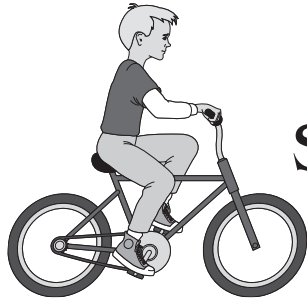


TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS



SPRING/SUMMER



2009

PARKS & RECREATION BROCHURE

TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS PARKS & RECREATION

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.

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 Morris Township Municipal Building.

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

PROGRAM REGISTRATION AND GENERAL INFORMATION

1. ONLY MORRIS TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS MAY REGISTER FOR PROGRAMS.
2. All participants must register through the Parks & Recreation Office. NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE TAKEN AT THE PROGRAM SITES.
3. Registration is limited in some programs and is taken on a first come-first served 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.

**The Parks & Recreation Department
reserves the right to make changes.**

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 and 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 and Recreation for details. Permit applications are available for download on the Township of Morris Website- www.morristwp.com or from the Department of Parks and Recreation.

REGISTRATION FOR ACTIVITIES

Please read the following instructions.

To register for recreation activities that require registration fees:

1. 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, 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 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.

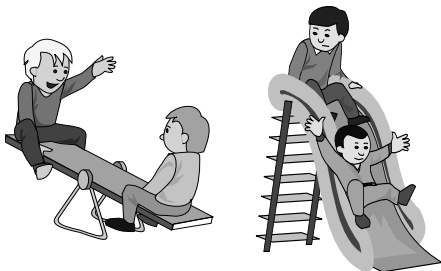
SPORT LEAGUE PHONE NUMBERS

<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 fred.lipkin@verizon.net www.jr.colonials.org
Jr. Colonial Football and Cheerleading for 6-14 year olds	Fred Lipkin Dave Flynn	973-540-1699	www.morristownlacrosse.org
Jr. Colonial Lacrosse Treasurer	Jim Remler Stephen DeLargy	973-656-1948 201-400-4684	www.motowngrapplers.com
Colonials Wrestling- Mo'town Grapplers Club	Matt Manahan	973-829-0275	www.MAALL.net
Little League Baseball			
American (for youths residing west of Rt. 202/Mt. Kemble Ave.)	Robin Casabona	973-292-9757	www.MNLL.org
Registrar	Tom Plunkett	973-644-3594	
Hot Line		973-540-1899	
National (for youths residing east of Rt. 202/Mt Kemble Ave.)	Chris Hillebrecht	973-605-5275	hilleb@optonline.net www.MNLL.org www.MNLL.org
Fall Ball National LL	Tyler Perry	973-993-0406	jppmaynard@aol.com no web site
Girls Little League	Jim Maynard	_____	
Softball	Sam Pagano	973-984-2336	MorrisGirlsLax@gmail.com
Morris Area Naturals (Select by tryouts Ages 13+)	Peter Lee	973-898-1333	mjstumpf@optonline.net www.MorrisRugby.com www.morristownwildcats.com
Morris Area Girl's Lacrosse (Girls 2 nd – 8 th grade)	Mike Stumpf	973-539-6282	
Morristown Colonials American Flag Rugby	Brian Klinger	732-684-5277	
Morristown Wildcats Football & Cheerleading (6-14 year olds)	Ed Thornton	973-454-8171	www.musc-nj.org jgilfillan@cmk.com
Morris United Soccer	John Gilfillan	973-229-5422	
Recreational		973-898-1977	
Traveling			
Hot line			

Playgrounds in the Township of Morris

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

<u>Playgrounds</u>	<u>Location</u>
Butterworth	Lynnfield Drive
Children's	Kahdena Road
Collinsville	Monroe Street off Martin Luther King Avenue
Delpho Field	Harter Road
Ginty Field	Behind the Woodland Fire House on Dwyer Lane
Green Field	Weathervane Drive off Park Avenue
Hayward Park	Behind Hillside Hose Fire House on Western Avenue
Ketch Road	On Ketch Road
Saunders	At the end of Rolling Hill Drive cul-de-sac



Tennis Courts

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

Bocce Courts

Hayward Park	Behind Hillside Hose Fire House on Western Avenue
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Horseshoe Pit

Ginty Complex	Dwyer Lane, behind Ginty Fire House
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Basketball Courts

Collinsville	Monroe Street off Martin Luther King Avenue
Delpho	On Harter Road
Children's	On Kahdena Road
Green	Off Park Avenue on Weathervane Drive
Hayward	Behind Hillside Hose Fire House on Western Avenue
Saunders	Cul-de-Sac at end of Rolling Hill Drive

SPRING/SUMMER 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 & 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 6th 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.



SPRING/SUMMER 2009 PROGRAMS

T-BALL

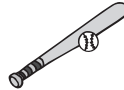
A T-Ball league for boys and girls 5-7 years of age WILL BEGIN THE WEEK OF APRIL 20th, DEPENDING ON THE WEATHER. Basic skills will be taught, as well as rules of the game. Practices will be one day each week on either Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, or Fridays according to schedules. Games will be held 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**.

ARBOR DAY CELEBRATION

The public is invited to join the Parks & Recreation Department on Arbor Day, Friday, April 24th, 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.

02 WOMEN'S SOFTBALL TEAM

Women's Softball will be starting its tenth season. This program will continue in 2009 with the team playing in the Mendham League. The program will be held on Tuesdays starting May 5th and run through July, from 6 PM to dusk. Women must be over 18 years of age to join. Sign up early with the Morris Township Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 so plans can be finalized.



3A SPORTS FOR SQUIRTS - SPRING

A new Monday program for 3-5 year olds! Starting Monday, April 20th through Monday June 8th, this sports program is designed to introduce young children to a variety of sports in a safe and structured environment. Emphasis is placed on learning and fun. Choose either 3 PM or 4 PM. Class size is limited to 12 and will meet at the Frelinghuysen/Twin Oaks Field. The fee is \$115 per student. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

05 INTRODUCTION TO YOGA FOR ADULTS

Collinsville Fire House

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. She will conduct 10-week classes on Monday evenings at 7 PM, Tuesday mornings at 9 AM, or Tuesday evenings at 7 PM starting April 13th and April 14th. Registration is \$20 per person for each 10-week class. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

06 ADULT GOLF LESSONS

Location: Cornine Field

This program, for residents 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 is a six-week course starting April 21st and April 22nd. The

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 25, 2009 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 filled 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. **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.**

01 SPRING SHOPPING TRIP

Since the fall shopping trip has been such a success, shoppers have asked for a spring trip to Reading, PA. If 30 or more people wish to take advantage of this offer, a bus will leave the municipal building at 8 AM on Saturday, April 18th. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office. Fee is \$15.00 per person.

3B SPORTS FOR SQUIRTS - SUMMER

A summer program (see spring Sports for Squirts) for ages 3-5 will be at Ginty Field Complex. Three classes will be offered: July 13th - 17th at 9 AM to 10:30 AM or 10:45 AM - 12:15 PM and August 17th - 21st at 4 PM to 5:30 PM. Fee is \$115/child per session. To register, please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.



04 MEN'S VOLLEYBALL - SPRING

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.

sessions for beginner adults will be held on Tuesday evenings from 7 PM to 8 PM. The sessions for intermediate adults are scheduled for 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 we have less than three on any given night, the class will be canceled. Registration fee is \$30.00 per person. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

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 18. Registration fee for this program is \$60.00 per student and includes cost of the instructor, materials, & firings. Classes for 5-10 year olds will meet for 6 weeks starting as follows: Monday, May 4th from 5 PM to 6 PM; Saturday, May 9th from 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM. Students will create a project each week. If there are not enough participants the classes will be canceled.

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 18. Registration fee for this program is \$60.00 per student and includes cost of the instructors, materials, & firings. Classes will meet for 6 weeks starting Saturday, May 9th from 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM. If there are not enough participants the class will be canceled.



11 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.

Representatives from Marty's Reliable Cycle will check bicycles for maintenance & safety & discuss proper riding techniques, & then will lead us as we hit the trail for mostly off-roadway rides through the countryside on paved and gravel surfaced segments of the trailways. Participants must bring their own bicycle, bicycle helmet, & water. These Family rides are free. Pre-registration is required.

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Meeting Place</u>
Thurs., April 23 rd	4:15 PM – 5:30 PM	Patriots Path Ride	Streeter Pool Parking Lot
Rain date is Friday, April 24 th			
Sat., May 2 nd	9:AM – 10:30 AM	Loantaka Brook	Ginty Pool
Rain date is Sunday, May 10 th			

NEW

Computer Explorers brings computer technology to 5-13 year olds. Programs offer students the chance to learn together in small groups. Specialized curriculum actively involves lessons in math, science, critical thinking, problem solving, & physics all while using state-of-the-art computer



12 COMPUTER EXPLORERS

control technology to construct interactive models, computers, or a remote control robot. The 1¼ hours classes will meet at 35 Woodland Avenue at the Parks & Recreation Annex on Saturdays starting April 18th for 6 weeks. Grades 1& 2 will meet 9:30 AM to 10:45 AM, and grades 3-5 will meet at 11 AM to 12:15 PM. Cost is \$115 per student. Please fill out the form at the back of this brochure to register. Class size is limited to 12.

09 “LET’S BLOOM TOGETHER”

A PROGRAM FOR 3 - 5 YEAR OLDS

“Let’s Bloom Together” is an enrichment program that provides fun & engrossing gardening classes that help develop an appreciation of plants & flowers to children at their level. Each child will participate in a class project as well as making take home projects. Classes will run for 8 Tuesdays beginning April 21st at 8:30AM for 45 minutes. Fee is \$130 per participant. Classes will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure.

10 ADULT WATER COLOR

Due to the great interest in the fall program, this popular class is offered for spring. The class is scheduled for Fridays, starting April 10th through May 15th at 10 AM to Noon. An evening class is scheduled for Wednesdays; starting April 8th through May 13th at 7 PM to 9 PM. Classes meet at the Parks & Recreation Annex at 35 Woodland Avenue. Enrollment is limited to 16 students. Registration fee is \$25.00 per person. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

NEW

13 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.

The Township of Morris Kid’s Triathlon is scheduled for Saturday, July 18, 2009 at 8:30 AM, beginning at Ginty Community Swim Pool. Two other Triathlon events for children in this series will be held in Bernardsville on Saturday, August 1, 2009 & in Chester Township on Saturday, September 5, 2009. 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.

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	1/2 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
13-15**	100 Yards	2 Mile	2 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 ribbons.

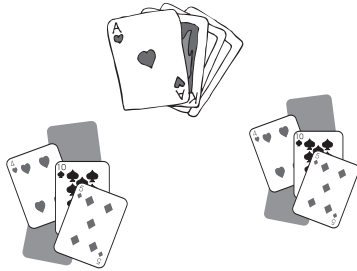
Sponsorships for the events are welcome. We are also seeking volunteers to help on meet day.

14 SENIOR CITIZEN ACTIVITIES

14A SENIOR CARD PARTY

Location: Morris Mews

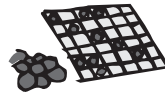
Come out and enjoy an afternoon of stimulating fun playing cards on the first and third Wednesday afternoons of each month from 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM. (Please note that games are not scheduled in July and August). Learn or improve your game of bridge or Skip Bo and enjoy a cup of coffee. We have a friendly 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. Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up.



14B 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. Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up.



14C 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. You must call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up.

14D SENIOR WALKING TRIPS

A series of walks will run 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. If you are interested in walking, register with the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371. Seniors see your newsletter for further details.

14E 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'. For more information and to sign up, call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371. Group meets Wednesday mornings at 10 AM to 12 Noon, from May to October.

14F SENIOR PICNIC

Come join in the fun. Our 22nd annual senior picnic is scheduled for Wednesday, September 16th from 12 Noon to 4 PM at the Ginty Pool. A great relaxing day to end the summer! Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to register.

SWIMMING POOLS

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, 2009-pool membership includes use of the Tennis Court facilities. Swim team and group swim lessons are available for \$30.00 per child for each program.

Both pools will open as follows:

Weekends June 6th & 7th, June 13th & 14th, & June 20th & 21st (Saturdays from 11 AM to 6 PM & Sundays from 12 Noon to 6 PM).

Week of June 15th through June 19th the pools will open at 3 PM to 8 PM.

June 24th through August 16th: weekdays & Saturdays 11 AM to 8 PM & Sundays from 12 Noon to 8 PM.

August 17th through September 2nd: weekdays & Saturdays from 11 AM to 7:30 PM; Sundays from 12 Noon to 7:30 PM.

September 3rd - 4th - 1/2 day openings from 3 PM to 7:30 PM

September 5th - 7th - Labor Day Weekend from 11 AM to 7:30 PM

During swim lessons from 10 AM to 11 AM, June 29th through August 7th- the wading pools & laps lanes only will be open for swim pool members.

Join us for our “Annual Opening Night Pool Party” on Friday, June 19th 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. Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up or sign up at either pool during swim lesson & swim team registration days or on the weekends when the pools are open.

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 2009 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 2009. On Saturday, September 12th, 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 aerobics. Rain date is Sunday, September 13th. Sign up at your pool.



YOUTH SWIMMING LESSONS

On-site registration at each pool will be held on **Saturday, May 30, 2009 from 12 Noon to 3:00 PM.** Fees are \$30.00 per session, per child, payable to Township of Morris Swim Pool. You may register for one of the above sessions on the May 30th, however 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 session as a make-up day if needed). Our 2009 class schedule is as follows:

Session I	June 29 to July 10, 2009
Session II	July 13 to July 24, 2009
Session III	July 27 to August 7, 2009

Class times are: 10:00 AM to 10:35 AM
10:40 AM to 11:15 AM
11:20 AM to 11:55 AM



MORRIS TOWNSHIP MANATEES
SWIM TEAM

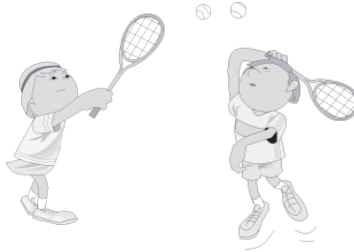
The Morris Township Manatees Swim Team is a recreational summer swim team open to all Morris Township resident children ages 7 to 18. (Swimmers are required to pass a basic swim skills test before acceptance on the team). It is a competitive, fun, and exciting swim program that prides itself on team spirit and unity. The 2008 team included more than 120 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 \$30.00 per child. Registration will take place at both the Streeter and Ginty Pools on Saturday, May 30th from Noon until 3 PM. After May 30th registration will be accepted by the Pool Managers during open hours. A Parents Meeting will be held with the swim team coaches on Saturday June 6th, 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 reservation of a court, the following procedures must be followed:

- (1) The user must have a current Tennis ID or Swim Pool ID.**
- (2) Required 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:
 - (a) To play on Saturday, reservations must be made on the preceding Thursday.
 - (b) 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.

15 ADULT TENNIS INSTRUCTION

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

Beginners on Tuesday evenings starting July 7th at 7 PM to 8 PM;
Intermediates on Tuesday evenings starting July 7th at 8 PM to 9 PM; and
Advanced players on Wednesday evenings starting July 8th at 7 PM to 8 PM

Registration is limited to 12 participants per class. Registration fee is \$30.00 per person. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

16 CHILDREN'S TENNIS LESSONS

16A Spring Sessions

New for spring! Tennis fun for 3 - 13 year olds. Classes will meet for 6 Mondays, Tuesdays, or Saturdays as follows:

Ages 3-6 Saturdays May 2nd to June 13th
 from 10 AM – 11 AM
 Mondays, May 4th to June 15th
 from 4 PM - 5 PM
Ages 7-9 Saturdays May 2nd to June 13th
 from 11 AM – 12:30 PM
 Tuesdays, May 5th to June 16th
 from 4 PM -5:30 PM

17 WOMEN'S DOUBLES TENNIS LEAGUE

The Parks & Recreation Department will enter traveling teams in the Northwestern Women's "A" and "B" Leagues, playing teams from various municipalities in nearby Morris County. Matches are played Tuesday mornings from late June into early August. A team meeting and tryout will be held Saturday, May 2nd at the Streeter Courts at 10 AM. Rain date is May 9th. Players must be 18 or older. You do not need a partner to register. Please register with the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 by April 20th.

18 YANKEE GAME TICKETS

The Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee is sponsoring a trip to Yankee Stadium. A Sunday in early summer is planned. Buses will leave from the Township of Morris Municipal Building at 10 AM. Price for ticket and transportation is approximately \$60.00 per person, payable to the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Advisory. If interested please call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to reserve seats. We need to know how many tickets to order. Once the details are completed we will call the people on the list.

21 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, 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 6th 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 29th 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.



Ages 10-13 Saturdays May 2nd to June 13th
from 12:30 PM to 2 PM
Mondays, May 4th to June 15th
from 5 PM- 6:30 PM

Saturday classes will be held at Streeter
Tennis Courts, while Monday & Tuesday
classes will be conducted at the Ginty
Tennis Courts. Cost is \$115.00 per child.

16B Summer Sessions

Tennis instruction will be conducted for
children 3 to 14 years of age. Four 5-day
sessions (Mondays through Fridays) will
meet starting either Monday, July 6th or 13th
at Ginty Courts; July 20th or 27th at Streeter
Courts. Fridays of each week will be
reserved for rain dates. Classes are as
follows

Lessons for 3-4 year olds will meet for 1
hour each day at 9 AM to 10 AM for
\$85.00 per child.

Lessons for 5-7 year olds will meet for 2
hours each day at 10 AM to 12 Noon
for \$95.00 per child.

Lessons for 8-12 year olds will meet for 2
hours each day at 4 PM to 6 PM for
\$95.00 per child.

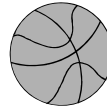
Please fill in the registration form in this
book and mail to the Parks & Recreation
Office.

SUMMER PROGRAMS

19 SUMMER GIRL'S BASKETBALL CLINIC

Location: To Be Announced

Girl's basketball will start on Monday, July
6th 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 13th from
8:30 AM to 11:30 AM. This program has a
fantastic coach! Non-refundable
registration fee is \$20.00. Please fill in the
registration form in this book and mail to
the Parks & Recreation Office.



20 BOY'S BASKETBALL PROGRAM

Location: Sussex Avenue School Gym
Basketball camp will start Monday, June
29th 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
camp will include high quality instruction
and game fundamentals. Please register
early. The non-refundable registration fee is
\$20.00. Please fill in the registration form
in this book and mail to the Parks &
Recreation Office.

22 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, exer-
cising, and crafting in a creatively safe &
dramatic environment. Children have to be
3 years of age by May 1, 2009 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 29th - July 24th. 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. Please fill in the registration form in
this book and mail to the Parks &
Recreation Office.

23 CHILDREN'S GOLF

A week long golf program is planned for
township children for summer 2009. The
5-day 1½ hour program will take place the
week of July 13th 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 \$120 per student. 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 29th and end Friday, July 10th 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.

NEW

25 SUMMER COMPUTER EXPLORER 25A CSI PROGRAM

Students will be introduced to the exciting field of crime scene investigation with a focus on field work & lab work. We will be using tools used in the criminal science field as well as use math & science skills to interpret specimens in various situations. Each lesson will focus on a new forensic skill which will lead to solving a final investigation. We'll use finger printing, tire tread patterns and much more! No blood, no

NEW 25C VIDEO GAME ANIMATION PROGRAM

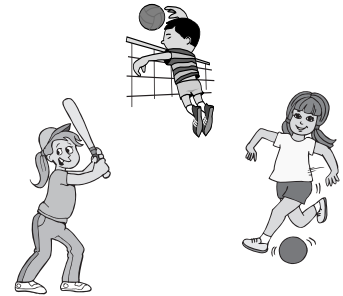
Dive into the world of digital graphic design & animation using "Scratch", a program created just for students by the MIT Media Lab. Students design interactive cartoons, stories, public service announcements, games, or movies using this simple graphical programming language. Guaranteed to make your creations come alive! Cost is \$259 per student. Children entering grades 2-3 will meet July 20th - 24th from 9AM -12 Noon Children entering grades 4-6 will meet August 3rd - 7th from 9 AM - 12 Noon.

NEW 26 CHEERLEADING CLINIC

Cheerleading Clinics will take place for 5 to 12 year olds at the Ginty Field complex. Have fun learning the fundamentals by experienced highly trained staff from Spirit Unlimited Cheer & Dance who will teach creative cheers, dances, partner stunts, sidelines, proper safety & technique. Some craft projects will be included. Clinics are planned for the weeks of June 29th & August 17th for 5 days each from 9 AM to 1 PM for a fee of \$130 per child per week. Bring a bag lunch! Please register by using the form in this book. Make checks payable to Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department.

27 MULTI SPORTS WEEKS

Week long multi-sports programs for 5-7 year olds and 8-14 year olds will run for 4 hours per day (9AM to 1 PM) for \$165.00 per child, or 6 hours per day (9 AM to 3 PM) for \$185.00 per child. The programs will run the week of June 29th to July 3rd at Cornine Field and August 17th to August 21st 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.



gore...but excitement galore! Cost is \$159 per student. Children entering grades 1-3 will meet from July 6th - 8th from 9 AM - 12 Noon. Children entering grades 4 - 6 will meet July 27th - 29th from 9 AM – 12 Noon.

25B ENGINEERING PROGRAM

Join us as we explore, investigate, & solve problems while learning about the building blocks of engineering! Our hands-on exploration of simple machines using specially designed DUPLO, & LEGO, building blocks, and other construction activities introduces the basic concepts of physical science & engineering. Children will explore levers, gears, pulleys, wheels, axles, drive trains, & motorized projects. Children entering grades 1-2 will meet from June 29th - July 3rd from 9 AM - 12 Noon. Children entering grades 3-5 will meet July 13th -17th from 9 AM -12 Noon. Cost is \$215 per student.



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 13th to 17th at 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM for \$175.00 per child
 Session I for 7- 11 year olds: July 13th to 17th at 9:30 AM – 11 AM for \$205.00 per child
 Session II for 4 - 6 year olds: August 10th to 14th at 3 PM - 4 PM for \$175.00 per child
 Session II for 7-11 year olds: August 10th to 14th at 4:30 PM to 6 PM 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.

CONCERTS AT THE GAZEBO AT GINTY FIELD

Our 4th season of free evening concerts will kick off on July 1st. 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 14 th	7 PM	Hanover Wind Symphony – Morris County’s Own Community Based Wind Band Brings “Music to People and People to Music”
Tuesday, July 28 th	7 PM	The Kootz Band – Rock, Oldies, NJ’s Most Versatile Band
Tuesday, August 4 th	7 PM	The Blaire Reinhard Band – Morristown’s Own Blues & Contemporary Rock Artists Featured Performers at First Night Morris
Sunday, August 9 th	5 PM	The Morris Music Men – Traditional Contemporary Harmonies
Raindate, Sunday, August 16 th	5:00 pm	
Tuesday, August 18 th	7 PM	Tequilla Rose – New & Classic Country Rock

PLAYGROUND REGISTRATION FOR CHILDREN

In order for children to attend the 2009 summer playground program, they must have completed kindergarten. Parents must register all children. A non-refundable registration fee of \$25.00 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:

Tuesday Evening, June 2 nd	Time: 5 PM - 7 PM	Saturdays, June 6 th & 13 th	Time: 9 AM-Noon
Wednesday Evening, June 10 th	Time: 5 PM - 7 PM	Monday, June 22 nd - Friday, June 26 th	Time: 9 AM-Noon

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.

PLEASE NOTE: If there are not enough sign-ups for any one playground, that playground will not be staffed for 2009.

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 29th and continue through Friday, August 7th. Please note that all playgrounds will be closed July 4th. 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.

SUMMER STAFFED PLAYGROUNDS

Butterworth Field	AM
Children's Park	AM
Collinsville	PM & Evening
Delpho Field	AM
Ginty Complex	AM
Green Field	AM

SCHOOLS

Alfred Vail	AM, PM
Hillcrest	AM
Normandy Park School	AM

Playground hours are as follows:

AM - Mornings from	9 AM - 12 Noon
PM - Afternoons from	1 PM - 4 PM
Evening-	6:30 PM - 9 PM

NORMANDY PARK SPORTS & GAMES PROGRAM

Normandy Park School is the Sports & Games playground again, this summer! Spend your summer playground experience playing with others. 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 29th from 9 AM to 12 Noon. See Playground Registration dates & times for sign ups.



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 Wednesday, July 22nd from 9:30 AM to 12 Noon.

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 8:30 PM. The family oriented features will begin at dusk, approximately at 8:30 PM. Tentative planned movie nights are as follows:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Feature (Subject to Availability)</u>	<u>Rated</u>
July 1 st	Ginty Field	Madagascar: Escape 2 Africa	PG
	Rain Date July 15 th		
July 8 th	Cornine Field	Journey to the Center of the Earth	PG for Intense Adventure Action
	Rain Date July 15 th		
July 22 nd	Ginty Field	Kung Fu Panda	PG-13
	Rain Date July 29 th		

Check the Township of Morris website (www.morristwp.com) for updated show updated information.



FIRE DEPARTMENT SAFETY

Members of the Morris Township Fire Department will visit the playgrounds the week of June 29th. 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 6th 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.

VOLUNTEER IN TRAINING PROGRAM

In 2008 we were fortunate to have had 2 volunteers participate in our VIT program. All enjoyed the experience. 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.

SUMMER PLAYGROUND TRIPS

Ages 7-12

<u>Trip</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Approximate Cost</u>
-Color Me Mine, Summit NJ	Friday, July 10 th	\$15.00
-Carnival Camp Day, Mt. Olive, NJ	Thursday, July 16 th	\$23.00
-Dorney Park, Allentown, Pa*	Tuesday, July 21 st	\$32.00

-Sign up for these trips at the Parks & Recreation Office during regular business hours: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday. Payment is to be made at the time of sign up.

*Moms & Dads are welcome to attend.

SUMMER TRAVEL GROUP

Following fun trips are planned for ages 8-12. Are you tired of asking your parents to take you places with your friends? If the answer is yes, then the Summer Travel is for you.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Trip</u>	<u>Approximate Cost</u>
Tuesday, July 7 th	Mt. Creek, Vernon, NJ	\$35.00
Thursday, July 16 th	Carnival Camp Day, Mt. Olive, NJ	\$23.00
Tuesday, July 21 st	Dorney Park, Allentown, PA	\$35.00
Tuesday, July 28 th	Camelbeach Water Park, PA	\$25.00
Tuesday, August 4 th	Great Adventure, Jackson, NJ	\$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.**

TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS PARKS & RECREATION SITES

FACILITIES	PARKS																						
	Bleicki Park	Butterworth Park	Children's Park	Collinsville Playground	Delpho Field	Frelinghuysen Park	Ginty Recreation Complex	Green Field	Hayward Park	Ketch Road Field	Kiwanis Field	Jean Street Field	Lake Road Field	LaRue Field	Mennen Field	Saunders Park	Streeter Recreation Complex	Tucker Field	Veteran's Park	Alfred Vail School	Hillcrest School	Normandy Park School	Woodland School
Baseball/Softball (60')		2			1	1	3	1			1		1	1	1	1		1	1	2	1	1	2
Baseball (90')						1																	
Bocci									1														
Lacrosse/Soccer	1	1						1		1		1	1		1								
Football						1											1						1
Basketball			1	2	1			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						

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

Fall 2009 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.musc-nj.org. 2009 fees are \$50 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 call the Hot Line at 973-898-1977.

MORRISTOWN COLONIALS AMERICAN FLAG RUGBY

American Flag Rugby is a COED-NON-CONTACT youth program for children entering grades K-9. This new program joins 7 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

MORRIS UNITED SOCCER CLUB (Boys & Girls Travel Teams)

Tryouts for U9 - U12

Tryouts for travel teams for the spring & fall & 2009/2010 soccer seasons will take place at the Frelinghuysen Middle School on Saturday, May 9th. Rain date: May 16th. 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: MUSCTRYOUTGUY@aol.com.

Soccer Tryout Schedule for Sat., May 9th:
 U9 (born after 8/1/99 but before 8/1/00)
 boys & girls- 9 AM to 11 AM
 U10 (born after 8/1/98 but before 8/1/99)
 boys & girls- 10 AM to 12 Noon
 U11 (born after 8/1/97 but before 8/1/98)
 boys & girls- 11 AM to 1 PM
 U12 (born after 8/1/96 but before 8/1/97)
 boys & girls- 12 Noon to 2 PM

JUNIOR COLONIALS FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING

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

GIRL'S LACROSSE

Morris Women's Lacrosse Club holds an in-town recreation program for Morris Township & Morristown girls in grades 2-4 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 morrisgirls1ax@gmail.com for registration or more information. **Fee required.**

conventions of the game at age appropriate levels. The 6-week program will run from June 16th- July 25th with practices at 6 PM - 7:30 PM on Mondays & Wednesdays at the Thomas Jefferson School. 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.

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 2008-winter 2009 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 (Youth 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.com 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 9/1/09 as follows:

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

BLOOD DRIVE

Each year fewer people give the gift of life. Won't you help? The Morris Area Community Blood Program will be sponsoring a blood drive at the Mt. Kemble Firehouse located on Spring Brook Road at Mt. Kemble Ave. Please consider helping your neighbors by donating blood. "It's the Gift of Life"! For further information or to sign up, contact Larry Ripley, Chairman of the Blood Program, at 973-539-4598.



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- 973-326-7375 Woodland- 973-326-7369

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TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Activity Registration Form - Adult

www.morriswp.com
50 Woodland Ave., P.O. Box 7603
Convent Station, NJ 07961-7603
Phone: 973-326-7371 Mon. - Fri. 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Birth Date: _____
Street Address: _____ City: _____ Home Phone: _____
Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____
Emergency Contact Person: _____ Telephone No.: _____
Family Physician: _____ Phone No.: _____
Known Allergies or Medical Conditions: _____

Please indicate special needs: Epi-Pen Yes No Meds for hyperactivity Yes No
Inhaler Yes No Allergic to bee stings Yes No

ACTIVITY NAME & #	DAY	TIME	SEASON (SP, SM, FL, WN)	FEE
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
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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 person.

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

Bring/Mail Registration to address at the top of this form.

This form may be duplicated.

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I, (name of registrant) _____, agree that, in consideration of being allowed to participate, I 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 as a result of my participation in the Program. I represent that I have no physical or mental limitation that would preclude me 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 inducement.

Signature _____ Date _____

CONSENT FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT (MINOR)

I, (name of registrant) _____, 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. I also confirm that I am physically and mentally capable and qualified to participate in this activity. It is my affirmative obligation to bring any limitations I may have to the attention of the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Program.

Signature _____ Date _____

TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Activity Registration Form - Child

www.morrisetwp.com
 50 Woodland Ave., P.O. Box 7603
 Convent Station, NJ 07961-7603
 Phone: 973-326-7371 Mon. - Fri. 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Birth Date: _____
 Street Address: _____ City: _____ Home Phone: _____
 Current Grade: _____ Call Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____
 Emergency Contact Person: _____ Telephone No.: _____
 Family Physician: _____ Phone No.: _____
 Known Allergies or Medical Conditions: _____

Please indicate special needs:

	Epi-Pen	Yes	No	Meds for hyperactivity	Yes	No
Inhaler	Yes	No	Allergic to bee stings	Yes	No	

	ACTIVITY NAME & #	DAY	TIME	SEASON (SR, SW, FL, WN)	FEE
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
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.**

Confirmations are not sent. Assume confirmation unless you hear from us. Your returned check will be your receipt.
Bring/Mail Registration to address at the top of this form.
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WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I, the parent of (name of registrant) _____, a minor, agree that, in consideration of being allowed to participate, the registrant and I 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 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 inducement.

Name of Parent/Guardian (please print) _____
 Signature _____ Date _____

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 occurs 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 Recreation Program.

Name of Parent/Guardian (please print) _____
 Signature _____ Date _____



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

PLEASE LOOK FOR THE FALL/WINTER 2009-2010 BROCHURE IN EARLY SEPTEMBER!

“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.”

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