

CHEEKTOWAGA YOUTH & RECREATIONAL SERVICES



Early Bird Sign-up

RESIDENT ONLY

September 4 - 10

OPEN REGISTRATION BEGINS

September 11

Fall 2019

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MISSION

As the department of town government responsible for recreation and youth services, we are dedicated to providing quality programs, services and opportunities in which all people can participate and enjoy.

We offer individuals the opportunity for personal growth in the areas of education, health, athletics, the arts and social development. In addition, we provide referrals to those with needs beyond our resources.

Am I A Cheektowaga Resident?

A resident of Cheektowaga is anyone who lives within the town borders. This includes residents of the Village of Sloan and residents of the Village of Depew, who live west of Transit Road. If your mailing address and zip code is Depew, NY 14043 and you live west of Transit Road, you are a resident. A non-resident is anyone who does not live within the Town of Cheektowaga. Most programs/classes have different fees for residents and non-residents. Non-residents must pay an additional surcharge in a fee schedule adopted by the Cheektowaga Town Board. Cheektowaga Youth & Recreational Services reserves the right to remove anyone falsifying information from our programs. Please call our office, 897-7207, if you have questions regarding residency.

Sign Up Information

Residents Only Early Bird Sign-Ups

Opens at 9:30 am
Wednesday, September 4, 2019
Until Tuesday, September 10, 2019

Alexander Community Center
275 Alexander Avenue

Go online, on the phone, or walk in to register.
Membership Cards will be issued during registration.

Refund Policy

All our programs are backed by our "Good Time Guarantee" refund policy. For details, pick up a copy of the complete policy from our office. BE SURE TO SAVE YOUR RECEIPT.

Frequently Called Numbers

MAIN OFFICE HOURS

9:00am - 4:30pm • 897-7207

(touch tone access after 4:30pm)

Fax: 462-4109

Recreation Center Arena Fax-970-4843

PROGRAMS

Adapted Recreation897-7205
Recreation Center Arena897-7218
Soccer897-7207 ext. 6667
Softball656-2294
Y.E.S. Program897-7207 ext. 6655

Cheektowaga Youth & Recreational Services
275 Alexander Avenue
Cheektowaga, New York 14211-2742

Town Website: TOCNY.ORG

Inclement Weather

Tune your radio to WBEN 930 AM, WKSE 98.5 FM or
WTSS 102.5 FM for program cancellations due
to inclement weather or unforeseen circumstances.

Please Note!

Now accepting the following insurances for programs indicated by this symbol:

Independent Health

Health Extras

Blue Cross/Blue Shield of WNY

Aqua

Lifestyle Benefit

Please see Page 3 for Insurance Details

Registration for All

Begins Wednesday, September 11, 2019

Residents and Non-Residents
Phone-in and Walk-in available
Monday-Friday 9:30am to 4:15pm
Fax and Mail-in also available

See page 15 for registration form and additional information.

Payments

We accept payments by cash, check and credit card
(Visa, MasterCard, Discover or AMEX).



Make checks payable to:

CHEEKTOWAGA YOUTH & RECREATIONAL SERVICES
(If your check is returned for any reason, the fee will be \$20.)

Membership Card Information

A valid Town of Cheektowaga Resident Photo Membership Card is needed to receive valuable discounts for many events and programs. Children 6 years of age or younger will receive these benefits through their parent's card. At age 7, children will need their own card. **Membership Cards are valid for two years.**

To obtain a **Membership Card** adults must have TWO forms of identification, which include the following:

1. **You must have a photo ID:** a valid driver's license or a valid non-driver ID.
2. **You must have one additional form of ID** which contains your name and residence address such as: a current utility bill, or a current bank statement.

For children, a **parent must be present with their valid Membership Card or items 1 and 2 above** and the child's birth certificate containing the parent's name, report card and/or school ID. Home schooled children must show documentation from assigned school district. **An expired Membership Card CANNOT be used as current proof of residency.**

If you are using a P.O. Box for your mailing address—please be prepared to show proof of your actual residence address within the Town of Cheektowaga when purchasing your Resident Card or registering for programs. Anyone found abusing and/or attempting to defraud the Town of Cheektowaga, will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

Fees for Membership Cards are:

Children (7-15 years of age) \$7
Adults (16-59 years of age) \$10
Seniors (60 years of age & older) \$5

MEMBERSHIP CARD FALL SCHEDULE

Membership Cards may be obtained at the Recreation Center Arena anytime there is a public skating session. See public skate schedule on page 10 for detailed days and times.

PLEASE NOTE: Replacement fee for lost Membership Card is \$3.00.

Adapted Recreation

Adapted Recreation Program



The Cheektowaga Adapted Recreation Program is for youth with developmental and other disabilities. The major goals of the program are to provide a variety of adapted recreational activities and sports training which will help improve motor control, boost self-esteem and increase social skills. Our activities include: Friday Night Socials, Saturday Mini-Camp, and sports training in basketball, swimming, bowling, track & field and softball for Western Region Special Olympics.

Sports Training: Our group prepares for competition in Western Region Basketball, Bowling, Swimming, Track & Field and Softball. Athletes need a minimum of 10 trainings to compete. All trainings are done at various levels allowing for participants of varying degrees of ability to compete.

Saturday Mini Camp: A variety of adapted recreation activities are provided in Arts & Crafts, Physical Education, Music, Cooking and more. A bag lunch must be sent with your camper.

Friday Night Social: Groups will meet one Friday a month for an evening of fun. We plan activities either out in the community or at our Center. Cost varies with activity.

All activities will be supervised by trained staff. If at any time you have questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the Adapted Recreation Office at 897-7205

Amy McMahon
Program Coordinator



Registration is on-going, call 897-7205 or email cheekarp@gmail.com.

Program Fees: \$290 Cheektowaga Residents*
\$392 Non-residents*

Sports Only: \$75 Residents
\$95 Non-residents

OPWDD Eligible: \$247 Cheektowaga Residents

Participants \$283 Non-residents

Sports Only: \$55 Residents
\$75 Non-residents

Additional fees may be charged for field trips and Friday night programs.

Locations & Times:

Monday: Basketball Program (Oct-March)
6:30-8:00pm, JFK Middle School

Tuesday: Track & Field Program (March-May)
6:00-8:00pm, Alexander Comm. Center

Wednesday: Swim Program (Oct-April)
6:00-8:00pm, JFK High School

Friday: Friday Night Social (Oct-May)
Varies according to activity

Saturday: Mini Camp (Oct-May)
10:00am-2:00pm,
Alexander Comm. Center

Bowling Program (Oct-Feb)
(2 Saturdays/Month)
3:00-5:00pm, Lancaster Lanes

A monthly calendar will be provided to list each month's activities as well as other important information.

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Adult Sports & Activities

Indoor Volleyball Session I

Monday: Women's Intermediate (every week)

Thursdays: Co-Ed Intermediate (every week)

Start Dates: Monday, Sept. 16, 2019 [6833]
Thursday, Sept. 19, 2019 [6832]

Location: Alexander Community Center

All players must be 18 years of age, unless written parental consent is given. If less than four teams register for any league, the league will be cancelled and your deposit refunded. Teams are also responsible for a \$10 referee fee per match.

Fee: Mon., Thur.
\$300

Program Note:

NO BABYSITTING. Children should NOT be left unattended while parents are participating.

Adult Water Aerobics

Water is the best place to exercise and not put extra stress on your body. Join Ashley on Monday and Wednesday evenings.

Start Date: Sept. 16, 2019 [6814]

End Date: Nov. 18, 2019

Location: Cleveland Hill Pools

Days/Times: Monday & Wednesday, 7:35-8:35pm

Days Off: Oct. 14; Nov. 11

Resident Fee: \$45

Fee: \$65

Daily Walk-in Fee: \$4

Guided Nature Walks

Celebrate nature! Enjoy a morning walk along the nature trails in Stiglmeier Park and learn about the wildflowers, trees, and wildlife in this beautiful wooded area. This is an opportunity for the entire family to become acquainted with this unique environmental resource.

Dates: September 14 and October 5

Time: Walks will start promptly at 9:30 am weather permitting

Location: Meet at the Community Center at the Losson park entrance.

Ages: Open to all ages—bring your family

Note: No formal groups such as scouts, clubs, day care, etc.

Fee: FREE

Pickleball

We have one court available to use at the Alexander Community Center. This is an open gym time with no instructor present. Tuesday morning's walk-ins are welcome. Wednesday nights you must pay for in advance and we need 8 people registered in order for class to run.

Location: Alexander Community Center

Start Date: Tuesday, September 17
Wednesday, September 18

End Date: Tuesday, November 19
Wednesday, November 20

Days Off: Wednesday, October 9

Times: Tuesday: 10:30am-12:30pm
Wednesday 6:15-8:15pm

Fee: Tuesday: \$2 per class
Wednesday: \$18 (must pre-pay)

Adult Fitness (Mornings)

Come and start your mornings off with a great workout! Join us on Tuesdays and Thursdays for a wide variety of different classes. Calendars will be given out with types of classes being done each month. Just remember: you don't have to be great to start but you DO have to start to be great!

Start Date: Tuesday September 3 [6852]

End Date: Thursday December 19

Number of classes: 28

Time: 9:00-10:00am

Resident Fee: \$60

Fee: \$80

Daily: \$5 Resident
\$10 Non-resident

Adult Fitness

Do your workout in Cleveland Hill School fitness room beginning at 7:00pm. The pool will be available for swimming beginning at 7:35pm.

Start Date: Sept. 16, 2019 [6812]

End Date: May 27, 2020

Location: Cleveland Hill High School

Days Off: School Holidays

Days/Times: Monday & Wednesday, 7:00-8:30pm

Resident Fee: \$105

Fee: \$140

Daily Walk-in Fee: \$5 Resident
\$10 Non-resident

Aquatics / Just for Little Ones (ages 2-3)

Youth Swim Lessons

This is an 8-week lesson teaching those swimmers who are comfortable in 5ft and above water. Level 3 works on endurance and technique. Levels 4 & 5 swimmers are introduced to breaststroke and butterfly, while improving on their elementary backstroke and front crawl.

Start Date: Mon. Sept. 16
Wed. Sept. 18

End Dates: Mon. Nov. 18
Wed. Nov. 6

Days Off: Oct. 14; Nov. 11

Location: Cleveland Hill Pool

Day/Times: Mondays
LEVEL 3 6:30-7:00pm [6819]
LEVEL 4 7:05-7:35pm [6821]
LEVEL 5 7:05-7:35pm [6823]
Wednesdays
LEVEL 4 6:30-7:05pm [6822]
LEVEL 5 6:30-7:05pm [6824]
LEVEL 3 7:05-7:35pm [6820]

Resident Fee: \$40, 2nd Child - \$35

Fee: \$60 2nd Child - \$55



POOL CLOSINGS: The pool will be closed when school is closed due to weather, pool repairs or school functions.

Beginner Swim Lessons

This is an 8-week lesson, teaching the basics of swimming. Level 1 & 2 are very similar. Level 1 is for those who are just beginning to swim without a parent. Level 2 is for those daring children who aren't ready to swim without assistance, but need to work on basic skills.

Start Date: Mon., Sept. 16
Wed., Sept. 18

End Date: Mon., Nov. 18
Wed., Nov. 6

Days Off: Oct. 14; Nov. 11

Location: Cleveland Hill Pool

Days/Times: Monday
LEVEL 1 6:30-7:00pm [6815]
LEVEL 1 7:05-7:35pm [6816]
Wednesday
LEVEL 2 6:30-7:00pm [6817]
LEVEL 2 7:05-7:35pm [6818]

Resident Fee: \$40, 2nd Child - \$35

Fee: \$60 2nd Child - \$55



Mom & Me for 2's and 3's

Enjoy some quality time to get your little one ready for preschool. Come join our class and make new friends, easy crafts, sing songs, have a story and snack with your child.

Start Date: Sept. 20 [6813]

End Date: Dec. 6

Days Off: 11/29

Day/Time: Friday, 10:00-11:30am

Location: Alexander Community Center

Resident Fee
\$40 for first child
\$35 each additional child

Fee: \$60 for first child
\$55 each additional child

Wee Three— Twice The Fun

Educational, fun and exciting environment is provided for your child. He/She must be 3 by Dec. 1, 2019. A \$25 non-refundable deposit is required at registration. First payment is Due Sept. 1, 2019. Class size is limited. For more information call 897-7207 x6651. Not available for online registration.

Start: September 10

End: May 29, 2020

Day/Time/Location:
Alexander Community Center [6551]

Tues/Thurs 9:30-12:00pm

Resident Fee: \$480 2nd Child: \$430

Fees: \$650 2nd Child: \$600

Alexander Community Center

Birthday Parties

If you're looking for a space to hold a party for your child, come and check out the Alexander Community Center, we may have the space you're looking for! Parties are held on Saturdays (times vary) for birthday children from ages 1-17 years old.

Our birthday package includes:

- 2 hours in our party room
- 45 minutes gym time
- Tablecloths, plates, napkins, cups & silverware
- Birthday decorations
- Cost is \$145



You can also call for information about renting out extra time in the party room, gym or a combination of both! For more information or to reserve your date and time please call 897-7207 extension 6649

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE:
TOCNY.ORG

Ghoulish Gala

Bring all your ghouls and goblins out for a night of spooktacular fun! Come and visit our haunted house, do a spooky craft and eat some devilish delights. There will be lots of fun stuff to do including a costume contest. Prizes will be awarded for the following categories:

- Cutest costume
- Scariest costume
- Funniest costume
- Group family costume
- Best adult costume

Pre-registration is required and space is limited to 100 guests. All who dare to enter must pay!

Date: Saturday, October 19 [6842]

Time: Doors open at 6:30pm activities go from 6:45-8:30pm

Location: Alexander Community Center

Resident Fee: \$9 per person (children under 2 years old are free)

Fee: \$10 per person



Youth & Family Kempo Karate



Kempo Karate is a form of martial arts that focuses on very practical self-defense movements that can be adapted to many different body types. Our style of Kempo Karate is centered on personal development of the mind, body and spirit. All classes are taught in a fun and family friendly atmosphere. Children, siblings and parents are welcome to train in class together to build strong family bonds through a common sports activity. During training sessions classes may be divided so that age appropriate drills may be practiced where kids and adults can train with peers. Bully Defense scenarios and strategies are discussed during the course of the sessions. Please consult your doctor for participation, if necessary. Adjustments can be made for various physical conditions in order to be successful and participate.

Fall Season Begins: Monday, September 9th

Class Days: Mondays & Wednesdays

Class Times:

Beginner Class: 6:00-7:00 PM

Intermediate Class: 7:00-8:00 PM

Advanced Class: 7:00-8:30 PM

Resident Fee: \$80/month, \$70/month per additional family member

Fee: \$90/month, \$80/month per additional family member

Uniforms and other equipment are purchased from the instructor.

To Register and other Information: Contact the instructor by phone, (716) 830-6852 or email at info@swansmartialarts.com

Websites for Area Schools

Cheektowaga Central
www.cheektowagacentral.org

Maryvale
www.maryvale.wnyric.org

Depew
www.depewschools.org

Cleveland Hill
www.clevehill.wnyric.org

JFK
www.sloanschools.org

For the Older Ones (ages 3+)

Homework Helpers

Is your child having trouble with certain school subjects? Why don't you give us a call and let's see if our tutors can help them out.

We work with children in grades 2-12 and tutors cover a wide variety of subjects. You must call to set up a day and time to bring your child in. All tutoring sessions must be paid for in advance. On your first day tutors will give you the rules and regulations of our program, payment due dates and building/holiday days off.

Start Date: September 24
End Date: April 2020
Day/Time: Tuesday thru Thursday times vary
Location: Alexander Community Center
Fee: \$15 for one hour of tutoring
Call 897-7207 extension 6649 to reserve a spot.

Girl Power Mini Session

This session we will focus on helping give back to our community. They will be able to participate from start to finish and they get to vote on the charity we will be helping. On the not so serious side, we will still have all our Girl Power fun, including a field trip and pizza party at the end of the season!

Start Date: September 21 [6487]
End Date: October 19
Time: 2:00-3:30pm
Location: Alexander Community Center
Ages: 7-14
Resident Fee: \$25
Fee: \$40

@Alexander (Friday Nights)

Friday nights the Alexander Community Center will be hosting events for children ages 6-14. Children will have the opportunity to play games in the gym, do arts and crafts, participate in theme nights and even go on a field trip. **We are no longer allowing walk-ins.** All children must be registered for this program!

Start Date: Friday, Sept. 13 [6843]
End Date: Friday, Dec. 13
Time: 6:30-8:30pm
Days Off: October 18, November 29 and December 6
Location: Alexander Community Center
Ages: 6-14
Resident Fee: \$24
Fee: \$48
Daily: \$10 please pre-pay in advance, call 897-7207 before 4:00pm on Fridays to register.

Winter Fun Day

Do you need to get your kids out of the house for a little while so they stop bugging you? Let the kids come have some fun and hang out with us! They will get to play games in our gym, do a craft and have pizza and a drink for lunch.

When: Friday, December 27
Where: Alexander Community Center
275 Alexander Avenue
Time: 10:00am-1:00pm
Ages: 5-12
Resident Fee: \$15
Fee: \$30



Start Smart Lacrosse

Start Smart Lacrosse is a developmentally appropriate introductory lacrosse program for children 3-6 years old. The program prepares children for organized lacrosse in a fun, non-threatening environment.

Start Smart Lacrosse prepares children and their parents for organized lacrosse without the threat of competition or the fear of getting hurt. Age appropriate equipment from STX® is used in teaching shooting, passing, catching, cradling, stick handling, running and agility.

Start Date: September 18, 2019
End Date: November 20, 2019
Days Off: October 9, 2019
of Classes: 9
Location: Alexander Community Center
275 Alexander Avenue
Day/Time: Wednesday, 5:00-6:00pm
Ages: 3-6
Resident Fee: \$75
Fee: \$90

Gymnastics / Youth Sports

Gymnastics

We are now offering a new parent child interactive class for the 3-year-olds. Parent participation is required. We are also doing a 4-year-old gymnastics class that will introduce the kids to the exciting world of gymnastics. For those children ages 5+ we will be covering basic gymnastics skills featured in Olympic events. We emphasize a FUN and SAFE environment for everyone!



Location: Alexander Community Center

Days: All classes held on Saturdays

3 YEAR OLDS (Session 1)
Start Date: September 14, 2019 [6844]
End Date: October 12, 2019
Time: 10:00-11:00am
Resident Fee: \$23
Fee: \$43

3 YEAR OLDS (Session 2)
Start Date: October 26, 2019 [6845]
End Date: November 23, 2019
Time: 10:00-11:00am
Resident Fee: \$23
Fee: \$43

4 YEAR OLDS
Start Date: September 14, 2019 [6846]
End Date: November 23, 2019
Day Off: October 19, 2019
Time: 11:00-12:00 noon
Resident Fee: \$50
Fee: \$70

BEGINNERS (Ages 5+)
Start Date: September 14, 2019 [6847]
End Date: November 23, 2019
Day Off: October 19, 2019
Time: 12:00-1:00pm
Resident Fee: \$60
Fee: \$80

**IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THE RESIDENT RATE
 YOU MUST PURCHASE A RESIDENT CARD**

Start Smart Basketball

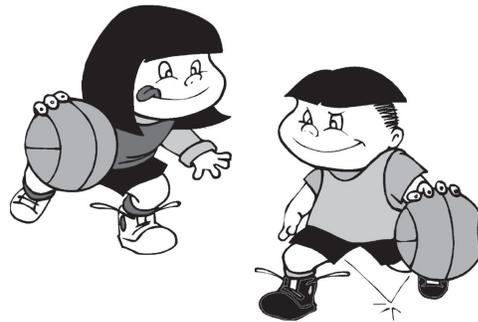


Start Smart Basketball teaches children (ages 3-6) the basic motor skills necessary to play organized basketball while they work one-on-one and spend quality time with their parent. The program focuses on teaching children and their parents skills in dribbling/ball-handling/passing/catching, shooting and running/agility without the threat of competition or the fear of getting hurt. Class is held once a week for 10 weeks, and each week the exercises become increasingly more difficult as the class progresses and the children show improvement.

Note: Each child receives a mini basketball, a soft bounce basketball, four cones, one jersey and a participant's manual.

Start Date: Sept. 17, 2019
End Date: Nov. 19, 2019
of Classes: 10
Days/Times: Tuesday, 5:00-6:00pm
Location: Alexander Community Center
Ages: 3-6 yrs with parent/guardian [6848]
Resident Fee: \$75
Fee: \$90

Please see Page 3 for Insurance Details



Youth Basketball

Come join us in our fun-filled classes consisting of segments on fundamentals, techniques, and scrimmage play. All classes will be directed by a fully-certified recreational coaching staff.

Start Date: Sept. 17, 2019
End Date: Nov. 19, 2019
of Classes: 10
Days/Times: Tuesdays, 6:15-7:15pm
Location: Alexander Community Center
Ages: 7-12 years [6849]
Resident Fee: \$65
Fee: \$85

Please see Page 3 for Insurance Details

Recreation Center Events

Public Skate

Open ice time for people of all ages. All you need is your Resident Card and the appropriate fee. Non-residents/ Guests must be accompanied by a resident with a valid Membership Card. Children under 7 must have a parent or guardian present on or off the ice, while participating in a public skate session. Helmets and protective clothing are recommended.

Start Dates: Friday, October 4, 2019
 Saturday, October 5, 2019
 Sunday, December 1, 2019

End Date: On-going

Days/Times: Fridays, 7:00-8:50pm
 Saturdays, 6:30-8:20pm
 Sundays, 2:45-4:35pm

Please Note: Sunday Skates begin in December

Location: Recreation Center Arena
 in Cheektowaga Town Park

Ages: Open to all ages

Fee: General Admission - \$6

Admission Resident Fee:
 Adults (16-59) - \$5
 Children (4-15) - \$4
 Seniors (60+) - \$3
 Toddlers (under 4) - free

Learn To Skate

Our Learn To Skate programs are designed for youth and adults who are just starting out. Instruction will be provided by our rink staff. Each week will consist of 25 minutes of instruction and 25 minutes of practice time.

Fridays
 Oct. 4 - Dec. 13 6:00-6:50pm [6807]

Saturdays
 Oct. 5 - Dec. 14 5:30-6:20pm [6808]

Days Off: 11/29 & 11/30
 Class size is limited to 40 people per class.

Resident Fee: \$60 **2nd Child:** \$55

Fee: \$80 **2nd Child:** \$75

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2019-2020

PLEASE NOTE: 2019-2020 PUBLIC SKATE RULES

- Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult
- Those not skating or supervising someone who is skating will not be allowed in the building
- Proper identification required to receive discount

Resident Public Skating Passes

10 Skating Sessions for the Price of 8
 Youth - \$32 Adult - \$40

Arena Customer Service

(operated by Ice Time Ltd. of WNY)

- Skate Sharpening
- Skate Rental
- Pro Shop
- Concession Stand

A Message To Parents - Age Requirement

Unless stipulated in the program description, age requirement will be as of the date of the first class. All age requirements are set to benefit the children and make instruction more consistent for the program instructor. In some instances, the requirements have been set for child's safety.

Cheektowaga Youth Hockey League

We offer a variety of Hockey programs for youth ranging from Novice, to House Leagues and Travel Teams. Youth are given the opportunity to learn the sport of hockey and the sportsmanship that goes along with playing any sport. Our coaches are USA Hockey certified. We try to provide the best coaching and role models for your children.

For further information on our Hockey programs, contact the Hockey Office at 897-7218 after 5:00pm during the week or between 8:00am-9:00pm on weekends.



Ice Rink Birthday Parties

Have your Birthday Party during one of our Public Skate Sessions!

We will reserve an area in our lobby just for your party. Cost per person is \$8.00 which includes skating, skate rental, birthday cake and a special gift for the birthday guest. Party size is limited to 15. For open dates or more information call Samantha Garson at 897-7218.

Holiday Happenings

HALLOWEEN SKATE

Saturday, October 26 • 6:30-8:20pm

Receive \$1 OFF admission if you're wearing a costume.
A costume contest with prizes to be awarded.

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE SKATE

November 22, 7:00-8:50pm
November 23, 6:30-8:20pm

Receive ½ OFF admission for all skaters who bring in a
canned good or non-perishable food item for donation.
All donations go to: YES Community Holiday Drive

WINTER RECREATION Celebration



DECEMBER 7

Alexander Community Center

Breakfast with Santa sponsored by Y.E.S. from 9:00-11:00am.
\$10 per person • \$9 with Membership Card:
FOR MORE INFORMATION, SEE PAGE 12



DECEMBER 13

Recreation Center @ Town Park

We will have crafts, snacks, games, face-painting, hay rides and
much more! Skate for free with a donation of a new pair of gloves
or mittens (otherwise regular open skate fees apply). Co-Sponsored
by the Cheektowaga Youth Foundation. Event runs 7:00-9:00pm.



DECEMBER 14

A Winter Celebration Stiglmeier Park

Music by Glenn Colton from 6:00-8:00pm.

Fireworks at 7:30pm

Food for purchase, proceeds to assist with Needy Family Drive
Santa, decorations, hayrides and fireworks will make
for a night of family fun!



New Year's Eve Bash

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2019 from 3:00-6:00pm

Say goodbye to 2019 with an afternoon of fun and
ice skating at our annual New Year's Eve Bash at the
Cheektowaga Recreation Center. Admission includes
free hats & noisemakers. Enjoy three hours of fun,
music, the big balloon drop and ice skating.

Public Skate Fees Apply

All Winter Recreation
activities sponsored by:
**Legislator Tim Meyers
and Legislator John Bruso**

Y.E.S. Information & Events

Y.E.S. (Youth Engaged In Service)

Volunteer work can and will give you a good feeling. By taking time to do good deeds for others, you will not only have self-gratification, but it will be advantageous for you in the future. Is the future too much down the road for you to worry about? That's okay, because being a Y.E.S. volunteer has immediate results too; you meet new people, make new friends and have a good time while doing it!

If you are interested in socializing with residents of nursing homes or doing crafts with little kids or interacting with the physically disabled, then you will like Y.E.S.! Our bi-monthly newsletter will outline all of our activities/dates/times from which you can make your selection! If you are between the ages of 12-18, then we invite you to call the Y.E.S. office at 897-7207 ext. 6655 to register for the next Y.E.S. Orientation Session. Yes, you will positively love it!!!

Y.E.S. Office
897-7207 ext. 6655 • cheektowagaYES@yahoo.com

Y.E.S. Breakfast With Santa

The Y.E.S. Program will be hosting their annual Breakfast with Santa event. This is a family event that you will not want to miss! Breakfast will include pancakes, sausage, fruit, pastries, and beverages all served to your family by the Cheektowaga Y.E.S. Program volunteers. There will be plenty of holiday fun for your children including craft tables, face painting, games, door prizes and of course a visit from Santa! Parents bring your cameras to capture the special moments. Hope to see you there!

Date: Saturday, Dec. 7, 2019 [6825]

Time: Doors open at 9:00am
(Breakfast served at 9:15!)

Location: Alexander Community Center
275 Alexander Avenue

Fee: \$10 per person
(with or without breakfast)

Resident Fee: \$9 per person

Children under 2 years of age are FREE.

Please call the main Office at 897-7207 to register. Event is limited to 90 people Pre-registration is required. NO WALK-INS day of the event.



Y.E.S Columbus Day Event

The Y.E.S. Program and Volunteers invite children ages 5-10 for some Halloween fun! Come join us for creepy crafts, a yummy snack, and Halloween Bingo! Costumes are optional! Don't miss out! Be sure to BOO there!!

Date: Monday, October 14, 2019 [6827]

Time: 10:00am-12:00 noon

Location: Alexander Community Center
275 Alexander Avenue

Fee: \$11 per child

Resident Fee: \$10 per child

Please call the Main Office at 897-7207 to register.

Minimum of 5 participants needed.

No walk-ins the day of the event.

Fall Family Night



The Cheektowaga Y.E.S.

Program will be hosting a family fun night which will include activities such as games, face painting, crafts and more! We also have a basket raffle and door prizes. Your admission will include 1 sheet of tickets for the basket raffle. Food, snacks and drinks will be available for purchase. Come join us for an evening of family fun!

Date: Wednesday, October 9, 2019 [6826]

Time: 5:00-7:30pm

Location: Alexander Community Center
275 Alexander Avenue

Fee: \$5 per person (children under 2 are free)

Please call the Main Office at 897-7207 to register.

Event is limited to 90 people. Pre-registration is encouraged.

***Special Note:** The Girl Power Club will be hosting a bake sale during the Fall Family Night.

Special Interest / Community Information



Library Enrichment Program

Reading for pleasure three or more hours per week is one of the essential building blocks young people need as a foundation for growing up. Cheektowaga Youth & Recreational Services joins with the Cheektowaga Public Libraries to encourage reading and utilization of the public libraries.

Cheektowaga Youth Foundation

The Cheektowaga Youth Foundation serves to support the mission of the Cheektowaga Youth and Recreational Services Department by providing young people with opportunities for personal growth in the areas of education, health, athletics, the arts and social development. Check out the Youth Foundation Facebook page @ cheektowagayouthfoundation for updates on meeting dates and scheduled events. Both adults and youth are welcome to serve on the Foundation. Call Jill Gorman-King at 897-7207, ext. 6648.

Library Winter Hours

(approximately Labor Day to Memorial Day)

Anna M. Reinstein Memorial Branch

2580 Harlem Road • 892-8089

Mon	1:00pm - 9:00pm
Tue	9:00am - 5:00pm
Wed	9:00am - 5:00pm
Thu	1:00pm - 9:00pm
Fri	Closed
Sat	9:00am - 5:00pm
Sun	Closed

Julia Boyer Reinstein Branch

1030 Losson Road • 668-4991

Mon	10:00am - 9:00pm
Tue	10:00am - 9:00pm
Wed	1:00pm - 9:00pm
Thu	10:00am - 9:00pm
Fri	10:00am - 5:00pm
Sat	10:00am - 5:00pm
Sun	12:00pm - 5:00pm

SHARE YOUR IDEAS...

If you have an idea for a new program that others would enjoy, or know someone with the talents and know-how to run a program or teach a class, call us at 897-7207.

PLEASE HELP US KEEP OUR MAILING LIST UP-TO-DATE. Let us know if you have moved or would like to be removed from our list. If you know someone who would like to receive our program brochure, please call our office to get them on our mailing list.

Special Interests

Make a Date for Dinner...



Cheektowaga Alliance for Healthy Communities
Healthy Youth encourages you to celebrate

Family Day

"A Day to Eat Dinner with Your Children"

Monday, September 23, 2019

Good food, great conversations and loads of laughs--that's what family dinners are made of. If busy schedules are making it hard for your family to pencil in regular family meals, take a "time out" to consider all the benefits of gathering around the dinner table. Family dinners are about more than just sharing a meal.

This is a national effort to promote parental engagement, through family dinners, as an effective way to reduce substance abuse among children and teens. Family Day is celebrated, annually, on

the fourth Monday in September. Research by The National Center on Addiction and Substance Abuse [CASA] at Columbia University consistently finds that the more often children eat dinner with their families the less likely they are to smoke, drink or use drugs.

The Cheektowaga Alliance for Healthy Communities Healthy Youth encourages you to begin making family dinners a regular feature of your daily routine!

19th Annual Reinstein Woods Fall Festival

Saturday, September 21, 2019

10:00am-4:00pm

Reinstein Woods Nature Preserve

93 Honorine Drive | Depew, NY



***Celebrate 30 years of DEC ownership of Reinstein Woods!
Enjoy a full day of nature activities, exhibits, live animals,
crafts for kids, music, demonstrations and more!***

*Event is rain or shine. For more info call 683-5959
or visit www.reinsteinwoods.org*

Signing Up is Easy... Here's How

Mail-In



Send completed and signed form with check or credit card information to:

Cheektowaga Youth & Recreational Services
275 Alexander Avenue
Cheektowaga, NY 14211

Online



Online go to:
www.tocny.org
To find our link!

Walk-In



All walk-in sign-ups will be taken at the Alexander Center
275 Alexander Avenue
Cheektowaga, NY 14211

Phone-In



Phone registrations will only be accepted with credit card payment. Phone lines are limited; your patience is appreciated. We accept Visa, Discover American Express & Mastercard.

M-F 9:30 am - 4:15pm
Phone: 897-7207

Mailed-in and Faxed-in registrations will be processed beginning September 4 for Residents and September 11 for Everyone

Most of the activities in this brochure have a registration number in brackets [0000] next to the description. Please be sure to include this number on your sign-up form.

COMPLETE THIS FORM AND DETACH

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS
PAYABLE TO:

CHEEKTOWAGA YOUTH & RECREATIONAL SERVICES

FAMILY INFORMATION (Head of Household/Guardian)				Fall 2019	
LAST		FIRST		MI	
ADDRESS					OFFICE USE ONLY
CITY			STATE	ZIP CODE	DATE
HOME PHONE	WORK PHONE		E-MAIL		INITIALS
PARENT BIRTHDATE	EMERGENCY CONTACT / PHONE #				RECEIPT #

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION (Sign-up all members from the same family on this form)

[REG. #]	PARTICIPANT NAME		BIRTHDATE			SEX	ACTIVITY NAME	ACTIVITY FEES
	LAST	FIRST	MO	DAY	YEAR			

WAIVER FOR PARTICIPANT AND/BY PARENT

In consideration of your accepting my or my child's entry, I hereby, for myself, my child, my heirs, executors, and administrators, waiver and release any and all rights and claims for damages I or my child have against the Town of Cheektowaga Youth & Recreational Services Department and its representatives, successors and assigns for any and all injuries suffered by myself or my child on any activity sponsored by these groups. I do hereby grant and give these groups the right to use my or my child's photograph or image with or without my or my child's name, both single and in conjunction with other persons or objects for any and all purposes including, but not limited to, private or public presentations, advertising, publicity and promotion relating thereto. I warrant that I have the right to authorize the foregoing uses and do hereby agree to hold the Town of Cheektowaga Youth & Recreational Services Department harmless of and from any and all liability of whatever nature which may arise out of result from such uses. For the consideration stated above, I further agree that in the event that my child repudiates or attempts to repudiate such release, I will personally indemnify and save harmless the Town of Cheektowaga Youth & Recreational Services Department, its successors and assigns, for any and all loss and damage occasioned thereby. Finally, I agree that my child, myself and all family members, friends, etc. will abide by the CYRS Zero Tolerance/Sportsmanship Policy (view at www.tocny.org).

SIGNATURE (PARENT/GUARDIAN) _____

THIS WAIVER MUST BE SIGNED OR FORM WILL NOT BE PROCESSED

FORM OF PAYMENT

CASH
 CHECK
 MONEY ORDER
 CREDIT CARD

TOTAL \$ _____
FEES _____
AMOUNT \$ _____
ENCLOSED _____

Card # _____
 Exp. Date _____ Last 3 #'s on back of card _____

Circle Card Choice:



Name On Card _____
 Signature _____

