

## Recreation Updates for the CWRPAB – June 2025

**Director Robin Riley retires** after more than 40 years of service. In our latest episode of Inside Recreation podcast Director Riley shares stories and lessons from her experience in the County.

## Video

## <u>Audio</u>

Our seven **outdoor pools opened Memorial Day weekend**. Staff worked hard to get them ready despite the weather and late inspection dates. Though never fully staffed, our numbers look good overall, and we continue to hire. The pools are currently open weekends only and will open for the full season June 14.

**Clarksburg Super Seniors 50th Anniversary Celebration** at Damascus Community Recreation Center was a huge success.



Our **Senior Programs Team presented to the Jewish Social Service Agency** (JSSA) on recreation activities and services provided for those almost 55+/almost retired.

Youth Development is concluding another successful year providing various **Out-of-School-Time programming** (Excel Beyond the Bell (EBB), RecXtra, and RecZone) at many different schools throughout the County. The Montgomery County Council approved the County Executive's recommendation to add two new EBB locations next school year.

Our highly successful **Soccer4Change** program was highlighted on **NBC local news**.

Countywide Programs successfully hosted our annual **Global All Staff Training** for summer camps, welcoming a record-breaking 716 staff members. This essential training covered critical topics such as Youth Day Camp Standards, Child Abuse and Neglect, emergency protocols and strategies for creating inclusive, engaging camp environments. The strong turnout reflects our collective commitment to professionalism and safety.



## **Key Upcoming Dates:**

June 10-12: Our first **Senior Adventures Camp** will kick off at North Potomac CRC. Days 1 and 2 are trip days while Day 3 is all onsite at the hosting recreation center.

June 12: Youth Development **Afterschool Programs staff banquet** will take place at North Potomac Community Recreation Center.

June 17: **World Elder Abuse Awareness Day** recognition will take place at the Holiday Park Senior Center from 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

June 23: **Summer Camp programs launch** across the County offering youth and families a wide variety of enriching, inclusive experiences. From sports to STEM, the Countywide Programs team continues to lead with innovation, collaboration, and a focus on customer experience to ensure a safe and memorable summer for all.

July 4 and 5: **Independence Day Celebrations** will take place at two locations. <u>More information</u> can be found here.