

Prairies Youth Center

Program Highlights

Program Calendar

APRIL 2024



Mark Your Calendars!

Young Writers Project

“Project Spoken Words” Poetry Contest

In recognition of National Poetry Month this April, there will be a poetry challenge! Each youth will be given an opportunity to write and submit poetry they have created. Reading & recognition of our poets will be done at #WeOwnFriday on Friday, April 19.

Video/Essay Challenge: “The Military Child, We Serve Too!”

Write a one-page essay on the above topic or create a 3-minute video then submit it to the Youth Center staff by Friday, April 19. Youth will have an opportunity to share their creation that night at 6pm. Good luck and be creative!

#WeOwnFriday: FuN Happens Every Friday Night

Presented by the PYC Youth Leadership Clubs Torch, Keystone Club & AFTC Teens!

1st Friday Newcomers Social | Friday, April 5 | 6 - 8pm

PYC welcomes new youth to Wright-Patt every first Friday of the month.

Enjoy rec games, pizza, refreshments, and FuN! Bring your friends!

Open to all military youth and family members.

Parents Night Out | Saturday, April 20 | 6 - 10pm

PYC is giving parents a break on Saturday! While parents relax, youth will be having FuN playing lazer tag & eating pizza at Prairies Youth Center.

The cost is \$32 per child and parents must sign their children up in CYPBMS.

Quick Link: MyFuture ImageMakers Challenge

Choose one of the selected challenges/activities to complete in MyFuture and share your creations (*Express Your Selfie, Nature Photography, Filter Friendly, or your choice of activities*).

If you don't have an account, go to <https://myfuture.net/> and sign-up now!



PURPLE SALUTE 2 OUR MILITARY YOUTH

Prairies Youth Center
641 Chapel Lane, Bldg 234
Dayton, OH 45431

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Thursday: 2:30 - 7pm

Friday: 2:30 - 8pm

**Spring Break is April 1 - 8.*

PYC will open at 12pm Monday - Friday during this time.

Military Child Video/Essay Challenge

Topic: “The Military Child, We Serve Too”

Create a video, poem, or one-page essay on the contributions and experiences a military child has to their family and the US Air Force.

More info in program highlights.

2024 PROGRAMS CALENDAR

APRIL



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Preteen programs printed in blue. Teen programs printed in red. Everyone printed in black. <i>*Schedule Subject to Change</i></p>	<p>Program Hours: Monday - Thursday: 2:30 - 7pm Friday: 2:30 - 8pm <i>*Unless otherwise noted</i></p>	<p>Daily Self-Directed Activities (Fitness, Art, & Jr. Chess Masters) Daily, during hours of operation</p>	<p>MyFuture Daily Self-Expression Art Post-It! myfuture.net/</p>	<p>PYC Monthly Membership Fee: \$30</p>	<p>4-H Makers STEM DIY Challenge Daily, during hours of operation</p>	<p>MyFuture Weekly Challenges "Youth Choice" myfuture.net/</p>
<p>Spring Break <i>April 1 - 8</i> Monday - Thursday: 12 - 7pm Friday: 12 - 8 pm</p>	<p>1 Open Rec 12pm Youth Smart Talk Group Chat "Self Image" 4pm</p>	<p>2 Open Rec 12pm Triple Play Daily MyFuture Health & Fitness Challenge 3:30pm</p>	<p>3 Open Rec 12pm Fine Arts/Imagemakers 3:30pm</p>	<p>4 Open Rec 12pm Leadership Clubs Torch Club 4pm Keystone/Teen Council 5pm</p>	<p>5 4-H Healthy Living "Taste Factor" 4pm #WeOwnFriday "1st Friday Social" 6 - 8pm Free</p>	<p>6 Military Youth Gaming Ecent "MY-G" USO 3:30 - 5:30pm</p>
<p>7 CLOSED</p>	<p>8 Open Rec 12pm Youth Smart Talk Group Chat "Self Talk" 4pm</p>	<p>9 Power Hour 3pm Triple Play Daily MyFuture Health & Fitness Challenge 3:30pm</p>	<p>10 Power Hour 3pm Fine Arts/Imagemakers 3:30pm</p>	<p>11 MOMC Tribute Assembly Bldg 6933 4pm Leadership Clubs Torch Club 4pm Keystone/Teen Council 5pm</p>	<p>12 4-H Healthy Living "Taste Factor" 4pm #WeOwnFriday "Game Room Tournament" 6 - 8pm Free</p>	<p>13 CLOSED</p>
<p>14 Spirit Week: Purple-Up Day <i>Monday, April 15</i> Wear purple to support Military Youth!</p>	<p>15 Power Hour 3pm Youth Smart Talk Group Chat "Resiliency" 4pm</p>	<p>16 Power Hour 3pm Triple Play Daily MyFuture Health & Fitness Challenge 3:30pm</p>	<p>17 Power Hour 3pm Fine Arts/Imagemakers 3:30pm</p>	<p>18 Power Hour 3pm Leadership Clubs Torch Club 4pm Keystone/Teen Council 5pm</p>	<p>19 4-H Healthy Living "Taste Factor" 4pm #WeOwnFriday "Recognize-U" 6 - 8pm Free</p>	<p>20 Parents Night Out: 6 - 10pm \$32/child Parents get a relaxing night while youth plays lazer tag & eats pizza. <i>Register through CYPBMS</i></p>
<p>21 Earth Day: Week of Service Project Gardening, Trash Pick-Up, Planting Flowers</p>	<p>22 Power Hour 3pm Youth Smart Talk Group Chat "Plastic Facts" 4pm</p>	<p>23 Power Hour 3pm Triple Play Daily MyFuture Health & Fitness Challenge 3:30pm</p>	<p>24 Power Hour 3pm Fine Arts/Imagemakers 3:30pm</p>	<p>25 Power Hour 3pm Leadership Clubs Torch Club 4pm Keystone/Teen Council 5pm</p>	<p>26 #WeOwnFriday Operation Late Nite Megaphone 6pm - 12am</p>	<p>27 CLOSED</p>
<p>28 CLOSED</p>	<p>29 Power Hour 3pm Youth Smart Talk Group Chat "Smart Girls & Passport-2-Manhood" 4pm</p>	<p>30 Power Hour 3pm Triple Play Daily MyFuture Health & Fitness Challenge 3:30pm</p>				