



SUMMER

2017

Town of
**Amherst Youth
& Recreation**
Department

www.amherstyouthandrec.org



GET FIT IN A PARK NEAR YOU!



FREE COMMUNITY EXERCISE CLASSES

- WHO:** Everyone!
- WHAT:** FREE, 60-minute classes taught by YMCA certified instructors.
- WHERE:** Bassett Park, Amherst
- WHEN:** June 5 – August 25 at 6 p.m.
Zumba® on Mondays and Cardio Kickboxing on Fridays



No sign up or registration is required; just show up!
For more information, visit independenthealth.com/fitpark

Town of Amherst Youth & Recreation Department

General Information

Mary-Diana Pouli,
Executive Director

Amherst Youth & Recreation

Administrative Offices - Northtown Center at Amherst
1615 Amherst Manor Drive, Williamsville, NY 14221

For information regarding registration, programs, facilities, rentals
and ID cards, please call 716-631-7132.

Hours of Operation

(Hours subject to change)

Summer Office Hours until the end of July:

Monday - Friday - 8:30am-5:30pm

Saturday and Sunday- 10am - 2pm

Closed July 4, 2017

Town of Amherst Elected Officials

Barry A. Weinstein, Supervisor
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Francina Spoth, Council Member

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Volunteer Opportunities

Our youth and recreation programs greatly rely on the efforts
and contributions of citizen volunteers. Many different volunteer
opportunities are available, and may be tailored to individual
needs.

To find out how you can serve on the Youth Board or Recreation
Commission, contact:

Mary-Diana Pouli, Executive Director
1615 Amherst Manor Drive, Williamsville, NY 14221
716-631-7132

To find out how you might be able to assist in our after school
child care, help plan special events, or perform other volunteer
functions, please contact:

Antonella Stravalaci, Director of Volunteers
1615 Amherst Manor Drive, Williamsville, NY
716-631-7132, ext. 7544

*Volunteers must be at least 18 years of age and meet other
eligibility requirements.*

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Resident Photo ID Card Information

A valid Town of Amherst Resident Photo ID card is needed to register for programs and services and to receive resident discounts for open skate sessions. Resident ID cards also allow for unlimited free use of the Clearfield and North Forest pools during the summer months. Resident Photo ID cards are valid for one calendar year.

ID cards may only be purchased at the Youth & Recreation Department office. Cost is \$5.00 per person; cash, check or charge.

Proof of residency and a new photo (taken at time of ID card registration) is required for new and renewal cards.

Proof of residency for Adults:

Driver's license or a valid non-driver ID

Proof of residency for Children:

Child's birth certificate or 2016 ID card.

Refunds & Fees

Please note that no refunds will be given for registration fees or programs. Programs will be cancelled due to inclement weather and on all major holidays.

A Message to Parents - Age Requirement

Unless stipulated in the program description, age requirements are as of the date of the first class. All age requirements are set to benefit the children and make instruction more consistent for the program instructor. In some instances, requirements are set for the child's safety.

Special Needs


The Town of Amherst encourages individuals with disabilities to register for general youth and recreation programs. If you require assistance or have special needs, let us know. The Youth & Recreation Department will make reasonable accommodations to facilitate the participation of an individual with a disability in any of our programs. Please advise our staff at the time of registration.

Telephone Numbers


Youth & Recreation Office	716-631-7132
Youth & Recreation Office – Fax	716-626-9087
Northtown Center at Amherst Ice Facility	716-631-7555
Audubon Golf Course	716-631-7139
Oakwood Golf Course	716-631-1421
Audubon Par 3	716-631-7124

Frequently Requested Numbers

Amherst Youth Hockey	716-631-0850
Amherst Skating Club	716-634-3887
Amherst Soccer Association	716-580-3468



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**Summer 2017
Book Club
for Children**
*Book Club is open to
all town residents who
will be in 4th, 5th and
6th grades for the start
of the 2017 school year.*

**Register by Wednesday, July 18th,
online at www.amherstyouthandrec.org**

There will be two meetings of book club at the Clearfield Community Center in the youth center.

Wednesday, August 2nd at 7:30pm
Come learn about book club
Participate in an activity. • Receive your book.

Wednesday, August 9th at 7:30pm
Discussion of the key characters and theme;
led by the Amherst Youth Consortium
Activity will be done. • Refreshments will be served.

**Register online at
www.amherstyouthandrec.org by July 18th**
Further questions please call
Mrs. Kathy Mobarak-Miller
631-7132 ext 7523 • kmobmiller@amherst.ny.us

Open Pool Times

PRE-SEASON HOURS			
Clearfield June 16th – June 23rd 1:00-7:00 pm Monday-Friday	Clearfield June 17th & 18th 12:00-5:00 pm Saturday & Sunday	North Forest Due to upgrades and improvements, North Forest Pool will open June 26.	
SUMMER HOURS			
Clearfield June 26th – August 4th 1:00-5:00 pm & 6:00-8:00 pm Monday- Friday *July 4th 12:00-5:00 pm* August 7th – August 11th 10:00 am-5:00 pm & 6:00-8:00 pm	Clearfield June 24th – August 13th 12:00-5:00 pm Saturday & Sunday *July 2nd – August 6th* Sunday *11:00 am-12:00 pm (Adults ONLY)*	North Forest June 26th – August 11th 1:30-5:00 pm 6:00-8:00 pm Monday –Friday * July 4th Closed *	North Forest July 1st – August 13th 1:00-5:00 pm Saturday 12:00-5:00 pm Sunday
POST-SEASON HOURS			
To be Announced...			
FEES			
No Fee with ID Card • \$5.00 without ID Card			



ID Cards are sold only at the Northtown Center at Amherst

There will be NO refunds issued if pools must close during open swim

SPECIAL NOTES:

- No floatation devices/suits, face masks or flippers allowed.
- The pool may be temporarily closed at any time due to safety concerns.
- Proper swimwear, swim diapers on infants, shoulder length hair must be pulled back.

Lap Swim

****NO lap swim on July 4th****

North Forest June 26th – August 11th Monday – Friday 7:45-8:50 am 6:00-8:00 pm No Fee	North Forest July 1st – August 12th Saturday 12:00-1:00 pm No Fee	North Forest July 2nd – August 6th Sunday 11:00 am-12:00 pm Seniors only No Fee
Clearfield June 26th – August 11th Monday- Friday 8:15-8:45am • 12:30-1:00 pm* Mon/Wed/Fri 5:15-5:45 pm No Fee	North Forest Lunch Hour Swim 18 and up June 26th –August 11th Monday-Friday 12:30-1:30 pm*** Registration Fee: \$25.00	* widths only due to program ***Three lanes will be designated for lap swim. One lane designated for passive swimming.

Contact Person: Brian Ignaszak • bignaszak@amherst.ny.us • 631-7132 ext. 7519

Swim Lesson Program

Sites: Clearfield Community Center (CL) • North Forest Pool (NF)
Session: **Session 1:** 6/26-7/7* *no class on July 4th
Session 2: 7/10-7/21
Session 3: 7/24-8/4
Session 4: 6/27-8/10 (Level 5 only)
Session 5: 6/26-8/9 (Level 5 only)
Session 6: 8/7-8/11



Description: Our recreation Swim Lesson Program is held at both of our outdoor pools. It will help your child develop their swim skills from level one; feeling comfortable in the water thru level six; skill proficiency. Keep in mind that it is common for children to repeat levels before advancing to the next. **Children must be 4 years old by first day of class.**

Registration Fee: \$20.00 per child, per session **Contact Person:** Brian Ignaszak • bignaszak@amherst.ny.us • 631-7132 ext. 7519

Session	Site	Sport	Level	Times	Days
1,2,3	NF	Swim	1,2,3,4	9:10-9:40 am	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	NF	Swim	1,2,3,4	9:50-10:20 am	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	NF	Swim	1,2,3,4	10:30-11:00 am	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	NF	Swim	1,2,3,4	11:10-11:40 am	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	NF	Swim	1,2,3,4	11:50-12:20 pm	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	NF	Swim	2,3	6:00-6:30 pm	Mon-Fri
5	NF	Swim	5	5:15-5:45 pm	Mon/Wed
6	NF	Swim	2,3,4	9:30-10:15am	Mon-Fri
6	NF	Swim	2,3,4	10:30-11:15am	Mon-Fri
6	NF	Swim	2,3,4	11:30-12:15pm	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	CL	Swim	1,2,3,4,5	9:10-9:40 am	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	CL	Swim	1,2,3,4,5	9:50-10:20 am	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	CL	Swim	1,2,3,4,5	10:30-11:00 am	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	CL	Swim	1,2,3,4,5	11:10-11:40 am	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	CL	Swim	1,2,3,4,5	11:50-12:20 pm	Mon-Fri
4	CL	Swim	5	5:15-5:45 pm	Tues & Thurs
1,2,3	CL	Swim	2,3,4	6:00-6:30 pm	Mon-Fri
1,2,3	CL	Swim	2,3,4	6:40-7:10 pm	Mon-Fri

- **Level 1 Intro to Water Skills:** Help child become comfortable in, and develop safe practices in and around the water.
 - **Level 2 Fundamental Aquatic Skills:** Float without support and begin to learn true locomotion skills.
 - **Level 3 Stroke Development:** Child must be able to swim above water for approximately 10 yards and begin skills such as the survival float, front crawl and elementary backstroke, introduce scissor and dolphin kicks.
 - **Level 4 Stroke Improvement:** Increased endurance on previous level skills, begin back crawl, breaststroke and butterfly.
 - **Level 5 Stroke Refinement:** Continue to refine strokes and endurance. Flip turns on front and back introduced.
 - **Level 6 Fitness Swimmer:** Swim with ease, efficiency and smoothness. Introduce personal water safety and fitness skills.
- Required Equipment:** Proper swimwear, towel, shoulder length hair must be pulled back.

Family Splash Time (FST) : Clearfield Community Center

Description: This time is designated for Town of Amherst residents with children under **7** years of age to use the Splash Park **ONLY**. A Parent or guardian must accompany child/children. There is no lesson instruction. You may not enter the pool area before program.

Site: Clearfield Community Center

Session: **Session 1:** June 26th-July 19th - Monday-Friday
***No Program July 4th**
Session 2: July 20th-August 11th - Monday-Friday

Registration Fee: **\$15.00 per session, per family**

Sessions	Class	Time
1,2	FST	12:30-1:00pm
1,2	FST	5:15-5:45pm

Lessons for Intimidated Non-Swimmer - (Child)

Description: Designed specifically for children **7** and over who do not have Level 1 capability due to water intimidation.

Site: North Forest Pool

Days: Saturdays

Time: 11:15-11:45 am

Schedule: July 1st -August 12th

Required Equipment: Proper swimwear, towel, long hair must be tied back.

Registration Fee: **\$20.00**

Contact Person: Brian Ignaszak
 bignaszak@amherst.ny.us
 631-7132 ext. 7519



Lessons for the Adult Non-Swimmer

Description: For adults who would like to conquer their fear of the water.

Site: North Forest Pool

Days: Saturdays

Time: 12:15-1:00 pm

Schedule: July 1st - August 12th

Required Equipment: Proper Swimwear

Registration Fee: **\$20.00**

Contact Person: Brian Ignaszak
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Water Exercise (WE)

Description : Improve flexibility, strength and cardiovascular endurance. Exercise can be modified to meet individual needs. Proper swimwear is required.

Contact Person: Brian Ignaszak
 bignaszak@amherst.ny.us
 631-7132 ext. 7519



Session 1: June 27th-August 10th
 Tuesday & Thursday
North Forest Pool
 5:00-5:45 pm
 Registration Fee: \$25.00

Session 2: July 1st-August 12th
 Saturdays
Clearfield Community Pool
 11:00-12:00 pm
 Registration Fee: \$20.00

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WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221
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Synchronized Swimming

Description: Learn the basics of synchronized swimming, including sculling, figures and a routine to perform on the last day of class.

Special Notes: Participants must be able to swim two widths of the pool.
For ages 8 to 12
Shoulder length hair should be pulled back, goggles and nose plugs beneficial.

Site: Clearfield Community Center

Days: Tuesdays/Thursdays

Session 1: June 27th - August 10th
12:15 - 1:00pm

Registration Fee: \$20.00

Contact Person: Laura Ehrenreich
631-7132 ext 7522
lmehrenreich@amherst.ny.us

Splash Frenzy

Description: Half day, week long sports clinic for children ages 6-13. Intended for children of all ability levels.

Site: Clearfield Community Center Large Gym & Pool (weather permitting)

Days: Mon. – Fri.
August 7 – August 11

Special Notes: Children will need to be in bathing suits but also have sneakers. Weather permitting, we will utilize the pool or play games in the gym.

Registration Fee: \$20.00

Contact Person: Laura Ehrenreich
631-7132 ext 7522
lmehrenreich@amherst.ny.us



Parent and Child Aquatics

Description: This program is designated for children 6 months to 3 years old to help them become more comfortable in and around the water and lay a foundation for learning future aquatic skills. A parent or guardian **MUST** accompany child into the water.

Site: North Forest Pool

Day: Fridays or Saturdays

Time: Friday- 5:30-6:00 pm
June 30th – August 11th
Saturday – 10:15-10:45am,
11:00-11:30am
July 1st – August 12th

Special Notes: This class may take place in both large and wading pools.

Required Equipment: Proper swimwear, swim diapers if child is not potty trained.

Registration Fee: \$20.00

Contact Person: Brian Ignaszak
bignaszak@amherst.ny.us
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to live and work.*

IMAGINATION



Station

Free!

Fun at your neighborhood playground!

June 26-August 11, 2017
No Program on July 4

DESCRIPTION: Please join us for activities that are geared for children ages 12 and under. Children 5 and under must be supervised by someone 13 years or older at all times. Staff will be at each site ready to have fun with games, crafts and so much more. During the seven weeks each child will have the opportunity to earn playground points and the child with the most playground points will receive a prize at this year's summer blast. The more you show up the better your chances!

MORNING SITES

9:00-12:30 PM

Briarhurst Park
 Clearfield Park
 North Forest Park
 Maplemere Elementary

AFTERNOON SITES:

1:30-5:00 PM

Clearfield Park
 Windermere Elementary
 Audubon Library

SPECIAL NOTES: Playgrounds are/will close whenever there is a threat of a thunderstorm, during heavy rain, or when the grounds are too wet for safe operation of the program. Individual parks may be closed due to any other safety concerns for that day. Children may be sent home at any time.

While staff supervision will be provided, these programs are designed as a drop-in recreation programs, not day care. Children are free to enter and leave the park without permission or supervision.

FEES AND REGISTRATION: Each participant must be registered by a parent or guardian at each site to participate. Pre-registration will register child at all locations for the summer. Enter Imagination Station under activity on the registration form or use the online system (please register each child that will be participating). You **MUST** have a **VALID ID CARD** to register, there is no fee for the program. See pages 28 or 32 for registration form.

Contact: Jennifer Reed, 689-1404, jreed@amherst.ny.us



Playmobile

DESCRIPTION: Specialized crafts and sporting activities are provided for children 12 and under. Children 5 and under must be supervised by someone 13 years or older at all times.

SITE: Please see schedule

DAY: Monday thru Friday

TIME: See Schedule

SESSION: June 26-August 11, 2017

FEES & REGISTRATION: Each participant must be registered by a parent or guardian at each site to participate. Pre-registration will register child at all locations for the summer. Enter Imagination station under activity on the registration form or use the online system (please register each child that will be participating). You **MUST** have a **VALID ID CARD** to register, there is no fee for the program. See pages 28 or 32 for registration form.

CONTACT: Jennifer Reed • 689-1404 • jreed@amherst.ny.us

DATE	TIME	PLAYMOBILE 1	PLAYMOBILE 2
6/26	9:00-10:00	North Forest	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20	TBA	Windermere Elementary
6/27	9:00-12:00		Briarhurst Park
6/28	9:00-12:00	Maplemere Elementary	
	11:00-12:30		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20	Audubon Library	
6/29	9:00-10:00	Clearfield	
	9:00-12:00		Paradise Park
	1:00-4:20	Bassett Park	Willowridge Elementary
6/30	9:00-12:00	Maple West Elementary	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20		Heim Elementary
	3:00-4:20	Harlem Road	
7/3	9:00-10:00	North Forest	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
7/4	Closed		
7/5	9:00-12:00	Maplemere Elementary	
	11:00-12:30		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20	Audubon Library	
7/6	9:00-10:00	Clearfield	
	9:00-12:00		Paradise Park
	1:00-4:20	Bassett Park	Willowridge Elementary
7/7	9:00-12:00	Maple West Elementary	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	3:00-4:20	Harlem Road	
7/10	9:00-10:00	North Forest	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	11:00-12:30		Clearfield
7/13	9:00-10:00	Clearfield	
	9:00-12:00		Paradise Park
	9:00-12:00	Maple West Elementary	
7/14	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20		Heim Elementary
	3:00-4:20	Harlem Road	
	9:00-10:00	North Forest	
7/17	11:00-12:00	Clearfield	
	1:00-4:20	TBA	Windermere Elementary
	9:00-11:00	Maplemere Elementary	
7/19	11:00-12:30		Clearfield
	2:00-4:20	Audubon Library	



7/20	9:00-10:00	Clearfield	
	9:00-12:00		Paradise Park
	1:00-4:20	Bassett Park	Willowridge Elementary
7/21	9:00-12:00	Maple West Elementary	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20		Heim Elementary
	3:00-4:20	Harlem Road	
7/24	9:00-10:00	North Forest	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
7/25	9:00-12:00		Briarhurst Park
7/26	9:00-12:00	Maplemere Elementary	
	11:00-12:30		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20	Audubon Library	
7/27	9:00-10:00	Clearfield	
	1:00-4:20	Bassett Park	Paradise Park
7/28	9:00-12:00	Maple West Elementary	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20		Heim Elementary
	3:00-4:20	Harlem Road	
7/31	9:00-10:00	North Forest	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20	TBA	Windermere Elementary
8/1	9:00-12:00		Briarhurst Park
8/2	11:00-12:30		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20	Audubon Library	
8/3	9:00-10:00	Clearfield	
	9:00-12:00		Paradise Park
8/4	9:00-12:00	TBA	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	2:30-4:20	Harlem Road	
8/7	9:00-10:00	North Forest	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20	TBA	Windermere Elementary
8/9	11:00-12:30		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20	Audubon Library	
8/10	9:00-10:00	Clearfield	
	9:00-12:00		Paradise Park
	1:00-4:20	Bassett Park	Willowridge Elementary
8/11	9:00-12:00	Maple West Elementary	
	11:00-12:00		Clearfield
	1:00-4:20		Heim Elementary
	2:30-4:20	Harlem Road	

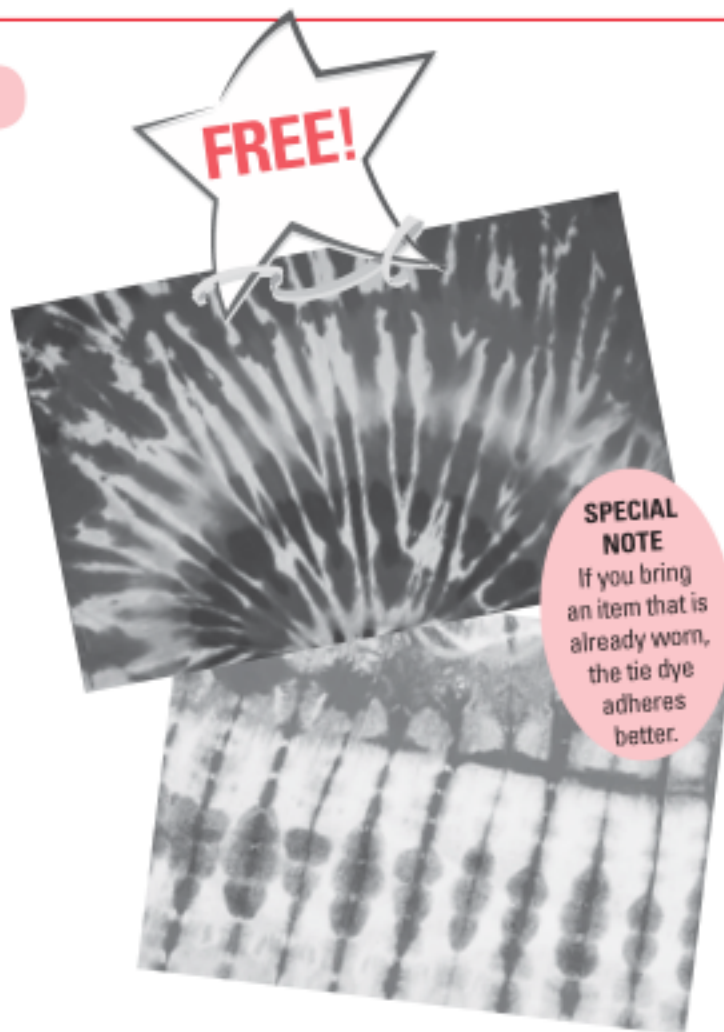
Ready-Set-Go Story & Craft/Activity Time:

- Description:** The Youth & Recreation Department will be providing a series of story times and crafts geared toward your little ones. Each Monday and Thursday a different set of books along with crafts or and activities will introduced. Ready, Set, Go and come on this adventure with us.
- Day:** Mondays, starting June 26 – August 8 @ 10:30-11:30 am at North Forest
Thursdays, starting June 29 – August 10 @ 10:30-11:30 am at Clearfield
- Cost:** Free
- Registration:** Please visit www.amherstyouthandrec.org or see pages 28 or 32 for registration form.
- Contact Person:** Jennifer Reed
689-1404
jreed@amherst.ny.us
- Special Notes:** This program is for children 7 years and younger. We ask that an adult stay with the child for supervision and help with the craft. Program will be canceled for inclement weather. Please call 631-7132 for program cancelation information.



Tie Dye Tuesday

- Description:** Tuesdays are getting groovy again at the Youth and Recreation Department. Mix and swirl colors to each week's theme. Bring a shirt, pillow case, socks etc. from home to tie-dye and watch the magic happen!
- Day:** Tuesdays
- Sites:** **6/27 @ Clearfield** *Firecracker tie dye (Red, White & Blue)
7/11 @ North Forest *Spider tie dye
7/18 @ Briarhurst Park *Sunburst tie dye
7/25 @ Maplemere Elementary
*Shibori tie dye
8/1 @ Audubon Library *Bullseye tie dye
8/8 @ TBA
*Crumple tie dye
- Time:** 1:30-4:00pm (Participants are welcome to come at any time)
- Contact Person:** Jennifer Reed
689-1404
jreed@amherst.ny.us
- Special Notes:** *Please wear play clothes as clothing may get stained
*Please bring a plastic bag to bring your item home in as it will be wet
* Only one item per child



Youth Archery

Description: Learn the fundamentals of Archery. This class covers safety, basic archery form, grouping arrows, aiming and scoring. All equipment is provided in the class. This class is structured for beginning level archers. Intermediate classes are also available for those who have taken the basic archery class. All classes are listed below.

Site: Clearfield Community Center (back field)

Fee: \$20.00

Required Equipment: Equipment will be provided, personal equipment cannot be used.

Special Notes: **In case of rain or wet field conditions program will be cancelled. No class Tuesday, July 4th.**



Registration: To register, please visit www.amherstyouthandrec.org or see pages 28 or 32 for registration form.

Contact Person: Angelo Lorenzo
631-7132 ext. 7517
alorenzo@amherst.ny.us

Session	9:00-9:45 am	10:00-10:45 am	11:00-11:45 am	12:30-1:15 pm	1:30-2:15 pm
1 6/26-6/30	Beginner Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 8-12	Intermediate Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 12-14
2 7/3-7/7	Beginner Ages 8-12	Intermediate Ages 12-14	Beginner Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 12-14
3 7/10-7/14	Beginner Ages 8-12	Intermediate Ages 8-12	Intermediate Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 12-14
4 7/17-7/21	Beginner Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 12-14	Beginner Ages 8-12	Intermediate Ages 8-12 *No Class On July 20	Intermediate Ages 12-14 *No Class On July 20
5 7/24-7/28	Beginner Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 8-12	Intermediate Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 8-12	Intermediate Ages 12-14
6 7/31-8/4	Beginner Ages 8-12	Intermediate Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 8-12	Intermediate Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 12-14
7 8/7-8/11	Intermediate Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 8-12	Beginner Ages 8-12	Intermediate Ages 12-14

Individuals with Special Needs

Description: This program involves socializing, swimming, splash park and outdoor play. Please bring bathing suit, sunscreen and towel with name on it.

KIDS' PROGRAM

Ages: 5-16
Days/Times: July 1st – August 12th
Saturday • 10:00 am-12:00 pm
Site: Clearfield Community Center
Registration Fee: \$20.00

ADULT PROGRAM

Ages: 16 & UP
Days/Times: June 27th – August 8th
Tuesday • 6:30-9:00 pm
Site: Clearfield Community Center
Registration Fee: \$20.00
Contact Person: Laura Ehrenreich
lmehrenreich@amherst.ny.us
631-7132 ext 7522



*Best wishes for a safe
and fun summer season!*



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TOWN CLERK

Candidate for Amherst Town Supervisor

Summer Sports Clinic 2017

Description: Several series of 1/2 day, weeklong, sports clinics for children ages 6 - 13. These clinics are intended for children of all ability levels. Each weekly session will include discussion of rules and strategies, basic skills training, practice drills, and game play.

Registration Fee: \$20.00 per child, per session

Special Notes: **Splash Frenzy** Students will need to be in bathing suits, but also have SNEAKERS. Weather permitting we will utilize the pool or play games in the gym.

Baseball: Baseball mitt & boys MUST wear cup, optional items include bat, helmet.

Net Sports: We will be playing a variety of sports involving "Nets," including volleyball, team handball, pickleball, etc.

Outdoor Adventure: We will be incorporating an outdoor adventure unit comprised of visiting several parks in the Amherst area to geocache, orienteer, & do scavenger hunts. Locations will be given. Drop off/pick up time critical. We will be HIKING A LOT!! Water & sunscreen are essential. (Hiking shoes/sneakers, appropriate outdoor clothing for weather, bug spray)

Children may participate in as many sports as they wish.

Required Equipment:

Amazing Races: We will be incorporating team challenges, obstacle courses, & relay races.

Floor Hockey will also include pillo-polo and scooter hockey.

Field Days We will be incorporating a unit with water challenges, backyard games & Olympic events.

Game Week Organized games will be played each day, including but not limited to tag games, fitness, dance, martial arts, etc.

Gatorball Week: Organized games will be played each day, including but not limited to kickball, dodgeball, handball, etc.

All Sports: A water bottle, and sunscreen. Also, if your child is participating in a sport in which rubber cleats may be worn, please provide him or her with non-marking sole sneakers for use inside of the gymnasiums too.

Contact Person: Laura Ehrenreich
lmehrenreich@amherst.ny.us
631-7132 ext 7522

Session	Time	Clearfield Community Center Large Gym (CL-LG)	Clearfield Community Center Small Gym (CL-SM)	North Amherst Recreation Center (NARC)
Session 1 6/26-6/30	9:30-12:00pm	Basketball (BK) Ages 8-10	Floor Hockey (FH) Ages 11-13	Game Week (GW) Ages 6-9
	1:30-4:00pm	Basketball (BK) Ages 11-13	Floor Hockey (FH) Ages 8-10	Game Week (GW) Ages 10-13
Session 2 7/3-7/7	9:30-12:00pm	Gatorball (GB) Ages 7-9	Net Sports (NS) Ages 8-10	Baseball (BB) Ages 11-13
No class on 7/4	1:30-4:00pm	Gatorball (GB) Ages 10-13	Net Sports (NS) Ages 11-13	Baseball (BB) Ages 8-10
Session 3 7/10-7/14	9:30-12:00pm	Basketball (BK) Ages 11-13	Floor Hockey (FH) Ages 8-10	Flag Football (FF) Ages 8-10
	1:30-4:00pm	Basketball (BK) Ages 8-10	Floor Hockey (FH) Ages 11-13	Flag Football (FF) Ages 11-13
Session 4 7/17-7/21	9:30-12:00pm	Field Days (FD) Ages 6-9		Soccer (S) Ages 10-12
	1:30-4:00pm	Field Days (FD) Ages 10-13		Soccer (S) Ages 7-9
Session 5 7/24-7/28	9:30-12:00pm	Outdoor Adventure (OA) Ages 11-13		Flag Football (FF) Ages 8-10
	1:30-4:00pm	Outdoor Adventure (OA) Ages 8-10		Flag Football (FF) Ages 11-13
Session 6 7/31-8/4	9:30-12:00pm	Amazing Races (AR) Ages 6-9	Floor Hockey (FH) Ages 11-13	Gatorball (GB) Ages 10-13
	1:30-4:00pm	Amazing Races (AR) Ages 10-13	Floor Hockey (FH) Ages 8-10	Gatorball (GB) Ages 7-9
Session 7 8/7-8/11	9:30-12:00pm	Splash Frenzy (SF) Ages 6-9		Baseball (BB) Ages 11-13
	1:30-4:00pm	Game Week (GW) Ages 10-13		Baseball (BB) Ages 8-10
Session 8 8/14-8/18	9:30-12:00pm	Basketball (BK) Ages 8-10	Floor Hockey (FH) Ages 11-13	
	1:30-4:00pm	Basketball (BK) Ages 11-13	Floor Hockey (FH) Ages 8-10	

Play Ball for Tots –Ages 3-5

Description: Each week participants will learn sport skills in a fun, safe and energetic environment. Kids will learn motor skills, social interaction and have fun.

Site: North Forest Park
(Grass area by playground)

Days: Monday, Wednesday or Friday

Schedule: June 26 – August 11, 2017

Time: 9:30-10:30 am

Fee: No Fee

Registration: Please visit www.amherstyouthandrec.org or see pages 28 or 32 for registration form.

Special Notes: Program will be canceled for inclement weather. Please call 631-7132 for program cancellation information. Children should come in sneakers and bring a water bottle. You can register for only one of the three days.

Contact Person: Jennifer Reed
689-1404
jreed@amherst.ny.us



Kids' Night Out-Ages 5-11

Description: Treat yourself to an evening on the town while your school-age child enjoys a night of arts, crafts & games with friends.

Site: Clearfield Community Center

Day: Thursday

Schedule: July 13 (A very merry "un-birthday" party theme) and August 3, 2017 (Outer space theme)

Time: 6:30-8:30 pm

Fee: No Fee

Registration: Limited space is available for this program. Please visit www.amherstyouthandrec.org or see pages 28 or 32 for registration form.

Contact Person: Jennifer Reed
689-1404
jreed@amherst.ny.us

Treat yourself to an evening on the town...



Junior Artists- Ages 3-5 & 6-11

Description: Children will create their own masterpieces in a relaxing, creative environment.

Site: Harlem Road Pavilion (rain site: Community room inside Harlem Road Community Center)

Days: Tuesdays (ages 3-5) & Fridays (ages 6-11)

Time: 9:30-10:30 (Tuesdays) & 1:30-2:30 (Fridays)

Fee: None

Schedule: June 27-August 11, 2017
(No program July 4th)

Registration: Please visit www.amherstyouthandrec.org or see pages 28 or 32 for registration form.

Special notes: Please have children bring a smock or wear clothes that they can be creative in. We ask that parents stay with the Tuesday group.

Contact Person: Jennifer Reed
689-1404
jreed@amherst.ny.us



Summer Tennis Program 2017

Description: Tennis Lessons/Drills/Games for children thru adult.

Session 1: June 26th to July 7th Monday –Friday No Program on July 4th	Session 2: July 10th to July 21st Monday -Friday	Session 3: July 24th to August 4th Monday -Friday
Session 4: June 26th to July 19th	Session 5: July 20th to August 11th	Session 6: June 26th to July 18th Tuesday/Thursday

Locations:

Briarhurst Park (BR)	Clearfield Community Center (CL)	North Forest Park (NF)
Willowridge Park (WP)	Trailway Courts (Bike Path) (TC)	Smallwood (SM)

Children’s Tennis: Lessons for children ages 7 to 15 **Fee:** \$20.00

Session	Site	Times			
1,2,3	CL, NF	8:45-9:25 am	9:35-10:15 am	10:25-11:05 am	11:15-11:55 am
1,2,3,	NF	1:15-1:55 pm	2:05-2:45 pm		
1	SM	8:45-9:25 am	9:35-10:15 am	10:25-11:05 am	11:15-11:55 am
2	BR	8:45-9:25 am	9:35-10:15 am	10:25-11:05 am	11:15-11:55 am
3	WP	8:45-9:25 am	9:35-10:15 am	10:25-11:05 am	11:15-11:55 am
4,5	CL	4:00-4:40 pm	4:50-5:30 pm		
6	CL	6:30-7:30pm	T/Thur		

Tournament Week August 7th to 11th – practice what you learned with games and matches.

Tiny Tots: Starter program for children ages 4 to 6. Balance, coordination and fine motor skills are practiced in a fun, non-threatening atmosphere. **Fee:** \$15.00

Session	Site	Day	Times				
4,5	NF, CL	M/W	8:45-9:15 am	9:25-9:55 am	10:05-10:35 am	10:45-11:15 am	11:25-11:55 am
4,5	NF, CL	T/TH	8:45-9:15 am	9:25-9:55 am	10:05-10:35 am	10:45-11:15 am	11:25-11:55 am

Adult Tennis Ages 16 and Up: Beginner/Intermediate lessons for the adult player. Adult Free Play, Doubles and Singles match play (this is not lessons). **Fee:** \$25.00

Session	Site	Time	Class
4,5	CL	6:30-7:30 pm T/Thur	Beginner
4,5	CL	7:45-8:45 pm T/Thur	Int./Adv.
4,5	CL	6:30-8:30 pm M/W	Free Play
4,5	TC	10:00- 12:00 pm T/Thur	Free Play

Team Tennis: A competitive program for the advanced player.

Fee: \$ 20.00

Session	Site	Time
4,5	CL, NF	1:00-2:30 pm

Open Match Play: Meet new players for a friendly match play. Open to anyone who can serve and play a set.

Fee: \$20.00

Session	Site	Time
4,5	NF	1:00-2:30 pm

Family Tennis: Adult and children’s lessons together.

Fee: \$20.00

Session	Site	Time
4,5	CL, NF	2:45 -3:45 pm
		T/Thur

Rain policy: If it is raining at the time of your lesson, there will be no lesson. If it is questionable, report to the courts to find out the status of your lesson. Every attempt will be made to dry the courts.

Required equipment: Sneakers, tennis racquet and a new can of tennis balls the first day of class. Sunscreen, hat and water bottle recommended.

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August 14, 2017

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Adult Coed Summer Kickball League

- Description:** Town of Amherst Youth and Recreation is accepting registration for its Adult Coed Kickball Leagues ages 18 and over. This is one of the fastest growing adult sport leagues in America. You don't have to be an athlete to play. Great for improving your fitness, meeting new people and interacting socially with others. Team rosters may have as many as 18 participants with a minimum of 8; two of which must be Town of Amherst residents. Every team must also have a minimum of four females playing. When registering, Captains' packets will be available for pickup with the league information.
- Site:** Dellwood Park & Sattler Field
- Day:** Wednesday
- Time:** 6:30 pm/7:30 pm
- Fee:** \$200 per team
- Schedule:** June 28-August 16, 2017 (8 weeks)
- Note:** For team registration, only team captain/manager to register team.
- Registration:** To register please go online to www.amherstyouthandrec.org or see pages 28 or 32 for registration form.
- Contact Person:** Jennifer Reed
689-1404
jreed@amherst.ny.us
- Note:** For team registration, only team captain/manager to register team.



Horseshoe Pitching Ages 14-Adult

- Description:** Horseshoe pitching provides a simple and challenging activity that is a nice alternative to the demanding landscape that is sports today. Horseshoes is a lifetime sport that is easy to learn and can be played by young and old.
- Site:** North Forest Park and Pool
- Time:** 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
- Schedule:** **Session 1:** June 26-July 14, 2017
Session 2: July 3 17-August 4, 2017
- Registration:** To register please go online to www.amherstyouthandrec.org or see pages 28 or 32 for registration form.
- Fee:** \$20
- Contact Person:** Angelo Lorenzo
631-7132 ext. 7517
alorenzo@amherst.ny.us





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4th of July

Celebration

at the University at Buffalo

23 Skidoo

(Dixieland) 7:00-8:15pm

Erie County Wind Ensemble

(Patriotic)** • 8:45-10:00pm

** Rain date and site TBA



2017 Summer Concert Series

Held Wednesdays at Bassett Park at 7pm
Rain Site: Clearfield Community Center - Small Gym

July 5th

At Bassett Park
Kokomo Band
(Light Rock)

Concerts Held
Rain or Shine

July 12th

Bobby Militello (Jazz)

July 19th

Beatlemagic
(Tribute to the music of the Beatles)
Sponsored by Amherst Police Club

July 26th

American Legion Band of the Tonawandas (Patriotic)
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August 2nd

Friends of Harmony (Barbershop)

August 9th

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August 16th

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(716) 631-7132



The Amherst Youth & Recreation Department Can Help! We Have a Variety of Rooms and Facilities Available! Call Today!



August 13, 2017

at Clearfield Community Center
Noon-3pm

Join us for an afternoon
of family fun!

Schedule

- 12:00-12:30 Games in the Pool
- 12:00-2:00 Tennis Skills & Speed Tests
- 12:30-1:30 Family Games in the Pool
- 2:00-2:30 Synchronized Swimming Demo
- 2:00-3:00 Giant Outdoor Games!

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Summer Nature Camp Program

*in cooperation with
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For children ages 8-14

Come on a fun summer adventure with us! Ecology Camp is a one-week children's camp designed to introduce participants to nature and ecology and Earth awareness. Topics include off-site field studies including bird life, stream, pond, beach and forest ecology and outdoor skills as well as plant and animal identification.

Please Note: Registration paperwork submitted for participants in Amherst Youth & Recreation 2017 summer day camp program apply to this camp. Those who have not attended summer day camps and wish to attend this program will need to complete a summer camp packet. Camp is limited to 30 participants.



Days/Times: Monday, August 21 –
Friday, August 25, 9am -3pm

Site: Williamsville Youth Center,
5005 Sheridan Drive

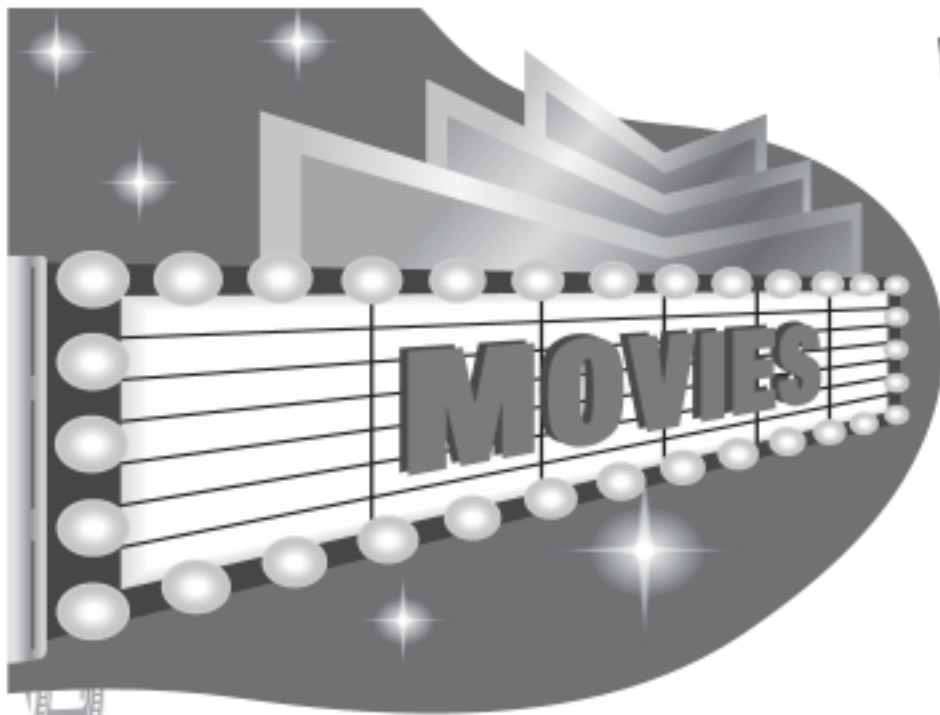
Fee: \$165

Registration:

Visit www.amherstyouthandrec.org

Contact: Earth Spirit 941-6267





Town of Amherst Youth and Recreation Department 2017 Summer Movie Series

Clearfield Community Center
(Unless otherwise noted)

All movies shown Friday nights on the lawn.
Rain Site: Inside Community Center

- 7/7 **Rogue One**
- 7/14 **Lego Batman Movie**
- 7/21 **Sing**
- 7/28 **Power Rangers**
- 8/4 **Moana** @ Willowridge Park
- 8/11 **Pete's Dragon**
- 8/18 **Fantastic Beasts and
Where to Find Them**
- 8/25 **Storks**





Full Moon Walk at Amherst State Park

Friday, June 9 – 8:30 pm

Join a Reinstein Woods naturalist to look for nocturnal pollinators like moths and bats by the light of the full moon. Registration required; call 683-5959.

Get Outdoors! Community Day

Saturday, June 10 from 11 am to 3 pm

Reinstein Woods Nature Preserve
93 Honorine Drive, Depew

Reinstein Woods is a great place to play, especially on Community Day! The NYS Department of Environmental Conservation, in partnership with the Towns of Cheektowaga and Amherst, invite you to explore outdoor recreation at Buffalo's Backyard Wilderness.

Learn a new outdoor skill, including:

- Archery
- Geocaching
- Orienteering
- Birding for beginners



Kids will enjoy:

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- Enjoy treats from one of several food trucks, including House of Munch, Yogurt Shack, Dogs on the Run, and More!
- Win big at Friends of Reinstein Woods' basket raffle!
- **Amherst residents:** bring your Wegmans Passport to Family Wellness and add Reinstein Woods to your passport!
- **No registration required.** For more information call 683-5959 or visit www.reinsteinwoods.org



Nature Calling – Guided Walk & Drop-in Program

Designed for children and their families, this free fun Monday morning program (10AM –Noon) allows individuals of all ages to stop by and experience interesting nature displays, participate in activities and/or nature walk. Topics include Animal Tracks/ Signs, Birding/Making bird feeders, understanding the Weather and so much more!

When: Monday mornings 10AM –Noon; Starting July 10th (July 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st, and August 7th and 14th)

Where: Noll Nature Center in Glen Park

Cost: Free

Note: Program held rain or shine

WEEKLY NATURE SERIES:

A six week Tuesday morning program; 10AM-Noon that covers a wide range of topics including:

July 11th – *A Tale of Scales*

They're back! Check out critters that sport those beautiful scales.

July 18th – *Backyard Habitat*

Find out what to do to transform any backyard into an awesome wildlife conservation area!

July 25th – *Stream Walkers*

Wear your old shoes for this one. We'll find out what's in the water in more ways than one!

August 1st – *Where am I?*

Don't become totally dependent on a GPS; learn how to correctly use a compass!

August 8th – *Birds of a Feather*

No matter the season, there are always birds about. Pick up some bird watching tricks and explore the characteristics of these fantastic relatives of dinosaurs.

August 15th – *Survival*

A little common sense...a little knowledge of what's around you...a few special tools...you might just make it after all...

Where: Noll Nature Center in Glen Park

Cost: \$5.00 per child per week; to register complete registration form or online www.amherstyouthandrec.org

Please note: Participants must be 7 years of age or older. Program is offered rain or shine.

Community Programs

For all listed below: Registration required; please call Reinstein Woods at 683-5959.

Tuesday, July 11th, 10am *Creek Critters*

Join a naturalist from Reinstein Woods Nature Preserve and discover what amazing animals are lurking underwater on this hike along Ellicott Creek in Amherst State Park.



Thursday, August 10th, 10am *Wetland Band*

Join a naturalist from Reinstein Woods Nature Preserve to search for frogs, turtles and birds along the Great Baehre Swamp boardwalk. Use instruments to recreate the sounds of the swamp. For children ages 3-12.



Tuesday, July 25, 10 am *Fairy Houses at Amherst State Park*

Join a naturalist from Reinstein Woods Nature Preserve in creating a house to attract nature's fairies. Once you learn how, you can make one anywhere. For children age 5 to 10.

Registration Information Summer 2017

*****Please note:*****

For questions and assistance, please call our office, 631-7132 or e-mail: lmehrenreich@amherst.ny.us

- Mail-in and on-line registration begins **May 8 at 9:00am**
- To register on-line you must have an email on file with us and have a current resident ID card.
- Registration will be accepted until Thursday for the following week or before the start of a new session.
- Registration is on a first come, first served basis.
- **2017 Resident ID card number** must be provided on all registration forms or they will not be accepted.
- **Incomplete forms will be returned.**
- Please make sure that all registration forms are filled out completely, accurately and legibly.
- You may register participant/s for all programs **on one form** - use more if additional space is needed.
- If mailing registration, enclose all family members in the same envelope. Please provide your e-mail address or enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope for confirmation reply.
- **Registration fee is non-refundable.**
- Please enclose a **separate CHECK or MONEY ORDER for each** registered session & participant for mail-in registration.
- **ABSOLUTELY NO CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED thru the mail.**
- Please make checks payable to the Town of Amherst Youth & Recreation Department.
- All returned checks will be subject to an additional fee.
- **For mail-in registration forms, mail to:**

Town of Amherst Youth & Recreation Department
1615 Amherst Manor Drive
Williamsville, NY 14221



Walk in registration (begins immediately) for all programs at the Northtown Center at Amherst (Amherst Youth & Recreation program office, upper level).



PROGRAM REGISTRATION

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY - Indicate Class/Time Preference

Summer 2017

Head of Household _____

Date of Birth: _____ Gender: M F

Address _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____

Primary Phone _____ Secondary Phone _____

Participant's Name	ID Number	Date of Birth	Activity/Program/ Level/Location	Session #	Class Time	Preference 1,2,3	Fee

CHECK OR MONEY ORDER ONLY. **TOTAL FEE:** _____

I, the undersigned certify that my child/children has permission to participate in the recreation program/s of the Town of Amherst, New York Youth & Recreation Department.

Remarks: Please list any physical limitations, allergies, asthma, seizures, medications, injuries or disease past or present, which the instructor should be aware of while caring for your child. _____

I hereby authorize the Amherst Youth & Recreation Department to use participant's photograph, video and audio recording or other likeness taken for reproduction in advertising display or editorial use.

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____ Date _____



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Harlem Road Community Center

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Amherst, NY 14226
631-7218

FAMILY ROOM HOURS:

Mary Beth Hopkins • mhopkins@amherst.ny.us
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Family Room Co-Directors

MONDAYS & FRIDAYS

9:30am - 11:30am - Harlem Rd.
12:30pm - 2:30pm - Northtown Center

WEDNESDAYS

9:30am - 11:30am - Northtown Center
12:30pm - 2:30pm - Harlem Rd.

SATURDAYS (Oct. - May)

10:00am - Noon - Northtown Center

Hours may vary. Please call for verification.

For more information CALL 631-7218

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Clearfield Preschool

Description: This is a drop off program for children ages 3 and 4 who are fully potty trained. Program includes a variety of activities to help expose children to colors, letters, arts and crafts, music, stories, gym activities and peer socialization.

Site: Clearfield Community Center

Days: Mondays & Wednesdays Or
Tuesdays & Thursdays

Time: 9:30am-11:30am

Fee: \$120.00

Schedule: September 11, 2017-May 24, 2018

Registration: Starts June 5th at 9:00am

Special Notes: There is limited space in each class. Registration is taken on a first come first serve basis. Preschool will not be held on major holidays or when the Williamsville Schools are closed due to inclement weather.

Contact Person: Joann Kiefer-Warren
jkiefer@amherst.ny.us
631-7132 X7516



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AFTER SCHOOL 2017-18

After School Programs are provided for youth who attend school in the Town of Amherst. The program operates Monday—Friday from 2:00-5:30pm. An Extended Afternoon option from 5:30-6:00pm is available. All programs are accredited through NYS Network for Youth Success. Children are bussed from the school to the program according to the school district guidelines.

- Daily Homework Help Time
- Outdoor Games
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- Theme-Based Curriculum
- Arts & Crafts
- Age Appropriate Units

Registration is open to all Town of Amherst residents and non-residents whose children attend an Amherst, Williamsville or Sweet Home School District area school. Children must be K-6th grade, September 2017.

Registration Dates:

June 12—June 16, 2017
9:00am-5:30pm

For forms and information visit:
www.amherstyouthandrec.org

After School Program Locations and School Districts Served	
Harlem Road Youth Center, 4255 Harlem Rd. 631-7208—Michele Holmes, Program Leader	Amherst School District
Amherst Youth & Family Center, 1615 Amherst Manor Dr. 631-7299—Susan Mohny, Program Leader	Sweet Home School District
Clearfield Youth Center, 730 Hopkins Rd. 689-1404—Jennifer Reed, Program Leader	Williamsville School District
Williamsville Youth & Family Center, 5005 Sheridan Dr. 633-8117—Alan Laudico, Program Leader	Williamsville School District

SUMMER CAMP PROGRAM – June 26 – August 18 – 8:00am- 5:30pm **For children age 5 – 11**

Your choice of five camp locations. Programs include swimming, field trips every Thursday, outdoor games and activities, arts and crafts, theme weeks, early bird and extended day programs. Visit www.amherstyouthandrec.org for further information and to register.

Summer Explorers – for ages 12- 14

Location: Sweet Home Middle School, 4150 Maple Rd. Amherst. Visit www.amherstyouthandrec.org for further information and to register.

*Limited registration
still available
for summer!*

Program Questions?

Phone: 716-631-7132

CIT (Counselor in Training) PROGRAM –

For teens ages 13-16. CIT's will enjoy a summer camp experience with field trips, swimming and activities of their own while teaching, mentoring and inspiring younger campers through hands-on experiences. Held at the Williamsville Youth Center July 10 – July 28 or Harlem Road Community Center from July 31 to August 18. For more information or to register, e-mail: jzapfel@amherst.ny.us

Registration Information Summer 2017

*****Please note:*****

For questions and assistance, please call our office, 631-7132 or e-mail: lmehrenreich@amherst.ny.us

- Mail-in and on-line registration begins **May 8 at 9:00am**
- To register on-line you must have an email on file with us and have a current resident ID card.
- Registration will be accepted until Thursday for the following week or before the start of a new session.
- Registration is on a first come, first served basis.
- **2017 Resident ID card number** must be provided on all registration forms or they will not be accepted.
- **Incomplete forms will be returned.**
- Please make sure that all registration forms are filled out completely, accurately and legibly.
- You may register participant/s for all programs **on one form** - use more if additional space is needed.
- If mailing registration, enclose all family members in the same envelope. Please provide your e-mail address or enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope for confirmation reply.
- **Registration fee is non-refundable.**
- Please enclose a **separate CHECK or MONEY ORDER for each** registered session & participant for mail-in registration.
- **ABSOLUTELY NO CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED thru the mail.**
- Please make checks payable to the Town of Amherst Youth & Recreation Department.
- All returned checks will be subject to an additional fee.
- **For mail-in registration forms, mail to:**

Town of Amherst Youth & Recreation Department
1615 Amherst Manor Drive
Williamsville, NY 14221



Walk in registration (begins immediately) for all programs at the Northtown Center at Amherst (Amherst Youth & Recreation program office, upper level).



PROGRAM REGISTRATION

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY - Indicate Class/Time Preference

Summer 2017

Head of Household _____

Date of Birth: _____ Gender: M F

Address _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____

Primary Phone _____ Secondary Phone _____

Participant's Name	ID Number	Date of Birth	Activity/Program/ Level/Location	Session #	Class Time	Preference 1,2,3	Fee

CHECK OR MONEY ORDER ONLY. **TOTAL FEE:** _____

I, the undersigned certify that my child/children has permission to participate in the recreation program/s of the Town of Amherst, New York Youth & Recreation Department.

Remarks: Please list any physical limitations, allergies, asthma, seizures, medications, injuries or disease past or present, which the instructor should be aware of while caring for your child. _____

I hereby authorize the Amherst Youth & Recreation Department to use participant's photograph, video and audio recording or other likeness taken for reproduction in advertising display or editorial use.

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____ Date _____

Teen Opportunities



Amherst Youth Consortium

Amherst Youth Consortium members are high school and college students who have pledged to be nicotine, alcohol and other drug-free and to be visible role models who live healthy lifestyles. Their work

includes presenting information, facilitating discussions, and engaging children, youth and adults in activities which promote wellness, asset building and good decision making. Kathy Mobarak-Miller coordinates the efforts of the group. She can be reached at 631-7132.



Amherst Youth Engaged in Service (YES) Program

The Youth Engaged in Service (YES) volunteer program provides the opportunity for students ages 12-21 to contribute and participate in the community. Members provide service by direct interaction with children, senior citizens, low-income families, persons with a disability, and charitable organizations. To become a member, or for further information, please contact Antonella Stravalaci, YES Program Director at 631-7210.



Youth Work\$

Youth Work\$ is a year-round extra job service which links Amherst residents in need of assistance in, or around their homes, with Amherst youth ages 12-19 years who are a part of the program. Residents in need of assistance with jobs such as gardening, light housework, child care, leaf raking, shoveling snow or other jobs should contact YouthWork\$ to discuss your needs and ways that we may assist you. Youth interested in joining YouthWork\$ should contact our office for an application or visit www.amherst.ny.us keyword: youthworks. For detailed information, call Robin Erwin at 631-7217.

FAMILY & PARENT DEVELOPMENTAL ASSET WORKSHOPS

The Search Institute defines developmental assets as those qualities and characteristics that help young people grow up to be healthy, caring and responsible. Many workshops are available focusing on the Search Institute's Developmental Asset Wellness framework. Workshops include: Overview of the Wellness Framework, "Boundaries and Expectations" and "Positive Values." Suggested audience is parents, coaches, educators, youth leaders, volunteers, grandparents, advocates for youth, congregation members, service clubs, etc. Contact Kathy Mobarak-Miller at 631-7132 for further information or to schedule a workshop.

FAMILY & COMMUNITY SERVICES

AMHERST TASK FORCE

The Amherst Task Force for Healthy Community•Healthy Youth is a diverse group of community leaders, educators, parents and citizens who collaborate to support positive youth development efforts throughout the Town of Amherst. The group meets monthly to discuss issues, make decisions and take action on positive youth development.

The Amherst Task Force strives to strengthen relationships within families, among peers, within schools and other institutions and across generations in order to build a solid foundation for youth.

For further information call 631-7132 or visit www.amherst.ny.us keyword: Amherst Task Force.

Egbertsville Programs

Programs for children and youth in the Egbertsville area of Amherst are offered in conjunction with the Boys & Girls Clubs of Buffalo and currently include programs for elementary, middle and high school youth. Contact the Boys & Girls Club at 836-0516 for more information.

Be-A-Friend Program

This program matches Amherst youth with caring adults in a big brother/big sister model. Contact Anne Marie Howard at 873-5833.

School Intervention & Family Service Program

The School Intervention Service (SIS) is an integrated service which serves in-school youth who are experiencing school difficulties, youth who are in family crises, and young people who have left school before graduating.



The Family Service Program of Amherst is designed to help families meet the challenges of modern life.

Please call the Catholic Charities Amherst Office at 839-4066 to find out more.

Family Assessment & Support Team (FAST)

The Family Assessment & Support Team (FAST) offers a variety of services to youth and families residing in the Amherst Central School District. FAST services include, but are not limited to, family counseling, mental health counseling, after school activities, treatment for eating disorders and gambling addiction, assistance with forming a block club and finding an apartment or securing a home loan.

Youth or families living in the Amherst Central School District interested in participating in the program should call Kathy Mobarak-Miller at 631-7132.

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475 Maple Rd
631-7124

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631-7139

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*Additional information is available at the
Youth & Recreation office and the golf courses.*

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A guide to your local walking,
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Hit the Trail

Wegmans and Amherst Youth & Recreation are committed to improving the lives of our community in every way we can, especially in the areas of health and wellness. The search for fun ways to get folks off the sofa was the inspiration behind the Eat Well, Live Well "Passport to Family Wellness" program.

The program began in 2005, when Wegmans met with Penfield, NY officials to discuss how they could jointly encourage local residents to get moving as a way to enjoy healthier, better lives. A fun "out of the box" idea transpired—teaming up to encourage exploration of local nature trails. The result: a pocket-sized trail "passport" with easy-to-read maps, fitness tips, and motivation in the form of prizes for trails hiked and recorded in booklets.

Today, over 60 Wegmans stores partner with town and city recreation programs, park conservancy groups, fitness programs, and more—and hundreds of families are discovering the fun of hiking, skiing, canoeing, biking, and exploring their town's picturesque trails.

Amherst will be launching its "Passport to Family Wellness" program in June.

Watch for us in the following parks this fall/summer:

- Amherst State Park
- Amherst Museum/Buffalo Niagara Heritage Village
- Amherst Veterans Canal Park
- Ellicott Creek Trailway (N. Forest to Niagara Falls Blvd.)
- Ellicott Creek Trailway Loop (Starting at/finishing at the Northtown Center trail head)
- Tonawanda Creek Bike Trail
- Billy Wilson Park; (formerly known as Margaret Louise Park)
- Glen Park
- Lehigh Memorial Trail
- Walton Woods Park

Visit www.wegmans.com/wellnesspassport to learn more!

Town Parks & Recreation Areas



	Playground	Passive Park	Picnic Tables	Grills	Shelter	Trails	Sports	Restrooms	Pokemon Go Location
Amherst State Park 400 Mill Street									
Amherst Veterans Canal Park 1040 Tonawanda Creek Rd									
Audubon Golf Course 500 Maple Road									
Audubon Par-3 Golf Course 475 Maple Rd									
Bassett Park 359 Klein Rd @ Youngs Rd									
Billy Wilson Park 1290 Hopkins									
Briarhurst Park 11 Craigmore									
Campus Drive Park 409 Campus Drive									
Cindy Play Area South Side of Lyndon Ln									
Clearfield Community Center 730 Hopkins Rd									
Creekwood Park end of Glenhaven & Sundridge									
Dana Heights Park 79 Sheltland Drive									
Dann Lake Park Dann Rd									
Dellwood Park Dellwood Rd									
ECO Park Behind 1360 Eggert Rd.									
Egbertsville Community Park 845 Sweet Home Rd									
Ellicott Creek Island Park Old Niagara Falls Blvd									
Ellicott Creek Trailways North Forest Rd									
Fetto Park 4729 Harlem Rd									

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Fisherman's Wharf Tonawanda Creek Rd													
Garnet Park 66 Garnet Rd													
Garrison Park 51 Garrison Rd													
Glen Park Glen Ave between Rock & Mill													
Great Baehre Conservation Area Hopkins Rd North of Klein													
Harlem Rd Community Center 4255 Harlem Rd													
Island Park 5577 Main St													
Kingsgate Park end of Ridgewood Dr													
Lehigh Memory Trail 86 South Long Street													
Nature View Park Tonawanda Creek Rd @ Brenon													
North Amherst Recreation Center 4415 Millersport @ New Road													
North Forest Park 85 North Forest													
Northtown Center at Amherst 1615 Amherst Manor Dr													
Oakwood Golf Course 3575 Tonawanda Creek Rd													
Paradise Park Paradise Rd off Casey													
Park Forest Park 72 Sunrise Blvd													
Saratoga Park Saratoga Rd													
Walton Woods Park Little Robin Rd													

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West Royal Park 187 West Royal Parkway									
Willow Ridge Park 480 Willow Ridge Dr @ Bedford Dr									
Windsor Woods Park 305 Covent Garden Lane									

Please note that the parking lot at Billy Wilson Park will be closed Sunday, June 4th - Monday June 11.

Recreational Areas

Sport Fields

- Central Amherst Baseball Complex
1995 Wehrle Drive
- Garnet Park Baseball Complex
66 Garnet Drive
- Highway Department Ball Diamond
1042 North Forest Road
- Lou Gehrig Baseball Complex
50 Dann Road
- Mathewson McCarthy Baseball Complex
Wehrle F.A.A. Recreation Area
1995 Wehrle Drive
- Mel Ott Baseball Complex
377 Meyer Road (east of Bowmart Parkway)
- North French Soccer Complex
1681 North French Road
- South Long Ball Diamond
40 South Long Street



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**Help us Rebuild the Playground at
Billy Wilson Park
Saturday, June 10, 2017**

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<http://ssgwilson3.com/events/billy-wilson-park-playground-build>

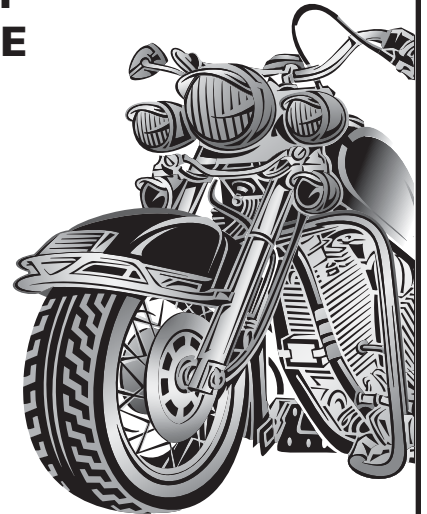
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Come out this summer and share in some of the events that Northtown will be attending: The Taste of Buffalo, Buffalo Bills Training Camp, Buffalo Marathon, 4th of July Celebration and fireworks at UB North Campus, Wine n Wags, or just stop by Central Amherst Little League or The Northtown Center at Amherst to grab a game or get in a skate.

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