



# RECREATION

## Spring 2017

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#### Monthly Activities

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# REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Wednesday March 29, 2017

## To Register:

- **Mail:** LARC, 314 Main Street, Torrington CT 06790 Attn: Robin Pedone
- **Email:** rpedone@litchfieldarc.org
- **Phone:** 860-489-2140 ext 202

**Remember:** Register by Wednesday March 29, 2017 for all trips and activities in this Spring brochure. People are registered in order they are received.

**Send in your choices early! Please wait for the confirmation before paying**

All confirmations will be mailed within one week of the deadline date.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Trips:** Please indicate your first choice and alternate choice - sometimes I will confirm for both trips.

**Please wait for confirmation before paying for trips.**

1st Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

**Monthly Activities:** The following are monthly activities – These are separate from the trips. Please indicate the dates you would like to participate in by marking each one.

**Bingo Monthly on Tuesdays**  
\_\_\_\_ April 4      \_\_\_\_ May 2      \_\_\_\_ May 30

**Games Monthly on Fridays**  
\_\_\_\_ April 7      \_\_\_\_ May 5      \_\_\_\_ June 2

**Craft Monthly on Saturdays**  
\_\_\_\_ April 8      \_\_\_\_ May 6      \_\_\_\_ June 3

**Lunch Monthly on Saturdays**  
\_\_\_\_ April 8      \_\_\_\_ May 6      \_\_\_\_ June 3

**Movie Monthly on Saturdays**  
\_\_\_\_ April 8      \_\_\_\_ May 6      \_\_\_\_ June 3

**Sign up for all three craft , movie, and lunch and stay the day**



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**Weekly and Monthly activities all are held at 923 Migeon Avenue and are accessible**

## **WEEKLY ACTIVITIES**

**BOWLING:** start date: Monday April 3, 2017 to Monday June 12, 2017 –

- At Thomaston Lanes
- 5:00pm to 6:15pm
- Cost: \$60.00 \$6.00 each session with 10 weeks scheduled
- No bowling on Monday May 29<sup>th</sup> – holiday – Memorial Day
- Money due by March 24<sup>th</sup> – either check payable to: Thomaston Lanes or cash

See separate sheet for bowling information

## **MONTHLY ACTIVITIES**

**BINGO:** Tuesday evenings: Time: 6:15pm to 7:45pm Cost: \$ 8.00 each session

- Monthly the first Tuesday in April, May and last Tuesday in May
- Enjoy multiple games of bingo with friends! Everyone wins.
- Refreshments are served at 7:30pm.

**GAMES:** Friday evenings: Time: 6:15pm to 7:45pm Cost: \$ 6.00 each session

- Monthly the first Friday in April, May and June
- Many table games are available to play along with wii.
- Refreshments are served at 7:15pm.

**CRAFT:** Saturday morning Time: 10:00am – 11:30am Cost: \$8.00 each session

- Monthly the first Saturday in April, May and June
- Complete three seasonal crafts to take home.
- Please bring a bag to carry your crafts home in.

**LUNCH:** Saturday lunchtime Time: 11:30am – 1:00pm Cost: \$5.00 each session

- Monthly the first Saturday in April, May and June
- Bring your own lunch and mingle with others before the movie begins

**MOVIE:** Saturday afternoons Time: 1:00pm to 3:00pm Cost: \$ 8.00 each session

- April 8: “Bingo” movie
- May 6: “Beethoveens Big Break”
- June 3: “The Secret Life of Pets”
- Enjoy the movie by sitting at tables and having refreshments.
- Popcorn and soda are the favorite along with a non-carbonated drink and applesauce.



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**ACTIVITIES BY DATE**  
**ALL TRIPS MEET AT LARC 923 MIGEON AVENUE**  
**Costs include: transportation / admission / meal when applicable.**

**TRIPS SCHEDULED IN APRIL**

**Wednesday April 19, 2017**                      **Yankee Candle/Magic Wings**                      **Not accessible**  
**Cost: \$76.00**                      **Time: 8:30 – 4:00**

A Spring trip to the Yankee Candle store in South Deerfield, MA. See all of the newest scented candles and buy some springtime / summer scented candles. We will also watch the Oompa Boys sing and check out the scented soaps. Lunch will be at Magic Wings and then walk around many butterflies and birds in the greenhouse. Bring money for a purchase in Yankee Candle.

**Saturday April 22, 2017**                      **New England Trolley Museum**                      **Not accessible**  
**Cost: \$50.00**                      **Time: 10:00 – 4:00**

Check out all of the trolleys – we will be able to ride on at least 2 on the 2 mile track. Inside there is a video of San Francisco trolleys and more exhibits to walk around inside. We will stop at Burger King for lunch. Bring money for a purchase in the gift shop (geared toward school age)

**Sunday April 23, 2017**                      **Mystic Aquarium**                      **Accessible**  
**Cost: \$95.00**                      **Time: 8:30 – 4:30**

Take a day to travel to Mystic Aquarium. We will watch the sea lion show, see the beluga whales, touch the rays and the small aquatic animals in the touch tank. A variety of fish to look at, along with frogs and lizards. Lunch will be in their cafeteria. Bring money for a purchase in the gift shop on the way out.

**Wednesday April 26, 2017**                      **New Britain Bees Baseball game**                      **Not accessible**  
**Cost: \$ 50.00**                      **Time: 9:00 – 2:30**

Take me out to the ball game. Buy me some lunch and refreshments. We will root for the New Britain Bees. It is a late morning game. The New Britain Bees are playing against the Lancaster Barnstormers. One, two, three strikes your out at the New Britain Bees. If you would like, bring money for a Bees souvenir.

**Sunday April 30, 2017**                      **“Sound of Music” play**                      **Accessible**  
**Cost: \$ 36.00**                      **Time: 11:30 – 4:00**

A Sunday afternoon out for lunch and see a play at the Warner Theatre. The Nancy Marine Studio has scheduled the Sound of Music. The hills are alive.... We will have lunch first at Kentucky Fried Chicken and travel to the Warner Theatre for the 2pm performance. No money is needed.

**Saturday April 29, 2017**                      **Daffodil Festival**                      **Not accessible**  
**Cost: \$ 35.00**                      **Time: 9:30 – 3:00**

Many daffodils around the Hubbard Park pond – about 50 craft vendors – a parade at 11:30am – bands playing and lunch will be available. Bring money for a purchase from a craft vendor.



## TRIPS SCHEDULED IN MAY

**Friday May 5, 2017**

**Thimble Islands**

**Not accessible**

**Cost: \$ 60.00      Time: 9:30 – 3:30**

Take a Friday from work. Ride on the Sea Mist boat around the Thimble Islands in Branford. We will stop for lunch at the rest area on Route 95 – and then proceed to Jordan's Furniture in New Haven and watch the high ropes course people while eating some ice cream. Bring a lunch – I will purchase the drinks and ice cream. No extra money is needed.

**Sunday May 14, 2017**

**Beardsley Zoo**

**Accessible**

**Cost: \$48.00      Time: 9:00 to 3:30**

Mother's Day at the Zoo. There are new animals at the zoo. A Red Panda, a mini horse and a giant Anteater – maybe there will be some babies. Bring a sandwich, I will purchase drinks / chips or fries. Bring money for a purchase in the gift shop.

**Tuesday May 23, 2017**

**Mini Golf**

**Not accessible**

**Cost: \$32.00      Time: 2:00 to 6:30**

Right after work, work on your mini golf skills at R & B Sports World in Winsted. After we will travel back to Torrington to Frank's Pizza for pizza and salad. No money is needed. Rides from Migeon Avenue, McCoys and Putter Lane.

**Thursday May 25, 2017**

**Danbury Railway**

**Not accessible**

**Cost: \$52.00      Time: 9:00 to 2:30**

A day in Danbury for a train ride and visit the trains parked on the tracks. We will stop for lunch at a fast food place in the Danbury area. Bring money for a purchase in the gift shop.

## TRIPS SCHEDULED IN JUNE

**Saturday June 17, 2017**

**Stampede**

**Not accessible**

**Cost: \$55.00      Time: 9:45 – 2:45**

Take a whole day at the Goshen Fair Grounds on Saturday to become a cowboy for the day. Watch Barrel racing / truck pull and listen to Blue Grass Music. Maybe there will be drone racing and Red Neck games. Bring money for a purchase. They have great wildlife t-shirts.

## **SPECIAL OLYMPIC TEAM LARC Track and Field Team**

Starting on Wednesday April 5<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 – 7:30

At: Torrington High School track running events / walking events and field events

Please contact Robin at 860-489-2140 ext. 202 by March 31, 2017 if you are interested.

### IMPORTANT DATES

- Sunday May 7, 2017: time trials at Loomis Chaffe School in Windsor
- Friday through Sunday June 9, 2017 through June 11, 2017 Summer Games Competition at Southern Connecticut State University

More information concerning the Special Olympic Track team will be given to all participating athletes



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