

Third Quarter



## Therapeutic Recreation for the Disabled, Inc.

282 N. Fair Avenue, Hamilton, Ohio 45011

### Fairfield Optimist Fishing Derby

**Saturday, September 22**  
**Fishing Starting Time: 10:00am**  
**Lunch: 11:30am**  
**Event Ends at Noon**

**Location:**  
**Fairfield Optimist Club**  
**194 Forest Lake Lane in Fairfield**  
**(located in Joyce Park)**

**Free Event!**

Please bring lawn chairs for seating. Rods and bait available for you to use, or you may bring your own.

If you live in a supported living situation or require assistance a staff person, parent or guardian must attend with you.

**Must RSVP to**  
**Connie Mehlman**  
at 513-785-2881

or  
cjmehlman@butlerdd.org  
no later than Sept 14<sup>th</sup>



### Tennis in No Time



**Tennis in No Time** is a program offered to the community by Mercy Healthplex to teach adults the basics of tennis in a fun way that allows for immediate success in the game. All players are taught to their own level of ability. Because Therapeutic Recreation has a group that plays tennis there weekly during the school year, we have been offered a discounted rate, and personalized program from the one currently being offered to the general public.

Therefore, our program will run for three weeks, Tuesdays and Thursdays, probably the last two weeks of July and the first week of August, or thereabouts, for one hour each time, probably starting at 4:00pm, at Mercy Healthplex, located on the Mercy Hospital Fairfield campus on Mack Road.

Cost is for two people to play as tennis partners - one with disabilities age 17 or older, and one age-appropriate buddy. \$120 for two players for six one-hour lessons over 3 weeks. We need a minimum of 4 pairs.

Contact Gail Webster at [confusion@fuse.net](mailto:confusion@fuse.net) or 513-860-4049 at your earliest convenience if this is something your son or daughter would be interested in doing. Parents may be the tennis partners. Tennis racquets will be provided, so no need to purchase one to try out the sport.





**HAMILTON FLEA**  
July 14, August 11, September 8

**Marcum Park**  
116 Dayton Street  
10:00am - 4:00pm

**Free Event**  
**Handicap Accessible: Yes**

Your favorite flea market is back again for 2018! This monthly urban, curated market features a wide variety of local artisans who specialize in handcrafted goods and unique, high-quality services. Food trucks are on site for when hunger strikes! Spend some time supporting local businesses and experience Hamilton, Ohio in a unique way. If you're a yogi, be sure to head to the Flea early for their free yoga class from 9:00 - 10:00am.

[www.gettothebc.com/events/hamilton-flea](http://www.gettothebc.com/events/hamilton-flea)



**Annual Flying Circus**  
**Flying Circus Air Show**  
August 4 to August 5

**Butler County Regional Airport - 11:30am - 4:00pm**  
**2820 East Airport Drive in Hamilton**  
**Parking \$5 - Admission- Free**  
**Handicap Accessible: Yes**

For two days only, the world's largest and most exciting Model Air Show will fly high in Butler County. Join in on the fun at this Model Aeronautics Extravaganza, great for the entire family. A full scale static display will be available for viewing, and airplane rides will be available. For a full schedule of the event's exciting activities please call (513) 887-0444 visit the event website:  
: [www.gcrcc.net/RCFlyingCircus/](http://www.gcrcc.net/RCFlyingCircus/)



**ALIVE AFTER 5**  
**HAWAIIAN LUAU**  
July 5 - Downtown Hamilton  
5:00 - 9:00pm - Free Event

Stroll through the Central Business District in Hamilton for Hawaiian-themed fun! Learn to hula dance, try some Hawaiian-themed snacks, and explore the great businesses in downtown Hamilton. The kids will love making fake fire spinners with the Fitton Center, and your 4-legged friends will love the Hawaiian treats at Pet Wants! You won't want to miss this Luau!

For more information call (513) 863-8873  
or visit webpage:  
[www.gettothebc.com/events/alive-after-5-hawaiian-luau](http://www.gettothebc.com/events/alive-after-5-hawaiian-luau)



**Butler County Fair**  
July 22 to July 28  
**Butler County Fairgrounds**  
1715 Fairgrove Avenue  
**Handicap Accessible: Yes**

Nothing says summer like the arrival of county fairs all across Ohio's eighty-eight counties. Butler County is no different! Excitement grows as families and 4-H members gather at the Butler County Fair at the Butler County Fairgrounds. The Butler County Fair is the counties biggest festival and attracts nearly 100,000 guests each year, including some 1400 Junior Fair members. The fair boasts rides, games, livestock exhibits and everyone's favorite...fair food!

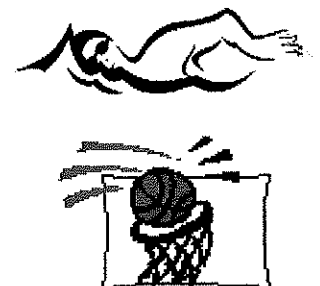
For more information and Times: See Fair Website:  
[butlercountyohfair.org](http://butlercountyohfair.org) or call (513) 892-1423

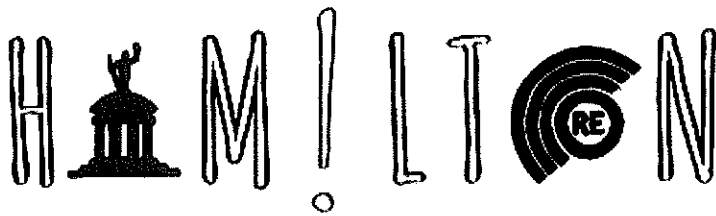


Please visit our website [www.bcospecialolympics.org](http://www.bcospecialolympics.org) for registration. Athletes are required to have a medical filled out by a medical professional. The medical are good for 3 years. Any questions please contact Tonja Pohlman, Butler County Special Olympics. Local Coordinator (513)896-9855

June 15 - Swimming registration opened. We will offer developmental swim at Fitton Family YMCA. Also swim team and an intermediate swim at East Butler YMCA. Swimming will start in August once we have the venues we will post on our website:  
[www.bcospecialolympics.org](http://www.bcospecialolympics.org)

August 1 - Basketball registration will open. Basketball season won't begin until November. Start dates will be posted on the website.



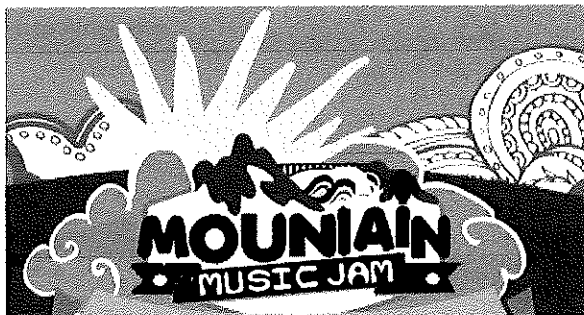


Enjoy **FREE** concerts all summer long at an awesome park: **RiversEdge Amphitheater at Marcum Park**  
**116 Dayton St. in Hamilton.**

**Doors: 5:30pm, 1st Set: 6:30pm, 2nd Set: 8:30pm**

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| July 4    | Miss Jacque with Soul Pocket                                       |
| July 12   | The New Respects with The Lique                                    |
| July 19   | Maggie Koerner and Smooth Hound Smith with The Young Heirlooms     |
| July 26   | Uptown Funk (Bruno Mars) with Krystal Peterson & QCB and Circle It |
| August 2  | Welshly Arms with Brian Olive                                      |
| August 9  | Larkin Poe with The Trogone Band                                   |
| August 16 | The Motown Sounds of Touch with The Colour of Rhythm               |
| August 23 | Free Fallin' (Tom Petty) with Frontier Folk Nebraska and Elk Creek |

**Not Permitted:** Coolers, Carry-In Alcoholic beverages, Pets, Bicycles, Non-Factory sealed beverages, Tents / canopies / Sun umbrella and Weapons. There will be food and beverage for purchase. For more information check out webpage: [www.riversedgelive.com](http://www.riversedgelive.com)



**Mountain Music Jam**  
**Sundays 2:00pm - 4:00pm**  
**July 29 and August 26**  
 Indian Creek MetroPark  
 Indian Creek Pioneer Church  
 3000 Indian Creek Rd. in Oxford

Warren and Judy Waldron will lead everyone in impromptu mountain music jam sessions Bring a chair or blanket and listen to the talented local musicians. Bring your own instrument and join in! **Last Sunday in July and August.**

For more information call (513) 867-5835 Ext. 302 or check out webpage: [www.yourmetroparks.net](http://www.yourmetroparks.net)



**Oxford's Uptown Park**  
**located at 4 North Main St.**  
**Every Thursday Night**

Mark your calendars for the remaining performances in Oxford's **FREE Summer Concert Series.** This is a community-favorite that you won't want to miss!

Bring your kids, lawn chairs, blankets and cooler packed full of your favorite snacks. (Alcohol is prohibited. We ask that you smoke/vape on the sidewalks rather than the grass.) **Concerts are every Thursday night from 7:00pm - 9:30pm.**

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| July 12   | This Pine Box   |
| July 19   | Stagger Lee Band  |
| July 26   | Ricky Nyeon   |
| August 2  | Lehto and Wright  |
| August 9  | The Tillers   |
| August 16 | Queen City Silver Stars   |
| August 23 | Berachah Valley   |
| August 30 | Robin Lacy & DeZydeco - <b>This concert will begin at 6:00pm</b> so come enjoy some free burgers with friends during our beloved Annual Community Picnic! |

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| September 6  | 67 Meter Sun                      |
| September 13 | The Wrong Crowd                   |
| September 20 | Bad Veins                         |
| September 27 | Miami University A Cappella Night |

For more information check out webpage: [www.enjoyoxford.org/this-week-in-oxford/oxford-ohios-summer-music-2018/](http://www.enjoyoxford.org/this-week-in-oxford/oxford-ohios-summer-music-2018/)



**CITY OF**  
**Trenton**  
**OHIO**

**FREE Concerts at**  
**Trenton Community Park**  
 440 Dell Drive in Trenton  
 3:00pm - 5:00pm

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| July 22   | Bootlegger Band  |
| August 12 | Hauer Swing Band |

For more information check out webpage: [www.cityoftrenton.com/](http://www.cityoftrenton.com/)

**West Chester Concerts**  
**Keehner Park Amphitheatre**  
**7411 Barret Road**  
**West Chester Twp.**  
**7:00 - 9:00pm**



The Keehner Park concerts are on select Saturdays and welcome all guests to pack a picnic for the evening. Sorry, but alcohol is NOT permitted.

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| July 7      | Cincinnati Brass Band                           |
| July 14     | P&G Big Band                                    |
| July 21     | Ronnie Williams &<br>The American Graffiti Band |
| July 28     | Melodic Rhythms                                 |
| August 4    | Big Trouble Blues Band                          |
| August 11   | Naz Jazz - West Chester Nazarene                |
| August 18   | The J Carl Smith Project                        |
| August 25   | No concert - Shakespeare in the Park            |
| September 3 | Monday Labor Day<br>West Chester Symphony       |

For more information: [www.westchesteroh.org/departments/community-services/parks/annual-events](http://www.westchesteroh.org/departments/community-services/parks/annual-events)



**The Square @ Union Centre,**  
**9285 Centre Pointe Dr. in West Chester**  
**Concerts are 6 - 9 pm every Thursday**  
**Rain cancels**

Need to unwind after work? Enjoy an evening of live music from the great bands featured every week. Each Takeover night comes with unique experiences. Grab a bite & your favorite adult beverage (for purchase). Please don't bring alcohol to the park, alcohol brought into the park is in violation of the State of Ohio Liquor Permit, your understanding is appreciated.

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| July 5    | Eric Ellis (American Idol Contestant) & Friends |
| July 12   | 3 Piece Revival                                 |
| July 19   | Buzz Bin  |
| July 26   | 2nd Wind  |
| August 2  | Lt. Dan's New Legs (LDNL)                       |
| August 9  | DV8   |
| August 16 | Matt Waters                                     |
| August 23 | Top This Band                                   |
| August 30 | Green Light Morning                             |

For all the latest updates on The Takeover, like West Chester on Facebook, follow @WestChesterTwp on Twitter, and connect with @WestChesterTownship on Instagram. The official concert hashtag: #TakeoverWC or webpage: [www.westchesteroh.org/departments/community-services/the-square-at-union-centre](http://www.westchesteroh.org/departments/community-services/the-square-at-union-centre)

**HUMP DAY**  
**CONCERT SERIES**

**7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.**  
**Voice of America**  
**MetroPark**  
**Gazebo on the Lake**  
**7850 VOA Park Drive**  
**in West Chester**

Need a little mid-week relaxation? Then come and enjoy an evening concert and some family fun at the beautiful Voice Of America MetroPark lake. Bring your lawn chairs, blankets, and friends, **every Wednesday throughout the summer (now through August 22)** for a variety of bands. Food and beverages will be available for purchase on the Ronald Reagan Lodge patio.

Join in on this free summer fun!

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| July 11   | Frontier (Soft Rock/Country)   |
| July 18   | The McCartney Project<br>& Vinyl Sunshine (Beatles/British Invasion) |
| July 25   | Ryan Broshear (Country)  |
| August 1  | The SunBurners (Island Party/Steel Drum)                             |
| August 8  | Dat Band (Rock/Soul/Funk/R&B)  |
| August 15 | DV8 (Rock)   |
| August 22 | Stagger Lee (Country Rock)   |

For more information check out webpage:  
[www.yourmetroparks.net](http://www.yourmetroparks.net)  
then click on Programs & Events

Free to the Public, Motor Vehicle Permit required  
Sarah Burkhart 513-867-5835

**Liberty Center presents**

Join us Wednesday nights from 6:00-9:00 PM at 7100 Foundry Row, off of Liberty Way in Liberty Township



Guests are invited to bring their own blankets and chairs. No outside alcohol is permitted. Concerts are subject to delays & cancellations due to weather.

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| July 4    | Smoooth               |
| July 11   | Nick Netherton        |
| July 18   | Bad Habit             |
| July 25   | Amy & The Arrangement |
| August 1  | The Mistics           |
| August 8  | The Good Hooks        |
| August 15 | Leroy Ellington       |
| August 22 | Johnny Clueless       |
| August 29 | Naked Karate Girls    |

For more information check out webpage:  
[www.liberty-center.com/summer-concert-series](http://www.liberty-center.com/summer-concert-series)

# GROOVIN' on the GREEN

**FREE Summer Concerts at Village Green Park  
301 Wessel Dr. in Fairfield**

**NEW TIME: Opening acts start at 6:30pm  
and Headliner begins at 7:00pm.**

Bring your blanket or lawn chairs every Thursday evening and enjoy the concerts at Village Green Park. Every musical taste is satisfied in this summer-long series. Vendors available for food purchase

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| July 12     | Tim Jennens (jazz)<br>Brass Tracks Band (70s Funk)                                 |
| July 19     | Bob Ross (jazz)<br>Dana Louise & the Glorious Birds (Folk)                         |
| July 26     | Lisa Biales<br>Linus Tate (Alt-Pop)  |
| August 2    | Mark Becknell<br>The Klüberheads (German/Parody)                                   |
| August 9    | Peter Conrad "human juke-box"<br>The McCartney Project<br>(Paul McCartney Tribute) |
| August 16   | Katie Pritchard<br>Saffire Express (All-Time Hits)                                 |
| August 23   | Matt Waters (Blues rock)<br>Live Your Dream, feat. Yolanda (R&B pop)               |
| August 30   | Larry Stokes<br>Thunderbay (Classic Rock)  |
| September 6 | Jeremy Francis (Bluesgrass)<br>Jay Jesse Johnson Band (Blues/Rock)                 |

More information at: [www.fairfieldoh.gov/groovin](http://www.fairfieldoh.gov/groovin)  
or contact Heidi Schiller at 513-896-8415

## Touch A Truck

**Village Green Park, 301 Wessel Dr. in Fairfield  
9:00am - Noon, Friday, August 10  
FREE!**



A hands-on experience where kids of all ages can learn about their favorite vehicles, climb on them, and interact with the drivers. A hands-on experience where kids young and old can touch, explore, and climb on the many vehicles that are on display outside the Community Arts Center and interact with the drivers. Don't miss your chance to explore a fire truck, police car, construction truck, snowplow, and other vehicles of all shapes and sizes.

## NEW FREE CONCERT SERIES

**4th Friday on the Green  
7:00pm Village Green Park  
301 Wessel Drive in Fairfield**



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| July 27   | See You in the Funnies<br>(Alternative music) |
| August 24 | Adelee & Gentry (Alternative music)           |

Alternative pop and rock music combined with beer and food (for purchase) is the formula for Fourth Fridays, Fairfield's newest free concert series. "The goal of the series is to appeal to a younger set that attends Groovin' on the Green".

More information at:  
[www.fairfield-city.org/summerconcerts](http://www.fairfield-city.org/summerconcerts)



**Blues & BBQ  
Huffman Park  
2nd Saturday of the month  
6:00pm - 8:00pm  
2100 John Gray Rd.  
in Fairfield**

This **FREE** music series at Huffman Park features the combination of great local musicians along with the smells and tastes of Hammann's Catering. Bring your chairs and blankets and relax to the music or explore nature throughout the park while the sounds blues music fills the air.

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| July 14     | Better Together |
| August 11   | Chandler Carter |
| September 8 | Wild Carrot     |

More information at:  
[www.fairfield-city.org/summerconcerts](http://www.fairfield-city.org/summerconcerts)



**July 27 at 9:00pm  
August 24 at 8:30pm  
FREE Event For All Ages  
Huffman Park  
2100 John Gray Road in Fairfield**

Please register by  
calling 513-867-5348

The Cincinnati Astronomical Society is returning to Huffman Park for a monthly star gazing series. Enjoy the fourth Friday of July and August gazing at the stars with help from their telescopes and experts. Take an up-close look at the moon, planets, and stars that fill the night sky

## 2018 FREE Summer Movie Line-up



The City of Oxford  
Parks & Recreation  
presents  
Flicks on Fairfield Rd.  
Family Movie Night  
at Oxford Park &  
Recreation Gymnasium  
6025 Fairfield Rd.  
in Oxford

Oxford Parks & Recreation invites your entire family for **FREE** double feature movie nights! Join us on the third Friday of July and August for "old school" vs. "new school" themed movies. **The first movie will begin at 7:00pm inside the OPRD Gymnasium followed by an outdoor feature at 9:00pm on our front lawn.** Concessions will be available.

July 20  
7pm The BFG (2016)  
9pm Honey I Shrunk the Kids (1989)  
August 17  
7pm The Jungle Book (1967)  
9pm The Jungle Book (2016)

For more information go to webpage:  
[allevents.in/oxford/oprd-flicks-on-fairfield](http://allevents.in/oxford/oprd-flicks-on-fairfield)  
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The City of Monroe  
presents  
Movies in the Park  
at Community Park  
500 South Main Street

Each **FREE** movie will begin in Community Park at Dusk. So mark your calendars, pack a blanket and bring the family to enjoy the evening and a movie.

July 28 Field of Dreams - will be showing to coordinate with a baseball tournament in the park.  
August 18 Wonder

For more information check out webpage:  
[voice.mainstreetmonroe.com/monroe-movies-in-the-park\\_topic3480.html](http://voice.mainstreetmonroe.com/monroe-movies-in-the-park_topic3480.html)

## 2018 FREE Concert Series



Middletown's  
"Broad Street Bash"  
Back for their 11th year!  
at Governor's Square  
1105 Central Avenue  
Concerts start at 5:30

This rockin' Middletown Broad Street Bash is located in the heart of downtown Middletown.

Bring Chairs or blankets to sit on!  
Food, Kid Zone, Must be 21 to purchase alcohol.  
Check out the family-friendly  
**FREE** Broad Street Bash this summer.

July 3 Thunderstruck w/ The Magnum's  
July 18 Subterranean w/ High Altitude  
August 1 The Cleavers w/ 3ft. Deep  
October 13 Monster Bash

For more information: [www.LongLiveTheBash.com](http://www.LongLiveTheBash.com)



Butler Philharmonic Orchestra and Chorus  
**FREE Concert**

Formally known as the "Hamilton- Fairfield Symphony Orchestra"- The Butler Philharmonic Orchestra and Chorus are travelling around Butler County this summer for several **FREE** concerts! There is still time to see the last concert of the summer. Date and location is listed below

Saturday, August 25 @ 12 p.m.  
AK Pavilion in Middletown  
100 South Carmody Boulevard  
MetroParks of Butler County  
ribbon ceremony for the new River Center

For more information: [butlerphil.org/](http://butlerphil.org/)

## 2018 FREE Summer Movie Line-up

# MOVIES UNDER MOONLIGHT

**At Liberty Center, Tuesdays in the Park  
7100 Foundry Row in Liberty Twp.**

July 3	Storks
July 10	Zootopia
July 17	The Jungle Book (2016)
July 24	The Emoji Movie
July 31	The Little Mermaid
August 7	Toy Story
August 14	Paddington
August 21	Finding Dory
August 28	The Lego Ninjago Movie

Pre-event entertainment begins two hours prior to showtime and varies each week. No alcohol is permitted. Movies are subject to delays and cancellations due to weather. Guests are invited to bring their own blankets and chairs. For more information check out webpage: [www.liberty-center.com/movies-under-moonlight](http://www.liberty-center.com/movies-under-moonlight)

**Movies in the Park  
Village Green Park  
301 Wessel Dr. in Fairfield**

**Pre-show Fun  
one hour before dusk  
Movies begin at dusk**



The Fairfield Fire Department will have pre-show fun and giveaways activities start 1 hour before dusk. Movies starts at dusk. Rain date is the following Friday at dusk. For more information check out webpage: [www.fairfield-city.org/577/Movies-in-the-Park](http://www.fairfield-city.org/577/Movies-in-the-Park)

July 6	Despicable Me 3	9:00 PM - 11:00 PM
August 3	Cars 3	8:30 PM - 10:30 PM
September 7	COCO	8:00 PM - 10:00 PM
October 5	Boss Baby	7:30 PM - 9:30 PM



440 Dell Drive  
in Trenton

July 14	Coco	movie starts at 8:45pm
August 11	Fun Activities	begin at 6:30pm
	Wonder	movie starts at 8:45pm



**FREE Summer Movie  
Fun For All Ages!  
New Movies Each Week!**  
(Movies are subject to change)  
**CMX Cinemas  
Liberty Luxury**

**CMX Cinemas Liberty Luxury  
at Liberty Center, 7514 Bales Street in Liberty Twp.**

**Doors open at 9:30 am. Shows start at 10 am every  
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.  
Free admission. (Same day ticketing only.)**

Large Groups, Schools & Camps are Welcome!  
Discount popcorn & soda combo for groups of 25 or more.  
(Order must be placed by one person  
from the group and paid for as one order.)

All Movies are rated PG

July 3, 4, 5	July 17, 18, 19
Storks	Despicable Me 3
The Lorax Movie	Ferdinand

July 10, 11, 12	July 24, 25, 26
The Peanuts Movie	Emoji Movie
Trolls	Boss Baby

July 31, August 1, 2  
Lego Ninjago Movie  
Captain Underpants First Epic Movie

For more information call 513-463-0470 or visit website:  
[www.cobbtheatres.com/pdf/SummerKids2018/COB\\_SummerMovieEscape\\_LibertyLuxury.pdf](http://www.cobbtheatres.com/pdf/SummerKids2018/COB_SummerMovieEscape_LibertyLuxury.pdf)



**Middletown Movies In The Park**

**Family Activity 7:30pm**

**FREE Snacks 8:30pm**

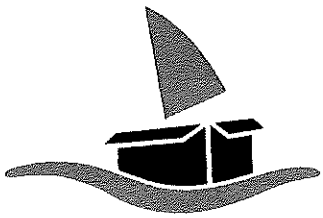
**FREE Movie 9:00pm**

**TOTALLY FREE FAMILY FUN!**

**Bring Blanket or chair to sit on but leave the rest to us!**

For more information check out webpage:  
[www.middletownfamilymovienights.com](http://www.middletownfamilymovienights.com)

July 6	Coco
	Swallen's lot behind Pendleton Art Center
July 20	The Nut Job 2: Nutty by Nature
	Goldman Park, 1400 Highland St
August 3	Wonder Woman
	Swallen's lot behind Pendleton Art Center
August 17	The Emoji Movie
	Goldman Park, 1400 Highland St



## CRAZY CARDBOARD REGATTA

**Saturday, July 14  
11:00am – 3:00pm**

**Voice of America  
MetroPark**

**7850 VOA Park Drive  
in West Chester Twp.**

This is a summer event you won't want to miss. Teams have spent countless hours crafting creative cardboard boats, yes cardboard. The boats are designed strictly out of cardboard, tape and glue! They'll attempt to race their boats around the lake at Voice of America MetroPark and stay afloat. **Event is FREE for spectators** and does not require registration. The regatta will feature live music and a variety of other family friendly activities for the whole family. Laugh, cheer and have a great time watching the boats sink or swim their way to the epic regatta finish line.

For more information visit webpage:  
[www.gettothebc.com/things-to-do/events-calendar/festivals/crazy-cardboard-regatta](http://www.gettothebc.com/things-to-do/events-calendar/festivals/crazy-cardboard-regatta)



**The 64<sup>th</sup> Annual Antique  
and Classic Car Parade  
Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Over 300 antique  
and classic cars!**

**Viewing of cars at all  
three locations is  
FREE to the public**

**The cars will parade through the streets of Hamilton and Fairfield** for spectators to admire and get a close-up look. Car check-in will begin at 8:30am, judging between 9:30am and 11:30am.

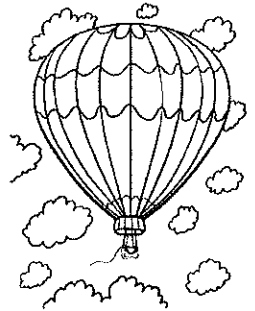
Parade starts in downtown Hamilton promptly at 1:00pm to Fairfield. The Fairfield stop will be at Fairfield Crossings, Rt. 4 and Symmes Rd. The parade will then proceed back to Downtown Hamilton at 2:30pm. The car parade concludes at the courthouse with a **musical celebration by the Fort Hamilton Jazz Band** and antique and classic car awards. Presentation of awards will begin at 3:30pm.

More information at: [www.gettothebc.com/events/annual-antique-and-classic-car-parade](http://www.gettothebc.com/events/annual-antique-and-classic-car-parade)

## OHIO CHALLENGE HOT AIR BALLOON FESTIVAL

**The festival is open 4:00pm to 10:30pm  
Friday, July 20<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, July 21<sup>st</sup>  
at Smith Park, 591 Tytus Avenue in Middletown**

Walk-in admission is \$5 per adult, 13 and up, 12 and under are free. Parking is \$15 w/ free shuttle and admission for all in the car. Parking Shuttle from the Airport Entrance.



The Ohio Challenge Hot Air Balloon Festival features a hot air balloon competition with up to 40 balloons, as well as outdoor concerts, food vendors, carnival rides and more! Come out to see sky divers, special shape balloons, a firework displays starting around 9:45pm on Saturday, July 21<sup>st</sup>. There will also be fireworks Friday night. A fan favorite is the beautiful balloon glow, a magical display at night, this year's balloon glows will be July 20<sup>th</sup> and July 21<sup>st</sup> at dusk.

Visit the event website for an up-to-date schedule of events: [ohiochallenge.com/](http://ohiochallenge.com/) or for more information call 513-705-1770.



**Saturday, August 11<sup>th</sup>  
9:00am - 3:00pm**

**1 S. Main St. in Oxford**

**Viewing this event is  
FREE to the public**

Door Prizes at 10:00am 11:00am and Noon  
Entertainment: 10:00am -2:00pm The Fries Band  
3:00pm Winning Parade

This event is sure to please any car enthusiast. Porsches of all types will line High Street and be on display starting at 9:00am. and continue throughout the day. Door prizes, people's choice and specialty awards will be given. Hit the bricks with the Red Brick Reunion Porsche Car Show.

More information at:  
[www.ohio.org/events/red-brick-reunion-porsche-car-show](http://www.ohio.org/events/red-brick-reunion-porsche-car-show) or: [www.redbrickreunion.com](http://www.redbrickreunion.com)



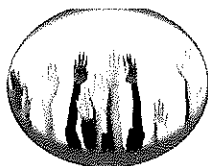




**TRENTON FALL FESTIVAL**  
**September 22**  
**Trenton Community Park**  
**440 Dell Drive in Trenton**  
**Noon – 7:00pm**  
**Free Event**

Celebrate the beginning of fall at the Trenton Fall Festival. The festival is bound to be a great time for all ages! Free health screenings will be provided by Premier Health and other fun events will happen for the whole family to enjoy.

For more information visit:  
[www.gettothebc.com/events/trenton-fall-festival](http://www.gettothebc.com/events/trenton-fall-festival)



**MultiCultural Festival**  
**Symmes Park Playground**  
**3rd & Pershing Ave. in Hamilton**

The FREE Community Festival will be Celebrating appreciation of diversity through artistic expression, history, image art gallery, Cultural foods. Multicultural Festival is for EVERYONE to develop community awareness; Come enjoy cultural expressions through music, dance, poetry, art, food, fashion, giveaways, free arts & crafts for kids, regional /national cultural national entertainment performances.

**Friday, September 28 - 4:00pm until 9:00pm**  
**Live Entertainment, Hospitality Night**  
**(free arts & crafts for first 300 Kids)**

**Saturday, September 29 - Noon until 9:00pm**  
**Community Diversity DJ. Block Party**  
**Live Diversity Entertainment**

**Sunday, September 30 - Noon until 9:00pm**  
**Live Country Music**  
**Corporate Giveaways & Live Entertainment.**

For more information visit:  
[www.eventbrite.com/e/multicultural-festival-tickets](http://www.eventbrite.com/e/multicultural-festival-tickets)



## **Union Centre Food Truck Rally**

**The Square @ Union Centre**  
**9285 Centre Pointe Dr.**  
**in West Chester**  
**Friday, August 10**  
**1:30am to 10:30pm**

**It is one of the TOP 5 Butler County events...Join us!**

Once a year Cincinnati's best food trucks gather at The Square @ Union Centre for a Food Truck Rally! Last year there were over 30 food trucks with a variety of food options including smoothies, barbeque, mac & cheese, seafood, heart-healthy, vegan, sweet treats, Cajun, and Cuban! **There is plenty of entertainment with live bands throughout the day, as well as beer and wine for adult diners. (Food and beverages for purchase).**

For more information check out webpage:  
[ucbma.com/events/union-centre-food-truck-rally/](http://ucbma.com/events/union-centre-food-truck-rally/)

## *Sunbonnet Days*



**August 4 and August 5 - 1:00pm to 5:00pm**  
**Gilbert Farms Park, 6181 Ross Road in Fairfield**  
**Free Event - Handicap Accessible: Yes**

History comes to life at this year's Sunbonnet Days. This year's free event features live music, vintage baseball games, guided tours of the Elisha Morgan Mansion and the Heritage Gardens and children's activities. Exhibits feature antique farm machinery and equipment, broom manufacturing, and Symmes Corner from 1808 - 1955.

For more information call (513) 867-5348 or visit:  
[www.gettothebc.com/events/sunbonnet-days](http://www.gettothebc.com/events/sunbonnet-days)



## **Early Fall Blooms - Great Outdoor Weekend**

**Saturday, September 29 - 10:00am - Noon**  
**Meet at the Meijer Parking lot at 1560 Main St.**  
**Hamilton to car pool to the site**

For more information visit: [www.yourmetroparks.net](http://www.yourmetroparks.net)  
then click on Programs & Events

It's Great Outdoor Weekend. Sign up for a hike through one of MetroParks' hidden gems. Davidson Woods is only open for special programs such as this. Hike through this park which has no trails looking for the early fall wildflowers. Reservations required and space is limited. **FREE Event**

## Explore Butler County MetroParks

Enjoy family fun and recreation within nearly 5,000 acres of green space in eleven parks open daily from 8:00am until dark, at MetroParks. The many amenities available to enhance your park experience include natural and paved trails for hiking, biking, running, or walking. There are also numerous play areas, fishing spots, reservable facilities, shelters and camp sites, a dog park, as well as a reservable Athletic Complex. Water recreation is made possible through creeking as well as rentable kayaks, canoes, paddleboats, and stand-up paddleboards. **A few programs and FUN special events are listed below to add to your enjoyment of the parks.**



### SHOW AND TELL ON THE FARM

Chrisholm MetroPark Historic Farmstead Augspurger, and/or Chrisholm Picnic Center  
2070 Woodsdale Rd. in Trenton

FREE program for all ages. - Not Handicap Accessible  
Come learn all about animals and other fun farm activities at the Chrisholm Historic Farmstead! Programs include all sorts of activities with special guest stars! Don't miss Show and Tell on the Farm every Sunday and every Thursday. Dates and times listed below:

<b>Sunday 2:00 - 4:00pm</b>	<b>Thursdays 10:00 - 11:00am</b>
July 8, 15, 22	July 12, 19, 26
August 12, 26, 19, 26	<b>Thursday 6:30 - 7:30pm</b>
September 9, 16, 23, 30	August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
	September 6, 13, 20, 27

For each location and theme of the day visit:  
<http://reservations.yourmetroparks.net/programs/>

### TRAIL YOGA

Every Tuesday, July 17 - August 14  
and Tuesday August 28 - 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm  
at Rentschler Forest MetroPark Reigart Road Area  
5701 Reigart Rd. in Hamilton  
Price: \$7/class or \$36 for the 6 class series  
Open to all fitness levels ages 16 & up.

Hiking and Yoga, what could be better? It is a great way to reduce stress through awareness and increase positive emotions. It has been proven to lower heart rate/blood pressure and even boost immunity! Join Laura Lejeune on Tuesday evenings for a time of relaxation in and around the park. Please note: Wear comfortable "old friend" closed-toed shoes, as we will be out on the trail. You will not need a yoga mat for this program.



**Family Friendly** mud obstacle course  
Rentschler Forest MetroPark  
Reigart Road  
Area-Soccer Fields  
5701 Reigart Road in Fairfield Twp.

Two days of muddy fun to slide, climb, and crawl your way through our mud obstacle course! **General admission (\$5 per person aged 5+, free if under 5) grants access to the course, while those taking on the challenge of the mud volleyball tournament (\$50 per team of 6) gets access to the course AND good competition** at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Mud Mania. **FEATURING:** Mud volleyball tournaments, giant water slide, slimy obstacle course, muddy pools, event merchandise, vendors, and more! \*Shoes are required, no flip-flops, we'll provide the duct tape

### PHOTO WALKS: Seasons in MetroParks

Join Photographer Susan Milinkovich as she shares different tips on photography in nature in a hands-on setting. All programs are FREE. Registration is required by the Friday before each program. Bring your iPhone, Point-and-shoot or DSLR camera - no photography experience needed.



**Saturday, July 21** 8:30am - 10:00am  
Forest Run MetroPark - Wildlife Preserve Area  
1810 New London Rd. in Hamilton  
Tips on composition to help you frame and capture summer flowers and early morning light.

**Saturday, September 15** 9:00am - 10:30am  
Chrisholm MetroPark - Historic Farmstead  
2070 Woodsdale Rd. in Trenton  
Tips for capturing fall colors and a share little about how to use color theory in your photography

**Saturday, November 10** 9:00am - 10:30am  
Governor Bebb MetroPark - Pioneer Village  
1979 Bebb Park Lane in Okeana  
Tips for shooting close-ups and intimate landscapes.

**For more information on all programs call (513) 867-5835 or visit webpage: [www.yourmetroparks.net](http://www.yourmetroparks.net)**  
Motor Vehicle Permit Required. FREE to Butler County Residents. Non-Residents \$5/daily or \$10/annually.

## More Summer Events at Butler County MetroParks

### Creeking in the Parks - Free Event

10:00am - Noon - Every Thursday in July

Creekin' is fun! Meet us and our partner, Butler County Soil and Water Conservation District, for a fun-filled, educational adventure! You'll learn all about what lives in this creek and about the fossils found in the area. **All ages are welcome!** So, come dressed in clothes and close-toed shoes (no flip-flops) that can get wet and dirty because we're going creekin'!

- July 5 Indian Creek MetroPark, Oxford Rd. Area, 1899 Oxford-Reilly Road (RT. 732), Oxford
- July 12 Elk Creek MetroPark Sebald Park Area, 5580 Elk Creek Rd., Middletown
- July 19 Governor Bebb MetroPark, 1979 Bebb Park Lane, Okeana. Meet in the lower parking lot near the Murstein Cabin.
- July 26 Rentschler Forest MetroPark Timberhill Area 3976 Hamilton-Middletown Road (RT.4)



### Fun on the Farm

Saturday, September 8, Noon-4:00pm

(weather dependent)

Chrisholm MetroPark

at Chrisholm Historic Farmstead  
2070 Woodsdale Road, Trenton

Admission: \$5 per vehicle

Experience life and activities away from the city and down on the farm at this year's Fun on the Farm - farm fun the old fashioned way! Enjoy a petting zoo with the opportunity to feed the animals, a farmer's market, barn dancing, hayrides, samples of open hearth cooking, tours of the 1874 Amish-Mennonite Augspurger Home, and MORE!

### Pioneer Life - Free Event

Sunday, July 8, Noon - 5:00pm

Governor Bebb MetroPark: Gov Bebb - Howe Shelter, Pioneer Village Area Historic Cabins, and Covered Bridge, 1979 Bebb Park Ln. in Okeana

Step back in time, to the early 1800's and witness the life of the pioneers. Visit with interpreters and demonstrators. See live animals and make crafts during your visit at our authentic Pioneer Village.

### Family Fun Fridays - Free Event

10:00am - 11:30am - Every Friday in July

It's time for Family Fun Fridays! Join MetroParks of Butler County with partners Butler Soil and Water Conservation District and Ohio State University Extension, Butler County in summer fun. Come learn about fish and invasive species while participating in some fishy activities!

- July 6 Something Fishy - Forest Run MetroPark Timberman Ridge Shelter 1976 Timberman Rd., in Hamilton OH 45013
- July 13 Kids Loco-Motion Forest Run Wildlife Preserve Area 1810 New London Rd. in Hamilton
- July 20 All About Water Forest Run Wildlife Preserve 1810 New London Rd. in Hamilton
- July 27 What's Outside? Forest Run Wildlife Preserve Area 1810 New London Rd. in Hamilton

### Movies in the Parks -

Free Event

Fridays starting at  
8:00pm until 10:30pm



Rentschler Forest MetroPark - 5701 Reigart Road (Rt. 4)

- August 24 Feature film: Brave
- August 31 Wall-E
- September 7 Atlantis: The Lost Empire
- September 14 Brother Bear

River Center - 120 S. Carmody Blvd. in Middletown

- September 21 The Jungle Book
- September 28 A Bug's Life

What's better than going out to a movie on a Friday night? How about a **FREE** movie outdoors on a nice summer evening? Grab your lawn chair or blanket and join us for an evening out in the parks, and maybe even pack a picnic to make it a dinner and a movie! The feature film will begin at 8:30pm, but join us at 8:00pm for environmental and conservation-related short films from the Wild & Scenic Film Festival!

For more information on all programs please call

(513) 867-5835 or visit webpage:

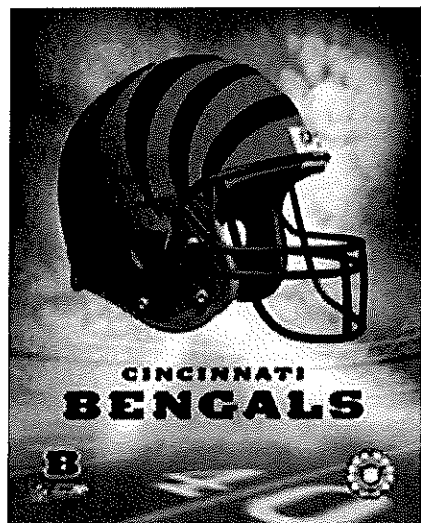
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# *"Rumble in the Jungle" Dance*

*Sponsored by GE Volunteers and Butler County DD*

Meet Bengal Players



## Who Dey!!

Tuesday, October 2, 2018

Voice of America/Ronald Reagan Lodge  
7850 VOA Park Drive  
West Chester, Ohio 45069

6:00-8:00 PM Tickets are \$1.00 at the door for all in attendance

Doors open at 6:00 PM ... no admittance before this time  
Caregivers Must Attend



You may email your RSVP no later that Sept 15 to Amy Holland at [amholland@butlerdd.org](mailto:amholland@butlerdd.org) or mail it to Butler County DD 282 North Fair Ave Hamilton Ohio 45011 Att: Amy Holland For more information Call Amy At 513-785-4683 RSVP's will not be accepted by phone. Space is limited to 250 people, reservation will be accepted by mail and email only first come first serve. No admittance at the door if you did not RSVP

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**25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
Celebration Party!**

**Friday, August 17th | 5-11pm**

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