

Carroll County Recreation & Parks

# 2025 SUMMER GUIDE

Programs and Events



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# WELCOME TO SUMMER WITH CARROLL COUNTY RECREATION & PARKS!

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## REGISTRATION

2025 Summer Program Registration  
for **Carroll County residents opens on Wednesday, May 14, 2025**  
and on **Wednesday, May 21, 2025 for Out-of-County residents.**

### Phone

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

### Online

Visit [ccrec.recdesk.com](http://ccrec.recdesk.com)

### Walk-In

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

### By Mail

Send completed registration form and a check payable  
to *Carroll County Commissioners* to:

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

# HELPING HANDS

## KEEP OUR PARKS GREEN

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

To learn more about **Helping Hands**, visit [ccrecpark.org](http://ccrecpark.org) or scan the QR code.



# CARROLL COUNTY SPORTS COMPLEX

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**FALL ADULT SOFTBALL LEAGUES: MEN'S & CO-ED**  
**KEEP AN EYE OUT ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE IN MID-JULY FOR REGISTRATION INFORMATION.**

Follow the Carroll County Sports Complex Facebook Page for registration information and updates about upcoming tournaments and our seasonal leagues.

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

For more information on the Sports Complex contact Becky Kishter at 410-857-4832 or [bkishter@carrollcountymd.gov](mailto:bkishter@carrollcountymd.gov).

## GET YOUR 2025 DOG PARK MEMBERSHIPS TODAY

**JANUARY 2025 DECEMBER 2025**



**BENNETT CERF DOG PARK**  
(near Random House)  
544 Manchester Road  
Westminster, MD 21157



**SOUTH CARROLL DOG PARK**

**SOUTH CARROLL DOG PARK**  
(behind South Carroll Senior & Comm. Center)  
5928 Mineral Hill Road  
Eldersburg, MD 21784

To sign up for a Carroll County Recreation & Parks Dog Parks membership, visit [ccrec.recdesk.com](http://ccrec.recdesk.com)!



See pricing and more information on page 25.

# Adaptive Recreation Programs

## Bowling

at Greenmount Bowl

8+ years • 4 Sessions

Mondays, June 2 - 30 from 11 am - 1 pm

[Program #25SU01.02](#)

Mondays, July 7 - 28 from 11 am - 1 pm

[Program #25SU01.03](#)

Mondays, August 4 - 25 from 11 am - 1 pm

Join us for a fun-filled Adaptive Recreation Bowling Session, where everyone can enjoy the game at their own pace! Whether you're a seasoned bowler or trying it for the first time, this inclusive event is designed for all abilities. With adaptive equipment, ramps, and plenty of encouragement, we're here to make sure every roll is a great one! Come out, make new friends, and enjoy a fantastic time on the lanes. Let's bowl, laugh, and celebrate together! NO MEETING ON 6/23/25 \*\*\* Caregivers must attend if direct support is needed.

Instructor: Christie Moore

Adaptive Rec Participant: \$20 per person

1 session option: \$5 per person

## AR Walk Carroll (Veterans Memorial Park)

at Westminster Veterans Memorial Park

Tuesdays, June 3 - August 26 from 10 - 11:30 am

10+ years • 12 Sessions

[Program #25SU01.05](#)

Walk Carroll is a walking program for citizens of Carroll County. Adaptive Recreation will walk on Tuesdays at Westminster Veterans Memorial Park (meet at the pavilion) from 10:00-11:30am. Program will start June 3 and end August 26th / 13 sessions. Everyone must register. Walk when you can and at your own pace! \*\*\*Due to ADA Day Ice Cream Social on July 22, I will not be able to participate in the walk, though I will be at Veterans Park.

Instructor: AR Specialist

This is a FREE program.

## AR Mindful Meditation

at the Robert Moton Center

Wednesdays, June 11 - August 20 from 10:30 - 11:15 am

6 Sessions

[Program #25SU01.06](#)

Unwind and find your inner peace with our Mindful Meditation session, designed for all abilities. This low-key, calming activity focuses on relaxation, mindfulness, and deep breathing to help reduce stress and promote overall well-being. Join us to relax, reset, and recharge — a tranquil space is waiting for you!

Instructor: Christie Moore

Adaptive Rec Participant: \$30

## Drum it Up!

at the Robert Moton Center

Thursdays, July 10 - August 14 from 10:45 - 11:30 am

6 Sessions

[Program #25SU01.07](#)

Get ready to move to the beat with Drum it Up, an exciting and high-energy rhythmic exercise program! Using drumsticks on balls, you'll follow easy-to-learn rhythms while having a blast to music. This fun and creative workout is designed all participants, caregivers, and parents — it's a perfect way to get active, have fun, and express yourself!

Instructor: Christie Moore

Adaptive Rec Participant: \$20

## ADA Day Picnic

at Westminster Veterans Memorial Park Pavilion

Tuesday, July 22 from 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

[Program #25SU01.08](#)

Come join us for a fun and welcoming ADA Picnic, celebrating the Americans with Disabilities Act and the power of inclusion in our community! Enjoy a classic summer menu featuring hot dogs, bagged chips, and fresh watermelon—all served in a relaxed, accessible setting where everyone is welcome.

Instructor: Christie Moore

Adaptive Rec Participant: \$5

Care Giver/one-on-one/Parent: \$5

## TR Day at the Farm Museum

at the Carroll County Farm Museum

Tuesday, June 10 from 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

[Program #25SU01.01](#)

Join us for TR Day — an action-packed, all-inclusive event where everyone is welcome to enjoy a fantastic afternoon! Whether you're an adaptive recreation participant, family member, friend, or caregiver, there's something for everyone to enjoy. Savor a delicious catered lunch, explore exciting exhibits, dance to lively music, play games, get creative with art activities, shop with amazing vendors, and experience the fascinating wildlife exhibits! It's a day full of laughter, fun, and unforgettable memories — come be part of the excitement! \*\*\* If you would like the opportunity to order a "TR Day" shirt, please visit this link to order yours today: <https://marylandprinthouse.chippily.com/ccpark/>

Instructor: Christie Moore

Adaptive Rec Participant: \$12

Care Giver/one-on-one/Parent: \$12

Individual: \$12



To register scan the QR code or click on the program number.

### Homeschool Kids' Cooking Class

at the Charles Carroll Community Center • 7 - 12 years

Monday, June 16 from 11:00 am - 1:30 pm

[Program #25SU02.01](#)

Monday, August 11 from 11:00 am - 1:30 pm

[Program #25SU02.02](#)

Join us for a fun and interactive kids' cooking class! Designed for young chefs, this hands-on experience teaches essential kitchen skills and the joy of creating delicious dishes from scratch. Under the guidance of an instructor, kids will learn to measure, mix, and prepare tasty recipes while building confidence and teamwork. Parents must stay on the property as the class takes place. After the cooking fun, your child will get to enjoy the delicious dishes they've created. The recipes will be sent out a week prior to the start of the class.

Instructor: Rec & Parks Staff

Resident: \$27 per person • Non-Resident: \$32 per person

### Suzuki Violin Group Class

at the Westminster Church of the Brethren

Wednesdays, July 9 - August 20 • 6 sessions

[Program #25SU02.03](#) 9:00 - 9:45am Ages 3 - 6

[Program #25SU02.04](#) 10:00 - 10:45am Ages 3 - 9

[Program #25SU02.05](#) 3:45 - 4:30pm Ages 3 - 9

[Program #25SU02.06](#) 5:30 - 6:15pm Ages 3 - 6

[Program #25SU02.07](#) 6:15 - 7:00pm Ages 6 - 9

[Program #25SU02.08](#) 7:00 - 7:45pm Ages 9 - 12

Learn to play violin through games and with friends! No experience needed. Pre-Twinkle violin classes prepare young children for formal violin lessons. We will build concentration, confidence, and fine motor skills as we learn to hold a violin and play simple songs. The Suzuki method educates children in the same manner that they learn their native language: listening, observation, repetition, review, and community. An Adult/Parent is required to attend each class. Do not bring a violin to the first class. Children will be measured for the correct size during the first class. Rental from local music store required by the second class.

Instructor: Glenda Walsh Crouse

Resident: \$60 per person • Non-Resident: \$65 per person

### Puzzle Competition 750 pieces

at the Charles Carroll Community Center • Ages 6+

Thursday, July 31 from 6:00 - 8:30 pm

[Program #25SU02.09](#)

Come join the fun! Teams consisting of 2-4 people will race against each other to finish a 750-piece jigsaw puzzle. Teams will receive the same puzzle and have 2 hours to complete it. Games will promptly begin at 6:15pm. Gift card prizes will be given to the 1st and 2nd place winners.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Team (Resident): \$42

Team (Non-resident): \$46

### Dunk Tie Dye

at Deer Park Pavilion #1 • Ages 5 - 18

Friday, August 15 from 10:00 - 10:45 am

[Program #25SU02.10](#)

Friday, August 15 from 11:00 - 11:45 am

[Program #25SU02.11](#)

Join us for an exciting and colorful day of creativity! Participants will have the chance to create one-of-a-kind design by dunking shirts into different colors of dye. A variety of vibrant colors will be offered to create your very own tie-dye masterpiece. All materials will be provided.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Child w/an adult (Resident): \$14

Child w/an adult (Non-resident): \$16

### Parent/Child: Colorful Summer Wreath

at the Leister Park Pavilion • Ages 6 - 15

Tuesday, August 26 from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

[Program #25SU02.12](#)

Come join us for a fun and creative Parent & Child Wreath-Making session! You and your little one will work together to create a beautiful, colorful 14-inch wreath using vibrant yarns. This hands-on activity is a wonderful way to bond while crafting a cheerful, handmade decoration to take home and enjoy!

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Child w/an adult (Resident): \$14

Child w/an adult (Non-resident): \$16

## Springtime Puzzle Swap

Friday, June 6, 2025 from 10am-1pm  
at the Robert Moton Center

Bring a gently used and complete puzzle to  
exchange with other participants.



NRPA'S PARK AND RECREATION MONTH



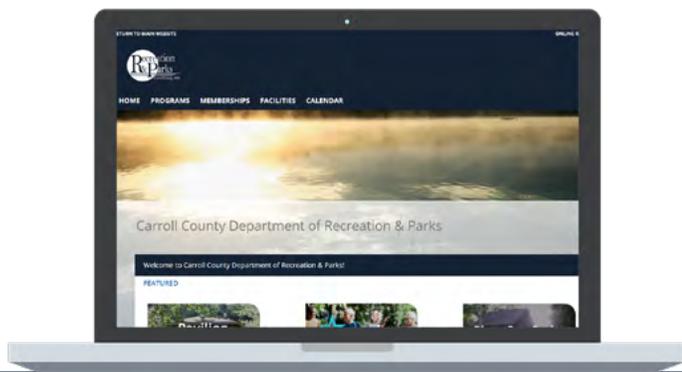
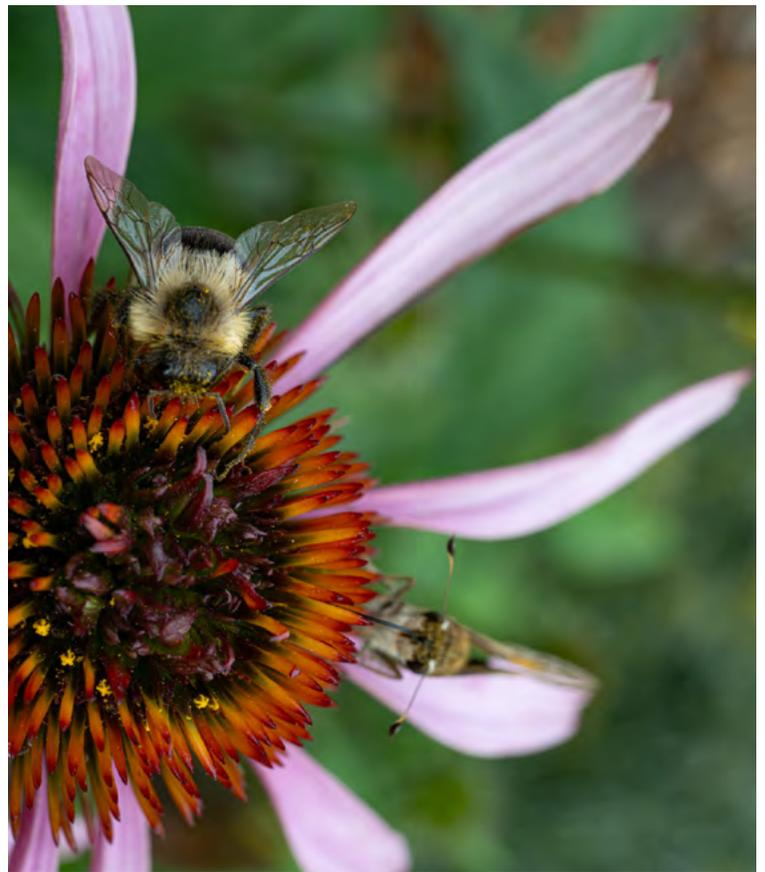
## Come Celebrate National Recreation & Parks Month for the month of July.

### July 2025 Park Pursuit

- [Program #25SU09.05](#) July 6 - 13
- [Program #25SU09.06](#) July 13 - 20
- [Program #25SU09.07](#) July 20 - 27

In honor of Recreation and Parks month, the Carroll County Department of Recreation and Parks is holding a Park Pursuit challenge throughout the month of July. The Park Pursuit is a FREE challenge to get residents to visit more parks around Carroll County. There will be a challenge for 3 weeks out of the month. Follow the instructions in the according week's booklet for a chance to win Hersheypark tickets! There are 4 chances to win!

This is a FREE event



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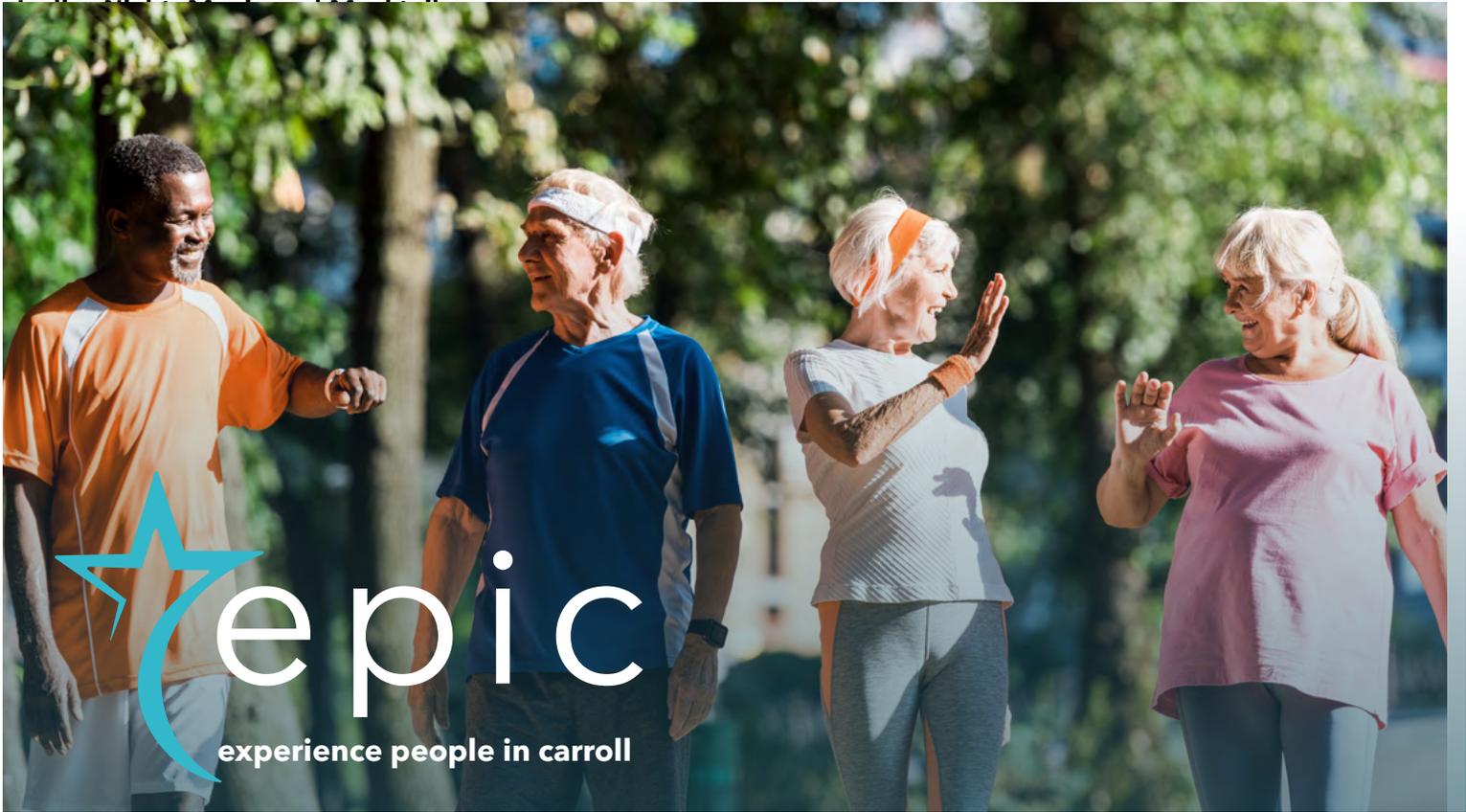
A collage of images related to recreation and parks. The collage is set against an orange background with a white circular graphic in the center. The circular graphic contains the text "Sponsorship Opportunities" and the "Recreation & Parks" logo for Carroll County, MD. The collage includes: a car show with a blue classic car, people walking, a dog, a person holding a measuring tape, a crowd of people, and a purple memorial bench with the text "In Memory of those who lost their lives to substance use and suicide".

Carroll County Department of Recreation & Parks

Sponsorship Opportunities

Recreation & Parks  
Carroll County, MD

For more information on Sponsorship Opportunities please contact Carroll County Department of Recreation & Parks at 410.386.2103 or email at [ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov](mailto:ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov).



### **EPIC Puzzle Competition: 500 pieces**

at the Robert Moton Center

Thursday, August 21 from 10:30 am - 1:00 pm

40+ years • [Program #25SU14.01](#)

Come join the fun! Teams consisting of 2 people will race against each other to finish a 500-piece jigsaw puzzle. Teams will receive the same puzzle and have 2 hours to complete it. Games will promptly begin at 10:45am. Gift card prizes will be given to the 1st and 2nd place winners.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Resident: \$40 per person • Non-Resident: \$44 per person

### **EPIC: Line Dancing**

at the Robert Moton Center

Tuesdays, June 17 - August 12 from 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

40+ years • [Program #25SU14.02](#)

Join this fun mind and body fitness program! Enjoy the many health benefits of line dancing. Improve your balance and coordination! Increase your cardiovascular health and your memory! Come for the social outlet and boost your mood! This program will be paced on participant's abilities. It is geared toward adults age 50+, however, all adults 18+ are welcome. Breaks will be taken to cool down and socialize. Be sure to dress in comfortable clothing and bring a water bottle.

Instructor: Candy Ranlet

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

### **EPIC: Belly Dancing**

at the Robert Moton Center

Tuesdays, June 17 - August 12 from 1:30 - 2:30 pm

50+ years • [Program #25SU14.03](#)

Come explore one of the oldest forms of dance, BELLY DANCE, and discover its many health benefits. "Shimmy" into improved balance, posture, strength, coordination, flexibility and confidence. We will learn basic dance moves and incorporate them into easy and fun routines. Feel empowered through Belly Dance!

Instructor: Candy Ranlet

Resident: \$50 per person • Non-Resident: \$54 per person



## Colonial Williamsburg Bus Trip

Saturday, June 7 from 7 am - 9 pm  
 meet at County Office Building  
[Program #25SP10.01](#)

Step back in time with a one-day bus trip to Colonial Williamsburg in Virginia, where history comes alive! Travel in a 56-passenger coach to this beautifully preserved 18th-century town, where you'll have the day to explore at your own pace. Stroll the cobblestone streets, visit historic buildings, and interact with costumed interpreters who bring the colonial era to life.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff  
 Resident: \$190 per person • Non-Resident: \$210 per person

## Niagara Falls Overnight Trip

meet at the Carroll County Farm Museum parking lot  
 Sunday, Monday, & Tuesday, August 17-19  
[Program #25SP10.02](#) Double Occupancy  
[Program #25SP10.03](#) Single Occupancy  
[Program #25SP10.05](#) Triple Occupancy

Join us on a two night bus trip to visit the breathtaking natural wonder of Niagara Falls. We will travel by a 56-passenger coach to Niagara Falls, NY where we will check into our rooms at the Holiday Inn, located right at the entrance of the state park. You will have free time to admire the falls, visit the many observation towers, ride the famous maid of the mist, or explore downtown Niagara, NY. The state park is free to enter and a free shuttle is available to take you between the park sites, the hotel, and downtown Niagara. All activities are at your own cost. Fee includes roundtrip bus transportation, driver's gratuity, hotel accommodations, and two (2) breakfasts.

Holiday Inn Niagara Falls State Park Entry, an IHG Hotel  
 114 Buffalo Ave  
 Niagara Falls, NY 14303

Rooms will either have 1 king bed or 2 queen beds.  
 Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff  
**Single Occupancy**  
 Resident: \$570 per person • Non-Resident: \$600 per person

**Double Occupancy**  
 Resident: \$840 • Non-Resident: \$900

## Historic Philadelphia Bus Trip

meet at the Carroll County Government Office Building parking lot  
[Program #25SP10.04](#) Saturday, Oct. 4 7:00am - 6:30pm

Embark on a one-day bus trip to historic Philadelphia, where you can discover the city at your own pace! Enjoy round-trip transportation to the heart of the city, where you'll have the entire day to explore its historic landmarks, vibrant neighborhoods, and cultural attractions on your own.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff  
**Early Bird(before 5/31/25):** Resident: \$100 per person  
 Resident: \$115 per person • Non-Resident: \$125 per person

## Fall Foliage Train Excursion

meet at the Robert Moton Center  
[Program #25SU10.01](#) Thursday, Oct. 23 9:30am - 3:30pm

Join us on a short van trip to New Freedom, PA where we will board a vintage passenger coach and embark on a 30 mile round-trip journey to view the vivid fall foliage of York County, PA. We will wind through the Historic Codorus Valley with a brief stop at the Howard Tunnel, the oldest active passenger railroad tunnel in the country! A light boxed lunch will be provided on the train.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff  
**Early Bird(before 8/1/2025):** Resident: \$115 per person  
 Resident: \$120 per person • Non-Resident: \$130 per person

## NYC Bus Trip: December

meet at the Carroll County Office Building parking lot  
[Program #25SU10.02](#) Saturday, Dec. 6 7:00am - 11:00pm

Enjoy a day on your own in the Big Apple! The motor coach bus will drop you off at Bryant Park, in back of the New York Public Library on 6th Ave, between 40th-41st Streets. The day is yours to plan! Go shopping, catch a show, see Central Park or the 911 Museum. We will meet at 6:45 pm, at the drop-off location to board the bus back to Westminster. Youth under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a paying adult. Fee includes roundtrip motorcoach transportation, and driver's gratuity. Food is on your own.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff  
**Early Bird(before 9/15/2025):** Resident: \$125 per person  
 Resident: \$135 per person • Non-Resident: \$155 per person



**A Longwood Christmas: Bus Trip**

meet at the Carroll County Farm Museum parking lot  
**Program #25SU10.03** Monday, Dec. 15 8:00am - 6:00pm

Join us on a festive bus trip to experience Longwood Gardens at Christmastime in Kennett Square, PA! Immerse yourself in a winter wonderland featuring dazzling light displays, beautifully decorated trees, and breathtaking horticultural designs.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff  
**Early Bird(before 10/1/2025):** Resident: \$120 per person  
 Resident: \$135 per person • Non-Resident: \$155 per person

**AMT-Christmas Show Van Trip**

meet at the Robert Moton Center  
**Program #25SU10.04** Thursday, Dec. 18 8:00am - 4:30pm

Witness the magic and splendor of our holiday celebration as the American Music Theater in Lancaster, PA. presents "Deck the Halls" featuring incredible singers, astonishing dancers, wondrous costumes, and breathtaking sets. Check in at the decked-out St. Nicholas Hotel where we find our dashing dancers and merry musicians ready to "Deck the Halls!" Bubby Bubby bellhops and glittery guests make merriment in preparation for a visit from Old Saint Nick. This musical holiday adventure brings together friends old and new to celebrate the season with awe-inspiring performances designed to capture the hearts of the entire family. LUNCH INCLUDED!

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff  
**Early Bird(before 10/1/2025):** Resident: \$135 per person  
 Resident: \$145 per person • Non-Resident: \$155 per person

**Recreation & Parks Trips Refund Policy**

Requests for refunds must be submitted in writing at least one month prior to the start date of the trip unless there is a specific date listed in the course description. After the deadline has passed, there will be no refunds, absolutely NO exceptions. Any tickets purchased are the property of the registrant and is their responsibility to retrieve from the respective destination/location. Requests can be submitted to [ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov](mailto:ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov) with a subject line of Refund Request.

**Physical Abilities Statement**

Bus and van trips are classified as active programs. Trip staff will not be available to lift or physically assist participants during the trip. If you require physical assistance, you must bring a registered participant who can provide the necessary help.

**Clogging...Summer Fun!**

meet at the Robert Moton Center  
 Mondays • Ages 14+  
**Program #25SU04.01** June 2 - Aug. 4 4:30 - 6:00 pm

Come out this summer for some fun contemporary American Folk Dance group fun! Some experience is needed as we review previous routines learned Fall thru Spring and focus on intermediate steps, routines, review how to read a cue sheet as well as work on group dance formations in this multi-level program. Please wear your white clogging shoes. We will work on group dance form, accuracy and precision. Program is 4 sessions, 1.5 hours on Mondays- a schedule of dates will be provided by instructor just before class begins. This is a great opportunity to hone in on some specific steps and improve your clogging skills to keep things fresh in your mind during the summer months. Wear comfortable clothing & bring bottled water.

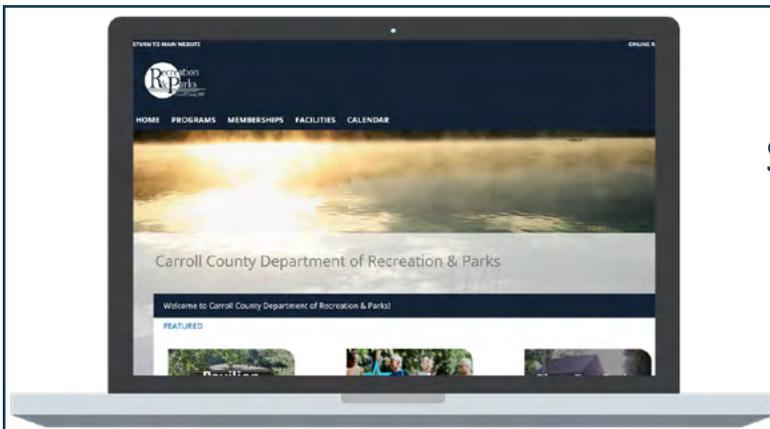
Instructor: Becky Morehouse  
 Resident: \$42 per person • Non-Resident: \$45 per person

**Pickleball Beginners**

at Robert Moton Center  
 Mondays • Ages 16+ • 5 sessions  
**Program #25SU04.02** June 9 - July 7 5 - 6pm  
**Program #25SU04.03** July 14 - August 11 5 - 6pm

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

Instructor: William Gill  
 Resident: \$60 per person • Non-Resident: \$64 per person



Interested in a program?  
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Register online today at  
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# Health & Wellness Programs

## Pickleball Beginner 2

at Robert Moton Center

Mondays • Ages 16+ • 5 sessions

<a href="#">Program #25SU04.04</a>	June 9 - July 7	6 - 7pm
<a href="#">Program #25SU04.05</a>	June 9 - July 7	8 - 9pm
<a href="#">Program #25SU04.06</a>	July 14 - August 11	6 - 7pm
<a href="#">Program #25SU04.07</a>	July 14 - August 11	8 - 9pm

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

Instructor: William Gill

Resident: \$60 per person • Non-Resident: \$65 per person

## Pickleball Level 3

at Robert Moton Center

Mondays • Ages 16+ • 5 sessions

<a href="#">Program #25SU04.08</a>	June 9 - July 7	7 - 8pm
<a href="#">Program #25SU04.09</a>	July 14 - August 11	7 - 8pm

Tuesdays

<a href="#">Program #25SU04.10</a>	June 10 - July 8	4:30 - 5:30pm
<a href="#">Program #25SU04.11</a>	July 15 - August 12	4:30 - 5:30pm

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

Instructor: William Gill

Resident: \$60 per person • Non-Resident: \$65 per person



## Weights, Cardio, Core & More

at Taneytown Senior & Community Center

Wednesdays • Ages 18+ • 5 sessions

<a href="#">Program #25SU04.12</a>	June 4 - July 2	6 - 7pm
<a href="#">Program #25SU04.13</a>	July 16 - August 13	8 - 9pm

This fun interval training class is a total body workout! Certified Fitness Trainer will lead you through a variety of fitness exercises to strengthen and build muscle. Be ready for cardio bursts, core training and more surprises to keep you on your toes. \*\*Each class may be different. Are you ready? LET'S GO!

Instructor: Yvette Castillo

Resident: \$52 per person • Non-Resident: \$56 per person



## CORPORATE WORK DAYS

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

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

For more information or to schedule a corporate volunteer work day, contact us at [ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov](mailto:ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov).



September 23, 2019, Wantz Distributors at Piney Run Park

# Athletic & Sports Programs

## Martial Arts

### Introduction to Martial Arts (4-6 years)

at Tristar Martial Arts of Westminster

Fridays • 4 - 6 years

[Program #25SU03.01](#) June 6 5:30 - 6:10 pm

Get started on your journey into martial arts with this 6 week program. Your child will learn about respect and self-discipline as well as how to deal with bullies as they earn their white belt. No experience necessary. After the first lesson students may pick one of the four options: Tuesdays at 6:00pm, Thursday at 4:45pm, Fridays at 5:30pm OR Saturdays at 8:30 am.

Instructor: Tristar Martial Arts of Westminster

Resident: \$69 per person • Non-Resident: \$74 per person

### Introduction to Martial Arts (7+ years)

at Tristar Martial Arts of Westminster

Fridays • 7+ years

[Program #25SU03.02](#) June 6 6:45 - 7:25pm

Get started on your journey into martial arts with this 6 week program. Learn the basics of Japanese martial arts and earn your white belt. No experience necessary. After the first lesson students will proceed with 2 sessions for 6 weeks (40 minutes). Students may pick two of the four options: Mondays at 7:30 pm, Tuesdays at 5:15 pm, Wednesdays at 5:45 pm, Fridays at 6:45 pm or Saturdays at 9:30 am.

Instructor: Tristar Martial Arts of Westminster

Resident: \$76 per person • Non-Resident: \$84 per person

### Kenpo Karate Self Defense

at the Robert Moton Center

Tuesdays, June 17 - August 5 • 8 sessions

[Program #25SU03.03](#) Ages 6 - 13 6:00 - 7:00 pm

[Program #25SU03.04](#) Ages 14+ 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Thursdays, June 26 - August 14 • 8 sessions

[Program #25SU03.05](#) Ages 6 - 13 6:00 - 7:00 pm

[Program #25SU03.06](#) Ages 14+ 7:00 - 8:00 pm

American Kenpo is a practical martial art, fitted to any individual with its main focus on self-defense. Additional benefits include flexibility, balance, focus, and self-confidence. Classes are set up to instruct all skill levels, beginners through advanced. Attire: comfortable, athletic-type clothing for the first class. A karate gi (uniform) will be provided thereafter.

Instructor: Mike Guercio

Resident: \$75 per person • Non-Resident: \$80 per person

## Gymnastics

### Boys Basic Gymnastics

at Carroll Gymnastics Inc.

6+ years • 8 Sessions

Thursdays

[Program #25SU03.07](#) June 26 - Aug. 14 9:00 - 10:00 am

Saturdays

[Program #25SU03.08](#) June 28 - Aug. 16 10:00 - 11:00 am

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

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$185 per person • Non-Resident: \$190 per person

### Girls Basic Gymnastics

at Carroll Gymnastics Inc.

Thursdays • 6+ years • 8 Sessions

[Program #25SU03.09](#) June 26 - Aug. 14 9:00 - 10:00 am

[Program #25SU03.10](#) June 26 - Aug. 14 4:30 - 5:30 pm

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

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$185 per person • Non-Resident: \$190 per person

### Parent & Tot Gymnastics

at Carroll Gymnastics Inc.

Thursdays • 1 - 3 years • 8 Sessions

[Program #25SU03.11](#) June 26 - Aug. 14 9:00 - 9:45 am

Designed for the younger child, with parental assistance, to learn beginning movements and activities in a structured environment. Student/instructor ration 6:1.

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$165 per person • Non-Resident: \$170 per person

### Preschool Gymnastics

at Carroll Gymnastics Inc.

Thursdays • 3 - 4 years • 8 Sessions

[Program #25SU03.12](#) June 26 - Aug. 14 4:30 - 5:15 pm

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

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$165 per person • Non-Resident: \$170 per person

### Preschool/Kindergarten Gymnastics

at Carroll Gymnastics Inc.

Thursdays • 3 - 5 years • 8 Sessions

[Program #25SU03.13](#) June 26 - Aug. 14 4:30 - 5:15 pm

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

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$165 per person • Non-Resident: \$170 per person



To register scan the QR code or click on the program number.

# Athletic & Sports Programs

## Kindergarten Gymnastics

at Carroll Gymnastics Inc.

Thursdays • 5 years • 8 Sessions

[Program #25SU03.14](#) June 26 - Aug. 14 9:45 - 10:30 am

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

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$165 per person • Non-Resident: \$170 per person

## Tumbling Gymnastics

at Carroll Gymnastics Inc.

Thursdays • 6+ years • 10 Sessions

[Program #25SU03.15](#) June 26 - Aug. 14 10:00 - 11:00 am

[Program #25SU03.16](#) June 26 - Aug. 14 7:30 - 8:30 pm

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

Instructor: Carroll Gymnastics, Inc.

Resident: \$185 per person • Non-Resident: \$190 per person



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

Register online today at  
[ccrec.recdesk.com](http://ccrec.recdesk.com).

## Golf

### Introduction to Golf

at Oakmont Green Golf Course • 6 sessions

#### June Dates

Mondays - 6/2, 6/9, \*6/15, 6/16, 6/23, \*6/29

[Program #25SU03.17](#) 4:30 - 5:30pm Ages 7 - 13

Tuesdays - 6/3, 6/10, \*6/15, 6/17, 6/24, \*6/29

[Program #25SU03.18](#) 6:30 - 7:30pm Ages 7 - 13

Saturdays - 6/7, 6/14, \*6/15, 6/21, 6/28, \*6/29

[Program #25SU03.19](#) 9:00 - 10:00am Ages 14+

[Program #25SU03.20](#) 11:00am - 12:00pm \*\*Ages 14+

#### July Dates

Mondays - 6/30, 7/7, \*7/13, 7/14, 7/21, \*7/27

[Program #25SU03.21](#) 4:30 - 5:30pm Ages 7 - 13

Tuesdays - 7/1, 7/8, \*7/13, 7/15, 7/22, \*7/27

[Program #25SU03.22](#) 5:30 - 6:30pm Ages 7 - 13

Wednesdays - 7/2, 7/9, \*7/13, 7/16, 7/23, \*7/27

[Program #25SU03.23](#) 6:30 - 7:30pm Ages 7 - 13

Saturdays - 7/12, \*7/13, 7/19, 7/26, \*7/27

[Program #25SU03.24](#) 10:00 - 11:00am \*\*Ages 14+

Resident: \$189 per person • Non-Resident: \$194 per person

#### August Dates

Saturdays - 8/2, 8/9, 8/16, \*8/17, 8/23, \*9/7

[Program #25SU03.25](#) 9:00 - 10:00am \*\*Ages 14+

Tuesdays - 8/5, 8/12, \*8/17, 8/19, 8/26, \*9/7

[Program #25SU03.26](#) 6:30 - 7:30pm Ages 7 - 13

Wednesdays - 8/6, 8/13, \*8/17, 8/20, 8/27, \*9/7

[Program #25SU03.27](#) 5:30-6:30pm Ages 7 - 13

Intro to Golf is for anyone who is starting to play golf. You will learn fundamentals of golf play rules of golf and build towards the foundation of our golf swing and game. Program includes four 55-minute clinic sessions and two 9-hole golf events. (9-hole golf events will be held on Wednesdays- April 9 and April 23).

Instructor: Ryan Grabowski, PGTAA

\*Sundays - 9 hole playing event

Resident: \$195 per person • Non-Resident: \$200 per person

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

# Nature & Environment Programs

## Piney Run Park & Nature Center

### Bat Hike

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Saturday • Ages 6+

[Program #25SU06.06](#) June 7 7:00 - 9:30 pm

Join us for a night hike looking for some of Piney Run's battiest residents! No need to bring a light; just bring clothes for hiking. Recommended 6 and up

Instructor: Basil Levesque

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

### Ranger Led Kayak Trip

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Sundays

[Program #25SU06.07](#) June 8 12:30 - 2:00 pm

[Program #25SU06.08](#) June 22 12:30 - 2:00 pm

[Program #25SU06.09](#) July 6 12:30 - 2:00 pm

[Program #25SU06.10](#) July 20 12:30 - 2:00 pm

[Program #25SU06.11](#) August 3 12:30 - 2:00 pm

[Program #25SU06.12](#) August 17 12:30 - 2:00 pm

[Program #25SU06.13](#) August 31 12:30 - 2:00 pm

Join a ranger for a guided paddle on Piney Run Lake to learn about local wildlife and lake ecology. Beginners are welcome. Boats, paddles, and PFDs are provided. Participants ages 15 and under must be in a boat with an adult. This program is for participants ages 4 and up. Meet at the nature center.

Instructor: Piney Run Park Staff

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

### Father's Day Guided Kayak

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Sunday • Ages 4+

[Program #25SU06.14](#) June 15 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Celebrate Father's Day and join a naturalist for a guided paddle on Piney Run Lake to learn about local wildlife and lake ecology. Beginners are welcome. Boats, paddles, and PFDs are provided. Participants ages 10 and under must be in a boat with an adult. This program is for participants ages 4 and up.

Instructor: Piney Run Park Staff

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

### Build a Bat Box

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Saturday • Ages 8+

[Program #25SU06.15](#) June 21 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Help your local bats! Build a box to take home with you after learning everything you need to know! Priced by box, families and friends can share! 8 and up.

Instructor: Basil Levesque

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

### Terrific Toads

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Saturday

[Program #25SU06.16](#) July 12 10:00 - 1:00 am

Toads are toad-ally awesome! Learn about their amazing adaptations (spoiler alert- They're poisonous!).

Instructor: Piney Run Park Staff

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

### Naturalist Guided Kayak

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Saturday • Ages 4+

[Program #25SU06.17](#) July 19 9:30 - 11:30 am

Come learn a new craft skill! In this class you will learn about wool production and felting techniques. You will make a needle felted craft to take home. (Please note- sharp needles will be used and adult supervision is required at all times.)

Instructor: Basil Levesque

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

### Craft Time in Nature: Needle Felting

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Saturday • Ages 8+

[Program #25SU06.18](#) August 16 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Toads are toad-ally awesome! Learn about their amazing adaptations (spoiler alert- They're poisonous!).

Instructor: Piney Run Park Staff

Resident: \$15 per person • Non-Resident: \$20 per person

### Bugged Out Beadwork

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Saturday • Ages 10+

[Program #25SU06.19](#) August 23 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

This hands-on workshop will show you how to bring bugs to life from pieces of jewelry and beads! Ideal for nature lovers and bug enthusiasts over the age of 12. Materials are included but feel free to bring your own beads and old jewelry to use!

Instructor: Basil Levesque

Resident: \$15 per person • Non-Resident: \$20 per person



*To register scan the QR code or  
click on the program number.*

# Nature & Environment Programs

## Guided Nature Hike

at Piney Run Park Nature Center

Saturday

[Program #25SU06.20](#) August 30 10:00 - 11:00 am

Explore the trails of Piney Run Park with a naturalist. This hike is appropriate for all ages!

Instructor: Piney Run Park Staff

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

## Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

### Full Moon Yoga and Meditation - Strawberry Moon

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch • Ages 15+

[Program #25SU06.21](#) June 10 6:00 - 7:30 pm

The full moon in June is the Strawberry Moon for all the berries that are ripening this month. Celebrate the sweetness of the month and take time for yourself with this 60 minute yoga and 30 minute meditation practice. This class is appropriate for all ability levels and will be held outside, weather permitting.

Instructor: Christine Gallo

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

### Full Moon Yoga and Meditation - Summer Series

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch • Ages 15+

[Program #25SU06.22](#) 6/10, 7/10, 8/8 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Join us for the three summer sessions of Full Moon Yoga and Meditation: Strawberry Moon in June, Buck Moon in July, and Sturgeon Moon in August. For each session, a 60 minute yoga practice is followed by a 30 minute guided meditation. This class is appropriate for all ability levels and will be held outside, weather permitting.

Instructor: Christine Gallo

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

### Full Moon Yoga and Meditation - Buck Moon

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch • Ages 15+

[Program #25SU06.23](#) July 10 6:00 - 7:30 pm

The Buck Moon in July is named for the antlers on deer that reach their peak during the month. It is a time to recognize that challenges are essential for growth. Celebrate playing with your edges during a 60 minute yoga and 30 minute meditation practice. This class is appropriate for all ability levels and will be held outside, weather permitting.

Instructor: Christine Gallo

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

### Full Moon Yoga and Meditation - Sturgeon Moon

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch • Ages 15+

[Program #25SU06.24](#) August 8 6:00 - 7:30 pm

The full moon of August is the Sturgeon Moon named for the abundant fishing that occurred during this month. It's a hot month but also one of abundance. This 60 minute yoga practice followed 30 minute guided meditation is all about finding and celebrating your inner strength and fire. This class is appropriate for all ability levels and will be held outside, weather permitting.

Instructor: Christine Gallo

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

### Nature Scouts Full Summer Session

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

Wednesdays & Mondays

[Program #25SU06.25](#) July 9 - August 25 6:00 - 7:30 pm

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

Additional Child: \$25 per person

#### Wednesdays Summer Session 1

[Program #25SU06.26](#) July 9 - 30 6:00 - 7:30 pm

#### Mondays Summer Session 2

[Program #25SU06.27](#) August 4 - 25 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Resident: \$65 per person • Non-Resident: \$75 per person

Additional Child: \$12 per person

Let's go on adventures, play, and learn together! Nature Scouts is a program designed for families to reconnect with each other and the natural world. We will learn about the natural world through play, creativity, research, and adventure. This program is the July and August sessions combined. It runs for 8 weeks; Wednesdays in July and Mondays in August. Snacks, program materials, and a t-shirt will be provided. \*The cost of the program is per family (up to 5) as we encourage families spending time and learning about nature together.

Instructor: Christine Gallo and Kristina Duncan

### Planetarium Show

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch • Ages 5+

[Program #25SU06.28](#) June 14 8:00 - 9:00 pm

[Program #25SU06.29](#) July 12 8:00 - 9:00 pm

[Program #25SU06.30](#) August 9 8:00 - 9:00 pm

Come one, come all! Come see, and hear, exotic tales about astronomy and journey through our galaxy. Free star party at the observatory after the show; weather permitting.

Instructor: Westminster Astronomical Society

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



The Sykesville Sasquatch has come out of hiding again for the Third Annual Sasquatch Saturday at Piney Run Park. This event is themed around the local legend of the Sykesville Sasquatch, and is intended for the whole family.

**Tickets: \$10 per Person. Park Admission is free.**

**Tickets can be purchased online or at the gate.**

**\*Some activities require an additional fee\* • \*Pre-Registration is not required\***

- Food Trucks
- Live music TBA
- Sasquatch 5K and Fun Run
- Craft Vendors
- Sasquatch Hunt
- Sasquatch Water Sports
- Kids crafts and activities
- Family Games
- Spot Sasquatch Wagon Ride
- Sasquatch Calling Contest
- Speakers on Bigfoot / Sasquatch Research

**Register here: [25SU06.05](#)**



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For more information and to register, visit [ccrecpark.org](http://ccrecpark.org).

## Nature & Environment Programs

### Reading with Reptiles

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

[Program #25SU06.31](#) July 12 1:00 - 2:00 pm

Join the Naturalist and a special friend or two as we read a story about reptiles! The story will be followed by an interactive animal encounter and a craft. \*Children 2 and under are free and are not required to register.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

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

### Feeding Frenzy

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch

[Program #25SU06.32](#) June 12 10:00 - 11:00 am

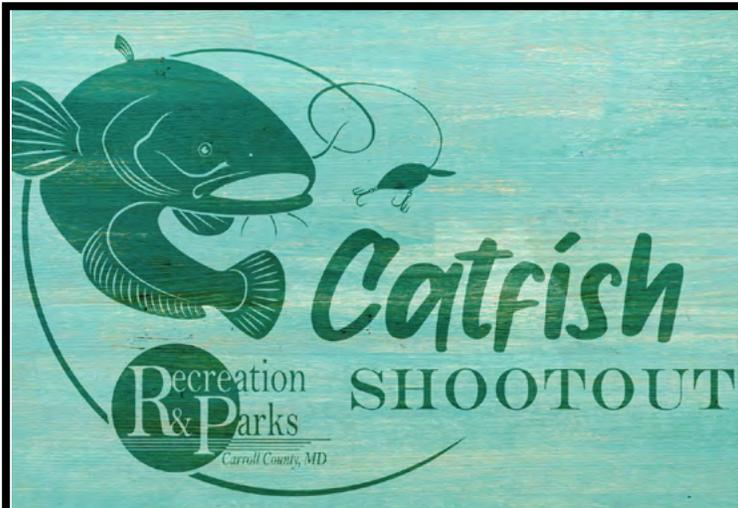
[Program #25SU06.33](#) July 19 10:00 - 11:00 am

[Program #25SU06.34](#) August 16 10:00 - 11:00 am

Join the Naturalist as she feeds the animal ambassadors that call Hashawha home. Learn about what they eat, how they eat it, and meet some animals up close and personal! You will even be able to help feed some of the animals! \*Parents/Guardians are required to stay. \*\* 2 years and under are free and not required to register.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Resident: \$7 • Non-Resident: \$8



**Friday, July 11, 2025 from 6-11pm**

**at Piney Run Park.**

[Program #25SU06.04](#)

**All Ages • Preregistration: \$15 per angler**

**Day-of: \$20 per angler**

Preregistration applies through 4pm on

Thursday, July 10, 2025

### Piney Run Nature Center Information

#### Nature Center Hours (3/1-11/30)

Wednesday-Saturday | 11am-5pm

Sunday | Noon-5pm

Mondays & Tuesdays | Closed

#### Nature Center Hours (12/1-2/28)

Monday-Friday | 11am-4pm

Saturday, Sunday & Holidays | Closed

Phone: 410-795-6043

Email: [pineyrunpark@carrollcountymd.gov](mailto:pineyrunpark@carrollcountymd.gov)

**In case of inclement weather...** if snow/icy conditions or heavy rains/thunderstorms are in the forecast, call before coming to a program to see if the program has been cancelled or postponed. If Carroll County Government is closed, the Park and Nature Center are closed. If Carroll County Schools are closed, delayed, or dismissed early, Nature Center programs that fall during those time periods are cancelled as well (please see Inclement Weather Policy for Recreation & Parks programs in the back of this brochure).

### Piney Run Park Information

#### Park Open-Season Hours

Open All Week | 7am-Sunset

Entrance fees collected at the gatehouse: \$6/vehicle for Carroll County Residents; \$12 for non-residents.

Season passes are available for \$75/vehicle for Carroll County residents; \$100/vehicle for non-residents.

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

#### Park "Off-Season" Hours (12/1-2/28)

Monday-Friday | 8am-4pm

Saturday & Sunday | Closed

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

### Piney Run Nature Center

#### Private Kayak Programs

**Kayak with your own group!**

Private kayaking programs are available upon request at certain times. Programs are limited to 10 people and are \$20 per person.

Please contact [pineyrunpark@carrollcountymd.gov](mailto:pineyrunpark@carrollcountymd.gov) for more info.

## Nature & Environment Programs

### Stream Searchin'

at Hashawha Environmental Center/Bear Branch • Ages 5+

[Program #25SU06.35](#) August 9 1:00 - 2:00 pm

Enjoy a stroll around Lake Hashawha and Bear Branch stream in search for critters that live there. Be prepared to get your feet wet and muddy during our exploration! Meet at the Lake.

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

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



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## ANNUAL KRIMGOLD PARK KIDS FISHING RODEO

Sunday, May 18 from 8am-Noon  
at Krimgold Park

6 and under • 7-9 years • 10-12 years  
13-15 years • [Program #25SP09.03](#)

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

# Youth Fishing DERBY

Saturday, June 7, 2025 from  
7-11am at Piney Run Park

Youth (15 years and under)

Fee: \$10 per child

[Program #25SU06.01](#)

All Youth Fishing Derby participants must be accompanied by an adult.

Park gates open at 6:30am. Vehicle entry fee waived for participants. \$10 boat launch fee applies.



To register scan the QR code or click on the program number.



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KIDZ' FUNFEST!**  
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# MONARCH MADNESS FESTIVAL



Bear Branch Nature Center  
 Saturday, September 13th, 2025  
 \$10.00 per Vehicle Gate Fee to Enter  
 10:00am - 2:00pm

Celebrate the arrival of fall by learning about the amazing annual migration of the Monarch Butterfly! Say goodbye to the butterflies we've been raising as they begin their long journey South to Mexico.



Monarch Tagging Demonstration  
 Butterfly Themed Games and Crafts  
 Naturalist-Led Pollinator Hike  
 Live Animals  
 Wagon Rides  
 Sweepnetting  
 Plant/Seed Swap  
 Native Plants for Sale  
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 ...and More!

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## 2025 Dog Park Memberships:

### Bennett Cerf Dog Park & South Carroll Dog Park

Membership for 2025

18+ years

Bennett Cerf Dog Park • [Program #FY25BCDP](#)

South Carroll Dog Park • [Program #FY25SCDP](#)

Both Dog Parks • [Program #FY25BC&SCDP](#)

Membership is for the 2025 year (January through December); registration is accepted anytime during the year. The dog park is a great place to socialize and exercise your dog. Park hours are sunrise to sunset, 365 days a year (maintenance days are posted as needed).

Bennett Cerf Dog Park **OR** South Carroll Dog Park

Up to 2 Dogs: \$30 • Additional Dogs: \$5 per dog

**Both** Bennett Cerf Dog Park **AND** South Carroll Dog Park

Up to 2 Dogs: \$50 • Additional Dogs: \$5 per dog

## Adopt a Critter

Membership for 2024 • [Program #24YR05.11](#)

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

Resident/Non-Resident: \$30 per person



## LARGEMOUTH BASS FISHING Tournament I

Friday, June 20, 2025 from 6-11pm  
 at Piney Run Park

All Ages • Preregistration: \$15 per angler

[Program #25SU06.02](#)

Day-of: \$20 per angler

Preregistration applies through 4pm on Thursday, June 19, 2025



## LARGEMOUTH BASS FISHING Tournament II

Saturday, August 23, 2025 from  
 7am-Noon at Piney Run Park

All Ages • Preregistration: \$15 per angler

[Program #25SU09.03](#)

Day-of: \$20 per angler

Preregistration applies through 4pm on Friday, August 22, 2025



# 2025

## BEAR BRANCH & PINEY RUN NATURE CENTER MEMBERSHIPS

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

Register online at [ccrecpark.org](http://ccrecpark.org) or use the form below to mail in with a check payable to: **Carroll County Commissioners**

### NATURE CENTER MEMBERSHIP RATES

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

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



## Hashawha/Bear Branch

**BBNC: Nature Buddies Summer Camp**

at Bear Branch Nature Center

Tuesday – Friday • 5 - 6 years

[Program #25CP11.25](#) June 24-27 9am – 1pm

Has your child been itching to come to camp, but are still too young for our regular full-day camps? Join us for shortened days, but FULL FUN! Our Nature Buddies camp is sure to excite those interested in all of the plants, animals, and dirt that surrounds us every day. We will meet our Animal Ambassadors up close, explore streams, create nature crafts, and so much more!

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Resident: \$175 per person • BBNC Member: \$150 per person

**BBNC: Outdoor Eats Summer Camp**

at Bear Branch Nature Center

Tuesday - Friday • 10 - 12 years

[Program #25CP11.26](#) July 8 - 11 9 am - 4 pm

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

Instructor: Bear Branch Staff

Resident: \$200 per person • BBNC Member: \$175 per person

## Sports Camps

**Carroll County Passing League**

at Winters Mill High School • Ages: 15 - 18

Wednesdays • 5:00 - 7:30 pm

[Program #25CP11.105](#) June 4 - 25

Passing league for students in high school interested in playing football.

Instructor: Matthew Miller

Individual: \$10 per person

**Winfield Football Camp**

at Mayeski Park • 4 - 14 years

Monday - Thursday • 6 - 8 pm

[Program #25CP11.51](#) June 16 - 19

Have fun performing football skills and drills with our Winfield Cavaliers coaches! No experience is necessary. Campers will be grouped by experience and age to ensure that they are appropriately challenged. Camp is Mon-Thur. Rain make-up Fri. Cost includes a camp t-shirt.

Instructor: Kelly Duncan

Individual: \$125 per person

**Brazilian Soccer Camp Clinics**

Monday-Friday at Deer Park

**Full Day: 9am - 3pm (8 - 14 years)**[Program #25CP11.32](#) June 16 - 20

Individual: \$275 per person

**Half Day: 9am - 12pm (7 - 14 years)**[Program #25CP11.33](#) June 16 - 20

Individual: \$225 per person

**3pm - 4pm (4 - 6 years)**[Program #25CP11.34](#) June 16 - 20

Individual: \$125 per person

This camp keeps kids connected with the "beautiful game," focusing on developing technical skills, engaging in cultural soccer activities, participating in mini-tournaments, and having lots of fun. Participants will make new soccer friends and experience a unique approach to learning and improving their skills under the guidance of a professional Brazilian soccer coach. Each participant will receive a personalized evaluation card at the end of the camp.

Instructor: Brazilian United Corporation

**PROGRAM REGISTRATION****Carroll County residents 2/5/2025****Non-residents 2/12/2025**

Register online today at

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# Camps

## Cranberry Sports Camp

at Robert Moton Elementary School • 6 - 11 years  
Monday-Friday

\* June 16 - 20 (no class 6/19)

[Program #25CP11.35](#) 9 am - 3 pm  
[Program #25CP11.36](#) 9 am - 12 pm  
[Program #25CP11.37](#) 12 - 3 pm

July 14 - 18

[Program #25CP11.38](#) 9 am - 3 pm  
[Program #25CP11.39](#) 9 am - 12 pm  
[Program #25CP11.40](#) 12 - 3 pm

August 11 - 15

[Program #25CP11.41](#) 9 am - 3 pm  
[Program #25CP11.42](#) 9 am - 12 pm  
[Program #25CP11.43](#) 12 - 3 pm

Come join Mr. Krouse for the 22nd season of this great camp. Participate in games & activities such as football, basketball, soccer, tagging games, Just Dance, speed stacking, dodgeball, etc.

Instructor: Steve Krouse

Full Day: \$170 per person • Half Day: \$85

\* Full Day: \$140 per person • Half Day: \$70

## Mr. Jerry's Skills and Drills Basketball Camp

at West Middle School

June 16 - 21 (no class 6/19)

[Program #25CP11.44](#) 9 - 11 am Grades K-3  
[Program #25CP11.45](#) 9 am - 2 pm Grades 3-9

July 7 - 11

[Program #25CP11.46](#) 9 - 11 am Grades K-3  
[Program #25CP11.47](#) 9 am - 2 pm Grades 3-9

Half Day: \$100 per person • Full Day: \$160 per person

Players will be coached on the basic fundamentals of offensive and defensive basketball, including ball handling, passing, shooting, moving without the ball, screens, spacing, and moving away from the ball.

Instructor: Mr. Jerry

## 2-Day Soccer Camp

at Friendship Valley Elementary School • 6 - 9 years

Tuesday & Wednesday • 9 am - 2 pm

[Program #25CP11.48](#) June 17 & 18

Monday & Tuesday • 9 am - 2 pm

[Program #25CP11.49](#) July 28 & 29

This intensive camp is designed to take a player's game to the next level.

We focus on speed, agility, and ball mastery. Small-sided games will focus on shooting and finishing techniques.

Instructor: Westminster Soccer Association

Individual: \$100 per person

## SC Football Summer Camp

at South Carroll High School • Ages: 9 - 15

Monday - Friday • 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

[Program #25CP11.109](#) June 23 - 27

South Carroll Football Camp- a week of fun & learning, where campers will receive instruction from coaches, players & program alumni! Daily activities will include position-specific football development, individual drills, non-contact group drills, & 7-on-7 activities.

Instructor: Mike Crumley

Individual: \$100 per person

Additional Child: \$90 per person

## South Carroll Youth Lacrosse Summer Camp

at Krimgold Multipurpose Field 1 • 5 - 10 years

Monday - Thursday • 6 - 8 pm

[Program #25CP11.50](#) July 14 - 17

Come join local area lacrosse coaches and college players for this evening camp! The focus will be on player development as they are guided through various fundamental skill sessions, based on age and ability, with an emphasis on fun and building a love for lacrosse. Equipment provided upon request. Boys and Girls K-4th (5-10 years old)

Instructor: WRC South Carroll Youth Lacrosse

Individual: \$100 per person

Sibling Discount: \$75 per person

## South Carroll Youth Field Hockey Camp

at Krimgold Park • Ages: 5 -14

Monday - Thursday • 5:00 - 7:00 pm

[Program #25CP11.110](#) July 28 - 31

Campers will learn stick skills, game play and field awareness. All levels of experience welcome.

Instructor: Winfield Recreation Council

Individual: \$125 per person

Sibling Discount: \$75 per person

## South Carroll Boys Basketball Camp

at South Carroll High School • Ages: 10 - 15

Monday - Thursday • 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

[Program #25CP11.112](#) July 28 - 31

Campers will learn vital skills that will help them become successful basketball players. Skills include dribbling, shooting, defense, team defense, passing, basketball IQ, team play, etc. Campers will be instructed by the South Carroll High School Boy's coaching staff with help from current/former South Carroll basketball athletes. Campers will receive a shirt and prizes for the Free Throw and Hotspot (shooting) competition winners based on their age bracket.

Instructor: So Carroll Varsity and JV Coach

Early Bird Discount: \$205 per person

Individual: \$250 per person

# Camps

## Coach COA Baseball Camp

June 23 - 27

Monday - Friday • at Freedom Park

<a href="#">Program #25CP11.52</a>	9am-3pm	5 - 8 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.53</a>	9am-3pm	7 - 9 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.54</a>	9am-3pm	8 - 15 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.55</a>	9am-12pm	5 - 8 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.56</a>	9am-12pm	7 - 9 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.57</a>	9am-12pm	8 - 15 years

July 14 - 18

Monday - Friday • at Carroll County Sports Complex

<a href="#">Program #25CP11.58</a>	9am-3pm	5 - 8 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.59</a>	9am-3pm	7 - 9 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.60</a>	9am-3pm	8 - 15 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.61</a>	9am-12pm	5 - 8 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.62</a>	9am-12pm	7 - 9 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.63</a>	9am-12pm	8 - 15 years

August 4 - 8

Monday - Friday • at Mayeski Park

<a href="#">Program #25CP11.64</a>	9am-3pm	5 - 8 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.65</a>	9am-3pm	7 - 9 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.66</a>	9am-3pm	8 - 15 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.67</a>	9am-12pm	5 - 8 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.68</a>	9am-12pm	7 - 9 years
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.69</a>	9am-12pm	8 - 15 years

Full Day: \$379 per person • Half Day: \$199

Learn from Maryland's best baseball instructors, including current and former college players, varsity and junior varsity high school coaches, and current players in the local community. Rotate through different stations that emphasize the skills needed to play baseball. We cover skills like batting, fielding, throwing, pitching, catching and baserunning. Finish the day with controlled practice games to work on in-game scenarios and situations. Quality instruction is our top priority. We teach a love for the game and have a passion for growing the sport.

Instructor: Casey Medairy

## Tennis Tots

at Westminster High School • 4 - 6 years

Monday-Thursday

<a href="#">Program #25CP11.70</a>	June 23- 26	10 - 10:45am
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.71</a>	July 14- 27	10 - 10:45am
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.72</a>	July 21- 24	10 - 10:45am
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.73</a>	August 4- 7	10 - 10:45am

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

Instructor: Steve French

Full Day: \$80 per person

## Tennis: Advanced Beginner

at Westminster High School • 13 - 17 years

Monday-Thursday

<a href="#">Program #25CP11.74</a>	June 23- 26	8 - 9am
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.75</a>	July 14- 27	8 - 9am
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.76</a>	July 21- 24	8 - 9am
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.77</a>	August 4- 7	8 - 9am

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

Instructor: Steve French

Full Day: \$100 per person

## Tennis: Beginner

at Westminster High School • 7 - 12 years

Monday-Thursday

<a href="#">Program #25CP11.78</a>	June 23- 26	9 - 10am
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.79</a>	July 14- 27	9 - 10am
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.80</a>	July 21- 24	9 - 10am
<a href="#">Program #25CP11.81</a>	August 4- 7	9 - 10am

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

Instructor: Steve French

Full Day: \$100 per person

## Westminster Volleyball

[Program #25CP11.82](#) • Pre-K - 3rd grade

at Winters Mill High School

Monday - Friday., June 23 - 27 from 9:00 - 10:30 am

Individual: \$100 per person

[Program #25CP11.83](#) • 3rd - 9th grade

at West Middle School

Monday - Friday., June 23 - 27 from 10:30 am - 1:00 pm

Individual: \$150 per person

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

Instructor: Mr. Jerry



To register scan the QR code or click on the program number.

## Champions Soccer Camp

Monday - Friday • Ages: 4 - 15

[Program #25CP11.84](#) August 11 - 15 9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
at West Middle School

[Program #25CP11.111](#) July 21 - 25 9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
at North Carroll Middle School

Westminster Soccer Association and North Carroll Rec. Council are proud to host Champions Soccer Camp with former US National Team player Ali Andrezejewski. Ali and Champions Soccer Training are bringing back their 20-year successful soccer camp to Carroll County. Her professional playing and coaching experience helps players of all skill levels grow technically and tactically in the game.

Instructor: Ali Andrezejewski

**Sibling Discount:** \$184 per person

**Individual** (after 3/1/25): \$199 per person

**Sibling**(after 3/1/25): \$194 per person

## G-Trained Athletic Summer Soccer Camp

at Cape Horn Park

Monday - Friday • July 7 - 11

[Program #25CP11.103](#) Ages: 5 - 9 9:00 - 11:00 am

[Program #25CP11.104](#) Ages: 10 - 14 12:00- 2:00 pm

The 4th annual G-Trained soccer skills camp will be coordinated by Coach Tom and a number of former North Carroll area players that have continued their soccer careers at various high schools and colleges. Younger campers will be training fundamental ball handling skills, passing and shooting techniques, and basic gameplay concepts. Older campers will be training advanced ball handling skills, positional tactics, as well as speed & agility training. Boys and girls welcome. Camp t-shirt is included with registration.

Instructor: Thomas Goretza

Full Day: \$120 per person

## Summer Horsemanship Week

at Sweet Rock Stables

Monday - Friday • 6 - 17 years

[Program #25CP11.106](#) June 23- 27 9:30 - 11:30 am

[Program #25CP11.107](#) July 21- 25 9:30 - 11:30 am

[Program #25CP11.108](#) July 28-August 1 9:30 - 11:30 am

Wellness Exams (Temperature, Pulse, etc.) This is a ground-based lesson(s) to familiarize those with little to no experience about horses, how to handle them and how to care for them. Basic introduction to horses, handling, haltering, leading, grooming and confidence and understanding of them. Very basic introduction to tack, horse riding, how to cue, mounting and dismounting. Please wear long pants and closed-toed shoes for your safety and comfort. We will provide SEI certified safety helmets.

Instructor: Steve French

Full Day: \$275 per person

## General Camps

### Secret Agent Camp

at Carroll County Dance Center & Ballet Conservatory

Monday - Friday • Ages: 5 -10

[Program #25CP11.85](#) June 23 - 27 9 am - 4 pm

Held at the Carroll County Dance Center & Ballet Conservatory. Calling all secret agents...spend the week honing your secret agent skills to complete a very important mission from headquarters. Get ready for adventure and excitement as you unlock your imagination by dancing and moving your body, making crafts and playing games with our spy themed activities. Dancers and children new to dance welcome! For boys and girls. Bring a sack lunch.

Instructor: Carroll County Dance Center & Ballet Conservatory

Individual: \$310 per person

### Around the World Camp

at Carroll County Dance Center & Ballet Conservatory

Monday - Friday • Ages: 5 - 10

[Program #25CP11.86](#) July 7 - 11 9 am - 4 pm

Held at the Carroll County Dance Center & Ballet Conservatory. From the joyful rhythms of Latin America to the high energy beats of Africa...Learn about the world cultures through music and dance from all around the world. Spend each day dancing and moving our body, making crafts and playing games with our Around the World themed activities. Dancers and children new to dance welcome! For boys and girls. Bring a sack lunch.

Instructor: Carroll County Dance Center & Ballet Conservatory

Individual: \$310 per person

### Summer Dance Camp

at Carroll County Dance Center & Ballet Conservatory • 6 - 12 years

Monday - Friday • 9 am - 5:30 pm

[Program #25CP11.87](#) July 28 - August 1

Held at the Carroll County Dance Center & Ballet Conservatory. Children experience a wide variety of dance forms daily, including ballet, jaz and more. They design and create fabulous costumes and scenery and practice the fundamentals of stage makeup. Families are invited to attend a performance held at the end of the week. In addition to dancing, children play games, run through the sprinkler and have a wonderful time! For boys and girls. Dancers bring their own lunch. Previous dance experience recommended.

Instructor: Carroll County Dance Center & Ballet Conservatory

Individual: \$360 per person

## Alpha Best Camp Wk 1: The Great Race!

at Charles Carroll Community Center • 6 - 11 years

Monday - Friday • 9 am - 4 pm

[Program #25CP11.88](#) June 16 - 20

Inspired by characters in the book Going Places, campers are immersed in real world challenges and hands-on fun. This week, campers join characters Maya and Rafael collaborating on the most amazing and imaginative go cart anyone has seen. We engineer unique racers, learn about propulsion, experiment with simple machines and design a challenging racecourse. This camp is for rising 1st Grade-rising 5th Grade (Ages 6-11).

Instructor: Alpha Best Staff

Individual: \$275 per person

## Alpha Best Camp Wk 2: Krazy Kinetic Parade!

at Charles Carroll Community Center • 6 - 11 years

Monday - Friday • 8 am - 3 pm

[Program #25CP11.89](#) June 22 - 27

Inspired by characters in the book Going Places, campers are immersed in real world challenges and hands-on fun. This week, characters Maya and Rafael create the Going Places Creative Problem-Solving Agency, based at the Eureka Public Library. Their challenge this week is to make the Eureka Town parade spectacular and they do this by building a kinetic parade float. This camp is for rising 1st Grade-rising 5th Grade (Ages 6-11).

Instructor: Alpha Best Staff

Individual: \$275 per person

## Alpha Best Camp Wk 3: Animal Adoption Match-up!

at Charles Carroll Community Center • 6 - 11 years

Monday - Thursday • 8 am - 3 pm

[Program #25CP11.90](#) June 30 - July

Inspired by characters in the book Going Places, campers are immersed in real world challenges and hands-on fun. This week, characters Rafael and Maya build an app that matches cute shelter animals to loving families. Campers use the power of imagination to merge the world of pet care with the tools of technology. This camp is for rising 1st Grade-rising 5th Grade (Ages 6-11).

Instructor: Alpha Best Staff

Individual: \$220 per person

## Alpha Best Camp Wk 4: Lights On!

at Charles Carroll Community Center • 6 - 11 years

Monday - Friday • 8 am - 3 pm

[Program #25CP11.91](#) July 7 - 11

Inspired by characters in the book Going Places, campers are immersed in real world challenges and hands-on fun! Characters Maya and Rafael create solar powered lamps for hurricane victims who have no access to electricity. Campers investigate alternative forms of energy and have some fun with the sun. This camp is for rising 1st Grade-rising 5th Grade (Ages 6-11).

Instructor: Alpha Best Staff

Individual: \$275 per person

## Alpha Best Camp Wk 5: Oceans Rescue!

at Charles Carroll Community Center • 6 - 11 years

Monday - Friday • 8 am - 3 pm

[Program #25CP11.92](#) July 14 - 18

Inspired by characters in the book Going Places, campers are immersed in real world challenges and hands-on fun. In Ocean Rescue, Maya and Rafael invent the PlasticSuperScooper3000 to extract hazardous trash from the ocean. Campers become marine biologists with a mission to protect the wildlife that lives in our oceans. This camp is for rising 1st Grade-rising 5th Grade (Ages 6-11).

Instructor: Alpha Best Staff

Individual: \$275 per person

## Alpha Best Camp Wk 6: Take the Show on the Road!

at Charles Carroll Community Center • 6 - 11 years

Monday - Friday • 8 am - 3 pm

[Program #25CP11.93](#) July 21 - 25

Inspired by characters in the book Going Places, campers are immersed in real world challenges and hands-on fun. In this week, Rafael and Maya design a movable theatre to put on plays for the seniors around town. Campers write, direct, choreograph, stage and promote our own productions. We also design and build a scale theatrical set model like the pros. The week culminates in a theatrical presentation. This camp is for rising 1st Grade-rising 5th Grade (Ages 6-11).

Instructor: Alpha Best Staff

Individual: \$275 per person

## Summer Playground

at Mayeski Park • Pre-K - 6th grade

Monday - Thursday • 9 am - 1 pm

[Program #25CP11.95](#) July 14 - 17

[Program #25CP11.96](#) August 4 - 7

Summer Playground Camps is a half-day camp for Kindergarten through rising 6th graders. Daily activities include arts and crafts, quiet and active games and activities and builds lasting friendships with other campers while making new memories every day.

Instructor: Lisa Piecewicz

Individual: \$140 per person

## Imagination Adventure Camp

at TBD • 6 - 11 years

Monday - Friday • 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

[Program #25CP11.115](#) July 14 - 18

During this week, kids will be designing and creating all kinds of things with a wide variety of materials. Here are some highlights: They will make stained glass panels with a glue and paint on glass technique. They will be thinking up new kinds of plants and bugs and then constructing models of them with modeling clay, wire, beads, and assorted odds and ends. They will make large cardboard models, embellished and painted, of a unique bell tower of their own design.

Instructor: Suzanne Brault

Individual: \$95 per person • Sibling Discount: \$100

## Camps

### Babysitter's Boot Camp

at Charles Carroll Community Center • 12 - 16 years

Monday - Thursday • 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

[Program #25CP11.97](#) June 30 - July 3

American Red Cross Babysitter's Training: To provide teens who are planning to babysit the knowledge and skills necessary to safely and responsibly give care to children and infants. This course will teach teens leadership skills and knowledge to keep themselves and other safe. This class includes certification from the American Red Cross in Pediatric First Aid/CPR/AED, valid for 2 years.

Instructor: Lisa Carroll

Individual: \$160 per person • Sibling Discount: \$140

### Teens

#### Teens on the Go!

Meet at Robert Moton Center • Grades 6-10 Fall 2025

Tuesday, July 1 • 8:30 am - 4 pm

[Program #25CP11.99](#)

The teens will be heading to Guppy Gulch in Delta, PA. Teens will get to enjoy a day in the water enjoying inflatable slides, climbing walls, a zipline and more. This program is only for teens going into grades 6-10 in Fall 2025.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Individual: \$65 per person • Non-resident: \$70

Sibling: \$60 per sibling • Non-resident: \$65

#### Teens on the Go!

Meet at Robert Moton Center • Grades 6-10 Fall 2025

Wednesday, July 9 • 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

[Program #25CP11.100](#)

In the morning the teens will be heading to Thunderhead Bowl & Grill for bowling and pizza. In the afternoon we will head to NR Adventure Park for low-impact paintball. Lunch is provided, 1 slice of pizza and a soda.

This program is only for teens going into grades 6-10 in Fall 2025.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Individual: \$80 per person • Non-resident: \$85

Sibling: \$75 per sibling • Non-resident: \$80

#### Teens on the Go!

Meet at Robert Moton Center • Grades 6-10 Fall 2025

Thursday, July 17 • 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

[Program #25CP11.101](#)

The group will be spending the day at Adventure Park USA. Teens will get to explore all the amenities including roller coasters, go karts, mini golf, a ropes course, laser tag and much more! This program is only for teens going into grades 6-10 in Fall 2025.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Individual: \$80 per person • Non-resident: \$85

Sibling: \$75 per sibling • Non-resident: \$80

### Teens on the Go!

Meet at Robert Moton Center • Grades 6-10 Fall 2025

Monday - Thursday, July 21 - 24 • 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

[Program #25CP11.102](#)

Monday, 7/21- Fourth Dimension Fun Center (bowling, laser tag & arcade) Tuesday, 7/22- Players FunZone (laser tag, mini glow golf, inflatables) & RC Theatre (movie TBD) Wednesday, 7/23- Adventure Park USA (roller coasters, go karts, mini golf, a ropes course, laser tag and more) Thursday, 7/24- Guppy Gulch (inflatables on water) There's lots to enjoy - don't miss the fun! This program is only for teens going into grades 6-10 in Fall 2025. Teens will often be self-supervised as they are grouped in small units to venture out on their own at most of the destinations and will report back to counselors at certain intervals. No refunds after Friday, June 20, 2025.

Instructor: Recreation & Parks Staff

Individual: \$280 per person • Non-resident: \$290

Sibling: \$275 per sibling • Non-resident: \$285

## Environmental Field Trips

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

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



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**AT THE CARROLL COUNTY FARM MUSEUM**  
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**LIVE MUSIC – POISON WHISKEY AND SMOKIN CROW**

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# PAVILION RENTALS

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

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# REGISTRATION FORM

PARTICIPANT'S LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S NAME (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE (home) \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE (work or cell) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME \_\_\_\_\_ EMERGENCY PHONE (Is this a cell phone? Yes No) \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
**PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE** (Parent/Guardian's signature if participant is under the age of 18.)

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**DATE**

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

Comments/Special Instructions

Make checks payable to Carroll County Commissioners and mail to:

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

<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	\$
Membership discount applied	-
<b>TOTAL</b>	\$

# INFORMATION

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## FEES & PAYMENT

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

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

## CANCELLATIONS

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

## WITHDRAW/REFUND POLICY

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

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

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

## INCLEMENT WEATHER

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

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

To check the status of the Snow Emergency Plan visit the state weather website at [www.chart.state.md.us/StormInfo/snow\\_emergency\\_plans.asp](http://www.chart.state.md.us/StormInfo/snow_emergency_plans.asp)

## CELL PHONES

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

## SMOKING POLICY

Smoking of any kind, including vaping, is not allowed in any county school, facility, or park.

## MAKE A DONATION

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

## VOLUNTEER

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

### YOUTH VOLUNTEER SERVICE HOURS

Visit [ccrecpark.org](http://ccrecpark.org) and click on the Volunteer Opportunities button.

## SPONSORSHIPS

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

## QUESTIONS? CONTACT US!

[www.ccrecpark.org](http://www.ccrecpark.org) • 410-386-2103 • [ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov](mailto:ccrec@carrollcountymd.gov)

## RECREATION COUNCIL PROGRAMS & REFUNDS

Each Recreation Council has their own registration process and in-turn their own refund policy, check with your local Recreation Council. For Recreation Council information see page 36 or visit [ccrecpark.org](http://ccrecpark.org) and select Volunteer Recreation Council.

# Recreation Council Information



CARROLL COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL  
[www.carrollcountyartscouncil.org](http://www.carrollcountyartscouncil.org)



CARROLL COUNTY EQUESTRIAN COUNCIL  
[www.carrollcountyequestriancouncil.org](http://www.carrollcountyequestriancouncil.org)



CENTRAL CARROLL RECREATION COUNCIL  
[www.centralcarrollrecreation.org](http://www.centralcarrollrecreation.org)



CHARLES CARROLL RECREATION COUNCIL  
[www.charlescarrollreccouncil.com](http://www.charlescarrollreccouncil.com)



FREEDOM AREA RECREATION COUNCIL  
[www.freedomarearec.org](http://www.freedomarearec.org)



NORTH CARROLL RECREATION COUNCIL  
[www.northcarrollrec.org](http://www.northcarrollrec.org)



PINEY RUN RECREATION & CONSERVATION COUNCIL  
 Contact Patrick Carney at 410-795-6043



WEST CARROLL RECREATION COUNCIL  
[www.gowcrc.org](http://www.gowcrc.org)



WESTMINSTER AREA RECREATION COUNCIL  
[www.westminsterarearec.com](http://www.westminsterarearec.com)



WINFIELD RECREATION COUNCIL  
[www.winfieldrec.org](http://www.winfieldrec.org)



WOODBINE RECREATION COUNCIL  
[www.woodbinerec.org](http://www.woodbinerec.org)



FRIENDS OF HASHAWHA AND BEAR BRANCH  
 Contact Michelle Scott at [FriendsofHBB@gmail.com](mailto:FriendsofHBB@gmail.com)



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





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# CARROLL COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION & PARKS

## PARKS & FACILITY LOCATIONS

### BARK HILL PARK

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

### BENNETT CERF PARK & DOG PARK

544 Manchester Road, Westminster 21157

### CAPE HORN PARK

2500 Cape Horn Road, Hampstead 21074

### CARROLL COUNTY EQUESTRIAN CENTER

2512 Grimville Road, Mount Airy 21771

### CARROLL COUNTY SPORTS COMPLEX

2225 Littlestown Pike, Westminster 21158

### CHARLES CARROLL PARK & COMMUNITY CENTER

3719 Littlestown Pike, Westminster 21158

### CHERRYTOWN ROAD PARK

Cherrytown Road, Westminster 21157

### DEER PARK

637 Deer Park Road, Westminster 21157

### DOUBLE PIPE CREEK PARK

7577 Middleburg Road, Detour 21757

### FREEDOM PARK

1111 Raincliffe Road, Sykesville 21784

### GILLIS FALLS RESERVOIR SITE

Woodbine 21797

### HASHAWHA/BEAR BRANCH NATURE CENTER

300 John Owings Road, Westminster 21158

### HAP BAKER FIREARMS FACILITY

1400 Baltimore Boulevard, Westminster 21157

### HODGES PARK

5630 Hodges Road, Sykesville 21784

### KATE WAGNER FIELDS

1100 Gist Road, Westminster 21157

### KRIMGOLD PARK

5355 Woodbine Road, Woodbine 21797

### LANDON C. BURNS PARK

700 Gist Road, Westminster 21157

### LEISTER PARK

4134 Black Rock Road, Hampstead 21074

### MAYESKI PARK

1300 W. Old Liberty Road, Sykesville 21784

### NEW WINDSOR COMMUNITY ROOM

1100 Green Valley Road, New Windsor 21776

### NORTH CARROLL COMMUNITY POND

Basler Road & Route 30, Hampstead 21074

### OBRECHT ROAD PARK

100 E. Obrecht Road, Sykesville 21784

### OLD LIBERTY ROAD

100 W. Old Liberty Road, Sykesville 21784

### PINEY RUN PARK & NATURE CENTER

30 Martz Road, Sykesville 21784

### ROBERT MOTON CENTER

300 S. Center Street, Westminster 21157

### SALT BOX PARK

Gillis Falls Road, Woodbine 21797

### SANDYMOUNT PARK

2250 Old Westminster Pike, Westminster 21157

### SOUTH CARROLL DOG PARK

5928 Mineral Hill Road, Eldersburg, 21784

### UNION MILLS RESERVOIR

220 John Owings Road, Westminster 21158

### WESTMINSTER COMMUNITY POND

30 College View Boulevard, Westminster 21157

### WESTMINSTER VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK

Hook Road, Westminster 21157

### WINFIELD PARK

Salem Bottom Road (opposite Winfield Elementary), Westminster 21157