

**Town of Clarence
Youth Bureau
2015 Fall Programs**



**Clarence Youth Bureau
10510 Main Street
Clarence, NY 14031
407-2162**

Town of Clarence Youth Bureau *"Preparing Youth for the Future"*

The mission of the Clarence Youth Bureau is to provide services, opportunities and resources that promote positive, healthy development among the youth of Clarence.

- Youth Volunteer Program
- Youth Court
- Summer Youth Series
- Special events: Halloween in the Park, Holiday Tree Lighting, Winterfest
- Just for Girls and Just for Boys
- 3 & 4 Year Old Playgroup
- Alive at 25 Young Driver Education Course
- Resource Library
- Youth Board

Visit us on:



Town of Clarence Youth Bureau



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YOUTH BUREAU REGISTRATION FORM | ONE FORM PER CHILD

Name: _____

Age: _____ Male _____ Female _____ Grade _____

Address: _____

Town: _____ Zip: _____

Parent Name(s): _____

Phone #'s: (H) _____ (C) _____

Email Address: _____

Can we add you to our email list: Y _____ N _____

Emergency Contact Information:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone #'s: (H): _____ (C) _____

Does your child have any allergies we should be aware of?

Y _____ N _____ Please explain: _____

Does your child have special needs or require assistance? Y _____ N _____

Please explain: _____

Can we include your child in photographs? Y _____ N _____

Parent signature: _____ Date: _____

CLASS TITLE	CLASS DATE	PD. CHECK #

Additional forms available online and at Youth Bureau

**TOWN OF CLARENCE YOUTH BOARD AND BUREAU
2015 - 2016 SPEAKER SERIES**

The Town of Clarence Youth Board and Bureau are committed to educating the public with their informational speaker series focusing on issues affecting teens, families and communities.

THE IMPACT OF SOCIAL MEDIA

Featuring Kathy Gust from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children

**Join us on: Thursday, October 8, 2015 at 7:00 pm
Clarence Youth Bureau, 10510 Main Street**

Presentation and discussion open to all ages.
Parents and their children are encouraged to attend together.

Please RSVP to 407-2162 by October 5th

A GROWING THREAT - TODAY'S HEROIN EPIDEMIC

**Join us on: Monday, November 9, 2015 at 7:00 pm
Clarence Town Hall, 1 Town Place**

A presentation for parents, grandparents, educators and other members of the community on the "disturbing" rise in heroin use. Heroin and other opiates have become one of the most widely abused drugs not just in Buffalo but the surrounding suburbs. It has reached epidemic proportions.

A panel of speakers representing various agencies will give up-to-date information about commonly used drugs as well as personal stories of addiction and recovery.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS

ADULT CO-ED VOLLEYBALL

Pick-up volleyball for all levels of players. Teams will be chosen each night to play pick-up games. If Clarence schools are closed due to inclement weather or any other reason, volleyball is cancelled for that night. Please call Chip Trapper, Director at 407-2162, ext. 5002 or ctrapper@clarence.ny.us with questions.

Dates: Tuesdays: October 13th, 27th
November 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th
December 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd
January 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th
February 2nd, 9th, 23rd
March 1st, 8th, 15th



Time: 7:00-9:30 pm

Location: Clarence Middle School, 10150 Greiner Road

Cost: \$3 per night

Registration: Register at site

SATURDAY MORNING RECREATION

Supervised games and recreational activities provided for children in grades 3-6. Proper attire and sneakers must be worn. If Clarence schools are closed due to inclement weather or any other reason, recreation is cancelled for that day. Please call Chip Trapper, Director at 407-2162, ext. 5002 or ctrapper@clarence.ny.us with questions.

Dates: Saturdays: December 5th, 12th, 19th
January 9th, 23rd, 30th
February 6th, 27th
March 5th, 12th
April 2nd, 9th, 16th

Time: 9:00-11:45 am

Location: Clarence Center Elementary, 9600 Clarence Center Road

Cost: Free

Registration: Register at site

TOWN OF CLARENCE RECREATION DEPARTMENT

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407-2162, ext. 5002
Chip Trapper, Director
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2015 FALL PROGRAMS

Dear Clarence Residents:

We are proud to present you with our annual **Youth Bureau and Recreation Department Fall Brochure**.

There are a variety of activities, programs and events we think you will find interesting, motivating and fun! The brochure is organized by month, October – December. Each entry includes dates, times, location, cost, description and registration instructions. As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to call us at **407-2162**.



General Information

- Class sizes are limited, therefore, classes will be filled on a first come, first served basis. We reserve the right to cancel a class due to insufficient registration.
- **Checks/money orders should be made payable to: Town of Clarence. Separate checks must be written for each class.**
- For safety reasons, personnel from the Town of Clarence are not responsible for children dropped off early, picked up late or unattended when their classes are not in session.
- Each participant must have a completed registration form on file in order to participate.
- You must provide your own transportation unless otherwise noted.

A full version of this brochure can be found on the town's website at:
www.clarence.ny.us

OCTOBER

OFF-SITE FIELD TRIPS

GENESEE COUNTRY VILLAGE AND MUSEUM - MUMFORD

This is not your typical museum! We will be walking through a village filled with restored historic buildings representing the 1800's. It is one of the largest living history museums in the country! Some of the buildings we will see include: Toll House, Land Office, Blacksmith, Wagon Maker, Flint Hill Pottery, Dressmaker, and Printing Office. It will be an educational, fun, and interesting tour of what it would be like to live in the 19th century, over 200 years ago! Please bring a lunch or money to buy one. If you would like souvenirs, please bring extra money. Visit their website at: www.gcv.org

Date: Saturday, October 10th

Time: 9:00 am-3:30 pm

Meet: 10510 Main Street, Clarence Youth Bureau

Location: 1410 Flint Hill Road, Mumford 14511

Ages: 5-12 years old

Cost: \$15

Registration Deadline: October 5th

SEGWAY TOUR – BUFFALO TOURING COMPANY

Have you always wanted to try a Segway? Now is your chance while getting a beautiful tour of our city! This 2-wheeled PT (personal transporter) will be your means of transportation for the hour-long tour. Along the way we will learn about the history and architecture of the many buildings around the Buffalo Historical Museum. A visit through the Historical Museum is included. Before the tour, there will be training on how to ride the Segway... it is very easy to learn! This is a unique way to see our gorgeous city! Please bring a lunch. Extra waivers are required, you will receive them when you register. Visit their website at: www.buffalotouringcompany.com

Date: Saturday, October 17th

Time: 8:00 am-3:45 pm

Meet: 10510 Main Street, Clarence Youth Bureau

Location: 1 Museum Court, Buffalo 14216

Ages: 16 + years old

Cost: \$75

Registration Deadline: October 12th



WEGMANS MENU COOKING CLASSES

WEGMANS COOKING WITH KIDS - FRUIT & VEGGIES TAKE A DIP

Kids LOVE dips...and parents have found that fruit and veggies become much more appealing when served with a colorful, yummy dip. This fun, specially priced hands-on class is a great way to share a cooking experience with your kids and you'll get some great ideas for introducing new fruits and veggies to your family. We will enjoy Fruit Kabobs with Yogurt Dip, Salsa Verde Guacamole and Cheesy Artichoke Dip.

Date: Thursday, October 8th

Time: 6:00-7:00 pm

Location: Wegmans – 5275 Sheridan Drive, Williamsville 14221

Ages: 4-11 years old

Cost: \$25.00 (1 adult must be present for entire class, 1 child)

Registration Deadline: October 3rd

WEGMANS- PARTY APPETIZERS!

Want to dazzle your party guests (or your parents?) Learn to make fun, easy appetizers: Blueberry and Cherry Salsa, Crab Truffles and Balsamic Pears with Taleggio Cheese. You'll then learn to build a fruit tray and enter it in the Wegman's Fabulous Fun Fruit Tray Competition!

Date: Thursday, November 12th

Time: 6:00-7:00 pm

Location: Wegmans – 5275 Sheridan Drive, Williamsville 14221

Ages: 9 years old and up

Cost: \$29

Registration Deadline: November 6th

WEGMANS - TEENS TAKE OVER THE KITCHEN - EVERYDAY PAN-SEARING

Learn how easy getting a great meal on the table can be! In this hands-on class a Wegman's Chef will teach you the 4 steps to a great pan-seared meal. The class will prepare a Pan-Seared Pork Tenderloin with Raisin Black Pepper Sauce. Everyone will sit together to enjoy the meal along with a Chef prepared side dish.

Date: Thursday, December 10th

Time: 6:00-7:30 pm

Location: Wegmans – 5275 Sheridan Drive, Williamsville 14221

Ages: 12-18 years old

Cost: \$29

Registration Deadline: December 4th



LESBIAN-GAY-BISEXUAL-TRANSGENDER (LGBT) TALK

Staff from the Gay and Lesbian Youth Services of WNY will be here to talk about any topics you would like to discuss. You can ask questions about how to support friends or family or how to have conversations on these topics with parents, friends or family. You may also ask any other questions you have through an anonymous question box. A discussion for youth 20 years old and younger will be held at the Youth Bureau. A discussion for adults 21 years old and over will be held simultaneously at the Main Street Park Clubhouse. We promote a strict judgement-free environment!

Date: Saturday, October 17th

Time: 2:00 pm

Location: Clarence Youth Bureau – for those under 21
Main Street Park Clubhouse – for those 21 and over

Cost: FREE

Registration Deadline: October 14th

MIXED-MEDIA PAINTING: ADVENTURES IN TEXTURE

This course will explore unique and fun ways to create dynamic 2 and 3-dimensional textured artwork. Learn various techniques from Clarence artist, Chris McGee, combining spackling, acrylic and latex paint onto canvas to bring life to rocky, cratered moonscapes. Pencils, paint, markers and poster board will be used to create elephants, rhinos, alligators and other rough, scaly armored animals!

Date: Wednesday, October 28th, November 4th, 11th, 18th

Time: 5:00-7:00 pm

Location: 10510 Main Street, Clarence Youth Bureau

Ages: 6-10 years old

Cost: \$100 for 4 classes

Registration Deadline: October 21st



NOVEMBER

OFF-SITE FIELD TRIP

TOUR OF CLARENCE STATE TROOPER BARRACKS

Have you ever wondered what it looks like inside the Clarence State Trooper's barracks, or what it would be like to sit in the front seat of their car? This is your chance to get a tour of our local State Trooper's barracks! We will also have time to ask questions!

Date: Saturday, November 7th (subject to change)

Time: TBD

Meet: Clarence State Trooper's Barracks, 9825 Main Street

Ages: 5-12 years old

Cost: \$5

Registration Deadline: Call 407-2162 before November 2nd

BUFFALO ANIMAL ADVENTURES

Their motto: "We bring the wild to you" is a great summary of the experience you will have with Buffalo Animal Adventures. For one hour you will get to see firsthand some unique animals and get to touch some creepy crawlers! You're sure to enjoy this hands-on, exciting program! Visit their website at:

www.buffaloanimaladventures.org

Date: Wednesday, November 11th

Time: 10:45 am-12:00 pm

Location: 10510 Main Street, Clarence Youth Bureau

Ages: 4-12 years old

Cost: \$10

Registration Deadline: November 9th



COOL SCIENCE CONCOCTIONS

We'll experiment with M&M's, blow up a balloon in an unusual way, make snow, create a giant soda geyser and extinguish a candle without blowing on it! We'll end the session by creating FLOAM....that wonderful slime-like substance with polystyrene beads that you can mold into shapes. Who thought science could be so much fun! *Please wear old clothing.*

Date: Saturday, November 14th

Time: 1:00-2:00 pm

Location: 10510 Main Street, Clarence Youth Bureau

Ages: 7-11 years old

Cost: \$12

Registration Deadline: November 11th

ART WITH DEANNA

Girls ages 7 – 12 are invited to join Deanna, Youth Activities Leader, to create their own one-of-a-kind painting! Deanna will take you through it step by step. You will take home a colorful 12"x12" canvas masterpiece to enjoy and show off to your friends and family. You will also get to keep your paint pallet and paintbrush set.

Date: Friday, November 20th

Time: 5:30-7:30 pm

Location: 10510 Main Street, Clarence Youth Bureau

Ages: Girls 7-12 years old

Cost: \$20

Registration Deadline: November 16th



NOVEMBER (con't.)

HOLIDAY TREE LIGHTING

Join us in the historic Clubhouse where children will write a letter to Santa, visit his workshop and mail their letter to the North Pole. Cookies and hot chocolate will be served and Santa will be there to visit and help us light the tree outside!

Date: Sunday, November 22nd

Time: 5:30-7:30 pm

Location: 10405 Main Street Park Clubhouse

Ages: All

Cost: \$1 per child (payable at the door)

Registration Deadline: Space is limited – you must call 407-2162 by November 18th to register.



DECEMBER

PARENTS DAY OUT

Do you have your shopping done yet? Do you need a few hours alone without the kids? Bring them to Parents Day Out! We will have crafts, games, a movie, an egg drop and tons of other fun things to do to keep them from peeking in your shopping cart!

Date: Saturday, December 12th

Time: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Location: 10510 Main Street, Clarence Youth Bureau

Ages: 5-11 years old

Cost: \$8

Registration Deadline: December 9th

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY JUST FOR KIDS

Count down the night at our second annual Just for Kids night before New Year's Eve Party! We will celebrate the past year and have fun games to get us ready for the new year, 2016! Snacks included.

Date: Wednesday, December 30th

Time: 5:30-7:30 pm

Location: 10510 Main Street, Clarence Youth Bureau

Ages: 5-11 years old

Cost: \$7

Registration Deadline: December 23rd



HALLOWEEN IN THE PARK

Halloween is on its way, it is time to come out and play! Join us at our annual Halloween in the Park event; Minion-themed! We will gather in the Clubhouse for snacks (small cost), a Minion scavenger hunt, and all costumed kids will have a chance to win prizes in a random drawing. There will be a cauldron full of games including a Minion toss, "Minion-Minion-Gru" (duck-duck-goose), and other family activities. New this year - - there will be "table-to-table treats" in the large pavilion. Show off your costumes as you get your treats from each table. Families and children of all ages will have a spook-tacular time!

Date: Friday, October 23rd or Saturday, October 24th

Time: Friday, October 23rd: 6:30-8:00 pm

Saturday, October 24th: 12:30-2:00 pm

Location: 10405 Main Street Park, Clubhouse and Large Pavilion

Ages: All

Cost: \$1 per child (payable at the door), small cost for snacks

Registration Deadline: Space is limited – you must call 407-2162 by October 21st to register for **either** Friday **or** Saturday.

*Donations of non-perishable food items for our local food pantries will be accepted and appreciated!



CYB CRAFT TIME

Do your kids love to make crafts? Then this is for them! We are offering this program for children, ages 5-12, to make up to three crafts each month at the Youth Bureau. Each craft will be themed. In October, we will be making spooky and creepy crafts; in November, we will make placemats, "give thanks" boxes, and a free choice craft; in December we will make picture frames, a snowman, and also a free choice craft. This is a great opportunity to show off their crafty skills!

Date: Fridays, October 9th, November 20th, December 18th

Time: 6:00-7:00 pm

Location: 10510 Main Street, Clarence Youth Bureau

Ages: 5-12 years old

Cost: \$5 for each date

Registration Deadline: October 7th, November 18th, December 16th

JUST FOR GIRLS

For girls in grades 3-6. Held on Fridays, October 30th, November 6th and 13th, 5:30-7:30 pm at the Youth Bureau unless otherwise noted.

\$12 per class or \$30 for all three. Please see insert for details and registration form.

JUST FOR BOYS

For boys in grades 3-6. Held on Fridays, November 27th, December 4th and 11th, 5:30-7:30 pm at the Youth Bureau unless otherwise noted.

\$12 per class or \$30 for all three. Please see insert for details and registration form.

Clarence Youth Bureau Presents

Just for Girls

(For girls in grades 3-6)

Held on Fridays at the Clarence Youth Bureau from 5:30-7:30pm unless otherwise noted. All classes are \$12.00 or all three for \$30.00.

October 30, 2015: Halloween Bash – Come celebrate Halloween with us wearing your best costume! We will be decorating pumpkins, making mummy cupcakes and getting your nails done Halloween style. We will also be making DIY trick or treat bags. There will be a healthy snack option to go with our mummy cupcakes.

November 6, 2015: Dramatic Fanatic – If you like acting or being dramatic this event is for you! Pop star Destiny’s million dollars has suspiciously disappeared. Come help us find out who stole it by acting like one of her trusted employees and reading from quirky scripts. There will be snacks to keep you energized so the thief doesn’t slip through your fingers!

November 13, 2015: Field Trip to Creative Essence – We will be taking a field trip to the Creative Essence art studio where we will be creating our own charm bracelets. Snacks will be provided. Please meet us at the studio; 9450 Clarence Center Rd, Clarence Center NY, 14032.

Checks payable to: *Town of Clarence*

Clarence Youth Bureau Presents

Just for Boys

(For boys in grades 3-6)

Held on Fridays at the Clarence Youth Bureau from 5:30-7:30pm unless otherwise noted. All classes are \$12.00 or all three for \$30.00.

November 27, 2015: Game Night – Come play a variety of games with us and practice using good sportsmanship! We will have wii games, board games, giant jenga, giant kerplunk and group games. If you have a favorite game, bring it to share! We will have yummy and healthy snacks.

December 4, 2015: Sports Day – We will be playing volleyball with a twist, mummy ball, capture the flag, and human ping pong. We will even be making our own golf club and target. Snacks will be provided.

December 11, 2015: Sledding – We will be sledding, making snowmen and even having a sling shot snow fight at Clarence Main Street Park. Please bring your own sled. We will also be making an edible countdown to Christmas decoration. Hot chocolate and snacks will be provided. Please meet us at the Main Street Park Clubhouse; 10405 Main Street, Clarence 14031.

Checks payable to: *Town of Clarence*

Registration Form

Please mail or drop off by October 19th to 10510 Main St., Clarence, NY 14031

Check all that apply: _____
_____ October 30: Halloween Bash
_____ November 6: Dramatic Fanatic
_____ November 13: Creative Essence Field Trip

Name of Participant: _____

Age: _____ Gender: M F

Address: _____

Town: _____ Zip: _____

Parent Name(s): _____

Phone #'s: (H) _____ (W) _____ (C) _____

Emergency Contact Information:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone #'s: (H) _____ (W) _____ (C) _____

Does your child have any allergies? Y _____ N _____

Please explain: _____

Does your child have special needs or require assistance? Y _____ N _____

Please explain: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Registration Form

Please mail or drop off by November 16th to 10510 Main St., Clarence, NY 14031

Check all that apply: _____
_____ November 27: Game Night
_____ December 4: Sports Day
_____ December 11: Sledding

Name of Participant: _____

Age: _____ Gender: M F

Address: _____

Town: _____ Zip: _____

Parent Name(s): _____

Phone #'s: (H) _____ (W) _____ (C) _____

Emergency Contact Information:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone #'s: (H) _____ (W) _____ (C) _____

Does your child have any allergies? Y _____ N _____

Please explain: _____

Does your child have special needs or require assistance? Y _____ N _____

Please explain: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____