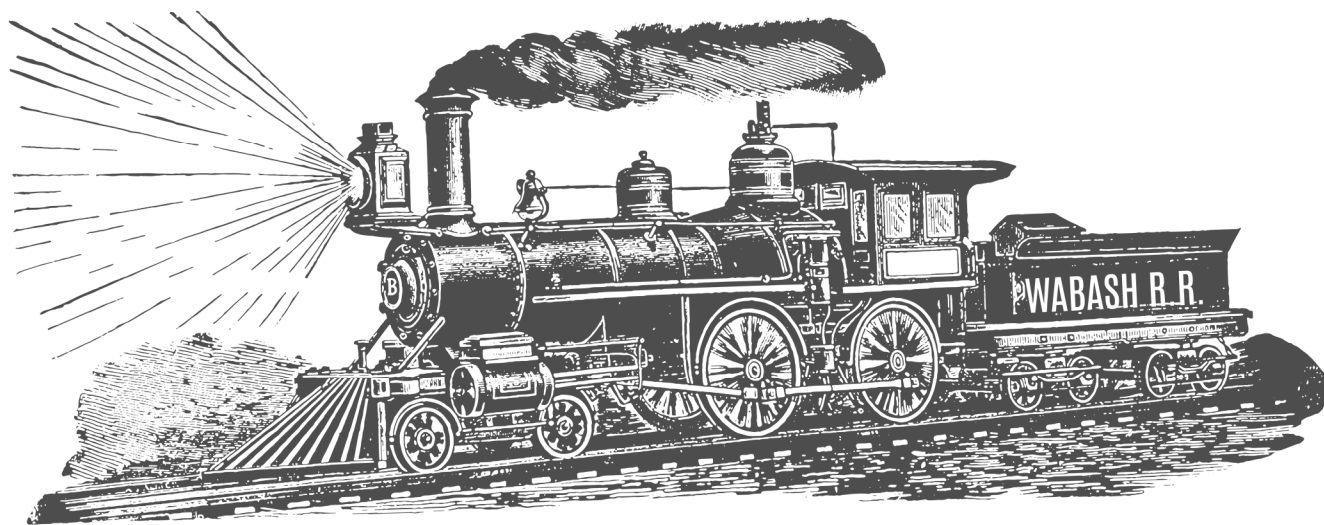


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MONTPELIER, OHIO

2023



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Montpelier Parks & Recreation

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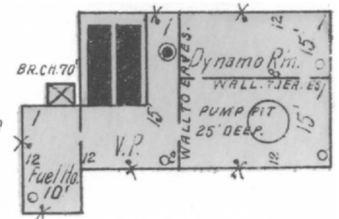
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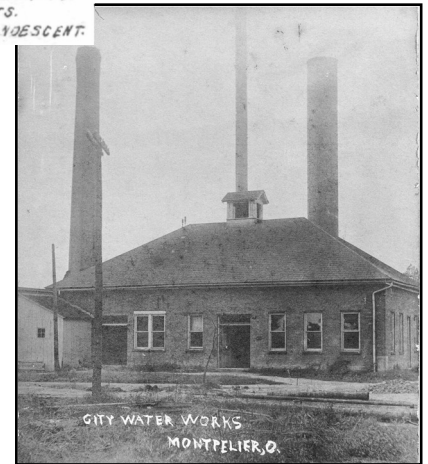
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MONTPELIER WATER WORKS & ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.

FUEL; COAL & SAWYDUST.
 50' OF 1" HOSE. TWO WORTHINGTON
 COMPOUND DUPLEX PUMPS. SIZE 2 1/2 X 10
 CAPACITY. 750,000 GALL. EACH IN 24 HOURS.
 DOMESTIC PRESSURE 40 LBS.
 FIRE PRESSURE 100 LBS. WATER SUPPLY.
 TWO WELLS 10' X 8". ONE WELL 90' X 6".
 AVERAGE DAILY CONSUMPTION 200,000.
 ONE ARC DYNAMO CAP. 50 LIGHTS.
 ONE ALTERNATOR CAP. 1200 INCANDESCENT.



In 1895, Montpelier completed the combined water & electric plant. The residents celebrated on December 14th when lights were turned on for the first time. The "Montpelier Waterworks & Electric Light Plant" stood near where the water tower is today. The drawing is from an 1899 Sanborn Insurance map. The picture is circa 1910.



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Welcome to the Age of STEAM!

This year we are embracing the science, technology, engineering, art and mathematics of the 19th century! We've also expanded some of our summer activities to include kids up through age 14.

Check out Free Space or the Imaginarium! Learn how to Create a Candy Bar! Put on your detective hat and explore the Sherlock Holmes Exhibition! There are 60+ free events where kids can receive a Passport Sticker this summer so we hope you take the opportunity to participate!

MONTPELIER PARKS & RECREATION

P.S. Check out the **vintage design of the Program Guide** this year. You'll see lots of old illustrations throughout the guide. Get a feel for what life was like 125 years ago!

REGISTRATION DEADLINES

PROGRAM	DEADLINE	LATE DEADLINE
Tot Ball	June 1	June 20
Soccer	July 10	July 31

HOW TO REGISTER

- ATTEND the **Registration Blitz** on **Friday, May 19th from 4:30-6:30 p.m.** at the **MUNICIPAL PARK (1110 South Platt Street)** by the pool.
- MAIL your child's registration to:
*Montpelier Parks & Recreation
P.O. Box 148
Montpelier, Ohio 43543*
- DROP OFF your child's registration form at the Montpelier Utility Office (*211 North Jonesville Street*). There is always staff at the office and fees may be paid with cash, check, or money order at this location. Office hours are 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday.

NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE LATE REGISTRATION DEADLINES.

All fees are non-refundable unless program is canceled or maxed out.

PAGES 25-28 MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE ANY CHILD IS ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN MONTPELIER PARKS & RECREATION PROGRAMS!



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CO., 1889

PLEASE SEE OUR
CATALOGUE FOR THE
FINEST GAMES.

FACEBOOK

LIKE us on Facebook! You can either connect to our Facebook page through our website or look for **Montpelier Parks & Recreation** on Facebook.

WEBPAGE

- ◆ Looking for a digital copy of the Program Guide?
- ◆ Need a ball team schedule?
- ◆ Want to check out our programs?

It's all here: www.montpelierpark.net

PROGRAM POLICIES

- ◆ The Village of Montpelier and the Parks & Recreation Department reserve the right to make any and all changes necessary to rules, activities, programs, and structure of any and all of its programs. We also reserve the right to cancel classes/programs for any reason whatsoever, including, but not limited to, low enrollment.
- ◆ We will try to honor team requests **but this may not always be possible** due to age constraints, numbers, and the overall structure of the program. Requests should be made *in writing* and attached to the registration form. Registrants will also be placed on the teams appropriate for their age level (e.g. 7 & 8 year olds in U8 soccer, not U6). This is the only way to ensure fair play among all participants.
- ◆ Please pay close attention to the registration deadlines and ages for each program. Exceptions cannot be made.

PASSPORT

HEY LOOK! It's your PASSPORT!

Passports will also be available at Registration Blitz, the Montpelier Utility Office and the Montpelier Public Library.

PASSPORT STICKER EVENTS: Any time a child participates in a program on the Calendar of Community Events (page 10-19) with a ★ symbol, he or she will receive a sticker for his or her passport. Collect at least 9 stickers over the summer and receive a prize at the **END OF SUMMER PARTY on AUGUST 10th!** Passports for kids ages 1-14. Extra **PASSPORTS** will be handed out at **REGISTRATION BLITZ** (May 19th). Need an extra copy? Stop by the **MONTPELIER PUBLIC LIBRARY** or the **MONTPELIER UTILITY OFFICE.**

PARK POLICIES

PARK RULES & REGULATIONS

1. Park hours are from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m.
2. No alcohol is allowed in the park.
3. No littering.
4. Obey speed limits and watch for children.
5. All Village ordinances still apply at the park and any criminal misconduct will be prosecuted.
6. Use of the park facilities is on a first come, first served basis. Those who have reservations for the pool and pavilions have the right to use those facilities over others who may wish to use them at that time.
7. All dogs must be on a leash. It is your responsibility to clean up after your dog and not let it bother other people. Please dispose of dog refuse in the proper containers.
8. Please keep bicycles off the basketball and tennis courts.
9. No hitting or soft pitch against the fencing at the park. This causes damage to the fences.
10. Fields and equipment may be closed by Parks & Recreation personnel at any time for safety reasons or due to weather conditions. Please obey posted signs.
11. Remember, the park is for everyone to enjoy so please take care of it!

RESERVATIONS & FEES

The pavilions and pool are available for rent during the summer. All park rules still apply during parties. You must be 18 or older to reserve the pool or pavilions. For reservations, please contact the Recreation Office at 419-485-3496.

RENTAL FEES

Municipal Park Pavilion	\$35.00	FEE
Restroom Keys	\$20.00	<i>refundable deposit</i> when keys returned
Main Street Park Pavilion	\$35.00	FEE (<i>ADA portable restroom available onsite for summer</i>)
Storrer Park Pavilion	\$35.00	FEE (<i>ADA portable restroom available onsite for summer</i>)
Restroom Keys	\$20.00	<i>refundable deposit</i> when keys returned
Pool Daily Admission	\$2.00	Admission. Free on Sundays
Family Season Pass	\$150.00	up to 5 family members for \$150
Each additional family member	\$30.00	up to a maximum of 8 family members on a family pass
Individual Season Pass	\$40.00	1 person on the pass
Pool Pass Books	\$45.00	25 daily passes good for one admission each
Public Swim Lessons	\$15.00	per child, per session
Pool Party with slide	\$100.00	1 ½ hours; includes lifeguards
Pool Party without slide	\$75.00	1 ½ hours; includes lifeguards



PARK CODE OF CONDUCT

1. No player or coach shall refuse to abide by an official's decision.
2. No player or coach shall be guilty of objectionable demonstrations of dissent of an official's decision by throwing or abusing equipment of any kind, by word or mouth, or by gesture.
3. No player or coach, other than a head coach, shall discuss with any official in any manner the decision reached by an official.
4. No player or coach shall be guilty of using any type of physical force toward any official in any way.
5. No player or coach shall be guilty of personal, verbal abuse upon any official for any real or imaginary wrong decision or judgment.
6. No player or coach shall be guilty of physical attack upon any player, official, or spectator.
7. The field supervisors, umpires, and Parks & Recreation personnel are classified as officials.
8. Team support by spectators is welcome. Spectators will be expected to present themselves in a proper manner. Unruly conduct will not be tolerated. Spectators may be suspended from game-sites at the discretion of the parks and recreation department.
9. No alcoholic or controlled substance in any form will be allowed at the athletic facility. No player or coach will be allowed to be under the influence of any alcoholic or controlled substance, to any degree, unless prescribed by a physician.
10. Vulgar gestures or profanity by any person (coach, player, or spectator) will not be tolerated.
11. Once lightning has been recognized, competition shall be suspended at least 30 minutes after the last flash of lightning is witnessed or thunder is heard to begin or resume a contest.
12. Failure to comply with these rules may result in disciplinary action, suspension from park activities, and/or criminal prosecution.

MONTPELIER MUNICIPAL POOL

SWIM LESSONS

The Montpelier Municipal Pool will once again be offering swim lessons during the summer. The session is as follows:

TWO SESSIONS

Session 1: June 19-23; June 26-30

Tentative Session 2: July 10-14; July 17-21

Please stop by the Municipal Pool table at Registration Blitz on May 19th or the Municipal Pool after June 6th to register for swim lessons.

TENTATIVE SKILL LEVEL TIMES

Levels 1, 3 & 5 10:00-10:45 a.m.

Levels 2, 4 & 6 11:00-11:45 a.m.

Please contact the pool to determine your child's skill level.

Please note: Children must be at least 6 years of age to take public swimming lessons. The lifeguards will place the swimmers in the appropriate levels on the first day if the level is unknown. The cost per session is **\$15.00**. Swim Lesson fees are not refundable. Call the pool at 419-485-5811 *after June 6th* for more information.

Private lessons are also available from any lifeguard. Please contact the pool and/or the lifeguard of your choice for more information at 419-485-5811.

MAKING WAVES

The *Montpelier Eagles* have donated funds to sponsor any child who would like to take public swim lessons for **FREE** at the Montpelier Pool. If you are interested, please stop by the pool to fill out a *Making Waves* form and sign up for a session of swimming lessons. Applies only to public, not private, lessons. If you have questions, please call the pool at 419-485-5811.

PLEASE NOTE: If your child does not attend the first class of public swim lessons, his or her slot will be forfeited if there is a waiting list for public lessons.



Going swimming in 1879.

POOL HOURS *(pool hours subject to change)*

Open Swim

Monday-Saturday	1:00-5:00 p.m.
Monday-Thursday	6:00-8:00 p.m.
Sunday	1:00-3:00 p.m. FREE

Pool Parties

Friday & Saturday	6:00-7:30 & 7:45-9:15 p.m.
Sunday	3:30-5:00 p.m.

For pool party reservations please call the Recreation Office at 419-485-3496.

POOL PASSES

In addition to our daily pass book system (25 daily passes for \$45) we also offer season passes. There are 2 options:

- ◆ Family Pass for up to 5 family members for \$150; each additional family member will be \$30 for a max of 8 family members.
- ◆ \$40 Individual Pass

Patrons who purchase a season pass may be required to have their picture taken when purchasing the passes. Only those patrons whose names are on the pass will be admitted with the pass. Passes may be purchased starting **June 6th**.

The Montpelier Municipal Pool is scheduled to be open June 6th through August 13th.
The pool will be closed July 4th.

POOL FEES

Daily Admission:	\$2.00
<i>After 6:00 p.m. Monday-Thursday</i>	\$1.00
<i>Ages 6 and under</i>	FREE
Book of 25 daily passes	\$45.00
Family Season Pass (Limit 5)	\$150.00
Individual Season Pass	\$40.00
Pool Party w/slide	\$100.00
Pool Party w/o slide	\$75.00

FREE ON SUNDAYS!

Montpelier residents get in **FREE** to the pool on Sundays from 1:00-3:00 p.m. All others, \$1.00.

MONTPELIER MUNICIPAL POOL

POOL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Children 6 years and younger must be with an adult.
2. Those with open wounds, sores, and skin infections are not permitted in the pool.
3. A disposable swim diaper must be worn in the wading pool by children under the age of three. The disposable swim diapers are available at the pool for \$1.00.
4. No alcoholic beverage or persons under the influence are permitted inside the pool area.
5. You must shower before entering the pool.
6. Employees only are allowed behind the front desk, concession area, and in the filter rooms.
7. The management will not be responsible for the loss or theft of any personal belongings.
9. NO floating equipment or toys are allowed inside the pool.

A. Floaties	D. Snorkles or fins
B. Beach balls	E. Water wings
C. Innertubes	

Zip-up lifejackets are ok. Masks or goggles are ok.
9. Do not visit or talk to lifeguards while they are on duty.
10. Patrons are asked to remember that this is a family pool and appropriate swimming attire is required before using the facilities.
11. In the event the lifeguards must enter the pool to aid a swimmer in distress, all other swimmers must exit the pool immediately and stay back away from the pool until the lifeguards give permission to resume swimming.
12. **NO** roughhousing of any kind is allowed.
13. **NO**

Gum	Glass	Tobacco
Profanity	Fighting	Pushing
Spitting	Harassment	Cut-off pants
Food & Drink in pool area		Running Dives off edge
Alcohol	Weapons	Drug Paraphernalia
Dunking	Running	Public Indecency
Speedos	Thong Swimsuits	
14. Conduct that may endanger others is prohibited.
15. All refuse must be deposited in the proper container.

16. Diving Rules

- A. Do not congregate on diving board.
- B. No diving from side of board.
- C. Only one person on the board at a time.
- D. Divers must wait until the preceding diver surfaces and clears the area.
- E. Divers must pass a swim test given by a lifeguard to be in the 12-foot area.



Girls in swimsuits in 1903.

17. Waterslide Rules

- A. All riders must be 49" tall to ride the waterslide.
- B. Only one person is allowed to go down the slide at a time.
- C. Riders must go down in a feet first position.
- D. Riders must wait until the slide dispatcher indicates it is okay to go down the slide and all riders have cleared the landing/splash area.
18. All swimmers should conduct themselves in a proper manner and strive to adhere to the rules.
19. The management is responsible for proper order. Their instructions must be followed at all times.

RULE VIOLATIONS WILL BE CAUSE FOR:

First Violation

- ◆ Sitting for a period of 10-15 minutes

Second Violation

- ◆ Expulsion from the pool
- ◆ (1-3 day minimum, at the lifeguards' discretion)
- ◆ If the violator does not leave immediately, expulsion for 1 week.
- ◆ If the same person continues to violate the rules, he/she will not be allowed at the pool for the remainder of the season.

VIOLATIONS THAT CALL FOR IMMEDIATE EXPULSION

(and likely contact of the Police Department)

Profanity Fighting Public Indecency Tobacco Products
 Drug Paraphernalia Weapons Alcohol

SPLASH INTO SUMMER! RENT THE POOL FOR A PARTY!

Pool parties are available on Friday and Saturday evenings from 6:00-7:30 p.m. (and from 7:45-9:15 p.m. when the 6:00-7:30 p.m. time slot is full). Patrons may also book 2 parties back-to-back. In addition, pool parties are available on Sunday afternoons from 3:30-5:00 p.m. The cost per pool party is \$100 with the waterslide or \$75 without the waterslide. All pool rules still apply during the parties. Food may be brought to the parties but must stay on concession patio.

To rent the pool for a party please call the Recreation Office at 419-485-3496.

MONTPELIER MUNICIPAL PARK SPLASH PAD

FOR THE BENEFIT OF ALL PARTICIPANTS, PLEASE COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING SPLASHPAD RULES:

- ◆ **Safety first!** The splash pad is unsupervised. No lifeguards on duty.
- ◆ **Splash pad is under video surveillance.**
- ◆ **Children who are not toilet trained must wear swim diapers. Do not use splash pad when you have diarrhea.**
- ◆ **Proper swim attire is expected and required.**
- ◆ **Splash pad water is not meant for drinking.**
- ◆ **Please take children on frequent restroom breaks. Wash hands after using rest room.**
- ◆ **NOT permitted on the splash pad area:**
 - Climbing, hanging, or sitting on spray features
 - Running, rough play, and profanity
 - Food, candy, gum, beverages, and glass containers
 - Street shoes, boots, or heels. Swim socks, sandals or flip flops are ok.
 - Inflatable pool toys, athletic and other recreation equipment
 - Soaps, detergents, and shampoos
 - Animals, except service animals.
 - Changing diapers
 - Radios or other acoustical devices
 - Bicycles, skateboards, skates, scooters, rollerblades or similar equipment
 - Smoking or vaping
- ◆ **Food and beverages used in the shade area must be properly disposed of in trash containers.**
- ◆ **NO GLASS BOTTLES ARE ALLOWED. Leave no trace.**
- ◆ **At the first sign of thunder or lightning, vacate the splash pad and seek a fully enclosed shelter.**
- ◆ **Having fun is permissible and highly encouraged! Enjoy your day at the splash pad!**

**THE SPLASH PAD IS OPEN DAILY FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 9:00 P.M.
MEMORIAL DAY TO LABOR DAY**



QUICK TIP: To turn on the Splash Pad, smack the top of the Touch N' Go activator on the southwest corner of the splash pad. The splash pad will only turn from 9am-9pm daily from Memorial Day to Labor Day.

TOT BALL



The Tot Ball program is designed to teach fundamentals and good sportsmanship. No score will be kept. T-Shirts & hats will be provided. Players should have their own mitt. If you have your own bat, it must be 26" or shorter. Team pictures will also be taken during the season. More information on team pictures will be available during the season. All players play together in 1 league. Any special requests must be made in writing and attached to your child's registration form. However, it may not always be possible to honor team requests.

If you are willing to coach, please make a note on your child's Registration Form. Please make sure to completely fill out the **Concussion Information, Sudden Cardiac Arrest, Emergency Medical & Registration Forms** for each child participating in Tot Ball.

GIRLS: *If your daughter turns 4 by August 1st then she may play Tot Ball. If your daughter turns 6 by **January 1, 2023** then she may only play Girls Softball.* **BOYS:** *If your son turns 4 by August 1st then he may play Tot Ball. If your son turns 7 before **May 1, 2023** then he may only play Youth League Baseball. Age difference for boys and girls moving up are due to league ages.*

Dates: Mid July—Early August

Time: Games will be scheduled Monday-Thursday at 6:30 & 7:15 PM with makeups on Saturday mornings.

Ages: 4-6 for Boys & Girls.

Location: Montpelier Park—Division III Softball Diamond

Fee: \$20.00 each (\$25.00 for LATE registrations.)

Registration Deadline: *June 1st.* Please use the forms on pages 25-28 of the Program Guide. *No late registrations after June 20th.*

SOCCER



Do your kids like to run and kick a ball? Then soccer is for them! Each team will be provided with a team name and color. The team color will be used for the soccer shirts that will be worn during the matches. T-Shirts will be provided. Parents must supply shin guards and socks. Team pictures will also be taken during the season. More information on team pictures will be available during the season.

Thank you to everyone who helped with the 2022 soccer season. We need coaches and volunteers for the 2023 season. If you can help, please make a note on your child's Registration Form. Thank you! Please make sure to completely fill out the **Concussion Information, Sudden Cardiac Arrest, Emergency Medical & Registration Forms** for each child participating in Soccer.

Shin guards are mandatory for all practices and matches. Shin guards must be purchased for players before the start of practices. Players will not be allowed to participate during practices or matches if they are not wearing shin guards.

Reminder: heading a soccer ball is **PROHIBITED** in 6U, 8U, & 11U soccer.

Dates: Mid August—Early October

Time: Games will be scheduled on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday evenings

Ages: **US SOCCER has now adopted birth year registration for all soccer programs nationwide.**

6U: born in 2017 or 2018

8U: born in 2015 or 2016

11U: born in 2012, 2013, or 2014



AGE BRACKETS

Example: *If your child was born anytime in 2012 he/she may participate in 11U soccer in 2023.*

Location: South End of Montpelier Municipal Park

Fee: \$20.00 each (\$25.00 for LATE registrations.)

Registration Deadline: *July 10th.* Please use the forms on pages 25-28 of the Program Guide. *No late registrations after July 31st.*

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Date: Tuesday, August 1

Time: 4:00-7:00pm

Location: Montpelier Police Department

Address: 221 Empire Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Join the Montpelier Police Department as they celebrate National Night Out! Food! Bike Rodeo! Touch a Truck! Free Bike Helmets! Free handouts for the kids! Music! See the K9 in action! Lots of fun activities and information from community partners. Have the kids ride their bikes!

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER SOCCER CAMPS

WEEK 1

8U Week 1: July 17-21, 2023
11U Week 1: July 17-21, 2023

Time: 12:30-2:00pm
Time: 2:30-4:00pm

WEEK 2

11U Week 2: July 24-28, 2023
8U Week 2: July 24-28, 2023

Time: 8:00-9:30am
Time: 10:30-Noon

Location: Meet in front of the pool

Address: 1110 South Platt Street

Registration: No registrations accepted after July 1st.

Fee: \$10.00 per child per session

Ages: 7-11

8U: born in 2015 or 2016
11U: born in 2012, 2013, or 2014

Kids age 7-8 or 9-11 can participate in weekly soccer camps where they can work on their soccer skills and also practice their skills in daily scrimmages. Kids should bring a bottle of water and a soccer ball. Camp supplies will be provided.

Each day will be different skills, but the weeks will be the same. For example, the skills on Monday of Week 1 will be the same as the skills on Monday of Week 2. Pick your weekly session or pick two if you really want to get ready for soccer season! **Max 18 per session for 8U and 22 per session for 11U.**

FREE LUNCH PROGRAM

Free sack lunches are distributed to children of families who receive free or reduced school lunches. Sponsored by the *Friends of the Montpelier Parks, Inc.* with donations from the Montpelier community, civic groups, and churches and operated by *Montpelier Parks & Recreation.* Interested in volunteering to make or serve lunches? Please call the Recreation Office at 419-485-3496. **THANK YOU!**

Dates: Mondays-Fridays, June 5-August 11; No lunches on July 4th.

Time: 12:00-12:30 PM

Ages: 1-16

Location: Montpelier Park Concession Stand

Fee: Free

Registration: Registration is not required and walk-ups are welcome.
Proof of income eligibility is not required.
1 sack lunch per child per day



JR. GARDENERS



Do you eat your leafy greens? What's not to love about wind chimes? Let's plant some herbs in the herb garden! Do you know the difference between an insect pest and one that is beneficial? How do new plant varieties compare to old ones? We'll check out all these things and more during the week-long, hands-on program! Gardeners will receive an herb planter to take home. **Register by May 19th.**

Dates: Wednesdays, May 31-June 28

Time: 9:00-10:00am

Ages: 8-12 (*Must be 8 and no older than 12 by May 19, 2023.*)

Location: Montpelier Kids Garden

Location: 932 South Pleasant Street, Montpelier

Fee: \$15.00

Registration: Please register by *May 19th* using the forms on pages 25-28 of the Program Guide.

The **Montpelier Kids Garden** is open to the general public during regular park hours. Children are welcome to visit with their families, sample a cherry tomato and pick a flower. However, please leave larger vegetables as they will be used with the Jr. Gardeners. Thank You!

Check out our All-America Selections Display Garden at the Kids Garden!

CALENDAR OF COMMUNITY EVENTS

REGISTRATION BLITZ!

Date: Friday, May 19 • 4:30-6:30pm

Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion

Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

REGISTRATION BLITZ for community summer programs!

Registrations for kids up through age 14. **FREE** to attend!

Food by Montpelier Rotary. **FREE T-shirts** for kids up through age 14 while they last.

Community Groups scheduled to attend:

- Church of Christ
- Montpelier First Church of the Nazarene
- Montpelier Municipal Pool
- Montpelier Parks & Recreation
- Montpelier Public Library
- St. Paul's United Methodist
- Williams County Soil & Water Conservation District

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

FLAG LAYING

Saturday, May 20 • 9:00-11:00am

Location: Riverside Cemetery

Address: 10458 State Route 107, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages: 7-12

Help place flags at the graves of veterans. Meet at the Civil War monument on the hill. *Great community service opportunity!*

419-630-8767 | [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/DaneMichaelVeteransCenter): Dane Michael Veterans Center

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MISSION MONTPELIER Community Cleanup 2023

Date: Saturday, May 20 • 9:00am-Noon

Location: Founders Park

Address: 400 West Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages: All ages welcome



Community cleanup day! We have ideas for the Iron Horse River Trail, for our neighborhoods and the downtown! More details to come, but please make plans to join us. Meet at Founders Park to start. [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/MissionMontpelier): Mission Montpelier

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MEMORIAL DAY BREAKFAST

Monday, May 29 • 7:00-11:00am

Location: Montpelier Fire Department

Address: 107 South Monroe Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free will donation

Annual Montpelier Fire Department pancake breakfast. Pancakes, sausage patties, French toast, and scrambled eggs. Dine-in and carry-out available.

419-485-3940 | [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/MontpelierFireDepartment): Montpelier Fire Department

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

Monday, May 29 • 10:30am

Location: Montpelier Town Hall

Address: 211 North Jonesville Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Parade from Town Hall to Riverside Cemetery. Lineup starts at 10:15. Patriotic Bicycle Decorating Contest. Open to kids up to age 12.

419-630-8767 | [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/DaneMichaelVeteransCenter): Dane Michael Veterans Center

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

FREE SPACE: ARCHITECTURE

Tuesday, May 30 • 9:00-10:00am

Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion

Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages: 5-9

Weekly free activity for kids ages 5-9! This week's theme is architecture. Kids will decorate a paper house to take home.

All Free Space Activities are held Rain or Shine! Free Space Activities subject to change based on weather conditions.

419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

JR. GARDENERS

Wednesdays, May 31-June 28 • 9:00-10:00am

Location: Montpelier Recreation Office

Address: 932 South Pleasant Street, Montpelier

Fee: \$15.00

Ages: 8-12

Do you eat your leafy greens? What's not to love about wind chimes? Let's plant some herbs in the herb garden! Do you know the difference between an insect pest and one that is beneficial? How do new plant varieties compare to old ones? We'll check out all these things and more during the week-long, hands-on program! Gardeners will receive an herb planter to take home. Register by May 19th.

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[Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/MontpelierParksRecreation): Montpelier Parks & Recreation

TIE DYE

Thursday, June 1 • 9:00-11:00am

Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion

Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages: 3-14 (*Parents must stay for kids under age 7.*)



Shirts will be handed out at Registration Blitz with extras available June 1st. Come and go anytime during a time slot. Parents must stay with young children. Kids will take their shirts home to rinse out or the shirts may be brought to the Recreation Office on

Friday, June 2nd anytime from 1-4pm for help rinsing out. Tie Dye event held rain or shine. Shirts are for kids only. Please wear old clothes to tie dye! Please register using the Parks & Recreation Program Guide.

Can't make it during the day? Stop at the Recreation Office

(932 S. Pleasant St.) on June 1st from 5-6pm to dye your shirt.

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Facebook: Montpelier Parks & Recreation

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY Summer Reading Challenges

June 1-July 31

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free



BEANSTACK
TRACKER
QR CODE

Sign up for the FREE Beanstack "STEAM at Home" challenge. All ages can earn cool prizes. Beanstack is a fun and easy way to track your reading. You don't even need a library card to sign up!

To get started, scan the QR code or go to

<https://montpelierpubliclibrary.beanstack.org>.

Stop by the library if you need help!

419-485-3287 | Facebook: Montpelier Public Library

MONTPELIER LIBRARY Sketchbook Swap

June 1-August 11

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Open to all ages! Calling all artists and doodlers to a summer-long sketchbook swap. Here's how it works: participants sign out a sketchbook for a week at a time and start sketching. The only rule is that the sketches must relate to Science, Technology, Engineering, Art or Mathematics from the 1800s. Think trains, steampunk, Sherlock Holmes, inventions-the ideas are endless! Return it after a week and swap it for a different sketchbook.

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MONTPELIER LIBRARY Touch-a-Truck

Thursday, June 1 • 4:00-5:00pm

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

The Village of Montpelier will bring some of our favorite vehicles for us to explore! Don't forget your camera because there will be tons of photo ops!

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY Stuffed Animal Sleepover

Thursday, June 1

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

All ages. Drop off your stuffed animal 9:00am-7:30pm. Then watch our Facebook page to see fun stuffed animal antics! Pick up your animal on Friday, June 2.

419-485-3287 | Facebook: Montpelier Public Library

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT



MONTPELIER LIBRARY

Locked in the Library

Thursday-Friday, June 1-2 • 8:00pm-9:00am

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages: 10-15

Locked in the Library is back by popular demand! Get locked in the library, solve a Breakout Box, Make STEAM crafts and SO much more. Choose between an 8:00-11:00 spot or stay the whole night! Spots fill quickly; reserve yours by calling the library.

419-485-3287 | Facebook: Montpelier Public Library

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

FAMILY FUN FRIDAYS

Fridays, June 2, July 7, & August 4 • 6:00-8:00 pm

Friday, September 8 • 5:00-7:00 pm

Location: Montpelier First Church of the Nazarene

Address: 401 West Brown Road, Montpelier

Free! All ages. Join us for a family fun activity for your whole family. Snacks, Crafts, Games, Activities, & Family Bonding.

June 2nd: Nerf Night ~ ★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

July 7th: Kickball ~ ★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

August 4th: Water Fun ~ ★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

September 8th: Chili & Dogs

Facebook: Montpelier First Church of the Nazarene

S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2: ARCHITECTURE

Friday, June 2

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: \$20 for the summer

STEAM 1: Ages: 5-9 • 9:15-10:15am

STEAM 2: Ages 10-14 • 10:15-11:15am

Weekly Parks & Recreation activities for kids! This week's theme is architecture. Both STEAM 1 & STEAM 2 kids will walk around the neighborhood with local architect, Chris Kannel, to study Montpelier's architecture. STEAM 1 & STEAM 2 will meet in the meeting room at the Library. Kids must be registered by May 19th using pages 25-28 in the Program Guide. 419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

FREE LUNCH PROGRAM

Mondays-Fridays, June 5-August 11 • Noon-12:30pm

Location: Municipal Park Concession Stand

Address: 1115 Charlie's Way, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages: 1-16

Free lunch. Open to kids who are eligible for free/reduced school lunches. 1 kid = 1 sack lunch. No lunches July 4th.

419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

Facebook: Montpelier Parks & Recreation

FREE COMMUNITY DINNERS

Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Fridays

June 5-August 11 • 5:00-6:00pm

Locations: *see below*

Fee: Free

Monday: Church of Christ • 104 W Jefferson St

Tuesday: First Church of the Nazarene • 401 W Brown Rd

Thursday: First Presbyterian • 114 W Washington St

Friday: House of Prayer • 223 W Washington St

No meals on Wednesdays. Free meals provided by local churches named above with assistance from West Eagle Creek & West Bethesda Presbyterian churches.

MONTPELIER MUNICIPAL POOL

Daily, June 6—August 13

Location: Montpelier Municipal Pool

Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier

Fee: Daily admission \$2

Only free Sunday Open Swim at the pool eligible for passport stickers. Sign up for swim lessons at the May 19th Registration Blitz or at the Municipal Pool. Pool Party reservations may be made by calling the Recreation office at 419-485-3496.

1-5pm Monday-Saturday (Open Swim)

5-6pm Closed

6-8pm Monday-Thursday (Open Swim)

1-3pm Sunday (Open Swim) FREE!

419-485-5811 | www.montpelierpark.net

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT (*Sundays only*)

FREE SPACE: COMMUNICATION

Tuesday, June 6 • 9:00-10:00am

Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion

Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages: 5-9

Weekly free activity for kids ages 5-9! This week's theme is communication. Kids will roll a story and then make a story book to take home. 419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY

Magician Gordon Russ

Tuesday, June 6 • 10:00-10:45am

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

All ages. Hold onto your hats and don't blink an eye! Gordon Russ, magician to the world, is coming to Montpelier Library! Gather the kids and prepare to be amazed. Gordon and his trusty sidekick, George the Raccoon, have traveled the globe in search of smiles, laughs, and fun.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: LIBRARY CAMP

Thursday, June 8 • 1:00-2:00pm

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages: 10-17

Join Ms. Eliza and the library gang to play a round of library putt-putt and nibble on some pizza! With holes focused on the STEAM Era, it is sure to be a hole in one!

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2: COMMUNICATION

Friday, June 9

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: \$20 for the summer

STEAM 1: Ages: 5-9 • 9:15-10:15am

STEAM 2: Ages 10-14 • 10:15-11:15am

Weekly Parks & Recreation activities for kids! This week's theme is communication. STEAM 1 kids will design a children's newspaper to take home. STEAM 2 kids will print posters. STEAM 1 & STEAM 2 will meet in the meeting room at the Library. Kids must be registered by May 19th using pages 25-28 in the Program Guide.

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CHILDREN'S AREA @ RELAY FOR LIFE

Friday, June 9 • 5:00-8:00pm

Location: Williams County Fairgrounds

Address: 619 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free


The Montpelier Library is on the road again! We will have giant Legos, life-size Jenga, games & activities for kids. Everyone welcome!

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or Relay For Life of Williams County, OH

See Angie or Morgan for a ★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

TALKING PICTURES



GREAT MOUSE DETECTIVE
Friday, June 9

AROUND THE WORLD IN 80 DAYS
Saturday, July 15

LEMONY SNICKET'S
A SERIES OF UNFORTUNATE EVENTS
Friday, August 11

OUTDOOR PICTURE SHOW
INTERESTING & AMUSING ENTERTAINMENT!

Each show at 9:00pm • Montpelier Municipal Park

MOVIE: *Great Mouse Detective*

Friday, June 9 • 9:00pm

Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion

Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Tale of Basil of Baker Street, an 1897 London rodent sleuth and his archenemy Professor Ratigan. Bring popcorn, drinks, a blanket or lawn chair. Movies made possible due to donations from the *Montpelier Eagles* to the *Friends of the Montpelier Parks, Inc.* Rated G, 80 minutes, 1986 ©Swank Motion Pictures; ©Walt Disney Pictures

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[Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/montpelierparksandrecreation): Montpelier Parks & Recreation

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: STORYTIME

Wednesday, June 7 • 11:00am-Noon
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 0-5



The term “jigsaw” puzzle entered our vocabulary in the 1880s. Puzzles are a great first step in early engineering and learning how to solve problems. We will make our own piece of art and turn it into a puzzle!

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

FREE SPACE: MOTION PICTURES

Tuesday, June 13 • 9:00-10:00am
Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 5-9

Weekly free activity for kids ages 5-9! This week's theme is motion pictures. Kids will make a thaumatrope. To take home

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: LIBRARY CAMP

Tuesday, June 13 • 10:00-11:00am
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 6 & up

Marvin Stone patented the drinking straw in 1888. Join us in making your own maze game using plastic drinking straws.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: STORYTIME

Wednesday, June 14 • 11:00am-Noon
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 0-5

Play-Doh was first distributed in the early 1900s in Cincinnati, Ohio...but not as a children's toy! Ping pong balls and drinking straws are also Victorian Era gems. Join us to see how we utilize these items to create our very own mazes.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: LIBRARY CAMP

Thursday, June 15 • 1:00-2:00pm
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 10-17

We will read works of dynamic poets of the STEAM Era and create our own blackout poetry! If you've never tried blackout poetry, you are in for a treat! Speaking of treats...we will also chow down on pizza for inspiration!

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2: MOTION PICTURES

Friday, June 16
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main St, Montpelier
Fee: \$20 for the summer (*must be registered*)
STEAM 1: Ages: 5-9 • 9:15-10:15am
STEAM 2: Ages 10-14 • 10:15-11:15am

Weekly Parks & Recreation activities for kids! This week's theme is motion pictures. STEAM 1 kids will color a flip book to take home. STEAM 2 kids will design and illustrate a flip book to take home. 419-485-3496 | [www.montpelierpark.net](#)

MONTPELIER LIBRARY

Tiny Art Show

Pickup: June 19-24 • Display: June 8-July 31
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free

All ages. Register for a mini art kit and create your masterpiece (while supplies last). Return your completed project to the library on or before June 27. Don't forget to stop in after July 31 to pick up your artwork! Passport stickers will be passed out when you bring in your completed project.

419-485-3287 | [Facebook](#): Montpelier Public Library

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

VBS: Stellar

Monday-Friday, June 19-23 • 9:00am-11:30am
Program on Sunday, June 26 at 10:00am
Location: St. John's Lutheran Church
Address: 209 Broad Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free

St. John's Lutheran Church VBS. Kids will be launched on a cosmic quest where they'll have a blast shining Jesus' light to the world. Stellar rockets kids on an out-of-this-world adventure that's light years of faith-building fun. Paper registration forms available at St. John's Lutheran Church or at the Montpelier Public Library. Register online through St. John's Lutheran Church's Facebook page. Age 4- entering 6th grade. 419-485-3736 | <http://www.stjohnsmontpelier.org>

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

FREE SPACE: INVENTORS

Tuesday, June 20 • 9:00-10:00am
Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 5-9

Weekly free activity for kids ages 5-9! This week's theme is inventors. Kids will make a paper tube robot to take home.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: LIBRARY CAMP

Tuesday, June 20 • 10:00-11:00am
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 6 & up



The first bicycle was also known as the “swiftwalker” in 1817. Today we will be assembling our own swiftwalkers.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: STORYTIME

Wednesday, June 21 • 11:00am-Noon
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 0-5

Did you know “Bubbles” by Sir John Millais is one of the most iconic paintings of the Victorian Era? We are going to make our own bubble blower and learn how to make long chains of bubbles called bubble snakes!

419-485-3287 | [Facebook](#): Montpelier Public Library

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: LIBRARY CAMP

Thursday, June 22 • 1:00-2:00pm
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 E Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 10-17

STEAM Murder Escape Room! Come help solve the mystery and escape the breakout room with clues from different times of the STEAM Era. Enjoy some pizza after you escape!

419-485-3287 | [Facebook](#): Montpelier Public Library

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2: INVENTORS

Friday, June 23
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: \$20 for the summer (*must be registered*)
STEAM 1: Ages: 5-9 • 9:15-10:15am
STEAM 2: Ages 10-14 • 10:15-11:15am

Weekly Parks & Recreation activities for kids! This week's theme is inventors. STEAM 1 kids will be making caramel popcorn balls. STEAM 2 kids will fly high with the Wright Brothers and paper airplanes.

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CREATE A CANDY BAR

Friday, June 23 • 1:00-3:00pm (*come and go*)
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 5-14

Have you ever wanted to create candy like Milton Hershey? Here is your chance! Each child will create a milk chocolate candy, make a label for the candy and design an ad about the candy. Kids get to take the candy home.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

FREE SPACE: ARCHAEOLOGY

Tuesday, June 27 • 9:00-10:00am
Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 5-9

Weekly free activity for kids ages 5-9! This week's theme is archaeology. Kids will dig into a Bag O' Artifacts and see if they can identify the person who left them behind.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: LIBRARY CAMP

Tuesday, June 27 • 10:00-11:00am
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 6 & up

William Painter invented the bottle cap in 1892. Using bottle caps we will be crafting a flower portrait.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: STORYTIME

Wednesday, June 28 • 11:00am-Noon
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 0-5

The first documented pasta factory in America was established in Brooklyn in 1848. Today there are at least 350 shapes of pasta! Using Play-Doh and pasta, we will let our imaginations run wild and craft a pasta tower or animal.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: LIBRARY CAMP

Thursday, June 29 • 1:00-2:00pm
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 10-17

The STEAM Sewage Mishap. You're on your way to the World's Fair and suddenly you drop your tickets into a sewage grate! Use common items to build something to retrieve them before your time runs out! We will have pizza to help boost your creativity.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2: ARCHAEOLOGY

Friday, June 30
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: \$20 for the summer (*must be registered*)
STEAM 1: Ages: 5-9 • 9:15-10:15am
STEAM 2: Ages 10-14 • 10:15-11:15am

Weekly Parks & Recreation activities for kids! This week's theme is archaeology. STEAM 1 kids will go on an archaeological dig and record their findings. STEAM 2 kids will participate in a cookie excavation and play a seriation game. 419-485-3496 | [www.montpelierpark.net](#)

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: STORYTIME

Wednesday, July 5 • 11:00am-Noon
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 0-5

Yellowstone became America's first National Park in 1872. Today we will craft our own binoculars so we can go on a nature treasure hunt. We will use our gathered treasures to create our own piece of nature art.

419-485-3287 | [Facebook](#): Montpelier Public Library

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

IMAGINARIUM

Thursday, July 6 • 1:30-2:30pm
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free (*must be registered*)
Ages: 10-14

What will you create? Over 5 weeks kids will create an invention to display at the "World's Fair" at the End of Summer Party. During session 1 the kids will play "Unnecessary Inventions" to help brainstorm a new invention.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

CHRISTMAS LIGHTING
EDISON MINIATURE LAMPS
for Christmas Trees.
No Danger, Smoke or Smell. Lamps either rented or sold.
Full directions furnished, enabling anyone to readily wire and put up the lamps.
Can be used only in houses having electric lights.
GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY,
HARRISON, N. J.

1 Candle Power Lamps.
2 Lamps in Series on 110 to 120 volts.
4 Lamps in Series on 60 to 80 volts.

~Ad, 1904

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: LIBRARY CAMP

Thursday, July 6 • 5:00-6:00pm
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 E Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 10-17

Join us for a Teen Advisory Group meeting and the end of SRP where we'll talk about the great books we read this summer, enjoy pizza and do some STEAM activities!

419-485-3287 | [Facebook](#): Montpelier Public Library

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2: DETECTIVES

Friday, July 7
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: \$20 for the summer (*must be registered*)
STEAM 1: Ages: 5-9 • 9:15-10:15am
STEAM 2: Ages 10-14 • 10:15-11:15am

Weekly Parks & Recreation activities for kids! This week's theme is detectives. STEAM 1 kids will examine different types of white kitchen ingredients and try to figure out what they are. STEAM 2 kids will race against time to solve puzzle escape rooms. 419-485-3496 | [www.montpelierpark.net](#)

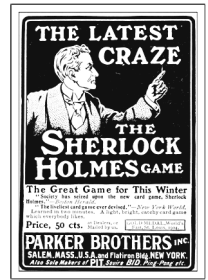
SHERLOCK HOLMES EXHIBITION

Friday, July 7 • 1:00-3:00pm (*come and go*)
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 5-14

Have you ever wanted to be a detective? Solve it like Sherlock Holmes! Kids will go to 8 different stations and solve mysteries & puzzles. Answer all the puzzles and win a prize!

419-485-3496 | [www.montpelierpark.net](#)

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT



~Ad, 1904

FREE SPACE: LITERATURE

Tuesday, July 11 • 9:00-10:00am
Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 5-9

Weekly free activity for kids ages 5-9! This week's theme is literature. Kids will make a Jules Verne craft to take home with guest presenters from the Montpelier Public Library.

419-485-3496 | [www.montpelierpark.net](#)

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION

Investigating the Foods We Eat & Use

Tuesday, July 11 & Wednesday, July 12 • 11:00am-Noon
Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 6-12

Registration: Please register by *June 20th* using the forms on pages 25-28 of the Park Program Guide.

Williams County Soil & Water Conservation District is hosting a two workshops on Investigating the Foods We Eat & Use. The workshops are identical. You pick the day! Have fun investigating and learning about all the different foods we eat, their uses and benefits while discovering how things have changed through the years!! Event held rain or shine. Register by June 20th. Minimum 5, Maximum 25.

419-636-9395 | [Facebook](#): Williams Soil and Water Conservation District

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: LIBRARY CAMP

Tuesday, July 11 • 10:00-11:00am
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 6 & up

Karl Benz patented the 3 wheeled Motor Car in 1886. This was also known as the "Motorwagen" Using Legos we will be constructing our very own vehicle.

419-485-3287 | [Facebook](#): Montpelier Public Library

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: STORYTIME

Wednesday, July 12 • 11:00am-Noon
Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main St, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages: 0-5

Marshmallow roasts were all the rage during the Victorian Era! Today we will use these tasty treats to construct a marshmallow igloo.

419-485-3287 | [Facebook](#): Montpelier Public Library

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MOVIE STUDIO

Thursday, July 13 • 10:00-11:00am

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free (*must be registered*)

Ages: 10-14

Let's make a movie! Using a Lego set and Legos, what story will you create? Today we'll create a story board and sets.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

IMAGINARIUM

Thursday, July 13 • 1:30-2:30pm

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free (*must be registered*)

Ages: 10-14

In today's session, the kids will pick their design for their invention and figure out what supplies they'll need to create it! They'll also be charged to learn about the inventions of Edison, Tesla, & Westinghouse and play around with static electricity.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2: LITERATURE

Friday, July 14

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: \$20 for the summer (*must be registered*)

STEAM 1: Ages: 5-9 • 9:15-10:15am

STEAM 2: Ages 10-14 • 10:15-11:15am

Weekly Parks & Recreation activities for kids! This week's theme is literature with guest presenters from the Montpelier Public Library. STEAM 1 kids learn about Braille using Legos. STEAM 2 kids will learn about the literature of Edgar Allan Poe.

419-485-3496 | [www.montpelierpark.net](#)

HOPE COMMUNITY CENTER

Bean Days Open House

Friday, July 14 • 4:30-6:00pm

Location: Hope Community Center

Address: 223 West Washington Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Come join us for beans, snacks, games, and learn about the services and programs we offer to youth and families.

montpelierhopecenter@gmail.com

[Facebook](#): Hope Community Center

BEAN DAYS: DOWNTOWN

Friday, July 14 • 9:00am-10:00pm

Location: Downtown Montpelier

Visit local restaurants, food vendors, and businesses!

9:00am-5:00pm — St. Paul's United Methodist Basement Sale (402 Broad St.)

11:00am-close — St. John's Lutheran Church sausage sandwiches & root beer floats (209 Broad St.)

TBD — Montpelier Trackage Modelers (308 W. Main St.) - model trains running. Free.

4:00-8:00pm — Free Activities under the tent and inflatable train for ages 12 & under at Founders Park (400 W. Main St.)

★PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

4:00-8:00pm — Free Escape Room and Train people mover for kids, teens & adults.

4:00-8:00pm — Furry Overstuffed Animal Karts (F.O.A.K.) and Old-Time pictures on W. Washington St. Free. DJ: *Four of a Kind* on Empire Street (4-9pm).

5:00-7:00pm — Bean Tasting Downtown—vote for People's Choice Best Beans! Free

5:00-7:00pm — Free Live music provided by *The Antonos/Adam Vasquez* on Founders stage

5:30pm — Bean Judging by the Montpelier Veterans at the Dane Michael Veterans Center

6:00-9:00pm — Cruise-In Car Show on Empire Street (Rain date on Saturday, July 15th from 3-6pm.)

6:00pm — Bucket Brigade for kids at the Fire Station (107 S. Monroe St.) — Registration at 5:30pm ★PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

8:00-10:00pm — Free Live music provided by *Lady Anemoia* at Founders Park.

All scheduled events are limited to weather conditions.

[Facebook](#): Montpelier Bean Days

BEAN DAYS: ROTARY BREAKFAST

Saturday, July 15 • 7:00-11:00am

Location: Montpelier Fire Station

Address: 107 South Monroe Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free Will Donation

Montpelier Rotary pancake, egg, and sausage breakfast. Juice and coffee. Free Will Donation.

[Facebook](#): Montpelier, Ohio Rotary Club

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT



THE OHIO WHEELMEN

Saturday, July 15th

Watch for The Ohio Wheelmen and their pre-1932 vintage bicycles at the Library and during the Bean Days parade this year!

BEAN DAYS: DOWNTOWN

Saturday, July 15 • 9:00am-7:00pm

Location: Downtown Montpelier

Visit local restaurants, food vendors, and businesses!

9:00am-5:00pm — St. Paul's United Methodist Basement Sale (402 Broad St.)

9:00-11:00am — Free Kids' Activities & Face Painter at Founders Park ★PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

9:00am-Noon — *Just Add Kidz* on Jonesville St. by Founders Park

10:00am-Noon — "The Ohio Wheelmen" Antique bicycle exhibit at the Montpelier Library. ★PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

11:00am-close — St. John's Lutheran Church sausage sandwiches & root beer floats (209 Broad St.)

TBD — Montpelier Trackage Modelers (308 W. Main St.) - model trains running. Free.

1:00pm — Bean Days Parade “*Full Steam Ahead*”
2:00-5:00pm — *Just Add Kidz* on Jonesville Street by Founders Park.
2:30pm — History of the bicycle by “The Ohio Wheelmen” at Founders Park
2:30-4:00pm — Free Live music provided by *Wyatt Beck* on Founders stage
2:30-6:30pm — Free Activities at Founders Park—Connect 4 Basketball, Pit Stop, and Whack-a-Mole—All ages
3:00pm - Montpelier Firefighters Association Rib-Off on Jonesville Street. Free to attend until the ribs are gone. Vote for your favorite by donation and support the Montpelier Firefighters!
4:30pm — MHS alumni baseball game at 42 Field (18333 CR 10.50, Pioneer). More info on Facebook at 42 Field, Instagram (@42_field) or by contacting Spencer Durham.
5:00-7:00pm — Free Live music provided by *Attaboy* on Founders stage

All scheduled events are limited to weather conditions.

Facebook: Montpelier Bean Days

MONTPELIER LIBRARY Lemonade Stand

Saturday, July 15 • 10:30am-12:30pm
 Location: Montpelier Public Library
 Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
 Fee: Free will donation

Pick up a refreshing cup of lemonade before the parade begins and help support the Teen Advisory Group.
 419-485-3287 | Facebook: Montpelier Public Library

BEAN DAYS: *Pickup Basketball Games*

Saturday, July 15 • 9:00am
 Location: Storrer Park
 Address: 300 South Platt Street, Montpelier
 Fee: Free

Bring your 3 on 3 team and meet at 9:00am at Storrer Park. This is just for fun! If enough teams show up we'll make brackets. Bragging rights! Facebook: Montpelier Bean Days

BEAN DAYS: *PARADE*

Saturday, July 15 • 1:00pm
 Location: Downtown Montpelier on Main Street
 Fee: Free

Line-up at the Williams County Fairgrounds at 12:00 Noon.
 Theme: “*Full Steam Ahead*”

Let's see those bicycles in the parade!
 419-485-4416 | Facebook: Montpelier Bean Days

BEAN DAYS: *RIB-OFF*

Saturday, July 15 • 3:00pm
 Location: 100 block of South Jonesville Street

Free to attend until the ribs are gone. Vote for your favorite by donation and support the Montpelier Firefighters! Like to compete? Scan the QR code to link the Montpelier Fire Department page for a registration form.
 Facebook: Montpelier Fire Department



FIRE DEPT
QR CODE

“GENIUS IS 1% INSPIRATION, 99% PERSPIRATION.” ~THOMAS EDISON

MOVIE: *Around the World in 80 Days*

Saturday, July 15 • 9:00pm
 Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
 Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier
 Fee: Free

This take on the Jules Verne fantasy has Jackie Chan in the spotlight as a martial artist who's a manservant to eccentric, globe-trotting Phileas Fogg. Bring popcorn, drinks, a blanket or lawn chair. Movies made possible due to donations from the Montpelier Eagles to the Friends of the Montpelier Parks, Inc. Rated PG, 120 minutes, 2004. ©Swank Motion Pictures; ©Walt Disney Pictures

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Facebook: Montpelier Parks & Recreation

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MONTPELIER LIBRARY: Author Mary Stockwell

Monday, July 17 • 5:00-6:00pm
 Location: Montpelier Public Library
 Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
 Fee: Free
 Age: Adults

Our guest speaker is Dr. Mary Stockwell, an award-winning historian and author of titles related to Ohio's history, including the featured book for this discussion, “The Other Trail of Tears.” More information at <http://marystockwell.com>. No sign up necessary.

419-485-3287 | Facebook: Montpelier Public Library

MONTPELIER SOCCER CAMP

Monday-Friday, July 17-21 • pm
 Monday-Friday, July 24-28 • am
 Location: Montpelier Municipal Pool
 Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier
 Fee: \$10.00 for the week

U8: *Born in 2015 or 2016.* U11: *Born in 2012, 2013, or 2014*

Please see page 9 of the Park Program Guide.

Week 1 & Week 2 are the same format and skills practicing. Each session will include soccer skills practice followed by a scrimmage. Sign up using the registration form in the Park Program Guide. Register by July 1st.

419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

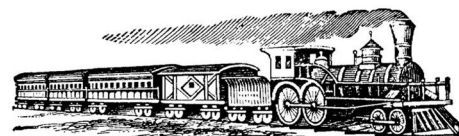
VBS: *Food Truck Party*

Monday-Friday, July 17-21 • 6:00-8:30 p.m.
 Location: St. Paul's United Methodist Church
 Address: 402 Broad Street, Montpelier
 Fee: Free

Preschool-Grade 5. Food Truck Party: on a Roll with God Stories! This VBS invites children to pray as Jesus teaches us in Matthew 6:11: "Give us this day our daily bread." These words serve as a reminder that everything we have comes from God — and that it's by turning to God in prayer that all of our daily needs are met.

Crafts! Food! Games! Ages 3-Grade 8
 419-485-3519 | <https://montpelierohstpauls.org>

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT



FREE SPACE: RAILROAD



Tuesday, July 18 • 9:00-10:00am
Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 5-9

Weekly free activity for kids ages 5-9! This week's theme is the railroad. Kids will place an order from an 1897 Sears, Roebuck & Co. catalogue, make a postcard to place in a train mail bag, and mail the order in.

419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MOVIE STUDIO

Thursday, July 20 • 10:00-11:00am
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free (*must be registered*)
Ages: 10-14

Let's make a movie! Using a Lego set and Legos, we'll work on our movie today.

419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

IMAGINARIUM

Thursday, July 20 • 1:30-2:30pm
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free (*must be registered*)
Ages: 10-14

In today's session, the kids will work at building their invention and use the 3D printer at the library to help create any parts.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2: RAILROAD

Friday, July 21
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: \$20 for the summer (*must be registered*)
STEAM 1: Ages: 5-9 • 9:15-10:15am
STEAM 2: Ages 10-14 • 10:15-11:15am

Weekly Parks & Recreation activities for kids! This week's theme is railroad. STEAM 1 kids will make a train craft. STEAM 2 kids will make a train painting.

419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

VBS: *Ready, Set, Move!*

Monday-Friday, July 24-28 • 6:00-8:30 p.m.
Location: Church of Christ
Address: 104 West Jefferson Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free

Kindergarten-6th grade students. At VBS this year, kids will move to follow Jesus, here, there, and everywhere! Using examples from throughout the New Testament, kids will learn to move forward on their journey of faith. You



CHURCH OF
CHRIST VBS
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can expect a week full of fun activities, delicious snacks, and engaging lessons. Come and join us for a fun and exciting week!

Register at <https://forms.gle/o4SwtFMzot8AcNWy6>

419-485-3916 | [Facebook: Montpelier Church of Christ](#)

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

FREE SPACE: AUTOMOBILES

Tuesday, July 25 • 9:00-10:00am
Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 5-9

Weekly free activity for kids ages 5-9! This week's theme is automobiles. Kids will make DIY race cars to take home.

419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

MOVIE STUDIO

Thursday, July 27 • 10:00-11:00am
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free (*must be registered*)
Ages: 10-14

Let's make a movie! Using a Lego set and Legos, we'll finish our movie today.

419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

IMAGINARIUM

Thursday, July 27 • 1:30-2:30pm
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free (*must be registered*)
Ages: 10-14

In today's session, the kids will continue to work at building their invention and use the 3D printer at the library to help create any parts.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2: AUTOMOBILES

Friday, July 28
Location: Montpelier Public Library
Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier
Fee: \$20 for the summer (*must be registered*)

STEAM 1: Ages: 5-9 • 9:15-10:15am
STEAM 2: Ages 10-14 • 10:15-11:15am

Weekly Parks & Recreation activities for kids! This week's theme is automobiles. STEAM 1 kids will learn about an assembly line and make sandwiches to eat. STEAM 2 kids make a lemon battery and a mini electric motor.

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Style No. 2, \$750, F. O. B., Bridgeport, Conn.

The "Locomobile"

The best scientists in the country have declared in favor of steam as the best power for motor carriages. The "Locomobile" is propelled by steam, and has ascended and descended Mt. Washington. ~Ad, 1900

FREE SPACE: AGRICULTURE

Tuesday, August 1 • 9:00-10:00am
Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier
Fee: Free
Ages: 5-9

Weekly free activity for kids ages 5-9! This week's theme is agriculture. Kids will make leaf rubbings to make a leaf ID book to take home.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Tuesday, August 1 • 4:00-7:00pm

Location: Montpelier Police Department

Address: 221 Empire Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Join the Montpelier Police Department as they celebrate National Night Out! Lots of fun activities and information from community partners. Free handouts for the kids!

419-485-3496 | <http://montpelieroh.net>

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

IMAGINARIUM

Thursday, August 3 • 1:30-2:30pm

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free (*must be registered*)

Ages: 10-14

In today's session, the kids will finish their invention and create a "patent" for their design.

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★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2: AGRICULTURE

Friday, August 4

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: \$20 for the summer (*must be registered*)

STEAM 1: Ages 5-9 • 9:15-10:15am

STEAM 2: Ages 10-14 • 10:15-11:15am

Weekly Parks & Recreation activities for kids! This week's theme is agriculture. STEAM 1 kids will learn about Luther Burbank and taste test different kinds of baked potatoes. STEAM 2 kids learn about why russet potatoes make their favorite French fries and how H.J. Heinz created his famous ketchup. 419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

VBS: The Toy Maker!

Sunday–Wednesday, August 6th-9th • 6:00-8:00 pm

Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion

Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages 3-grade 6th. We will highlight Gods never-ending love for children. Children will learn about Gods surprising and transformative love shown through the gifts and talents of Toy Maker. VBS will be at the park, weather permitting.

Facebook: Montpelier First Church of the Nazarene

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

FREE SPACE: DETECTIVES

Tuesday, August 8 • 9:00-10:00am

Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion

Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Ages: 5-9

Weekly free activity for kids ages 5-9! This week's theme is detectives. Kids play guessing games to figure out clues to

win. 419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

★ PASSPORT STICKER EVENT

END OF SUMMER PARTY!

Thursday, August 10 • 4:30-6:30pm

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Come visit our World's Fair and see the projects the kids worked on this summer. Free food! **PASSPORT PRIZES!** Bring your passports to the Library to win a prize!

Parking: Please park at the Main Street Park if you can and walk over as parking will be limited at the Library.

419-485-3496 | www.montpelierpark.net

Facebook: Montpelier Parks & Recreation

MOVIE: *Lemony Snicket's A Series of Unfortunate Events*

Friday, August 11 • 9:00pm

Location: Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion

Address: 1110 South Platt Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Three plucky orphans are sent to live with a distant relative — the greedy Count Olaf, who plots to steal their inheritance. Bring popcorn, drinks, a blanket or lawn chair. Movies made possible due to donations from the *Montpelier Eagles* to the *Friends of the Montpelier Parks, Inc.* Rated PG, 108 minutes, 2004. ©Swank Motion Pictures; ©Paramount Pictures

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Facebook: Montpelier Parks & Recreation

STREET JAM!

Saturday, August 12 • 1:00-4:00pm

Location: Corner of Empire and Washington Streets

Address: 223 West Washington Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Bring the family for a back to school bash with a school supply giveaway, back to school haircuts, music, games, and more! Get a ticket when you arrive and you will be entered to win a raffle item. We will be entertained by and emcee and skateboard expert, Trevor Heyd, of Stay True Ministries. We will be joined by Montpelier area churches and resource providers from our county to connect families to available supports. Facebook: Hope Community Center

MONTPELIER LIBRARY FALL FEST

Saturday, October 7 • 10:00am-1:00pm

Location: Montpelier Public Library

Address: 216 East Main Street, Montpelier

Fee: Free

Stop in to check out the food, vendors and more at the Friends of the Montpelier Library Fall Fest!

419-485-3287 | Facebook: Montpelier Public Library

OLDE TYME HOLIDAY GATHERING

Saturday, November 18 • Times vary

Location: around Montpelier

Fee: Free

Hosted by Olde Tyme Holiday Gathering Committee. Craft show at the school from 10:00am-3:00pm. Lighted holiday parade downtown at 6:00pm. Santa and activities for the kids on Empire Street! Facebook: Olde Tyme Holiday Gathering

IMAGINARIUM

Thursdays, July 6th–August 3rd
 1:30-2:30pm ~ Ages 10-14
 at the Montpelier Public Library
FREE ~ Registration Required

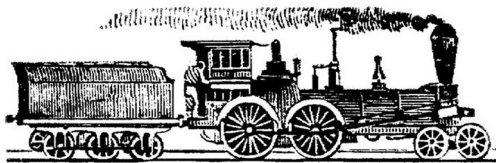
Create an invention for our World's Fair
 at the End of Summer Party on August 10th.



S.T.E.A.M. 1 & 2

Fridays, June 2nd–August 4th
STEAM 1: 9:15-10:15am ~ Ages 5-9
STEAM 2: 10:15-11:15am ~ Ages 10-14
 at the Montpelier Public Library
 ~ Registration Required ~

Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, &
 Mathematics projects for kids.



CREATE A CANDY BAR

MADE FROM THE BEST CHOCOLATE AND PURE
 RICH MILK AND SUGAR

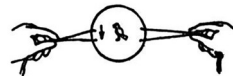
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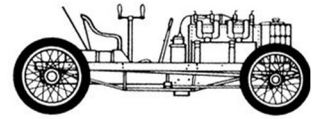
Friday, June 23rd
 1:00-3:00pm
 Ages 5-14
 at the Montpelier Public Library
FREE

FREE SPACE

Tuesdays, May 30th–August 8th
 9:00-10:00am ~ Ages 5-9
 at the Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
FREE ~ Registration Required
 10 weekly free STEAM activities for children.
 Make a thaumatrope! Design a race car!



Thaumatrope

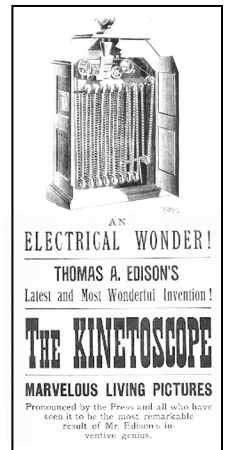


Ford 999 ~ 1904 Racer

MOVIE STUDIO

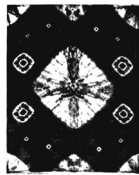
July 13th, 20th, & 27th
 10:00-11:00am
 Ages 10-14
 at the Montpelier Public Library
FREE ~ Registration Required

MAKE A MOVING
 PICTURE USING THE
 LATEST CAMERA
 INNOVATIONS!



EDISON KINETOSCOPE, 1892

TIE DYE



TIE DYE, 1909

Thursday, June 1st
 9:00-11:00am ~ Ages 3-14 ~ **FREE**
 Montpelier Municipal Park Pavilion
 Come and go anytime.
 Parents must stay with children under age 7.
 Tie Dye event held rain or shine.
 Shirts are for kids only.
 Please wear old clothes to tie dye!
 Please register using the Program Guide.



SHERLOCK
 HOLMES
 EXHIBITION

Friday, July 7th
 1:00-3:00pm
 Ages 5-14
 Montpelier Public Library
FREE



Ohio Department of Health Concussion Information Sheet

For Youth Sports Organizations

Dear Parent/Guardian and Athletes,

This information sheet is provided to assist you and your child in recognizing the signs and symptoms of a concussion. Every athlete is different and responds to a brain injury differently, so seek medical attention if you suspect your child has a concussion. Once a concussion occurs, it is very important your athlete return to normal activities slowly, so he/she does not do more damage to his/her brain.

What is a Concussion?

A concussion is an injury to the brain that may be caused by a blow, bump, or jolt to the head. Concussions may also happen after a fall or hit that jars the brain. A blow elsewhere on the body can cause a concussion even if an athlete does not hit his/her head directly. Concussions can range from mild to severe, and athletes can get a concussion even if they are wearing a helmet.

Signs and Symptoms of a Concussion

Athletes do not have to be “knocked out” to have a concussion. In fact, less than 1 out of 10 concussions result in loss of consciousness. Concussion symptoms can develop right away or up to 48 hours after the injury. Ignoring any signs or symptoms of a concussion puts your child’s health at risk!

Signs Observed by Parents or Guardians

- ◆ *Appears dazed or stunned.*
- ◆ *Is confused about assignment or position.*
- ◆ *Forgets plays.*
- ◆ *Is unsure of game, score or opponent.*
- ◆ *Moves clumsily.*
- ◆ *Answers questions slowly.*
- ◆ *Loses consciousness (even briefly).*
- ◆ *Shows behavior or personality changes (irritability, sadness, nervousness, feeling more emotional).*
- ◆ *Can’t recall events before or after hit or fall.*

Symptoms Reported by Athlete

- ◆ *Any headache or “pressure” in head. (How badly it hurts does not matter.)*
- ◆ *Nausea or vomiting.*
- ◆ *Balance problems or dizziness.*
- ◆ *Double or blurry vision.*
- ◆ *Sensitivity to light and/or noise*
- ◆ *Feeling sluggish, hazy, foggy or groggy.*
- ◆ *Concentration or memory problems.*
- ◆ *Confusion.*
- ◆ *Does not “feel right.”*
- ◆ *Trouble falling asleep.*
- ◆ *Sleeping more or less than usual.*

Be Honest

Encourage your athlete to be honest with you, his/her coach and your health care provider about his/her symptoms. Many young athletes get caught up in the moment and/or feel pressured to return to sports before they are ready. It is better to miss one game than the entire season... or risk permanent damage!

Seek Medical Attention Right Away

Seeking medical attention is an important first step if you suspect or are told your child has a concussion. A qualified health care professional will be able to determine how serious the concussion is and when it is safe for your child to return to sports and other daily activities.

- ◆ *No athlete should return to activity on the same day he/she gets a concussion.*
- ◆ *Athletes should **NEVER** return to practices/games if they still have **ANY** symptoms.*
- ◆ *Parents and coaches should never pressure any athlete to return to play.*

The Dangers of Returning Too Soon

Returning to play too early may cause Second Impact Syndrome (SIS) or Post-Concussion Syndrome (PCS). SIS occurs when a second blow to the head happens before an athlete has completely recovered from a concussion. This second impact causes the brain to swell, possibly resulting in brain damage, paralysis, and even death. PCS can occur after a second impact. PCS can result in permanent, long-term concussion symptoms. The risk of SIS and PCS is the reason why no athlete should be allowed to participate in any physical activity before they are cleared by a qualified health care professional.

Recovery

A concussion can affect school, work, and sports. Along with coaches and teachers, the school nurse, athletic trainer, employer, and other school administrators should be aware of the athlete’s injury and their roles in helping the child recover.

During the recovery time after a concussion, physical and mental rest are required. A concussion upsets the way the brain normally works and causes it to work longer and harder to complete even simple tasks. Activities that require concentration and focus may make symptoms worse and cause the brain to heal slower. Studies show that children’s brains take several weeks to heal following a concussion.



<http://www.odh.ohio.gov/concussion>

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Returning to Daily Activities

1. Be sure your child gets plenty of rest and enough sleep at night – no late nights. Keep the same bedtime weekdays and weekends.
2. Encourage daytime naps or rest breaks when your child feels tired or worn-out.
3. Limit your child's activities that require a lot of thinking or concentration (including social activities, homework, video games, texting, computer, driving, job-related activities, movies, parties). These activities can slow the brain's recovery.
4. Limit your child's physical activity, especially those activities where another injury or blow to the head may occur.
5. Have your qualified health care professional check your child's symptoms at different times to help guide recovery.

Returning to Learn (School)

1. Your athlete may need to initially return to school on a limited basis, for example for only half-days, at first. This should be done under the supervision of a qualified health care professional.
2. Inform teacher(s), school counselor or administrator(s) about the injury and symptoms. School personnel should be instructed to watch for:
 - a. Increased problems paying attention.
 - b. Increased problems remembering or learning new information.
 - c. Longer time needed to complete tasks or assignments.
 - d. Greater irritability and decreased ability to cope with stress.
 - e. Symptoms worsen (headache, tiredness) when doing schoolwork.
3. Be sure your child takes multiple breaks during study time and watch for worsening of symptoms.
4. If your child is still having concussion symptoms, he/she may need extra help with school-related activities. As the symptoms decrease during recovery, the extra help or supports can be removed gradually.
5. For more information, please refer to Return to Learn on [the ODH website](#).

Resources

ODH Violence and Injury Prevention Section
<http://www.odh.ohio.gov/concussion>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
<https://www.cdc.gov/headsup/youthsports/>

National Federation of State High School Associations
www.nfhs.org

Brain Injury Association of America
www.biausa.org/

Returning to Play

1. Returning to play is specific for each person, depending on the sport. Starting 4/26/13, Ohio law requires written permission from a health care provider before an athlete can return to play. Follow instructions and guidance provided by a health care professional. It is important that you, your child and your child's coach follow these instructions carefully.
2. Your child should NEVER return to play if he/she still has ANY symptoms. (Be sure that your child does not have any symptoms at rest and while doing any physical activity and/or activities that require a lot of thinking or concentration).
3. Ohio law prohibits your child from returning to a game or practice on the same day he/she was removed.
4. Be sure that the athletic trainer, coach and physical education teacher are aware of your child's injury and symptoms.
5. Your athlete should complete a step-by-step exercise-based progression, under the direction of a qualified healthcare professional.
6. A sample activity progression is listed below. Generally, each step should take no less than 24 hours so that your child's full recovery would take about one week once they have no symptoms at rest and with moderate exercise.*

Sample Activity Progression*

Step 1: Low levels of non-contact physical activity, provided NO SYMPTOMS return during or after activity. (Examples: walking, light jogging, and easy stationary biking for 20-30 minutes).

Step 2: Moderate, non-contact physical activity, provided NO SYMPTOMS return during or after activity. (Examples: moderate jogging, brief sprint running, moderate stationary biking, light calisthenics, and sport-specific drills without contact or collisions for 30-45 minutes).

Step 3: Heavy, non-contact physical activity, provided NO SYMPTOMS return during or after activity. (Examples: extensive sprint running, high intensity stationary biking, resistance exercise with machines and free weights, more intense non-contact sports specific drills, agility training and jumping drills for 45-60 minutes).

Step 4: Full contact in controlled practice or scrimmage.

Step 5: Full contact in game play.

***If any symptoms occur, the athlete should drop back to the previous step and try to progress again after a 24 hour rest period.**



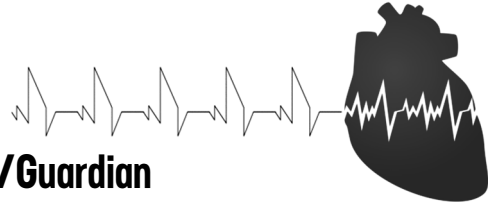
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Columbus, OH 43215

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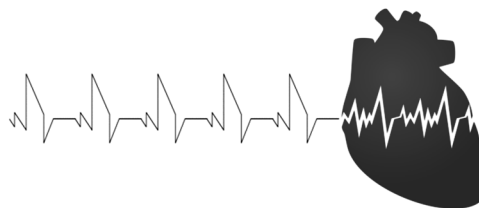
Sudden Cardiac Arrest and Lindsay's Law Information for the Youth Athlete and Parent/Guardian



- **Lindsay's Law** is about Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) in youth athletes. This law went into effect in 2017. SCA is the leading cause of death in student athletes 19 years of age or younger. SCA occurs when the heart suddenly and unexpectedly stops beating. This cuts off blood flow to the brain and other vital organs. SCA is fatal if not treated immediately.
- "Youth" covered under Lindsay's Law are all athletes 19 years of age or younger that wish to practice for or compete in athletic activities organized by a school or youth sports organization.
- Lindsay's Law applies to all public and private schools and all youth sports organizations for athletes aged 19 years or younger whether or not they pay a fee to participate or are sponsored by a business or nonprofit. This includes:
 - 1) All athletic activities including interscholastic athletics, any athletic contest or competition sponsored by or associated with a school
 - 2) All cheerleading, club sports and school affiliated organizations including noncompetitive cheerleading
 - 3) All practices, interschool practices and scrimmages
- Any of these things may cause SCA:
 - 1) Structural heart disease. This may or may not be present from birth
 - 2) Electrical heart disease. This is a problem with the heart's electrical system that controls the heartbeat
 - 3) Situational causes. These may be people with completely normal hearts who are either are hit in the chest or develop a heart infection
- **Warning signs** in your family that you or your youth athlete may be at high risk of SCA:
 - A blood relative who suddenly and unexpectedly dies before age 50
 - Any of the following conditions: cardiomyopathy, long QT syndrome, Marfan syndrome, or other rhythm problems of the heart
- **Warning signs of SCA.** If any of these things happen with exercise, see your health care professional:
 - Chest pain/discomfort
 - Unexplained fainting/near fainting or dizziness
 - Unexplained tiredness, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
 - Unusually fast or racing heart beats
- The youth athlete who faints or passes out before, during, or after an athletic activity **MUST** be removed from the activity. Before returning to the activity, the youth athlete must be seen by a health care professional and cleared in writing.
- If the youth athlete's biological parent, sibling or child has had a SCA, then the youth athlete must be removed from activity. Before returning to the activity, the youth athlete must be seen by a health care professional and cleared in writing.
- Any young athlete with any of these warning signs cannot participate in practices, interschool practices, scrimmages or competition until cleared by a health care professional.

- Other reasons to be seen by a healthcare professional would be a heart murmur, high blood pressure, or prior heart evaluation by a physician.
- Lindsay's Law lists the health care professionals who may evaluate and clear youth athletes. They are a physician (MD or DO), a certified nurse practitioner, a clinical nurse specialist or certified nurse midwife. For school athletes, a physician's assistant or licensed athletic trainer may also clear a student. That person may refer the youth and family to another health care provider for further evaluation. Clearance must be provided in writing to the school or sports official before the athlete can return to the activity.
- Despite everyone's best efforts, sometimes a young athlete will experience SCA. If you have had CPR training, you may know the term "Chain of Survival." The Chain of Survival helps anyone survive SCA.
- Using an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) can save the life of a child with SCA. Depending on where a young athlete is during an activity, there may or may not be an AED close by. Many, but not all, schools have AEDs. The AEDs may be near the athletic facilities, or they may be close to the school office. Look around at a sporting event to see if you see one. If you are involved in community sports, look around to see if there is an AED nearby.
- If you witness a person experiencing a SCA: First, remain calm. Follow the links in the **Chain of Survival**:
 - ◆ Link 1: Early recognition
 - Assess child for responsiveness. Does the child answer if you call his/her name?
 - If no, then attempt to assess pulse. If no pulse is felt or if you are unsure, call for help "someone dial 911"
 - ◆ Link 2: Early CPR
 - Begin CPR immediately
 - ◆ Link 3: Early defibrillation (which is the use of an AED)
 - If an AED is available, send someone to get it immediately. Turn it on, attach it to the child and follow the instructions
 - If an AED is not available, continue CPR until EMS arrives
 - ◆ Link 4: Early advanced life support and cardiovascular care
 - Continue CPR until EMS arrives
- Lindsay's Law requires both the youth athlete and parent/guardian to acknowledge receipt of information about Sudden Cardiac Arrest by signing a form.

Sudden Cardiac Arrest and Lindsay's Law Parent/Athlete Signature Form



What is Lindsay's Law? Lindsay's Law is about Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) in youth athletes. It covers all athletes 19 years or younger who practice for or compete in athletic activities. Activities may be organized by a school or youth sports organization.

Which youth athletic activities are included in Lindsay's law?

- Athletics at all schools in Ohio (public and non-public)
- Any athletic contest or competition sponsored by or associated with a school
- All interscholastic athletics, including all practices, interschool practices and scrimmages
- All youth sports organizations
- All cheerleading and club sports, including noncompetitive cheerleading

What is SCA? SCA is when the heart stops beating suddenly and unexpectedly. This cuts off blood flow to the brain and other vital organs. People with SCA will die if not treated immediately. SCA can be caused by 1) a structural issue with the heart, OR 2) an heart electrical problem which controls the heartbeat, OR 3) a situation such as a person who is hit in the chest or a gets a heart infection.

What is a warning sign for SCA? If a family member died suddenly before age 50, or a family member has cardiomyopathy, long QT syndrome, Marfan syndrome or other rhythm problems of the heart.

What symptoms are a warning sign of SCA? A young athlete may have these things with exercise:

- Chest pain/discomfort
- Unexplained fainting/near fainting or dizziness
- Unexplained tiredness, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Unusually fast or racing heart beats

What happens if an athlete experiences syncope or fainting before, during or after a practice, scrimmage, or competitive play? The coach MUST remove the youth athlete from activity immediately. The youth athlete MUST be seen and cleared by a health care provider before returning to activity. This written clearance must be shared with a school or sports official.

What happens if an athlete experiences any other warning signs of SCA? The youth athlete should be seen by a health care professional.

Who can evaluate and clear youth athletes? A physician (MD or DO), a certified nurse practitioner, a clinical nurse specialist, certified nurse midwife. For school athletes, a physician's assistant or licensed athletic trainer may also clear a student. That person may refer the youth to another health care provider for further evaluation.

What is needed for the youth athlete to return to the activity? There must be clearance from the health care provider in writing. This must be given to the coach and school or sports official before return to activity.

All youth athletes and their parents/guardians must review information about Sudden Cardiac Arrest, then sign and return this form.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Name (Print)

Student Name (Print)

Date

Date

CONCUSSION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Acknowledgement of Having Received the Ohio Department of Health Concussion Information Sheet *For Youth Sports Organizations*

By signing this form, as the parent/guardian/care-giver of the child named below, I acknowledge receiving a copy of the concussion and head injury information sheet prepared by the Ohio Department of Health as required by section 3707.52 of the Revised Code (Ohio's Return-to-Play Law) on pages 19-20 of the Program Guide.

I understand concussions and other head injuries have serious and possibly long-lasting effects.

By reading the information sheet, I understand I have a responsibility to report any signs or symptoms of a concussion or head injury to coaches, referees, administrators, and my child's doctor.

I also understand that coaches, referees and other officials have a responsibility to protect the health of my child and may prohibit my child from further participation in athletic programs until my child has been cleared to return by a physician or other appropriate health care professional.

Child's Name

Parent/Guardian

Date

EMERGENCY MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION

Return to:

Montpelier Parks & Recreation
P.O. Box 148
Montpelier, Ohio 43543
419-485-3496

Child's Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

Purpose:

To enable parents and guardians to authorize the provision of emergency treatment for children who become ill or injured when parents or guardians cannot be reached.

Contact Information:

____ Father ____ Mother ____ Guardian

____ Other _____

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Cell Phone Number _____

Work Phone _____

____ Father ____ Mother ____ Guardian

____ Other _____

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Cell Phone Number _____

Work Phone _____

Medical History (optional):

Please list facts concerning the child's medical history including allergies, medications being taken, and any physical impairments to which a physician should be alerted.

Consent:

I hereby give consent for the following medical care providers and hospital to be called in the case of an emergency:

Doctor's Name & Number

Dentist's Name & Number

Preferred Local Hospital & Number

In the event that reasonable attempts to make contact with the above named individuals have been unsuccessful, I hereby give my consent for (1) administration of any treatment deemed necessary by the above named doctor, or in the event the designated preferred practitioner is not available, by another licensed physician or dentist; and (2) the transfer of the child to any hospital reasonably accessible.

This authorization does not cover major surgery unless the medical opinions of another licensed physician or dentist, concurring in the necessity for the surgery, are obtained prior to the performance of such surgery.

Name of Parent/Guardian

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

EMERGENCY: 911	
MONTPELIER MEDICAL CENTER: 419-485-3106	BRYAN MEDICAL CENTER: 419-633-4029
MONTPELIER HOSPITAL: 419-485-3154	BRYAN HOSPITAL: 419-636-1131

PLEASE NOTE

This form will remain on file for one year at the Montpelier Parks & Recreation Department and copies will be distributed to park program directors and/or coaches of the activity in which the child is participating.

2023 Montpelier Parks & Recreation Registration Form

Date: _____
 Name: _____
 Date of Birth: _____ Current Age: _____
 Address: _____
 City/State/Zip: _____
 Phone: _____
 E-mail: _____

Child's Shirt Size: XS S M L AS AM AL AXL
 Gender (opt.): Female Male
 Siblings playing Tot Ball or Soccer: _____
 Parents/Guardians: _____
 Willing to coach or assist a team?
 Tot Ball ___ Soccer ___ Name(s): _____
 Coach Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL XXXL XXXX

Program	Ages	Registration Information	Cost each	Fee
Tot Ball	See page 8	Registration Deadline: June 1st. No late registrations after June 20th.	\$20.00	\$
Soccer	See page 8	Registration Deadline: July 10th. No late registrations after July 31st.	\$20.00	\$
Jr. Gardeners	8-12	Registration Deadline: May 19th. See page 9	\$15.00	\$
Tie Dye	3-12	Registration Deadline: May 19th. See page 10.	Free	<input type="radio"/> check if registering
S.T.E.A.M. 1	5-9	Registration Deadline: May 19th. See pages 11 & 20.	\$20.00	\$
S.T.E.A.M. 2	10-14	Registration Deadline: May 19th. See pages 11 & 20.	\$20.00	\$
Free Space	5-9	Registration Deadline: May 19th. See pages 10 & 20.	Free	<input type="radio"/> check if registering
Imaginarium	10-14	Registration Deadline: June 20th. See pages 15 & 20.	Free	<input type="radio"/> check if registering
Create a Candy Bar	5-14	Registration Deadline: June 20th. See pages 14 & 20.	Free	<input type="radio"/> check if registering
Sherlock Holmes Exhibition	5-14	Registration Deadline: June 20th. See pages 15 & 20.	Free	<input type="radio"/> check if registering
Lego Stop Motion Movie Studio	10-14	Registration Deadline: June 20th. See pages 15 & 20.	Free	<input type="radio"/> check if registering
SWCD	7-12	Registration Deadline: June 20th. See page 15. ___ July 11th from 11am-Noon. OR ___ July 12th from 11am-Noon.	Free	<input type="radio"/> check if registering
Soccer Camp	8U Week 1: July 17-21, 2023 ___ Time: 12:30-2:00pm 11U Week 1: July 17-21, 2023 ___ Time: 2:30-4:00pm 11U Week 2: July 24-28, 2023 ___ Time: 8:00-9:30 8U Week 2: July 24-28, 2023 ___ Time: 10:30-Noon Location: Meet in front of the Pool. Registration Deadline: July 1st. See page 9.		\$10.00 per checked session	\$
<i>Don't miss National Night Out on Tuesday, August 1st! Games! Prizes! Food! More info on page 8. Free!</i>				<i>No need to register</i>
PAGES 25-28 MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE ANY CHILD IS ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN MONTPELIER PARKS & RECREATION PROGRAMS!			TOTAL FEES	\$



No registrations will be accepted after the late deadlines.

All fees are non-refundable unless a program is canceled or maxed out.

I, the undersigned parent/guardian of the individual named above do hereby agree to allow the individual named herein to participate in the above mentioned activities. I recognize that the Village of Montpelier, any of its co-sponsors including other entities, their employees or agents, assume no responsibility for myself or my child. I will assume all risks that may arise from this participation. I also hereby waive any claims against the Village, its co-sponsors, their departments, officers, employees or agents for any injuries or loss that may arise from this participation. This release includes off-site transportation of program participants to and from Village facilities and related field trips and programmed activities.

A signature of the parent or legal guardian is required for youth participants (under 18 years of age).

Signature/date: _____ / _____ ___ Parent ___ Legal Guardian
 Signature/date: _____ / _____ ___ Parent ___ Legal Guardian

<p>METHOD OF PAYMENT</p> <p>___ Cash ___ Money Order ___ Check # _____ (<i>\$35 fee for returned checks.</i>) Please make checks payable to Montpelier Parks & Recreation.</p>	<p>HOW TO REGISTER</p> <p>Registration Blitz: Friday, May 19th from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Mail to: P.O. Box 148, Montpelier OH 43543 Drop off: Montpelier Utility Office, 211 N. Jonesville Street</p>
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