



# Fall/Winter Brochure 2009/2010

## FALL/WINTER SCHOOL CALENDAR

The Township of Morris Parks and Recreation Department takes pride in presenting the 2009 - 2010 Fall & Winter Recreation Schedule. A number of programs are offered for all ages to enrich your leisure hours.

### SCHOOL CLOSINGS – 2009-2010

Schools are closed on the following days. Please note: all Parks & Recreation Department Programs that are held at Morris District School buildings are canceled on these days:

<u>September:</u>	28	Schools Closed - Yom Kippur	No Building Use
<u>November:</u>	5-6	Schools Closed - NJEA Convention	No Building Use
	26-28	Schools Closed - Thanksgiving Recess	No Building Use
<u>December:</u>	24-31	Schools Closed - Winter Recess	No Building Use
<u>January:</u>	1	Schools Closed - Winter Recess	No Building Use
	18	Schools Closed - MLK Day	No Building Use
<u>February:</u>	15-16	Schools Closed - Mid-Winter Break	No Building Use
<u>March</u>	29-31	Schools Closed - Spring Break	No Building Use
<u>April:</u>	1-3	Schools Closed - Spring Recess	No Building Use
	20	School Elections	No Building Use
<u>May:</u>	31	Schools Closed - No Building Use Memorial Day Recess	No Building Use
<u>June:</u>	21	Last Day of School	No Building Use

## 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 And Recreation Advisory Committee

The Township of Morris Parks and 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 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 & park facilities. 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 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](http://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 recreation activities that require registration fees:

1. Fill out the registration form found in this brochure; one name per form.
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.
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.
9. **“Fees for programs will not be pro-rated for late registrations.”**

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 space:
  - 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 President	Stephen DeLargy	201-400-4684	www.morristownlacrosse.com
Colonials Wrestling- Mo'town Grapplers Club	Matt Manahan	973-829-0275	www.motowngrapplers.com
Little League Baseball			
American (for youths residing west of Rt. 202/Mt Kemble Ave.)	Robin Casabona	973-292-9757	www.MAALL.net
	Registrar Tom Plunkett	973-644-3594	
	Hot Line	973-540-1899	
National (for youths residing east of Rt. 202/Mt Kemble Ave.)			www.MNLL.org
	Chris Hillebrecht	973-605-5275	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	jppmaynard@aol.com
Morris Area Girl's Lacrosse (Girls 2 <sup>nd</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> grade)	Peter Lee	973-898-1333 973-978-1508 cell	MorrisGirlsLax@gmail.com
Morristown Colonials American Flag Rugby	Mike Stumpf	973-539-6282	mjstumpf@optonline.net www.MorrisRugby.com
Morristown Wildcats Football & Cheerleading (6-14 year olds)	Brian Klinger	732-684-5277	www.morristownwildcats.com
Morris United Soccer			
Recreational	Brian Carroll	973-769-1281	WWW.musc-nj.org
	Ed Thornton	973-454-8171	
Traveling	John Gilfillan	973-229-5422	jpgilfillan@cmk.com
Hot line		973-898-1977	

## 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](http://www.morristwp.com) or from the Department of Parks and Recreation.

### **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 Park	Lynnfield Drive
Children's Park	Kahdena Road
Collinsville Playground	Monroe Street off Martin Luther King Avenue
Donald Delpho Field	Harter Road
Ginty Field Recreation Complex	Behind the Woodland Fire House on Dwyer Lane
Green Field	Weathervane Drive off Park Avenue
George Hayward Park	Behind Hillside Hose Fire House on Western Avenue
Ketch Road Field	On Ketch Road
Elmer Saunders Park	At the end of Rolling Hill Drive Cul-de-Sac

### **Tennis Courts**

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

### **Bocce Courts**

George Hayward Park	2 behind Hillside Hose Fire House on Western Avenue
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### **Horseshoe Pit/Volleyball Court**

Ginty Complex	Dwyer Lane, behind Ginty Fire House
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### **Basketball Courts**

Collinsville - 2 Full Courts with Lights	Monroe Street off Martin Luther King Avenue
Delpho - Full court	On Harter Road
Children's - 1/2 court	On Kahdena Road
Green - Full Court	Off Park Avenue on Weathervane Drive
Hayward - Full Court	Behind Hillside Hose Fire House on Western Avenue
Saunders - Full Court	Cul-de-Sac at end of Rolling Hill Drive

## **RECREATION SENIOR ACTIVITIES**

### **MORRIS TOWNSHIP SENIOR CITIZENS' CLUB**

If you are 60 years of age or older you are eligible to join our Senior Citizens' Club that gives the senior residents of the Township of Morris an opportunity to establish great lasting comradeships. The club offers many fun and informational activities and meets each month at the Bickford Theatre at the Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Road (at the corner of Columbia and Normandy Heights Roads) at 1 PM. Dues are \$8.00 per year & upon joining you will receive the monthly Senior Newsletter. If interested, contact the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371.

### **SENIOR BOCCE**

Come join our seniors who have been playing *Bocce* all summer. Participants have great fun. Learn about this increasingly popular game, an outdoor bowling game played throughout Europe where a player rolls a 4 ½-inch ball down a clay "alley". This program is held on Wednesday mornings, from 10 AM to 12 NOON at the Hayward Playground, from **Wednesday, September 9<sup>th</sup>** and continuing on Wednesdays until October 28<sup>th</sup> or even longer, if weather permits. To sign up, call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371.

### **SENIOR BINGO**

This program is always popular with the Senior Citizens. Come join the fun! The program will start on **Wednesday, September 30<sup>th</sup>** at 1:30 PM and be held the last Wednesday of each month until the end of June at the Morris Mews. Please call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up for the new calendar year.

### **SENIOR FUNERCISE**

Seniors Can Reap Great Benefits From This Workout!

A gentle non-impact program designed for seniors to begin or maintain fitness. Fun, safe, and effective, this class is designed for older adults who want to stay fit. Classes are held on Monday mornings from 10 AM to 11 AM, at the Fairchild Firehouse **starting Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>**. Please call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up. Your Township of Morris Senior ID Card will be your admission to the class. The space is limited to 40 people. Non-residents will be turned away once the limit has been reached. Your cooperation is appreciated.

### **SENIOR INTRODUCTION TO YOGA**

An introduction to Yoga with basic Hatha positions, breathing fundamentals, & relaxing exercises will be taught by registered Yoga Trainer (RYT), Christina Alfonso, a member of the National Yoga Alliance. This low impact class is designed for seniors. Classes will meet one day per week on Wednesdays from October 7<sup>th</sup> to May 5<sup>th</sup>. Classes will be held at the College of St. Elizabeth, St. Joseph's Hall from 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM. Registration is \$25 per person. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **SENIOR CARD PARTIES**

Card players are looking to increase their numbers. Games are held at the Morris Mews on the first and third Wednesdays of each month, **starting on Wednesday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>** from 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM through June. Join the ranks and sign up at the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371.

### **SENIOR THANKSGIVING PARTY**

Holiday fun for Senior Citizens: a preview of Thanksgiving. Fee includes lunch, dessert, beverage, and entertainment. The date is **Thursday, November 12<sup>th</sup>**; **at the Collinsville Fire House from 1 PM to 3:30 PM.** Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up.

### **SENIOR VALENTINE'S DAY PARTY**

Why not get a group of friends to come to the Valentine's Day party to be held at the Collinsville Fire House on Thursday, **February 11<sup>th</sup>**. A fun celebration is planned for 1 PM to 3:30 PM. Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up.

### SENIOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY

Once again, celebrate with the Township for a great St. Patrick's Day bash. Plenty of corned beef, cabbage, potatoes, Irish soda bread and beverages will be on the menu. Come & enjoy great Irish entertainment. If you are not Irish become Irish for the day. The date is **Thursday, March 11, 2010** at the Collinsville Fire House. From 1 PM to 3:30 PM. Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up.

### SENIOR ST. PATRICK'S PARADE

Each year the Township of Morris seniors participate in the annual St. Patrick's "Day" Parade in conjunction with EquiShare who provides the float & horse drawn carriages. Everyone meets at the Collinsville Fire House where transportation is provided to the parade starting line-up and returns to the fire house for a special luncheon. This year's date is Saturday March 13<sup>th</sup>. For more information or to sign up, call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371.

### FALL CHRISTMAS SHOW

A trip to New York City for a Christmas Show will be planned for November 15<sup>th</sup>. The trip will cost approximately \$100/person. Cast your vote for "Radio City Christmas Show" or "Cirque Du Soleil Wintuk". Bus will leave at 10 AM & return at approximately 6 PM. Please call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up. Details will be worked out & you will receive a call with the final decisions.

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### SANTA LETTERS

Township of Morris children ages 4 - 8 are encouraged to write their own letter to Santa and mail them to the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department, 50 Woodland Avenue, PO Box 7603, Convent Station, NJ 07961-7603. Letters must be received by Friday, November 27<sup>th</sup>. All letters will be answered by Santa. Please make sure to include name, age, phone number, and return address for each child.

### 01 HOLIDAY SHOPPING TRIP

This year's shopping trip to Reading, PA is scheduled for **Saturday, October 17<sup>th</sup>**. A bus will leave from the Municipal Building at 50 Woodland Avenue at 8 AM and return at approximately 7 PM. Fee: \$15.00 per person for the bus. Please fill in the registration form in this brochure and send to the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department, 50 Woodland Avenue, PO Box 7603, Convent Station, NJ 07961-7603.

### 02 THE GREAT PUMPKIN

A fun morning is planned for ages 4 - 8 years of age. Children will have the opportunity to "pick" and decorate a pumpkin, make a Halloween craft, and enjoy an edible treat. Get in the fall holiday spirit. Your registration fee must be received by October 19<sup>th</sup>.

Date: Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM - 12 Noon

Place: Ginty Field and the Parks & Recreation Annex at 35 Woodland Avenue

Fee: \$7.00 per participant

### 03 STROLLING WITH YOUR BABY

There is no better exercise than walking. Let your baby sightsee from the stroller as we walk about 2 miles at a moderate, pleasant pace. For the first stroll everyone will meet at the Woodland Avenue Ginty Field Parking Lot on Thursday, **September 17<sup>th</sup>** at 10:30 AM. The group walks a different route each week for 5 weeks. Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up. A perfect class for new moms!

### 04 "LET'S BLOOM TOGETHER"

#### FOR 3 - 4 YEAR OLDS

"Let's Bloom Together" is an enrichment program that provides fun & engrossing gardening classes that help develop an appreciation of plants & flowers for children at their level. Each child will participate in a class project as well as making take home projects. Fall classes will run for 8 Tuesdays beginning October 6<sup>th</sup> at 8:30AM to 9:15AM for \$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.

## 05 COUNTRY LANE FAMILY BICYCLE RIDES

Join us for a season of free group bicycle trips on some of the wonderful bicycle trails available to residents of Morris Township. Bicycle riding is a great lifetime fitness activity. As part of the Statewide Mayor's Wellness Campaign, we are pleased to host two outstanding rides during the fall of 2009.

These rides are suitable for family members (including grandparents) ages 10 & up. Participants must bring their own bicycles, bicycle helmets, & water. Pre-registration is required. Children under 12 years of age must be accompanied on the ride by a parent or guardian.

**Thursday, September 24<sup>th</sup> Patriots Path Ride** 4:15 PM – Approx. 1- 1½ hours

Meet at the Streeter Pool Parking Lot - We will head out & back on a beautiful segment of the Morris County Park Commission's Patriot Path trail system, including both paved & gravel surfaces.

**Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup> Loantaka Brook Path, Giralda Farms & Traction Line** 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM

(Approx 2 hours) Meet at Ginty Pool. This is a loop ride on three paved bicycle trails & some segments on local roads including road crossings of Madison Avenue and Woodland Avenue, (one section with a ¼ mile uphill grade). Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to register.

## 06 TURKEY TROT - A Family Fun Time

The Parks & Recreation Department will sponsor foot races of varying distances according to school grades & ages. This is a chance for a family of all age groups to participate in a recreation function. Turkeys will be awarded to the first place winners, and ribbons to the second and third place winners. Grandparents, parents and children can join in the fun! The date is **Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup>, at 10 AM**. This event will take place at the Morristown Beard School track on Whippany Road. Please register by calling the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371. Get in the race, a turkey may be yours. Only **one** turkey will be awarded per race /per family.

## 07 BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Have breakfast and enjoy great holiday fun and entertainment. Then get ready for Santa to make his appearance and have a picture taken with him. Parents are required to stay with their children throughout the program. This event will be held for children ages 3 - 6 on **Saturday, December 5<sup>th</sup>** from 10 AM to 12 Noon, at the Villa Walsh Auditorium, Western Avenue, Morristown. Space is limited & a large turnout is expected. Reservations and payment must be received by Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup>. Cost per child: \$6.00; cost per Adult: \$3.00. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure.

## 08 DADDY - DAUGHTER SWEETHEART DANCE

Always a favorite event, the Valentine's Dance is spent with Dad's favorite girl, his daughter. Come make an unforgettable memory. Reservations and payment must be received by February 9<sup>th</sup>.

Date: Friday, February 12 <sup>th</sup>	(Snow date: February 19 <sup>th</sup> )
Ages: 5 - 10 years	Place: Mt. Kemble Firehouse
Time: 7 PM - 9 PM	Fees: \$6.00 per child, \$3.00 per adult

## 09 MOTHER - SON FUN NIGHT

An evening for moms to join their sons in making a craft, participating in team games, & fun dancing. Refreshments will be served. Reservations must be received by February 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Date: Friday, February 26 <sup>th</sup>	Place: Mt. Kemble Fire House
Ages: 5 - 10 years	Snow Date: March 5 <sup>th</sup> .
Time: 7 PM - 9 PM	Fees: \$6.00 per child, \$3.00 per adult

## 10 INTRODUCTION TO YOGA FOR ADULTS

An introduction to Yoga with basic Hatha positions, breathing fundamentals, & relaxing exercises will be taught by registered Yoga Trainer (RYT), Christina Alfonso, a member of the National Yoga Alliance. Classes meet one day per week for 10 weeks. Registration is \$25 per person for each 10-week one night/or day class. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

Fall classes:

Monday Evenings starting October 5<sup>th</sup> at the Collinsville Fire House from 7 PM to 8 PM

Tuesday Mornings starting October 6<sup>th</sup> at the Collinsville Fire House from 10 AM to 11 AM

Wednesday Evenings starting October 7<sup>th</sup> at the College of St. Elizabeth from 7 PM to 8 PM

Winter and spring classes will follow the same format starting January 4<sup>th</sup> & April 5<sup>th</sup>.

## 11 ADULT SEWING CLASSES

The program offers sewing classes for adults on Wednesday mornings, 9 AM - 11:30 AM, at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue. Select your own project, receive help with altering or join in one of the ideas offered in class. Perhaps, you would like to learn to hem ready-made garments. Whatever your choice, join our informal group and either learn to sew, or to get to those unfinished projects. You must call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up. Classes start Wednesday, September 9<sup>th</sup>.

## 12 ADULT WATERCOLOR CLASS

Do you appreciate art, love color, & have been thinking about painting for a long time? Sign up now! 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. Choose either Wednesday evenings at 7 PM - 9 PM or Friday mornings at 10 AM - Noon. Classes run for 6 weeks beginning October 7<sup>th</sup> or 9<sup>th</sup> & will meet at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue. **Class minimum is 12 participants.** Fee: \$30.00 per participant for the 6 weeks. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

## 13 CHESS

The mission of the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department is to introduce the benefits of a chess education to children. Chess raises self-esteem, teaches determination, self motivation & sportsmanship, & occupies time in a positive manner. If there is enough interest, classes will begin as follows:

Wednesdays starting January 6<sup>th</sup> to February 10<sup>th</sup> from 6 PM - 7 PM

Wednesdays starting January 6<sup>th</sup> to February 10<sup>th</sup> from 7 PM - 8 PM

Thursdays starting January 7<sup>th</sup> to February 11<sup>th</sup> from 6 PM - 7 PM

Children in grades 1 through 8 are eligible to sign up. Registration is limited to 14 per class and will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue. Fee: \$20.00 per participant. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure.

## 14 CHILDREN'S SEWING (Ages 10-14)

Sewing for children begins January 9<sup>th</sup> on Saturday afternoons for 5 weeks, at 1 PM - 2:30 PM for beginners; and 2:30 PM - 4 PM for intermediates. Students learn to use the sewing machine and complete a sewing project. Some supplies are required. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure. Class size is limited to 12 and will meet at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue. Note: classes will not meet on Saturday, February 6<sup>th</sup>. Fee: \$15.00 per student for the 5 weeks. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure.

## **15 GIRLS' FASHION CLUB**

This class is a hands-on experience: sketching and designing fashion clothing, plus creating fashion collages and displays. Learn about colors, fabrics, fashion trends, designers, and much more. This class is designed for girls 8-12 years of age. Classes will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue for 6 Saturdays, starting February 27<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM - 2:30 PM; or 2:30 PM - 4 PM. Fee is \$15.00 per student. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure.

## **16 BABY SITTING WORK SHOP**

A four week babysitting course for 11 to 15 year olds prepares potential baby sitters for the responsibilities of childcare. Comprehensive hands-on training sessions include first aid, safety, feeding, changing, and age appropriate entertainment. Attention will also be given to marketing skills, handling unusual situations, and a "bag of tricks". Note book and pens/pencils are essential. The class will meet at 35 Woodland Avenue on Saturdays, starting January 9<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM - 11:30 AM. Cost is \$15.00 per registrant. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure.

## **17 CHILDREN'S ARTS & CRAFTS**

(Grades 1 - 3) A basic craft class for children! Learn to make fun items which can be used as holiday gifts for your parents. This 4 week program will be held during the fall & again in early spring. The **fall** program will start on **Monday, October 5<sup>th</sup>**. The **spring** program will start on **Monday, March 1<sup>st</sup>**. All classes will be held from 5 PM - 6 PM or 6:15 PM - 7:15 PM at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue. Registration fee is \$15.00 per student. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure.

## **18 MUSIC-IN-MOTION**

Music in Motion allows children to have fun interacting with one another through music, movement, exercise, and various game plays while using their social skills as well as their fine and gross motor skills. The 6-week program will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue on Fridays starting January 15<sup>th</sup> and ending February 19<sup>th</sup>. The 2½ - 3 year olds will meet at 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM, 4 year olds will meet from 10:45 AM to 11:45 AM. Classes are limited to 20, so register early. Fee is \$20.00 per child. Due to limited space & safety precautions, children not enrolled in the program will not be permitted in the classroom. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

## **19 POTTERY FOR CHILDREN**

### **Discovering Ceramics**

Discovering ceramics offers the opportunity for children in Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grades to explore the world of ceramics from creation of pieces through painting pieces, hand building and molding, to the firing process, to glazing & staining with beautiful finishes. Students will come home with memorable projects to give as gifts or keep for themselves. Dress to make a mess & bring your imagination! The classes will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex (35 Woodland Avenue). Class size is limited to 16. 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 as follows:

Mondays, October 26<sup>th</sup> from 5 PM - 6 PM;

Saturdays, October 31<sup>st</sup> from 9 AM – 10 AM.

Students will create a project each week. If there are not enough registrants, classes will be canceled.

### **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 \$60.00 per student and includes cost of the instructors, materials, & firings. Classes will meet for 6 weeks starting as follows:  
Mondays, October 26<sup>th</sup> from 6:15 PM – 7:15 PM;  
Saturdays, October 31<sup>st</sup> from 10:15 AM - 11:15 AM.

## **20 FALL PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAM**

A special Saturday program designed especially for preschool children! Activities include storytelling, arts & crafts, games & much more. The 3 year old class will meet 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM. The 4 year old class will meet 10:45 AM - 11:45 AM. Both classes will meet for 4 Saturdays starting September 19<sup>th</sup>. Registration fee is \$15.00 per child. Classes will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue. **Parents must be willing to leave their children with our certified instructor.**

## **21 SPRING PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAM**

The sessions are slated for 4 Saturdays starting March 6<sup>th</sup>. The 3 year old classes will be at 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM, 4 year olds will meet at 10:45 AM - 11:45 AM. All classes will meet at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue. Registration fee is \$15.00 per child. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure. **Parents must be willing to leave their children with our certified instructor.**

## **22 LITTLE SCIENTISTS**

The Township of Morris is proud to offer “Little Scientists”, a “hands-on” approach to learning. A sampling of topics includes: Dinosaurs, Fossils, Magnets, & Chemistry. The program will meet on Saturdays starting February 6<sup>th</sup> for 4 weeks. Sessions will be from 9 AM – 10 AM, or 10 AM – 11 AM. Classes will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue for grades K-2. Fee is \$40.00 per student. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure. If there is not enough interest, classes will be canceled.

## **SPORTS PROGRAMS**

### **23 SPORT’S FOR SQUIRTS**

Our fall 3-5 year old program will meet on Mondays starting September 21<sup>st</sup> for 6 weeks from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM. This US Sports Institute 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. Class size is limited to 12 and will meet at the Frelinghuysen/Twin Oaks Field. The fee is \$105 per student. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **24 FALL ADULT TENNIS INSTRUCTION**

Adult fall tennis lessons will be held at the Streeter Courts for 6-week sessions starting September 22<sup>nd</sup> as follows:

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

### **25 CHILDREN’ TENNIS LESSONS**

Six-week tennis programs will be conducted by First Serve Tennis Academy for children beginning September 19<sup>th</sup> at the Ginty Courts. To register, please fill out the form in this brochure and send to the Parks & Recreation Office.

Kiddie Tennis, ages 3 - 6 years on Saturdays from 10 AM - 11 AM, cost \$80/child.

Kiddie Tennis, ages 3 - 6 years on Mondays from 4 PM - 5 PM, cost \$80/child.

Level I, ages 7 - 9 on Saturdays from 11 AM – 12:30 PM, cost \$120/child.

Level I, ages 7 - 9 on Tuesdays from 4 PM – 5:30 PM, cost \$120/child.

Level II, ages 10 -13 on Saturdays from 12:30 PM - 2 PM, cost \$120/child.

Level II, ages 10 -13 on Mondays at 5 PM - 6:30 PM, cost \$120/child.

## **26 GIRL'S SOFTBALL BEGINNERS PITCHING CLINIC**

The clinic will focus on introducing the basics of pitching to any girl ages 9 to 12 who is interested in learning to pitch or who has never taken any formal training but is interested in taken the next step. The four session program will take place at Vet's Field on 4 Tuesday afternoons at 5 PM to 6:30 PM starting September 22<sup>nd</sup>. The cost is \$120/participant. To register, please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office. Head Instructor, **Kristin Gervasio of "FUNdamentals Softball Training"**, looks forward to bringing her more than 10 years of club softball, college, and coaching experience to the girls of the Township of Morris.

## **27A LET'S BUILD IN JR. ENGINEERING**

Grades 1-3 6-Weeks Thursdays 4 PM - 5:15 PM Fee: \$115 Classes will begin October 15<sup>th</sup>

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, & other construction activities introduces the basic concepts of physical science & engineering. Children will explore levers, gears, pulleys, wheels & 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, & more! To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure. Classes will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue.

## **27B FUN-GINEERING WITH SIMPLE MACHINES:**

Grades 4-5 6-Weeks Thursdays 5:30 PM - 6:45 PM Fee: \$115 Class starts October 15<sup>th</sup>

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! Space is limited to 12 children, so register early! To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure. Classes will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue.

## **27C MOVIE MAKING 101 – LET'S EXPLORE THE UNDERWATER WORLD MOVIE**

Grades 1-3 4-Weeks Saturdays 9 AM - 10:30 AM Fee: \$115 Class starts November 7<sup>th</sup>

Do you want to be the next Steven Spielberg? Using your own imagination, creativity, special digital movie making cameras, software, props & Lego sets, you will create your very own Underwater Adventure movie! You will become part of a team of writers, photographers, directors, & producers to create your own story & script, build various underwater scenes, & film your own movie. You will use graphic editing techniques & stop motion animation, add background noise & music, & show your movie at a private screening on the last day of class. All students will get a copy of their movie. To register, please fill out the registration form in this brochure. Classes will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue.

## **27D LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION – MAKING YOUR OWN HARRY POTTER™ MOVIE**

Grades 4-6 4-Weeks Saturday 10:45 AM - 12:15 PM Fee \$115 Class Starts November 7<sup>th</sup>

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 & software. As directors & producers we will work in teams to create our own story & script, build various Harry Potter™ Lego® scenes & film our own movie. We will use graphic editing techniques & stop motion animation, add background noise & music, & show our movie at a private screening on the last day of class. All students will get a copy of their movie. Space is limited to 9 children, so register early by filling out the registration form in this brochure. Classes will be held at the Parks & Recreation Annex, 35 Woodland Avenue.

### **28 JUNIOR HIGH SPORTS NIGHT**

Junior High Sports Night for 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, & 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys & girls will be held at the Morristown Beard School Gym on Fridays: **October 23<sup>rd</sup>, November 20<sup>th</sup>; December 4<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>; January 8<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>; February 5<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>; & March 5<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>.** If you like to meet with friends and have fun, this is the place to come. There will be basketball, indoor soccer, volleyball, table games, and many other activities to provide fun nights. **Time:** 7 PM - 9 PM. Cost per child is \$10.00. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **29 MEN'S VOLLEYBALL**

For those men who enjoy a night of exercise, a night of volleyball is the solution. This is a great way to keep a good body tone. The program creates challenge and spirit as men test their skills on the court. Sneakers and shorts are strongly recommended. This nine month program will start **Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup>** & run through May 17, 2010 (except when the public schools are closed) from 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM at the Hillcrest School **Gym**. Registration fee is \$40.00 per person for the year. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **30 ADULT COED VOLLEYBALL**

The Coed Volleyball program will continue for the fall & winter season and run on Thursday evenings starting **October 15<sup>th</sup>** through May 6, 2010 from 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM at the Hillcrest School. Enjoy a night of fun & exercise. Registration fee is \$30.00 per person for the year. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **31 PEE WEE VOLLEYBALL**

A program for 5 - 7 year olds! Pee Wee Volleyball for young sport's enthusiasts places emphasis on fun in a non-competitive atmosphere. The program will start on Saturday, March 13<sup>th</sup> and run through April 10<sup>th</sup>. Sessions will be held as follows: 9 AM - 10 AM for 7 year olds, 10 AM - 11 AM for 6 year olds, & 11 AM - 12 Noon for 5 year olds. The program will be held at the Sussex Avenue School. Registration fee is \$15.00 per child. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **32 GYMNASTICS**

Classes are designed to give the student a solid foundation in gymnastics. All children benefit from the emphasis on coordination in this fitness oriented activity. Students will gain experience on the balance beam, bars, vault, mini trampoline, and floor mats. Gymnastics will begin at the Woodland School on Wednesday, January 13<sup>th</sup> and run through Wednesday, February 17<sup>th</sup>. Ages 5 - 7 will go from 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM, ages 8 - 12 will go from 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM. Registration fee is \$30.00 per child. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **33 MEN'S BASKETBALL**

Men's basketball will be held on Monday nights at the **Sussex Avenue School Gym** from 7 PM - 9 PM. This program starts the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday in October, ends the last Monday in April. Please fill out the registration form in this brochure. Registration fee is \$35.00 per person for the year. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **34 HOT-SHOTS BASKETBALL FUN**

All Ages - Children to Adults

This event will be held on Saturday, February 6<sup>th</sup> from 8 AM - 10 AM at the Frelinghuysen School. Participants by various age groups will have the opportunity to shoot 10 shots from designated spots on the basketball courts. Prizes will be awarded in each age group to the shooters with the highest scores. Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 973-326-7371 to sign up.

### **35 PEE WEE BOYS' & GIRLS' BASKETBALL**

This very popular program for the younger sports enthusiasts ages 4-7 is held at the Sussex Avenue School. Pee Wee Basketball will meet starting **Saturday, January 9<sup>th</sup>** and will run through March 6<sup>th</sup> from 8:45 AM - 9:45 AM for 7 yr. olds, 10 AM - 10:45 AM for 4 yr. olds, 11 AM - 11:45 AM for 5 yr. olds, & 12 Noon - 12:45 PM for 6 yr. olds. Registration fee per child is \$25.00. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **36 BOYS' BASKETBALL (8 - 14 years)**

This is a great opportunity to develop basic game skills. An instructional basketball clinic introduces, develops, and fine-tunes the skills of the basketball player. Intramural league competition will be formed early in the program. The program will take place at the Frelinghuysen School from 8 AM - 10 AM on **Saturdays starting December 5<sup>th</sup> and ending February 27<sup>th</sup>**. Registration fee is \$25.00 per student. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **37 ON THE MOVE GIRLS' BASKETBALL (Ages 8-12 years)**

This clinic is for girls who like to have fun, hang out with friends, & want to learn to play basketball for enthusiasm & fun. This is a great opportunity for girls to develop the basic individual & game play skills. This program will be held on Friday nights **starting January 8<sup>th</sup> & run for eight Fridays** from 7 PM - 9 PM. Registration fee is \$25.00 per student. Program site to be announced. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **38 MEN'S INDOOR SOCCER**

Men's soccer will be held at the Sussex Avenue School Gym on **Tuesday** nights, starting **October 6<sup>th</sup>** from 7 PM - 9 PM through April 27<sup>th</sup> (except when the public schools are closed). Registration fee is \$40.00 per person for the year. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **39 BOYS' & GIRLS' INDOOR SOCCER**

Interest in this winter indoor soccer program continues to grow among young soccer players each year. The participants will improve their basic skills & compete in informal competition. The program is open to both boys & girls in grades 3 - 5. The program will be held on **Wednesdays** starting **December 2<sup>nd</sup>** for 8 weeks from 7 PM - 8 PM or 8 PM - 9 PM. Registration fee is \$20.00 per child. Program site to be announced. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **40 NERF SOCCER**

This indoor program for first & second grade boys & girls is designed to be instructional in nature. It will cover the basic skills of soccer as well as some techniques of play. Registration is limited. Sign up now to avoid disappointment. This program will be held at the **Morristown Beard School Auxiliary Gym** on Whippany Road on **Saturdays starting December 5<sup>th</sup>** through February 27<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM, or 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM. Registration fee is \$20.00 per child. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **41 GIRLS' FIELD HOCKEY**

The Girls' Field Hockey program will start Saturday, April 10<sup>th</sup> & run until Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at Green Field from 2 PM - 4 PM. Girls 10 - 14 are eligible to participate. Emphasis is placed on skills, game rules, and fun. Registration fee is \$15.00 per child. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### **42 JUMP ROPE**

The "Double-Dutch League" continues to draw a large number of participants. The jump rope program will be held on Friday evenings during the dull winter months at The Morris Center YMCA.  
Dates: January 15<sup>th</sup> through April 2<sup>nd</sup>.  
Time: 7 PM - 8 PM for ages 6-9 and 8 PM - 9 PM for ages 10-14. Registration fee is \$15.00 per child.  
Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### 43 INDOOR GOLF

A course for the beginner or “brush-up” for the novice! Feel at ease when invited out on the golf course. Here is your chance to learn how. Emphasis is placed on the following fundamentals: stance and pivot, back swing, down swing, use of hands, wrist and arms, and the etiquette of golf. This program will be held from 7 PM-8 PM starting **Tuesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>** and run for five weeks ending on March 23<sup>rd</sup>. The class is held at the Frelinghuysen School Gym and is for residents 18 years of age and over. Registration fee is \$30.00 per participant. Please fill in the registration form in this book and mail to the Parks & Recreation Office.

### PARKS & RECREATION GIRLS' SOFTBALL LEAGUE REGISTRATION

Girl's softball is a program for all girls in the Township & Town of Morristown! Low key but a lot of fun! Girls don't miss the registration sign up on **Saturday, January 30, 2010** at the Township of Morris Municipal Building, 50 Woodland Avenue from **9 AM-1 PM**. Registrants must be accompanied by a parent/guardian. Encourage your friends to sign up with you on this date. Registration fee is \$10.00 per child.

Girls in grades 2-5 are eligible for the minor league which will meet every Monday from April 6<sup>th</sup> through the end of June. All players are invited to participate in a clinic with the girl's softball team from the College of St. Elizabeth.

### T-BALL

**Registration will be held Saturday, February 6<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM - 1 PM at the Township of Morris Municipal Building.** With parent volunteer coaches, the successful T- Ball league has grown to 27 teams in 2009. Boys and girls *between the ages of 5-7* are eligible to play. Children must be 5 years of age by August 31, 2010. Emphasis is placed on instruction, recreation, and sportsmanship. Parents/guardians must register in person & provide a copy of the child's birth certificate. In fairness to all, sign up is first come, first served. **Please arrange carpools before sign up date & arrange to sign up friends together on same team to avoid switching teams later.** **On sign up day, choose a field close to home for a Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday practice day. Practices begin the end of April. The first of 6 Saturday games is May 8<sup>th</sup>.** **DEADLINE IS APRIL 1, 2010. Registration fee is \$10.00 per child payable at time of registration.**

As of this date, all team rosters are completed & sent to the coaches, who in turn call all team members to notify them of all T-ball details: times, dates, & places of practices. Also, at this time, shirts & hats are ordered to insure that uniforms are ready for the **FIRST BIG GAME!** Please note that T-ball begins later than the Little League programs.

### MORRISTOWN NATIONAL LITTLE LEAGUE-GIRL'S SOFTBALL DIVISION

Morristown National Little League-Girl's Softball Division will hold sign ups at the Township of Morris Municipal Building on Saturday, January 30<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, February 6<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM to 1 PM for girls ages 8 to 15. For more information contact Jim Maynard at website [jppmaynard@aol.com](mailto:jppmaynard@aol.com).

### NATIONAL LITTLE LEAGUE UPDATED 1/4/08

All Township youths on the *western* side of the Township with birth dates between and including **April 30, 1998 & May 31, 2002**, can register **Saturday, February 6<sup>th</sup>**, between the hours of **9 AM - 1 PM** at the Township of Morris Municipal Building. Registrants must be accompanied by a parent/guardian & present birth certificates. Registration may be done on the National Little League web site [www.MNLL.org](http://www.MNLL.org) for the 2010 season by December 31, 2009.

### AMERICAN LITTLE LEAGUE

All Township youths on the *eastern* side of the Township with birth dates between and including **April 30, 1998 & May 31, 2002** can register on-line from **November through February** at [www.MAALL.net](http://www.MAALL.net). The League starts practice in March. For Fall Ball or for additional information call 973-451-9424 or visit the web site.

## BOYS' AND GIRLS' SOCCER CLUB

The Morristown United Soccer Club, an *independent association* has both competitive traveling teams and intramural league play. The intramural league includes both boys and girls enrolled in grades kindergarten through ninth. **For information call 973-898-1977, or visit the web site: WWW.musc-nj.org. Please note that the Township of Morris Parks & Recreation Department cannot take sign ups.**

## MORRIS AREA GIRL'S LACROSSE CLUB

LEARN TO PLAY GIRL'S LACROSSE! No prior experience necessary. Professional coaching staff includes a former captain of the US National Team.

Spring Programs:

- 1) 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade. Six weeks of introductory fundamental techniques and skills. Sessions are held on weekday afternoons and Saturday afternoons.
- 2) 3<sup>rd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade. In-town recreational program: This is a non-competitive, skills and techniques program. Exhibition games played against teams from other towns. Sessions are held on weekday and Saturday afternoons.
- 3) 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Traveling Teams. Teams play in the NJ Junior Girls Lacrosse League against teams from other towns. NO CUTS! Everyone makes a team. Games are played weeknights after 6 PM with weeknight and Saturday afternoon practices.

Registration will take place Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup> between the hours of 9 AM and 12 noon at the Township of Morris Municipal Building. For information call 973-898-1333, or E-mail [MorrisGirlsLax@gmail.com](mailto:MorrisGirlsLax@gmail.com). Fee is required.

## JR. COLONIAL WRESTLING

Junior Colonial Wrestling is open to all children in the Township of Morris, Morristown, and Morris Plains between the ages of 6-14. Registration begins in October. Skills will be assessed. Visit [www.motowngrapplers.com](http://www.motowngrapplers.com) for details and forms, or call Carla at 201- 787-1862.

## JUNIOR COLONIAL'S YOUTH HOCKEY CLUB

The Youth Hockey club is open to all youth in the Township of Morris, Morristown, & Morris Plains from 5 - 17 years of age. Five levels compete against 14 other towns in the Morris County Youth Hockey League. The season runs from September through March with one practice & 2 games per week. Practices take place at Twin Oaks Ice Arena on Columbia Turnpike in Morris Township. Registration for the fall 2009-winter 2010 season begins in June & closes by September. Limited space per team. For more information contact Gretchen Braunschweiger at [GRBraun15@aol.com](mailto:GRBraun15@aol.com) or 973-644-4933, or contact the web at [www.jrcolonials.com](http://www.jrcolonials.com).

## THE MORRIS COUNTY ADAPTIVE RECREATIONAL PROGRAM (McARP)

Morris Township is proud to be a sponsoring municipality of the Morris County Adaptive Recreational Program (McARP). McARP provides a year round calendar of the highest quality recreational and leisure-time activities for mentally and physically disabled children and adults. For a current calendar of events or for more information please call **McARP Program Director at 973-455-1288.**

### Special Events

Halloween parades, Christmas parties and Easter egg hunts are sponsored by the Township of Morris Fire Companies in cooperation with the Parks & Recreation Department. **Contact your district fire company for the specific date, time, and place for each event.**

### Fire Station Phone Numbers

Collinsville- 973-326-7373

Fairchild- 973-326-7374

Hillside- 973-326-7368

Mt. Kemble- 973-326-7375

Woodland- 973-326-7369

## IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT PROGRAMS AND CANCELLATIONS

Parks & Recreation Department programs at school buildings are held pending availability of facilities. Since **school sponsored activities pre-empt all Parks & Recreation Department programs**, some cancellations occur. All school buildings are closed to our programs during school vacations and all three-day holiday weekends. **Cancellations** of Parks & Recreation Department programs due to weather conditions are announced by the **Parks & Recreation Department Recording Telephone (973-326-7370 option 4 for ball field conditions & option 2 for program cancellations)**. The recording telephone (the above number) may be called 24 hours daily for up-to-date activity listings. The recording is generally updated each day at 3 PM as necessary due to weather conditions.

**Note: The Parks & Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel, change, or consolidate programs as the need arises due to unforeseen circumstances and insufficient enrollment.**

### New Item! New Item!

#### **Parks & Recreation Event Notification List**

The Parks & Recreation Department is building a list of e-mail addresses for individuals and families that would like to receive periodic notification on our Department's events and activities. If you would like to be added to our notification list, please send us an e-mail requesting to be placed on the Parks & Recreation Event Notification list. Send your request to [RecreationDept@MorrisTwp.com](mailto:RecreationDept@MorrisTwp.com).

## TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS PARKS & RECREATION SITES

FACILITIES	PARKS	Bleiki Field	Butterworth Field	Children's Park	Collinsville Playground	Delpho Field	Frelinghuysen Field	Ginty Recreation Complex	Green	Hayward Park	Ketch Road Field	Kiwanis Field	Jean Street Field	Lake Road Field	LaRue Field	Saunders Park	Spence/Doremus Tract	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	2	1	1	2	
Baseball (90')						1																		
Bocci									1															
Lacrosse/Soccer	1	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								

**TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT**

**Activity Registration Form**

www.morristwp.com

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

50 Woodland Ave. P.O. Box 7603

Convent Station, NJ 07961-7603

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**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 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 & Recreation Department.

Name of Parent/Guardian (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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SCHEDULE OF PROGRAMS – FALL/WINTER 2009-2010						
<b>Senior Activities</b>						
<b>START</b>	<b>DAY</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>AGE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>ENDING</b>
9/2/2009	Wednesday	1:30 PM	Senior Card Party	Over 60	Morris Mews	6/16/2010
9/9/2009	Wednesday	10 AM	Senior Bocce	Over 60	Hayward Park	10/28/2009
9/9/2009	Wednesday	9 AM - 11:30 AM	Adult Sewing	Over 18	35 Woodland Avenue	6/9/2010
9/14/2009	Monday	10 AM - 11 AM	Senior Funerise	Over 60	Fairchild Fire House	5/24/2010
9/30/2009	Wednesday	1:30 PM	Senior Bingo	Over 60	Morris Mews	6/23/2010
10/7/2009	Wednesday	9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	Senior Yoga	Over 60	To be Determined	5/26/2010
11/12/2009	Thursday	1 PM	Senior Thanksgiving Lunch	Over 60	Collinsville Fire House	
2/11/2010	Thursday	1 PM - 3:30 PM	Senior Valentine's Party	Over 60	Collinsville Fire House	
3/11/2010	Thursday	1 PM - 3:30 PM	Senior St. Patrick's Party	Over 60	Collinsville Fire House	
3/13/2010	Saturday	10 AM to 3 PM	Senior St. Patrick's Parade	Over 60	Collinsville Fire House	
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<b>START</b>	<b>DAY</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>AGE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>ENDING DATE</b>
9/17/2009	Thursday	10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Strolling With Your Baby		Various Locations	10/22/2009
9/19/2009	Saturday	9 AM - 9:45 AM	Fall Pre-School	Age 3	35 Woodland Avenue	10/10/2009
9/19/2009	Saturday	10 AM - 11 AM	Fall Pre-School	Age 4	35 Woodland Avenue	10/10/2009
9/19/2009	Saturday	10 AM - 11 AM	Kiddie Tennis	Ages 3 - 6	Ginty Tennis Courts	10/24/2009
9/19/2009	Saturday	11 AM - 12:30 PM	Level I Children's Tennis	Ages 7-9	Ginty Tennis Courts	10/24/2009
9/19/2009	Saturday	12:30 PM - 2 PM	Level II Children's Tennis	Ages 10-13	Ginty Tennis Courts	10/24/2009
9/21/2009	Monday	4 PM - 5 PM	Kiddie Tennis	Ages 3 - 6	Ginty Tennis Courts	10/26/2009
9/21/2009	Monday	5 PM - 6:30 PM	Level II Children's Tennis	Ages 10-13	Ginty Tennis Courts	10/26/2009
9/21/2009	Monday	11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Sport's for Squirts	Age 3-5	Frelinghuysen Field	10/26/2009
9/21/2009	Monday	7:30 PM - 9:30 PM	Men's Volleyball	Over 18	Hillcrest School	5/17/2010
9/22/2009	Tuesday	4 PM - 5:30 PM	Level I Tennis	Ages 7-9	Ginty Tennis Courts	10/27/2009
9/22/2009	Tuesday	5 PM - 6 PM	Girl's Pitching Clinic	Ages 9 - 12	Vet's Field	11/13/2009
9/22/2009	Tuesday	7 PM - 8 PM	Adult Tennis-Beginners		Streeter Courts	10/27/2009
9/23/2009	Wednesday	7 PM - 8 PM	Adult Tennis-Intermediate		Streeter Courts	10/28/2009
9/23/2009	Wednesday	8 PM - 9 PM	Adult Tennis-Advanced		Streeter Courts	10/28/2009
9/24/2009	Thursday	4:15 PM	Patriot Path Ride	Over 10	Streer Pool	
10/5/2009	Tuesday	5 PM - 6 PM	Children's Arts & Crafts	Grades 1-3	35 Woodland Avenue	10/26/2009
10/5/2009	Tuesday	6:15 PM - 7:15 PM	Children's Arts & Crafts	Grades 1-3	35 Woodland Avenue	10/26/2009
10/5/2009	Monday	7 PM - 9 PM	Men's Basketball	Over 18	Sussex Avenue School	4/26/2010
10/5/2009	Monday	7 PM - 8 PM	Yoga	Adults	Collinsville Fire House	
10/6/2009	Tuesday	8:30 AM - 9:15 AM	Let's Bloom Together	Ages 3-4	35 Woodland Avenue	
10/6/2009	Tuesday	7 PM - 9 PM	Men's Soccer	Over 18	Sussex Ave. Sch.	4/27/2010
10/6/2009	Tuesday	10 AM - 11 AM	Yoga	Adults	Collinsville Fire House	
10/7/2009	Wednesday	7 PM - 8 PM	Yoga	Adults	College of St. Elizabeth	
10/7/2009	Wednesday	7 PM - 9 PM	Watercolor Class	Adults	35 Woodland Avenue	11/11/2009
10/9/2009	Friday	10 AM - Noon	Watercolor Class	Adults	35 Woodland Avenue	11/13/2009
10/15/2009	Thursday	4 PM - 5:15 PM	Let's Build Jr.Engineering	Grades 1-3	35 Woodland Avenue	11/19/2009
10/15/2009	Thursday	5:30 PM - 6:45 PM	Fun-Gineering Simple Machine	Grades 4-5	35 Woodland Avenue	11/19/2009
10/15/2009	Thursday	7:30 PM - 9:30 PM	Adult Coed Volleyball	Over 18	Hillcrest School Gym	5/6/2010
10/17/2009	Saturday	8 AM - 6 PM	Shopping Trip – Reading	Over 18	50 Woodland Avenue	

10/23/2009	Friday	7 PM - 9 PM	Junior High Sports Night	Grades 6-8	Morristown Beard Sch.	3/19/2010
10/24/2009	Saturday	9:30 AM	Bicycle Ride	Over 10	Ginty Pool	
10/24/2009	Saturday	10 AM - 12 Noon	The Great Pumpkin	Ages 4-8	35 Woodland Avenue	
10/26/2009	Monday	5 PM - 6 PM	Children's Pottery	Ages 5-10	35 Woodland Avenue	11/30/2009
10/26/2009	Monday	6:15 PM - 7:15 PM	Children's Mosaics	Ages 5-10	35 Woodland Avenue	11/30/2009
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10/31/2009	Saturday	10:15 AM - 11:15 AM	Children's Mosaics	Ages 5-10	35 Woodland Avenue	12/5/2009
11/7/2009	Saturday	9 AM - 10:30 AM	Moviemaking 101	Grades 1-3	35 Woodland Avenue	
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11/14/2009	Saturday	10 AM to 11AM	Turkey Trot	All Ages	Morristown Beard Track	
11/27/2009	Friday		Santa Letter Writing Contest	Ages 4-8	50 Woodland Avenue	
12/2/2009	Wednesday	7 PM - 9 PM	Indoor Soccer	Grades 3-5	To Be Announced	2/27/2010
12/5/2009	Saturday	10 AM - 12 Noon	Breakfast With Santa	Ages 3-6	Villa Walsh Auditorium	
12/5/2009	Saturday	8 AM - 10 AM	Boys Basketball	Ages 8-10	Frelinghuysen School	2/27/2010
12/5/2009	Saturday	9:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Nerf Soccer (2 sessions)	Grades 1-2	Morristown Beard Sch.	2/27/2010
1/6/2010	Wednesday	6 PM - 7 PM	Chess - Beginners	Grades 1-4	35 Woodland Avenue	2/10/2010
1/6/2010	Wednesday	7 PM - 8 PM	Chess - Beginners	Grades 1-4	35 Woodland Avenue	2/10/2010
1/7/2010	Thursday	6 PM - 7 PM	Chess - Intermediate	Grades 5-8	35 Woodland Avenue	2/11/2010
1/8/2010	Friday	7 PM - 9 PM	Girls' Basketball	Ages 8-10	Normandy School	3/5/2010
1/9/2010	Saturday	8:45 AM - 12:45 PM	Pee Wee Basketball	Ages 4-7	Sussex Avenue School	3/6/2010
1/9/2010	Saturday	10 AM-11:30 AM	Baby-Sitting Course	Ages 11-15	35 Woodland Avenue	1/30/2010
1/9/2010	Saturday	1 PM - 2:30 PM	Children's Sewing Beginners	Ages 10-14	35 Woodland Avenue	2/13/2010
1/9/2010	Saturday	2:30 PM - 4 PM	Children's Sewing Intermediate	Ages 10-14	35 Woodland Avenue	2/13/2010
1/13/2010	Wednesday	6:30 PM - 7:30 PM	Gymnastics	Ages 5-17	Woodland School	2/17/2010
1/13/2010	Wednesday	7:30 PM - 8:30 PM	Gymnastics	Ages 8-12	Woodland School	2/17/2010
1/15/2010	Friday	7 PM - 8 PM	Jump Rope / Double Dutch	Ages 6-9	Morris Center YMCA	4/2/2010
1/15/2010	Friday	8 PM - 9 PM	Jump Rope / Double Dutch	Ages 10-12	Morris Center YMCA	4/2/2010
1/15/2010	Friday	9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	Music In Motion	Age 2 1/2	35 Woodland Avenue	2/19/2010
1/15/2010	Friday	10:45 AM - 11:45 AM	Music In Motion	Age 3	35 Woodland Avenue	2/19/2010
1/30/2010	Saturday	9 AM - 1 PM	Girls' Softball Signup	Grades 2-5	Municipal Building	
2/6/2010	Saturday	9 AM - 1 PM	T-Ball Sign-Up	Ages 5-7	Municipal Building	
2/6/2010	Saturday	9 AM - 11 AM	Little Scientists	Grades K-2	35 Woodland Avenue	2/27/2010
2/12/2010	Friday	7 PM - 9 PM	Daddy-Daughter Night	Ages 5-10	Mt. Kemble Fire House	
2/19/2010	Friday	7 PM - 9 PM	Daddy-Daughter (Snow Date)	Ages 5-10	Mt. Kemble Fire House	
2/23/2010	Tuesday	7 PM - 8 PM	Indoor Golf	Over 18	Frelinghuysen Sch.Gym	3/23/2010
2/26/2010	Friday	7 PM - 9 PM	Mother-Son Fun Night	Ages 5-10	Mt. Kembel Fire House	
2/27/2010	Saturday	1 PM - 2 PM	Girl's Fashion Club	Ages 8-12	35 Woodland Avenue	4/17/2010
3/1/2010	Tuesday	5 PM - 6 PM	Children's Arts & Crafts	Grades 1-3	35 Woodland Avenue	3/22/2010
3/1/2010	Tuesday	6:15 PM - 7:15 PM	Children's Arts & Crafts	Grades 1-3	35 Woodland Avenue	3/22/2010
3/13/2010	Saturday	9 AM, 10 AM, 11 AM	Pee Wee Volleyball	Ages 5-7	Sussex Avenue School	4/17/2010
3/6/2010	Saturday	9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	Spring Pre-School	Age 3	35 Woodland Avenue	3/27/2010
3/6/2010	Saturday	10:45 AM - 11:45 AM	Spring Pre-School	Age 4	35 Woodland Avenue	3/27/2010
4/5/2010	Monday	4:30 PM - 6 PM	Girls Softball (Minors)	Grades 2-5	All Fields	
4/10/2010	Saturday	2 PM - 4 PM	Girl's Field Hockey	Ages 10-14	Green Field	5/22/2010
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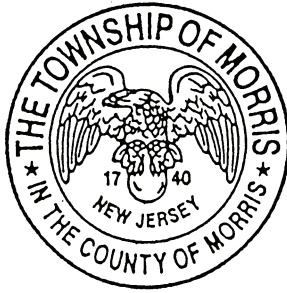
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