# Hello!

Keeping the kids busy this summer doesn't have to be expensive or over-the-top. Below I've put together a list of summer activities for kids that will keep things fun and enriching! Some activities require you to pre-register, so be sure to research ahead of time!

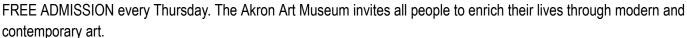
# BRING ON SUMMER!

Mrs. Galvin Social Worker

# **ONGOING SUMMER EVENTS:**

## AKRON ART MUSEUM

1 South High Street Akron, OH 44308 (330) 376-9186





Participation is a fun and easy way for kids to earn free books. They simply read a designated number of books, write about their favorite part in our Reading Journal, and bring a completed Reading Journal to a Barnes & Noble bookstore. Children then choose their free book from the books listed on the Reading Journal and collect their free book from a store near them during July and August.

#### **CANAL BOAT RIDES**

123 Tuscarawas St., Canal Fulton (330) 854-6835

The St. Helena III docks and departs from the Canal Fulton Canalway Center and can carry up to sixty passengers down an original section of the Ohio-Erie Canal. The canal trip is just a little over two miles round trip and takes approximately 55 minutes to travel.

## **CEDAR POINT**

Fun for all ages! The Cedar Point Pre-K Pass grants unlimited FREE visits to children ages 3-5 for the entire 2024 season.

## **CINEMARK SUMMER MOVIE CLUBHOUSE**

Bring the kids and enjoy exciting big-screen entertainment for just \$1.75 per ticket for each movie. Save even more on your visit with \$1 OFF deals on kids' snack packs and any size popcorn & drink combos during Summer Movie Clubhouse showtimes. Participating theaters will host Summer Movie Clubhouse on select days, June 10 through August 15.

## **CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART**

11150 East Blvd. Cleveland 216-421-7350 FREE ADMISSION every day!



#### COMMUNITY ART CENTER

2937 W 25th St., Cleveland

The community art center is a free, fun, and educational hands-on experience open to the public Friday-Sunday. You can walk around and see all the unique art displays, and when you're ready, you can make your way to the workshop rooms to do some hands-on crafts. No reservation is needed, and it's completely free!

## **FANNIE MAE CHOCOLATE FACTORY TOUR**

5353 Lauby RD., North Canton

free tours Monday-Thursday from 11:00a.m.-3:00p.m. at the top of each hour. To make reservations call (330) 494-0833.

### HOME DEPOT KIDS' WORKSHOP

The first Saturday of the month Home Depot has a free in-store workshop for kids. Each kid receives a craft to build, an apron, and a pin that has a little picture of the craft of the month. All supplies needed will be provided by Home Depot in-store. The workshop runs from 9a-12p.

## KIDS BOWL FREE

https://www.kidsbowlfree.com/

Registered Kids Receive 2 FREE GAMES Of Bowling Each Day Of The Kids Bowl Free Program All Summer Long!

### LOWE'S WORKSHOPS

Kids get a fun hands-on build kit that usually includes some type of hammering and or painting. They also earn an iron-on-patch for their apron. Aprons are free and are given the first-time they attend a workshop. Typically the builds take 30-45min. Lowe's workshop days are once a month, and advanced registration is required per their website guidelines. Be sure to register.

## MONEY MUSEUM AT THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF CLEVELAND

1455 E. 6th St., Cleveland

(216) 579-3188

Located inside the Cleveland Federal Reserve, the Learning Center and Money Museum is full of interactive exhibits where you will learn about the history of money, try to identify counterfeit bills, make your own currency and more!

## **REGAL SUMMER MOVIES**

\$2 kid movies every Tuesday at participating Regal theaters.

### RITTMAN LIBRARY SUMMER READING PROGRAM

Adventure begins at your library this summer beginning May 28th! Wayne County Public Library offers a free and fun Summer Reading Club for the entire family. The more you read, the more prizes you earn! On top of that, every location hosts special summer programs and events all summer long. Don't miss out on the fun!

## STORIES WITH A SNACK

Rittman Library

Every Tuesday 6/4-7/30 @ 11:00am

Read alouds with Rittman Elementary staff, snacks and literacy time with friends



# June 2024

6/1

## Medina Kids Day & Teen Fest

Medina Public Square

9am-4pm

Enjoy a day of fun activities for Kids & Teens! Magic show, face painting, petting zoo, rock wall, scavenger hunts, emergency vehicles, farmers market, action figure characters, flight simulations, gaming truck.

6/1

# Safety Day @ Sterling School Park

Kauffman Ave, Sterling

11am-3pm

Fire safety trailer, firefighter agility course, Wooster Twp FD Drone Team, OSP, Medway & K9 unit, WCH CPR & blood pressure checks, Balloon Guy, bounce house & obstacle course, free lunch.

6/3 & 6/17

# Chalk Up the Park-Rittman

10-12pm

Boxes of chalk will be available at a park around town & everyone is invited to help decorate the sidewalks & driveways around the park! Offered by the Rittman Rec.

6/3

#### Safe At Home Class

Rittman Library

1-2:30pm

This course is designed to prepare students in grades 4-6 to be safe when they are home alone for a short time. Students learn safe habits, accident prevention, cyber safety, dealing with weather emergencies and more. Registration for grades 4–6 is required.

6/4

# **Outback Ray**

Creston Library

4-5pm

Ever popular Outback Ray will be back with his wild animal friends.

6/4

## **Solar System Camp**

Rittman Library

6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25, 7/2 4:30-5:30pm OR 6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/11 1-2pm

Five solar system camp sessions brought to you by Ohio Learns 360 and PBS. Each session will offer engaging and hands-on science activities. Registration is required for grade 2-5.

6/5, 6/12, 6/19, 6/26

# Cosmic Kids Yoga

Rittman Rec Center

Bring your yoga mat & a friend as we project Cosmic Kids Yoga in the gym & go on an adventure together!

6/6

## **Summer Card Art Class**

Rittman Library

6-7pm

Spread some sunshine by creating three summer cards using a variety of card making supplies. Registration for ages 13 and up is required.

6/7

# **Family Game Night**

Rittman Rec Center

5-7pm

Bring your family and play a board game or create a game of your own!

6/8 & 6/15

# **Bauman Orchard Strawberry Festival**

Bauman Orchard, Rittman

8am-5pm

Food trucks, strawberry donuts, u-pick strawberries & more!

6/10 & 6/24

# **STEM Challenge**

Rittman Rec Center

9-10AM

Pop in anytime between 9 to 10 and see if you can complete an offered STEM challenge! Cup stacks, popsicle stick catapults, paper chains & more!

6/10

# Magic Camp 101

Doylestown Library

6-7pm

Join Mr. Zap and see a short magic show. Then go "Backstage" to learn the secrets using science, math and art. Registration for Backstage is for ages 9 and up.

6/11

# Tween Program with Lunch & Games: Magic and Mac & Cheese

Creston Library

11-1

Tweens in grades 4-8 will learn some magic tricks to take home with them. They will also participate in a mac & cheese taste testing for lunch! Registration required.

6/13-6/14

# **Hillside Baptist VBS**

Rittman

Each day is jam packed with fun activities!

# June 2024

6/15

# Kids Day at the Depot

Orrville Railroad Heritage Society: 145 Depot St,

Orrville

10-2

Magician J.R. Greco will perform magic tricks. Ride the Lion's Club train. Enter the corn hole contest. Photo booth, popcorn and snacks will be provided. Food vendors will be on site.

6/17

**Movie Monday: Parent Trap** 

Rittman Library 1-3:30pm

6/17

## Adventure with Dr. Dave

Creston Library

6-7pm

Adventure in the Woods with Dr. Dave will take a look at the science behind survival. Topics will range from staying warm, navigation, to keeping your belly full. We will learn about magnetism, taste buds, camouflage, satellites and more.

6/18

# **Summer Break Bingo**

**Doylestown Library** 

2-2:45pm

Join us for a fun game of bingo to earn fun prizes to enjoy on our beautiful summer days. Registration required.

6/18

# Wadsworth Blue Tip Festival & Parade

Kickoff @ 6pm. Downtown Wadsworth.

6/19-6/20

# Rittman Camp of Champions-Youth Football Camp

Heritage Hall

11am-1pm

Participants will learn the same techniques & fundamentals that are taught to the RHS varsity players. Grades K-8. Registration required.

6/19

# Kids Land hosted by Mosaic Wadsworth

Art Wright Stadium: 280 Grandview Ave. Wadsworth 12-8pm

Mosaic is excited to be back to Kidsland for the Blue Tip Festival! Bring the kids for face painting, crafts, prizes, Minion training ground, Minion shop, & of course pictures with your favorite characters!

6/20

## **Bubble Lady**

Rittman Library

11-12pm

The Bubble Lady, will wow you with bubbles that multiply, do acrobatic feats, and square bubbles. You won't believe your eyes when you see a person inside a bubble.

6/21

#### **Nature Preserve Hunt**

Rittman Nature Preserve

10-12pm

Head to the Nature Preserve for a hike anytime between 10-12 to grab a scavenger hunt paper! Come ready to go on a hunt to find animals, plants, and landmarks around the preserve!

6/22

### Paws to Read

Creston Library

11:30am-1pm

Stop in to share a book with Lil' Dude, a registered therapy dog.

6/23, 6/30, 7/7, 7/14, 7/21, 7/28

# Rittman High School Softball Open Fields

Rittman High School Softball Field

5-7pm

High school coaches & players will help build upon the youths fundamental skills. Need to register ahead of time. 6u-14u girls

6/24

## Crayola Academy: Comic Book Hero

**Doylestown Library** 

6-7pm

Join Crayola Academy and dress up our very own superhero! We have superhero templates and fashion textiles to kick-start the ultimate comic book star! Registration required for ages 5-12.

6/24-6/28

# Rittman Community Freewill Baptist VBS

Rittman Community Freewill Baptist Church: 346 N

Main St, Rittman

6-8:30pm

Each day is jam packed with fun activities!



# June 2024

6/25

# Tween Program with Lunch & Games: Road Trip and Picnic Lunch

Creston Library

11-1pm

Tweens in grades 4-8 will take a virtual road trip, learn paper map reading, talk about the states, cities and attractions along the trip route and enjoy a picnic lunch as well. Registration required.

6/25

## **Diamond Art**

Doylestown Library

4:30-5:30pm

Try your hand at Diamond Art and make a dragon keychain. Registration is required for ages 12-18.

6/27

# **United Titanium Bug Zoo**

Creston Library

6-7pm

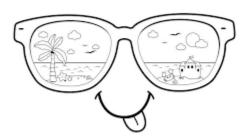
Come to the Creston branch to see the United Titanium Bug Zoo which will offer an engaging and educational experience. Students will learn about insect adaptations and have the opportunity to interact with several of the ambassador insects.

6/27-6/29

# **Olde Canal Days Festival**

123 Tuscarawas St NW, Canal Fulton

Parade, Jungle Terry, arts/crafts, food/concessions, museum tours, canal boat rides.



6/28

#### **Books in the Park**

Ashton Hall Park in Rittman

10:30-11:30am

All aboard! Visit your local branch and the Bookmobile at the park for a story time all about trains! Registration for all ages is required.

# July 2024

7/4 (register by)

# **Cooking Classes**

McKinley Presidential Library and Museum 330-455-7043 ext. 208

For just \$25 per child per day, your young explorers can join

us for a day filled with learning adventures July 11: Willy Wonka Science

Dive into the whimsical world of Willy Wonka as students learn the secrets of making ice cream with dry ice, concoct expanding gummies, and explore the wonders of tasting colors. Open to grades 4-6.

July 12: The Ultimate Bake Off

Let creativity soar as students participate in a bake-off challenge, crafting four unique recipes under the guidance of adult supervisors. Get ready for an experience reminiscent of the Kids Baking Championships. Suitable for grades 4-6.

7/8-7/10

# **Rittman Indians Volleyball Camp**

10am-12pm

Working with MS/HS coaches in building fundamentals and advancing skills. Cost is \$30/student. Must register. Grades 3-8.

7/11

# **Outback Ray**

Rittman Library 6-7pm

7/11

# **Pet Rock Adoption Agency**

Creston Library

6-7pm

Kids can select their perfect pet rock at this pet rock adoption event. We will have stations to pick a name, fill out a certificate of adoption with weight and height, build a home for your new pet and a journal to record your travels with your new friend! Registration required for kids 2-12.

7/12 & 7/13

# Milton Presbyterian Church VBS

250 North St. Rittman

6-8pm

Each day is jam packed with fun activities!

7/15

# Movie Monday: Gidget

Rittman Library 1-3:30pm

7/17-7/19

### Wadsworth Church of the Nazarene VBS

743 High St.

6:30-8:30pm

Each day is jam packed with fun activities! \*Scuba dive into Friendship\*

7/17, 7/24, 7/31

# **Popsicles in Paris**

Creston Library

10:30-11am

Join us for a fun activity to celebrate the Paris Summer Olympics followed by a popsicle. Programs will be held outside by our garden if weather allows. Registration required for ages 2-6.

7/23

# **Crystal SunCatcher**

Doylestown Library

4-5pm

Beautiful bead sun catchers to make with crystal-like beads.

Registration is required for ages 12-18.

7/27

## **Creston PAWS to Read**

Creston Library

11:30-1pm

Stop in to share a book with Lil' Dude, a registered therapy dog.

# August 2024

8/6

# **National Night Out Touch a Truck**

Rittman High School

Time: TBD

8/6

# **Back to School Bingo**

Doylestown Library

2-2:45pm

End of summer bingo for tweens and teens. Come win some fun prizes for back to school. Registration is required.

8/13 & 8/15

# **COSI Connects Water Kit**

Rittman Library

8/13: 4:30-5pm

8/15: 1-1:30pm

Come in and learn about water while doing a few experiments. Each child at the program will receive a COSI Connect Learning Lunchbox.. Registration is required for grades 2–5

