

Orion Center Newsletter



Orion Township Community Programs 1335 Joslyn Rd. Lake Orion 48360 (248) 391-0304 ext. 305

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Orion Seniors

Tigers vs. White Sox Game

Wednesday, August 31st 10:30 am

Fee: \$45.00 Code: 7118.311 Registration Required



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Orion Center Re-opens in Mid July!!

Orion Center introduces New Summer Classes and Programs

The Orion Center Senior Advisory Council and the staff at the Orion Center is working on several new programs at the building for seniors. On the third Tuesday of each month the Orion Township Library staff and Orion Center staff will be offering a monthly series called **Tech Talk** which will assist seniors with the use of mobile devices like tablets and phones. It will begin with an introduction to Apple and Android devices, how to do email, using Facebook and how to use online resources offered by the library including Overdrive and Hoopla to enjoy music, e-books and movies. This free program begins August 16.

We will also be offering a Men's Breakfast Treats and Talk series called **Java Joes** on the second Monday of the Month at 9:30 am which will feature speakers on politics, men's interests and community issues. A list of speakers will be available at the center and online. This free series begins on August 8.

A free Women's Talk and Tea Series called **Vital-I-Teas** will start in August on the second Monday of the month in the afternoon at 1:00 pm beginning with a Chicken Soup for the Soul Luncheon to kick off the series. The August 8th speaker will be Penny Shults, Orion Township Clerk, speaking on motivation and inspiration. Join us!!



Visit our Website at www.oriontownship.org

Phone: 248-391-0304 x 305

Visit Facebook at Orion Township Community Programs

Hotline/ Cancellations: 248-393-7040

Community Programs and Services Page 2

Friends of Orion Center Seniors welcome individuals of any age to join and volunteer their time and talents on committee work, fundraisers and other opportunities needed to support our goals. The mission of the Friends Group is to enhance independence, dignity, self respect and quality of life for the Senior Community; to provide Orion Center program awareness, supplementing services and resources to seniors through the Orion Center. The group is a volunteer 501 © (3) organization dedicated to raising funds for the Orion Center Seniors (age 50+).

Give a gift or donation to the Friends of Orion Center Seniors to support programs, trips, lunches, special events and activities at the Orion Center in 2016!!! Meetings are held the 4th Wednesday of the month at 10:00 am.



Become a Member at the Orion Center for 50+ Orion Township Residents and Non Residents

Membership to the Orion Center is free for 50+ residents and non residents of Orion Township. All you need to do is to stop by the Orion Center at 1335 Joslyn Road and fill out an application. We will give you a photo id card. This card can be used to enroll at Great Lakes Athletic Club for programs on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11 am to 2 pm. It is also used for our exercise room for seniors 62+ at the Orion Center. Call 248-391-0304 x 305 for more information.



From the Director

Lisa Sokol

Orion Center



The Community Programs Department at the Orion Center was chosen by the Detroit Institute of Arts to host a DIA Inside Out Exhibit of seven pieces of art reproductions to be shown outdoors at Wildwood, Civic Center Park, the Orion Center, Polly Ann Trail, Orion Township Library, Oakland County Dog Park, Friendship Park and at Camp Agawam. Many events will surround these pieces of art in our community including a Summer Sizzle event, Concerts in the Park, a 5 K run, art programs and activities, trips to the Detroit Institute of Arts and many other art based activities. We hope to also host a Day with the DIA at the Orion Center at the day of Summer Sizzle. Stay tuned for great opportunities to appreciate art in Orion.



For information on Meals on Wheels during the week or to drive on weekdays call the Kitchen at 248-391-0304 x 313. To drive on weekends, call 248-391-0304 x 324. Weekend delivers to Orion & Oxford.

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NEW!! Tech Talk Learn about Your Tablets and Phones

Learn how to use your tablets and phones with specialists from Orion Township Public Library and Dr. Bob Hazzard. Join us for sessions on Android devices at 10:00 am and Apple devices at 11:00 am.



Tech Talk for Android -Only Fee: Free

Code	Day	Date	Topic	Age
5435.440	Tu	Aug 16	Intro To Your Device	50+
5305.441	Tu	Sep 20	Email & Messaging	50+
5305.424	Tu	Oct 18	Facebook	50+
5305.443	Tu	Nov 15	Library Resources for Your Tablets/Phone	50+

Tech Talk for Apple-Only Fee: Free

Code	Day	Date	Topic	Age
5405.440	Tu	Aug 16	Intro To Your Device	50+
5405.441	Tu	Sep 20	Email & Messaging	50+
5405.442	Tu	Oct 18	Facebook	50+
5305.443	Tu	Nov 15	Library Resources for Your Tablets/Phone	50+

Program Descriptions

Intro to Your Device will cover the basics from how to turn it on, loading apps, navigating your phone or tablet, learning how to....

Emailing and Messaging will cover how to get in touch with family and friends using email and messaging and other apps.

Facebook Keep in touch with your family and friends near and far! Learn how to install the Facebook app, create an account, use the main functions of Facebook and install and use Facebook Messenger.

Library Resources for your Tablet and Phone– Enjoy e-books, audio books, music and movies through the overdrive and Hoopla apps all on your device. A valid Orion Township Library Card in good standing is required.

Location: Orion Center, Multipurpose Room

Must enroll in class prior to the dates. You can enroll for one class or multiple classes.



Vital-I-Teas Dessert and Speaker Series for



Ladies at the Orion Center

Join our Ladies Vital-I-Teas Speaker and Dessert Series. These events will be the second Monday of the month. The series will explore women's topics including care giving, inspiration, grace and gratitude, hope, love and loyalty and how to live a life of fun and joy as we age.

Code	Day	Date	Time	Topic	Age
5305.420	M	Aug 8	1:00 pm	Chicken Soup for the Soul Inspiration	50+
5305.421	M	Sep 12	1:00 pm	Tell Me Your Story: Hope, Love and Loyalty	50+
5305.422	M	Oct 10	1:00 pm	Source of My Strength	50+

Location: Orion Center, Room A Fee: Free
Pre-registration Required.



Java Joes: Coffee, Conversation and Senior

Topics for Men

Join us for free coffee, breakfast treats and conversation at the Orion Center. Talk about your opinions, interests and issues with local politicians, speakers on interesting topics for seniors as well as issues that are relevant for men.

Code	Day	Date	Time	Topic	Age
5305.430	M	Aug 8	9:30-11:00 am	Men's Breakfast and Speaker	50+
5305.431	M	Sep 12	9:30-11:00 am	Men's Breakfast and Speaker	50+
5305.432	M	Oct 10	9:30-11:00 am	Men's Breakfast and Speaker	50+

Location: Orion Center, Room A Fee: FREE



Calendar Spring Lunches, Events & Trips Page 4

Events & Programs

July 2016

- July 5 Concert First Baptist Church Wildwood
- July 6 DIA Speaker and Luncheon at OC Series
- July 12 Lake Orion Bands Wildwood
- July 14 Miniature Fairy Garden at Camp Agawam
- July 19 Concert North Oakland Dixieland Band Wildwood
- July 26 Roy Rouse as Elvis Wildwood
- July 28 Summer Sizzle

August 2016

- August 2 Concert Rich Eddies Wildwood
- August 3 DIA Speaker and Luncheon at OC Series
- August 8 Vital-I-Teas Dessert and Speaker Series
- August 8 Java Joes Coffee, Conversation
- August 16 Tech Talk Tablet and Phone Series begins
- August 17 Picnic on the Porch



September 2016

- September 7 DIA Speaker and Luncheon at OC Series
- September 7 Seven Ponds Nature Center & Past Tense Trip
- September 12 Java Joes & Vital-I-Teas
- September 15 DIA Inside|Out Tour of Oxford Sites
- September 20 Tech Talk: Email & Messaging
- September 21 A Historical Trip to the White Horse Inn
- September 23 Closet Clean -Out

Picnic on the Porch Luncheon

Come celebrate Summer with the Paint Creek Boys. Enjoy good food, song and great friends. Pre-registration required.



Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
5100.321	W	Aug 17	12:00-1:30pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, 1335 Joslyn Rd
 Fee: \$6



A Historical Trip to the White Horse Inn

Have lunch at the historic White Horse Inn in Metamora. Lunch on your own, History of the Inn, Shopping at the Antique Shop across the street. Registration required.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
7114.300	W	Sep 21	10:00am-3:30pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, 1335 Joslyn Rd
 Fee: \$15

Seven Ponds Nature Center & Past Tense Cider Mill Trip

Join us for a wonderful fall day in Michigan with a trip to Seven Ponds Nature Center and to Past Tense Cider Mill. At Seven Ponds, a National Audubon Society site, we will go on a naturalist lead Seasonal Nature Walk where you can see all the different wildlife they house. After the walk take some time to visit the Discovery Room or sit outside and watch the birds. Then we will head to Past Tense Cider Mill for lunch, cider and donuts, and shopping. Membership and pre-registration required.



Code	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Age
7053.350	Sep 7	W	9:30 am-3:30 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center
 Fee: \$13



DIA Inside Out Events & Trips to the DIA Page 5

DIA Inside Out Tour of Lake Orion Sites and Lunch

Visit DIA works of art on display in Lake Orion at Friendship Park, Orion Township Public Library, Camp Agawam, Orion Center, Oakland County Dog Park, Wildwood Amphitheatre and Polly Ann Trail. Have lunch at The C Pub at Canterbury Village. Enjoy an outdoor cultural tour of our artwork from the Detroit Institute of Arts.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
7010.301	Th	Aug 18	10:00-2:00 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, 1335 Joslyn Rd
 Fee: \$10, Lunch at your cost



DIA Inside Out Tour of Oxford Sites and Lunch

Visit DIA works of art on display in Oxford in their community in the parks, village, library and other sites. Have lunch at Red Knapp's American Grill. Get some culture by viewing these different works of art as we walk the town.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
7010.302	Th	Sep 15	10:00 -2:00 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, 1335 Joslyn Rd
 Fee: \$10, Lunch at your cost



DIA Inside Out Tour of Romeo Sites and Lunch

Visit DIA works of art on display in Romeo in their community in the parks, village, library and other sites. Have lunch at Thee Office Pub. Get some culture by viewing these different works of art as we walk and travel throughout the town.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
7010.300	Th	Oct 13	10:00-2:00 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, 1335 Joslyn Rd
 Fee: \$10, Lunch at your cost



DIA Speaker and Luncheon Series

Come to the Orion Center for Lunch and a Speaker from the Detroit Institute of Arts talking about the works on display at the DIA. You will have lunch and listen to a speaker on the topics listed below. Each date will require advance registration one week prior to the date and will cost \$6 per person per talk.

Code	Day	Date	Time	Topic
7010.303	W	Jul 6	12:00-1:30 pm	DIA: The Essentials
7010.304	W	Aug 3	12:00-1:30 pm	Your DIA
7010.305	W	Sep 7	12:00-1:30 pm	Through Her Eyes: Women Artists
7010.306	W	Oct 5	12:00-1:30 pm	Ordinary People by Extraordinary Artists: Degas, Renoir & Friends
7010.307	W	Nov 2	12:00-1:30 pm	Picturing Music

Location: Orion Center, 1335 Joslyn Rd
 Fee: \$6 per person per luncheon event



DIA Inside Out Family Bus Trip

Visit the exhibit: The Open Road: Photography and the American Road Trip at the Detroit Institute of Arts.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time
7010.308	Th	Aug 19	9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Location: Orion Center, 1335 Joslyn Rd
 Fee: \$5 per person



DIA Inside Out Senior Bus Trip

Visit the exhibit: The Open Road: Photography and the American Road Trip at the Detroit Institute of Arts.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
7010.309	Th	Oct 20	9:00 am --4:00 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, 1335 Joslyn Rd
 Fee: \$5 per person



Health, Exercise and Wellness Services Page 6

Beaumont Advance Stability

Beaumont

This club will meet every Wednesday in the Beaumont Room. Come exercise with Beaumont and the Beaumont Team. Membership and pre-registration is required.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3053.422	W	Sep 14 - Oct 19	10:30 -11:15 am	50+

Location: Orion Center, Wellness Room

Fee: \$6

Beaumont Matter of Balance

This Free program emphasizes practical strategies to manage falls. The Beaumont team will be here to guide you through this class. Membership and pre-registration is required.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3053.423	Tu	Sep 13-Nov 1	10:00 -12:00 am	50+

Location: Orion Center, Wellness Room

Fee: FREE

Stay Strong Exercise Class

This class meets every Tuesday and Friday. Learn stretching and exercises from a chair. An energizing way to start your day. Membership and pre-registration required. Late registration accepted.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3500.312	Tu	Jun 21-Aug 30	10:00-11:00 am	50+
3500.303	F	Jun 24-Aug 26	10:00-11:00 am	50+

Location: Orion Center, Fitness Room

Fee: \$7 Res, \$14 Non Res

Exercise Room at the Orion Center

A great place to exercise! Hours: Mon-Fri 9:00 am-4:00 pm. Closed daily during lunch from 12:30 to 1:30 pm. You must be 62 or older with a membership to use the Exercise Room.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
8016.107	M-F	Jul	9:00 am-4:00 pm	62+
8016.108	M-F	Aug	9:00 am-4:00 pm	62+
8016.109	M-F	Sept	9:00 am-4:00 pm	62+
8016.110	M-F	Oct	9:00 am-4:00 pm	62+

Location: Orion Center, 1335 Joslyn Rd

Fee: \$6/month residents, \$12/month non-residents



NEW DATE

**2016 Senior Living Expo
&
Beaumont Health Screening
Wednesday, August 24, 2016
11:00 am.- 3:00 pm.**



**Orion Center
1335 Joslyn Road
Lake Orion, MI 48360
(248-391-0304 ext. 301)
www.oriontownship.org**

As the largest segment of Michigan's Adult population continues to age, questions regarding retirement, housing issues, financial security and healthcare are on the minds of many seniors and their families.

This year's Senior Living Expo & Health Screening will have new and exciting vendors who will address your questions and help with what's coming next.. We will also have FREE Screenings provided by Beaumont.

- Diabetes Education
- Transportation
- Fall Risk Screening
- New Classes
- Blood Glucose Testing
- Health Care and Benefits
- Insurance
- Senior Housing & Home Care

Beaumont



Hatha Yoga Gentle Class

In this gentle yoga class you will learn the foundational poses of yoga and begin to experience all the wonderful benefits. Gentle stretches to help increase flexibility and strength in the body, breathing and relaxation techniques to help to calm the mind. Please bring a yoga mat, strap and firm blanket with you to class.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
1500.339	M	Jul18-Aug8	5:45-6:45 pm	18+

Location: Orion Center

Fee: \$40; 4 wks



Hatha Yoga Continuing Class

In this yoga class we will review the foundational yoga poses learned in the gentle class and then link asanas and breathe in a flowing series. Yoga is a wonderful way to open and strengthen our bodies and calm our mind. Each class will include meditation and relaxation. Please bring a yoga mat, strap and firm blanket.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
1500.369	M	Jun13	7:00-8:20 pm	18+

Location: Orion Center Fee: \$40; 4 wks

Zumba Gold

Zumba Gold is a Latin inspired cardio workout, incorporating dances such as the merengue, salsa, cumbia, belly dancing and more! This class is different from regular Zumba in that it provides more verbal instruction to better learn the moves and is done at a slower pace. Great class for someone new to exercise or someone hesitant to try the regular Zumba. You will have so much fun dancing, you will forget you're working out! It's exercise in disguise! **Discount is only available with on-site registration and if registering for two or more sessions on the same receipt.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
1540.300	M	Jun 6 - 27	9:30-10:30 am	40+
1540.301	M	Jul 11 - Aug 1	9:30-10:30 am	40+

Location: Friendship Park (before July); Orion Center, 1335 Joslyn Road (after July)

Fee: \$35; 4 wks register for both sessions for \$64

Tai Chi for Health

Relaxing or invigorating, it's what you want it to be. Whatever your decision, it results in FUN! In Part 1, we begin learning the tai chi principles, as well as the beginning of the form. We'll engage all major joints in gentle, mindful movements. The health benefits include; stress reduction, improved balance, strength, flexibility, and fall prevention for an overall improvement in fitness level and an improved self-esteem.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
1530.205	W	Jun 1 - Jun 29	11:00 am-12:15 pm	40+
1530.305	W	Jul 13 - Aug 24	11:00 am-12:15 pm	40+

Location: Friendship Park Fee:\$43, 5 wks, both classes \$80



Summer Sizzle

1335 Joslyn Road Thursday, July 28 5:00-7:00 pm

- Grilled Hot Dogs
- Children's Carnival Games & Prizes
- Face Painting & Balloons
- Bounce House

Free for everyone! Come celebrate the Grand Re-Opening of the Orion Center with us!





Events & Camp Agawam Programs Page 10



Monarch Watch and Butterfly Garden Workshop at Camp Agawam

Support the Monarch Butterfly population in Michigan by creating a Monarch Waystation in your gardens and create your own butterfly garden. You will receive a packet of milkweed seeds for your garden. Learn about butterflies and the plants they need for their survival and lifecycle. Find out about the plants they prefer as herbs, annuals, perennials and shrubs.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time
2900.301	Th	Jun 9	10:00- 11:00 am

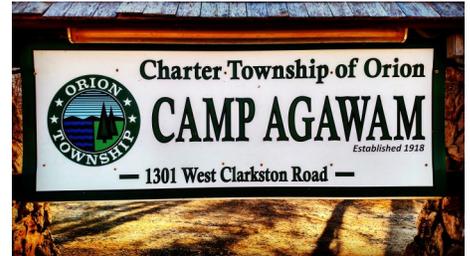
Location: Camp Agawam, 1301 W. Clarkston Rd, Alberici Lodge
 Fee: FREE

Create a Miniature Fairy Garden at Camp Agawam

Create a Miniature Fairy Garden in a terra cotta saucer with soil, plant, moss, stones and a small fairy figurine to decorate a miniature garden. Use natural materials you collect and items available at our class.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
2900.302	Th	Jul 14	10:00 – 11:00 am	All

Location: Camp Agawam, 1301 W. Clarkston Road, Alberici Lodge
 Fee: \$25



Camp Challenge Trail Run

Saturday, October 15

Camp Agawam, Alberici Lodge

Lace up for trail shoes and hit the hills and valleys, the gravel, mud and wooded areas of Orion Township's newest green space, Camp Agawam. Located in the heart of Orion, this beautiful and scenic 5K run will push you to the limits of your endurance as you traverse all types of terrain.



Registration Opens at 7:30 am on race day. Race starts at 9:00 am.

Fee: \$24, includes shirt, must be ordered before Sep. 10. \$15, race only. \$10, student discount (under 18) does not include shirt.

Bingo

Have fun with your friends and play bingo. Cards and chips provided. Come play a card or two with the members of the Orion Center. Membership and pre-registration required.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3516.301	Tu	Jul 12 - Sep 27	10:00-11:45 am	50+
3516.401	Tu	Oct 4 - Dec 13	10:00-11:45 am	50+
3517.301	Tu	July 12 - Sep 27	12:45-2:45 pm	50+
3517.401	Tu	Oct 4 - Dec 13	12:45-2:45 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, Game Room Fee: Free

Open Card Club

This club will meet on Wednesdays and Thursdays in our game room. Come meet new friends and play. Membership and pre-registration required.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3512.302	W & Th	Jul 6 - Sep 30	1:00-3:30 pm	50+
3512.401	W & Th	Oct 5 - Dec 15	1:00-3:30 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, Game Room Fee: Free

Open Game Day

Meet with friends and discover one of the many new games in our game room. Come play Scrabble, Cribbage and other games. Membership and pre-registration required.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3509.302	F	Jul 1 - Sep 29	12:30-3:30 pm	50+
3509.402	F	Oct 7 - Dec 16	12:30 -3:30 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, Art Room Fee: Free

Swim at the Lake Orion Natatorium

Great exercise workouts that will make you feel young again. Have fun in the water as you work out with Amy and Anne. Check with the instructor for cancellation dates. Call the Natatorium to register for these classes at 248-814-1715.

Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
W	Jun 20 - Jul 29	11:00 am -12:00 pm	40+

Location: Fitness Room Fee: \$43; 5 wks for both sessions \$80

Women's Only Learn & Play

Ladies, learn to play golf in a relaxed outdoor environment from golf instructor Mark Vagi. Each week includes a 30 minute group lesson covering putting, pitching and chipping instruction, full swing instruction with irons and wood. Nine holes of golf also included weekly. Build personal and business relationships and get exercise in the great outdoors. Join individually or with a group of friends or co-workers. Space is limited to 14 players. Any weeks rained out will extend program by one week.

Code	Day(s)	Date(s)	Time	Age
1060.303	M	May 9 - Aug 8	5:30 pm	15+
1060.304	Tu	May 10 - Aug 9	6:00 pm	15+

Location: Mulberry Hills Golf Course, 3530 Noble Rd. Oxford, 48371

Fee: \$264; 12 wks



August 25
6:30-8:00 pm with a **Twist**

Join our fun painting class with a twist! No painting experience necessary.

Come join in!

Code: 1520.2210 \$49, includes wine tasting



Sunset Paddle



Friday, August 12 7:45-9:00 pm

Camp Agawam

\$5 per kayak/canoe

*See the Outreach for more Information

Dinner Club

Dinner Club is held at area restaurants. We meet on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. Membership and pre-registration required, so that we may make the reservations.

Code	Day	Date	Time	Age	Location
3560.300	W	July 13	4:00 pm	50+	Culvers
3560.301	W	Aug 10	4:00 pm	50+	Christis
3560.301	W	Sep 14	4:00 pm	50 +	Red Knapp's

Location: Meeting at area restaurants Fee: Your cost

Ham Radio Club

This club meets the first Thursday of the month in the morning from 9:00-11:00 am and every Monday and Thursday night of the month from 6:00-9:00 pm. Ham radio allows people talk across the globe, wirelessly. Learn how to get started. Membership and pre-registration required.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3510.301	M & Th	Jul 3 - Sep 29	6:00 - 9:00 pm	50+
3510.401	M & Th	Oct 3 - Dec 15	6:00 - 9:00pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, Ham Radio Room Fee: Free

K4 Knitters/Crochet Club & Charity Knitters

Come knit with your friends! Membership and pre-registration required. Yarn donations accepted.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3501.301	M	Jul 11 - Sep 26	12:30 -3:30 pm	50+
3501.401	M	Oct 3 -Dec 12	12:30 -3:30 pm	50 +

Location: Orion Center, Game Room Fee: Free

Mahjong Club

Let's play Mahjong at the Orion Center. Like poker, you will learn a lot about your opponents as you play mahjong and adjust your strategy according to their strengths and weaknesses. Membership and pre-registration required. This is not an instructional class. Fee \$5

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3560.331	F	Jul 1 - Sep 30	10:30 am -3:30 pm	50+
3560.411	F	Oct 7 - Dec 16	10:30 am -3:30 pm	50+

Afternoon Movie Club

This club meets the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month at 1:00 pm. Come watch some great movies with us. Bring a friend. Popcorn will be ready for you. Call for upcoming movie schedule. Membership and pre-registration required.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age	Movie
3556.333	M	Aug 8	1:00 pm	50+	What Lies Beneath
3556.334	M	Aug 22	1:00 pm	50+	Remember the Titans
3556.335	M	Sep 12	1:00 pm	50+	First Knight
3556.336	M	Sep 26	1:00 pm	50+	For Richer or Poorer
3556.451	M	Oct 10	1:00 pm	50+	Failure to Launch
3556.452	M	Oct 24	1:00 pm	50+	Long Long Trailer

Location Orion Center, Multipurpose Room Fee: Free

Painting Club

Come join fellow artists! Relax and work on your projects in the Orion Center. This no-pressure atmosphere will allow you to work on your pieces at your own pace while enjoying the company of others with the same passion of painting.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3073.301	Tu	Jul 5 - Sep 27	10:00 am-2:00 pm	50+
3073.401	Tu	Oct 4 - Dec 13	10:00am-2:00pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, Art Room Fee : \$5

Quilting Club

Meet with friends and discover the world of quilting. Bring your current projects in for assistance from the club members. Sewing machines are provided in the room as well as tall tables to cut your work. Membership and pre-registration required.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3506.301	F	Jul 1 - Sep 30	9:00 am-12:00 pm	50+
3506.401	F	Oct 7 - Dec 16	9:00am-12:00 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, Art Room Fee: Free

Ask the Attorney

Our Attorney Dana Wilson will come and talk to you about your legal needs. Call the Orion Center and make your appointment today. Membership and pre-registration required.

Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
M	Jul 18	Appointments start at 1:00 pm	50+

Location: May Orion Township Public Library Free
July Orion Center, Orion Room Free

Alzheimer Support Group

This group meets the 3rd Wednesday of the month. Facilitator for the Alzheimer's group is Judy Shirley with the Alzheimer's Association. Hear how others are meeting the challenges. Respite Care provided. Learn what resources are available to help you.

Day	Date(s)	Time	Age	Location
W	Jun 15	1:00 - 2:30 pm	50+	Library
W	Jul 20	1:00 -2:30 pm	50+	Orion Ctr

Note: May and June at Orion Township Public Library

Spanish Language Club

Come meet with friends and discover something new. Our long-time instructor, Norm Gilbert, will work with you on conversational skills you need to know. Membership and pre-registration required.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
3508.301	Th	Jul 7 - Sep 29	1:00 - -3:00 pm	50+
3508.401	Th	Oct 6 - Dec 15	1:00 - 3:00 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, Multipurpose Room
Fee: FREE



German Club

Try something new at the Orion Center. Our member, Joachim Minkwitz, will work with you on your basic German skills. All you need to know to strike up a conversation on your vacation trip to Germany. Sehen sie dort; See you there. Membership and pre-registration required.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
359.301	W	Jul 13 - Sep 30	1:00-3:00 pm	50+

Location: Orion Center, Multipurpose Room
Fee: FREE

Tai Chi for Health

Relaxing or invigorating, it's what you want it to be. Whatever your decision, it results in FUN! In Part 1, we begin learning the tai chi principles, as well as the beginning of the form. We'll engage all major joints in gentle, mindful movements. The health benefits include; stress reduction, improved balance, strength, flexibility, and fall prevention for an overall improvement in fitness level and an improved self-esteem.

Code	Day	Date(s)	Time	Age
1530.205	W	Jun 1 - Jun 29	11:00 am-12:00 pm	40+

Location: Friendship Park Fee:\$43

North Oakland Transportation Authority (NOTA)

Website: www.notaride.org Phone: 248-693-7100

This van service with wheelchair capability is available to residents of Orion and Oxford Townships and the Villages of Orion and Oxford for seniors who are 60 years and older, disabled and /or low income. Visit the website and download an application and return it along with a driver's license or other proof of residency.

After you are an approved rider, call dispatch at 248-693-7100 for a ride at least 3 days in advance. Rides are reserved based on priority and availability. Fares are \$1 each way within Oxford and Orion and \$2 each way outside of the areas. Exact fare or tokens only.

Hours are Monday through Friday from 6:00am to 6:00pm, Saturday 8:00am to 4:00pm and Sunday from 8:00am to 2:00pm. Office scheduling hours are Monday to Friday.

Orion Township Public Library: Branch Library

Orion Township Public Library provides a branch library at the Orion Center for area seniors and residents. The library has large print books, magazines, books on CD and DVD, area newspapers, computers and computer classes. Computers are also available for use by patrons. Orion History Club and a Book Club meet on site. Services for Homebound can also be arranged through the Main Library on Joslyn Road. Book Clubs and classes in the Computer Lab are also available at the Main Library. For more information at the Orion Center, call 248-391-0304 x322. For the Main Library call 248-693-3000. The library website is www.orionlibrary.org Check out the new Library Newsletter arriving this summer or pick up at the library.



ONTV connects the community through television and video production. The ONTV Studios produces programming on cable stations. Public Access programs are shown on Comcast Channel 10/ AT&T Channel 99. Government Meetings for the Village of Lake Orion and Orion Township are shown on Comcast Channel 20/ AT&T Channel 99. Educational programs and Board of Education meetings are available on Comcast Channel 22 and AT&T Channel 99. Many of these locally produced programs can also be viewed on the website or on YouTube at OrionONTV. Production Classes are offered onsite as well. For more information contact 248-693-3377 or visit our website at www.orionONTV.org.

Learn production skills:
editing, camera work,
video production, short
film production, news
gathering, interviewing.



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Registration

Be sure to register for programs as soon as possible. Quick registry will assure your spot in a particular program and it will also assure that the program runs. For your convenience, there are several ways to register for our programs: via credit card using our online registration form from the Community Programs section of www.oriontownship.org or via cash or check by walk in at the Orion Center, Drop Box at the Orion Township offices or Mail-in. Please note, credit cards are only accepted for on-line registrations at this time. There is a non-refundable convenience fee for registering on-line.

General Refund Policy

A refund request in writing must be made prior to the beginning of the second class, regardless of attendance. No refunds will be issued for classes/events meeting once or twice unless requested 5 business days in advance of the start date.

All refunds are subject to a \$10 administration fee except those cancelled by the Community Programs Department which will be refunded in full. Online convenience fee is not covered under this policy.

Closing and Cancellations

Orion Township reserve the right to cancel programs due to insufficient registration, school closing or for inclement weather, holidays and vacations or conditions beyond our control. Cancellations due to inclement weather will be made up whenever possible.

To check for closures of our facilities, please use one of the following:

- www.cancellations.com
- Twitter <http://twitter.com/OTPR>
- Facebook search for Orion Township Community Programs
- Call the Hotline: 248-393-7040

Class Date Changes: If a class needs to be rescheduled or moved due to an unforeseen circumstance, advance notice will be given if possible.



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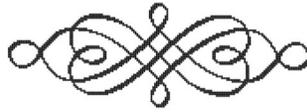
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Tuesdays 7:00-8:30 pm

Wildwood of Orion

2700 Joslyn Ct



Additional Information

Contact the Community Programs Department

at 248.391.0304 Ext 305 or visit
www.oriontownship.org for

cancellations due to weather call 248.393.7040

concerts in the Park

Bring your lawn chair or blanket and enjoy a free evening of music!

- June 28 North Oakland Concert Band
- July 5 First Baptist Church of Lake Orion
- July 12 L.O. Bands
- July 19 North Oakland Dixieland Band
- July 26 Roy Rouse-Tribute to Elvis
- Aug 2 Rich Eddy's Rockin Oldies Band



Outside is fun again.