

# January 2025



## UPCOMING EVENTS

Hello everyone,

A new year brings renewed energy for us all.

Look through the newsletter to find something of interest for you or a family member. We have ongoing programs as well as special events to take part in.

It is easy for you to register for programs.

Register online, by phone or in person at the Parks & Recreation offices. We accept cash, check, debit and credit cards (except American Express)

If you have questions regarding our programs, contact us at 860-848-6780.

Be sure to check our website for the most updated information as dates and times can change.

- Jan 2: Karate registration begins for residents
  - Jan 2: Dance registration begins for non-residents
  - Jan 4: 1st/2nd Grade Basketball clinics begin
  - Jan 6: Karate registration begins for no-residents
  - Jan 6: Gymnastics registration begins for Montville Res.
  - Jan 9: Gymnastics registration begins for non residents.
  - Jan 9: Yoga class begins—6pm Town Hall gym.
  - Jan 13: Karate classes begin
  - Jan 18: Dance session begins
  - Jan 28: Gymnastics classes begin
  - Feb 3: Yoga registration for residents begins
  - Feb 6: Yoga registration for non residents begins
  - Feb 8: Valentine’s Day craft class
  - Feb 24: Dance registration for residents begins
  - Feb 27: Dance registration for non residents begins
- All programs and dates subject to change**

## 1st and 2nd Grade Basketball Clinics—Montville Residents Only

Youth Basketball clinic registration is open! The program is for boys and girls grades 1 and 2. The program will involve Saturday morning practices beginning at 9am to 10am. Teaching fundamentals is the focus of the clinics. The clinics take place in the Tyl Middle School gym beginning January 4th.

**Program Fee: \$50/per child prior to December 27th, includes shirt. \$15 late fee after December 27th**



## Winners of the Home Holiday Light Contest

Grand Prize 300 F Maple Ave., Almeida Family

Classic Christmas 43 Spruce St, Johnson Family

Total Griswold 4 Florida Drive, Michaud Family

Winter Wonderland 17 Richard Brown Drive, Cregeur Family

Thank you to Signature Properties of New England for paying the light bill for the Grand Prize winner and to the Montville Rotary for judging and awarding the three \$50 checks to the category winners.



**Winter Wonderland winner  
17 Richard Brown Drive  
Uncasville**



**Total Griswold winner  
4 Florida Drive  
Oakdale**



**Classic Christmas winner  
43 Spruce St.  
Oakdale**



**Grand Prize winner  
300F Maple Ave.  
Montville**



# VALENTINE'S DAY CRAFT CLASS

Join us! Its free!!

**Saturday, February 8th, at 1pm**

Make something for Valentine's Day for a family member or special someone.

Fair Oaks Community Center

Limited to the first 50 children 12 and younger

Register by calling us at 860-848-6780 or

email [pbushway@montville-ct.org](mailto:pbushway@montville-ct.org)



## On Going Program Dates

These programs run year round. Each session is eight weeks.  
Check our website for specifics of each program.

**Karate classes:** Classes are held at JKA Montville's location at 1242 Old Colchester Road. Classes for ages 4 through adult. Sessions: \$80 Montville residents and \$95 for non-residents for once per week and \$120 residents and \$125 non-residents for twice per week. Next session begins Jan. 13th week

**Gymnastic classes:** Classes begin Jan 28th for children ages 18 months through high school on Tuesdays at Montville Town Hall. Varying levels of age and skill available. \$130 Montville residents and \$135 for non-residents.

**Dance classes:** Classes for children 3 years old through adult. Tap, Ballet, Jazz/Hip Hop, Tap/Ballet combo, Lyrical, Adult Tap, Ballet Barre. Check our website for specific days/times and class style. \$54 Montville residents and \$59 for non-residents. Next session begin Jan 20th.

**Yoga class:** Class is for adults 18 and older. Thursday nights from 6-7 pm in the Town Hall Gym. Heather Provost leads the class each week. All abilities are welcome. Next session begins January 9th for eight weeks. \$60 Montville residents and \$65 for non-residents.

These four programs are offered every eight weeks throughout the year. Be sure to check our website for the most up to date information for when they meet.



### Dance Classes

Dance classes in several disciplines, there is even an adult tap class. Starting at age 3.

Ballet

Tap

Ballet/Tap Combo

Jazz/Hip Hop

Lyrical

Ballet Barre



Karate Classes by Japan Karate Association of Montville

Youth I Ages 4-6

Youth II Ages 5-9

Beginners and Yellow Belts

Youth III

Ages 6-12

### Gymnastics Classes on Tuesdays by ABC Gymnastics

3:50-4:20pm

18 month to 3 years with parent/  
guardian

4:20-5pm

Ages 4-5 Class

5-5:45pm

Beginners



### Adult Yoga Practice

Eight weeks of classes held on  
Thursday nights in the Town Hall gym  
6-7 pm.

# Adult Volleyball

## **Free Drop-In Program**

The Montville Recreation Department will offer a Volleyball Program for men and women ages 18 and up. This is for all skill levels. The program is free of charge and runs on Wednesday evenings from 7 to 9 PM at the Tyl Middle School in Oakdale (come ready to play). Anyone wishing to play must fill out a registration form and sign a waiver liability release form prior to playing. For more information, please contact the Recreation Office.

Dates: November 6th thru May 28<sup>th</sup>

**Program #363311**



## Montville Parks and Recreation Department

The Montville Recreation Department offers a range of classes, programs and special events for the entire region. The Department also schedules Camp Oakdale playing fields, the large and small pavilions and classrooms at the Montville Community Center. We are always looking for new programs and special events to offer. Please contact us if you have an idea for a new program, class or event at 860-848-6780 or pbushway@montville-ct.org

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Parks and Recreation meetings are held on the 3rd Wednesday of the month, 6:30 pm at Town Hall.

### **Meetings are open to the public**

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