

Yarmouth Community Services

Your Parks & Recreation Home Fall & Winter 2023 - 2024

Adult, Youth & Family Activity Guide



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The mission of Yarmouth Community Services is to provide and maintain responsive leisure and educational opportunities, facilities and services that enhance and improve the quality of life for Yarmouth residents and guests.

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Creating community through people, parks and programs.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Address: 200 Main Street

Yarmouth, ME 04096

Office Location: 200 Main Street

Website: www.yarmouthcommunityservices.org

How and When to Register

Yarmouth residents may register on-line beginning at 8:30 am on August 28th. On-line registration is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. *Please note that additional charges may apply for online registrations and some programs may not offer online registration.*

Resident walk-in and phone registration begins Wednesday, August 30th during office hours 8:30 am - 4:30 pm. Non-resident registration begins September 5th. For program planning purposes, please register for classes and programs no later than 48 hours/2 business days prior to the first class meeting to avoid a \$10 late registration fee. Remember, nothing cancels a program quicker than waiting until the last minute to register!

Many classes and programs have limited enrollments and quickly fill. If you find the class is full at the time you register, please ask to be placed on a waitlist. We would be happy to help you.

Registration is accepted in many convenient ways: on-line, in-person, by mail or by phone. We accept VISA, MasterCard and DISCOVER only.

Telephone: (207) 846-2406

Email: YCSadmin@yarmouth.me.us **Office Hours:** Monday through Friday, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Fees and Confirmation

The **program fees** are stated at the end of each course or program description. **Non-residents** must add \$3 per program and **senior citizens**, 60 and older, may deduct 10% off the stated registration fee; both apply unless otherwise noted. Adult trip pricing reflects senior discount.

Lab fees are payable directly to the instructor for materials purchased by the instructor for the students' use.

Fee Waivers and **Payment Plans** are available for some programs. These services are <u>for Yarmouth residents only.</u>

In order to receive an emailed registration receipt and confirmation, please ensure that we have your correct, up-to-date email address on file.

Questions?

Call: Yarmouth Community Services at 846-2406 Click: www.yarmouthcommunityservices.org

Visit: 200 Main Street

Email: YCSadmin@yarmouth.me.us Check us out and like us on Facebook:

www.facebook.com/yarmouthcs

Are you ready to register? Visit us at www.yarmouthcommunityservices.com

Changes and Cancellations

We cancel or make changes to courses only when absolutely necessary. We will notify all registered participants by phone, text, or email of any changes whenever possible. YCS reserves the right to cancel or consolidate any program that does not meet minimum participant registration numbers. For program planning purposes, please register for classes and programs no later than 48 hours/2 business days prior to the first class meeting to avoid a \$10 late registration fee.

The YCS office will be closed on the following dates: September 4, September 15, October 9, November 10, October 20, November 23 & 24, December 25, January 1, January 15, February 19, April 15, May 27, June 19th, July 4th, and July 19th unless noted otherwise.

Program cancellations determined after-hours will be announced by email, text, or on our Facebook page

and at www.yarmouthcommunityservices.org.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Course Instructors Wanted

Yarmouth Community Services is always seeking instructors for new courses. If you have an idea for an interesting course you wish to teach for youth or adults, please complete the online Course Proposal Form at www.yarmouthcommunityservices.org.

The deadline for Spring & Summer course proposals is February 1st, 2024. Course Proposal Forms can be completed on our web-site:

www.yarmouthcommunityservices.org

Volunteer Coaches Needed!

Please help us continue our tradition of quality sports programming by volunteering to be a soccer, XC ski, basketball, baseball, lacrosse or running coach. Training and certification is available. Give us a call at 846-2406 to get started. Thanks for your interest and support!

Facility Scheduling

Yarmouth Community Services handles the scheduling of facilities including all school buildings, 20 Mill St, Main St Bridge Amphitheater, the East Main Street Community House, athletic fields, parks, and open spaces. Avoid conflicts with school events, sports, meetings and community events and schedule your events early! We are happy to help. Call us at 846-2406.

To request use of a facility or field, contact Maryanne Strand in the YCS office. Requests must be made at least two weeks prior to the proposed event date for proper processing. Please note that school related activities and Yarmouth Community Services programs have priority for facility use.

How do I get a Credit or a Refund?

- Full refunds are given when a program you register for is cancelled or rescheduled by YCS.
- If you withdraw **5 business days** before the first class (excluding weekends and holidays), you will receive a credit to your YCS account or a refund less a \$5 processing fee per program.
- If you withdraw 2 4 business days before the first class, you will receive a 50% credit to your YCS account or a refund less a \$5 processing fee. We must be notified immediately should you decide to withdraw.
- If you withdraw **less than 2 business days** before the first class, no refund or credit will be provided.
- There are times that fees and supplies must be purchased in advance by an instructor/contractor. When this happens, there are times when NO fees may be refunded.
- Refund processing takes up to two weeks.
- We do not provide cash refunds.

Special Needs

In order to ensure complete participation in our programs, please inform us of any specific requirements or accommodations that need to be provided.

Visit our website and like us on Facebook. www.facebook.com/yarmouth.communityservices

Registration website:
www.yarmouthcommunityservices.org
and
www.yarmouthcommunityservices.com

Confidential Fee Waivers

The Town Council has adopted a 50% fee waiver program to help Yarmouth citizens who need financial assistance with YCS program participation fees. Documentation is required for approval. Due to limitations, some programs may not be eligible for any fee waivers. We hope that you will take full advantage of the fee waiver program and that you enjoy participation in Yarmouth Community Services' programs. Please contact YCS for guidelines and details. Look for the fee waiver symbol for programs eligible for a fee waiver.

Payment Plans

Please contact us for further information. Payment plans are available for **Yarmouth residents only**.









HUMAN SERVICES

General Assistance

The Town of Yarmouth administers General Assistance as a safety net for its most needy residents. General Assistance is designed to hold recipients accountable and encourage self-reliance. An individual applying for this assistance is required to utilize all available resources for assistance, including TANF, food stamps, Medicaid, fuel assistance, subsidized daycare, etc.

The General Assistance program assists residents of Yarmouth with paying for basic necessities such as:

- o Rent/mortgage
- o Food
- o Electric/Utilities
- o Prescriptions
- o Household/Personal Supplies

Please contact Christy Hayashida at Yarmouth Community Services for more information. GA@yarmouth.me.us or (207) 846-2406

Zany Shorey is a Community Resource Specialist from Southern Maine Agency On Aging and can provide Yarmouth residents with a variety of support options. Some areas of support include: Application Assistance, Benefit Screening / Financial Issues, Caregiver Support Resources, Diet/ Nutrition Programs, Falls Prevention Options, Housing Options, In-Home Support Services, Legal Resources, Meals on Wheels, Mental Health Resources, Physical Activity, Social and Volunteer Opportunities & More! Zany can refer you to a myriad of services in Yarmouth and nearby that will support your desire to remain independently in your home.

Zany is available to assist by phone, walk in or by appointment at Merrill Memorial Library Tutoring Room on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11:00 - 3:00pm. Call or email Zany at #207-835-9866 or yarmouthresources@smaaa.org

The Southern Maine Agency on Aging provides a variety of programs to promote wellness, Medicare and health insurance education, and Family Caregiver support and resources. To find information about our upcoming programs please visit our calendar: https://www.smaaa.org/events.html





OUTDOOR OPPORTUNITES



NO DOGS allowed at Sandy Point Beach From April 1st through October 31st

Blake Skating Pond

Blake Skating Pond is located behind Key Bank in Yarmouth. When the pond is open, the hours are 7:00 am - 11:00 pm. Lights will be on as long as the pond is open for use.

Please do not attempt to remove snow from the pond on your own. Doing so will negatively impact the condition of the ice.

A small inventory of ice skates are available to loan (for the day or for the season) at the YCS office once the skating pond is open for the season. We would gladly accept your ice skate donations.

For up-to-date pond status, please check the YCS Facebook Page

Open Space Volunteering

Open space volunteers are critical to keeping Yarmouth's open spaces beautiful, safe, and functional. There are volunteer opportunities available ranging from individual to staff led volunteer groups, and there are jobs for all interest levels and abilities. Volunteering is a great way to get outside, exercise, meet likeminded people in the community and to give back to Yarmouth's open spaces.

Check in with Yarmouth Parks and Lands' Facebook page or email YCS Parks Specialist, Erik Donohoe at

edonohoe@yarmouth.me.us if you want to get involved.

Snowshoe Rentals

YCS has Snowshoes available to rent throughout the winter months. Kids and adult sizes are available! Stop by the YCS office to rent your pair today.

Price: \$5/day

Snowshoes must be picked-up during normal business hours: 8:30am - 4:30pm Mon. - Fri.

ADULT TRIPS & PROGRAMS

Click the links to view more info or register today!

PROGRAM NAME	AGES	Day	DATES	TIMES	FEE
Adult Hoop Group 😂	18+	Tue, Thu, Sat & Sun	9/5 - 6/11	Varies by Day	\$50
Adult Volleyball 😂	18+	Wednesdays	9/5 - 6/11	Varies by Date	\$50
Adult Pickleball	18+	Varied	Multiple sessions, starts 9/2	Varies	\$25
Use it or Lose It	55+	Tue & Thu	Multiple sessions, starts 9/5	9:00 am - 10:00 am	\$40
Knitters' Knook	18+	Tuesdays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/5	6:30 pm - 8:30 pm	\$10
Stargazing/Astronomy 101	21+	Wednesdays	9/6/23 - 9/27	7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	\$49
Osteoporosis Safe Yoga Series	50+	Thursdays	9/7/23 - 10/26	10:30 am - 11:30 am	\$100
Adult Zumba with Chelsie Vega - Saturday AM	18+	Saturdays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/9	8:00 am - 8:50 am	\$40
Adult Zumba with Chelsie Vega - Mondays	18+	Mondays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/11	4:30 pm - 5:15 pm	\$40
Art of Watercolor Level 1	21+	Tuesdays	Two sessions, starts 9/12	Varies by Session	\$150
Art of Watercolor Level 2	21+	Tuesdays	Two sessions, starts 9/12	Varies by Session	\$150
Adult Zumba with Chelsie Vega - Wednesdays	18+	Wednesdays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/13	4:30 pm - 5:15 pm	\$40
Maine Classic Car Museum in Arundel, Maine	21+	Wednesday	9/13	9:30 am - 2:30 pm	\$25
Yarmouth Community Cafe	21+	Wednesdays	9/13 & 10/11	11:00 am - 1:00 pm	\$8 donation
Yoga & Breath with Tori Norton	14+	Thursdays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/14	5:00 pm - 6:00 pm	\$99
Nature Exploration - 2D Materials	21+	Fridays	9/15/23 - 11/3	12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	\$150
Adult Hapkido	18+	Mondays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/18	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	\$80
Korean Sword	13+	Mondays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/18	5:00 pm - 6:00 pm	\$106
Coffee with Community	18+	Thursday	9/21/23	10:00 am - 11:00 am	Free
Castle in the Clouds	21+	Friday	9/22	8:30 am - 4:00 pm	\$30
Salsa & Bachata Dance Social	18+	Saturday	9/23	6:30 pm - 10:00 pm	\$10
Ogunquit Playhouse - Tootsie	21+	Thursday	10/5	12:30 pm - 5:30 pm	\$85
All About Balance	18+	Thursdays	10/12- 11/16	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	\$90
Tuscany, Italy Special Travel Presentation	21+	Thursday	10/12	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Free

Look for this symbol for Fee Waiver eligible programs:



Click here to register for our Adult Program Notification List to receive email and/or mail regarding upcoming YCS adult programs.

ADULT TRIPS & PROGRAMS CONTINUED Click the links to view more info or register today!

PROGRAM NAME	AGES	DAY	DATES	TIMES	FEE
Painting with Gouache	21+	Fridays	10/13 - 11/3	10:00 am - 12:00 pm	\$100
Wright World War II Museum	21+	Wednesday	10/18	9:00 am - 4:00 pm	\$30
Fair Play 101: A System for Dividing Household Responsibilities	21+	Monday	10/23	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	\$30
Pen and Ink Exploration	21+	Mondays	11/13 - 12/18	11:30 am - 1:30 pm	\$150
Scrooge Trolley and Overnight in Salem, MA	21+	Thu - Fri	11/30 - 12/1	Overnight Trip	Options
Stone Mountain Art Center - Registration deadline - 11/28	21+	Wednesday	12/6	10:00 am - 3:00 pm	\$62
Gardens Aglow	21+	Thursday	12/14	2:00 pm - 7:30 pm	\$31
Charleston South Carolina Trip	21+	Sat - Sun	3/16 - 3/24	Overnight Trip	Options

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GAMES & FOODS &
TRICKS & TREATS,
FUN & GHOULS
& REAL SICK
BEATS!



If you are interested in hosting a "Trunk" or want to be a "Treater" please <u>register online</u> or call (207) 846-2406.

www.YarmouthCommunityServices.com

FREE, but limited to 250. Register early.

Click here to Register



CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS WHO ENJOY GARDENS! JOIN UMAINE EXTENTION MASTER GARDENER VOLUNTEERS TO RESTORE THE BETH CONDON POLLINATOR GARDEN TO IT'S

FULL GLORY!

August 28th, 2023 marks the 30th anniversary of Beth Condon's passing. Reflect and remember Beth while providing the garden some TLC.

Date: Friday, September 8th, 2023

Time: 9am

Location: Beth Condon Garden behind Townhall

Register to volunteer by calling YCS at 207-846-2406

*Bring garden tools & gloves

*YCS providing bottled water and snacks for volunteers



Celebrate the Season

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21

Thursday, December 21, 2023
at the Town Hall and Memorial Green
Brought to you by
Yarmouth Community Services

Lights enjoy this year's seasonal décor!

Music prerecorded winter hits and sing-a-longs!

Cocoa & Cookies by Yarmouth Rotary

Firepits for S'Mores! with Yarmouth Police

Celebrate the winter season with friends & neighbors, songs to sing, hot cocoa, & cookies.

Join with your neighbors and friends to celebrate the start of longer, brighter days ahead and the community spirit to unite and make winter more fun.

This event is free.

*Is your organization looking to be part of the event? Please call 846-2406. We love partners!

Light Up Yarmouth

DECEMBER 1 THRU DECEMBER 31

Since 2020, Yarmouth Community Services' <u>Light Up Yarmouth</u> event brought LIGHT to Yarmouth throughout December – what a better way to do it than through our residents, local organizations, and businesses!

Yarmouth Community Services is, again, looking for partners to decorate homes, businesses, organizations, churches, banks, and other shops with some type of lights (colors of your choosing).

For participating homeowners, businesses, and organizations: Decorate your location with lights (and whatever else fancies you!) and participate as part of our "drivable event" in December.

Bring LIGHT to Yarmouth by lighting your place from Dec. 1 through Dec. 31. Go as big or as small as you'd like – any type of lights or lighting will help Yarmouth shine.

Register your address by November 19th with YCS so they can add it to a "drivable" map by December 1st.

For more information or to participate, please call (207) 846-2406.



CLIPPER CARE

YCS Clipper Care Programs

Yarmouth Community Services (YCS) is pleased to provide child care programs for Yarmouth families. The Yarmouth Elementary School (YES Care) program is a before-school care program for children in grades K-5 and an after-school program for children in grades Z-5. The Rowe School program is an after-school care program for children in grades K-1.

Our child care programs are designed to meet the needs of parents and guardians during the before and after school hours. The child care program encompasses a variety of activities from homework time to arts and crafts, games and outdoor play. We are very excited to offer a fun, safe and enriching program for child during the time they are in our care.

Our child care programs follow the school calendar; accordingly, the program and care are available when school is in session. Our child care programs are not open on snow days, staff in-service or flex days and during school vacation weeks, however YCS does provide many other types of programs during school and summer vacations that children are sure to enjoy.

Program	Grades	Program Location	Hours	Pricing
Before School Care	efore School Care K – 5 Elementary School		7:00 – 8:30am	\$12/day
After School Care	K—1	Rowe School	3:30 – 5:30 pm	\$18/day
After School Care	2 – 5	Elementary School	3:30 - 5:30 pm	\$18/day



2023 - 2024 School Year Before & After School Registration Information

<u>April 1st</u> - enrollment opens for current participants *YCS office staff will send forms and information to current families.

** May 1st - enrollment open to the Public**

**Pending available space.

For more information, fees and registration forms visit our Child Care Page on the YCS website at: www.yarmouthcommunityservices.org

2023-2024 Clipper Care Registration Form

YOUTH ENRICHMENT

Click the links to view more info or register today!

	PROGRAM NAME	AGE/GRADE	DAY	DATES	TIMES	FEE
	Pickle Buddies	6th - 8th	Mondays	9/11 - 10/23 (Skip 10/9)	3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	\$130
	Band Lessons	4th - 12th	Mondays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/11	Options	Varies
ays	Brick by Brick Lego	K - 4th	Mondays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/11	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$126
Mondays	Youth Hapkido	Ages 8+	Mondays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/18	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$106
Ĭ	Learning with Yaya- Spanish For Kids	Ages: 1 - 3	Mondays	9/18 - 10/30	9:30 - 10:15 am	\$75
	Korean Sword	Ages 13+	Mondays	Multiple sessions, Starts 9/18	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$106
	Learning with Yaya- Spanish For Kids	Ages: 4 & 5	Mondays	9/18 - 10/30	10:30 am - 11:15 am	\$75
	Pickle Buddies	K & 1st	Tuesdays	9/12 - 10/17	3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	\$130
ays	YES Fitness Fun	2nd - 5th	Tuesdays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/12	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$86
Fuesdays	High Touch/High Tech at YES	2nd - 5th	Tuesdays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/12	3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	\$118
1	Open Studio: Calm Creativity	2nd - 5th	Tuesdays	9/12 - 11/14	3:30 pm - 5:30 pm	\$160
	Fun Chefs Cooking Academy	2nd - 5th	Tuesdays	9/12 - 10/3	3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	\$88
ays	Art in the Afternoon (Wednesdays)	K - 4th	Wednesdays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/20	3:30 pm - 5:15 pm	\$65 - \$100
Wednesdays	Pickle Buddies	2nd & 3rd	Wednesdays	9/13 - 10/18	3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	\$130
edn	Game on Girls	2nd - 5th	Wednesdays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/13	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$86
\$	Mad Science at YES	2nd - 5th	Wednesdays	Multiple sessions, starts 10/11	3:30 pm - 4:50 pm	\$150
	Art in the Afternoon (Thursdays)	K - 4th	Thursdays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/21	3:30 pm - 5:15 pm	\$65 - \$100
	High Touch/High Tech at Rowe School	K & 1st	Thursdays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/14	3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	\$118
	Afterschool Basketball	2nd - 5th	Thursdays	1/4 - 1/25	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$75
ays	Kickball & 4-Square	2nd - 5th	Thursdays	5/9 - 5/30	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$75
Fhursdays	Afterschool Football	2nd - 5th	Thursdays	9/28 - 10/19	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$75
Th	Afterschool Indoor Soccer	2nd - 5th	Thursdays	11/30 - 12/21	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$75
	Pickle Buddies	4th & 5th	Thursdays	9/14 - 10/19	3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	\$130
	Adventure Play	2nd - 5th	Thursdays	10/26 - 11/16 & 3/7 - 3/28	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$75
	Afterschool Ultimate Frisbee	2nd - 5th	Thursdays	2/1 - 2/29	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$75

Look for this symbol for Fee Waiver eligible programs:



YOUTH ENRICHMENT

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	PROGRAM NAME	AGE/GRADE	DAY	DATES	TIMES	FEE
	Brio Dance Studio: Hip Hop	K & 1st	Fridays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/15	3:30 pm - 4:20 pm	\$60
ys.	Brio Dance Studio at 20 Mill Street: Move & Groove	Ages: 3 - 5	Fridays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/15	2:30 pm - 3:00 pm	\$55
Fridays	Cheer Clinic	4th & 5th	Fridays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/15	3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	\$150
室	Laser Tag	1st - 6th	Friday	10/6 & 12/22	Varies by grade	\$15
	<u>Trunk or Treat</u>	Ages 1 - 12	Friday	10/27	4:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Free
	Southern ME Athlete Academy - Youth Athletic Dev. Program	Ages: 5 - 12	Saturdays	9/16 - 12/2	3:00 pm- 3:45 pm	\$180
ays	YCS Tumbling & Fitness	K - 6th	Saturdays	Details to come!		
Saturdays	Southern Maine Athlete Academy - Little Athletes	Ages: 5 - 12	Saturdays	Multiple sessions, starts 1/6	3:00 pm - 3:45 pm	Options
Sat	American Red Cross Babysitting Course	Ages: 11 - 15	Saturday	3/23	9:00 am - 3:30 pm	\$125
	Family Valentine's Dance	K - 5th	Saturday	2/10	3:00 pm - 5:00 pm	\$10
	Morning Movers - Dodgeball	2nd - 5th	Fridays	Multiple sessions, starts 9/15	7:45 am - 8:30 am	\$75
70	Morning Movers - Soccer	2nd - 5th	Wednesdays	9/13 - 10/11	7:45 am - 8:30 am	\$75
Classes	Morning Movers - Wiffle Ball	2nd -5th	Wednesdays	10/18 - 11/15	7:45 am - 8:30 am	\$75
_	Morning Movers - Low Level Gymnastics/Creative Movement	2nd - 5th	Wednesdays	11/29 - 1/3 (skip 12/27)	7:45 am - 8:30 am	\$75
ning	Morning Movers - Pillow Polo Hockey	2nd - 5th	Wednesdays	1/10 - 2/7	7:45 am - 8:30 am	\$75
Morning	Morning Movers - Basketball	2nd - 5th	Wednesdays	2/14 - 3/20	7:45 am - 8:30 am	\$75
	Morning Movers - Soccer	2nd - 5th	Wednesdays	3/27 - 5/1	7:45 am - 8:30 am	\$75
	Morning Movers - Ultimate Frisbee	2nd - 5th	Wednesdays	5/8 - 6/5	7:45 am - 8:30 am	\$75

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YOUTH SPORTS

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Pipsqueak Soccer	Ages: 3 & 4	Saturdays	9/9 - 10/14	8:00 am - 8:45 am	\$50
Pipsqueak Soccer	Age: 5	Saturdays	9/9 - 10/14	9:00 am - 9:45 am	\$50
Royal River Ramblers	1st - 6th	Mon or Tue & Wed	9/11 - 10/17 (skip 9/13 & 10/9)	3:30 - 4:30	\$75
1st & 2nd Grade Preseason Basketball Open Gym	1st & 2nd	Saturdays	10/21 - 11/18	9:00 am - 10:15 am	\$15
3rd & 4th Grade Preseason Basketball Open Gym	3rd & 4th	Saturdays	10/21 - 11/18	10:15 am - 11:30 am	\$15
5th - 8th Grade Preseason Basketball Open Gym	5th - 8th	Saturdays	10/21 - 11/18	11:130 am - 12:45 pm	\$15
5th - 12th Grade Open Gym Basketball	5th - 12th	Sundays	11/26 - 3/3?	11:00 am - 1:00 pm	Free
Nordic Ski Rentals	1st - 8th	N/A	11/15 - 4/1 Register in office after fitting	N/A	\$80
Kindergarten Coed Basketball	K	Saturdays	12/9 - 1/27 (skip 12/23 & 12/30)	8:00 am - 9:00 am	\$60
1st & 2nd Grade Basketball	1st & 2nd	Saturdays	12/9 - 2/10	Mornings	\$70
3rd & 4th Grade Basketball League	3rd & 4th	Varies by team	12/9 - 2/10 (skip 12/23 & 12/30	Varies by team	\$70
5th & 6th Grade Basketball League	5th & 6th	Weeknights only	12/4 - 2/16 (skip 12/25-1/1)	Varies by team	\$110
Nordic Ski Instruction	3rd - 6th	Mon & Thu	1/3 - 3/6 (skip 1/15, 2/19 & 2/21)	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	\$85
Winter Futsal	Ages: 4 - 12	Saturdays	Details to come! Starts in January	TBA	TBA
Pleasant Mountain Ski Trips	6th - 8th	Tuesdays	1/9 - 2/6	3:00 pm - 8:15 pm	Options
Boys & Girls Travel Lacrosse	3rd - 6th	Varies by team	4/22 - 6/9	Varies by team	\$120
Tee Ball	Ages: 5 - 6	Mon & Wed	4/22 - 5/29 (skip 5/27)	Varies by team	\$70
Instructional League Baseball	Ages: 6 & 7	Tue or Thu & Sat	4/23 - 6/15	5:00 pm or 6:00 pm	\$70
Tee Wee Baseball	Age: 4	Tuesdays	5/7 - 5/28	4:00 pm - 4:15 pm	\$50
1st & 2nd Grade Postseason Basketball Open Gym	1st & 2nd	Saturdays	3/9 - 4/13	9:00 am - 10:15 am	\$15
3rd & 4th Grade Postseason Basketball Open Gym	3rd & 4th	Saturdays	3/9 - 4/13	10:15 am - 11:30 am	\$15
5th - 8th Grade Postseason Basketball Open Gym	5th - 8th	Saturdays	3/9 - 4/13	11:130 am - 12:45 pm	\$15

Look for this symbol for Fee Waiver eligible programs:



TEEN PROGRAMS

Driver Education with Bartley's Driving School

This driver education course, licensed by the State of Maine, includes 30 hours of zoom classroom time and 10 hours of driving time. Students must be at least 15 years of age or older at the start of the class. For more information or to register visit www.BartleysDrivingSchool.net

Instructor: Bartley's Driving School staff Days: Monday, Wednesday, Friday (3 weeks)

Time: 5:30pm - 8:30pm Location: YHS Room B134

Fee: \$580

Must register directly with Bartley's Driving School online or by phone at 657-5010.

Session	Start Date
Session 1	September 6
Session 2	October 4
Session 3	November 1
Session 4:	November 29
Session 5:	January 24
Session 6	February 28
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Sunday Open Gym Basketball

Stop by Sundays from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM for free basketball open gym at the high school.

Dates: Sundays, November 26, 2023 - March 3, 2024 (NO Program on

12/24) Grades: 5-12

Fee: Free, registration required

Location: YHS, Gym

Vacation Week Camps

Ready, set, let's play! Enjoy four days of non-stop fun during our Vacation Week Camps. Mornings will be filled with games and activities. Three afternoon field trips/special guests will also be scheduled.

Participants must bring a snack, winter gear, water bottle and lunch each day.

Instuctor: YCS Staff Times: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Grades: 1st - 5th

Location: YES Gym & Cafeteria

Fee: \$175

February Vacation Camp

February Dates: 2/20 - 2/23 (no camp 2/19)

April Vacation Camp



April Dates: 4/16 - 4/19 (no camp 4/15)

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

YCAN Rides Program

Take residents to medical appointments, grocery store and more! FMI Contact: YCAN (207) 844-3517

Ask about the following YCS Special Events

Summer Arts Series, Family Movie Nights, Celebrate the Season, Trunk or Treat, and Valentines Dance. FMI Contact: YCS (207) 846-2406

Youth Sports Volunteer Coaches Needed

Golf, Soccer, Basketball, Baseball, Lacrosse, Running (paid) & Cross Country Skiing (paid) FMI Contact: Bob Priest at YCS (207) 846-2406

Lunch Crunch- Summer 2024

At Lunch Crunch, we provide free breakfast and lunch to children ages 18 and younger. We are looking for high school aged and adult volunteers to help with kitchen prep and food delivery! Interested volunteers must contact us prior to the beginning of the program in order to be added to the schedule. High school volunteers will receive community service hours for their time volunteered. FMI Contact: Bob Priest (207) 846-2406 **OR** rpriest@yarmouth.me.us

Community service hours through YCS programs are for high school graduation requirements only. All non-graduation requirement hours must be pre-approved though the YCS office before volunteering.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Basketball Officials

We are currently searching for basketball officials for our 3rd & 4th grade league with games on Saturday mornings, as well as our 5th & 6th grade league with games on weeknights. All games will be played in Yarmouth during the months of December, January and February. This is a paid position. Please contact Bob priest for more details, rpriest@yarmouth.me.us.

Apply Online

Clipper Care Counselor

Under the supervision of the YCS Assistant Director, Clipper Care Director and Site Supervisors, Counselors are responsible for planning for a variety of Clipper Care activities, arts & crafts, social interactions, learning resources, and fun. Position may report to an assigned location that includes one or more of the following sites: Rowe School, Yarmouth Elementary School or other sites as needed for the program.

Rate of pay: \$16 - \$17

Apply Online

Clipper Care Site Supervisor

Under the supervision of the Clipper Care Director, Site Supervisors are responsible for programming and supervision of an assigned school location that includes one or more of the following sites: Rowe School or the Yarmouth Elementary School during the school year. The Site Supervisors are responsible for daily planning, supervising a variety of on-site activities & programs, and managing other staff & volunteers.

Rate of pay: \$20 - \$22

Apply Online
Job Description

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Community Garden

Come Grow With Us in 2024 Financial Assistance is available

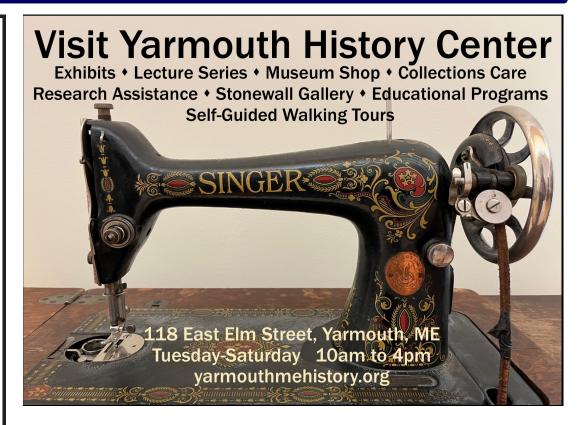
Yarmouth Community Garden is located on East Main Street at the Frank Knight Forest.



- 10'x10' sunny organic garden plots for rent: \$40/plot for residents and \$43/plot for non-residents.
- Plot rental includes fencing, tools, water, soil amendments, and gardening advice.
- Plot sign-up begins January 1st with Yarmouth Community Services. Annual Spring orientation in April 2024. Date: TBD
- Registration for Summer Garden Explorer Camp begins in January 2024.
- All renters need to volunteer in the community plot or children's garden throughout the season. Expected number of service hours are based on the number of plots rented.
- Workdays and harvesting take place on Tuesday and Saturday mornings. All produce grown in the community plot is donated to the Yarmouth Community Food Pantry and 3 senior living communities in Yarmouth.
- All are welcome to tour the gardens and volunteer in the community plot or children's garden. Garden coordinators are present to provide guidance on Tuesday and Saturday mornings.
- Date coming soon! Watch for details for our 21st Annual Harvest Dinner & Silent Auction

Find out more at our website: www.yarmouthcommunitygarden.org

YCG will be hiring two Coordinators for Summer 2024 Come Work With Us! FMI: kmacneill@yarmouth.me.us



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Important Contact Information General YCAN Questions

Phone: (207) 844-3517Email: ycan@ycan.info

• Website: Ycan.info

Food Pantry: (207) 844-3320 **Rides Program:** (207) 844-3242

Do you need help finding resources to support your family?

The YCAN Resource Guide describes a number of regional resources that can offer help. Copies are available at: YCAN.info website, Town Hall, YCS, Merrill Memorial Library, and the School Guidance Offices.

Do you want to volunteer?

Interested residents and/or volunteers are welcome!
If you would like to assist YCAN in supporting our neighbors in need, we welcome your time, talent, and/or treasure. Help with our Food Pantry and Rides Program.

Volunteer one hour or many: any amount of time donated makes an impact right here in our community.



Located

Behind First Parish Church 116 Main Street, Yarmouth (Rear entry on Storer Street)

Hours

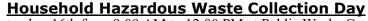
Tuesday & Friday: 10am - Noon Please note: *The Food Pantry is CLOSED when Yarmouth Schools are closed due to inclement weather.*

Contacts

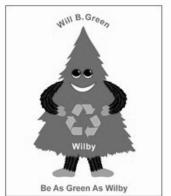
Food Pantry Phone # (207) 844-3320 Facebook: Yarmouth-Maine Community Food Pantry

FOOD PANTRY Donations to the Food Pantry may be dropped off only at the Food Pantry seven days a week. There is a large deck poy at the rear door of the church in which to place all shelf stable donations. Please do

box at the rear door of the church in which to place all shelf stable donations. Please do NOT leave any items that have been opened, at or past the "best by" date, need refrigeration, clothes or books. Our regular needs are canned meats, canned pasta with meat, hearty soups and stews, pasta sauce, boxed meal helpers, boxed meal sides and personal care items. If you are 55+ and would like to receive a "Senior Box" filled with shelf stable food, please contact us and we will connect you with those responsible for that project.



September 16th from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM at Public Works Garage



Free Disposal Week at the Transfer Station

The Town will be holding a Free Disposal Week at the Transfer Station & Recycling Center beginning on Saturday, September 9th, 2023 and ending on Sunday, September 17th, 2023. There will be no fees for residents during this week for items listed below. There will be a fee for tires and 20 lb. propane cylinders - a reduced rate of \$2.00 each. Commercial truck tires (20" and up), along with equipment tires will be \$10.00 each. Tires and propane cylinders can be paid for by punch card only. No cash, checks or credit cards will be accepted at the facility. TV, Computers, Monitors, Keyboards, Mouse, Laptops, CPUs, Printers, Scanners and UPS will be accepted during this time.

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Medical Equipment Loan Closet

Loans a wide variety of health aides to **Yarmouth residents**.

Items include wheel chairs, walkers, commodes, crutches & more.

Call YCS at 846-2406 to make an appointment to pick-up, return or donate equipment.

Yarmouth's Aging in Place Initiative 2023

Printed Resources available at Merrill Library and Town Hall

Who should I call if I need help?

Zany Shorey -Yarmouth Resource Specialist from Southern Maine Area on Aging: 835-9866 YarmouthResources@smaaa.org

Coordinated Services - call Zany for information

Friendly Visitor Program: Volunteers who will visit you at your home regularly to provide companionship and friendship.

Phone Pal Program - Offers a volunteer who will regularly call you for a friendly chat.

Handy Helper Program - Offers a volunteer to assist you with light household maintenance duties.

We provide a **monthly newsletter** with helpful stories and resources for Yarmouth seniors. Available by email or a paper copy at the Library. We are always looking for more volunteers and ideas to assist seniors who wish to remain at home. Call Leigh for more information 712-7244 or leighmk2050@gmail.com

Community Youth Sports Guide

Baseball/Softball

Tee Wee (4 year olds): YCS Tee Ball (5 & 6 year olds): YCS

Instructional League (6 & 7 year olds): YCS 7-12 year olds: Yarmouth Little League Baseball 7-12 year olds: Yarmouth Little League Softball

yarmouthlittleleague.com

7th-12th Grade: School Department

Basketball

Kindergarten - 6th Grade: YCS 7th-12th Grade: School Department

Field Hockey

K-5th Grade Clinics: YCS

6th-12th Grade: School Department

Lacrosse

Sticklets (K-2nd Grade): YCS

3rd - 6th Grade: YCS

7th-12th Grade: School Department

Running/Track

1st-6th Grade: YCS (Ramblers) 7th-12th Grade: School Department

Soccer

Pipsqueak Soccer (3-5 year olds): YCS

1st & 2nd Grade Soccer: YCS U9 - U14: Yarmouth Colts

yarmouthcolts.com

7th-12th Grade: School Department

Nordic Skiing

3rd-6th Grade: YCS

7th-12th Grade: School Department

Football

K - 5th Flag: Yarmouth Football Association 5th/6th Tackle: Yarmouth Football Association

Yarmouthfootballassociation.com 7th-12th Grade: School Department

STAY Program Senior Tax Assistance Yarmouth

A property tax refund for lower and moderate income senior homeowners and renters. The Town of Yarmouth offers a tax refund to seniors who meet specific criteria. Applications available at Town Hall, YCS, and MML.

Deadline to apply - May 1st

For more information, please call: (207) 846-9036 x 212

Sports Equipment Exchange

Need athletic equipment for the upcoming season? Give us a call at 846-2406 to see if we have what you need in stock in our free sports equipment exchange.

Want to donate your gently used equipment? Below are examples of things we might need.

Questions? Email Bob Priest at rpriest@yarmouth.me.us

- Youth Non-metal Cleats
- Field Hockey Sticks
- Field Hockey Goggles
- Youth Tennis Rackets
- NOCSAE approved Lacrosse Helmets
- NOCSAE Lacrosse Goggles
- NOC SAE Lacrosse Sticks
- Lacrosse Pads
- Size 3 & 4 Soccer Balls
- Nordic Skis & Boots
- Snow Shoes
- Golf Clubs
- Kayaks
- Paddles
- Basketball Shoes
- Basketballs
- Youth Baseball Gloves
- Certified Baseball/Softball Bats
- Softball Gloves And more!