

# Youth Scoop

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## *Direct Dialogue*

Finally our May flowers are starting to fully bloom, & warmer days are more and more frequent! After wrapping up a busy April with Penny Drive Events, A Successful Blood Drive, The ALLI PSA Project Completion, and school vacation; we move on to an equally busy May!

**The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Youth Service Bureau Day at the Capitol will be held on Wednesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>** providing over 100 students from across Connecticut with the opportunity to meet their legislators and enjoy an interactive forum on a variety of topics of interest to our youth. MYSB will be bringing 5 MHS students who will showcase some of their own youth led projects!

**MYSB Fun Days** begin with an early Cinco de Mayo celebration on May 4<sup>th</sup> (with Chips & Salsa donated by Chili's!) and will continue the week of May 7<sup>th</sup> through May 11<sup>th</sup>; and includes everything from Riverside Reptiles, A Magic Show with our favorite magician Derek; to a Ben & Jerry's Ice Cream Social, and then we close the week with the Penny Drive Play Day! (See inside for details!) This week of endless "fun" is held in honor of **National Youth Week!** We always have a great time, and by "**We**", I mean the kids, the staff, and our YSB families & board members!

Don't forget your Mom (or that special someone who is like a Mom to you) on **Sunday, May 13<sup>th</sup> for Mother's Day**...flowers and breakfast in bed are welcome! Treasure this lady with all of your heart, she is the **ONLY** one you get!

Take a moment on **Monday, May 28<sup>th</sup>, Memorial Day** to honor the memory of those who have sacrificed for us all to have the freedoms that we enjoy today! Thank you to our families, our kids and the Montville Community for all of your past, and anticipated future support of the MYSB family.

**You are making a world of difference...even when you don't realize it!**

*Have a Magnificent May!*

*Barbara*

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Remember to stay tuned to The Youth Scoop, the Montville Events Magazine, our website: [www.montvilleyouth.org](http://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!

# Things to Know!

## summer center 2018

**REGISTRATION IS MONDAY, MAY 14TH AT 9 AM**

**Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday**

**July 2nd-August 23rd\***

**8:30 am to 5:00 pm**

\*First week will be Monday, Tuesday and Thursday due to 4th of July.

Summer Center is open to **Montville Residents** entering **grades 7 & up** with

**30 spots available on a first come, first serve basis.**

**Payment: \$400 per child**, includes breakfast, lunch, one field trip per week & special activities.

A **\$200 NON-REFUNDABLE deposit**, per child, is due at registration.

**New this summer!** Early Drop off program– 8 am: \$120 for the entire summer. (\$5 per day.)

## PENNY DRIVE PLAY DAY

**Friday, May 11th**

**2:00-4:00pm**

The Youth Action Council will be hosting a very special “Play Day” to raise money for the 2018 Penny Drive!

YAC will be having carnival type games, activities and goodies!

This year we are selling bracelets for the event!

\$5.00 bracelets include unlimited games- \$10 bracelets include lunch, snacks and unlimited games!

Bracelets will be available to purchase May 1st through the day of the event! Cash only please. See Kim for more information.

Half day closing 5:30 pm.

## MYSB Annual FUN DAYS!

**Help MYSB celebrate YOUTH!**

**Activities will be held throughout the week of May 7th.**

**May 7th- Riverside Reptiles\***

**May 8th- Ben & Jerry's**

**May 9th- Derek the Magician\***

**May 10th- Mad Science Program**

**May 11th- Penny Drive Play Day**

**\*These activities run from 4:15/4:30 pm to 5:15/5:30 pm. We ask that you make arrangements to pick your child up after 5 pm during this week to allow them to participate in all the activities! Homework help will be provided before and after these events only.**

**Please see staff with any questions!! \***

**“Tell me Something Good!”**



**American  
Red Cross**

# Blood Drive

**Thank you to everyone who donated!! We were able to collect 23 pints of blood and save 69 lives! We could not have done it without the support of our community! Thank you to everyone who made an appointment and to everyone who just walked in and helped us!**

## Early Closing Notice

Montville Youth Service Bureau After School Program will close early on the following days due to the schedule carnival. Thursday, June 21st and Friday, June 22nd. We will be closing at 5:00pm. We apologize for the inconvenience.

## Kid of the Month

## April 2018

What can we say about this wonderful young woman? Actually there is too much to fit in this space! Nicole has been part of our ASP Family since the ripe old age of 9 and is still an “active” volunteer to this day! She participated in all of our activities and always did so with a smile! She became a member of YAC and is now the President of the MHS Chapter of YAC.

We will be watching her spread her “owl” wings as she heads off to Southern CT State this fall. We are so proud of how much you have grown, Nicole, but we sure are going to miss you when you aren’t five minutes down the road! We love you!

## Nicole Scovish



©Happy May Birthdays©

Josie English– 16th  
Alyssa Kotfer– 17th  
Zoie Gruber– 17th



# May 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 ASP 2-6	2 ASP 2-6	3 ASP 2-6	4 ASP 2-6 Chili's Social	5 Center Closed
6 Center Closed	7 ASP 2-6  FUN DAYS!	8 ASP 2-6  FUN DAYS!	9 ASP 2-6  FUN DAYS!	10 ASP 2-6  FUN DAYS!	11 1/2 Day Close at 5:30pm Play Day	12 Center Closed
13 Center Closed	14 ASP 2-6	15 ASP 2-6	16 ASP 2-6	17 ASP 2-6	18 ASP 2-6	19 Center Closed
20 Center Closed	21 ASP 2-6	22 ASP 2-6	23 ASP 2-6	24 ASP 2-6	25 ASP 2-6	26 Center Closed
27 Center Closed	28 Closed Memorial Day	29 ASP 2-6	30 ASP 2-6	31 ASP 2-6		



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