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# Month of the Young Child Passport



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The Community Partnership for Children (CPC) is a birth-to-six community impact initiative and coalition of agencies dedicated to improving the lives of families with young children.

### Mission

Develop and support a coordinated system to address the diverse needs of Sheboygan County's children and their families and caregivers.

### Vision

All Sheboygan County children are safe, healthy and prepared to grow, learn and achieve.

### Goals

- Parents are educated and confident in their parenting abilities.
- Parents are knowledgeable about community resources that can support them.
- Children are reaching their developmental milestones on time.
- Children entering kindergarten possess the social, emotional and academic skills that will provide a strong foundation for learning.

## Happy Month of the Young Child!

Did you know April is Month of the Young Child? To celebrate, our coalition put together this passport to connect with families and raise awareness of the importance of early childhood education.

On the following pages, you'll find information about a wide variety of family-friendly activities hosted by members of the CPC throughout the month of April. Collect stamps by participating in activities, then turn in your passport to earn prizes for your children and raffle entries! Every stamp is worth a raffle entry, so the more activities you attend, the better your chances of winning!

Pick and choose which events your family wants to attend; no matter the number of stamps in your passport, your kids will still earn prizes! Please use the QR code or URL below to find the most up-to-date list of participating events and additional options to turn in your passport!

[uwofsc.org/CPCpassport](http://uwofsc.org/CPCpassport)





# Money Counts Day

**When:** 4/6, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

**Where:** Above & Beyond Children's Museum  
902 N 8th St., Sheboygan

**Cost:** \$8/person (free for members)

**Description:** A Financial Literacy Event at Above & Beyond Children's Museum in partnership with Consumer Credit Counseling Service and Junior Achievement.





# Mindful Morning Family Hike

**When:** 4/6, 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

**Where:** Sheboygan Broughton Marsh Park  
7039W County Rd. S R, Elkhart Lake

Meet at observation tower

**Cost:** Free

**Registration:** <https://bit.ly/mhagreatoutdoors>

**Description:** Come enjoy the mental health benefits of being in the outdoors on a family hike with MHA Lakeshore.





**PROGRESSIVE BEGINNINGS**  
*Rehabilitation Specialists*

# Bring Your Own Baby (BYOB)

**When:** 4/18, 9 a.m. - 10 a.m. or  
4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**Where:** Above & Beyond Children's Museum  
902 N 8th St., Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

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

**Description:** Join parents, caregivers and kiddos ages 0-2 to socialize and learn with Parent Educators from Family Resource Center and physical therapists from Progressive Beginnings.





# Bitty Book Club

**When:** 4/16, 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. or  
4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

**Where:** Mead Public Library  
710 N 8th St., Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** Join us for a free, interactive toddler (2-5 years old) 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.





# Drive-In Movie

**When:** 4/23, 5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.

**Where:** Generations, an Intergenerational Center  
1500 Douglas Dr., Plymouth

**Cost:** Free

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

**Description:** Put the pedal to the metal and hitch a ride with your little one to the (indoor) drive-in excursion of the year! You and your child will create a cardboard vehicle, dine on movie snacks and watch a short movie in the comfort of their new ride!







# Wednesday Nature Walks

**When:** Wednesdays in April, 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

**Where:** Nourish Good Food Education Center  
100 Alfred Miley Ave., Sheboygan Falls

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** Stop in on Wednesdays in April between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. for your passport stamp, our Harvest of the Month coloring sheet and to enjoy walking our half-mile path on our 13-acre property!





# Visit the Early Learning Center!

**When:** 4/2, 4/4, 4/8, 4/10, 4/11, 4/16, 4/18, 4/22, 4/26,  
9 a.m. - 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

**Where:** Early Learning Center  
1227 Wilson Ave., Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** Visit the Early Learning Center, get your passport stamped and receive a free book!





**Extension**

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON  
SHEBOYGAN COUNTY

# Money Smart Wisconsin Week Event

**When:** 4/9, 4/10, 4/11, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

**Where:** University Extension Sheboygan County  
5 University Dr., Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** We're excited to host a Children's Financial Wellness Program featuring financial-themed art, books and engaging activities. While children explore and learn, adults will have the opportunity to attend educational programs focused on financial wellness. Children ages 5-11 welcome.





BIRTH TO 3

# Back to Basics

**When:** 4/12, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

**Where:** Rehab Resources

3821 Kohler Memorial Dr. #102, Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** Come learn about Sheboygan County Birth to Three and join us for bubble making, home-made slime, sensory activities and more!





# Mary's Room

**When:** Mondays, 12 p.m. – 4 p.m. and  
Tuesdays & Wednesdays, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

**Where:** Mary's Room  
4219 State Hwy 42, Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** Stop in to learn about the services at  
Mary's Room, receive a short tour and a gift!





# Week of the Young Child Drop-In Events

**When:** 4/8 - 4/11, 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

**Where:** Family Connections  
2508 S 8th St., Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** Drop by each day for themed activities packed with demonstrations, engaging projects and exciting take-home creations! See the next page for each day's activities.





# Week of the Young Child Drop-In Events

**Monday:** Come in to make shaker bottles! We will have instruments to play with and will also give each individual a QR code to many music ideas to do with children.

**Tuesday:** Nourish will be here: We'll have "Popeye Muffins" to try, a coloring station and good food trivia focused on our Harvest of the Month: Spinach!

**Wednesday:** We will be planting seeds.

**Thursday:** Open art time — come make a project!





# Celebrating Spring at Anchor of Hope

**When:** 4/2 & 4/16, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. and  
4/10 & 4/24, 4 p.m. – 6 p.m.

**Where:** Anchor of Hope  
1018 S Taylor Dr., Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** Offering Spring cookie decorating kits,  
mini gardening kits, sensory bins and goodie bags.







# Preschool Storytime

**When:** Wednesdays, 9:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

**Where:** Mead Public Library

710 N 8th St., Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** Free storytime with STEAM activities afterwards. Most appropriate for learners age 3-5.





**MEAD**  
LIBRARY

# Toddler Storytime

**When:** Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

**Where:** Mead Public Library  
710 N 8th St., Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** Free storytime with crafts afterward;  
most appropriate for learners age 18 months -  
3 years.





**MEAD**  
LIBRARY

# Stories, Songs and Stretches Storytime

**When:** Fridays, 9:30 a.m.

**Where:** Mead Public Library  
710 N 8th St., Sheboygan

**Cost:** Free

**Description:** Movement-based storytime for ages  
3 to 7.





# Parent Play Night

**When:** 4/17, 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.

**Where:** Above & Beyond Children's Museum  
902 N 8th St., Sheboygan

**Description:** Conversation with Leah and Lynn from The GameBoard, LLC! Join us in learning skills through games and investigate the history of how games became associated with children. Walk away with a better understanding of the importance of using board games for education and socialization. Parents and caregivers can learn and explore the power of games while their children enjoy guided play before coming together to enjoy a hands-on board game experience!





# School's Out Camp - Backwards Monday

**When:** 4/1, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Where:** YMCA Camp Y-Koda

W3340 Sunset Rd., Sheboygan Falls

**Cost:** \$38 member, \$48 non-member

**Registration:** <https://ymcacampykoda.campbrainregistration.com/>

**Description:** Outdoor Adventure, Sports, Games, Arts & Crafts & S'more!





# Forest Friday

**When:** 4/26, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**Where:** Maywood Environmental Park  
3615 Mueller Rd., Sheboygan

**Cost:** \$40 member, \$47 non-member

**Registration:** <https://ymcacampykoda.campbrainregistration.com/>

**Description:** Join us at Forest Fridays and let your child's inner naturalist blossom! The programming includes nature-based science lessons, creative play, sensory exploration, stories, games and crafts. Sign up for a single day, multiple days or the whole season! Dress your child to get wet and messy! Send layers, extras, a lunch, snack and a water bottle!





# Mid-Spring Slumber Party!

**When:** 4/19, 5 p.m. – 4/20, 2 p.m.

**Where:** YMCA Camp Y-Koda

W3340 Sunset Rd., Sheboygan Falls

**Cost:** \$65

**Registration:** <https://ymcacampykoda.campbrainregistration.com/>

**Description:** Celebrate spring with a slumber party at Camp! Friday night we'll have pizza, a movie and s'mores by the fire. The real fun begins on Saturday when we'll partake in games, crafts & outdoor activities. All meals, snacks and action-packed fun are included.



## Partnering Agencies

**Above and Beyond Children's Museum:** Above & Beyond Children's Museum is a special place for children and their families where play and education connect through exploration and discovery. We want to provide a positive learning environment through community partnership with interactive programs and captivating exhibits that exceed our children's wildest dreams and imagination.

[abkids.org](http://abkids.org)

**Anchor of Hope:** Anchor of Hope offers a parenting education program called H.O.P.E (Helping others Parent through Education). The H.O.P.E program utilizes a curriculum that offers a wide range of topics to educate and empower mothers and fathers to grow as parents and individuals. [anchorofhopewi.org/hope-program](http://anchorofhopewi.org/hope-program)

**Early Learning Center:** Children begin their educational journey at the Early Learning Center, learning through play and exploration. This school is designed exclusively for the education of preschool children. Four-year-old kindergarten is an optional program for students and is a wonderful introduction to kindergarten.

[sheboygan.k12.wi.us/elc](http://sheboygan.k12.wi.us/elc)



**Family Connections:** Joint Child Care Resource and Referral/Family Resource Center. Family Connections supports and educates families and early childhood professionals to promote healthy child development and strengthen communities. [familyconnectionscc.org](http://familyconnectionscc.org)

**Family Resource Center:** The Family Resource Center's mission is to provide families and individuals of Sheboygan County with educational programming and resources to support a connected and thriving community. We focus on two prevention-based education programs: Parents as Teachers for first-time parents and children ages 0-6, and the Literacy Council providing individual tutoring in English language skills for adults 18 years and older. [familyresourcesheboygan.org](http://familyresourcesheboygan.org)

**The GameBoard:** The GameBoard has been involving people in playing games since 2006. Playing games builds critical life skills like Cognitive, Emotional, Physical, and Social, that help nurture bonds, reduce stress, and support good mental health for all ages. Games are not just for children but for a lifetime of healthy brains. [the-gameboard.com](http://the-gameboard.com)

**Mental Health America Lakeshore:** Mental Health America Lakeshore is an affiliate of the nation's leading community-based nonprofit, MHA, dedicated to addressing the needs of those with mental illness. Since 1953, our mental health resource agency has promoted mental wellness through education, prevention programming, advocacy, and resource referrals for care and recovery. [mhalakeshore.org](http://mhalakeshore.org)

**Nourish Farms, Inc.:** Nourish empowers the community to make wholesome food choices through education and hands-on experiences that demonstrate how to grow, source, cook and enjoy good food. We have farm-to-community all ages cooking classes, dinner programs, farm-to-school youth programs on and off site, corporate wellness programs. [nourishfarms.org](http://nourishfarms.org)

**Progressive Beginnings:** Our team at Progressive Beginnings is an energetic, dedicated, and passionate group of Occupational Therapists, Physical Therapists, and Speech and Language Pathologists. We are the premier provider for pediatric therapy for Sheboygan County and surrounding communities. We specialize in treating patients with delays in development, sensory processing difficulties, and mental health disorders. [progbeg.com](http://progbeg.com)

**Sheboygan County Birth to Three:** The Birth to 3 Program is an early intervention special education program. It helps children under the age of 3 who have delays, reach their full potential by the time they reach school. <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/birthto3/index.htm>

**United Way of Sheboygan County:** United Way of Sheboygan County (UWSC) identifies issues, develops partnerships, implements solutions, and measures results. Our goal is to create long-lasting changes by addressing the underlying causes of problems. [uwofsc.org](http://uwofsc.org)

**UW-Madison Extension: Sheboygan County:** Extension's mission is to connect people with the University of Wisconsin. We teach, learn, lead and serve, transforming lives and communities. <https://sheboygan.extension.wisc.edu/>

**YMCA Camp Y-Koda:** YMCA Camp Y-Koda is a year-round 80-acre environmental & recreational facility that provides valuable outdoor experiences through camps, field trips, family events and other forms of environmental education. [sheboygancountyyymca.org/camp-y-koda](http://sheboygancountyyymca.org/camp-y-koda)

# Thank you, Passport Sponsors!



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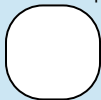


**PROGRESSIVE BEGINNINGS**  
*Rehabilitation Specialists*

Parent name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent email or phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Stamps:



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