

# ClarkSportsCenter



**Newsletter**  
**Spring 2020**



**February Break VIA Aquarium**

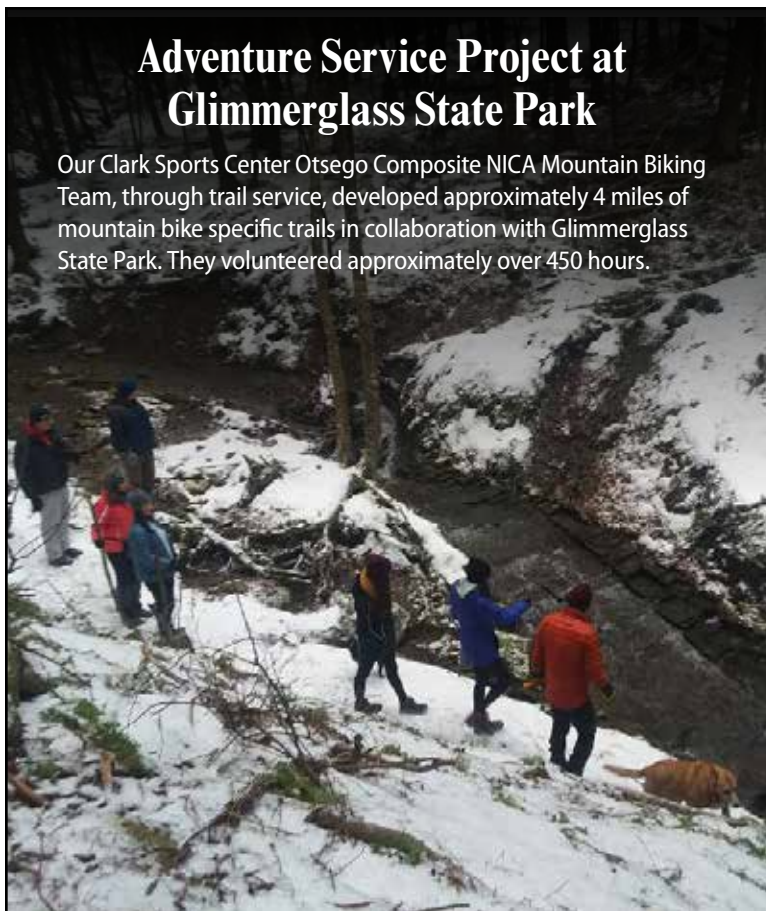
We hope you and your family are staying safe and healthy during the time spent away from the Clark Sports Center. As you know, the Sports Center is currently closed for an indefinite amount of time. We will be reassessing the situation weekly and when it appears safe and appropriate, we will re-open. We cannot wait to have everyone return!



## Adventure News

### Adventure Service Project at Glimmerglass State Park

Our Clark Sports Center Otsego Composite NICA Mountain Biking Team, through trail service, developed approximately 4 miles of mountain bike specific trails in collaboration with Glimmerglass State Park. They volunteered approximately over 450 hours.



### Winter Carnival Rock Climbing Competition Winners!



Grades K-1 Winners,  
1st: Camden Hill, 2nd:  
Will Smith, 3rd: Carter  
Whiteman. Grades 2-4  
Winners, 1st: Molly  
Murphy, 2nd: Nolan  
McCaffery, 3rd: Matthew  
Panzarella. Grades 5-6  
Winners, 1st: Shane  
Bradley, 2nd: Scarlett Bong.

## Athletics News

### Winter Carnival Free Throw Contest



Front: Cooper Ruffles. Back, L to R: Kayleigh Butler, Emma Johnson, Miles Nelen, Lanie Nelen, Sawyer McManus, Davis Butler.

jr. nba  
Presented by UNDER ARMOUR

### Skills Challenge

On February 10, the Clark Sports Center participated in the Jr. NBA Skills Challenge presented by Under Armour. Boys and girls, ages 13 and younger had the opportunity to showcase their fitness through a dribbling, shooting, and rebounding skills competition in the sport of basketball. The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishers in each age and gender group advance to the Regional Competition.

#### Girls 12U Winners

1st place: Emma Johnson  
2nd place: Lanie Nelen  
3rd place: Hayden Merwin

#### Boys 12U Winners

1st place: Cooper Coleman  
2nd Place: Miles Nelen  
3rd place: Christian Lawson





## 2019-2020

# Clark Sports Center Sharks Swim Team

## Bowling News

### Winter Carnival Bowling Tournament Winners

1st Place	Katie & Shamus Murphy	1385
2nd Place	Mike Kenney & Shamus Murphy	1330
3rd Place	Adam & Alyssa Hichtman	1287
Youth High Game W/HDCP	Shamus Murphy	240
Youth High Series W/HDCP	Shamus Murphy	695
Adult High Game W/HDCP	Mike Kenney	277
Adult High Series W/HDCP	Katie Murphy	690



### Current Bowling League Top Bowlers & Stats

League	High Average	High Game	High Series
Monday Men's	Mike Gage • 195	Chuck Hascup • 282	Mike Gage • 680
Tuesday Women's	Cynthia McCartney • 170	Cynthia McCartney • 223	Earlena Rood • 559
Wednesday Men's	Gary Merwin • 213	Gary Merwin • 289	Gary Merwin • 805
Thursday Women's	Marion Madison • 148	Sharon Curcio • 212	Sharon Curcio • 589
Elementary & Middle School	Kaden Card • 140	Anthony McCoy • 197	Keenan Murphy • 514



**Gary Merwin** (team- M&R Logging) bowled an 805 series (268 248 289) during Men's Wednesday night Competitive League. Only the 3rd in history to get a sanction 800 at the Clark Sports Center.

## February Fundraising Spin Ride

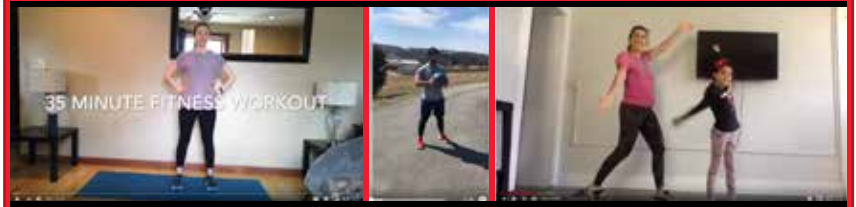
Our 90 Minute Spinning Ride to Benefit Friends of Bassett raised a total of \$290! Thank you to our riders & instructors!

Visit [www.clarksportscenter.com](http://www.clarksportscenter.com) for information on upcoming Fundraising Spin Rides.



## WHILE WE ARE CLOSED, Keep Moving at Home!

To help you stay active while we're closed, we have been posting a variety of different activities, tips and workouts recorded by our staff to our YouTube Channel (<https://www.youtube.com/user/clarksgym/playlists>), Facebook (Clark Sports Center Special Events) and Instagram (@ClarkSportsCenterEvents) accounts. Workouts for all ages!



Thank you  
Participants!

# GET FIT RIGHT

## Special Events

### Frozen Toes 5 Miler Trail Run



#### Top 2 Male

Michael Farber (2nd-00:35:50) & Charles Hollister (1st-00:34:37)



#### Top 2 Female

Lydia Dillon (1st-00:41:51) & SARAH PLYMELL (2nd-00:47:48)

### Winter Carnival • 48th Annual Bob Smullens 5K/10K Race



#### 5K Winners

Joseph Hempstead (00:22:14) & Bradley Weldon (00:23:50)



#### 10K Winners

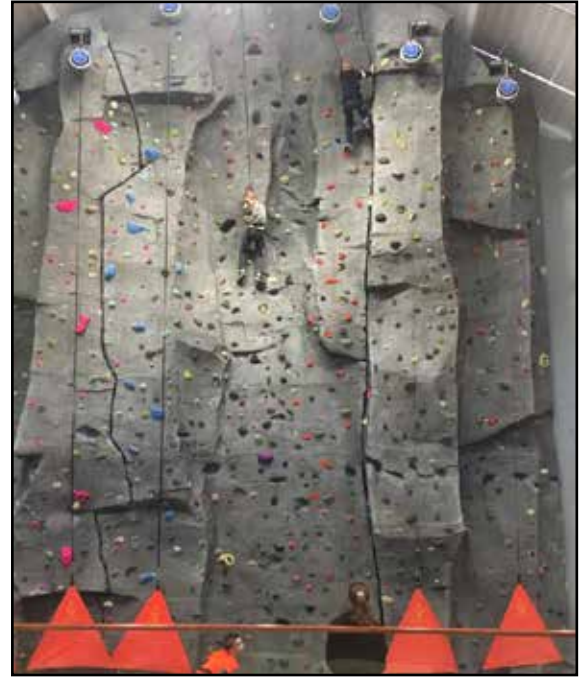
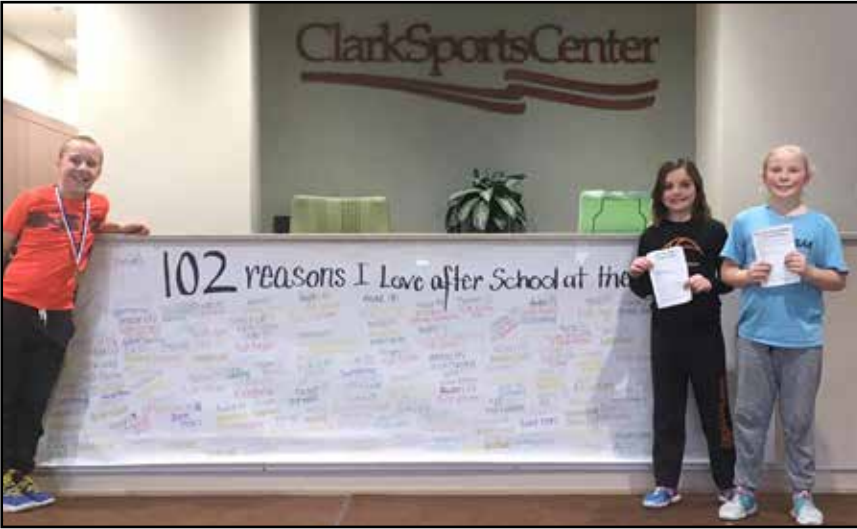
Tom Slicer (00:38:54) & Elizabeth Bishton (01:02:03)



# Member Highlights

## 102<sup>nd</sup> Day of School Celebration!

On February 25, we celebrated the 102nd day of school. It started off with 102 seconds of silence on the gym floor and continued with various activities throughout the building incorporating the theme "102".



## Congratulations Evie Baldo!

Winner of the 2020 Patrick C. Fetterman Memorial Basketball Tournament t-shirt design contest.



## 2020 Student-Athlete Leadership Conference

Over 400 student-athletes, coaches and athletic directors came together at the Clark Sports Center for their annual Student-Athlete Leadership Conference! Workshops were held throughout the facility, beginning with Keynote Speaker, Karen Torres, who covered "Distracted Driving: Deadly Consequences"