

Youth Scoop

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DIRECT DIALOG

MYSB is in “Ready, Set, Go” mode for another busy school year in our new home, [The Montville Community Center!](#) We would like to take this opportunity to welcome back all of our families who re-registered for the ASP for another year; extend a warm welcome to some of our brand new ASP families, and bid farewell to some of our ASP long time participants who have become more involved in after school activities/sports at their schools, graduated, or moved away from Montville. You will be missed & always welcome to pop in and say hello!

Now both the kids and MYSB staff have to tell their brains to wake-up and shift from “beach” mode back to “books” mode...because, yes, it is back... the one thing dreaded by most kids & parents, (drum roll please.....) **HOMEWORK!** But, remember we are here to help ease the anxiety of both kids and parents, and strive to make this a successful & stress-free school year. We will have some tutors in place in the first few weeks of school from MHS and local colleges to help us keep your kids on track with homework and school projects!

We try not to plan too many activities in September to give everyone some time to get back in the academic groove, so-to-speak, but we do have a few things on the agenda, so be sure to check out inside “The Scoop” for details on our upcoming and past events! Be sure to “friend” us on Facebook, and sign up for text alerts to stay looped in about important events, updates, and information!

I did want to briefly mention that MYSB was a proud partner in Montville’s 1st Annual Kids Fun Mud Run held on 8/26/17! What a blast and a huge success for our interdepartmental event! Working in partnership with Park & Rec’s Pete Bushway, Micah Messer & Oakdale FD firefighters & cadets was a wonderful experience, and we look forward to next year’s event! Pics coming soon and will be posted on our Facebook page and Parks & Rec’s as well!

Have a Super September!



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Remember to stay tuned to The Youth Scoop, the Montville Events Magazine, 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?

Mandatory Parent Meeting

Tuesday, September 5th @ 6:00 pm

All After School Program Participant Parents (new and returning) **MUST** attend this meeting! This meeting will be held at Montville Community Center following the ASP. We will be discussing the Expectations of participants and families in the After School Program.

If you are unable to attend, please contact the office PRIOR to September 5th!!

Stocking Drive Kick Off!

Friday, September 15th

Join MYSB for a Movie Day Fundraiser to benefit the 2017 Stocking Drive for Montville Social Services!

\$5.00 for candy, popcorn & drink!

Movie will be voted on during the ASP on Tuesday, September 5th & Wednesday September 6th.

Permission slips will be available on Thursday, September 7th.

Lunch will NOT be provided.



Any child not interested in watching the movie can still attend the ASP on this day.

MYSB Annual Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, October 15th

8 am to noon @ Mohegan Fire House on Route 32

Tickets available to purchase at the Youth Center & at the door!

\$7 for adults, \$5 for kids & seniors, children under 5 free.

Stay Tuned for more information!!

Parent Toddler Playgroup is back!!

Starting Tuesday, September 12th

10:30 am to noon

Registration is required! If you have already registered, just stop on by!

Visit our website for more information!

Special events are being planned!! Can't wait to see everyone!

Contact the office with anyone questions!

~Odds & Ends~

Montville Youth Action Council Middle School Chapter

YAC is currently looking for middle school students to be part of the 2017-2018 Youth Action Council!

This year we will be working in subcommittees on several different projects at the youth center, in the schools and throughout the community! The subcommittees we are looking to fill are; The Stall Street Journal, Community Outreach, Asset Development Poster Campaign and a PSA Campaign! Monthly meetings will be held for each subcommittee, and you will be asked to volunteer in the MYSB Store once a month, as well as the occasional night or weekend event!

We are looking for motivated individuals who are interested in truly "making a world of difference" in our community! Recent projects include our Annual Stocking Drive & Penny Drive, and Trick or Trunk, to name a few!!

We have several spots open! Anyone who is interested in applying or would like more information should see Kim beginning Tuesday, September 5th to apply!!

Kid of the Month

Summer 2017



Amari has been part of our program for a few years now and he is one of our stars! Amari is positive and ready to participate in any program we have! He is also a very important part of the Montville Youth Action Council! He is quick to volunteer to help and always does with a smile! He is easy going, funny and kind to everyone! He is our biggest fan and will let everyone know how much he loves being part of our family! We are proud to call him MYSB Family!!

Thanks for being so awesome, Amari!!

Amari Venett

©Happy September Birthdays©



Darien Sherwood ~ 9th
Kyle Fennell ~ 12th
MacKenzie Chacon ~ 13th
Justin Hall ~ 17th
Adam Archambault ~ 21st
Juliette Hammer ~ 26th



September 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
*PTP= Parent Toddler Playgroup					1 ASP 2:00- 6:00	2 Center Closed
3 Center Closed	4 Center Closed Labor Day	5 ASP 2:00- 6:00 Parent Meeting 6pm	6 ASP 2:00- 6:00	7 ASP 2:00- 6:00	8 ASP 2:00- 6:00	9 Center Closed
10 Center Closed	11 ASP 2:00- 6:00	12 ASP 2:00- 6:00 YAC- 3pm PTP- 10:30	13 ASP 2:00- 6:00	14 ASP 2:00- 6:00 Advisory Board 6pm	15 Half Day Close at 5:30 PTP- 10:30	16 Center Closed
17 Center Closed	18 ASP 2:00- 6:00	19 ASP 2:00- 6:00 PTP- 10:30	20 ASP 2:00- 6:00	21 ASP 2:00- 6:00	22 ASP 2:00- 6:00 PTP- 10:30	23 Center Closed
24 Center Closed	25 ASP 2:00- 6:00	26 ASP 2:00- 6:00 PTP- 10:30	27 ASP 2:00- 6:00	28 ASP 2:00- 6:00	29 ASP 2:00- 6:00 PTP- 10:30	30 Center Closed



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