



Explorers

Explorers is a social recreation program from Community Connections that offers adults with IDD/ASD opportunities to gain experience and new things, learn social skills and develop meaningful friendships. They experience more inclusiveness in the communities where they live and work and an opportunity to pursue their lifelong hopes, goals, and dreams. Explorers offer real-life experiences for the people we serve, “let’s have fun and learn about each other.” It is also an opportunity for the community to see the people we serve and the wonderful things that they bring to any group.

February 2025 EVENTS

Cape Symphony Presents: An Evening of Rhythm with Sidy Maiga at the Pelham House Resort in Dennis Saturday, February 1

The musician who gives the djembe its voice. In the hands of a master, a drum comes alive. It sings, laughs, whispers, and electrifies its audience. For more than 25 years, Sidy has shared the wonder of drumming with students and audiences around the world.

Join us from 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$100.00 per participant. Includes tickets to the show and round-trip transportation from Community Connections to the venue.

Axe-Throwing & Arcade Games at Ryan’s Amusement, South Yarmouth Sunday, February 2

It is just like throwing darts, come and try your skills. See if you have the required skills as you learn a new hobby. You’ll also have time for arcade games as you have fun playing games with friends.

Join us from 2:30 pm – 4:30 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$80.00 per participant. Includes round-trip transportation from Community Connections to the venue.



Cooking Class: Mondays, February 3, 10, & 24 OR

Cooking Class: Wednesdays, February 5, 12, 19 & 26

Do you like having fun, making delicious meals, and making new friends and relationships? You have come to the right place - let's cook together! We'll enjoy a meal together, and you'll have a meal to take home.

Join us for 2-hour cooking classes

Mondays from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm or Wednesdays from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm at Dennis Union Church Rt. 6A Dennis. Limited to 5 participants.

Cost \$60.00 per participant, per class. Transportation leaves Community Connections on Mondays at 10 am and on Wednesdays at 3 pm. Additional transportation from your home is available at an additional cost.

Bingo Night Social at Dennis Union Church Thursdays, February 6 & 27

Community Connections presents Bingo night. Win amazing prizes and it's a great way to meet new people and make new friends.

Join us from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm. Limited to 8 participants

Cost: \$65.00 per participant. Meet at Dennis Union Church, food and snacks will be provided. Transportation leaves Community Connections at 3 pm and returns at 7 pm.

Pottery Painting at Starfish Shoppe & Studio in Dennis Port Fridays, February 7 & 21

Are you creative or want to learn about Pottery and Painting? A great way to make gifts for friends and family is by creating pieces during classes.

Join us from 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$45.00 per participant. Includes a piece of pottery each session, round-trip transportation from Community Connection to the studio. Transportation leaves Community Connections at 2:30 pm.

Bowling at Ten Pin Eatery, Hyannis



Tuesdays, February 4, 11 & 18, Friday 28

Let us have a fun time as we bowl together and develop friendships. It's a wonderful way to exercise and have fun with friends. This event is for all skill levels and ages.

Join us from 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm. Limited to 8 participants.

Cost: \$25.00 per participant, per event. Includes 2 games and shoes. We will meet at Ten Pin Eatery Cape Cod Mall on Tuesdays. If you wish to purchase food or snacks, please bring money. *Transportation from Community Connections will leave at 3:00 pm and return at 6:00 pm.

Snow-Tubing at Blue Hills Ski Area on Saturday, February 8

Tubing offers another snow activity for those who want to take advantage of the scenic Blue Hills. It is a winter wonderland playground and a day of fun and exercise.

Join us from 10:00 am – 3:00 pm. Limited to 4 participants

Cost: \$200.00 per participant. Includes round-trip transportation from Community Connections, snow-tubing, sandwich from Dennis Public Market, drinks and snacks.

The Center at Cape Cod Village Dance Party Friday, February 14

The Center at Cape Cod Village is hosting a Valentine's Day dance party. "Happy Valentine's Day" to everyone! Today, let's celebrate the love, kindness, and joy that unite us all. Whether it's the love we share with friends, family, or ourselves, this day is a reminder to appreciate the bonds that make life so meaningful. Wishing you all warmth, happiness, and a heart full of love. Spread kindness and let love shine today and always! If you choose to dress up for the party that would be great.

Join us from 6:00 pm – 8:30 pm. Limited to 8 participants.

Cost: \$40.00 per participant. Includes: Simple snacks, drinks, round-trip transportation from Community Connections to the event.

Step-by-Step Painting with Lauren – all skill levels are welcome - at Community Connections, South Yarmouth.



Thursday, February 13 and/or Saturday, February 15.

If you like painting or are interested in learning the art of painting, come join us and learn together. All supplies provided for each session.

Join us on Thursday, February 13 from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm and/or Saturday, February 15 from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$100.00 per participant, per class. Includes Acrylic paint, canvas, palettes, brushes and apron. Snacks will be provided.

Cape Cod Museum of Art Presents Music Sundays, February 16 & 23

Sunday, February 16: Dennis Flaherty and Friends:

Jazz from the Great American Songbook. The group will perform songs associated with the likes of Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, Nat King Cole, Louis Prima, Bobby Darin, and others.

Sunday, February 23: Fred Clayton Band:

Fred Clayton was born in 1958, in Birmingham, Alabama. At the Age of 11, he moved to Boston, Massachusetts, where he started studying music at the Elma Lewis School of Fine Arts. Later, he moved to Western Massachusetts where he met his inspirations; Archie Shepp, Marion Brown, Steve McCraven, and Avery Sharpe.

Join us from 2:30 pm – 5:30 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$90.00 per participant, per event. Includes a ticket to the show and round-trip transportation from Community Connections.

Computer Gaming Night at Community Connections, South Yarmouth:



Thursday, February 20

Most people see gaming as a hobby that is entertaining, sociable and a way to wind down. It's one of several interests and activities in their life alongside spending time with friends and family, going to school or work, and their daily responsibilities. Bring your games and share with your friends as we learn about each other. This event is for computer gaming enthusiasts.

Join us from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$50.00 per participant. Includes: Pizza, drinks, and snacks.

Dinner and Movie in community Saturday, February 22

Do you enjoy going out for a meal and a movie with friends? You have come to the right place as we make friendships and visit local eateries and cinema.

Join us from 3:30 pm– 8:30 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$150.00 Includes: round-trip transportation from Community Connections, dinner and movie.

Movie & Dinner at Dennis Union Church Tuesday, February 25

Come and have a delicious meal with friends and watch a movie together. It is a wonderful opportunity to make friends. The meeting place is at Dennis Union Church 713 Main St. Dennis MA. If you need transportation to the event from Community Connections in South Yarmouth, please let me know 1 week in advance.

Join us from 4:30 pm - 7:30 pm. Limited to 15 participants.

Cost: \$60.00 per participant. Includes: movie, dinner, and dessert. Transportation leaves Community Connections at 3:30 pm and returns at 8:30 pm

Payment and Reservations:



***Additional transportation is available from your home to the meeting place at an additional cost.**

Call Valerie at 508-744-1130 to reserve your attendance or email: vdubois@ccimass.org

Please make checks payable to: Community Connections Inc. and put Explorers on the memo line.

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