

Branching Out

Shelby Township Events & Programs

Summer 2021



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.



GET RECREATIONAL

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF SHELBY
Parks, Recreation & Maintenance
Department**
Joe Youngblood, Director

“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, Mon-Fri
Office closes daily for lunch noon-1 PM

CONTACT INFORMATION

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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.

Shelby Township Parks, Recreation and Maintenance Department thanks the following people for their support:

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UPCOMING HOLIDAY CLOSURES

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

- May 31 Memorial Day
- July 5 Independence Day
- Sept. 6 Labor Day

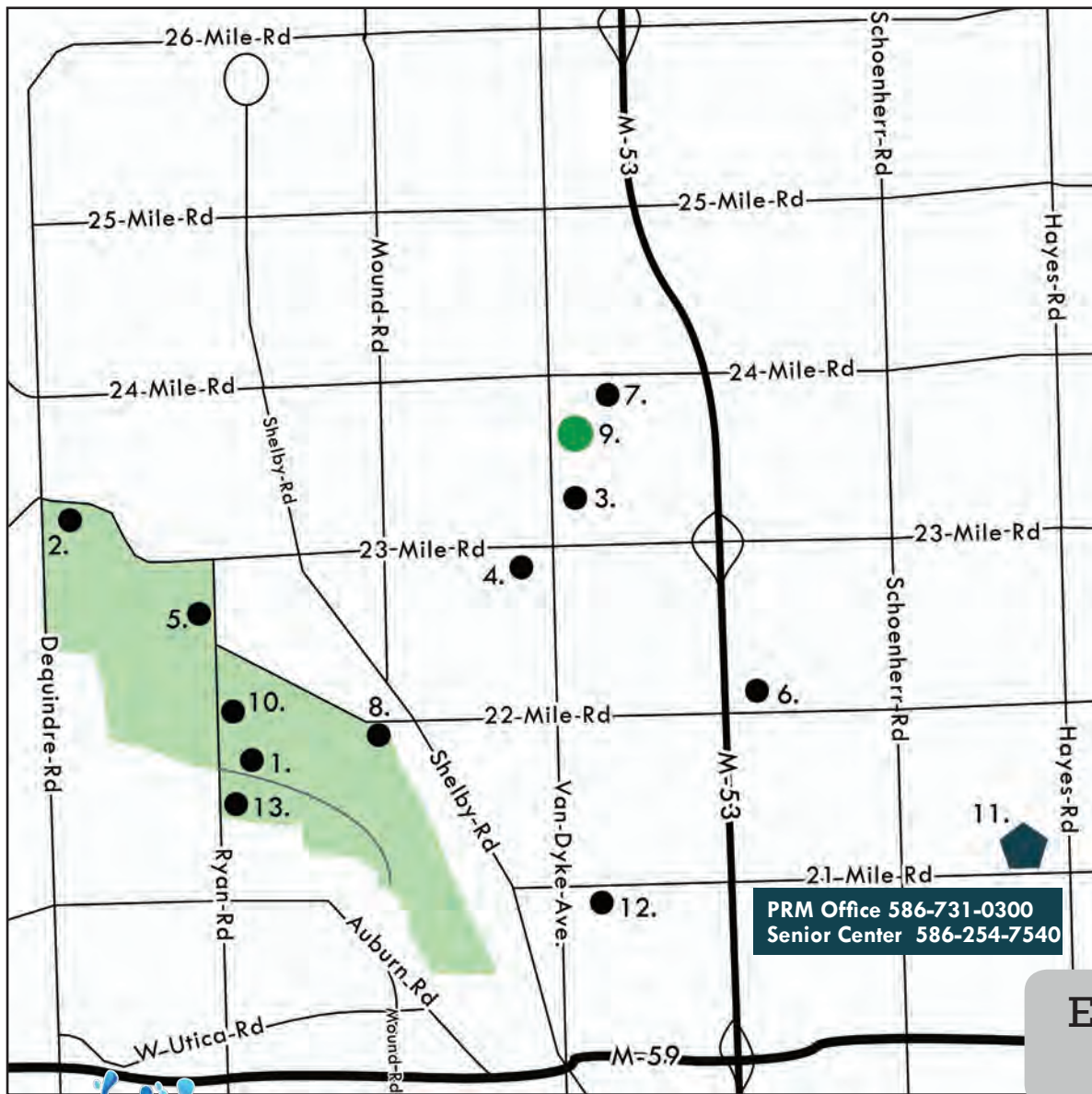
Listing Key

| Activity # | Time | Day | Date | Place |
|---|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------|
| YATEN.18 | 10:30-11:30 AM | Sa | 7/10-8/21 | MSP |
| Fee: \$115 resident, \$122 nonresident | | | | |
| M-Monday | T-Tuesday | W-Wednesday | Th-Thursday | F-Friday |
| Sa-Saturday | Sun-Sunday | | | |

BECOME A SPONSOR

Businesses and organizations are welcome to support our annual community events and programs. Sponsors are essential in keeping events and programs free or low-cost for families throughout the township.

Several sponsorship levels and options are available and benefits may include sponsor name on promotional material, banner and promotional material presented at the event and a listing in the fall-winter edition of "Branching Out."



PRM Office 586-731-0300
Senior Center 586-254-7540

EVENT & ACTIVITY LOCATIONS



The splash pad opens Memorial Day, May 31.

See shelbytwp.org/parks for details.

COVID-19 UPDATE

As we offer more recreation programs and opportunities this summer, the Shelby Township Parks, Recreation and Maintenance Department follows federal, state and county guidelines regarding the COVID-19 pandemic.

Please visit shelbytwp.org/parks to make sure you have the most up-to-date information before visiting our facilities, parks and events. Our indoor programs and facilities have attendance restrictions and require an appointment.

Go to shelbytwp.org/parks to make an appointment for the Shelby Township Activities Center, the Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center or to enjoy Shelby Township Senior Center programs. Thank you.

1. **Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center**
4101 River Bends Drive
Shelby Township, MI 48317
586-323-2478
2. **Chief Gene Shepherd Park & Splash Pad**
2452 23 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48316
3. **Senior Citizen Park & Lions Soccer Field**
51720 Van Dyke Avenue
Shelby Township, MI 48316
4. **Ford Field Central Park**
7460 23 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48316
5. **Holland Ponds**
50385 Ryan Road
Shelby Township, MI 48317
6. **Lombardo Park**
11695 22 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48315
7. **Mae Stecker Park**
8600 24 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48316
8. **River Bends Park**
5700 22 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48317
9. **Municipal Campus, Heritage Garden & Hope Chapel**
52700 Van Dyke Avenue
Shelby Township, MI 48316
10. **River Bends Park Fishing Site & Organization Camp**
Ryan Road, South of 22 Mile
Shelby Township, MI 48317
11. **Shelby Township Activities Center**
14795 21 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48315
12. **Whispering Woods Kiwanis Park**
11000 21 Mile Road
Shelby Township, MI 48315
13. **Woodall Neighborhood Park & Skate Park**
4550 River Bends Drive
Shelby Township, MI 48317

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.

REFUNDS











Request refunds for pavilion reservations up to 30 days before the reservation date. Requests must be in writing. PRM deducts a 10% cancellation fee from the refund. Any reservation made less than 30 days in advance is non-refundable. The letter must state that you wish to cancel the reservation for shelter use. If payment was made by cash or check, a check will be processed and mailed to the address on the permit within four weeks. Refunds for credit card payments will be immediate.

SHELTER RESERVATIONS

8 AM-8 PM, or dusk

Required for gatherings of 20 or more people
Reserve by calling 586-731-0300
Cash, check, Visa or Mastercard payments accepted

Park Amenity Symbols

| | | | |
|-------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Picnic tables |  | Baseball diamond |  |
| Electrical outlet |  | Sand volleyball court |  |
| Water |  | Basketball court |  |
| Charcoal grill |  | Tennis court |  |
| Playground |  | Horseshoe pit |  |

Park Pavilions



Chief Gene Shepherd Park Shelter

SIZE: 40' X 60'
CAPACITY: 70-180

PAVILION RESERVATION FEE:

\$170 Resident
\$200 Nonresident
* fee does not include the use of the splash pad.



River Bends Park Bittersweet Shelter

SIZE: 45' X 33'
CAPACITY: 50-100

PAVILION RESERVATION FEE:

\$170 Resident
\$200 Nonresident

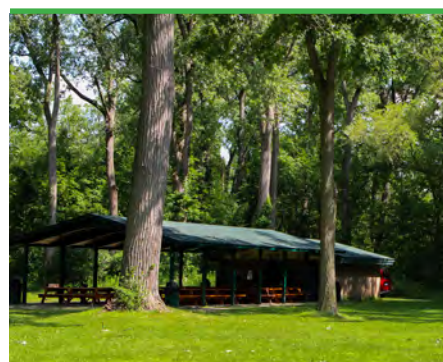


Mae Stecker Park Shelter

SIZE: 15' X 15'
CAPACITY: 25-30,
seating for 20-24

PAVILION RESERVATION FEE:

\$50 Resident
\$80 Nonresident



River Bends Park Hickory Grove Shelter

SIZE: 45' X 30'
CAPACITY: 50-100

PAVILION RESERVATION FEE:

\$170 Resident
\$200 Nonresident



Woodall Neighborhood Park Shelter

SIZE: 40' X 30'
CAPACITY: 60,
seating for 40-50

PAVILION RESERVATION FEE:

\$100 Resident
\$130 Nonresident



River Bends Park Mapleview Shelter

SIZE: 50' X 30'
CAPACITY: 50-100

PAVILION RESERVATION FEE:

\$110 Resident
\$140 Nonresident



Activities Center

Shelby Township Activities Center Rental Hours
5-9 PM Mon-Fri | 9 AM-5 PM Sat-Sun

Rooms come with tables and chairs
Kitchen is unavailable
No alcohol permitted
Call 586-731-0300 for more information

| Room | Resident Fee per hour | Nonresident Fee per hour |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Full Gym | \$75 | \$100 |
| Half Gym | \$50 | \$75 |
| Cafeteria Up to 125 occupants | \$50 | \$75 |
| Wetz Room up to 40 occupants | \$40 | \$50 |
| Rooms 2 & 3 up to 25 occupants | \$30 | \$40 |
| Rooms 4 & 5 up to 25 occupants | \$30 | \$40 |
| Room 7 (craft room) up to 25 occupants | \$30 | \$40 |



Non-Profit Organizations – Rooms 2-5
\$15 flat fee for any meeting 3 hours or under
\$25 flat fee for any meeting over 3 hours

INSTRUCTORS WANTED

We're always on the lookout for instructors to teach classes, host workshops, hold seminars and lead camps for residents of all ages. 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're interested in sharing your talent, or you enjoyed a class or workshop elsewhere and would like to suggest that we offer it, please send your ideas and proposals to Mike Adams at madams@shelbytwp.org or call 586-731-0300 for more information.

Heritage Garden



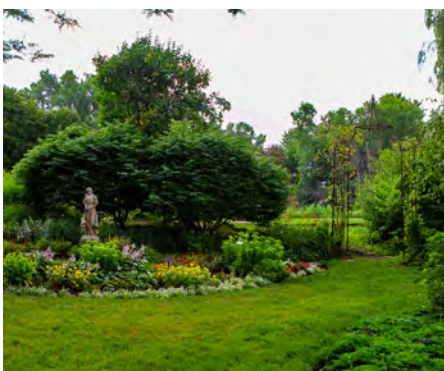
Garden Reservations
8 AM-8 PM, or dusk
\$35 per hour for residents
\$110 per hour for nonresidents

Encouraged for photographers and professionals, reservations ensure exclusive access to 10-foot gazebo and gardens surrounded by wrought-iron fence.

Wedding Reservations
2-hour minimum
Standing ceremony
Max of 10 chairs allowed
\$5 rental per chair available

Reserve by calling
586-731-0300

Maintained by Shelby Gardeners Club and the PRM department



Hope Chapel

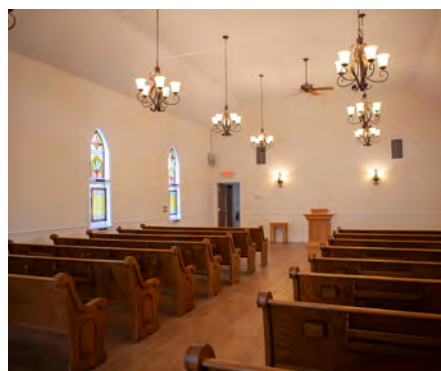


Wedding Reservations
\$335 for residents
\$435 for nonresidents
Includes 2.5-hour ceremony time block and 1 hour rehearsal

Chaple 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.

Call 586-731-0300,
or email
shelbyprm@shelbytwp.org for details or to check availability.



Summer Baseball

Didn't get enough baseball or not able to play this spring? Kids can participate in this baseball program that is open to residents and nonresidents. The season begins in mid-July and should end by early September. Games start at 6:15 p.m. on weekdays and vary on Saturdays (if needed). Teams are scheduled for approximately three practices and 10 games. Practices and games will be held at Lombardo Park, Ford Field, Whispering Woods and Woodall Park. Managers are allowed to request up to two other coaches and one buddy. Forming teams will not be allowed. Requests are not guaranteed and your other coach/buddy must also request you. Team managers and coaches are required to make this league successful. Please consider volunteering for your child's team. **Refund policy:** Full minus \$10 if requested by July 11. No refunds after July 11.

\$80 resident, \$90 nonresident.

| Activity # | Division | Age | Days | Begins |
|------------|-----------------------|-------|---------|--------|
| #YABASE.01 | Co-ed Coach Pitch | 6-8 | T/Th/Sa | 7/20 |
| #YABASE.02 | Machine Pitch | 8-10 | M/W/Sa | 7/19 |
| #YABASE.03 | Boys Baseball | 9-11 | M/W/Sa | 7/19 |
| #YABASE.04 | Boys Baseball 50'/70' | 11-13 | T/Th/Sa | 7/20 |
| #YABASE.05 | Baseball 14-16 | 14-16 | T/Th/Sa | 7/20 |

Fall 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 June 17. Registration for new teams begins June 24.

- 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.

Men's Double-Header Leagues..... \$650 per team

Includes seven double-headers (14 games) with playoffs for the top half of the teams, game balls and a trophy for playoff champions.

- \$75 forfeit fee is assessed upon forfeit and must be paid before a team is permitted to play next game.

Game Times: 6:20, 7:30, 8:40, 9:50 PM T/W/Th
2:30 PM or later Su

Divisions & Days of Play:

| | | |
|------------|----|---------------|
| #AASOFT.01 | T | Max. 8 teams |
| #AASOFT.02 | W | Max. 8 Teams |
| #AASOFT.03 | Th | Max. 8 Teams |
| #AASOFT.04 | Su | Max. 12 Teams |

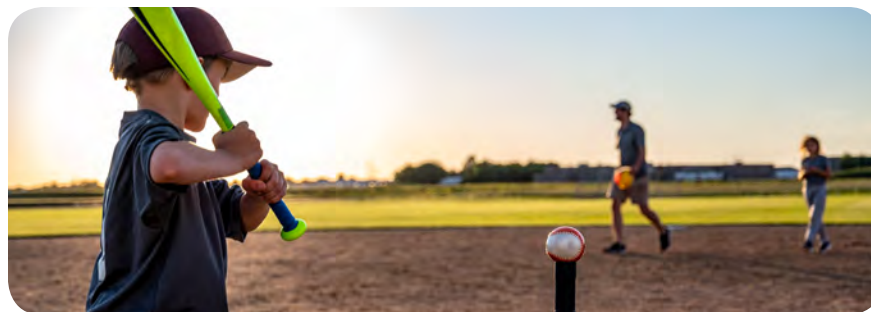
Co-Ed League..... \$550 per team

Includes 7 regular season games, with playoffs for the top half of the teams, game balls, and a trophy for playoff champions

- \$75 forfeit fee is assessed upon forfeit and must be paid before team is permitted to play next game

Game Times: 6:20, 7:30, 8:40 & 9:50 PM F

#AASOFT.05 F Maximum 16 Teams



Co-Ed Tee Ball

Pee Wee Tee.....Ages 4-6

Batter Up! Children play in a non-competitive atmosphere that promotes learning the fundamentals of the game. Request the same team as your buddy at the time of registration. Buddies must request each other, and although the staff does its best to accommodate requests, there are no guarantees for team placement.

Team shirts, hats and end of season awards are included in the fee. Players supply their own glove, bat and batting helmet. Sessions held at Woodall Neighborhood Park at 4550 River Bends Drive.

\$55 resident, \$62 nonresident.

#YATEE.01 6:30-7:30 PM T/Th 7/13 4 wks

Parent/Child T-Ball.....Ages 3-4

Children play in a non-competitive atmosphere that promotes learning the fundamentals of the game. Request the same team as your buddy at the time of registration. Volunteer coaches and assistants are mandatory for the success of the program. Please indicate when registering if you are interested in coaching. A volunteer meeting is held prior to the program, with guidelines and assistance given by PRM staff. Team shirts, hats and end-of-season awards are included in the fee. Players supply their own gloves. "Learning" games held at Mae Stecker Park at 8600 24 Mile Road.

\$45 resident, \$52 nonresident.

#YATEE.02 10 AM Sa 8/14 5 wks

Modified T-ball/Coach Pitch.....Ages 5-7

In this league players begin the season utilizing only the tee. After 3 weeks of T-ball players will have five pitches to hit the ball. If the batter cannot hit the ball within three pitches, a tee will be placed at home plate for the batter to hit the ball. The league is held at Ford Field Central Park, 7460 23 Mile Road.

\$55 resident, \$62 nonresident.

#YATEE.03 Noon Sa 9/11 6 wks

Golf Instruction at Henriksen's Golf Range

We offer four one-hour clinics for beginning and intermediate-level players. With more than 25 years of experience, golf pro Shawn Kungel will give tips on swing, stance, grip, posture, balance, putting and more. Openings are limited, so don't wait to register. If possible, students should bring a 5-iron and 7-iron to the first class. Henriksen's has clubs free of charge. Whether you are an experienced golfer or just getting into golf, lessons can help lower your score. A parent or adult is required to stay at youth classes. Classes missed or cancelled because of weather conditions can be rescheduled by the range.

\$60 resident, \$67 nonresident (does not include golf balls)

Youth....Ages 5-11

#HENRIK.01 9:30 AM Sa 6/19 4 wks

Beginner & Intermediate.....Ages 12+

HENRIK.02 Beg 7 PM M 6/14 4 wks

HENRIK.03 Beg 7 PM T 6/15 4 wks

HENRIK.04 Inter 7 PM W 6/16 4 wks

HENRIK.05 Beg/Inter 7 PM Th 6/17 4 wks

Tennis

Tennis Program Director Bill McGarry is a United States Professional Tennis Association Professional 1 instructor. McGarry played college tennis at the University of Michigan with five years of tour experience and more than 25 years of teaching experience, including his current winter sessions at Wimbledon Racquet Club. All make-ups must be pre-scheduled with McGarry at 586-855-8990. He is also available to answer any tennis programming questions.

Classes take place at:

MSP - Mae Stecker Park

8600 24 Mile Road

GSP - Chief Gene Shepherd Park

2452 23 Mile Road

**Enroll for most classes and activities
by visiting register.shelbytwp.org or find
an enrollment form on Page 19.**

Young Star Tennis/Level 1.....Ages 4-7

Learn forehand, backhand and volley to improve developing gross motor skills through plenty of fun and games. Orange and regular balls will be used. Please bring a racquet and water bottle to class.

YATEN.17 4:30-5:30 PM T/Th 6/15-7/8 GSP
\$132 resident, \$139 nonresident

YATEN.18 10:30-11:30 AM Sa 7/10-8/21 MSP
\$115 resident, \$122 nonresident

YATEN.19 4:30-5:30 PM T/Th 7/13-/8/5 GSP
\$132 resident, \$139 nonresident

YATEN.20 4:30-5:30 PM T/Th 8/10-9/2 GSP
\$132 resident, \$139 nonresident

YATEN.21 4:30-5:30 PM T/Th 9/7-10/7 GSP
\$165 resident, \$172 nonresident

YATEN.22 10:30-11:30 AM Sa 9/11-10/9 MSP
\$83 resident, \$90 nonresident

**Rising Star Junior Tennis Academy Level 2.....Ages 6-9**

This class is for younger kids who have been through a few sessions and are ready for more. Learn forehand, backhand and volley to improve developing gross motor skills through plenty of fun and games. Orange and regular balls will be used. Please bring a racquet and water bottle to class.

YATEN.23 5:30-7 PM T/Th 6/15-7/8 GSP
\$198 resident, \$205 nonresident

YATEN.24 9-10:30 AM Sa 7/10-8/21 MSP
\$175 resident, \$182 nonresident

YATEN.25 5:30-7 PM T/Th 7/13-8/5 GSP
\$198 resident, \$205 nonresident

YATEN.26 5:30-7 PM T/Th 8/10-9/2 GSP
\$198 resident, \$205 nonresident

YATEN.27 5:30-7 PM T/Th 9/7-10/7 GSP
\$245 resident, \$252 nonresident

YATEN.28 9-10:30 AM Sa 9/11-10/9 MSP
\$125 resident, \$132 nonresident

Top Gun Beginner/AB Tennis/Level 2.....Ages 8-15

All basic strokes will be taught with an emphasis on correct grips and form to produce muscle memory. Drop feeds and rallying will begin at this level as well as competitive contests and games. Please bring a racquet and a water bottle to class.

YATEN.23 5:30-7 PM T/Th 6/15-7/8 GSP
\$198 resident, \$205 nonresident

YATEN.24 9-10:30 AM Sa 7/10-8/21 MSP
\$175 resident, \$182 nonresident

YATEN.25 5:30-7 PM T/Th 7/13-8/5 GSP
\$198 resident, \$205 nonresident

YATEN.26 5:30-7 PM T/Th 8/10-9/2 GSP
\$198 resident, \$205 nonresident

YATEN.27 5:30-7 PM T/Th 9/7-10/7 GSP
\$245 resident, \$252 nonresident

YATEN.28 9-10:30 AM Sa 9/11-10/9 MSP
\$125 resident, \$132 nonresident

The Academy Intermediate & Advanced/Level 3-4.....Ages 9-18

Whether you're playing for school or getting more competitive, this is the class you want. Our experienced staff will take you to the next level and help you reach your goals. Advanced skills, situational games and match play will all be found here. Bring plenty of water.

#311107-F1 9 AM-Noon M-Th 6/14-6/17 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F2 9 AM-Noon M-Th 6/21-6/24 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F3 9 AM-Noon M-Th 6/28-7/1 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F4 9 AM-Noon M-Th 7/5-7/8 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F5 9 AM-Noon M-Th 7/12-7/15 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F6 9 AM-Noon M-Th 7/19-7/22 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F7 9 AM-Noon M-Th 7/25-7/28 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F8 9 AM-Noon M-Th 8/2-8/5 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F9 9 AM-Noon M-Th 8/9-8/12 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F10 9 AM-Noon M-Th 8/16-8/19 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F11 9 AM-Noon M-Th 8/23-8/26 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F12 9 AM-Noon M-Th 8/30-9/2 TBA
\$180 resident, \$187 nonresident

#311107-F12 4:30-6:30 PM M/W 9/8-10/6 TBA
\$219 resident, \$226 nonresident

SHELBY TOWNSHIP ACTIVITIES CENTER CLASSES

These classes take place at the Shelby Township Activities Center, located at 14795 21 Mile Road, Shelby Township, MI 48315.

Belly Dancing

Belly Dancing – Level 1 & 2 – Basics and Beyond

Belly dancing is a wonderful form of exercise and expression. Meet new people while learning various choreographies. There will be an opportunity to perform in a show in October. Please dress comfortable.

\$36 resident, \$43 nonresident

#AABELLY.01 6:05-7 PM W 6/9 6 wks

#AABELLY.02 6:05-7 PM W 7/28 6 wks

Belly Dancing – Performance Group

Perfect your moves, learn new ones and get a step up in choreography in this invitation-only class. Lessons will offer different dance styles and teach how to layer moves to a variety of music. There will be performance opportunities available. This class is by invite from the instructor.

\$48 resident, \$54 nonresident

#AABELLY.03 7:05-8:30 PM W 6/9 6 wks

#AABELLY.04 7:05-8:30 PM W 7/28 6 wks

Sports

Kiddie Sports.....Ages 3.5-6

Introduce kids to some of America's favorite sports like baseball, basketball and soccer. They'll practice kicking, running, jumping and throwing to help promote motor skills like balance, coordination, body awareness, physical strength and reaction time. Other games will offer more variety and fun and focus on teamwork. Children must be the minimum age by the first day of class and must be potty-trained. Please be sure to wear gym shoes and dress for the outdoors. Don't forget to wear your mask.

\$42 residents, \$49 nonresidents

YAKIDS.01 10-11 AM T 6/1-6/29

Yoga

Yoga Stretch & Strength.....Ages 13+

Denise LaFleur's yoga class provides a safe space to explore this ancient practice. The practice focuses on whole-body health and wellness for beginners to experts ages 13 and older. Participants should bring a yoga mat and water. Dress comfortably and wear a shirt that stays in place. For more information, email yogacoachdenise@yahoo.com.

\$80 resident, \$87 nonresident

AAYOGA.01 6-7 PM T 6/15-8/3 8 wks

Fitness

Pound Fitness.....Ages 12+

Experience this invigorating, full-body workout that combines strength training, conditioning and cardio while drumming with lightly weighted drumsticks engineered specifically for exercising. Designed for all fitness levels, "POUND" provides a great atmosphere for toning up and rockin' out. Dress comfortably and bring a yoga mat. Maximum class size is 15 participants.

#AAPOUND.01 7-8 PM W 6/9-8/25 12 wks

\$86 resident, \$93 nonresident \$8 drop-in

#AAPOUND.02 7-8 PM W 6/9-7/28 8 wks

\$58 resident, \$65 nonresident \$8 drop-in

#AAPOUND.03 7-8 PM M 6/21-8/23 10 wks

\$70 resident, \$77 nonresident \$8 drop-in

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.

One day per week: \$56 resident, \$63 nonresident

Two days per week: \$112 resident, \$119 nonresident

\$10 drop-in

#AAZUMB.05 6-7 PM M 7/19-8/30 7 wks

#AAZUMB.06 6-7 PM W 7/21-9/1 7 wks

#AAZUMB.07 6-7 PM M/W 7/19-9/1 7 wks

30 Minute Tone & Sculpt

Burn calories, engage your core and build muscles in this thirty minute class to strengthen, tone and sculpt the body. Each week offers a different full workout with instructor Michele Meckl.

\$35 residents, \$42 nonresidents

\$7 drop-in

#AATONE.02 7-7:30 PM M 7/19-8/30 7 wks

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an enrollment form on Page 19.**

Scuba

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.

\$549 residents, \$556 nonresidents

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.

\$69 resident, \$76 nonresident

Includes all rental equipment and air for class-related dive.

#AASCUB.04 2-4 PM Sun June 6

Shelby Township's 34th Annual
YOUTH FISHING DERBY

10 AM-1 PM
Sat, June 12, 2021
FREE
Heritage Lake
52700 Van Dyke Ave.

Registration Required

Limited to the first 100 kids
15 and under

Register online at register.shelbytwp.org or
call 586-731-0300.

No equipment provided, limited bait available. All
children must be accompanied by an adult. Health
protocols in place on date will be followed.

Sponsored by



SUMMER CONCERTS

7 PM, select Wednesdays
FREE

River Bends Park
5700 22 Mile Road

July 14
Dan Rafferty Band
"Family Night"

Sponsored by Dr. Ban R Barbat & Genisys Credit Union

July 21
Alan Turner and
the Steel Horse Band
(high energy country rock)
"Dance and Fitness Night"

Sponsored by Dr. Ban R Barbat & Genisys Credit Union

July 28
Katmandu
(Bob Seger Tribute)
"Adopt a Furry Friend Night"
Sponsored by Dr. Ban R Barbat, Genisys Credit Union
and Kirk, Huth, Lange & Badalamenti, PLC

Aug. 4
Square Pegz
(80's & Pop)
"Grad Night"
Sponsored by Genisys Credit Union

SUMMER RECREATION DAY CAMP

9 AM-4 PM
June 14-Aug. 20
(No Camp July 5)
Mae Stecker Park
8600 24 Mile Road

Camp Open to Grades K-6
To register, call 586-731-0300

Give your children something to do
this summer that doesn't involve a
screen or video chat. The Shelby
Township Summer Recreation Day
Camp returns in 2021 at its new
home, Mae Stecker Park at 8600 24
Mile. Campers participate in games,
team-building activities, sports, arts
and crafts, nature lessons, and more.

\$85 per week
\$65 per week per additional child
Nonresidents add \$10 per week

KID'S SUMMER OLYMPICS

Sat, July 10, 2021
Whispering Woods Kiwanis Park
11000 21 Mile Road

Boys and girls ages 3-12 may compete
in any or all events of their choosing.
Awards will be given for male and female
winners in each age group for each event.
Participation ribbons for all who compete.
Stop by the registration area upon arrival.
Call 586-731-0300 for more information

| Ages | Check-in Time | Competition Time |
|------|---------------|------------------|
| 3-5 | 9:45 AM | 10 AM |
| 6-8 | 10:45 AM | 11 AM |
| 9-12 | 11:45 AM | Noon |

Events:

- 40-Yard Dash/Hurdles
- Baseball Toss
- Disc Toss
- Broad Jump
- Long Jump
- Obstacle Course

Kid-To-Kid Sale

Noon-2 PM
Sat, Aug. 7
Whispering Woods Kiwanis Park
11000 21 Mile Road

For ages 4-16 to buy, sell or trade
SIGN UP TO SELL

- Sell your old toys, games, books and sports
equipment to other kids.
- All items sold must be in working and good
condition.
- Cost is \$5 per 6' table.
- Remember to bring change.
- Sign up to sell at register.shelbytwp.org.

#YAKID.01 Noon-2 PM 8/7

12th Annual Flea Market

9 AM-2 PM
Sat, July 24
Whispering Woods Kiwanis Park
11000 21 Mile Road
Free Entry for shoppers

SIGN UP TO SELL

- Cost is \$15 per 15' by 15' space
- You must provide your own chairs,
tables, displays and rain protection.
- Additional information will be
available a few days prior.
- Hand-made, resale, home products,
collectables and other items are
allowed for sale.
- Any health orders in place on the
date of the event will be observed.

Phone the PRM Department at 586-731-0300
for more info or to reserve your space with
a credit card, by mail using the registration
form, in person at the PRM Office or online at
register.shelbytwp.org.

#AAFLEA.01 9 AM-2 PM 7/24



BURGESS-SHADBUSH NATURE CENTER

10 AM-6 PM Wed-Sat | 12-5 PM Sun | Closed Mon & Tue 4101 River Bends Drive 586-323-2478 shadbush@shelbytwp.org

Plan a field trip

The Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center welcomes individual scouting groups, school groups and organizations to schedule programs with us. All ages are welcome, and we are excited to plan an event suited to your wishes. We invite you to contact the nature center for a listing of topics ranging from STEM programs to traditional nature-based lessons to tailor a program to badge, classroom or other learning requirements. At least one adult leader is required for every six youths attending the program. Please contact the nature center for details and availability.

Volunteer

If you love nature, learning and teaching others, consider volunteering here at the nature center. Give us a call or stop by to talk to the staff about joining our volunteer community. You'll learn how to care for our animals, help us put on our fun events and more.

Critter Adoptions

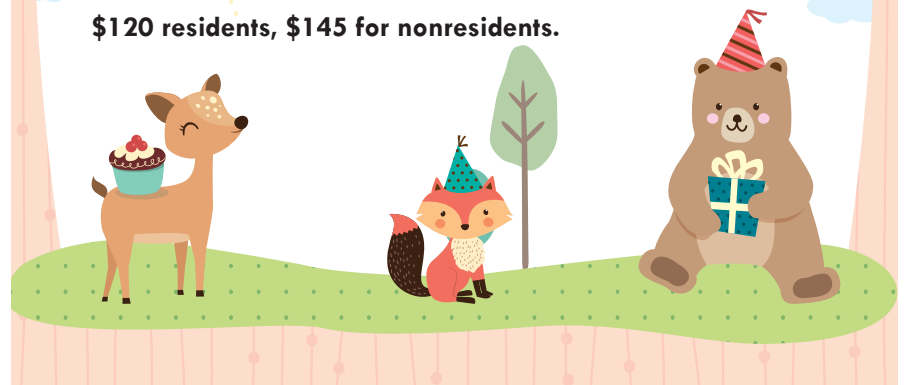
This is a great way to introduce your child to what it means to care for an animal. Your donation will help fund animal care and unexpected expenses such as vet bills. As part of the adoption, the adopter's name will go on a list of contributors and put on display around the nature center. Please contact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

CELEBRATE YOUR BIRTHDAY AT THE NATURE CENTER

You can hold your child's next birthday party at the Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center. The party includes a chance to touch, hold and be photographed with some live animals. Weather permitting, it also includes our popular nature walk. Your reservation will include the use of our multi-purpose room for four hours. The room holds a maximum of 24 adults and children. Hosts are responsible for decorations, food, table covers, cake and party favors. Parties are available select days, typically Saturday or Sunday afternoons when nature center events don't conflict. The reservation is confirmed when payment is made. You can register in person at the nature center with cash, check or credit card. Call the nature center at **586-323-2478** or email naturecenter@shelbytwp.org for more details.

\$120 residents, \$145 for nonresidents.



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 [facebook.com/burgessshadbushnaturecenter](https://www.facebook.com/burgessshadbushnaturecenter) for special event notes. Because of building restrictions, program registration is required, and we cannot accept walk-in visitors.

River Day

Free.....All Ages
Celebrate the Clinton River and learn about what makes this river crucial to the township and the rest of the Clinton River watershed. Walk along the river to see the plants and animals while learning how you can make a difference to the health of the Clinton River.

NCRIVER.01 2-4 PM 6/12

Pollinator Party

\$3 per person.....All Ages
Visit the nature center to celebrate National Pollinator Week. Learn about our most important pollinators and why we need to protect them. See why pollinators like the monarch butterfly and others are on the verge of becoming endangered. Sample some honey and make a craft.

NC POLL.01 2-4 PM 6/26

Log Cabin Celebration

Free.....All Ages
Celebrate National Log Cabin Day at the nature center's Pioneer Cabin. Tour the cabin and discuss the importance of the log cabin history and its humble beginnings. Make a craft and try your hand at building a log cabin.

NCLOG.01 11 AM-4 PM 6/27

Creatures of the Night

\$3 per child.....All Ages
Have you ever wondered which animals are active at night? Come and learn about nocturnal animals, insects and how they use their five senses to adapt to the night. This program features a night hike followed by a marshmallow roast and nature questions. This event is not suitable for those with night vision problems or children afraid of the dark.

NCNIGHT.01 8-10 PM 7/17

Guided Hike

Free.....All Ages
Explore the beauty of River Bends Park on a guided hike with the nature center staff. Hikes take place rain or shine. Hikes do not occur during severe weather, including thunderstorms. Dress appropriately, wear sunscreen and bring insect repellent. Call the nature center if you have any questions.

NCHIKE.02 2-3:30 PM 6/6

NCHIKE.03 2-3:30 PM 6/20

NCHIKE.04 2-3:30 PM 7/11

NCHIKE.05 2-3:30 PM 7/25

Saturday Storytime

\$2 per child.....Ages 3-5
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.

NCSTORY.01 11 AM-12:30 PM 6/5

NCSTORY.02 11 AM-12:30 PM 6/19

NCSTORY.03 11 AM-12:30 PM 7/10

NCSTORY.04 11 AM-12:30 PM 7/24

Academy Sampler Day

\$3 per child.....All Ages
Have you ever wondered what it's like to join a summer academy at the nature center? See for yourself at Nature Center Academy Sampler Day. Take part in projects, activities and lessons that provide an idea of how much fun you can expect at one of our upcoming summer academies.

NCSAMPLE.01 2-4 PM 5/29

The academies offered for the summer of 2021 include:

- Beginning Archery
- Intermediate Archery
- Advanced Archery
- Little's Nature Academy
- Junior Explorers Academy
- Exploring Nature Academy
- Nature Center Pioneer Living Academy
- Zombie Apocalypse/Wilderness Survival Academy
- Nature Art & Craft Academy
- Nature Center Dinosaur Academy
- Junior Entomologist Academy

Visit the Teaching Gardens at the Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center.



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Nature Center Academies

Whether it's archery or learning to use survival skills during a "zombie apocalypse," this summer's Burgess-Shadbrush Nature Center academies offer a chance for children to have fun while picking up exciting life lessons all summer.

Before each academy begins, registration and payment are required for enrollment. For more information, call the Burgess-Shadbrush Nature Center at 586-323-2478 or email naturecenter@shelbytwp.org. To pay with cash or a check, stop in at the nature center, call with credit card information or mail a completed registration form. Online registration is available at register.shelbytwp.org.

The nature center will send health forms, a summer recreation release form and a form naming authorized adults for child pick-up. Children must have all three forms completed and submitted to participate in nature center academies. Complete and return all forms on or before the first day of class.

Please arrive at least 30 minutes early on the first day of class to ensure all paperwork is in order. Each academy has a supply list for every course. Staff will email the lists at the time of registration and payment. If you do not receive the academy forms or supply list, contact the nature center, and staff will provide them to you in person or by email.

Parents and guardians are welcome to stay and observe or participate in every academy. Adult participation or attendance is not required except for the "Littles Academy." Academy descriptions listed below are scheduled at the time of publication and are subject to change.

**Enroll for most classes and activities
by visiting register.shelbytwp.org or find
an enrollment form on Page 19.**

Littles Nature Academy.....Ages 3-5
Preschoolers explore nature through walks, live animal visits, hands-on experiences, magnifiers, games, stories and more. Nature themes support science concepts, ensure fun and support imaginative play. Snacks are suggested.
\$33 resident, \$40 nonresident

NCLNA.01 9 AM-Noon 7/21-7/23

Junior Explorers Academy.....Grades K-3
Explore nature and natural science through walks, games and nature-inspired craft projects. Each day we take walks to learn about native plants and animals while gathering materials for our crafts and activities. Sun hats and water bottles are required.
\$59 resident, \$66 nonresident

NCJEA.01 9 AM-Noon 7/23-7/25

Exploring Nature Academy.....Grades 4-8
For kids with a strong interest in nature and science, this academy offers an opportunity to explore the wonders of the natural world and learn more about it.
\$59 resident, \$66 nonresident

NCENA.01 1-4 PM 7/23-7/25

Nature Art & Craft Academy.....Grades 3-8
Explore nature and build nature-inspired crafts. We will be taking daily walks for inspiration and to collect natural materials to use in our projects and learn about repurposing household items into eco-friendly art.
\$63 resident, \$70 nonresident

NCAAC.01 1-4 PM 7/20-7/23

Pioneer Living Academy.....Grades 3-5
Learn what a day in the life of a pioneer was like and enjoy yourself at the Pioneer Living Academy. Kids can learn how pioneers grew, processed and enjoyed food along with other life skills that are not so common anymore. Feel free to come dressed for the time period.
\$63 resident, \$70 nonresident

NCPLA.01 9 AM-1 PM 7/27-7/30

Zombie Apocalypse/Wilderness Survival Academy.....Grades 5-8
This new academy covers how wilderness survival skills can apply to surviving a "zombie apocalypse." Kids learn outdoor survival skills. On the last day, students apply those skills in a mock zombie attack. No weapons or violence can be used. Come prepared to be outside, no matter the weather.
\$63 resident, \$70 nonresident

NCZAW.01 9 AM-1 PM 8/10-/13

Dinosaur Academy.....Grades K-3
Join a fun, interactive class discussing dinosaurs using various teaching materials. Students entering grades K-3 become "junior paleontologists" in search of bones, fossils and tracks. Come dressed for the weather.
\$59 resident, \$66 nonresident

NCDA.01 9 AM-Noon 8/4-8/6

Junior Entomologist Academy...Grades 3-8
Join a fun class discovering the bugs around us. Using various bug-catching methods, kids entering grades 3-8 learn how to identify and classify bugs and the proper techniques to pin or display them. This academy takes place outdoors for most of the class, so dress appropriately.
\$59 resident, \$66 nonresident

NCJENT.01 1-4 PM 8/4-8/6

Archery

Classes meet at the Shelby Township Senior Bus Garage at 51670 Van Dyke Ave. Class size is 5-16 attendees.
\$59 resident, \$66 nonresident

Beginner Archery.....Grades 4-6
Children entering grades 4-6 learn and practice basic archery skills. Archery games strengthen sighting ability. Registered with the Camp Archery Association, this program allows members access to beginning-level competition for the "Junior Yeoman Archery Award." Students will receive more information regarding scoring and advancement during the first class.

NCABA.01 9 AM-Noon 6/14-6/17
NCABA.02 9 AM-Noon 6/28-7/1

Intermediate Archery.....Grades 4+
All enrollees must have completed the "Beginning Archery" course with the Burgess-Shadbrush Nature Center. Students entering grades 4 and above review and improve basic archery skills. The course offers competition for the "Yeoman Archery Award" and beyond. As a Camp Archery Association registered course, participants can continue from the rank they completed in Beginning Archery.

NCAIA.01 1-4 PM 6/14-6/17
NCAIA.02 1-4 PM 6/28-7/1
NCAIA.03 9 AM-Noon 7/12-7/15

Advanced Archery

All enrollees must have completed the "Beginning Archery" and "Intermediate Archery" courses with the Burgess-Shadbrush Nature Center and ideally have reached the level of "archer" or above. "Advanced Archery" gives young archers chances to practice and hone their archery skills. Registered with the Camp Archery Association, this program's participants continue from the rank they completed in "Intermediate Archery."

NCAAA.01 1-4 PM 7/12-7/15



SHELBY TOWNSHIP SENIOR CENTER

8:30 AM-5 PM Mon-Fri

14975 21 Mile Road

586-739-7540

seniors@shelbytwp.org

shelbytwp.org/seniors

Registration

The senior center is accepting registrations for 2021. Members must register annually for the Shelby Township Senior Center to participate in events and activities. This year, we will be distributing key tags for easy check-in. Please include emergency contact information so the center can update your member information. The cost is \$5 for residents of Shelby Township and Utica or \$10 for nonresidents. Please note, we are currently unable to register any new nonresidents.

Senior Loan Closet

Need medical equipment for short-term use? This closet is free to the community with items like crutches, canes, portable commodes, walkers and wheelchairs, which you can check out and use for a short time. Call us for more information and availability.

Veterans Representative

The Macomb County Veterans' Services office can answer questions by telephone. If you are an active-duty member of the military or retired service member with questions, please call Darryle Johnson at 586-469-6506 or visit vets.macombgov.org.

Senior Sports

The senior center offers exercise programs and sports for people of all activity levels.

Activities include walking, yoga, aerobics, pickleball and chair exercise.

See the calendar on shelbytwp.org/seniors for a schedule and how to sign up.

Senior Steering Committee

Shelby Township Parks, Recreation and Maintenance Department thanks the following people for their support:

Rick Stathakis, Supervisor

Joe Youngblood,
PRM Department Rep

Amy Drake,
Senior Coordinator

Joan Hemingway
Gloria La Grou
Michael Paszkowski
Mary Ann Swientoniowski

Facebook

Social media has become a wonderful way for us to communicate with all of you. Please make sure to "like" the Shelby Township Senior Center on Facebook to stay up to date on the latest news regarding classes, activities and gym times.

Find us at facebook.com/shelbytwpseniors.

Meet Koda

We have a new therapy dog at the senior center. Meet Koda around 9:30 a.m. on most Monday mornings.



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Registration required. Register by calling 586-739-7540 or by stopping by the front desk.

Current In-Person Classes



Bingo

10 AM

6/14, 6/28 (additional dates to come)

Bingo is back, in-person. Spots are limited so register today by calling 586-739-7540. The first card is \$1, every additional card after that is \$.50. We will be using single-use paper cards. Bring your own dauber or purchase one at the center for \$2.



Brain Games

1 PM

6/22 (additional dates to come)

Did you know that exercising your brain can help delay the onset of dementia? Keep your brain healthy and active by participating in brain games. Join this fun, no-pressure group by calling to register today.



Knit & Crochet

9:30 AM | Wednesdays

Share ideas and enjoy some conversation while you work on your own projects.



Quilting Group

12:30 PM | Wednesdays

Join the Shelby Senior Stitchers Wednesdays to work and talk with other quilters.



Greeting Card Class

10 AM

6/4, 6/25 (additional dates to come)

Register for this class in order to make hand-crafted greeting cards. Cards are \$.50 per card and supplies are limited.



Happenings

1 PM

6/4 (additional dates to come)

This group is about discussing current events and catching up with each other. Give us a call and let us know you'll be joining.

Dining Senior Style and Meals on Wheels

Macomb County Meals on Wheels has resumed their operation out of the senior center. At this time, a limited number of "to-go" meals are available daily. Meals are distributed on a first-come, first-served basis beginning at 11:15 a.m. If you are interested in receiving Meals on Wheels at your home, please contact Macomb County at 586-469-5228.

Movies



Movies are back, minus the popcorn. Please keep masks on while watching. Registration is required.



"A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood"

1 PM | PG

6/17

This wonderful true story is a look back in time at the real-life friendship between Fred Rogers and journalist Lloyd Vogel. Starring Tom Hanks as Mr. Rogers.

Take & Make Crafts



1-2 PM | Drive-thru pick-up

6/23

You can pick up craft kits via drive-thru. Kits are \$3 each. Call 586-739-7540 to reserve your kit today. When picking up, pull in the bus lane next to the senior center office and call the office to let us know you are here. If participants can't make the scheduled date or time, the center can arrange alternate dates or times. Supplies are limited and registration is required.

Blood Drive



In-person

6/24

The senior center hosts a Red Cross Blood Drive, Thursday, June 24. Please call the senior center to schedule an appointment or visit redcrossblood.org to choose a donation time. Because of COVID-19 restrictions, donors must have an appointment.

Flea Market

9 AM - 4 PM

8/5-8/6

The senior Flea Market is back 9 AM-4 PM, August 5 and 6. Stop in and shop for some undiscovered treasures.

Spelling Bee

Join in as our 2021 Spelling Team gears up for the October Spelling Bee. This group works together on a list of provided words to defeat spellers from other communities. Let the front desk know if you would like to join the team.

Senior News

Visit shelbytwp.org/seniors for the latest edition of the senior newsletter.

Transportation Info

Hours of Operation

9 AM-4:30 PM Mon-Fri

Transportation Office Hours

8:30 AM-5 PM Mon-Fri

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

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.

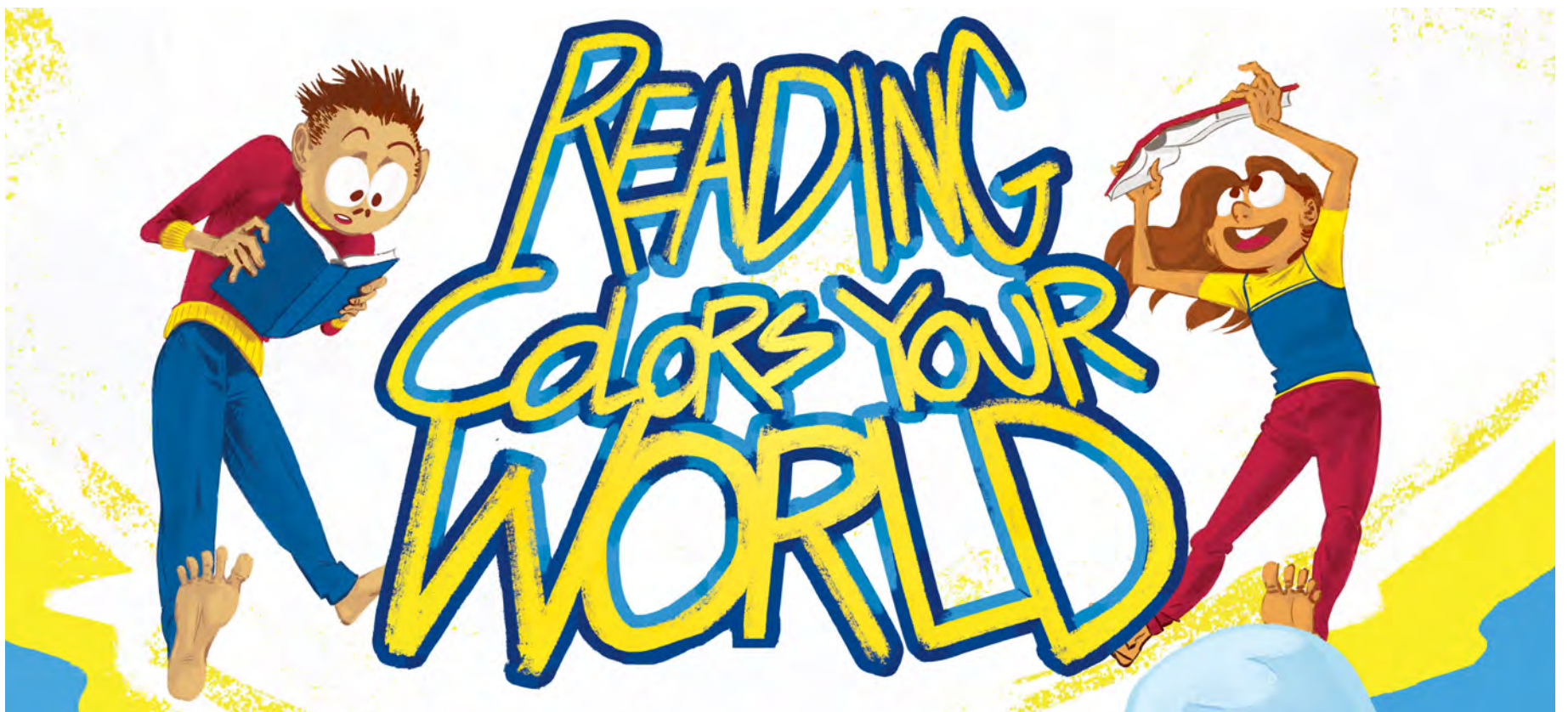
2. Group trips to local grocery stores are available.

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.



SHELBY TOWNSHIP LIBRARY SUMMER READING

9 AM-8 PM Mon-Thu | 9 AM-5 PM Fri & Sat | Closed Sun

51680 Van Dyke Ave.

586-739-7414

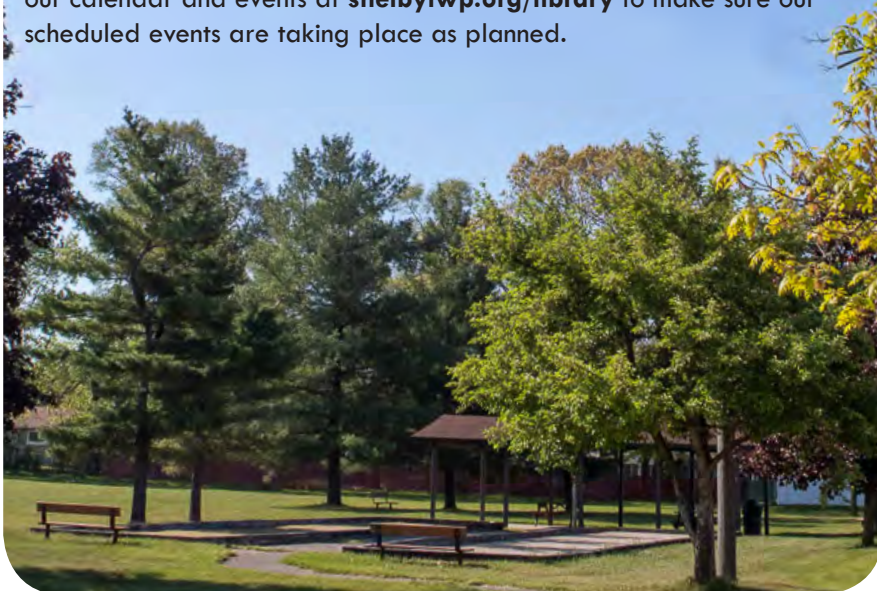
shelbylib@libcoop.net

PARK IT BEHIND THE SHELBY TOWNSHIP LIBRARY

As we adjust to changes in our lives and library programming, we invite our patrons to join us for summer programs behind our library at Senior Citizen Park at 51720 Van Dyke Ave.

Park in the library lot, meet us at our event tent and bring a blanket to join us for storytimes, concerts and more. These are our first ventures back into live programming since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic.

We are still offering some virtual programs at shelbytwplib.org/library or on our Facebook page, facebook.com/shelbytwplib. Please check our calendar and events at shelbytwplib.org/library to make sure our scheduled events are taking place as planned.



Track your summer reading with Beanstack

Join the Shelby Township Library for its Summer Reading Program and participate in challenges to keep you motivated and encouraged to read throughout the season. Between June 12 and July 31, track your reading and activities online at shelbytwplib.beanstack.org to earn prizes and raffle tickets for grand prizes.

Sign up through shelbytwplib.org/summer-reading or download the free "Beanstack" app. Starting June 12, pick up a free tracking log journal at the library while supplies last.

Track your reading &
participate in reading challenges
with





HOW TO GET STARTED:


1. Register at shelbytwplib.beanstack.org or download the free app "Beanstack" on your mobile device.
2. Click "Register an Individual or Family" and follow the prompts.
3. Create a username and password to sign in with your Shelby Township library card.



LIBRARY

 Registration required. Register by calling 586-739-7414.

 In-person program located at Senior Citizen Park behind the library.

 Online program you can access at shelbytwp.org/library on the air date.

All Age Programming

Rock & Roll Summer Kickoff Concert

1:30 PM | 6/12

Join us for an interactive family concert featuring songs about everyone's favorite animals. Bring a blanket to Senior Citizen Park behind the library.

Family Storytime

10 AM | Tuesdays
6/22 7/6 7/20 8/3

Bring a blanket to sit on and join us at Senior Citizen Park behind the library for stories, songs, rhymes and other fun activities for all ages.

Kids Art in the Park

1:30-3:30 PM | 6/30

Drop in to enjoy sidewalk chalk by the library garden and art projects at Senior Citizen Park behind the library.

Juggle Boy Nick

1:30 PM | 7/28

Come one, come all to watch award-winning juggler Nick Thomas perform jaw-dropping routines combined with comedy. Nick will amaze you with his unique skills and share tips and tricks to help you learn to juggle at home. Bring a blanket to sit on at Senior Citizen Park behind the library.

YoYo Tricks

1:30 PM | 8/4

Watch the YoYo Tricks professionals perform astonishing tricks and pick up some pro tips. Bring a blanket to enjoy the show at Senior Citizen Park behind the library.

Free Comic Book Day

All Day | 8/14

Comic book fans of all ages can drop in at the library any time to pick up a free comic book while supplies last. Wear a costume or T-shirt of your favorite comic book character for the chance to win a raffle prize.

Kids Programming

Mystery Maker Monday

Grades PK-4 Pickups Monday
6/14 6/28 7/12 7/26 8/9

Pick up a craft kit anytime on the first Monday each month while supplies last.

TechKnowKids: Science of Color

Ages 6-10
10:30 AM & 1:30 PM | 6/16

Conduct colorful rainbow science experiments with Ms. Cathy from TechKnowKids. Join us at Senior Citizen Park behind the library.

Baby Bears Storytime

Ages 3 & Under
10 AM | Fridays
6/25 7/16 8/13

Bring a blanket and join us at Senior Citizen Park behind the library for stories, songs, rhymes and other fun activities for children under 3 and their caregivers.

Binary Code Fun at Home Kit

Grades 1-4
6/26

Enjoy crafts and activities at home to challenge children in science, technology, engineering, arts and math. Supplies are limited, so register to get your kit. The pickup is Saturday, June 26. Registration opens June 12.

OpenSpot Theatre

Grades PK-4
1:30 PM | 7/10

Let's discover the basics of theatre. Learn about singing, dancing and acting, then help us put on our show with OpenSpot Theatre. Bring a blanket and join us at Senior Citizen Park behind the library.

Speed Paint a Story

Grades PK-4
1:30 PM | 7/14

Speed painter and storyteller Martina Hahn presents an interactive story told as she speed paints illustrations on a giant spinning canvas at Senior Citizen Park.

Rainbow Science Fun at Home Kit

Grades 1-4
7/24

Enjoy crafts and activities at home to challenge children in science, technology, engineering, arts and math. Supplies are limited, so register to get your kit. The pickup is Saturday, July 24. Registration opens July 10.

Teen Programming

Teen Advisory Board

Grades 7-12
6 PM | Thursdays
6/3 7/1 8/5

Join a teen council that creates teen displays, decorates the library and plans teen events at the library. Earn community service hours every month for attending. Bring a blanket and join us at Senior Citizen Park behind the library on the first Thursday of every month. Want to join? Call the library to request an application at 586-739-7414.

Teen Book Box Club

Grades 5-12 Pickups Saturdays
6/5 7/10 8/7

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 June 26 and July 24 for the next month's box.

Teen Virtual Art Gallery & Contest

Grades 5-12
6/12-8/14

Express your creativity and share your original artwork with the community. All forms of media are welcome. We'll host the artwork on the library's website in a special gallery, and the top three favorites will receive a prize. See the submission form for more information.

Teen Creation Kit

Grades 5-12 Pickups Saturdays
6/19 7/17

This monthly club uses different media to create art pieces such as painting, collage, sewing, and sketching. Share your creations with us @ ShelbyTwpLib on Facebook or Instagram, or email a picture to shelbytwplib@libcoop.net. Supplies are limited. Register June 5 and July 2 for the next month's kit.

Teen Art in the Park

Grades 5-12
1:30-3:30 PM | 6/23


Drop in to enjoy sidewalk chalk by the library garden and painting at the Senior Citizen Park pavilion behind the library.

Teen Juggling Workshop


Grades 5-12
1:30 | 7/7

Award-winning juggler Nick Thomas will share tips, tricks, and impressive demos to help you learn to juggle at Senior Citizen Park behind the library. Registration opens June 26.

Adult Programming

 **Technology Time**
Tuesdays & Wednesdays
Appointment Only

The library offers one-on-one technology help with our technology librarian. We provide stress-free services such as setting up new devices, downloading Beanstack, learning skills for a future library event and more. Call the library to make an appointment at 586-739-7414.

 **Spicy Book Bag**
Pickups Wednesdays
6/16 7/14

Dig in with a good read and good food in a handy bag you can keep. Register with 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 June 26.

 **Accessing Digital Library Services & Using Beanstack**
7 PM | 6/5

The library's Beanstack app is your key to our summer reading program. Read and earn points for rewards that will color your world. Need help accessing new reads on digital services like Hoopla or Libby? Tune in to learn how to sign-up for Beanstack and access digital reads. This virtual program takes place at shelbytwp.org/library.

 **Eat what you Grow from Your Garden to Your Gut**
7 PM | Wednesdays
6/16 6/23 6/30

As the garden season gets underway, we will share a series of three videos with the "Cultured Cook," Lisa Howard. She shows us some great recipes to use our harvest in colorful, tasty ways. This virtual program takes place at shelbytwp.org/library.

 **Michigan Activity Pass & Library Card Program**
7 PM | 6/17


Your library card is a pass to savings at museums and campsites across Michigan. Whether you take a trip across the state or plan a day visit to a local attraction, the library has you covered. It's time to discover new savings with your library card through the Michigan Activity Pass and Go Library Card programs. This virtual program takes place at shelbytwp.org/library.

 **Crystal Clear**
7 PM | 7/14

Some believe crystals can help heal, release, balance and make a shift in one's life. Kristy Robinett discusses crystals and vibrations for healing, love, abundance or more. Bring a blanket to sit on and join us at Senior Citizen Park behind the library.

 **Social Media Safety**
7 PM | 7/21

Our technology librarian discusses social media dangers, personal privacy settings and how to protect yourself, so you have a positive social media experience. This virtual program takes place at shelbytwp.org/library.

 **heART: Art Therapy Without a Therapist**
7 PM | 7/28


Learn about color, paints, textures and brush choices. The final piece you create will have you thinking outside of the box and be one you'll want to display or give as a gift. Wear old clothing, as this program could get messy. Class size is limited. Prepare to open your mind at the Senior Citizen Park pavilion behind the library. Registration opens July 5.

 **Garden Color Throughout the Year**
7 PM | 8/4

Gardener Katherine Ruth leads a class on how to keep your garden producing every color throughout the year. Bring a blanket to sit on and join us at the tent at Senior Citizen Park behind the library.


 **Using the Internet & Library Resources to Find Information**
7 PM | 8/18

Where do you start when searching for an old friend? Is there a place you can find old newspapers online? Where can you find repair information for a car? Our technology librarian discusses the databases used to answer these questions and more at the library. This virtual program takes place at shelbytwp.org/library.

 **Not Your Parents' Book Club**
7 PM | Tuesdays


Bring a blanket to sit on and join us in the grassy area behind the library, weather permitting. Newcomers are always welcome.

June 29: "Inland" by Tea Obreht
Aug. 31: "My Sister the Serial Killer" by Oyinkan Braithwaite
Sept. 28: "Where'd You Go Bernadette" by Maria Semple

 **Afternoon Book Club**
1 PM | Thursdays

Bring a blanket to sit on and join us in the grassy area behind the library, weather permitting. Newcomers are always welcome.

June 17: "Dear Edward" by Ann Napolitano
July 15: "Mrs. Dalloway" by Virginia Woolf
Aug. 19: "This Tender Land" by William Kent Krueger
Sept. 16: "How to Walk Away" by Katherine Center

 **Evening Book Club**
6:30 PM | Tuesdays


Bring a blanket to sit on and join us in the grassy area behind the library, weather permitting. Newcomers are always welcome.


May 11: "All Adults Here" by Emma Straub
June 8: "Warmth of Other Suns" by Isabel Wilkerson
July 13: "The Dutch House" by Ann Patchett
Aug. 10: "Transcendent Kingdom" by Yaa Gyasi
Sept. 14: "Conclave" by Robert Harris


 **Mystery Book Club**
10:30 AM | Saturdays

Bring a blanket to sit on and join us in the grassy area behind the library, weather permitting. Newcomers are always welcome.

May 8: "I'll Be Gone in the Dark" by Michelle McNamara
June 12: "The Broker" by John Grisham
July 10: "Troubled Blood" by Robert Galbraith
Aug. 14: "Without Mercy" by Lisa Jackson
Sept. 11: "The Marsh King's Daughter" by Karen Dionne

 Registration required. Register by calling 586-739-7414.

 In-person program located at Senior Citizen Park behind the library.

 Online program you can access at shelbytwp.org/library on the air date.

RESERVATIONS

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.

Enroll for most classes and activities by visiting register.shelbytwp.org. Look for the registration link and follow the prompts using your email address for login to our new Recpro database. Facility reservations and ticket sales are not available online.

Call the Parks, Recreation and 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.

For your convenience, a registration drop box is available for after-hours enrollment at the front doors of 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 our new address, 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.

For mail, fax or email registration, please complete and sign the enrollment form on the next page.

REGISTER ONLINE

Online registration for Shelby Township park and recreation programming is available through the township's new platform at register.shelbytwp.org.

If you have registered for programs or events with the Shelby Township Parks, Recreation and Maintenance Department, the Shelby Township Senior Center or the Burgess-Shadbush Nature Center within the past three years, your "household account" automatically transitioned to the new system. Established users must set a new password for the system by clicking the "Sign In" button and following "reset password" prompts.

New users must set-up a "household account" in the new system before submitting an online registration. To set-up a "household account," call Parks, Recreation and Maintenance at 586-731-0300.

If you have any questions, contact us at 586-731-0300 or shelbyprm@shelbytwp.org. The Parks, Recreation and Maintenance Department offices are open 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Offices are closed daily noon-1 p.m. for lunch.

DATES

Unless otherwise noted, registration for activities, programs and events is available now. Enrollment using any of the methods listed will be processed upon receipt.

Nonresidents must add \$7 for each activity unless the description lists a different fee.

EVENT RESERVATIONS OR TICKET SALES

A \$2 per family mailing fee is added to reservations 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 & PARTIAL ATTENDANCE

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

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.

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.

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.

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](https://www.facebook.com/shelbytwpparksandrec). Please check these areas before phoning PRM.

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.

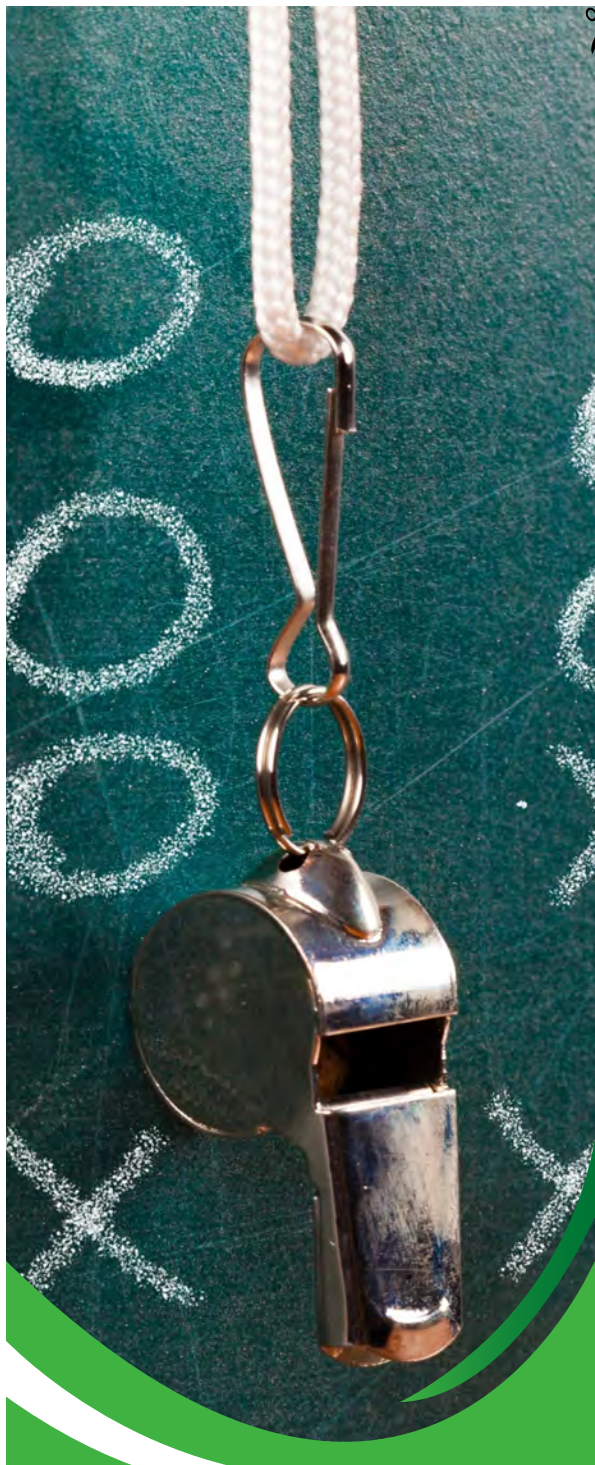
DEPARTMENT POLICIES

Anti-Discrimination - The Parks, Recreation and 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.

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. **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.**



VOLUNTEER

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.

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Check/Money Order # _____
 Credit Card - circle Visa Mastercard
 Credit Card # _____
 Cardholder's Name _____
 Expiration Date _____

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/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) _____

 First Name Last Name

 Sex Date of Birth Grade

 Activity # Activity Name

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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 _____
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Thursday, July 1, 2021

**SHELBY
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August 14 & 15

River Bends Park

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