

Webb Happenings Newsletter

Corri Nastasi, Principal

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248-658-5900

April 29, 2024



Important Dates

- 4/30/24 - Bagel Day
- 4/30/24 - Fifth Grade M-STEP Science
- 5/6/24 - Webb PTA Meeting
- 5/9/24 - Webb Spring Concert 6:00 @Hazel Park High School
- 5/13-5/15 - Webb 5th Grade Camp
- 5/16/24 - NO SCHOOL for students - Professional Development Day
- 5/17/24 - No School for 5th Grader students & camp staff
- 5/23/24 - Student of the Month Breakfast
- 5/24/24 - Half Day - Memorial Day Weekend starts PM
- 5/27/24 - NO SCHOOL - Memorial Day
- 6/3/24 - Webb PTA Meeting
- 6/4/24 - Webb Summer Spectacular
- 6/4/24 - Open Enrollment @ Webb - Kona Ice Truck
- 6/6/24 - Half Day Records Day
- 6/6/24 - Webb 1st-3rd Grade Awards 9AM
- 6/7/24 - Half Day Records Day
- 6/7/24 - Webb 4th-5th Grade Awards 9AM

From the Principal

Dear Webb Families,

As we get into the last part of the school year, it is important to start thinking about next year. One really important change that will be happening in Hazel Park as we transition into next year is a move from MiStar to PowerSchool. This will mean that EVERY family will need to register for next year in a new portal. Your information from MiStar will NOT carry over. Packets are going home today with students. It is important that you hold on to that information as it contains your login information for the new site. Please try to get in and get registered as soon as possible. If you are having any trouble, please reach out to Mrs. Adams in the school office.

Sincerely,

Corri Nastasi

Principal, Webb Elementary

Summer School

Please see the flyer below about summer school in Hazel Park this summer. Here is the link to sign your child up for this: [Summer Programming Registration Flyer](#)

PowerSchool

All Webb families will be receiving a packet of information for registering for school next year. Please note that we are switching over to PowerSchool from MiStar. This will mean that EVERY FAMILY WILL NEED TO REGISTER with PowerSchool. Your login information is included in the letters going home with students today. Please be sure to get logged in to PowerSchool so you can get your students registered and ready for next year.

Medicine

As allergy season is upon us I want to remind you that students CANNOT carry any medicine on their own at school unless we have medical documentation giving permission for that to happen. This includes but is not limited to cough drops, Tylenol, cold medicine, Motrin, inhalers. Please do NOT send your child to school with any of these items. They will be confiscated and brought to the office if they are in possession of any of these items without medical permission (on file in the office) from a doctor. We appreciate your help and support with this.

Riding Bikes to School

Please see this excerpt from our Student Handbook regarding riding bikes to school:

Bike Rules & Regulations - Elementary

Elementary students will be allowed to ride bikes to school; While we encourage our bike riders to be in grades 4 & 5, it is up to the discretion of parents whether or not their child will be allowed to ride a bike.

- *Scooters will not be permitted.*
- *Bikes must be locked to the bike rack; The school is not liable for any stolen bikes.*
- *Student bike riders must wear helmets.*
- *Students must walk their bikes, once on school grounds.*
- *Noncompliance with rules on school property, may mean the suspension of bike riding privileges.*
- *The district will offer a bike safety class/ride in the spring.*

If students do not bring a lock to school, the bike will be brought inside the building and one warning will be given. After that, parents will need to pick up the bike.

If a student does not wear a helmet to school, the student will receive one warning. After that, parents will need to pick up the bike.

If a student has three violations regarding locks or helmets, the student will lose the privilege and can no longer ride a bike to school.

Bond

As a reminder, our school district's bond vote is scheduled for May 7th. For more information, please visit the Bond website: [Hazel Park Bond](#). We hope you will consider voting.

Teacher Requests

If you would like to request a specific teacher for your child, please email me at corri.nastasi@myhpsd.org. I cannot guarantee all requests as a lot of factors go into creating classes, but we will do our best to try to support the requests that come in. The deadline for this is May 26th. No new requests will be honored after that.

Kindergarten Information Night

Do you have a student or know of one who will be five before September 1st? Webb Elementary will be holding our annual Kindergarten Open House on May 8th from 6:00-7:00PM for all incoming kindergarten & Young 5's students. This event will be held at Hazel Park Junior High and will be open to any incoming pre-school, young 5's or kindergarten students.

Bagels

Every Tuesday is bagel day at Webb. Students and staff can buy bagels for \$1 each. The flavors offered are cinnamon raisin, plain, salt & onion.

Resource Fair

The Family Center for Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs, Michigan Family to Family, and Michigan Family Voices are collaborating on our very first Virtual Resource Fair! The Virtual Resource Fair will take place on May 7th, 2024, from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm. The event will be hosted on Microsoft Teams.

[Family Center for Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs Resource Fair](#)

M-STEP

Over the course of the next month, our third, fourth and fifth grade students will be taking very important state tests. These tests are very important for Webb. The state uses these results to aid in determining the success of our school. We ask for the help of our families as we embark on these important tests. Please make sure your child gets a good night's sleep and gets to school for breakfast or eats at home each morning before the test. We also ask that you discuss the test at home with your child and talk about the importance of doing their best. The students have been working hard preparing for these assessments at school so they are familiar with the format and have worked to build up the stamina to complete them, so they are equipped to be successful - you can reassure them of this. Any help you can give us with this, is greatly appreciated. Please see the schedule of testing below:

	<u>ELA</u> (reading/writing)	<u>Math</u>	<u>Soc. St.</u>	<u>Science</u>
Third grade:	Complete	May 1st	X	X
Fourth grade:	Complete	Complete	X	X
Fifth grade :	Complete	Complete	April 30th	May 2nd

Incentive to Keep Reading

Just because reading month is over does not mean we are done reading. As an incentive to keep the reading going throughout the month of April, we have teamed up with Panda Express to offer an incentive. Each student will get a bookmark to monitor their reading. When the bookmark is completed (within the month of April), it can be turned into school and the student who read will get a coupon for a free kids meal at Panda Express. We hope you will join us in encouraging our students to keep up the reading.

Attention 3rd & 5th Grade Families

The fifth grade students will continue M-STEP testing this week on Tuesday & Thursday. The third graders will be moving on to math this week. This is quite a rigorous test, so we need to make sure all of the students are well rested, have a good breakfast (we will always provide that at school from 7:40-8:00AM) and are ready to test. It is always helpful when students get support from home as well to encourage them to give their best effort. They have been working hard all year and have a lot of the skills they need to be successful. Our biggest barrier is often stamina. Students struggle to stay focused for the time they need to be successful. We appreciate any help you can give us to encourage them to persevere and do their best.

Playground After School

As the weather gets nicer, more families choose to stay and play on the playground after school. Please don't forget our school rule about playground use after school. Any students staying on the playground after school **MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT** and the adult must be physically in the playground area. This does NOT count for older siblings. Students who walk home, must go home and cannot return until after 6PM (when latchkey is done for the day) without an adult. We do NOT monitor the playground after school. Adults **MUST** monitor their students. We appreciate your help with this.

Spring Concert

Our 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders have been working very hard in music class on songs they will perform in our Spring Concert. They cannot wait to show you what they have learned!

The concert is on May 9 at 6 pm at Hazel Park High School. Students should arrive to find their seats by 5:45 pm. They will be sitting by grade level. 3rd grade students are singing three songs. 4th and 5th grade students are playing six short songs per grade level on their recorders. We have limited time in music class, so students are strongly encouraged to practice at home. Please scan the QR code for the music and background tracks for each of the songs. 4th and 5th-grade students can purchase a recorder from Ms. Fox in music class to have to practice at home. New recorders are \$5.00, used (sanitized) recorders are available for \$1.00. Please have your child bring the money to their music class or turn it into their classroom teacher. Questions? Please reach out to Ms. Fox at katherine.fox@myhpsd.org. We look forward to seeing you there!



Summer School

There are some exciting things scheduled for summer school this year. Please see the fliers below about signing your child up for this important learning opportunity.

Technology

Please remember that the school is not responsible for monitoring technology issues between students unless it directly pertains to a threat involving school or breaks our technology rules and is done during the school day. We expect parents to monitor this and suggest blocking people, blocking apps or reaching out to other parents if problems arise. Students are NOT to have any technology with them at school, which includes phones and/or smart watches. Students are absolutely NOT allowed to be on their devices during the school day for any reason. Anything that they bring to school should be left in lockers (we do not have locks for these) or given to the teacher or office during the day. We are not responsible for lost or stolen items.

Webb Elementary Music Presents:

SPRING CONCERT

**Hazel Park
High School**

May 9, 6 pm
Grades 3-5

- Students should arrive to find their seats by 5:45 pm.
- 4th and 5th grade students can purchase a practice recorder at music class - \$5.00 (new) \$1.00 (used and sanitized).
- Students are strongly encouraged to practice at home.

Scan here for music!



We can't wait to see you there!





STEAM Newsletter

What's happening in STEAM: Makerspace Projects!



What makes bridges strong?

Early 5 & Kindergarten:
Storytime STEAM and
Springtime Flowers

1st Grade: STEAM Game
Board: We are Makers!

2nd Grade: Practicing
keyboarding skills with
bluetooth keyboards

3rd Grade: Introduction to
Tinkercad and 3D modeling

4th Grade: Tinkercad and
3D modeling design
challenge

5th Grade: Using Tinkercad
to 3D print a design



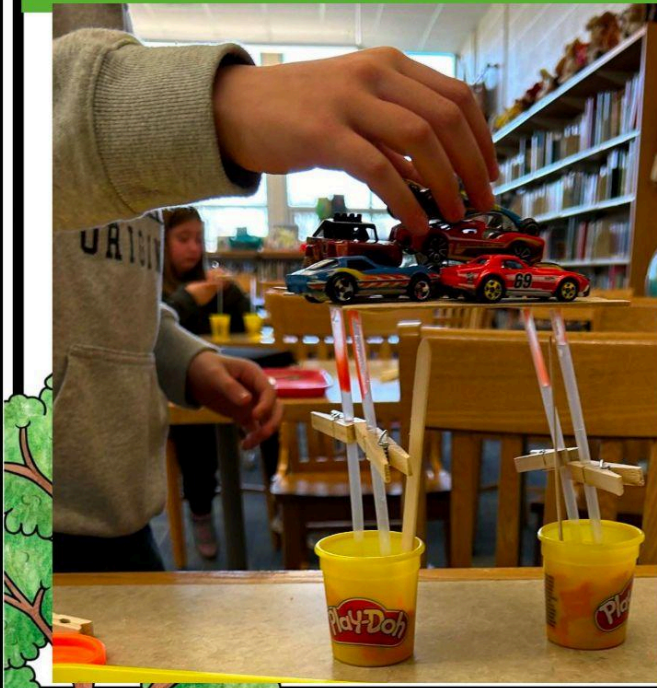
Creating
with
Makey
Makey Kits





STEAM Newsletter

Testing the strength of the bridge. How many cars can it hold?

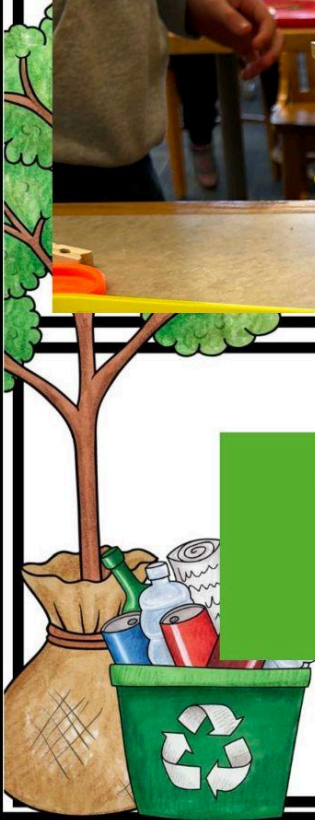


Storytime STEAM: Help Little Bo Peep solve her problem



Coming Up... More MakerSpace projects and Design Challenges!

Thank you for reading our STEAM newsletter!
Kathleen.VanBibber@myhpsd.org





Summer SCHOLARS



COURSE OFFERINGS INSIDE

**REGISTER BY MAY 15, 2024, FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD, ELEMENTARY
& JUNIOR HIGH AND BY JUNE 14, 2024, FOR HIGH SCHOOL**

VISIT THE HAZEL PARK SCHOOLS' WEBSITE FOR FORMS. CLICK ENROLLMENT AND THEN SUMMER SCHOOL.



JULY 8 - AUGUST 1, 2024

EARLY CHILDHOOD

MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY

4 WEEKS / 3 1/2-HOUR MORNING SESSIONS

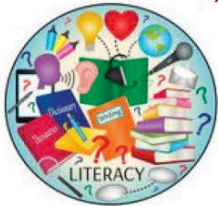
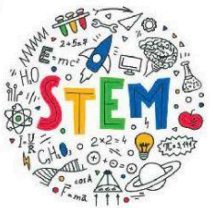
8:30 AM TO 12 PM



A four-week summer experience will be offered to students who attended Webster Early Childhood Center during the 2023-2024 school year or newly enrolled at Hazel Park Schools and will be entering Kindergarten in the Fall of 2024.

The Webster summer experience is designed to build strong literacy and numeracy skills while engaging in immersive STEM and play-based learning.

A focus on Kindergarten readiness skills will be a key component of the Early Childhood Summer Program.



**SCAN
THE QR
CODE TO
REGISTER**



JUNE 24 - AUGUST 1, 2024

MONDAY - THURSDAY (NO SUMMER SCHOOL ON JULY 4TH)

KINDERGARTEN - 4TH GRADE

(BASED OFF OF GRADES FROM 2023-24 SCHOOL YEAR)

AT UNITED OAKS ELEMENTARY

What We're Offering

8 to 8:30 am - Optional Breakfast

8:30 am to 12 pm - Reading & Math Instruction

12 to 12:30 pm - Lunch

12:30 to 3 pm - Non-Academic Experiences

(Prior Registration Required)

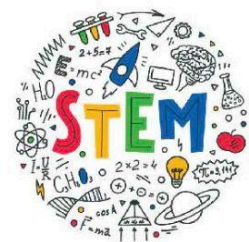
-- STEM --

-- Fine Arts --

-- Sports --

-- Social and Emotional Wellness --

Partners include YMCA, Trap Yoga, Cranbrook Institute of Science, Junior Vikings, Accelrate4Kids, and Living Arts Detroit.



Students Could Leave With A Chromebook

Childcare Offered

Childcare is offered throughout the summer for all students from 6:30 am to 6 pm.



CURRENT OR NEWLY ENROLLED STUDENTS SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER



JUNE 24 - AUGUST 1, 2024

MONDAY - THURSDAY (NO SUMMER SCHOOL ON JULY 4TH)

5TH-8TH GRADES

(BASED OFF OF GRADES FROM 2023-24 SCHOOL YEAR)

AT HAZEL PARK JUNIOR HIGH

What We're Offering

7:30 to 8 am - Optional Physical Fitness Activities

8 to 8:30 am - Optional Breakfast

8:30 am to 12 pm - Reading & Math Instruction

12 to 12:30 pm - Lunch

12:30 to 2:30 pm - Non-Academic Experiences

(Prior Registration Required)

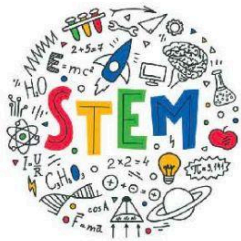
-- STEM --

-- Fine Arts --

-- Sports --

-- Social and Emotional Wellness --

2:30 to 3:30 pm - Connections Club



Partners include YMCA, Trap Yoga, Cranbrook Institute of Science, Junior Vikings, Accelrate4Kids, and Living Arts Detroit.

Students Could Leave With A Mini Drone



CURRENT OR NEWLY ENROLLED STUDENTS SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER



BASEBALL CAMP

10-12
JUNE



COACH

Nick Hughes

Hazel Park
Varsity
Baseball Coach



3RD-5TH GRADES

10 AM - 12 PM

FREE

6TH-8TH GRADES

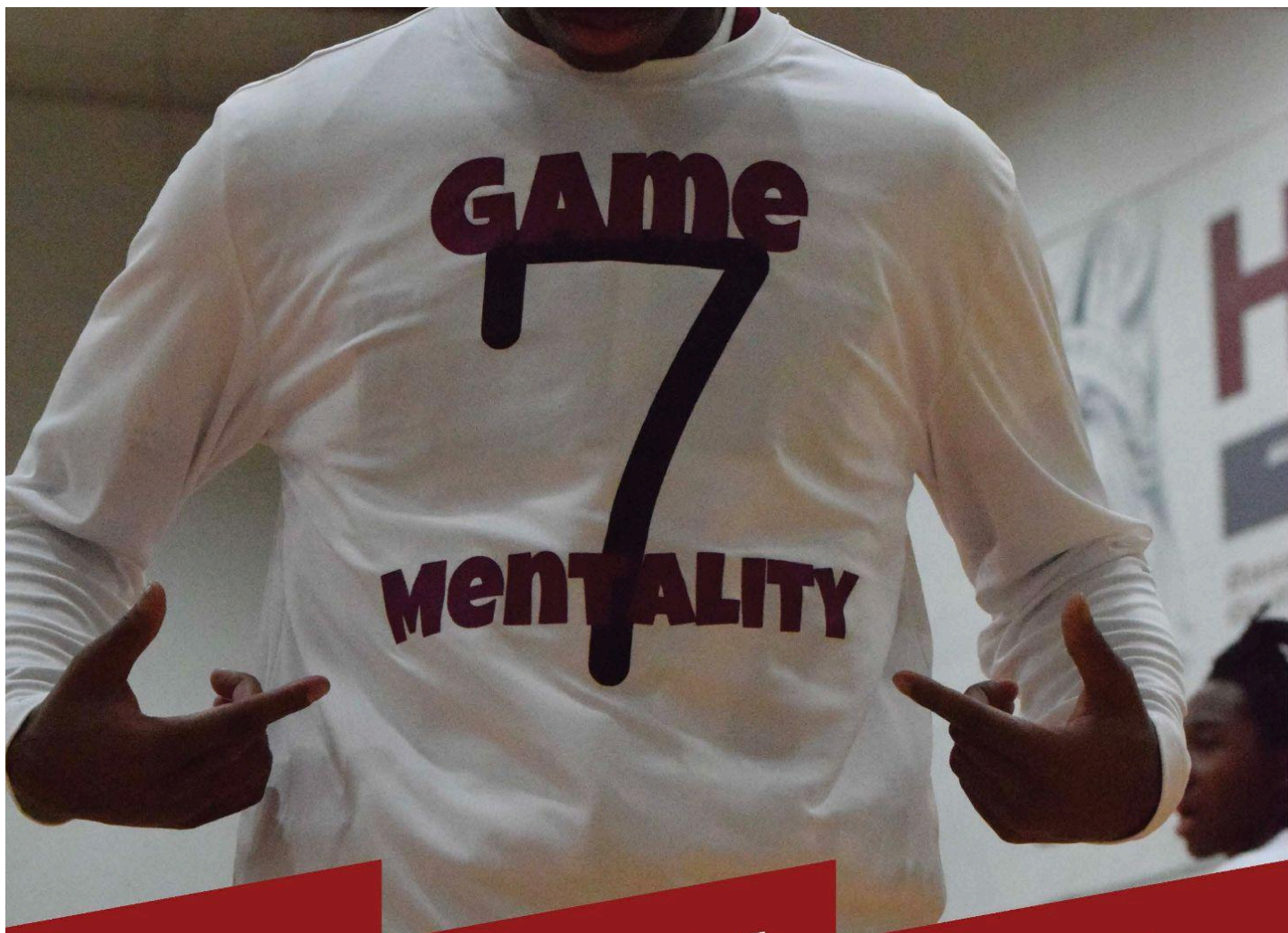
1 - 3 PM

FREE

REGISTRATION WILL
TAKE PLACE A HALF HOUR BEFORE
EACH CAMP IS SET TO BEGIN

Hazel Park High School
23400 Hughes, Hazel Park, MI 48030

More Information
Call - 248-658-5167 or email
thomas.oestrike@mvhpsd.org



BOYS & GIRLS BASKETBALL CAMP

17-18
JUNE



COACH

CJ Goff
Hazel Park
Boys Varsity
Basketball Coach



3RD-5TH GRADES
10 AM - 12 PM

FREE

6TH-8TH GRADES
1 - 3 PM

FREE

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**POOL PARTY
LAST DAY
OF CAMP**

SOFTBALL CAMP

**18-20
JUNE**



COACH



Greg Richardson

Hazel Park
Varsity
Softball Coach

3RD-5TH GRADES

10 AM - 12 PM

FREE

6TH-8TH GRADES

1 - 3 PM

FREE

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FOOTBALL CAMP

JUNE
17-19
24-26



COACH

John Callahan

Hazel Park
Varsity
Football Coach



3RD-5TH GRADES
JUNE 17-19
10 AM - 1 PM

FREE

6TH-8TH GRADES
JUNE 24-26
10 AM - 1 PM

FREE

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TAKE PLACE A HALF HOUR BEFORE
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CHEER CAMP

JUNE
17-19
24-26



COACH



Catherine Gaughan

Hazel Park
Cheer Camp Coach

3RD-5TH GRADES

JUNE 17-19

10 AM - 1 PM

FREE

6TH-8TH GRADES

JUNE 24-26

10 AM - 1 PM

FREE

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TRACK & CROSS COUNTRY CAMP

24-26
JUNE



COACHES



**Sara Daley &
Jeff Harris**

Hazel Park
Varsity
Track & Field Coaches

5TH-8TH GRADES
10 AM - 12 PM

FREE

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SWIM CAMP

24-28
JUNE



COACH

Joe Turner

Hazel Park
Varsity
Swim Coach



3RD-8TH GRADES

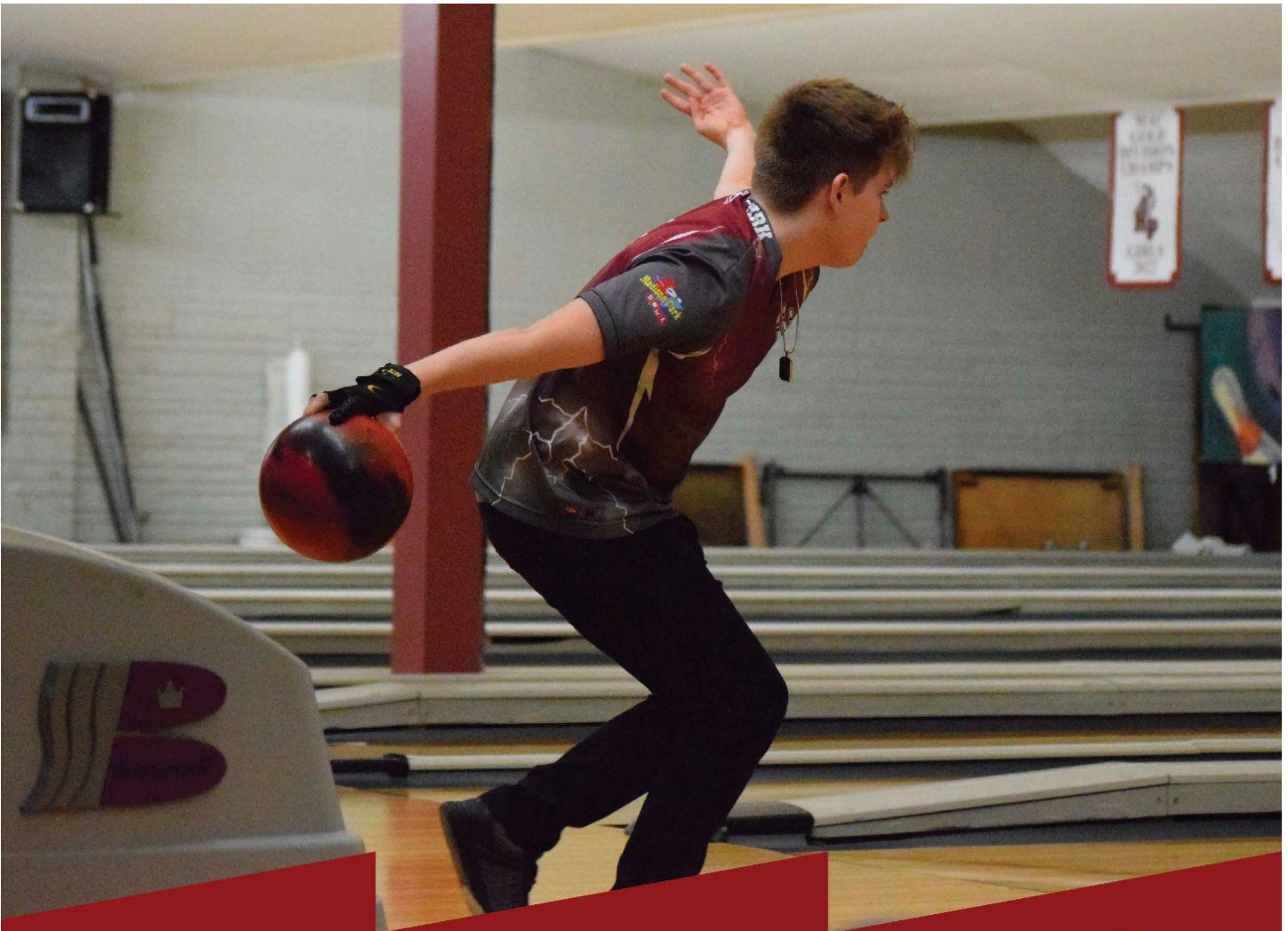
3 - 5 PM

FREE

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BOWLING CAMP

8
JULY



COACH

Eric Gregory

Hazel Park
Varsity
Bowling Coach



5TH-12TH GRADES

TIMES TO BE
ANNOUNCED

FREE

REGISTRATION WILL
TAKE PLACE A HALF HOUR BEFORE
EACH CAMP IS SET TO BEGIN

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VOLLEYBALL CAMP

JULY
17-19
25-27



COACH

Sherry Rietz

Hazel Park
Varsity Volleyball Coach



3RD-5TH GRADES
JULY 17-19
10 AM - 12 PM

FREE

6TH-8TH GRADES
JULY 25-27
1 - 3 PM

FREE

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2024 SUMMER FEST!

Green Acres Park
July 27, 2-4 PM



SAVE THE DATE!



~CLIMBING TOWER~
~INFLATABLES~
~OBSTACLE COURSE~



Hazel Park Recreation Youth Baseball Youth Softball



Registration is now open!

Practices begin in May.
Games will be played the first week in June.
For more information call 248-547-5535





SEED SHARING



CREATING
A POLLINATOR GARDEN
IN YOUR YARD!

Learn how to help the honey bee and other
pollinators

Honey tasting! Compare Hazel Park Honey to
other local City's honeys.

Sample Hazel Park Raw Honey sweetened
lavender lemonade and Hazel Park HOT
PEPPER honey.



Hazel Park Community Center
Wednesday, May 8th
6:00pm
Cost: \$5,00
Call 248-547-5535 to register



OPEN SWIM IS BACK

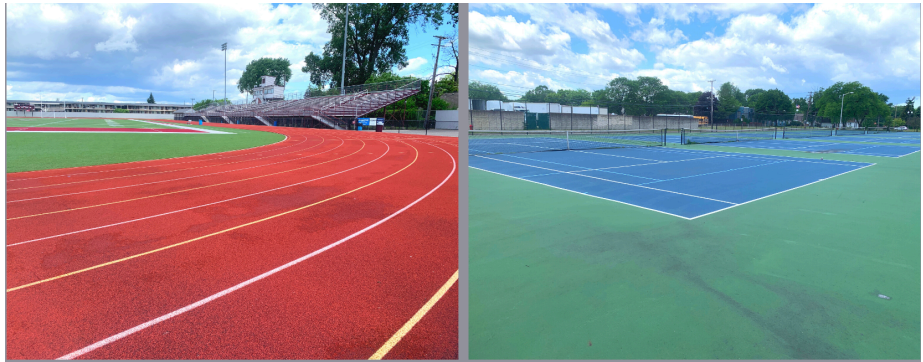
HAZEL PARK HIGH SCHOOL
ATHLETIC ENTRANCE

**EVERY MONDAY
& WEDNESDAY
7 TO 8:30 PM**

COST: FREE
KIDS MUST BE SUPERVISED BY PARENTS
LIFEGUARD ON DUTY - 50 SWIMMER LIMIT



**HAZEL PARK
SCHOOLS**



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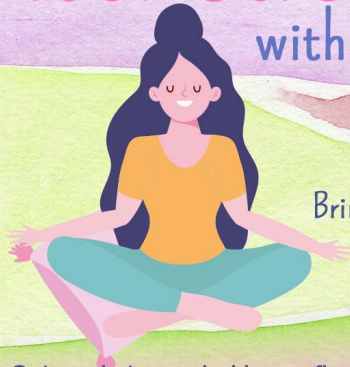


Now Open

The Track and Tennis Courts
at our High School are open to
the public seven days a week
from 6:30 am to 9 pm.

Please no pets, no strollers and wear tennis shoes

Floor Stretch with Nathalie Wood



Bring a Yoga Mat, Straps are Provided.
Ages 18 - 118 are Welcome!

Tuesdays & Thursdays at 10:30am

\$5 Drop-In Fee

Hazel Park Community Center
620 W Woodward Heights
Hazel Park, MI



Get ready to unwind in our floor stretch class - it's like a gentle embrace for your body and soul! Imagine easing into a world of movements and exercises that are like a soothing balm for your flexibility, balance, and overall well-being.

Whether you're a seasoned stretcher or just starting your journey, everyone is invited with open arms! Active older adults, get ready for a challenge that respects the wisdom of your body.

Discover the rejuvenating benefits of our floor stretch class. Improve flexibility, find balance, and enhance overall well-being through movements suitable for all capabilities.

Join us for some serene feel-good vibes, and leave with the sense of having treated yourself to a deeply nurturing self-care session.

For more information please contact the Hazel Park Recreation Department at: (248) 547-5535

HAZEL PARK RECREATION

MOVIE IN THE PARK

FREE ADMISSION!
JUMBO YARD GAMES!

FRIDAY
JULY 19, 2024
8PM

GREEN ACRES PARK



HAZEL PARK DISTRICT LIBRARY

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

TUESDAYS, 6:30-7:30pm

CRAFTS, GAMES, AND FUN!
(Ages 0-12 & siblings)

FREE
PROGRAM

March 26: Egg Hunt 6:00-7:30pm
(Sign up for a time slot: 6:00pm, 6:15pm, 6:30pm, 6:45pm, 7:00pm)
April 9: Slime Sensory
April 23: The Pigeon Party
(Celebrate the 20th anniversary of Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus)
May 14: Games, Trains and Legos...oh my!
May 28: Nerf War
June 11: Summer Reading Kickoff: Animal Magic



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Hazel Park, MI 48030
<http://hazel-park.lib.mi.us/>
248-546-4095

HAZEL PARK DISTRICT LIBRARY



GOTTA CATCH 'EM ALL!

Thursdays at 6:30 PM

March 28: Green Acres Park
(620 W Woodward Heights Blvd. Hazel Park, MI 48030)
April 11: Rosie's Park
(1111 E Farnum Ave, Madison Heights, MI 48071)
April 25: Martin Rd Park
(1615 E Lewiston Ave, Ferndale, MI 48220)
May 2: Civic Center Park
(360 W 13 Mile Rd, Madison Heights, MI 48071)
May 9: Green Acres Park
(620 W Woodward Heights Blvd. Hazel Park, MI 48030)
May 23: Red Oaks Nature Center:
(30300 Hales St, Madison Heights, MI 48071)
June 6: Harding Park (989 Mapledale Ferndale, MI 48220)

Join us to catch Pokemon and battle.
Everyone will get 1 FREE Pokemon card.

Hazel Park District Library

FREE
PROGRAM

Pokémon
&
LEGO CLUB



April 2, May 7, June 4
6:30PM

Legos, craft & games, oh my!
We will build with Legos and display our masterpieces
in the Library. Bring your Pokemon cards. You can
battle with friends, play the card game and do crafts.



Hazel Park District Library

Baby Story Time



Wednesdays, 1:00 pm

(Older siblings are welcome)

No Storytime June 19

Baby Story Time supports early literacy and language skills by encouraging singing, playing, talking, and shared reading.

Join us for fun stories, finger plays, and snuggling in a welcoming environment! This FREE program is geared toward babies, but older siblings are welcome.



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DISTRICT LIBRARY**
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Hazel Park Library

Tiny Tales

Storytime

Free!

Fridays 10:30am

Ages 0-5 (Older siblings are welcome)

We read stories, do fun fingerplays, sing songs, play, color, and letter recognition games. Sometimes we will be doing a craft that you can pick up from the library. Join us for a fun time and develop literacy, language, and social skills as well as positive associations with reading and the library.

(No Storytime May 17 & 24)



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