Youth Scoop

Montville Youth Service Bureau 836 Old Colchester Road Oakdale, CT 06382 Office: 860.848.7724

Fax: 860.848.4058

www.montvilleyouth.org

March 2017 Volume 18 Issue 3

DIRECT DIALOG

I do not want to speak too soon but winter seemed to be far kinder to us this year! NO complaints from me, Bring on spring! We have tons of good stuff happening this month, and we are excited to get going with all the things that help the long month of March fly by as quickly as possible!

Please join MYSB as we join together with The Mayor's Orange Ribbon Coalition and Montville Public Schools in hosting a Community screening of the documentary "Screenagers: Growing Up in the Digital Age" on Thursday March 16th (see inside for details!). This event if FREE of charge to attend. Of course we absolutely must keep up our tradition of our infamous **Shamrock Shakes** on Friday, March 17th.....The kids really enjoy it and occasionally we have a few surprise guests stop by on this day as well! It can be easy being **GREEN!**

You don't have to be Irish to celebrate in all the fun! Happy St. Patty's Day!

The fun continues with our 15th Annual March Madness Tournament! It is very popular event which allows the kids in our after school program to engage in sporting competitions and build self-esteem while also learning the importance of good sportsmanship skills! See inside for further details.

April promises to be just as busy, so be ready for more fun to come! (Save the date for our next Community Conversation Series Event on Thursday April 20th: Understanding the Connection between Mental Health & Addiction!) Details in April's Youth Scoop.

Have a Magnificent March!

~ Warmest regards ~

Barbara



STAFF

Barbara Lockhart, Director

Kimberly Grant, Program Developer

Dianne Peltier, Admin. Assistant

Alicia Dahmer, Axel DeJesus, Danielle Hayward, Abby Miranda Program Assistants

Darin D'Amaddio, LCSW

Montville Youth Advisory Board

Daniel Dunn—Chairman

Lt. Leonard Bunnell

William Carlos

Grace Carlos

Brianne Messer

Susan Rickards

Allyson Schmeizl

Tim Shanahan

Dan Boisvert

Megan Bishop

Bethany Caron

Tim May
Town Council Liaison

Remember to stay tuned to The Youth Scoop,

our website: www.montvilleyouth.org and our Facebook page for up-to-date program, service & event information, or give us a call at 848-7724 to speak with a staff member. We will be happy to assist you in any way we can!

What's going on?



SHAMROCK SHAKES

Friday, March 17th

Join MYSB for our Famous Shamrock Shakes!

(Vanilla Ice Cream, food coloring, & whipped cream)

We will be serving up our delicious shakes from 3pm to 5pm!

Wear your green and see what the pot of gold has in store for you!!



MADNESS TOURNAMENT

14th Annual March Madness Tournament

Friday, March 17th, 24th and 31st 3:00pm to 5:15pm High/Middle School Division & Elementary Division 17th- Pool Tournament 24th- Foosball Tournament

Sportsmanship Awards will be given out!

31st- Foul Shot Tournament

This year all participants must get a permission slip signed by their parents in order to participate. Permission Slips are due no later than Thursday, March 9th. Please see sign in table for details.

summer center 2017

NEW SUMMER CENTER SCHEDULE!!!

June 27th-August 18th

Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Summer Center is open to Montville Residents entering **grade 7 and up**. **30 spots are available.**

Registration will be held on Monday, May 8th at 9:00am @ the Montville Community Center.

The cost for each participant is \$375 for the entire summer. A non-refundable deposit of \$175 is due at the time of registration, the balance (\$200) must be paid in full no later than Friday, June 16th.

(Unpaid balances may result in losing your spot in the program.) Some scholarship spots are available; please contact Barbara or Kim ASAP.

~Odds & Ends~

Montville Youth Service Bureau in partnership with the Mayor's Orange Ribbon Community Coalition and Montville High School present...

SCREENAGERS: GROWING UP IN THE DIGITAL AGE

Thursday, March 16th at Montville High School 6:30pm to 8:00pm

Join us as we view Screenagers; a documentary about the impact of the digital age on children and how to help them minimize harmful effects and find balance. After the film there will be time for discussion and questions.

ASP Program participants who attend with their families will receive bonus kid kash!

Kid of the Month

FEBRUARY 2017

Yalitza has been part of our ASP for three years now, and it's safe to say she has made herself at home! Litza is outgoing and funny, and enjoys a good joke! She has a very sassy personality that always keeps us all on our toes!

Litza is responsible and respectful. She spends her time getting her homework done and hanging out with her friends! We can always count on her to keep it real with us! She is a wonderful part of our program!

Keep being you Litza, because you are truly one of a kind!



@Happy March Birthdays



Kanye McClellan– 1st

Kaleb Dahm– 6th

Camren Topkin– 17th

Anthony Garoppolo– 20th

Alexis McInerney– 30th



MARCH 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
			ASP	ASP	ASP	Center
			2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	Closed
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Center	ASP	ASP	ASP	ASP	Office Hours	
Closed	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	8-4:30pm	Center
					No ASP	Closed
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Center	ASP	ASP	ASP	ASP	ASP	Center
Closed	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	Closed
				Screenagers	Shamrock	
				6:30 MHS	Shakes	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Center	ASP	ASP	ASP	ASP	ASP	Center
Closed	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	Closed
					1/2 Tyl Only	
26	27	28	29	30	31	
Center	ASP	ASP	ASP	ASP	ASP	
	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	2:30-6	1



Montville Youth Service Bureau 836 Old Colchester Road Oakdale, CT 06370

Montville Youth Service Bureau

Be sure to check out our website for other great programs we offer throughout the yearwww.montvilleyouth.org