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ALL ABILITIES 365

YOUR FAMILY'S YEAR-ROUND RESOURCE AND ACTIVITY GUIDE

Compiled by the ***Special Navigator***

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ALL ABILITIES 360 PARTICIPATING PROGRAMS

BOARDMAN PARK

Adventure Day Camp, Boardman OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Summer Day Camp

SERVING:
Special Needs in Partnership with Knapp Center

6 years – 12 years old
TBA Please call or check website
9 am - 3 pm
$125 per week
discounts available

Karen McCallum 330-726-8105
karen@boardmanpark.com
You must be registered to come to the day camp,
a Knapp aide may attend with camper.
www.boardmanparkcamp.com

BOARDMAN PARK



BUTLER INSTITUTE OF AMERICAN ART

Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Sensory Sunday

First Sunday of each month
11:00am - 12:00pm

Joy Mistovich
Education Assistant & Accessibitiy Specialist
330-743-1107 ext. 1103
www.butlerart.com

The Butler Institute
OF AMERICAN ART

AUTISM SOCIETY OF MAHONING VALLEY

Camp Friend at Jewish Community Center
Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Social and Support Programs all year

SERVING:
individuals with Autism, siblings/parents,
MV Warrior & Resource Fair

All age programs
All year offering 50+ events a year.
MV Warrior & Resource Fair- Times Vary
Free - $20 for Most Events

330-333-9609 | www.AutismMV.org/events
info@AutismMV.org | facebook.com/autismmv



AUTISM SOCIETY OF MAHONING VALLEY

Camp Friend at Jewish Community Center
Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Day Camp

SERVING:
Individuals with Autism & Neurotypical peers

6 years - 19 years
June 16-20, July 28 - Aug 1
8:30 / 9am - 2:30 / 3pm
$99 per camper,
FSS Fund Eligible

Please visit website
www.AutismMV.org/campfriend



JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER

Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Day Camps

SERVING:
Special Needs partnership with the Knapp Center for Autism /not all inclusive

K - 10th Grade
Many camps & dates offered. See website or call
8:30 am - 3:30 pm Extended care available
Day Camp price varies depending on number of weeks registered. JCC members receive 25% off.
Rates start at $158/wk for non-members
On-going registration, $75 deposit toward camp fee.

Amber Shrawder 330-746-3250 ext 140
camp@jewishyoungstown.org
www.jccyoungstown.org/camp

Jewish Community Center

KNAPP CENTER FOR CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

with Aides at Boardman Park, Davis Family YMCA, & Jewish Community Center, Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Day Camps

SERVING:
children with High-Functioning Autism

JCC 6 years -13 years
Park 6 years -13 years
Davis YMCA 5 years-12 years
JCC 8:30am - 3:30pm
Boardman Park 8:30am - 3:30pm
Boardman YMCA 8:30am - 4:00pm

Dr. Julie Knapp 330-629-2955 • knappcenter.org

Ohio Autism Scholarship, Insurance, Extended School Year, Knapp CT aid at JCC, Boardman Park, Boardman YMCA varies with number of days & support needed. Call for details.
Please contact the Knapp Center for Childhood Development

KNAPP CENTER FOR CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

ON TARGET OUTFITTERS

Canfield, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Autism and Archery

8 years - 18 years,
Summer 5th - 8th grade
April 15, 22, 29 & May 6
6pm-7pm
$60 Covers all 4 Weeks

Katrina 330-423-5101 .ext 1
www.OnTargetOutfitters.org
www.ontargetoutfitters.org/canfield-upcoming-events-1

On Target outfitters

POTENTIAL DEVELOPMENT

(3 sites) **Youngstown, OH**

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Extended school year

SERVING:
only for PDP students

2.5 years – 6 years
K - 6th grade, 7th -12th grade
August, 21- July, 25
8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Paul Garchar 330-746-7641
www.potentionaldevelopment.org
Ohio Autism Scholarship Waivers, Sliding Fee Scale Application and must be a PDP student

POTENTIAL DEVELOPMENT
School for Students with Autism

EASTER SEALS

of Mahoning, Trumbull, & Columbiana Counties, Community Center for the Deaf Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Youth Day Camp

SERVING:
children who are Deaf/Hard of Hearing or with CODA, Implants, Hearing Aids

6 years - 22 years old
July – December
Free for deaf, hard of hearing with hearing aids, children of deaf parents, with or without asst devices, implants.

Funded by Advocates for Kids, United Way of Mahoning County, The Youngstown Foundation, & other grants.

Dorothy Voyda
ph: 330-423-1955 | text: 330-717-6943
dvyda@mtc.eastersealscom

easterseals of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties

EASTER SEALS

of Mahoning, Trumbull, & Columbiana Counties, Community Center for the Deaf Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Pre-Employment Transitional Services (Pre-ETS)

14 years - 22 years old
By Appointment

Please contact
MacKenzie Gorantis 330-333-4105
or text 330-770-1774
mgorantis@mtceasterseals.com
Referred by Opportunities for Ohioans with disabilities

easterseals of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties

I AM BOUNDLESS

Mahoning Campus of Care, Mineral Ridge, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Parent-directed Program (PDP)

SERVING:
parents to select, train (if needed) direct service staff

Children, Adolescents & Adult
By Appointment

Referrals can be made at
www.IamBoundless.org or 800-409-2729
For individuals that have Waivers. Level One, IO, & Self Waivers, PDP supports OH Shared Living, College RM mates & Telecommunication available
Contact Intake to register for program at
800-409-2729

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JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER

Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Free private swim lessons

SERVING:
for everyone with Developmental Disability

1 year - 50 years old
By appointment with instructor
FREE

Tara 330-746-3250 ext 112
TBishop@JewishYoungstown.org
or **www.JCCyoungstown.org**
Program funded by the Thomasess Family Endowment and Autiam Speaks

Jewish Community Center

DOWN SYNDROME

DOWN SYNDROME ASSOC. OF THE VALLEY (DSAV)

at Boardman Glenwood Middle School

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
iCan Shine Bike Camp

SERVING:
for Children with Down Syndrome and other Disabilities

8 years and up. Max 220 lbs. weight
DSAV member $50 Non-member $125, must wear a helmet.
Riders attend one 75 minute session daily for five consecutive days - with parent or authorized adult, times TBA

330-726-3728 office@dsav.org
www.dsav.org/ican-shine-bike-camp
www.dsav.org/ican-shine-bike-camp.html or call

DSAV DOWN SYNDROME ASSOCIATION OF THE VALLEY
SERVING EASTERN OHIO AND WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA

MENTAL HEALTH

STABLE SOLUTIONS

Alliance, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Therapeutic Horse Riding for Mental Health

5 years old & up
4 Week Sessions
March - December
By Appointment

Loree Stubblefield 330-733-3132
www.stablesolutionsfarm.com
$45 For 1 Hour, Neon (FSS) insurance, Io,+Self Waivers
Please call or email for application

Stable Solutions Equine Therapy

STEPPING STONES TO A BETTER TOMORROW

Sponsored by Higgins Reardon Funeral Home, at Zion Lutheran Church, Cornersburg, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:
Day Camp for Grief

SERVING:
Special needs on a case by case basis

8 years - 16 years old
TBA
FREE with application process & approved

Sister Pat- Grief Support Specialist
330-792-2353 or 330-792-4046
Please call for application

HIGGINS-REARDON FUNERAL HOMES AND CREMATION SERVICES

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ACLD

School and Learning Center, Youngstown OH

SERVING:

Intervention for all academic skills, educational evaluation & perceptual motor training

5 years & up. Call or visit website for dates.
Summer tutoring June – August.
Summer Mon-Thurs 8am-12pm & 1pm-4pm,
Afternoons Mon-Thurs 3pm-6pm,
& by appointment

ACLD Learning Center
330-746-0604 | www.ACLDlearningcenter.com
Tutoring registration fee $25 & $38 per hour,
Income-based Financial Aid,
Jon Peterson & Autism Scholarships
Please call 330-746-0604
for more information & registration

ALTA CARE GROUP

Camp Challenge, Youngstown OH

SERVING:

Dual Diagnosis - Mental Health & Development/ Intellectual Disability - Positive Connections:

10 yrs - 18 yrs
Thursdays 2nd & 3rd week of each month
year round
4:00pm - 6:00pm

Kristine Wolford 330-793-248
kristinew@altacaregroup.org or
Dr. Sarah Macovitz 330793-2487
sarahm@altacaregroup.org
Medicaid & be an Alta Client
Must be current Alta client, Respite client, or willing to become an Alta client

ALTA HEAD START

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Early Head Start Day Program

SERVING:

Children with or without disabilities

6 weeks - 3 years old
July and August
Monday - Friday 8:15am - 3:15pm
No Cost

Alta Head Start
at Potential Development, McCartney, Mill Creek, Home-Based, Renaissance, Youngstown & Campus of Care, Mineral Ridge, OH
Denise Washington 330-736-0071
dwashington@altaheadstart.org
www.altaheadstart.org
Please visit website or call for application

BOARDMAN CHALLENGER BASEBALL

at Boardman Field of Dreams, Boardman, OH

SERVING:

Children & Adults with Special Needs living in Mahoning, Trumbull, Columbiana.
If in school must have IEP.

5 years old and up
June 1 - July 27
Banquet July 29 | Picnic TBA
Games: Tues & Thurs @ 6pm | Sundays @ 4pm
$30 Per Player
includes hat, shirt, trophy & banquet

Sam 330-770-6263 | samc225@aol.com
www.boardmanbaseball.com
Download registration on website or call.
April deadline – if accepted later, may not get shirt

Boardman Community BASEBALL

COMFORT KEEPERS

of Mahoning, Columbiana, & Trumbull Counties

SERVING:

Home Health Aid, Chore Services, Free Grocery Shopping and Pest Control (Insurance Medicaid)

5 years & up. Call or visit website for dates.
Summer tutoring June – August.
Summer Mon-Thurs 8am-12pm & 1pm-4pm,
Afternoons Mon-Thurs 3pm-6pm,
& by appointment

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EASTER SEALS

of Mahoning, Trumbull, & Columbiana Counties, Youngstown & Kinsman, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Play Learn Grow Group (K Readiness)
Structured play, meets once a week to build skills to succeed in classroom

2.5 years – 5 years old
See Website or call **330-599-5564**
for dates, dates vary
FREE

Julianne Laird 330-599-5564
jlaird@mtc.easterseals.com
See website or call
Julianne Laird at 330-599-5564

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of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties

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of Mahoning, Trumbull, & Columbiana Counties, Youngstown & Kinsman, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Kinship Summer Camps

SERVING:

Children being raised by an adult 55 years & up

5 years – 10 years old
July and August
Registration & 2025 dates announced in March
10:00 am - 2:00 pm for Easter Seals, Youngstown
10:00am - 2:00 pm for Corner Abbey CTR
FREE

Summercamp@mtc.easterseals.com
www.mtc.easterseals.com
330-599-5525

easterseals
of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties

HIGHWAY UNLIMITED RESPITE

at Highway Tabernacle Church, Austintown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Respite Night

SERVING:

for Physical Cognitive Disabilities may have an Aide

All ages, siblings less than 14 yrs
One Saturday a month
please see website or call
Saturday Night 6pm - 8:30pm
FREE

Duane & Tracie Corll 330-507-9281
www.HighwayTab.Church

HIGHWAY UNLIMITED
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I AM BOUNDLESS

Mahoning Campus of Care, Mineral Ridge, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Community Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA)
available in home, school, supportive setting

SERVING:

for challenges such as Depression, Anxiety, ADHD, Autism, DD & Mental Health

Children, Adolescents, and Adult
By Appointment

Referrals can be made at
www.IamBoundless.org or 800-409-2729
Health Insurance, Medicaid
Contact Intake to register for program at
800-409-2729

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Mahoning Campus of Care, Mineral Ridge, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Summer Program

SERVING:

for children with Autism and other Development challenges

10 years – 16 years old
June – August
Mon.- Fri., Hours TBA
Medicaid Funded

Referrals can be made at
www.IamBoundless.org or 800-409-2729
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Mahoning Campus of Care, Mineral Ridge, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

After School Program

SERVING:

for children with Autism & other Developmental Challenges

10 - 16 yrs
During School Year, to include school breaks.
2:30pm - 6pm

Referrals can be made at
www.IamBoundless.org or 800-409-2729
Medicaid Funded, grants may be available
Contact Intake to register for program at
800-409-2729

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JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER

Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Child Care

SERVING:

Special Needs on a case by case basis

Infant – 5 years old
All Year
7:00 am – 6 pm

Adreenne Achenbach 330-746-3250 ext 164
aachenbach@jewishyoungstown.org
www.jccyoungstown.org
Financial assistance may be available
Please call for information

Jewish Community Center

SMARTS

Students Motivated by the Arts, Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Community Art School Classes

PK - 12 Grade
Please apply & schedule will be sent, after applying, or check website
FREE and open to the public

330-574-2787
bkeck@smartartschool.org
www.SMARTSsartsschool.org
Ohio One - 25 E. Boardman St.
First Floor, Youngstown, OH 44503
Apply for SMARTS classes at
www.SMARTSartschool.org

SMARTS
Students Motivated by the Arts
Your Community Art School

STABLE SOLUTIONS

Alliance, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Horsemanship Program

SERVING:

Children being raised by an adult 55 years & up

All Ages
Spring, Summer & Fall sessions avialable
Cost varies by sessions • Spring - $45 FSS,
Pass & Scholarship call ASAP

Loree Stubblefield 330-733-3132
www.stablesolutionsfarm.com
Please call or email for application

Stable Solutions
Equine Therapy

DAVIS FAMILY, YMCA

Boardman, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Diverse Abilities Adaptive Swim Lessons

3 - 12 yrs
Saturdays Starting in June
Times vary by age, 30 minute lessons
$35 YMCA members, $70 non-members,
Financial Assistance Available

Jenna 330-480-5656 ext 250
jbenson@youngstownYMCA.org
www.YMCA.org
Registration starts in May,
register in person or online at
www.ymcayo.org

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FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

YWCA

Youngstown, OH

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

Child Care

6 weeks –K Ready
Monday – Friday
7:30 am - 5:00 pm

330-746-6361 ext 126
www.YWCAmahoningvalley.org
Call for fee info, work or attend school
within a 2 Mile radius may receive a discount.
Please call for application asap - at least mid April

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Mahoning Valley

ACLD

CAMP F.R.I.E.N.D.
Finding Rewards In Every New Day

THE GREEN OASIS
BOARDMAN PARK
Nature...Right Next Door

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