



## Bayard Rustin PTA Meeting

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[www.brespta.org](http://www.brespta.org)

## February 3, 2022 Agenda

- PTA Business (6:30-7:15 p.m.)
  - Welcome
  - Approval of Minutes
  - Upcoming Events & News
  - Treasurer Report
  - Advocacy Report
  - Principal Report
- Summer camps & activities (7:15 p.m.)
- Adjourn (8 p.m.)



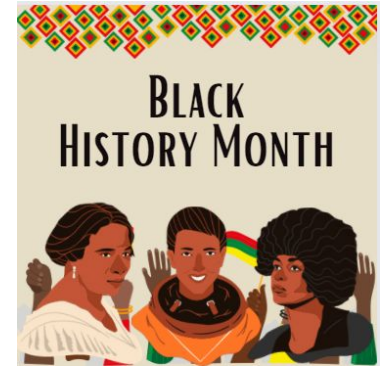
# Secretary Report

Julia Elam




# Meeting Minutes

(November 2, 2021 Meeting)



*Meeting Minutes*



Prepared by Julia Elam,  
BRES PTA Secretary

**Bayard Rustin Elementary School PTA Membership Meeting**  
November 2, 2021  
Via Zoom Teleconference

**I. Attendance**

• Grace Adjokou	• Leydi Fig	• Ronna Popkin
• Andria Apostolou	• Sarah Getty	• Treasurer
• Adina Braun	• Melissa Goldberg	• Nicole Rettner
• Amanda Innes	• Julie Heister	• Danielle Stovffack
• B Chou	• Christine Koh	• Jennifer Strohm
• Rasy Chhoeoy	• Tracy Jeffcott	• President
• Vikie Chlou	• Yvette Leopardi	• Shannon Weaver
• Julia Elam, Secretary	• Emily Lincoln	• Kathryn West
• Mindy Chong, VP	• Calandra Moore, Delegate	• Patti Westenberg
• Membership	• Chau Nguyen, Delegate	• Saminda Wijepunawardena
• Stacy Field		• Sarah Yeh
		• Weirong Zhu

**II. Call to Order/Welcom – PTA President, Jennifer Strohm**  
a. Called to order at 6:32pm

**III. Officers Reports**

**a. Secretary's Report–Julia Elam**

- i. Julia Elam read a summary of the minutes from the last meeting on October 5, 2021.
- ii. Mindy Chong made a motion to approve the minutes and Chau Nguyen seconded the motion. 9 members approved.

**b. President's Report and Updates- Jennifer Strohm**

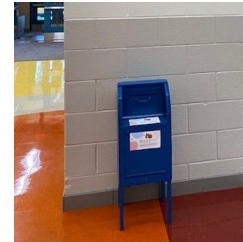
- i. We had a successful Halloween Fall Festival. The BRES PTA provided a stipend for the class parties.
- ii. Update on the Book Fair: We have \$3,500 in Scholastic dollars and \$3,000 that will go toward the PTA for programming. Paula Tully ran





## PTA News- a lot since Nov!

- ★ After School Activities launched- new Kiddo, programs
- ★ PTA Directories
- ★ PTA Family Fun Night in Rockville Town Square
- ★ Virtual Reading Night by BRES Teachers & Staff
- ★ PTA Online Family Trivia Night
- ★ Ledo Pizza and Smashburger Dine outs
- ★ Holiday Luncheon & Gift Cards for Teachers/Staff
- ★ New Board Games in all classrooms
- ★ Lunar New Year Assemblies
- ★ Welcome new Volunteer Leaders:
  - Emily Lincoln- Spiritwear
  - Ansalan Stewart & Liran Lior- Advocacy
  - Erin McManimon- Appreciation project
- ★ Enrollment at BRES/COVID-19 Surge







## Upcoming Events

[www.brespta.org/calendar](http://www.brespta.org/calendar)

- February is Black History Month
- Feb. 11- Pike Kitchen Dine Out
- Feb. 14- Valentine's Day- in-class parties
- Feb. 22- Principal's Coffee





# Treasurer Report

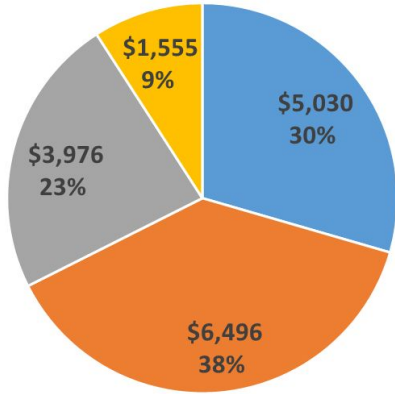
Ronna Popkin



# Treasurer Report

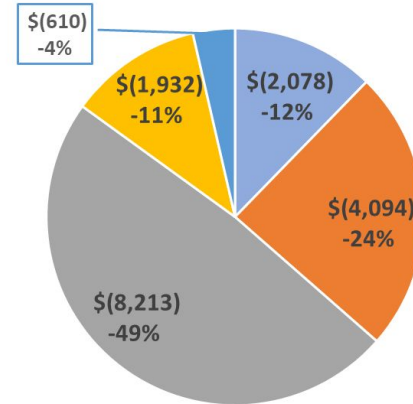
## BRES PTA YTD Financial Snapshot (As of 01/31/2022)

YTD Income: \$17,057



- Memberships
- Fundraising
- Program Revenue
- Donations

YTD Expenses: \$16,926



- Organizational & Operating Expenses
- Fundraising Expenses
- Programs & Services: Students
- Programs & Services: Teachers & Staff
- Programs & Services: Families



# Treasurer Report

## BRES PTA YTD Financial Snapshot (As of 01/31/2022)

	YTD FY2022	Approved Annual Budget	Variance (Over/Under)
<b>Income</b>			
Memberships	\$ 5,030	\$ 8,300	\$ (3,270)
Fundraising	\$ 6,496	\$ 10,200	\$ (3,704)
Program Revenue	\$ 3,976	\$ 2,700	\$ 1,276
Donations	\$ 1,555	\$ 200	\$ 1,355
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$ 17,057</b>	<b>\$ 21,400</b>	<b>\$ (4,343)</b>
<b>Expenses</b>			
Organizational & Operating Expenses	\$ (2,078)	\$ (4,200)	\$ (2,122)
Fundraising Expenses	\$ (4,094)	\$ (3,000)	\$ 1,094
Programs & Services: Students	\$ (8,213)	\$ (14,100)	\$ (5,887)
Programs & Services: Teachers & Staff	\$ (1,932)	\$ (3,575)	\$ (1,643)
Programs & Services: Families	\$ (610)	\$ (2,500)	\$ (1,890)
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ (16,926)</b>	<b>\$ (27,375)</b>	<b>\$ (10,449)</b>
<b>Balance on Hand Beginning (07/01/2021)</b>	<b>\$ 15,802</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
Net (Income - Expenses)	\$ 130	\$ (5,975)	\$ (6,105)
Uncleared Deposits	\$ 206	-	-
Uncleared Withdrawals	\$ (7,196)	-	-
<b>Balance on Hand End (01/31/2022)</b>	<b>\$ 22,923</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>



# Advocacy Update

Chau Nguyen, Delegate

Calandra Moore, Delegate



# Engagement Opportunities



- ❖ **BRES PTA Advocacy Committee Formed**
  - BRES PTA has established an Advocacy Subcommittee to raise awareness on overcrowding and other issues. Please contact [Advocacy@brespta.org](mailto:Advocacy@brespta.org) if interested.
  
- ❖ **BRES Budget Priorities**
  - The PTA worked with Mrs. West on submitting BRES [FY22 budget priorities](#) from BRES to MCCPTA. This included supporting MCPS funding to:
    - **Address Bussing Issues & COVID-19 safety** (KN95 masks, tests & improving air quality).
    - **Maintain/increase our staffing levels** (counselors, world language, paraeducators, etc.)
  - The RM cluster coordinator included as part of [RM testimony](#) during 1/18 BOE Budget Hearing
  - [NAACP Parent Council RM Cluster testimony](#) was also given by NAACP RM cluster rep
  
- ❖ **MCCPTA Board of Directors** sent a [letter to the BOE](#) 1/20 on COVID-19 response and planning
- ❖ **MCCPTA Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) Committee** is seeking a DEI representative from each school. Please email [Delegate@brespta.org](mailto:Delegate@brespta.org) if interested.



# Advocacy Committee: Who Are We? What Are We Doing?

## Committee Charge

Develop an advocacy plan for the BRES PTA in support of all BRES students achieving success



## Committee Members

Ansalan Stewart, Chair  
Liran Laor, Co-Chair  
Adina Braun  
Mindy Chong, VP of Membership  
Julia Elam, Secretary  
Mahlet (Mimi) Goitom  
Jane Yang Kim  
Tanya McBride  
Erin Mcmanimon

Calandra Moore, Delegate  
Chau Nguyen, Delegate  
Nicole Joy Retterer  
Danielle Snowflack  
Jennifer Strohm, President  
Patti Westenberg, VP of Programs  
Gabriela Wijegunawardena  
Saminda Wijegunawardena  
Timothy Williamson





# Advocacy Committee: What Have We Learned?

- The rapid upward trajectory of BRES student enrollment is a pressing issue in need of advocacy
- Since opening in 2018, BRES has outstripped projections with a December 2021 enrollment of 768 students in a school built for 740 students (12% higher than anticipated for 2023-2024)
- Distribution of students within the cluster is uneven with two schools at 80% capacity and with declining enrollment
- Jumps in enrollment are anticipated when students return to in-person learning or enroll back in MCPS, and due to new, large residential developments within BRES boundaries



# Advocacy Committee: What Have We Done?

- Gathered supporting evidence of overcrowding trend
- Come to consensus on advocacy goals for PTA consideration
- Identified strategies and tactics to achieve advocacy goals
- Identified target audiences for advocacy
- Began crafting advocacy messaging



# Advocacy Committee: What Is Next?

- Continue gathering data to inform the development of strategies to advocate for reducing BRES class sizes while maintaining staff talent, limiting disruptions to students, and ensuring a safe, inclusive, and equitable learning environment
- Complete advocacy workplan with proposed goals, strategies, target audiences, and messaging
- Circulate advocacy workplan among PTA members for feedback
- Submit advocacy plan reflecting PTA members' input to the PTA Board for consideration
- Implement advocacy plan while serving as a forum to address additional concerns of PTA members



# Advocacy Committee: How Can You Be Involved?

- To stay informed, subscribe to the PTA Newsletter
- To participate in the Advocacy Committee, please email [Advocacy@brespta.org](mailto:Advocacy@brespta.org)



# Principal Update

Kathryn West, Acting BRES Principal



# Enrollment at a Glance

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Total 8/30/21</b>	<b>Total 2/3/22</b>	<b>Increase</b>
<b>PEP</b>	14	34	20
<b>K</b>	127	136	9
<b>First</b>	108	114	6
<b>Second</b>	109	115	6
<b>Third</b>	126	140	14
<b>Fourth</b>	108	117	9
<b>Fifth</b>	113	123	10
<b>BRES TOTAL</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>779</b>	<b>74</b>

BRES Homeschool Students Currently  
Enrolled in MCPS Virtual Academy: 8



# Update on Staffing

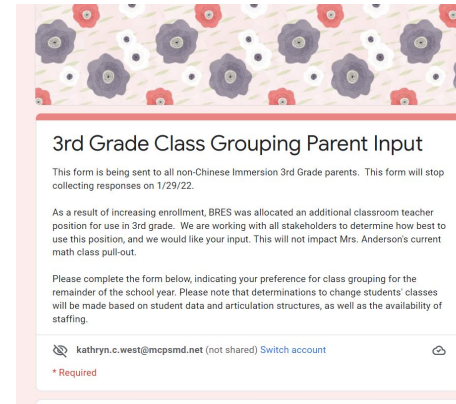
- Recent Allocations:
  - 2.0 FTE teachers: Justin Hall & Sierra Gobs
  - 1 FTE ESOL: Marissa Affleje (thru 3/1), Michelle Gregos (thru EOY)
  - .5 FTE School Counselor: Recruiting
- Next steps in staffing
- Staff Preference Input: Only 3 staff members indicate a plan to move out of MCPS





# Kindergarten & 3rd Grade Enrollment

- Growing enrollment
- Increased support in all classes (paraeducators, ESOL, SPED, classroom monitors)
- Creative repurposing of staff and class groupings
- Parent feedback on wishes to regroup

A screenshot of a Google Form titled "Kindergarten Class Grouping Parent Input". The form has a decorative header with orange and red flowers. The text inside the form reads: "This form is being sent to all non-Chinese Immersion Kindergarten parents. This form will stop collecting responses on 1/29/22." "As a result of increasing enrollment, BRES was allocated an additional classroom teacher position. We are working with all stakeholders to determine how best to use this position, and we would like your input." "Please complete the form below, indicating your preference for class grouping for the remainder of the school year. Please note that the determination to change students' classes will be made based on student data and articulation structures, as well as the availability of staffing." At the bottom, there is a sender email: "kathryn.c.west@mcpsmd.net (not shared) Switch account" and a red asterisk indicating a required field.A screenshot of a Google Form titled "3rd Grade Class Grouping Parent Input". The form has a decorative header with purple and red flowers. The text inside the form reads: "This form is being sent to all non-Chinese Immersion 3rd Grade parents. This form will stop collecting responses on 1/29/22." "As a result of increasing enrollment, BRES was allocated an additional classroom teacher position for use in 3rd grade. We are working with all stakeholders to determine how best to use this position, and we would like your input. This will not impact Mrs. Anderson's current math class pull-out." "Please complete the form below, indicating your preference for class grouping for the remainder of the school year. Please note that determinations to change students' classes will be made based on student data and articulation structures, as well as the availability of staffing." At the bottom, there is a sender email: "kathryn.c.west@mcpsmd.net (not shared) Switch account" and a red asterisk indicating a required field.



# Update on Room Use

- Re-allocating room 134 for Kindergarten instruction
- Repurposing compacted math classroom for 3rd grade instruction
- Walkthrough with Division of Capital Planning and Real Estate representatives
- Possibility of relocatable classrooms (2)
- Advocacy workgroup meeting with central office capital planning contacts on 2/7



# COVID Updates

- Active cases: 1
- Quarantine on Demand (Previously QuarantTV)
- Adjusted Timelines-based on onset of symptoms
- Mitigation Efforts
  - Rapid test kits- coming every 3 weeks through spring break
  - KN-95 masks available next week
  - PPE



# Upcoming Events

- Black History Month
- Principal Selection Process
- Snow Days Guidance Updated
- Valentine's Day/Friendship Day Celebrations
- Instrumental Music & Chorus Concerts–POSTPONED UNTIL SPRING
- Field Trips
- Antiracist Audit
- Vaccination Clinics



# Guest Speakers: Summer Camps & Activities for Students

Amanda DeFilippo, Manager of Countywide Programs  
Montgomery County Recreation

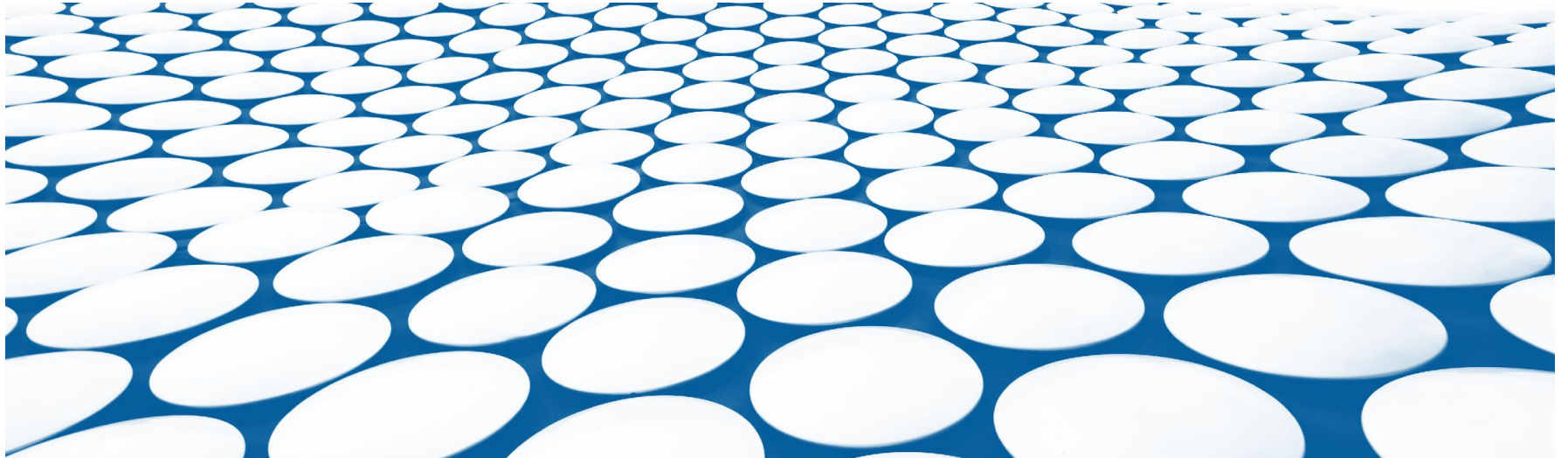
Jennifer Cashen, Ice Skating Program Coordinator  
Montgomery Parks

Megan Frene, Recreation Programs Supervisor  
City of Rockville

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# MONTGOMERY COUNTY RECREATION SUMMER CAMPS AND PROGRAMS 2022

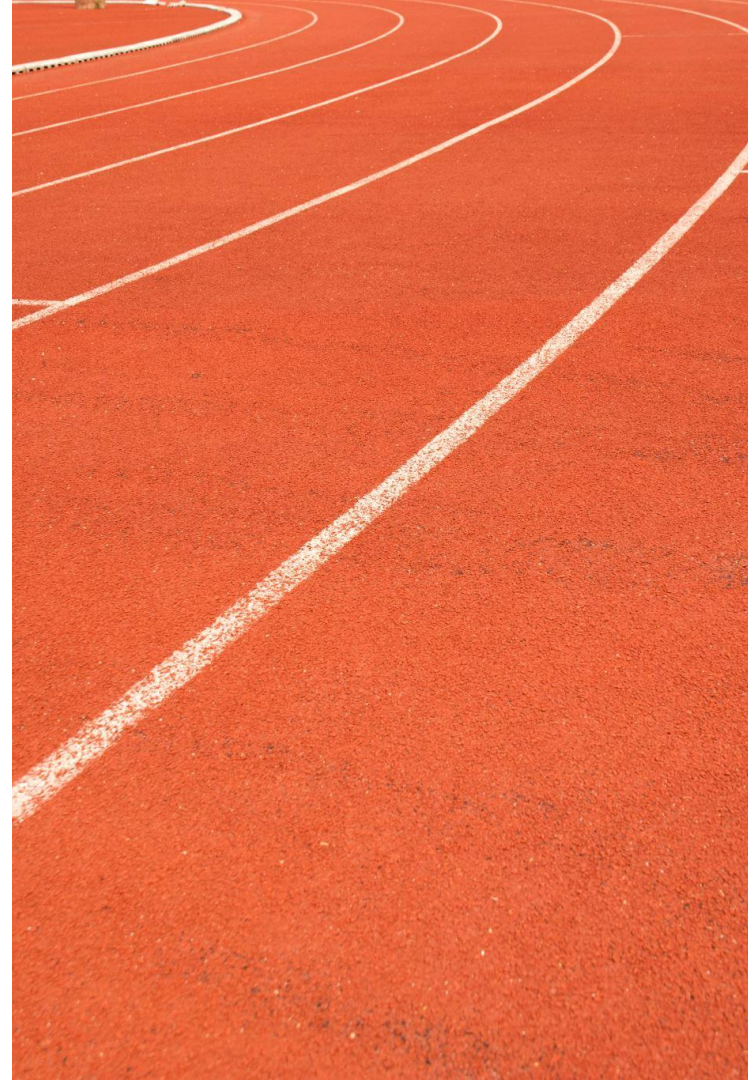
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## ABOUT US

The mission of Montgomery County Recreation is to provide high quality, diverse, and accessible programs, services and facilities that enhance the quality of life for all ages, cultures, and abilities. Visit [mocorec.com](https://www.mocorec.com) for more details.





# CAMPS

- Montgomery County Recreation offers a wide variety of exciting summer programs throughout the county with an emphasis on safety, convenience, affordability, and most of all fun.
  - Summer Fun Centers
  - Summer Outdoor Adventure
  - Camp Rec Summer School Wrap Around
  - TR Summer Fun Zone and additional TR Camps
  - Special Interest (Adventure, Cooking, Gaming, S.T.E.A.M., Performing Arts, etc.)
  - Sports Camps
  - Summer Leadership Challenge
  - Teenworks



**Camp registration begins February 22<sup>nd</sup>.**

More details at:

<https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/rec/activitiesandprograms/camps/>

## SUMMER FUN CENTER



- Summer Fun Centers are organized fun, with well-planned and supervised activities including creative and fun crafts, sports, games, music, and special events.
- 7/5/2022 to 8/5/2022, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- Ages 6-12
- \$332
- Community Center Locations:
  - Bauer CRC, Coffield CRC, Damascus CRC, East County CRC, Germantown CRC, Long Branch CRC, Longwood CRC, Mid County CRC, Plum Gar CRC, Praisner CRC, Ross Boddy NRC, Upper County CRC, and White Oak CRC.
- Summer Fun Extended will run at Plum Gar CRC, Long Branch CRC, Mid-County CRC and East County CRC during the weeks of 8/8/2022 to 8/12/2022 and 8/15/2022 to 8/19/2022 for \$65 per week.



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## SUMMER OUTDOOR ADVENTURE

- We created a camper experience with a variety of new and traditional camp activities all while enjoying spending time in the great outdoors!
- 6/27/2022 to 8/5/2022, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Ages 6-12
- \$235
- Locations:  
S. Germantown Regional Park & Lake  
Needwood





# CAMP REC SUMMER SCHOOL WRAP AROUND

- Camp Rec will begin at the end of the summer school day. Activities include arts and crafts, sports, fitness, games.
- Elementary School
  - 7/5/2022 to 8/5/2022
  - End of summer school day to 6:00 p.m.
  - Rising 1<sup>st</sup> graders – 5<sup>th</sup> graders
  - \$125
  - Locations include Rolling Terrace ES, Washington Grove ES, Highland ES, Brown Station ES, Daly ES, Galway ES, Greencastle ES, Burnt Mills ES, Cresthaven ES, JoAnn Leleck ES, South Lake ES, Weller Road ES, Whetstone ES, Wheaton Woods ES, New Hampshire Estates ES, Oak View ES, Gaithersburg ES & Harmony Hills ES
- Middle School
  - 7/5/2022 to 8/5/2022
  - End of summer school day to 5 p.m.
  - Rising 6<sup>th</sup> graders – 8<sup>th</sup> graders
  - \$125
  - Locations include Key MS, Clemente MS, Argyle MS, White Oak MS, & Montgomery Village MS

## THERAPEUTIC RECREATION CAMPS

- We provide accessible recreation, leisure skills and personal development activities for individuals with disabilities through adaptive programs and inclusion (mainstreaming). Therapeutic Recreation programs can help individuals to gain confidence, have fun and make an impact in their lives.
  - TR Summer Fun Zone
    - 7/5/2022 to 7/29/2022
    - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., \$236
    - 12:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., \$168
    - Youth Ages 6 -12, Teens Ages 13-21
    - Rock Terrace Building
  - TR Summer Fun Zone Wrap Around
    - 6/27/2022 to 7/1/2022
    - 8/1/2022 to 8/5/2022
    - 8/8/2022 to 8/12/2022
    - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
    - Youth Ages 6 -12, Teens Ages 13-21
    - \$65 per week
    - Rock Terrace Building



# THERAPEUTIC RECREATION CAMPS CONTINUED



- TR Camp: Games, Sports, Arts & Crafts & Swimming
  - 8/8/2022 to 8/12/2022; 8/15/2022 to 8/19/2022
  - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., \$65 per week
  - Youth Ages 6 -12, Teens Ages 13-21
  - Locations include Good Hope NRC, Upper County CRC, Germantown CRC
- TR Camp: Kayak and Sea Kayak
  - Kayak
    - 8/8/2022 to 8/12/2022, 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
  - Sea Kayak
    - 8/15/2022 to 8/19/2022, 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
  - Ages 13-18
  - \$200 per week
  - Location includes Potomac CRC
- TR Camp: Summer Swim Zone
  - 8/8/2022 to 8/12/2022; 8/15/2022 to 8/19/2022
  - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., \$65 per week
  - Youth Ages 6 -12, Teens Ages 13-21
  - Locations include Upper County CRC, Germantown CRC
- TR Camp: Games, Sports, Arts & Crafts & Kayak
  - 7/18/2022 to 7/22/2022; 7/25/2022 to 7/29/2022
  - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., \$65 per week
  - Youth Ages 6 -12, Teens Ages 13-21
  - Locations include Good Hope NRC, Potomac CRC



## SPECIAL INTEREST

- We offer a variety of special interest camps that fit your campers needs, including:
  - Art
  - Dance
  - Music
  - Cooking
  - STEM
  - Performing Arts
  - Multi-Interest
- One-Week Sessions from 6/20/2022 through 8/19/2022
- Times vary from half day to whole day
- Prices vary







## SPORT CAMPS

- Montgomery County Recreation offers a variety of sport camps, including:
  - Basketball
  - Horseback Riding
  - Karate
  - Multi-Sports
  - Soccer
  - Rugby
  - Ultimate Frisbee
  - Volleyball
- One-Week Sessions from 6/20/2022 through 8/19/2022
- Times vary from half day to whole day
- Prices vary



# SUMMER LEADERSHIP CHALLENGE

- Summer Leadership Challenge
  - SLC helps develop leadership skills and gives teens an opportunity to practice independent problem-solving skills. The program includes a capstone project that participants coordinate and implement for the benefit of the local community. Participants earn up to 35 SSL hours and receive individual evaluations. Includes field trips.
  - 6/27/2022 to 7/8/2022; 7/11/2022 to 7/22/2022; 7/25/2022 to 8/5/2022; 8/8/2022 to 8/19/2022
  - Times 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
  - Ages 13-16
  - \$224-\$249 per session, can only register for one session
  - Various Locations throughout MoCo
- Summer Leadership Challenge – Lifeguarding
  - Designed to introduce participants to what it takes to become a certified lifeguard. Participants must have basic swimming ability, be comfortable in deep water and submerging underwater. Instruction focuses on water skills needed for successful completion of the American Red Cross pre-course skills test for lifeguard training. Participants earn up to 35 SSL hours. Includes field trips.
  - 6/27/2022 to 7/8/2022; 7/11/2022 to 7/22/2022; 7/25/2022 to 8/5/2022; 8/8/2022 to 8/19/2022
  - Times 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
  - Ages 14-16
  - \$224-\$249 per session, can only register for one session
  - Locations include Olney Swim Center, MLK Swim Center, Germantown Swim Center, Wheaton-Glenmont Outdoor Pool

## TEENWORKS

- TeenWorks is a year-round volunteer and employment program for Montgomery County teens and young adults, including high school students who are at least 14 years old and young adults 18 to 24 who have never been employed.
- Visit [mcorec.com](http://mcorec.com) to submit TeenWorks Interest Form.



# SPRING 2022 CLASSES AND PROGRAMS

**Spring registration begins February 14th.**

- Aquatics
- Arts & Crafts
- CPR & First Aid
- Dance
- Fitness
- Health & Wellness
- Martial Arts
- Music
- Sports
- S.T.E.A.M.
- 55+ Programs
- Trips and Tours
- Therapeutic Recreation

## Rec Your Way

- Rec Your Way allows you to create your ideal recreation experience. Let Montgomery County Recreation enhance and customize your leisure time with programs curated by you. We currently offer indoor, outdoor and virtual opportunities.
- Visit [mocrecom.com](https://mocrecom.com) for more details.





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## RECASSIST

- RecAssist is provided by Montgomery County Recreation to make financial assistance available to County residents who receive public assistance. The RecAssist Fund subsidizes Recreation activity and membership fees so that eligible residents can pay reduced fees for these Recreation services.

More details at:

<https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/rec/howto/recassist.html>



# Three Easy Ways to Register



## Online: Browse and Register

Visit [ActiveMONTGOMERY](#) to register for both Montgomery County Recreation and Montgomery Parks activities and classes! Register 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Fast...Easy... Secure.



## Call Us

**240-777-6840**  
Monday – Friday  
8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Contact us to inquire about In-Person assistance.  
Our Administrative Headquarters is located at:  
2425 Reddie Drive  
10th Floor  
Wheaton, MD 20902



## By Mail

Just print, complete and sign the [registration form](#). Mail to:  
Recreation – Registration Office  
2425 Reddie Drive  
10th Floor  
Wheaton, MD 20902

More details at: <https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/rec/howto/registrationinformation.html>

## SHOUT OUT TO CITY OF ROCKVILLE

- City of Rockville Recreation and Parks offers a wide variety of summer camps including:
  - Recreation and Sports
  - Arts and Cooking
  - Croydon Creek Nature Camps
  - Music and Drama
  - Science and STEM
  - Teen travel and Student Service-Learning opportunities
- ***The Camp guide will be available to view on Monday, March 7. Registration begins Thursday, March 10 at 8:30 a.m.***
- Visit their website at





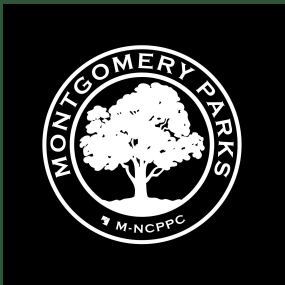


# 2022 Summer Camps

Montgomery Parks



# Summer Camps



- Registration opens on February 22 at [www.ActiveMontgomery.org](http://www.ActiveMontgomery.org)

- Weekly camps run from June 20- August 26

- Camps are offered for ages ranging from 4-14

- Early Bird discounts on some camps through April 7.

- More information at [MontgomeryParks.org](http://MontgomeryParks.org)

# Archeology Camps



All camps at  
Needwood  
Mansion at 6700  
Needwood Road,  
Derwood, MD  
20855

Camps run from  
9:00 am-3:00 pm

## **Archaeology Detectives is for children ages 6-8**

Find out what it takes to be an archaeologist! Campers will discover how archaeologists' piece together the evidence from the past as they investigate the landscape around them; campers will get hands-on experience learning about excavation and artifact identification. Each week we'll take a field trip to a historical site.

Weeks of June 27 and July 11



## **Archaeology Camp for Children ages 9-13**

Find out what it takes to be an archaeologist! Here's your chance to work alongside the Parks' archaeologist and get hands on experience with mapping, soil identification, and artifact processing. Each week we'll take a field trip to a different historic site, and weather permitting, do some real excavating!

Weeks of June 20 and July 5

Email [Heather.Bouslog@MontgomeryParks.org](mailto:Heather.Bouslog@MontgomeryParks.org) for more information



## Road Trippin' to the Past

Join the Montgomery Parks Archaeologists as we take to the road! Come with us as we experience the Underground Railroad Experience Trail at Woodlawn Manor Cultural Park in Sandy Spring, or follow in the footsteps of a Union soldier along the Potomac. We will explore the Josiah Henson Museum in Bethesda and trek further to the Gettysburg battlefields. Fee include admission to all museums.

Week of August 1

Ages: 9 - 13



# Nature Center Camps



Camps for ages 4-14  
Most camps run from 9am-3:30 pm (some half day camps  
for 4–5-year-olds)





# Nature Center Camps



Maydale Nature Classroom (Colesville)

Meadowside Nature Center (Rockville)

Brookside Nature Center (Wheaton)

Locust Grove Nature Center (Bethesda)

Black Hill Nature Center (Boyd's)



# Nature Center Camps



We have several engaging camps for older children. Some examples include:

Black Hill Visitor Center

Choose Your Own Adventure  
Camp Ages: 10-14

Nature Girls Camp Ages: 8-12

Brookside Nature Center

CIT (Counselor in Training) Camp  
Ages: 12-14

Locust Grove Nature Center

Camper Assistant for ages 11-13

Meadowside Nature Center

Nature Magic Camp for ages 6-10

Maydale Nature Classroom

Chesapeake Week Camp for ages  
12-14 A weeklong camp that  
includes two nights of camping!

# Sports Camps



Tennis Camp

Ice Skating Camp

Golf Camp

All Sports Camp

Week in the Park

Outdoor Adventure  
Camp



# Tennis Camps



Totally Tennis Camp

9am-5 pm daily

Wheaton Indoor Tennis  
(Wheaton)

Pauline Betz Addie Tennis  
Center (Bethesda)

# Week in the Park



Wheaton Sports Pavilion

9am-5 pm daily

Ages 6-12

Join us this summer at the Wheaton Sports Pavilion for the camp of a lifetime! Each day, campers will enjoy the freedom of the outdoors by taking nature walks through the beautiful areas of Wheaton Regional Park. During the week, campers will participate in Public Skate Sessions at the Wheaton Ice Arena, enjoy fun scavenger hunts, ride on the Miniature Train and Carousel, and even take a field trip to the South Germantown Splash Park (weather permitting of course!).

# Outdoor Adventure Camp



Cabin John Ice Rink  
Camp is from 9 am-3:30 pm  
Ages 8-14

Campers go on an  
adventure each day  
including archery, rafting,  
rock climbing, and a ropes  
course



# Discounts and Scholarships available



- Early bird discounts available on some camps through April 7
- Fee Reduction on some camps for qualified campers
- Marye Wells Harley Dream Camp Scholarship available

# Registration



[www.ActiveMontgomery.org](http://www.ActiveMontgomery.org)

Opens Feb. 22

New registration portal  
opens on Feb. 14



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# Locations

## Outdoor Locations

- Calvin Park
- College Gardens Park
- **Dogwood Park**
- Hillcrest Park
- King Farm Park
- **Potomac Woods Park**
- Rockville Skate Park
- Welsh Park
- Woodley Gardens Park

## Indoor/Outdoor Locations

- Croydon Creek Nature Center
- **Elwood Smith Comm. Center**
- F. Scott Fitzgerald Theater
- Lincoln Park Community Center
- Rockville Senior Center
- Thomas Farm Community Center
- Twinbrook Comm. Rec Center
- Xtreme Acro & Cheer

\*MCPS Schools are currently unavailable pending planning for summer school.

# General Rec. Camps

## Park Adventures - Full Day

- Four Outdoor locations
- 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
- Theme weeks, water activities, sports & crafts
- One swim day and one special event/field trip per week

## Park Adventures - Extended Day

- Four Indoor/Outdoor locations
- 7:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
- Theme weeks, water activities, sports & crafts
- Two-Three swim days and one special event/field trip per week

## Park Adventures - Half Days

- Two Outdoor locations
- 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
- Theme weeks, water activities, sports & crafts

## Extra Fun Camps

- Last Hurrah, Don't Forget About August

# Specialty Camps

## Science Camps

- Mad Science, DEILab, Rockville Science Center

## Sports Camps

- Cheer Madness, Xtreme Acro and Cheer, Rockville Skate Camp, Soccer & Swim Camp, Basketball & Swim Camp

## Art and Cooking Camps

- Abrakadoodle, Tiny Chefs, Art4Fun, Fashion Workshops, Let's Create a Healthier Plate

## Music and Drama Camps

- Adventure Theater, Learn Now Music

## Nature Camps

- Nature Explorers, The Science of Life, Wilderness Bushcraft Camp, Geology and Exploration

## Teen Camps and Opportunities

- Travel Camps, Student Service-Learning Camps, L.I.T.s



## Staff Vetting and Trainings



- ▶ State and Federal Criminal Background Checks
- ▶ Child Protective Services Background Checks
- ▶ Experience working with children and reference checks
- ▶ CPR/First Aid and AED
- ▶ Allergy, Anaphylaxis and Asthma Awareness
- ▶ Mental Health First Aid & Child Abuse Awareness
- ▶ Activity Planning
- ▶ Behavior Modification Techniques

## Sun and Heat Safety

- ▶ Activity Planning
- ▶ Water Breaks
- ▶ Pavilions for rest periods
- ▶ Sun Safety

## Illness Mitigation

- ▶ Utilizing outdoor space
- ▶ Increasing hand washing
- ▶ CDC, State & Local Guidance
- ▶ Camp Health Consultant



# Payment Plans

## Register March 10 - April 15

- ▶ Divide the amount due into three payments
  - ▶ 1<sup>st</sup> payment is at the time of registration
  - ▶ 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1st
  - ▶ 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1st

## Register April 16 - May 15

- ▶ Divide the amount due into two payments
  - ▶ 1<sup>st</sup> payment is at the time of registration
  - ▶ 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1st



# Withdrawals & Refunds

Full refunds can be granted **for any reason** if received two-weeks prior to the start of the program.

If received within two weeks to the start of the camp session, 50% of the fee can be refunded.

No refunds or credits can be issued after the start of the program except for health-related withdrawals.

# View Camp Information

Monday, March 7

## Registration Opens

Thursday, March 10  
8:30 am

[www.rockvillemd.gov/registration](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/registration)  
[www.rockvillemd.gov/camps](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/camps)

Email us at [camps@rockvillemd.gov](mailto:camps@rockvillemd.gov)

Call us at 240-314-8620



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**Next PTA Meeting - March 1st**

Featuring: Advocacy WorkPlan Discussion

