

# **Community Bulletin**

May 30th, 2023

#### Dear Shrewsbury Families,

Please note the following announcements and information related to various events or activities that may be of interest to you and your children. Announcements from non-school sources are passed on as a courtesy if they meet the requirements of the <u>School Committee policy</u>.

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# **School District Items**

#### 1. Please Note – Summer Enrichment (New)

Registration for the Summer Enrichment program has re-opened and there are many classes still available! All members of the community are welcome to register.

Grades: For students entering grades K-8 in the fall of 2023

Dates: Monday-Thursday, June 26-29, July 10-13, July 17-20, July 24-27

Location: Sherwood Middle School

#### Schedule and Cost:

- AM session: 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. - \$80/week

- PM session: 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. - \$80/week

- Extended hours: 3:00 - 6:00 p.m. - \$80/week

- Early drop-off: 7:00 - 8:30 a.m. - \$40/week

- Students staying all day will bring lunch and be supervised from 11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

- Financial aid is available

View all class descriptions and register online <a href="here">here</a>. Please contact Karen Isaacson if you have any questions at <a href="kisaacson@shrewsbury.k12.ma.us">kisaacson@shrewsbury.k12.ma.us</a> or (508) 841-8727.

#### 2. Please Note – Kindergarten Summer Fun Program

The Summer Fun Program is a great way to prepare your child for the start of kindergarten. Students will become familiar with their school building and experience the routines of a typical day in a kindergarten class. They will leave feeling more confident and ready for the first day of school!

All preschool students who will be starting kindergarten at Shrewsbury Public Schools in the fall of 2023 are eligible to register. The program will run in each of the five elementary schools, so please register for the location where your child will be attending kindergarten.

Cost: \$100\*

Dates: Monday August 7th – Thursday August 10th

Hours: 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Locations: Beal School, Coolidge School, Paton School, Floral Street School, Spring Street School

\*Financial aid is available. Please contact Karen Isaacson, Director of Extended Learning, for more information at <a href="mailto:kisaacson@shrewsbury.k12.ma.us">kisaacson@shrewsbury.k12.ma.us</a>.

Please note: Each class is taught by one of the kindergarten teachers at Shrewsbury Public Schools, but it may not be your child's specific teacher or classroom. Visit our <u>website</u> for more information on how to register.

#### 3. Please Note - Jobs for Teens

Jobs for teens are still available! New jobs have been added to the <u>Jobs for Students site</u>, including a bank position for a graduating senior who is not heading to college, a receptionist for 16+, entry-level auto tech job (no experience required), and counselor-in-training for 13+. Visit the website to see all available jobs. Also, if you have a job you would like to post, please contact <a href="mailto:kkeohane@shrewsbury.k12.ma.us">kkeohane@shrewsbury.k12.ma.us</a>.

#### **Community Items**

#### 1. Save the Date – Pack 62 Annual Fishing Derby, June 4th (New)

Come join Pack 62 for our annual fishing derby on Sunday, June 4th: a fun, low-stakes hour outside to see who can catch the biggest fish. Prizes will be available. Meet up at Jordan Pond (behind Coolidge Elementary) from 8:00 to 9:00 a.m. Bring a friend and your favorite gear. Bait will be provided by the Pack. Keep an eye out for more Pack 62 activities this summer!

# 2. Please Note - Girl Scout Troop Pet Supply Drive (New)

Girl Scout Junior Troop 11087 is in the process of completing their bronze award. This is the highest award a junior can earn. The girls chose to learn more about pets and hold a collection for Broken Tail Rescue. In addition to pet supplies, they will be making no-sew blankets for cats and dogs in their care. We are looking for donations of dog/cat treats, pet brushes, toothbrushes, toothpaste, dog/cat toys, and pet cleaning supplies. The collection is through June 30th and drop off locations are at the Shrewsbury Town Hall and outside the Sherwood Middle School office. If you have any questions, please email Patricia Minton at <a href="mailtogs.gs.11087@gmail.com">gs.11087@gmail.com</a>.

# 3. Save the Date – First Congregational Church of Shrewsbury Events (New)

In celebration of their 300th year, the First Congregational Church of Shrewsbury will host historic church tours on Sunday, June 4th from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. The public is invited to tour the 1766 Meeting House, 1924 Gifford Hall Parish House, 1955 Chapel & Parlor, the History Staircase, and much more! This event is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served. Parking is available in the church parking lot at 19 Church Road.

In celebration of the First Congregational Church of Shrewsbury's 300th year, it will be hosting a Blessing of the Animals event on Saturday, June 3rd from 12:00 to 3:00 p.m. on the Shrewsbury town common. In the event of rain, an abbreviated version of this event that will include a blessing service only will be held on June 17th at 10:00 a.m. This event is free and open to the public.

Community pets will be blessed and given a blessing coin by Pastor Holly MillerShank during a half-hour blessing service beginning promptly at noon. Also in attendance will be special guest Worcester Animal Rescue League, who celebrated their 110th anniversary in 2022. They will be promoting the wonderful adoptable pets who call WARL their temporary home and provide information about the rescue and the services it provides. Free pony rides will be offered by Ridge Valley Stables from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Other vendors providing information and items for sale include Uhlman's Ice Cream Truck, Kaya's Dog Bites pet nutritionist, Golden Louie Pet Accessories, Chiampa Funeral Home pet cremation services, FCC Youth Group Pet Photo Booth, and Shrewsbury Animal Control Officer. All well-behaved pets are invited to bring their people. Photo and stuffed animal pet representations are welcome.

The complete list of free and open to the public 300th celebration events can be viewed at <a href="https://worcesterarl.org">www.fccsm.org</a>. WARL information can be viewed at <a href="https://worcesterarl.org">https://worcesterarl.org</a>.

#### 4. Please Note - Shrewsbury Parks & Recreation Spring & Summer Programs

<u>Online Registration</u> - Currently accepting registration for spring and summer programs listed below. Additional programs to be added throughout May. Pre-registration is required for all of the Parks & Recreation programs. Space is limited.

<u>Teen Travelers Summer Program</u> - Enjoy a different adventure each day in this exciting program designed for your teenager! During each week of Teen Travelers, participants will be exposed to a variety of recreational opportunities ranging from outdoor excursions like hiking, ropes courses, and swimming at the lake, to visiting popular attractions like Canobie Lake Park and Roller Kingdom. This program is offered during the weeks of July 10th and July 17th. Resident cost is \$350 per week.

<u>Tiny Tykes All-Sports</u> - Toddler/preschool-age sports for the little ones! Kids learn basic skills of a different sport/activity including flag football, soccer, obstacle courses, kickball, and other fun activities. We want to encourage kids to be active and engaged in a safe environment implemented by our summer staff! Ages 2-3 from 8:30 to 9:15 a.m. and ages 4-5 from 9:30 to 10:15 a.m. on Thursdays at the Shrewsbury Town Hall front lawn starting July 6th. Cost is \$48.

<u>Youth Flag Football</u> - Wednesday evenings starting June 21st at Sherwood Middle School field. Cost is \$65.

<u>Youth Summer Basketball League</u> - Tuesday evenings starting June 20th at Shrewsbury High School gymnasium. Cost is \$84.

<u>Crew Rowing (Learn to Row)</u> - For grades 8-12, four days each session. There are four sessions offered during the weeks of 6/26-6/29 and 7/24-7/27. Choose between the 8:00 a.m. or 11:00 a.m. class. This program is being offered through a partnership with the Regatta Point Community Sailing and Parks & Recreation! Cost is \$225.

Youth Sailing - Offering sessions the week of July 17th and August 7th from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. for ages 9-12. This program is being offered through a partnership with the Regatta Point Community Sailing and Parks & Recreation! Cost is \$495.

<u>Adult Rhythm & Ride Spin</u> - Monday or Wednesday morning classes at Core Connection Spin Studio. Visit our website for fees, times, dates and schedules.

<u>Social Skills Workshop</u> - Grades 2-7 on Monday, July 24th from 7:00 to 8:15 p.m. at Oak Middle School cafeteria. Cost is \$60.

<u>Home Safety</u> - Ages 9 and up, Wednesday, July 19th from 4:00 to 6:30 p.m. at Oak Middle School cafeteria. Cost is \$37.

<u>Babysitting Course</u> - For grades 6-8 on June 7th and 8th from 4:00 to 6:30 p.m. at Oak Middle School cafeteria. Cost is \$57.

<u>Teen Rhythm & Ride Spin</u> - Grades 6-10 on Wednesdays starting May 17th from 5:30 to 6:20 p.m. at Core Connection Cycle Studio. Cost is \$80.

Archery Summer Sessions - Visit our website for fees, dates and schedules.

<u>Summer Playground</u> - We are offering 6 weeks this summer starting on June 26th. Parents have weekly options and AM/PM add-ons to each week! Weekly program information is now available on our website.

Visit our website! <u>shrewsburyma.myrec.com</u> Create a new account if you have not done so within the past year.

# 5. Please Note – Shrewsbury Parks & Recreation Summer Playground Program @ Coolidge School

As parents, we are always looking for our kids to be interactive and involved during the summer. Kids can't ask for more than being around friends, playing indoor/outdoor games like capture the flag or dodgeball, cool art projects, exciting daily camp themes like "Minion Day," "Bubble Mania," or "Ninja Warrior Day," and of course afternoon swimming at Sunset Beach! Every afternoon, we bus full-day participants to Sunset Beach, which is located on Old Faith Road in Shrewsbury. We arrive at Sunset Beach at 1:00 p.m. and return back to Coolidge School at 4:00 p.m. Full-day participants need to bring lunch, a towel, a bathing suit, and sunscreen. Pack plenty of snacks and water for the kids! Child-to-staff ratio is not more than 10 to 1. Staff directors are CPR/First Aid and Epi-Pen trained.

Current grade levels accepted: K-6th grade
Full Day: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; \$245 per week
Half Day: 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; \$145 per week
Extended AM: 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.; \$25 per week
Extended PM: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.; \$25 per week

The program will run for six consecutive weeks starting June 26th through August 4th, Monday through Friday (no sessions on July 3rd or July 4th). Please <u>click here</u> for the Parks & Recreation website.

#### 6. Please Note – Shrewsbury Public Library Events (New)

#### 50+ Job Seekers Virtual Networking Group

Come meet new job seekers to expand your network, news, and views with the Massachusetts Library Collaborative's 50+ Job Seekers Group! If you are over 50 and unemployed and actively looking, underemployed, seeking a new career direction, or re-entering the job market after a gap, this group is perfect for you.

The group meets on Zoom from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. on first and third Wednesday mornings, with repeat sessions on the same topics offered in the evenings from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. on second and fourth Wednesday evenings. Registration is required for each session (register <a href="here">here</a> for morning sessions; register <a href="here">here</a> for evening sessions). This group is sponsored by more than 60 Massachusetts public libraries. Find the full list of topics and registration <a href="here">here</a>. This group is sponsored by more than 60 Massachusetts public libraries.

The June topics are: Meet Hiring Employers (June 7 & 14) Networking 2.0 (June 21 & 28)

# Get Started with Libby

Want access to ebooks, audiobooks, magazines, and more, anytime and anywhere? You can with Libby! Bring your device and join the Shrewsbury Public Library for a class in our Learning Lab to get set up and familiar with the Libby app!

#### Dates include:

- Thursday, June 15th at 6:00 p.m.
- Friday, August 4th at 2:30 p.m.

Registration is required; please visit our events calendar to sign up for your preferred date.

#### SPL Spanish Conversation Club

Are you looking for a casual space in which you can practice your Spanish and learn more about the multiple cultures of those who speak that language? Join the Spanish Conversation Club most Tuesdays at the Shrewsbury Public Library (6:00 p.m. in the Learning Lab on the second floor). No registration required. Visit our <u>events calendar</u> to check dates (May 30; June 6, 13, & 20).

¿Buscas un espacio informal en el que puedas practicar tu Español y aprender más de las múltiples culturas que hablan este idioma? Únete a nuestro club de conversación la mayoría de los martes en la biblioteca pública de Shrewsbury a las 6:00 p.m. en el laboratorio del segundo piso. No es necesario registrarse. Visita nuestro calendario de eventos para verificar citas (30 de mayo; 6, 13 & 20 de junio).

#### **Library Writing Workshops**

The Shrewsbury Public Library extends a warm invitation to all writers for writing workshops! Come join fellow writers from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. on third Saturdays this summer (June 17, July 15, and August 19) in a space dedicated to the craft of the written word - a space that encourages improvement.

During a writing workshop, writers share their work in the hopes of receiving positive, constructive feedback and suggestions. Workshops such as this are vital to a writer's growth, as getting different perspectives can help a writer see things they might have missed about their own work. It's also a great environment for fun, light-hearted conversations!

The workshops are hosted by <u>InfinityEd</u> and facilitated by published writer Ashton Hooley. This program will take place in person at the library; please register separately for each session on the library's <u>events calendar</u>.

#### Yoga with Bindu

Join the Shrewsbury Public Library with certified yoga instructor Bindu Gupta as she guides attendees through an hour-long Hatha yoga practice on Thursdays, June 1st, 8th, and 15th and Tuesday, June 20th. Hatha yoga brings physical, emotional, and spiritual awareness to one's body and mind. No experience required to participate.

Patrons may attend all four classes, but space is limited, so patrons are requested to only <u>reserve</u> spots in classes they are sure they can attend. Sponsored by the Friends of the Shrewsbury Public Library.

#### SPL June Movie Matinee: The Menu

Join the Shrewsbury Public Library for our Movie Matinee! A different film will be screened monthly in person at the library on a Saturday at 2:00 p.m. No registration required.

On June 3rd, we'll enjoy a screening of *The Menu* (2022, rated R): "Margot and Tyler visit Hawthorn, an exclusive restaurant boasting an extravagant tasting menu by chef Julian Slowik. The restaurant accepts select guests including corporate leaders and movie stars who soon discover a more ominous culinary plan is underway."

#### SPL Movie Discussion Club June

Join the Shrewsbury Public Library Movie Discussion Club every first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. on Google Meet! Intended for film fans 18 and older.

Watch the "Movie of the Month" on your own time, then meet with us virtually to discuss. The June 6th film is *Collateral* (2004; rated R).

Shrewsbury residents may view the movie <a href="here">here</a> on Kanopy (create an account with your library card to access Kanopy). Attendees are also free to find an alternative way to watch. Register here to receive an email the day before the discussion date with the Google Meet link.

#### Johnny Cash - Songs and Stories

Join the Shrewsbury Public Library on Tuesday, June 6th at 7:00 p.m. with long-time New England musician/author Matt York, who will perform the songs of Johnny Cash and tell stories about Cash's career spanning from the 1950s to his passing in 2003. He'll discuss Cash's emergence as a groundbreaking artist in the 1950s, his marriage to June Carter, and many of his other career highlights. York was recently nominated for the Boston Music Award for Best Country Artist and his album "Gently Used" was named one of Worcester Magazine's best albums of 2022. View a preview <a href="https://example.com/here/">here!</a>

This program is supported in part by a grant from the Shrewsbury Local Cultural Council, a local agency, which is supported by the Mass Cultural Council, a state agency. This program will take place in person at the library; please register here.

# Hollywood and the Courtroom: The Anatomy of a Trial

Join the Shrewsbury Public Library on Thursday, June 8th at 7:00 p.m. with retired Massachusetts trial judge Justice Dennis J. Curran, for this lecture on the power of storytelling and the ability of film to embody the law and its relationship to ideas about injustice, liberty, citizenry, race, justice, crime, punishment, and social order. Attendees will watch 14 courtroom scenes from famous movies and discover why they are so powerful and what they teach about the trial process.

Justice Dennis J. Curran served as a Massachusetts trial judge for 15 years. He is a graduate of Boston Latin School, the University of Pennsylvania (B.A. and M.A.), and the University of Virginia School of Law.

Sponsored by the Friends of the Shrewsbury Public Library. This program will take place in person at the library; please register <a href="here">here</a>.

#### Discovering American Drag

On Thursday, June 8th at 7:00 p.m., join Matthew Wittmann, Curator of the Harvard Theatre Collection, for a virtual look at the history of drag performance in the United States through photographs, ephemera, and a variety of other archival materials held by Houghton Library at Harvard University. Presented in collaboration with the Wilmington Memorial Library. This program will take place virtually on Zoom; please register <a href="here">here</a>.

#### An Evening with Travel Channel's Ronny LeBlanc - Expedition Bigfoot

Join the Shrewsbury Public Library on Monday, June 12 at 7:00 p.m. with Massachusetts native Ronny LeBlanc, who stars in the shows Expedition Bigfoot And Paranormal Caught On Camera for Travel Channel and Discovery+. LeBlanc will highlight some "paranormal hot spots" where people have experienced encounters with UFOs, orbs, and Bigfoot, including some right here in New England. He will discuss one such hotspot in Leominster called "Monsterland," which informed his books about this area in Massachusetts. Sponsored by the Friends of the Shrewsbury Public Library. This program will take place in person at the library; please register here.

#### Eat This, Not That!

Join the Shrewsbury Public Library on Tuesday, June 13th at 10:30 a.m. with Jill Patterson, Registered Dietitian Nutritionist, for a virtual program that will teach participants how simple tweaks in diet can lead to big results! Good nutrition can positively impact our immune system, health, well-being, productivity, performance, energy, mood, weight management, and prevent certain chronic diseases.

Jill Patterson, RDN is a national speaker and an award-winning registered dietitian nutritionist, certified personal trainer, and group fitness instructor. She has been quoted in the Huffington Post, Parents Magazine, and local news outlets. She specializes in providing wellness education programs that inspire individuals to implement healthy habits. She is passionate

about helping people live their happiest, healthiest lives. She can be found at: <a href="https://www.jillpatterson.com">www.jillpatterson.com</a>.

Sponsored by the Friends of the Shrewsbury Public Library. This program will take place virtually on Zoom; please register <u>here</u>.

# 7. Please Note – Shrewsbury Public Library June Events for Tweens & Teens

We have some great events for tweens and teens happening in June at the Library!

Check our monthly digital calendar and our online calendar for more details and registration!

# 8. Please Note - Shrewsbury Youth and Family Services Women's Support Group

Shrewsbury Youth and Family Services will be running a weekly drop-in support group for adult women. This is a place for women to form connections as well as share their own experiences in a safe and supportive environment. The meetings will be held on Mondays from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. virtually. Please <u>click here</u> to join or email Abigail Westerlind with any questions at <u>awesterlind@syfs-ma.org</u>.

# 9. Save the Date - Scout Bottle & Can Drive, June 3rd

On Saturday, June 3rd, Scout Troops 114 and 7114 will be hosting a bottle and can drive at Shrewsbury Town Hall from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Scouts will be happy to accept your redeemable bottles and cans. Proceeds from the drive will go towards supporting their scouting activities throughout the year.

# 10. Please Note - Shrewsbury Public Library Teen Room Aide Position Available (New)

The Shrewsbury Public Library is seeking to fill a Teen Room Aide position. This seasonal position runs from September through June each year, with a typical schedule of Fridays 3:00-5:00 p.m. and from noon to 3:00 p.m. on school early release days. Click here for a flyer with more information.

# 1. Please Note - Central Mass Cross Country Clinics (New)

In its 7th consecutive year, the Central Mass Cross Country clinics provide young aspiring harriers in the central mass community the opportunity to train in a group setting and learn from collegiate coaches and hear from guest speakers including Olympic athletes and professional coaches. The clinics are open to any and all entrants ages 12-18 limited only by number, age, and grade level. Limited spots are available on a first come, first serve basis. More information and registration can be found at <a href="https://www.cmassxcc.com">www.cmassxcc.com</a>.

#### 2. Please Note - Take Charge Hoops Basketball Clinic

Shrewsbury High School boys basketball coaches, Adrian Machado and Gerry Nowosacki, are sponsoring a 4-day basketball clinic for boys and girls in grades 3 through 12. The focus will be on individual skills through the use of time-oriented drill stations. The goal will be to learn, relearn, and execute the fundamentals of basketball, enhance one's skills, and be a better player and teammate.

The clinic will take place at the Shrewsbury High School field house from July 11th through July 14th between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. For more information and to register, please click here. If you have any questions, please contact Gerry Nowosacki at (508) 842-6014 or gym21rat@aol.com.

# 3. Please Note – Shrewsbury American Youth Football and Cheer Organization Summer Program

Get ready for an action-packed summer! Join us on Sunday nights (June 4th, 11th, and 25th and July 9th, 16th, 23rd) from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Lake Park Athletic Field in Worcester for our exclusive Speed, Agility, and Skills Clinic. Designed for athletes from any sport ages 6-14! This engaging clinic will keep our kids active, sharpen their skills, and have them primed for fall sports. Don't miss out on the excitement - register now and let the summer training begin!

While this is a non-contact clinic, cleats and mouth guards are always encouraged. Daily rates are available, but save by registering for the full camp! Please visit the <u>SAYFCO website</u> to register today and please share with your friends!

# 4. Please Note – Shrewsbury Little League Girls Softball Summer Registration

Registration will be open for two more weeks. The next summer season of Shrewsbury Llittle League girls softball will run from June 19th through July 28th. Practice and games will be held

on weekdays only. You can register <a href="here">here</a>. If you have any questions, please contact us at <a href="mailto:shrewsburygsb@gmail.com">shrewsburygsb@gmail.com</a>.

# 5. Please Note - Shrewsbury Youth Soccer Fall 2023 Season

Registration is now open for the fall season for all Shrewsbury Youth Soccer age groups (pre-kindergarten through grade 12).

Our travel games (grades 3-13) will start in late-August/early-September and our in-town games (pre-K through grade 4) will start in mid-September. Practices will start a couple of weeks before the first games.

Players entering grade 3 or above in the fall should try out in May; dates can be found <u>here</u> (please register before attending). If your player cannot attend the tryout, please contact the appropriate <u>age group coordinator</u>.

Click <u>here</u> to register. We have had waiting lists for most age groups in the last few seasons, so register early.

# 6. Please Note - Shrewsbury High School Volleyball Clinic

The Shrewsbury High School volleyball program invites girls in grades 5th through 8th to join them for volleyball fun at the annual volleyball clinic on June 7th, 8th, and 9th from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. in the Shrewsbury High School gymnasium. The clinic will be run by Head coach Brett Crandall and the rest of the Shrewsbury High School volleyball program. We will work on passing, hitting, setting, serving, defense, positioning, blocking, and digging.

Each camper gets a Shrewsbury volleyball t-shirt as part of their registration. The cost is \$85 per person with a discounted rate for siblings (\$85 for the first, \$75 for each additional sibling). Please <u>click here</u> to sign up. If you have any questions, please email <u>bcrandall@shrewsbury.k12.ma.us</u>.

# 7. Please Note - Worcester Volleyball Club Blazers

Worcester Volleyball Club Blazers is offering a 6-week program for grades 5 and up. No experience is required to participate! Participants receive an introduction to volleyball, learn from trained coaches, develop skills, and build a passion for the game. Our inclusive club brings kids and young adults (up to age 24) with and without disabilities together, providing enriching experiences for all. Our programs provide our community with the opportunity to

increase physical activity, create new friendships, develop new skills, increase independence, and experience success.

The Blazers meet at the Open Sky Community Services Gym (4 Mann Street, Worcester). The program begins on Tuesday, July 11th. The program is a collaboration between Worcester Volleyball Club Blazers and Open Sky Community Services' Community Membership Department. Please <u>click here</u> for the registration form and additional information.

Ask about our volunteer and mentorship opportunities! For more information, please reach out to our program contact, Susan Dunshee, at worcblazers@gmail.com or (508) 277-6986 or visit www.worcblazers.com.

#### 8. Save the Date - College Softball World Series Watch Party, June 7th

With help from Platinum Fire Protection, the Shrewsbury Little League is hosting a Softball College World Series watch party at Tavern in the Square Shrewsbury on Wednesday, June 7th. First pitch is at 7:00 p.m. This event is open to Shrewsbury Little League Softball and Baseball families. All players must be accompanied by an adult. The league will provide a light appetizer buffet. Drinks and dinner will be available for purchase.