

# SUMMER 2023

# YOUTH AND FAMILY RESOURCES



Check out the list below of upcoming programs, events, and general services supporting youth and families

## Events

### Community Partnership for Children

**Program:** Family Fun Fest

Join the CPC in Fountain Park on Saturday, June 24 for our second annual Family Fun Fest! This free event will feature musical performances, games, activities, giveaways and more!

Randy Peterson will be performing three 30-minute shows throughout the day, so stop in any time to join in on the fun! Randy's show is billed as a fast-moving mix of music, humor and storytelling that is geared for kids, but which all ages will enjoy. Come enjoy this show full of singing, audience participation and fun!

In between interactive musical performances, stop by any of the 20+ booths hosted by youth-serving agencies in Sheboygan County to enjoy games, activities, snacks, crafts and more!

**Date/Time:** 6/24, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

**Contact:** ryan@uwofsc.org

**Visit:** [uwofsc.org/familyfunfest/](http://uwofsc.org/familyfunfest/)

### Lakeshore Community Health Care

**Program:** Caveman Adventure Run

This family-friendly 5K, set in a historic park, includes challenging natural and man-made obstacles, mud and CAVES! Join us Sunday, June 4 at Cherney Maribel Caves County Park. Funds raised from the run support Lakeshore Community Health Care's mission to provide affordable dental, medical and mental health care, regardless of a patient's income or insurance status. Visit ACTIVE.com for details and to register online.

**Date/Time:** 6/4, 8:00 a.m.

**Contact:** etogstad@lakeshorechc.org

**Visit:** <https://www.active.com/maribel-wi/running/races/caveman-adventure-run-2023>

### Mead Public Library

**Program:** Family Night on the City Green

Pack a picnic and join Dare to Dream Theatre, The GameBoard, Millipore Sigma, Girl Scouts of Manitou Council, Dunkin Donuts and more, for an early evening of outdoor drop-in family fun featuring stories with costumed characters, board games, bubbles, sidewalk chalk, an obstacle course and more.

**Date/Time:** 7/12, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

**Contact:** alison.loewen@meadpl.org

**Visit:** <https://www.meadpl.org/event/family-night-city-green-8>

### Above & Beyond Children's Museum

**Program:** Full STEAM Ahead

An out-of-school summer day-camp where children will explore a variety of STEAM-based activities that focus on themes throughout the museum. Children will enjoy hands-on activities led by a museum educator that explore the different sides of STEAM, a scheduled snack time and guided museum open-play. Sign-up for this camp will include a camp t-shirt!

**Date/Time:** July 25, 26, 27 & 28, 9:30 a.m.

**Contact:** andrew@abkids.org

**Visit:** <https://www.abkids.org/programs/events/event/full-steam-ahead>

### Sheboygan County 4-H

**Program:** 4-H Summer Camps

The Sheboygan County 4-H Program is hosting 3 summer camp opportunities for kids of all ages! Please give the Sheboygan County Extension Office a call for more information!

**Date/Time:** Multiple dates throughout July; call for more information

**Contact:** (920) 459-5903

**Visit:** <https://v2.4honline.com/#/user/sign-up>

# Events

## Mead Public Library

**Program:** Summer Storytime

Join us for a special summer storytime series with optional hands on activities afterwards. Ideal for preschool-aged learners but younger and older siblings are welcome. Optional hands-on exploration and making activities afterwards.

**Date/Time:** Wednesdays in July, 9:30 a.m.

**Contact:** [alison.loewen@meadpl.org](mailto:alison.loewen@meadpl.org)

**Visit:** <https://www.meadpl.org/event/summer-storytime-32>

## Above & Beyond Children's Museum

**Program:** Community Artists Club

A program designed to empower children to create art that gives back! During this program, children will decide on a community project, collaboratively design and create their art project that will later take its place in the community. During the first week of the program, children will decide on and design a community art project. During the last week of the program, children will get to work creating their vision and unveiling it within the community. Children will learn to express their creativity, work collaboratively as a team and about the value of giving back to the community.

**Date/Time:** July 11-14 & 18-21, 12:30 p.m.

**Contact:** [andrew@abkids.org](mailto:andrew@abkids.org)

**Visit:** <https://www.abkids.org/programs/events/event/community-artists-club-6>

## Dare to Dream Theatre

**Program:** Tuck Everlasting Performances

What would you do if you had all eternity? Eleven-year-old Winnie Foster yearns for a life of adventure beyond her white picket fence, but not until she becomes unexpectedly entwined with the Tuck Family does she get more than she could have imagined. When Winnie learns of the magic behind the Tucks' unending youth, she must fight to protect their secret from those who would do anything for a chance at eternal life. As her adventure unfolds, Winnie faces an extraordinary choice: return to her life, or continue with the Tucks on their infinite journey.

**Date/Time:** 7/14-7/23, 7:00 p.m.

**Contact:** (920) 645-5806 or

[daretodreamtheatre@daretodreamtheatre.org](mailto:daretodreamtheatre@daretodreamtheatre.org)

**Visit:** <https://www.daretodreamtheatre.org/tuck-everlasting>

## Above & Beyond Children's Museum

**Program:** Youth Chefs Around the World

Learn about cultures from around the world through nutritious and beginner-friendly cooking classes taught collaboratively by Nourish and ABCM educators. Each session centers around a different culture's cuisine. The program will also introduce beginner kitchen skills and safety!

**Date/Time:** July 11-13, 18-20 & 25-27, 1:00 p.m.

**Contact:** [andrew@abkids.org](mailto:andrew@abkids.org)

**Visit:** <https://www.abkids.org/programs/events/event/youth-chefs-around-the-world-9>

## Sheboygan County Health and Human Services

**Program:** Building Healthy Relationships with Children Who Have Experienced Trauma

An eight-week workshop for parents, foster parents, caregivers and professionals to provide better understanding to trauma and how to help children who have been impacted. Sessions build from week to week so best to be able to attend all. Child care (until full) and dinner are provided. Workshop is free except professionals are asked to pay \$10 for workbook.

**Date/Time:** Wednesdays 9/27-11/15, 5:00 p.m.

**Contact:** [katherine.pruitt@sheboygancounty.com](mailto:katherine.pruitt@sheboygancounty.com)

**Visit:** <https://www.sheboygancounty.com/home/showdocumentid=18779&t=638192172321808526> or <https://www.sheboygancounty.com/home/showdocument?id=18781&t=638192172327276969>

## Great Marriages

**Program:** Just You and Me: A Marriage Retreat

The best way to show your children how to experience a healthy relationship is by your example! Join Great Marriages for our annual Marriage Retreat to re-focus and learn how to "Relate Well," our theme for this year's event! National speaker Dr. Rick Marks will be joining us!

**Date/Time:** 7/25-7/26, 5:00 p.m.

**Contact:** [events@great-marriages.org](mailto:events@great-marriages.org) or (920) 783-6142

**Visit:** <https://www.great-marriages.org/events>



# Events

## Family Resource Center of Sheboygan County

**Program:** Game Night

You bring the players, we'll bring the games! Join staff from the Family Resource Center of Sheboygan County at Mead Public Library for a family game night! Board and card games for all ages will be provided, as well as a chance to make your family's very own game to take home.

**Date/Time:** 6/26, 4:30 p.m.

**Contact:** PAT@frc-sc.org or (920) 892-6706

**Visit:** [familyresourcesheboygan.org/events](http://familyresourcesheboygan.org/events)

## Family Resource Center of Sheboygan County

**Program:** Babies on the Move

Babies learn many large and small motor skills in the first 12 months of life, and they do it best when they get lots of practice! This interactive class (held at Generations in Plymouth) for parents and their birth to 12-month-old babies will include activities to help your child learn and grow stronger each day. Learn about typical development and the pros and cons of baby equipment.

**Date/Time:** 8/29, 4:30 p.m.

**Contact:** PAT@frc-sc.org or (920) 892-6706

**Visit:** [familyresourcesheboygan.org/events](http://familyresourcesheboygan.org/events)

## Safe Harbor

**Program:** Youth Services - Circle of Hope

A support group for preteens and teens who are sexual assault survivors. This group will assist them in finding support through others with similar experiences. We will address topics such as coping skills, how to deal with triggers, relationships after an assault, healthy boundaries, how to talk about the assault and other issues that these preteens and teens may be facing.

**Date/Time:** Wednesdays, 6/14-7/12, 4:00 p.m.

**Contact:** Call Cindy or Jeremy at (920) 452-7640

## Safe Harbor

**Program:** Love Shouldn't Hurt

A support group for teens and preteens who have experienced domestic violence within their home. This group will bring together a diverse group of youth to provide support, promote healing and build resiliency. It will address topics such as coping skills, triggers, resiliency and healthy relationships.

**Date/Time:** Wednesdays, 7/19-8/16, 9:00 a.m.

**Contact:** Call Cindy or Jeremy at (920) 452-7640

## Family Resource Center of Sheboygan County

**Program:** Kids' Outdoor Play

Come and enjoy fun & creative outdoor activities for the whole family at the Generations Building in Plymouth (outdoor games, bubbles, ball play, interactive games, chalk, scavenger hunt, etc.). Please pack your family a picnic dinner if you would like to eat prior to the event!

**Date/Time:** 7/24, 5:00 p.m.

**Contact:** PAT@frc-sc.org or (920) 892-6706

**Visit:** [familyresourcesheboygan.org/events](http://familyresourcesheboygan.org/events)

## Girl Scout Summer Camp

**Program:** Summer Camp

Get ready for great outdoor fun with friends! At Girl Scout camp, she'll laugh, make new friends, try things she never thought she could do, gain independence and valuable leadership skills and most importantly, HAVE FUN! ALL GIRLS ages 5-17 are welcome! We have day and overnight camps all summer long!

**Date/Time:** All Summer

**Contact:** growstrong@gsmanitou.org or (920) 565-4575

**Visit:** <https://www.gsmanitou.org/en/camping/summer-camp.html>

## Safe Harbor

**Program:** Youth Services

A support group for kids who have either suffered abuse or who are vulnerable, a safe space to bond with other children while doing fun indoor/ outdoor activities out in the community. We will focus on fun and engaging activities while also being there to facilitate healing, empowerment, and prevention education.

**Date/Time:** Wednesdays, 6/14-7/12, 9:00 a.m.

**Contact:** Call Cindy or Jeremy at (920) 452-7640

## Great Marriages

**Program:** Love on the Beach - 5 Love Languages

Parents! Do you know how to speak each other's love language, and the love languages of your children? Join Great Marriages for a 5 Love Languages presentation on the beach! Continue dating one another to show your children what a healthy relationship looks like!

**Date/Time:** 7/3 & 7/8, 5:30 p.m.

**Contact:** events@great-marriages.org or (920) 783-6142

**Visit:** <https://www.great-marriages.org/events>

# Events

## Above & Beyond Children's Museum

**Program:** Junior Scientists Club

An out-of-school summer day-camp where children will explore a variety of STEAM-based activities that focus on themes throughout the museum. Children will enjoy hands-on activities led by a museum educator that explore the different sides of STEAM, a scheduled snack time and guided museum open-play. Sign-up for this camp will include a camp t-shirt!

**Date/Time:** August 1, 2, 3 & 4, 9:30 a.m.

**Contact:** [andrew@abkids.org](mailto:andrew@abkids.org)

**Visit:** <https://www.abkids.org/programs/events/event/jr-science-club>

## Progressive Beginnings

**Program:** Eat the Rainbow Cooking Class

This Cooking Class is designed for kids 4-7 years old to be able to improve executive functioning skills by following a recipe, challenge sensory processing skills for picky eaters or children with texture resistance, improve social pragmatic skills by being able to interact with similar aged peers, and learn about appropriate nutritional intake and what should be on a plate or in a lunchbox.

**Date/Time:** 6/20, 11:15 a.m.

**Contact:** [jessicapt@progbeg.com](mailto:jessicapt@progbeg.com)

**Visit:** [www.progbeg.com/events](http://www.progbeg.com/events)

## Progressive Beginnings/Above & Beyond Children's Museum/Mead Public Library/Family Resource Center of Sheboygan County

**Program:** BYOB (Bring Your Own Baby)

Join parents, caregivers and kiddos ages 0-2 y/o at the Above and Beyond Children's Museum to socialize and learn from Early Childhood Specialists! Progressive Beginnings' therapists and Family Resource Center's Parent Educators will host a different developmental topic each month. Class is offered at both 9:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

**Date/Time:** Third Tuesday of every month, 9:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.

**Contact:** [jessicapt@progbeg.com](mailto:jessicapt@progbeg.com)

**Visit:** <https://abkids.org/programs/>



## Above & Beyond Children's Museum

**Program:** Eat, Play, Grow

Children explore healthy eating through hands-on activities. Children gain knowledge about where food comes from, how it grows and how to nourish our bodies with good food. The program utilizes our local Farmer's Market produce as well as Above & Beyond's green space garden plots to grow fresh vegetables.

**Date/Time:** 6/7, 6/21, 7/5, 7/19, 8/2, & 8/16, 9:30 a.m.

**Contact:** [info@abkids.org](mailto:info@abkids.org) or (920) 458-4263

**Visit:** <https://www.abkids.org/programs/events/>

## Progressive Beginnings/Family Resource Center of Sheboygan County/Mead Public Library

**Program:** Bitty Book Club

Bring your child aged 2-5 and join us for a free interactive toddler book club where facilitators from the Family Resource Center and Progressive Beginnings will help make stories come alive with book-themed activities that encourage a child's motor, language and social development. Our professionally-trained Parent Educator and Physical Therapist will point out child developmental milestones to watch for while building your child's very own library and literacy skills as your child approaches kindergarten. Each family will be able to take a copy of the book home!

**Date/Time:** Third Tuesday of every month, 9:30 a.m. at Mead Public Library  
4:30 p.m. at City Green (summer only, weather permitting)

**Contact:** [jessicapt@progbeg.com](mailto:jessicapt@progbeg.com)

**Visit:** <https://www.meadpl.org/event/bitty-book-club-7>

# Events

## Progressive Beginnings

**Program:** Social Skills Enrichment Class

Join us for a 5-week class where participants will interact with similar-aged peers with instruction from our Occupational Therapists to promote quality friendships, instruct in use of appropriate tone, voice and volume, learn empathy, improve self-esteem and self-worth, develop boundaries and conflict resolution skills, recognize one's own feelings as well as others' feelings, grow relationships and more! Register based on your child's age!

**Date/Time:** Wednesdays 6/14-7/12, 3:15, 4:15 & 5:15 p.m.

**Contact:** [jessicapt@progbeg.com](mailto:jessicapt@progbeg.com)

**Visit:** [www.progbeg.com/events](http://www.progbeg.com/events)

## Above & Beyond Children's Museum

**Program:** Act Out Performance and Play

Be a part of collaborative plays and stories to encourage love and appreciation for the arts. Children will participate in learning songs and acting performances with the direction of a staff member from Theater for Young Audiences and ABCM.

**Date/Time:** 6/13-6/17, 12:00 p.m.

**Contact:** [info@abkids.org](mailto:info@abkids.org) or (920) 458-4263

**Visit:** <https://www.abkids.org/programs/events/>

## Progressive Beginnings

**Program:** Free Developmental Screenings

Want to check in on your child's development? Wondering if they're on track to meet milestones? Schedule a 30-minute free developmental screening with one of the therapists at Progressive Beginnings.

**Date/Time:** 2nd & 4th Thursday of every month

**Contact:** [jessicapt@progbeg.com](mailto:jessicapt@progbeg.com)

**Visit:** [www.progbeg.com/events](http://www.progbeg.com/events)

## Progressive Beginnings

**Program:** Exershine Kids POWER Bootcamp

Our Exershine Kids POWER Bootcamp will improve core strength, balance, coordination, spatial awareness, motor planning, sensory processing skills and executive functioning skills using a uniquely designed, occupational therapy inspired, evidence-based program. Weekly classes are highly structured, thematic and adult-guided to practice focus, concentration, listening skills, peer cooperation and social skills. Join us this June for an 8-week class.

**Date/Time:** Mondays 6/26-8/14, 3:10 & 4:10 p.m.

**Contact:** [jessicapt@progbeg.com](mailto:jessicapt@progbeg.com)

**Visit:** [www.progbeg.com/events](http://www.progbeg.com/events)

## Progressive Beginnings

**Program:** Eat Around the World Class

These Cooking Classes are designed for kids 4-7 years old and 8-14 years old to be able to improve executive functioning skills by following a recipe, challenge sensory processing skills for picky eaters or children with texture resistance, improve social pragmatic skills by being able to interact with similar aged peers and learn about appropriate nutritional intake and what should be on a plate or in a lunchbox.

**Date/Time:** 7/18 & 8/15, 11:15 a.m.

**Contact:** [jessicapt@progbeg.com](mailto:jessicapt@progbeg.com)

**Visit:** [www.progbeg.com/events](http://www.progbeg.com/events)

## Dare to Dream Theatre

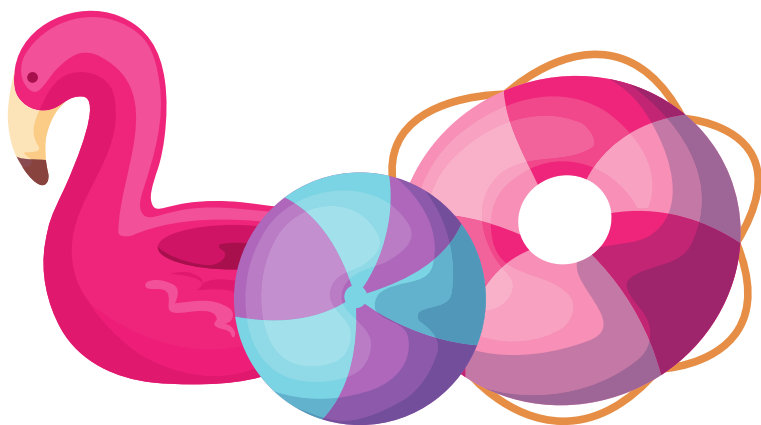
**Program:** Fancy Nancy Auditions

There's always time to be fancy. Based on the award-winning books by Jane O'Connor, Fancy Nancy and her friends Bree, Rhonda, Wanda and Lionel get ready to perform in their very first show, "Deep Sea Dances." Nancy is positive, that's fancy for 100 percent sure, that she and Bree will be picked to be mermaids. When another girl wins the coveted role of the mermaid, Nancy is stuck playing a dreary, dull tree. Can Nancy bring fancy flair to her role, even though it isn't the one she wanted?

**Date/Time:** 8/12, 10:00 a.m.

**Contact:** <https://www.daretodreamtheatre.org/contact>

**Visit:** <https://www.daretodreamtheatre.org/>



# Events

## Dare to Dream Theatre

**Program:** Mini Musical Summer Camp

Explore, Create, Perform. Join us for a full-day undersea adventure musical theater camp. Learn music, dances and scenes to put on our own mini-musical at the end of camp. Youth in grades 1-6 will explore the world of theater through hands-on activities. Campers will decorate their costumes, make props, rehearse movement and scenes while building life and stage skills. Campers will perform a 20-30 minute adaptation of Finding Nemo on Friday, 8/11 for family and friends. Register as a Teen Leader (grades 7-12).

**Date/Time:** 8/7-8/11, 9:00 a.m.

**Contact:** (920) 645-5806 or  
daretodreamtheatre@daretodreamtheatre.org

**Visit:** <https://www.daretodreamtheatre.org/>

## Dare to Dream Theatre

**Program:** Creative Play Dates

Play. Discover. Create. Collaborate. A Dare to Dream Theatre teaching artist will bring multi-sensory interactive Creative Play workshops designed to engage toddlers and their grown ups through creative and dramatic play to your classroom, library or family gathering event.

**Date/Time:** Multiple - see website for details

**Contact:** (920) 645-5806 or  
daretodreamtheatre@daretodreamtheatre.org

**Visit:** <https://www.daretodreamtheatre.org/creative-play-dates>

# Resources

## Sheboygan County Health and Human Services

**Program:** Birth to Three

Children do different things at different ages. If you are worried about the way your baby or toddler is developing, don't wait! The years from birth to age three are so important.

**Contact:** (920) 459-0368

**Visit:** <https://www.sheboygancounty.com/departments/departments-f-q/health-and-human-services/child-family-services/children-family-resource-unit>

## RAYS

**Program:** RAYS Youth Services

RAYS Youth Services is a voluntary, community-based program open to all youth between school age and 21 years of age. The program is designed to support homeless, runaway and at-risk youth. RAYS meets all youth where they are at within the community, using a trauma-informed perspective to build coping/social emotional skills, positive adult connections and strong connections to their community.

**Contact:** : RAYS@WeAreFoundations.org or  
(920) 458-7100

**Visit:** <https://wearefoundations.org/rays-youth-services/>

## Anchor of Hope Health Center

**Program:** Free Sexual Health Clinic

No-cost confidential STD testing and treatment, pregnancy testing, limited OB ultrasounds, support groups, man-to-man mentoring and parenting classes for individuals and families who are currently pregnant and/or are parenting at least one child toddler age or under.

**Contact:** Call or text (920) 452-4673 for an appointment or walk in at our location located at 1018 South Taylor Drive, Sheboygan, WI

**Visit:** [www.anchorofhopewi.org](http://www.anchorofhopewi.org)

## Girl Scouts of Manitou Council

**Program:** Girl Scouts

Image it - you and your forever friends. Dreaming up adventures. Making the whole word sparkle with your own personal brand of magic. A place where you can have total fun and be totally yourself. That's Girl Scouts! Troops are now forming in your school or community. Become a Girl Scout today!

**Contact:** growstrong@gzmanitou.org or  
(920) 565-4575

**Visit:** [www.gzmanitou.org](http://www.gzmanitou.org)

# Resources Continued



## Safe Harbor

**Program:** Youth Services

Safe Harbor's Youth Services Program provides family-focused crisis intervention and individual supportive services to children who have experienced the trauma of domestic or sexual violence in their lives. Our program offers one-on-one advocacy to children and parents. Please reach out to us with any questions about our services. Stay tuned for support groups and activity-based programs coming up this summer!

**Contact:** Call Cindy or Jeremy at (920) 452-7640

## Boy Scouts of America Bay-Lakes Council

**Program:** Cub Scouts & Scouts BSA

Cub Scouts is a program for both boys & girls in grades K-5. Scouts BSA is a program for both boys & girls grades 6-12.

**Contact:** Sally.bork@scouting.org or (920) 203-0700

**Visit:** <https://baylakesbsa.org/>

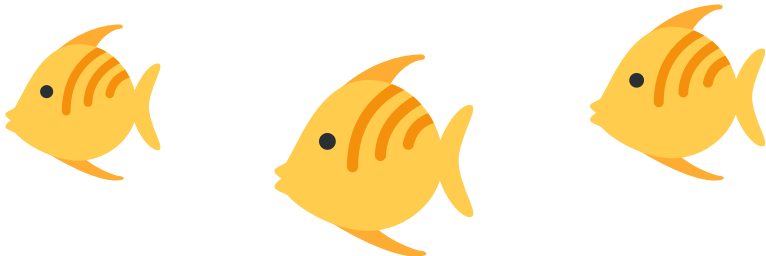
## Boys & Girls Clubs of Sheboygan County

**Program:** Boys & Girls Club Youth Summer Program

June - August, Mon-Fri from 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. at Longfellow Elementary or Sheboygan Falls. Grades K-8. Meals provided. Full summer fee is \$250 standard/\$125 discounted.

**Contact:** [bgcsc@thepositiveplace.com](mailto:bgcsc@thepositiveplace.com)

**Visit:** [www.ThePositivePlace.com](http://www.ThePositivePlace.com)



## Progressive Beginnings

**Program:** Developmental Checklists for Kids 1-14

Check in on your child's development - early intervention is key! Take a brief survey to check in on a child's motor, language and sensory development.

**Contact:** [jessicapt@progbeg.com](mailto:jessicapt@progbeg.com)

**Visit:** <https://www.progbeg.com/developmentalchecklists>

## Boys & Girls Clubs of Sheboygan County

**Program:** Boys & Girls Club Teen Drop In Summer Program

6/12-8/18, Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri from 12:00-5:00 p.m. and Wed from 12:00-3:00 p.m. Meals provided. \$20 annually.

**Contact:** [clubaty@thepositiveplace.com](mailto:clubaty@thepositiveplace.com)

**Visit:** [www.ThePositivePlace.com](http://www.ThePositivePlace.com)

For assistance with basic needs, housing, utilities, food, clothing, employment, support groups, legal aid or other essential needs, please dial 2-1-1 or search [www.211now.org](http://www.211now.org).

Another great local resource is Mental Health America (MHA) Lakeshore's [Community Resource Guide](#).

For resources for families, students, and educators as they navigate the school year, check out MHA Lakeshore's [Back to School Toolkit](#), a collection of resources that will be updated throughout the school year.

For general emergencies, dial 911.  
For a mental health emergency, please dial 988.



To protect your health and safety, as well as the health and safety of agency staff and clients, please do not sign up for events or programs if you are feeling ill. Please be mindful of the [CDC](#) and [Public Health's](#) recommendations.

The agencies listed are independent nonprofit organizations and are not controlled, operated or managed by the Sheboygan County Community Partnership for Children (CPC). The information about the youth and family resources are provided to the CPC by the organizations.