



# Gillam Grant Community Center

*Moving Forward Together*

June/July/August Edition

## SPARTAN FITNESS

Hybrid functional fitness...Whether you're a couch potato or a Spartan Warrior we'll help you become better, tougher, faster, stronger! All workouts will be scalable so you can work at your own level. Workouts will include a variety of activities to challenge you and increase your abilities! We'll work on strength, endurance, and athletic skills to keep it well rounded and fun! Class will be held on Thursdays July 27th - August 31st. Classes will be held outside from 6-7pm.  
**Instructor: Thomas Faben.**  
**Cost: \$32M/\$42NM**



*Enjoy the journey as much as the destination!*

## Colorado Springs

**Sept. 15-25, 2017**

The journey includes fabulous stops:

- Gateway Arch Riverfront of St. Louis
- Eisenhower Presidential Library
- Prairie Museum of Art & History
- Smokey Hill Museum in Kansas
- Winston Churchill Memorial



When we arrive spend four days visiting the sights: Colorado's "Natural Wonder"-the Royal Gorge, United States Air Force Academy, Historic town of Manitou Springs, at the base of Pike's Peak, the breathtaking tour of the Garden of Gods, a magnificent park of red sandstone formation & Glen Eyrie Castle and so much more!

Comfortable deluxe motor coach + Ten nights; four in scenic Colorado + 10 breakfasts & eight dinners incl.

\*Double occup. member price, add \$60 for Non-members \$100 Non-refundable deposit due upon registration

The New York State Pistol Permit Class – also known as the "Concealed Carry Permit Class" or the "Firearms Safety Course", is required to be completed before applying for the Erie, Niagara, Orleans & Genesee County NYS Pistol Permit process. The NYS Pistol Permit class (Concealed Pistol Permit Class) is certified to apply for a New York State Pistol permit in many counties. The focus of this course is SAFETY. Subtopics covered include: Article 35 and NY laws pertaining to the use and carry of your Pistol, safe handling of a handgun in your home & on the range. This class is taught by Certified NRA Instructor, Cheryl Schenne. 3 hour course includes materials and a Certificate of Completion (*required for Erie, Niagara, Orleans & Genesee County Pistol Permit application process*). **Cost: \$60.00. Pre-Registration Required / 17yrs & older**

## NYS PISTOL PERMIT CLASS

**JULY 22ND**

**9am-Noon**



**Do you need before/after school care for your child? Check out Kid Zone as a solution!**



## Before & After School Program

The Kid Zone Program is a before & after-school program. The program runs week days from 6:30-8:45am and 3:30-6:00pm. The program is coordinated to offer children in Pre-Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade an environment of social, recreational, and instructional opportunity. Kids stay busy through a variety of child-directed activities in a safe and secure environment.

# COMMUNITY NEWS

**Byron Heritage Festival Calendar of Events**  
**Firemen's Park (Behind Byron Fire Dept. on Rte. 262)**  
**July 29, 2017**

- Fishing Derby at Trestle Park** 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.  
 (Ages 12 and under)  
 (Sponsored by Byron Kiwanis) (sign-in at 7:30 a.m.)
- 5K Run (Begins at Firemen's Park)** 7:00 a.m. Registration  
 (Sponsored by Byron Rescue Squad) 8:30 a.m. Race Begins  
 Registration forms available at  
 www.byronny.com or at the Byron Town Hall 9:30 a.m.  
 Race Results
- Town Wide Garage Sales** 9:00 a.m. – ?
- Chicken BBQ** 4:00 p.m. - Sold Out  
 (Sponsored by Byron Kiwanis)
- Bands:**
- Koko and The Moon Crickets** 4:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.  
This program is made possible with funds from the Decentralization program, a regrant program of the New York State Council on the Arts with support of Governor Andrew Cuomo and the New York State Legislature and administered by the Genesee-Orleans Regional Arts council (a.k.a. GO ART!).
- Fireworks** At Dark

**Byron Presbyterian Church**

Saturday, July 23, 2017

Rummage Sale 9:00 - 1:00, Bag Sale 1:00 to 2:00

Auction 2:00 - - -

## LUNCH CLUB

Once a month go to a restaurant to enjoy lunch & socialize. Transportation leaves the Center at 11:30am. Cost: \$5M/\$7NM with lunch on your own.

**Monday, June 26th ~ Smokin' Eagle BBQ & Brew**

**Monday, July 24th ~ Terry Hills**

**Monday, August 21st ~ Bristol Harbor**

**Please sign up online a week prior to lunch date.**

On Tuesday August 22nd from 4:30-5:30 the Alzheimer's Association will present Effective Communication Strategies. Communication is more than just talking and listening - it is also about sending and receiving messages through attitude, tone of voice, facial expressions and body language. Join us to explore how communication takes place when someone has Alzheimer's, learn to decode the verbal and behavioral messages delivered by someone with dementia, and identify strategies to help you connect and communicate at each stage of the disease. **This class is FREE, but pre-registration is required!**

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This expanded five day trip is sure to give you the "Big Apple" experience you are looking for at a great price!

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Double occupancy: \$616 Members  
 \$676 Non-members

\$100 Non-refundable deposit due upon registration

**Sept. 1-5, 2017**

## INSPIRE FITNESS

**Sundays from 10-11am and Wednesdays from 6-7pm**

Whatever your goals, be it weight loss, fitness or just feeling your best, this class will have a solution for you! It is a combination of Pilates, Yoga, Circuit & Interval training all in one class!

6 week session. Certified Instructor: Nicole Cummings.  
 Cost for either class: \$37M/\$47NM per session.

**Sunday Morning Class:**

Next Session: July 23rd -  
 August 27th

**Wednesday Night Class:**

Next Session: July 12th -  
 August 16th

## Yoga

**Tuesday Mornings from 9:00-10:00am**

Yoga is designed to increase flexibility, build strength, and melt away tension. Yoga is a great way to exercise linking breathing with movement. All ages & levels of experience and fitness welcome.

6 week session. July 11th - August 15th.  
 Certified Instructor: Kathy Merritt, RYTI.  
 Cost for class: \$32M/ \$42NM per session.

**For those turning 65 this year, new to Medicare, or anyone who has questions about Medicare, Medicare Advantage Plans, and Medicare Supplements. Jacky Smith, a United Health Care sales representative will review the basics and answer questions on June 22nd from 5:45 - 6:45pm.**



**FOR MORE INFORMATION  
AND TO REGISTER GO TO  
GILLAMGRANT.ORG**

**JULY 10-14 ADVENTURE WEEK** This WEEK'S camp combines outdoor explorations with Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math! S.T.E.A.M Teacher, Craig Schroth joins the Gillam-Grant Daycamp program and challenges you to pilot a mini-drone through an obstacle course, build your own flying object, and race hovercrafts. \*Artist, Diana Meier brings ZENTANGLE art to our campers as they design their very own camp T-shirt! Entertainers from Flower City Vaudeville present "Slapstick Science." This humorous and highly interactive show features scientific concepts brought to life with the talents and skills of three intrepid scientists. And to top off this amazing week of adventures... we will take a field trip to Minnehan's Fun Center.



**JULY 17-21 SECRET AGENT TRAINING** You are a SPY... and you have a mission! Your mission will require you to conduct surveillance, make and break secret codes, uncover important evidence, interrogate persons of interest and hunt for a mole within your ranks! Our special guest will be artist \*Kris Crosson who will teach campers to become portrait sketch artists and agent mask makers. And lets not forget finger printing! Sherriff, Chris Erion will join us with his K9 for a very cool demo and important information for all our agents in training. The Final Mission of the week will be to have a BLAST at Horizon Fun FX. All campers can explore skating, jungle gym hide and seek, and the king of the hill challenge!

**JULY 24-28 ROCK THE CAMP** Let's get ROCKIN... Music and dance with blow-up guitar competitions. How much FUN! Guitarist and songwriter \*Doug Yeoman joins us for some cool workshops with the campers. \*Geoff Clough will work with our youngest campers in Cookie Songwriting. Everyone will be gearing up for the Rock Star - Newspaper Dress Up - Karaoke Show! Campers... make your own "pet" rock, make rock candy, play EXTREME Team Rock, Paper, Scissors. How about some science fun with "rock'it" lift offs? Reach high heights with a field trip to ALTITUDE Trampoline Park.

**JULY 31- AUG 4 ANIMAL PLANET** We love Animals... How about animal charades, catch a monkey's tail game, a jungle obstacle course, or tour an insect safari? Have a crazy time with Slime Monster Creations! We have the Reptile Guys coming out for a very special and interactive show. Crocodilians, snakes, and lizards—So cool to see. Top the week off with a visit to Hidden Valley Animal Adventures. The hour-long Wild Game Safari Tour through the park will give campers the chance to have an upclose and personal interaction with exotic animals like camels, zebra, llama, elk, bison, ostrich, and many more.

**AUGUST 7-11 PARTY IN THE USA** It's a PARTY Week! It can't be a party without some dancing.. \*Lehrer Dance Troupe will be here to bust the moves with the campers. Make your USA Party Hat, Experiment with Boom-Pop-Fizz, and get ready for water games! All campers will take an adventure trip to Genesee County Park for wilderness exploration and a fun picnic. AND... best of all... Celebrate the last day of camp with a fun day with huge inflatables... jump house, obstacle course, slides, competitions... ALL DAY LONG.



**What's a Day Like at Camp?** Our theme changes, so there are new exciting activities, programs, and events every week. However, some things don't change because they are FUN everyday. After a morning gathering of all campers, the kids break off into their age appropriate groups. They will rotate through different areas of camp including sports, crafts, swimming lessons, STEAM, group activity, special events & activities, and open swim.

**Kids completing K thru 6th grade are eligible to attend!**

Camp runs from 9am-3pm, Monday thru Friday. Chill Time before and After Camp Program is available.

**CAMP RATE PER WEEK: \$87/MEMBER \$97/Non Member (Includes Field Trips)**

# Pre-School Summer Camp **Ages 3-5**



**Week 1: Pirate Camp ~ July 10th - 14th**

Arrrg Matey! Get ready to sail the Seven Seas, Walk the Plank, and play "Aye Spy" for hidden treasure!

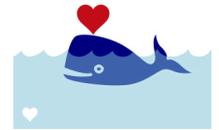
9:30am - Noon. Cost: \$42M/\$50NM.

**Week 3: Under the Sea Camp ~ July 24th - 28th**

Dive into the deep blue sea where it is wetter and better on the ocean floor! Explore the beautiful creatures that live below. Tentacles, fins, and stingers. Oh my! They won't scare us away!

9:30am - Noon.

Cost: \$42M/\$50NM.



**Week 2: Once Upon a Time Camp ~ July 17th - 21st.**

See page 5!

## Introduction to Dance Camp

July 17th - 21st from 6:30pm - 8:00pm



Has your child ever wanted to try their feet out at dancing? Here is their opportunity! Gillam-Grant will be offering an introductory dance camp where students will learn basic styles of dancing including: Speed Ballet, Jazz, and Hip Hop. After the trial period is over, students will be able to show off their new moves during a performance on the last night of class for Family and Friends!

Instructor: Becca Phelps

Price: \$55M/\$65NM

Ages 5-12

## GILLAM-GRANT SOCCER CAMP JULY 5, 6, 7 ~ Ages 5-12

Our focus is fun, exciting games to build confidence and teach the fundamentals of soccer. Younger players will learn ball familiarization, coordination skills, and social interaction. Upper ages will enhance player skills and techniques. Players will learn attacking and defending principles. Everyone will have FUN!!! Camp takes place behind Gillam-Grant. July 5-7th COOL T-shirts included. Camp runs 6pm-7:30pm each evening. Cost: \$30 Member / \$40 Non-Member.



## TENNIS CAMP August 7th-10th



The Gillam-Grant Tennis Camp is perfect for beginners and advanced players between the ages of 5 and 16 who want to learn and improve on their tennis skills. The tennis camp will build a foundation of the core tennis skills including the forehand, backhand, volley, and serve. In addition, exercises will improve other tennis related skills such as hand-eye coordination, timing, stamina, and reflexes. Learning tennis at camp is a FUN experience! Camp is held at the BB School Courts. Campers must bring a racquet. Once again this year we have a Lobster ball machine! It will be a blast! Ages 5 thru 10 6:00-7:00 pm Ages 11-16 7:15-8:15 pm. \$50.00 per player (members) \$60.00 per player (non-members)

## TRACK CAMP June 19th to 22nd ♦ Grades K-6th



Want to be a Track and Field Star!? Track Camp teaches all track and field events... from discus, to long jump, to sprints, to much, much more! Participants will have a blast with track training, games, and competitions. On Thursday, the camp will culminate with a real track meet. All friends and families are invited to attend the festivities! Awards and T-shirts will be given. Track Camp will be held at the Byron-Bergen Track from 5:30-7:30 pm. Kids will be grouped by grade level completed. Members \$62 Non-Members \$67

# Summer 2017 at the Learning Center

## LEGO Simple Machines Camp\*

July 10<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> 6pm –8pm

Grades 1-3

Students will **build a playground** with Legos to help learn about the 7 basic simple machines. They will explore, build and learn about a lever, wheel and axle, pulley, inclined plane, wedge, screw, and gears.

Cost: \$30M/\$35NM



## Harry Potter LEGO Camp

July 11, 12, and 13 6:00 – 8:00pm

GRADES 3-6

Experience the wonderful world of Harry Potter through crafts and LEGOS! For the first half of class children will be given the opportunity to **build the Shrieking Shack or the House Dorms**. After working on their LEGO creations, students will make their very own **wand** like they sell at Ollivanders! We will mix up **potions** and will be creating **House Badges**. Don't miss out on this wonderful opportunity to bring the Harry Potter series to life for your child!

Price includes all supplies. Cost: \$30M/\$35NM



**"Once Upon a Time"**  
STEM\* Preschool Camp  
July 17-21  
9:30am-12:00pm  
for Ages 3-5

Let's put a twist on fairy tales. Can you make a bridge strong enough to hold the 3 Billy Goats Gruff? Or build a house that will keep out the Big Bad Wolf when he huffs and puffs? Or make a trap to help Hansel and Gretel catch the Witch? Each day of camp we will read a different fairy tale and try a different engineering challenge. Cost: \$42M/\$50NM

Camp Emphasizes  
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATH

## "DOGBOT" Engineering Camp\*

July 17<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> from 6pm – 8:30pm

Grades 4-6

Join us for a week of fun building a motorized "DOGBOT", with LEGOS. Students will learn the principles of the 7 basic simple machines as they build.

Imagine what your child could create or invent with a little basic engineering knowledge.

Cost: \$30M/\$35NM



## Music Video Design Camp\*

August 14-17 6:00-8:30 pm

Grades 4-8th

**Listen up** for an exciting musical opportunity! Make your own

music, instrument and music video all WITH A COMPUTER just like the professionals! Students will use the Google CS First program to create music using a computer. Cost: \$35M/\$40NM

Camp Registration deadline is **June 24th**. Space is limited Register NOW to reserve your spot! **All registration is online at [gillamgrant.org](http://gillamgrant.org)**

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NYS Pre-licensing  
Saturday Sept 30th  
9 am-2 pm

This class is required for new drivers to get their license. Students must have NYS learner's permit to attend. Registration is required. Class begins promptly at 9:00 am. Late students will not be admitted. NO refunds given. Bring your own snack/beverage for break. **Cost: \$30M/\$35NM**

Accepting New Students for  
the 17-18 School Year!

## PIANO LESSONS

All ages welcome! 30 minute lessons. Instructor: Elaine Bezon, life-long piano player and retired Byron-Bergen teacher. Call the Center at 494-1621 for additional information. **Cost: \$15M/\$17NM/ lesson** (additional book fees not included)



## Game App Camp\*

July 25-27 6:00-8:00 PM for Grades: 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>

Learn How to make Game Apps!

Do you enjoy playing game apps on your computer or phone? Ever wonder how these games are made? If so, we have the summer camp for you! The Game App Camp will introduce the basics of app creation through the MIT App Inventor 2 program. MIT App Inventor 2 allows programming newcomers to create software applications for Android operating systems. Our young app inventors will learn how to make two game applications, one of them is one of the most popular apps ever created! Not only will you get to create an app, you will be able to play the app you create too! **Cost: \$35M/\$40NM**



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## Volunteer Shout Outs!

Thank you to our May Social Meal Volunteers Diana Martino, Alexis, Becky Senf and the Girl Scouts: Kendall, Elizabeth, Lilly, Olivia and Cassidy  
 Thank you to our volunteer drivers Michelle Clare and Nancy Rhoda!

WE COULDN'T DO IT WITHOUT YOU!

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### Day Camp Wish List

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