

March 2010

Attention Middle School Parents:

The Youth Commission is pleased to announce plans for its MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER ACTIVITY PROGRAM (MSSAP) this summer. Affectionately dubbed *Camp Menace*, the program dates are: Monday's through Thursday's, June 21 - July 29, from 9:00a.m. - 3:00a.m. daily. Sign-ups for the program are by the week (or any combination up to all six weeks). Registration dates are March 15 - June 4.

Janice Marzano will once again be running this program with the assistance of four counselors. Planning and scheduling has not yet been finalized, however we are currently working on offering a variety of field trips. Some of the tentative destinations being considered are: Rip Van Winkle Bowling, tubing on the Farmington River, movies at that Darien Playhouse, Splash Down Water Park, Lake Compounce, Bridgeport Bluefish and more. These trips are not guaranteed, however will be confirmed at a later date, including specific dates, times and entry fees.

Upon receipt of your registration form and payment, a confirmation of registration packet will be returned to you. It will include: field trip waiver; permission to walk/ride bike; Student Agreement form to be signed by both student and parent (indicating rules have been read and agreement is made to abide by them). When the calendar is ready for distribution, we will include sign-ups for parents to drive for field trips in this packet. Please bear in mind that due to the small size and the low cost of the MSSAP, the success of the program relies very heavily on volunteer drivers for many of our activities.

Please feel free to contact the Youth Commission office with any questions or for additional information.

Sincerely,

Alicia Sillars
Youth Director

- The week starting July 5, the 4th of July holiday will be celebrated on Monday, July 5. Therefore, there will be no program that day. The MSSAP will meet Tuesday, July 6 - Friday, July 9 that week.