

Fairfield County

Summer 2018

# Family Resource Calendar



*Favorite Family Memory by Zoie, age 11*

**Promoting Strong Communities, Healthy Families, & Safe Children**

# June 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><i>Be sure to register for the Summer Reading Program, "Libraries Rock &amp; Harry Potter Rules!", at any Fairfield County District Library!</i></p>		<p><i>June - August KIDS RIDE FREE on Lancaster &amp; Pickerington bus loops!!</i></p>			<p><b>1</b> <u>AHA ! Kids Yoga</u> 10:00-10:45 am</p> <p><u>Friday Night Bandstand:</u> <u>Bad Influence</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p> <p><u>Friday Night Flicks:</u> <u>Despicable Me 3</u> Dusk @ 8:45 pm</p>	<p><b>2</b></p>
<p><b>3</b> <u>Open Nature Center</u> 1:00-4:00 pm</p> <p><u>Summer Concert Series:</u> <u>The McCartney Project</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>4</b> <u>FCDL-Space Painter: Juggling Rocks</u> 2:00 pm</p> <p><u>Aspire / GED Program</u> 9:00-11:00 am OR 6:00-8:00 pm</p>	<p><b>5</b> <u>AHA ! Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>PDHC- Child Development</u> 1:00-2:30 pm</p>	<p><b>6</b> <u>Car Seat Installation</u> 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p><b>7</b> <u>Triple P-- Dealing with Disobedience</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>8</b> <u>Friday Night Bandstand:</u> <u>Grassinine</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p> <p><u>Friday Night Flicks:</u> <u>The Nut Job 2</u> Dusk @ 8:45 pm</p>	<p><b>9</b> <u>Family Fun Day Canoeing &amp; Archery</u> 9:30 am-12:00 noon</p> <p><u>Saturday Cinema:</u> <u>Peter Rabbit</u> Dusk @ 8:30 pm</p>
<p><b>10</b> <u>Fern Hike</u> 1:00-2:30 pm</p> <p><u>Family Fun Night/ Creating a Family Shield &amp; Motto</u> 4:00-5:30 pm</p>	<p><b>11</b> <u>AHA! Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p><b>12</b> <u>AHA ! Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>PDHC- Newborn Care</u> 1:00-2:30 pm</p> <p><u>FCDL- PT Reptiles</u></p> <p><u>First Five Years(1)</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>13</b> <u>FCDL- PT Reptiles</u></p> <p><u>Car Seat Installation</u> 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p><b>14</b> <u>FCDL- The Magic of Reading</u></p> <p><u>Triple P-- Hassle Free Shopping</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>15</b> <u>FCDL- PT Reptiles</u></p> <p><u>Early Intervention &amp; Friends Playgroup</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>Friday Night Bandstand:</u> <u>These Guys Live</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>16</b> <u>Downs Syndrome Playgroup</u> 10:30 am-12:00 noon</p> <p><u>Childcare &amp; Babysitting Safety</u> 8:30 am-3:30 pm</p>
<p><b>17</b> <u>Open Nature Center</u> 1:00-4:00 pm</p> <p><u>Summer Concert Series:</u> <u>RockHouse</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>18</b> <u>AHA! Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>NAMI Family Support Group</u> 7:00-8:00 pm</p>	<p><b>19</b> <u>FCDL- The Magic of Reading</u></p> <p><u>PDHC-Grief &amp; Pregnancy Loss</u> 1:00-2:30 pm</p> <p><u>First Five Years(2)</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>20</b> <u>Car Seat Installation</u> 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p><b>21</b> <u>"It's Okay To Go Out and Play!"</u> 9:00 am-12:00 noon</p> <p><u>Triple P-- Managing Fighting &amp; Aggression</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p> <p><u>Coffee, Tea, &amp; Autism</u> 6:30 pm</p>	<p><b>22</b> <u>FCDL- The Magic of Reading</u></p> <p><u>Friday Night Bandstand:</u> <u>Blue Steel w/Kalysta</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p> <p><u>Friday Night Flicks:</u> <u>Beauty &amp; the Beast</u> Dusk @ 8:45 pm</p>	<p><b>23</b></p>
<p><b>24</b> <u>Rock Mill Weekends</u> 12:00-4:00 pm</p> <p><u>Family Outdoor Cooking</u> 4:00-6:00 pm</p>	<p><b>25</b> <u>AHA! Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p><b>26</b> <u>AHA ! Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>FCDL- Rock On with Alley Park</u></p> <p><u>First Five Years(3)</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>27</b> <u>Car Seat Installation</u> 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p><b>28</b> <u>FCDL- Sounds of Nature</u></p> <p><u>Triple P-- Developing Good Bedtime Routines</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>29</b> <u>AHA ! Kids Yoga</u> 10:00-10:45 am</p> <p><u>Friday Night Bandstand:</u> <u>Three Cords &amp; a Beer</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>30</b></p>

# July 2018

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<p>1</p> <p><u>Open Nature Center</u> 1:00-4:00 pm</p> <p><u>Summer Concert Series:</u> <u>David Gerald Trio</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p>2</p> <p><u>AHA!</u> <u>Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>3</p> <p><u>AHA!</u> <u>Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>PDHC-</u> <u>Safe Sleep</u> 1:00-2:30 pm</p>	<p>4</p> <p><i>Happy Independence Day!!</i></p>	<p>5</p> <p><u>FCDL-</u> <u>Rock On with Alley Park</u></p>	<p>6</p> <p><u>AHA! Kids Yoga</u> 10:00-10:45 am</p> <p><u>FCDL-</u> <u>Rock On with Alley Park</u></p> <p><u>Friday Night Bandstand:</u> <u>Brad Puckett</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	7
<p>8</p> <p><u>Open Nature Center</u> 1:00-4:00 pm</p>	<p>9</p> <p><u>AHA!</u> <u>Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>10</p> <p><u>AHA!</u> <u>Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>11</p> <p><u>Car Seat Installation</u> 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p> <p><u>Mary Poppins, Jr.</u></p> <p><u>Childcare &amp; Babysitting Safety</u> 8:30 am-3:30 pm</p> <p><u>Friday Night Flicks:</u> <u>Coco</u> Dusk @ 8:45 pm</p>	<p>14</p> <p><u>Mary Poppins, Jr.</u></p> <p><u>Saturday Cinema:</u> <u>Coco</u> Dusk @ 8:30 pm</p>
<p>15</p> <p><u>Open Nature Center</u> 1:00-4:00 pm</p> <p><u>Family Fun Night/ Balloon Sculpting</u> 4:00-5:30 pm</p> <p><u>Summer Concert Series:</u> <u>Chris Logsdon</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p>16</p> <p><u>AHA!</u> <u>Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>NAMI Family Support Group</u> 7:00-8:00 pm</p>	<p>17</p> <p><u>AHA!</u> <u>Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>PDHC-</u> <u>Happy Babies</u> 1:00-2:30 pm</p>	<p>18</p> <p><u>Lancaster Festival begins tomorrow &amp; runs through July 28th!!</u> <u>For event information, visit <a href="http://lancasterfestival.org">lancasterfestival.org</a></u></p>	<p>19</p> <p><u>Coffee, Tea, &amp; Autism</u> 6:30 pm</p>	<p>20</p> <p><u>AHA! Kids Yoga</u> 10:00-10:45 am</p> <p><u>Early Intervention &amp; Friends Playgroup</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>Friday Night Flicks:</u> <u>Cars 3</u> Dusk @ 8:45 pm</p>	<p>21</p> <p><u>Down Syndrome Playgroup</u> 10:30 am- 12:00 noon</p>
<p>22</p> <p><u>Open Nature Center</u> 1:00-4:00 pm</p> <p><u>Summer Concert Series:</u> <u>Swag</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p>23</p> <p><u>AHA!</u> <u>Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>24</p> <p><u>AHA!</u> <u>Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>Active Parenting (1)</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p>25</p> <p><u>Car Seat Installation</u> 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p> <p><u>AHA! Kids Yoga</u> 10:00-10:45 am</p> <p><u>Friday Night Flicks:</u> <u>The Incredibles</u> Dusk @ 8:45 pm</p>	<p>28</p> <p><u>Youth Fishing Derby</u> 9:30-11:00 am</p>
<p>29</p> <p><u>Rock Mill Weekends</u> 12:00-4:00 pm</p> <p><u>Summer Concert Series:</u> <u>Stadium 11</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p>30</p> <p><u>AHA!</u> <u>Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>31</p> <p><u>AHA!</u> <u>Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>FCDL-</u> <u>Happy Birthday, Harry!</u></p> <p><u>Active Parenting (2)</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p>		<p><i>The Lunch Club! is at participating locations throughout Lancaster! Call 740-653-5678 for more information!</i></p>		<p><i>Head Start, Early Head Start, Help Me Grow Home Visiting &amp; Teens with Tots are taking applications! Call 740-681-4881 for more information!</i></p>

# August 2018

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			<p>1</p> <p><u>FCDL- Harry Potter Read-a-Thon / Pottermania/ Potions Class</u></p>	<p>2</p> <p><u>FCDL- Care of Magical Creatures / Wizarding World Trivia / Harry Potter Birthday Bash</u></p>	<p>3</p> <p><u>AHA! Kids Yoga</u> 10:00-10:45 am</p> <p><u>Friday Night Bandstand:</u> <u>Stadium 11</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p>4</p> <p><u>Community Healthfest 2018</u> 9:00am-2:00 pm</p> <p><u>Night Hike</u> 8:30-10:00 pm</p>
<p>5</p> <p><u>Open Nature Center</u> 1:00-4:00 pm</p>	<p>6</p> <p><u>AHA! Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>7</p> <p><u>AHA! Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>Active Parenting (3)</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p>8</p> <p><u>Car Seat Installation</u> 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10</p> <p><u>First Day Jitters</u> 2:00 pm</p> <p><u>Lion King Kids</u></p> <p><u>Friday Night Bandstand:</u> <u>Hillbilly Deluxe</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p>11</p> <p><u>Lion King Kids</u></p> <p><u>Saturday Cinema: Cars 3</u> Dusk @ 8:30 pm</p>
<p>12</p> <p><u>Open Nature Center</u> 1:00-4:00 pm</p>	<p>13</p> <p><u>AHA! Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>14</p> <p><u>AHA! Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>Active Parenting (4)</u> 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p>15</p> <p><u>Car Seat Installation</u> 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p>16</p> <p><u>Coffee, Tea, &amp; Autism</u> 6:30 pm</p>	<p>17</p> <p><u>AHA! Kids Yoga</u> 10:00-10:45 am</p> <p><u>Early Intervention &amp; Friends Playgroup</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>Friday Night Bandstand:</u> <u>The Professors</u> 7:00-8:30 pm</p>	<p>18</p> <p><u>Downs Syndrome Playgroup</u> 10:30 am-12:00 noon</p> <p><u>Star Gazing</u> 8:00 pm</p>
<p>19</p> <p><u>Open Nature Center</u> 1:00-4:00 pm</p> <p><u>Family Fun Night/ Beach Ball Decorating</u> 4:00-5:30 pm</p>	<p>20</p> <p><u>AHA! Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p> <p><u>NAMI Family Support Group</u> 7:00-8:00 pm</p>	<p>21</p> <p><u>AHA! Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>22</p> <p><u>Car Seat Installation</u> 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24</p> <p><u>AHA! Kids Yoga</u> 10:00-10:45 am</p>	<p>25</p>
<p>26</p> <p><u>Rock Mill Weekends</u> 12:00-4:00 pm</p> <p><u>Open Nature Center</u> 1:00-4:00 pm</p>	<p>27</p> <p><u>AHA! Explore Me a Story</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>28</p> <p><u>AHA! Nature Explorers</u> 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>29</p> <p><u>Car Seat Installation</u> 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>31</p> <p><u>AHA! Kids Yoga</u> 10:00-10:45 am</p>	

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<p><b>Aspire / GED Program New Student Orientation</b></p> <p>Aspire / GED is a student driven program that provides the tools and support needed to obtain skills necessary to achieve his or her potential. LFCAA Aspire / GED provides individualized study programs and support for each student dependent upon their needs</p>	<p>June 4 9:00-11:00 am OR 6:00-8:00 pm</p>	<p>Lancaster Fairfield Community Action Agency 1743 E. Main Street Lancaster, Ohio</p>	<p><i>Registration required</i> Call Sue Bennett at 740-653-4146 or email Sue at <a href="mailto:SHendley@faircaa.org">SHendley@faircaa.org</a> for more information</p>	<p>Free</p>
<p><b>Active Parenting (4 Class Series)</b></p> <p>Parents of children ages 5-12 will learn how to use non-violent discipline, positive communication, effective encouragement, and tips on how to help your child succeed in school. The program combines video, activities, and discussion to help parents raise responsible, cooperative children.</p>	<p>July 24 &amp; 31 &amp; August 7 &amp; 14 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p>Family, Adult and Children First Council 831 College Avenue Lancaster, Ohio</p>	<p><i>Registration required.</i> Contact Pam Redding at 740-652-7287 or pamela.redding @fairfield.countyohio.gov for more information</p>	<p>Free</p>
<p><b>AHA! Explore Me a Story; Nature Explorers; &amp; Kid's Yoga</b></p> <p>Visit us at the AHA! Museum each Monday for "Explore Me a Story"; on Tuesdays as we explore the natural environment surrounding the new facility; and on Fridays for Kid's Yoga!</p>	<p>Mondays &amp; Tuesdays 10:00-11:00 am  Fridays 10:00-10:45 am</p>	<p>AHA! Museum 1708 River Valley Circle Lancaster, Ohio</p>	<p><i>Registration not required</i> For more information, call 740-653-1010 or visit <a href="http://www.aha4kids.org">www.aha4kids.org</a></p>	<p>Museum entrance fee or get a pass from the Library!</p>
<p><b>Community Healthfest 2018</b></p> <p>Free health screenings, food and craft vendors, healthy habits art exhibit, color mile fun run, giveaways, health information and more! Join Fairfield Medical Center for a wonderful day at the Fairfield County Fairgrounds!</p>	<p>August 4 9:00 am-2:00 pm</p>	<p>AAA and Ed Sands Buildings at Fairfield County Fairgrounds Fair Avenue Lancaster, Ohio</p>	<p><i>Registration not required</i> Call 740-687-8218 for more information</p>	<p>Free</p>
<p><b>Car Seat Installation Class</b></p> <p>Make sure your family is traveling as safely as possible on the road with everyone buckled properly. Learn to install your car seat securely, safely, and correctly. Great for new or experienced parents and relatives.</p>	<p>Every Wednesday 2:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p>Family, Adult and Children First Council 831 College Avenue Lancaster, Ohio</p>	<p><i>Registration required.</i> Contact Ann at 740-652-7282 or ann.probasco @fairfieldcountyohio.gov for more information</p>	<p>Free</p>
<p><b>Childcare and Babysitting Safety Class</b></p> <p>Become the babysitter of choice with knowing how to handle emergencies, utilize a positive behavior technique and encourage safe and entertaining play! Intended for students ages 11-15 years. Students will receive a book, certification card and certificate.</p>	<p>June 16 July 13 8:30 am-3:30 pm</p>	<p>Fairfield Medical Center 401 North Ewing Street Lancaster, Ohio</p>	<p><i>Registration required</i> For more information and to register, call 740-687-8477</p>	<p>\$35 per person</p>
<p><b>Early Intervention &amp; Friends Playgroup</b></p> <p>This community playgroup offers children time to interact, explore a creative space and connect parents to one another. Geared for children ages birth to 5. All welcome! Supported by the Fairfield County Board of DD.</p>	<p>June 15 July 20 August 17 10:00-11:00 am</p>	<p>Early Literacy Center Library Northwest Branch 2855 Helena Drive, NW Carroll, Ohio</p>	<p><i>Registration not required</i> For more information, contact Rebecca Nixon at (740)652-7225 ext.3231</p>	<p>Free</p>
<p><b>Family Fun Day: Canoeing and Archery</b></p> <p>Certified Canoe and Archery instructors will teach skills for each activity. Equipment provided. Park in the front lot, then meet at the log cabin for an exciting morning!</p>	<p>June 9 9:30 am- 12:00 noon</p>	<p>Alley Park 2805 Old Logan Rd, SE Lancaster, Ohio</p>	<p><i>Registration not required</i> Email <a href="mailto:alleyparkoe@yahoo.com">alleyparkoe@yahoo.com</a> for more information</p>	<p>\$5 Per person / \$12 Per Family (3 or more)</p>
<p><b>Family Fun Night</b></p> <p>FAIRHOPE Hospice's PALS Child, Teen and Family Grief Support program will be hosting a Family Fun Night in June, July and August! Activities are designed to help families honor who they are as a family today.</p>	<p>June 10 July 15 August 19 4:00-5:30 pm</p>	<p>FAIRHOPE 282 Sells Road Lancaster, Ohio</p>	<p><i>Registration required</i> Please contact Tracey at 740-785-6546 for more information and to register</p>	<p>Free</p>
<p><b>Family Outdoor Cooking</b></p> <p>Learn some recipes and ways to cook meals outdoors. Cooking over the campfire and coals in Dutch ovens, kettles, pie irons, and roasting sticks. Plenty of food to sample along the way! Meet in the back parking lot by the Goslin Nature Center.</p>	<p>June 24 4:00-6:00 pm</p>	<p>Alley Park 2805 Old Logan Rd, SE Lancaster, Ohio</p>	<p><i>Registration required</i> Email <a href="mailto:alleyparkoe@yahoo.com">alleyparkoe@yahoo.com</a> for more information and to register by June 18</p>	<p>\$5 Per person</p>

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<p><b>FCDL (Fairfield County District Library)</b></p> <p>There is so much to enjoy at the FCDL this summer! Be sure to sign up for the summer reading program beginning June 1st and take part in all the activities available at libraries throughout the county! Harry Potter will be celebrating his birthday with activities taking place at various locations downtown Lancaster starting July 23rd and at each of the libraries July 31st thru August 4th. Check out the library this summer-you'll be glad you did!!</p>	June July August	Fairfield County District Libraries	<p><i>Registration required for some events</i></p> <p>fcdlibrary.org will have all of the information you will need for each event and the ability to register for those needing advance registration</p>	Free
<p><b>Fern Hike</b></p> <p>Did you know that Wahkeena is home to 33 species of ferns? Join a naturalist and learn to identify some of the most common species and discover their unique life histories. This hike is geared for those ages 12 and up.</p>	June 10 1:00-2:30 pm	Wahkeena Nature Preserve 2200 Pump Station Rd. Sugar Grove, Ohio	<p><i>Registration not required</i></p> <p>Visit <a href="http://historicalparks.org/wahkeenanature-preserve">historicalparks.org/wahkeenanature-preserve</a> for more information</p>	Free
<p><b>First Day Jitters</b></p> <p>Do you have butterflies in your tummy about the first day of school? Join us for our first day jitters program. We will talk about school and we'll go over colors, shapes, 123's and ABC's!</p>	August 10 2:00 pm	Early Literacy Center Library Northwest Branch 2855 Helena Drive, NW Carroll, Ohio	<p><i>Registration not required</i></p> <p>Visit <a href="http://fcdlibrary.org">fcdlibrary.org</a> for more information</p>	Free
<p><b>First Five Years (3 Class Series)</b></p> <p>Parents of children ages birth –5 will learn fundamental skills and attitudes necessary for successful parenting in early childhood. Learn stages of development, parenting styles, non-violent discipline skills, practice techniques for self-calming and prepare your child for school success!</p>	June 12, 19 & 26 6:30-8:30 pm	Family, Adult and Children First Council 831 College Avenue Lancaster, Ohio	<p><i>Registration required</i></p> <p>Contact Pam Redding at 740-652-7287 or <a href="mailto:pamela.redding@fairfield.countyohio.gov">pamela.redding@fairfield.countyohio.gov</a> for more information</p>	Free
<p><b>Food Fun for Families</b></p> <p>Come for the food and stay for the fun! Fairfield Department of Health, Fairfield County District Library, and OSU Extension Office are hosting a summer event of fresh produce for parents and children under 5 years. Join us for the taste testing, activities &amp; information on local farmer's markets. June 7 &amp; August 2 will take place at the Main Library, June 28 &amp; July 26 at the Fairfield Dept. of Health, and July 12 at the Northwest Library Branch.</p>	June 7, 11:00 am June 28, 10:00 am July 12, 11:00 am July 26, 10:00 am August 2, 11:00 am	Fairfield Dept. of Health & Fairfield County District Library Main & Northwest Branches	<p><i>Registration not required</i></p> <p>Contact Shannon Carter at <a href="mailto:carter.413@osu.edu">carter.413@osu.edu</a> for more information</p>	Free
<p><b>Friday Night Bandstand</b></p> <p>Enjoy music in the open air in downtown Lancaster! Bring your family, friends, some lawn chairs and then sit back and relax listening to the wonderful performers!</p>	Fridays June 1 to August 17 7:00-8:30 pm	Downtown Lancaster Bandstand 109 N Broad Street Lancaster, Ohio	<p><i>Registration not required</i></p> <p>For more information visit <a href="http://www.ci.lancaster.oh.us">www.ci.lancaster.oh.us</a></p>	Free
<p><b>Friday Night Flicks</b></p> <p>Bring a lawn chair or blanket and enjoy a free, family-friendly movie on the white barn at the Sycamore Creek Park Amphitheater in Pickerington on Friday nights!</p>	Fridays in June & July Dusk (8:45-9:00 pm)	Sycamore Creek Park Amphitheater 500 Hereford Drive Pickerington, Ohio	<p><i>Registration not required</i></p> <p>For more information, visit <a href="http://www.pickerington.net/parks">www.pickerington.net/parks</a> and rec summer guide</p>	Free
<p><b>It's Okay To Go Out and Play!</b></p> <p>The United Way of Fairfield County is hosting this wonderful day of action at Fountain Square in Lancaster. This free event is geared for children ages 3-12 and their parents stressing the importance of outdoor play! Many enjoyable activities will be available to all!</p>	June 21 9:00 am-12:00 noon	Fountain Square 115 S Broad Street Lancaster, Ohio	<p><i>Registration not required</i></p> <p>For more information, visit the United Way of Fairfield County website: <a href="http://uwayfairfieldco.org">uwayfairfieldco.org</a></p>	Free
<p><b>Night Hike</b></p> <p>Bring along a flashlight for your adventures on the trail. Whoooo knows what you might find along the way! Fun for all ages. The hike leader will meet you in the front parking lot of Alley Park.</p>	August 8:30-10:00 pm	Alley Park 2805 Old Logan Rd, SE Lancaster, Ohio	<p><i>Registration not required</i></p> <p>Email <a href="mailto:alleyparkoe@yahoo.com">alleyparkoe@yahoo.com</a> for more information</p>	Free

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<b>Open Nature Center</b> Take a respite from hiking and visit the lower level of the Goslin Nature Education Center. An outdoor educator will be on duty answering questions about our displays and animals.	Sundays in June, July & August 1:00-4:00 pm	Alley Park 2805 Old Logan Rd, SE Lancaster, Ohio	<i>Registration not required</i> Email alleyparkoe@yahoo.com for more information	Free
<b>PDHC (Pregnancy Decision Health Center)</b> Join other parents to discuss the key topic of the day (healthy babies, child development, safe sleep, newborn care, etc.) that contribute to you and your baby's health and well-being! Hear from the experts and meet new friends!	Tuesdays in June & July 1:00-2:30 pm	PDHC 1590 E. Main Street Lancaster, Ohio	<i>Registration not required.</i> For more information contact JaimyC@pdhc.org	Free
<b>Rock Mill Weekends</b> Enjoy this free family-friendly event and tour this stunning 1824 grist mill that stands 90 feet above the gorge of Hocking River Falls! Grinding demonstrations will be held from 1:00-3:00 weather permitting.	June 24 July 29 August 26 12:00-4:00 pm	Rock Mill Park 1429 Rock Mill Place, N W Lancaster, Ohio	<i>Registration not required.</i> Visit <a href="http://www.historicalparks.org">www.historicalparks.org</a> for more information	Free
<b>Saturday Cinema</b> Bring your blankets, chairs, family and friends to the Bandstand in Downtown Lancaster to enjoy a free, family-friendly movie under the stars! Free children's activities will begin an hour before show time. All movies begin at dusk—between 8:30 & 9:00 pm.	June 9 July 14 August 11 Dusk (8:30-9:00 pm)	Downtown Lancaster Bandstand 109 N Broad Street Lancaster, Ohio	<i>Registration not required.</i> For more information visit DestinationDowntown Lancaster.com	Free  (Snack & drinks available for purchase)
<b>Star Gazing</b> Volunteers will be available with their telescopes, and they will gladly help teach you to set up yours if you have one. View the moon and the stars as they shine upon us! Meet in the field across from the park entrance of Alley Park.	August 18 8:00 pm	Alley Park 2805 Old Logan Rd, SE Lancaster, Ohio	<i>Registration not required</i> For more information, email alleyparkoe@yahoo.com	Free
<b>Summer Concert Series</b> Bring a blanket or lawn chair and enjoy a variety of music with family and friends throughout the summer!	Sundays June 3 to July 29 7:00-8:30 pm	Sycamore Creek Park Amphitheater 500 Hereford Drive Pickerington, Ohio	<i>Registration not required.</i> For more information visit <a href="http://www.pickerington.net">www.pickerington.net</a>	Free
<b>Triple P (Power of Positive Parenting)</b> Are you a parents of children age birth –8? Join us for 1, 2 or all 4 sessions as we discuss the following topics: Dealing with Disobedience, Hassle-Free Shopping, Managing Fighting & Aggression, and Developing Good Bedtime Routines.	June 7, 14, 21 & 28 6:30-8:30 pm	Family, Adult and Children First Council 831 College Avenue Lancaster, Ohio	<i>Registration required.</i> Contact 740-652-7287 or pamela.redding @fairfield.countyohio.gov for more information	Free
<b>Victoria Players Children's Theater— Mary Poppins Jr; Lion King Kids</b> Bring the entire family and enjoy Mary Poppins Jr. in July and Lion King Kids in August presented by children in our community!	July 13, 14 & 15  August 10 & 11	Bloom Carroll Middle School and Victoria Opera House Baltimore, Ohio	<i>Registration not required.</i> For more information visit victoriaoperahouse.org or victoriaplayerstheater @gmail.com	Contact for price of tickets
<b>Youth Fishing Derby</b> Enjoy a morning fishing on the pond with your friends and family. Prizes in all age groups for most fish and biggest fish caught. Bring your own fishing pole, secret bait and pail. Everything is free, and pre-registration is required by July 26.	July 28 9:30-11:00am	Sycamore Creek Park Pond Hilltop Drive Pickerington, Ohio	<i>Registration required</i> Visit <a href="http://www.pickerington.net">www.pickerington.net</a> for more information and to register	Free

**For more Family Resource information, browse the following websites!**

Fairfield County Family, Adult, and Children First Council: [www.facfc.org](http://www.facfc.org)

Fairfield County ADAMH Board website at [www.fairfieldadamh.org](http://www.fairfieldadamh.org)

AHA! A Children's Museum: [www.aha4kids.org](http://www.aha4kids.org)

Fairfield County District Library: [www.fcdlibrary.org](http://www.fcdlibrary.org)

Fairfield Medical Center: [www.fmchealth.org](http://www.fmchealth.org)

Family Y, Lancaster: [www.ymcalancaester.org](http://www.ymcalancaester.org)

Lancaster Festival: [www.lancasterfestival.org](http://www.lancasterfestival.org)

Fairfield County Schools: [faircoesc.org](http://faircoesc.org)

Lancaster City Schools: [Lancaster.k12.oh.us](http://Lancaster.k12.oh.us)

Lancaster Parks & Recreation: [www.ci.lancaster.oh.us](http://www.ci.lancaster.oh.us)

Pickerington Parks & Recreation: [www.pickerington.net](http://www.pickerington.net)

Fairfield County Historical Parks & Recreation: [www.historicalparks.org](http://www.historicalparks.org)

Destination Downtown: [www.DestinationDowntownLancaster.com](http://www.DestinationDowntownLancaster.com)

**PARENT AND FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS**

DESCRIPTION	DATE/TIME	LOCATION	REGISTRATION	COST
<p><b>Children in Between</b> The Children In Between Program assists parents in understanding their children's reactions to divorce / separation, teaches skills to reduce conflict &amp; to become successful co-parents. The class is offered on-line or in person.</p>	For class schedule, call 740-652-7873	Visitation Center 227 E. Main Street Lancaster, Ohio	<i>Registration required</i> For more information and to register, e-mail Amy.Koenig@fairfieldcountyohio.gov or call 740-652-7873	Free
<p><b>Coffee, Tea, &amp; Autism / Pickerington Playgroup &amp; Parent Meet-Up</b> This support group is led by volunteers whose lives have been touched by autism. Sometimes the best support &amp; information comes from others living the same journey! For children ages toddler to 6th grade &amp; siblings welcome! Childcare provided.</p>	June 21 July 19 August 16 6:30 pm	Trinity Family Life Center 6389 Blacklick-Eastern Rd Pickerington	<i>Registration preferred</i> Please contact Julie for more information at 740-652-7220 or jbruckelmeyer@fairfielddd.com	Free
<p><b>Downs Syndrome Playgroup</b> This is a parent-led playgroup for children ages 6 and younger with Downs Syndrome. Held at the Early Literacy Center, parents and children can join this group anytime to meet new families and have a fun time.</p>	June 16 July 21 August 18 10:30 am-12:00 noon	Early Literacy Center, Library Northwest Branch 2855 Helena Dr, NW Carroll, Ohio	<i>Registration not required.</i> For more information, contact Renee Wolfe at reneewolfe0812@yahoo.com	Free
<p><b>Gale Courses</b> Online learning for parents anytime, anywhere! Gale Courses offers courses on child development at no cost to you if you are a FCDLibrary card holder in good standing!</p>	On-going	Fairfield County District Library Branches throughout the county	<i>Registration required.</i> For more information, contact the Fairfield County District Library at www.fcdlibrary.org	Free
<p><b>Family &amp; Loved Ones Group</b> This educational support for family and friends of those who may be experiencing a form of addiction are invited to join this group. Feel free to contact the Recovery Center for more information.</p>	Every Thursday 6:00-7:30 pm	The Recovery Center (Basement Meeting Room) 201 S. Columbus Street Lancaster, Ohio	<i>Registration preferred.</i> Call the Recovery Center at 740-687-4500	Free
<p><b>Mental Health First Aid</b> This 8-hour course teaches you how to help someone who may be experiencing a mental health or substance use challenge. The training helps you identify, understand and respond to signs of addictions and mental illnesses.</p>	Check the Fairfield County ADAMH Board website for current class schedule	Check the Fairfield County ADAMH Board website for class location	<i>Registration required.</i> For class schedule and to register, visit www.fairfieldadamh.org	Free
<p><b>NAMI — National Alliance on Mental Health Fairfield Family Support Group</b> A group designed to foster learning, healing and empowerment among parents and families of children with emotional, mental, and neurobiological disorders.</p>	June 18 July 16 August 20 7:00-8:00 pm	Polaris Home Funding Corporation 302 E. Main Street Lancaster, Ohio	<i>Registration not required.</i> For more information, Contact Mark Conrad at 740-243-4933	Free
<p><b>Sensory Friendly Movies</b> Sensory-friendly showings of child-friendly movies at Cinemark Lancaster! A comfortable environment with lights turned up &amp; sound lowered giving children with special needs the freedom to self-regulate without disturbing others.</p>	Call for listings or check the website for current showings	Cinemark Theater River Valley Mall Lancaster, Ohio	For more information, call (740)653-9733 or contact www.socil.org www.Cinemark.com and enter 43130 (Lancaster's zip)	For cost, call ahead or see website.
<p><b>Tyler's Light Family Support Groups</b> Drug education and awareness for students, families, and communities. Family Support Groups meet in Pickerington on Tuesdays and Lancaster on Thursdays; Grief Support Group takes place in Pickerington the 2nd Thursday of the month.</p>	Tuesdays Thursdays 2nd Thursdays 7:00 pm	Visit the Fairfield County ADAMH Board website at www.fairfieldadamh.org for class location	<i>Registration not required</i> For more information, visit www.tylerslight.com or www.fairfieldadamh.org	Free

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To list programs in the upcoming Fall Calendar, contact Pam Redding by July 21st at: 740-652-7287 or pamela.redding@fairfieldcountyohio.gov