

After School Adventures

Grades 1-4

Fall 2019

Monday

EMS All Stars Grades 1-2

Sky Hawk Sports

The EMS All Stars is a multi-sport class that will teach your child the basic of sports in a fun and non-competitive setting. Weekly sports will include basketball, kickball, floor hockey, soccer and more. Good sportsmanship and cooperation will be emphasized.

Sports Clinic-Soccer- Grades 3-5

Coach Ian Glover

This specialized soccer clinic under the direction of EMS Soccer Coach Ian Glover will give third, fourth and fifth grade students a chance to learn and develop the necessary skills and elements for more competitive team soccer play. Working on specific skills and techniques, students will gain confidence, strength and endurance. This class will run from 3:15-4:30 p.m. **Cost is \$250**

iPiggiBank Money Management for Kids

Grades 2-3

Join this fun, new and smart series on exploring healthy financial habits. Kids will learn how to master saving, sharing and shopping wisely. This class includes take home materials to keep the conversations going at home too! iPiggiBank will provide all materials and special guest presenters; students will need to bring a superstar attitude and big appetite for leaning a fun, smart, new way to think about responsibility and money.

Tuesday

Chess-Grades 1-3

International Chess Academy

This class is designed for beginning and intermediate chess players. A professional chess instructor will guide students as they learn basic strategies and tactics. Time will be spent each week in team play so that players will be able to practice their new skills and exchange ideas and strategies with each other.

Fashion's Night Out-Grades 1-3

Hobby Quest Instructor

Join us in this class and create your very own one of a kind outfit to wear for a fun night Students will learn everything they need to know to design, create and alter a great outfit! From the original sketch to the final fitting, we'll guide you through the process of creating an ensemble of your very own! Of course no outfit is complete without some one-of-a-kind accessories to take your look to the next level! Then show off your new look for family and friends at our Fashion Show.

Self Defense-Krav Maga-Grades 2-4

SWAN Kids Instructor

Krav Maga is the one of the world's best and most complete self-defense methods. This fun and practical method teaches simple techniques to stay safe while sharpening reflexes and fine tuning motor skills. Benefits also include understanding of human body mechanics, improved focus and greater independence and assertiveness.



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Kids Yoga- Grades 1-4

SWAN Kids Instructor

Namaste yoga kids! This yoga class will be engaging and fun, proving a format for challenging the body while resting the mind. Yoga brings flexibility to the mind as well as the body. So come explore and unwind with your fellow yogis.

Minecraft Club Grades 1-4

Code Advantage Instructor

Kids test their critical thinking skills while learning how to navigate the Minecraft game in both Survival and Creative modes. More advanced students can start to learn to code in Java while creating custom modifications (mods) in this popular game.

Math Boost- Grades 2-3

Teacher TBD

Designed for students who are looking for extra practice or a way to boost their math skills. This course will use a variety of games, mental math strategies and practice to help increase confidence!

Math-a- mania- Grades 3-4

Teacher TBD

This class is designed for students who are looking for extra practice or ready to take their math skills to the next level. Students will work on problem solving skills, test taking strategies and more complex problems while working both individually and cooperatively in small groups. This class will give the opportunity to prepare for challenging content.

Thursday

Dip into Cooking Grades 1-3

Laura McConville

Everything starts with a dip! Make delicious recipes using all different types of dips like veggie dip, fruit dip, cheese dips and of course, chocolate dip! Learn cooking and baking techniques as you cook up delicious recipes that you can share with your friends and family.

Simply Art Grades 1-3

Instructor TBD

Come explore the wonderful world of art using a wide variety of materials and methods. Sculpture, painting, collage, mixed media and more are just a few of the areas students will work with throughout the semester.

Robotics/STEM Grades 2-4

SWAN Kids Instructor

This new workshop offering will take students through the basics of robotics design and construction and then continues with more advanced programming concepts like circuit building, alternative energy sources and custom robots/machinery. Students will have the opportunity to incorporate STEM fundamentals as well as principles of coding and design thinking.



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Gymnastics and Tumbling Grades 1-3

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This new program will combine acrobatics and yoga into a curriculum that develops children's agility and flexibility, as well as incorporating rhythm and movement. Students will be introduced to the fundamentals of gymnastics such as cartwheels, handstands, bridges and more while gaining strength, flexibility and kinesthetic awareness.

Airplane Mission- grades 2-4

Hobby Quest Instructor

Your mission, if you choose to accept it is to learn the science that allows planes to fly, build some amazing model airplanes, and then fly them. Learn the STEM principles of the physics of flying. Then, test these principles on the many models you get to build and actually fly. Your mission will involve airplane models like Starfighter, Bamboo Copter, and Mustang P-51. Will you complete your mission? Yes, and with flying colors!!!

Other Offerings

Homework Club

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

EMS Homework Club is designed to help students in second, third and fourth grade master "the basics" of homework. Under the direct instruction of a classroom teacher, students will focus on learning good organization skills, following directions and having the right materials to get a start on their daily homework assignments. Students must enroll in a minimum of two days a week. Homework Club will run from Sept. 24- December 12.

Intramurals

Friday- Fall, Winter and Spring Semester Grades 4-6

EMS Intramurals offers an opportunity for students in grades 4-6 to learn and play sports offered at EMS during the year. Intramurals is under the direction of Andy Escala, EMS Athletic Director and PE Teacher. Students can register for one, two or three seasons of Intramurals. Cost is \$250 for 8 weeks.



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Friday, November 8

Create Music that Inspires Social Change

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Grades 1-5

Cost \$185



Join Grammy nominated children's artists, The Alphabet Rockers, in a full-day song-writing workshop that will show students the power and potential of using music to create social change. These artists have earned national acclaim for using hip hop to help children feel proud of who they are, eager to stand up for one another, and be connected to the real world issues around justice and equality. During this customized songwriting and esteem-building experience, students will develop an original piece of music with an accompanying track.



Produce Your Own Pod Cast with Podglomerate

9:00 a.m - 2:00 p.m.

Grades 5-8 (cap 20 students)

Cost \$140

Podcast are all the rage today. The trick is creating compelling content that command attention. Join Jeff Umbro from Podglomerate, as they help students hone their storytelling skills while learning the mechanics of podcast production in this day-long workshop that is customized specially for middle school students.



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Sunday, November 9

Learn How to Draw Manga Characters

K-2nd- 12:00 a.m.- 12:50 p.m.

Grades 3-5- 1:10 – 2:00p.m.

Grads 6-8- 2:20- 3:10 p.m.

Cost: Free (Funded by EMS PA)

If your child has fallen for the Japanese manga-style of comics and graphic novels, they will not want to miss this chance to learn how to draw their own characters. In the 50 minute sessions, popular author, teacher, and artist Misako Rocks! will teach students how. She will guide students using her step-by-step process that is adjusted for different age levels. They will be drawing manga-style faces and more in no time!



Monday, November 10



**Storytelling with Pictures with
Author/Illustrator Lori Richmond**

3:15- 4:30 p.m.

Grades 1-5

Cost: Free (Funded by EMS PA)

In the workshop, students will doodle pictures, words, shapes, and lines to tell a story about a fun and unique topic- ALL ABOUT ME! ! Using the popular “sketch note” technique, author-illustrator, Lori Richmond, will guide students with step-by-step instructions on how to create a visual autobiography. Doodle topics may include family, home, favorite foods, favorite places, favorite book characters, anything else your imagination wants to put on the page.



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