



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.

March 2025 EVENTS

ST PATRICK’S DAY PARDADE ON Saturday MARCH 8TH *Rain or shine* VOLUNTEERS NEEDED.
All is welcomed as we parade through the streets of Yarmouth.

One of the most anticipated Cape Cod events in March, the St. Paddy's Day parade honors the Irish with the wearin' of the green and a 2-mile-long parade featuring floats, marching bands, beautiful Colleens, and plenty of parade trinkets and candy to go around!

Join us from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm. If interested in volunteering, please contact Valerie Du Bois at vdubois@ccimass.org or phone 508-744-1130

Men's Basketball Providence Collage Friars VS University of Connecticut Huskies Amica Mutual Pavilion Providence RI Saturday, March 1

One of the hottest tickets in the Big East Conference seeing your Friars take on the UConn Huskies. The friars are hungry for an NCAA Tournament berth after missing the playoffs last season. Come out and support your team and enjoy your time with friends.
Join us from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$340.00 per participant. Includes tickets to the game and round-trip transportation from Community Connections to the venue. Bring money for food and souvenirs.



Cooking Class: Mondays, March 3, 10, 17 & 24

OR

Cooking Class: Wednesdays, March 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, March 6, 13 & 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, March 7 & 14

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, March 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 Sunday, March 9

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, sandwiches from Dennis Public Market, drinks and snacks.

The Center at Cape Cod Village Dance Party Friday, March 21

Welcome Spring and step into the season of bloom and join us for a night filled with music, fun and unforgettable memories.

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.



**Painting with Lauren – all skill levels are welcome -
at Community Connections, South Yarmouth. March,
Thursday 13 and Saturday 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 13 from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm and/or Saturday from 3:00pm to 5:00 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, March 2, 16 & 30

Sunday, March 2: Rose Clancy & Max Cohen, Music from Celtic World:

Rose and Max present a concert of traditional and contemporary Celtic Music featuring Rose's driving fiddle style and Max's innovative guitar and vocals. Enjoy an hour of uplifting fiddle tunes and beautiful songs from Ireland, Cape Breton, and Scotland.

Sunday, March 16: The Kingfish:

The Kingfish have been performing for Cape Cod audiences for decades, with a repertoire that can please any crowd. From blues to rock and roll, funk and soul, they will have you up on your feet and groovin' to their original rockers and popular covers. Music that touches your soul and makes you move.

Sunday, March 30: 440 Gypsy Jazz:

In the style of hot club jazz, 440 presents their toe-tapping original tunes and Django's Music arranged with beautiful harmony by violin and clarinet.

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, March 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 at Regal Mashpee Cinema on Saturday, March 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 3:00 pm– 8:30 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

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

The Academy of Performing Arts in Orleans Presents: Secret Garden on Sunday, March 23

A beautifully written story by Frances Hodgson Burnett turned into an equally beautiful musical! A story of a young girl coming to England after losing her family in India and making a life for herself with distant family. She has a bumpy time at first, as do the others, but the experience helps them all in the end. You will leave singing and humming these beautiful tunes long after.

Join us from 1:15 pm – 6:15p m. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$120.00 per participant. Includes ticket to show, round-trip transportation from Community Connections to the venue.



Movie & Dinner at Dennis Union Church Tuesday, March 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

Axe-Throwing & Arcade Games at Ryan's Amusement, South Yarmouth Saturday, March 29

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

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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