature Center.



Nature & Environment Programs

Trout Release Party

Sunday, April 30 from 10am - 12pm
at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
Program #23CP11. 41

Our Rainbow Trout are finally big enough to make it on their own in the world! Bear Branch Nature Center is proud to be a site for Trout Unlimited's Trout in the Classroom Program. Learn a little about the program and watch as our trout enter the big, wide world. There will be singing, crafts, and stream exploration along with releasing our fingerling trout. It's o-fish-ially going to be a great time!

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff
Family of 5 or less : \$30 • Individual: \$7



Cinco De Mayo Campfire

Friday, May 5 from 7 - 8pm
at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
Program #23CP11. 42

Cinco De Mayo is so much more than tacos! Join the Naturalist to discover the significance of the holiday, create an inspired craft, and enjoy light refreshments notable for the celebration! *This is an all-ages program; please register each family member who will be attending. 2 years and under are free and not required to register.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff
Resident: \$10 per person • Non-Resident: \$11 per person

Full Moon Yoga and Meditation - Flower Moon

Friday, May 5 from 6 - 7:30pm
at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
Ages: 15+ years
Program #23CP11. 43

Join us for a 60 minute yoga class and 30 minute guided meditation to honor the Flower Moon. The May full moon is named for the profusion of beautiful flowers that bloom this month. This nature-themed practice can help your mind and body bloom. Yoga and meditation will be outdoors, weather permitting.

Instructor: Christine Gallo and Kristina Duncan
Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person

Teddy Bear Picnic

Saturday, May 6 from 11am - 12pm
at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
Program #23CP11. 44

Lions, Tigers, and Bears – Oh My! Bring your favorite stuffed animal and enjoy light refreshments and story time with our own live animal ambassadors! Be sure to bring along your favorite beach towel or blanket to sit on. Parents/Guardians are required to stay.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff
Family of 5 or less : \$30 • Individual: \$8



Mud Painting

Saturday, May 13 from 2 - 3pm
at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
Ages: 3-10 years

Program #23CP11. 45

Make your very own masterpiece with...Mud! Search for the perfect shade on a quick hike around the nature center and then let your creativity go wild! The Naturalist will show different mud painting techniques that you can implement when creating your art. Be sure to wear clothing you don't mind getting a little messy! *A parent or guardian is required to stay for the duration of the program.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff
Resident: \$7 per person • Non-Resident: \$8 per person



Mother's Day Nature Therapy Walk

Sunday, May 21 from 9am - 12pm
 at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
 Ages: 12+ years
Program #23CP11. 46

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Instructor: Christine Gallo
 Resident: \$20 per person • Non-Resident: \$21 per person



2023 Dog Park Memberships:

Bennett Cerf Dog Park & South Carroll Dog Park

Membership for 2023 18+ years
 Bennett Cerf Dog Park • **Program #23YR05.01**
 South Carroll Dog Park • **Program #23YR05.02**
 Both Dog Parks • **Program #23YR05.03**

Membership is for the 2023 year (January through December); registration is accepted anytime during the year. The dog park is a great place to socialize and exercise your dog. Park hours are sunrise to sunset, 365 days a year (maintenance days are posted as needed).

Bennett Cerf Dog Park **OR** South Carroll Dog Park
 Up to 2 Dogs: \$30 • Additional Dogs: \$5 per dog

Both Bennett Cerf Dog Park **AND** South Carroll Dog Park
 Up to 2 Dogs: \$50 • Additional Dogs: \$5 per dog

Adopt a Critter

Membership for 2023 • **Program #23YR05.11**

Piney Run Nature Center's live animal collection requires constant care. Support the critters or sponsor a particular animal! The sponsors will get a picture of the critter they are sponsoring in the mail and be invited to a private program which will include the sponsored animals and light refreshments.

Resident/Non-Resident: \$30 per person

LARGEMOUTH BASS FISHING
Tournament I

Friday, June 16, 2023 from 6-11pm
at Piney Run Park
All Ages • Preregistration: \$15 per angler
Program #23WG06.42
Day-of: \$20 per angler
 Preregistration applies through 4pm on Thursday,
 June 15, 2023

LARGEMOUTH BASS FISHING
Tournament II

Saturday, August 19, 2023 from
7am-Noon at Piney Run Park
All Ages • Preregistration: \$15 per angler
Program #23WG06.44
Day-of: \$20 per angler
 Preregistration applies through 4pm on Friday,
 August 18, 2023

2023

BEAR BRANCH & PINEY RUN NATURE CENTER MEMBERSHIPS

Nature Center Members play an important role within our parks and membership has numerous privileges! Membership benefits include early and discounted registration for Nature Camps, 10% discount in the gift shop at both Nature Centers, discounts for several other council-sponsored events, free admission to Piney Run Park for Council events at the Nature Center and invitations to 'Members Only' programs. As a member you also know that you are helping to support quality environmental education programs at the Nature Centers in Carroll County.

Register online at ccrecpark.org or use the form below to mail in with a check payable to: **Carroll County Commissioners**



NATURE CENTER MEMBERSHIP RATES

Family	\$25	Individual	\$15	Senior (62+ years)	\$8	Student	\$10	Lifetime	\$250
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Enclosed is a check for \$ _____ for a/an **FAMILY** **INDIVIDUAL** **SENIOR (62+)** **STUDENT** **LIFETIME**
membership for **BEAR BRANCH NATURE CENTER** **PINEY RUN NATURE CENTER**

NAME _____

STREET ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Contributions in excess of your membership fee are tax deductible and are earmarked for the Carroll County Park Legacy Fund.



Bear Branch Summer Nature Camps

BBNC: Animal Caretakers Summer Camp

Tuesday - Friday, July 18 - 21 from 9am - 4pm
at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
Ages 7-9 years • **Program #23CP11.02**

If your child has ever wanted to be a Naturalist, Zookeeper, Veterinarian, or Aquarist, then this camp is for them! Get to know the animals that call Hashawha and Bear Branch their home all while learning the ins and outs of how they are cared for on a daily basis. Campers will get hands-on opportunities to assist the Park Naturalist with the feeding and cleaning of the resident animal ambassadors as well as learn about the wild animals throughout the park. Dipnetting, stream searching, bird watching, and enrichment-building are only some of the many activities campers will experience throughout the week!

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Member: \$130 per person • Non-Member: \$155 per person

BBNC: Doodlebugs Summer Camp

Tuesday - Friday, August 1 - 4 from 9am - 4pm
at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
Ages 7-9 years • **Program #23CP11.04**

Is your child a doodlebug? Did you know Doodlebugs are a real insect?! Embrace your child's inner artist by attending the perfect blend of nature camp with art! Throughout the week, campers will paint, draw, and craft a variety of projects all while incorporating nature into their artwork. We'll gather natural drawing supplies and even create art while out on the trail. The animal ambassadors of Bear Branch will also provide inspiration for our art, as well as create their own masterpieces for the kids to enjoy!

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Member: \$130 per person • Non-Member: \$155 per person

BBNC: Feathered Friends Summer Camp

Wednesday - Friday, July 5 - 7 from 9am - 1pm
at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
Ages 5-6 years • **Program #23CP11.01**

Has your child been itching to come to camp, but are still too young? No worries, we are running our first 5-6 year old camp week! Join us for a shortened week, with shortened days, but FULL FUN! Our Feathered Friends camp is sure to excite those interested in the colorful birds that surround us daily. We will meet our Raptor Ambassadors up close, go bird watching, and create crafts to take home!

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Member: \$115 per person • Non-Member: \$125 per person

BBNC: Stargazers Summer Camp

Tuesday & Wednesday, July 25 & 26 from 9am - 4pm
Thursday, July 27 from 9am - 9pm
Friday, July 28 from 9am - 1pm

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Ages 7-9 years • **Program #23CP11.03**

Travel through the galaxy into the depths of space! Campers will learn about the night sky in a fun and scientific way. With the use of our Planetarium and Observatory, the night sky will be at our disposal even during the day! There will be plenty of outer space games, crafts, and experiments sure to entertain every young astronaut. Thursday evening will be our nighttime adventure, with dinner being served and then some live viewing through the telescope! Due to a late evening on Thursday, Friday's camp will be shortened with pick up at 1pm.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Member: \$130 per person • Non-Member: \$155 per person

BBNC: Top Chef Summer Camp

Tuesday - Friday, August 8 - 11 from 9am - 4pm
at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
Ages 10-12 years • **Program #23CP11.06**

Do you have an inspiring young chef in your family? Or maybe a foodie who isn't afraid of trying new eats? This is the camp for them! All week we will learn about foods that can be foraged from the wild, foods from across the world, and what wild animals eat. Your child will create their own recipe book to take home to share all of the meals and snacks they created during their week of camp!

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Member: \$130 per person • Non-Member: \$155 per person

BBNC: Wilderness Survival Summer Camp

Tuesday & Wednesday, July 11 & 12 from 9am - 4pm;
Thursday, July 13th Overnight to Friday, July 14th pick up at 10am
at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch
Ages 10-12 years • **Program #23CP11.05**

Do you have what it takes?! Each day of Wilderness Survival Camp will offer a unique challenge to complete. From fire making to shelter building to orienteering to foraging, campers will learn team building skills that will assist them in surviving in the wilderness. We will learn about how indigenous peoples survived back in the Woodland Period as well as how animals are able to survive in the great outdoors each and every day. Our survival skills learned throughout the week will be put to the test when we play the Wildlife Simulation game! Campers will spend the night Thursday evening where they will be provided with dinner before heading out for an Owl Prowl. The night will wrap with a campfire before camping under the stars. Friday morning will begin with breakfast before a final farewell at 10:00am.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Member: \$150 per person • Non-Member: \$175 per person



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Imagination Adventure Camp

Monday - Friday June 19 - 23 from 10am - 12:30pm
at Piney Run Park Pavilion #2

Ages: 6-11 years • **Program #23CP11.07**

Draw and paint and put together all kinds of different materials to make many kinds of fun artwork. Some of the highlights of the week will be foil and ink prints, paper mache animal sculptures, Rube Goldberg machine design diagrams, and big, bright, bold color collages inspired by Matisse.

Instructor: Suzanne Brault

Resident: \$90 per person • Non-Resident: \$95 per person

Piney Run Camp: Group K

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 5-6 years

Program #23CP11.08 7/10- 7/14 9:30am - 3:30pm

Program #23CP11.09 7/17- 7/21 9:30am - 3:30pm

Program #23CP11.10 7/24- 7/28 9:30am - 3:30pm

Program #23CP11.11 7/31- 8/4 9:30am - 3:30pm

Campers will have the opportunity to explore the woodland areas, canoe on the 300 acre lake, hike, fish, enjoy arts and crafts, and learn about the ecosystem that surrounds them and so much more! This group is for children finishing kindergarten. T-shirts will be ordered for the camp participants, subject to availability. Piney Run Park will provide early drop-off from 8-9:20am, and late pick-up from 3:30-5pm each day of camp at Pavilion #5 in the park. The cost is \$10/session (am or pm); or \$15/day for both am and pm; \$40/week (am or pm) or \$70/week for both am and pm. This service is provided by park staff, camp counselors and/or volunteers. NOTE: A \$10/per child late fee will be assessed for every 15 minutes after 5pm for those campers not yet picked up-no exceptions!

Instructor: Maxine Bukowitz

Member: \$175 per person • Non-Member: \$200 per person

Weekly Early Drop Off: \$40 • Weekly Late Pick Up: \$40

Weekly Early Drop Off & Late Pick Up: \$70

Piney Run Camp: Group 1

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 6-7 years

Program #23CP11.12 7/10- 7/14 9:30am - 3:30pm

Program #23CP11.13 7/17- 7/21 9:30am - 3:30pm

Program #23CP11.14 7/24- 7/28 9:30am - 3:30pm

Program #23CP11.15 7/31- 8/4 9:30am - 3:30pm

Campers will have the opportunity to explore the woodland areas, canoe on the 300 acre lake, hike, fish, enjoy arts and crafts, and learn about the ecosystem that surrounds them and so much more! This group is for children finishing 1st grade. T-shirts will be ordered for the camp participants, subject to availability. Piney Run Park will provide early drop-off from 8-9:20am, and late pick-up from 3:30-5pm each day of camp at Pavilion #5 in the park. The cost is \$10/session (am or pm); or \$15/day for both am and pm; \$40/week (am or pm) or \$70/week for both am and pm. This service is provided by park staff, camp counselors and/or volunteers. NOTE: A \$10/per child late fee will be assessed for every 15 minutes after 5pm for those campers not yet picked up-no exceptions!

Instructor: Maxine Bukowitz

Member: \$175 per person • Non-Member: \$200 per person

Weekly Early Drop Off: \$40 • Weekly Late Pick Up: \$40

Weekly Early Drop Off & Late Pick Up: \$70

Piney Run Camp: Group 2

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 7-8 years

Program #23CP11.16 7/10- 7/14 9:30am - 3:30pm

Program #23CP11.17 7/17- 7/21 9:30am - 3:30pm

Program #23CP11.18 7/24- 7/28 9:30am - 3:30pm

Program #23CP11.19 7/31- 8/4 9:30am - 3:30pm

Campers will have the opportunity to explore the woodland areas, canoe on the 300 acre lake, hike, fish, enjoy arts and crafts, and learn about the ecosystem that surrounds them and so much more! This group is for children finishing 2nd grade. T-shirts will be ordered for the camp participants, subject to availability. Piney Run Park will provide early drop-off from 8-9:20am, and late pick-up from 3:30-5pm each day of camp at Pavilion #5 in the park. The cost is \$10/session (am or pm); or \$15/day for both am and pm; \$40/week (am or pm) or \$70/week for both am and pm. This service is provided by park staff, camp counselors and/or volunteers. NOTE: A \$10/per child late fee will be assessed for every 15 minutes after 5pm for those campers not yet picked up-no exceptions!

Instructor: Maxine Bukowitz

Member: \$175 per person • Non-Member: \$200 per person

Weekly Early Drop Off: \$40 • Weekly Late Pick Up: \$40

Weekly Early Drop Off & Late Pick Up: \$70



Piney Run Summer Nature Camps

Piney Run Camp: Group 3

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 8-9 years

Program #23CP11.20	7/10- 7/14	9:30am - 3:30pm
Program #23CP11.21	7/17- 7/21	9:30am - 3:30pm
Program #23CP11.22	7/24- 7/28	9:30am - 3:30pm
Program #23CP11.23	7/31- 8/4	9:30am - 3:30pm

Campers will have the opportunity to explore the woodland areas, canoe on the 300 acre lake, hike, fish, enjoy arts and crafts, and learn about the ecosystem that surrounds them and so much more! This group is for children finishing 3rd grade. T-shirts will be ordered for the camp participants, subject to availability. Piney Run Park will provide early drop-off from 8-9:20am, and late pick-up from 3:30-5pm each day of camp at Pavilion #5 in the park. The cost is \$10/session (am or pm); or \$15/day for both am and pm; \$40/week (am or pm) or \$70/week for both am and pm. This service is provided by park staff, camp counselors and/or volunteers. NOTE: A \$10/per child late fee will be assessed for every 15 minutes after 5pm for those campers not yet picked up-no exceptions!

Instructor: Maxine Bukowitz

Member: \$175 per person • Non-Member: \$200 per person

Weekly Early Drop Off: \$40 • Weekly Late Pick Up: \$40

Weekly Early Drop Off & Late Pick Up: \$70

Piney Run Camp: Group 4

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Ages: 9-10 years

Program #23CP11.24	7/10- 7/14	9:30am - 3:30pm
Program #23CP11.25	7/17- 7/21	9:30am - 3:30pm
Program #23CP11.26	7/24- 7/28	9:30am - 3:30pm
Program #23CP11.27	7/31- 8/4	9:30am - 3:30pm

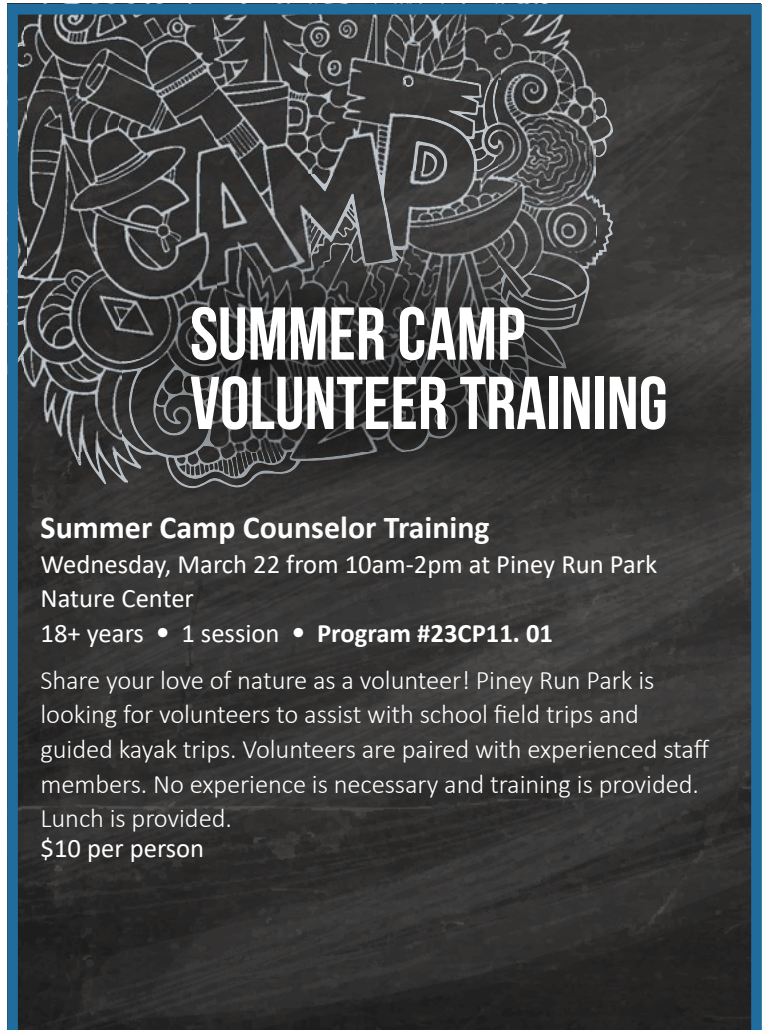
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Summer Camp Counselor Training

Wednesday, March 22 from 10am-2pm at Piney Run Park Nature Center

18+ years • 1 session • Program #23CP11. 01

Share your love of nature as a volunteer! Piney Run Park is looking for volunteers to assist with school field trips and guided kayak trips. Volunteers are paired with experienced staff members. No experience is necessary and training is provided.

Lunch is provided.

\$10 per person

If interested in applying for a Camp Counselor position, please contact the Park Naturalist at 410-795-5165 or pineyrunpark@carrollcountymd.gov.



Visit ccrecpark.org for the latest information about Recreation & Parks programs and to register.

Soccer

BUC: Soccer Camp Clinics

Monday - Friday June 19 - 23 from 9am - 3pm
at Deer Park

Ages: 7-14 years • **Program #23CP11.28**

The camp aims to keep all the kids in touch with the "beautiful game" including developing technical skills, cultural soccer activities, mini-tournaments, and having lots of fun. Bring your game, make some soccer friends, and enjoy a different way to learn soccer and develop your skills with a professional Brazilian soccer coach. By the end of camp get your customized evaluation card.

Instructor: Brazilian United Corporation

Full Day (9am-3pm)

Resident: \$275 per person • Non-Resident: \$280 per person

Half Day(9am-12pm)

Resident: \$225 per person • Non-Resident: \$230 per person

BUC Future Stars Camp

Monday - Friday June 19 - 23 from 3:30 - 4:30pm
at Deer Park

Ages: 4-6 years • **Program #23CP11.29**

Future Star is the perfect introduction to the fun world of soccer. Children are introduced to the basics of soccer in a play-oriented yet structured format, using child-friendly but realistic soccer equipment. Each child is given the opportunity to work within their ability level but taught in a group environment. The Future Stars program will help the little ones strengthen relationships, and mental health, make friends and make a happier kid in the sport. Creating our future soccer stars.

Instructor: Brazilian United Corporation

Resident: \$125 per person • Non-Resident: \$130 per person



Level 5: Soccer Camp

Ages: 6-15 years

Program #23CP11.30-B June 19 - 22 9am - 12pm

Register from 2/8/23 - 3/1/23

Resident: \$150 per person • Non-Resident: \$155 per person

Register from 3/2/23 - 6/19/23

Resident: \$170 per person • Non-Resident: \$175 per person

Program #23CP11.30-A June 19 - 22 9am - 3pm

Register from 2/8/23 - 3/1/23

Resident: \$300 per person • Non-Resident: \$305 per person

Register from 3/2/23 - 6/19/23

Resident: \$340 per person • Non-Resident: \$345 per person

Program #23CP11.31-B July 17 - 20 9am - 12pm

Register from 2/8/23 - 3/1/23

Resident: \$150 per person • Non-Resident: \$155 per person

Register from 3/2/23 - 7/17/23

Resident: \$170 per person • Non-Resident: \$175 per person

Program #23CP11.31-A July 17 - 20 9am - 3pm

Register from 2/8/23 - 3/1/23

Resident: \$300 per person • Non-Resident: \$305 per person

Register from 3/2/23 - 7/17/23

Resident: \$340 per person • Non-Resident: \$345 per person

Program #23CP11.32-B July 31 - August 3 9am - 12pm

Register from 2/8/23 - 3/1/23

Resident: \$150 per person • Non-Resident: \$155 per person

Register from 3/2/23 - 7/31/23

Resident: \$170 per person • Non-Resident: \$175 per person

Program #23CP11.32-A July 31 - August 3 9am - 3pm

Register from 2/8/23 - 3/1/23

Resident: \$300 per person • Non-Resident: \$305 per person

Register from 3/2/23 - 7/31/23

Resident: \$340 per person • Non-Resident: \$345 per person

Level 5 delivers instructional camps in and around the Maryland area. These camps provide skill development and evaluation for a long lasting soccer career. Our unique mix of technical and tactical training sessions deliver competitive play in an enjoyable environment. This approach encourages a life-long passion for the game of soccer. Our staff is of the highest quality!

Instructor: Level 5 Athletics

Recreation Camps

Horsemanship

Summer Horsemanship Week

This is a ground-based lesson(s) to familiarize those with little to no experience about horses, how to handle them and how to care for them. Basic introduction to horses, handling, haltering, leading, grooming and confidence and understanding of them. Very basic introduction to tack, horse riding, how to cue, mounting and dismounting.

Instructor: Sweet Rock Stables

Resident: \$325 per person • Non-Resident: \$335 per person

Monday - Friday, June 26- 30 from 9:30 - 11:30am

at Sweet Rock Stables

Ages 6-17 • 5 Sessions

Program #23CP11.33

Monday - Friday, July 24- 28 from 9:30 - 11:30am

at Sweet Rock Stables

Ages 6-17 • 5 Sessions

Program #23CP11.34

Monday - Friday, July 31- August 4 from 9:30 - 11:30am

at Sweet Rock Stables

Ages 6-17 • 5 Sessions

Program #23CP11.35

Monday - Friday, August 14- 18 from 9:30 - 11:30am

at Sweet Rock Stables

Ages 6-17 • 5 Sessions

Program #23CP11.36

Baseball

Casey Medairy's Baseball Camp (Introduction)

Monday - Thursday July 10 - 13 from 9am - 12pm

at Freedom Park Ball Field 3

Ages 5-8 years • **Program #23CP11.37**

Come learn from the best! Director Casey Medairy is the head coach at Hammond HS, former Division I player at UMBC, and director of the 3A East region for Maryland baseball. Instructors are current or former college coaches and players with years of baseball experience. Rotate through different stations that emphasize the skills needed to play baseball and finish the day with controlled practice games to work on in-game scenarios and situations. Quality instruction is our top priority.

Instructor: Casey Medairy

Resident: \$122 per person • Non-Resident: \$128 per person

Casey Medairy's Baseball Camp(Intermediate/Adv.)

Monday - Thursday July 10 - 13 from 9am - 12pm

at Freedom Park Ball Field 5

Ages 7-16 years • **Program #23CP11.38**

Come learn from the best! Director Casey Medairy is the head coach at Hammond HS, former Division I player at UMBC, and director of the 3A East region for Maryland baseball. Instructors are current or former college coaches and players with years of baseball experience. Rotate through different stations that emphasize the skills needed to play baseball and finish the day with controlled practice games to work on in-game scenarios and situations. Quality instruction is our top priority.

Instructor: Casey Medairy

Resident: \$122 per person • Non-Resident: \$128 per person

Cranberry Sports Camp

at Cranberry Station Elementary School

Ages 6-11 years

Half Day Sessions

Program #23CP11.39 June 19 - 23 9am - 12pm

Program #23CP11.40 June 19 - 23 12 - 3pm

Resident: \$85 per person • Non-Resident: \$90 per person

Full Day Session

Program #23CP11.41 June 19 - 23 8am - 3pm

Resident: \$160 per person • Non-Resident: \$167 per person

Half Day Sessions

Program #23CP11.42 July 17-21 9am - 12pm

Program #23CP11.43 July 17-21 12 - 3pm

Program #23CP11.45 August 14-18 9am - 12pm

Program #23CP11.46 August 14-18 12 - 3pm

Resident: \$85 per person • Non-Resident: \$90 per person

Full Day Session

Program #23CP11.44 July 17-21 9am - 3pm

Program #23CP11.47 August 14-18 9am - 3pm

Resident: \$160 per person • Non-Resident: \$167 per person

Come join Mr. Krouse at Cranberry Sports Camp. This is the 20th year of this fun filled camp held at Cranberry Station Elementary School. Campers will be engaged in various activities, such as soccer, basketball, scooters, tagging games, cup stacking, etc. Contact Mr. Krouse at skkrouse@carrollk12.org for more information.
Instructor: Steve Krouse



Basketball

Girls Basketball Camp Mr. Jerry

Girls Basketball Camp, K-2nd Grade- 9am-12pm, M-F. Players will be coached on the basic fundamentals of offensive and defensive basketball, including ball handling, passing, shooting, moving without the ball, screens, spacing, and moving away from the ball. Instructor: Mr. Jerry

Monday - Friday June 19 - 23 from 9am - 12pm
at West Middle School
Ages: 5-7 years • **Program #23CP11.48**
Resident: \$100 per person • Non-Resident: \$105 per person

Monday - Friday June 19 - 23 from 9am - 3pm
at West Middle School
Ages: 8-16 years • **Program #23CP11.49**
Resident: \$100 per person • Non-Resident: \$105 per person

Monday - Friday, July 10 - 14 from 9am - 12pm
at West Middle School
Ages: 5-7 years • **Program #23CP11.50**
Resident: \$100 per person • Non-Resident: \$105 per person

Monday - Friday, July 10 - 14 from 9am - 3pm
at West Middle School
Ages: 8-16 years • **Program #23CP11.51**
Resident: \$100 per person • Non-Resident: \$105 per person

South Carroll Boys Summer Basketball Camp

TBA
at South Carroll High School
Ages: 5-10 years • **Program #23CP11.52**
Basketball camp for boys entering grade 5-9 in Fall of 2023. Drills, foul shots, 5 v 5 competition, T-shirts
Instructor: South Carroll Varsity and JV Coach
Resident: \$125 per person • Non-Resident: \$130 per person



South Carroll Girls Summer Basketball Camp

TBA
at South Carroll High School
Ages: 5-10 years • **Program #23CP11.53**
Basketball camp for boys entering grade 5-9 in Fall of 2023. Drills, foul shots, 5 v 5 competition, T-shirts
Instructor: South Carroll Varsity and JV Coach
Resident: \$125 per person • Non-Resident: \$130 per person



Volleyball

Girls Volleyball Camp Mr. Jerry

Players will be coached on the basic fundamentals of passing, setting, bumping, hitting and serving.
Instructor: Mr. Jerry

Monday - Friday June 26 - 30 from 9 - 10:30am
at West Middle School
Ages: 5-9 years • **Program #23CP11.54**
Resident: \$100 per person • Non-Resident: \$105 per person

Monday - Friday June 26 - 30 from 12 - 3pm
at West Middle School
Ages: 10-16 years • **Program #23CP11.55**
Resident: \$150 per person • Non-Resident: \$157 per person

Tennis

Tennis Tots

Designed specifically for young children to develop basic racquet handling skills and court movement; equipment provided. A perfect way to introduce your tots to tennis! Parental supervision is required. No refunds for weather cancellations or rescheduling conflicts. Bring a water bottle and wear sunscreen.

Instructor: Steve Fench

Resident: \$72 per person • Non-Resident: \$75 per person

Monday - Thursday June 19 - 22 from 10:30 - 11:15am
at Winters Mill High School
Ages: 4-6 years • **Program #23CP11.56**

Monday - Thursday July 10 - 14 from 10:30 - 11:15am
at Winters Mill High School
Ages: 4-6 years • **Program #23CP11.57**

Monday - Thursday July 24 - 27 from 10:30 - 11:15am
at Westminster High School
Ages: 4-6 years • **Program #23CP11.58**

Monday - Thursday August 14 - 17 from 10:30 - 11:15am
at Westminster High School
Ages: 4-6 years • **Program #23CP11.59**

Tennis Beginner

This program will help children new to the sport develop basic tennis strokes including forehand, backhand, volleying and overhead. Participants will also learn scoring and boundaries for both singles and doubles play. Equipment is provided or bring your own. No refunds for weather cancellations or rescheduling conflicts. Bring a water bottle and wear sunscreen.

Instructor: Steve Fench

Resident: \$82 per person • Non-Resident: \$86 per person

Monday - Thursday June 19 - 22 from 9:30 - 10:30am
at Winters Mill High School
Ages: 7-12 years • **Program #23CP11.60**

Monday - Thursday July 10 - 14 from 9:30 - 10:30am
at Winters Mill High School
Ages: 7-12 years • **Program #23CP11.61**

Monday - Thursday July 24 - 27 from 9:30 - 10:30am
at Westminster High School
Ages: 7-12 years • **Program #23CP11.62**

Monday - Thursday August 14 - 17 from 9:30 - 10:30am
at Westminster High School
Ages: 7-12 years • **Program #23CP11.63**



Tennis Advanced Beginner

A program designed for the older, or the advanced beginner to intermediate level player. This course will help develop tennis strokes and perfect technique. Equipment is provided or bring your own. No refunds for weather cancellations or rescheduling conflicts. Bring a water bottle and wear sunscreen.

Instructor: Steve Fench

Resident: \$122 per person • Non-Resident: \$125 per person

Monday - Thursday June 19 - 22 from 8 - 9:30am
at Winters Mill High School
Ages: 13-17 years • **Program #23CP11.64**

Monday - Thursday July 10 - 14 from 8 - 9:30am
at Winters Mill High School
Ages: 13-17 years • **Program #23CP11.65**

Monday - Thursday July 24 - 27 from 8 - 9:30am
at Westminster High School
Ages: 13-17 years • **Program #23CP11.66**

Monday - Thursday August 14 - 17 from 8 - 9:30am
at Westminster High School
Ages: 13-17 years • **Program #23CP11.67**



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Lacrosse

South Carroll Youth Lacrosse Summer Clinic

Monday - Thursday July 17 - 20 from 6 - 8pm
at Krimgold Park

Ages: 5-10 years • **Program #23CP11.68**

Come join local area lacrosse coaches and high school players for this evening camp! The focus will be on player development as they are guided through various fundamental skill sessions, based on age and ability, with an emphasis on fun and building a love for lacrosse. Summer clinic is offered for boys and girls in grades K-4th. Equipment provided upon request

Instructor: WRC South Carroll Youth Lacrosse

Resident: \$100 per person • Non-Resident: \$105 per person



Winfield Summer Playground

Program #23CP11.69 6/26 - 6/29 from 9am - 1pm

Program #23CP11.70 8/7 - 8/10 from 9am - 1pm

Summer Playground Camps is a half-day camp for Kindergarten through rising 6th graders. Daily activities include arts and crafts, quiet and active games and activities. Program meets Monday through Thursday, 9am-1pm at Mayeski Park.

Instructor: Lisa Pieciewicz

Resident: \$125 per person • Non-Resident: \$131 per person

Gymnastics

Tots Gymnastics Camp

Monday - Friday August 14 - 18 from 9am - 12pm
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages: 3-5 years • **Program #23CP11.71**

Designed for the younger child, to learn beginning movements and activities in a structured environment. In addition to gymnastics instruction, this half day camp will include games, take-home crafts and snacks

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$200 per person • Non-Resident: \$205 per person

Full Day Gymnastics Camp

Monday - Friday August 14-18 from 9am - 3:30pm
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages 6-17 years • **Program #23CP11.72**

Designed for the school-age gymnast of all levels. Students will be grouped by ability and will learn basic skills on all gymnastics equipment and trampoline. In addition to gymnastics instruction, this full day camp will include activities, snacks and games. Must provide lunch daily.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$350 per person • Non-Resident: \$355 per person

Gymnastics Tumbling Camp

Monday - Friday August 14 - 18 from 12:30 - 3:30pm
at Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Ages: 6-17 years • **Program #23CP11.73**

Designed for the school-age gymnast of all levels. Students will be grouped by ability and instruction will focus on basic through advanced tumbling and trampoline skills.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$200 per person • Non-Resident: \$205 per person



INFORMATION

ADA STATEMENT

The Americans with Disabilities Act applies to the Carroll County Government and its programs, services, activities and facilities. Anyone requiring an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication or who has a complaint should contact The Department of Citizen Services, 410-386-3600 or 1-888-302-8978 or MD Relay 711/1-800-735-2258 or email ada@carrollcountymd.gov as soon as possible but no later than 72 hours before the scheduled event.

COVID-19 STATEMENT

COVID-19 is an extremely contagious virus that spreads easily through person-to-person contact. Federal authorities and the State of Maryland recommend social distancing to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Contracting COVID-19 can lead to severe illness, personal injury, permanent disability, and death. Participation in programs and activities through Carroll County Department of Recreation & Parks could increase the risk of contracting COVID-19.

FEES & PAYMENT

Full payment is due at the time of registration. To make a payment with a credit card visit ccrec.recdesk.com, walk-in or give us a call at 410-386-2103 (Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm). **Checks should be payable to Carroll County Commissioners and can be mailed to:**

Carroll County Department of Recreation & Parks
300 S. Center Street
Westminster, MD 21157

CANCELLATIONS

Carroll County Recreation & Parks reserves the right to cancel a program or activity at its discretion. If a program or activity is cancelled, registrants will be contacted and a full refund will be issued within 10-14 business days.

WITHDRAW/REFUND POLICY

Programs or Pavilion Rentals only- All refund requests must be submitted in writing, 10 days prior to the start of the program, unless noted in the description. Requests can be submitted to ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov with a subject line of Program Withdraw.

- Refunds will either be credited back to the credit card used, returned by check (if paid by cash or check) or in the form of a household credit to be used at a later time.
- Full refunds are given only if a program is cancelled or there are extenuating circumstances prior to the start date of the program.
- Cancelled program refunds will be automatically processed for 100% refund.
- Written requests received prior to the start date, will forfeit \$10 of the fee for the program as an administrative fee. Fees that cannot be recovered will be deducted from the refund.
- Any request received after the start date will be considered on a case by case basis and prorated.
- Refund requests for medical reasons shall be accompanied by a physician's note.
- Request for refunds must be submitted no later than 15 days after the end of the program.
- Refunds are not available for programs that meet 1-3 times.
- Participants with consistent discipline problems will be dropped from the program without any possible refund.
- No refunds will be given for weather cancellations or rescheduling conflicts.
- Participants may transfer to another program, without a penalty, if transfer request is received prior to the start of the program.

Please contact the Registration Office at 410-386-2103 for any questions about withdrawal from recreation programs.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

When Carroll County Public Schools are closed or dismiss early due to weather or other emergency conditions, all Carroll County Recreation & Parks programs and activities scheduled for that day are cancelled.

For weekend/non-school days, once the Snow Emergency Plan is in effect for Carroll County, no Recreation & Parks programs or activities will take place. Should the Snow Emergency Plan be lifted any time during that day, all programs and activities will remain cancelled for that day. Program registrants will be contacted once a make-up date(s) is/are established.

To check the status of the Snow Emergency Plan visit the state weather website at www.chart.state.md.us/StormInfo/snow_emergency_plans.asp

CELL PHONES

As a courtesy to other participants, we respectfully request that program registrants make every effort not to use their cell phones during program instruction.

SMOKING POLICY

Smoking is not allowed in any county school, facility, or park.

MAKE A DONATION

You can make a tax-deductible donation to **Carroll County Park Legacy Fund** by visiting ccrec.recdesk.com or stop in our office located within the Robert Moton Center, 300 S Center Street, Westminster, MD 21157.

VOLUNTEER

Carroll County Recreation & Parks has volunteer opportunities available. Contact us at 410-386-2103 for more information on volunteering in our community through our Recreation Councils.

YOUTH VOLUNTEER SERVICE HOURS

Visit ccrecpark.org and click on the Volunteer Opportunities button.

SPONSORSHIPS

If you would like to become involved with Carroll County Recreation & Parks programs, events and activities through sponsorships and advertising, contact the Department at ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov.

QUESTIONS? CONTACT US!

www.ccrecpark.org • 410-386-2103 • ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov

RECREATION COUNCIL PROGRAMS & REFUNDS

Each Recreation Council has their own registration process and in-turn their own refund policy. Check with your local Recreation Council, information see page 17 or visit ccrecpark.org.



REGISTRATION FORM

SPRING 2023 PROGRAMS & EVENTS

PARTICIPANT'S LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

DATE OF BIRTH

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S NAME (if applicable)

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

PHONE (home)

PHONE (work or cell)

EMAIL ADDRESS

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME

EMERGENCY PHONE (Is this a cell phone? Yes No)

See the reverse of this form for the Waiver of Liability and Authorization for Use of Photographic Likeness.

Program Name	Program #	# Attending	Per Person Fee	Total \$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$

Comments/Special Instructions

Make checks payable to Carroll County Commissioners and mail to:

Carroll County Department of Recreation and Parks
300 S. Center Street
Westminster, MD 21157

SUBTOTAL	\$
Membership discount applied	-
TOTAL	\$

Save a stamp, register online at ccrec.recdesk.com or call 410-386-2103 • Don't forget to read & sign the back!

For more information and to register, visit ccrecpark.org.

WAIVER OF LIABILITY, COVID-19 INFORMATION & AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF PHOTOGRAPHIC LIKENESS

Waiver of Liability

I, in my legal capacity as parent/legal guardian of the minor(s) named on the *Carroll County Department of Recreation and Parks Registration Form*, or as a participating adult over the age of eighteen (18), recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury, property damages and expenses which my child(ren) or I may sustain as a result of participating in this Program. I further agree on behalf of the minor(s) named on the *Carroll County Department of Recreation and Parks Registration Form* or myself, heirs, representatives, executors, administrators and assigns to assume all risk and agree to fully release, discharge, indemnify, hold harmless and defend Carroll County Government and its employees, volunteers, agents, and servants from any and all claims for personal injury, property damage, death or accident of any kind arising out of or in any way related to the participation in the Program, however the injury or damage occurs.

COVID-19 Information

I, on behalf of my child(ren) or myself, acknowledge and understand that the novel COVID-19 virus is an extremely contagious virus and is believed to be spread mainly from person to person contact and that the Carroll County Government does not warrant or guarantee that you, your child(ren), your spouse, or anyone else will not be exposed to or infected with the COVID-19 virus as a result of my or my child(ren)'s participation in the Program. I have independently evaluated the risks of being exposed to or infected by the COVID-19 virus and have determined to participate or allow my child(ren) to participate in the Program. Finally, understanding those risks, I, for myself, my child(ren), my spouse, or legal representatives, heirs, and assigns, hereby agree to assume full responsibility and liability for the risk of bodily injury, illness, permanent disability, and/or death which may result from exposure to or infection with COVID-19 before, during, and after participating in the Program. Due to the strenuous nature of some activities, the participant, or if the participant is a child, the child(ren)'s parent or guardian is encouraged to consult with a physician concerning the participant's fitness to participate in the Program.

Authorization for Use of Photographic Likeness

I agree to allow the Carroll County Department of Recreation and Parks to take and utilize photographic images of the registered individual(s) for the purpose of promoting and publicizing of the Department's programs and/or events. If I prefer to not allow the above registered participant(s) to be photographed, I will call 410-386-2103 to register my request.

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE

Parent(s) and/or Legal Guardian(s) signature if participant is under the age of 18.

DATE

PRINTED NAME



Carroll County Department of Recreation and Parks
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Recreation Council Information



CARROLL COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL
www.carrollcountyartscouncil.org



CARROLL COUNTY EQUESTRIAN COUNCIL
www.carrollcountyequestriancouncil.org



CENTRAL CARROLL RECREATION COUNCIL
www.centralcarrollrecreation.org



CHARLES CARROLL RECREATION COUNCIL
Contact Becky Kishter at bkishter@carrollcountymd.gov



FREEDOM AREA RECREATION COUNCIL
www.freedomarearec.org



FRIENDS OF HASHAWHA AND BEAR BRANCH
Contact Michelle Scott at FriendsofHBB@gmail.com



NORTH CARROLL RECREATION COUNCIL
www.northcarrollrec.org



PINEY RUN RECREATION
& CONSERVATION COUNCIL
Contact Max Bukowitz at 410-795-6043



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www.gowcrc.org



WESTMINSTER AREA
RECREATION COUNCIL
www.westminsterarearec.com



WINFIELD RECREATION COUNCIL
www.winfieldrec.org



WOODBINE RECREATION COUNCIL
www.woodbinerec.org



Story Strolls are free family-friendly activities that the whole family can enjoy together and bond through literacy while spending time outdoors exploring our community parks. Featured books along the trails will be rotated and each park has additional partners unique to the stroll. Story Strolls are currently located at Deer Park and Leister Park with more coming soon!





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CARROLL COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION & PARKS

PARKS & FACILITY LOCATIONS

BARK HILL PARK

Peace N Plenty Drive (off Bark Hill Road), Union Bridge 21797

BENNETT CERF PARK & DOG PARK

544 Manchester Road, Westminster 21157

CAPE HORN PARK

2500 Cape Horn Road, Hampstead 21074

CARROLL COUNTY EQUESTRIAN CENTER

2512 Grimville Road, Mount Airy 21771

CARROLL COUNTY SPORTS COMPLEX

2225 Littlestown Pike, Westminster 21158

CHERRYTOWN ROAD PARK

Cherrytown Road, Westminster 21157

DEER PARK

637 Deer Park Road, Westminster 21157

DOUBLE PIPE CREEK PARK

7577 Middleburg Road, Detour 21757

FREEDOM PARK

1111 Raincliffe Road, Sykesville 21784

GILLIS FALLS RESERVOIR SITE

Woodbine 21797

HASHAWHA/BEAR BRANCH NATURE CENTER

300 John Owings Road, Westminster 21158

HAP BAKER FIREARMS FACILITY

1400 Baltimore Boulevard, Westminster 21157

HODGES PARK

5630 Hodges Road, Sykesville 21784

KATE WAGNER FIELDS

1100 Gist Road, Westminster 21157

KRIMGOLD PARK

5355 Woodbine Road, Woodbine 21797

LANDON C. BURNS PARK

700 Gist Road, Westminster 21157

LEISTER PARK

4134 Black Rock Road, Hampstead 21074

MAYESKI PARK

1300 W. Old Liberty Road, Sykesville 21784

NEW WINDSOR COMMUNITY ROOM

1100 Green Valley Road, New Windsor 21776

NORTH CARROLL COMMUNITY POND

Basler Road & Route 30, Hampstead 21074

OBRECHT ROAD PARK

100 E. Obrecht Road, Sykesville 21784

OLD LIBERTY ROAD

100 W. Old Liberty Road, Sykesville 21784

PINEY RUN PARK & NATURE CENTER

30 Martz Road, Sykesville 21784

ROBERT MOTON CENTER

300 S. Center Street, Westminster 21157

SALT BOX PARK

Gillis Falls Road, Woodbine 21797

SANDYMOUNT PARK

2250 Old Westminster Pike, Westminster 21157

SOUTH CARROLL DOG PARK

5928 Mineral Hill Road, Eldersburg, 21784

UNION MILLS RESERVOIR

220 John Owings Road, Westminster 21158

WESTMINSTER COMMUNITY POND

30 College View Boulevard, Westminster 21157

WESTMINSTER VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK

Hook Road, Westminster 21157

WINFIELD PARK

Salem Bottom Road (opposite Winfield Elementary), Westminster 21157