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## Downtown Study in the Works

The Groveport Community Improvement Corporation (CIC) recently launched a project that will involve in-depth local market analysis, plus the development of marketing and business recruitment strategies and branding for the City's downtown. The CIC is working with Downtown Professionals Network of Franklin, TN.

Starting July 30 through August 13, residents of the City and the surrounding area, as well as local businesses will have the opportunity to participate in an online survey asking for your opinions the City's downtown and about the community in general as it relates to the types of businesses you'd like to see more of. While we know restaurants will likely be at the top of the list, some of the questions may inquire about specific types of establishments you and others you know would support.

Look for more information to come out in June as we prepare to launch the survey. We're excited about the project and we hope everyone will participate!

- Jeff Green, Assistant Administrator/Finance Dir.

## Parade & Fireworks set for July 4

The City of Groveport will be celebrating Independence on Wednesday, July 4. The parade will begin at 11:00 AM, fireworks will commence at dusk and there will be many more things for people to enjoy throughout the day. Further information about July 4 festivities will be published in the July newsletter.

Parade Entry Forms are available at Groveport Town Hall. The deadline for parade entrants is June 29. Forms received after 4 PM on June 29 cannot be guaranteed.

## Groveport Farmer's Market

The market is sponsored by the Southeastern Franklin County Chamber of Commerce and the City of Groveport. Bruce Jarvis manages the market. For more information and to learn about vendors and special events, call Bruce at 614-557-1009 or visit [www.groveportmarket.com](http://www.groveportmarket.com).

The Farmer's Market is on Tuesdays (5 - 8 PM) thru Sept. 25 and is located between ACE Hardware and Groveport Town Hall on Main Street.



Creating community through parks, recreation, education, culture, art & people

# Groveport Recreation Dept. - General News -

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## Groveport Aquatic Center Opening



Groveport's award winning outdoor water park will open Saturday, May 26, pending any unforeseen circumstances, cool temperatures or inclement weather. It is Ohio afterall. Season passes are available for purchase at the Groveport Recreation Center. If you are planning to purchase a season pass, don't wait until the last minute to do so as lines may be long.

Information regarding rates for season passes, day pass rates for non-season pass holders, hours of operation, appreciation weeks, special events, etc., can be found on our website.

[www.groveportrec.com](http://www.groveportrec.com)

If you are a Groveport resident and plan on purchasing a day pass, please be sure to get your Resident I.D. Card to ensure that you can get the best rate possible. Resident I.D. Cards are available at the Groveport Recreation Center. Please bring a valid Ohio Driver License or State ID Card, accompanied by a Groveport Water Bill, utility bill or tax bill.

## Families on the Move FAMILY SWIM

Families on the Move was created to raise awareness of childhood obesity and to highlight the importance of utilizing parks & recreation facilities for health & wellness. The statistics of sedentary communities underutilized park space goes hand in hand. The increase of participation within the parks will directly benefit the user and overall improve the community. This program gives families a reason to come to our parks and celebrate the simple act of moving. Families on the Move is partnered with Nationwide Children's Hospital - Center for Healthy Weight & Nutrition. The center offers families a comprehensive approach to weight management.

For the Family Swim event, participants will enjoy games, relay races & more at the outdoor pool. Prizes will be awarded to contest winners. Get moving this summer and get to the outdoor pool as family.

**Who:** All ages  
**Date/Times:** Friday, June 22 / 6 PM - 8 PM  
**Location:** Groveport Aquatic Center  
**Fee:** Normal Pool Admission Applies  
**Other:** Check out our website for other Families on the Move events in July and August.

## Trail Riders Group Bike Ride



Get out and get some free exercise, socialization and good food with this group of bicycle riders.

Each ride is typically between 10 - 15 miles round trip, with a lunch stop scheduled along the way. Rides last between 2 - 3 hours, inc. lunch stop. Beginners are welcome. No riders are left behind. Some on road riding may be required. Rides begin at 11 AM. Participants are responsible for purchasing their own lunch at the food stops. Please bring a bike cable and lock as well. Helmets are required. \* = Free pre-ride bike clinic led by Cyclist Connection at 10:30 a.m. Questions, call 614-836-1000 ext. 1505.

Date	Start/Meeting Point	Lunch Stop
6/6*	Cruiser Park	Little Italy's
6/13	Walnut Wood Metro Park (Richardson Rd.)	Paddock Pub
6/20	Pickerington Ponds Metro Park - Glacier Knoll	La Fogata Grill
6/27	Three Creeks Metro Park - Heron Pond, 3400 Williams Road	Flyers Pizza



## Junior Golf Camp

Let us teach your child golf! This 4 day camp is for all skill levels and will help your child learn the fundamentals of the full-swing, short game, rules/etiquette & playing. The camp is conducted by Larry Marshall, PGA pro and former Senior Instructor at the David Leadbetter/IMG Junior Golf Academy in Bradenton, FLA. Start the summer off with a great learning experience at a great price on the area's most popular golf course. Questions or if you need to golf clubs to use for the camp, contact Larry Marshall (Assistant Golf Pro) at 614-836-5874.

**Who:** Boys and girls 8 years & above  
**Date/Times:** Mon., 6/11 - Thurs., 6/14 (9 AM - 12 PM)  
**Location:** Links At Groveport Golf Course  
**Register:** Call Links At Groveport at 614-836-5874  
**Fee:** \$100 Residents / \$125 Non-Residents

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## Summer High School Pass to GRC now on sale

30-Day Passes are now available for May, June, July, August & September. No passes will extend beyond Sept. 30, 2018. Buy 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5 months. Students must provide school I.D. or report card and be entering 9th, 10th, 11th or 12th grade. Fee is \$20/month for residents and \$30/month for non-residents.

## Birthday Parties

If you are a parent with an active child, you need to read further. \$250 covers 20 Day Passes to the GRC • 90 minute room reservation • 3 Large Single Item Pizzas • 1 Dairy Queen Ice Cream Cake • 4 Two Liters of Pop • Disposable plates, cups, napkins & utensils • T-shirt for the birthday boy or girl • 4 GRC Day Passes to be used at a later date. Your child will also have his birthday splashed on our massive digital marquee sign. All you need are a few decorations, some invitations and maybe some ear plugs (optional). Additional party guests are only \$5/person. To check room availability, call our office at 614-836-1000 .



## Employee of the Month

Please help us congratulate Rebecca Kaczmarek. She was nominated by a full-time staff member for her energetic substitute work in the Kiddin' Around Room. The employee noted that "Rebecca was very engaged with the kids, playing on the floor with them and working on craft projects. Many parents talked to Rebecca about their kids after their session was over". As a former teacher, her training came into play and her love for children is still very evident.



Rebecca Kaczmarek

## GRC Summer Hours

Summer hours for the Groveport Recreation Center begin May 28 and run thru Sept. 2

Monday - Thursday	5:30 AM - 8:30 PM
Friday	5:30 AM - 8:00 PM
Saturday	8:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Sunday	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

## June Climbing Wall Hours

Monday	6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Thursday	6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Saturday	1:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Sunday	1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

## Free Blood Pressure Screenings

Compliments of the Madison Township Fire Dept., free blood pressure screenings will be offered in the lobby of the Groveport Rec. Center on the following dates. \*Due to emergency runs, there may be times when the Madison Twp. Fire dept. staff may not be available.\* A blood pressure cuff is also available if these times are not accessible. Ask a fitness attendant for help.

Date:	Time:
Thurs., June 7	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Thurs., June 21	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

## On-Line Registration Available

Did you know that you can register on-line for most of our programs, including swim lessons? Please see our front desk staff to set up a User Name & Password.

[www.groveportrec.com](http://www.groveportrec.com)



**Want to play on an adult  
sports team, but don't have a  
team to play on?**

If this is you, we can put you on a Free Agent List. We share this information with team managers in hopes of you getting picked up by a team. If there are enough Free Agents, a "Free Agent" team may be formed. To be placed on our Free Agent List, please contact Amy Van Huffel (Sports/Fitness Manager) at 614-836-1000 ext. 1505 or [avanhuffel@groveport.org](mailto:avanhuffel@groveport.org).

# GROVEPORT RECREATION DEPT.

## - Fitness -

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\* Pre-registration  
REQUIRED

### June Group Fitness Classes

To see a full description of each  
class visit [www.groveportrec.com](http://www.groveportrec.com)

<u>DAY/TIME</u>	<u>CLASS</u>	<u>INSTRUCTOR</u>
<b>MON.</b>		
9:15 a.m.	Trim Tummies	Denune
10:00 a.m.	Water Aerobics	Frank
10:00 a.m.	SilverSneakers Classic	Denune
10:00 a.m.	TRX & Abs	Coakley
11:00 a.m.	SilverSneakers Circuit	Coakley
11:15 a.m.	Arthritis Aquatics Program	Frank
12:00 p.m.	SilverSneakers BOOM Muscle	Coakley
12:30 p.m.	SilverSneakers BOOM Stretch	Coakley
5:00 p.m.	Arthritis Land Based Program	Frank
6:00 p.m.	Water Aerobics	Denune
6:15 p.m.	Zumba	Frank
<b>TUE.</b>		
8:30 a.m.	Water Aerobics	Denune
8:45 a.m.	SilverSneakers Classic	Coakley
9:45 a.m.	TRX & Abs	Coakley
11:15 a.m.	SilverSneakers Circuit	Denune
5:30 p.m.	Pilates	Neu
6:45 p.m.	Strength and Conditioning	Neu
<b>WED.</b>		
7:00 a.m.	Beginners Flow Yoga	Faith
9:15 a.m.	Cycling with Sara	Denune
10:00 a.m.	Water Aerobics	Frank
10:15 a.m.	TRX Fitness	Coakley
10:15 a.m.	SilverSneakers Yoga	Denune
11:15 a.m.	Arthritis Aquatics Program	Frank
11:15 a.m.	SilverSneakers Classic	Coakley
12:15 p.m.	SilverSneakers BOOM Muscle	Coakley
6:00 p.m.	Quick Spin & Strength Training	Neu
6:15 p.m.	Aqua Zumba	Frank

<u>DAY/TIME</u>	<u>CLASS</u>	<u>INSTRUCTOR</u>
<b>THURS.</b>		
9:00 a.m.	Stretch to Fitness	Frank
9:15 a.m.	H2O Kickboxing/Step	Denune
10:30 a.m.	SilverSneakers Classic	Frank
11:00 a.m.	Yang 24 Tai Chi	Henry
12:00 p.m.	Tai Chi for Beginners	Henry
5:00 p.m.	Arthritis Land Based Program	Frank
6:15 p.m.	Zumba / Strength & Tone	Frank
<b>FRI.</b>		
8:30 a.m.	Water Aerobics	Denune
8:45 a.m.	Tai Chi for Arthritis + Fall Prevent	Henry
10:00 a.m.	S.W.A.T.	Denune
11:15 a.m.	SilverSneakers Circuit	Coakley
12:00 p.m.	SilverSneakers Classic	Coakley
5:30 p.m.	Pilates	Neu
<b>SAT.</b>		
8:45 a.m.	TRX Power, Strength & Endurance	Coakley
10:00 a.m.	Boot Camp	James
12:00 p.m.	*Tae Kwon Ki Do/Karate Ki Do	Evans
<b>SUN.</b>		
11:00 a.m.	Restorative Yoga	Finneran

### Yang 24 Tai Chi

In 1956, the Chinese Government wanted to promote health among its people. The form of Tai Chi is called Yang 24. Today, it is a popular form not only in China, but all over the world. This is a good class for those who have a good understanding of Tai Chi and have practiced some form of Tai Chi. This class is not advisable for beginners.

<b>Who:</b>	13 Yrs. & Over	
<b>Date/Times:</b>	Thursdays / 11 AM - 12 PM (no class 6/7)	
<b>Fee:</b>	\$8 Residents/Members \$9 Non-Residents	or use your Yoga / Tai Chi Freedom Pass
<b>Location:</b>	Groveport Rec Center	
<b>Instructor:</b>	Mark Henry	



# GROVEPORT RECREATION DEPT. - Adult Athletics / Youth Athletics -

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## Adult Pickleball Play

Pickleball is a fun game that is played on a badminton court with the net lowered to 34 inches at the center. It is played with a perforated plastic baseball (similar to a wiffle ball) and wood or composite paddles. The game can be played as singles (one person per side) or doubles (two people per side). It is easy for beginners to learn, and can develop into a quick, fast-paced, competitive game for experienced players.

**Who:** Men and Women 18 and over  
**Date/Times:** Please check our Gym Schedule  
**Location:** Groveport Rec. Center  
**Player Fee:** \$5/day



## Men's Slow-Pitch Softball Tournament

Register your team to play in our summer tournament. All teams are guaranteed 3 games. U.S.S.S.A rules apply.

**Who:** Men's Softball Teams  
**Date:** Sat., June 16 **Team Fee:** \$175  
**Registration:** thru June 10  
**More info.:** Amy Van Huffel, Sports/Fitness Manager  
614-836-1000 ext. 1505

## Fall Softball Leagues

Three leagues will be offered for fall. All leagues will play USSSA rules. These are fast-paced 1-pitch leagues.

**Divisions:** Monday - Men's Open **Team Fee:** \$275  
Tuesday - Men's Open  
Thursday - Coed  
**Dates:** Tentatively begins week of Aug. 13  
**Registration:** July 1 - Aug. 6  
**More Info.:** Amy Van Huffel (Recreation Coord.)  
614-836-1000 ext. 1505



## "New" Bike Repair Station

The Groveport Parks & Facilities Dept. recently outfitted Cruiser Park with a bike repair station. The Deluxe Public Work Stand includes Phillips & standard screwdrivers, steel core tire levelers (2), headset/pedal wrench, 8/10 mm cone wrench, 9/11 mm cone wrench, Torx T-25, Hex key set and bike pump. Cyclists still have to do the work, but how many times have you been riding a needing a specialty tool or bike pump?

To learn more about this Bike Repair Station visit [www.bikefixation.com](http://www.bikefixation.com) and click on Deluxe Public Works Stand.

## New Women's High School & Adult Drop-In Basketball Hours

Beginning in June, Women's Only Drop-In Basketball hours will be added to the Gym Schedule. If you are a female in high school or a woman who likes hoops, stop in and play and hopefully we will get enough interest for some pick up games.

Tues., 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM and Sun., 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

## Challenger Soccer Camp

Challenger Sports, providers of the USA's most popular soccer camp, will host the week long British Soccer camp in June. The camp will run Monday through Friday and each child will be coached by a member of Challenger's British coaching staff flown to the USA exclusively to work on these programs. Challenger will hold over 4,000 British Soccer Camps this summer and will coach over 150,000 players, as well as completing FREE coach education clinics for over 40,000 parents and coaches.

Challenger's British Soccer Camp is more than a week of drills and skills. In addition to taking part in a daily regime of foot skill development (through the 1,000 touches curriculum), technical and tactical practices and daily 'World Cup' tournament style plays, each child will be treated to a rich cultural experience and lessons on respect, responsibility, integrity, leadership and sportsmanship. Challenger's custom built camps focus on individual player development and are delivered by a team of passionate coaching staff handpicked to coach your player!

Each camper will receive a FREE camp T-shirt, soccer ball, soccer poster, individual skills performance evaluation and free access to an educational soccer website. In addition, any child who signs up online before May 5th will receive a genuine British Soccer replica Jersey valued at \$39. For further info. please visit [www.challengersports.com](http://www.challengersports.com) or call Carl Davey 513-245-4019.

**Who:** Boys & Girls 3 - 18  
**Dates:** June 18 - 22  
**Location:** Groveport Park  
**Register:** March 1 - June 8  
[www.challengersports.com](http://www.challengersports.com)  
\$10 fee for late registrations



**Check out this  
cool new  
feature at  
Cruiser Park!**

# GROVEPORT RECREATION DEPT.

## - Youth Athletics -

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### Fall Soccer Leagues

Practices begin in late Aug. and are 1 - 2 days per week and are scheduled by the volunteer coach. Our season will consist of 8 games, which will tentatively be played on weekday evenings and Saturday mornings/afternoons and Sunday afternoons in Sept & Oct. **Volunteer coaches are needed.** Persons interested in coaching should contact Juli Pintz (Recreation Coordinator) at 614-836-1000 ext. 1513. Please check our website for additional information for each division.

<b>Divisions:</b>	4.5 Yr. - Kindergarten	<i>Register your child per his/her grade as of fall 2018.</i>
	1st - 2nd Grade	
	3rd - 4th Grade	
	5th - 6th Grade	

**Player Fees:** \$50 Resident / \$60 Non-Resident

**Registration:** thru Aug. 1



### U15 Fall Soccer League

This league is for kids who were born between 2004 and 2006. Practices begin in late August and are 1 - 2 days/week and are scheduled by the volunteer coach. Teams will play in the MSSA and travel throughout greater Columbus for games, which can be played on weekday evenings and weekends. **Volunteer coaches are needed.** Persons interested in coaching should contact Juli Pintz (Recreation Coordinator) at 614-836-1000 ext. 1513.

**Player Fees:** \$75 Resident / \$90 Non-Resident

**Registration:** thru Aug. 1



### Groveport Tennis Academy

Clinics are available for beginners thru tournament level & league players. Quick Start Instruction will be used with Juniors. A minimum of 3 registered participants is needed for a class to run. Additional sections may be added with 3 on the waiting list. Racquets will be available to borrow for junior clinics up to age 12. Adult size racquets are available to purchase after opportunity to try various demo racquets.

**Who:** 3.5 Years - Adult

**Dates:** Summer Session: June 5 - July 19

**Times/Fee:** Vary per class (see website)

**Location:** Degenhart Park, 355 Lesleh Ave., Groveport

**Registration:** thru May 27

**More Info.:** Chris Brown-Borden, USPTA Certified Teaching Professional, 614-282-4779 or email at [groveporttennis@hotmail.com](mailto:groveporttennis@hotmail.com)

### Summer Sports Camps (JSS)

Jump Start Sports Camps are fun-oriented and highly instructional. The relaxed and nurturing atmosphere enables children to learn, grow, make friends and have a meaningful summer experience. The camps focus on the fundamentals of the sport for beginners, but more experienced players will learn more advanced concepts and be coached at their ability. JSS Camps also focus on teaching sportsmanship, the importance of recreational game play & the benefits of physical activity. Innovative drills, competitions & games make the program more fun for children.

**Who:** Boys & girls entering grades 1 - 6

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Sport:</b>
6/11 - 6/15	World Cup Soccer
6/18 - 6/22	Ultimate Warrior Sports Camp
6/25 - 6/29	Hoop-It-Up Basketball
7/2 - 7/6	OFF
7/9 - 7/13	Lacrosse & Volleyball
7/16 - 7/20	All Pro Football & Cheerleading
7/23 - 7/27	Color Games
7/30 - 8/3	Groveport Olympics

**Times:** 9 AM - 3 PM, before & after care available for additional fee

**Location:** Groveport Rec. Center/Groveport Park

**Fee:**

6+ Weeks - \$110/week
4 - 5 Weeks - \$120/week
2 - 3 Weeks - \$130/week
Any 1 Week - \$140/week

**Registration:** [www.jumpstartsports.com](http://www.jumpstartsports.com)

**Questions:** Rick Hart at 330-571-3424  
[rhart@jumpstartsports.com](mailto:rhart@jumpstartsports.com)

**JUMP START**  
SPORTS



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## - Classes & Special Events -

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### Movie in the Park (new for 2018)

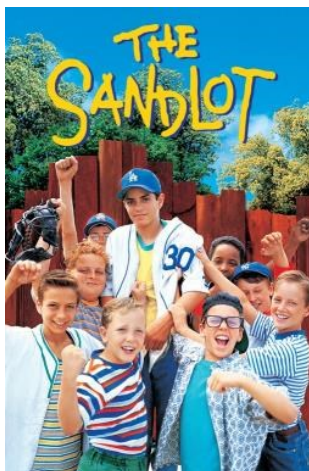
Bring your lawn chairs, blankets, picnic basket and bug spray & then join us for our FREE Movie In The Park. The Sandlot (rated PG) will be shown on a giant inflatable screen in Groveport Park (in the grass area across from the pool).

The Sandlot is a 1993 American coming-of-age baseball film. The movie tells the story of a group of young baseball players during the summer of 1962. The film hit the box office 25 years ago. If you like baseball or softball, you will sure to love this classic comedy. Show your spirit and come dressed in your favorite baseball/softball jersey & cap. Free pre-movie baseball/softball themed activities for kids 12 & under.

**DATE:** Friday, July 20

**TIME:** Children's activities begin at 7:00 PM.  
Movie begins at dusk.

**NOTE:** The pool will stay open until 8:45 PM.



### A BIG Thank You

Volunteers (big and small) from **Grace Fellowship Church** spent a few hours on May 10 at the Groveport Aquatic Center hauling and spreading mulch around our trees and landscaped beds as a part of their Pack Week.

"Thank you for thinking of us and for your generosity."  
- Groveport Recreation Department



### Tae Kwon Ki Do/Karate Ki Do Beginner (White Belts)

Our classes are all inclusive. Even though we take students as young as 6 years old, this is not "just a kids class." Teens and adults are strongly encouraged to participate. For new students, this class will familiarize you with the most basic techniques that we teach and give you enough time to make an informed decision as to whether or not you wish to learn more.

**Who:** Ages 6 and over

**Dates/Times:** Sat., June 23 - July 28 / 12 - 12:45 PM

**Location:** Groveport Rec. Center **Registration:** On going

**Fee:** \$28 Res. / \$48 Non-Res.

### Advanced (Yellow - 2nd Blue Belts)

For intermediate students. You have decided that you enjoy what we teach and wish to learn more. Students registering for this class must have reached at least the rank of 1st Yellow Belt, through our tests, scheduled on the 6th week of each session. Students who reach the rank of 2nd Blue Belt are considered to be graduates of this program.

**Who:** Ages 6 and over

**Dates/Times:** Sat., June 23 - July 28 / 12 - 1:30 PM

**Location:** Groveport Rec. Center **Registration:** On going

**Fee:** \$38 Res. / \$58 Non-Res.

### Main Class

Only for committed students, who desire to become Black Belts! This class sets the bar high. Students participating in this class must first be formally invited to join by Master Evans. Students lower in rank than 2nd Blue Belt can also join this class, through Master Evans' invitation. All invited candidates will be required to be exceptional, in their commitment to being good students and mentors!

**Who:** Ages 6 and over

**Dates/Times:** Sat., June 23 - July 28 / 12 - 2:30 PM

**Location:** Groveport Rec. Center **Registration:** On going

**Fee:** 1 Person (\$60) / Family of 2 (\$110)  
Family of 3 (\$145) / each person over 3 (\$35)

Class instruction is 5 weeks long. An additional 6th week is available for those who are interested in testing.

There are additional fees for apparel, training aids and promotion testing if you choose to participate.



# GROVEPORT RECREATION DEPT.

## - Classes & Special Events / Aquatics -

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### Kids Night Out

Ditch the parents and head to the GRC for some good old-fashion fun. Play games, swim, eat pizza, climb the wall (on occasion) and more under the watchful eyes of our staff. Pack your swimsuit and towel, and don't forget your tennis shoes! **Registrations will not be accepted at the door.**

**Who:** 6 - 12 years **Fee:** \$8 Res. / \$10 Non-Res.

**Dates:** Fridays: 6/8, 6/22, 7/6, 7/20  
Register for one or multiple dates

**Time:** May: 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM  
June: 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM

**Reg. Deadline:** Thursday before the program



**Groveport  
Recreation Department**

### Parent Tot Open Swim/Gym

**Open Gym** - We provide the space, equipment, & opportunities for gross motor play, as well as some structured staff led activities. Come have fun & make some new friends. Participants must wear soft-soled shoes. All children must be accompanied by an adult. **Open Swim** - All children must be accompanied by an adult. Children that are not toilet trained must wear swim diapers.

**Who:** Parents & their children (5 yrs. & under)

**Dates:** Monday (Gym) & Friday (Swim)  
\*Program won't meet any time facility is closed

**Times:** 10 AM - 11 AM

**Fee:** \$2.50 one child; \$4 two children;  
\$5 three children; \$8 four+ children  
\$20 for a 10 visit punch pass.  
Kids must be in same family to receive multi-child discounted rate.

**Registration:** Drop-In

### Lifeguard Instructor Class

Would you like to be able to teach Lifeguarding someday? If so, pick up a Lifeguard Instructor Certification Class brochure in the lobby of the Recreation Center. Below is some basic info.

**Dates:** May 29 - June 2, 4:30 PM - 8:30 PM  
June 3, 9 AM - 12 PM

**Register:** In person at the Groveport Rec. Ctr. by May 25.

**Fee:** \$225. Payment via credit card only  
(Visa & Master Card only)

**More info.:** Steve Riegler, Aquatics Manager  
614-836-1000 ext. 1510  
Kelly Carter, Aquatics Coordinator  
614-836-1000 ext. 1512.

### Water Safety Instructor Class

Would you like to be able to teach American Red Cross Swim Lessons someday? If so, pick up a Water Safety Instructor Cert. Class brochure in the lobby of the Recreation Center. Below is some basic info.

**Dates:** June 4 - 8, 4:30 PM - 8:30 PM  
June 9, 9 AM - 5 PM

**Register:** In person at the Groveport Rec. Ctr. by May 28.

**Fee:** \$225. Payment via credit card only  
(Visa & Master Card only)

**More info.:** Steve Riegler, Aquatics Manager  
614-836-1000 ext. 1510  
Kelly Carter, Aquatics Coordinator  
614-836-1000 ext. 1512.

### SCUBA Lessons

Columbus Scuba will offer an Open Water PADI entry level course (lifetime certification) at the Groveport Recreation Center this winter. Course includes classroom learning, textbooks, log book, dive tables, confined water dive, open water dive and certification. Participants must provide their own mask, fins & snorkel. Equipment is available at Columbus Scuba. Discounts are available for class participants.

**Who:** Persons 10 years & above

**Dates & Times:** Session: Sundays 6/17, 6/24, 7/8 & 7/15  
5 PM - 8 PM

**Registration:** thru 6/15

**Fee:** \$389 (Checks Only)  
\* payable to Columbus Scuba

**Questions:** 614-500-7234 (Columbus Scuba)



# GROVEPORT RECREATION DEPT.

## - Sports Med. Minute / Aquatics -

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### Low Back Pain: Could it be Spondy?

Spondylolysis is a stress fracture or fatigue fracture of an area of the spine called the pars interarticularis. Typically, spondylolysis is caused by repetitive hyperextension (arching) and rotation of the back; muscle tightness & strength imbalances of the back and core muscles may also contribute. The repetitive or excessive force causes injury that exceeds the bone's ability to heal. Rarely, it can occur due to an acute fracture with severe trauma from a sudden blow. This injury is commonly seen in adolescent athletes complaining of low back pain.

For more information on spondylolysis, please visit Nationwide Children's Sports Medicine website.

[www.nationwidechildrens.org/low-back-paincould-it-be-spondy](http://www.nationwidechildrens.org/low-back-paincould-it-be-spondy)



### Lifeguard Certification Classes

Are you at least 15 years of age? Good swimmer? Enjoy working around people and outside? If so, you should consider becoming a LIFEGUARD with the Groveport Rec. Department.

**WHY BECOME A LIFEGUARD?** 1.) Provide amazing public service, 2.) Start a career in the parks & rec industry, 3.) Stay fit and get more fit, 4.) Work with like-minded people, 5.) Gain a life skill that will come in handy the rest of your life, 6.) Work outside, 7.) It's challenging mentally and physically, 8.) Work out at the Groveport Rec Center FREE, 9.) Flexible hours & 10.) It's fun.

**PREREQUISITES:** There are a number of pre-course skills that you have to pass. To learn more about the pre-requisites and free skill assessment, pick up a brochure in the Groveport Recreation Center lobby or visit the Winter Aquatics area on our website ([www.groveportrec.com](http://www.groveportrec.com)).

**Who:** Persons 15 years of age and up

**Session:** June 4 - 8  
M - F (9 AM - 6 PM)

**Fee:** \$220 (Credit Cards Only).

**Registration:** Registration deadline is the first day of class.

**Questions:** 614-836-1000 ext.1510 / [sriegler@groveport.org](mailto:sriegler@groveport.org)

### Infant Swimming Resource

ISR lessons go beyond traditional swimming instruction by teaching children drills to potentially save themselves if they were to find themselves in the water alone. The ISR Self-Rescue® program will give your child the competence, confidence and skills of aquatic safety.

**SURVIVAL FLOATING:** Generally speaking, children ages 6 months to 1 year learn the ISR Self-Rescue® skill of rolling onto their backs to float, rest & breathe; being able to maintain a floating position until help arrives.

**SWIM-FLOAT-SWIM:** Older, more mobile children (generally 1 - 6 years old) will learn the full ISR Self-Rescue® sequence of swimming with their head down; rotating onto the back to float, rest and breathe; rolling back over to continue to swim; repeating this sequence until they reach the safety of the steps, side of the pool or the shoreline.

For more info., contact Tracy Wheeler at 740-398-1715 or [t.wheeler@infantswim.com](mailto:t.wheeler@infantswim.com) or [www.infantswim.com](http://www.infantswim.com)

### Group Swim Lessons

Let our staff teach your child the skills they will use the rest of their life. Classes normally fill quickly. Registrations are taken on a first come - first served basis. In the event of bad water chemistry or storms in the area, some classes may be held out of the water. We are a local provider of the American Red Cross Learn-to-Swim Program. To learn more about all of the levels offered and location of the lessons (indoor or outdoor pool), visit [www.groveportrec.com](http://www.groveportrec.com).

**Who:** 6 months - 15 years, plus Adults 16+

**Fee:** \$45 Resident / \$55 Non-Res. \$5 late fee applied if registering after deadline, provided space available.

Class Dates / Times / Location	Registration
M - Th. (6/4 - 6/14) a.m. @ outdoor	5/21 - 6/3
T/Th., (6/5 - 6/28) p.m. @ indoor	5/21 - 6/4
M - Th. (6/18 - 6/28) a.m. @ outdoor	6/4 - 6/17
M - Th. (7/2 - 7/12) a.m. @ outdoor	6/18 - 7/1
T/Th. (7/3 - 7/26) p.m. @ indoor	6/18 - 7/2



# GROVEPORT RECREATION DEPT.

## - Aquatics -

614-836-1000 / [www.groveportrec.com](http://www.groveportrec.com)

### Hours of Operation

**One of the best watering  
holes in central-Ohio**



#### REGULAR SEASON (May 26 - August 14)

Monday - Saturday 12 PM - 8 PM

Sunday 1 PM - 8 PM

- **Pool will open at 1 PM on Wed., July 4 due to Groveport Independence Day Parade.**
- **Pool will stay open until 8:45 PM on Fri., July 20.**

#### POST-SEASON (August 15 - Sept. 3)

Wed., Aug. 15 - Fri., Aug. 17 Closed

Sat., Aug. 18 12 PM - 8 PM

Sun., Aug. 19 1 PM - 8 PM

Mon., Aug. 20 - Fri., Aug. 24 Closed

Sat., Aug. 25 12 PM - 8 PM

Sun., Aug. 26 1 PM - 8 PM

Mon., Aug. 27 - Fri., Aug. 31 Closed

Sat., Sept. 1 12 PM - 8 PM

Sun., Sept. 2 1 PM - 8 PM

Mon., Sept. 3 12 PM - 8 PM

#### SPECIAL NOTE

The lap pool & diving boards will close at 7 PM on Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri. between 6/21 and 7/17 for Groveport Fighting Fish Youth Swim Team Practices.

***Schedule is subject to change due to weather, school  
schedules & circumstances beyond our control. Certain  
areas of the facility may be closed in the  
Post-Season based on lifeguard availability.***

***Please call in advance of your visit during the Post-Season.***

### Appreciation Weeks

Bring proper ID... get in FREE. Normal admission applies to all others in your party. Just our way of saying, "Thank you for all that you do".

July 2 - 8	Military & Veterans
July 9 - 15	Teachers
July 16 - 22	Police Officers
July 23 - 29	Fire Fighters, EMTs
July 30 - Aug. 5	Government Workers (excluding military, police officers, fire fighters, EMTs)

### Special Events

#### Super Family Sundays

Contests • Games • Races • Prizes • Live DJ • Fun for whole family

Dates: Sunday, June 10

Time: 1 PM - 5 PM

Sunday, July 8

Sunday, Aug. 5

#### Belated Mother's Day Special

Moms & grandmas are only \$3 on Sunday, June 10, when accompanied by their child or grandchild at either the Groveport Aquatic Center or the Groveport Recreation Center.

#### Father's Day Special

Dads & grandpas are only \$3, on Sunday, June 17 when accompanied by their child or grandchild at either the Groveport Aquatic Center or the Groveport Recreation Center.

#### \$4 on July 4

Not a Season Pass Holder, get in for \$4 on Wed., July 4.

#### Mom & Son Game Night

Moms & their sons (12 years & under), join us for an evening of pizza, swimming, prizes and fun activities (on land and in the water) for all. \*Grandmothers, aunts, older sisters, dads, etc. may attend if mom is not available.

DATE: Friday, July 13 (register by July 9)

TIME: 8:15 PM - 11:00 PM (food served at 8:15 PM)

FEE: \$4 Season Pass Holders / \$8 All Others  
(fee is per person)

#### Dog Paddle Palooza

Grab Man's Best Friend, your camera and his/her favorite fetch toy, towel & leash and head to the outdoor water park for an evening of fun. Humans are not permitted in the pool. Registrants must provide up to date dog vaccinations to be admitted. If you don't want to wait in line, register in advance at the Groveport Rec. Center. \$2/dog. Humans are free.

DATE/TIME: Thurs., Sept. 6 / 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM



**No cats allowed!**

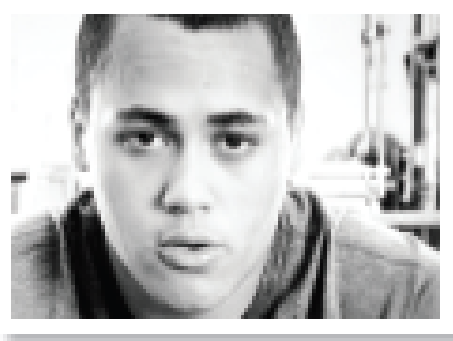
# GROVEPORT RECREATION DEPT.

## - Important Dates -

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EVENT / PROGRAM	DATE
American Red Cross Lifeguard Certification Class	6/4 - 6/8
American Red Cross Water Safety Instructor Class	6/4 - 6/9
Groveport Tennis Academy - summer session begins	6/5
Trail Riders	6/6
Free Blood Pressure Screen at GRC (9 am - 12 pm)	6/7
Kids Night Out at GRC	6/8
Challenger Soccer Camp registration deadline	6/8
Super Family Sunday at Groveport Aquatic Ctr.	6/10
Belated Mother's Day Special at Groveport Rec Center & Groveport Aquatic Center	6/10
Jump Start Sports Summer Sports Camp begins Week #1: World Cup Soccer	6/11
Junior Golf Camp @ The Links At Groveport	6/11 - 6/14
Trail Riders	6/13
SCUBA Lessons registration deadline	6/15
Men's Slow-Pitch Softball Tournament	6/16
Father's Day Special at Groveport Rec. Center & Groveport Aquatic Center	6/17
Jump Start Sports Summer Sports Camp Week #2: Ultimate Warrior	6/18
Challenger Soccer Camp	6/18 - 6/22
Trail Riders	6/20
Kids Night Out at GRC	6/22
Tae Kwon Do (6/23 - 7/28) session begins	6/23
Jump Start Sports Summer Sports Camp Week #3: Hoop-It-Up Basketball	6/25
Trail Riders	6/27

**Please see page 9 for important dates regarding our Group Swim Lessons**



## There's only one sports medicine leader for serious athletes.

We're the best at getting them ready for battle. The best at getting them back in the game. And the best at bringing their goals into reach. We're the sports medicine experts at Nationwide Children's Hospital and we're the best equipped to treat concussions, rehab sports injuries or prevent them from happening in the first place. So, if your athlete is 18 or under, don't risk their career to anyone else.

**For more information  
about our five central Ohio locations, visit  
[NationwideChildrens.org/Sports-Medicine](http://NationwideChildrens.org/Sports-Medicine)**



**NATIONWIDE  
CHILDREN'S**

*When your child needs a hospital, everything matters.™*



# GROVEPORT SENIOR CENTER

## - General News -

614-836-4599 / [www.groveportrec.com](http://www.groveportrec.com)

Are you 55 years or older? If so, you might want to consider joining the Groveport Senior Center. Persons must be a member of the Groveport Senior Center to participate in on sight programs. Annual membership dues are only \$8.

### DAILY ACTIVITIES

Monday	Pool Shooting	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
	Progressive Euchre	12:00 p.m.
Tuesdays	Line Dancing	9:30 a.m.
	Walking Club	1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Wednesdays	Games, Shuffleboard & Pool	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
	Quilting	12:30 p.m.
Thursday	Crafts	9:30 a.m.
	Lunch	11:45 a.m.
	Hand & Foot	Times Vary
Friday	Walking Club	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
	Shuffleboard & Pool	1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Saturday	Progressive Euchre	4:00 p.m.

### UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

**Lunch Munchers:** Join your fellow members and myself on the first Friday of each month for "Lunch Munchers". You can meet at the center at 11:00 a.m. to car pool or you may choose to meet at the pre-determined restaurant at 11:30 a.m. Sign up at least one day in advance. See you on **June 2**.

**Foot Care Clinic:** We will have a registered nurse from **Everyday Divinity** here on the first Thursday of every month to do foot care. The cost is \$30 for a 30 minute appointment and will include a complete foot assessment, expertly trimmed, thinned and filed nails and corns and callouses filed and buffed if necessary. Call or stop in to schedule your appointment for **June 7**.

**Monthly Craft:** Join us as we make a different craft each time we meet. Pre-registration is required for this FREE event taking place on **June 8 (10:30 a.m.)**. This program is sponsored by the Inn at Winchester Trail.

**Wellness Clinic:** A nurse from Canal Winchester Rehab, Skilled Nursing & Assisted Living is at the Senior Center on the third Thursday of each month from 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. and will offer free blood pressure checks. No need to sign up just drop in. The next Wellness Clinic is scheduled for **June 21**.

**Hearing Screenings:** Avada Audiology & Hearing Care will be at the Senior Center to offer FREE hearing screenings and to check for wax blockage. Call the Senior Center to schedule a 15 minute appointment or just drop-in. The next screening day is **June 28**.

### CANVAS PAINTING WITH CHRISTY

Explore your inner artist and enjoy a relaxing break from everyday life with a guided painting class right here at the senior center. Artist Christine K. Jones will take you step-by-step to complete your very own canvas painting. She will make it easy and fun! The class is **Wed., June 13 (10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.)**. Registration and payment of \$20 is due by June 6. Stop in soon to get registered! What we will paint will be determined by those who sign up for the class so don't wait, get signed up early. It's fun and rewarding to sit back and look at your accomplishments.

### UPCOMING TRIPS

**July 20:** America's favorite sweetheart comes to the **La Comedia Dinner Theatre** in one of the most popular Broadway shows of all time! Winner of seven Tony Awards including Best Musical, **Annie** is a delightful mixture of comic villains, cute little girls, gangsters, presidents, billionaires, butlers and bums. It's a merry world glowing with optimism from its gentle humor, to its carefree dances and tuneful score including the anthem of hope, "Tomorrow." The cost is **\$60.00** per person, **due by June 14** and in addition to the show includes transportation and the buffet luncheon.

**July 27 - August 6:** Some inclusions of this awesome tour to **Nova Scotia, Canada** are: A Halifax city tour (including The Citadel & Public Gardens), a couple of days at Prince Edward Island (including a tour of the home of Anne of Green Gables and more), Hopewell Rocks, Bay of Fundy, Campobello and St. Johns, New Brunswick, including the Reversing Falls. A tour of Acadia National Park, a city tour of Portland, Maine, a visit to L.L. Bean in Freeport, Maine. Price includes 10 nights hotel accommodations, 18 meals, all modes of included transportation and much, much more. Stop by and pick up a full brochure with all the inclusions. The cost is **\$2,099 with payment in full due by June 7**.

### HAPPENING NOW

Like to read? Why not join our newly formed Book Club? For more info., stop by the Senior Center or call Deb.

Enjoy going to movies? \$5 will get you a ticket and 46 oz. popcorn. For more info., stop by the Senior Center or call Deb.



Deb Scholl-Saulnier, *Senior Citizens Coordinator*  
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# GROVEPORT CULTURAL ARTS CENTER

## - Adult Programs -

614-836-3333 / [www.groveport.org](http://www.groveport.org)

Community Affairs Department

### Line Dancing

All skill level & ages are invited to participate in this daytime line dancing program. Wear shoes with leather soles or socks.

**Who:** Adults  
**Date/Times:** Mon. & Wed. / 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM  
**Location:** Groveport Town Hall, 648 Main Street  
**Fee:** Free  
**Registration:** Drop-In

### Art of Movement

The Art of Movement Foundations combines the east and west intuitive dance practices to help you add energy and relieve stress.

**Who:** Adults  
**Date/Times:** Thursdays / 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM  
**Location:** Groveport Town Hall, 648 Main Street  
**Fee:** \$4 Res. / \$5 Non-Res.  
**Registration:** Drop-In

### TOPS Weight Loss Support Group

**Who:** Adults  
**Date/Times:** Wednesdays / 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM  
**Location:** Groveport Town Hall, 648 Main Street  
**Registration:** Drop-In

### Cook's Corner

Cooking program series on the first Friday of each month. Join the fun and be a part of the demonstrations that include hands-on cooking, discussions, experiencing new foods and learning new skills. June topic: Grilled Fruit Pizza

**Who:** Adult (child friendly)  
**Date/Times:** Friday, June 1 / 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**Location:** Groveport Blacklick Park, 799 Blacklick Street  
**Fee:** Free  
**Registration:** By May 30



### Tuesdays@One

Art and education program every Tuesday. Speakers, demonstrations, creative projects and activities.

**Who:** Adult (child friendly)  
**Times:** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
**Location:** Groveport Town Hall, 648 Main Street, unless stated otherwise.  
**Fee:** Free  
**Registration:** By two days before each program date

**June 5** Garden Golf Balls  
**June 12** Flip Flop Pot  
Held at: Heritage Park, 551 Wirt Road  
**June 19** Town Hall Cares  
**June 26** Canning Basics-OSU Extension Program



### Drive & Dine

Enjoying lunch with friends brings benefits: It accomplishes the goal of face-to-face interaction and can also lead to healthier eating choices. Most importantly it's fun! Let's sit down, talk, and enjoy our time together at local diners. Participants will provide their own transportation, menu selection and price of meal. Location will change each month. Program held monthly on the 2nd Friday.

**Who:** Adults  
**Date/Times:** Friday, June 8 / 11:30 AM  
**Location:** Meet at: Harvest Moon Craft Kitchen, 7 N. High Street, Canal Winchester  
**Registration:** By June 6



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### Birds of Prey Ohio Nature Education Program

This program will bring you up close to Birds of Prey and will teach you about Ohio's hawks and owls. Come and see the beautiful birds and bring your cameras. Program will include live birds and study skins.

**Who:** All ages-community program  
**Date/Times:** Saturday, June 9 / 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**Location:** Groveport Heritage Park, 551 Wirt Road  
**Fee:** Free



### Summer Concert Series Muleskinner Band

The Muleskinner Band has been providing its listeners with a unique blend of quality bluegrass, gospel, and traditional country music for 25 years. Tight harmony, upbeat humor, and excellent musicianship make a Muleskinner performance perfect for a wide range of audiences. Please bring chairs or a blanket. Inclement weather location: Groveport Town Hall, 648 Main Street.

**Who:** Everyone  
**Date/Times:** Sunday, June 17 / 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM  
**Location:** Groveport Heritage Park, 551 Wirt Road  
**Fee:** Free



### Programs on the Go

Programs on the Go focuses on community art, experiencing and learning new skills, discussions and exploring new forms of art and education with the benefit of transportation. Participants will be picked up from KidSpace, 630 Wirt Road and will return to KidSpace after the adventure. Prices will be determined monthly based on each trip location. Space is limited.

**Who:** Adults  
**Date/Times:** Friday, June 22/ 12:30 PM. Estimated return time 3:00 PM  
**Location:** Slate Run Living Historical Farm Tour  
**Fee:** \$3.00  
**Registration:** By June 20

### July

### Summer Concert Series

**NACHO Street Band** (*Nationwide Children's Hospital Orchestra*) held on Sunday, July 15. Starts at 6:00 PM  
NACHO is a "different" kind of orchestra. Their instrumentation includes mostly brass and percussion, but they're pretty inclusive when it comes to their sound. They have charts ranging from Uptown Funk to New York and New Orleans Jazz to 70's Funk and Cartoon TV and Movie Theme songs! They aspire to use music to provide a fun and entertaining escape from stress for patients, families and the community.

Concert is free and held at Groveport Heritage Park, 551 Wirt Road. Please bring a blanket or chairs to enjoy the concerts. Inclement weather location: Groveport Town Hall, 648 Main Street.





# GROVEPORT CULTURAL ARTS CENTER

## - Preschool Programs -

614-836-3333 / [www.groveport.org](http://www.groveport.org)

Community Affairs Department

### Preschool Grow with Me

Activities designed to accommodate different age groups within the same setting. Lesson, snack and free play help children grow academically and socially. Adult participation required.

**Who:** Preschoolers  
**Date/Times:** Every Tuesday & Wednesday  
 10:00AM - 11:30 AM  
**Location:** Groveport KidSpace, 630 Wirt Road  
**Fee:** Free  
**Registration:** Drop-In  
**June 5 & 6:** Feelings  
**June 12 & 13:** Fathers  
**June 19 & 20:** Rainforest  
**June 26 & 27:** Summer



### Preschool Rock n' Rollers

Music and movement centered program for your junior rockers. Adult participation is required.

**Who:** Preschoolers  
**Date/Times:** Every Thursday / 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**Location:** Groveport KidSpace, 630 Wirt Road  
**Fee:** Free  
**Registration:** Drop-In

### Preschool Picassos

Creative crafts that little hands can easily construct. Adult participation is required.

**Who:** Preschoolers  
**Date/Times:** Every Friday/ 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**Location:** Groveport KidSpace, 630 Wirt Road  
**Fee:** Free  
**Registration:** Drop-In



### Preschool Science

Are you ready for a messy, fun time? Program will start right after Preschool Grow with Me. Program is offered on the first Wednesday of each month. Adult participation required.

**Who:** Preschoolers  
**Date/Times:** Wednesday, June 6 / 11:30 AM - Noon  
**Location:** Groveport KidSpace, 630 Wirt Road  
**Fee:** Free  
**Registration:** Drop-In  
**Theme:** Taste it!

### Preschool Sing with Me

Music, singing and instruments that your little ones will enjoy. Program is offered on the second Wednesday of each month and will start right after Preschool Grow with Me. Adult participation required.

**Who:** Preschoolers  
**Date/Times:** Wednesday, June 13 / 11:30 AM - Noon  
**Location:** Groveport KidSpace, 630 Wirt Road  
**Fee:** Free  
**Registration:** Drop-In

### Preschool Let's Read

Your little ones will be read to in a group setting. We will focus on a different author each month. Program is offered on the third Wednesday of each month and will start right after Preschool Grow with Me. Adult participation required.

**Who:** Preschoolers  
**Date/Times:** Wednesday, June 20 / 11:30 AM - Noon  
**Location:** Groveport KidSpace, 630 Wirt Road  
**Fee:** Free  
**Registration:** Drop-In  
**Topic:** Summer Fun



# GROVEPORT CULTURAL ARTS CENTER

## - Youth Programs -

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Community Affairs Department

### Flag Camp

Join the fun in this 5 week program that is led by a coach and the Groveport Madison High School Color Guard. Your child will march in Groveport's 4th of July parade showing off their new skills with the Groveport Madison High School Marching Band.

**Who:** Grades 1-6

**Date/Times:** Saturday, June 2-June 30  
9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

**Location:** Groveport Heritage Park, 551 Wirt Road

**Fee:** Free

**Registration:** By May 31



### Summer Readers

Keep your reading skills sharp by joining our summer reading program. We will meet twice a month from June-August. Activities related to books will be incorporated into group discussion. A reward party to participants that attend three classes and have read three books. Party held on August 20.

**Who:** Ages 7-12

**Date/Times:** Monday, June 4 & June 18 / 11 AM - noon

**Location:** Groveport KidSpace, 630 Wirt Road

**Fee:** Free

**Registration:** Registration deadline is two days before each program date.



### Kid's Night Chalk Art

Join us and be creative while making chalk art. Youth will create a design using paper, glue and chalk. Dress for mess!

**Who:** Ages 5-12

**Date/Times:** Tuesday, June 12 / 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

**Location:** Groveport Heritage Park, 551 Wirt Road

**Fee:** Free

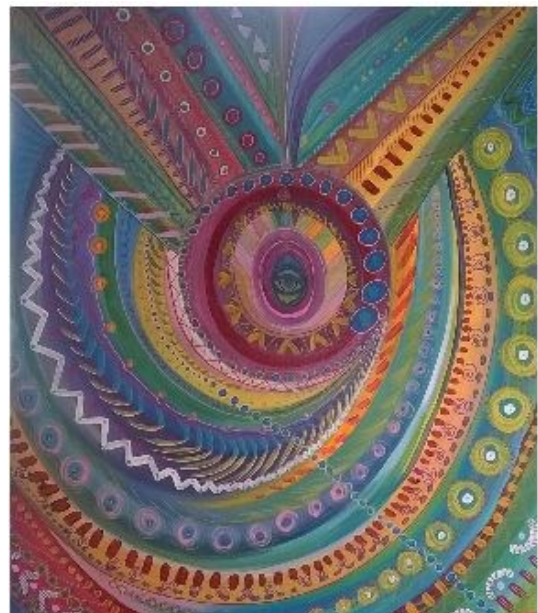
**Registration:** By June 8

### June Art Gallery

#### Sharon Dean

"Mystic of Mystic Sister Studio"

Vibrant colors paint a lively dance across the canvases of Zanesville artist and central Ohio native, Sharon Dean. Her vast eclectic scope of work reflects her joy and love of life. Dean travels the country live painting, vending and exhibiting her artwork at music and art festivals and in gallery shows.



### Art Gallery in July

Kyle McKay

Kyle uses his camera and his life experience to tell his story and the stories of special people he wants to help, people like him with Down Syndrome. Kyle was awarded with the 2018 Jefferson Award.

# GROVEPORT CULTURAL ARTS CENTER

## - Important Dates -

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Community Affairs Department

EVENT / PROGRAM	DATE
Preschool Picassos Cook's Corner	Fri., June 1
Flag Camp 1 of 5	Sat., June 2
Line Dance Summer Readers	Mon., June 4
Preschool Grow with Me Tuesdays@One	Tues., June 5
Preschool Grow with Me Preschool Science TOPS Line Dance	Wed., June 6
Preschool Rock n' Rollers FLL Lego 5 of 7 Art of Movement	Thurs., June 7
Preschool Picassos	Fri., June 8
<b>Birds of Prey-Community Program</b> Flag Camp 2 of 5	<b>Sat. June 9</b>
Line Dance	Mon., June 11
Preschool Grow with Me Tuesdays@One Kid's Night	Tues., June 12
Preschool Grow with Me Preschool Sing with Me TOPS Line Dance	Wed., June 13
Preschool Rock n' Rollers FLL Lego League 6 of 7 Art of Movement	Thurs., June 14
Preschool Picassos	Fri., June 15
Flag Camp 3 of 5	Sat., June 16
<b>Summer Concert-Muleskinner Band Community Program</b>	<b>Sun., June 17</b>

**NOTE:** Many of the programs noted have registration deadlines and space could be limited. For more information, please call Town Hall at 614.836.3333. - Thank you.

EVENT / PROGRAM	DATE
Line Dance Summer Readers <b>Blood Drive</b>	Mon., June 18
Preschool Grow with Me Tuesdays@One	Tues., June 19
Preschool Grow with Me Preschool Let's Read Line Dance TOPS	Wed., June 20
Preschool Rock n' Rollers FLL Lego League 7 of 7 Art of Movement	Thurs., June 21
Preschool Picassos	Fri., June 22
Flag Camp 4 of 5 FLL Lego Tournament	Sat., June 23
Line Dance	Mon., June 25
Preschool Grow with Me Tuesdays@One	Tues., June 26
Preschool Grow with Me TOPS Line Dance	Wed., June 27
Preschool Rock n' Rollers Art of Movement	Thurs. June 28
Preschool Picassos	Fri., June 29
Flag Camp 5 of 5	Sat., June 30

### Need a room to hold your meeting or event?

Room rentals at Town Hall and Crooked Alley KidSpace are available. \$25.00 non-refundable fee for residents to reserve a room. Please contact Town Hall at 614.836.3333 for non-resident rates or for more information.







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**655 Blacklick Street**  
**Groveport, Ohio 43125**  
**[www.groveport.org](http://www.groveport.org)**

Municipal Offices, 655 Blacklick Street	614-836-5301
Crooked Alley KidSpace, 630 Wirt Rd.	614-836-3333
Recreation Center, 7370 Groveport Rd.	614-836-1000
Police Dept., 5690 Clyde Moore Drive	614-830-2060
Public Works, 7400 Groveport Rd.	614-836-3910
Town Hall, 648 Main Street	614-836-3333
The Links at Groveport, 1005 Richardson Rd.	614-836-5874

Lance Westcamp..... Mayor  
 Shawn Cleary, Ed Dildine, Jean Ann Hilbert,  
 Becky Hutson, Scott Lockett, Chad Grashel ..... Council  
 Marsha Hall ..... City Administrator  
 Ralph Portier ..... Police Chief  
 Kevin C. Shannon ..... Law Director  
 Jeff Green ..... Asst. Administrator/Finance Dir.  
 Sue Wadley ..... Personnel Director  
 Tom Walker.....Golf Director  
 Kyle Lund ..... Recreation Director  
 Patty Storts.....Community Affairs Director  
 Tom Byrne.....Facilities Management Director  
 Dennis Moore.....Public Works Superintendent  
 Stephen Moore.....Chief Building Official  
 Steve Farst..... Engineer  
 Bob Dowler.....Transportation Director

#### Department Phone Numbers

Administration.....	614-830-2042
Building & Zoning.....	614-830-2045
Clerk of Council.....	614-830-2053
Clerk of Court.....	614-830-2043
Community Affairs.....	614-836-3333
Engineering.....	614-836-5301
Finance.....	614-830-2048
Human Resources.....	614-830-2051
Law .....	614-830-2059
Recreation.....	614-836-1000
Police.....	614-830-2060
Public Works.....	614-836-3910
Transportation.....	614-836-7433
Utilities.....	614-830-2048

#### Community Meetings

Mon., June 11	6:30 PM	Council
Mon., June 18	5:30 PM	Council Committee of Whole
Mon., June 25	6:30 PM	Council

\*all meetings at 655 Blacklick Street, Groveport, OH 43125,  
 unless otherwise noted



Do you know anyone 65 years of age or older that should be exercising? If so, refer them to the Groveport Recreation Center. They may qualify for a **FREE** membership (including some fitness classes) if their secondary health insurance is affiliated with SilverSneakers. Registration forms are available at the front desk of the Recreation Center and on our website.

