31 YEARS OF CARING!

2019 - 2020

SOCIAL, THERAPEUTIC,
AND RECREATIONAL SERVICES

ACTIVITIES FOR
CHILDREN – TEENS – ADULTS
IN WESTCHESTER COUNTY AND
SURROUNDING AREAS

Learn. Laugh. Live.

PHONE (914) 243-0583
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WWW.SPARCINC.ORG
OUR MISSION
SPARC enhances the lives of people with developmental disabilities through high quality therapeutic recreation activities. Participants work on skill development in a nurturing social community that does not otherwise exist in their lives.

SPARC Inc., Special Program And Resource Connection, is a not-for-profit agency founded in 1989, entering our 31th year in 2019. Our services reach approximately 1,000 individuals in every corner of Westchester County. Weekly activities foster individual potential, new friendships and eliminate isolation.

Programs and trips in typical community venues strengthen participants’ inclusion skills and acceptance in their neighborhoods. SPARC also provides resources, training and consultation for local agencies and professionals.

OUR GOALS
Every person needs time to relax, be with friends, develop new abilities, and learn about oneself. SPARC provides active, challenging, and innovative recreation for people with special needs, as well as respite for their families.

Our specialists use enjoyable, goal-oriented activities as steps towards overcoming obstacles and developing behavioral, functional and life skill goals.

A fun and joyful atmosphere fosters:
- Positive attitudes, confidence
- Independent living skills
- Socialization & new friendships
- Self-esteem & accomplishments
- Community integration skills
- Decision-making & self-determination
- Problem solving in social situations
- Self-expression & communication skills
- New interests & leisure skills
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After School Programs are contracted by your school district or SEPTA. Currently in Ardsley, Bedford, Briarcliff Manor, Dobbs Ferry, Eastchester, Lakeland, Yorktown

Little Spirit: All students K-5  
S P I R I T: Special education students – Middle School & High School

Magic of Music: Special education students – all ages & grade  
Summer Magic: Extended day special education – all ages & grades

**ANNUAL SPECIAL EVENTS**

**FAMILIES WELCOME TO ATTEND STARRED EVENTS**

**VACATION WEEKS: WINTER/SPRING**
Teens, Young Adults

**WINTER 2019**
- Alamo Dinner and Movies …………Mon, Dec 23, 2019
- Paint Night ………………………..Fri, Dec 27, 2019

**SPRING 2020**
- Alamo Dinner and Movies……….Tues, Apr 7, 2020
- Bowling at Spins…………………..Wed, Apr 8, 2020
- Paint Night………………………Thur, Apr 9, 2020

**SPECIAL OLYMPICS**
- Equestrian…………………..TBA
- Golf………………………….TBA
- Bowling………………………TBA

**RED CARPET PREMIER**
- Film Production Workshop…..Sat, Jun 13, 2020

**ANNUAL FAMILY BBQ**
- Children, Teens, Young Adult…Fri, Jun 5, 2020

**POTLUCK PICNIC**
- Adults/ Group Home Resident…Wed, Jul 22, 2020

****CHECKOUT OUT OUR WEBSITE EACH SEASON FOR NEW PROGRAMS****

OUR TEAM

SPARC’s team of creative professionals is experienced in therapeutic recreation, music therapy, art therapy, special education, social work and more. We understand the range of participants’ personal and functional needs, autism spectrum disorders, learning and developmental disabilities, communication disorders, seizures, allergies, special diets and adaptive equipment.

SPARC Specialists are knowledgeable about individuals’ social, emotional, physical, and medical concerns. We inspire participants to “reach for the stars” in a spirit of encouragement, friendship and fun.

Learn. Laugh. Live.
PROGRAM LOCATIONS
Programs meet throughout Westchester, enabling you to be involved in your community. Accessible facilities are available.

ELIGIBILITY AND GROUPINGS
SPARC welcomes and accommodates individuals with autism, intellectual and other developmental disabilities. We make an effort to accommodate each individual's needs and abilities to benefit from the goals, staffing and physical environment in SPARC's different programs.

Staff: Participant ratios are 1:4 or 1:5, varying among programs based on participants' functional abilities. We do not provide 1:1 supervision, support behavioral issues that create safety concerns or support medically fragile concerns.

Every program is not the right match for every applicant. We offer a wide variety of options. SPARC offers a continuum of programs and age groupings throughout life stages.

ENROLLMENT AND INTAKE PROCEDURES
Register for programs at sparcinc.org. New participants must arrange an intake interview to determine placement. Current participants must register before deadline dates, 3 weeks prior to program start, to receive priority placement. Unpaid prior fees will restrict enrollment.

Once deadlines pass, please call to inquire about openings. We make every effort to accommodate interested individuals.

PAYMENT, SCHOLARSHIPS, REFUNDS
Full payment is required prior to program start. Late registration incurs a $25 fee. Call (914) 243-0583 to inquire about a flexible payment plan or financial aid application if fees create a hardship. Full refunds for program withdrawal are available up to 1 week prior to program start. Late withdrawal incurs a $50 cancellation fee.

Participants in SPARC's Medicaid funded programs need to be enrolled in Medicaid respite waiver. To apply, contact OPWDD at (914) 332-8960. Medicaid waiver funding pays for the respite service part of actual program costs. SPARC's program enhancement fee enables us to provide the high quality activities you have come to expect. If Medicaid/Medicaid Waiver funds are denied, the Participant, Parent or Guardian are responsible for 100% of the program cost.

Medicaid waiver programs are indicated with * in brochure.

PROGRAM DISMISSAL
Prompt pick-up and drop-off is expected after activities. A late fee of $10.00 per 10 minutes will be applied. Ongoing late pick-up is grounds for participant removal from group.

WEATHER ADVISORY/CANCELLATIONS
Cancellation notice is provided 3 hours prior to scheduled programs through email and telephone. We endeavor, but do not guarantee, to reschedule weather related cancellations.

*LINK-UP
LEARNING INDEPENDENCE IN THE COMMUNITY

An alternative to traditional day habilitation or “without walls” programs

WHITE PLAINS
EXTENDED DAY OPTIONS
9:00 am - 2:00 pm
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

LINK-UP is an innovative daytime program. It engages young adults who have finished high school in community integration and independent living activities. We meet in downtown White Plains, offering a range of young adult growth opportunities. The program supports higher ability participants with a 1:4 staff ratio.

Participants learn about navigating their own world by being part of the community utilizing municipal services, public transportation, visiting exhibits and local cultural sites, going on tours, handling money and practicing pre-vocational skills. Additionally, the group participates in community service, volunteer work and intergenerational experiences with children and senior citizens. SPARC provides experiences that promote lifelong learning through instruction in life skills, guest instructors and educational programs that engage our participants' mind, body and spirit.

Bring lunch or money to buy lunch locally. Transportation is by family arrangement.

PLACE: White Plains
TIME: Monday-Friday.............9:00 am – 2:00 pm
EXTENDED DAYS: Mondays.............2:00 pm-4:00 pm, Yoga
Tuesday.........................2:00 pm-4:00 pm, Art
Wednesday.....................2:00 pm-4:00 pm, Life Skills
Thursday........................2:00 pm-4:00pm, Theatre
START DATES: 9/3/19 (50 weeks; Sept - August, rolling admission)
COST: Participants who attend 5 days = $700
       Participants who attend 4 days = $600
       Participants who attend 3 days = $400
       Participants who attend 2 days = $325
       Participants who attend 1 day = $250

REGISTRATION DEADLINE FOR LINK-UP:
AUGUST 23, 2019

Rolling admission continues throughout the year as per available openings.
RECREATION PROGRAMS

AFTER-SCHOOL SOCIAL SKILLS PROGRAMS
These programs meet immediately after school dismissal for 1 hour, providing fun activities and expanded safe coverage hours for parents.

LITTLE SPIRIT  Elementary School
Our special education recreation programs for grades K-5 emphasize social skills while children enjoy unique games, crafts and role play. The curriculum addresses: making friends, dealing with social challenges, listening, sharing, following rules, understanding & expressing feelings and increasing self-esteem.

MAGIC OF MUSIC  All ages & grades
Music therapists lead a lively, interactive, goal-oriented program, involving children in singing, movement and musical games. Small groups allow children to explore rhythm and rhyme, percussion instruments, and dramatic play. Our goals include: increased receptive and expressive language, social skills, improved attention and self-expression.

SUMMER MAGIC  All ages & grades
An extended school day for summer special education students to enjoy structured summer recreation fun: water play, outdoor games, gym time, music therapy, art and more. SPARC contractors are available to collaborate with faculty to carry-over social skills goals.

Contracted by school districts and available to students in: Ardsley, Armonk, Bedford, Briarcliff Manor, Dobbs Ferry, Eastchester, Lakeland, Somers, & Yorktown. Call 914-243-0583 to start programs in your school.

SPARC professionals provide either therapy or instruction for children and adults adjusting to social, cognitive, emotional or physical challenges. While participants have a social, enjoyable experience, our professionals facilitate progress towards personal growth and achievement.

EXPLORING ART
Imaginative masterpieces are created in this sociable craft class. Weekly projects offer a variety of new materials, instruction and ideas to excite your inner artist!

AGES: ADULTS

PLACE: Elmsford
TIME: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
COST: $200/10 weeks
$600/24 weeks

PLACE: Rolling Admissions
TIME: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
EXTENDED DAY: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM, Yoga

MUSIC LOVERS
Sing-along, learn new songs, dance and play percussion instruments in our high energy, social music program.

AGES: ADULTS

PLACE: Elmsford
TIME: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
COST: $120/7 weeks (SUMMER)

PLACE: Rolling Admissions
TIME: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
EXTENDED DAY: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM, Yoga

SUMMER MAGIC
A fun time for teens to socialize, build independence, confidence and self-esteem. Activities may include: games, art, music, movement, discussions and other typical teen interests. SPARC helps students deal with social challenges, develop new interests and leisure skills.

AGES: YOUNG ADULTS

PLACE: Yorktown
TIME: 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM
COST: $120/7 weeks (SUMMER)

PLACE: Rolling Admissions
TIME: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
EXTENDED DAY: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM, Yoga

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ACTIVITY CHOICES
* Fitness, yoga or dance
* Pet Therapy
* Golf
* Music
* Photography
* Cooking
* Sports
* Creative Writing
* Sensory
* Drama
* Gardening
* Filmmaking
* Art, painting, drawing, sculpture, jewelry, ceramics, crafts
* Other activities of your choice

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PAYMENT PLANS AVAILABLE: (914) 243-0583
*INDICATES MEDICAID RESPITE PROGRAMS
SPRING 2/5/20
SUMMER 6/1/20
FALL 9/16/19
FALL 9/16/19
SUMMER 6/8/20

CONTRACTED SERVICES
GROUP HOMES, WITHOUT WALLS, DAY HABS, SCHOOLS
SPARC group programs are individualized to your schedule and needs, making this a popular and successful service option. SPARC Recreation, Art or Music Therapists are provided to group home agencies, day habilitation sites, Without Walls programs and schools throughout Westchester County.

We are flexible and sensitive to your concerns!

- Program services are scheduled weekly or at your preferred frequency, daytime or evenings
- Assurance of dependable, well designed activities without the complications of transportation or your staffing
- Choice of any activity in this brochure or other suggested activities
- Sessions can be on-site at home, center or school or come join us at a selected nearby location

*GOLF CLINIC (SUMMER)
New and experienced golfers receive personal instruction on the driving range and putting green. Learn stances, pivots, swings, control of the ball and safety. Special Olympics optional.

AGES: TEENS YOUNG ADULTS

PLACE: Mohansic Golf Course, Yorktown
TIME: 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM
COST: $160/8 weeks

PLACE: Rolling Admissions
TIME: SUMMER 6/8/20
EXTENDED DAY: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM, Yoga

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LIFE SKILLS
A program that will provide the necessary tools to help in daily activities such as self-care, money management, career skills and more.

AGES: TEENS YOUNG ADULTS

PLACE: TBD
TIME: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
COST: $600/24 weeks
**DINNER FRIENDS**

Enjoy an evening out on the town having dinner with friends. Develop independence, practice healthy food choices, mealtime interaction and money management skills.

**HEALTHY ME**

A great time that doesn’t feel like a workout! We will do activities such as Zumba, Pilates, yoga, meditation and nutritional overview.

**SENSORY FUN**

Sensory stimulation recreation activities for adults with limited abilities.

**SIMPLY COOKING**

Develop skills in food preparation, kitchen safety and table setting. Learn healthy recipes for favorite snacks, entrees, veggies, salads, desserts, holidays and ethnic cuisine.

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**PET CONNECTION**

Share the love of animals with trained therapy dogs, visits from cats, rabbits, reptiles, birds, and others! Learn about caring for pets, teaching commands and playing games.

**SWIM AND DINE (SUMMER)**

Cool off at Junior Lake Pool for a social swim and then take a short walk into town and grab a bite at one of the many eateries.

**LINK UP**

An innovative day program engaging young adults in community integration activities.
“BOWLING”
Join SPARC’s bowling league to play 2 games weekly with instruction, practice technique, improve your score and join friends. Fall Special Olympics optional.

**AGES:** TEENS YOUNG ADULTS

**PLACE:** SPINS, Bedford Hills  **START DATE:**

**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM  **FALL**  9/25/19

**COST:** $650/30 weeks  **SUMMER**  6/24/20

$150/6 weeks (SUMMER)

(Non-Medicaid fee-please inquire)

“EXPLORING ART”
Imaginative masterpieces are created in this sociable craft class. Weekly projects offer a variety of interesting materials, instruction and ideas to excite your inner artist!

**AGES:** ADULTS

**PLACE:** Yorktown  **START DATE:**

**TIME:** 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM  **FALL**  9/25/19

**COST:** $200/10 weeks  **SPRING**  2/5/20

$390/20 weeks  **SUMMER**  6/24/20

$120/7 weeks (SUMMER)

“MUSIC BEATS”
A spirited social group enjoying current popular hits, singing drumming, trying a variety of instruments and choosing your own musical direction!

**AGES:** TEENS YOUNG ADULTS

**PLACE:** Pleasantville  **START DATE:**

**TIME:** 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM  **FALL**  9/25/19

**COST:** $600/3 weeks  **SUMMER**  6/24/20

$140/7 weeks

“MUSIC LOVERS”
Sing-along, learn new songs, dance and play percussion instruments in our high energy, social music program.

**AGES:** ADULTS

**PLACE:** (Site 1) Elmsford (Site 2) Dobbs Ferry  **START DATE:**

**TIME:** 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM  **FALL**  9/25/19

**COST:** $200/10 weeks  **SPRING**  2/5/20

$390/20 weeks  **SUMMER**  6/3/20

$120/7 weeks (SUMMER)

“SPA NIGHT”
An evening of pampering yourself with friends: manicures, shoulder massage and aromatherapy.

**AGES:** TEENS YOUNG ADULTS

**PLACE:** White Plains  **START DATE:**

**TIME:** 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM  **FALL**  9/4/219

**COST:** $120/8 sessions  **(Sept-Dec, Feb-May)**

“LINK UP”
An innovative day program engaging young adults in community integration activities.

**AGES:** YOUNG ADULTS

**PLACE:** White Plains  **START DATE:**

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM  **ROLLING ADMISSION**,  **50 weeks, see page 7**
**ACTIVE & FIT: ON YOUR FEET OR IN YOUR SEAT**
A good time workout that won’t feel like work at all! Popular fitness trends include: stretching, aerobics, yoga, use of props and stress-relieving relaxation exercises.

**AGES: ADULTS**

**PLACE:** (Site 1) Scarsdale  
(Site 2) Yorktown

**TIME:** 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM  
Spring 2/6/20

**COST:**  
$200/10 weeks  
$390/20 weeks  
$120/7 weeks (SUMMER)

**PET CONNECTION**
Share your love of animals with trained therapy dogs, visits from cats, rabbits, reptiles, birds, and others! Learn about caring for pets, teaching commands and playing games.

**AGES: ADULTS**

**PLACE:** White Plains

**TIME:** 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM  
Fall 9/19/19

**COST:**  
$200/10 weeks  
$390/20 weeks  
$120/7 weeks (SUMMER)

**ATHLETIC CLUB**
Recreational adapted team sports for participants who can follow directions and learn skills in: basketball, kickball, soccer, track, hockey, volleyball and more!

**AGES: ADULTS**

**PLACE:** Yorktown

**TIME:** 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM  
Spring 2/6/20

**COST:**  
$200/10 weeks  
$390/20 weeks  
$120/7 weeks (SUMMER)

**NOW WE’RE COOKING**
Develop skills in food preparation, kitchen safety and table setting. Learn healthy recipes for favorite snacks, entrees, veggies, salads, desserts, holidays and ethnic cuisine. Register for Yoga too, and participate in our Yoga program that takes place immediately before "NOW WE’RE COOKING" at the same location, and receive a price break by signing up for both programs.

**AGES: TEENS YOUNG ADULTS**

**PLACE:** White Plains

**TIME:** 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM  
Fall 9/26/19

**COST:**  
$150/7 weeks (SUMMER)  
(Non-Medicaid fee-please inquire)

**YOGA**
Relax into the mind & body practice of yoga. Learn to improve your balance, flexibility, strength, & breathing techniques. After you’re all relaxed do some cooking in our “NOW WE’RE COOKING” Program held immediately after Yoga at the same location, and receive a price break by signing up for both programs.

**AGES: TEENS YOUNG ADULTS**

**PLACE:** White Plains

**TIME:** 5:15 PM - 6:15 PM  
Fall 9/26/19

**COST:**  
$120/8 sessions  
(Sept-Dec, Feb-May)

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**AGES: YOUNG ADULTS**

**PLACE:** White Plains

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Rolling Admission

**EXTENDED DAY:**  
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM, Theatre  
49 weeks, see page 7*
**FRIDAY**

*REC NIGHT*
A group for young adults with Asperger Syndrome to encourage their existing independence in the community. An opportunity to develop social and leadership skills among friends with similar interests and abilities. Enjoy music, games, outings, team building activities, dances and events that make leisure time with others an enjoyable part of life.

**AGES:** YOUNG ADULTS

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*SOCIAL CIRCLE*
A time for adults in their 30's and 40's to enjoy socializing with peers while taking part in activities that include trips, music, games, cooking, theme activities, snacks, dance, parties and special guests suited to your generation.

**AGES:** ADULTS 30s - 40s

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*SOCIAL CLUB*
Young adults in their 20's share a social Friday night with friends. Enjoy trips, music, games, cooking, theme activities, snacks, dances, sporting events, team building activities parties and special guests.

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*LINK UP*
An innovative day program engaging young adults in community integration activities.

**AGES:** YOUNG ADULTS

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*TEEN TIME*
Join other teens for social activities including trips, games, dances, cooking, theme activities, sporting events, team building activities, parties, music, snacks and special guests.

**AGES:** TEENS

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**SATURDAY**

**CLUB SPARC**
A social skills & therapeutic recreation experience filled with laughter, friends and fun. Activities include music, art, games, lunchtime and more. Goals target: self-esteem, increased attention, language, listening skills and managing frustration. Children are involved at their level of readiness in a positive, flexible environment.

**AGES: CHILDREN: ELEMENTARY & MIDDLE SCHOOL**

| PLACE: Pleasantville | START DATE: FALL 10/12/19 |
| TIME: 10:30 AM - 1:30 PM | |
| COST: $550/30 weeks | |

$150/7 weeks (SUMMER)
(Non-Medicaid fee-please inquire)

**FOOD, FLICKS AND FRIENDS**

It’s Saturday night! Come meet your friends for dinner and a movie. This SPARC movie program includes dinner and a movie. Please see Movie Night for those interested in just seeing a movie. Practice independence & money management skills. Restaurants are in Mt. Kisco, walking distance to theater. Instruments in our high energy, social music program.

**AGES: TEENS YOUNG ADULTS**

| PLACE: Mt. Kisco Movie Theatre | START DATE: FALL 10/12/19 |
| TIME: 5:00 PM - 9:15 PM | |
| COST: $345/9 months | |

(Ticket and dinner included, up to $20 for dinner)
(Non-Medicaid fee-please inquire)

**HORSEBACK RIDING**

Individualized, adapted riding instruction helps participants develop independence, new accomplishments, balance, posture, concentration, self-esteem and a love for animals. Enjoy farm animals and grooming horses. Equestrian Special Olympics optional.

**AGES: CHILDREN TEENS YOUNG ADULTS**

| PLACE: (Site 1) Putnam Valley (Site 2) Cortland Manor | START DATE: |
| TIME: 9:00 AM, 9:45 AM, and 10:30 AM | |
| COST: $640/16 weeks | |

$240/6 weeks (SUMMER)
(Non-Medicaid fee-please inquire)

**MOVIE NIGHT**

Love being social and going out on Saturday night? Learn money management, develop independence, decision making skills while watching and critiquing movies with friends.

**AGES: TEENS YOUNG ADULTS**

| PLACE: White Plains | START DATE: |
| TIME: 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM | |
| COST: $270/9 months | |

$60/2 months (SUMMER)
(Non-Medicaid fee-please inquire)

**FILM PRODUCTION WORKSHOP**

SPARC's production crew creates original scripts, learns camera techniques, lighting, directing, scenery/props and acting. Projects include: neighborhood events, biographies, fiction, movie reviews, music videos, animation, and interviews. Families are invited to our annual "Red Carpet Premiere." Watch us on YouTube.com/SPARCIncTV.

**AGES: TEENS YOUNG ADULTS**

| PLACE: Pleasantville | START DATE: |
| TIME: 10:30 AM - 1:00 PM | |
| COST: $675/30 weeks | |

$150/7 weeks (SUMMER)
(Non-Medicaid fee-please inquire)

**TENNIS HOTSHOTS**

New or experienced tennis players receive lessons from a pro. Learn stances, proper grip, basic strokes, volley and serve. Improve eye/hand coordination and motor skills in a great social atmosphere!

**AGES: TEENS YOUNG ADULTS**

| PLACE: Club Fit, Briarcliff | START DATE: |
| TIME: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM | |
| COST: $200/30 weeks | |

(Non-Medicaid fee-please inquire)
**RECREATION PROGRAMS**

**SUNDAY**

**INTRO TO SPORTS**

An adaptive sports program to give children with special needs the opportunity to play a variety of sports in an organized, safe environment with a teaching ratio of one staff member for every two participants. This program is designed for children ages 5-8.

**AGES: CHILDREN**

**PLACE:** Solaris Sports Club, Yorktown  
**START DATE:** FALL 10/13/19  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**COST:** $240/12 weeks / Fall  
$240/12 weeks / Spring  
$120/6 weeks (SUMMER)

**SUMMER PROGRAMMING**

Descriptions are found throughout the brochure.  
Weather permitting; activities take advantage of nature and outdoor opportunities where suitable.

**YOUTH:**
Club SPARC, Horseback Riding, Intro to Sports, Magic of Music & Summer Magic can be contracted by school districts.

**TEENS & YOUNG ADULTS:**
Bowling, Film Production, Food, Flicks and Friends, Golf Clinic, Healthy Me, Horseback Riding, Life Skills, LINK-UP, Movie Night, Music Beats, Now We’re Cooking, Rec Night, Social Club, Swim & Dine, Teen Time, Totally Teens, Yoga.

**ADULTS:**
Active & Fit, Athletic Club, Exploring Art, Music Lovers, Simply Cooking, Pet Connection, Sensory Fun, Social Circle.

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**2019-2020 REGISTRATION FORM**

**Preferred registration online:**  
www.SPARCinc.org

**REGISTRATION DEADLINES:** (PLEASE CALL TO INQUIRE RE: LATE OPENINGS)  
FALL: 9/6/2019  
SPRING: 1/6/2020  
SUMMER: 5/15/2020

**NEW PARTICIPANTS: COMPLETE FORM**
**RETURN PARTICIPANTS: UPDATE AS NEEDED**

Participant Name: ____________________________  Male:____ Female:____
Address:____________________________________________________________
City: __________________ State: __________ Zip: __________________
Family: __________ Group Residence Agency: ________________________
Birthdate: __________________________________________________________

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Check _____ OK to share phone # with group members

Emergency Contact: (not primary contact) ____________________________________ Phone:__________________

Parent / Guardian Employers: Guardian 1 ____________________________________ Guardian 2 __________

Day Program / School & District / Job: ______________________________________

Disability: ________________________________________________________________

Self-Care Needs: __________________________________________________________

Allergies: ________________________________________________________________

Adaptive Equipment/Wheelchair: _____________________________________________

Seizures: _________________________________________________________________

Vision / Hearing: __________________________________________________________

Verbal / Communication: ___________________________________________________

Medicaid Waiver Approval

More about participant: _____________________________________________________

________________________________________________________
PARTICIPATION / PHOTO RELEASE
(This section MUST be completed and signed)

I consent to the following permission for (participant) ________________________:
* to actively participate in activities as registered on this form
* to be transported and given emergency medical treatment in case of injury
* for photographs or video images to be used for educational use or promotion of SPARC

Check if you do not want photo used _____, do not want name used _____
* for SPARC to communicate with me about my child/participant by email or text
* my signature is valid for ongoing enrollment in SPARC unless otherwise indicated

By participating in a SPARC program, the parent/guardian of each participant and the participant agree
to indemnify, release and hold harmless SPARC, its officers, directors, employees, consultants, agents
(including independent contractors, if applicable), and volunteers from any and all liability or causes of
action whatsoever arising out of, or which may result from such participation.

Date: _______ Parent/Guardian/Agency Signature: ____________________________

PAYMENT INFORMATION
Make checks payable to: SPARC, Inc.
Mail form to: SPARC, Inc, 40 Triangle Center, Suite 205, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598
Credit Card payment online
SPARC’s office (914) 243-0583
Payments not accepted at program sites. Payment plan available.

PROGRAM ENROLLMENT
(*) Starred programs indicate Medicaid Waiver funding for respite.
SPARC fees enhance program benefits.
See registration policy page 6 for further information
Cancellation and late registration fees apply.

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VOLUNTEER, BOARD, STUDENT INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Please consider contributing your time and
energy to enrich the lives of SPARC’s children
and adults. Volunteers over the age of 18 are
welcome to experience rewarding work.

• Taking part in our programs is fun, while
  giving you the chance to learn about
  therapeutic techniques and be able to
  teach new activity skills.
• Assist in our office.

• Join our fundraising committee.
• Internships and community service are
  available for high school seniors and
  college students.
• Opportunities to join our Board of Directors
  are available periodically to parents and
  community members dedicated to our
  mission.
• Call (914) 243-0583 and get involved!

FUNDRAISING EVENTS

2019 SPARC FUNDRAISING GOLF CLASSIC
Join us for a wonderful day on and off the
golf course! If you’re not a golfer you can
enjoy the beach at Mahopac Country Club.
Finish the day with a wonderful dinner at
the club.

Wednesday, September 18, 2019
9:00 am - 9:00 pm
Mahopac Country Club, Mahopac, NY

SUPER HERO SOIREE
Join us for a night of live music, dance,
brews, buffet dinner, raffle prizes, wine pull
and more.

Sunday, November 3, 2019
4:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Captain Lawrence Brewery, Elmsford, NY

6TH ANNUAL CATHY KADNAR LEADERSHIP AWARD
Congratulations to our 2019 recipient:
ANGELIKA GALIK