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Shelby Township Events & Programs

Creating a Better Place through people, places and events



See back cover for our "Sonic" movie night event.

Shelby Township Parks, Recreation & Maintenance Catalog

Winter/Spring 2021



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Serving the residents of Shelby Township at the Shelby Township Activities Center, Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center, the Shelby Township Senior Center and more than 1,100 acres of picturesque parks.



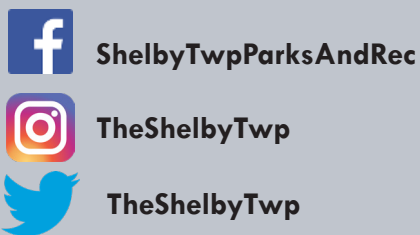
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“We Create Community through People, Parks & Programs”
Shelby Township Activities Center
14975 21 Mile Road, Shelby Township, MI 48315

OFFICE HOURS
8:30 AM-noon and 1-5 PM, weekdays
Office closes daily for lunch noon-1 PM

CONTACT INFORMATION
Phone: 586-731-0300
Fax: 586-323-3054
Email: shelbyprm@shelbytwp.org
shelbytwp.org/parks
facebook.com/shelbytwpparksandrec

PRM MISSION STATEMENT

The Shelby Township Parks, Recreation and Maintenance Department staff provides progressive leisure, organized sports, cultural and educational programs to the township. It protects our natural resources and offers outdoor recreational opportunities to members of the community in a safe, healthy and enjoyable environment. The staff provides innovative and quality services to residents, businesses and service organizations in Shelby Township.

UPCOMING HOLIDAY CLOSURES

The Parks, Recreation and Maintenance Department Office and Shelby Township Senior Center will be closed in observance of the following holidays:

- Feb. 15 Presidents Day
- April 2 Good Friday
- May 31 Memorial Day

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NEW REGISTRATION AND RESERVATION PLATFORM

Watch for our upcoming switch to RecPro for online registration and reservations. If you have done business with us within the past three years, your information will be in the new system, so you can continue to register for classes from your computer or mobile device. If you are a new customer, call 586-731-0300, and we will add you to our database. With our new system, residents can make online payments with Visa, Mastercard, American Express or Discover credit cards.

INSTRUCTORS WANTED

Do you have a unique talent or skill that you can share with others? We're always on the lookout for instructors to teach classes, host workshops, hold seminars and lead camps for residents of all ages. If you're interested in sharing your talent and knowledge, we'd love to hear your ideas. The new Shelby Township Activities Center has a craft room, computer room, meeting rooms, a multipurpose room and a full-size gymnasium available to meet any needs.

If you enjoyed a class or workshop elsewhere and would like to suggest that we offer it, please share that with us. Send your ideas and proposals to Mike Adam madams@shelbytwp.org or call 586-731-0300 for more information.

LIKE & FOLLOW US

Remember to like our Facebook page for updates and reminders about events, rainout information, photo albums from events and other news at facebook.com/ShelbyTwpParksAndRec.

CANCELLATIONS BECAUSE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER

When the weather calls for enough precipitation to cancel games, practices or classes, PRM places a phone message at 586-726-4556 and posts it to facebook.com/ShelbyTwpParksAndRec. Please check these areas before phoning PRM.

Catalog Key

Who's offering the class

Business or location offering the class, including the address
Fee: \$ (Sometimes here)

Program

Title of Program – Description of program including, any additional equipment needed or included. Fee: \$ residents, \$ nonresidents (Sometimes here)
#111111-A# TIME DAY(S) DATE LENGTH \$ (SOMETIMES HERE)

Fee placement depends on listing

Title of Program – Description of program including any additional equipment needed or included. Fee: \$ residents, \$ nonresidents (Sometimes here)
#111111-A# TIME DAY(S) DATE LENGTH \$ (SOMETIMES HERE)

Activity Number

COVID-19 Measures

The **Shelby Township Senior Center and Activities Center** is open to serve you with limited public access.

- There will be no more than 24 visitors allowed in the gym for indoor pickleball at one time, and visits are limited to two hours. A 15-minute break between appointments is reserved for sanitation.
- There will be no more than 12 visitors allowed in the gym for indoor walking at one time, and visits are limited to one hour and 15 minutes. A 30-minute break between appointments is reserved for court sanitation.
- There will be no more than 10 visitors allowed in the cafeteria for general use at one time, and visits are limited to two hours. A 30-minute break between appointments is reserved for sanitation.
- Entry to the building is only allowed via the main entrance.
- Township employees and visitors must complete a COVID-19 health screening questionnaire with the door greeter each day that they enter our facilities.
- Visitors must check in with the greeter again before entering the center.
- Masks or face coverings must be worn by visitors at all times while in the center. These must cover the user's mouth, nose and chin. Visitors not wearing a mask or face covering will not be allowed to enter the center.
- Visitors must check out with the greeter and leave through the main entrance after their visit is complete.
- To ensure access to the senior center during your visit, we ask you to book your time via shelbytwp.org/seniors.

The **Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center** is open to serve you with limited public access.

- There will be no more than 10 visitors allowed in the center simultaneously, and visits are limited to 45 minutes.
- Entry to the building is only allowed via the main entrance.
- Township employees and visitors must complete a COVID-19 health screening questionnaire with the door greeter each day that they enter our facilities.
- Visitors must check in with the greeter again before entering the center.
- Masks or face coverings must be worn by visitors at all times while in the center. These must cover the user's mouth, nose and chin. Visitors not wearing a mask or face covering will not be allowed to enter the center.
- Visitors must check out with the greeter and leave through the main entrance after their visit is complete.
- To ensure access to the nature center during your visit, we ask you to book your time via shelbytwp.org/nature.

See nature center and senior center programming on page 13 & 14.

DEPARTMENT POLICIES

Anti-Discrimination - The Parks, Recreation & Maintenance Department does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age, gender identity, expression of sexual orientation or disabled status in the employment of or the provision of services.

Insurance - While the Parks, Recreation & Maintenance Department is committed to the safety of all of its participants, it takes no responsibility for personal injuries or loss of personal property while using township facilities or participating in activities. It is recommended that anyone enrolled in a program or using the facilities make provisions to provide adequate coverage with their own insurance program.

Photo Policy - The township frequently takes photos or video images of event and activity participants, visitors to our parks, and persons utilizing our facilities. These photos and video images are the sole property of the township and may be used for promotional and marketing purposes at its discretion.

CONNECT WITH YOUR COMMUNITY

The Shelby Township Parks, Recreation and Maintenance Department invites businesses and organizations to show their support for the community.

Sponsors play an essential role in the success of the township's annual free and low-cost family events and youth athletic leagues. Several sponsorships levels and options are available. Benefits may include sponsor name on promotional materials, social media posts, email alerts, complimentary display ads in the printed event promotion, sponsor-provided promotional information placed at event, a space for sponsor to greet attendees and distribute information, a sponsor-provided banner placed at the sponsored event, and a listing on the "Thank You" page of the fall-winter edition of, "Branching Out."

To receive a sponsor packet or discuss options, email marshallp@shelbytwp.org or phone **586-731-0300**.

REGISTRATION DATES

Residents of Shelby Township and Utica may register now. Unless otherwise noted, resident enrollment using any of the methods listed in the catalog are processed upon receipt. Nonresident registration begins Thursday, Feb. 13. Nonresidents must add \$7 for each activity unless the description contains a different fee.

REGISTER FOR ACTIVITIES ONLINE

Enjoy the convenience of enrolling for classes from your computer. Visit shelbytwp.org/parks then follow the "Webtrac Online Registration" link on the left and follow the prompts using your household ID/username and password. Birthdate and grade level, where applicable, is required for online enrollment. If you see this information missing from your file, contact PRM to update your file. For more information about online registration or if you need help logging on, please call **586-731-0300**.

*If you have not previously done online business with us, please call **586-731-0300** or email shelbyprm@shelbytwp.org to provide names and birthdates, addresses and contact information so that we can create your account. After that, you can log on and enroll at your leisure.*

If you have previously done business with us, use your household ID number/username found on the top left portion of your receipt under the payment date to log on. Please call **586-731-0300** if you need assistance. Your 10-digit primary phone number is your password the first time you log on. After that, you'll be prompted to choose a new password. Following registration, you can submit payment by Visa or Mastercard.

SHELBY TWP. PARKS & RECREATION'S RESERVATION POLICY

Park pavilions, Hope Chapel and Heritage Garden can be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis with no restrictions on the date. Reservations can be made for any date, based on availability, for any month or year. Full payment is due at the time of the reservation. You may be subject to any price increases that go into effect between the date the reservation is made and the event date.

PRM does not grant refunds for Heritage Garden or Hope Chapel reservations. Refund requests for pavilion reservations can occur up to 30 days before the reservation date. Requests must be in writing. PRM deducts a 10% cancellation fee from the refund.

 Search "Shelby TV Kids"

You can find kids' crafts and storytimes on the "Shelby TV Kids" YouTube channel. Subscribe and receive alerts for all of our new crafts and storytimes from the Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center and the Shelby Township Library.

RENTALS & RESERVATIONS

RENTALS AT THE NEW SHELBY TOWNSHIP ACTIVITY CENTER

Do you need a room for a meeting, birthday party or shower? The Shelby Township Activities Center can provide rooms with tables and chairs 5-9 p.m., weekdays, and during daytime hours on Saturday and Sunday. The activities center kitchen is not available, and no alcohol is permitted on the premises. Call **586-731-0300** for more information. Prices are subject to change.

Gymnasium	\$75/hour resident	\$100/hour nonresident
North/South Court	\$50/hour resident	\$75/hour nonresident
Cafeteria – up to 125 occupants	\$60/hour resident	\$80/hour nonresident
Wertz Room – up to 40 occupants	\$40/hour resident	\$50/hour nonresident
Rooms 2 & 3 – up to 25 occupants	\$30/hour resident	\$40/hour nonresident
Rooms 4 & 5 – up to 25 occupants	\$30/hour resident	\$40/hour nonresident
Room 7 (craft room) – up to 25 occupants	\$30/hour resident	\$40/hour nonresident
Nonprofit Organizations – Rooms 2-5	\$15 flat fee for any meeting 3 hours or under	\$25 flat fee for any meeting over 3 hours



Shelby Township Activities Center Gym



Shelby Township Activities Center Cafeteria

PARK PAVILION RENTALS

Reservations for all pavilions are accepted in person at the Shelby Township Activities Center or by phone at 586-731-0300.

River Bends Park – You can reserve one of three pavilions with seating for up to 100 guests in our popular park at 5700 22 Mile Road. Shelters come with picnic tables, electrical outlets and barbeque grills. You'll have access to water, restrooms, playground areas, sand volleyball courts and horseshoe pits. Vehicles enter and park for free.

- **Mapleview Shelter** rents for **\$110 for residents, \$140 for nonresidents.**
- **Bittersweet and Hickory Grove Shelters** each rent for **\$170 for residents, \$200 for nonresidents.**



River Bends Park Mapleview Shelter

Woodall Neighborhood Park – This shelter at 4550 River Bends Drive off of Ryan Road accommodates up to 50 people with included picnic tables, barbeque grill and electric outlets. Water is available in restrooms only. **Fee: \$100 for residents, \$130 for nonresidents.**



Woodall Neighborhood Park Shelter



Mae Stecker Park Pavilion

Mae Stecker Park – Reserve a piece of the action at the pavilion in Mae Stecker Park with access to baseball diamonds, sand volleyball, basketball courts and tennis courts. The pavilion can accommodate up to 24 guests and has nearby restrooms. Mae Stecker Park is at 8600 24 Mile Road. Limited dates available. **Fee: \$50 for residents, \$80 for nonresidents.**



Chief Gene Shepherd Park Pavilion

Chief Gene Shepherd Park – Within view of the popular splash pad, this pavilion is an excellent spot for a party, reunion or any gathering. The 40-by-60 structure can accommodate up to 80 people. Renters have access to picnic tables, electric outlets, water, indoor restrooms, playground, sand volleyball, horseshoe pit and bocce ball. The fee does not include the use of the splash pad. Chief Gene Shepherd Park is at 2452 23 Mile Road. **Fee: \$170 for residents, \$200 for nonresidents.**

HERITAGE GARDEN RESERVATIONS

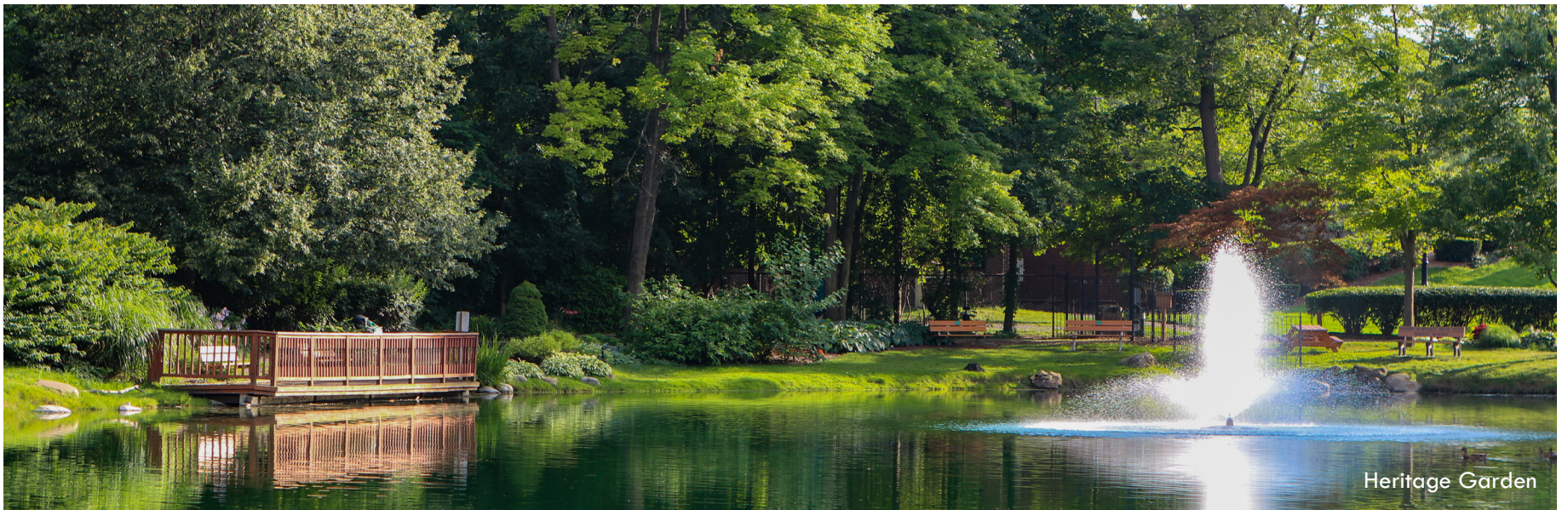
Beautiful Heritage Garden is the perfect spot to exchange wedding vows or capture a moment for years to come with professional photos. The garden is surrounded by ornate wrought-iron fencing next to a 2.5-acre spring-fed lake for a fairytale feeling. A 10-foot gazebo is tucked among beautiful trees, flowers and walkways maintained by the Shelby Gardeners Club and the PRM Department. Reservations include an attendant to assure exclusive use. Photographers and paid professionals are encouraged to make a reservation to ensure private use of the garden area. Reservations will be accepted in person or by phone at **586-731-0300**.

Fee: \$35/hour for residents, \$110/hour for nonresidents.

Wedding Reservations: There is a 2-hour minimum for a standing ceremony. There is a maximum of 10 chairs allowed in the garden for those who may not be able to stand throughout a service. Wedding parties may bring their chairs or choose to rent our white stacking chairs for \$5 each. A garden attendant will set up and remove our rented chairs.



Heritage Garden



Heritage Garden

WEDDINGS AT HOPE CHAPEL

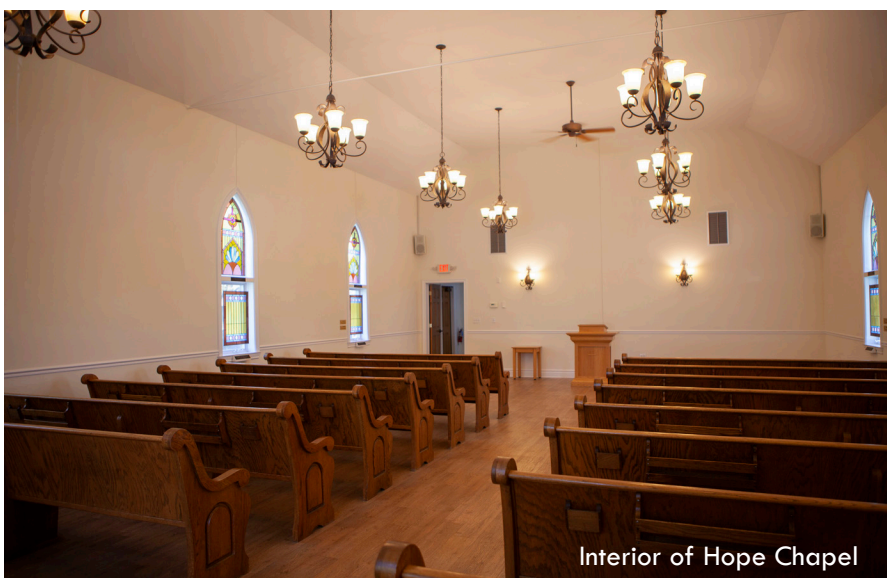
Celebrate your wedding at Shelby Township’s Hope Chapel. Built in 1890 and relocated to the Shelby Township Municipal Campus in 2001, this quaint venue has all the charm of a vintage, small-town chapel near beautiful Heritage Garden. **Fee: \$335 for residents, \$435 for nonresidents for a 2.5-hour time block and a one-hour rehearsal.**

Details:

- Seats up to 80 guests.
- Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays are available for weddings with Thursdays reserved for rehearsals.
- The wedding party is responsible for contracting its own clergy or officiant to perform their ceremony.
- Please call **586-731-0300**, or email shelbyprm@shelbytwp.org for details or to check availability.



Hope Chapel



Interior of Hope Chapel

ACTIVITY REGISTRATION

We accept walk-in registrations, in person, at the Shelby Township Activities Center at 14975 21 Mile Road. It's not necessary to complete a form for walk-in enrollment. Use cash, check, Visa, Mastercard or money order for walk-in payment.

Online enrollment for most classes and activities is available at shelbytwp.org/parks. Use the "Webtrac Online Registration" link in the left column and follow the prompts. Facility reservations and ticket sales are not available online.

Call the Parks, Recreation & Maintenance Department at 586-731-0300 to enroll by phone using your Visa or Mastercard. You will receive a receipt by email if your household has an email address on file with PRM. Otherwise, your credit card bill is confirmation of your enrollment.

A registration drop box is available for after-hours enrollment at the activities center. To register by mail or drop-box, enclose a check, or Visa or Mastercard information and a completed enrollment

form in an envelope and mail it to, Shelby Township Activities Center, 14975 21 Mile Road, Shelby Township, MI 48315.

You can fax or email registration by sending a completed enrollment form and Visa or Mastercard information. To fax, submit your documents to 586-323-3054, or, to email, send all documents to shelbyprm@shelbytwp.org.

Complete and sign the form below for mail, fax or email registration.

REGISTRATION DATES

Residents of Shelby Township and Utica may register now. Unless otherwise noted, resident enrollment using any of the methods listed in the catalog are processed upon receipt. Nonresident registration begins Wednesday, Feb. 5. Nonresidents must add \$7 for each activity unless the description contains a different fee.

ENROLLMENT FORM

FOR MAIL, FAX OR EMAIL ENROLLMENT. PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY -- COMPLETE ENTIRE FORM & SIGN

Registrations will be processed **upon receipt** for Shelby Township and Utica residents. Registrations for non-residents will be accepted beginning Wednesday, Feb. 5. **Enrollees will be notified if a class is full, canceled, or requires a supply list.** A receipt will be sent via email if you have provided an email address. If you would like a receipt mailed to you, please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your mail-in or drop-box registration. **Don't forget to sign the signature line.** Include your check, money order, or credit card information. **Make checks payable to Shelby Township Parks, Recreation and Maintenance.** Event tickets not sold in person will be assessed a \$2 mailing fee if the receipt cannot be emailed. **This fee does not apply to class registrations.**

First Name	Last Name	First Name	Last Name	First Name	Last Name
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Sex _____	Date of Birth _____	Grade _____	Sex _____	Date of Birth _____	Grade _____
Activity # _____	Activity Name _____	Activity # _____	Activity Name _____	Activity # _____	Activity Name _____
Start Time _____	Start Date _____	Start Time _____	Start Date _____	Start Time _____	Start Date _____
Activity Fee _____	NonRes Fee <i>if Required</i> _____	Activity Fee _____	NonRes Fee <i>if Required</i> _____	Activity Fee _____	NonRes Fee <i>if Required</i> _____
Total Fee: \$ _____		Total Fee: \$ _____		Total Fee: \$ _____	

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Check/Money Order # _____	Credit Card # _____	Expiration Date _____
Credit Card - circle <input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Mastercard <input type="checkbox"/>	Cardholder's Name _____	

FAX-IN REGISTRATION ACCEPTED WITH CREDIT CARD PAYMENT ONLY! FAX FORM TO 586-323-3054

Mail registration form to: Shelby Township Parks, Recreation & Maintenance, 14975 21 Mile Road, Shelby Township, MI 48315

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY & SIGN BELOW

Street Address _____ City or Township _____ Zip Code _____
 Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email Address _____
 Name of Parent or Guardian of Minor Child _____
 Emergency Contact Person _____ Emergency Phone _____ Relationship to Enrollee _____

PLEASE COMPLETE APPLICABLE INFORMATION:

Jersey/Shirt Size: Youth Adult XS S M L XL
 Is someone in the household volunteering? Circle: Coach Asst Other _____
 Name _____ Phone _____
 Team with (name) _____

NOTE REGARDING PRINTING ERRORS - Our office staff does its best to make sure the information, including fees and dates contained in our catalog, on flyers and posted online is correct. However, mistakes are made. We apologize for any misprints, but reserve the right to charge the corrected fee where an error is found.

WAIVER OF LIABILITY - In registering for the above, I hereby release the Charter Township of Shelby, its representatives, successors, and instructors of all liability for all types of damages or injuries, whether foreseeable or not, sustained by myself, my child, or other family members while participating in, observing, and traveling to or from the above listed activity. In addition, I hereby give my permission for the use of photos, video, or other likenesses of me or my minor child to be used in promotional materials for Shelby Township.

PLEASE SIGN HERE _____
 (Signature of Student or Parent of Minor Student)

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Processed by _____ Date _____ Receipt # _____
 Fax _____ Email _____ Mail _____ Drop-Box _____
 Notes _____

PRM DEPARTMENT & NATURE CENTER REFUND POLICIES

- PRM honors most refund requests if the request is made before a class meets for the second time.
- See league information for refund deadline dates, fees and policies for our athletic leagues.
- Requests for refunds for one-day events or classes, camps or for programs that meet for consecutive days must occur at least seven business days prior to the scheduled date.
- A \$7 fee per enrollment will be deducted from refunds for processing unless the description lists a different fee.
- A refund check will be mailed three to four weeks from the date of request for cash and check transactions.
- PRM credits refunds to your card for Visa or Mastercard refunds.
- Fees of \$7 or less are not eligible for refunds.
- Partial refunds are not issued.
- PRM does not grant refunds for Heritage Garden or Hope Chapel reservations.
- Refund requests for shelter reservations can occur up to 30 days before the reservation date. Requests must be in writing. PRM deducts a 10% cancellation fee from the refund.

Event reservations or ticket sales - A \$2 per family mailing fee is added to reservation or sales not made in person if a receipt cannot be emailed. This fee does not apply to class enrollment. Event reservations are not available online.

Enrollment confirmation - Walk-in enrollment confirmation occurs at the time of registration. A receipt will be emailed for any enrollment not taken in person if an email address is on file.

Late registration and partial attendance - PRM does not prorate fees because of late registration or partial class attendance.

Check Return Policy - Any check returned for insufficient funds or any other reason is subject to processing and bank fees payable before further participation or registration.

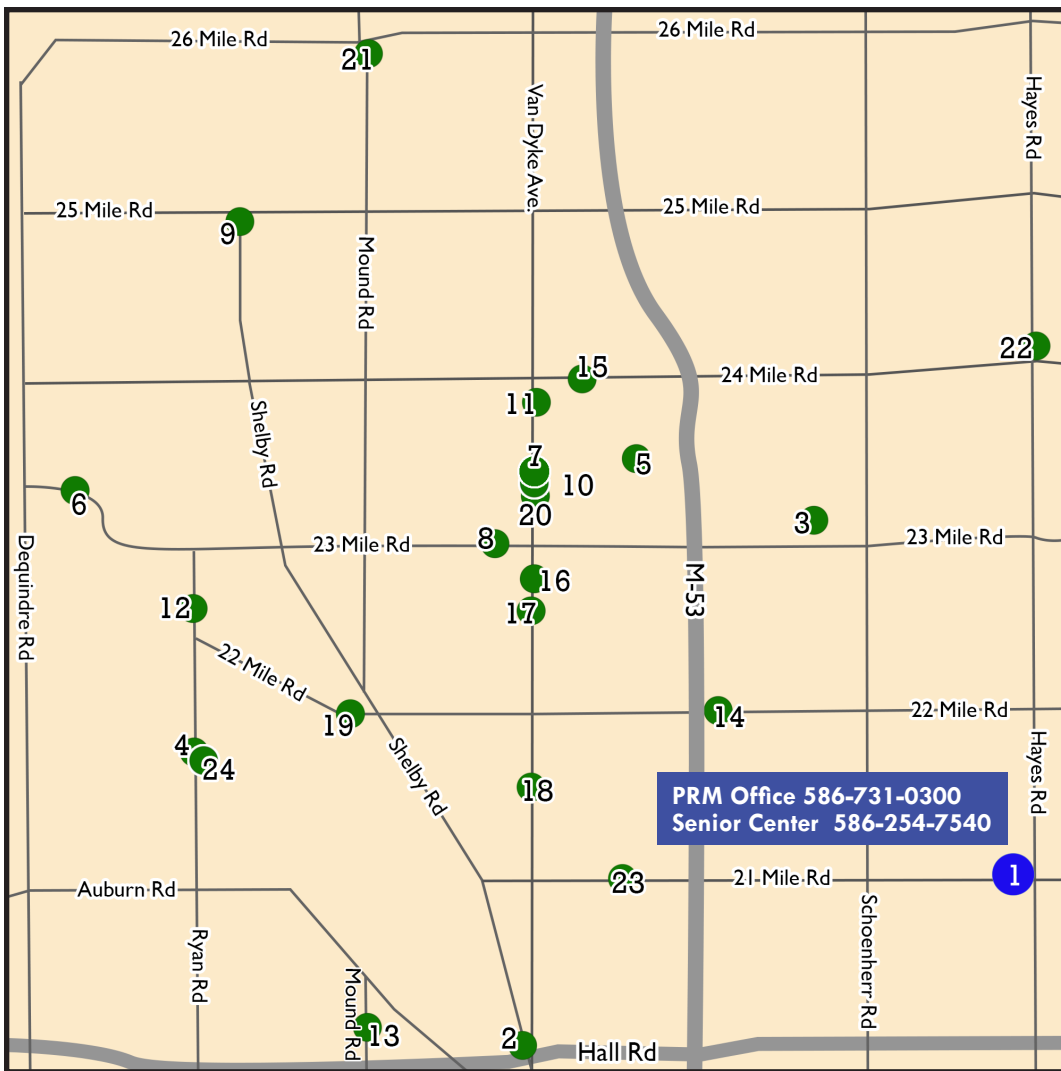
Cancellations - PRM reserves the right to cancel an activity or program because of a lack of enrollment or other circumstances beyond its control. If a cancellation is necessary, PRM will contact enrollees by phone, and a full refund will be processed.

Senior Discount - Enrollees 65 or older are eligible for a 10% discount on their class enrollment upon request at the time of registration. If applicable, the discount occurs after the nonresident fee. A senior discount is not available for facility, park or event reservations.

Notice to Students - Instructors and staff members are not permitted to sell any product, service or espouse any spiritual or religious activity while performing duties as an instructor or facility member for the Charter Township of Shelby. Said persons must state their occupation and commercial role at the first class meeting. Also, literature with commercial content or business cards may be made available to students only upon the student's request. The Charter Township of Shelby, PRM and its staff are not responsible for any activities that may take place inside or outside the classroom or off township properties.



EVENT & ACTIVITY LOCATIONS



- Shelby Township Activities Center**
14975 21 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48315
- Argentine Tango Detroit**
7758 Auburn Road
Utica, MI 48317
- Body Images**
51204 Danview
Technology Court
Shelby Township, MI 48315
- Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center**
4101 River Bends Drive
Shelby Township, MI 48317
586-323-2478
- Cherry Creek Golf Club**
52000 Cherry Creek Drive
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- Chief Gene Shepherd Park**
2452 23 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- Dream Dance Co**
51756 Van Dyke Ave
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- Ford Field Central Park**
7460 23 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- Graceful Moves Dance**
54728 Shelby Road
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- Henriksen's Golf Range**
51655 Van Dyke Ave.
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- Heritage Garden & Hope Chapel**
52700 Van Dyke Ave.
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- Holland Ponds**
50385 Ryan Road
Shelby Township, MI 48317
- Joe Dumars Fieldhouse**
45300 Mound Road
Shelby Township, MI 48317
- Lombardo Park**
11695 22 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48317
- Mae Stecker Park**
8600 24 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- Master K's Karate**
50658 Van Dyke Ave.
Shelby Township, MI 48317
- New Rink Roller Sports Complex**
50625 Van Dyke Ave.
Shelby Township, MI 48317
- New Way Martial Arts Academy**
48075 Van Dyke Ave.
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- River Bends Park**
5700 22 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48317
- Shelby Lions Football & Soccer Fields**
51670 Van Dyke Ave.
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- Wag 'N' Tails Activity Center**
56776 Mound Road
Shelby Township, MI 48316
- Wag 'N' Tails Studio**
53153 Hayes Road
Shelby Township, MI 48315
- Whispering Woods Park**
11000 21 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48315
- Woodall Neighborhood Park**
4550 River Bends Drive
Shelby Township, MI 48317



SHELBY TOWNSHIP'S 2021 ADULT SOFTBALL

ASA Certified – Slow Pitch Leagues

Held at Mae Stecker Park – 8600 24 Mile Road

Registration for returning teams, same season and division as the previous year, begins Feb. 24. Registration for new teams begins March 4. Play for all divisions begins the week of April 26. Contact Mike Adams at 586-731-0300 or email madams@shelbytwp.org for more information. A manager's meeting for registered teams takes place before the start of the season.

- Non-refundable team fees must be paid in full. Spaces for teams cannot be held without full payment by Visa, Mastercard, cash, check or money order.
- All teams in all leagues must pay a \$20 umpire fee before each game. Umpire fees are payable to the umpire by each team before each game.
- All leagues include game balls, 12 T-shirts for season champions, and 12 T-shirts plus a trophy for playoff champions.
- A \$50 forfeit fee is assessed upon forfeit for each game forfeited. Forfeit fees must be paid before a team is permitted to play its next game.
- All leagues are open leagues.

Men's Double-Header League – The season includes 11 double-headers, 22 games, and playoffs. Games take place at 6:20 p.m., 7:30 p.m., 8:40 p.m. and 9:50 p.m. weekdays. Sunday games begin at approximately 2:30 p.m. A new home run rule allows each team two home runs. Following the second home run, the one up rule takes effect. **Registration fee: \$800**

Days of Play:
 #AASOFT.01 Monday nights
 #AASOFT.02 **Tuesday nights**
 #AASOFT.03 Wednesday nights
 #AASOFT.04 **Thursday nights**
 #AASOFT.05 Sunday afternoons



Coed League – The season includes 12 regular-season games and single-elimination playoffs. Games start at 6:20 p.m., 7:30 p.m., 8:40 p.m. and 9:50 p.m. Fridays. **Registration Fee: \$600**

Days of Play:
 #AASOFT.06 Friday night

Women's League – The season includes 12 regular-season games and a single-elimination playoff. Playoffs may be combined with Sterling Heights Parks and Recreation. Games start at 6:20 p.m., 7:30 p.m., 8:40 p.m. and 9:50 p.m. on Tuesdays. **Registration Fee: \$500**

Days of Play:
 #AASOFT.07 Tuesday night

**Volunteer coaches, officials and staff play a vital role in our sports leagues**

Please consider taking some time to make your child's sports experience a positive one by volunteering as a coach or assistant coach. To assist you, we'll provide general rules and guidelines at a volunteer meeting held before the season. No coaching experience is necessary. For more info on volunteering, please call 586-731-0300.

**SHELBY TOWNSHIP PARKS AND RECREATION
2021 YOUTH BASEBALL PROGRAM**

Youth baseball registration for Shelby Township and Utica residents runs Jan. 13–March 20 with online, walk-in and phone-in options available. Nonresidents can register Feb. 3–March 20. Nonresidents add \$10 per player. When registering online, you need your Household ID number and password. Email shelbyprm@shelbytwp.org or call 586-731-0300 to acquire that information. Register at register.shelbytwp.org.

Pee Wee Tee begins May 8 and runs for seven weeks. All other leagues begin in late April or early May, depending on field conditions. Leagues are completed by July 4. Pee Wee Tee refunds are available through May 8. Refunds in all other divisions are available through April 18. PRM deducts a \$10 fee from all refunds.

As a guide, most players play one to two seasons in each division before moving up to the next division. Games and practices may also be on Fridays and Saturdays for all divisions if needed. Game times are 6:30 p.m. on weekdays and vary on Saturdays if required. Minor league players that are 11-years-old should be players that are not ready for the 50/70 Division. All divisions will have approximately four practices and 12 games. Managers are allowed to request up to two other coaches, and one buddy request is allowed per player. Forming teams will NOT be permitted. Requests are not guaranteed, and your other coach or buddy must also request you.

The registration fee includes a team shirt, hat and an end-of-season award. Players supply their glove. No games take place Memorial Day weekend. Practices and games take place at parks located throughout Shelby Township.

Volunteer coaches, officials and staff play a vital role in our sports leagues. Please consider taking some time to make your child's sports experience a positive one by volunteering as a coach or assistant coach. To assist you, we'll provide general rules and guidelines at a volunteer meeting held before the season. No coaching experience is necessary. For more info on volunteering, please call 586-731-0300.

Fees listed are for Shelby Township or Utica residents. Nonresidents add \$10 per player to fee.

REGISTRATION #	DIVISION	DAYS	DISCOUNT PRICE	REGULAR PRICE
#YLBASE.01	Pee Wee Tee	Sat	\$55	\$65
# YLBASE.02	Coed Coach Pitch Ages 6-8	Mon & Wed	\$80	\$90
#YLBASE.03	Pitch Machine Ages 8-10	Tue & Thu	\$80	\$90
# YLBASE.04	Boys' Baseball Ages 9-11	Tue & Thu	\$90	\$100
#YLBASE.05	Boys' Baseball Ages 11-13	Mon & Wed	\$90	\$100
# YLBASE.06	Boys' Senior Ages 13-16	Tue & Thu(may vary)	\$90	\$100
#YLBASE.07	Boys Baseball 16-18	Mon & Wed	\$90	\$100

Belly Dancing - Performance Group – Want to perfect existing moves and learn new moves and advanced choreography? This class will offer different styles of dance and how to layer movements to a variety of music. Optional performance opportunities are available. Please note, this class requires an invitation from the instructor. Contact Lori at underthemoonbd@gmail.com or 586-803-1918 with any questions. Lessons take place at the Shelby Township Activities Center at 14975 21 Mile Road.
Fee: \$48 resident, \$55 nonresident.

#AABELLY.01 7:05-8:30 PM Wed March 3 6 wks
 #AABELLY.02 7:05-8:30 PM Wed April 21 6 wks

Computer Classes – These classes focus on understanding basic computer use and common business programs. Students get a better understanding of Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint and learn about external and online storage options for documents and files. We will explore creating websites or blogs. This class is for adults looking to gain a better understanding of computers and making them work for you. Class is limited to 15 students. Bring your own laptop or use the activities center computers.
Fee: Residents \$50, Nonresidents \$57

#AACOMP.01 6-8 PM Thu March 18 8 wks

Firearm Home Safety – Certified instructor John Barber covers an overview of in-home firearm safety for new firearm owners with a look at firearm safety, firearm types, ammunition, handling, storage and basic knowledge of firearms. The class is for ages 12 and older with a limit of 20 students. Please do not bring any firearms or ammunition to class held at the Shelby Township Activities Center at 14975 21 Mile Road.
Fee: \$15 resident, \$22 nonresident

#AAGUN.01 6-8 PM Tue March 16

Pound Fitness – Come experience this invigorating, full-body workout that combines strength training, conditioning and cardio while drumming with lightly weighted drumsticks. Designed for all fitness levels, "POUND" provides a great atmosphere for toning up and having fun. Dress comfortably and bring a yoga mat. Classes are held at the Shelby Township Activities Center at 14975 21 Mile Road. Maximum class size is 15 participants. Contact Jenn at jennifer0372@yahoo.com.
Fee: \$56 resident, \$63 nonresident

#AAPOUND.01 7-7:45 PM Wed April 14 8 wks

Sweat, Tone & Sculpt – This class is a total-body, low-impact, muscle-toning and core-strengthening workout for all fitness levels.
Fee: \$49 resident, \$56 nonresident or drop-in for \$8 per class

#AASWEA.02 6:15-7:15 PM Tue Feb. 23-April 6 7 wks

Teen Acting Classes – Students can get creative and explore their emotions with improvisation and acting. Learn the power of emotions and sharpen quick-thinking skills as you act in the moment. Activities, games and lessons will strengthen acting skills. **Fee: Residents \$25; Nonresidents \$32**

#YAAC.01 7-9 PM Mon March 15 4 wks



TGA Golf – TGA Premier Golf brings its youth program to the gym at the Shelby Township Activities Center. Children 5-13 learn swing fundamentals, putting, chipping, rules and etiquette in a safe, nurturing environment. TGA provides all equipment and guarantees a student-coach ratio of 8:1 or better at the Shelby Township Activities Center at 14975 21 Mile Road.
Fee: \$119 resident, \$126 nonresident

#YATGA.01 5-6 PM Mon Feb. 22 6 wks
 #YATGA.02 5-6 PM Mon April 19 6 wks

Zumba – Zumba mixes salsa, cha-cha, samba, meringue, calypso, hip-hop and belly dancing with international for a dynamic and effective fitness system. Routines feature aerobic fitness interval training with fast and slow rhythms to burn calories and fat and sculpt your body. Dance experience is not necessary with instructor Michele Meckl.
Fee: \$56 residents, \$63 nonresidents for one day or \$112 resident, \$119 nonresident for two days per week. Drop-in fee is \$10 per class.

#AAZUMB.01 6-7 PM Mon March 15-April 26 7 wks
 #AAZUMB.02 6-7 PM Wed March 17-April 28 7 wks
 #AAZUMB.03 6-7 PM M/W March 15-April 28 7 wks

ARTISTS & VENDOR APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE FOR 2021 SHELBY TOWNSHIP ART FAIR

April 1 Deadline

**SHELBY
 TOWNSHIP**

*Art
 Fair*

The Shelby Township Art Fair Committee is seeking artists and vendors for its 38th annual juried show Aug. 14-15, 2021. This event, which is co-hosted by Shelby Township, the Art Fair Committee, and the Shelby Township Parks, Recreation and Maintenance Department, provides an excellent experience for more than 15,000 visitors from near and far. The fair includes more than 100 artists, artisans, crafters and Michigan Made Market vendors. There is also food, music, a kids' craft and activity area, and more.

The 2021 Shelby Township Art Fair takes place at beautiful River Bends Park at 5700 22 Mile Road, just west of Shelby Road. This new location provides a more substantial area for exhibitors and entertainment, almost twice as much parking, and convenient free shuttle buses. This lovely park with plenty of mature trees, flat grassy areas and three pavilions is a favorite place for special events.

Applications are available by visiting shelbyartfair.org. To receive an application, email marshallp@shelbytwp.org or call 586-731-0300. The deadline to apply is April 1, and jury results get mailed on or around May 1, 2020.

SPONSOR OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

Local, regional and national businesses and organizations are invited to support the art fair. A variety of sponsor options and marketing opportunities fit almost any budget. Sponsor support allows the committee and the PRM Department to continue hosting this family-friendly event.

Options include event partner, entertainment sponsor, shuttle bus sponsor, promotional sponsor and more. Details about the options are at shelbyartfair.org. Call Pam Marshall at 586-731-0300 to discuss sponsor options.

BODY IMAGES

51204 Danview Technology Court

BodyImagesFitnessCenter.com

Classes begin the week of March 1, and sessions last 12 weeks
You can take any class, any day, any time.

#AABODY.01 12 CLASSES **\$98 resident, \$105 nonresident**

Bodypump – This weight class is for everyone and will make students toned, lean and fit. Using light to moderate weights, with lots of repetition, it features a total-body workout that burns calories. The class features motivational instructions and upbeat music. It is perfect for any fitness level. Our instructors are certified, so join today.

9-10 AM Mon, Wed & Fri | 7-8 PM Mon
4:45-5:45 PM Wed | 6-7 PM Tue & Thu

Cardio – Fusion This class combines at least two workouts such as “Barre” and cardio or “HIIT” and strength. These combinations challenge your muscles in new ways, ramp up your cardio burn and keep you motivated with new workouts.

6-6:45 PM Mon

Total Body H.I.I.T. – This class is a 45-minute cardio interval training workout designed to make you burn calories and improve upper- and lower-body strength. Every workout is different and may use exercise bands, balls, weights and more. It is excellent for all levels of fitness. We’ll show you modifications to every exercise, so there’s nothing you can’t do.

6-6:45 PM Wed

Weekend Warriors’ Bootcamp – This class is a 45-minute workout that focuses on improving your cardio, toning your arms, legs and butt as well as core conditioning in a circuit-style class with boxing, partner drills, medicine balls, suspension training, balance trainers and much more. You can work at your own pace as all levels are welcome.

9-9:45 AM Sat

Pound – This is a full-body cardio jam session, combining light resistance with constant simulated drumming. The workout fuses cardio, Pilates, strength movements, plyometric and isometric poses. Through continual upper-body motion, using our lightly weighted drumsticks, you’ll turn into a calorie-torching drummer.

7-7:45 PM Tue

Low Impact “New” – This old-school aerobics class features workouts without stress on your joints or your muscle and skeletal system. It’s fun, motivating music and simple patterns will improve your physical fitness and burn fat no matter your level of fitness.

4:45-5:30 PM Mon & Thu

Barre “New” – Barre is a hybrid workout class combining ballet with elements of Pilates, dance, yoga and strength training. It is an amazing workout for all fitness levels.

8-8:45 AM Sat

MASTER K’S KARATE

50658 Van Dyke Ave.

At Master K’s Karate, located at 50658 Van Dyke Ave., students gain confidence and social skills in a caring, structured environment geared for enjoyment. The supervised atmosphere emphasizes encouragement, safety and fun in non-contact classes. Wear comfortable clothes and bring a smile. Register now with Shelby Township parks and recreation.

Little Dragons (Ages 4-5) – This introductory class focuses on promoting a positive first experience with the martial arts. Training touches on basic stances, kicking, blocking, punching and self-defense utilizing self-control while building self-esteem. The class is limited to 15 students.

Fee: \$45 resident, \$52 nonresident

#YAKAR.01	5-5:30 PM	Mon	March 1	4 wks
#YAKAR.02	5-5:30 PM	Mon	April 5	4 wks
#YAKAR.03	5-5:30 PM	Mon	May 3	4 wks

Young Dragons (Ages 6-11) – “Young Dragons” is a beginner course designed as a positive introduction to the martial arts. Training touches on basic stances, kicking, blocking, balance, coordination and self-defense. Uniform not required. Class limited to 20 students.

Fee: \$45 resident, \$52 nonresident

#YAKAR.04	4:45-5:30 PM	Thu	March 4	4 wks
#YAKAR.05	4:45-5:30 PM	Thu	April 1	4 wks
#YAKAR.06	4:45-5:30 PM	Thu	May 6	4 wks

Karate for Adults (Ages 12 & Up) – Get in shape while learning karate and self-defense. Wear loose clothing for this fun, noncontact beginner’s class. Work at your level and increase focus, balance, control and strength while learning valuable martial arts techniques. Relieve stress and achieve greater self-confidence. **Fee: \$45 resident, \$52 nonresident**

#AAKAR.01	7:30-8:30 PM	Mon	March 1	4 wks
#AAKAR.02	7:30-8:30 PM	Mon	April 5	4 wks
#AAKAR.03	7:30-8:30 PM	Mon	May 3	4 wks

#AAKAR.04	7:30-8:30 PM	Tue	March 2	4 wks
#AAKAR.05	7:30-8:30 PM	Tue	April 6	4 wks
#AAKAR.06	7:30-8:30 PM	Tue	May 4	4 wks



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MICHIGAN SCUBA SPORTS

michiganscubasports.com

For ages 12 to 112, Shelby Township scuba classes have something for everyone. Students age 12-15 passing the Open Water class will be certified as a Junior Open Water Divers and required to dive with a certified parent, “Divemaster” or instructor until they turn 16.

Open Water Scuba Diving – The Professional Association of Diving Instructors Open Water Diver course includes three parts, “Knowledge Development,” “Confined Water Dives” and “Open Water Dives.” “Knowledge Development” covers principles, concepts and terms needed for dive safety and enjoyment. During “Confined Water Dives,” you learn and practice scuba skills in a pool or water with pool-like conditions. You’ll enjoy making one or more mini-dives, which take you through the same steps you follow when you make open water dives. To complete training, four “Open Water Dives” at a local dive site allow you to practice, apply and demonstrate what you learned. Classes take place at the Shelby Township Activities Center at 14975 21 Mile Road. **Fee: \$549 for residents, \$556 for nonresidents and includes all rental equipment and air fills for each class-related dive.**

#AASCUB.01	6-9 PM	July 16-18 & 24-25	Dive times vary
#AASCUB.02	6-9 PM	Aug. 13-15 & 21-22	Dive times vary

Discover Scuba Diving – Have you wondered what it’s like to breathe underwater? If you want to try scuba diving but aren’t ready to take the plunge into a certification course, “Discover Scuba Diving” is for you. This Professional Association of Diving Instructors program takes place at the beach at Stony Lake Township Park in Oxford Township. While not a scuba certification course, “Discover Scuba Diving” is a quick introduction to what it takes to explore the underwater world. You must be at least 10 and able to swim 100 yards without touching the bottom. No prior experience with scuba diving is necessary, but students need to be in good physical health. Classes take place at the Shelby Township Activities Center at 14975 21 Mile Road. **Fee: \$69 resident, \$76 nonresident and includes all rental equipment and air for class-related dive.**

#AASCUB.03	2-4 PM Sat	May 15
#AASCUB.04	2-4 PM Sun	June 6

DREAM DANCE CO.

51756 Van Dyke Ave., Shelby Twp 48316

annie@dreamdanceco.net

Acro (Ages 6+) – Acro dance is combination of tumbling, limbering and balancing skills. Dancers gain strength and progress quickly in other areas with acro training. Skills are first taught on the mats and then moved onto the floor. Class fee includes dancewear and first recital costume.

Fee \$315 resident, \$322 nonresident

Acro 1 (new to acro & tumbling)
#YADDC.13 4:45-5:30 PM Tue March 2 12 wks

Acro 2 (has bridge & recover, cartwheels & one-handed on both sides)
#YADDC.14 4:45 - 5:30PM Tue March 2 12 wks

Acro 3 (advanced - has skills listed above plus front & back walkovers)
Fee \$355 resident, \$362 nonresident
#YADDC.15 4:45-5:45 PM Mon March 1 12 wks

Hip-Hop (Ages 6+) – Hip-hop helps with strength, coordination and quick rhythm through a fusion of jazz styles with street dancing. Students will learn isolations, tutting, popping, locking and other moves unique to hip-hop style. Class fee includes dancewear, hip-hop sneakers, and first recital costume.

Ages 6-7 **Fee \$295 resident, \$302 nonresident**
#YADDC.16 4:45-5:15 PM Wed March 3 12 wks
#YADDC.17 5:30-6 PM Thu March 4 12 wks

Ages 8-10 **Fee \$315 resident, \$322 nonresident**
#YADDC.18 5:30-6:15 PM Tue March 2 12 wks

Ages 11+ **Fee \$315 resident, \$322 nonresident**
#YADDC.19 7:45-8:30 PM Mon March 1 12 wks

Ballet (Ages 8+) – Ballet is the foundation for all styles of dance. Students develop coordination, technique, flexibility, poise and strength in class consisting of barre, center floor and progression exercises. We recommend students take at least one ballet class. Class fee includes leotard, tights, ballet shoes and first recital costume. **Fee \$355 resident, \$362 nonresident**

Ages 8-10
YADDC.05 7:45-8:45 PM Mon March 1 12 wks

Ages 11+
YADDC.06 7-8:30 PM Thu March 4 12 wks

Dream & Dance with Me (Ages 1-2) – Learn the basics of dance with your little one in this “mommy and me” class through the use of music and props. Introduce your child to coordination, musicality and motor skills as they develop social skills from other children and parents. Fee includes leotard, tights, ballet shoes and teddy bear. **Fee \$255 resident, \$262 nonresident**

#YADDC.01 10:30-11 AM Sat March 6 12 wks

Dreama Ballerina (ages 4-5) – Dreama Ballerina is an introduction to dance. Dancers learn the basics of ballet and tap through discovery and imagery to build self-awareness and an ability to comprehend dance skills. Lessons also enhance listening skills, spacial awareness, structure, social skills, and confidence and create friendships. Class fee includes leotard, tights, ballet shoes, tap shoes and first recital costume.

Fee \$315 resident, \$322 nonresident

#YADDC.04 5-5:45 PM Mon March 1 12 wks

Discover Dance (ages 2.5-3) – Discover the magic of imaginative play with singing, structured explorations and skill development. Discover Dance offers an outlet for creative expressions, physical growth and social interaction. Children explore the essence of movement leading to the discovery of multiple dance styles. Dancers participate in our annual recital, and the class fee includes leotard, tights and recital costume.

Fee \$255 resident, \$262 non-resident

#YADDC.02 6:30-7 PM Wed March 3 12 wks
#YADDC.03 10:30-11 AM Sat March 6 12 wks

Guys Only (Ages 6+) – This class is for all of the guys who are looking to learn hip-hop and acro. This class does participate in our annual recital. **Fee \$200 resident, \$207 nonresident**

#YADDC.23 6:15-6:45 PM Wed March 3 12 wks

Jazz (Ages 6+) – Learn classical jazz styles as well as modern styles with a multitude of jumping and turning skills. Class will consist of a jazz warm up, progressions and combinations. Class fee includes dancewear, jazz shoes and first recital costume. **Fee \$315 resident, \$322 nonresident**

Ages 6-7
YADDC.07 5:30-6:15 PM Tue March 2 12 wks

Jazz (Ages 8+) – Learn classical jazz styles as well as modern styles with a multitude of jumping and turning skills. Class will consist of a jazz warm up, progressions and combinations. Class fee includes dancewear, jazz shoes and first recital costume. **Fee \$355 resident, \$362 nonresident**

Ages 8-10
#YADDC.08 6:45-7:45 PM Tue March 2 12 wks

Ages 11+
#YADDC.09 6-7 PM Thu March 4 12 wks

Lyrical (Ages 6+) – Lyrical dance uses the techniques from both ballet and jazz, while portraying a story to the audience. Lyrical is extremely technical, and it emphasizes fluidity, grace and the ability to express your emotions while dancing. Class fee includes dancewear, lyrical shoes and first recital costume. **Fee \$315 resident, \$322 nonresident**

Ages 6-7
#YADDC.10 6-6:45 PM Thu March 4 12 wks

Ages 8-10
#YADDC.11 6:15-7 PM Tue March 2 12 wks

Ages 11+
#YADDC.12 6:15-7 PM Tue March 2 12 wks

Pom (Ages 6+) – This class is for anyone who is interested in dance team or pom teams. We will be teaching dancers the basics of cheer, pom and a little bit of tumbling, too. Class fee includes dancewear, jazz shoes and first recital costume. **Fee \$295 resident, \$302 nonresident**

#YADDC.22 7:15-7:45 PM Thu March 4 12 wks

Tap (Ages 6+) – Tap dance increases musicality, rhythm and coordination. Students will learn how to make different rhythms with their feet and put those rhythms to music. Tap class consists of warm up, center floor and combinations. Class fee includes dancewear, tap shoes and first recital costume.

Fee \$295 resident, \$302 nonresident

Ages 8-10
#YADDC.20 7:30 – 8 PM Wed March 3 12 wks

Ages 11+
#YADDC.21 7:30 – 8 PM Wed March 3 12 wks





Shelby Township DPW
Water Quality Report

The Pipeline

Available at
shelbytwp.org/waterqualityreport

To have a copy mailed to you, contact Shelby Twp. DPW at 586-731-5990 or email dpw@shelbytwp.org



Mandatory Irrigation Ordinance

The Shelby Township Board of Trustees recently approved ordinance no. 292, the Mandatory Irrigation Ordinance. This ordinance restricts non-essential water usage to decrease the maximum normal water usage at peak hours. Together, we can keep our water and sewer rates stable and help avoid unnecessary rate increases in the future. This action also provides better water pressure for the complete system, ensuring protection to the public's health, welfare and safety.



Watering your lawn and landscape May 1–Oct. 1

Sprinklers connected to the municipal water system are **ONLY** allowed to water between 11 p.m. and 5 a.m.



- **Even-numbered addresses** must sprinkle on even-numbered calendar dates.
- **Odd-numbered addresses** must sprinkle on odd-numbered calendar dates.



Manual watering is only allowed daily after 9 a.m. This practice includes hand watering gardens or potted plants and car washing with a shut-off nozzle.



For **newly seeded or sodded lawns**, for 21 days following planting, irrigate as often as required, but do not water 5-9 a.m.

Visit shelbytwp.org/dpw for more information on the Mandatory Irrigation Ordinance or call the Department of Public Works at **586-731-5990**.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

For Green For Life Shelby Township residential customers only

April 24, 2021
9 AM - 2 PM

Location:
River Bends Park
5700 22 Mile Road

Enter off 22 Mile Road, between Shelby and Ryan roads

Items Accepted: pesticides, herbicides, oil, gasoline, antifreeze, paint thinner, car batteries, household batteries, cleaners, compact fluorescent, LED, and fluorescent bulbs, aerosol, mercury-containing devices, chlorine, oil-based, and latex paint.

Items Not Accepted: smoke detectors, explosives, fire extinguishers, propane cylinders, medical or business waste, appliances, tires, ammunition, or trash

Eye glasses and OTC medications are also accepted. Please have both available on front seat. Remove pills from bottles and place in resealable bag. Do not bring empty pill bottles. Put bottles of liquid medications in a separate plastic resealable bag. Sharps accepted in a sealed coffee can or rigid plastic container.

NO ELECTRONICS ACCEPTED

Electronics Recycling will occur 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Oct. 9 at River Bends Park

Dispose of small amounts of latex paint in your trash after drying it in the can.

For more information, visit shelbytwp.org/waste or call the Shelby Township DPW at **586-731-5990**.

ADDRESS

4101 River Bends Dr.
Shelby Township, MI 48317

CONTACT

Phone: 586-323-2478
Fax: 586-323-2479
naturecenter@shelbytp.org
facebook.com/BurgessShadbushNatureCenter

HOLIDAY CLOSURES

The Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center will be closed on the following dates:

- Good Friday, April 2
- Easter, April 4



A SPECIAL NOTE ABOUT OUR PROGRAMMING

Sometimes nature happens, and we have to adjust our programs and events last-minute for the safety of our guests and staff. If you have questions about any programs and the potential impact of extreme weather, call the nature center at 586-323-2478 or check our Facebook page for special event notes. Because of building restrictions, registration is required, and we cannot accept walk-in visitors.

ONLINE REGISTRATION

We encourage online registration for upcoming programs at register.shelbytp.org. Whether you are interested in a free program or one that requires a nominal fee, online registration helps our staff plan programs for the correct audience size. If there is an activity number next to the listing, you can register for the event. Some events have a limited amount of space. Registration enables us to plan for adequate staffing to accommodate larger program attendance.

CRITTER ADOPTIONS AT THE BURGESS-SHADBUSH NATURE CENTER

This is a great way to introduce to your child what it means to care for an animal. Your donation will help fund animal care and unexpected expenses such as vet bills. As part of the adoption, the adopter's name will go on a list of contributors and put on display around the Nature Center. Please contact the nature center at 586-323-2478 or naturecenter@shelbytp.org for further details or to sign up for an adoption.

By participating in our animal adoption program, you and your child are encouraged to come in regularly to feed, clean and care for one of our animals. We'll house it here while you learn more about the creature and what it takes to be a pet-owner. You'll receive an adoption certificate to show off to friends and family. Adoption fees are \$25 for a 1-year adoption of smaller creatures and \$50 for a 1-year adoption of our larger creatures.

NATURE TALES FOR PRESCHOOLERS

Our assortment of seasonal stories delights children as they listen to an entertaining one-hour nature adventure with a story, snack, and craft or outing. Tales are suitable for ages 3-5 accompanied by an adult. Early registration is required as each class is limited to eight children with one parent or guardian accompanying each participant.
Fee: \$2 per child ages 3-5.

Date	10-11 AM	1:30-2:30 PM
Feb. 21	Visit shelbytp.org/nature	Visit shelbytp.org/nature
March 4	#YATALES.01	#YATALES.02
March 18	#YATALES.03	#YATALES.04
April 1	#YATALES.05	#YATALES.06
April 15	#YATALES.07	#YATALES.08

HOME SCHOOL CLASSES

Home-school programs are available for any child 4 and older and cover a variety of natural science, heritage and outdoor topics. The cost is \$3 per participating child. Younger nonparticipating siblings are welcome. Registration is encouraged. Classes typically occur at 1:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month, September through May. Occasional date variations may occur because of holidays or other nature center programs.

Maple Syruping – To prepare for our maple sap harvest, we will learn how and why we collect maple sap in the spring as well as how to identify the right trees to tap.

#YAHOME.01 1:30-3 PM Wed March 3

Spring Nature Hike in Holland Ponds – Join us as we look for the earliest signs of good weather. Make sure you bring your boots and coats because we will be outside for most of the class. The class meets at Holland Ponds Park at 50385 Ryan Road.

#YAHOME.02 1:30-3 PM Wed April 7

Nature Art – Nature is beautiful. Let creativity be your guide as we talk about patterns that you can find in nature before we re-create them.

#YAHOME.03 1:30-3 PM Wed May 5

Investigating Owls

Investigating Owls is for curious beginner birders with a focus on Michigan's native owls. Led by instructor Baylee Ruddell, we discuss adaptations and behaviors that make owls unique birds of prey. Learn more about their senses, behaviors and their diet as we dissect a real owl pellet. This program is for grades kindergarten-5. Registration is required, and there is a maximum of 20 attendees per session. Attendance allowances may change because of COVID-19 restrictions.

Fee: \$9 per person for residents; \$16 per person for nonresidents

NCOWLS.01 10 AM-noon April 10
NCOWLS.02 1-3 PM April 10
NCOWLS.03 2-4 PM April 11



ADDRESS

Shelby Township Activities Center
14975 21 Mile Road, Shelby Township, MI 48315

CONTACT

Phone: 586-739-7540
seniors@shelbytwp.org
facebook.com/ShelbyTwpSeniors

OFFICE HOURS

8:30 AM-5 PM, weekdays

Senior center classes and activities are returning within COVID-19 regulations.
For up-to-date senior center information, check out the "Senior Center Newsletter," published every other month at shelbytwp.org/seniors or the senior center.

REGISTRATION

Senior center registration for 2021 is underway. Memberships are \$5 for Shelby Township and Utica residents and \$10 for nonresidents. You must be a member of the senior center to enjoy its programming and events.

BUILDING CLOSURES

The senior center is closed Monday, Feb. 15, for Presidents Day, April 2 for Good Friday and Memorial Day, May 31.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

The Shelby Township Senior Center is listed among school closings if the building must close because of unsafe weather. In the event of severe weather, please check the school closings before coming to the center.

FREE GIFT BAG DRIVE-THRU

The senior center continues its gift bag drive-thru into the spring. Drive by and pick up a bag full of surprises. This event requires registration as quantities are limited. The drive-thru takes place noon-1 p.m. on March 16 and April 15.

EXERCISE CLASSES

The senior center offers in-person exercise classes. All classes and programs require registration. Visit shelbytwp.org for registration links. The senior center currently provides walking in the gym, pickleball, aerobic classes, chair exercise classes and yoga. COVID-19 regulations limit class and activity capacities.

GREETING CARD KITS

Miss our greeting card class? Roxie has prepared kits available for pick-up. Pull into the bus lane and give us a call to let us know you're here, and we'll run them out to you. Call 586-739-7540 to reserve your kit today. Drive-thru pick-up is available 10-11 a.m. Feb. 11, March 11 and April 8. Kits cost \$.50 per card, limit of three per person. Limited supply requires registration.

TAKE AND MAKE CRAFT KITS

You can pick up craft kits via drive-thru 10-11 a.m. Feb. 16 and March 23. Call 586-739-7540 to reserve your kit today. Limited supply requires registration.

BRAIN GAMES AND COLORING PACKETS

Keep your brain active and engaged with our pick-up brain game and coloring packets. Call 586-739-7540 to reserve your free kit for February and March. Drive-thru pick-up is available any time during regular senior center hours.

HAPPENINGS IS BACK VIA ZOOM

Are you ready to get together and chat about anything and everything? Our "Happenings" current events group meets via Zoom. Join Amy and friends as we say hello and reconnect. Please call the senior center at 586-739-7540 to get the Zoom invitation sent to you. The group meets at 1 p.m. March 10 and April 14. See below for Zoom instructions.

BINGO, VIA ZOOM

Join us for Bingo over Zoom. Please call the senior center for Zoom link information. See below for Zoom instructions.

SENIOR TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**Hours of Operation:**

9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday- Friday

Transportation Office Hours:

8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Friday

Who is Eligible for Bus Service: Shelby Township and Utica residents age 50 and older or anyone permanently disabled. Please call 586-739-7540 to schedule a bus appointment.

Fare: Bus tickets may be purchased at the Shelby Township Senior Center. One ticket is required each way for all trips.

Ticket Cost:

One ticket – 50 cents
10 tickets - \$5
20 tickets - \$10

Important Information:

1. Personal appointments such as hair appointments or shopping trips can be made up to two weeks in advance.
2. Medical appointments can be made up to four weeks in advance.
3. Dialysis and physical, occupational, cardiac, or other therapy appointments may be booked in advance for the full treatment schedule.
4. All of our buses are equipped with wheelchair lifts.

Services:

1. Routes to and from the senior center begin pick-up at 9 a.m. Senior center routes returning to your home take place at 12:30 p.m. or between 2:30 p.m. and 3 p.m.
2. Group trips to local grocery stores are available.
3. Individual appointments can also be made.

- The service area for medical needs extends north to 27 Mile Road, south to 18 Mile Road, east to Romeo Plank Road and west to Livernois Road.
- The service area for non-medical personal needs is limited to Shelby Township and Utica.
- There is a maximum allowance of two individual weekly non-medical appointments and three weekly appointments for medical or physical therapy trips.

GET IN THE ZOOM GAME.

Are you interested in joining Zoom activities but aren't sure how? Read below for step-by-step instructions.

Zoom On Your Computer

- You will need an internet connection to access Zoom from your computer.
- If you have a link for a Zoom event, follow it from a website or an email.
- Click on the line, "join from your browser."
- The page will then load to the Zoom event you are trying to reach.
- The activity or event you are joining will start automatically, but it may not begin until a specified time or until the host starts the session.

Zoom on your Smart Phone

- Download the free Zoom app in your phone's app store.
- If you have a link for a Zoom event, follow it from a website or an email.
- If your phone asks if you would like to open the link in the Zoom app, click, "Yes."
- The Zoom app will open on your phone and take you to the activity page.
- The activity will start automatically once the host is ready to begin.
- Please note that the activity or event you are joining may not start until a specified time or until the host begins.

Join a Meeting

- To join a meeting, click the "Join a Meeting" icon at the screen's top.
- Enter the meeting ID.
- Click on the "Join" icon, and you will go to the Zoom meeting.
- Remember that your screen may appear frozen until the meeting starts.

Sign up for Zoom

Complete this step if you plan to use Zoom often or if you don't want to show up as a guest

- Go to www.zoom.us/signup.
- Enter your date of birth and your email address.
- Zoom will send a confirmation to the email address you have entered.
- Check your email and click on the "Activate Account" button in the email from Zoom.
- Create your Zoom account by entering your first and last name and create a password.
- Click on the continue button.
- On the next page, you may invite friends if you choose, or press "Skip This Step."

ADDRESS 51680 Van Dyke Ave., Shelby Township, MI, 48316	CONTACT Phone: 586-739-7414 Fax: 586-726-0535 shelbylib@libcoop.net	HOURS 9 AM-8 PM Mon-Thu 9 AM-5 PM Fri & Sat Closed Sun	CLOSED Feb. 17 April 10 & 11
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WINTER 2021 LIBRARY PROGRAMS

As we keep our patrons, community and staff safe during the COVID-19 emergency, all Shelby Township Library programs will remain virtual through the fall. Information on how to take part in individual events will be posted at shelbytwplib.org or on our Facebook page, facebook.com/shelbytwplib.

<p style="text-align: center;">FOR CHILDREN</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Virtual Storytimes</p> <p>Little Bears (children under 3) – Watch us on shelbytwplib.org/library, on “Shelby TV Kids on YouTube” or at facebook.com/shelbytwplib for short stories, songs, rhymes and movement activities for children under 3 and their caregivers. We will offer new stories on select Friday mornings Feb. 19-May 21. No registration required.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Fridays Feb. 19, March 19, April 16</p> <hr/> <p>Once Upon a Wednesday – Join us for a monthly themed-storytime with stories, songs, rhymes and activities. Register and pick up the activity kit on the second Monday of the month, and on Wednesday, we will email a link to watch the storytime video. If you missed picking up the kit but still want to watch the storytime, let us know. We can email you the video link. Registration required.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">March 10 stories by Eric Carle and Bill Martin Jr. April 14 “Don’t Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus” by Mo Willems</p> <p>Kids Book Bag Club (grades 1-6) – Get paired with some new books each month. After answering an online survey about your interests, a librarian will surprise you with a unique “Book Bag.” Book bags include your personally selected books, treats and surprise goodies. Eat the treats, keep the goodies and return the books. Register Feb. 20, March 20 and April 17 for the next month’s bag. Registration required.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">pickups Saturdays March 6, April 10</p> <hr/> <p>Mystery Maker Monday (grades PK-5) – Pick up a craft kit anytime on the first open Monday each month, while supplies last.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">pickups Mondays March 1, April 5</p> <hr/> <p>Show Me Science Saturday (grades K-8) – Kids enjoy learning about lab science and performing experiments with the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services. Watch the Explore Lab Science Crew’s video posted on the calendar at shelbytwplib.org/library or facebook.com/shelbytwplib with a list of safe and easy-to-find ingredients.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">pickups Saturdays Feb. 27, March 27, April 24</p> <hr/> <p>Fun At Home Kits (grades 1-6) – Enjoy crafts and activities at home featuring some of your favorite characters. You must register for each kit. Registered participants are automatically entered into a raffle to win a copy of the newest book in the series.</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 15%;">Feb. 20</td> <td style="width: 35%;">Harry Potter</td> <td style="width: 50%;">Registration begins Feb. 6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>March 20</td> <td>Captain Underpants</td> <td>Registration begins March 6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>April 17</td> <td>Big Nate</td> <td>Registration begins April 3</td> </tr> </table>	Feb. 20	Harry Potter	Registration begins Feb. 6	March 20	Captain Underpants	Registration begins March 6	April 17	Big Nate	Registration begins April 3	<p>Teen Creations Kit (grades 7-12) – This monthly club uses different media to create art pieces such as painting, collage, sewing, and sketching. Supplies are limited. Register for each kit. Register Feb. 27, March 27 and April 24 for the next month’s kit. Registration required.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">pickups Saturdays March 13, April 10</p> <hr/> <p>Teen Harry Potter Fun @ Home (grades 7-12) – Enjoy a kit with crafts, snacks and activities inspired by J. K. Rowling’s Harry Potter. Share your creations with us @ShelbyTwpLib on Facebook or Instagram, or email a picture to shelbytwplib@libcoop.net. We’ll raffle a prize basket to one of the registrants. Registration opened on Feb. 6.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Feb. 20</p> <hr/> <p>Teen Virtual Escape Room – “Escape the 80s” (grades 7-12) – You’ve never been one to buy into a lot of hocus-pocus nonsense, but you’re pretty sure the “vintage necklace” you bought for your mom on Etsy is an ancient cursed artifact because you are in the 1980s. The clock is ticking. You better find a way home, or you’re doomed to a life without the internet. Check the events calendar at shelbytwplib.org/library for the link.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">March 1</p>
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<p>Spicy Book Bag – Warm your winter nights with a good read and good food in a handy lunch bag you can keep. Register and fill out a brief questionnaire about your interests and food preferences, and our librarian will match you with a book and a cookbook full of tasty recipes. Register March 1, March 27 and April 23 for the next month’s bag.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">pickups Saturdays March 13, April 14</p> <hr/> <p>Adult Make and Take: DIY Bean Soup – We provide the beans, spices and jar. You create the pattern in your jar and decide if you want to make the soup for yourself or share it as a gift. Request a kit and instructions while supplies last.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Feb. 22</p> <hr/> <p>Frank Lloyd Wright in Michigan – Professor and dean emeritus, Stephen Vogel of the University of Detroit Mercy’s School of Architecture explores the architectural design and influence of Frank Lloyd Wright and tours the homes Wright designed and built in Michigan. Watch at shelbytwplib.org/library or facebook.com/shelbytwplib.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Feb. 24</p> <hr/> <p>Adult Make and Take: Painted Wine Glass – We provide a glass, paint, brushes, and suggestions to make your painted wine glass beautiful and unique. Request a kit and instructions while supplies last.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">March 22</p> <hr/> <p>Introduction to Bees and Beekeeping – Macomb County Master Gardener Association Board Member Dave Putt explains the types of bees in Michigan and their roles as pollinators, followed by a primer on beekeeping with tips on becoming a beekeeper. Watch at shelbytwplib.org/library or facebook.com/shelbytwplib.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">March 24</p> <hr/> <p>Adult Make and Take: Spice Kit for DIY Chana Masala – With this spice kit, you can make your chana masala and imagine you are in India or Pakistan. We’ve measured the spices and provided a recipe so you can create a delicious meal.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">April 19</p>										
<p style="text-align: center;">FOR TEENS</p> <p>Teen Advisory Board (grades 7-12) – Join a teen council that creates teen displays, decorates the library, and plans teens’ events at the library. Earn community service hours every month for attending. TAB members receive invitation emails before each Zoom meeting. Want to join? Call the library to request an application at 586-739-7414.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">6-7 PM first Thursday of every month March 4, April 1</p> <hr/> <p>Teen Book Box Club (grades 7-12) – Get paired with some new books each month. After answering an online survey about your interests, a librarian will surprise you with a special “Book Box.” Book boxes include your personally selected books, treats and surprise goodies. Eat the treats, keep the goodies and return the books. Register Feb. 20, March 20 and April 17 for the next month’s bag. Registration required.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">pickups Saturday March 6, April 10</p>										



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Family Dinner & Movie

6-9 pm, March 24 at the Shelby Township Activities Center at 14975 21 Mile Road

Shelby Township Parks, Recreation and Maintenance hosts its first Dinner and Drive-In Movie. Families can arrive at the Shelby Township Activities Center at 5:15 p.m. to pick a parking space for the drive-in movie. At 6 p.m., the staff serves a catered boxed dinner to each car. Dinners include chicken tenders, pasta, salad, roll and dessert. Please bring your drinks. Families may choose to remain in their vehicles or enjoy dinner in an enclosed tent. An interactive, in-vehicle Bingo game begins at approximately 6:45 p.m. with prizes awarded for all winners. The **"Sonic the Hedgehog"** movie starts at approximately 7:15 p.m. Call 586-731-0300 to register and let us know if you will be remaining in your car for dinner or if you would like to sit in the tent.

Fee: \$18 per person resident, \$25 per person nonresident

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