# Summer 2024

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# Dor't Miss Our 30th Anniversary Picnic!

This year we are celebrating our 30th Anniversary! Don't miss our food and fun on Saturday, July 13



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# Monday Programs



Cooking:
Healthy Eating
July 8 - Aug12
10am - 12pm
Chapel Hill Church
\$15/day

Learn to cook recipes both delicious *and* healthy!



Cooking:
Breakfast!
Aug 19 - Sept 23
10am - 12pm
Chapel Hill Church
\$15/day

So many great ways to start the day. Learn a variety of tasty breakfast recipes!



Cooking: Harry
Potter Recipes
Sept 30 - Nov 4
10am - 12pm
Chapel Hill Church
\$15/day

Come make recipes found in the books and movies.
It will be magical!



Cooking: Recipes for the Holidays Nov 11 - Dec 16 10am - 12pm Chapel Hill Church \$15/day Please note that these cooking programs will be offered on Monday & Tuesday due to the number of participants and the kitchen size. The group will be divided geographically, please sign up only once.

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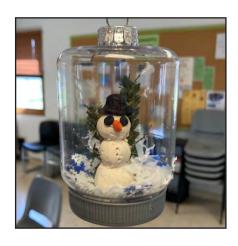
Bowling
July 8 - Dec 16
4-6pm
M-66 Bowl
\$15/day

2 games & shoes included. Join us for an afternoon of fun! Please note that this program will be offered on Monday & Wednesdays due to the sheer volume of participants. The group will be divided geographically, please sign up only once.



Fantasy Art
July 8 - Sept 30
10am-12pm
Trinity
Neighborhood
Center
\$12/day

This class takes it's inspiration from all things pop culture. Fantasy, sci-fi, super heroes, video games, anime and more will be the subject of the art we create in this class.



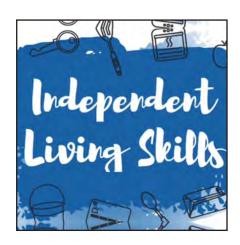
Holiday Art
Oct 7 - Dec 16
10am-12pm
Trinity
Neighborhood
Center
\$12/day

The holiday season will be our inspiration for all of the work we will create in this class. It's a fun class and a great way to make holiday decorations and gifts!





# Tuesday Programs



Adulting 101 Skills for
Independence
Oct 1 - Dec 17
10am - 12pm
Trinity Community
Center
\$12/day

This program is geared towards our participants that want to live more independently. We will focus on nutrition, cooking, money management, interpersonal skills, household skills, job skills as well as other similar subjects.



Adventure Club July 9 - Sept 24 10am - 12pm Various Locations \$12/day

Adventure Club invites you to join us for a program of sports, picnics, canoeing, movies, hiking, museums and more. Every week is a different adventure!



Movie Night
Sept 3 - Dec 17
4-6pm
Trinity Community
Center
\$10/day

Come spend fall evenings watching a good movie with friends.
Snacks provided.



### Tuesday Programs



Cooking:
Healthy Eating
July 9 - Aug13
10am - 12pm
Chapel Hill Church
\$15/day

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Aug 20 - Sept 24
10am - 12pm
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10am - 12pm
Chapel Hill Church
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Cooking: Recipes for the Holidays Nov 12 - Dec 17 10am - 12pm Chapel Hill Church \$15/day Please note that these cooking programs will be offered on Monday & Tuesday due to the number of participants and the kitchen size. The group will be divided geographically, please sign up only once.

# Tuesday Programs





**Summer Swimming July 9 - Aug 27** 4-6pm **Local Beaches** \$12/day

Enjoy the sun, the water, or lazing on the beach with friends. It's the best part of summer!

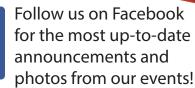


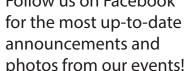
**Cardio Drumming** (Session 1) **July 9 - Oct 1** (Session 2) Oct 8 - Dec 17 4-6pm **CIR Building** \$12/day

Cardio drumming, seated fitness, Zumba, tai-chi, dancing are just a few of the different kinds of exercises we will do. Let's get healthy together. Music and friends make exercising so much more fun!











# Wednesday Programs



Games Galore
Aug 21 - Dec 18
10am-12pm
Trinity
Neighborhood
Center
\$12/day

We will enjoy activities and games such as scavenger hunts, game shows and much more!



Walking Club
July 10 - Dec 18
10am - 12pm
Various Locations
\$8/day

There's nothing like 2 games & shoes getting out of the house included. Join us for and enjoying a nice stroll an afternoon of fun! with friends. It's fun and *Please note that this* healthy exercise! *program will be* 



Bowling
July 10 - Dec 18
4-6pm
M-66 Bowl
\$15/day

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# Thursday Programs



Wellness Warriors
Aug 22 - Dec 19
10am-12pm
Location TBD
\$12/day

Need to lose a few pounds? Want to go up stairs without being out of breathe? Learn to eat and move healthier - and have fun too!



Kickball League
July 11 -Sept 12
4-6pm
Riverside
Elementary
\$10/day

How about a little competition? Play on a team and get ready for the Kickball Classic!





Music Lovers
(Session 1)
July 11 - Sept 26
(Session 2)
Oct 3 - Dec 19
4-6pm
Trinity Community
Center
\$12/day

I know there is a super star inside you just waiting to come out. Music Lovers is the place for you! There will be drumming, singing, dancing, body percussion, and more.

### Thursday Programs



Art & Nature
July 11 - Sept 26
10am - 12pm
Trinity
Neighbordhood
Center
\$12/day

Mother Earth gives us too much beauty to inspire us! We will be looking to her to help us create ecologically friendly art, sometimes going out in nature to make art outside, sometimes even using natural items in our backyard.



Water Aerobics Sept 26 - Dec 19 2-4pm YMCA \$15/day



Disc Golf
July 11 - Aug 1
10am-12pm
Various Locations
\$10/day



Sculpture
Oct 3 - Dec 19
10am - 12pm
Trinity Community
Center
\$15/day

We will be focusing on making 3D art using wood, plaster, resin, wire, clay and other art materials in this hands-on art class.



# Friday Programs



Game Night
Sept 13, Oct 4,
Nov 22, Dec 6
5-7pm
CIR Building
\$12/day

B-I-N-G-O spells bingo! Come hang out with friends, have some snacks, and try your luck at winning prizes!



Dances 5-7pm CIR Building \$10/day

**THEMES** 

**July 19** - Inside out & backwards

**Aug 16** - Superhero **Sept 20** - What's your favorite college team?

Oct 18 - Halloween Nov 15 - Silly Socks

Dec 13 - Holiday Ball





# Saturday Programs



Saturday Art
Series
July 20, Aug 17,
Sept 21, Oct 12,
Nov 16, Dec 21
11am-1pm
CIR Building
\$15/day

Do you need a creative outlet? Are you eager to learn more about making art? Every month we will make a different project using a variety of materials and techniques.



Cyber Saturdays
July 20, Aug 17, Sept
21, Oct 12, Nov 16,
Dec 21
1-3pm
CIR Building
\$12/day









Post Band Concert (1st) July 18 (2nd) July 25 7-9pm Festival Square \$12/person

Join us for this
Battle Creek
tradition. The Post
Band features both
up and coming
young artists as
well as seasoned
professionals
playing together.



Battle Jacks
Baseball
July 26
6-10pm
Bailey Park,
Battle Creek
\$15/person



Putt Putt Golf Aug 8 1-3pm Hold 'Em Here \$15/person



Leilapalooza
July 27
12-2pm
Leila Arboretum
\$12/person

Every summer the Arboretum puts on a Rockin' good show for the community with multiple stages and dozens of bands playing all your favorite type of music.







Pirates & Witches
Weekend
Aug 3
11am - 1pm
Cornwell's Turkeyville
\$12/person

Turkeyville is celebrating Pirates & Witches as we say farewell to summer and hello to fall in this fantasy event.





Golf Outing
Aug 15
10am - 12pm
Binder Park
Golf Club
\$15/person

Let's hit the greens and have a blast!
Beginners are welcome.



Day at the Fort Aug 9 Time TBD Fort Custer Recreation Area \$15/person



Vibe@5 (1st) Aug 2 (2nd) Aug 9 5-7pm Friendship Park \$12/person

Do you like music? We will be going to two of the Vibe@5 concerts this year featuring the best of local musicians.



One day a year we have an outdoor day camp blast! Enjoy a cookout, swimmning, games and more.



Kalamazoo Art Hop Sept 6 6-8pm Downtown Kalamazoo \$12/person

Join us for an evening of art, music and food in downtown Kalamazoo during their popular Art Hop events.



Kalamazoo Scottish Festival Sept 7 11am - 1pm Kindleberger Park, Parchment \$15/person

This festival will offer the full fare of Fun, Highland Games, Music, Piping, Dancing, Cultural Exhibitions, and Educational Talks.



Let's Go To The Movies! Sept 13 11am - 1pm Location TBD \$15/person

We will be enjoying a movie and snacks at a local theater.
No lunch outing included.









Kickball Classic Meet & Greet Sept 19 Start Time 5:30pm CIR Building By Invitation



Kickball Classic Sept 22 12-6pm Bailey Park FREE to Spectators



Haunted
Adventure
Oct 12
12-2pm
Turkeyville,
Marshall
\$15/person

Turkeyville puts on a Spooktastic event with a creepy hay ride, haunted barn, corn maze and more!





Gull Meadows
Farms
Oct 25
11am - 2pm
Richland
\$20/person

Fall Fun! Pick some apples, take a hayride and enjoy a hot fresh donut and cider!





KWings Hockey Nov 1 Start Time 7pm Kalamazoo \$25/person



Battle Creek
Symphony
Christmas Party
Dec 14
Start Time 6pm
WK Kellogg
Adutorium
\$15/person



Pinball Museum Nov 8 4-6pm Playable Pinball Museum \$15/person

Do you love retro gaming? Do you like the sounds of the buzzers, bells and bumpers? Come on down to this local gem for an afternoon of pinball fun!





Kalamazoo Valley Museum Dec 6 11am - 1pm Kalamazoo \$12/person

Let's go check out one of the coolest museums in Southwest Michigan. They have hands-on touring exhibits, an amazing permanent collection and a top notch Planetarium!





### Policies & procedures

### **Medication Administration**

In order to focus on safe and efficient medication administration at CIR, medications or medical devices used during program hours require a completed and signed 'Permission to Administer Medication' form.

Note: There will be no oral permission to administer medication.

### **Cancellation Policy**

Participants who are registered for a class or event and are unable to attend are required to notify CIR within 24 hours of the program. For any cancellation please call 269-968-8249 and leave a message with the appropriate program coordinator.

### **Weather Related Cancellation**

Classes and events may be cancelled due to weather conditions. If this should occur, CIR will notify you 3 hours prior to the scheduled program. If the CIR office is closed due to weather, please look on CIR's Facebook page for up-to-date information.

### **Transportation Policy**

Transportation is a privilege and generally has a waiting list. If you need to cancel your ride to an activity, we require a minimum 3 hour notice.

Accumulating 3 no call/no shows for pickup could result in suspension or loss of transportation for the season. Please call the appropriate program coordinator at 269-968-8249 and leave a message to cancel your ride.

### **Behavior Policy**

Respect other participants and staff while attending programs. This means no foul language, fighting, arguing, or bullying allowed. Failure to follow this policy will result in warnings, or even suspension from classes and events. CIR reserves the right to refuse services to participants, if necessary.

### **Payment Policy**

You may pay in full or make payments in advance for an activity. Payments may be made in the form of a check payable to CIR, money order, credit card, or by cash. Payment is due at the time of service (contract services excluded). Please note that payment must be made within 30 days of an invoice.

If you are a participant who receives services for recreation, arts or health and wellness programs through Summit Pointe, you must stay within the limits of your authorization or apply for a scholarship to enroll in additional activities. Please see (or call) a program coordinator for more information.

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