



Community Connections Newsletter

Activities and opportunities to help you gain friendships, grow independence and be included in your community!

Advocacy: Adventures in Advocacy

A fun group that helps you learn about speaking up and making informed decisions in YOUR life.



July 12, 19, 26: Self-Defense led by Piqua Police
August 9: Pen Pal; August 23: Plant Kits with Alisha & Amanda OSU Extension Office

No Advocacy on August 16 & 30
 3:30-4:30pm
 At Riverside (Training Center)

Advocacy: Regional Advocacy Meeting

Each month, we gather with friends from advocacy groups in Auglaize, Champaign, Darke, Logan, Preble & Shelby counties for a fun training focused on making healthy lifestyle decisions. Some meetings take place remotely, while others are held in the county hosting the training.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



July 25
 11-1pm at Preble County
 Van leaves Riverside at 10am returns @ 2pm

August 22
 11-1pm at Auglaize County
 Van leaves Riverside at 10am returns @ 2pm

Aktion Club

A fun way to make friends while developing service and leadership skills.



No July Meeting
August 2: Bike Trail Clean-up
 3:30-4:30pm
 At Riverside (Training Center)

A Tribute to ABBA @ The Rose Music Center & Roosters Restaurant

Eat first at Rooster's in Huber Heights, then on to concert!
 Bring \$20 for dinner plus tip. Bring extra \$ for concessions, if desired.

REGISTRATION & PREPAY REQUIRED (\$31.50 per ticket)

August 16
 Van leaves at 4pm and returns at 10:30pm



Bell Choir

We are looking for some music lovers to make new friends and music! If you are a seasoned musician or someone who has never played a handbell before, this group is for you!



ON SUMMER BREAK!
REGISTER TO JOIN

Belinda Carlisle Concert @ The Rose Music Center & El Toro

Eat first at El Toro for Taco Tuesday then on to the concert.
 Bring \$20 for dinner plus tip, plus extra money for concessions, if desired.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED & PREPAY (\$31.50 PER TICKET)

July 11
 Van leaves Riverside at 4:30pm
 & returns at 10:30pm



BINGO at Riverside

Bring your own snacks and drinks for fun BINGO games!

REGISTER TO ATTEND



July 27
August 24
 5:30-7pm
 At Riverside (Training Center)

Book Club

Discover new worlds through reading!

REGISTER FOR BOOK & LOG-IN INFORMATION



July 13, 20, 27
August 3, 10, 17, 24
 No Book Club on July 6 & August 31
 4-5pm
 At Riverside (Training Center)

Breakfast Chit Chat

Conversation and breakfast with friends at local restaurants.



REGISTRATION REQUIRED. MEET THERE

July 7: Cracker Barrel - 980 E. Ash St., Piqua
July 25: Frisch's - 20 Troy Town Dr., Troy
August 15: Bob Evans - 1749 W. Main St., Troy
August 29: Lighthouse Café- 213 N Main St., Piqua
 9:30-11am

Cardio Drumming

Join friends for a fun workout at Complete Fitness in Tipp City!
Prepay cost is \$7 per class.

REGISTRATION & PREPAY REQUIRED - MEET THERE

July 11, 25
August 15, 29

6-6:45pm

At Complete Fitness, 130 E. Broadway St., Tipp City

Cooking with Amy and Joy

Join the fun and learn to cook with your friends.

REGISTRATION & PREPAY REQUIRED



August 3: Copy Cat Fair Food Fun (Prepay cost \$8)

5-6:30pm

At Riverside

Craft Time!

Join your friends and enjoy an evening of crafts!

REGISTRATION & PREPAY REQUIRED

July 17: Patriotic Rice Candles (Prepay cost \$8)

August 15: Tie-Dye Ball Caps (Prepay cost \$5)

5-6:30pm at Riverside in the Training Center

Dayton Dragons Baseball Game

Join you friends for a night of fun at the ball park!
Bring Credit/Debit card for concessions.

FREE TICKETS - REGISTRATION REQUIRED



July 22

Van leaves Riverside at 5:30 pm

& returns at approximately 10:30pm

Dinner & a Movie

Join the fun with your friends while we dine and watch a movie in Huber Heights!

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



July 11, 25

August 8, 22

Van leaves Riverside at 4:30pm & returns approximately at 9:45pm

Fun with Friends

You pick where you want to go, who you want to go with, and what you want to do and we help plan it!

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



By appointment.
Register to plan.

Get Air Trampoline Park & Taco Bell in Huber Heights

We jump first then go to eat. Bring \$20 for admission & \$15 for dinner.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



August 8

Van leaves Riverside at 4:30pm
& returns at 8:30pm

Golf & Bowl Combo @ Hazzard Mini Golf & Marian Lanes in Huber Heights

(Weather Permitting)

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



August 11

Van leaves Riverside at 4:30
and returns at 8:15pm

Bring \$14 for golf & bowl combo.

Bring additional money for food/drink if desired.

Hike Miami County

Join us for leisurely walks learning about nature.
We will walk, sit, listen and observe.

REGISTER & MEET THERE

August 22: Clifton Gorge State Nature Preserve and Lunch

2381 OH-343, Yellow Springs

Bring \$20 for lunch

9:30-11am

Karaoke Night

Join us for a fun night of singing, laughing and having fun! Feel free to bring your dinner.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



July 20

August 17

5:30-7pm

Life Skills

Want to learn new skills in budgeting, cooking, driver's training study, grocery shopping, housekeeping, learning to read/vocabulary, learning to tell time, technology, etc.? Become more independent! Call us today!

Lunch & Fun with Joy

Join Joy for an afternoon enjoying lunch and a fun activity!

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

August 25: Lunch at Cracker Barrel and Cinemark Miami Valley in Piqua

Bring \$35 for lunch & movie. Leave Riverside at 10:30am and return at 2:30pm

Mayhem & Mystery Interactive Dinner Theater @ Spaghetti Warehouse

July 31

\$51 for dinner & show reservations.

Van leaves Riverside at 5:30pm
& returns at 10pm

REGISTRATION & PREPAY REQUIRED

Movie Night

Bring your dinner and join your friends for a great movie!

REGISTER FOR MOVIE INFORMATION



July 21

August 25

5-7pm

At Riverside (Training Center)

Reading Group

If you love reading but need some extra help this group is for you! Adults only.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



July 11, 18, 25

August 15, 22, 29

3:30-4:30pm

Scene 75 & City Barbeque

Dinner first, then arcade fun. Cost is \$20 for dinner and extra money for games and rides.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

July 14

Van leaves Riverside at 4:30pm
& returns at 8:30pm

SibShops - events for Siblings ages 7-12

Sibshops provides brothers and sisters of siblings with developmental disabilities with peer support and information in a lively, recreational setting.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



July 14 - Duke Park

August 11 - TBA in Piqua

6-8pm

Special Olympics - Softball Signups

All abilities welcome, join your friends, be part of a team and have some fun!
Register for more information!

June 26: First Practice

6:30-8pm

Riverside's Dickerson Field

Special Skills Sports Camp

Do you want to improve your skills? Join us for a fun day of camp!

REGISTRATION REQUIRED - BRING \$15 FOR LUNCH

July 6: Soccer Camp in Cincinnati

July 28: Football Camp @ Woody Hayes Athletic Center

August 18-Softball Camp @ Bo Jackson Elite Facility

Van leaves Riverside @ 8:45am & returns at 3:30pm

Sports Lessons

Do you want to learn skills in a new sport? Call us today!



Swim Lessons

Do you want to learn to swim but need some extra support? Call us today!



Swimming Fun!

Bring your sunscreen and join your friends for some water fun and sun!

REGISTER & MEET THERE, BRING MONEY FOR CONCESSIONS.



July 21 & August 4

Troy Aquatic Park

12-4pm

Cost \$8

Tots Move & Groove

Kids 2-5 years old move, groove and listen to music while getting exercise and meeting new friends!

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

July 26

August 23

4-5pm

At Duke Park (1670 Troy Sidney Rd., Troy), Shelter #1

MORE ACTIVITIES ON BACK >>>

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Troy, Ohio 45373

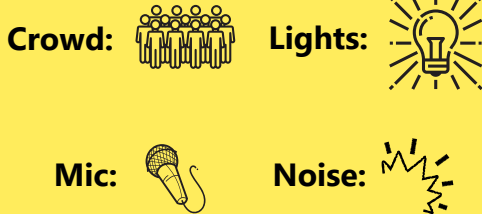
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**Registration BEGINS
June 22 at 9am**

You must wait until June 22 to sign up for activities.

Sensory Key

Please note events marked with these images.



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Tots Storytime and Nature Walk

Kids 2-5 years old join us for storytime, simple nature crafts, and nature walks at various Miami County parks!

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



July 19: Lost Creek Reserve
2385 State Rt. 41, Troy
10-11am

Wednesday With Friends

Meet Julie at the Troy-Miami County Public Library for a fun activity or craft.

July 12

12pm

WWE Friday Night Smackdown

Dinner at Raising Cane's (Beavercreek), then to the Nutter Center.

Van leaves Riverside at 5:15pm & returns at 11pm

August 4

REGISTRATION REQUIRED & PREPAY TICKET IS \$43

How to Register for Community Connections Activities:

- You must register for each activity to participate.
- To register, contact Krista at 937-310-3260 or krista.smith@riversidedd.org.
- Call/Email/Leave a voicemail. Once Krista has confirmed with you the events and the amount, you may choose one of the following options for Pre-Pay events:
 - You may mail a check (made payable to Riverside Recreation) to Riverside, ATTN: Krista Smith. You must include the name and date of the event in the memo portion of the check. OR
 - You may drop off a check or exact change payment (in an envelope, please) at Riverside in metal drop box by the front lobby door.
- Please call to cancel if you cannot make it to an activity you are registered to attend. We often have a waiting list for events and activities.
- We are sorry, but we cannot provide refunds for events that are pre-pay if you do not show up to the event.

Thank you for your cooperation!