March 2025



Hello everyone,

As we head into the last of the winter months, it is important to stay healthy. Why not join one of our programs to keep you active. We have a variety of classes to select from.

Our Annual Easter Egg Hunt on April 12th and the ever popular Flashlight Egg Hunt. Don't miss out.

It is easy 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

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mar 3: Applications for Camp Counselors opens

Mar 13: Adult Yoga class begins

Mar 17: Karate classes begin

Mar 18: Dance classes begin

Mar 31: Gymnastics registration for residents begins

Apr 3: Gymnastics registration for non-residents begins

Apr 12: Easter Egg Hunt ages 10 and younger 1pm

Apr 12: Flashlight Egg Hunt ages 11-16, 7:30 pm

Apr 22: Gymnastics classes begin

May 12: Summer Camp registration opens

June 20-22: Montville Carnival—Fair Oaks grounds

June 23: Summer Camp begins

June 24: Farmer's Market opens for the season

June 26-27: Dance Recital

All programs and dates subject to change

SUMMER CAMP COUNSELOR JOB

APPLICATIONS OPEN

Want a challenging and rewarding job this summer? Then this is the place for you. Camp counselors are scheduled to work 40 hours per week for seven weeks. They also work approximately 33 hours of training time is held prior to start of camp. Counselors are responsible for planning and implementing activities for their group of campers, accompanying them on day trips and teaching social skills.

Pay begins at \$16.35 per hour. Approximate employment dates are between June 16th and August 8th.

Preference given to those not missing any time.

The application form can be found on the Town's website: www.townofmontville.org and click Human Resources.

Applications open March 3rd and close April 11th. Interviews held April 11-18.







Flashlight Easter Egg Hunt

The wildly popular Flashlight Easter Egg Hunt has returned.

For Montville residents ages 11 to 16 years old

Saturday, April 12th at 7:30 PM

Location: Camp Oakdale Ball Fields at 176 Meetinghouse Lane

Bring a flashlight and something to gather your eggs.

Limited to the first 50 registered.

Registration begins Monday, March 3rd and remains open until filled.

Register by calling our office at 860-848-6780

Co-sponsored by the Oxoboxo Masons





Annual Easter Egg Hunt

For Ages 10 years old and younger

Saturday, April 12th at 1pm.

Rain Date Sunday, April 13th at 1 pm.

Location: Camp Oakdale Athletic Complex

176 Meetinghouse Lane

Come visit the Easter Bunny!

The hunt begins promptly at 1pm; so, don't be late!

The Oxoboxo Masons will be on site collecting nonperishable food items for the Montville Food Bank, please donate what you can.



MONTVILLE FARMERS MARKET

Now accepting applications for the 2025 season

The goal of the Farmer's Market is to provide fresh, locally grown produce and home crafts to the community. This helps support local farms and provide great nutritious products for everyone.

Vendor fees: Early Bird Full Season Vendor (May 1st cut off) \$150 increases to \$180 after May

Early Bird Half Season Vendor (pick 8 markets. No changes) \$100

Guest Vendor \$ 15 per date

Qualified Farmers—no charge

Any questions, please contact the committee at montvillefarmersmarket@gmail.com



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 \$85 for non-residents for once per week and \$120 residents and \$125 non-residents for twice per week.

Gymnastic classes: Classes 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.

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. Eight weeks of classes. \$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
4:20-5pm
Ages 4-5 Class
5-5:45pm
Beginners
5:45-6:45pm
Intermediates
6:45-8pm
Advanced





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 28th

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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