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## MONTGOMERY COUNTY FAMILY YMCA

101 E. Cherry St., Red Oak, IA 51566

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WHERE THE COMMUNITY COMES TOGETHER

## **TEEBALL, TRACK, SOCCER & MORE...**



Spring set off a number of programs for the youth in Montgomery County as if to make up for lost time. Kids learned the basics of each sport they were involved in while reinforcing the YMCA's core values of CARING, HONESTY, RESPECT & RESPONSIBILITY. The Montgomery County Family YMCA would like to thank all the coaches, volunteers, and families involved in making these programs fun and available.





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#### Masks are no longer required, but are encouraged. We want to stop the spread and keep the YMCA open!

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## FATHER'S DAY DRAWING



Here is your chance to win a prize for Father's Day. Sponsors for the Father's Day drawing are:

United Farmer's Cooperative located at 203 West Oak Street in Red Oak, IA and the Montgomery County Family YMCA.

Drawing is available to members of the Montgomery County Family YMCA only, staff not eligible. The drawing for the Father's Day prizes will be Friday, June 18th, 2021 at Noon.

#### **COURAGE LEAGUE IS BACK!**

Courage League is a free adapted baseball league for pre-k to 18 kids with physical, cognitive, emotional, or chronic healthcare needs.



Uniforms and equipment are provided, no previous sport/ball experience needed. All disability levels will be accommodated.

Prospective games will be held at the Red Oak Sports Complex on Sunday, July 11<sup>th</sup> – 1-2p.m., Sunday, July 18<sup>th</sup> – 1-2p.m., and Sunday, July 25<sup>th</sup> – 1-2p.m.

## Are you interested in finding out more about the national YMCA movement?

Visit the Y-USA website http:// www.ymca.net to learn more.

## **STAY & PLAY**

This program has been designed to bring tourism into Red Oak and to "Stay & Play" in Red Oak. For only \$99+ applicable taxes, (double occupancy) you will enjoy:

One (1) Night stay at the Red Coach Inn Voucher for your choice of indoor tennis, 18 holes of golf, or three tickets to a live production at the Wilson Performing Arts



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Visit www.redcoachredoak.com or call 1-800-544-6002 for details & reservations! \*\*Advance reservations required. Blackout dates and other restrictions may apply.\*\*

For more great places to visit while you're in town, go to www.redoakiowa.com!

## BUSINESS OF THE QUARTER RED OAK FAREWAY & HY-VEE FAREWAY & HY-VEE MEAT & GROCERY DUG VEC

The Montgomery County Family YMCA would like to honor Fareway & Hy-Vee of Red Oak as our Businesses of the Quarter for the months of April to June. All employees and their immediate families will receive a free membership to the Y\* until June. So stop by if this means you! \*Does not apply to current members.

# EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

We are glad to welcome Isaac Birt as our summer 2021 Youth Sports Intern / Building Supervisor. He started May 3rd and will work through the first week of August. Isaac is a 2019 Red Oak High graduate who is now attending Graceland College as a Sophomore majoring in Elementary Education with an emphasis in Physical Education and Coaching.



Isaac is a member of the Graceland University Basketball team and was on the Academic Presidents Lists for 2020-2021. When asked about the opportunity, he stated, "I thought doing an internship here at the YMCA would be a perfect jumpstart to my future. I look forward to the rest of the summer working in this positive environment and with the youth!"

## **TENNIS CLINICS WITH LUKE JENSEN**

The Montgomery County Family YMCA hosted Luke Jensen, former French Open Doubles Champion, and current ESPN & Tennis Channel Tennis Analyst, on Sunday, May 2nd for adult and youth tennis clinics. The event was sponsored by Mark Jackson's Downtown Hardware Hank & Hallmark Gold Crown Store.

Luke led two different 1½ hour sessions for the adult and youth players. A total of 12 adult and 17 youth players from the surrounding area took part in the clinics which started with various skill development drills that were tailored for both the beginning and experienced players. After the drills were done, Luke then had the participants play different games that focused on doubles play. He also took a little time to sign some autographs and pose for pictures with participants.







#### JUNE SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday 5 am - 8 pm Saturday 8 am - 1 pm Sunday Closed

POOL Monday-Friday 5:30-7 am, 9 am-1 pm & 3-7 pm Saturday 9 am - Noon Sunday Closed

#### JUNE ACTIVITIES

Summer Day Camp Monday-Friday Session 1: June 7th-11th Session 2: June 14th-18th Session 3: June 28th-July 2nd Session 4: July 12th -16th Session 5: July 19th-23rd Summer Youth Tennis Program **Team Tennis** Starts June 7th NJTL 6th & Up Starts June 7th NJTL 1st - 3rd Starts June 8th NJTL 4th - 5th Starts June 8th **Tiny Tots** Starts June 11th **3rd-8th Grade Summer** Basketball Camp June 16th - 17th Red Oak Library Chalk Day June 23rd

> ONGOING PROGRAMS Aquablast \* Swim Lessons Lifestyle Splash \* Aquacise Yoga \* Chair Yoga Strength Train Together Core De Force \* Pickleball Tumbling \* Pilates

\*If you have questions or wish to receive this newsletter via e-mail, please e-mail astewart@mcymca.com.

## **MOTHER'S DAY DRAWING WINNER**

The winner of the drawing for the Montgomery County Family YMCA's Mother's Day prize was Sarah Bessette, mother to Tyler and Eevan Leander and Angel Bessette. She won the Mother's Day gift certificate for \$25 from the Pudgy Pumpkin Patch. Sponsors for the Mother's Day drawing were the Pudgy Pumpkin Patch, located at 512 N. 4th St. in Red Oak and the Montgomery County Family YMCA.

## RUDY KINARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP



John Blomstedt, YMCA Executive Director and Kinard family members presenting Brooklyn Johnson with her scholarship award. Barbara Kinard, Maci Fort, Chase Kinard and Faris Adel.

to go to members of the ROHS tennis team that had taken either group or private lessons from Rudy. Both winners mentioned that Rudy taught life lessons in addition

Graduating ROHS students Brooklyn Johnson & Rhenn Rolenc are the recipients of the Rudy Kinard Memorial Scholarship funds. The funds were donated by Rudy's family



John Blomstedt presents Rhenn Rolenc with her award..

to tennis, e.g., "you're never too old to pursue what you love" and "he taught me perseverance, patience and mental toughness."

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