

# Lancaster Events this Month

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## FIREWORKS!!



For those going into Boston to celebrate on the Esplanade, more information about the even may be found at:

[http://www.july4th.org/Event\\_Info/](http://www.july4th.org/Event_Info/)

## OTHER FIREWORKS IN THE AREA:

[http://www.bostoncentral.com/events/massachusetts\\_fireworks/p21018.php](http://www.bostoncentral.com/events/massachusetts_fireworks/p21018.php)

## AND FUN!



<http://www.bostonharborfest.com/>

<http://www.yankeemagazine.com/best-of-new-england/best-fourth-of-july-celebrations-in-new-england>

<http://www.visit-massachusetts.com/state/july-4-events/events/>



## Fitchburg Civic Days

Fitchburg Civic Days is one of the City's oldest and longest traditions celebrating the week of the 4th of July. It brings together the residents of Fitchburg, and North Central Massachusetts, including Leominster and Lunenburg to celebrate Independence Day through a series of family oriented events. For more information, go to:

<http://www.beersforgood.com/wp2/about/>



## KEY



Helpful Information



Save the Date!



News!



Neighboring Towns

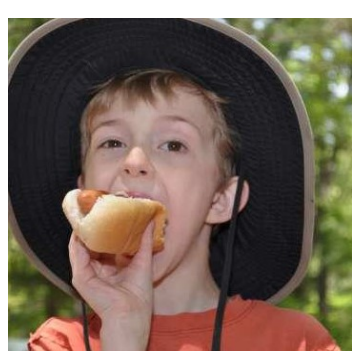
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# Appalachian Mountain Club Informational Meeting - Get Involved!

## Get Out Get Involved AMC Boston Family Outings

Join Lancaster's own Jeanne Blauner, Chairperson for Appalachian Mountain Club Boston Chapter Family Outings, **Monday July 11th at 6:30 PM at Thayer Memorial Library** to learn more about AMC Boston Family Outings and how to get out and get involved with your family. Jeanne will explain the club & its many fun activities



*Outdoor adventures, when shared with other families, is lots more fun (and less work)! That would be a Win-Win!*

# DANCE

With Ashley Bannish at the Lancaster Community Center

*Make this the summer you learn to move your groove thing!*

*Workshops are designed for all ages and abilities. Priced to still let you enjoy your summer! Register now as class size is limited. 978-733-4076 or [mpelletier@lanasterma.net](mailto:mpelletier@lanasterma.net)*

## Princesses and Their Knights in Shining Amor Dance Workshop



*9am – 12pm, July 11 – July 15 2016; Ages 4-6 \$100*

Children will learn basics of Jazz and Ballet dance styles and engage in creative movement! Each day will be based on a different Disney Princess/Prince movie (Frozen, Aladdin, etc.). Children will also participate in related arts and crafts and movement games.

## Dancing Through Movies

*9am – 12pm, August 1 – August 5 2016; Ages 4-6 \$100*

Children will learn basics of Jazz, Hip Hop, and Ballet and will participate in movement games and arts and crafts! Each day will be based on popular age appropriate movies such as Despicable Me, Frozen, The Jungle Book, etc.

## Dance Starz Dance Workshop!

*9am – 12pm, August 22 – August 26, 2016; Ages 7-9 \$100*

Close out the summer in an active way! Stretch, move and groove, short dance combinations, arts and crafts, movement games and more! All while listening to our favorite artists (Taylor Swift, Shawn Mendes, Katie Perry, etc.)

## Dancing Daze

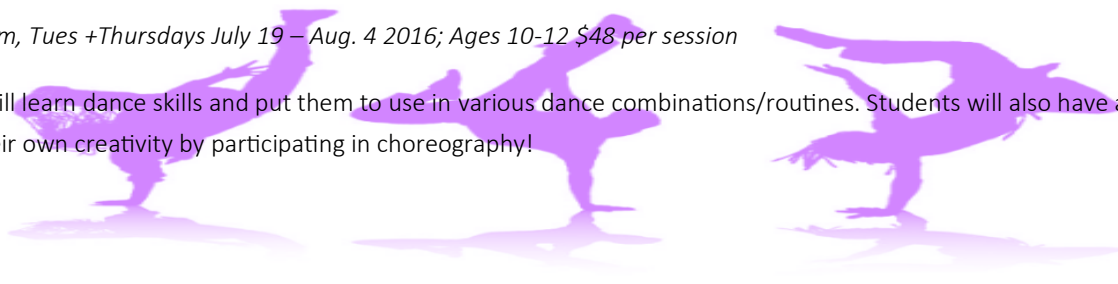
*4:30-5:30pm, Tuesdays and Thursdays July 19 – Aug. 4 2016; Ages 7-9 \$48 per session*

Children will learn basics of Jazz and Hip Hop dance styles, while expressing themselves to popular age appropriate music (including artists such as Taylor Swift, Sean Mendes, Katie Perry)! Children will also participate in creative movement games.

## Jazz/ Hip-Hop Classes

*5:30-6:30pm, Tues +Thursdays July 19 – Aug. 4 2016; Ages 10-12 \$48 per session*

Students will learn dance skills and put them to use in various dance combinations/routines. Students will also have a chance to explore their own creativity by participating in choreography!





## First Church of Christ Unitarian

*Worship at 10am in the Sanctuary Summer Worship  
in the Church Parlor at 9am, a simple chapel style worship service of music,  
prayer, readings and silence.*

**The Mindfulness Meditation Group** returns to Tuesday evenings at 6pm beginning through the summer in the Church Parlor. Practitioners of all levels welcome. A free will offering will be taken.



**Boston Museum of Science**  
Will Bring  
Live Animals to  
**Thayer Memorial Library**  
717 Main Street, Lancaster

## Animal Invaders

### Sharing Spaces

**Thursday, July 7**  
**1:30 p.m.**

Learning to "live green" includes learning to coexist with the animals that share our planet, in addition to making our planet a better place for humans to live.

Learn the ecological benefits and potential risks associated with living in close proximity to some of these animals.

Suitable for all ages.

### FREE TO THE PUBLIC

For more information phone 978-368-8928 or stop by the Circulation Desk

This program is funded by a grant from the Rosemary Davis Memorial Fund of the Greater Worcester Community Foundation



## Thomas the Tank Engine Play Time at Thayer Memorial Library, 717 Main St. - Two Dates

Friday, 7/1 from 1:00 to 2:00 pm AND Friday, 7/29 from 1:00 to 2:00 pm

An hour-long program of stories, crafts and playtime on tracks with Thomas & Friends engines.

This program is for children age 2 and older. Please tell your friends.

No registration necessary. For more information, please contact Children's Librarian Susan Conroy



## H2O: The Series "Protecting Lancaster's Waterways"

*"Water is life's mater and matrix, mother  
and medium. There is no life  
without water."*

Albert Szent-Gyorgyi, (1893-1986)  
Hungarian American physiologist and  
Nobel prize winner.

### H2O: The Series

**"Protecting Lancaster's Waterways:  
Water Quality Issues and How You Can  
Help"**

Learn about the NRWA's monthly River Report Card, how they monitor water quality, how to join Lancaster's Stream Team, identifying common invasive plants, and how to scout and pull water chestnut plants.

This is a Rosemary Davis Nature Series Event funded by a grant from the Greater Worcester Community Foundation

**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

For more information, contact Karen Silverthorn at 978-368-8928, extension 4 or [ksilverthorn@cwmar.org](mailto:ksilverthorn@cwmar.org)



## Swim Lessons

### Lancaster Town Beach

Spec Pond – Fire Road #4  
Old Union Turnpike Road

#### Level 1 & 2

- 11:00-11:45 am
- Ratio 5:1
- Put head underwater
- Learn to float
- Practice kicks & arm movements

#### Level 3 & 4

- 10:00-10:45 am
- Ratio 8:1
- Learn kicks & arm motions
- Put strokes together
- Learn to tread water

#### Level 5 & 6

- 9:00-9:45 am
- Ratio 8:1
- Learn all strokes
- Perfect strokes
- Build endurance

#### Three 9 day sessions to choose from:

Session I – June 27<sup>th</sup> – July 8<sup>th</sup>  
(No class July 4<sup>th</sup>)

Session II – July 11<sup>th</sup> – July 21<sup>st</sup>

Session III – July 25<sup>th</sup> – Aug 4<sup>th</sup>

#### Certified WSI instructors

Grades preK-5

\$70 per child

**Register: Lancaster Recreation**



[www.ci.lancaster.ma.us/Pages/LancasterMA\\_BComm/recreation](http://www.ci.lancaster.ma.us/Pages/LancasterMA_BComm/recreation)

Contact Joe Kennedy: [kennedy2004@comcast.net](mailto:kennedy2004@comcast.net)

**CAMP CRAFT LANCASTER IS A PROGRAM THAT OFFERS NUMEROUS AND DIVERSE ACTIVITIES FOR CAMPERS AGES 5-13.**

**THE PROGRAM SERVES LANCASTER RESIDENTS AS WELL AS CHILDREN FROM NEIGHBORING COMMUNITIES.**

**9:00AM-4:00PM**

- LOW CAMPER TO COUNSELOR RATIOS.
- STAFFING THAT IS MINIMALLY 18 YEARS OLD.
- A WIDE RANGE OF UNIQUE AND ENGAGING ACTIVITIES.



**JUN 27-JUL 1**

**JUL 4-JUL 10**

**JUL 11-JUL 15**

**JUL 18-JUL 22**

**JUL 25-JUL 29**

**AUG 1-AUG 5**

**AUG 8-AUG 12**

**AUG 15-AUG 18**

**AUG 22-AUG 26**

**\$265/CAMPER/WEEK**

**EXTENDED DAY**

**\$60/WEEK OR \$15/DAY FROM 7:30-9:00AM**

**\$80/WEEK OR \$20/DAY FROM 4:00-6:00PM**

**\$125/WEEK OR \$35/DAY FOR BOTH**



**CAMP  
CRAFT  
LANCASTER**

**[WWW.COMMUNITYRECREATION.ORG/LANCASTER/LANCASTER.HTML](http://WWW.COMMUNITYRECREATION.ORG/LANCASTER/LANCASTER.HTML)**

**978 929 9997**