

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 inclusivity in the communities where they live and work as well as 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.

APRIL 2024 EVENTS

Cooking Class: Mondays April 15, 22 & 29 OR

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

Join us for 2-hour cooking classes

Monday 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 class. Transportation from your home to the meeting location is available at an additional cost.



Cape Cod Curling Wednesday April 3

Curling is a team sport, played on ice, where two teams take turns to slide stones made of granite towards a target.

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

Cost: \$85.00. Includes: transportation from CCI (Community Connections) to the event and back. Sandwich from Dennis Public Market, snack and drink

Bowling Tuesdays April 2, 9 & 23

Let us have a fun time as we bowl together and develop friendships! It is 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: \$20.00 for each event. Includes: transportation from CCI (Community Connections) to the event and back. We will meet at Ryan's Ten Pin Eatery Cape Cod Mall on Tuesdays. If you choose to purchase food or snacks, please bring your money.

Computer Gaming Night at Community Connections in South Yarmouth: Thursdays April 4 & 25

Most people see gaming as a hobby that is entertaining, <u>sociable</u> and a way to wind down. It is 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: \$45.00 for event. Includes: Pizza, drinks and snacks.



Bingo Night Social at Dennis Union Church April Fridays 5 & 26

Community Connections presents bingo night. Win amazing prizes and it is a great way to meet new people and make new friends.

Join us from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm. Limited to 8 participants`

Cost: \$65.00. Meet at Dennis Union Church, food and snacks will be provided. Transportation leaves Community Connections at 4 pm and returns at 8pm.

Whale Watch from Beach at Race Point Beach in Provincetown. Saturday April 6

Cape Cod is arguably one of the finest spots on earth to view whales from land. Critically endangered North Atlantic right whales come to Cape Cod Bay each winter to feed, while in late spring and early summer, humpback, fin and minke whales arrive. Subject to change and rain date will be April 13.

Join us from 11:00 am – 3:00 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$95.00 Includes lunch, snacks and transportation from CCI and back.

Ringling Bros Barnum & Bailey Circus Agganis Arena Sunday April 7

Come Fun, Come All!

Share the laughter and awe-inspiring spirt of the circus and ignite your family's sparks of fun at The Greatest Show On Earth. All showcasing awe-inspiring acts. Including aerial, acrobatics, and jaw-dropping thrills.

Join us from 2:00 pm - 8:30 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$335.00. Includes: Ticket to show, transportation from CCI (Community Connections Inc) to the event and back.



Solar Eclipse from Gray's Beach on Monday April 8

When the moon slips in front of the sun on April 8, many places will hold eclipse viewing parties. We will view this historical viewing at Gray's beach in Yarmouth. Come join us as we witness history in the making.

Join us from 1:30 pm – 4:30 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$50.00. Includes: Viewing glasses, snack and transportation from CCI (Community Connections Inc) to the event and back.

Memory Lane Farm Rescue and Sanctuary Thursdays 11 & 25. Learning about horses and other animals.

Memory Lane Farm Rescue and Sanctuary rescues, cares for, maintains, and trains horses and other animals that have been abandoned, abused or neglected. During your time with the horses, you will learn how to ride a horse as you care for them. Each session, you are encouraged to wear rubber boots and warm clothing as you will be on a farm. They will provide helmets for riding.

Join us from 9:30 am - 1:30 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$125.00 per session. Includes: sandwich from Dennis Public Market, snack and transportation from CCI (Community Connections Inc) to the event and back.



Lunch and Movie in the Dennis Community Tuesday April 9

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 11:00 am - 4:00 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$125.00 Includes: transportation from CCI (Community Connections Inc) to the event and back, lunch and movie.

Whydah Pirate Museum Cape Cod Saturday April 13

Come, explore the Whydah Pirate Museum! Visit Cape Cod's newest interactive science museum featuring real pirates and real treasures. Don't miss this must-see attraction for all ages!

Join us from 11:00 am - 2:00 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$110.00. Includes: sandwiches from Dennis Public Market, snacks and transportation from CCI (Community Connections Inc) to the event and back.

Dinner & Improv Comedy at Dennis Union Church: Tuesday April 16

Come and have a delicious meal with friends as we learn more about comedy. It is a great 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. Includes: dinner and entertainment.

Transportation leaves Community Connections at 3:30 pm and returns at 8:30 pm.



Cape Symphony presents The Clements Brothers at the Harvest Gallery in Dennis Thursday April 18

The Clements Brothers are George and Charles Clements, identical twins from New England. They've been playing and writing music together for as long as they can remember and 'The Clements Brothers' marks their first project together since playing in the internationally touring grass-roots band, 'The Lonely Heartstring Band' with whom they put out two albums on Rounder Records.

Join us from 3:30 pm – 6:30 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$100.00. Includes: transportation from CCI (Community Connections Inc) to the event and back. Bring cash for concession if interested.

Cultural Center of Cape Cod - Jazz Jam Cape Cod Sunday April 21

Since 2006, this has been the only Jazz Jam on Cape Cod. Professional and student musicians perform Jazz Standards with Fred Boyle on piano, Ron Ormsby on bass, and Bart Weisman on drums.

Join us from 11:30 am - 3:00 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$65.00 Includes: Ticket and transportation from CCI (Community Connections Inc) to the event and back.

PIPPIN – Eventide Theatre Company Dennis Saturday April 27

Pippin is the story of a young prince, heir to the throne, who is searching for his own "corner of the sky." With infectious tunes by Stephen Schwartz and classic choreography from Bob Fosse, *Pippin* is both a humorous allegory about growing up and a dark tale of the danger of false appearances and empty promises.

Join us from 1:15 pm – 5:15 pm. Limited to 4 participants.

Cost: \$ 110.00. Includes: Ticket and transportation from CCI (Community Connections Inc) to the event and back.



Dinner & Movie at Dennis Union Church: Tuesday April 30

Come and have a delicious meal with friends as you watch a movie. It is a great 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. Includes: dinner and entertainment.

Volunteers needed for the Yarmouth Spring Cleanup Saturday April 21 from 8am to 12 noon. Bring your gloves and positive attitude as we give back to community.

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 me at: vdubois@ccimass.org.

Please make checks payable to: Community Connections Inc. and put Explorers on the memo line and mail to: Valerie Du Bois/Explorers, 261 Whites Path Unit #1, South Yarmouth MA. 02664