

**SPRING/SUMMER BROCHURE
2010/2011**

*Program Registration Goes On-line!
See inside cover for details*

TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Mission Statement

The goal of the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department is to provide recreation and leisure opportunities for Township residents of all ages. The Township is proud to offer a wide variety of recreational programs and park facilities for the entire community.

Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee

The Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee is appointed by the Township Committee. There are a total of 21 members, each member is appointed for a 3-year term. The Advisory Committee meets the 3rd Thursday of each month at 7 PM at the Township of Morris Municipal Building.

The committee is responsible for the planning and implementation of long-range plans for recreation programs and parks. This includes park development, need assessments, and liaison with local recreation providers.

REGISTRATION AND GENERAL INFORMATION

1. **Township of Morris residents are given first preference for program registrations.**
2. All participants must register through the Parks & Recreation Office. **NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE TAKEN AT PROGRAM SITES.**
3. **Registration is limited in some programs and is taken on a first-come, first-serve basis.**
4. **Programs will be canceled if there are insufficient registrations.**
5. Please be aware that unforeseen circumstances, such as inclement weather or school programs, may cause program changes.
6. Check the Township of Morris website for information and updates; www.morristwp.com.
7. Registration fees are non-refundable unless a class is canceled by the Parks & Recreation Department.
8. **Fees for programs will not be pro-rated for late registrations.**

The Parks and Recreation Department reserves the right to make program changes.

REGISTRATION FOR ACTIVITIES

Please read the following instructions.

To register for parks and recreation activities **that require registration fees:**

Registrations are now being accepted on-line at <https://register.communitypass.net/morristownship>, or

1. To register by mail, fill out the registration form found in this brochure
2. Either mail to the Parks & Recreation office or drop off at your convenience.
3. Payment may be made by check (payable to the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department, 50 Woodland Avenue, P.O. Box 7603, Convent Station, NJ 07961-7603) or cash in the correct amount only.
4. Your canceled check will be your receipt.
5. All fees must be paid at time of registration and prior to class start time.
6. Refunds/credit will be given if the Parks & Recreation Department cancels a program.
7. Request for refunds must be written and received 5 days prior to the program start date.
8. No refunds of registration fees will be given once the program begins.

To register for parks and recreation activities that **do not** require fees:

1. Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371. Due to the heavy volume of calls, your call may be forwarded to voice mail.
2. **You must leave the following information in order to reserve a place:**
 - a) Name of registrant(s) with correct spelling of name(s).
 - b) Address, phone number, & age of participant(s).
 - c) Name & number of the activity (number is located to the left of the title).
3. Every effort will be made to return & verify your call.

Youth Sport League Phone Numbers

| <u>Association</u> | <u>Contact</u> | <u>Phone Number</u> | <u>Web Site/E-Mail</u> |
|--|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| Babe Ruth Baseball (13-15 years old) | Ray Mosso | 973-540-8488 | no web site |
| Jr. Colonial Youth Hockey | G. Braunschweiger | 973-644-4933 | GRBraun15@aol.com or www.jrcolonials.com |
| Jr. Colonial Football and Cheerleading for 6-14 year olds | Fred Lipkin Dave Flynn | 973-540-1699 | fred.lipkin@verizon.net www.jr.colonials.org |
| Jr. Colonial Lacrosse | Stephen DeLargy | 201-400-4684 | www.morristownlacrosse.com |
| Colonials Wrestling- Mo'town Grapplers Club | Guy Beck | | www.motowngrapplers.com |
| Little League Baseball | | | |
| <u>American</u> (for youths residing west of Rt. 202/Mt Kemble Ave.) | | | |
| | John Mahoney | 973-960-8783 | www.MAALL.net |
| | Registrar Tom Plunkett | 973-644-3594 | |
| | Hot Line | 973-540-1899 | |
| <u>National</u> (for youths residing east of Rt. 202/Mt Kemble Ave.) | | | |
| | Chris Hillebrecht | 973-605-5275 | www.MNLL.org hilleb@optonline.net |
| Fall Ball National LL | Tyler Perry | 973-993-0406 | www.MNLL.org |
| Girls Morristown Area Little League Softball | Jim Maynard | 973-615-1886 | ppmaynard@aol.com |
| Morris Area Girl's Lacrosse (Girls 2 nd - 8 th grade) | Peter Lee | 973-898-1333 973-978-1508 cell | MorrisGirlsLax@gmail.com |
| Morristown Colonials | | | |
| American Flag Rugby | Mike Stumpf | 973-539-6282 862-222-5978 | mjstumpf@optonline.net www.MorristownRugby.com |
| Morristown Wildcats Football & Cheerleading (6-14 year olds) | Brian Klinger | 732-684-5277 | www.morristownwildcats.org |
| Morris United Soccer | | | |
| Recreational | Ed Thornton | 973-454-8171 | www.morrisunited.com ejthornton1@gmail.com |
| Traveling | John Gilfillan | 973-229-5422 | jgilfillan@cmk.com |

PERMITS FOR GROUP USE OF FIELDS & FACILITIES

All groups of 15 or more persons desiring to use an outdoor facility or athletic field maintained by the Township of Morris must file a formal application with the Department of Parks & Recreation. In addition to the completed and signed application form, the applicant must also provide a Certificate of Liability Insurance addressed to the Township of Morris in the minimum coverage amount of \$1,000,000 naming the Township of Morris as an additional insured, plus a signed Hold Harmless agreement. Fees for reserved group use are set by Township Ordinance. Please contact the Department of Parks & Recreation for details. Permit applications are available for download on the Township of Morris Website- www.morristwp.com or from the Department of Parks & Recreation.

PLAYGROUNDS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS

The playgrounds are open to residents on a daily basis, closing at dusk.

Playgrounds

Butterworth Park
 Children's Park
 Collinsville Playground
 Donald Delpho Field
 Ginty Field Recreation Complex
 Green Field
 Edward Hayward Park
 Ketch Road Field
 Elmer Saunders Park

Location

Lynnfield Drive
 Kahdena Road
 Monroe Street off Martin Luther King Avenue
 Harter Road
 Behind the Woodland Fire House on Dwyer Lane
 Weathervane Drive off Park Avenue
 Behind Hillside Hose Fire House on Western Avenue
 On Ketch Road
 At the end of Rolling Hill Drive cul-de-sac

Tennis Courts

Collinsville Playground
 Ginty Recreation Complex

 Streeter Recreation Complex

1 court on Monroe Street
 2 courts alongside Woodland Fire House on Dwyer Lane
 2 courts behind Little League Field on Woodland Avenue
 4 courts on the corner of Sussex Avenue & Inamere Road, adjacent to Streeter Pool

Bocce Courts

Edward Hayward Park

2 courts behind Hillside Hose Fire House on Western Avenue

Horseshoe Pit & Volleyball Court

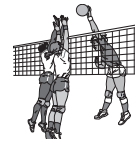
Ginty Complex

Dwyer Lane, behind Woodland Fire House

Basketball Courts

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| Collinsville | 2 Courts - lighted |
| Delpho | Full Court |
| Children's | (1/2 Court) |
| Green | Full Court |
| Hayward | 2 ? Courts |
| Saunders | Full Court |

Monroe Street off Martin Luther King Avenue
 On Harter Road
 On Kahdena Road
 Off Park Avenue on Weathervane Drive
 Behind Hillside Hose Fire House on Western Avenue
 Cul-de-Sac at end of Rolling Hill Drive



SENIOR ACTIVITIES

To register for senior activities, call the Parks and Recreation Office at 973-326-7371.

MORRIS TOWNSHIP SENIOR CITIZENS' CLUB SENIOR CARD PARTIES

Location: Morris Mews

Come out and enjoy an afternoon of stimulating fun playing cards on the first and third Wednesday afternoons of each month from 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM. Learn or improve your game of bridge or Skip Bo and enjoy a cup of coffee. We have a friendly group of bridge players who welcome new faces. A men's poker group also meets at these times. **If you cannot come to every session, you may want to add your name to our substitute list.**



SENIOR FUNERCISE

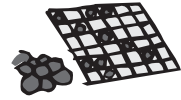
Location: Fairchild Firehouse

Many senior citizens participate in our aerobics class designed specifically for this age level. They receive the benefits of better muscle tone, increased agility, and an improved cardio-vascular system. In addition to the aerobics, the group learns such fun dances as the Alley Cat, Hully Gully, and the Hustle. Participation In An Exercise Group Makes The Work More Fun! The group meets every Monday morning at 10 AM for an hour with the **exception of July and August.**

SENIOR BINGO

Location: Morris Mews

Senior Bingo is held the last Wednesday of each month at 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM, **except for July and August**. Come out for an afternoon of fun.



SENIOR BOCCE

Location: Hayward Field Playground

Enjoy learning how to play the increasingly popular game of BOCCE. Increasing attendance attests to the amount of fun you can have. This is an outdoor bowling type game where each player rolls a 4½" ball down an 'alley'. The object of the game is to bowl your ball close to the jack. The more balls you have by the jack the more points you score. For more information call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371. The Group meets Wednesday mornings at 10 AM to 12 Noon, from May to October.

SENIOR WALKING TRIPS

A series of walks will occur in the spring. Meet new people while you walk your way to good health. The walks will start in April and leave from the Ginty Field parking lot on Woodland Avenue.

SENIOR PICNIC

Come join in the fun. Our 23rd Annual Senior Picnic is scheduled for Wednesday, September 15th from 12 Noon to 4 PM at the Ginty Pool. A great relaxing day to end the summer!

SPRING CALENDAR

GIRL'S SOFTBALL

The Township of Morris Girl's Softball is about to begin!!! This program is open to all girls in the Township of Morris and Morristown. Sign up for a pressure free recreation program. Learn the basic skills, make new friends and play softball with your present friends all while having a lot of fun. Whether you know how to play the game or are just a beginner, come out & join a team near your home. **STARTING DATE is MONDAY, APRIL 5th at 4:15 PM** for the **MINORS (GRADES 2-5)**. The first four Mondays are for practices; then games take place on the remaining Mondays through June. If Monday practices or games are rained out, both practices and games will be played on the Wednesday of the same week. Sponsors will provide team shirts and hats. The winning team members receive trophies.

T-BALL

A T-Ball league for boys and girls 5-7 years of age WILL BEGIN THE WEEK OF APRIL 19th, DEPENDING ON THE WEATHER. Basic skills will be taught, as well as rules of the game. Practices will be one day each week on either Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, or Fridays according to schedules. Games will be held on Saturday mornings from 9 AM to 10:30 AM. Every child on the team will play each inning creating more fun and interest. There are still some available openings at various fields. Please call the Parks & Recreation Office by **April 1st**, at 973-326-7371 for further details. **No changes will be made to team rosters after April 1st.**



COACHES CLINIC

ATTENTION ALL NEW COACHES! New Jersey requires that all new coaches take a Rutgers S.A.F.E.T.Y. course. The Township of Morris will sponsor a clinic on Wednesday, March 24th at the Municipal Building, 50 Woodland Avenue. The program runs for 3 hours from 6:30 PM to 9:30 PM and costs \$30 per resident; \$35/non-resident. You must register in advance. Please fill out the form in this brochure, make a check payable to Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department, and mail to the address on the form. Seating is limited to 75 participants. **Please note: residents who plan to coach for Township of Morris programs (T-ball & Girl's Softball) must take the course and the fees will be paid by the Township.**

ARBOR DAY CELEBRATION

The public is invited to join the Parks & Recreation Department on Arbor Day, Friday, April 30th, at 12 Noon, at Ginty Field. Children from the Woodland School participate and Township Officials plant a tree in celebration of Arbor Day. Call the Parks & Recreation Office for more information at 973-326-7371.

01 SPRING SHOPPING TRIP

Since the fall shopping trip has been such a success, shoppers have asked for a spring trip to Reading, PA. We need 25 or more people to take advantage of this offer. The bus will leave the municipal building at 8 AM on Saturday, April 10th. Fee is \$15.00 per person.

02 WOMEN'S SOFTBALL TEAM

Women's Softball will be starting its eleventh season with Kim Kramer Ganz as coordinator. This program will continue in 2010 with possibility of 2 teams playing in the Mendham League. The program will be held on Tuesdays starting May 4th and run through July, from 6 PM to dusk. Women must be over 18 years of age to join. Sign up early with the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 so plans can be finalized.

03A SPORTS FOR SQUIRTS - SPRING

A Tuesday program for 3-5 year olds! Starting April 20th through June 1st, instructors from US Sports Institute will introduce young children to a variety of sports in a safe and structured environment. Emphasis is placed on learning and fun. Choose either a 3 PM or 4 PM class. Class size is limited to 12 and will meet at the Frelinghuysen/Twin Oaks Field. The fee is \$115 per student.

03B SPORTS FOR SQUIRTS - SUMMER

Weekly summer programs (see spring Sports for Squirts) for ages 3-5 will be conducted by instructors from US Sports Institute as follows:

June 28th - July 2nd 4 PM - 5:30 PM at Cornine Field Complex

July 12th - July 16th 9 AM - 10:30 AM at Ginty Field Complex

July 12th - July 16th 10:30 AM - 12 Noon at Ginty Field Complex

The fee is \$100.00 per student. Class size is limited to 12.

04 MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

Location: Hillcrest School

For those men who enjoy a night of sports action, a night of volleyball is the solution on Monday evenings at 7:30 PM. This is a way to keep good body tone. This ongoing program creates challenge and spirit as men test their skills on the court. Sneakers and shorts are strongly recommended. If you have **not participated in the fall program**, please register by filling in the registration form in this book and mailing to the Morris Township Parks & Recreation Office. Registration fee is \$40.00.

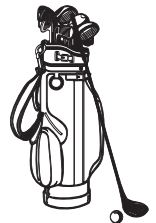
05 INTRODUCTION TO YOGA FOR ADULTS

An introduction to Yoga with basic Hatha positions, breathing fundamentals, & relaxing exercises will be offered for the spring. Registered Yoga Trainer (RYT), Christina Alfonso is a member of the National Yoga Alliance. Classes will be conducted for 10-weeks on Monday evenings at 7 PM, Tuesday mornings at 10 AM, or Wednesday evenings at 7 PM starting April 5th, April 6th, and April 7th. Registration is \$25 per person for each 10-week class. Please note: Monday evening & Tuesday morning classes will be held at the Collinsville Fire House. Wednesday evening classes will be held at the Hillside Hose Fire House. Wednesday morning classes will be held at the St. Joseph's Hall at the College of Saint Elizabeth.

06 ADULT GOLF LESSONS

Location: Cornine Field

The golf program, for 18 years of age and older, is planned to provide our residents with the opportunity to learn basic skills, proper grip, stance, posture, swing, and club usage. Golf etiquette will be covered. The activity is designed for two separate levels of play in order to maximize learning for everyone. This six-week course starts April 27th and April 28th. The sessions for beginners will be held on Tuesday evenings from 7 PM to 8 PM. The sessions for intermediates will be held on Wednesday evenings from 7 PM to 8 PM. If a week is canceled due to rain or thunderstorms, the course will be extended to complete the six-week session. **When there are less than three participants on any given night, the class will be canceled.** Registration fee is \$30.00 per person.



07 POTTERY FOR CHILDREN

Our instructor will teach children the basics of this popular craft at our Parks & Recreation Annex (35 Woodland Avenue). **Class size is limited to 16.** Registration fee for this program is \$65.00 per student and includes cost of the instructor, materials, & firings. Students will create a project each week. Classes for 5-10 year olds will meet for 6 weeks starting as follows:

Monday, May 3rd from 5 PM - 6 PM

Saturday, May 8th from 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM



08 MOSAICS FOR CHILDREN

Create something truly unique as you learn the ancient art of mosaics. Instructor Joan Tamasco will teach how to hand paint tiles that students will use to make a wooden tray. You may also choose to include the use of shells, ocean stones, and glass in your wonderful finished piece. Make a treasure to last a lifetime reflecting your creativity from start to finish. The class will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex (35 Woodland Avenue). **Class size is limited to 16.** Registration fee for this program is \$65.00 per student and includes cost of the instructors, materials, & firings. Classes will meet for 6 weeks starting Mondays, May 3rd from 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM or Saturdays, May 8th from 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM.

09 SPRING THEATRE ARTS

Enjoy Disney musical theatre in a fun, supportive setting. Learn acting techniques, character study, and scenery development with a focus on musical performance in an eight week course being offered by Creative Endeavors Music & Acting School. Classes will meet at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue, and Wednesday classes will begin April 7th for \$225 per student, which includes script, costume, and music. The course ends in a mini showcase. 6 to 9 year olds will meet at 4:30 PM - 6 PM, and 10 to 12 year olds will meet at 6 PM - 7:30 PM.

10 ADULT WATER COLOR

This beginning watercolor class is low key & drawing ability is not a requirement. Elaine Brennick, a local artist & former teacher, will introduce you to the pleasures of the medium. An evening class is scheduled for Wednesdays, starting April 14th through May 19th at 7 PM to 8:30 PM. A class is scheduled for Fridays, starting April 16th through May 21st at 10 AM to 11:30 AM. Classes meet at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue. Enrollment is limited to 16 students. Registration fee is \$30.00 per person.



11 YANKEE GAME TICKETS



The Township of Morris Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee is sponsoring a trip to Yankee Stadium. Sunday on Friday, May 14th. The bus will leave from the Ginty Pool Lot. Price for tickets and transportation is \$30/ticket. Checks are payable to the Township of Morris Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee and are available on a first come, first serve basis. Please call the Parks & Recreation Office for further details.

Please check our website at www.morristwp.com for information on a Mets Game to be scheduled this season.

12 COMPUTER EXPLORERS

12A MOVIE MAKING 101 - LET'S EXPLORE THE UNDERWATER WORLD MOVIE

Grades 2 - 3 4 - Weeks Tuesdays 4 PM - 5:30 PM Class starts April 13th Fee: \$115

Do you want to be the next Steven Spielberg? Using your own imagination, creativity, special digital movie making cameras, software, props and Lego sets, you will create your very own Underwater Adventure movie! You will become part of a team of writers, photographers, directors and producers and create your own story and script, build various underwater scenes and film your own movie. You will use graphic editing techniques and stop motion animation, add background noise and music, and show your movie at a private screening on the last day of class. All students will get a copy of their movie.



12B LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION – MAKING YOUR OWN HARRY POTTER™ MOVIE

Grades 4 - 6 4 - Weeks Tuesdays 5:45 PM - 7:00 PM Class starts April 13th Fee \$115

What's the next adventure for Harry Potter, Ron and Hermione? It's up to you! We will create our own Harry Potter™ movie using special movie making cameras and software. As directors and producers we will work in teams to create our own story and script, build various Harry Potter™ Lego® scenes and film our own movie. We will use graphic editing techniques and stop motion animation, add background noise and music, and show our movie at a private screening on the last day of class. All students will get a copy of their movie.



13 SPRING FAMILY BICYCLE RIDES

Bicycle riding is a wonderful lifetime fitness sport and Morris Township has some of the best bicycle trails available, managed by the Morris County Park Commission. We will feature two Spring Family Bicycle Outings on local greenway trails. These rides are recommended for ages 9 and above. Children under 12 years of age must be accompanied on the ride by a parent or guardian.



We hit the trail for mostly off-roadway rides through the countryside on paved and gravel surfaced segments of the trail ways. Participants must bring their own bicycle, bicycle helmet, & water. These Family rides are free. Pre-registration is required.

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| Thursday, April 22 nd | 4:15 PM - 5:30 PM | Patriots Path Ride in Washington Valley | Meet at the Streeter Pool Parking Lot |
| (Rain date is Friday, April 23 rd) | | | |
| Saturday, May 1 st | 10 AM – 11:30 AM | Loantaka Brook Trail & Traction Line | Meet at Ginty Pool Parking Lot |
| (Rain date is Sunday, May 2 nd) | | | |

14 TRI-HARDER KID'S TRIATHLON SERIES

Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department will host the first outing of a three event Triathlon Series for children ages 4 through 15. The event is co-sponsored by the Township of Morris Police Department, Marty's Reliable Cycle, and the Township of Morris Manatees Swim Team.

The Township of Morris Kid's Triathlon is scheduled for Saturday, July 17, 2010 at 8:30 AM, beginning at Ginty Community Swim Pool. Four other Triathlon events will be held: Hackettstown on June 26th, Mt. Olive on July 31st, Denville on August 14th, and Chester Township on September 14th. Check-in for the events will begin at 7:30 AM. Pre-registration is required & event participant numbers are limited so we recommend early registration. The registration fee is \$10.00 per child. **REGISTRATION DEAD-LINE IS JULY 15th**. Please fill out the registration form in this brochure and send to the Parks & Recreation Office or register on-line at <http://www.BikeReg.com/events/register.asp?eventid=9847>.

The Tri-Harder Kids Triathlon will feature age appropriate swimming at Ginty Pool, distance runs at Ginty Field & a bicycling leg on local neighborhood streets:

| <u>Age Group</u> | <u>Swim Distance</u> | <u>Bike Distance</u> | <u>Run Distance</u> |
|------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 4-6* | 25 Yards | 1/2 Mile | 1/4 Mile |
| 7-8 | 25 Yards | 1 Mile | 1/2 Mile |
| 9-10 | 50 Yards | 2 Mile | 1/2 Mile |
| 11-12 | 75 Yards | 2 Mile | 1 Mile |
| 13-14** | 100 Yards | 2 Mile | 1½ Mile |

Note: *Ages 4-6 Swimmers may wear swim vests or swimming aids. Parents may ride with child in bicycling segment

** Age 15 eligible only if not in high school.

The Tri-Harder Kid's Triathlon series stresses the joy of participation, the importance of wholesome physical activity, & season-long training & enjoyment. The local events are recreational in nature, with no specific place timing, only general timing. The top three girls & the top three boys in each age group will receive award medals. Participation ribbons will be given to all registrants. **Additional Sponsors for the event are welcome. We are also seeking volunteers to help on meet day.** Please call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371.

TENNIS INSTRUCTION

15 ADULT TENNIS INSTRUCTION SPRING

Adult spring tennis lessons will be held at the Streeter Courts for 6-weeks starting April 19th & 21st as follows:

- Beginners - Mondays at 7 PM - 8 PM
- Intermediates - Wednesdays at 7 PM - 8 PM
- Advanced - Wednesdays at 8 PM - 9 PM

Registration is limited to 12 participants per class. Registration fee is \$35.00 per person, per session. If there are not enough registrations in a given class, the class will be canceled.



16 ADULT TENNIS INSTRUCTION SUMMER

Adult Summer Tennis Lessons will be held at the Streeter Courts for 6 weeks as follows:

- Beginners on Monday evenings starting June 28th at 7 PM to 8 PM
- Intermediates on Wednesday evenings starting June 30th at 7 PM to 8 PM
- Advanced players on Wednesday evenings starting June 30th at 8 PM to 9 PM

Registration is limited to 12 participants per class. Registration fee is \$35.00 per person.

17 CHILDREN'S TENNIS LESSONS

17A SPRING TENNIS

US Sports Institute will conduct our children's 2010 tennis programs following US Tennis Association (USTA) curriculums. The US Sports Institute (USSI) tennis clinic is a fast and easy way to develop an individual's skills. The programs offer a wide variety of drills and games suited to the ability level and age of every person who attends. An enthusiastic staff follows curriculums and guidelines laid out by the USTA, which includes the highly appraised Quickstart Tennis format. At every level, participants will learn the basic fundamentals in stroke production, court movement and footwork skills, all in a low pressured environment. Most importantly it's all about fun, with games, games and more games during each session!

Tennis classes will meet for 6 Mondays, Tuesdays, or Saturdays as follows:

- Ages 4 - 6 Saturdays, April 24th to June 5th from 10 AM - 11 AM
 Mondays, April 26th to June 7th from 4 PM - 5 PM
- Ages 7 - 9 Saturdays, April 24th to June 5th from 11 AM - 12:30 PM
 Tuesdays, April 27th to June 8th from 4 PM - 5:30 PM
- Ages 10 - 13 Saturdays, April 24th to June 5th from 12:30 PM to 2 PM
 Mondays, April 26th to June 7th from 5 PM - 6:30 PM



Saturday classes will be held at Streeter Tennis Courts, while Monday & Tuesday classes will be held at the Ginty Tennis Courts. Cost is \$79 per child for ages 4 - 6 and \$110 per child for ages 7-13.

17B SUMMER TENNIS

US Sports Institute in affiliation with USTA will conduct tennis instruction for children 4 to 13 years of age. Four 5-day sessions (Mondays through Fridays) will meet starting either Monday, July 12th or 19th at Ginty Courts; July 26th or August 2nd at Streeter Courts. Classes are as follows:

- Ages 4-6 will meet for 1 hour each day at 9 AM to 10 AM for \$70 per child.
- Ages 7-9 will meet for 2 hours each day at 10 AM to 12 Noon for \$95 per child.
- Ages 10-13 will meet for 2 hours each day at 4 PM to 6 PM for \$95 per child.

Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

17C FALL TENNIS

For 2010, US Sports Institute in affiliation with USTA will conduct our instructional tennis programs. Tennis classes will meet for 6 Mondays, Tuesdays, or Saturdays as follows:

- Ages 4 - 6 Saturdays, September 18th to October 30th from 10 AM - 11 AM
 Mondays, September 20th to October 25th from 4 PM - 5 PM
- Ages 7 - 9 Saturdays, September 18th to October 30th from 11 AM - 12:30 PM
 Tuesdays, September 21st to October 26th from 4 PM - 5:30 PM
- Ages 10 - 13 Saturdays, September 18th to October 30th from 12:30 PM to 2 PM
 Mondays, September 20th to October 25th from 5 PM - 6:30 PM

Saturday classes will be held at Streeter Tennis Courts, while Monday & Tuesday classes will be held at the Ginty Tennis Courts. Cost is \$79 per child for ages 4 - 6 and \$110 per child for ages 7-13.

COMMUNITY SWIMMING POOLS



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

Applications for membership for the Ginty and Streeter Pools have been sent to all Township of Morris residents. Anyone who did not receive an application may pick up one at the Parks & Recreation Office at 50 Woodland Avenue or visit the Township of Morris website at www.morristwp.com. Membership covers supervised recreational swimming, craft activities, special events, and splash parties. For Township residents, 2010-pool membership includes use of the Tennis Court facilities. Group swim lessons are available for \$30.00 per child for each 2-week session. Swim team registration is \$50.00 per child. Both pools will open as follows:

Weekends June 5th & 6th, June 12th & 13th, & June 19th & 20th (Saturdays from 11 AM to 6 PM & Sundays from 12 Noon to 6 PM).

Week of June 14th through June 18th the pools will open at 3 PM to 8 PM.

June 21st through August 16th: weekdays & Saturdays 11 AM to 8 PM & Sundays from 12 Noon to 8 PM.

August 16th through September 1st: weekdays & Saturdays from 11 AM to 7:30 PM; Sundays from 12 Noon to 7:30 PM.

September 2nd - 3rd - 1/2 day openings from 3 PM to 7:30 PM

September 4th - 6th - Labor Day Weekend from 11 AM to 7:30 PM

During swim lessons from 10 AM to 11 AM, June 28th through August 6th, the wading pools & lap lanes will be open only for swim pool members.

Join us for our "Annual Opening Night Pool Party" on Friday, June 18th at Streeter Pool at 5:30 PM. This event is open to all township residents and pool members for a fee of \$5.00 per person which includes swimming, food, music, and fun.

PHOTO IDS FOR SWIM POOL: Photo ID pictures will be taken for new members and children who are now 4 years of age or who require updated photos. For photo ID schedule please see your 2010 pool membership application.

END OF SUMMER RESIDENT POOL PICNIC

The Resident Pool Picnic has always been well received that we are happy to announce the date for 2010. On Saturday, September 11th, the Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee will sponsor a Swim Pool Picnic for all Morris Township residents to be held at the Ginty Pool from 1 PM - 6 PM. **PRICE IS \$5.00 PER PERSON FOR ALL AGES.** Planned activities include swimming, food, music, arts & crafts, games, and entertainment. Rain date is Sunday, September 12th. **Sign up at your pool.**

YOUTH SWIMMING LESSONS

On-site registration at each pool will be held on Saturday, May 29, 2010 at 12 Noon. Fees are \$30.00 per session, per child, payable to Township of Morris Swim Pool. You may register for one of the below sessions on the May 30th. Class sizes are limited. Class types and time slots are based on enrollment needs. Additional registrations for swim lessons continue daily during operational hours at each pool – see the Pool Manager for sign-ups.

Swimming and water safety lessons for all Morris Township resident youth are available at both the Ginty Pool and Streeter Pool. Pool membership is not required for Swim Lesson registration. Classes are held for children ages 4 and older. Swim lessons follow American Red Cross instructional guidelines and skill competencies:

Pre-School (Ages 4-5) – Parent/Guardian Must Accompany Child in the Water – Water exploration – introducing safety skills and basic water adjustment skills. Parents/guardians help children become comfortable in and around the water. Parents are instructed in techniques to help orient children to the water in a fun and safe manner.

Level I (Ages 6 and up) Water Exploration – Swimmers learn how to submerge their face, float supported, and swim with support on their fronts and backs.

Level II - Primary Skills - Swimmers will become comfortable swimming under water, retrieve rings from bottom step, float unassisted on their backs and fronts, and swim unassisted on their backs and fronts.

Level III - Stroke Readiness - Classes will be in the diving well. Swimmers must be comfortable in deep water. Swimmers will learn freestyle with face in the water and proper breathing technique, swim elementary back stroke, tread water in diving well, and learn basic diving skills.

Level IV - Stroke Development - Students swim the width of the pool during class with flutter kick. Swimmers focus on consistent rotary breathing for freestyle, swimmers perfect the backstroke, breaststroke, and diving skills.

Level V - Stroke Refinement - Students swim 2x the width of pool during class, strengthen their endurance for freestyle and backstroke. Breaststroke, butterfly stroke and kick, and all starts and turns are perfected.

Three (3) **Two-Week Instructional Sessions** will be conducted at each pool (nine consecutive weekdays with the last day as a make-up day if needed). The 2010 class schedule is as follows:

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|-------------|---------------------------|
| Session I | June 28 to July 9, 2010 |
| Session II | July 12 to July 23, 2010 |
| Session III | July 26 to August 6, 2010 |

Class times are:

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|----------------------|
| 10:00 AM to 10:35 AM |
| 10:40 AM to 11:15 AM |
| 11:20 AM to 11:55 AM |

Late afternoon classes may be added for pool members. Private lessons are available to pool members at \$18.00 per 1/2 hour lesson. Please check with Swim Pool Managers for sign up.

MORRIS TOWNSHIP MANATEES SWIM TEAM

The Morris Township Manatees Swim Team is a recreational summer swim team open to all Morris Township resident children ages 7 to 18. (Swimmers are required to pass a basic swim skills test before acceptance on the team). It is a competitive, fun, and exciting swim program that prides itself on team spirit and unity. The 2009 team included more than 150 male and female swimmers, and was very successful - taking 1st place in its Division in the North Jersey Summer Swim League with an 8-0 record.

The Manatees use both the Ginty and Streeter Pools for practices and swim meets on an alternating basis. Swim Team practices and meets span from early June through late July.

The registration fee for the swim team is \$50.00 per child. Fees cover coaching and supervision costs. **Registration will take place at both the Streeter and Ginty Pools on Saturday, May 29th from Noon until 3 PM.** After May 29th registration will be accepted by the Pool Managers during open hours. A Parent's Meeting will be held with the swim team coaches on Saturday June 5th, to discuss practice and swim meet schedules and expectations.



TENNIS COURT PERMIT RATES

| | |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| Adults (16 years and over) | \$20.00 |
| Children (15 years and under) | \$10.00 |

The above fees (with the exception of current resident swimming pool members) must be paid prior to using tennis facilities. Each resident player is required to have an ID and may play with one non-resident guest. **ALL RESIDENTS WHO TAKE LESSONS OR WISH TO RESERVE COURT TIME MUST HAVE A TENNIS OR SWIM POOL ID CARD. YOU MAY OBTAIN A CARD BY MAILING YOUR FEE TO THE PARKS & RECREATION OFFICE AND AN ID CARD WILL BE MAILED TO YOU.**

TENNIS COURT RESERVATION SYSTEM

In order to provide every *bona fide* tennis playing resident of our Township with the most ideal conditions of play, the Parks & Recreation Department has instituted a tennis court reservation system. In order to procure a court reservation, the following procedures must be followed:

The user must have a current Tennis ID or Swim Pool ID.

Reservations must be made by calling the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 from 9 AM to 12 Noon *24 hours in advance of the date to be played* with the following exceptions:

To play on Saturday, reservations must be made on the preceding Thursday.

To play on Sunday and Monday the reservation must be made on the preceding Friday.

Reservations must be made only by phone beginning **May 1st and concluding on September 1st**. For further information, please call the Parks & Recreation Office.

SUMMER PROGRAMS

18 GIRL'S BASKETBALL CLINIC

Location: Normandy School

Girl's basketball will start on Monday, July 12th and run for a week for ages 7-10 from 8:30 AM to 11:30 AM. A class will be held for ages 11-15 the week of July 19th from 8:30 AM to 11:30 AM. This program has a fantastic coach! Non-refundable registration fee is \$25.00. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.



19 BOY'S BASKETBALL CLINIC

Location: To Be Announced

Basketball clinic will start Monday, June 28th to Thursday July 2nd from 8 AM to 10:30 AM for ages 8 to 10 years; from 10:30 AM to 1 PM for ages 11 to 13. This clinic will include high quality instruction and game fundamentals. Please register early. The non-refundable registration fee is \$25.00. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

20 GIRL'S SOFTBALL CLINIC

Head instructor, Kristin Gervasio of "Fundamentals Softball Training", will conduct a clinic for girls entering grades 1 through 6 at Veteran's Field the week of July 12th from 9 AM to 12 Noon. Skills to be covered include: throwing, fielding, hitting, bunting, & base running. Games & scrimmages will take place later in the scheduled time. The fee is \$80 per child and payable to The Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department.

21 SUMMER HIKING PROGRAM

New for 2010! An eight week Summer Hiking program for children 8 years and up will begin Friday, July 2nd. The group will meet at the Ginty Field parking lot at 10 AM each week and return at 2 PM. Participants will explore nature and hike sections of Patriots Path, Jockey Hollow, Dismal Harmony, Indian Brook and other surrounding hiking paths. Each participant should be prepared for a 2-3 hour hike. Please wear sturdy shoes for hiking, bring a bag lunch and water, and sunscreen and bug repellent. Participants will travel by van and be supervised by our very own Police Chief, Timothy Quinn, and a member of our summer staff. Van space is limited, so sign up early.



22 THEATRICAL FUN FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

Alfred Vail School

This program is designed for young people from the ages of 5-13. Here is an opportunity to learn all you can about acting, stagecraft, the theater, and have fun at the same time. All facets of the theater, from set decoration to make-up technique, and various acting modes are explored. Our program ends with a performance for the parents and general public on Thursday, August 5th at the Alfred Vail School auditorium. Due to the popularity of this program, a class for the pre-teen has been added. **Classes meet every day** beginning June 28th for 6 weeks. (5-7 year olds meet at 9 AM to 10:15 AM, 8-10 year olds meet from 10:30 AM to Noon, & 11-13 year olds meet from 12:30 PM to 2 PM). Registration fee is \$25.00 per student. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

23 PRESCHOOL PROGRAM

Location: Alfred Vail School

This summer program is for 3 - 5 year olds who are potty trained and want to have fun. Activities include painting, drawing, exercising, and crafting in a creatively safe & dramatic environment. Children have to be **3 years of age by May 1, 2010** to 5 years old (not having attended kindergarten). Two sessions will be held each day from 9 AM to 10:30 AM, and 10:45 AM to 12:15 PM from June 28th - July 23rd. The 3 yr. olds meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays; the 4 and 5 yr. olds meet on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Please send juice and snack for your child. Registration fee is \$25.00 per child for the Tuesday/Thursday sessions and \$35 per child for the Monday, Wednesday & Friday sessions. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

24 GYMNASTICS CLINIC

Location: Woodland School

Gymnastics continues to be one of our most popular children's activities of the summer season. Basic and intermediate skills are taught in floor exercises: tumbling, uneven parallel bars, the balance beam, and vaulting- all under the supervision of our well-qualified instructors. This program will start Monday, June 28th and end Friday, July 9th as follows:

Children ages 5-7 from 9 AM to 10 AM

Children ages 8-12 years from 10:15 AM to 11:15 AM

Registration fee is \$30.00 per child. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.



25 CHILDREN'S GOLF

A week long golf program provided by US Sports is planned to introduce children to the game of golf. Children will learn basic techniques such as swing, grip, & ball striking using unique & fun training methods. The 1½ hour, 5-day program will take place the week of July 19th at Cornine Field. Equipment and t-shirts will be provided. 5 to 7 year olds will meet at 4:30 PM to 6 PM. 8 to 11 year olds will meet at 6 PM to 7:30 PM. Fee is \$89 per student. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

26 COMPUTER EXPLORER SUMMER PROGRAMS

26A LET'S BUILD IN JR. ENGINEERING

Grades 2 - 3 August 9th - 13th 9 AM - 12 PM Fee: \$215

Join us as we explore, investigate, & solve problems while we learn about the building blocks of engineering! Our hands-on exploration of simple machines using specially designed DUPLO, and LEGO, building blocks, and other construction activities introduces the basic concepts of physical science & engineering. Children will explore levers, gears, pulleys, wheels and axles. After guided exploration to understand basic concepts children will be challenged to build something cool that moves! Some examples of the projects include a crane, merry go round, tractor, and more!

26B FUN-GINEERING WITH SIMPLE MACHINES

Grades 5 - 6 August 16th - 20th 9 AM - 12 PM Fee: \$215

Appropriate for young engineers, these courses use LEGO, Technic pieces to explore simple machines including levers, gears, pulleys, drive trains and motorized projects. The high emphasis on building techniques will develop a strong understanding of mechanical principles. Challenges are used to allow students to creatively solve problems using concepts they have learned. Some examples of the projects include a folding lawn chair, drawbridge, conveyor belt, turnstile, and more!

SUMMER TRAVEL GROUP

Ages 7- 12

Are you tired of sitting home during the summer searching for something to do? Would you like to visit exciting places filled with fun and adventure? Are you tired of asking your parents to take you places with your friends? If the answer is yes, then the Summer Travel Group is for you. Supervised special trips to places filled with fun, excitement, and adventure will be as follows:

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Trip</u> | <u>Approximate Cost</u> |
|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------|
| Tuesday, July 13 th | Great Adventure Jackson, NJ | \$35.00 |
| Tuesday, July 20 th | Health & Fitness Science Ctr. Freehold, NJ | \$10.00 |
| Tuesday, July 27 th | Camelbeach Water Park, PA | \$25.00 |
| Tuesday, August 3 rd | Dorney Park, Allentown,PA | \$35.00 |

If you are interested, please sign up at the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Office at 50 Woodland Avenue, Mondays through Fridays from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM. Registrations will be on a first-come, first-serve basis. **Deadline for registering for each trip is one week prior to the trip date. Payment is to be made at the time of registration.**

28 PONY GROOMING & RIDING PROGRAM

As part of the summer playground program, Ponyshare will offer 2 sessions for children ages 5 to 11. Each session will meet for 1 week as follows:

Session I for 4 - 6 year olds: July 19th to 23rd at 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM for \$175.00 per child.

Session I for 7 - 11 year olds: July 19th to 23rd at 9:30 AM - 11 AM for \$205.00 per child.

Session II for 4 - 6 year olds: August 9th to 13th at 3 PM - 4 PM for \$175.00 per child.

Session II for 7 - 11 year olds: August 9th to 13th at 4:30 PM - 6 PM for \$205.00 per child.

Session II for 4 - 6 year olds: August 23rd to 27th at 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM for \$175.00 per child.

Session II for 7 - 11 year olds: August 23rd to 27th at 9:30 AM - 11 AM for \$205.00 per child.

Please register by using the form in this book. Make checks payable to Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department. The program will be held at the Seaton Hackney Stables on South Street adjacent to the Ginty Swim Pool parking lot. The aim of this program is to teach the children to properly ride and groom a pony. **Children are to wear long pants, strong hiking type shoes and bicycle helmets** to all sessions.

27 MULTI SPORTS WEEKS

US Sports Institute in affiliation with USTA will conduct week long multi-sports programs for 5-7 year olds from 9AM to 1 PM for \$129 per child and 8-14 year olds from 9 AM to 3 PM for \$149.00 per child. The programs will run the week of June 28th to July 2nd at Cornine Field and August 16th to August 20th at the Ginty Field Complex. Both programs will offer a variety of sports in a safe environment. Emphasis is placed on learning, sportsmanship & fun. Equipment & t-shirts will be provided for each child. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office. For more information, pick up a parent handbook at the playground sign ups as listed below.

CONCERTS AT THE GAZEBO AT GINTY FIELD

Our 5th season of free evening concerts will kick off on July 6th. Check the Township website for updates after May 1st. Tentative Schedule. Reserve the dates:

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Time</u> | <u>Event</u> |
|----------------------------------|-------------|--|
| Tuesday, July 6 th | 7 PM | The Kootz Band – Rock, Oldies, NJ’s Most Versatile Band |
| Tuesday, July 13 th | 7 PM | Hanover Wind Symphony – Morris County’s Own Community Based Wind Band Brings “Music to People and People to Music” |
| Tuesday, July 27 th | 7 PM | The Blaire Reinhard Band – Morristown’s Own Blues & Contemporary Rock Artists Featured Performers at First Night Morris |
| Tuesday, August 3 rd | 5 PM | Tequilla Rose -New & Classic Country Rock |
| Tuesday, August 10 th | 7 PM | RB Express - Doo-Wop & Classic Harmonies of the 50’s & 60’s |
| Tuesday, August 17 th | 7 PM | Dacey Riley St. Patrick’s Day in August |

BIG SCREEN OUTDOOR MOVIES

Bring the whole family and your blankets and lawn chairs to enjoy our Free Big Screen Outdoor Movies. Arrive early for some fun and games with our summer staff at 8 PM. The family oriented features will begin at dusk, approximately at 8:30 PM. Check the Township of Morris website (www.morristwp.com) for updated show information. Tentative planned movie nights are as follows:

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Location</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Location</u> |
|--|-----------------|---|-----------------|
| Wednesday, June 30 th <i>Alvin & the Chipmunks: The Squeakquel</i> | Cornine Field | Wednesday, July 14 th <i>Avatar</i> | Ginty Field |
| Saturday, July 10 th MorrisTownship Fire Dept. 100 th Anniversary <i>Firehouse Dog</i> | Ginty Field | Wednesday, July 28 th <i>Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs</i> | Ginty Field |

Rain Dates: July 21st & August 4th

“The Department of Parks & Recreation gratefully acknowledges the assistance of the Morris Township Police Department and the volunteers of the Office of Emergency Management in support of our summer special events.”

SUPERVISED SUMMER PLAYGROUND PROGRAM

A wide variety of supervised activities for children will be held during our six-week summer playground program. Playgrounds will open Monday, June 28th and continue through Friday, August 6th. Please note that all playgrounds will be closed July 5th in celebration of the July 4th holiday. All playgrounds will have many special events, contests and tournaments, plus additional activities such as arts and crafts, baseball, softball, basketball, kickball, soccer, bocce, and other games. Consult playground directors for the time of special events and instructional activities. A story hour and books will be available on all playgrounds through the courtesy of the Joint-Free Public Library of Morristown-Morris Township Book Mobile.

There are no extra charges for everyday playground activities. Picnics and off-site activities are planned with nominal fees. Reminder notices of these trips will be posted on the playground bulletin boards as the season progresses.

PLAYGROUND REGISTRATION FOR CHILDREN

In order for children to attend the 2010 summer playground program, they must have completed kindergarten. Parents must register all children. A non-refundable registration fee of \$30.00 per child must be paid at time of registration. **No registrations will be taken at program sites. Registration will take place at the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Annex at 35 Woodland Avenue** on the following dates:

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|---|-------------------|
| Tuesday Evening, June 1 st | Time: 5 PM - 7 PM |
| Wednesday Evening, June 9 th | Time: 5 PM - 7 PM |
| Saturdays, June 5 th & 12 th | Time: 9 AM - Noon |
| Monday, June 21 st - Friday, June 30 th | Time: 9 AM- 1 PM |

A Playground Supervisor will be present at the sign-ups to answer all your questions. You will receive a packet of information pertaining to program activities

SUMMER STAFFED PLAYGROUNDS

Week day hours at playgrounds listed above are as follows:

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| Butterworth Field | AM | AM - Mornings from | 9 AM - 12 Noon |
| Children's Park | AM | PM - Afternoons from | 1 PM - 4 PM |
| Collinsville | PM & Evening | Evening- | 6:30 PM - 9 PM |
| Delpho Field | AM | | |
| Ginty Complex | AM | | |
| Green Field | AM | | |
| Saunders | AM | | |
| Alfred Vail School | AM, PM | | |
| Normandy Park School | AM | | |

NORMANDY PARK SPORTS & GAMES PROGRAM

Normandy Park School is the Sports & Games playground again, this summer! Spend your summer playground experience with active play. This playground is set aside for those 8-12 year olds whose emphasis is on team sports and competition. Each week will emphasize a different sport: flag football, softball, basketball, kickball, dodge ball or soccer. The program will run Monday through Friday for 6 weeks beginning June 28th from 9 AM to 12 Noon. See Playground Registration dates & times for sign ups.

PLAYGROUND ACTIVITIES

FIRE DEPARTMENT SAFETY

Members of the Morris Township Fire Department will visit the playgrounds the week of June 28th. The firemen will speak to the children about fire safety, use of fire equipment on the fire trucks, and the danger involved with fireworks.

POLICE PROTECTION

The week of July 5th a member of the Morris Township Police Department will visit our playgrounds and explain to the children about 911, buckle up for safety, bike safety, and show them a police car.

TOUCH A TRUCK

Do large trucks and vehicles interest your youngsters? Want to investigate a police car & climb a fire truck? Find out where rubbish goes when thrown in the back of a garbage truck? These vehicles & other trucks, such as road & sewer equipment with bucket haulers will be at Ginty Field for a hands-on inspection. This is for the kid in all of us- parents & children. The program will be held on Thursday, July 22nd from 9:30 AM to 12 Noon.

VOLUNTEER IN TRAINING PROGRAM

This program is for 15 year olds who are too young to be employed, but are willing to **VOLUNTEER** their time in areas of Recreation in order to gain hands-on experience. Successful volunteers, upon turning 16, may have the opportunity to work in our future summer and winter programs. If interested, please stop by the Parks & Recreation Office to fill out an application.

MORRIS COUNTY ADAPTIVE RECREATION PROGRAM

Morris Township is a member of a consortium that sponsors the Morris County Adaptive Recreation Program (McARP). This is a graded program for adults and children that may have mental retardation, developmental disability, or developmental delay. An extensive calendar of activities is available including bus trips, ice skating, dancercise, arts & crafts, a canteen, munchers club, bowling, and cooking class, just to name a few. For more information call 973-326-9750.

******* SPECIAL EVENTS *******

Morris Township Fire Companies sponsor various events in cooperation with the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department for children in their own district. **Check with your local Fire Company for specific events and dates.**

Collinsville- 973-326-7373

Fairchild- 973-326-7374

Hillside- 973-326-7368

Mt. Kemble- 973-326-737

Woodland- 973-326-7369

Pancake Breakfast Dates

Fairchild March 28th and December 12th

Hillside Hose May 2nd

TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS PARKS & RECREATION SITES

FACILITIES

| | PARKS | Bleicki Field | Butterworth Field | Children's Park | Collinsville Playground | Delpho Field | Frelinghuysen Field | Ginty Recreation Complex | Green Field | Hayward Park | Ketch Road Field | Kiwanis Field | Jean Street Field | Lake Road Field | LaRue Field | Saunders Park | Spencer/Doremus Preserve | Streeter Recreation Complex | Tucker Field | Veteran's Park | Alfred Vail School | Hillcrest School | Normandy Park School | Woodland School | Jockey Hollow Top Preserve |
|-------------------------|--------------|---------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------------------|-------------|--------------|------------------|---------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|
| Baseball/Softball (60') | | 2 | | | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | | | | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | |
| Baseball (90') | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bocce | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lacrosse/Soccer | | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | | | 1 | | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Football | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | |
| Basketball | | | | 1 | 2 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Tennis | | | | | 1 | | | 4 | | | | | | | | | | 4 | | | | | | | |
| Playground | | | X | X | X | | | X | | X | X | | | | | X | | | | | X | X | X | X | |
| Biking/Walking | | | X | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sledding | | | X | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Swim Pool | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | |
| Hiking | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | X |

INDEPENDENT YOUTH ATHLETIC ORGANIZATIONS

The following organizations provide organized youth athletic programs for residents of the greater Morris Township-Morristown region:

MORRIS UNITED SOCCER CLUB RECREATIONAL DIVISION

Fall 2010 Morris United Soccer Club, recreation division registration is from April 1st to June 30th. You **must** register on the Morris United Soccer Club web site at www.morrisunited.com. 2010 fees are \$65 per participant (Check must be received within 10 days of registering). **Registrations received after June 30th will be Wait-Listed.** Internet access is available at the Morristown-Morris Township Joint Free Library. If you have any questions, please email Ed Thornton at ejthornton1@gmail.com.

GIRL'S LACROSSE

Morris Women's Lacrosse Club holds an in-town recreation program for Morris Township & Morristown girls in grades 2, 3 & 4 and travel teams for girls in grades 5 & 6; & 7 & 8. The season starts mid-March (No experience necessary). No cuts- everyone makes a team. Call 973-898-1333 or e-mail morrisgirlslax@gmail.com for registration or more information. **Fee required.**

MORRIS UNITED SOCCER CLUB TRAVEL DIVISION

Tryouts for U9 - U12

Tryouts for travel teams for the spring & fall & 2010/2011 soccer seasons will take place at the Frelinghuysen Middle School on Saturday, May 8th. Rain date: May 15th. One parent or guardian must attend the tryout.

Travel team soccer games are usually played on Sunday afternoons. The 10 game fall season begins after Labor Day & ends in early November. The 10 game spring season begins in April & ends mid-June. Practice is twice a week.

This is not a recreational program. At this level of play the emphasis is instructional, but at a higher competitive level. The number of interested players will determine the number of teams in each age bracket. For additional information, please contact:

jgilfillan@cmk.com.

Soccer Tryout Schedule for Saturday, May 8th:

U9 (born after 8/1/00 but before 8/1/01) boys & girls- 9 AM to 11 AM

U10 (born after 8/1/99 but before 8/1/00) boys & girls- 10 AM to 12 Noon

U11 (born after 8/1/98 but before 8/1/99) boys & girls- 11 AM to 1 PM

U12 (born after 8/1/97 but before 8/1/98) boys & girls- 12 Noon to 2 PM

JUNIOR COLONIALS FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING

The Junior Colonial Athletic Club, Inc. has Football & Cheerleading programs for children ages 6 to 14. (no experience necessary). Practice begins in early August; games are played weekly starting early September, and continue thru mid-November. The Club offers Flag football for 6 & 7 year olds while the tackle program starts at 8 and continues until 14 years old. Cheerleading starts at 6 and continues until 14 years old. The football and cheerleading programs slowly prepare kids for high school level competition focusing on fundamentals. All programs are travel teams and play against other towns in Morris County. Registration is available online or in-person every Saturday 10 AM - 12 Noon during May and June at Cornine Field (by the Streeter Pool Complex). **For more information or to register online visit us at: www.jrcolonials.org.**

JR. COLONIALS YOUTH HOCKEY CLUB

The Jr. Colonials Hockey Club is open to all youths in the Township of Morris, Morristown, & Morris Plains ages 5 -17 years. Five levels compete against 14 other towns in the Morris County Youth Hockey League at Mennen Arena, as well as the Twin Oaks Ice Rink League. The season runs from September through March with approximately 1 practice & 2 games per week; games are generally on weekends. Registration for the fall 2010-winter 2011 season begins in June & closes by September. Limited space per team. For more info see www.jrcolonials.com, or contact Gretchen Braunschweiger at gbbraun15@aol.com or 973-644-4933.

MORRISTOWN WILDCATS FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING

Registration is open to all Township of Morris, Morristown, and Morris Plains children. The season is from August 15th to November 30th. Registration will be available after April 1st at www.morristownwildcats.org or in-person at the Township municipal building on Saturday March 28th and Saturday April 18th from 10 AM to 12 Noon. Children must be 6 years old by 9/1/10 as follows:

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|---|--------------|
| Flag Football: 6 years old to 3 rd grade | fee \$100.00 |
| Tackle Football: 4 th - 8 th grades | fee \$180.00 |
| Cheerleading: 6 years old- 8 th grade | fee \$100.00 |

MORRISTOWN COLONIALS AMERICAN FLAG RUGBY

American Flag Rugby is a COED-NON-CONTACT youth program for children entering grades K-9. This 5th year program joins 9 other local town programs that are managed by non-profit, Morris Rugby. The emphasis is on fun & sportsmanship. Boys and girls play in 4 age groups that teach the conventions of the game at age appropriate levels. The 6-week program will run from June 14th - July 24th with practices at 6 PM -7:30 PM at the Woodland School Fields. Matches are held on Saturday mornings. All players get to play in matches whether or not they have been able to attend practices. For more information: www.MorrisRugby.org/Youth or for an application, contact Mike Stumpf at mjstumpf@optonline.net.

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★ **US FLAG ETIQUETTE - RETIRE YOUR US FLAG APPROPRIATELY** ★

★  Do you know that the proper method of retiring your U.S. Flag is to have it burned? ★
Of course, that requirement poses a problem for most families. ★

★ In a cooperative effort of the Township of Morris Parks and Recreation Department and the ★
Department of Building and Grounds, we are offering a new Township service to assist you in ★
retiring your US or State Flags. Just drop off your old flag at the Parks & Recreation Dept. in the ★
Municipal Building at 50 Woodland Avenue and we will arrange for periodic disposal of collected ★
flags by proper methods. ★





TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Activity Registration Form

www.morristwp.com

50 Woodland Ave. P.O. Box 7603

Convent Station, NJ 07961-7603

Phone: 973-326-7371 Mon. – Fri. 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Participant Last Name: _____ First Name _____ Birth Date: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ Home Phone No.: _____

Current Grade: _____ Cell Phone _____ E-mail _____

Emergency Contact Person: _____ Telephone No: _____

Family Physician: _____ Phone #: _____

Please indicate special needs:

Known Allergies or Medical Conditions: _____

Use Epi-Pen ? Yes No Use Inhaler ? Yes No

Allergic to bee stings ? Yes No Meds for hyperactivity? Yes No

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I, for myself or as the parent of (name of registrant) _____, a minor, agree that, in consideration of being allowed to participate, I/we will abide by the rules of the Township of Morris Parks and Recreation Program and its affiliated organizations and contractors. Recognizing the possibility of physical injury associated with all sports and recreation programs and activities, I hereby release, discharge, hold harmless and/or otherwise indemnify the Township of Morris, its officials, employees, agents, and associated volunteer personnel, against any claim by or on behalf of myself or the registrant as a result of the registrant's participation in the Program. I represent that the registrant has no physical or mental limitation that would preclude him/her from participating in this activity. I knowingly and freely assume all such risks and assume all such responsibility to the fullest extent permitted by law. I fully understand the terms and conditions of this release of liability and assumption of risk agreement and sign it freely and voluntarily without and inducement.

CONSENT FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT (MINOR)

As the parent or legal guardian of (name of registrant) _____, a minor, I hereby give consent for emergency medical care, if required, as a result of injury or illness that may occur during this activity. This care may be given under whatever conditions are necessary to preserve the life, limb, or well being of my dependent. I also confirm that my child is physically and mentally capable and qualified to participate in this activity. It is my affirmative obligation to bring any limitations my child may have to the attention of the Township of Morris Parks and Recreation Program.

Name of Parent/Guardian (please print) _____

Signature _____ Date _____

| | ACTIVITY NAME & # | DAY | TIME | Fall/Winter | FEE |
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| 5. | | | | | |
| 6. | | | | | |
| | | | | TOTAL DUE | \$ |

Make all checks payable to: Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department

***Please Note: No refunds will be given once classes are in session.**

Please fill out a form per child/person.

Confirmations are not sent. Assume confirmation unless you hear from us. Your returned check will be your receipt.

PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT
TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS
50 WOODLAND AVENUE
P.O. BOX 7603
CONVENT STATION NJ 07961-7603

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TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE**

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Dan Caffrey, Parks & Recreation Committee

Bruce Sisler, Parks & Recreation Committee

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Ray Snyder

Fred J. Rossi, Township Administrator

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

William Foelsch.....Parks and Recreation Director

Jo Ormsbee.....Program Coordinator

John Sanders.....Parks & Recreation Maintenance Foreman

Andrea Alrefaai.....Swim Pool Senior Clerk

Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee Public Meetings 3rd Thursday of each month at Town Hall at 7 PM

Please check the Township of Morris website for meeting & activity updates: www.morristwp.com.

PLEASE LOOK FOR THE FALL/WINTER 2010-2011 BROCHURE IN SEPTEMBER!