

MONTGOMERY RECREATION

Spring/Summer

Newsletter



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- After School Programs
- Virtual Programs
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Registration
Begins
March 14, 2022
8:00 A.M.

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www.montgomeryrecreation.com

SPRING/SUMMER NEWSLETTER



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Municipal Building 908-359-8211

Wellness Coord. 609-366-2503



MISSION STATEMENT

To respond to the needs of the community we serve and enrich the lives of the residents through well-balanced recreational offerings and lifelong learning. We strive to offer quality recreational and educational programs for personal and professional development.

Would you like to receive Montgomery municipal notices, weather closings, and much more? It's free and easy to sign up!

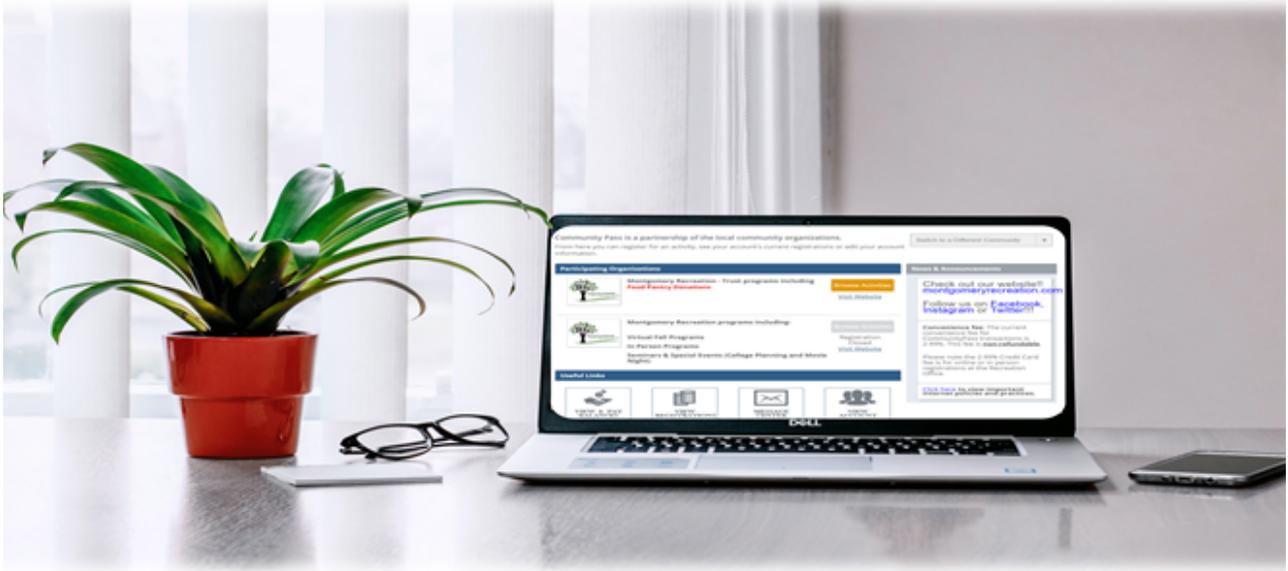
Go to the Montgomery Township website at www.montgomerynj.gov and add your address by clicking the gold "Sign-up Here" box at the right.

Or you can text "InMontgomeryNJ" to 22828 on your phone to provide the e-mail address you would like added to the Twp. E-bulletins system.



MONTGOMERY
TOWNSHIP, NEW JERSEY

HOW TO REGISTER



Registering for classes is easy. You can register online with a credit card at:

<https://register.communitypass.net/Montgomery>

**Exact Cash, Check or Credit Card accepted at OKCC
(CC has a 2.99% transaction fee)**

Refund Policy:

Fees are **Non-Refundable**. If the class/program is cancelled due to lack of participants, you will receive a full refund or credit. Otherwise there are NO refunds. Credit Card convenience fees are Non-Refundable.

Late Fees/Discounts:

To avoid a late fee, you must register for a class prior to the start date. A \$25 late fee is charged if you register the same day the class/program begins. Classes may be cancelled due to low participation, so please register at least a week before the class begins! Military members will receive a 10% discount with a military I.D. Seniors (55+) can also receive a 10% discount.

**Photo Policy: On occasion we may take photos or videos of individuals enrolled in programs or using park facilities. Please be aware that these images may be used in our brochures, flyers, Facebook or on our website. To opt out please email the Rec Dept. at recreation@montgomerynj.gov **

STAY CONNECTED TO US!!

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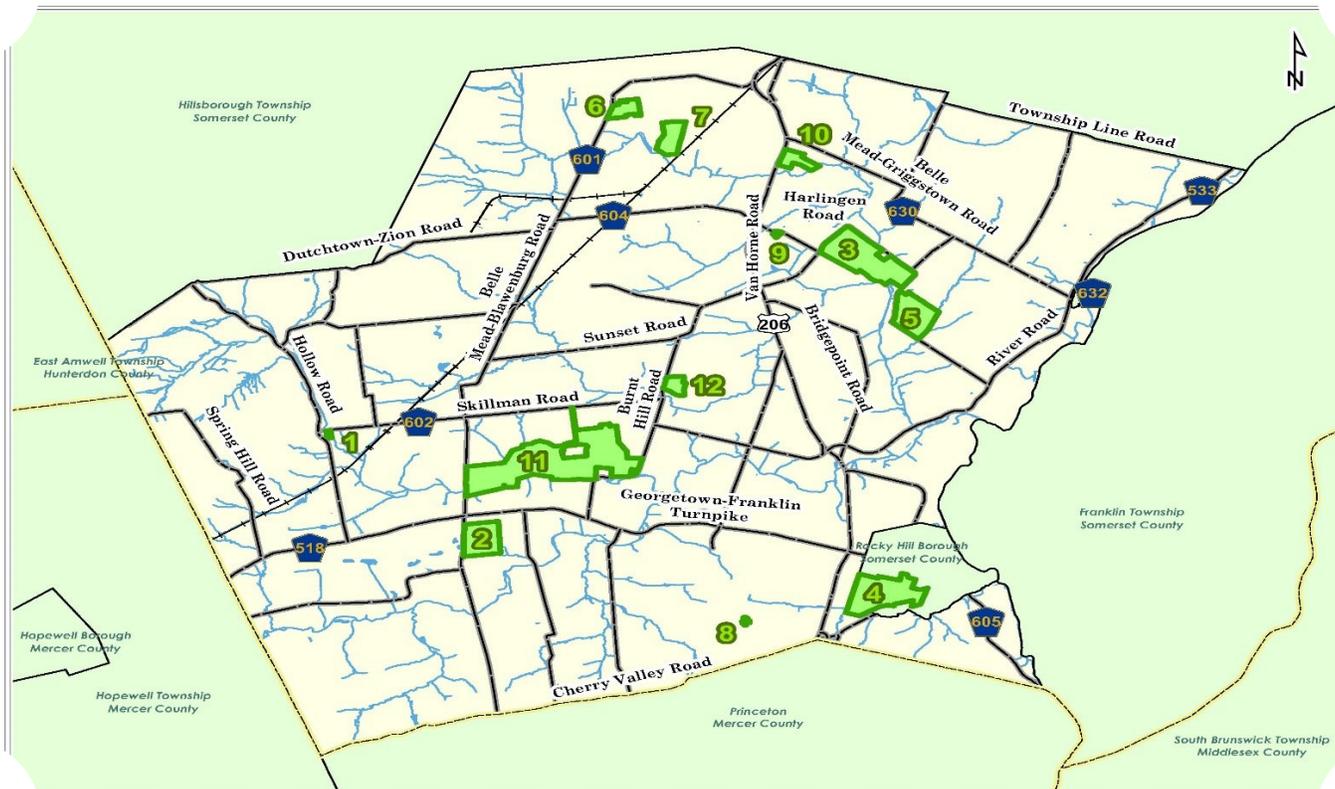
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Twitter: www.twitter.com/MontyRec



PARK LISTINGS



1. Bessie Grover - CURRENTLY CLOSED

20 Camp Meeting Avenue, Skillman
Playground, grills, port-o-potty

2. Hobler Park

1645 Great Road, Skillman
Playground, pathways, gazebo, port-o-potty, birdwatching

3. Montgomery Veterans Park

235 Harlingen Road, Belle Mead
Playground, pathways, restroom, picnic/pavilion area (2), grills, lighted basketball courts (2), lacrosse fields, softball fields, sand volleyball, 9/11 and Veterans' Memorials

4. Van Horne Park

1225 State Road (Rt 206), Princeton
Playground, picnic/pavilion area, grills, restroom, paved pathways, basketball courts (2), softball fields (2), multipurpose fields (2) lacrosse wall

5. Mill Pond Park

29 Mill Pond Road, Belle Mead
Playground, restroom, soccer fields (7), flag football field, lax field, pathways, shade structure, picnic tables & grill

6. Lubas Field

285 Belle Mead-Blawenburg Road (Rt 601), Belle Mead
Lighted multipurpose field, playground, port-o-potty

7. Broadway

140 Broadway, Belle Mead
Cricket field, port-o-potty

8. Woods Edge Park

66 Harvard Circle, Princeton
Playground, swing set, picnic area restroom, basketball court, tennis courts (2), sand area, pickleball court, shade structure

9. Harlingen Gazebo

37 Harlingen Road, Belle Mead
Gazebo

10. Dog Park

2261 Van Horne Road (Rt 206)
Belle Mead
Dog Park, Playground & Pathways behind Police Station

11. Skillman Park/Dog Park

130 Main Blvd, Skillman
Owned by Somerset County; to Reserve this Park, call 908-722-1200 ext 5225

12. Tennis Courts at LMS

375 Burnt Hill Road, Skillman
Tennis Courts (8), Pickle Ball/Tennis Court Combo (2)
available outside of normal school hours

To reserve a park please contact the Recreation Dept. at 609-466-3023

If you see something that needs attending to in any of our parks please call the Parks Dept. at 908-874-3144

THE MONTGOMERY FIREWORKS ARE BACK!!



Due to the COVID pandemic we had to cancel this wonderful community event for the past 2 years, but in 2022, the tradition continues!! This year's event will be held on **Thursday, June 30th** on the front lawn of Montgomery High School (1016 Rt 601). Festivities begin at 6pm with vendors, music and games/activities for children.

The fireworks are once again funded by contributions from individuals, corporations, and small businesses, plus fees from our local vendors, making this a true community event. If you would like to make a donation or become a sponsor, please go to: www.montgomeryfireworks.org

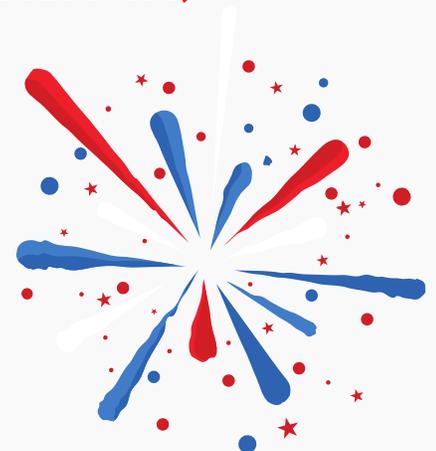
In addition to on-line donations, individual donations (checks) can be mailed to Montgomery Fireworks c/o Montgomery Recreation, 356 Skillman Road, Skillman, NJ 08558. There will be free parking available off-site, but if you want priority parking in the high school parking lot, you may purchase parking passes for \$15 at the Recreation office or online at:

<https://register.communitypass.net/Montgomery>

(PARKING PASSES WILL BE MAILED OUT 10 DAYS BEFORE THE EVENT)

Reminders: Bring a blanket or chairs, alcohol is prohibited and all pets must remain at home.

Thanks again to all of our wonderful supporters!!



ADULT & COMMUNITY EVENTS

Free Family & Friends CPR Classes

American Heart Association Family & Friends classes are designed for the general community. This one hour class provides information on cardiac disease/stroke and teaches basic CPR. (It teaches what to do in the first critical moments until EMS arrives). It is a participation course and NOT a certification course.



Date: Weds, May 4
Infant (under 1 yr): 6pm
Adult/Child: 7pm
Location: OKCC Gym
Cost: FREE, but you MUST register!
Instructor: Penn Medicine Princeton Health

College Preparation Webinar

This free webinar will cover the early steps of college preparation, strategies to best increase chances of college acceptance, PSAT/SAT prep, tips for impressive college essays and scholarships/financial aid.



Presented by Susan Alaimo
Director of Collegebound Review.
For more info, call 908-369-5362 or visit collegeboundreview.com.

Date: Monday, March 21
Time: 7pm
Instructor will email zoom link prior to webinar

Sewing Classes

1. Learn to Sew

This is the class for people who have never sewn, or want a refresher. Learn to thread and operate your sewing machine

- Learn basic sewing terms and what tools are needed
- Make a beginner sewing project

2. Series 1 – Clothing Techniques

If you know how to thread & operate your sewing machine & are interested in learning the basics of making clothes, this is the place to start. Please take the Learn to Sew class before this series if you are new to sewing.

- Learn to read and follow commercial sewing patterns. Take proper measurements to determine correct pattern size. Learn to select the proper fabric for the pattern for successful results.

Class projects include:

- Elastic waist pajama pants
- Simple top/ Knit skirt

Class fees do not include supplies. Students will be provided a supply list after registering for a class and will need to shop for supplies before classes. Bring your sewing machine, including the power cord, foot pedal, and machine manual to class.

3. Series 2 – Home Décor and Accessories

If you know how to thread and operate your sewing machine and are interested in learning how to make items other than clothes, this series will focus beautiful and useful items. Please take the Learn to Sew class before this series if you are new to sewing.

- Learn to measure and cut fabrics without patterns to make non-clothing items.

Class projects include:

- French seam pillow case
- Lined tote bag with interior zippered pocket
- Square cushion with piping and zipper

Learn to Sew - 6pm

\$35 per class (3 hrs. per class)

Thursday, March 31

Monday, April 4

Thursday, June 2

Monday, June 6

Series 1 - 6pm

\$275 (Six 3 hr. classes)

Mondays, April 18 -

May 23

Series 2 - 6pm

\$275 (Six 3 hr. classes)

Thursdays, April 21 - May 26



Location: OKCC Senior Center
Instructor: Amy Reynolds

YOUTH PROGRAMS



SOCCER

Soccer Squirts

Learn the fundamental skills of soccer, including dribbling, passing, shooting and defending.

Senior Soccer Squirts

Learn the principles of attacking, defending and passing, & will be encouraged to apply these skills to game scenarios.

Dates: Wednesdays, April 20 - June 15

Times: Squirts 4:30 - 5:20pm or 5:30 - 6:20pm

Senior Squirts 6:30 - 7:20pm

Ages: 3 - 5 (Squirts)

5 - 7 (Senior Squirts)

Cost: \$185

Location: Montgomery Veterans Park



bring mask, water bottle & shin guards

T-BALL

Skills covered include hitting, throwing, catching, base running, fielding and much more. Each session is taught through structured activities, fun games, and scrimmages designed to ensure learning and most importantly and have fun.

Dates: Saturdays, April 23 - June 18

Times: 9:00 - 9:50 am
10:00 - 10:50 am

Ages: 3-5

Cost: \$185

Location: Montgomery Veterans Park



TENNIS

Foundation Tennis

Participants learn the basic fundamentals of stroke production, court movement & footwork skills

Development Tennis

Ideal for intermediate players looking to enhance knowledge & skills.



bring mask, water bottle & tennis racquet

Dates: Sundays, April 24 - June 19 OR

Thursdays, April 21 - June 9

Time: Foundation 4 :00 -4:50 pm (Grades K - 3)*Thur

Foundation 5:00 -5:50 pm (Grades 3 - 5) *Thur

Development 6:00 -6:50 pm (Grades 6 - 9) *Thur

Foundation 9:00 -9:50 am (Grades K - 3) *Sun

Foundation 10:00 -10:50 am (Grades 3 - 5)*Sun

Development 11:00 -11:50 am (Grades 6 - 9) *Sun

Cost: \$185

Location: UMS Courts

Instructors for all classes above: USSI - <https://ussportsinstitute.com/>

YOUTH PROGRAMS

MAD SCIENCE at OHES & VES

Science Discoveries

Dive into our “Crime Lab” and use forensics to solve a puzzle. Kids will uncover the science simple machines while building their very own drag racer. Discover the science behind incredible movie special effects and examine the powerful process that shapes our planet.

Dates: **Thursdays, April 21 - May 26 *Gr 1 & 2**
Tuesdays, April 26 - June 7 (No 5/31)*Gr 3 & 4

Times: 4:10 - 5:10pm

Cost: \$145(includes all materials)

Location: **OHES & VES** Room #s TBA

Instructors: Mad Science (www.wnj.madscience.org)



Note: One parent volunteer is needed for each class! (One child receives scholarship and free registration!) Please contact the Rec Dept. at 609-466-3023

VIRTUAL PIANO

Eight private one on one lessons for students who can read & write and have a piano or keyboard at home. Once registered, instructor will reach out to set up mutually agreed upon dates and times.

Dates: TBD with instructor

Time: TBD

Cost: \$245

Grades: 1 - 8

Location: Zoom

(Instructor will email link)

Instructor: Jess Aggabao - jessaggabao@hotmail.com



JR CHEF

BAKE LIKE A PRO

Children will learn new skills and vocabulary while creating tasty treats each day. This unique hands-on in-person cooking class ignites a love for baking. This program will help build Pro cooking skills, encourage an adventurous palate, help children explore their senses, and build their confidence in the Kitchen. We create vanilla cake, cake pops, teddy bear cheese crackers, puff pastry pinwheel, strawberry swiss roll, etc.

Date: Tuesdays, April 26 - May 31

Price: \$160

Time: 5- 6.30pm

Grade: K- 6

(Kids will be divided as groups according to age)

Location: OKCC Large Meeting Room

Instructors: Jr Chef Box; www.juniorchefbox.com or (732-789-8244)

Junior Chef Box includes step by step laminated recipe cards, science experiments, Food Fun facts, Worksheet, Apron, one baking utensil, Reusable Cake pop sticks, Mini Teddy Bear cookie cutter, etc.



DANCE CLASS WITH MISS MICHELLE

Princess Ballet: Dancers will learn the basics of ballet surrounded by the familiar music & props. You must purchase inexpensive ballet slippers.

Broadway Dance Kids: An upbeat class that teaches Broadway style jazz choreography & show stopping stage presence with a focus on learning song & dance numbers from a variety of musical productions, past & present.

All students should wear leotard & tights. Long hair should be tied back and off face & neck.

Dates: Thursdays, Apr 21 - May 26

Times: **Princess Ballet** (3 - 5yrs) 4:30 - 5:15pm

Broadway Dance (Gr. 1 -4) 5:30 - 6:15pm

Cost: \$90

Location: OKCC Program Rm

Instructor: Michelle Pender (OHES teacher)



YOUTH PROGRAMS



BRICKS FOR KIDZ at OHES & VES

"Energy is Everywhere" – LEGO MOTORIZED Model Builds

Energy is essential to almost everything we do, from the lights in our homes and classrooms to the gasoline that fuels our cars. This unit explores many sources of energy from wind and solar power to biofuel and fossil fuel. Students will define terms like renewable, landfill, greenhouse effect, and generator.

Dates: Weds, April 27 – June 1 (OHES K-2)
Thurs, April 28 – June 2 (VES 3-4)
Times: 4:10 – 5:10pm
Cost: \$155 (includes take-home Mini Model)
Location: OHES & VES Rm #TBD
Instructor: Bricks4Kidz
centralnj@bricks4kidz.com or 732-789-8244



BRICKS FOR KIDZ SPRING BREAK CAMP

THE BUILDING IS AWESOME!! w/LEGO Motorized Model Build (9 am – 12 pm)

Join Emmet, Lucy, Unicorn Kitty, and Benny on a journey to stop Bad Cop and Lord Business from super-gluing the world. Campers will put their engineering skills to work as they build motorized models; 3D figure models and mosaics.

VERSATILE VEHICLES W/REMOTE CONTROL TECH - LEGO Motorized Model Build (1 pm – 4 pm)

Follow our step-by-step model plans to create their vehicle, & customize it to their own specifications. They'll have a blast using custom-built cars to move the people of the city all around town – brick by brick. All campers will bring home a custom mini-figure at the end of each camp

Date: Mon – Thur April 11- 14
Half Day: 9 -12pm \$180, 1pm – 4pm \$190
Full day 9 – 4pm \$295
(supervised hour, bring lunch)
Grades: K – 5
Location: OKCC Program Room

YOUNG REMBRANDTS DRAWING

Our students will learn how to think outside of the box as they create stylized drawings of an intricately patterned fish, a cartoon alligator and a detailed illustration featuring an aerial view from the perspective of a jet plane!

OHES (Grades K – 2)
Dates: Tuesday, April 26 – June 7 (no 5/31)
Times: 4:10 – 5:10pm
Location: OHES Rm #TBD

VES (Grades 3 & 4)
Dates: Wednesday, April 20 – May 25
Times: 4:10 – 5:10pm
Location: VES Rm #TBD

Cost: \$135
Instructor: Jason Wilkes;
wilkes@youngrembrandts.com
www.youngrembrandts.com/centralwestjersey/



YOUTH PROGRAMS

CHEERLEADING

Coached by six-time national championship coach and certified all-star cheerleading judge, this program will teach cheerleading fundamentals including: stunting, tumbling, jumps and dance. This program will be offered for two skill levels and will culminate in the showcase of a competition-style cheerleading routine. *Minimum 10 Maximum 35 for both*

Level 1 (Green Team): This is for entry level cheerleaders. You will work on forward & backward rolls, cartwheels, roundoffs and walkovers (as appropriate). Athletes will learn waist level single-leg stunts and shoulder level two-leg stunts.

Level 2 (Gold Team): Athletes at this level should have either a roundoff with a rebound (or more advanced skills) and/or prior cheerleading experience. You will work on roundoffs, walkovers and back handsprings (as appropriate). Athletes will learn shoulder level one-leg stunts and extended level two-leg stunts.



Dates: March 29-June 09(No 4/10)

Grades: K-8

Times: (Green Team) Tues 6:00-8:00 pm

(Gold Team): Thur 6:00-8:30 pm

Cost: Green Team \$225 Gold Team \$275

Location: OKCC Gym

Instructor: Lauren Panasewicz

All athletes should wear cotton or compression shorts, fitted tee-shirt or tank top, and soft-soled sneakers (cheerleading sneakers). Hair should be worn up.

GIRLS ON THE RUN

The program is designed to promote self-respect, friendship and fitness. In addition to doing lessons and playful activities, girls run and walk, as they train to complete a fun 5K race.

VES (3 & 4)

Dates: Mon/Thurs; April 21 - June 9 **OR**

Tues/Fri; April 22 - June 10

Time: M/T 8:00 - 9:20am

T/F 4:00 - 5:15 pm

Cost: \$180 (includes shirt & journal)

Location: VES field



SAVE THE DATE: SUN., June 12, for the GOTR 5K Race in Somerville (separate registration fee for race)

LMS (5 & 6)

Dates: Mon/Thurs; April 21 to June 9

Time: 3:20 - 4:40pm

Cost: \$180 (includes shirt & journal)

Location: LMS field

Instructor:(VES & LMS): Diane Fay

(dianefay3@gmail.com)

“Volunteers are needed to assist with GOTR – please contact Coach Fay or Pauline at Recreation”

TRACK & FIELD

Athletes will compete in ONLY home meets against other Montgomery LMS track participants in various running distances, long jump & the shot put. Track meets will be before HOME UMS Meets begin. Athletes can attend practices up to 4 times a week and athletes will not be punished for missing any practices during the week. LMS students must listen for lunch-time announcements regarding cancellations due to bad weather.

Kids will not be walked back to LMS all season. They all must be picked up at the UMS track by 4:45pm at the latest.

Dates: Mon/Tue/Thurs/Fri, Mar 28-May 13

Times: 3-4:45pm

Grades: 5-6

Cost: \$185

Location: UMS Track

Instructor: Vincent Figueroa

vfigueroa@mtsd.us & Rickey Steeb

rsteeb@mtsd.us



YOUTH PROGRAMS

CODE NINJAS

CODE YOUR OWN CARTOONS at VES

Unleash your creativity and express yourself as a master storyteller. Learn to code your own animations, comics, cartoons and imaginative stories. Come build and showcase your skills in digital arts! All levels are welcome!

Dates: Mondays, Apr 25 – Jun 6 (no 5/30)

Time: 4:05 – 5:05pm

Grades: 3 & 4

Cost: \$199

Location: VES Room TBA



Instructor: Code Ninjas of Hillsborough

For more info email:

codeninjashillsborough@gmail.com

Virtual Geography Class

Students learn about the world around them; cultures, economies, and geographical locations. States, continents, mountain ranges, and bodies of water to name a few. Students must have access to a computer.

Dates: Wednesdays, March 30 – May 18 (No 4/13)

Times: 6-7 pm

Grades: 4-8

Cost: \$175 (8 sessions)

Location: Zoom Instruction

Instructor: Payal Gupta and her son Krish

(Five time school geography champion, finished 4th in the state Geography Bee)



theCoderSchool Classes

Virtual Crypto Currency for Kids

What is cryptocurrency and how is it related to coding? What is a blockchain? Do you want to keep your child up to date with what is happening in the digital finance world? Enroll in this 6-week class to give your child a foundational understanding of what cryptocurrency is and how its quickly becoming the future of money.

Dates: Saturdays, April 30 – June 4

Time: 11-12pm

Grade: 5 - 8

Cost: \$189

Location: Zoom

(instructor will email link)



Digital Storytelling

Looking to connect coding, reading, and creativity? Let's create our very own digital story using a block-based coding language. Their digital stories will explore character roles, essential parts to storytelling, illustrations and color, all while learning and strengthening fundamental coding concepts. More advanced coders will also create a digital bookshelf to store and share each of their eReaders.

Dates: Thursdays, April 28 – June 2

Time: 3:05 – 4:05pm

Grades: 5 - 8

Cost: \$195

Location: LMS - room TBD

Instructor: theCoderSchool, Montgomery

Email: montgomery@thecoderschool.com or

call 908-262-7583

REC N CREW



Rec N Crew Camp

Don't miss out on all the fun this summer at Montgomery Township Rec-N-Crew Camp! Our camp provides the opportunity to enjoy a variety of recreational experiences at an affordable price. Camp is open to children entering grades 1st - 8th and will be held from **June 27 - August 5**. Camp runs Monday - Friday from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm. Pre-camp and post-camp options are available for an additional fee. Daily activities include arts and crafts, sports, games, board games, playground fun, weekly pizza parties, theme weeks, and much more!

Montgomery Recreation will continue to closely monitor state and local COVID guidelines to deliver the safest camp possible.

Camp Locations:

Entering Grades 1st - 3r: TBD

Entering Grades 4th - 6th: OHES East Gym

Entering Entering Grades 6th - 8th: Montgomery Park

Registration will begin on **Monday, April 4**.

You may register online with a 2.99% fee, or you can register in person at the Rec Dept., Mon - Fri, 8am to 9pm.

Register before May 2 and save \$50.00 off the price of camp!!



No refunds will be given for camp, so please register after you have carefully reviewed your summer itinerary.

Camp: 8:30 am - 3:00 pm: \$550 per camper for 6 week camp. **Price increases to \$600 on May 2nd at 8am.**

Pre-Camp: 7:30 am - 8:30 am: \$150 per camper for 6 week camp. No pro-rating.

Post-Camp: 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm: \$275 per camper for 6 week camp (includes snack).



If you enjoy being outdoors and playing games with children, then Montgomery Recreation has the job for you!

We are looking for fun, energetic, reliable, enthusiastic individuals—teens and adults—who are interested in being a part of our Rec N Crew Camp team in a wide variety of roles.

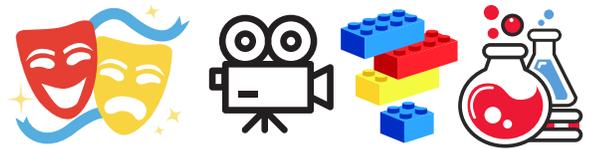
Interested applicants **MUST** be available for the entire camp season (6/27-8/5).

If you're 14 or 15 years old, you may consider applying to be a CIT. (This is a non-paying position)

Interested Candidates should contact the Recreation Dept. for an application.

Any questions please email
John Groeger at
jgroeger@montgomerynj.gov





CREATIVE CAMPS AT A GLANCE

JUNE



Band Camp
June 27 - Aug 3

JULY

Creative Writing
July 5 - 26

IncrediFlix
July 11 - 15

Lets Put On A Musical
July 11 - 22
July 25 - 29

Painting & Drawing
July 12 - 16

Geography Bee
July 13 - Aug 31

Spelling Bee
July 13 - Aug 31

Jr Chef Cooking
July 18 - 22

Mad Science
July 25 - 29

AUGUST

Young Rembrandts
Aug 1 - 5

Lets Put On A Musical
Aug 8 - 19

Bricks 4 Kidz
Aug 8 - 12



CREATIVE CAMPS



LETS PUT ON A MUSICAL

Experience the fun of musical theater in Montgomery! Campers put on a fully staged musical in just one or two weeks! In addition to making up the cast, students have the opportunity to be involved with all aspects of production, from set design to choreography. Students develop their craft through acting exercises & improvisational games and have FUN!

Session 1: Disney's The Little Mermaid Jr.

Dates: Mon-Fri, Jul 11 - 22 (2 weeks)

Time: 8:30am - 3:30pm

Grades: entering 6-9

Cost: \$600 (includes all materials)

Limit: 32 students; Min 20

Session 3: A Year With Frog and Toad Kids

Dates: Mon-Fri, Aug 8 - 19 (2 weeks)

Time: 8:30am - 3:30pm

Grades: entering 2-5

Cost: \$600 (includes all materials)

Limit: 30 students; Min 20

Location: MHS Chorus Room & MPAC

Instructor: David and Dana Gordon; dgordon@mtsd.us

Session 2: Shrek Jr. – ONE WEEK INTENSIVE

Dates: Mon-Fri, Jul 25 - 29

Time: 8:00am-4:00pm

Grades: entering 8-11 For those with some theater experience

Cost: \$375 (includes all materials)

Limit: 24 students; Min 16



INCREDIFLIX FILM CAMP

Live Action Flix 9:00am-12:00pm

Discover your filmmaking talents! You don't have to be an actor to take part, as we'll guide you through the Hollywood process to create, direct, film, act, and more. You won't just make an incredible movie, you'll have the skills to make your own movies with friends.

Lego Flix 1:00pm-4:00pm

Bring Lego worlds to life! We provide Legos. You provide your imagination. Work in groups to create a Lego set with Lego characters for a stop-motion movie you'll storyboard, shoot, and add voice-overs too.

Date: Mon - Fri, July 11 - 15

Grades: 3-7

Cost: \$250 (for AM OR PM);

\$440 (for FULL DAY - supervised lunch)

Location: OKCC Large Meeting Room

Instructors: Incrediflix: chia@incrediflix.com



All Flixs are downloadable within a month after camp ends. For more information on classes and Covid Action Plan: www.IncrediFlix.com

CREATIVE CAMPS

MAD SCIENCE

Super Slimy Smokey Science

Dive into a variety of scientific fields as you mix and stretch silly putty and slime, copperplate nickels, and investigate the mysteries of optical illusions. Become captivated by lasers, dry ice, watch hair-raising Van de Graaff experiments, help solve a mystery, and so much more! Tinker with circuits, catapults, and experience what happens when you mix science and fun!

Dates: Mon - Fri, July 25 - 29

Time: 9am - 12pm

Grades: 1-5

Cost: \$195 (includes all materials)

Location: OKCC Large Meeting Room

Instructor: Mad Science of West NJ

For more information: <http://wnj.madscience.org>



BRICKS 4 KIDZ

Mining & Crafting - LEGO Motorized Model builds (9 am - 12 pm)

Minecraft is a game about placing blocks to build anything you can imagine. At night monsters come out, make sure to build a shelter before that happens. Kids will start by crafting their shelters and some of the mobs, critters, and tools using LEGO® bricks. Students will face new challenges each day, building models and crafting key elements from the popular Minecraft game.

Minions World of Amusement Park LEGO Motorized Model Build w/STUDIO 2.0 (1 pm - 4 pm)

Build and give your despicable yellow movie characters a thrilling roller coaster ride! Get your amusement park ticket stamped as you turn games, food, rides, and attractions into an exciting model build! All this and more awaits at Bricks 4 Kidz Worlds of Amusement Camp! Students will virtually build the model of the day using our "digital" project kit. Students will construct the project of the day in studio 2.0 and later have the freedom to make their own amusement park.

Date: Mon - Fri, Aug 8 - Aug 12

Grades: K - 5

Half-Day: 9 - 12pm \$215 **OR** 1pm - 4pm \$225

Full day 9 - 4 pm (supervised hour, bring lunch): \$355

Location: OKCC Large Meeting Room

Instructor: Bricks4Kidz www.bricks4kidz.com/345 or centralnj@bricks4kidz.com (732-789-8244)



All campers will get a gift of custom Mini-figure and Mini model.

CREATIVE CAMPS

BAND CAMP

Open to anyone who has played a brass, woodwind or percussion instrument for a year or more; primarily for elementary & middle school students, grades 4 & up. It is not for those who've never played before. We rehearse a varied selection of music, culminating with a performance on 8/3. We welcome parents who play brass, woodwind, or percussion instruments!!

Dates: Mon/Weds, Jun 27 - Aug 3
(No class 7/4 or 7/6) (Extra Rehearsal 8/2)
Time: 7-8pm
Grades: 4th grade and up
Cost: \$125 per student (no charge for parents)
Location: MHS Band & Chorus Room
Instructors: Cheryl Houston
(chouston@mtsd.us) & Dave Rabinowitz
(drabinowitz@mtsd.us)



CREATIVE WRITING CAMP

Whether it's slaying a dragon in your dreams or enjoying a sunny day at the beach, everyone has a story to write about! In this four-week workshop, your young writer will learn how to flesh out their own exciting and immersive story. Each class will focus on different key elements such as themes, descriptive sentences, and more. By working alongside their peers, they will be able to sharpen their creative writing skills and gain the confidence to become a better writer!

Dates: Tuesdays, July 6-27
Time: 4-5 pm
Grades: 4-6
Cost: \$20
Location: Zoom (instructor will email link)
Instructor: Sophie Wang (Press Committee Officer of the YMCA Model UN and editor of The Pawprint school newspaper)
For more info email: wsophiewang@gmail.com



YOUNG REMBRANDTS DRAWING CAMP

CHARACTER CREATION: ANIME/MANGA

9 AM - 11 AM

If you have Manga Mania, sign up for this class. Artists will learn to draw their own anime style characters ranging from easy to challenging - this is a great way to perfect those skills and learn new manga tricks. Each day students will complete multiple pieces of artwork like customized faces, animals, sugoi action and more ARTastic drawings

Dates: Mon - Fri, Aug 1 - 5

Grades: 1-8

Cost: Half day: \$165 (AM or PM)

Location: OKCC Large Meeting Room

Instructor: Jason Wilkes; wilkes@youngrembrandts.com
www.youngrembrandts.com/centralwestjersey/

PASTEL DRAWING WORKSHOP - OCEAN LIFE

12:30 PM - 2:30 PM

We explore ocean life as they learn to draw and color with pastels. We will create detailed, pastel compositions on each day, focusing on a different ocean-themed subject. We will draw eye-catching sea stars along the shoreline and a pair of vibrant clown fish. We will illustrate a sea turtle with bold patterns, a blue crab and a wondrous scene of jellyfish.



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JR. CHEF COOKING CAMP



Jr Chef box includes step by step laminated recipe sheets, science experiment, Food Fun facts, Apron, one baking utensil, 2 silicon cups, teddy bear cookie-cutter, etc.

JuniorChefBox- Baking Crush 9-12pm

Campers will learn different baking techniques while having fun creating bread, desserts, and pastries. Our Junior Chef culinary camp is designed to teach students to measure, read using other recipes and mixing techniques. Campers bake recipes like mini cinnamon rolls, veggie fritters, oreo pudding cake, graham layered cheesecake, fruit ice cream tart, etc.

JuniorChefBox - All around the world in 5 days/Multi Cuisine 1-4pm

We travel the world learning fundamental cooking techniques. We will make and sample scrumptious surprises while learning about the different countries and their unique cuisines. We will explore International Cuisine and Traditional Cooking techniques from Egypt, Italian, Mexico, Vietnamese countries. We create recipes like pizza, quesadilla, falafel, Vietnamese spring roll w/sauce, homemade garlic knots, bread sticks, mango sticky rice, flat bread Etc

Date: Mon - Fri, July 18 - July 22

Times: Half-Day: 9 -12pm \$230

Full day 9 - 4 pm (supervised hour, bring lunch): \$390

Grades: K - 6

Location: OKCC Large Meeting Room

Instructors: Jr Chef Box; www.juniorchefbox.com or (732-789-8244)

GEOGRAPHY BEE

Students learn about the world around them; cultures, economies, geographical locations. States, continents, mountain ranges, bodies of water to name a few. Get a jump start on preparing for the annual Geography Bee with a mock Geography Bee.

Dates: Wednesdays, July 13 - August 31

Times: 5- 6pm

Grades: 4-8

Cost: \$175

Location: Google Meet

Instructor: Payal Gupta and her son Krish (5 time school geography champion, finished 4th in the NJ State Geography Bee)



SPELLING BEE

Students in the class will learn the basic skills of spelling, develop knowledge of diacritic for correct word pronunciation, understand roots and how they make up words, basic language patterns, competition details, and many more spelling tricks while having fun with their friends! Class will end in a mock spelling bee.

Dates: Wednesdays, July 13 - August 31

Times: 10- 11am

Grades: 4-8

Cost: \$175

Location: Google Meet

Instructor: Akhila Narvekar and her son Atharv Narvekar (2021 Scripps National Spelling Bee Finalist and 3 consecutive years Scripps School Spelling Bee Champion) and Aryahi Narvekar (4 consecutive years Scripps School Spelling Bee Champion)



SPORT CAMPS AT A GLANCE



JUNE

-  **Co-Ed Soccer**
June 27 - July 1
- Fal- Rooney**
June 27 - July 1
- Co-Ed Volleyball**
June 27 - July 1
- Grundy Hoops**
June 27 - July 1
- Coach Griff's Athletic Camp**
June 28 - Aug 4

JULY CONT.

-  **Track & Field**
July 18- 22
- Girls Soccer**
July 18 - 22
- Fal- Rooney**
July 18 -22
- Girls Basketball**
July 18 - 22
- Football Camp**
July 25 - 29

AUGUST CONT.

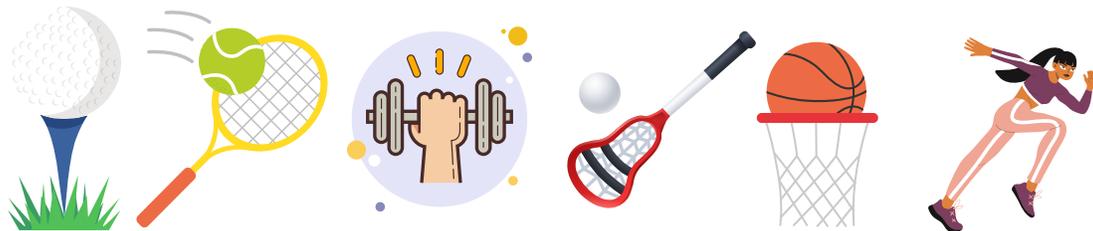
-  **Cross Country**
TBD
-  **USSI Multi Sports**
Aug 22 - 26
- USSI Tennis**
Aug 22 - 26
Aug 29 - Sept 2

JULY

-  **Girls Softball**
July 5- 8
- Girls Lacrosse**
July 5 - 8
-  **USSI Tennis**
July 7 -Aug 14
- USSI Soccer**
July 9 - Aug 13
- Boys Soccer**
July 11 - 15
-  **Grundy Hoops**
July 11 - 15
July 25 - 29

AUGUST

-  **Girls Basketball**
Aug 1- 5
- Fal- Rooney**
Aug 1-5
Aug 8-12
- Jr Golf**
Aug 8 - 11
-  **Grundy Hoops**
Aug 8 - 11



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Instructor: Jim Griffin MS, CSCS, PES, NASE 609-915-7414 or coachgriffscs@gmail.com

Complete Athlete Training

A 15 session, 3 workouts per week program designed to develop the total athlete. Includes speed and agility training as well as Power Block training. Proper lifting techniques and training habits are covered. **Female and Male sessions.**

Female: Dates: June 28 - Aug 4 (Tues/Thurs/Fri)
Times: 8:00-10am (Tue/Thur) 8:40 -10 am (Fri)

Fridays are weight lifting days for both Female and Male

Male: Dates: June 27 - Aug 3 (Mon/Wed/Fri)
Times: 7:10-9:10am (Mon/Wed) 7:30 -8:50 am (Fri)

Grades: 7-12

Cost: \$295

Location: MHS Weight Room



Speed & Agility

This program is geared to make you a better athlete. You will improve running form, foot work, stride length, and efficiency. Not a conditioning program; goal is explosive power. **Female and Male sessions**

Female: Dates: June 28-Aug 4 (Tues/Thurs)
Times: 8-8:40am

Male: Dates: Jun 27 -Aug 3 (Mon/Wed)
Times: 7:10-7:50am

Cost: \$180



Power Block Training

A total body training model by Strength Coach Jim Griffin. Development in strength, stability, muscular endurance, flexibility, and coordination. Instruction includes proper lifting techniques and training fundamentals. **Female and Male sessions**

Female: Dates: June 28 - Aug 5
(Tues/Thurs/Fri)
Times: 8:40-10am

Male: Dates: June 27 - Aug 5
(Mon/Wed/Fri)
Times: 7:40-9:10am

Cost: \$210



Grades: 7 -12
Location: MHS Weight Room

SPORT CAMPS

USSI - <https://ussportsinstitute.com/>

Soccer Squirts & Senior Soccer Squirts

Squirts learn the fundamental skills of soccer, including dribbling, passing, shooting & defending.

Sr Squirts learn more advanced principles of attacking, defending & passing in a non-competitive, fun environment.

Dates: Saturdays, July 9-Aug 13

Times: (Option 1) 8-8:50am **OR** 9-9:50am
(Option 2) 10-10:50am **OR** 11- 11:50am

Grades: (Option 1) Pre K (Ages 3-5)
(Option 2) Grades K-2

Cost: \$145

Location: Van Horne Park



USSI Multi Sport Camp

Multi sports camp gives players aged 5-12 the opportunity to experience up to 4 different sports each day. Sports include Bocce, Baseball, Basketball, Badminton, Cricket, Disc Golf, Field Games, Flag Football, Hockey, Handball, Kickball, Lacrosse, Pilo Polo, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Touch Rugby, Ultimate Frisbee, Volleyball, and World Cup Games – over 15 Sports in one week!

Dates: Mon - Fri, Aug 22-26

Times: 9-12pm **OR** 12:30-3:30pm

Grades: K-6

Cost: \$199 (9-12)

\$145 (12:30-3:30)

Location: Montgomery Veterans Park



Development Tennis

Ideal for intermediate players looking to enhance knowledge and skills. **Bring a tennis racket & a water bottle!**

Dates: **Thursdays, July 7 - Aug 11** **OR**
Sundays, July 10 - Aug 14

Time: **Thur, 5 - 5:50pm**
Sun, 11 -11:50 am

Grades: 6 - 9

Cost: \$145

Location: UMS Courts



Foundation Tennis

Participants learn the basic fundamentals of stroke production, court movement & footwork skills in a low pressured, yet energetic environment. **Bring a tennis racket & a water bottle!**

Dates: **Thursdays, July 7 - Aug 11** **OR**
Sundays, July 10-Aug 11

Times: **4-4:50 pm (K-3)**
5-5:50 pm (3-5)
9- 9:50am (K -3)
10- 10:50 am (3 - 5)

Grades: K-5

Cost: \$145

Location: UMS Courts



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Co-Ed Soccer



Campers will learn the basic fundamentals of soccer. Campers will improve their skills with various drills & game-like situations. Bring cleats, sneakers, shin guards, and a water bottle. Bring lunch

Dates: Mon - Fri, June 27-July 1

Times: 9- 12pm

Grades: 1-3

Cost: \$150

Location: OKCC

Instructor: Rickey Steeb, MHS Coach, rsteeb@mtsd.us

Co - Ed Volleyball

Players will be grouped by age and ability. Learn fundamental skills including passing, bumping, serving, setting, defense, offense, proper transitioning & hitting. Games will be played each day!

Dates: Mon - Fri, June 27 - July 1

Times: 9 - 3pm

Grades: 5-9

Cost: \$275

Location: MHS AUX Main Gym

Instructor: Kelsey Donovan: kdonovan@mtsd.us

Lauren Horowitz; lhorowitz@mtsd.us MHS Coaches



Girls Soccer



Your child will learn the basic fundamentals of soccer. Each camper will improve their skills in passing, dribbling, shooting and other soccer specific skills. Through drills and games campers will enjoy their time but also improve their skills and help build the Montgomery Cougar soccer program for the future. Please bring cleats, shin guards, sneakers, and water!

Dates: Mon - Fri, July 18 -22

Times: 9-12pm

Grades: 4-8

Cost: \$150

Location: MHS Cougar Stadium

Instructor: Yannick Smith MHS Coach, ysmith@mtsd.us

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Girls Basketball

These camps will have different drills to help players of all ages and abilities improve their basketball skills. A typical camp day will have stations, morning game, lunch, competitions, and an afternoon game. The camp is run by Coach Matt Margon, his staff and players from the girls basketball program. Don't forget to bring a water bottle, lunch, and money for the camp store!

Dates: Week 1: Jul 18-22 (M-F)
Week 2: Aug 1-5 (M-F)

Times: 9 – 3pm

Grades: 3-9

Cost: \$275

Location: MHS Main Gym

Instructor: Matt Margon;

MHS Coach, mmargon@mtsd.us

Girls Varsity Players



Girls Lacrosse

Players will learn the fundamentals of girls lacrosse through drill work, as well as live gameplay situations. All players need all required equipment including: mouth guard, lacrosse stick, goggles, and cleats/sneakers. Players should also bring plenty of water.

Dates: Tues - Fri, July 5 - 8

Times: 9 – 12pm

Grades: 2-9

Cost: \$120

Location: Cougar Stadium

Instructor: Joe Riccardi; MHS Coach,
jriccardi@mtsd.us



Cross Country Camp

This camp helps students who are interested in improving their endurance and long distance running abilities. It is spread out over the course of four weeks to enhance development of running skills. Remember a large water bottle!

Dates: TBD (Starting late July - Aug)

Times: 6:30– 8pm

Grades: 3-8

Cost: \$200

Location: Mon-Skillman Park,

Tues-Monty Park, Thur-UMS

Instructor: Claire (MHS Coach) & Rob Scarpa
cscarpa@mtsd.us



Track & Field Camp

Our camp will focus on fundamental skills of athletic training as well as track and field training with guided repetition in basic track and field drills. Athletes will attempt to build on their repetitions to test out in specific track events such as sprints, mid-long distance running, long jump, and the shot put. Every athlete will get times/measurements by the end of the week's training. Our typical practices will range from athletic development, specific track event skill training, track and field event measurements, training videos (Indoors), and cooperative games for fitness. Remember a large water bottle!

Dates: Mon - Fri, July 18 - 22

Times: 9am – 12pm

Grades: 4-8

Cost: \$150

Location: UMS Track

Instructor: Instructor: Vincent Figueroa & Rickey Steeb
vfigueroa@mtsd.us or rsteeb@mtsd.us



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Football: Quarterback & Wide Receivers

Non-Contact Football Camp

Directed by Zoran Milich, MHS Varsity Head Coach and assisted by Sean Carty, MHS Offensive Coordinator, this camp will teach campers the proper techniques and drills for their specific positions. Campers will be exposed to offense, defense & special teams. Non-contact touch football games are played. **Bring sneakers, cleats, water bottle and lunch!**

Dates: Mon - Fri, July 25 - 29

Times: 9 - 3pm

Grades: 6 - 9

Cost: \$275

Location: MHS Cougar Stadium

Instructor: Zoran Milich; MHS Football Coach, zmilich@mtsd.us



Girl's Softball

Your child will be taught the proper fundamentals for fielding, throwing, hitting, baserunning and overall knowledge of the game. Students will learn the fundamentals and mechanics behind pitching and catching. There will be more advanced drills and stations setup for the girls who have played multiple years, and all children will be divided up accordingly. Each day will end in a fun and educational game or scrimmage.



Dates: Tues - Fri, July 5 - 8

Times: 9 - 12pm

Grades: 2-9

Cost: \$150

Location: MHS Softball Field

Instructor: Coach Brian Upshaw, current varsity players and D-1 players
bupshaw@mtsd.us

Boy's Soccer

Campers will learn the basic fundamentals of soccer. Campers will improve their skills with various drills & game-like situations. Bring cleats, sneakers, shin guards, and a water bottle. Bring lunch

Dates: Mon - Fri, July 11 - 15

Times: 9 - 3pm

Grades: 4-10

Cost: \$275

Location: Cougar Stadium

Instructor: Rickey Steeb, MHS Coach, rsteeb@mtsd.us



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Fal - Rooney Camp

Directed by Johnny Rooney and Assistant Director Mike Falco. Campers participate in team and individual events, games, competitions, talent shows, obstacle relays, arts and crafts, and much more. They have a full time nurse as well as a CPR/First Aid/EpiPen trained staff.

Dates: June 27 – July 1 (M-F)
July 18 - 22 (M-F)
Aug 1-5 (M-F)
Aug 8-12 (M-F)

Times: 9-2pm
Pre Game: 8-9am
Overtime: 2-6pm

Grades: 1st – 9th

Cost: Camp: \$357 (Per Child)
Pre Game: \$80 (Per Family)
Overtime: \$150 (Per Family)

Location: LMS Gym
Instructor: Johnny Rooney
For more information: www.FalRooney.com



Fal- Rooney New Camp

Please look for the return of the Triple play, triple threat, and trifecta camp

This week before school camp experience will include baseball/softball skills , basketball drills and Fal-rooney thrills

More information Coming SOON

USSI Tennis Camp

Participants learn the basic fundamentals of stroke production, court movement & footwork skills in a low pressured, yet energetic environment.

Dates: Week 1: Aug 22–26 (M-F)
Week 2: Aug 29–Sept 2 (M-F)

Times: 9-12pm

Grades: K-9

Cost: \$199 (per week)

Location: UMS COURTS

Instructor: USSI-

<https://ussportsinstitute.com>



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Grundy Hoops Basketball Camp

Campers will improve their skills with various drills & game-like situations. Camps have new drills & new games each week. For more info check out www.grundyhoops.com.

****Sign up for Week 4 of Basketball & Jr Golf - Coach Joe Bassford will watch the campers in between camps and parents can pick them up after basketball camp.****

Sign same child up for a 2nd week: \$270 (For Week 2)

Sign same child up for a 3rd week: \$260 (For Week 3)

Sibling Discount - \$10 off when registering more than one child for same week

Dates: June 27 - July 1 (M-F)

July 11 - 15 (M-F)

July 25 - 29 (M-F)

August 8 -11 (M-Th)

Times: (Week 1-3) 9-3pm

(Week 4) 12:00-2:00pm

After Care: (Weeks 1-3) 3 - 5pm

Cost: Weeks 1-3 - \$285

Week 4 - \$150

After Care: \$125 (siblings included)

Grades: 3-9 Weeks 1-3

1-3 Week 4

Location: MHS Gym (Weeks 1-3)

OKCC Gym (Week 4)

Instruction: Kris Grundy; MHS Coach, grundyk2@gmail.com



Jr. Golf

Camp is designed to educate junior golfers about rules, etiquette, chipping, and putting through FUN drills & games. All ability levels are welcomed. Modified equipment is provided for beginners; advanced campers should bring their own clubs. Limited clubs available. **Bring a water bottle and snacks.** *If staying for Basketball Camp please bring lunch*

Dates: Mon - Thur, August 8 - 11

Times: 8 - 11:30am

Grades: K-5

Cost: \$150

Location: OKCC

Instructor: Joe Bassford; jbassford@mtsd.us & Jen Jones, MHS Coaches





Montgomery Recreation



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Adult/Parent Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email address: _____

Emergency Contact Name & Number: _____

Participant 1: _____ Male/Female (circle one)

Grade: _____ Age: _____ T-Shirt Size (if applicable) _____

Program: _____ Dates: _____ Location _____ Fee \$ _____

Program: _____ Dates: _____ Location _____ Fee \$ _____

Program: _____ Dates: _____ Location _____ Fee \$ _____

Participant 2: _____ Male/Female (circle one)

Grade: _____ Age: _____ T-Shirt Size (if applicable) _____

Program: _____ Dates: _____ Location _____ Fee \$ _____

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Total Due: \$ _____

Checks payable to: Montgomery Recreation, 356 Skillman Rd, Skillman NJ 08558

I understand I will NOT receive a refund or credit for any class/program/trip unless it is cancelled by the Recreation Department.

Signature

Date

**Do you need reasonable modifications due to a disability as defined by the ADA in order to participate in the above program (s)?
Yes/No (circle one)**

Note: Please make separate checks for aquatics & after school classes. All non-residents must pay an additional out of town fee (\$30) per program. Senior Citizens (55+) may take 10% off Adult Classes.

If paying by credit card, I authorize the recreation staff to enter my cc information. _____



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