



# FIDELITY HOUSE

Oct. 10, 2017



**CHECKING IN will begin THURSDAY- please, pick up your cards!** **WHAT does this mean? START picking up your membership cards or Fall Program Registration Cards AND if you don't have a current membership/Registration Program, make sure you get one!** Guest fees are \$5 a day for the 6<sup>th</sup> grade and up age membership program. Kids enter the *FRONT* door, **SHOW** their **CURRENT** membership card to our friendly staff member, and join in the fun!!! Your membership number is listed on the membership cards. It is very helpful to tightly attach your card to the outside of your backpack and use the card like a "SPEED PASS"- You only have to slow down & show your card before you continue on your way!!! Members who have not picked up their cards can do so & soon-to-be members can pick up forms at the office. The annual fee is only \$75 or \$35 for a 3 month membership and 2<sup>nd</sup>- 5<sup>th</sup> graders who are participating in a Fall Program pay \$25.

**NEW this year! 2nd—5th graders purchase a \$25 FALL PROGRAM REGISTRATION FEE!**

**What's that?** It's a registration fee (covering the October 3, 2017—December 22, 2017 ) that is purchased when first registering for programs on Tuesday, Wednesday and/or Friday.

**How is it used?** It allows 2nd—5th graders the use of Supervised Recreation Rooms before and/or after their program on the day they are attending their program(s). Please note, **Pre-registration of programs is required for building use on those days.** It is not a drop in program.

Hours the recreation room is open are:

- Tuesday, 2-5 p.m.—Tuesday program participants
  - Wednesday, 2—5 p.m. Wednesday program participants
  - Friday 2—5 p.m. Friday program participants
  - Friday, 6:30—9 p.m. Friday 5th grade program evening participants
  - Saturday, 9—4 p.m. Available for all week day & Saturday program participants
- (Game room not open on Mondays or Thursdays).



## **BASKETBALL TRYOUTS (Travel teams)-THIS WEEK!**

Tryout times for our **Fidelity House travel 8<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> boys & 8<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> girls teams are going on this week.** The boys teams play in the NSYBL (North Shore Youth BBall league) while the girls play in the River Valley Girls bball league. The FiHo travel teams offer a basketball player the opportunity to practice and play in game situations and learn why basketball can be fun. We've had some great players come out of the Fidelity House gym and it all started with taking advantage of every opportunity to play hoop, at all levels- practicing skills on their own, in intramural leagues, skills & drills, pickup games with their friends, and against good competition. We'd love to have you play! To maximize this week's gym time, we are having 2 age groups attending at the same time.

**7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade BOYS- Thurs., Oct. 12, 5:30 - 7 p.m.**

**5<sup>th</sup>/ 6<sup>th</sup> grade BOYS, Sat, Oct. 14, 11:45 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.**

**7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> gr. GIRLS- Fri, Oct. 13, 5 - 6 p.m.**

**5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> gr. GIRLS- Thursday, Oct. 12, 4 – 5:30 p.m.**

**The more the merrier! Spread the word.**

**If you are unable to attend, please call Fidelity House, Lisa & let us know beforehand.**

**HALLOWEEN COLORING CONTEST-** Fidelity House will be sponsoring a HALLOWEEN coloring contest with winners receiving *PRIZES* for their art work. All entry forms will be hung on the FiHo walls until judging. The deadline is OCT. 31.

**TURKEY TOURNAMENT starts this WEEK-** THURSDAY is Tournament Day for 6th graders & up at Fidelity House through THANKSGIVING! The winners of any of the tournaments will go on to take part in the **TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS** scheduled to take place in December (and a chance to win a memorable prize)!!

**ARE YOU AFRAID of the DARK MOVIES-** In keeping with the spirit of the Halloween season, Fidelity will be previewing *Are you Afraid of the Dark* movies every Friday night (Oct 13,20,27). Showtime is at 7:30 P.M. 5th graders and up, drop by IF YOU DARE! A current membership or guest fee is all that is required for 6th graders and up to attend or participating in a Friday evening program for 5<sup>th</sup> graders.



**YOU CAN STILL SIGN UP! Limited openings!** Specific prices are listed in our brochure & online registration.

**GR. K- 5 SPORTS ACADEMY** Game fundamentals, drills & sportsmanship are incorporated into games. Grades Kindergarten & 1<sup>st</sup> grade meet 3:15 – 4 p.m., grades 3-5 meet 4 – 4:45 p.m. , **WHIFFLE BALL**-Tuesdays, **KICKBALL**-Fridays.



**NANCY DREW MYSTERY BOOK CLUB**- **Who:** GIRLS 2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> grade **What:** \*\*Reading/ discussing Nancy Drew Books, solving mystery activities and training to be sleuths... **Where:** Fidelity House **When:** Wednesdays, 3:30—4:15 p.m.,

**ARTS & CRAFTS**— Program offered on Tuesdays and/or Fridays, 3—3:45 pm. Recycled materials are used for many of the projects. Donations welcome.

**JUMP ROPE CLUB**— 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> graders learn the basic jumps, progress to long rope jumping, single rope tricks, and double dutch jumping. Great way to do something fun, challenging and enjoy the Fall weather. 8 sessions on Fridays, 3:15 - 4 p.m.,

**FITNESS & CONDITIONING**—Strengthening & conditioning program for 2<sup>nd</sup>—5<sup>th</sup> graders offered on Tuesdays, 3—3:30 p.m., 6<sup>th</sup>—8<sup>th</sup> graders on Tuesdays, 3:30—4:15 p.m., 6 weeks, , starts October 3.

**KNITTING CLUB**— Learn or improve a new skill! Knitting instruction, projects for grades 2<sup>nd</sup>—5<sup>th</sup> on Wednesdays, 4:15—5 p.m.

**CHESS CLUB**— All levels of 2<sup>nd</sup>—5<sup>th</sup> graders welcome! The Chess Club gives kids an opportunity to play friendly games of chess against their peers in a low-stress environment. Tuesdays, 3—3:45 p.m.,

**NOW UR COOKING**— Cooking is a lifelong skill. Join in this fun course for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> graders. Located at the LARGE, modern kitchen at FiHo 2. Friday classes, 4—4:45 p.m.

**GYMNASTICS OPEN GYM TIME**— Supervised gymnastics open gym time for grades 2<sup>nd</sup>—5<sup>th</sup> in the gymnastics room. Tuesdays, 4:15—4:45 p.m.,. Offered for grades 6<sup>th</sup>—8<sup>th</sup> on Fridays, 5—5:30 p.m.,

**WEDNESDAY GYM TIME** – 2<sup>nd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> graders join a structured gym activity time from 3:15—4 p.m on Wednesdays.

**INTRAMURAL FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE**- 4<sup>th</sup> graders (and up). Games played on Wednesdays, 3:30– 4:30 p.m., culminating in the Turkey Bowl in late Fall.

**GIRLS in the HOUSE** 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade GIRLS meets Wednesdays at 3- 3:30 p.m. for *girls only* fun. Fidelity House girl Volunteer Club members help organize games, activities & fun.

**RUNNING CLUB** - Stretching, running games and varying length runs for 2<sup>nd</sup>—5<sup>th</sup> graders are part of this 6 week session on Fridays. 3:15—3:45 p.m.,

**ULTIMATE FRISBEE CLUB** —Ultimate Frisbee is a fun, challenging, fast paced coed team sport that uses a frisbee. Practicing throwing and catching a frisbee is key to the game, so each week begins with fun drills and then games. Saturdays, 2– 2:45 p.m.,



**GIRLS 3 on 3 HOOP league**- Basketball program for 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade girls that develop their basketball skill in a fun, friendly competitive environment. The smaller team size increases offensive and defensive opportunities for each player and is a fun way to play hoop with your friends. Wednesday 4—4:45 p.m.,



**CANOBIE LAKE SCREEEMFEST** 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to our trek into Hauntings around Lake Canobie on Saturday, **October 14**. In the park haunted houses, rides (weather permitting), shows, monster parade (and even the option to buy a monster b'gone necklace to insure no monsters bother you!) Permission slips are available. Come join us IF you dare.

**VOLUNTEER CLUB**- What is the volunteer club? Come find out, it's not too late to join!! The V.C. is offered to members in grades 6 & up. New members are still welcome, stop by this Saturday at 1:00 p.m. & see Lisa with questions. The V.C. is offered to members in grades 6 & up. **DISCOUNT** to screeemfest for v.c. members who sign up by **WEDNESDAY** (after that, it's full price). **CONGRATULATIONS** to



**this year's board** and now.... the results of YOUR VOTES!! The decisions were **close**, but thanks to all who voted and **for those that were willing to put their names on the ballot!** Not everyone can hold the same position, but it says a lot of great things about a kid who is willing to try!!! **Congrats** to President **COLE SAVAGE**, Vice President **TORI CAGGIANO**, Secretary **FINN DYNAN**, Treasurer **TYLER VENTURELLI**, , Asst. Secretary/Treasurer **ANNIKA WESTBERG**, Sargeant of Arms **LYDIA DALY**, Board Members **COLLEEN DONNELLY**, **NICK GALLAGHER**, **AVA BASSO** & **NICK DELOREY-SMITH**. The first **board meeting** for the above individuals will be this **FRIDAY** at **3:15 p.m.**



**memorable quotes & notes**... "go cubs go...." "...I'm going in the haunted houses"....