



# REC NEWS

MAY - AUGUST

# General Information

## Hello Hamlin Rec Community!

Summer is almost here and with it brings about a season of festivals, outdoor activities, and spending time with friends and family!

Beginning in May we will see our Summer Baseball and Soccer programs return. With that in mind there will be nights where the Town Park will be busy with children and their families heading to games, practices, and using the playground. Please use caution while driving on the park roads, and be respectful of our Town's fields and community spaces.

We have several Events planned over the next several months and we invite everyone to join us as we come together and celebrate the Community we have built. We are excited to host our annual Volunteer Appreciation Night, July Junk Jamboree, and Farm Fest! We are also working hard to plan Halloweenathon events and our new Christmas Market event in December. If you would like to get involved in the planning process let us know!

Hamlin Rec Summer Camp registration is now open! We have so many fun Summer activities and field trips planned for the camp this year, so we encourage you to look on our website for full Summer Camp Details.

With Graduation season on the horizon we have a fantastic Lodge building available for rent for parties. You can apply on our website or call for more information and availability.

We have received tremendous support from community members, local businesses, and sponsors so far this year! We just want to thank each and every one of you, we truly appreciate everything!

We hope that you look through this guide and find something that interests you and your family. As always, please feel free to reaching out with any questions, concerns, or suggestions and we would be happy to help.

See you out in the park!

Sincerely,

**-The Hamlin Rec Team**

## The Hamlin Rec Team

### Administrative Team

**Keylee Gilfilian**— Recreation Supervisor

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**Joshua Girard**—Administrative Assistant

recreation@hamlinny.org

### Program Leaders

**Diana Wilson**—Kid Space Supervisor

**Ann D.**— Summer Sports Coordinator

**Alyssa K.**— Youth Group Coordinator

### Recreation Program Assistants

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**Leann C.**

**Karin C.**

**Mady C.**

**Mallery C.**

**Maddi G.**

**Brandi G.**

**Sara W.**

**Kaylee P.**



# General Information

## Recreation Administrative Office Hours:

**Monday:** 8:00 AM — 6:00 PM

**Tuesday:** 8:00 AM — 4:00 PM

**Wednesday:** 8:00 AM — 2:00 PM

**Thursday:** 8:00 AM — 4:00 PM

**Friday:** 8:00 AM — 2:00 PM

**Office Closures:** 5/27, 6/19, 7/4, 9/2



## How to Register For Programs

Online Registration is preferred!

[www.hamlinrecreationny.com](http://www.hamlinrecreationny.com)

Register in person during our office hours!

## 2024 Save The Date!

- **Volunteer Appreciation Night** — June 28
- **Junk Jamboree** — July 27
- **Farm Fest** — August 24
- **Bad Luck BINGO** — September 13
- **Preschool Harvest Party** — October 1
- **Scream Fest** — October 12
- **Run For Your Life Zombie 5k**— October 19
- **Haunted Highway**— October 26
- **Christmas Market** — December 7
- **Story Time with Santa**— December 14

## Important Notices

Pre-registration is required for all programs unless otherwise noted!

If a program is cancelled due to low enrollment, all registered participants will be notified. We do not send activity reminders so plan accordingly.

Do not drop off your child prior to class times and be prompt picking him/her up at the end of the programs. For your child's safety, please come into the program location to drop off and pick up your child.

### Refund Policy

Refunds will be given to anyone cancelling from an activity at least one week (5 business days) prior to the start of the program minus a 5% cancellation fee if a cash refund is requested. If an account credit is requested the cancellation fee is waived. There is no refund for any program once it has begun unless it is cancelled by the Recreation Department or in the event of participant illness or injury (documentation is required). Refund may be pro-rated minus the cost of uniforms and supplies.

See rental agreement for the Charlie Maier Lodge and Gym for rental refund policies.

### Special Accommodations

If you are in need of special accommodations, please make us aware of your needs by including a detailed note with your registration.

### Our Mission

To provide accessible, affordable, and quality leisure programs, activities, services, and facilities to all residents and actively inform and educate residents about the role of the Department. We ensure that all programs and facilities are available to the public to participate in regardless of race, gender, income, creed, or other barriers that would preclude participation.

### Photo Policy

Occasionally, photos may be taken of participants in programs, classes and activities, or of people in the Town's parks. Please note these photos may be used in future brochures, websites, social media websites, pamphlets, flyers or news releases.

Community Events

# **VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION NIGHT**

**Friday  
June 28th**

**6:30 - 8:30**

**Hamlin Town Park**

**Inflatable**

**Water Slides**

**Dunk Tank**

**Food & Family Fun**



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# July Junk Jamboree

**Hamkins Community Yard Sale**

**July 27, 2024**

**9:00 am - 2:00 pm**

**Hamlin Town Park**

**Vendor Spaces  
Available**



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Community Events

The background of the poster is a stylized illustration of a farm scene. In the foreground, there are rows of golden corn stalks. In the middle ground, there is a large red barn with a white cupola, a smaller red barn, and a white silo. The background shows rolling hills under a warm, orange-toned sky. Two large, stylized yellow corn stalks are positioned on either side of the main title.

# **HAMLIN FARM FEST**

**AUGUST  
24TH  
12-5PM**

**HAMLIN  
FIREMAN'S  
FIELD**

**TRACTOR PARADE | LIVE MUSIC | VENDORS  
MECHANICAL BULL | BOUNCE HOUSES  
PETTING ZOO | PONY RIDES & MORE**

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# Community Events



## Farm Fest Vendor Application

We are accepting vendor applications for Farm Fest! We are looking for craft, retail, art, and food vendors for the event.

If you are interested in providing an activity please let us know!

**We are offering a multi-festival discount if you sign up to be a vendor at both Farm Fest & Scream Fest.**

**When:** Saturday, 8/24

12:00 pm — 5:00 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Fireman's Field

**Cost:** \$50 for a 12'x12' booth space

## Farm Fest Tractor Parade

Join us in opening the festivities at Farm Fest. We encourage you to bring your Tractor new or antique to be in the parade!

**The parade lineup will begin at the TOPS parking lot and continue along RT 19 to the festival grounds.**

**Arrive at TOPS no later than 11 am**

Please complete the parade interest form on our website.

**When:** Saturday, 8/24

11:30 am — 12:00 pm



## Farm Fest T-Shirt Presale

Preorder your Farm Fest shirt and pick it up at on the day of the Festival. By preordering you will guarantee your shirt size and give you the option to pay by credit card.

**Quantities will be limited. Presale ends 8/9**

**Cost:** \$15



## Cutest Farmer Contest

Dress up your little farmer in their finest farm attire and enter our contest for Cutest Farmer!

**The winner will be featured in the Farm Fest Tractor Parade on August 24th and will win complimentary activity wristbands at the event.**

**Send your photo to [recreation@hamlinny.org](mailto:recreation@hamlinny.org) by 7/31 to be entered into the contest.**

Voting will take place on our Facebook Page from **8/1— 8/10** and the winner will be announced on **8/12**.

**There will be winners for each age group:**

3 and Under, 6 and Under, 10 and Under

# Community Events

## July Junk Jamboree

Hamlin's Community Yard Sale

### July Junk Jamboree Vendor Application

Hamlin's annual Community Yard Sale is returning this July! If you are looking to get rid of some of your unwanted items consider signing up for a booth space and let the crowd come to you.

We will have food, drinks, pony rides and other activities for participants available as they shop.

**When:** Saturday, 7/27

9:00 am — 2:00 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Park

**Cost:** \$25 for a 15'x15' booth space

\$35 for a 30' x 15' booth space



Hamlin's  
**HALLOWEENATHON!**

SCREAM FEST  
10/12

FOR YOUR LIFE  
10/19

HAUNTED HIGHWAY  
10/26



# Community Events



## Scream Fest Vendor Application

We are accepting vendor applications for Hamlin's annual Scream Fest this October. This is the first event in Hamlin's Halloweenathon, a month-long Halloween celebration throughout the month of October.

**More information still to come!**

**Vendors are encouraged to decorate their booth space to fit the theme of the festival.**

We will fill the park with family friendly activities, vendors, food, games, contests, haunted attractions and more.

**We are offering a multi-festival discount if you sign up to be a vendor at both Farm Fest & Scream Fest.**

**When:** Saturday, 10/12  
12:00 pm — 5:00 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Park

**Cost:** \$50 for a 12'x12' booth space



## Run For Your Life 5k Zombie Run

**RUN FOR YOUR LIFE IN THIS ZOMBIE APOCALYPSE ADVENTURE!**

Prepare to test your speed, agility, and bravery in the ultimate race for survival. The undead roam the park and only the fastest make it out alive!

This 5K course winds through the abandoned park, and over its desolate fields. But beware – lurking around every corner are hordes of flesh-eating zombies hungry for your brains!

There is also a 1.5 mile Haunted Walk option!

### **SHIRT INCLUDED WITH REGISTRATION**

Register early to save on Registration Fees

**When:** Saturday, 10/19  
6:00 pm — 8:00 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Park

**Cost:** \$25 per person until 8/31

**Ages:** All Ages are Welcome



## Haunted Highway

We are looking for groups, organizations, and volunteers to create a display or be actors in our Haunted Highway event!

**Participants will compete for the Golden Pumpkin Award and a cash prize!**

**When:** Saturday, 10/26  
7:00 pm — 9:00 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Park



The Town of Hamlin's

# Christmas MARKET



**DECEMBER**

**7TH**

**2-7 PM**

**SAVE THE DATE!**

MORE INFO TO COME

**VENDORS | FOOD | TREE LIGHTING | SANTA  
CARRIAGE RIDES | HOLIDAY LIGHT TRAIL**

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# Community Events

## Christmas Market Vendor Application

Would you like to be a vendor at the Town of Hamlin's new Christmas Market Event? If so we are accepting vendor applications! We are looking for craft, retail, food, and other seasonal vendors!

We have space indoors and outdoor spaces available. Indoor spaces will be located in either the Town Hall Gym or the Charlie Maier Lodge. Outdoor spaces will be located along the Holiday Light Trail between the Town Hall and the Lodge Building.

**There is limited spaces available indoors, register early to guarantee your spot!**

**When:** Saturday, 12/7  
2:00 pm — 7:00 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Park

**Cost:** \$30 Indoor Space, Limited to a 6ft Table  
\$20 Outdoor Space

## Memorial Ornament

As part of our Holiday Light Trail at the Christmas Market Event, we will have several trees decorated in various styles and lights. One of these trees will be a memorial for friends, family, and loved ones who are no longer with us.

If you would like to have an ornament made for this tree in honor of a loved one, please complete the registration form on our website.

After the event you may pick up your Memorial Ornament from the Rec Office.

**Cost:** \$5 Per Ornament



## Adopt a Tree

Become a Sponsor of our Christmas Market event by adopting a Tree in the Holiday Light Trail! We welcome businesses, organizations, groups, or individuals to participate in this New Town Event.

The Holiday Light Trail will be between the Town Hall and the Charlie Maier Lodge.

Adopting a tree will include a sign indicating your support of the event.

**Trees must be ready to be displayed by 10 am on 12/7. You may decorate your tree on the day of the event or drop it off before by scheduling an appointment.**

Please complete the Online Registration form on our website.

**When:** Saturday, 12/7  
2:00 pm — 7:00 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Park

**Cost:** \$10 if not currently a sponsor



# Summer Camp Program

## HAMLIN REC SUMMER CAMP

**JULY 1ST - AUGUST 30TH**

**MONDAY- FRIDAY | 6:00 AM - 6:00 PM**

**GRADES 1-6**

**MUST HAVE COMPLETED  
KINDERGARTEN**



**MULTI-CHILD DISCOUNT &  
PAYMENT PLANS AVAILABLE**

**INQUIRE ABOUT SCHOLARSHIPS**

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**JOIN US FOR  
WEEKLY FIELD TRIPS  
BEACH DAYS | THEMED WEEKS  
ACTIVITIES | CRAFTS & MORE!**



**FIELD TRIPS & ACTIVITIES**

- **MINNEHANS- 7/2**
- **GENESEE COUNTRY MUSEUM- 7/10**
- **ROC VENTURES- 7/23**
- **TOPS- 7/29**
- **HAMLIN POST OFFICE- 7/30**
- **FISHING TRIP- 7/31**
- **S&S FITNESS- 8/6**
- **PLANETARIUM- 8/13**
- **PARTYKA FARMS- 8/20**
- **WILD WINGS- 8/27**

**YOU MUST SUBMIT AN AUTHORIZED PICK UP FORM  
AND A COPY OF YOUR CHILD'S IMMUNIZATIONS  
BEFORE ATTENDING CAMP**

# Youth Programs & Activities



## Explore Archery Fundamentals

Expand upon skills learned in the Level 1 Program in this 5 week introductory program. Each week we will focus on topics ranging from Safety, Equipment, Form, Shot Execution, and Scoring. The Level 2 Program features new games and focuses on personal development of individual archers.

This course is taught by certified USA Archery Instructors.

**You are not permitted to bring your own bow to this course.**

**All equipment will be provided.**

**Participants must have completed or be enrolled in the Explore Archery Level 1 Program or Archery Camp at Hamlin Recreation prior to starting this class.**

**When: Level 2:** Thursdays, 5/9 — 6/6  
5:00 pm — 6:00 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Hall Gym

**Cost:** \$40

**Ages:** 8-13

## Explore Archery League

Compete with others in our new 5 week competitive Archery League. We will expand and develop skills learned in the Level 1 & 2 Courses while shifting to an emphasis on scoring and personal development within the sport of target archery.

**You are not permitted to bring your own bow to this course.**

**All equipment will be provided.**

**Participants must have completed or be enrolled in the Explore Archery Level 1 Program or Archery Camp at Hamlin Recreation prior to starting this class.**

**When:** Thursdays, 5/9 — 6/6  
6:00 pm — 7:00 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Hall Gym

**Cost:** \$40

**Ages:** 8-13

## Explore Archery Camp

Join us for a fun introduction to target archery in this weeklong program. Each day we will focus on topics ranging from Safety, Equipment, Form, Shot Execution, and Scoring. We will play games and participants will earn awards for completing each day's corresponding topic in the Program.

**This camp is a hybrid version of our Level 1 and Level 2 Archery Programs.**

This course is taught by certified USA Archery Instructors.

**Space in this Camp is limited to 6 participants. If the Program is full please sign up for the waiting list as we may open another session of the program.**

**You are not permitted to bring your own bow to this course.**

**All equipment will be provided.**

**When:** Monday— Friday, 7/15 — 7/19  
9:00 am — 10:30 am

**Where:** Hamlin Town Hall Gym

**Cost:** \$50 Per Session

**Ages:** 8-13



# Youth Programs & Activities

## Introduction to Karate

We have teamed up with local Gym S&S Fitness to offer an introductory karate class that will focus on martial arts physical fitness. Participants will learn the basics of Isshin-Ryu Karate through fun martial arts based exercises.

Please wear comfortable clothes and bring a water bottle with you to the class.

**When:** Saturdays, 6/1 — 6/22  
9:00 am — 9:45 am

**Where:** Hamlin Town Hall Gym

**Cost:** \$20 per participant

**Ages:** 7-12



## Gymnastics Camp

Our 4 day gymnastics camp will return this Summer. Participants will learn to use various gymnastics equipment like the balance beam, parallel bars, uneven bars, and vault. Mats will be laid out for focus on floor routines and developing tumbling skills. There is no specific uniform requirement, however, participants are asked to wear comfortable clothing, pack socks, and to bring a water bottle.

To join the Preschool Program your child must be at least 3 years old, able to follow directions and be comfortable without parents being in the same room.

Intermediate gymnasts must be able to do cartwheels, backward rolls, and bridges on their own.

**There is no camp on Thursday, 7/11.**

**This program fills quickly so early registration is advised to guarantee your child's spot. If the program is full please sign up for the waitlist as spots may open after the first class.**

**When:** 7/8, 7/9, 7/10, 7/12

Preschool: 9:00 am — 9:45 am

Beginner: 10:00 am — 10:50 am

Intermediate: 11:00 am — 11:50 am

**Where:** Hamlin Town Hall Gym

**Cost:** \$35

**Ages:** Preschool: 3 — 5

Beginner: 5 — 12

Intermediate: 5 — 12

## Art Camp

Hamlin Rec is hosting a weeklong Art Camp this Summer. Each day we will learn a different art form, medium, and artist. We will participate in a group discussion about the topic and then complete an art project based on what we have learned.

We will focus on personal development and expression through art. Some areas of interest will be drawing, painting, printmaking, surrealism, art in marketing, and more.

All materials will be provided for you.

**When:** Monday— Friday, 8/5— 8/9  
9:00 am — 10:30 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Hall Gym

**Cost:** \$40 Per Session

**Ages:** 8-13



## Tiny Tunes Toddler Music

Introducing Tiny tunes Music Program! Taught by a professional music educator and parent. Dive into a world of musical magic with your little ones aged 1-5.

We will focus on creative movement, instrument exploration, and sensory experiences while creating bonding moments for caregivers and toddlers.

**\*\*For ages 1-2 caregiver participation is required. For ages 3-5 caregiver participation is optional but strongly recommended.\*\***

Evening classes are offered for busy & working families.

**When:**

**Session 1:** Wednesdays, 5/29— 6/19

**Ages 1-2:** 5:30 pm — 6:00 pm

**Ages 3-5:** 6:00 pm — 6:30 pm

**Session 2:** Wednesdays, 7/17— 8/7

**Ages 1-2:** 5:30 pm — 6:00 pm

**Ages 3-5:** 6:00 pm — 6:30 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Hall Gym

**Cost:** \$40 per child

**Ages:** 1-5



# EXPERIENCE HAMLIN'S NEW DISC GOLF COURSE!

**A 9 Hole Disc Golf Course  
was recently installed in  
Hamlin Town Park!**

Find the course map and  
more information on our  
website!

**Starter Disc Kits Available to Rent!**

**1658 Lake Rd. Hamlin, NY 14464**

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# Programs & Activities

## **AARP** Driver Safety

### AARP Driver Safety

Designed for the mature licensed drivers to learn the newest NYS specific laws, update driving skills, knowledge of age-related physical changes and to adjust driving for these changes.

Upon completion participants will receive up to 10% multiyear discount on auto insurance.

The DMV may assess up to a 4-point reduction.

There will be a lunch break from 12-12:30 pm. Please bring a bagged lunch as there will not be enough time to leave the building to go get lunch.

**Everyone attending must have a NYS driver's License**

AARP members should bring their AARP card number.

Only CHECKS payable to AARP are accepted.

**YOU MUST BRING A CHECK MADE OUT TO AARP ON THE DAY OF THE CLASS. THIS IS NOT A FREE CLASS.**

**When:** Session 3: Thursday, 8/15  
9:00 am - 3:30 pm,

**Where:** Hamlin Town Hall Gym

**Cost:** \$25 AARP Members  
\$30 Non Members

**Ages:** 50+

### AKC Dog Training

This 6 week program will teach your furry friend basic obedience lessons. The class will include an American Kennel Club Canine Good Citizen Test at the end of the course.

**Proof of vaccination is required for all dogs.**

The class will meet in the field behind the Town Hall.

We recommend bringing your dogs favorite treats for training rewards.

**When:** Mondays, 6/24— 7/29,  
6:00 pm — 7:00 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Park

**Cost:** \$160 per dog



### Hiking Club

Rochester is home to many fantastic parks and trails. Join Hamlin Rec Staff for guided hikes in the surrounding areas this Summer. Participants will experience our area's wildlife and natural beauty.

All hikes will be roughly 1 hour depending on the trail. Participants are responsible for their own transportation and bringing their own pack and supplies.

**This is a free group to join and is open to all ages and all levels of experience, but please pre-register so that we know who will be attending.**

**There may be entrance fees to some parks depending on the time of year. The Hamlin Public Library has NYS Empire Passes available to rent with your library card, which will allow Free access to NYS Parks. Please plan accordingly.**

**When:** Saturday, 6/15 10:00 am, Holley Falls  
Saturday, 7/13 6:30 pm, Lakeside State Park  
Saturday, 8/10 10:00 am, Hamlin Beach State Park

**Cost:** FREE!

**Ages:** All ages are Welcome at Participant's Discretion



### NYS Safe Boating Course

As of this year, anyone born on or after January 1, 1978 must have a boating safety certificate when operating a motorized vessel on the water.

**Please register for this program directly on New York State Office of Parks, Recreation, and Historical Preservation.**

**When:** Saturday, 5/11 8:00 am — 4:30 pm

**Where:** Hamlin Town Hall Gym

**Cost:** Free, Pre-registration required

**Ages:** 10+

Community Engagement

# Hamlin Youth Group

**Get Involved**

—  
**Volunteer**

—  
**Free Trips**

—  
**Grades 6–12**



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# JOIN OUR VOLUNTEER GROUP



## What

## We Do:

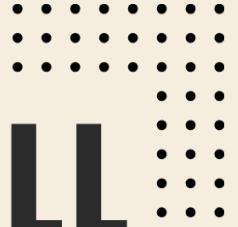
- Award Scholarships for programs, sports, and Summer Camp
- Support Youth Sports Teams
- Volunteer at Hamlin Recreation Events
- Acquire Grants for Art, Inclusive Programs, & So Much More!



**MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN  
YOUR COMMUNITY!**

For More Info Contact Us!

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# TOWN HALL GYMNASIUM

Our Gym is a great open space that allows for parties, gatherings, meetings, seminars, and more! ,



## AMENITIES

- Large Open Space
- Bathrooms Onsite
- Heat
- Seats 60
- Parking

**BOOK ONLINE NOW**

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# CHARLIE MAIER LODGE

Our Park Lodge is the perfect place to host your next birthday party, baby shower, or other event.

## AMENITIES

- Full Kitchen
- Bathrooms Onsite
- Heat / AC
- Seats 60
- Parking



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