



WOOD COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

To: Individuals, 14+ who would like to participate in Wood County Board of DD, Recreation Activities

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Re: Recreation Activities for January 2026 Registration

This month's activities run Thursday, January 1st to Saturday, January 31st

Please read through the registration letter carefully to see which activities you would like to participate in.

- Be sure to check the days and times the events are being held.
 - One-to-one or special assistance/supervision will not be provided.
 - **To select your activity choices, simply check th08-4103e box, "Yes, I'm interested," on the line of each event.**
 - **Checks must be made out to Wood County Board of DD or to the specific vendor indicated in the description.**
 - **Please do not send in payment until date specified on confirmation letter!**
 - When submitting payment to the Wood County Board of DD for your activity, please send the exact amount as we are unable to make change.
 - A confirmation email will be sent out by the end of December. Please read the confirmation email carefully. Some of details about activities may have changed. You may not be enrolled in all the activities you requested.
- **Note activities may be canceled due to weather and other circumstances, and it is possible that ticket money may be nonrefundable.**

Questions/registrations email us at recreation@woodcountydd.org

Register Online at: www.woodcountydd.org
under **Our Services > Recreation & Wellness**

Registration Deadline:
Sunday, December 14th, 2025

JANUARY						
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Recreation Activities - JANUARY 2026 Confirmations

Snowflake Suncatchers

What: Get ready to bring some winter sparkle indoors! Join us in making your own snowflake suncatchers.

When: Monday January 5th from 12:00-1:00 PM.

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Brooke

2026 Vision Boards

What: Kick off the new year with creativity and purpose! Come make a poster of your 2026 goals and dreams for the year. It's an easy, fun way to imagine the year ahead and stay motivated.

When: Monday January 5th from 2:00-3:00 PM.

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Brooke

Greenhouse Group

What: Help plant and tend to the seedlings that we will use in the 2026 growing season.

When: Mondays in January 3:30-4:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Green House, Wood County Board of DD, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green. Past Entrance B

Bring: Wear layers of clothing. The temp in the greenhouse fluctuates. Brings a bottle of water.

There is no Greenhouse Group on January 19th

Staff: LeAnn

Gym Games

What: Enjoy a variety of different gym games such as corn hole, basketball, giant tic-tac-toe and many more games at the Bowling Green Community Center.

When: Tuesdays in January from 10:00-11:00am

Where: Meet and pick up at the Bowling Green Community Center, Dolores Black Gymnasium, 1245 W Newton Rd, Bowling Green.

Bring: A water bottle comfortable shoes and clothing.

Staff: Ken

Fitness Dance

What: Do you enjoy dancing? Come enjoy an hour of dancing and cardio as we boogie down to guided videos! There will be seated options as well!

When: Tuesdays in January from 2:00-3:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Bowling Green Community Center, Dolores Black Gymnasium, 1245 W Newton Rd, Bowling Green.

Bring: Wear comfortable clothing and shoes! Bring water!

Staff: Angie

Card Games

What: Do you like card games? If so sign up to play cards with your friends. Skip-bo, Uno, Phase Ten.

When: Tuesdays in January from 2:00-3:00

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Ken

Strength Training

What: It doesn't matter if you are looking to tone up or if you are looking to beef up. Weight lifting in the gym is the perfect way to increase strength and stamina.

When: Tuesdays in January from 3:00-4:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Bowling Green Community Center, Dolores Black Gymnasium, 1245 W Newton Rd, Bowling Green.

Bring: Wear gym clothing and bring a bottle of water.

Staff: LeAnn

Wednesday Morning Fitness

What: Each week we will participate in a fun fitness activity! Drum Fit, Fitness Bingo, Richard Simmons: Sweatin' to the Oldies, Yoga, Seated workouts! Come move ya bodies!!

When: Wednesdays in January from 10:00-11:00am

Where: Meet and pick up at the Bowling Green Community Center, Dolores Black Gymnasium, 1245 W Newton Rd, Bowling Green.

Bring: Wear comfortable clothing and tennis shoes! Bring water!

Staff: Angie

Toledo Humane Society Cat Room

What: Spend some time in the cat rooms at the Toledo Humane Society. Play with some fuzzy friends or snuggle up with a precious fur baby. There will be plenty of cats to cuddle at this location.

When: Wednesday January 7th from 1:30-3:30

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

If you do not like cats or are allergic to cats, this may not be the right event for you.

Staff: LeAnn

Jigsaw Puzzles

What: Do you like to relax and put together Jigsaw puzzles? Well this is the activity for you. Sign up and you can put together jigsaw puzzles with me.

When: Wednesday 7th and 21st for January from 2:00-3:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Ken

Salt Painting

What: Unleash your creativity with a relaxing and engaging Salt Painting. In this hands-on activity, you'll use glue, salt, and watercolor paints to create beautifully textured artwork that blends bold color with eye-catching crystal effects.

When: Wednesday, January 7th from 2:00 to 3:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Claire

Audiobook Club

What: Come enjoy an hour of mindful activity as we listen to an audiobook and participate in other mindful activities such as puzzles, and adult coloring!

When: Wednesdays in January from 4:00-5:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Angie

Mario Kart

What: Dodge bananas and throw turtle shells at your friends as we race to see who the best Mario Kart player is!

When: Wednesday January 7th and 21st from 4:30-5:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance B, Service & Support Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Ken

Bingo

What: B12, I27, O65. Come and play bingo with us, and maybe you will be the one yelling Bingo.

When: Wednesday January 7th from 6:00-7:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance B, Service & Support Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Ken

Karaoke

What: Karaoke night!!! Come and sing with your friends. Solo or duet it's all up to you. For the rest of the year, we will be teaming up with the Wood County Senior Center on the Second Wednesday of the month for Karaoke.

When: Wednesday January 7th from 7:30-8:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance B, Service & Support Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Ken

Homemade Bath Bombs

What: Treat yourself to a little luxury with our Homemade Bath Bomb Workshop! You'll learn how to mix, mold, and customize your own effervescent bath bombs using simple, skin-friendly ingredients. Choose from a variety of fragrances, colors, and add-ins to create soothing spa-quality bombs perfectly tailored to your style.

When: Thursday, January 8th from 11:30am to 12:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Claire

Board Games

What: Come to the Board and play some of the board games you played as a child. We can play Sorry, Chutes and Ladders, Yahtzee, and many more.

When: Thursdays in January from 2:00-3:00pm starting January 8th

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Ken

Spin

What: Do you enjoy cycling? This is a fun way to enjoy cycling with the benefit of being in out of the winter weather!

When: Thursdays in January from 3:00-4:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Bowling Green Community Center, Dolores Black Gymnasium, 1245 W Newton Rd, Bowling Green.

Staff: Angie

Greenhouse Group: Glass Bead plants

What: Never worry about watering, the sun or transplanting with these unique glass bead plants. We will create gorgeous designs using glass beads meant to last a lifetime.

When: Thursday January 8th from 3:00-4:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: LeAnn

Bittersweet Music Series

What: Enjoy an afternoon out with friends. Listen to local musicians perform at Grand Rapids old community building.

When: Friday January 9th and 23rd from 11:00-1:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: Water bottle

No food or pop or coffee allowed at venue.

Staff: Ken

Explore Grounds for Thought

What: Join us for a fun visit to Grounds for Thought, where we'll explore the cozy coffee shop, browse books and music, and enjoy the welcoming atmosphere.

When: Friday January 9th from 12:00-2:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: Bring \$10 for coffee/treat (optional).

Staff: Brooke

Georgette's Coffee Shop

What: More than coffee--staff with developmental disabilities find purpose serving you. Locally roasted coffee and full lunch menu!

When: Friday, January 9th from 2:00-4:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: \$10 for coffee!

Staff: Angie

Cross Stitching

What: Come join us for a fun and relaxing cross-stitching activity! No experience needed—just come ready to try something new and enjoy crafting together!

When: Friday January 9th from 3:00-4:00 PM

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Brooke

Are You Ready for It? A Taylor Experience

What: An immersive concert tribute that celebrates the music of Taylor Swift, showcasing her iconic hits from various albums! You can look forward to a night filled with powerful performances and nostalgic moments that reflect on Swift's extraordinary career!

When: Friday, January 9th from 5:30-9:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: \$29.00 in exact cash or a check made out to the WCBDD for the cost of the ticket! Extra money for souvenirs or concessions, if available!

Staff: Angie & LeAnn

University of Toledo Women's Basketball vs Western MI

What: Cheer on the University of Toledo Women's basketball team in a thrilling game vs Western Michigan. Go Rockets!

When: Saturday January 10th from 1:00-5:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: Bring \$21.00 to purchase your ticket. Bring additional money to purchase snacks or beverages. The University of Toledo is a cash free facility and you will need to have a card to pay for items.

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Staff: LeAnn

Dart Ball

What: Dartball is a game in which darts are thrown at a large wooden or Homasote board that resembles a baseball field with colored areas which denote bases. Dartball uses baseball-like rules and scoring.

When: Saturday January 10th from 1:30-3:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Bowling Green Community Center, Dolores Black Gymnasium, 1245 W Newton Rd, Bowling Green.

Free Event!

Staff: Ken

Open Gym Basketball

What: Come join us for open gym at the community center. You can shoot around or join a game.

When: Saturday January 10th from 3:00-4:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Bowling Green Community Center, Dolores Black Gymnasium, 1245 W Newton Rd, Bowling Green.

Bring: shoes to run in and a bottle of water.

Staff: Ken

Bingo

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When: Monday January 12th from 10:00am-11:00am

Where: Meet and pick up at the Bowling Green Community Center, Classroom, 1245 W Newton Rd, Bowling Green.

Staff: Ken

Smile Jars

What: Create your own Smile Jar! A jar filled with positive messages, uplifting quotes, and little reminders that make you smile. A great way to boost positivity and create something you can revisit whenever you need a little happiness!

When: Monday January 12th from 12:00-1:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance B, Service & Support Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Brooke

Guided Art

What: We will do an art project to be determined at a later date! This art project will be completed with the expectation that it will be submitted in the 3rd Annual Mini Art Show!

When: Tuesday, January 12th from 2:30-3:30PM

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Angie

Greenhouse Group

What: Help plant and tend to the seedlings that we will use in the 2026 growing season.

When: Tuesday January 13th from 11:00-12:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Green House, Wood County Board of DD, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green. Past Entrance B

Bring: Wear layers of clothing. The temp in the greenhouse fluctuates. Brings a bottle of water.

Staff: LeAnn

Hollywood Casino

What: Try your luck at the Hollywood Casino! Will you play the slots or will you take your chances at roulette? Whatever you choose, you are sure to have a thrilling time!

When: Wednesday January 14th from 1:30-4:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

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Staff: LeAnn

Rock Climbing at DYNO

What: Come spend the day testing your strength and learning how to rock climb at DYNO climbing gym in Detroit. We will spend the morning at the gym learning how to top rope rock climb with some of the gym's amazing staff, then we will have lunch there at the gym before heading home.

When: Thursday, January 15th from 10:00am to 2:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: \$22 for entrance and a packed lunch

While rock climbing is inherently hard work, DYNO Climbing Gym and myself strive to make rock climbing and bouldering as accessible possible. This activity is welcome to people of all physical needs. If you have any questions about whether or not rock climbing is something you would like to try, please call or text me at (419) 575-4875.

Staff: Claire

Radiance and Reverie: Jewels from the Collection of Neil Lane

What: Enjoy a trip to the Toledo Museum of Art and step into a world where artistry and adornment meet. Radiance and Reverie: Jewels from the Collection of Neil Lane invites you to discover the exquisite craftsmanship and timeless beauty of jewelry from the personal collection of Neil Lane, celebrated designer to the stars. Each piece tells a story of glamour, history, and the enduring allure of wearable art.

When: Thursday January 15th from 11:00-2:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: \$11.00 to pay for your admission

Staff: LeAnn

Wildflower Seed Bombs

What: Get ready for spring and make your own wildflower seed bomb. Seed balls are made by mixing clay, organic matter, water, and seeds, then creating a ball with a seed inside, to improve seed dispersal.

When: Thursday January 15th from 3:00-4:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Green House, Wood County Board of DD, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green. Past Entrance B

Bring: Wear layers of clothing. The temp in the greenhouse fluctuates. Brings a bottle of water.

Staff: LeAnn

Cross Stitching

What: Come join us for a fun and relaxing cross-stitching activity! No experience needed—just come ready to try something new and enjoy crafting together!

When: Friday January 16th from 3:00-4:00 pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Brooke

Paint+Sip with Hot Chocolate

What: Join us for a cozy painting activity! Enjoy a warm cup of hot chocolate while following a simple, guided painting activity. No art experience is needed—just come relax, sip, and get creative in a fun, wintery atmosphere.

When: Friday January 16th from 4:30-6:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Brooke

Wild Lights Walk

What: Come see The WCBDD Venturing Crew's display and celebrate the coming of the new year with wildlife-learning and holiday lights! Life-sized animal statues are adorned with lights, decorations, and great themes, giving warmth and color to the cool winter nights. Walk the trail and see the spectacular displays.

When: Friday, January 16th from 6:30-8:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: Warm coats, gloves, and hats

It will be VERY cold. Please make sure you are dressed appropriately for the weather and walking in the cold woods!

Staff: Claire

Levis Commons Movie: Charlie the Wonderdog

What: A dog gains superpowers after his owner is abducted by aliens. Together they battle an evil cat threatening humanity while the dog becomes a famous superhero.

When: Tuesday January 20th from 6:30-9:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: \$15.00 to purchase your movie ticket and additional money to purchase snacks or beverages. The snack bar is cashless so please have card to pay for items.

Actual movie time will be emailed to participants when movie times are confirmed.

Staff: LeAnn

Movie at the board: The Shawshank Redemption

What: This year we will be playing one movie at month at the board from American Film Institute's lists. January's film tells the story of banker Andy Dufresne (Tim Robbins), who is sentenced to life in Shawshank State Penitentiary for the murders of his wife and her lover, despite his claims of innocence. Over the following two decades, he befriends a fellow prisoner, contraband smuggler Ellis "Red" Redding (Morgan Freeman), and becomes instrumental in a money laundering operation led by the prison warden Samuel Norton (Bob Gunton). William Sadler, Clancy Brown, Gil Bellows, and James Whitmore appear in supporting roles.

When: Wednesday January 21st from 6:00-8:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance B, Service & Support Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: a drink and snack of your choice

Staff: Ken

Greenhouse Group

What: Help plant and tend to the seedlings that we will use in the 2026 growing season.

When: Thursday January 22nd from 12:00-1:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Green House, Wood County Board of DD, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green. Past Entrance B

Bring: Wear layers of clothing. The temp in the greenhouse fluctuates. Brings a bottle of water.

Staff: LeAnn

Greenhouse Group- Green Revolution: How Plants Saved the Planet

What: They are all around us, so familiar that we barely notice they are there, moving so slowly that it's easy to forget they are living. Plants are little more than wallpaper. We use them, take them for granted, but we humans couldn't live without plants. We take them for granted, using them, for fuel, building materials, food and medicine but there is another even great gift they give us... Several billion years ago, it was plants, and their unique ability to use sunlight as energy to produce sugar, creating the by-product, oxygen, who turned a barren and inhospitable planet into a place where life could thrive. Were it not for the air they give us, humans would not have evolved. Plants have been looking after planet earth for 500 million years, improving it for all other life – we should trust in them, and believe in flower power!

When: Thursday January 22nd from 3:30-4:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: LeAnn

Cross Stitching

What: Come join us for a fun and relaxing cross-stitching activity! No experience needed—just come ready to try something new and enjoy crafting together!

When: Friday January 23rd from 3:00-4:00 PM

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Brooke

Rockefeller Park Greenhouse and lunch

What: A Cleveland gem, the Rockefeller Park Greenhouse (RPG) is a City-owned botanical garden and greenhouse that is open to the public seven days a week, including weekends and holidays. RPG is situated on four acres of land, featuring a variety of indoor and outdoor gardens, specialty plant collections, seasonal floral displays, and colorful theme gardens.

When: Saturday January 24th from 9:00-4:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: Bring \$20.00 for your lunch

Staff: LeAnn

Venture Crew Meeting

What: This is our monthly meeting! We will discuss important topics!

When: Saturday, January 24th from 12:30-2:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: Venture Crew folders and fresh new ideas!

This activity is open to active Venture Crew members only!

Staff: Angie & Claire

Fitness Dance

What: Do you enjoy dancing? Come enjoy an hour of dancing and cardio as we boogie down to guided videos! There will be seated options as well!

When: Saturday, January 24th from 3:30-4:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Bowling Green Community Center, Dolores Black Gymnasium, 1245 W Newton Rd, Bowling Green.

Bring: Wear comfortable clothing and shoes! Bring water!

Staff: Angie

Karaoke

What: Come Sing Karaoke. You can duet with your friends, or have solo all to yourself.

When: Monday January 26th from 10:00-11:00am

Where: Meet and pick up at the Bowling Green Community Center, classroom, 1245 W Newton Rd, Bowling Green.

Staff: Ken

Hollywood Casino

What: Try your luck at the Hollywood Casino! Will you play the slots or will you take your chances at roulette? Whatever you choose, you are sure to have a thrilling time!

When: Monday January 26th from 11:30-2:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: Bring \$25.00 to purchase your lunch. Bring money that you can afford to gamble with and possibly lose. You MUST be 21 and have a valid ID to enter the casino.

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Staff: Angie

Switch Sports

What: Guess what? we are going to play switch sports. Volleyball, tennis, golf, bowling you can take your pick. Play against your friends.

When: Monday January 26th from 4:00-5:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Ken

BGSU Greenhouse Tour

What: Take a tour of this local gem. The Biology Greenhouse is located on the campus of Bowling Green State University in Bowling Green, Ohio. The greenhouse facility has four houses. Two of the greenhouses are used for research and class projects. The remaining two houses hold the teaching collections, which include a desert area and a tropical floor planting.

When: Tuesday January 27th from 10:00-11:30am

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: LeAnn

Clothespin Snowflakes

What: Stay warm and create this adorable winter craft. We will be using clothespins to create our own unique designed snowflakes.

When: Tuesday January 27th from 12:00-1:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: LeAnn

Egg Carton Winter Trees

What: Show off your creativity with these eye catching egg carton trees. Will you make yours wintery or will you make it green as a spring day?

When: Wednesday January 28th from 1:30-2:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: LeAnn

Greenhouse Group: Pop Bottle Terrarium

What: A pop bottle terrarium is a self-contained miniature garden created inside a plastic soda bottle, often using the recycled bottle itself. It works as a closed ecosystem, creating its own water cycle as water evaporates, condenses, and "rains" back down onto the plants, requiring minimal to no care after it's set up. The process typically involves layering drainage material like pebbles at the bottom, followed by soil and small plants.

When: Thursday January 28th from 3:00-4:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: LeAnn

Greenhouse Group: Activity with Sleek Academy

What: Join the Greenhouse Group in this community driven event. We will be traveling to Sleek Academy in Bowling Green and working with the school aged kids on a fun greenhouse craft.

When: Thursday January 29th from 1:00-2:30pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: LeAnn

Snowman Luminary Jars

What: With a mason jar, a little creativity and a little bit of love, this snowman comes to life with paint and a few craft supplies. This adorable winter craft idea is easy for anyone to make!

When: Thursday January 29th from 3:00-4:00pm

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: LeAnn

Cross Stitching

What: Come join us for a fun and relaxing cross-stitching activity! No experience needed—just come ready to try something new and enjoy crafting together!

When: Friday January 30th from 3:00-4:00 PM

Where: Meet and pick up at the Wood County Board of DD, Entrance C, Transportation Bldg., 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Staff: Brooke

BGSU Hockey Game vs. Notre Dame

What: Come join us to watch and cheer on Bowling Green Hockey vs. Notre Dame!

When: Friday January 31st from 5:15-8:45 pm

Where: Meet and pick up at Wood Lane School, Nichols Therapy Pool Entrance, 1921 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green

Bring: \$21 in exact change for ticket or a check made out to the WCBDD. Bring additional funds for snacks. Slater Ice Arena has gone cashless, so please plan accordingly for purchases.

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Staff: Brooke and Ken