HARRISON COUNTY ENERGY EXPRESS RETURNS FOR SUMMER 2020

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ENERGY EXPRESS



Energy Express – A summer of fun!

Are you looking for a fun way to spend the summer? Come join us at Energy Express!



Energy Express is a free 6-week summer reading program for children entering 1st through 6th grades. Become a part of the Harrison County Energy Express Teams from June 22 through July 31, 2020.

How will the Energy Express program operate this summer?

To ensure the safety of children, staff and volunteers, our Energy Express program will take place primarily at home. Energy Express AmeriCorps members will provide activities for your child to complete at home through the end of July, following all COVID-19 guidelines enforced at all levels. These activities will be distributed through local feeding sites, TV, online, mail or other approved delivery methods. AmeriCorps members will not be permitted to enter homes during the program, but may drop off materials, if appropriate.

Is Energy Express going to be like school?

While we will not have our traditional classroom setting, your child will receive **free take-home books** with activities to complete. Your child will also receive hands-on learning and art activities to enjoy that go along with a weekly theme/book. Children will have the opportunity to participate in additional learning through a variety of media such as local television broadcasting and **free online access to Scholastic's Lit Pro program**, which gives children access to 3,500+ book selections for independent reading. These activities will help us gauge your child's reading and comprehensive progress.

Will meals be provided?

We are working with state and community partners to provide meals.

How do I enroll my child in Energy Express?

Your child can apply online or they may complete a paper application. Download the application at energy express.wvu.edu or paper applications are available through Harrison County Parks & Recreation.

Where do I submit my child's application?

MAIL TO or DROP OFF at:

Harrison County Parks & Recreation 43 Recreation Dr. Clarksburg, WV 26301 or

SCAN and EMAIL to:

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mbook@harrisoncountywv.com Subject: Energy Express Child application

NEW: You may now fill out and submit online by visiting: <u>https://tinyurl.com/EEchildapp2020</u>

How will I know if my child has been accepted?

You will be contacted by email. If you do not have an email account you will be contacted through the US Postal Service mail.

Questions?

Contact Harrison County Parks and Recreation at 304-423-7800 For additional information visit our website at **energyexpress.wvu.edu.**