



Wright-Patterson AFB Youth Programs Sponsorship Program

So...you're moving! Are you nervous? Scared? Excited? Would you like to talk with someone your age that has similar interests and can ease the transition to a new environment? Please contact the Prairies Youth Center at 937-904-4700 to find out how we can help. We can set you up with a youth leader currently enrolled in our programs that will make the transition easier. Everyone at Youth Programs here at Wright-Patterson AFB is thrilled to have you coming and can't wait to meet you!

We have an awesome Youth Center with exciting programming and involved youth members. We know that you will have a tremendous amount of fun and make new friends while you are here. Wright-Patterson has plenty to offer youth ages 6-18. Our program is affiliated with Boys & Girls Clubs of America, 4-H, and the National Alliance for Youth Sports. At the Youth Center, we have clubs of all types including the Air Force Teen Council, Keystone Club, and the Torch Club that are engaged and active in the community.

In addition to our Youth Center, the base has plenty of other recreation opportunities for you to enjoy:

- Fitness Center
- Bowling Center
- Outdoor/Indoor Pools
- Golf Course
- Movie Theater
- Outdoor Recreation Center

Our base is surrounded by many great school districts and we can ensure you have a sponsor to show you around:

- Fairborn
- Mad River
- Beavercreek
- Bellbrook/Sugarcreek
- Huber Heights
- Oakwood City
- Kettering City
- Centerville City

We welcome you and your family to Wright-Patterson Air Force Base and look forward to meeting you! Please call us as soon as you arrive so that we can get you started in enjoying the fun the Youth Center has to offer. Please enquire about our programs and membership. You can call the Youth Center at 937-904-4700 or email us at prairiesyouthcenter@gmail.com. You can also contact me at 937-656-8683 or email at melissa.zehring@us.af.mil.

Sincerely,

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