

HK MAY WELLNESS CHALLENGEMay is Mental Health Awareness Month



HKYFS encourages HK youth and families to take a break, have family conversations, and bring attention to wellness, prevention, and positive mental health.

We hope some of these community partner events and programs will be educational, fun and enhance family well-being!

- Sign up for events: Registration and details www.hkyfs.org/event/
- Print out this Calendar & Check off the Wellness Boxes that you complete.
- Share photos with HKYFS via email/social media so we can show how HK celebrates prevention and wellness!
 - www.facebook.com/YFSHK
 - <u>www.instagram.com/youthandfamilyhk</u>
- Register for Family Olympics at the 1st Annual HKYFS Summer Solstice Family Fest
 - June 20th 5:30-8:30 PM at Parmelee Farms
 - Food trucks, Live Music, Family Olympics (ages 5+), and more!
 - Bring your May Challenge Calendar on June 20th to WIN A PRIZE!

May 2, 6PM, ZOOM QPR Training

CPR for Mental Health Save a Life for people age 15+

FREE must register

Wednesday May 8, 3:30-4:30PM
Meet the HS Bye Bye Birdie
Cast
After-School Drama Fun!
@ Burr Elementary School
FREE must register
positive role models, music, and
the arts= wellness
Bring your show bill for cast
signatures!

Community Kindness Family Volunteers

Grab your family and friends to lend a helping hand to a HK senior in need of yard cleanup!

-volunteerism is a protective factor for our youth and families that creates feelings of overall wellness-Contact: Alli for info and to be matched with someone in need alli.behnke@hkyfs.org

Saturday, May 11 10:30-12:00 HK Family Hikers

A nature scavenger hunt@ Chatfield Hollow friends, family, nature, wellness, and fun w/a special visit to the Nature Center FREE please register Monday, May 13 10:00-10:30AM

Morning Yoga w/Becky for our youngest and home-school families!

Join us outside on the Annex Lawn 11 Jail Hill Rd, Haddam Bring a towel or mat



Wednesday, May 15 7-8PM @Bittersweet Bistro, Killingworth Food and Mood:

Join our discussion on food and its impact on mental health and our families. FREE

Includes delicious snack and tea.
presented by:
Karren Therrien certified Health

Karren Therrien certified Health Coach and Owner of HK Fitness

> Saturday, May 25th 10-12PM Deer Lake Trail Day

Meet up at Deer Lake to help remove invasive species, plant some pollinators, and explore this beautiful location.

Create a bee-loving pollinating planter to take home! Taking care of our planet is wellness! Please register so we have supplies.



