

Township of Lower Merion Parks & Recreation

RECREATION INFORMATION

SUMMER 2025

Lower Merion Township offers a variety of programs, for both children and adults, year-round. Basketball, Pickleball and Tennis Clinics, Yoga, Ultimate Frisbee Clinics, Steel, R5 and Beestera Soccer, Soccer Shots and HappyFeet Programs, Shining Knights Chess Club, Abakadoodle Art Classes, Bricks 4 Kidz, Built By Me and Play Well Technologies Classes, Mad Science Workshops, US Sports Institute Classes and much, more.

Please visit our website www.lowermerionrec.com for a current schedule of programs and classes.

If you do not have on-line access, no need to worry. You can still mail or walk-in to register for programs and pool memberships.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION



You will be considered registered for a program only after the proper forms and fees are received. Payment is due at the time of registration. Checks should be made payable to “**Treasurer, Lower Merion Township**”. Registrations without accompanying fees will NOT be processed. Non-residents (including Narberth Borough) will have a higher registration fee.

Please note, Summer registration will open February 3 (February 17 for Non-Residents).

Nothing stops a program in its tracks faster than everyone waiting until the last minute to register. Many of our programs need a minimum number of participants to run so a program may be cancelled if there are not enough registrants. Minimum number must be reached at least one week prior to the start of the program.

ON-LINE REGISTRATION

The Parks and Recreation Department uses a software system for our Membership and Program Registration. This program enables participants to view programs offered and register on-line (convenience fees may apply). If you have on-line access, please visit www.lowermerionrec.com to create or log in to your account.

MAIL-IN/WALK-IN REGISTRATION

Registration forms can be mailed in or dropped off to our office, located in the Township Administration Building. Envelopes should be addressed as follows:

Lower Merion Township – Parks and Recreation
75 E Lancaster Ave
Ardmore PA 19003

Please note registrations will be processed as received.

CANCELLATION, REGISTRATION AND REFUND POLICY

Please review the policies on-line prior to registering for a program.



PHOTO POLICY

On occasion, we may take photos or video of individuals enrolled in programs or using Township facilities. Please be aware that these images are for Township use and may be used in future promotional materials.

New program idea? Let us know! We are always looking for new programs to offer our residents. Email recreation@lowermerion.org or give us a call 610.645.6220.

SUMMER CAMPS

PLAYGROUND ACTIVITIES CAMP

Registration is limited to 75 Participants - Register early!

Participants will be involved in a range of activities including arts and crafts, games, group activities and special events. On occasion, optional day trips will be a part of the programming for which additional fees will be charged. **In case of inclement weather, the program will be cancelled.**

Ages: 6 and over (must have completed kindergarten prior to the start of the program)

Dates: June 23 – August 1 (6 Weeks) No Program 7/4 and ½ Day Program 8/1

Days/Time: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 3:00pm

Locations: General Wayne Park | McMoran Park | South Ardmore Park | Wynnewood Valley Park

Six Week Fee: Resident/\$450 Non-Resident/\$540

SPECIAL RECREATION AFTERNOON CAMP

For Children with Special Needs

Participants will spend the afternoon with Lower Merion Township staff, swimming at our Belmont Hills public pool (weather permitting). Transportation WILL NOT be provided at the end of camp. Parent pick up ONLY.

In case of inclement weather, the program will be cancelled. There will be no refund or makeup for this program and any extreme cases of inclement weather (i.e. an entire week lost due to inclement weather) will be handled on an occurrence basis and a credit issued toward a future program.

Location: Belmont Hills Pool, 122 Mary Watersford Rd, Bala Cynwyd

Dates: July 1 – August 7

Days/Time: Monday – Thursday, 1:30 – 4:30pm*

Ages: 7 – 18

Fee: Resident/\$750 Non-Resident/\$900

Group Limit: 6 Participants

*For those families participating in Lower Merion ESY, after school transportation may be available. Please contact Lower Merion School District for more information.

YOUTH FIREFIGHTER CAMP

Ages 8 – 12



Youth Firefighter Camp will provide participants the opportunity to learn about fire safety, fire prevention, and the roles and responsibilities of firefighters with the Lower Merion Fire Department. Learning alongside Firefighters will help kids build a sense of teamwork and responsibility. The curriculum is designed to be fun, challenging, entertaining and educational. Lessons and activities will focus on the daily life of a firefighter, while helping participants identify fire and life safety concerns throughout their homes and schools. Each day will consist of short periods of lectures and lessons, followed by opportunities to actively participate in exercises designed to reinforce what they have learned. Youth Firefighter Camp will cover many interesting topics such as Fire Extinguisher Training, HazMat, Search and Rescue, and much more!

Group Limit: 24 Participants

Location: McMoran Park

Days/Times: August 18 – 22 9:00am – Noon

Fee: Resident/\$150 Non-Resident/\$180

Lower Merion has a number of groups that offer various recreational opportunities for leagues and other activities. Visit our website to view and or print a list of Program Providers with their contact information. Each group conducts their own registration during different times of the year. Please contact them directly if you are interested in any additional information.

MULTISPORT CAMP, US SPORTS INSTITUTE*Ages 5 – 11*

USA Sport Group brings together the finest providers of sports camps and classes for all ages and ability levels. For more information, please visit ussportsinstitute.com. All activities promote hand-eye coordination, movement, balance and most importantly FUN!

Players will have the opportunity to experience up to 4 different sports each day. Sports included: Baseball, Basketball, Cricket, Flag Football, Hockey, Handball, Lacrosse, Soccer, Rugby and more! **For more information, visit www.ussportsinstitute.com.**

Location: Gladwyne Park
Session 1: June 23 – 27
Session 2: July 21 – July 25
Session 3: August 11 – 15
Session 4: August 18 – 22
Time: 9:00am – Noon
Fee: Per Session Resident/\$230 Non-Resident/\$276
Group Limit: 36 Participants

MULTI SPORT CAMP, OVERTIME ATHLETICS*Ages 5 – 12*

The best time of the year is here, SUMMER and Overtime Athletics has the camp for everyone! OTA Multi-Sport Day Camp combines traditional sports, playground favorites, contests, brain buster projects and more. Campers will be split up into teams and be assigned a coach for the week. Teams will participate in a series of high and low intensity activities together so every camper has their moment to shine. You don't want to miss out!

Location: Gladwyne Park
Session 1: July 7 – 11
Session 2: July 14 – 18
Fee: Per Session Full Day 9:00am – 4:00pm Resident/\$300 Non-Resident/\$360
 AM Only 9:00am – Noon Resident/\$210 Non-Resident/\$252
Group Limit: 60 Participants

XPLORE WORLD GAMES CAMP, R5 SPORTS*Ages 5 – 14*

This week long camp will introduce the athletes to different Sports that are played around the world. Athletes will learn the basic rules while engaging in free play and competitive games. Sports for World Games Include: Handball, Cricket, Volleyball, Ultimate Frisbee, Touch Rugby, Soccer, Baseball, Basketball and MORE. **Group Limit:** 40 Participants

Location: South Ardmore Park
Session 1: July 28 – August 1
Time/Fee: Full Day Ages 7 – 14 9:00am – 3:00pm Resident/\$275 Non-Resident/\$330
 AM Only Ages 5 – 14 9:00am – Noon Resident/\$210 Non-Resident/\$252

XPLORE WORLD GAMES CAMP – HILLTOP, R5 SPORTS*Ages 7 – 14*

This is a Full Day Camp at Hill Top Prep School. The Camp location includes a Grass Field, A/C Gymnasium and an Outdoor Pool. The camp includes swimming. Sports for World Games include: Handball, Cricket, Ultimate Frisbee, Touch Rugby, Soccer, Badminton, Baseball, Wiffleball, Basketball and MORE.

Location: Hilltop Preparatory School, 737 S Ithan Ave, Bryn Mawr
Time: 9:00am – 5:00pm
Session 1: August 11 – 15
Session 2: August 18 – 22
Session 3: August 25 – 29
Fee: Per Session Resident/\$399 Non-Resident/\$479

BASKETBALL CAMP, US SPORTS INSTITUTE*Ages 5 – 11*

Our basketball camp gives players the opportunity to experience basketball instruction that will both challenge them and ensure they have a fantastic experience at camp.

Every camp is coached by our professional staff that is trained to encourage maximum participation, good sportsmanship, and above all - FUN! Recreational level players will learn the fundamentals of basketball, developing their passing, dribbling and shooting techniques. Travel players will be exposed to more advanced drills, helping to not only develop the fundamentals of the game but also the tactical side of the game. [For more information, visit www.ussportsinstitute.com.](http://www.ussportsinstitute.com)

- Location:** South Ardmore Park In the event of inclement weather, camp will be held at Bala Gymnasium, as scheduling allows
- Session 1:** July 28 – August 1
- Session 2:** August 4 – 7
- Session 3:** August 25 – 29
- Time:** 9:00am – Noon
- Fee:** Per Session Resident/\$230 Non-Resident/\$276
- Group Limit:** 36 Participants

FLAG FOOTBALL CAMP, OVERTIME ATHLETICS*Ages 6 – 12*

Are you ready for Some (flag) Football! Overtime Athletics Flag Football Summer Camps focus on flag football education, participation, sportsmanship, and FUN. No experience is necessary and EVERYONE plays! Flag Football is open to Boys & Girls. Flag Football is a NON-CONTACT sport. OTA Flag Football Camp will feature skills stations, competitions, and week ending team tournament! Campers will be put in static groups by age for the week. Throughout the week campers will learn the fundamentals of throwing, catching, scrimmage gameplay, de-flagging "tackling" and more! Come for a SEASON'S worth of games in just one week.

- Location:** Gladwyne Park
- Session 1:** July 28 – August 1
- Session 2:** August 4 – 8
- Time:** 9:00am – Noon
- Fee:** Per Session Resident/\$275 Non-Resident/\$330
- Group Limit:** 60 Participants

ULTIMATE FRISBEE CAMP, PHOENIX ULTIMATE ACADEMY*Ages 7 – 15*

Learn awesome frisbee skills from some of the best players in the game! Phoenix Ultimate Academy's summer camp covers the basics of ultimate as well as strategies and skills. Instruction is tailored to beginning and intermediate players of any gender. Daily activities include multiple sessions of ultimate skills, drills, and games, daily snacks, and fun summer activities. Coaching staff will include professional ultimate players of the Philadelphia Phoenix and other talented local coaches experienced in youth sports development!

- Location:** Bala Cynwyd Park
- Session 1:** July 21 – 25
- Session 2:** August 4 – 8
- Session 3:** August 18 – 22
- Session 4:** August 25 – 29
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| Time/Fee: | Per Session | Full Day | 9:00am – 3:00pm | Resident/\$400 | Non-Resident/\$480 |
| | | AM Only | 9:00am – Noon | Resident/\$250 | Non-Resident/\$300 |
- Group Limit:** 40 Participants

BASEBALL CAMP, TOP GUNN

Ages 7 – 12



Top Gunn's philosophy is to provide an A-Z fundamental instruction on all aspects of hitting, pitching, and defense through competition-style games themed around Coach Gunn's favorite movie, "Top Gun." Top Gunn Baseball Camp will introduce and

demonstrate various drills and games that are tailored to specific baseball skills and promote a positive team approach. Top Gunn will provide the "how and why" of drills and incorporate this instruction into simulated games. The number one priority is to have fun and learn to love the game of baseball. Regardless of the level of the player, this curriculum will help all players progress and gain an appreciation for America's pastime. [For more information, visit www.topgunbaseball.com.](http://www.topgunbaseball.com)

Session 1:	June 23 – 26	Bala Cynwyd Park
Session 2:	June 30 – July 3	Bala Cynwyd Park
Session 3:	August 25 – 28	McMoran Park
Time:	9:00am – 1:00pm	
Fee:	Per Session Resident/\$250	Non-Resident/\$300
Group Limit:	50 Participants	

SOCCER CAMP, R5 SPORTS

Ages 5 – 14



R5 Camps are designed to improve athletes and players. We are passionate about the game and this transcends to the players. Camps are structured so that each player has a path to success in the game. The program will help players with their on-field technical skills while also ensuring they understand how to incorporate those skills when playing in a game.

Location:	South Ardmore Park				
Session 1:	June 23 – 27	Session 2:	July 7 – 11	Session 3:	August 18 – 22
Time/Fee:	Per Session				
	Full Day Ages 7 – 14	9:00am – 3:00pm	Resident/\$275	Non-Resident/\$330	
	AM Only Ages 5 – 14	9:00am – Noon	Resident/\$210	Non-Resident/\$252	

SOCCER CAMP, BEESTERA SOCCER

Ages 5 – 15



Beestera Soccer is a club-neutral, supplemental training organization committed to developing great players and even better people through high-quality, detailed, and engaging programs designed for all skill levels. Beestera offers private training, team training, futsal programs, and camps, providing opportunities for players in a safe, fun, and competitive environment. Beestera's mission is to create memorable moments that inspire growth, learning, and character development both on and off the field which has resulted in being awarded the #1 Nike Soccer Camp organization in the US. With a commitment to excellence and a focus on creating meaningful experiences, Beestera continues to shape the future of youth soccer.

Location:	McMoran Park			
Session 1:	August 4 – 8			
Time/Fee:	Full Day	9:00am – 3:00pm	Resident/\$335	Non-Resident/\$402
	AM Only	9:00am – Noon	Resident/\$215	Non-Resident/\$258

SOCCER CAMP, STEEL SPORTS

Ages 5 – 14



Steel United Summer Camps provide a consistent path to improvement for ages 5 – 14. Each step is designed with the age, experience, and ability of the player in mind. This program gives every player the chance to fully realize their potential. Each child will enjoy learning the fundamentals of soccer including, individual ball skills, running with the ball, passing, controlling the ball, shooting, and scoring.

Location:	South Ardmore Park			
Session 1:	August 11 – 14			
Time/Fee:	Full Day	9:00am – 3:00pm	Resident/\$285	Non-Resident/\$342
	AM Only	9:00am – Noon	Resident/\$220	Non-Resident/\$264
Group Limit:	50 Participants			

PICKLEBALL CAMP, UNIVERSAL RACKETS

Ages 7 – 14



Universal Rackets is excited to bring Lower Merion Township Junior Summer Pickleball Camps! During the program, campers will learn the strokes and rules of pickleball in a fun, upbeat environment. Students will drill, play fun and instructional games, and have the opportunity for some friendly competition.

Group Limit: 24 Participants

Location: Wynnewood Valley Park

Days: Monday – Thursday No Camp Friday

Session 1: June 23 – 26

Session 2: July 7 – 10

Session 3: August 11 – 14

Time: 9:00am – Noon

Fee: Per Session Resident/\$295 Non-Resident/\$354

TENNIS CAMP, UNIVERSAL RACKETS

Ages 7 – 14



Universal Rackets is excited to bring Lower Merion Township Junior Summer Tennis Camps! During the program, campers will learn the strokes and rules of tennis in a fun, upbeat environment. Students will drill, play fun and instructional games, and have the opportunity for some friendly competition.

Group Limit: 24 Participants

Location: McMoran Park

Days: Monday – Thursday No Camp Friday

Session 1: June 30 – July 3

Session 2: July 14 – 17

Session 3: August 4 – 7

Time: 9:00am – Noon

Fee: Per Session Resident/\$295 Non-Resident/\$354

TENNIS CAMP, ROYAL T

Ages 7 – 16



Our tennis program has a great method currently used at some of the best tennis academies in the world. We have developed world class and national level players, as well as helped many area tennis players of all ages to play better tennis and enjoy the game. Our goal, as a tennis program, is to help all that come to us to have more fun playing tennis.

Group Limit: 14 Participants

Location: Jack M Barrack Hebrew Academy, 272 S Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr

Half Day: 9:00am – 1:00pm

Full Day: 9:00am – 5:00pm

Session 1: July 7 – 11

Session 2: July 14 – 18

Session 3: July 21 – 25

Session 4: July 28 – August 1

Session 5: August 4 – 8

Session 6: August 11 – 15

Fee: Per Session **Full Day** 9:00am – 5:00pm Resident/\$470 Non-Resident/\$564
AM Only 9:00am – 1:00pm Resident/\$280 Non-Resident/\$336

RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS CAMP

Ages 5+



Rhythmic Gymnastics is the perfect sport to teach body awareness and control - skills that will assist in the development of athletic potential for any sporting endeavor. It is a marvelous blend of traditional gymnastics, dance, and ballet with the use of such apparatus as the ribbon, rope, ball, hoop, and clubs. It is a sport that develops grace and beauty for young girls and challenges them to exceed while improving their skills in ballet, dance, and coordination. Give your daughter the right start in life! Let her experience Rhythmic Gymnastics and watch her confidence and self-esteem grow by leaps and bounds.

Please contact [Valeriya Neikova at \(610\)580-4714](mailto:Valeriya.Naikova@610580-4714) or e-mail balagymnastics@gmail.com.

Location: Bala Gym, Bala and Union Avenues

Session 1: June 23 – June 27

Session 2: June 30 – July 3 4 Days

Session 3: July 7 – 11

Session 4: July 14 – 18

Session 5: July 21 – 25

Session 6: August 11 – 15

Session 7: August 18 – 22

Session 8: August 25 – 29

GEOVENTURES CAMP



Geoventures is an outdoor programming company working with recreation departments and educational organizations to provide a variety of quality programs connecting children to nature. Our mission is to get more kids

outside building knowledge and affection for nature through play.

Group Limit: 25 Participants

Location: Wynnewood Valley Park

Time: 9:00 – 3:00pm

Fee: Per Session Resident/\$320 Non-Resident/\$384

August 4 – 8

Critter Rescuers Camp

Ages 6 – 9

Do you love learning about animals and how to help them thrive? Armed with wits and magnifying glasses, Critter Rescuers will work to answer some of the world's biggest (and smallest) questions. Rescuers will focus on saving animal habitats with hands-on activities, stories, games, and solving mysteries together.

August 18 – 22

STEM Survival Challenge

Ages 8 – 12

Tackle exciting survival games and challenges using the Engineering Design Process. This camp introduces the world of wilderness survival using scientific thinking and invention. Campers are challenged to build natural shelters, navigate using GPS, and practice the science-based secrets of tracking and stealth. Skills are woven into each day camp's storytelling, discussions, and team challenges.

August 25 – 29

Wild About Art

Ages 6 – 10

The best art is made where the wild things are! Beginners to passionate young artists are welcome to grow wild about art with us! This camp brings together an exploration of nature with a chance to be a creator. We'll learn about using natural materials to make paintings, sculptures, pressed art and more.

VAC ENRICHMENT CAMP

Ages 5 – 11



During VAC Enrichment programs, students not only learn, but also identify ways to give back to the community with their learnings under the guidance of experienced teachers. This is different from other programs in that

students immediately see the impact they're making, sparking an interest in entrepreneurship and community service. The curriculum is based around the principle that every session, students experience a personal growth moment by completing something entrepreneurial they can show off to others in their lives. [For more information, visit www.vineyardappcamp.com](http://www.vineyardappcamp.com).

Group Limit: 20 Participants

Location: Bryn Mawr Spring House, 9 S Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr

Time: 1:00 – 4:00pm

Fee: Per Session Resident/\$269 Non-Resident/\$323

July 7 – 11

Cooking Around the World

Ages 5 – 8

Does your child have a passion for cooking? Are they ready to experience new foods and expand their little palettes? Our students will be engaged while discovering how to prepare delicious international and American dishes safely and skillfully. Our mini chefs will enjoy exploring diverse recipes from Africa, Asia, Europe, and North and South America, while learning food prep tips and tricks they can use throughout their life. During our sessions, your child will play kids' games from other countries, learn food terms from around the world, and receive simple recipes they can use at home.

July 28 – August 1

Junior Bakers

Ages 8 – 11

Discover the world of baking in our beginner's baking class designed for children! Led by our experienced instructors, young bakers will explore the art of baking while fostering creativity and teamwork. Through a carefully crafted series of beginner-friendly activities, children will master the fundamentals of baking. Throughout the course, they will enhance their skills by participating in exciting projects like Cookie Decorating, Fudge Making, crafting Caramel Popcorn, and creating mouthwatering Caramel Apples. Along the way, students will also learn essential baking skills and safety techniques.

CHESS CAMP, SHINING KNIGHTS

Ages 5 – 13



ShiningKnights, Ltd.

Spend the week playing and learning about chess from the Shining Knights chess coaches! Campers are assigned to groups by skill level, and classes are tailored to appeal to total beginners through experienced and highly rated tournament players. Activities include learning openings, tactics, and endgames, studying master games, playing games against fellow students, and analyzing the students' games. Campers will take short breaks for snacks and fresh air every hour. **FULL DAY and HALF DAY OPTIONS!**

Location: Bryn Mawr Community Center, 9 S. Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr
Session 1: June 23 – 27
Session 2: July 7 – 11
Session 3: July 28 – August 1
Session 4: August 18 – 22
Full Day: Ages 6 – 13 9:00am – 3:30pm *Full-day campers have lunch/recess from Noon – 12:30pm
Half Day: Ages 5 – 13 **AM Session:** 9:00am – Noon **PM Session:** 12:30 – 3:30pm
Fee: Half Day Resident/\$250 Half Day Non-Resident/\$300
Full Day Resident/\$400 Full Day Non-Resident/\$440
Group Limit: 30 Participants

DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS CAMP, GAME ON!

Ages 10 – 14



Role Playing Games (RPGs) like Dungeons & Dragons (D&D) are a great way for kids to gain and reinforce social cooperation, critical thinking, and arithmetic skills in a developmentally appropriate, fun environment of epic fantasy quests like those from the Hobbit and Lord of the Rings books and movies. This summer, experienced Dungeon Masters will guide kids through character creation, followed by several sessions of role playing in an adventure. Play

will concentrate on the basics, so no experience is necessary, but veteran players will also have a blast! All materials will be provided, including dice, character sheets, reference books, and miniature figurines. At the end of the camp, the kids are welcome to keep their dice and figurines. **Group Limit:** 7 Participants

Location: Bryn Mawr Commons Gazebo, 9 S Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr
Time: 9:00am – Noon
Session 1: June 30 – July 3* **Session 2:** July 14 – 18
Session 3: August 11 – 15 **Session 4:** August 25 – 29
Fee: Per Session *Session 1 Resident/\$180 Non-Resident/\$216
Sessions 2 – 4 Resident/\$225 Non-Resident/\$270

DRAMA CAMP, THEATRE HORIZON

Ages 7 – 12



In Theatre Horizon's Summer Drama Camp, young actors spend a week working as an ensemble to create an original play – full of drama, comedy, suspense, and one-of-a-kind characters. Professional teaching artists guide campers through playwriting basics and fun improvisation games. On the last day of camp, they perform their world premiere play for an audience of friends and family using props and costumes they made themselves! Drama Camp is a place to make new friends, build ensemble skills, take on leadership roles, and explore creativity. Curtain up!

Location: Harriton High School, 600 N Ithan Ave, Bryn Mawr Location subject to change
Days/Times: Monday – Thursday 9:00am – 3:00pm
Session 1: July 7 – 10
Session 2: July 14 – 17
Session 3: July 21 – 24
Session 4: July 28 – 31
Session 5: August 4 – 7
Fee: Per Session Resident/\$180 Non-Resident/\$216
Group Limit: 24 Participants

MEDICAL ME CAMP

Ages 5 – 12



Medical Me is a fun and engaging STEAM educational enrichment program, bringing medicine, science, and the importance of health to children ages 3 to 17, through interactive classes, camps, and special events. Our Mission is to educate young children with practical lifelong knowledge about medicine, science, and the importance of health. Our goal is to give children a better understanding and respect for the world of medicine, giving them confidence when communicating with their parents and doctors in a more in-depth manner. [For more information, visit www.medicalmemd.com.](http://www.medicalmemd.com)

Location: Bryn Mawr Community Center, 9 S Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr

Time/Fee:	Per Session	Full Day	9:00am – 3:30pm	Resident/\$375	Non-Resident/\$450
		AM Only	9:00am – Noon	Resident/\$200	Non-Resident/\$240

Group Limit: 20 Participants

July 21 – 25 **Veterinarian Summer Camp**

Enjoy unparalleled opportunities to immerse yourself in the fascinating world of veterinary medicine! Begin by adopting a stuffed animal, that you will take home. Learn how to examine different animals and assess their health. Also, campers will learn how to treat common illnesses and administer medication.

August 4 – 8 **Fish Veterinarian Summer Camp**

Into the Sea! Let's explore the sea as we enhance critical thinking through role play! Learn what sea creatures eat and how their digestive system works. Dissect fish and discuss parts of the fish anatomy. Learn all about how to give medicine to animals as small as a porgy and as big as a shark. Hours of interactive instructions teach participants what fish need to survive in a fish tank and in the ocean. At the end of this class, each student receives a fish and fishbowl to take home.

PLAY-WELL TEKNOLOGIES CAMP

Ages 5 – 12



At Play-Well we know kids are naturally gifted creators. They receive added inspiration when they dive into our massive collection of LEGO® with our trained instructors. They will explore the fundamental principles of engineering while building elaborate objects, structures and vehicles. They also learn to collaborate and create without fear of mistakes. The experience is joyful, the impact long-lasting. Our classes are not affiliated with The LEGO® Group.

[For more information, visit www.play-well.org.](http://www.play-well.org)

Location: Bryn Mawr Community Center, 9 S Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr

AM Session: 9:00 – Noon **PM Session:** 12:30 – 3:30pm

Fee: Per Session Resident/\$175 Non-Resident/\$210

Group Limit: 16 Participants

July 21 – 25

AM Session

Radical Rides using LEGO® Materials

Ages 5 – 7

Start your engines with tens of thousands of LEGO® parts as you dive into the vast world of vehicles! Build and design an array of exciting machines, traversing land, sea, and air, with the assistance of experienced Play-Well instructors. Learn about the engineering principles behind motors, gears, and everything that roams and zooms!

PM Session

Radical Rides 2.0 using LEGO® Materials

Ages 7 – 12

Get anywhere, any way by building fast and furious vehicles of all kinds! Dive into our tens of thousands of LEGO® parts while you learn about the engineering behind vehicle design and creation. We guarantee that our Play-Well instructors will help you get movin' and groovin' through the world.

August 4 – 8

AM Session

Pokémon Engineering using LEGO® Materials

Ages 5 – 7

Calling all Pokémon trainers! With the Pokémon Championship approaching, join our enthusiastic Play-Well instructors as we build and catch our favorite Pokémon, rescue Pikachu from Team Rocket, take a ride on the S.S. Anne to uncover rare and mystic Pokémon, and battle to see who will hold the title of Pokémon Master. Come along on our journey to catch 'em all!!

PM Session

Pokémon Master Engineering using LEGO® Materials

Ages 7 – 12

LEGO® Master, I choose you!! In the race to be crowned the Ultimate Pokémon Champion, we need your help! Learn to build your favorite Pokémon, level up by teaching them special moves, evolve them into more powerful versions, and come face to face with the current champion in an epic battle for the title. Learn from our Play-Well Pokémon Masters so you can make it to the top!

BUILT BY ME CAMP

Ages 7 – 11



Built by Me offers STEM robotics and coding programs geared to children in grades 1 – 5. Our mission is to teach children to create via technology. Our programs are all interactive, collaborative, hands-on,

project-based, and focused on using technology to create and learn new skills while having fun! Within our tight age ranges we break our classes down even further, grades 1 – 3 and 3 – 5, so children can gain the appropriate skills at their level of maturity. **For more information, visit www.builtbyme.com.** **Group Limit:** 10 Participants

Location: Bryn Mawr Spring House, 9 S Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr

AM Session: 9:00 – Noon

PM Session: 1:00 – 4:00pm

Fee: Per Session Resident/\$338 Non-Resident/\$406

June 23 – 27

PM Session

Robotics with mBot Robot

Ages 9 – 11

This camp offers a well-rounded and engaging experience for children interested in exploring the exciting world of robots and coding. Young engineers will discover the basics of coding and robotics as they learn how to program the mBot robot to complete a variety of tasks, building and expanding their coding skills along the way. This fun and interactive program will have them track and probably chase their mBots through mazes and other activities.

July 14 – 18

AM Session

LEGO® Robotics & Coding – Summer Fun

Ages 7 – 9

This fun and interactive camp will introduce children to coding, robotics, and engineering using the LEGO® Spike Essential Education Robotics Construction Sets. Throughout the week, campers will participate in hands-on STEM activities and team-building challenges to learn concepts such as sequencing, debugging and troubleshooting. They will work in pairs on building models using sensors and motors that will allow them to code their prototypes to simulate amusement park rides. Young engineers will learn and gain confidence as they build and test their designs, reinforcing these concepts.

PM Session

LEGO® Robotics & Coding w/ Scratch MIT – Summer Getaway

Ages 9 – 11

This fun and interactive camp will introduce children to coding, robotics, and engineering using the LEGO® Spike Essential Education Robotics Construction Sets. Throughout the week, campers will participate in hands-on STEM activities and team-building challenges to learn concepts such as sequencing, debugging, and troubleshooting. They will work in pairs on building models using sensors and motors that will allow them to code their prototypes to simulate means of transportation using Scratch MIT, a block-based coding language. Young engineers will learn and gain confidence as they build and test their designs, reinforcing these concepts.

August 11 – 15

PM Session

LEGO® Robotics & Coding w/ Scratch MIT – Sports Universe Camp

Ages 7 – 9

This engaging and interactive camp invites children to explore the exciting world of coding, robotics, and engineering using LEGO® Spike Essential Education Robotics Construction Sets. Throughout the week, campers will immerse themselves in hands-on STEM projects and collaborative challenges. Working in pairs, they'll design and build models centered on sports, then program their robots' behavior, using sensors and motors. Aspiring young engineers will develop skills, boost confidence, and have fun bringing their ideas to life through dynamic design and testing activities.

August 18 – 22

AM Session

LEGO® Robotics & Coding – Space Quest Camp

Ages 7 – 9

This dynamic and interactive camp offers an introduction to coding, robotics, and engineering using LEGO® Spike Essential Education Robotics Construction Sets. Utilizing sensors and motors, campers work in pairs to build and code models focused on space exploration. The camp incorporates a variety of hands-on STEM activities and team-building challenges. Through building, testing, and problem-solving, young engineers gain confidence while fostering creativity and innovation. This course is a great way to prepare young Robotics enthusiasts for the more advanced Robotics course.

PM Session

LEGO® Robotics & Coding w/ Scratch MIT – Quirky Adventures Camp

Ages 9 – 11

This dynamic camp immerses children in coding, robotics, and engineering with LEGO® Spike Essential Education Robotics Construction Sets. Working in pairs, campers will build imaginative models like a trash monster and high-tech playground, integrating sensors and motors. They will then code their models using Scratch MIT, a block-based code. The hands-on experience emphasizes engineering design skills—defining problems, brainstorming solutions, and testing prototypes. The camp's fusion of creativity, technology, and collaboration makes STEM concepts accessible and fun.

MAD SCIENCE CAMP

Ages 6 – 12



Mission — “We aim to spark the imagination and curiosity of children everywhere by providing them with fun, entertaining and educational activities that instill a clear understanding of what science is really about and how it affects the world around them.”

Group Limit: 17 Participants

Full Day: 9:00am – 3:30pm *Lunch from Noon – 12:30pm – Please send with a packed lunch

AM Only: 9:00am – Noon

Location: Bryn Mawr Community Center, 9 S Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr

June 30 – July 3 No Camp 7/4

Full Day	Launching with Legends/Flight to the Future	Resident/\$363	Non-Resident/\$436
AM Only	Flight to the Future	Resident/\$181	Non-Resident/\$217

Launching with Legends

Discover the work of da Vinci, Edison, Tesla, and Benjamin Franklin and use what you learn to invent solutions to everyday problems. You'll prepare a proposal and receive a patent certificate for your very own invention. Build your own catapult, and even launch projectiles off a large trebuchet! You'll bring home countless cool inventions and a squadron of paper airplanes the Wright brothers would be proud of!

Flight to the Future

Use your imagination and creativity to escape the dangers of an island and make it back into space! Explore technological advances: submarines, boats, stomp rockets, & spacecraft. Discover science fiction through the works of Jules Verne and Isaac Asimov. All campers will build and take home their own sci-fi inspired light sabers!

July 14 – 18

Full Day	Mad Machines/Mechanical Marvels	Resident/\$388	Non-Resident/\$466
AM Only	Mechanical Marvels	Resident/\$206	Non-Resident/\$247

Mad Machines & Jr Engineers

Whether you enjoy building or destroying structures, you'll love this camp! Work with simple machines such as pulleys, wedges, screws, and levers, to build your own catapults! Experiment with tessellation with triangles and cubes. Exercise your ability to work with others while constructing a geodesic dome big enough for everyone to fit inside! Let the building begin!

BRIXology – Mechanical Marvels

These classes were developed with Lego master builders! Campers will build machines that GO! From race cars to boats and drawing machines to insects. Our creations are on the move. Each day we will explore a different engineering concept and put what we learn to the test. Children will receive a take home activity each day. Let the building begin!

August 11 – 15

Full Day	Chemical Curiosities/Super Slimy Smokey	Resident/\$388	Non-Resident/\$466
AM Only	Super Slimy Smokey Science	Resident/\$206	Non-Resident/\$247

Chemical Curiosities

Become a creative chemist through the investigation of the periodic table and the atoms that make up everything around us! Learn about chemical reactions as you grow crystals. We will experiment oxidizing metals with different chemicals to see how rusty they get, design chromatography bandanas to take home, and even make our very own ice cream!

Super Slimy Smokey Science

Dive into a variety of scientific fields as you help solve a mystery, stretch silly putty and slime, copper-plate nickels, tinker with circuits, and investigate optical illusions. Become captivated by lasers, dry ice, and hair-raising experiments! You will love what happens when you mix science and fun!

August 25 – 29

Full Day	Robots – Paths to Power/Spies Like Us	Resident/\$388	Non-Resident/\$466
AM Only	Spies Like Us	Resident/\$206	Non-Resident/\$247

Robots – Paths to Power

Explore the discoveries and inventions that have made robots possible. From learning how robots light up to getting them moving with gears. After learning the fundamentals, we will experiment with different sources of energy and even get to take a hand-powered generator home. We will see how these energy sources affect the environment and how they compare with sustainable energy while thinking about future energy sources!

Spies Like Us

Become a super spy and learn clever ways of performing tasks in this hands-on view of the science that spies use. Go on secret missions to find enemy spies and receive your very own pair of spyglasses. From decoding messages to secret safes and lasers, you will have the opportunity to check out spy equipment and discover the technological tools of detection!

BRICKS 4 KIDZ CAMP

Ages 5 – 11



Bricks 4 Kidz, a leader in STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) educational activities specializes in introducing children to advanced concepts in physics and engineering through hands-on play with LEGO® bricks and technologies in after school enrichment programs, field trips and summer camps.

Location: Bryn Mawr Spring House, 9 S Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr

Time: 9:00am – Noon

Fee: Per Session Resident/\$210 Non-Resident/\$252

Group Limit: 14 Participants

June 23 – 27

Theme Mashup

Bricks 4 Kidz THEME MASHUP is a fun camp with BRAND NEW and AWESOME LEGO® models for your Master Builder to create! Your Master Builder will have a chance to create motorized LEGO® models, 3D LEGO® color brick builds and our LEGO® Mosaics based on themes like MINECRAFT, Pokémon, Superheroes, and much more! Have fun building models such as a motorcycle a 3-D LEGO® T-Rex, a hot air balloon, all out of LEGO® bricks!

July 7 – 11

Logan & Zoe's Portal to Adventure

Logan and Zoe were a little behind on their schoolwork, so Mom said they could use the Portal to help them catch up -- so long as they promised not to get out. Unfortunately, their puppy, Trevor, didn't understand. On the plus side, they might catch up in time. On the minus side, is that a T-Rex on a Jet Ski?

July 28 – August 1

Building is Awesome

Do you think building is awesome? How about building with Emmet and Lucy? Then you won't want to miss the Bricks 4 Kidz Building Is Awesome Camp! Join Emmet, Lucy, Unicorn Kitty and Benny on a journey to stop Bad Cop and Lord Business from super-gluing the world. Campers will put their engineering skills to work as they build motorized models, 3D figure models and mosaics. They'll love these awesome models based on The LEGO® Movie and its sequel. Whether you take an imaginary ride on Metal Beard's ship or Emmet's double-decker couch, be sure to get on over to Bricks 4 Kidz where building is awesome!

August 11 – 15

Ticket to Ride

Maybe you've been to Disney World, Universal Studios, Six Flags, or even LEGO Land... but have you ever built your own amusement park with LEGO bricks? That's exactly what we'll be doing all week, and not just regular LEGO bricks... we're using axles, gears, motors, and more to make our rides really move and groove! Join us for a week of amusement park building fun... the Bricks 4 Kidz way!

ABRAKADOODLE CAMP

Ages 6 – 12



Abrakadoodle is the global leader in visual arts education, bringing art classes, camps and special art events to children of all ages. Abrakadoodle teachers bring exciting lessons and a wide variety of art materials while introducing children to

artists, art vocabulary and techniques from around the world!

Group Limit: 14 Participants

Locations: Bryn Mawr Spring House/*Bryn Mawr Community Center, 9 S Bryn Mawr Av, Bryn Mawr

AM Session: 9:00 – Noon **PM Session:** 1:00 – 4:00pm

*Sign Up for both AM and PM Sessions and lunch time care (Noon – 1:00pm) is included.

June 30 – July 3 No Camp 7/4

Great Big Messy Art Camp

Resident/\$180

Non-Resident/\$216

Oh, go ahead and make a mess! That's what this camp is all about – messy art and creative imagination-expanding experiences! Everything we do is messy: sticky spaghetti designs, paint that fizzes and POPS, messy portraits that match our own messy faces, squeeze art and African mud painting! AND SLIME! These happy creative experiments spark our imagination. So come mess with Abrakadoodle, winner of "the best art class to bring out your child's inner Picasso!"

July 21 – 25 Wild About Animals! STEAM Art Camp Resident/\$220 Non-Resident/\$264

Welcome to the wonderful world of animals! From deserts and savannas to rainforests and the Arctic Circle, we will learn about animals and their habitats. We will create animals in all shapes, sizes and colors. We will discover the special ways they move around, their unique ways of communicating and how animals adapt to survive in their habitats. We will design toucans, monkeys, lions and camels inspired by artists. We will create masterpieces with ostriches, polar bears, llamas, river otters, squirrels and stingrays! Each lesson will introduce fun art techniques while we explore STEAM concepts.

August 4 – 8 Super Doodle Art Camp Resident/\$220 Non-Resident/\$264

You're a kid! You're an artist! You're a SuperDoodler! Create super-sized drawings and masks! Imagine superheroes and your own superpowers! Make a super-mess and produce spectacular sculptures and paintings! Blast off with super space art and more! SuperDoodlers create nonstop super FUN in this super-duper camp!

August 25 – 29 Summer Surfing Art Camp Resident/\$220 Non-Resident/\$264

Summer is the best time for catching rays and waves while having a summer blast of FUN! This camp transports us to a virtual tropical paradise where we'll create the perfect wave, design fish that may look a little like Uncle Harry, make and fly airplanes towing a message, create watercolor seascapes like artist Heather Brown and more. We will be serenaded by beach music while we play seaside games and join in super summer adventures! This salute to summer includes ten art and creativity projects along with a boatload of FUN by Abrakadoodle, winner of seven Nickelodeon Parent Picks awards for the "Best Art Classes to Inspire Your Child's Inner Picasso." Surf's up! Come and catch this summer wave!

Lower Merion Township is looking for motivated and reliable summer lifeguards to ensure the safety of members and guests at the Belmont Hills and Ardmore Avenue Pools. Please email recreation@lowermerion.org for employment opportunities.

SUMMER PROGRAMS

SOCCER SHOTS



Soccer Shots is the premier intro to soccer program in the United States teaching children soccer and character development through its innovative curriculum and imaginative games. [For more information, visit www.soccershots.org.](http://www.soccershots.org)

Location: Ashbridge Park

Group Limit: 12 Participants

Fee: Per Session

Thursdays

Resident/\$173

Non-Resident/\$208

Saturdays

Resident/\$152

Non-Resident/\$182

Minis *Parents accompany child on field*

Ages 2 – 3

Soccer Shots Mini is a high-energy program introducing children to fundamental soccer principles, such as using your feet, dribbling and the basic rules of the game. Through fun games, songs and positive reinforcement, children will begin to experience the joy of playing soccer and being active.

Summer Session 1: Thursdays 4:30 – 5:00pm June 19 – August 7 (8)

Summer Session 2: Thursdays 5:20 – 5:50pm June 19 – August 7 (8)

Summer Session 3: Saturdays 8:45 – 9:15am June 21 – August 9 (7) No Class 7/5

Summer Session 4: Saturdays 9:30 – 10:00am June 21 – August 9 (7) No Class 7/5

Classic

Ages 3 – 5

Soccer Shots Classic utilizes creative and imaginative games to focus on basic soccer skills like dribbling, passing and shooting. We also highlight a positive character trait each session such as respect, teamwork and appreciation.

Summer Session 1: Thursdays 4:30 – 5:10pm June 19 – August 7 (8)

Summer Session 2: Thursdays 5:10 – 5:50pm June 19 – August 7 (8)

Summer Session 3: Thursdays 6:00 – 6:40pm June 19 – August 7 (8)

Summer Session 4: Saturdays 8:45 – 9:25am June 21 – August 9 (7) No Class 7/5

Summer Session 5: Saturdays 9:20 – 10:00am June 21 – August 9 (7) No Class 7/5

Summer Session 6: Saturdays 10:05 – 10:45am June 21 – August 9 (7) No Class 7/5

Premier

Ages 5 – 8

Soccer Shots Premier focuses on individual skill, fitness and sportsmanship, providing an opportunity for children to be challenged through fun games and team interaction. Children will also be introduced to competition in a developmentally appropriate manner.

Summer Session 1: Thursdays 6:00 – 6:40pm June 19 – August 7 (8)

Summer Session 2: Saturdays 10:05 – 10:45am June 21 – August 9 (7) No Class 7/5

HAPPYFEET

Ages 3 – 5



HappyFeet introduces soccer to children in the most FUN way that will increase participation, excitement, and learning! We use a story time approach to teach kids soccer skills while improving confidence, coordination, and character!

Location: South Ardmore Park

Day/Time: Sundays 9:00 – 10:00am

10:00 – 11:00am

11:00am – Noon

Summer Session: July 13 – August 24 (7)

Fee: Per Session Resident/\$189

Non-Resident/\$227

Group Limit: 12 Participants

TENNIS, UNIVERSAL RACKETS

Ages 6 – 14



Universal Rackets, founded by Tyler Stroyek, former Division I Tennis Player and USPTA Certified Tennis Instructor, currently works with over 600+ students in the Main Line/Philadelphia area and provides world class training to all ages and levels. Tyler and his professional coaching staff do this through simple tips, strategized lesson plans, and an extreme passion for the sport. Universal Rackets looks forward to teaching the fundamentals, techniques and strategies of tennis to Lower Merion Township in a fun, upbeat atmosphere! Universal Rackets was rated one of the best places to learn tennis and most approachable by Philadelphia Magazine in 2022.

Location: McMoran Park

Session 1: Saturdays June 21 – August 2 (6) No Class 7/5 9:00 – 10:00am Beginner/Adv Beginner

Session 2: Saturdays June 21 – August 2 (6) No Class 7/5 11:00am – Noon Junior Performance

Session 3: Thursdays July 17 – August 21 (6) 4:30 – 5:30pm Beginner/Intermediate

Fee: Per Session Resident/\$150 Non-Resident/\$180

Group Limit: 16 Participants

PICKLEBALL – YOUTH – INDOOR, UNIVERSAL RACKETS

Ages 6 – 16



Universal Rackets is a pickleball and tennis company that specializes in clinics, private instruction, tournaments for all ages/levels. All staff are PPR/USPTA certified. Universal's mission is to teach tennis/pickleball to all ages/levels through high energy, upbeat and personalized instruction.

Location : Bala Gym, 49 Bala Avenue, Bala Cynwyd

Summer Session: Saturdays July 12 – August 9 (5)

Beginner/Advanced Beginner 9:00 – 10:00am Ages 6 – 14

Advanced Beginner/Intermediate 10:00 – 11:00am Ages 6 – 14

Junior Performance 11:00am – Noon Ages 10 – 16

Fee: Per Session Resident/\$150 Non-Resident/\$180

Group Limit: 16 Participants

TENNIS, ROYAL T

Ages 5 – 14



TUFF training is designed to give participants the tools needed to help them reach their full potential. Our program offers a solid foundation of skills, along with proper throwing and running movements. The program's short-term goal is to help participants solidify the techniques of tennis, while gaining confidence and having fun. The long-term goal is to provide a great experience that will begin a lifelong love for the sport.

Location: Jack M Barrack Hebrew Academy, 272 S Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr

Group Limit: 15 Participants

Summer Session – Saturdays May 31– July 12 (7)

Beginner	10:00 – 11:00am	Ages 5 – 12	Resident/\$160	Non-Resident/\$192
Intermediate	11:00am – 12:30pm	Ages 7 – 13	Resident/\$180	Non-Resident/\$216
Advanced	12:30 – 2:00pm	Ages 9 – 14	Resident/\$190	Non-Resident/\$228

Summer Session – Sundays June 1 – July 13 (7)

Beginner	10:00 – 11:00am	Ages 5 – 12	Resident/\$160	Non-Resident/\$192
Intermediate	11:00am – 12:30pm	Ages 7 – 13	Resident/\$180	Non-Resident/\$216
Advanced	12:30 – 2:00pm	Ages 9 – 14	Resident/\$190	Non-Resident/\$228

Summer 2 Session – Sundays August 3 – 31 (5)

Beginner	11:30am – 12:30pm	Ages 5 – 12	Resident/\$120	Non-Resident/\$144
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TENNIS, PAM RENDE – L3

Ages 4 – 17



Tennis for beginner, advanced beginner and intermediate levels. Learn the FUNdamentals of the game including the grips, the strokes, scoring with pointplay and matchplay all while having fun! Matchplay and strategy for advanced players.

Location: Lower Merion High School Tennis Courts, 245 E Montgomery Avenue, Ardmore Location Subject to Change
Dates: Saturdays June 14 – July 26 (6) No Class 7/5
Session 1: Beginner/Advanced Beginner 9:00 – 10:00am
Session 2: Advanced Beginner/Intermediate 10:00 – 11:00am
Fee: Per Session Resident/\$120 Non-Resident/\$144

HIKING HOUND ADVENTURES

Ages 3 – 16



Hiking Hound Adventures, LLC is a woman owned, family operated small business who wants to get everyone outdoors. With Hiking Hound Adventures, LLC it's not just a hike or a paddle. The goal is to connect everyone with nature and build fundamental outdoors skills to make sure clients are safe and confident when heading outside. They want to help individuals and families grow and be successful in their outdoor pursuits. Making sure adventures form memories that last a lifetime. [For more information, visit www.hikinghoundadventures.com](http://www.hikinghoundadventures.com).

Little Tykes Go On Hikes Parents accompany children on hike

Ages 3+

Hiking with kids can be an intimidating topic. During this 45-minute course, Hiking Hound Adventures, LLC will be on the trail with little ones and their guardians to tackle some of the most asked questions surrounding taking kids into the woods. Through fun games and hands-on activities, we cover safety, choosing the right trail, packing considerations, and much more!

Wander and Wade- A Creekside Expedition: June 21 11:00am – Noon Rolling Hill Park
Treats on the Trail- An Ice Cream Adventure: July 22 6:00 – 7:00pm Wynnewood Valley Park
Fee: Resident/\$20 Non-Resident/\$24
Group Limit: 10 Participants

Maps and Compass Course

Ages 12 – 16

Learn the essentials of map reading and compass navigation in this 90-minute class. Spend the first half-hour learning map components like scale and contour lines, as well as compass parts and techniques such as taking bearings and finding your location on a map. The final hour is hands-on field instruction. Here students will put theory into practice and help gain confidence navigating diverse terrain using a map and compass.

Summer Session: July 15 6:00 – 7:30pm Rolling Hill Park
Fee: Resident/\$30 Non-Resident/\$36
Group Limit: 15 Participants

FINE ART, KIDS LOOK LISTEN CREATE

Ages 4 – 8



In this program, kids will be introduced to famous artists and their art through stories and games. We will discuss paintings and environmental art. Among other things, we will identify portraits and landscapes, ponder how various works of art make us feel, and what we consider art. Children will be familiarized with the art of Arcimboldo, Monet, Gauguin, Matisse, and

Christo and Jeanne-Claude. Each class will end with an open-ended craft inspired by works of art, stories, and presented materials. [For more information, visit www.kidslooklistencreate.com](http://www.kidslooklistencreate.com).

Location: Bryn Mawr Community Center, 9 S. Bryn Mawr Avenue, Bryn Mawr
Day/Time: Fridays 5:00 – 6:00pm
Summer Session: June 20 – July 25 (5) No Class 7/4
Fee: Resident/\$75 Non-Resident/\$90
Group Limit: 12 Participants

ADULT CLASSES AND PROGRAMS

PICKLEBALL, UNIVERSAL RACKETS

Ages 18+



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Summer Session – Sundays June 8– July 13 (5) No Class 7/6 Bala Avenue Park

Session 1:	Beginner	9:00 – 10:30am
Session 2:	Adv Beginner/Intermediate	10:30am – Noon
Session 3:	Intermediate Plus	Noon – 1:30pm

Summer Session – Tuesdays July 1 – 29 (5) Wynnewood Valley Park

Session 1:	Beginner/Intermediate	8:00 – 9:30am
Session 2:	Intermediate Plus	9:30 – 11:00am

Summer 2 Session – Sundays July 27 – August 24 (5) Bala Avenue Park

Session 1:	Beginner	9:00 – 10:30am
Session 2:	Adv Beginner/Intermediate	10:30am – Noon
Session 3:	Intermediate Plus	Noon – 1:30pm
Fee:	Per Session Resident/\$210	Non-Resident/\$252

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Session 1:	Saturdays	June 21 – August 2 (6) <small>No Class 7/5</small>	10:00 – 11:00am	All Levels
Session 2:	Thursdays	July 17 – August 21 (6)	5:30 – 6:30pm	All Levels
Location:	McMoran Park			
Fee:	Per Session	Resident/\$180	Non-Resident/\$216	

TENNIS, PAM RENDE – L3

Ages 18+



Looking for a great way as a beginner to learn the game? Or are you an intermediate who has not played in a while and are looking for a way to get out, play points and get a good workout? This is it! Taught by certified pros in a fun and enjoyable way you will gain sport knowledge while having fun and hitting lots of balls.

Location:	Black Rock Middle School Tennis Courts, 1860 Montgomery Ave, Villanova <small>Location Subject to Change</small>			
Dates:	Tuesday and Thursday	June 10 – July 10 (10)		
Session 1:	5:30 – 6:30pm	Beginner and Advanced Beginner		
Session 2:	6:30 – 7:30pm	Advanced Beginner and Intermediate		
Fee:	Resident/\$200	Non-Resident/\$240		

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Backpacking Fundamentals

Rolling Hill Park

This course focuses on the fundamentals of wilderness backpacking, ideal for beginners and seasoned adventurers alike. You'll learn vital Leave No Trace principles, helping to preserve the stunning landscapes you explore. Discover how to select and set up a campsite, ensuring comfort and safety in the great outdoors. Our expert instructors will guide you through crucial water filtration techniques to keep you hydrated on your journey. We'll also learn effective methods for maintaining camp hygiene and keeping your food secure from wildlife. The Backpacking Fundamentals course is designed to provide you with hands-on experience and actionable insights, setting you up for success in your outdoor pursuits. By the end of this engaging session, you'll have the confidence and competence to hit the trails, ready for your next adventure!

Summer Session: July 12 9:00 – 11:00am
Fee: Resident/\$30 Non-Resident/\$36
Group Limit: 15 Participants

Tails on Trails: Intro to Hiking with Dogs

Rolling Hill Park

This comprehensive course covers everything that you need to know to embark on hiking adventures with your dog confidently. It begins with essential safety tips, so you can keep your pup protected from the elements and potential hazards. Learn how to properly equip your dog with the right gear and understand the best practices for handling different trail conditions. Trail etiquette is a key focus in Tails on Trails -- discover how to navigate shared paths courteously, ensuring that your hiking experience is enjoyable for everyone. Leave No Trace principles are another crucial element of this course. You will learn you how to minimize your environmental impact and ensure that you and your pup leave the trails just as beautiful as you found them.

Summer Session: August 14 7:00 – 7:45pm
Fee: Resident/\$20 Non-Resident/\$24
Group Limit: 6 Participants

OTHER PARKS AND RECREATION INFORMATION

FLAT ROCK PARK BOATING FACILITIES

- Township-owned boating facilities are provided at Flat Rock Park. The general public is permitted use of these facilities provided appropriate permits are obtained.
- **There is no fee to obtain a permit.**
- All Boat Trailers are required to obtain a permit to park at the Flat Rock Park Boating Facility.
- The boating facilities are available for use by motorized and non-motorized boats, including canoes & kayaks.
- The recreational boating season is year round, but floating docks will only be in the water from approximately April 1 to November 15.
- The hours of Flat Rock Park are from Dawn until Dusk.

Boat Trailer Parking Permit

To apply for a Trailer Parking Permit, individuals must complete a Boat Trailer Parking Permit Application.

Permit application forms can be found on the Township web site at www.lowermerion.org. Applications can be submitted via mail, in person, or on-line. Please visit www.lowermerionrec.com for more details.

DISCOUNT TICKETS FOR LOCAL AMUSEMENT PARKS AND ATTRACTIONS

Please check www.lowermerionrec.com for the complete price list!

What you need to know:

- Tickets are non-refundable.
- We accept Cash, Check or Credit Card (fees apply) as payment.
- Tickets can be used any time during the 2025 season.
- Tickets are sold from May through September 2025.
- These are tickets, not discount vouchers.
- Call ahead for availability 610.645.6220.
- Prices are subject to change.

