



*Respite &  
Summer Programs  
for Families with  
Special Needs*



Compiled by the  
*Special Navigator*

for Families with Special Needs

**2022**

## For Free ID Registries for Special Needs in Mahoning and Trumbull Counties:

*Mahoning County:*

<https://prosecutor.mahoningcountyoh.gov/programs/special-needs-registry/>

*Trumbull County:*

<http://www.trumbull911.co.trumbull.oh.us>



### Ohio photo ID cards for Children

*Obtain an Ohio ID card for your child at any Ohio Deputy Registrar*

For additional information and scholarship availability, please call the

**Special Navigator for Families with Special Needs at  
330-747-KIDS (5437)**

Respite and Summer Programs for Families with Special Needs is a referral resource.

We suggest families use this information to contact programs themselves, ask for additional information and make appointments to visit.

*The Special Navigator for Families with Special Needs program does not endorse or recommend any providers, methodologies or services.*



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**Mahoning County**

330.747.KIDS (5437)

[ppetras@helpnetworkneo.org](mailto:ppetras@helpnetworkneo.org)

**Trumbull County**

#211 ext. 244

[ppetras@helpnetworkneo.org](mailto:ppetras@helpnetworkneo.org)

Call for additional free referral/resource information for families who have children with special needs.

This Respite and Summer Programs for Families with Special Needs document is available at the Help Network of Northeast Ohio website:

[www.HelpNetworkNEO.org](http://www.HelpNetworkNEO.org)

*(Please scroll down to the Help Finder, click "Special Needs")*

Check the website for the latest updates.

**Listings may be further affected by the COVID 19 virus**

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ORGANIZATION	TYPE PROGRAM	AGES	DATES	REGISTRATION
Achievement Center for Children, at Camp Cheerful, Strongsville, OH	Cheerful Day Camp	5 yrs -High School Graduation	6/13/22 to 8/12/22	Registration on website, Opens 3/1/22 at 8am
Achievement Center for Children, at Camp Cheerful, Strongsville, OH	Sensational Extended School Year (ESY) Camp	5 yrs -High School Graduation	6/13/22 to 8/ 5/22 8 sessions offered	Registration on website, Opens 3/1/22 at 8am
Achievement Center for Children, at Camp Cheerful, Strongsville, OH	Weekend Day Camp	16 yrs & up, must follow all mask, social distance safety rules	Once per month	Open year round
ACLD School & Learning Center, Youngstown, OH	Intervention for all academic skills, educational evaluation & perceptual motor training	5 year & up	Please call or visit website for dates Summer Tutoring starts the week of June 20, 2022	Please call for information and application
Adaptive Sports of Ohio Program, Dream Camp at Recreation Unlimited, Ashley, OH	Overnight Youth Sports Camp for Physical & Visual Disabilities - Dream Camp	7-18 yrs	July 8 - July 10	Deadline to register -June 20, Please see website or call asap Dates are tentative
Akron Childrens Hospital ACBC Camp at YMCA Camp Y-Noah, Green, OH	Aluminum Cans for Burned Child Camp (ACBC)	7-17 yrs	June 26 - July 1	Please call for information & application
Akron YMCA Rotary Camp, Akron, OH	Child & Adult Day, Respite Wk-ends, Sibling, Resident Camps for Autism, DD, Down, Blind, CP, SB, LD, Mental Health & Multi Disabilities	Child 6-17 yrs & Adult 18 yrs & up	Please see website for dates of the many camps offered all year long, All Subject to change please visit website for all updates	\$50 deposit Registration early best please see website or call for details
Alta Behavioral Healthcare Camp Challenge, Youngstown, OH	Mental Health Day Treatment - Camp Challenge	7 yrs -12 yrs	Two 4 week sessions June 6 -July 1 & July 11 - Aug 5	Must be current Alta Behavioral Healthcare Client & referred by Outpatient Therapist
Alta Behavioral Healthcare, Therapeutic Garden Group, Youngstown, OH	Therapeutic Garden Group	11-15 yrs	June 6-July 28	Must be current Alta Behavioral Healthcare Client & referred by Outpatient Therapist
Alta Behavioral Healthcare, Positive Connections at Camp Challenge, Youngstown, OH	Positive Connections for Children Dually Diagnosed - DD & Mental Health	10 yrs - 18 yrs	By Weekly - Wednesday Evenings - Ongoing	Must be current Alta Behavioral Healthcare Client & referred by Outpatient Therapist
Alta Care Group Head Start at Potential Development, McCartney, Mill Creek, Home-Based, Renaissance, Youngstown, OH Campus of Care, Mineral Ridge, OH	Early Head Start Day Program	6 wks -3 yrs	July & Aug	Please visit website or call for application www.altaheadstart.org
Autism & Archery at On Target Outfitters, Canfield, OH	For Children with Higher Functioning - Autism & Archery	8-18 yrs	Mondays for 4 weeks: April 11-May 2 at 6pm-7pm	Visit website or call asap
Autism Society of Mahoning Valley, Camp FRIEND at Jewish Community Center, Youngstown, OH	Camp FRIEND - Day Camp for Individuals with Autism	5-19 yrs	Weeks of July 18th & Aug 15th	Registration please visit Website: www.AutismMV.org
Belmont Pines Hospital, Youngstown, OH	Summer Partial Day Treatment	5-18 yrs	6/20-8/12	Based on Assessment

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Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm	\$400 per wk; Waiver covers \$313.50 per wk, leaving \$86.50 to family portion per wk, Camperships available for those that qualify	N/A	N/A	Jessica Potts 440-238-6200 ext 240 Jessica.Potts@achievementctrs.org www.achievementcenters.org
Mon-Fri 9:30am-3:30pm	Waiver, local school district \$1,325/wk (5 days) \$1,060/4 days	Intervention Specialist to work on summer ESY goals; OT, SLP	Most schools provide own transport to camp for this program in the Strongsville area	Jessica Potts 440-238-6200 ext 240 Jessica.Potts@achievementctrs.org www.achievementcenters.org
Saturday 9am - 7pm, Sunday 9am - 4pm	Waiver or \$200 per weekend	N/A	N/A	Jessica Potts 440-238-6200 ext 240 Jessica.Potts@achievementctrs.org www.achievementcenters.org
8am-4pm by appointment	Tutoring @ \$35/hr income based financial aid, Jon Peterson & Autism Scholarship	None	None	ACLD Learning Center 330-746-0604 www.ACLDlearningcenter. Com, or visit us on Facebook
Weekend Friday Arrival - 2pm-3pm, Sunday Pick up - 10am	Cost \$150 per camper, Financial Hardships maybe considered, Campers may bring personal care aide at \$150	None	None	330-601-1400 info@adaptivesportsohio.org www.adaptivesportsohio.org
June 26 -July 1 Overnight	Free for Campers Funded by ACBC	Nurse available	None	Educ Coor Burn Center Mary or Becky 330-543-8813 www.akronchildrens.org
Day Camp 9am-4pm, Respite Wkend Fri 6pm-Sun 11am, Resident Wk Sun-Fri please see website	No waivers, Camperships based on income, Day Camp \$375/wk, Respite Wkend \$375, Resident \$875/wk School Out Day \$105/day, Summer ESY \$685/wk	Medical staff on site	None	Dawn Housley 330-644-4512 dawnh@akronymca.org www.GotCamp.org
Mon-Fri 9am-1:30pm	Current Alta Behavioral Healthcare Client	Mental Health	Based on Availability	Sarah Macovitz 330-793-2487 www.altacaregroup.org
Mon - Thurs 4 days a week 12pm-3pm	Current Alta Behavioral Healthcare Client	Mental Health	Based on Availability	Sarah Macovitz 330-793-2487 www.altacaregroup.org
4pm -6pm	Current Alta Behavioral Healthcare Client	Mental Health	None	Kriss Wolford 330-793-2487 www.Altacaregroup.org
Early Head Start Monday-Friday 8am-4pm	No cost to family	on site ST & OT	None	Denise Washington 330-736-0071 dwashington@altaheadstart.org www.altaheadstart.org
Mondays for 4 weeks in evenings: 6pm-7pm	Cost - \$55	None	None	Katrina 330-423-5101 ext 1 Katrina@ontargetoutfitters.org http://ontargetoutfitters.org/upcoming-events/2022/4/4/autism-amp-archery
9am-2:30pm	\$150 per camper		None	330-333-9609 info@AutismMV.org www.AutismMV.org facebook.com/autismMV
Ages 5-7 - 8am-12:30pm Ages 8-18 - 8am-3:30pm All Mon - Friday	Most Private Insurance, Medicaid	Mental Health	None	Assessment Referral Dept. 1-800-423-5666 www.belmontpines.com

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Boardman Challenger Baseball at Boardman Field of Dreams,(may have Buddy on Field) Boardman, OH	Children with Special Needs & IEP in Mahoning, Trumbull, Columbiana Counties	5-22 yrs	2 months - June 2 - July 24 Banquet - July 26	Download Registration on website or call, Deadline April 10, may accept later
Boardman Park - Adventure Day Camp, Boardman, OH	Summer Day Camp - Special Needs in Partnership with Knapp Center for Autism	6-12 yrs	June 13 - Aug 12	online registration at www.boardmanparkcamp.com
Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, OH	Summer Visual Arts Day Camp (in person)	8-13 yrs	2 Weeks of Camp: Tuesday - Friday, July 19 - 22, July 26 - 29	Application Available April, Early Best
The Camelot Center, Southington, OH	Equine Assisted Therapeutic Riding	4 yrs & up 200 lbs. max weight limit	Offers therapy year round, 6 wk sessions by appointment only	Please call or email for rider forms
Camp Christopher, Catholic Charities, Bath, OH	Child & Adult Camps offered for DD & Not, Day, SumFun Day, Community Respite Wkend, Voyage Wk, Leadership 2 Wks, Family, Sept Song	Please see Website for all details for Child & Adult Camps	Please see Website for all details or call for the many Camps offered	Waiver & Private Pay, Please see Website for all Registration & Deposit details or call
Camp Echoing Hills at Warsaw, OH	Child & Adult Camps for DD, Autism, Physical Disabilities, Siblings & Hand Over Hand - for High Needs	Camps for Young Friends- Children 7-18 yrs, Adults 18 yrs & up	Please see Website for all details of the 8 Camps offered May - Aug or call	\$50 Registration fee, Registration online asap or call
Camp Fitch -Dr. Barclay's Diabetes Health Focus, North Springfield, PA	Diabetes Health Focus - part of Flagship Camp at Camp Fitch	6-16 yrs	Flagship Camp July 17 - July 23 please see website	Deposit \$75 with Registration goes toward cost, asap
Camp Fitch-Family Camp, North Springfield, PA	Family Camp at Camp Fitch	Any age	June 31 - Aug 6 2022	Deposit \$400 per family with Registration goes toward cost, early best
Camp Ho Mita Koda, Newbury, OH	Camp Ho Mita Koda is a coed summer camp for kids & teens with Type 1 Diabetes. Founded in 1929 first in world!	5-17 yrs	June 12 - July 16, 2022 Session information can be found on our website	Online Registration \$50 Deposit
Camp Nuhop, Perrysville, OH	Many Residential Summer Camps for Children & Young Adults - Autism, AD/HD, Learning Disabilities	Children 6-18 yrs, Adults 18-30 yrs	Resident Camps offered June-July, Please see website for all dates	\$250 deposit at registration on website or call Early bird by April for \$25 discount
Camp Quality, OH	Week long overnight camp for children impacted by pediatric cancer & their families	5-17 yrs	July 24-July 30	Become A Camper/ Summer Camp for Kids/Camp Quality Ohio (campqualityusa.org)
Camp Spencer Super Star, YMCA Camp Kon-O-Kwee Spencer, Fombell, PA	Respite Camps for Adults with Special Needs - Weekends & Week long offered all inclusive	Adults 18 & up	Camps: Weekends- April 8-10, May 6-8, Aug 26-28, Sept 23-25, Oct 28-30, Week long - June 12-17, June 19-24, June 26-July 1, July 3-8, July 10-15, July 17-22	Apply on website at www.ycampkok.org/camp-spencer-registration or call asap - early best
Camp Star, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh at YMCA Camp Kon-o-Kwee Spencer, Fombell, PA	Camp Star for Children who are Amputees or Differently Limbed	8-18yrs	June 19-25	Deadline at least a week prior \$50 register fee or call asap for fee assistance
Cleveland Sight Center, Highbrook Lodge, Chardon, OH	Day, Short-term & Residential Camps For overview video: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1XH-WEHSN1c1Vf18N_vj-ME43LIH{snH/view?usp=sharing	0-99 yrs & up	June-August	For Registration information, visit www.clevelandsightcenter.org/highbrook-lodge/registration-information

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12 games played: Thursdays @ 6pm, Sundays @ 4pm, 2 Friday Nights @ 8pm on July 15 & 22	\$20 per player includes hat, shirt, trophy & banquet - July 26	May have buddy on field	None	Jim Colaluca 330-770-6263 www.boardmancommunitybaseball.com
9am - 3pm	\$100 Boardman Resident per week & \$115 Non-Resident per week	N/A	N/A - Activities are all on Location	Karen McCallum 330-726-8105 karen@boardmanpark.com www.boardmanparkcamp.com
10am - 2pm	\$135 per Camper, 10% Discount for more than 1 Child per Family Attending Camp, Scholarships available based on Financial Need	None	None	330-743-1107 ext 1155 www.butlerart.com
Sessions by appointment	\$150 per 6 week sessions, with \$25 annual insurance fee, NEON, StarGrant	Therapy using Horses	None	Debbie Meeker 330-889-0036 or 330-397-9589 thecamelotcenter@gmail.com www.thecamelotcenter.org Find us on Facebook
Please see Website for details of all Camps offered	Camps: Day Camp-\$300/wk, SumFun Day-\$425/wk, Community Respite Wkend-\$344.86 & \$45 Register Fee, Voyage-\$650/wk, Leadership 2 Wks-\$1,000, Family-\$240 per Camper & Cabin Fee, Sept Song-\$330 per Camper	None	None	Tess Flannery 330-376-camp (2267) or 1-800-296-camp campchristopher@ccdacle.org www.ccdacle.org
Please see Website or call for all details	Waiver or Private Pay, Respite Week Day - \$375, Young Friends Week - \$855 per camper, Siblings - \$400 per camper, Adult Week - \$855, Any Hand Over Hand Week - \$855	Medical staff on site	None	740-327-2311, ext 1158 or 1159 or 800-419-6513, info@ehvi.org www.ehvi.org
Sun - Sat, arrive 2pm-4pm, depart 9am	\$795 per camper, scholarship maybe available call asap	Medical staff on site, Diabetic education offered	None	Hannah 814-922-3219 or toll free 877-863-4824 info@CampFitchYMCA.org www.CampFitchYMCA.org
Sun - Sat, arrive 2pm-4pm, depart 9am	\$795 Week per camper, scholarship maybe available call asap	Medical staff on site	None	Hannah 814-922-3219 or toll free 877-863-4824 info@CampFitchYMCA.org www.CampFitchYMCA.org
Weeklong Sessions (Sunday - Saturday)	\$700 / Session A variety of discounts can be found on our website.	Full Medical staff onsite	None	Ian Roberts 440-739-4095 Info@campHoMitaKoda.org www.campHoMitaKoda.org
Resident Sunday check in 2-4pm, depart Friday 10:30am	Resident week - \$1050 to \$1200, Please call asap for Camper-ships	Medical staff on site	None	Becca - 419-938-7151 Becca@Nuhop.org www.Nuhop.org
Check in and out time will communicated to registrants	No cost to family		Parent transport	Sarah Givens ohio@campqualityusa.org www.campqualityusa.org
Camps - Weekends - Arrive Sunday at 5 pm, Leave Friday at 12 pm Week long - Arrive Sun 4 pm, Leave Friday at 1 pm	Weekend Camp - Private Pay \$336.18, Waiver Funding 1 unit W7285 and 34 units W7286 per Weekend Summer Camp - Private Pay \$900.60 per Week, Waiver Funding: 5 units W7285 per Week	Medical staff on site	None	Jessica Johnson 724-758-6238 jjohnson@ymcapgh.org www.ycampkok.org
Week long Sun-Sat	Free Camp for patient	OT, PT & Recreational	None	Cindy McCue 412-370-5481 cindyMcQ1@gmail.com www.chp.edu/campstar
Depends on the session	Costs depend on the session; Financial Aid available	All of our campers are low vision/blind	Available for some sessions	216-658-4597 camp@clevelandsightcenter.org www.clevelandsightcenter.org

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Comfort Keepers of Columbiana, Mahoning & Trumbull Counties	Home Health Aide Service, Home Modification, Chore Service, Free Grocery Shopping & Pest Control	school age & up	Availability	Please call for information
Community Behavior Consulting	Preschool program, social skills, emotion support, & executive function	2-16 yrs	July 11 to 15 July 18 to 22 July 25 to 29	At www.abaforall.org
Community Behavior Consulting, Canfield, OH	ABA Therapy	2-18 yrs	Ongoing	www.abaforall.org
Courageous Community Services, Courageous Acres Camp, Whitehouse, OH	Summer Day Camp for School age Children with & without Disabilities in June, overnight Camps in June, July & Aug	5-85+ yrs	Please see website: ccsOhio.org Day Camp begins June 13, Overnight Camps Begin June 5	Register at www.ccsOhio.org Registration fee - \$100
Down Syndrome Association of the Valley (DSAV) at Boardman-Glenwood Middle School	iCan Shine Bike Camp for Children with Down syndrome & Special Needs	8 yrs & max 220 lbs.	June 13-17	Application on website or call
Easter Seals of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties, Youngstown, OH	Adult Respite Care Program, designed to give Caregivers a break, loved one is taken care of	60 yrs & Older	Call for Dates	Call 330-599-5489
Easter Seals of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties, Community Center for the Deaf, Youngstown, OH	Camp OYO for Deaf, Hard of Hearing, Cochlear Implant & Hearing Aid Users	6-18 yrs	July 17 - 23, 2022	Application required: https://oyocamp.org
Easter Seals of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties, Youngstown, OH	Teen Group- Social Activities	13-21 yrs	Once a month- To Be Announced	Please call Dan for information & registration
Easter Seals of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties, Community for the Deaf, Youngstown, OH	Pre-Employment Transitional Services (Pre-ETS)	14-22 yrs	By Appointments	Please contact McKenzie Gorantis - email, text or phone
Easter Seals of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties, Community for the Deaf, Youngstown, OH	Summer & School Year Day-Camp SYDC for Children who are Deaf, Hard of Hearing, CODA, Implants, Hearing Aids, Virtual 2022	6-22 yrs	Our dates vary, SYDC is hosted virtually once a month from Aug 2021 - Dec 2022	Please contact Dorothy Voyda - email, text or phone
Easter Seals of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties, Youngstown, OH	Weekend Respite for Children with Special Needs	to 21 yrs	Dates Every Other Weekend after April	Registration for Application Please call
Easter Seals of Mahoning, Trumbull & Columbiana Counties, Youngstown, OH	Young Adult Skills Development - Autism & Special Needs	HS grad 18+up	Day Program on Week days Mondays-Friday	Application please call
ENVISION Blind Sports Summer Sports Camp at Penn State Behrend, Erie, PA	Overnight Sports Camp for Children-Blind or Visually Impaired	5-18 yrs	July 17 -23	Registration link can be found on our Facebook & Instagram, or email us at envisionblindsports@gmail.com
Epilepsy Association of Western & Central PA, Camp Frog at Camp Fitch, N Springfield, PA	Camp Frog for Children with Epilepsy or Seizure Disorder	8-17 yrs	TBA	Please Register online at Website or call asap

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24/7	Waivers, VA, Insurance, all County wide programs & Private pay @ \$26 per hour	None	Comfort-Care-a-Van 330-744-4145 www.Comfort-CareAVan.com	Dave Mirkin Columbiana 330-386-5500 Mahoning 330-747-3541 Trumbull 330-399-6600 www.YoungstownComfortKeepers.com
8:30am to 11:30am 12:30am to 3:30pm	\$275 per program Free to current ABA clients through medical insurance, FSS, ESY & grants accepted	Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA), Special Education	No	Jen Gonda 330-507-3893 jgonda@abaforall.org www.abaforall.org
Day & Afternoon	Through medical insurance	Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA)	No	Jen Gonda 330-507-3893 jgonda@abaforall.org www.abaforall.org
Day Camp: 9am-3pm, Mon - Friday, Overnight Camp: Sunday evening to Friday afternoon	Medicaid Provider, Private Pay for Day Camp: \$350/wk Private Pay for Overnight Camp: \$1400/wk, Waiver Pay \$853.65/wk	All Staff have 40 hrs of professional development, direct service providers, Nurses on staff,	No	Laura Kuhlenbeck, Executive Director, 419-875-6828 LauraK@ccsohio.org www.ccsOhio.org
Riders attend one 75 minute session each day for 5 consecutive days	DSAV member \$50. Non DSAV member \$100. must wear a helmet, please call for additional details	None	None	Debbie 330-726-3728 office@dsav.org www.dsav.org
10am - 4pm	A suggested Donation of \$2.00, Donations are Voluntary	Mon-Fri	N/A	Gary Brooks 330-599-5489 gbrooks@mtc.easterseals.com www.mtceasterseals.com
	Camp is Free-if in the Easter Seals CCS service area, Fund-raising is involved (Limited Availability)		Possible from Easter Seals & Specific sites, no transport to & from child's home	McKenzie Gorantis VP: 330-333-4105 or Text: 330-770-1774 mgorantis@mtceasterseals.com YOOCordinator@dsc.org
Varies	Free -funded by: The Youngstown Foundation	None	From Easter Seals to Activity or Event & back to Easter Seals	Dan Sefcik 330-503-1382 dsefcik@mtc.easterseals.com www.mtceasterseals.com
By Appointments	Referred by Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities	English/ASL Interpreting Services, Captioning Services, Case Management, ASL Classes	N/A	McKenzie Gorantis VP: 330-333-4105 Text: 330-770-1774 mgorantis@mtceasterseals.com
Varies	Free for Deaf, Hard of Hearing, with Hearing Aids, Children of Deaf Parents, with or without asst devices, implants... Funded by Advocates for Kids, United Way of Mahoning County, The Youngstown Foundation, & other grants	English/ASL Interpreting Services, Captioning Services, Case Management, ASL Classes	None	Dorothy Voyda VP: 330-423-1955 Text: 330-717-6943 dvoyda@mtceasterseals.com
Weekend Respite - Friday 6pm to Sunday 5pm	Free if eligible, must be resident of Mahoning, limited for Trumbull County, sponsored by the Youngstown Foundation	Medical Staff on site	None	Call 330-743-1168 Please check our website for reopening date or call for updates
Monday-Friday 7:30am-3:30pm extended care until 5:30 pm possible	Waiver or Private Pay....	Therapies: PT, ST, OT & Aquatics medical staff on site	Based on Availability	Call 330-743-1168 Please check our website for reopening date or call for updates
Overnight Camp	\$500 per camper, Financial Assistance is available	None	None	Wendy Fagan 724-967-4712 Envisionblindsports@gmail.com https://www.envisionblindsports.org ENVISION Blind Sports-Facebook
Please see Website for all details	Cost - TBA Scholarships available	Medical Staff on site - Doctor & Nurse 24/7	None	Jordan 1-800-361-5885 jhinds@eawcp.org www.eawcp.org/programs/ programscampfrog

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Flying Horse Farms at Mt. Gilead, Ohio member of Serious Fun Children's Network funded by Paul Newman	Family Camp - Wkends, Resident Camps for Children with Serious illnesses, Siblings Camp, Ranger Camp, AYA Camp -returning FHF campers	Camps: Family - 7-15 yrs Ranger -16-17yrs AYA - 16-21yrs all other 8-15 yrs	Multi Sessions offered Summer, Spring & Fall please see website for all dates & details or call	By application for children with Serious illnesses: arthritis, asthma, blood, cancer, heart, kidney, craniofacial, gastrointestinal, pulmonary & rare diseases
Forget Me Not Horse Farm, Girard, OH	Therapeutic Horse Riding sessions for Special Needs all by appointment	18 months + up 180" wt. limit	one-6 wk sessions (30 minutes per wk) offered	Pre registration starts in May please call
Good Grief Camp at Camp Fredrick, Rogers, OH	Grief Camp for Youth	8-15 yrs	Week long, July 17 -22	Please see web site or call early
Heart Reach Neighborhood Ministries, Youngstown, OH	Day Camp - Fun Activities, Devotions, Special Needs on a case, by case basis	Grades K-8	Tuesday June 14 -Thursday Aug 11	Please call for information
Highway Unlimited Respite at Highway Tabernacle Church, Austintown, OH	Saturday Respite Night for Physical & Cognitive Disabilities- may have Aide	Special Needs - all ages, siblings less than 14 yrs	One Saturday each month, on website or call	Registration is required, Please go online or call
Hospice of Western Reserve at Red Oak Camp, Kirkland, OH	Together We Can Grieve Day Camp for Children	6-13 yrs	Aug 9, 10, 11	Please register by July 9 call asap
I am Boundless, Mahoning Campus of Care, Mineral Ridge, OH	Summer program for Children with Autism & other Developmental Challenges	K - 12 Grades	June 6 - Aug 12	Contact Intake to register for program
I am Boundless, Mahoning Campus of Care, Mineral Ridge, OH	Afterschool program for children with Autism & other Developmental Challenges	K - 12 Grades	During school year, to include school breaks	Contact Intake to register for program
I am Boundless, Mahoning Campus of Care, Mineral Ridge, OH	Community Gateways Adult Day treatment for individuals with Developmental Disabilities & Mental Health needs	18 yrs & up	All year long from 10am - 3:30pm Adolescents that are over 18 yrs & still in school can attend this program during the summer & on school breaks	Contact Intake to register for program
Jewish Community Center Youngstown, OH	Child care special needs on a case by case basis	infant- 5 years	all year	Please call for application
Jewish Community Center Youngstown, OH	Day Camps Special Needs partnership with the Knapp Center for Autism	K-8 grades, 9-10 grades leadership training	Many camps & dates offered please see web site or call for details	On-going registration, \$75 deposit toward camp fee
Jewish Community Center Youngstown, OH	Free Swim -Private Lessons for everyone with Developmental Disability	1-50 yrs	Varies - You will set up days with an instructor	On going
Keystone Blind Association, Keystone Kids Program for Children Blind & Vision Impaired, Hermitage, PA	Youth Enrichment Club-Blind or Vision Impaired	1-12 grades	Day Programs- once a month all year: April 23-Spr Fling, May 21-Ninja Academy, June 21-23 Career Caravan, Aug 15-17-Yg Explorers, Ag 18-end of Summer Trip	Rolling application
Keystone Blind Association, Blind & Vision Impaired Young Adults Program, Hermitage, PA	Youngs Adult Program for Blind or Vision Impaired	18-35 yrs	KBA offers Social & Recreational events for socialization & support	Rolling application

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Please see web site or call for details	Free - after application is complete & accepted	Medical & Child Life staff on site	None	Abby 419-751-7077 abbyrieger@flyinghorsefarms.org www.flyinghorsefarms.org
30 minute sessions for 6 weeks @ \$270 All by appointment	NEON, Fairhaven, Respite, Down Syndrome Star, Heros+Halos, Autism Speaks-Baker S C, BB Mancini Foundation Family & Children First Foundation& Private Pay	Hippotherapy	None	Penny 330-240-2945 ForgetMeNotHorseFarm@ gmail.com
Sunday arrival 3pm-5pm Friday depart 5pm-6:30pm	Free after application is completed & accepted, Pre-Camp Interview needed (virtual)	Team Building, games, activities, art, crafts, relaxation & more	None	Suzanne Goodyear 330-307-1623 or Camp 330-277-3633 SuzanneGoodyear@gmail.com info@campfrederickohio.com www.campfrederickohio.com
10am - 3pm	Free, Breakfast, Lunch provided on site	None	None	Kim Fowler 330-744-1446 kim_fowler@ohionm.org www.heartreachneighborhoodministries.org
Saturday Respite Night 6pm-8:30pm	Free after registration is complete & approved	Medical staff on site	None	Duane & Tracie Corll 330-507-9281 www.HighwayTab.Church
9am-3pm	Fee \$25 per camper, Scholarships are available call asap	Art, Music, Play, Nature activities	None	Bereavement Center 216-486-6838 theBereavementCenter@HospiceWR.org www.hospicewr.org/grief
9am - 12pm, 1:30pm - 4:30pm	Medicaid funded	ABA, Sensory support, Social skills, Wellness activities, Mental Health treatment as needed	May be available	Referrals can be made at www.lamBoundless.org or 800-409-2729
2:30pm - 6pm	Medicaid funded	ABA, Sensory support, Social skills, Wellness activities, Mental Health treatment as needed	Pick up at schools	Referrals can be made at www.lamBoundless.org or 800-409-2729
10am - 3:30pm	Medicaid funded	Mental Health supports, Social skills, Emotional regulation, ABA, Community Integration, Wellness groups, Independent living skills	Transportation provided	Referrals can be made at www.lamBoundless.org or 800-409-2729
7 am - 6 pm	Please call for fees, financial assistance may be available call early best	None	None	Adrienne Achenbach 330-746-3250 ext. 164 aachenbach@jewishyoungstown.org www.jccyoungstown.org
8:30am -3:30pm extended care available	5 day weeks only Day Camp price varies depending on # of wks registered. JCC members receive 25% off. Rates start at \$150/wk	None	None	Tiffany Oliver, Camp Director 330-746-3250 ext 140 camp@jewishyoungstown.org www.jccyoungstown.org/camp
Varies	Free to everyone with any Developmental Disability Program funded by the Thomasess Family Endowment and Autism Speaks	None	None	Tara 330-746-3250 ext 112 TBishop@JewishYoungstown.org Or enroll at www.JCCyoungstown.org Under Aquatics click on the Pals+
Please call for details	Free	None	Possible	Jennifer Lilly 724-347-5501 ext. 248 jennlilly@keystoneblind.org www.keystoneblind.org
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Knapp Center for Childhood Development Boardman, OH & Aides at Jewish Community Center, Boardman Park, & Boardman YMCA	Day Camps for Children with High Functioning Autism, Youth-22 yrs	JCC 6-13 yrs, B Park 6-12 yrs, B YMCA 3-13 yrs	Please check with Camps for dates and details	Please contact the Knapp Center for Childhood Development
Life Enrichment Activities Program (LEAP) for Trumbull County Adults with Special Needs	Social Program for Trumbull County Residents - Adults with Special Needs	18 yrs & up	Monthly Social Gatherings - Dates & Times vary	Please call to be added to get the monthly newsletter Chrissy Williams - 330-718-5539
Limitless Dance Company, Boardman, OH	Dance Classes for Children & Adults with Disabilities, Also Offers Dance Competition Opportunities (for older kids), Group & Private	6 yrs -Adults	Summer Dance Class in July on Mondays - TBA, Open Class for All Ages	Registration fee \$15/year please go to class or visit website or call
Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) Camp at YMCA Camp Campbell Gard Hamilton, OH	In person & virtual summer camp opportunities for children with Muscular Dystrophy & Neuromuscular Diseases	8-17 yrs	See website for virtual camp dates, Ohio Camp - Aug 14-19, 2022	Registration now open at <a href="http://www.mda.org/summer-camp">www.mda.org/summer-camp</a>
Ohio 4-H Canters Cave Special Needs Camp, Jackson, OH	Overnight Camp	9-19 yrs	June 17-19	<a href="https://4hcantercave.osu.edu/home/experience-it/special-needs-camp">https://4hcantercave.osu.edu/home/experience-it/special-needs-camp</a>
Ohio School for the Deaf, Columbus, OH	Residential In-Person Camps for Deaf/Hard of Hearing Students: DeafPlus Multi Disabilities, ASL Music Video, Explorers, Career Explorers, ASL, Baseball	Camps for Grades K - 12, Summer Day Camp for Ages 2 - 10 yrs	June - July	Registration Deadline is March 18, 2022, Registration online at <a href="mailto:osdsummercamps@osd.oh.gov">osdsummercamps@osd.oh.gov</a>
Ohio State School for the Blind (OSSB), Columbus, OH	Residential In-Person Camps for Blind/Visually Impaired Students: Zoo Adventure, 2 STEMs, Theatre, Measure & Math, ECO Braille, Sports, ECC/ADL, Band	Camps for Grades 3 -12	June, July, Aug, Please see website for all details	Registration ends March 15, 2022, offered online at <a href="mailto:ossbsummer@ossb.oh.gov">ossbsummer@ossb.oh.gov</a>
OYO-Ohio's Camp for Deaf & Hard of Hearing Kids at Camp Nuhop, Perrysville, OH	Summer Overnight Camp for Kids - Deaf & Hard of Hearing	Youth Ages 7 -18 yrs	July 17 -23, 2022	Register at <a href="http://www.OYO-Camp.org">www.OYO-Camp.org</a>
Potential Development Program (3 sites) Youngtown, OH	Extended school year - Only for PDP students	2-6yrs, K-8 grs, 9gr-12 grs	June 7-July 13	Application & Must be a PDP student
Recreation Unlimited Camps & Retreat Center, Ashley, OH	Youth & Adult Camps for Physical, DD & Health Concerns in Day, Respite Wkends & Residential Wk long options	Youth & Adult Camps - 5 Wks of Day Camp, 11 Respite Wkends All Yr, 8 Wks of Residential	5 Special Camps- 2 Autism Wkends June 3-5, & Aug 12-14, Prader-Willi - July 4-8 for Adults, Grief Camp - July 11-15 for Youth is Sponsored, ASD Family Day June 5	Please go online complete \$35 application & register or call asap, \$45 register fee if not completed online
R.E.D.Y. Youth Services, Warren, OH	R.E.D.Y. provides respite/mentoring services to youth & young Adults with Mental Health &/or Developmental Disabilities (DD) residing in Mahoning & Trumbull Counties	4-22 yrs	Continuous dates throughout the year	Register online at <a href="http://www.REDYyouthservice.com">www.REDYyouthservice.com</a>
Rich Autism Center at YSU Youngstown, OH	Extended school year	2 1/2 -22 yrs	July 11 -Aug 11, Monday - Thursday	Application RAC students, non RAC call for availability
SMARTS, Students Motivated by the Arts, Youngstown, OH	Community Art School, Classes are not specific to special needs students at this time	PK - 12 Grades	TBA	Apply for SMARTS classes at <a href="http://www.SMARTSartschool.org">www.SMARTSartschool.org</a>
Special Touch Ministry at Highway Tabernacle Church, Austintown, OH	3 Day Camp for Physical & Cognitive Disabilities & Family/Caregivers	10 yrs+ up	Aug 11 -13	Register on website

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JCC 8:30am-3:30pm Boardman Park 8:30am-3:30pm Boardman YMCA 8:30am-4pm	Ohio Autism Scholarship, Insurance, Extended School Year, Knapp Ct aid at JCC, Boardman Park, Boardman YMCA varies with # of days & support needed, Please call for details	Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA)	None	Dr. Julie Knapp 330-629-2955 <a href="http://www.knappcenter.org">www.knappcenter.org</a>
Mostly evenings - 6pm-7:30pm, Dates & Times vary with the activity	Cost of the Activities, minimal to copy supplies, No Scholarships available	None	None	Chrissy Williams 330-718-5539 <a href="http://septrumbull.org">http://septrumbull.org</a>
Summer Dance Class Mondays - TBA, In July Additional Class Times Vary	Summer Class cost tentatively \$10 per Class, Group Classes - \$35/month for 30 minutes Private Classes - \$100/per month for 30 minutes a Week	Dance	None	McKenzie 330-770-8845 LimitlessCompany2016@gmail.com or visit us on Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat & TikTok under Limitless Dance Company or LimitlessCompany2016
Week long camps	Free for MDA members	Medical staff on site	None	1-800-572-1717, <a href="mailto:camp@mdausa.org">camp@mdausa.org</a> <a href="http://www.mda.org/summer-camp">www.mda.org/summer-camp</a>
Check in -6pm on the June 17, Check out - 11am on the June 19	\$80/camper, \$45/caregiver	none, Nurse onsite	NA	Michelle Stumbo, 740-691-6010, <a href="mailto:stumbo.5@osu.edu">stumbo.5@osu.edu</a> <a href="https://4Hcantercave.osu.edu">https://4Hcantercave.osu.edu</a>
Offers in-person 2022 Camps, Please see website for all details	Ohio Residents \$25 fee	None	None	<a href="mailto:osdsummercamps@osd.oh.gov">osdsummercamps@osd.oh.gov</a>
Offers in-person 2022 Camps, Please see website for all details	Ohio resident \$25 fee	None	None	<a href="mailto:ossbsummercamp@ossb.oh.gov">ossbsummercamp@ossb.oh.gov</a>
Online please see website for details	Private Pay, Financial Assistance may be available	Medical staff on site	Offered Community Centers for the Deaf upon request	contact DSC 614-841-1991 <a href="mailto:YOcamp@DSC.org">YOcamp@DSC.org</a> <a href="http://www.oyocampNuhop.org">www.oyocampNuhop.org</a>
Preschool & school age 8:30am-2:30pm	Ohio Autism Scholarship Waivers, Sliding fee scale	OT, ST at all sites, PT as needed	None	Paul Garchar 330-746-7641 <a href="http://www.Potentialdevelopment.org">www.Potentialdevelopment.org</a>
Please see web site or call for details	Waivers or Private Pay: Day Camp - \$355, Respite Wkend - \$430, Residential Week - \$885	Medical staff on site	None	740-548-7006 <a href="mailto:info@recreationunlimited.org">info@recreationunlimited.org</a> <a href="http://www.recreationunlimited.org">www.recreationunlimited.org</a>
Various times available including nights & weekends, no overnights at this time,	Currently Accepting County Funding, PASSS or Self Pay	None	Included with all services	Kurt - 716-378-5878 <a href="mailto:KDupont.REDY@gmail.com">KDupont.REDY@gmail.com</a> <a href="http://www.REDYyouthservice.com">www.REDYyouthservice.com</a>
8:30am-2:30pm Off on Fridays	School District private pay TBA	OT, ST, Behavioral bills insurance	None	Gregory 330-941-1927 <a href="mailto:gyboerio@YSU.Edu">gyboerio@YSU.Edu</a> <a href="http://www.richcenter.YSU.Edu">www.richcenter.YSU.Edu</a>
TBA	Free & Open to the Public	NA	NA	SMARTS, 330-574-2787, Ohio One, 25 E Boardman St. First Floor, Youngstown, OH 44503 <a href="mailto:bkeck@smartsartschool.org">bkeck@smartsartschool.org</a> <a href="http://www.SMARTSartschool.org">www.SMARTSartschool.org</a>
TBA	Cost will be on Website: <a href="http://www.specialtouch.org">www.specialtouch.org</a>	None	None	Duane & Tracie Corll 330-507-9281 <a href="http://www.specialtouch.org">www.specialtouch.org</a>

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Stable Solutions in Alliance, OH	Therapeutic Horse Riding mental health	5 years & up	4 week sessions by appointment March-Dec.	Please call or email for application
Stable Solutions in Alliance, OH	Horsemanship Program	open	Spring, Summer & Fall sessions	Please call or email for application
Stepping Stones to a Better Tomorrow, Sponsored by Higgins Reardon Funeral Home, at Zion Lutheran Church Cornersburg, OH	Day Camp for Grief, Special Needs on a case-by- case basis	6-15 yrs	Thursday & Friday June 23 & 24 at Zion Lutheran Church, Saturday June 25 at Austintown Park	Please call for details & application
Summer Enrichment Program (SEP) for Handicapped Children of Trumbull County, Niles, OH	Summer Day Camp for Children with Special Needs Parent Run	6-22 yrs	5 weeks June 21 - July 21	Application Window - Feb 1- April 1, 2022, on website <a href="http://sep.trumbull.org">http://sep.trumbull.org</a> , or send to PO Box 219, Cortland, OH 44410
TOPSOCCER of the Mahoning Valley, Cortland, OH	For Special Needs - may have a Buddy on field Soccer Camp	4 yrs- Adult	Aug 7-Sept 25, Sundays Afternoons - 4pm-5:30pm, Camp Aug 2,3,4 T/W/TH at Pearl St Park	Registration at Farmer Jim's Sports Complex-2971 State Rt 46, Cortland, OH April 30 & May 1 at 1pm-3pm or call Cathie asap, Deadline to sign up for Camp July 20
West Penn Burn Center Camp at Camp Kon-o-Kwee Spencer, Fombell, PA	West Penn Burn Center Camp for Kids	7 - 17 yrs	June 4 - 8	Please call for application asap - at least mid April
YMCA Davis Family, Boardman, OH	Day Camp	6-13 yrs	June 13 - Aug 26	Weekly, must be done by Fri before each week
YMCA Davis Family - Boardman, OH	Camp Neehi	3-5 years	June 13 - Aug 19	Weekly, must register by the Friday prior, no later than 9pm
YMCA Davis Family - Boardman, OH	Camp Curiosity	6 - 9 years	June 13 - Aug 19	Weekly must register by the Friday prior, no later than 9pm
YMCA Davis Family - Boardman, OH	Diverse Abilities Adaptive Swim Lessons (DAASL)	3-12yrs	Saturdays Beginning June 6, Offered all year- round	Starts May 23, 2022, Register in person or online at <a href="http://www.ymcayo.org">www.ymcayo.org</a>
YWCA Youngstown, OH	Child care	6 wks.- K ready	Week days Mondays-Friday	Application online or please call or visit

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All sessions by appointment	\$45 for 1 hour session NEON (FSS), insurance, IO,+ Self waivers	Social Work, Counseling	None	Loree Stubblefield 330-733-3132 ponykids@neo.rr.com www.myponykids.com
Varies, Spring sessions, Summer & Fall sessions	Spring- \$45/hr FSS, PASS & Scholarship please call asap	Therapeutic Horsemanship, Social Work, Equine Learning	May be available	Loree Stubblefield 330-733-3132 ponykids@neo.rr.com www.myponykids.com
June 23 & 24 - 11am - 3:30pm, at Zion Lutheran Church June 25 - 12pm -4pm at Austintown Park	Free after application process & approved	Grief support	None	Sister Pat - Grief Support Specialist 330-792-2353 or 330-792-4046
Monday - Friday 9am-2pm	Must be a Trumbull County Resident, \$300 Camp fee, Parent Participation Needed, Fairhaven Foundation may assist, no Medicaid Waivers used	None	Trumbull Transportation is provided	330-637-8991 <a href="http://sep.trumbull.org">http://sep.trumbull.org</a>
Sundays 4pm-5:30pm at Pearl Park 140 Pearl St. Old Cortland Elementary Fields Camp- 3pm - 4:30pm	Fee \$30 for Season covers player insurance, t-shirt, award & 1st time new players will also receive a soccer ball & socks, Fee due with Registration - Registration Deadline: June 15	None	None	Cathie - 330-219-7302 or 330-638-4050 celwings1@aol.com Face book under TOPSoccer of the Mahoning Valley
5 Days	Free Camp for Children treated for Burn Injuries	Medical Staff on Site	None	412-578-5120 <a href="http://www.ahn.org/services/burn-center/pediatric/summer-camp.html">www.ahn.org/services/burn-center/pediatric/summer-camp.html</a>
9am - 4pm	\$160/wk - YMCA members \$190/wk - non members \$30 Registration Fee fees include cost of field trips	Must bring own aide will accept high functioning students	No	Nikki Murray 330-480-5658 Nmurray@youngstownymca.org
9:30am - 12:30pm	Weekly fees: \$60 for YMCA members, \$80 for non-members, (Financial assistance is available to those who qualify)	Will accept high functioning campers, must bring own aide	No	Adele Taylor 330-480-5657 ataylor@youngstownymca.org www.youngstownymca.org
9:00am - 1:00pm	Weekly fees: \$70 for YMCA members, \$90 for non-members, (Financial assistance is available to those who qualify) ***TANF grant for school-age children. Once approved, fee will be covered in full.	Will accept high functioning campers, must bring own aide	No	Adele Taylor 330-480-5657 ataylor@youngstownymca.org www.youngstownymca.org
Saturdays, time varies by age; 30 minute lessons	\$30 - YMCA members \$60 - non members Financial assistance available	None	None	Caroline 330-480-5656 ext 250 cconstantinovich@youngstownymca.org www.ymcayo.org
7:30am-5:30pm Please call for updates on hours	Please call for fee info, work or attend school within 2 mile radius may receive 5%-10% discount	None	None	330-746-6361 ext 126 www.YWCAmahoningvalley.org





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*Information and referral services for  
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