



# Bolton Recreation Department

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## Bolton Summer Camp



Both Residents and non-residents are welcome to join our summer camp!

### Regular Camp Hours:

9:30am-3:30pm

### Extended Care add-ons:

AM: 7:30am—9:30am

PM: 3:30pm—5:30pm

\*Drop off and pick up ONLY take place from 7:30am-9:30am and 3:30pm-5:30pm. Middle of the day drop offs/pick ups will not be allowed unless prior arrangements have been made.

**When:** Monday-Friday day camp for 8 weeks

**Where:** Herrick Park, 29 Hebron Road, Bolton Ct 06043



Each week is themed differently with games, crafts and activities, workshops, and field trips that all ages will enjoy. Groups are broken up based on age (ages 3-5, ages 6-8, ages 9-12) for appropriate activities. For the weekly themes see the reverse side of this sheet. Workshops, crafts and other daily activities are all based around these themes and will vary in each group to fit the needs of each age group.



**Mondays— Welcome and Camp challenges**

**Tuesday— Entertainers and Workshops**

**Wednesday— Spirit Days**

**Thursday— Field Trip Day!**

**Friday— Color Wars**

**Week One:** June 19—23  
Theme: Stop , Drop, and Roll into Summer!

**Week Two:** June 26— June 30  
Theme: Jurassic Park

**Week Three:** July 3—7  
Theme: Holiday-a-Day  
No Camp on Tuesday July 4

**Week Four:** July 10—14  
Theme: Out of this world!

**Week Five:** July 17—21  
Theme: Around the World

**Week Six:** July 24—28  
Theme: It's a Bird, It's a Plane, It's Bolton Summer Camp!

**Week Seven:** July 31— Aug 4  
Theme: Wild About Nature

**Week Eight:** Aug 7-11  
Theme: Pirates & Mermaids

**Space is limited each week. Register early to Reserve your spot!**

Registration is open on the Recreation Department website.

**Registration Due by June 1 2023**



### Skyhawks Baseball Tots

**When:** June 26-29

**Where:** BCS baseball field, 108 Notch Rd, Bolton  
CT 06043

**Cost:** \$95

#### **Time:**

Batters (2 year olds) - 9:00am-9:45am

Batters (3 year olds) -10:00am-10:45am

Hitters (4 year olds) – 11:00am-11:45am



#### **Description:**

Baseball Tots classes focus on fine and gross motor skills as well as body control. We teach all the baseball basics, such as throwing, catching, hitting and running control. We are excited to help these little ones develop a love of the game! Parent participation required for ages 2-3.5 years.

**Batters (2 year olds)** [HERE](#)

**Batters (3 year olds)** [HERE](#)

**Hitters (4 year olds)** [HERE](#)

### Skyhawks Tennis Camp

**When:** July 10-13

**Where:** Bolton High School Tennis Courts, 72 Brandy St, Bolton,  
CT 06043

**Time:** 9:00am-12:00pm

**Cost:** \$145.00

**Ages:** 6-12

#### **Description:**

Grab your tennis racquet and get ready to play! Whether you are a beginning, an intermediate or an advanced player, this program will improve your game and help you get more enjoyment from tennis. Our tennis programs focus on skill refinement as well as practice and match play to develop consistent, well-rounded tennis players. Each player is given personal attention and taught through repetition in an

enjoyable, lively atmosphere. Skyhawks tennis breaks down the fundamental skills of tennis through easily understood games and exercises to help improve the athlete's overall coordination and technique. Players learn proper grips, footwork, strokes, volleys and serves during a series of drills designed to teach skills in a fun and dynamic way. In addition to developing a love for tennis, athletes will learn the rules and etiquette that make tennis such an exciting game to play. Age/skill levels will be divided accordingly

Register [HERE](#)



### Skyhawks STEM & Play Volleyball

**When:** July 31- August 4

**Where:** Bolton Center School gym, 108 Notch Rd, Bolton, CT  
06043

**Time:** 9:00am-3:00pm

**Cost:** \$199.00

**Ages:** 10-14

#### **Description:**

This program combines strategic STEM-based activities with traditional Skyhawks volleyball instruction and a focus on life skills such as teamwork and sportsmanship. The STEM

Sports® volleyball curriculum enables students the opportunity to get behind the sport they love with modules centered around innovation and technology. Subjects include calculating contact time, optimal serving speed, the science behind serving and more! Participants will also learn the fundamentals of passing, setting, hitting and serving through skill-based drills and scrimmages. Skyhawks puts the Sports in STEM.

Register [HERE](#)





## Bulldog Basketball Camps

### Bulldog Basketball Camp Grades 3-5

**When:** July 17—21

**Time:** 12:00PM—3:00PM

**Where:** Bolton High School gym, 72  
Brandy St, Bolton, CT 06043

**Who:** Entering Grades 3-5

**Cost:** \$150

**Spaces are limited. Registrations are due  
by July 10, 2023**

Register [HERE](#)

### Bulldog Basketball Camp— Grades 6 +

**When:** July 24-28

**Time:** 12:00PM—3:00PM

**Where:** Bolton High School gym, 72  
Brandy St, Bolton, CT 06043

**Who:** Grades 6 and up

**Cost:** \$150

**Spaces are limited. Registrations are due  
by July 17, 2023**

Register [HERE](#)

Bulldog basketball camp is dedicated to the development of basketball fundamentals, off season conditioning and general knowledge of sports nutrition. Both offensive and defensive skills are worked on throughout the week to increase your knowledge and ability in the game. As always teamwork will play a huge part in our week with our young athletes!

**What to bring:** water bottle and a lunch. Make sure to wear comfortable clothes to run around in and sneakers.



## Challenger Sports Soccer Camp

**When:** July 17- 21

**Time:**

Tiny Tykes- 8:00am-9:00am

Half Day- 9:00am-12:00pm

Full Day- 9:00am-4:00pm

**Where:** Bolton Center School soccer fields, 108 Notch Rd,  
Bolton, CT 06043

**Cost:**

Tiny Tykes (Ages 2-5) - \$115.00

Half Day (Ages 5-12) - \$210.00

Full Day (Ages 7-12) - \$280.00

Coached by our team of international and US-based staff, our week-long half day and full day soccer camps improve your child's soccer skills whilst providing a unique cultural experience.

Formerly known as International Soccer Camps, and rooted in British training methodology, these camps introduce our international training tactics to campers across the U.S and

Canada. Our curriculum and coaching foundation meets engaging delivery for an all-around positive experience. Camps are designed for all ages and ability levels, from beginner to advanced players- we use age appropriate practices to help players develop at their own pace, learn brand new skills and become an all-round better player...while having an amazing time with our international coaching staff!

Includes an educational approach that uses soccer to teach the core values of responsibility, integrity, respect, sportsmanship and leadership

Register [HERE](#)

**CHALLENGER**  
**SPORTS™**

# Art-Ventures Camp

**When:** July 31 - August 4

**Time:** 9am - 12pm

**Location:** Notch Road Municipal Center, 104 Notch Rd, Bolton, CT

**Bring:** an old over-sized T-shirt to use as a smock, a nut-free snack and a drink each day.

**Fee:** \$211 for 15 hours of ART Fun! All materials included

**Ages:** 5-12

A scholarship may be available for a child whose parent is willing to assist every day.

Contact [summerprograms@artventuresforkids.com](mailto:summerprograms@artventuresforkids.com)

## Bouncy Bendy ART in Motion for ages 5 – 12

Art-Ventures with a totally unique twist! Make masterpieces with real moving parts, Create the illusion of movement, and discover art processes that use motion to get amazing results. Combine metal, wood, and paper to build Spinning Sculptures inspired by Calder, and design Stretchy Stained Glass art you can re-shape again and

again. Sculpt goofy Clay Monsters, craft Bendy Paper Lizards, and paint Seascapes like Monet. Create Matisse Watercolor Banners, Fireworks Flower Pots, and Textured Tissue Paper art. Design Kaleidoscopes, Dancing Pasta Sculptures, and Scribble T-shirts. Draw zany faces inspired by Silberzweig, and decorate Cupcake Boxes with fluffy frosting and sprinkles. With a focus on color, shape, and MOTION, this program will have you jumping for joy!

REGISTER [HERE](#)



# LEGO Camp with E.Y.E.S

## Building Up S.T.E.A.M. Using LEGO® (ages 5-6)

**When:** August 7-11

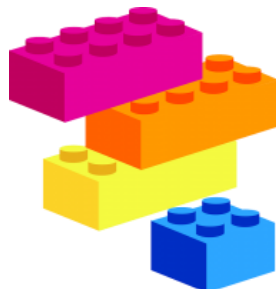
**Time:** 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**Cost:** \$162.50

Children work independently and cooperatively as they begin to explore simple machines using LEGO® Duplo® early childhood materials. Your child will have the opportunity to work with and bring home evidence-based lab sheets to share with family to continue the learning process outside of camp. Projects may include spin tops, motorcycles, and hockey players.

Register by Monday July 31, 2023

Register [HERE](#)



## S.T.E.A.M. Works Using LEGO® (ages 7-10)

**When:** August 7-11

**Time:** 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**Cost:** \$162.50

Children work with standard LEGO® materials to problem-solve pre-engineering challenges involving structure, levers, gears, pulleys, and other elements of simple machines. Your child will have the opportunity to work with and bring home evidence-based lab sheets to share with family to continue the learning process outside of camp. Projects may include drawbridges, flywheel cars, and amusement park rides.

Register by Monday July 31, 2023

Register [HERE](#)





# Mad Science Camp

**When:** August 14- August 18

**Where:** Notch Road Municipal Center Room 1, 104 Notch Road, Bolton. CT

**Cost:** 1/2 day \$211, full day Fee \$390.

**Mornings, 9:00am-12:00pm-**

**Secret Agent Lab**

**(Students entering grades 1-6)**

This program features fun-filled, hands-on, secret agent-themed science activities that allow kids to play detective, explore forensic science, sharpen their surveillance skills, and crack encrypted messages. Kids become super sleuths!

**Afternoons, 1:00pm-4:00pm-**

**Rockin' Rockets**

**(Students entering grades 1-6)**

Become a rocket scientist & learn the fundamentals of flight, propulsion, rocket design, launch & recovery. Explore hot air balloons to hovercrafts and more! There's an exciting rocket launch every day & kids build & take home their own Mad Science rocket.

Register [HERE](#)



# Minds in Motion Camp



**When:** August 21-24

**Where:** Notch Road Municipal building, Room B, 104 Notch Road, Bolton CT 06043

**Cost:** ½ Day \$181, full day fee \$362

**Ages:** 7-11

**6in1 Space Fleet Robot, 9am-12pm**

Build and take home your very own Solar Space Fleet Robot! The Solar Space Fleet Kit is an innovative solar powered science kit that can transform into six different lunar modules. Using your own mini solar panel, watch as direct sunlight brings the kits to life! Come and create six different working models including a Space Station, Space Rover, Space Explorer, Astronaut, Space Shuttle, and Space Dog. Watch as it moves around and speeds up or slows down depending on the intensity of light as you learn, experiment, and have fun with solar power! Each complete model can also be powered by your very own mini rechargeable battery. Come join in this super fun solar space adventure!

**Bridges & Building, 12:30pm-3:30pm**

Do you ever wonder how bridges span huge distances and how skyscrapers stay standing? Get ready to get your mind in motion as you work with and take home your very own Bridges and Skyscrapers Set! Learn all about basic structural elements and witness firsthand the forces acting on structural components! With your kit, you can build up to 20 model building experiments that each demonstrate a basic principle of mechanical physics or structural engineering in a hands-on way. Learn about the strength of materials as you compete with your classmate to see who can build the tallest tower using the pieces in this kit! Challenge yourself building different types of bridges such as a suspension bridge or cable stayed bridge. Come bring out the architect side of you as you enter the fascinating world of structural engineering and explore the magic of STEM!

Register by Monday August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Register [HERE](#)

# Incrediflix Camp



**When:** June 26-30

**Where:** Notch Road Municipal Center Room B, 104 Notch Road, Bolton. CT 06043

**Cost:** ½ Day \$256.00, Full Day \$487.50

## Morning: Action Movie Flix

**Ages 7-13**

**9:00am-12:00pm**

There's no limits in your action packed movie when using a green screen and camera tricks. Adventures await as you transport anywhere, from captaining a spaceship, to climbing the highest mountain. You'll collaborate to write, act, & direct in this stunt packed movie where you'll be taught action choreography to thrill the audience. \*\$35 Production fee is included in the price. Flix emailed within a month after program ends.

## Afternoon: Action Stop

**Motion Flix**

**Ages 7-13**

**1:00pm-4:00pm**

Use stop motion tricks to create fires, explosions, and even floods, as your characters can battle it out or work together to save the day in this action packed stop motion class. You'll work in small groups to storyboard, create the action, film, and voice-over these exciting movies. \*\$35 Production fee is Included in the price. Flix emailed within a month after program ends.

## Full Day: Action Movie & Action Stop Motion Flix – Full Day (Max: 12)

**9:00am-4:00pm**

Join us for the full day combo for a discount plus free lunch supervision! Please see both half-day descriptions. Bring snack, lunch and drink. \*\$70 Production fee is included in the price. Flix emailed within a month after program ends.

**Register By Monday June 19, 2023**

**Register [HERE](#)**

# Adult Exercise classes



## Adult Drop-in Volleyball:

**DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR ONLY!**

Drop in Volleyball: Monday nights at Bolton Center School @ 7:00pm- 10pm

\$2.00 residents; \$4.00 non-residents - season passes are also available: \$30.00 for residents and \$50 for non residents.

Cash and Check are the only forms of payment available.

Last night is Monday June 5, 2023

Volleyball will not take place on the Mondays listed Below: **Monday May 29 2023**

## Yoga with Beth Cianci

**When:** Every Thursday at 6:45pm

**Where:** Herrick Park 29 Hebron Rd Bolton CT

**Cost:** \$12 per drop-in class



Please pay Beth Cianci when you arrive to class.

## Karen's Cardio Fitness Workouts

Exercise for men and women!

**Mondays:** Cardio and Abs, 5:30pm - 6:30pm



**Where:** Herrick Park building, 29 Hebron Rd, Bolton, CT

**Cost:** \$40.00 for 8 class punch card  
\$80.00 for 16 class punch card  
\$7 walk-in fee

Sign up with Karen Cordero: corderok53@gmail.com

Drop in's welcome :)

# Bus Trips

## Saturday June 10th– Boston Red Sox vs New York Yankees @ Yankee Stadium

Join My Fun Bus Staff on a trip to Yankee Stadium to see the Boston Red Sox vs the New York Yankees (first pitch 7:35pm). Trip Includes: Charter Bus, Ticket to the game (Sec 234), games and prizes on the bus, and a cookout before the game (Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Sausage and Pepper Grinders, Mac and Cheese, Sweet and Sour Meatballs, assorted Salads, Chips, Water and Soda).

**Date:** Sat., June 10  
**Reg. Deadline:** Fri., May 27  
**Departs From:** The bus will depart from the Tolland Commuter Lot at Exit 68 off of I-84.  
**Departure Time:** 2:45 p.m.  
**Return Time:** Approx. 1 a.m.  
**Fee:** \$210 (fee includes bus transportation, ticket to the game, and cookout)  
**Activity #:** 180002-A

Register [HERE](#)



## Summer Concert Series 2023

All Summer concerts in Bolton are on select Wednesday evenings at Bolton Town Green (In front of Bentley Memorial Library). All concerts run from 6:30pm-8:00pm. Join us on the town green, bring a picnic, blanket, chairs and enjoy the summer evenings with the community. Summer concerts are a free event for all to join!



July 5– Windham Concert Band

July 19– Centerline Band

August 2– Rock Solid Alibi

August 16– The Rolangs

August 30– Nightshift Band

All rain dates and cancellations will be posted to the Recreation Department website.

### Thank you to our 2023 Sponsors:

Highland Park Market  
 Bolton Lake Dental  
 Munson's Chocolates  
 Simoniz USA, Inc  
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## SPRING 2023 REMINDERS:

### Kids Night Out

**Who:** Ages 3 and up (Must be potty trained)

**When:** 4:00pm-9:00pm

May 12– Spring themed/ Mother's day gifts

June 16– Summer themed/ Fathers day gifts

**Where:** Herrick Park, 29 Hebron Rd Bolton CT 06043

**Cost:** \$45.00 per night

Second Child discount- \$40.00 per night Contact the Recreation Department to receive

Register [HERE](#)

Take the night out yourself or go out with friends while the kids have a party of their own with our staff and their friends! Each night will include crafts, games, activities indoor and outdoor for all ages to enjoy! Pizza and refreshments will be provided to all who join us these evenings.



### Town Wide Tag Sale-

**Saturday May 6 8:00am-3:00pm**

9th Annual Town-Wide Tag Sale with Bolton Recreation Department

Various addresses in Bolton will be hosting our annual Town Wide Tag Sale on May 6, 2023 Want to know where the Tag Sales will be and what they may be selling? Check out the Recreation Department website for copies of maps.

Maps are available [HERE](#)

Check out Coventry's Tag Sale happening on the same day!

Coventry, 5/6 8-4pm

For a map of listings go to:

Coventry: <https://www.coventryct.org/457/Parks-Recreation>



### Kids to Parks Day- Saturday May 20 10:00am

Join Bolton Recreation Director Stephanie Crane and Conservation Commission Chair Rod Parlee for a Hike through Bates Trail at Herrick Park!

Bring a picnic for lunch after hike and spend the afternoon in the park!

Snacks and games will be available after the hike as well.

The event is free to the community! Invite your family and friends to come along.

Register [HERE](#)



# LEADERS IN TRAINING

## Leaders in Training Program 2023

**When:** June 19<sup>th</sup> - August 11<sup>th</sup> 2023

**Time:** 9:30am-3:30pm

**Where:** Bolton Summer Camp, Herrick Park, 29 Hebron Rd, Bolton CT 06043

**Cost:** \$100.00/week (additional costs may apply for field trips)

The Bolton Summer Camp Leader in Training (LIT) program is designed for those ages 13 - 15. A LIT's major role at camp is to be actively involved in all camp activities, working with staff and acting as an enthusiastic responsible role model for our campers. LIT's must apply for this role at our camp as well as participate in a preseason interview. Not all applicants are

guaranteed a position; there are limited openings each week.

This program was not designed for those who are interested in simply hanging out with their friends for the summer. The purpose of this program is to learn general job skills as well as specific job requirements of counselors. All LIT's are expected to arrive to camp and act as if they were working at a job. This program is to help those 13 -15 years of age prepare for working. Limited spaces each week.

If you are interested in becoming a LIT complete the application and return to the Bolton Recreation Department. Applications will be reviewed on a first come first serve basis. You will be noti-

fied via phone to schedule your preseason

Interview/trainings.

Please feel free to contact the recreation department at (860)649-8066 X6109 or [scrane@boltonct.org](mailto:scrane@boltonct.org) if you have further questions.

**All Leader in Training applications are due no later than May 26, 2023. NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Application [HERE](#)



## Employment Opportunities

Bolton Recreation Department is currently accepting applications for Lifeguards!!

Applications can be found on the town website.

All job descriptions and qualifications can be found on the town website: <https://town.boltonct.org/employment>

Applications are being accepted in the Bolton Recreation Department Office at 222 Bolton Center Road, Bolton CT 06043, or by email at [scrane@boltonct.org](mailto:scrane@boltonct.org), and are open until filled!

### HOW TO REGISTER:

1. Go to <https://town.boltonct.org/>, and select the
2. Recreation Department hot button
3. Click on [boltonrec.recdesk.com](http://boltonrec.recdesk.com)
4. Login at the top right hand corner to your existing RecDesk ID or create a new ID
5. Select program of interest from the online registration tab and click register
6. Payment can be made online with a credit card when registering with a 2.9% convenience fee.
7. Or come in to office and we can process the registration by cash check or card.

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