

YOUTH SERVICES

EXTRACURRICULAR COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITIES

Recreation

Battle Creek Family YMCA
(269) 963-9622

New Level Sports (269) 964-4172

Parks and Recreation Departments

Albion (517) 629-5535

Battle Creek (269) 966-3431

BC Aquatics (269) 966-3680

Marshall (269) 781-5166

Wattles Park Men's Club

(269) 979-4336

Year-round Athletic Programs

Basketball, volleyball, pickleball, etc.

Libraries

Albion Public Library
(517) 629-3993

Athens Community Library
(269) 729-4479

Homer Public Library
(517) 568-3450

Marshall District Library
(269) 781-7821

Tekonsha Township Library
(517) 767-4769

Willard Library (Battle Creek)
(269) 968-8166

After School Programs

21st Century Community Learning Center
(269) 965-3883
Battle Creek Public Schools Only

**Beadle Lake School
Before/After Care Program**
(269) 441-3280
Affordable Childcare

Community Unlimited
(517) 741-4656
Union City Schools

Homer GAP Summer Program
(517) 568-4463
Ask for the GAP program

Employment

Battle Creek Connects
(269) 788-6500
Operated by Goodwill Industries

Job Corps
(800) 733-5627 (JOBS)
Career Training (Ages 16-24)
www.jobcorps.gov

Michigan Rehabilitation Services
(269) 968-3311
Aids persons with disabilities find employment

Michigan Works! Southwest
(269) 660-1412
WIOA Youth Services

VOCES
(269) 841-4111
CLU (Creative Leaders United) 5-8th graders

Volunteer Service

**Albion Volunteer Service
Organization**
(517) 629-5574

Gryphon Place
Community board for volunteer opportunities at:
www.go.gryphon.org

Habitat for Humanity
(269) 966-2502
Ages 16+

Marshall Area Community Services
(269) 781-2954

The Arc
(269) 966-2575
*Skill building and volunteer opportunities for those
with developmental disabilities*

United Way
(269) 966-4189
United Way Youth Council-please visit
www.go.gryphon.org

Voces
(269) 841-4111
*Youth Council; open to 9th-12th grade
minority students only*

Miscellaneous Activities

Battle Creek Community Foundation
(269) 962-2181
Youth Alliance Committee

Boy Scouts of America
(269) 962-8513

Burma Center
(269) 441-1131 ext 345
THRIVE Youth Program, grades K-12th

CityLinC
(269) 969-9181
Second Wind Mentors

Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan
(269) 343-1516

MSU Extension 4-H
(269) 781-0784
Ages 5-19

Small Business Information Services
(269) 441-9417 or
(269) 968-8166 x505
Grades 5-12 (After School)

Southwestern Michigan Urban League
(269) 962-5553
*Sojourner Truth Girls Academy, Future Force, Hip
Hop for Change Literacy (9-12th graders),
Emergent Leaders*

Substance Abuse Prevention Services
(517) 914-5921
*Positive Youth Development,
Leadership Development*

The Arc
(269) 966-2575
Life Skills for developmentally disabled

United Way
(269) 966-4189
United Way Youth Council