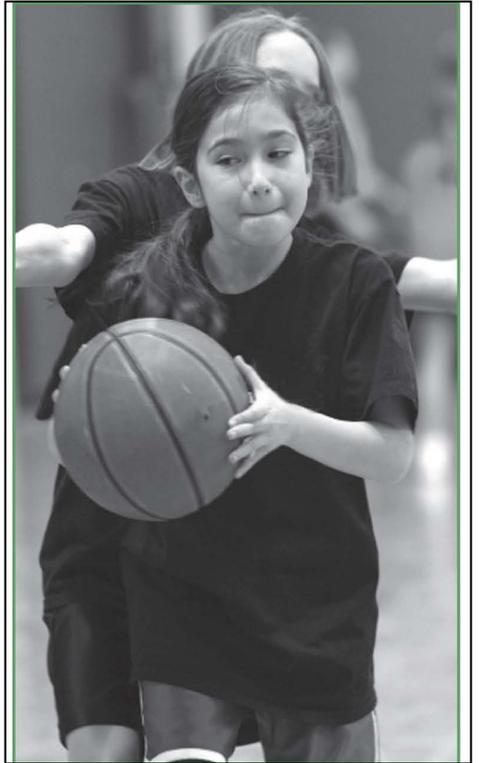
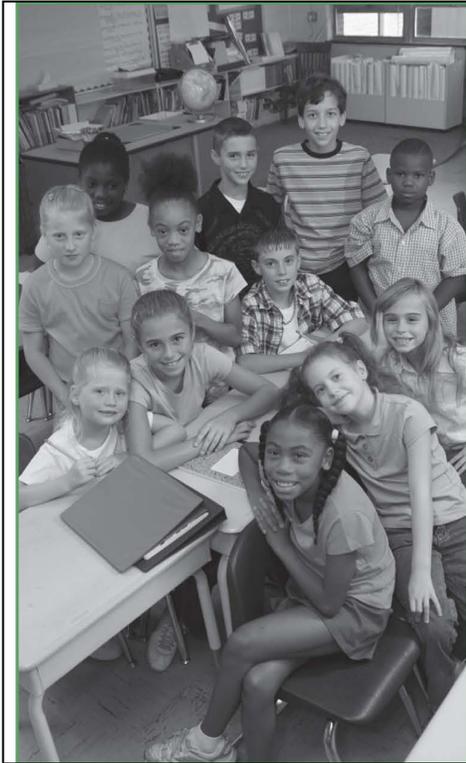


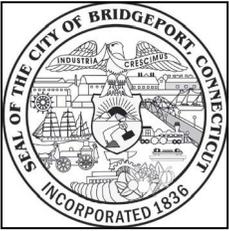
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# Summer Activities Guide

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# City of Bridgeport

999 Broad Street, Bridgeport, CT 06604  
Joseph P. Ganim, Mayor  
[www.bridgeportct.gov](http://www.bridgeportct.gov)



Dear Bridgeport Residents,

The City, through its Lighthouse After School and Summer Program, are pleased to present you with this publication highlighting the numerous programs available for children and their families to learn, grow and play throughout the summer. We hope you take advantage of the wonderful enrichment opportunities our area service providers and organizations are offering. From summer camps to golf programs, from the symphony to baseball, Bridgeport has it all.

On behalf of my family, and the City of Bridgeport, enjoy the coming Summer and discover what the Park City has to offer!

Sincerely,

Joseph P. Ganim  
Mayor

## City of Bridgeport Office of Youth Services

45 Lyon Terrace, Room 301  
Bridgeport, CT 06604

Tammy Papa  
Director

Phone: (203) 576-7252  
Fax: (203) 576-7239

[www.thelighthouseprogram.org](http://www.thelighthouseprogram.org)

On behalf of all service providers, many thanks to the public, private, and corporate sponsors of the programs offered within this publication. Without your financial support and commitment, we could not continue to provide such valuable services to Bridgeport's children and families. We would also like to thank the many volunteers, who on a daily basis, support all our efforts in working with young people by sharing their time, talents, and expertise. It truly makes a world of difference!

Sincerely,

Disclaimer: The information provided in this booklet has been obtained through various agency sources. We are not responsible for any misprints.

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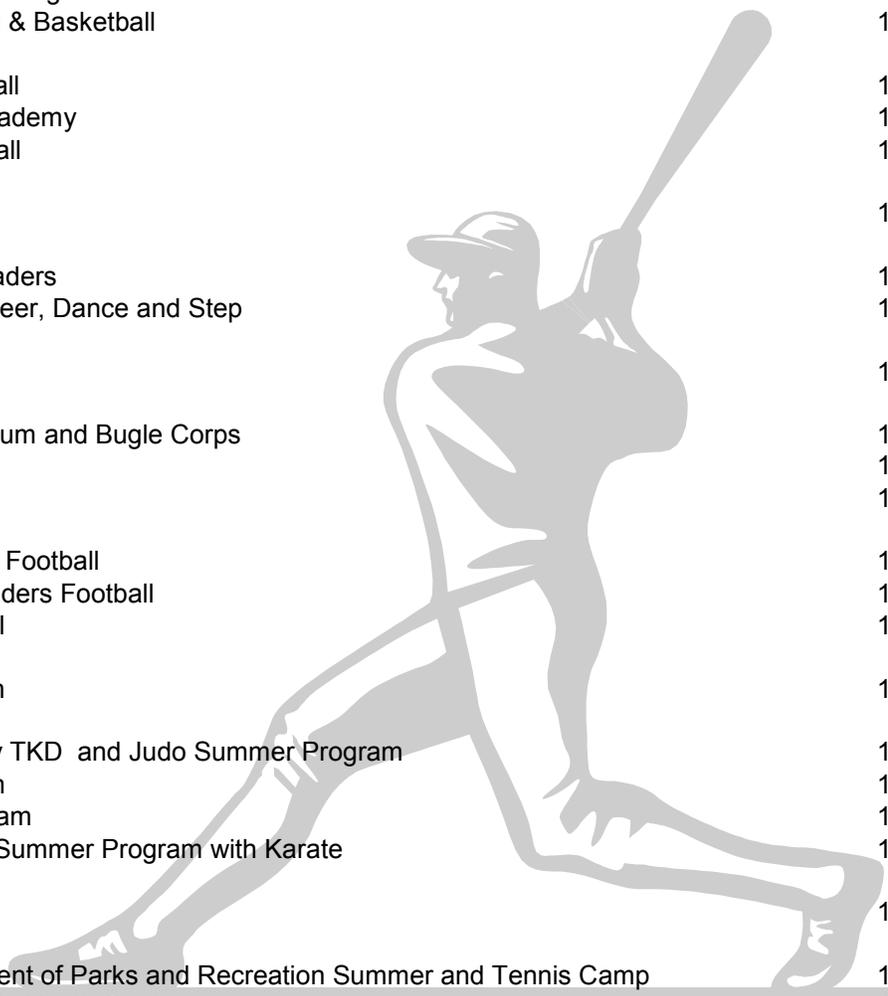
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**ABCD Inc.  
Early Learning Division**

1070 Park Avenue

**Year Round Full and Part Day Services**  
**Breakfast, Lunch and Snack Provided**  
**Ages 6 Weeks to 5 years**  
**Low cost or Sliding Scale**

Begin your child's educational success with our early learning centers.  
13 Early learning sites throughout the greater Bridgeport and Stratford areas.

Educated Teachers and Innovative Classrooms.

Children with special needs welcomed.

**Contact: Christy**  
**(203) 366-8241 ext. 221**  
**Website: www.abcd.org**

**ACCESS Educational Services, Inc.**

**August 1-August 12**  
**For Boys and Girls entering grades 4 through 7**  
**8:30a.m.-4:30 p.m.**  
**At Housatonic Community College**  
**No Transportation Provided**

**Fee: \$160**  
**\$25 Deposit due by July**  
**Breakfast, Lunch, Snack and one field trip included**  
Students will explore careers, develop interest and skills in STEM fields by engaging in fun, hands-on activities.  
Math and Literacy Enrichment  
Robotics/Learn to Code  
Nanotechnology  
3D Printing  
Amazing Art and Engineering Projects

**For more information:**  
**Contact: Gwen Brantley**  
**Phone: (475) 422-9515**  
**Email: access4kidz@gmail.com**



**BASE Camp at  
Fairfield University**

**July 10-22**  
**Cost: Free**

A residential (overnight) camp for high school girls interested in scientific research!

**Open to Bridgeport high school girls (sophomores and juniors)**

BASE camp is located at Fairfield University. High school girls work with faculty and undergraduates students on science projects and learn about the college admissions process and careers in health-care. All costs are covered, including housing, food and field trips.

Please see the website for the application and requirements.

**Contact: Shannon Harding**  
**(203) 254-4000 x3193**  
**Email: sharding@fairfield.edu**  
**Website: www.fairfield.edu/basecamp.**

**BAYM  
Computer Genesis Class**

**For more information,**  
**Contact: (203) 336-9333**  
**Email: mail@baym.org**

**Beardsley Zoo Patrol**

**July-August**  
**Ages: 6-14**

**For more information:**  
**Contact: (203) 394-6565**  
**Email: programming@beardsleyzoo.org**  
**Website: www.beardsleyzoo.org**

**Bikeport Co-op**

**Open all Summer**  
**Monday and Wednesday nights**  
**5-7 p.m.**  
**Free for city residents**

Bikeport Co-Op offers a free and open workshop for Bridgeport residents to learn bike safety and maintenance skills.  
Location: BPT Creates at the Arcade  
1001 Main Street, Suite 14

**For more information:**  
**Contact: Jacob Robison**  
**(203) 339-2455**  
**Email: bikeportct@gmail.com**  
**Website: facebook.com/bikeportct**

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**Bridgeport Caribe  
Youth Tutoring**

**Session 1-September to November**  
**Session 2-January to March**  
**Grades 3-8**

**Registration:**  
**8/21, 8/28 & 9/4 from 6-8 p.m.**  
**8/22, 8/29 & 9/5 from 10-1 p.m.**

Tutoring in math, reading and writing skills.

All registrations are held at:  
BCYL Office 1067 Park Avenue

**For more information, contact**  
**(203) 913-0073**  
**Website: www.bcyl.org**

**Bridgeport P.A.L.  
Police Cadet Program**

**July 5-29 Summer Program**  
**Ages: 12-18**  
**Boys and Girls**  
**Breakfast and Lunch Provided**

This program is designed to introduce youth to the different aspects of law enforcement and to educate them in this field.  
**Program is also held year round.**

Birth Certificate and fee required for registration.

Meetings held at the P.A.L. Complex,  
2 Quarry Road, Trumbull

**For fee and more information:**  
**Contact the P.A.L. Office**  
**(203) 576-7604**  
**Email: paltrumbull@aol.com**

**Bridgeport  
Police Explorers Program**

**Year Round**  
**Ages: 13-20**

**For more information:**  
**Email:**  
**Gabe.Meszaros@bridgeportct.gov**

**Bullard Havens  
High School Program**

**For more information, contact the school (203) 579-6333**  
**Website:**  
**www.cttech.org/bullard-havens**

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## Cardinal Shehan Center Summer Camp

June 20-August 5  
Monday-Friday  
Regular Hours 9 to 3 p.m.  
Drop off between 8:30-9 a.m.  
Early Drop Off: 7:30-8:30  
Extended Hours: 3-5 p.m.  
Ages 4-13  
Breakfast and Lunch Provided

Fee based on sliding scale.  
(must show income tax returns)  
\$60-\$120 Weekly  
Early drop off: \$15 /wk  
Extended Day: \$25/wk

Open to all City residents

The Cardinal Shehan Center Summer Camp Program offers campers a chance to excel both academically and athletically in an emotionally supportive environment. Our qualified staff is committed to providing a positive experience for your child in a safe, comfortable setting. Campers will have opportunities to use our facilities to the max; swimming, arts and crafts, music, photography, computers, basketball, field sports, tennis, dramatic arts, health & fitness, and dance. We also offer educational math and literacy classes. These programs, run by certified teachers help campers use their imaginations and stimulate their minds.

Some of our Summer Day Camp's most memorable moments have come from our special events and field trips to Maritime Aquarium, Lake Compounce, Six Flags and Bridgeport Bluefish games.

Registration closes when session is full.  
Space is limited.

Swim/Basketball Camp  
August 8-12

Call center for more information.

Tutoring and Swim Lessons

Will be offered in the evening during the summer months. If interested, please see the lobby desk for more information.

Contact: Justine Arnold  
(203) 336-4468 ext 111  
Email: [jarnold@shehancenter.org](mailto:jarnold@shehancenter.org)  
Website: [www.shehancenter.org](http://www.shehancenter.org)  
Find us on facebook!

## City of Bridgeport Office of Youth Services Summer Lighthouse Program

July 1-August 5 (July 4th closed)  
Monday-Friday  
8:30 to 5:30 p.m.  
Grades K-6  
New Separate Program for 7th and 8th  
Grades-See Below  
Sliding Scale-\$10 to \$40 per child per week depending on household income. Must provide 2014 Income Tax Return listing dependent child/children Care 4 Kids accepted.  
Breakfast and Lunch provided

For Summer 2016  
A \$25 non-refundable registration fee is required. Bank check or money order accepted, no cash or personal checks. Please go directly to the Lighthouse schools to register beginning 4/20/16. Payment arrangements and scholarships are available. No child will be turned away based on ability to pay

The Lighthouse Program brings together community sponsorship in Bridgeport schools to provide students with a safe and supportive environment after school, and during the summer. The program provides educational, cultural, and recreational opportunities to Bridgeport's students through a diversified approach to programming. It also includes athletic and recreational activities designed to motivate participants.

For more information, call the office of Youth Services at (203) 576-7252 or speak to the Site Coordinator at your school after 3 p.m. for space.

Website:  
[www.thelighthouseprogram.org](http://www.thelighthouseprogram.org)

### 2016 LIGHTHOUSE SCHOOL SUMMER SITES

- Barnum
- Beardsley (And Thomas Hooker)
- Blackham
- Black Rock
- Bryant
- Cesar Batalla
- Columbus
- Curiale
- Discovery Magnet
- Hallen
- JFK ( And Edison)
- Geraldine Johnson
- Luis Munoz Marin (And Hall)
- Madison
- Park City Magnet
- Read
- Roosevelt
- Tisdale (And Dunbar)
- Waltersville
- John Winthrop

## City of Bridgeport Office of Youth Services BYC-IMPACT

July 1-August 5 (July 4th closed)  
Monday-Friday  
8:30 to 5:30 p.m.  
Grades 7-8 Only  
Membership Fee:  
\$50 per student for summer  
\$75 per student afterschool

A program designed specifically for 7th and 8th graders. Sports, music, art, academics, community service, leadership opportunities and so much more. Offered at All Schools with a Lighthouse Program.

For more information, please see the BYC Impact Leader at the school or contact the Department of Youth Services at (203)576-7252.



## City of Bridgeport Office of Youth Services Mayor's Conservation Corps

Open to All High School Youth

If you are interested in the environment and ways in which you could make positive changes in the community, the conservation corps is for you.

Activities include school clean up, rain barrel set up, speaking to residents about home energy efficiency and talking to children about recycling.

For more information,  
Contact Ezequiel Santiago  
(203) 576-7290

Email:  
[Ezequiel.Santiago@bridgeportct.gov](mailto:Ezequiel.Santiago@bridgeportct.gov)  
Website: [www.bridgeportct.gov](http://www.bridgeportct.gov)

## City of Bridgeport Office of Youth Services

For Teens - Ages 14 to 18  
Call 203-576-7252 for a complete list of scheduled summer activities along with possible employment opportunities after May 1.

## Discovery Museum and Planetarium Summer Programs

June 20-August 5  
Grades K-9  
Full and Half Day  
Weekly Themed Programs  
Extended Day Available  
Fees Vary; Member Discounts

### Awesome New Programs!

Spy Lab, 3 D Design, Space Academy  
Robot Maker, Sports Science, Color Creations, Roller Coaster Science and Fashion Lab

Plus many more, including Bug-U, Candy Lab, Mini Makers, A Pirate's Life, Maker Blocks, Dinos, Mad Scientist Lab, Ocean Explorers and Many More!!

### Details and Registration:

[www.discoverymuseum.org](http://www.discoverymuseum.org)

For More Information, contact:

Lynn Olins

(203) 372-3521 ext. 121 or ext. 117

Email: [olins@discoverymuseum.org](mailto:olins@discoverymuseum.org)

## Fairfield University Upward Bound

Students in grades 9-12 from Central, Harding and Bassick High Schools

Low income/First Generation College Bound students

Students can apply during their 9th and 10th grade

No Cost to Students or their families

A federally funded TRIO program, services provided include academic instruction in core subjects, instruction in SAT preparation, study skills, time management and other pertinent topics, college classes and seminars; college essays, applications, FAFSA, scholarships, etc., tutoring, mentoring, parent seminars, college tours, academic counseling and cultural trips.

Structure: Students must participate in both the academic and summer components.

Summer Component: 6 weeks which include: 4 residential and 2 community with transportation provided, academic instruction, college preparation and field trips and college tours.

For more information,

Contact (203) 254-4000 ext 2494

## Hall Neighborhood House Care Around the Clock

For information,

Contact: Jill Lamberti

(203) 345-2052

Email: [jlamberti@hnhonline.org](mailto:jlamberti@hnhonline.org)

## Hall Neighborhood House Sports and Wellness Clinic

52 George E. Pipkin's Way

June 20-August 12

Monday-Friday

8:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Fee: \$390 for 7 weeks or \$65 per week

Extended Day:

4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Fee: \$25 per week

Ages 10-15

Registration: April 1-May 31

\$10 non-refundable registration fee

Breakfast, lunch and snack provided

Junior Tennis Club

August 8-12

Fee: \$60

Activities include Robotics, Basketball Skills Training, College Visits, Community Project, Field Trips, Literacy, Math, Health and Nutrition Workshop, Swimming and Tennis Skills Training.

The program provides Bridgeport youth with a safe, nurturing and supportive learning environment and is designed to give youth a positive experience in science and recreation.

Contact: Rachel Smith

(203) 345-2051

Email: [rsmith@hnhonline.org](mailto:rsmith@hnhonline.org)



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## Junior Achievement

Contact: Beverly Balaz

(203) 382-0180 ext.11

Email: [bbalaz@jawct.org](mailto:bbalaz@jawct.org)

Website: [www.jawct.org](http://www.jawct.org)

## Kennedy Center Autism Project

The Autism Project provides services for children ages 3-21 and their families.

Services include summer camp support, social activity groups as well as sibling, recreation, respite groups, behavioral services, parent training support and workshops. Week long summer programs and social activity groups provide opportunities for children with autism to learn social skills through age appropriate and fun activities. Groups are facilitated by experienced staff and incorporate volunteer support. Groups are held after school and on Saturdays

For more information contact:

Peggy Ordway (203) 332-4535 ext 337

Email:

[autism@kennedyctr.org](mailto:autism@kennedyctr.org)

Website:

[www.thekennedycenterinc.org](http://www.thekennedycenterinc.org)

## Kennedy Center Individualized Support In The Bridgeport Lighthouse Summer Program

July 1-August 5

Monday-Friday

8:30-5:30 p.m.

Do you know a child who would benefit from extra support while at the Lighthouse Program?

The Kennedy Center can help children with disabilities or at-risk be more successful with their social skills, behavior and academics at participating Lighthouse Summer Programs.

Requests for support services are completely voluntary at no extra cost to families.

For participating sites contact:

Francesca Logan (203) 612-6111

Email: [yeo@kennedyctr.org](mailto:yeo@kennedyctr.org)

Website:

[www.thekennedycenterinc.org](http://www.thekennedycenterinc.org)

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## Kingdom Little Ones Child Care Center

1277 Stratford Avenue

For more information contact:  
Kenya Moales-Byrd  
(203) 336-0023  
Email:  
kingdomlittleones@sbcglobal.net

## Adam J. Lewis Preschool

246 Lenox Avenue

Ages 3-5

For program information, contact:  
(203) 333-2211  
Email: ajlpreschool@gmail.com  
Website:  
www.adamjlewispreschool.org

## Camp Agape at Love Christian Academy STEM Enrichment

June 27-July 29

Monday-Friday 8 to 5 p.m.

At Love Christian Academy  
729 Union Avenue

Breakfast and Snack provided  
Fee: \$400 Early Bird

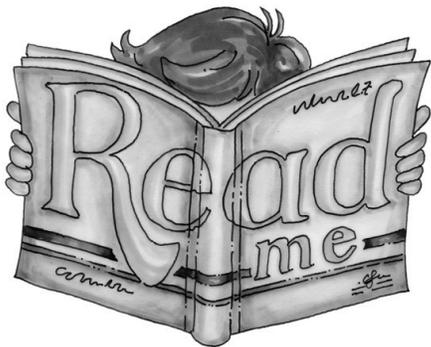
June 1st: \$475

Weekly rate: \$100

Science, Technology, Engineering & Math

For more information:

Contact: 203-366-5824 or 203-330-1467



## McGivney Community Center Summer Day Camp

338 Stillman Street

“Where Kids Come and Grow”

June 27-August 12

8:30 to 3 p.m.

Extended day: 3 to 5 p.m.

Fee: \$70 per week

Sibling Discount

Additional \$25 per week for extended day.

Breakfast and Lunch provided

Open to the first 120 children going into grades K-8 for the 2016/2017 school year.

McGivney’s Summer Day Camp is licensed by the State of CT. All campers will participate in a rotating schedule that will consist of Arts and Crafts, Computers, Game Room, Gym, Math, Reading and Team Building. Campers will also enjoy fun field trips. (All field trips will require a fee)

All campers will receive a camp t-shirt

Contact: Joe DeSabella

(203) 333-2789

Email: jdesabella@mcgivney.org

Website: www.mcgivney.org

## National External Diploma Program

925 Broad Street

Are you looking for a way to earn your high school diploma? The National External Diploma Program may be right for you if you are over 18 and have access to a computer. NEDP is a web-based program for adults who want to earn a high school diploma by demonstrating their mastery of skills in a none-on-one setting. Students work through online assignments and meet weekly with an Assessor/Advisor to review the completed tasks. This program is self-paced but is typically completed in six to eight months. This program is offered through a partnership between Literacy Volunteers, the Bridgeport Public Library and Bridgeport Adult Education.

Literacy Volunteers also offers free year round classes for adults, age 18 and over,

who want to improve their basic reading, writing, math and/or English speaking skills.

For more information or to schedule a registration appointment,

Contact: Lisa Wolfeiler

(203) 576-7012

Email: lwolfeiler@bridgeportpubliclibrary.org

Website: www.lvbpt.org

## Project Learn

For more information,

Contact: Sean Campbell

(203) 334-1121 ext. 244

Email: seancampbell@ccgb.org

Website: www.ccgb.org

## Ralphola Taylor Community Center YMCA

790 Central Avenue

Summer Activities

For more information,

Contact the office

(203) 576-7430

Website: www.rtccymca.org

## Reaching Higher Ground Leadership Academy

For more information, contact

Jacqueline Atkinson

Email: jatkinson@rhginc.org

Website:

www.reachinghigherground.org

## Salvation Army Summer Program

Camp Connri

(overnight camp)

Session 1-June 27-July 1

Session 2-July 18-22

Monday-Friday

Ages 7-12

\$50 per child

For more information contact:

Major Katherine Longcoy

(203) 334-0995 ext. 102

Email: Kathe-

rine.longcoy@use.salvationarmy.org

Website:

www.bridgeport.salvationarmyct.org

## St. Marks Daycare Center

368 Newfield Avenue

### School Age Summer Program

June-August  
Full Day Hours Only  
Monday-Friday  
6:30-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 6 to 12  
Fee: \$145 per week

Limited spots available based on sliding scale (Income Guidelines)

### Breakfast, Lunch and Afternoon Snack provided

### Open to all Bridgeport residents

All day summer program offers daily literacy, gardening, indoor/outdoor athletics, cultural fieldtrips, family events, computer free play, music, arts and crafts, cooking and weekly swimming.

**Contact: Tenisha Holeyfield**  
(203) 335-3828 ext. 123  
Email: thsmdcc@gmail.com  
Website:  
www.stmarksdaycarecenter.com

## St. Paul 's Child Development Center Preschool

1475 Noble Avenue

### Ten Week Summer Program

June 20-August 26  
Monday-Friday  
7:30-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 3-5

We also welcome families to use our summer program pm on a weekly basis from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. or 8 a.m-4 p.m.

### Open to all Bridgeport residents.

We offer weekly themes, including on site and off site visits to area parks and museums.

**For cost and more information,**  
**Contact Priscilla Henchman**  
(203) 384-6023  
Email: stpaulscdc@gmail.com  
Website: www.stpaulscdc.com

## Summerfield United Methodist Church

### "Light On the Hill"

Summer Program  
July 5-August 12  
Monday-Friday  
9-5 p.m.  
Ages 4-13  
Fee: \$110 per two week session  
(Sibling Discount)  
Breakfast, Lunch and Snack Provided

### Open to all Bridgeport residents

Program offers daily academics, arts and crafts, painting, singing dancing, twice-daily outdoor play, all in a safe and loving environment. Children are encouraged to bring their swimsuits to play in our sprinklers. There is time set aside daily for use of the computers and free play. Nutritious meals are provided at no additional cost. There are also weekly specials which in past years have included magicians, field trips to the Beardsley Zoo and Maritime Aquarium, Mad Science and outdoor cook-outs.

**Contact: Geraldine Nelson or**  
**Rev. Herron Deyon Gaston**  
(203) 367-8783  
Email: sumc110@sbcglobal.net

## The College Place-CT

At Housatonic Community College  
Room B-110

A free college access center for all ages

- \*College information and planning
- \*Individual assistance with applications for college, financial aid and scholarships.
- \*Free materials on college topics in English and Spanish
- \*Group presentations on college and financial aid topics.

**For information or to make an appointment contact:**  
**Holly Franquet**  
(203) 335-0381  
Email: ConnecticutTCP@ecmc.org  
Facebook: The College Place-CT

The College Place-CT is an ECMC Initiative

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## The Housatonic Career Experience

At Housatonic Community College

HOU will u b?

June 27-July 1  
Monday-Friday  
Fee for 1 Track \$175  
Fee for 2 Tracks \$260  
5 Days/8 Career Tracks/1 Location

### Choose from these tracks:

Engineering Technologies, Art,  
Business Administration, Finance  
Human Services and Early  
Childhood Education, Criminal Justice  
Computer Technologies and  
Medical Assisting

**For information or to register,**  
**Call (203) 332-5057 or**  
**Email: bsalzman@hcc.commnet.edu**

## The Nehemiah Commission

**For information,**  
**Contact: Janet Ortiz**  
(203) 384-6158  
Email: jortiz@nehemiahcomm.org  
Website: www.nehemiahcomm.org

## The Village Initiative Project Inc. College Preparatory & Life Skills Program

**College Prep and Tour**  
**Grades 8-12**  
**Summer College**  
**Tours available in July for 5-8th graders!**  
**Free Registration and Membership**

The program focuses on study habits, listening skills, note-taking, time management, public speaking, SAT prep, major selection, financial aid, financial literacy, current events and much more.

The primary purpose of V.I.P. is to stimulate a desire and maintain an interest in students to excel in high school. Our mission is to increase the number of under-represented students in higher education.

**For more information,**  
**Contact: Teresa Wilson**  
**Phone: (203) 394-6688**  
**Email: vipcollegeprep.inc@gmail.com**  
**Website: www.thevipinc.org**

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## Unique and Unified Summer Program of Park City Communities

733 South Avenue

For more information, call  
(203) 953-2529 or (203) 337-8847

## University of Bridgeport Reading for Students

**Pre K-High School  
Summer Reading  
Tuition and material fees vary by  
program level.**

For Pre-K and students entering Kindergarten, the program will develop reading readiness skills and motivation. For students entering first to fifth grades, the program will develop strong phonics and decoding skills, build slight vocabulary, learn to read more fluently and rapidly, and make significant gains in reading comprehension. For middle and high school, study skills, note taking, reading and vocabulary. High school includes an ACT/SAT prep course.

**For more information,  
Contact: 1-800-978-9596**



## Wakeman Boys and Girls Club Smilow-Burroughs Clubhouse 2414 Fairfield Avenue

**Summer Camp**  
Session 1: June 27-July 8  
Session 2: July 11-22  
Session 3: July 26-August 5

**Current Member Pricing per Session:**  
Before Care 8-9:30 a.m. \$20  
Camp Day 9:30-4 p.m. \$70  
After Care 4-5:30 p.m. \$20  
Care 4 Kids Accepted

**Optional Free Lunch Provided**  
Space is limited-First Come, First Serve

Enjoy our full day camp filled with indoor and outdoor sports, computers, game room, arts and crafts, academics, educational group games, studio and more.

Registration requirements:  
Payment is due in FULL at time of registration-ONLINE Only!

All medical health forms are due two weeks from date of completed registration. (Physical exam and immunizations dated after 7/31/13 plus authorization to administer medication, if needed)  
Payment plans, refunds and scholarships are not available.

Past balances due from membership or program fees will prevent from registering!

**Contact: Jenn Vega**  
(203) 908-3378  
Email: [Jenn@WakemanClub.org](mailto:Jenn@WakemanClub.org)  
Website: [www.wakemanclub.org](http://www.wakemanclub.org)



## YMCA Summer Camp 850 Park Avenue

**Summer Camp**  
June 20-August 19  
1 Week Sessions Offered

**Camp Hours 8-4 p.m.**  
**Extended Camp 4-5:30 p.m.**  
Grades 1-9

**Care 4 Kids Accepted**  
**Financial Assistance offered**

**Breakfast and Lunch Provided**

Every day the campers will participate in a range of outdoor and indoor activities including swimming, arts and crafts, literacy, field games, group activities, games and sports.

**For more information and cost,  
Contact: Michelle Genest**  
(203) 332-6447 ext. 2342  
Website: [www.bridgeportymca.org](http://www.bridgeportymca.org)

## YMCA Swimming 850 Park Avenue

We have swim lessons for babies, kids, teens and adults!

**Contact:**  
**Melissa Osanitsch**  
(203) 334-5551  
Website: [www.bridgeportymca.org](http://www.bridgeportymca.org)



## **Ain't No Stoppin' Us Now** **Because our Youth is On the Move**

We are a group of young people speaking out about peer pressure, self esteem, religion, school, and more! Involving youth in important discussion; it's time for a change.

Come or call about the experience of radio, and much more every Tuesday 3:30-4:30 pm. Pizza is provided!

Contact Bobbi Brown  
(203) 333-1124  
Email: [bmcatfocus@aol.com](mailto:bmcatfocus@aol.com)

## **ASK: Summer Program at the Klein**

For more information, call  
1-800-424-0160  
Or visit [www.theklein.org](http://www.theklein.org)

## **Bridgeport Arts and Cultural Council**

1001-12 Main Street

Contact Marianne Brunson Frisch  
(203) 522-4154  
Email: [mbfrisch@brideportarts.org](mailto:mbfrisch@brideportarts.org)  
Website: [www.bridgeportarts.org](http://www.bridgeportarts.org)

## **Bridgeport Public Library**

All Bridgeport Library Locations

### **Summer Reading**

Musicians, Magicians, Animals,  
Science Program and Super Heroes  
**ALL FREE!**

June 22-August 14

For Youth: Every Hero has story  
Read Books-Get prizes!!

For Adults: Escape the Ordinary

Contact:  
Youth Services Department  
(203) 576-7400 x408  
Email: [youthservice@bridgeportpubliclibrary.org](mailto:youthservice@bridgeportpubliclibrary.org)  
Website: [www.bportlibrary.org](http://www.bportlibrary.org)

## **Built 4 Praise Dance Academy**

### **Summer Camp**

For Information:  
Cassandra Griffin  
(203) 583-2460  
Email: [dubcbpt@aol.com](mailto:dubcbpt@aol.com)

## **Burroughs Community Center**

2470 Fairfield Avenue

(203) 334-0293  
Website: [www.burroughscc.org](http://www.burroughscc.org)

## **C.H.A.M.P.** **Community Hands in Action** **Mentoring Program**

For more information,  
Contact: Reuel Parks  
(203) 535-7688  
Email:  
[champmentoringrparks@gmail.com](mailto:champmentoringrparks@gmail.com)

## **Child and Family** **Guidance Center**

180 Fairfield Avenue

Care Coordination Program  
Emergency Mobile Psychiatric  
Services  
Grandparents/Kin Raising  
Grandchildren  
Outpatient Behavioral Health  
Services  
The Parent Project

For more information, call  
(203) 394-6529  
Website: [www.cgcb.org](http://www.cgcb.org)

## **Creative Youth Productions**

Youth Leadership through the Arts

Summer Performing Arts Program  
July 5—July 29  
Monday-Friday  
9-3 p.m.  
Ages 11-18  
Fee: \$25 one time registration

Breakfast and Lunch provided  
Open to all city residents

Dance, singing, theatre and some video.  
Culminating productions. Held at James  
J. Curiale School. 50 slots available.

Contact:  
Sheila McCarthy (203) 868-4280  
Email:  
[sheila.b.mccarthy@gmail.com](mailto:sheila.b.mccarthy@gmail.com)  
Website: [www.cypkids.org](http://www.cypkids.org)

Mail all applications and checks to  
Creative Youth Productions, Inc.  
53 Davis Avenue #1,  
Bridgeport, CT 00605

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## **Downtown Cabaret Summer**

263 Golden Hill Street

For more information, call  
(203) 576-1636  
Website: [www.mycabaret.org](http://www.mycabaret.org)

## **Girl Scouts of Connecticut**

Day & Resident Camp Opportunities  
Day camps in Bristol, Manchester,  
Weston, Milford, Oxford and Leba-  
non, CT

Fee: \$250 to \$450 depending on  
length of time and program  
One week day camp in New Milford,  
CT

Fee: \$190 for the week  
Open House July 17 from 4-6 p.m.  
Bus transportation is available at all  
day camps from surrounding towns  
Resident camps in Tolland, MA and  
Lebanon, CT

Fee: \$475 to \$1,145 depending on  
length and program  
1 and 2 week programs available  
Leadership opportunities for girls  
Entering grades 9-12  
Open house for all camps May 1st  
from 2-4 p.m.

Make new friends, sing silly songs, build  
a campfire, hike the trails; adventures  
await at GSOFCCT Summer Camps.

Contact:  
(203) 239-9622  
Email: [camp@gsofct.org](mailto:camp@gsofct.org)  
Website: [www.gsofct.org](http://www.gsofct.org)

## **Goodwill Industries** **Youth Services**

For more information, call  
(203) 368-6511  
Website: [www.gwct.org](http://www.gwct.org)

## **Greater Bridgeport Symphony**

446 University Avenue

Contact:  
(203) 576-0263  
Email: [Opsgbs@gmail.com](mailto:Opsgbs@gmail.com)  
Website: [www.Bptsym.org](http://www.Bptsym.org)

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## Janus Center for Youth In Crisis

**Summer Enrichment Program for High School Students**  
**July 6-August 5**  
**Monday, Wednesday and Friday**  
**9-1 p.m.**  
**Ages: 14-17**  
**Fee: Free**

**Transportation Provided**  
**Free Lunch**

Exciting Workshops  
Weekly Field Trips  
Community Hours Certificates

**Contact: Stephanie Milfort or**

## JobCorps Region One

*Operated for the Department of Labor*

**Attention: 17 to 24 year olds.**  
You are invited to find out about Job Corps every Tuesday at 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. Presentation will last about one hour.

Please arrive 10 minutes early. Doors closed at 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. If you are late, you will be asked to come back the following week. Space is limited. NO Children.

Office Location:  
St. John's Family Center  
1067 Park Avenue

**Contact: Kelly Connor**  
**(203) 549-1501**  
**Email: Connor.Kelly@jobcorps.org**

## Kennedy Center

**Volunteers/Interns Needed**  
Excellent opportunities to explore career options, fulfill services/internship hours, and connect with others.

**To intern or volunteer,**  
**please contact:**  
**Barbara Germak**  
**(203) 332- 4535 ext. 270**  
**bgermak@kennedyctr.org**

## March for Education Foundation Volunteer Program

**High School and Adult Students**  
**Weekly Meetings**  
**6-7 p.m.**  
**Fee: Free**

The March for Education Foundation offers students and adults who seek volunteer credits or a letter of recommendation for college or employment, a chance to participate in planning events, program and field trips for fellow students and creation of committees and boards to enhance their leadership skills.

**For more information,**  
**Contact: Timothy Cooper**  
**(203) 522-2511**  
**Email: teambridge-**  
**port@marchforeducation .org**  
**Website:**

## Neighborhood Studios Camp Hart

391 East Washington Avenue

**Program Dates-Contact office**  
**9-2:30 p.m.**  
**Ages 6-18**  
**Breakfast and Lunch provided**  
**Fee: Sliding scale based on income-**  
**transportation available**  
**Open to all**

Camp Hart builds its program around the performing and visual arts. The camp provides a welcoming and supportive atmosphere for youth with special needs and their non-disabled peers. The campers study theater, dance and movement, music and the visual arts. A theme is chosen and is developed throughout the different artistic areas. All of these disciplines re featured in an original play that the children and staff perform at the end of the camp showcase and open house. Students benefit from a low in-classroom ration of three adults to every ten students and an outside of class ration of one adult to every five students. Students take part in recreational activities, including swimming and field trips.

**Contact: Becky Cline**  
**(203) 366-3300 ext. 221**  
**Email: rcline@nstudios.org**

## Neighborhood Studios Conservatory

**Program Dates-Contact Office**  
**9:30-3:30 p.m.**  
**Ages 13-18**  
**Lunch provided**  
**Free-Youth aged 14 and older receive**  
**a \$50-75/week stipend**  
**Open to City residents**

The Conservatory is an arts and career program for teens interested in dance, drama, music, drawing, painting, sculpture, graphic/web design or photography. Participants receive intensive training, career coaching and preparation to pursue the arts in college and beyond. Youth will also take part in professional and personal development workshops such as job readiness, writer's workshop and financial literacy. The program culminates in two performances and an Art Show.

**Contact: Gabie French**  
**(203) 366-3300 ext. 223**  
**Email: g french@nstudios.org**

## Neighborhood Studios NFSC/Ailey Camp

**Program Dates-Contact office**  
**9-3:15 p.m.**  
**Ages 11-14**  
**Breakfast and Lunch provided**  
**Free**  
**Open to City residents**

AileyCamp is a summer day camp where pre-teens are "turned on" to dance, and come to respect the discipline of dance as a physical activity which requires athletic abilities that are comparable to skills demanded by any sport. Participants take part in four dance disciplines as well as classes in creative communication and personal development. At the end of camp, the youth demonstrate the skills they have learned in a performance celebrations for the whole community.

**Contact: Becky Cline**  
**(203) 366-3300 ext. 221**  
**Email: rcline@nstudios.org**

**RYASAP  
MYO AmeriCorps**

For information,  
Contact: (203) 579-2727  
Website: [www.ryasap.org](http://www.ryasap.org)

**Southwest Community  
Health Center  
School Based Health Centers**

**Sites Include:**  
Bassick 203-275-3100  
Central 203-332-5546  
Blackham 203-396-8532  
Cesar Batalla 203-579-8517  
Read 203-576-7743  
Roosevelt 203-275-2123  
Pre-K to High School

A fully equipped, comprehensive, health care center located in the school. Providing a variety of medical services including Physical exams, Sports physicals, Immunization updates, Diagnosis/treatment of minor illnesses, Management/treatment of asthma and diabetes, Dental exams and cleanings, Health education, Coordination of care with your current provider.

**How to enroll:**  
Retrieve an enrollment form from the school's main office.  
Go to the health center and fill out form.  
Only requirement is that the student attends the school.

**State of CT Education  
Resource Center**

For a complete list of special needs programs available throughout Connecticut, please call 1-800-632-1485 or visit [www.ctserc.org](http://www.ctserc.org)

**The Center for Family Justice**  
753 Fairfield Avenue

For information, call  
(203) 334-6154  
Website:  
[www.centerforfamilyjustice.org](http://www.centerforfamilyjustice.org)

**World Artist Network  
Summer Art Program**

Arcade Mall 993 Main Street Unit 5

The World Artist Network offers interdisciplinary art workshops where the fun of art is tied in with learning problem solving skills, develop cognitive ability, critical thinking and verbal skills.

Contact: Valeria Garrido-Bisceglia  
(203) 202-2904  
Email:  
[valeria@theworldartistnetwork.org](mailto:valeria@theworldartistnetwork.org)



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**YouthWorks  
A Program of the WorkPlace**  
238 Fairfield Avenue

**Ages 16-24**  
From low income household who meet federal eligibility requirements

YouthWorks is a comprehensive youth development program that helps youth and young adults, discover, plan and prepare to enter employment or college. Programs offered are Educational Services, Career Exploration, Occupational Skills Training, Job Search Assistance College Preparation, Paid and Unpaid Internships.

**Summer Employment Opportunities**  
Ages 14-24

Through Summer Youth Earn and Learn Employment Program. Visit the website for Applications and Guidelines on line.

A Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) program, funded by the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration.

The Workplace is an equal opportunity employer program. Auxiliary aides and services are available for individuals with disabilities.

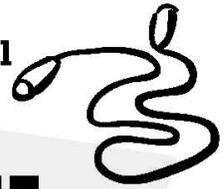
Contact: Karl Buckey Walden  
(203) 489-5046  
Email: [kwalden@workplace.org](mailto:kwalden@workplace.org)  
Website: [www.workplace.org](http://www.workplace.org)



**A day of fitness and fun for enrolled Lighthouse and Recreation Summer Program students!**

**The Mayor's Office of Education and Youth 5th Annual**

# Healthy Kids Day

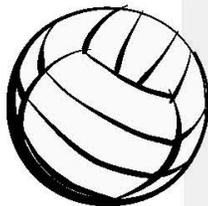


Kids can participate in up to 10 different sports and fitness activities with their peers - whether they've played before or want to try something



**When: July 20, 2016**

**Who: Kids in Grades 4 - 8**



**No cost to participate**



**Advertise your business or organization by sponsoring us!**

**For more information, visit [www.thelighthouseprogram.org](http://www.thelighthouseprogram.org) and click Events.**

**Special Thanks to Our Sponsors**



# The Barnum Museum

820 Main Street  
Bridgeport, CT 06604

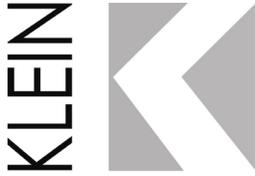
For Information:  
(203) 331-1104



## City Lights Gallery

855 Main Street

For information:  
(203) 334-7748  
Email: [citygallerybpt@gmail.com](mailto:citygallerybpt@gmail.com)  
Website:  
[www.citylightsgallery.org](http://www.citylightsgallery.org)



**Klein Memorial Auditorium**  
910 Fairfield Ave. Bridgeport, CT. 06605  
1-800-424-0160  
[www.theklein.org](http://www.theklein.org)

## The Bijou Theatre

275 Fairfield Avenue

For information:  
(203) 332-3228  
Email:  
[info@thebijoutheatre.com](mailto:info@thebijoutheatre.com)  
Website:  
[www.thebijoutheatre.com](http://www.thebijoutheatre.com)

## Downtown Cabaret Theatre

263 Golden Hill Street

For information:  
(203) 576-1636  
Email: [tickets@mycabaret.org](mailto:tickets@mycabaret.org)  
Website: [www.dtcab.com](http://www.dtcab.com)

## DISCOVERY Museum and Planetarium

4450 Park Avenue  
Bridgeport, ct 06604  
(203) 372-3521

### The Adventure Park at Discovery Museum

An aerial forest ropes park, this is a great place to bring the kids and an excellent opportunity for teambuilding .

(203) 690-1717  
Email: [info@discoveryadventurepark.org](mailto:info@discoveryadventurepark.org)  
Website: [www.discoveryadventurepark.org](http://www.discoveryadventurepark.org)



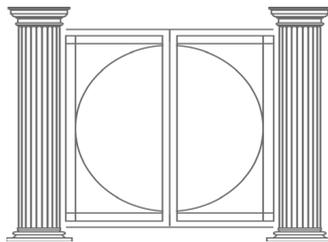
**Wonderland of Ice**  
*Summer Hockey and Skating Camps*  
*FreeStyle Ice*

Learn-to-Skate-Programs also available.  
All ages are welcome.

Please Call for Prices, Schedules and Details  
Open to all City residents  
No skating experience necessary

The Wonderland of Ice is a twin NHL ice rink facility in Glenwood Park that is open year-round. Instructional programs are offered in recreational skating, ice hockey and figure skating for all ages and abilities. The daily open skating session is a great family activity and rental skates are always available. The Wonderland of Ice hosts a full service snack bar and sports shop on the premises, making it a popular venue for birthday parties.

Contact: Lisa Fedick  
Phone: (203) 576-8118  
Email: [Lisa@wonderlandoffice.com](mailto:Lisa@wonderlandoffice.com)  
[www.wonderlandoffice.com](http://www.wonderlandoffice.com)



## Housatonic Museum of Art

900 Lafayette Blvd., Bridgeport, CT 06604  
For information call: (203) 332-5052

For events and hours visit their website:  
[www.hcc.comnet.edu/artmuseum/](http://www.hcc.comnet.edu/artmuseum/)

# PLAY

## Black Rock Little League Baseball-Softball

Incorporated 1954  
P.O. Box 38096

Spring Season April 1-June 30  
District Tournaments June-July  
Fall Season September 1-October 31

### Ages

Tee-ball 5-6 years  
Baseball 7-12 years  
Softball 7-14 years

For registration information, visit our  
website: [www.eteamz.com/blackrock](http://www.eteamz.com/blackrock)  
Or Email: [joelarch@gmail.com](mailto:joelarch@gmail.com)

## Bridgeport Legion ECHO Baseball Programs

17U Team and  
A 19U Team  
27 Legion Games  
Fall baseball-20 Games  
Includes ECHO Baseball Shirt

Open to all city residents

For cost, registration and more  
information,

Contact: Jim Meszoros  
(203) 212-2755  
Or Banjed Labrador  
(203) 650-8317  
Facebook: Bridgeport Legion

## Bridgeport Bluefish Baseball Camp

For Boys and Girls

Ages: 5-13

Session 1: July 25 and 27

Cost for 2 Days: \$150

Includes ticket to 7/27 Bluefish game  
(7:12 p.m.)

Session 2: August 2,4 and 5

Cost for 3 Days: \$225

Includes ticket to 8/5 Bluefish game  
(7:12 p.m.)

## Bridgeport Bluefish Baseball Camp-continued

Sessions 1 and 2

Cost: \$325 (save \$50)

All days 9-12:30 p.m.

Lunch provided

Bridgeport Bluefish summer camps are a great way for kids of all ages to have fun, learn fundamentals about baseball and improve their skills. All instruction is done by current Bluefish players!

Each camper receives a camp t-shirt and hat.

For more information,

Contact: (203) 345-4800

Email: [commu-](mailto:community@bridgeportbluefish.com)

[nity@bridgeportbluefish.com](mailto:nity@bridgeportbluefish.com)

Website: [www.bridgeportbluefish.com](http://www.bridgeportbluefish.com)

## Bridgeport Caribe Baseball/ Softball

Spring Program April-June

Summer Program June-August

Ages 5-18

T-Ball (5-6), Rookie (7-8), Minors (9-10),

Major (11-12), Senior

(13-15) Travel (16-18)

Girls Softball (9-12 And 13-15)

Fall Baseball/Softball Sept.-October

Boys Baseball (8-11 And 12-14)

Girls Softball (12-15 And 17U High  
School)

Registration:

8/12, 8/19, 8/28 from 6-8 p.m.

8/13, 8/20, 8/27 from 10-1p.m.

All registrations are held at:

BCYL Office 1067 Park Avenue

BCYL's mission to provide youth with diverse sports, educational and community awareness programs that foster physical, intellectual and social development, while instilling pride and helping them build character and self-esteem, so that they can reach their full potential and value their role in society.

For more information, contact

(203) 913-0073

Website: [www.bcyf.org](http://www.bcyf.org)

## Bridgeport North End Little League Baseball

Ages 4-14

Regular Season April-June

Residence Boundaries are specific to the North End of Bridgeport.

For registration dates and times and additional information, contact:

Email: [nellbridgeport@yahoo.com](mailto:nellbridgeport@yahoo.com)

Website: <http://www.eteamz.com/>

## Newfield Cougars Baseball

Registration May 16

Newfield Park

6 p.m.

Free Summer League at Newfield Park!

For information,

Contact: Tremaine King

(973) 765-3070

## Bridgeport Caribe Basketball

Grades K-8

Program September to December

Registration:

8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 9/2 from 6-8 p.m.

8/13, 8/20, 8/27, 9/3 from 10-1p.m.

All registrations are held at:

BCYL Office 1067 Park Avenue

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For more information, contact

(203) 913-0073

Website: [www.bcyf.org](http://www.bcyf.org)

## Future Stars Basketball Academy

For more information,

Contact: Frank Oleynick

(203) 367-1673

Email: [frank@wearefuturestars.com](mailto:frank@wearefuturestars.com)

Website: [www.wearefuturestars.com](http://www.wearefuturestars.com)

## Newfield Cougars Basketball

Registration June 20  
Newfield Park  
6 p.m.

Free Summer League at Newfield Park!

For information,  
Contact: Tremaine King  
(973) 765-3070  
Email: TKing@fswinc.org

## Bridgeport P.A.L. Boxing

Ages: 12 to 21 years  
Year Round

This is a competitive Boxing youth program. Member of USA Boxing. Participant's birth certificate and current physical required.

For fee and additional information, contact the P.A.L. office  
(203) 576-7604  
Email: paltrumbull@aol.com

## Bridgeport Caribe Cheerleaders

Grades K-8  
Registration:  
8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 9/2 from 6-8 p.m.  
8/13, 8/20, 8/27, 9/3 from 10-1p.m.

All registrations are held at:  
BCYL Office 1067 Park Avenue  
BCYL's mission to provide youth with diverse sports, educational and community awareness programs that foster physical, intellectual and social development, while instilling pride and helping them build character and self-esteem, so that they can reach their full potential and value their role in society.

For more information, contact  
(203) 913-0073  
Website: www.bcyll.org

## Bridgeport Charge It Up Cheer Dance and Step

(an affiliate of Bridgeport Chargers)

Ages 5-18  
(Must be entering Kindergarten through 12)  
For information contact:  
Nicole Livingston  
Email: ChargeCheer@gmail.com

## Bridgeport Charge It Up Cheer Dance and Step

Summer Cheer Clinics  
Ages 5-13  
Session 1 July 11-15 from 6-8 p.m.  
Session 2 July 18-22 from 6-8 p.m.  
Cost \$100 per session  
(includes t-shirt & shorts)  
Register for both sessions and receive a \$50 discount  
Clinic will focus on basic tumbling, stunting, motion techniques, cheers and chants, perfect for beginners and intermediate level cheerleaders.  
For information email:  
ChargeCheer@gmail.com  
Facebook: Bridgeport Charge It Up Cheer

## Nutmeg Curling Club

123 Glenwood Avenue

Contact:  
(203) 615-0077  
Website: www.nutmegcurling.com

## Bridgeport P.A.L. Junior Drum and Bugle Corps

Year-Round  
Ages 10 to 21  
Boys and Girls  
Fee: Free

P.A.L. Connecticut Sound Jr. Drum and Bugle Corps features Brass, Percussion and Color Guard. Open to all city residents. No musical or marching experience necessary. Equipment and Uniforms are provided.

For additional information,  
contact the P.A.L. office  
(203) 576-7604  
Email: paltrumbull@aol.com

## Bridgeport Chargers Football

Ages 7-14  
Unlimited Weight

"Committed to the development of our youth for future success"

For registration dates and additional information,  
Contact: Ernest Wiggins  
(203) 260-1009  
Website:  
www.leaguelineup.com/bptchargers

# PLAY

## Bridgeport Pop Warner Raiders Football

Age 5-15  
Starts August

Speed Camp every Saturday in June!

Bridgeport's #1 & Longest running Youth Football League. Pop Warner is based on age and weight. Register now! Football players and cheerleaders!

Tiny Mites age 5-6, Weight 35-75 lbs.  
Mitey Mites age 7-8, Weight 45-90 lbs.  
Jr. Pee Wee age 8-10, Weight 60-105 lbs.  
Pee Wee age 9-11, Weight 75-120 lbs.  
Jr. Midgets age 10-12, Weight 90-145 lbs.  
Midgets age 12-14, Weight 105-170lbs.  
Unlimited age 11-14 Weight 105lbs min.

Contact: (203) 400-3164  
Website:  
Bridgeportpopwarnerraiders.com

## Park City Panthers Football

For information:  
Contact: Lenford Green  
(203) 543-8058  
Email: Lnfrdgreen@yahoo.com  
or Percival Francis  
(203) 260-4630  
Email: Percivalf002@yahoo.com  
Website:  
www.parkcitypantherspopwarner.com

## The First Tee Golf Program

Boys and Girls  
For information, call  
(203) 374-7779  
Email: Fairchild@thefirstteemetny.org  
Website:  
www.Fairchildwheelergolf.com

## Martial Arts Spirit Academy

1042 Broad Street

TKD Summer Program  
June 20-August 18  
Monday-Thursday Open 4-8 p.m.  
Ages: 4-18  
Fee: \$40 for 4 Weeks  
One class each week

Contact: Master Jin or Instructor EJ  
(203) 823-0905  
Email: masataekwodno@gmail.com  
Website: www.masatackwondo.com

# PLAY

## Martial Arts Spirit Academy

1042 Broad Street

June 20-Aug. 8 Judo Summer Program  
1 Class per week on Wednesdays  
6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Ages: 5 and Up  
Fee: \$40 for 4 Weeks

Contact: Master Jin or Instructor EJ  
(203) 823-0905  
Email: masataekwodno@gmail.com  
Website: www.masataekwondo.com

## P.M.A.F.A. Karate Program

2338 Main Street

June 27-August 12  
Ages 6-14  
8:30-4:30 p.m. Regular Hours  
4:30-6 p.m. Extended Hours  
(Monday and Friday)  
Fee: \$95 per week for Regular hours  
Extended Hours \$10 per week  
Open to all City residents  
Now with original location expanded just for camps and afterschool programs as well as the additions of a new second location full equipped. Pure Martial Arts Fitness Academy Summer Activities Camp is better than ever. Offering indoor and outdoor activities with a martial arts foundation, we provide a structure for discipline, focus, and respect all while keeping kids active and entertained with indoor activities, field trips and karate self-defense training. See the difference when your child comes home and answers you with Yes Ma'am or Yes Sir.

Contact: Master P  
(203) 368-0773  
Email: camp@puremartialarts.com  
Website: www.camp.pmafa.com

## RKA Summer Camp Program

For information,  
Contact: Kyoshi Hector Rodriguez  
(203) 335-3274  
Email: unsukata123@hotmail.com

## Saint Augustine Academy Summer Program with Karate

June 20-August 12 for Ages 4-13  
8-5 p.m.  
Fee: \$125 Weekly & \$25 Registration  
Lunch Provided  
Program offers indoor & outdoor athletics, arts & crafts and karate lessons. We will help your child complete their summer reading packets. Also field trips for an additional fee.  
For more information,  
Contact: Michael Wagner  
(203) 209-8473 or (203) 374-8859  
Email: Michael.wagner@att.net

## Bridgeport Youth Lacrosse

April 2- August 20  
Spring Lacrosse Clinics  
Summer Sports Camps  
Bridgeport Flag Football  
Friday 6-8 p.m. Kennedy Stadium  
Saturday 9-4 p.m. Veterans Park  
Sunday Noon-6 p.m. Veterans Park  
Ages 5-15 Boys & Girls  
Must Register On Line  
\$65 for Members  
\$125 Non Members  
Open to all city residents  
Beginners, Intermediate & High School  
Learn to play from Fairfield County's most talented high school and college players. There will be some sessions with pro players.  
Striving to impact youth in the development of self-confidence, self discipline, and dedication for the skills necessary to succeed at sports and in life.

For more information,  
Call (203) 273-6084  
Email: bridgeportyouthlacrosse@gmail.com  
Website:  
www.bridgeportyouthlacrosse.com

## Bridgeport AYSO Soccer Program

Boys and Girls Ages 5-18  
For registration and more information, call  
(203) 335-8901  
bayso@bridgeportayso.org  
Website: www.bridgeportayso.org

## Bridgeport Premier FC Soccer

Boys and Girls  
Age Groups: U11-U19  
For more information,  
Contact: David Teixeira  
(203) 610-5922  
Email: coachtex1@yahoo.com

## Southwest Futbol Bridgeport North End Soccer Club

Ages 4-6 Pee Wee Soccer  
One Day a Week  
\$75  
Ages 7 and Up  
Two Days a Week  
\$135  
Rec Plus and Travel Soccer Teams  
Ages 8 and Up  
Now Forming  
Registration Now Open  
Practices held at Veterans Park  
Focus on professional, organized skills.  
For more information,  
Call (203) 767-4262 or (203) 767-3298  
Website: www.southwestfc.com  
Facebook/southwestfutbolclub

## Sailaway Sailing School

Captain's Cove

For information, call  
(203) 209-3407  
Email: Sailaway@snet.net  
Website: www.teamsailaway.com

## City of Bridgeport Parks and Recreation

### Seaside Park Summer Day Camp

July 11 - August 12

Monday-Friday

8:30-2:45 p.m.

Location: Seaside Park

Ages: 5-12

Fee: \$100 for 5 weeks (cash or check only)

Camp T-Shirts are provided

Breakfast, lunch and snack provided

Open to Bridgeport residents only

Parents/Guardians will need to submit a copy of the child's up to date medical physical.

Registration begins May 4 at the Parks and Recreation Department

7 Quarry Road

Trumbull, CT 06611

A five week program that offers a well-supervised and organized summer camp experience for Bridgeport's youth population. Daily activities include arts and crafts, athletics, and swimming. A variety of fun, educational components will be incorporated to promote safety and environmental stewardship. Campers also go on a variety of field trips. In the past, these have included Port Jefferson Ferry, Beardsley Zoo, Coco Key Water Resort, Zip Line Discovery Adventure Park and Lake Compounce Amusement Park.

### Tennis Camp

July 6-July 27 from 11-12:15 p.m.

(Bridgeport Parks and Recreation Timeslot)

Ages: 12-15

Location: Central High School

With First Serve Bridgeport Tennis

Mondays and Wednesdays **ONLY**

Cost: Free

Camp T-Shirts and tennis equipment are provided at camp

Open to Bridgeport residents only

Parents/Guardians will need to submit a copy of the child's up to date medical physical.

For registration information, please call the Parks and Recreation Office, Contact: Luann Conine, Lee Nastu or Vaughn Sims

(203) 576-7233 or (203) 576-8080

Email:

Luann.Conine@bridgeportct.gov;

Lee.Nastu@bridgeportct.gov;

Vaughn.Sims@bridgeportct.gov

## First Serve Bridgeport Tennis

For more information,

Contact: Rob Oppenheim

(203) 640-0508

Email: [bridgeport.tennis@yahoo.com](mailto:bridgeport.tennis@yahoo.com)

Website: [www.firstservebridgeport.org](http://www.firstservebridgeport.org)

## Trumbull Gardens Citywide Youth Center

For more information, call

(203) 610-6310

# SPECIAL FAMILY EVENTS



# PLAY

## Barnum Festival

1070 Main Street

Events for the Family

Created to celebrate the life and times of P.T. Barnum and to commemorate the history of Bridgeport..

For information, contact

Barnum Festival Office

(203) 367-8495

Website: [www.barnumfestival.com](http://www.barnumfestival.com)

## Juneteenth of Fairfield County, Inc.

June 11-African American Caribbean Day Parade

For additional event information, contact (203) 581-1480

Website:

[www.juneteenthooffairfieldcounty.org](http://www.juneteenthooffairfieldcounty.org)

## Puerto Rican Day Parade of Fairfield County

July 9-Flag Raising

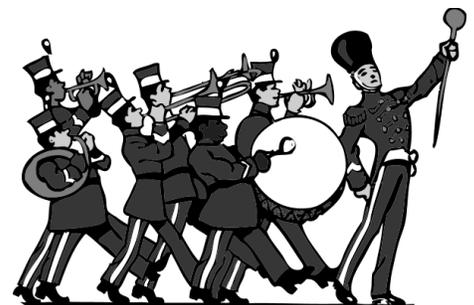
July 10-Parade

For more information, contact

Maria Valle (203) 367-8974 or

Lissette Colón (203) 767-2291

Website: [prpfc.org](http://prpfc.org)



## Park's Department

- For more information on Bridgeport's numerous Parks and how to obtain a *2016 park sticker*, visit [www.bridgeportct.gov](http://www.bridgeportct.gov).



## Office of Emergency Management

- Be Prepared if a natural disaster should strike... visit [www.bridgeportct.gov](http://www.bridgeportct.gov) for information on *Planning Toolkits*.
- Join the *Bridgeport Emergency Reserve Corp* – Designed to build an organized volunteer reserve of individuals and groups who receive training in advance and who are called upon to assist when a disaster or serious emergency exceeds normal city resources.
  - Hurricanes • Floods • Ice Storms • Power Outages • Accidents • Outbreaks

Who can join....

Anyone 18 years or older

Businesses, large or small

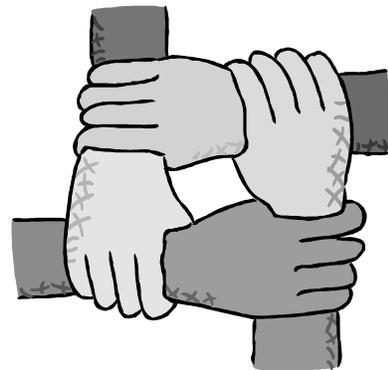
Community organizations, neighborhood associations, civic and social clubs

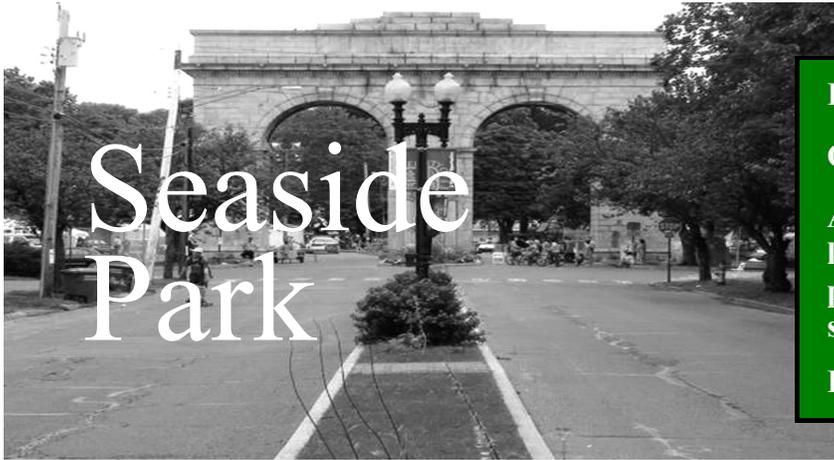
Religious groups and organizations

Licensed health and mental health professionals

**ANYONE WILLING TO HELP!!!**

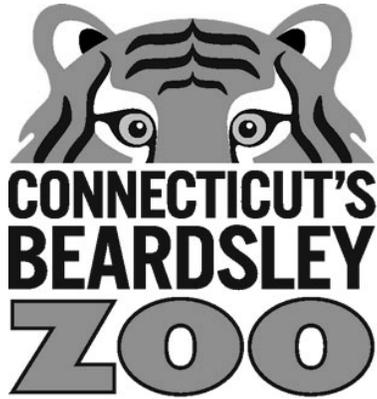
If interested, please visit [www.bridgeportct.gov](http://www.bridgeportct.gov) and click on city departments, then emergency management for complete directions.





# Seaside Park

**Park Avenue**  
**Open daily 7a.m. - until sundown.**  
A 379-acre waterfront recreation area located along Long island sound. The park has facilities for picnics, baseball, softball, tennis, soccer and running.  
**Exit 27 from I-95.**



**Open Year Round**  
**9 a.m. to 4 p.m.**  
**Rainforest Building**  
**10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**  
**Carousel Building**  
**Seasonally 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

CT's Beardsley Zoo is a wonderful place to visit. Spend an hour or the whole day and see more than 300 animals representing primarily North and South American species. Come and learn about our many endangered and threatened species.

With its antique Carousel, unique Victorian Greenhouse and picturesque Picnic Grove, it is truly a memorable place.

**For fees and more information, call the zoo at (203) 394-6565**  
**www.beardsleyzoo.org**



## Pleasure Beach

Transportation by water taxi from Central Avenue  
(203) 576-7233  
[www.bridgeportct.gov](http://www.bridgeportct.gov)

## Bridgeport Port- Jefferson Ferry

1 Ferry Access Road  
Bridgeport, CT 06604  
Call 1-888-443-3779  
[www.88844ferry.com](http://www.88844ferry.com)



## Bridgeport Bluefish

500 Main Street, Bridgeport  
For information, call (203) 610-2583  
[www.bridgeportbluefish.com](http://www.bridgeportbluefish.com)



## Captain's Cove Seaport and Restaurant

1 Bostwick Avenue  
Office: (203) 335-1433  
Restaurant: (203) 335-7104  
[www.captainscoveseaport.com](http://www.captainscoveseaport.com)

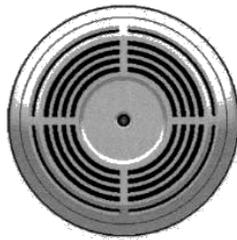


## Webster Bank Arena at Harbor Yard

600 Main Street  
For Information, call (203) 345-2300  
For events and schedules visit [www.websterbankarena.com](http://www.websterbankarena.com)



# FREE Smoke Alarm



Can you **SPOT**  
your Smoke Alarm?

If not call for a  
**FREE** one

**Bridgeport - 335-8835**



**American  
Red Cross**

## TURN YOUR RECYCLING INTO REWARDS!



The City of Bridgeport switched to citywide single-stream recycling last year. You can now put all your recyclables into the same bin, and earn rewards through the City's unique partnership with Recyclebank®—a national company that rewards people for taking everyday green actions.

Recyclebank awards you points for keeping up with your curbside recycling, and simply living green.

Bridgeport Residents—Sign Up Now!

Get your rewards at [Recyclebank.com](http://Recyclebank.com)

**OR** Call **1-888-727-2978** and start earning points.

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## BCONNECTED— Connecting Citizens to City Services



BConnected is a customer service system that allows residents to:

- Submit request for City services—a rain barrel, recycling bin, or an energy assessment;
- Report neighborhood issues—potholes, graffiti, blight or illegal dumping, broken streetlights, downed trees or branches;
- Get answers to frequently asked questions about city government—"How do I pay my tax bill?" "Where do I get a dog license?"

BConnected—Citizens Services all in one easily accessible place online at [www.bridgeportct.gov](http://www.bridgeportct.gov)—click **BConnected**,

**OR** on your iPhone,

**OR** smartphone with a free downloadable app

**OR** by calling **203-576-1311**, M-F, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.



# City of Bridgeport

999 Broad Street, Bridgeport, CT 06604

Joseph P. Ganim, Mayor

[www.bridgeportct.gov](http://www.bridgeportct.gov)

This guide is available on  
our website:  
[www.bridgeportct.gov](http://www.bridgeportct.gov)

*For more information, please contact Tammy Papa at the  
Office of Youth Services at 203-576-7252 or email  
[tammy.papa@bridgeportct.gov](mailto:tammy.papa@bridgeportct.gov)*