Where the Wild Things Are

Use your imagination and wander off to where the wild things live. Mix-and-match to create your very own "wild things," while we review the classic story along with other not-so-scary monster stories. Go "wild" over exciting games and tasty snacks!

For ages 3-6 years (must be "potty" trained).

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
Tu	1:15-2:15pm	Jun 4-Jun 25	Casanova Oak Knoll	Staff	$28	$22	29034-1
W	1:15-2:15pm	Oct 2-Oct 30 *(No Class Oct 9)*	Casanova Oak Knoll	Staff	$28	$22	29034-2

Youth and Teens

Baby-Sitter, CPR and First Aid Training

Impress employing parents with your American Heart Association HeartSaver CPR and Pediatric First Aid Certifications, organizational skills, and ability to safely care for, feed and entertain children. An additional $44 material fee collected at class.

For ages 11 and older.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
Sa	8:30am-4:00pm	Jun 15	Youth Center	A. Drozd	$64	$49	29115-1
W	8:30am-4:00pm	Jul 3	Youth Center	A. Drozd	$64	$49	29115-2

Bicycle Maintenance for Kids

Join us and learn basic maintenance and safety. In addition to proper helmet fit, you will learn how to inflate your tires, change a flat tire, adjust your brakes and keep your bike clean and lubed.

For ages 8-13 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M	5:30-7:00pm	Jul 29	Casanova Oak Knoll	E. Chavez	$26	$20	27520-1
M	5:30-7:00pm	Sep 23	Casanova Oak Knoll	E. Chavez	$26	$20	27520-2

Board Games for Brains

Learn how to play Backgammon, Checkers, Memory & other exciting mind boggling games, while improving your logical & analytical thinking skills, sportsmanship & creativity. Not to mention all the fun and new friends you will make! Pre-register at the Monterey Youth Center.

For ages 6-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE
W	1:30-3:00pm	Jun 12-Jul 24	Youth Center	Staff	None
W	1:30-3:00pm	Aug 14-Nov 20	Youth Center	Staff	None

Comic Book Creators with Freshi™ Media

NEW!

This class introduces students to the Comedic Digital Short Format. Students often see this format in commercials and in Nick TV shows like "You Can't Say That on TV." Students learn to write, film and edit for fast setups and punch lines. Using comedic techniques and proven funny themes, students will finish at least one comedic digital short film.

For ages 7-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	Jul 22-Jul 26	Hilltop Park	Freshi™ Media	$165	$150	27547-1

Culture Kids

Join us as we hop on an imaginary plane and travel to Kenya, Thailand, China and France. We will learn about each country through cultural stories, crafts, games and foods.

For ages 6-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
F	3:30-4:30pm	Aug 2-Aug 23	Casanova Oak Knoll	Staff	$28	$22	27015-1

Design Challenge

Each week we will involve the participants in various challenges that incorporate logical thinking, creative ideas, and the construction of household materials and/or new inventions.

For ages 7-10 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M	3:30-4:45pm	Jul 1-Jul 22	Youth Center	Staff	$33	$25	27005-1
M	3:30-4:45pm	Sep 16-Sep 30	Youth Center	Staff	$25	$19	27005-2
M	3:30-4:45pm	Nov 4-Nov 25 *(No Class Nov 11)*	Youth Center	Staff	$25	$19	27005-3

Digital Animation with Freshi™ Media

NEW!

Today's animators use sophisticated computer programs to create the world of their cartoons. Before they can take their characters through adventures, they first have to teach themselves and their computer how to give form to the world they envision. Participants will learn skills that will help with computer drawing, character skeleton and movement, frame layering and dialogue matching. In small groups of two or three, students will focus more on learning these techniques.

For ages 7-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	Jun 24-Jun 28	Hilltop Park	Freshi™ Media	$165	$150	27548-1

Elves Workshop

NEW!

During each 2-day workshop, participants will create a variety of holiday gifts for friends and loved ones, as well as make their own wrapping paper and card. Choose one workshop or choose them all!

For ages 6-9 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M,W	3:30-4:30pm	Dec 2-Dec 4	Hilltop Park	Staff	$32	$25	27555-1
M,W	3:30-4:30pm	Dec 9-Dec 11	Hilltop Park	Staff	$32	$25	27555-2
M,W	3:30-4:30pm	Dec 16-Dec 18	Hilltop Park	Staff	$32	$25	27555-3

Pre-Engineering with LEGO®

Let your imagination run wild with over 100,000 pieces of LEGO®! Build engineer-designed projects such as boats, bridges, mazes, and motorized cars. Explore the endless creative possibilities of LEGO®.

For ages 5-6 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	Jun 17-Jun 21	Hilltop Park	Play-Well Teknologies	$165	$150	29140-1
M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	Jul 15-Jul 19	Hilltop Park	Play-Well Teknologies	$165	$150	29140-2

Engineering FUNdamentals with LEGO®

Power up your engineering skills with over 100,000 pieces of LEGO®! Apply real-world concepts in physics, engineering, and architecture through projects such as arch bridges, motorized cars, and the Battletrack.

For ages 7-11 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M-F	1:00-4:00pm	Jun 17-Jun 21	Hilltop Park	Play-Well Teknologies	$165	$150	29141-1
M-F	1:00-4:00pm	Jul 15-Jul 19	Hilltop Park	Play-Well Teknologies	$165	$150	29141-2

Jedi Engineering with LEGO®

Young Jedi will explore worlds far, far away and engineering principles right in front of them. Defeat the Empire by designing and refining X-Wings, R2-units, and settlements on far-flung edges of the galaxy. Imagination and engineering combine to create motorized and architectural projects such as energy catapults, shield generators and defense turrets.

For ages 5-7 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M-W,F	9:00am-12:00pm	Jul 1-Jul 5 *(No Class Jul 4)*	Youth Center	Play-Well Teknologies	$132	$120	29142-1

Green Engineering with LEGO®

Design and build machines powered by alternative energy sources. Race solar cars, build a wind-powered electrical generation facility, enter the human powered vehicle competition, and invent a machine powered by stored elastic strain energy. Instruction will be provided by staff, but familiarity with LEGO® Technic is desirable.

For ages 8-11 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M-W,F	1:00-4:00pm	Jul 1-Jul 5 *(No Class Jul 4)*	Youth Center	Play-Well Teknologies	$132	$120	29143-1

Family Movie Night

Bring the whole family and come on over to enjoy some popcorn while watching an exciting movie on our big-screen. Afterwards, families may spend some quality time playing Wii, pool, foosball or air-hockey!

For all ages.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE
W	5:00-8:45pm	Continuous	Casanova Oak Knoll	Staff	None

Flight Night

Are you interested in learning how to build and fly planes? Well we've got the event for you! Come and learn why planes fly and how to design and build your very own plane.

For ages 8-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
F	5:30-9:30pm	Jul 12	Youth Center	Staff	$27	$21	29132-1
F	5:30-9:30pm	Sep 13	Youth Center	Staff	$27	$21	29132-2

Kid's Etiquette

This class is fun, interactive, educational, and entertaining. Children develop their social skills and character while building self-esteem, confidence and leadership skills.

For ages 7-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
Tu	3:30-4:30pm	Aug 13-Sep 3	Hilltop Park	Staff	$27	$21	27025-1

Kid's Etiquette II

In part two of Kid's Etiquette, we introduce "party etiquette 101" and "eating with elegance." Children will continue to develop and master social skills while building confidence and leadership.

For ages 7-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
Tu	3:30-4:30pm	Oct 15-Nov 5	Hilltop Park	Staff	$27	$21	27026-1

Kids Monster Madness Night

Don't miss this "spooktacular" event! Parents enjoy a night out while your kids make spooky arts & crafts projects and participate in a "mini" Halloween Carnival and Costume Contest. It will be a very "bewitching" evening! **Registration deadline is Wednesday, October 23.**

For ages 7-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
F	5:30-9:30pm	Oct 25	Youth Center	Staff	$33	$25	25015-1

Mad Hatter's Tea Party

Happy "Unbirthday!" You don't want to be late for a seat at the Mad Hatter's party table! We will enjoy a variety of activities from crafts to games, and of course snacks during tea time. Feel free to wear your craziest hat!

For ages 6-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
F	6:00-8:00pm	Jul 19	Casanova Oak Knoll	Staff	$28	$22	27055-1

Mad Scientists

Come have a BLAST as you join fellow "mad scientists" for this exciting opportunity to do some hands-on learning about the world of science.

For ages 6-9 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
F	3:45-4:45pm	Aug 9-Aug 30	Hilltop Park	Staff	$34	$26	27535-1
F	3:45-4:45pm	Nov 1-Nov 22	Hilltop Park	Staff	$34	$26	27535-2

Mystery Mondays

Detective activities for kids who enjoy solving a mystery. Each week students will be challenged to attempt to solve a mystery from clues and techniques they have learned. Detective work is exciting and fun!

For ages 9-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M	4:00-5:00pm	Jun 3-Jun 24	Youth Center	Staff	$33	$25	27010-1
M	4:00-5:00pm	Oct 14-Oct 28	Youth Center	Staff	$25	$19	27010-2

Nature, It's Just Outside!

This fun adventurous class is designed to help young nature-lovers discover and explore the great outdoors. Through a series of interactive games, we'll touch, smell, see and hear the wonderful world of nature.

For ages 8-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
Sa	11:00am-2:00pm	Jun 15	Huckleberry Hill	Staff	$33	$25	27526-1

Recycled Crafts for Tweens

Let's save and use recycled items to create masterful pieces of art and crafts to turn it into something useful!

For ages 8-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
Th	3:45-4:45pm	Aug 8-Aug 29	Hilltop Park	Staff	$27	$21	27530-1
Th	3:45-4:45pm	Nov 7-Dec 5 *(No Class Nov 28)*	Hilltop Park	Staff	$27	$21	27530-2

Renewable Energy Exploration

An introduction to renewable energy exploration. Each week we will work on a different renewable energy project and discuss possible real world uses for each particular energy source.

For ages 8-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
Tu	3:30-4:30pm	Aug 6-Aug 27	Youth Center	Staff	$28	$21	27528-1
Tu	3:30-4:30pm	Oct 1-Oct 29 *(No Class Oct 8)*	Youth Center	Staff	$28	$21	27528-2

Tech Builders App Design with Freshi™ Media

NEW!

Learn the basics needed to create your own mobile games or helpful apps! Using game salad software, learn the process of making a mobile app. We'll focus on app content, animation, appearance, menu layout and other useful tools. This camp is useful for students who are interested in technology or video games, as well as for students who simply want to make a cool mobile app to share with family and friends!

For ages 7-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	Jul 8-Jul 12	Hilltop Park	Freshi™ Media	$165	$150	27549-1

Tricks, Treats and Sweets

Calling all ghosts and goblins! Join us for a howling good time as we create creepy crafts, ghoulish goodies and play ghostly games.

For ages 6-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
Sa	6:00-8:00pm	Oct 26	Casanova Oak Knoll	Staff	$28	$22	27533-1

Video Game Design for Beginners with Freshi™ Media

NEW!

Beginning Game Developers work in pairs to conceive, design and build their own original computer game from scratch. Everything created for their game is original to the team - the characters, the action, the background, the music and the format. Participants learn the fundamental game elements and build a single platform game that can be shared with friends on-line. Every team completes a game by the end of the program.

For ages 7-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	Jun 17-Jun 21	Hilltop Park	Freshi™ Media	$165	$150	27545-1

Wizard Training

Attend a day in wizard school! Mix up some magical experiments! Make an official wizard's hat and enjoy treats fresh from the cauldron. Costumes are encouraged, but not required.

For ages 5-8 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
F	6:00-8:00pm	Oct 18	Casanova Oak Knoll	Staff	$28	$22	27575-1

World of Gravity Powered Racing

Come have a BLAST as you join fellow "racers" for this exciting opportunity to design, shape, paint and race your own gravity powered racer! Race Night is Friday, August 30 from 5:30-6:30pm.

For ages 8-12 years.

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	MTY RES FEE	ACTIVITY#
F	3:45-5:00pm	Jul 19-Aug 30 *(No Class Aug 2)*	Youth Center	Staff	$65	$50	29136-1

Casanova Oak Knoll Park Center Teen Room

For ages 12-17 years. FREE!!

The Teen Room, located at 735 Ramona Avenue, is open Monday through Thursday from 1:00-8:45pm, and Friday from 1:00-4:45pm. Enjoy pool, air hockey, foosball, Wii Band Hero, DJ Hero and Internet access computers.

Hilltop Park Center Teen Room

For ages 12-17 years. FREE!!

The Teen Room, located at 871 Jessie Street, is open Monday through Thursday from 3:00-8:45pm, and Friday 1:00-4:45pm. Enjoy pool, ping-pong, air hockey, Wii and Internet access computers.

Monterey Youth Center Teen Room

For ages 12-17 years. FREE!!

The Teen Room, located at 777 Pearl Street, is open Monday through Thursday from 1:00-8:45pm, and Friday 1:00-4:45pm. Enjoy Wii Dance Revolution and Band Hero, pool, ping-pong, air hockey and Internet access computers.

Adults and Seniors

Scholze Park Center

The Scholze Park Center is open from 9:00am to 5:00pm, Monday through Friday. Located at the corner of Dickman and Lighthouse Avenues, behind Scholze Park, this center is devoted primarily to Adult and Senior activities, such as sewing, ceramics, needlepoint, line dance and a variety of art programs. There are other classes and activities for the general public to enjoy. Please call for further information: 646-3878.

Diabetic Support Group: Meets the second Thursday of each month at 10:00am

Alliance on Aging

The Alliance on Aging is a non-profit organization whose mission is to help older adults live securely, productively and independently. A multi-purpose agency, the Alliance on Aging sponsors programs that serve seniors and their caregivers. Many Alliance services are offered at the Scholze Park Center. For more information call 646-1458.

Alliance on Aging programs include:

Senior Peer Counseling
Ombudsman for Long Term Care
Senior Employment Training
Health Insurance Counseling & Advocacy (HICAP)
Tax Counseling
Senior Outreach Luncheons
Spirals Consignment & Benefit Store: 383-5030

Senior/Disabled Taxi Voucher Program

A limited number of free taxi vouchers are distributed to Monterey Resident Seniors and Disabled persons for travel in Monterey, Seaside, Sand City, Del Rey Oaks, Pacific Grove, and Carmel. Seniors (65 and older) must provide proof of age and residency. Disabled persons (any age) must provide an ID card from Monterey Salinas Transit's (MST) RIDES program and proof of residency. Vouchers are worth $14. Participants will pay a $3 co-pay to the taxi driver. Vouchers are distributed at Scholze Park Center, Casanova Oak Knoll Park Center and Monterey Recreation Administration Office.

For Seniors (65 and older) and Disabled Persons (any age).

Golden 55 Travelers

You don't have to be a senior to join Monterey's most popular travel group-we offer a variety of tours throughout the year for adults of all ages. Traveling near and far on one-day outings, overnight excursions, and extended tours, we provide interesting and exciting adventures to satisfy travelers of all interests and all budgets. Reservations are taken on a first-come, first-served basis at the Scholze Park Center and must be pre-paid at the time of reservation. For a list of tours we are currently offering or to be added to our mailing list, please call (831) 646-3878 or visit us online at www.monterey.org/rec.

Please Note: Trips must be paid for when reservations are made; there is no smoking on buses; all seats on the bus are reserved on a first-come basis.
Refund policy: All one-day trips are refunded if cancelled 30 days in advance; less than 30 days, refund only if the space is resold. Space/tickets are non-transferable. There will be a $5 service charge assessed on cancellations of one-day trips. A $10 service charge will be assessed on tours longer than one day. For extended tours, consult individual brochures for specific refund policies.

Blood Pressure Check

The first and third Tuesday of every month a volunteer nurse's aid will offer free blood pressure check-ups for seniors.

For Seniors (55 and older).

DAY	TIME	SESSIONS	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	FEE
Tu	10:30-11:30am	Continuous *(No Blood Pressure Check on Sep 24)*	Scholze Park	D. Chartier	None