



R.E.C. Connect

August 2026



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3 Outing - Recycling Center Open House, STEM Activity, Outdoor Recreation and Splash Pad
9:30-2:30 PM TPD

4 Outing - Touch a Truck @ Library, Creative Arts, Open Gym
9:30-2:30 PM

GVSU Carillon Concert & Food Trucks
4:00-7:00PM 💰 TPD

5 Outing - Coopersville Summerfest, Cooking
9:30-3:00 PM TPD

Dinner & Color War @ IKUS
4:30-8PM TPD

6 Outing - Grand Rapids Popcorn Company, Fitness and Recreation, Card Games
9:30-2:30 PM

Music Bingo
2:45-4:30 PM TD

7 Outing - Schuler Books and Horrocks Market, Lunch at Horrocks
9:30-2:30 PM 💰🍷 TPD

1 Summer Tropical Pool Party
9:30-2:30 PM TPD

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10 Outing - Thrift Stores, Movie @ IKUS
9:30-2:30 PM TPD

11 Outing - Ollies, Baking, Fitness and Recreation
9:30-2:30 PM

Water Balloon Games
2:45-4:30 PM TD

12 Outing - Coffee and Coloring @ Library, Lunch @ Mulligan's Hollow Park
9:30-3:00 PM 🍷 TPD

13 Outing - Safari Day @ John Ball Zoo, Creative Arts, Outdoor Recreation
9:30-2:30 PM

Taco Bell 💰
2:45-4:30 PM TD

14 Outing - Mini Golf @ Double Dip Depot, Lunch @ Arbys, Creative Arts
9:30-2:30 PM 💰🍷 TPD

15 Movie & Pizza Party @ IKUS
9:30-2:30 PM TPD

17 Outing - Grand Rapids Public Museum, Lunch at the Museum, Fitness and Recreation
9:30-2:30 PM TPD

18 Outing - Fredrick Meijer Gardens, Wii Bowling Tournament, Creative Arts
9:30-2:30 PM

Wendys
2:45-4:30 PM 💰 TD

19 Outing - Holland Farmers Market, Fitness and Recreation, Bingo
9:30-3:00 PM TPD

20 Outing - Biggby and Thrift Store, STEM Activity, Jeopardy
9:30-2:30 PM

Tie Dye Tshirts
2:45-4:30 PM TD

21 Outing - Tri Cities Historical Museum, Lunch Downtown Grand Haven, Creative Arts
9:30-2:30 PM 💰🍷 TPD

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24 Outing - Hager Park, Creative Arts, Bingo
9:30-2:30 PM TPD

25 Outing - Kenzie's Be Cafe, Create Your Own Comic
9:30-2:30 PM

Bracelet Making and Sticker by Number
2:45-4:30 PM TD

26 Outing - Bingo Hour @ Library, Creative Arts, Outdoor Recreation and Splash Pad
9:30-3:00 PM TPD

27 Outing - Hudsonville Fair
9:30-2:30 PM 🍷💰

Campfire and S'mores
2:45-4:30 PM TD

28 Movie @ IKUS, Cooking, Creative Arts
9:30-2:30 PM TPD

29 Victory Day @ Coopersville High School, Lunch @ 76th Street Diner
8:30-2 PM 💰 TPD

31 Outing - John Ball Zoo, Puzzles and Board Games, Wii Games
9:30-2:30 PM TPD



These programs and services are made possible with funding from the Community Mental Health of Ottawa County Mental Health Millage.

Transportation Provided for Ottawa County Members

TD : Transportation Drop off Options

TP : Transportation Pick Up Options

TPD : Transportation Pick Up and/or Drop Off Options



Option to Buy Food

Bring Sack Meal - no microwave available

Registering for R.E.C. Connect

Pre-registration is required for all classes, activities, & special events. To register, email maten@ikuslife.org or call (616) 677-5251 ext. 119.

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All scheduled activities are open to community members, activities are subject to change, please reach out if interested in attending any of the scheduled activities!

Programs & Outings

- 1st - Annual Tropical Pool Party- Join us for our end of the summer party! There will be swimming, pizza, and games. RSVP required, cost \$2.
- 4th - GVSU Carillon Concert & Food Trucks -
- 5th - Dinner and Color War @ IKUS - Join us in a color war + other water fun activities. Make sure to bring a swimsuit or clothes you don't mind getting (nonpermanent) color on. Dinner will be provided at camp. We will have limited transportation.
- 12th - Please bring a cold lunch to eat at the park.
- 27th - Hudsonville Fair- Enjoy games, rides, and seeing animals!
- 29th - Coopersville Victory Day- Here's your chance to hear your name announced over the football stadium speakers and try out a variety of sports alongside local athletes!



A Few Notes

- Members are required to bring your own lunch. For days where programming is to go out for lunch, you have the option to bring your own lunch or to purchase a lunch.
- For schedule changes that occur the week of a specific event please call (616) 677-5251 ext. 119 to notify staff.
- Friday and Saturday programming - drop off and pick up at the Kate Pew Wolters Center. There are options for Ottawa County members to be picked up and dropped off on these days. Please request pick up and drop off transportation when signing up for the month. R.E.C. Connect manager will know what is available, once all signups are received.