

The Kensington After School Enrichment Program (KASEP) offers a wonderful variety of classes to students in kindergarten through sixth grade. There are three sessions each year: Fall, Winter, and Spring. Registration for the FALL 2011 session of KASEP will be held at the Kensington Community Center on Tuesday, September 13th, starting at 6:45 pm for Kindergarten and 7:15 for grades 1-6. Our Fall session begins Monday, September 26th, and continues until Friday December 16th

Kindergarten parents do not need to escort their children to KASEP classes. KASEP teachers walk the kindergarten students from school to KASEP. Parents or caregivers pick up kindergarten students at the end of their classes.

Students in Grades 1-6 walk down on their own after school to their KASEP classes. For students attending Neighborhood School, a Neighborhood School care-provider will escort students back to Neighborhood after their KASEP classes. Please call Neighborhood School at 510-295-3957 for more details.

Some FAQs about KASEP follow:

I can't attend registration-how do I sign up for classes?

Another family can list you on their lottery slip and sign up for both families at registration. They cannot register for you if your name is not on their lottery slip. You can also sign up for any spaces left in classes after registration in the KCC office. Only one lottery slip should be submitted for two families registering together.

Can I register if I forgot to submit a lottery slip?

You can come to registration and receive a number that follows the numbers given out through the lottery. As above, you can also sign up for any spaces left in classes after registration in the KCC office.

What happens if I arrive at registration after my name has been called?

You'll need to get a "walk-in" number and wait until the rest of the lottery numbers have been called.

Do I need to fill out any paper work before registration?

Please fill out the top section of the registration form and bring it with you to registration. The registrar will fill in classes for you at the bottom of the sheet, so please leave this part blank. You'll find a separate worksheet in the packet that you can use to jot down first and second choices for classes.

May I register if I owe money for a previous session?

No, you may not sign up for classes at registration. Please come by the KCC office to clear your account. You may register in the office for classes with openings.

Do I need a lottery number to sign up for gymnastics and karate?

No, you may sign up for karate directly without having a lottery number. Please call Judy Baker at 233-1833 for questions about gymnastics.

Can I pay by credit card?

KCC currently can only accept cash or checks.

How do I enroll?

A brochure with class information was sent home from school with your child. Please fill out the lottery slip in the packet and turn it in to the KCC office (in the Recreation Building next to the park) by 9 a.m. on Monday, September 12th. We have a lottery drawing mid-day to determine the order of registration. By 6:00pm Monday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, we post all the names in their order for registration at the Community Center and Recreation Building. We will also post the names in their order on this website. Registration for classes begins at 6:45 p.m. Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> in the Community Center for kindergarten students and at 7:15 p.m. for grades 1-6.

How do I find out more?

Please call the Kensington Community Council office at (510) 525-0292.

# **KASEP**

## **Kensington After School Enrichment Program**

**Fall 2011 Registration**

**Tuesday, September 13th**

**Lottery Slips due by Monday, September 12th,**

**9:00 am Kindergarten registration at 6:45pm**

**Grades 1-6 registration at 7:15pm**

**Refreshments available-proceeds benefit the KASEP  
Scholarship Program**

**Kensington Community Center Main Room**

**59 Arlington Avenue, Kensington 94707**

**KCC/KASEP Office: (510) 525-0292**

**Holidays:** There will be no KASEP classes on the following days:  
Friday, October 14; Friday, November 11; Wednesday-Friday,  
Nov. 23-25

**Minimum Days:** Monday, October 31; Tuesday, November 1;  
Thursday, November 3, Friday, November 4, Monday, November  
7 Tuesday, November 22; Friday, December 16

**Classes begin:** Monday, September 26th  
**Classes end:** Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup>

**Last day to change classes:** Monday, October 3rd  
**Second installment on payment due:** Wed., Nov. 2nd

Scholarships are available for KASEP classes.  
To apply for a scholarship, contact Marty Westby at the  
KCC/KASEP office, 510-525-0292.

**Deadline for Fall Scholarship Applications is Monday,  
September 12<sup>th</sup>**

## ***KASEP Administration***

**Marty Westby, Administrator**  
**Sandy Thacker, Curriculum Coordinator**  
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**Michael Bahn, Kim Johnson, Suzie Kito, Anna Siria Ortiz,**  
**Becky Stephens, Maya Woodson Turman, Cathy Wagoner,**

## ***Fall KASEP Dates and Times to Remember!***

**Monday, September 12: Lottery Slips due at KCC office, 9am.**  
**Scholarship applications deadline at KCC office**

**Tuesday, September 13: Fall registration starting at 6:45pm for  
kindergarten and 7:15pm for grades 1-6**

**Monday, September 26: Beginning of Fall KASEP session**

**Monday, October 3: Last day to drop KASEP classes**

**Friday, October 14: District holiday, no KASEP**

**Sunday, October 16: Fall Parade and Picnic**

**Wednesday, November 2: Second KASEP payment due**

**Friday, November 11: Veteran's Day holiday, no KASEP**

**Saturday, November 12: Kensington Garden Party**

**Wed.-Fri., Nov. 23-25: Thanksgiving holiday, no KASEP**

**Friday, December 16: Last day of Fall session**

## **KINDERGARTEN CLASSES** **(in alphabetical order)** **Fall 2011**

**Please note that, beginning this session, all Kindergarten classes will start at 11:30, when KASEP teachers pick up children from their kindergarten classes, and all classes will end at 1:00.**

### **Art and Bookmaking for Kindergartners**

**Instructor: Elaine Chu**

**Recreation Building Room C**

**Tuesdays 11:30-1:00 (1 hour 30 minute class)**

**Grade: Kindergarten**

**Class Size: 6-7**

**Cost: \$195 12 week session**

**Kindergartners can get creative with hands-on art and bookmaking projects. They develop fine motor skills, an appreciation for the arts and crafts, and an inspired**

sense of accomplishment. Fun projects include pop-up animal books, 3-D medieval castles, felt pamphlets featuring planets and stars, accordion books with pockets, and more. New projects are offered throughout the year.

### **Carpentry for Kindergartners**

Instructor: Sandy Thacker

Recreation Building Room B

Tuesdays and Wednesdays 11:30-1:00 (1 hour 30 minute class)

Grade: Kindergarten

Class Size: 6-7

Cost: Tuesdays \$230 (materials included) 12 week session

Wednesdays \$210 (materials included) 11 week session

From the very beginning of teaching carpentry to kindergartners, I was never interested in just playing around with wood. I wanted these young carpenters to learn to use real tools and to make real projects, in a safe and supportive environment. To my continuing delight, these five- and six-year-olds are able to make a wide variety of projects of ever-increasing complexity. They learn problem solving, coordination skills, and even some basic math. They have fun and are always proud to take their amazing projects home to enjoy for years to come.

### **Critter Adventures for Kindergartners**

Instructor: Chris Lack

Recreation Building Room B

Thursdays 11:30-1:00 (1 hour 30 minute class)

Grade: Kindergarten

Class Size: 6-7

Cost: \$205 (materials included) 11 week session

Explore the World of Nature by interacting with the hillside environment around our school. Did you know that lizards, snakes, butterflies, squirrels, gophers, deer, as well as a host of smaller animals and insects live right outside our doors? Our Critter class is a fun way to see, talk about and learn about some of the animal and plant neighbors we are close to. Chris likes to take short walks for looking and collecting, and he uses art and craft work as a way of amplifying and illustrating the natural world. In past years we have studied frogs, snails and slugs; caterpillars, bugs and butterflies; birds, fish and crickets; a lizard and a snake or two. Things to see, things to make, things to take home. Join the fun!

### **Fun with Food for Kindergartners**

Instructor: Vicky Brodt

Community Center Kitchen

Wednesdays and Thursdays 11:30-1:00 (1 hour 30 minute class)

Grade: Kindergarten

Class Size: 6-7

Cost: Wednesdays: \$175 (materials included) 11 week session

Thursdays: \$175 (materials included) 11 week session

Have fun learning basic cooking skills, terms and concepts. Discover foods to

like. Learn the meanings of “knead,” “stir,” “whip,” and “sift,” while preparing a delicious nutritious snack! Learn about textures, smells and tastes. Have fun making pasta from scratch, your own pizza and a yummy corn muffin.

### **Games and Sports for Kindergartners**

Instructor: Kim Roots  
Community Center and Adjoining Grassy Area  
Fridays 11:30-1:00 (1 hour 30 minute class)  
Grade: Kindergarten  
Class Size: 6-8  
Cost: \$150 (equipment included) 9 week session

Sports are a wonderful way to be active, to learn to be part of a team, to gain confidence in your physical abilities, and to have fun. These young athletes will play a variety of games to learn the basic skills of team and individual sports. Proper supervision will assure safe play and the emphasis will be on cooperation and good sportsmanship.

### **Mandarin for Kindergartners**

Instructor: Xinrong Wang Searcy  
Recreation Building Room A  
Tuesdays 11:30-1:00 (1 hour 30 minute class)  
Grade: Kindergarten  
Class Size: 6-7  
Cost: \$185 (materials included) 12 week session  
Grade: Kindergarten

Kindergartners can get to know some Chinese culture. The instructor will teach through fun interactive activities such as storytelling, singing and game playing in a group. Students learn basic listening and conversation in Mandarin by introducing themselves to the others, greetings, counting, making phone calls, talking about school, weather and holidays, etc. Students will be able to write some Chinese words.

### **Singing Together for Kindergartners**

Instructor: Sarah Torney  
Recreation Building Room C  
Fridays 11:30-1:00 (1 hour 30 minute class)  
Grade: Kindergarten  
Class size: 6-7  
Cost: \$140 (materials included) 9 week session

Everybody has a built-in instrument: their voice! This fun new class will introduce children to their own sound through songs, rhythm and melodies. Each student will get their own song book, and we will add percussion and other instruments to the mix. Sarah will accompany the singing with guitar or keyboard.

### **Tennis for Kindergartners**

Instructor: Kim Roots  
Tennis Courts (Community Center Main Room on rainy days)

**Mondays 11:30-1:00 (1 hour 30 minute class)**  
**Grade: Kindergarten**  
**Class Size: 6-8**  
**Cost: \$200 12 week session**

In this fun and active class, young tennis students are taught the basics of tennis in a fun environment that emphasizes lots of movement and hand-eye coordination. Cooperation and sportsmanship are always emphasized. New and used rackets are available to borrow.

### **Yoga For Kindergartners**

**Instructor: Lisa Klein**  
**Community Center Main Room**  
**Mondays 11:30-1:00 (1 hour 30 minute class)**  
**Grade: Kindergarten**  
**Class Size: 6-7**  
**Cost: \$170 12 week session**

Lisa's yoga classes are fun, creative classes for kids to enjoy, explore and learn yoga while just being kids. Yoga classes will help kids and adults develop their flexibility, strength, breathing, body awareness and mindfulness. As students stretch their bodies, they will also stretch their imaginations, cooperation and focus skills in a playful, safe environment. These lively classes includes asana and creative movement, often woven into stories; interactive games; and peaceful moments. Come and play!

### **Yoga For Kindergartners**

**Instructor: Catherine "Cricket" Johnson**  
**Community Center Room CC1**  
**Fridays 11:30-1:00 (1 hour 30 minute class)**  
**Grade: Kindergarten**  
**Class Size: 6-7**  
**Cost: \$135 9 week session**

In this class we will have fun playing awareness games, stretching, breathing, chanting and learning about yoga together. Subjects we will explore include: What is meditation? What is a guru? What are emotions? What does yoga mean? Mostly we will have a lot of fun. To demonstrate how bodies work, we will create stethoscopes so we can listen to our hearts, and make models of our arms with cardboard tubes and balloons to show how opposing muscle groups make movement possible throughout our bodies.

## **CLASSES FOR GRADES 1-6**

**(in alphabetical order)**

### **Fall 2011**

Note: Class names followed by an "A" are generally for grades 1-3. Those followed by a "B" are generally for grades 4-6, with some exceptions.

## **Carpentry A**

Instructor: Sandy Thacker

Recreation Building Room B

Grades 1-3

Tuesdays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Wednesdays 1:50-3:05 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Class Size: 7-8

Cost: Tuesdays: \$200 (materials included) 12 week session

Wednesdays: \$185 (materials included) 11 week session

There's magic in creating something from nothing. You see something you really like, but instead of buying it, you make it yourself. Along the way, you learn new skills, the safe use of a variety of tools, and some practical math. When your project is completed, whether it's a paddle boat, a marble maze, a birdhouse, a xylophone, or another item you come up with, it's a great feeling to take it home to play with and use, or give as a special gift.

## **Carpentry Workshop**

Instructor: Sandy Thacker

Recreation Building Room B

Tuesdays 3:45-5:00 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Wednesdays 3:10-4:25 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-6

Class Size: 6-8

Cost: Tuesdays \$200 (materials included) 12 week session

Wednesdays \$185 (materials included) 11 week session

There is a great satisfaction in working with wood. As you get older and more adept at working with tools, you can also expand your skills by creating more complex and creative projects, sometimes working from your own designs. When you finish a project, whether it's a pinball machine, a pool table, a xylophone, a stool, a bookshelf, or something else you decide to make, it's a special feeling to know that you made it yourself to use or to give as a wonderful present to family or friends.

## **Chorus A**

Instructor: Sarah Torney

Recreation Building Room C

Fridays 2:25-3:45 (1 hour 20 minute class)

Grades 1-3

Class size: 6-10

Cost: \$135 (materials provided) 9 week session

All around the world children love to make music and sing together. An introduction to music at an early age will help develop listening and memory skills, vocabulary, imagination, coordination and self confidence. In this class, children will learn to use their voices while exploring tones, rhythms, volume and pitch. We will build a song book that will be taken home at the end of the session, to share and enjoy for years to come.



## **Cooking A**

Instructor: Vicky Brodt

Community Center Kitchen

Wednesdays 1:50-3:05 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-3

Class size: 6-8

Cost: \$165 (materials provided) 11 week session

This is a basic cooking class that teaches cooking skills and vocabulary, with a little measure of math, a sprinkling of social studies, a good portion of science, and a large measure of fun. Kids will enjoy making and eating many international dishes, seasonal recipes, and fun creations.

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Instructor: Vicky Brodt

Community Center Kitchen

Wednesdays 3:10-4:25 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-6

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## **Crafts: Let's Get Crafting!**

Instructor: Vicky Brodt

Recreation Building Room C

Thursdays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class) Grades 1-3

Thursdays 2:45-3:40 (55 minute class) Grades 4-6

Grades 1-6

Class size: 6-8

Cost: \$165 (materials provided) 11 week session Grades 1-3

\$150 (materials provided) 11 week session Grades 4-6

Come make craft projects that could include: mosaic stepping stones, handmade journals, no-sew fabric projects and lots more. Older and more experienced students will be able to make more elaborate and complicated projects.

## **Creative Drama A New class!!!**

Instructor: Lisa Klein

Community Center Room 1

Mondays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-3

Class Size: 6-12

Cost: \$170 (materials provided) 12 week session

This class is a great introduction to creative play, writing and improvisation through theatre games and storytelling. Creative play can help young people gain confidence to speak up in different situations. This class is designed to inspire children to get to know the different aspects of their unique and individual self while working with an ensemble.

### **Creative Drama New class!!!**

Instructor: Lisa Klein

Community Center Room 1

Mondays 3:45-5:00 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 3-6

Class Size: 6-12

Cost: \$170 (materials provided) 12 week session

Students will learn the basics of acting, storytelling and improvisation. They'll have fun in scenes and ensemble work, using a range of theatre techniques to explore comedy, fantasy and issues they face in their everyday lives. Physical theatre and movement abounds! The class allows students to find their inner voice and develop their confidence, communication and teamwork skills.

### **Discovering Poetry B New class!!!**

Instructor: Amy Torgeson

Recreation Building Room C

Tuesdays: 2:45-3:40 (55 minute class)

Grades 4-6

Class Size: 6-10

Cost: \$145 (materials provided) 12 week session

This class offers a supportive environment for both the enthusiastic and reluctant writer. Students will be introduced to the basic craft elements of poetry, with an emphasis on the creative process. Students learn how to come up with ideas, translate those ideas into words, and see what may be discovered about the world and themselves along the way. At the end of the session, students will share their work in an informal setting with family and friends, and each student will go home with a journal of their work.

### **Discovering Poetry New class!!!**

Instructor: Amy Torgeson

Recreation Building Room C

Tuesdays: 3:45-4:45 (1 hour class)

Grades 3-6

Class Size 6-10

Cost: \$145 (materials provided) 12 week session

This class offers a supportive environment for both the enthusiastic and reluctant writer. Students will be introduced to the basic craft elements of poetry, with an emphasis on the creative process. Students learn how to come up with ideas, translate those ideas into words, and see what may be discovered about the world and themselves along the way. At the end of the session, students will share their work in an informal setting with family and friends, and each student will go home with a journal of their work.

### **Dynamic Engineering**

**(see Workshop for Young Engineers)**

### **Everyday Art**

Instructor: Carolyn Holm

Recreation Building Room B

Mondays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class) Grades 2-3

**Mondays 2:45-3:40 (55 minute class) Grades 4-6**

**Grades 2-6**

**NOTE: First graders find this class to be a bit of a challenge. We want art to be fun, not frustrating, so the minimum age for Everyday Art is second grade.**

**Class Size: 7-8**

**Cost: \$160 (materials included) Grades 2-3 12 week session**

**\$150 (materials included) Grades 4-6 12 week session**

**Drawing and painting, collage and printing, sculpture and color theory - this class is about all kinds of art! And it's not just for the "good drawers". Of course kids who are already confident about their art skills will love the class, but so will those who are not so confident. Students work individually, at their own level, interpreting the projects according to their own development, and every student comes away from the class with the glow of accomplishment and a growing confidence.**

### **Golf A For Grades 1-3 New Class!!!**

**Instructor: Aida Wong**

**Recreation Building Field (Recreation Building Room A on rainy days)**

**Fridays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class)**

**Grades 1-3**

**Class size: 6-8**

**Cost: \$135 (equipment provided) 9 week session**

**"BirdieBall" golf is a PGA-award winning training method designed to teach children the basics of golf without going to a driving range or golf course. Children use real golf clubs and are taught the fundamentals of golf: safety, swing, stance and grip. The ball used in class hits and flies exactly like a real golf ball except it travels a maximum of 40 yards, enabling practice on our grassy area.**

### **Golf B For Grades 4-6**

**Instructor: Aida Wong**

**Recreation Building Field (Recreation Building Room A on rainy days)**

**Fridays 3:45-4:45 (1 hour class)**

**Grades 4-6**

**Class size: 6-8**

**Cost: \$125 (equipment provided) 9 week session**

**"BirdieBall" golf is a PGA-award winning training method designed to teach children the basics of golf without going to a driving range or golf course. Children use real golf clubs and are taught the fundamentals of golf: safety, swing, stance and grip. The ball used in class hits and flies exactly like a real golf ball except it travels a maximum of 40 yards, enabling practice on our grassy area**

### **Hip Hop Dance**

**Instructor: Tati Argue**

**Community Center Main Room**

**Thursdays 2:45-3:40 (55 minute class)**

**(3<sup>rd</sup> grade parents, note that class starts at 2:45)**

**Grades 3-6**

**Class size: 6-10**

**Cost: \$160 (materials included) 11 week session**

**Hip Hop derives its traditions from the street and is by nature an improvisational**

and personally expressive dance form. In the class, we will focus on dance fundamentals but mostly on having fun—learning the basics while gaining confidence in our own creative impulses. Classes include warm up and stretching, isolations, fundamentals and technique of dance (time, 8-count phrasing, positions, levels, weight shift), movement games, choreography and cool down. Wear loose or stretchy clothes, a sweatshirt or warm top in cold weather, and athletic or dance shoes (no sandals, slip-ons or hard-soled shoes). Bring a water bottle.

### **Jewelry Making B New class!!!**

Instructor: Shelly Cournoyer  
Recreation Building Room A  
Wednesdays 2:10-3:05 (55 minute class)  
Grades 4-6

Class Size: 6-8

Cost: \$145 (materials included) 11 week session

Students learn to create their own one-of-a-kind jewelry while building individuality and self confidence. They will work with basic hand tools (hammers, punches, pliers, etc.) for the creation of earrings, necklaces, bracelets and pins. Some projects will include a design (drawing) phase, while others will encourage students to work directly as an intuitive process. The materials students will work with may include: metal, beads, wood, plastics, yarn/hemp twine, shells and recycled/found forms.

### **Jewelry Making New class!!!**

Instructor: Shelly Cournoyer  
Community Center Main Room  
Wednesdays 3:10-4:25 (1 hour 15 minute class)  
Grades 3-6

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### **Keyboard A**

Instructor: Jan Jones  
Recreation Building Room C  
Mondays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class)  
Grades 1-3

Class size: 5-7

Cost: \$185 (sheet music and workbook materials provided) 12 week session

Students must provide their own keyboard.

Beginners and continuing keyboard students are welcome in this basic class. Students will learn to read notes and play familiar songs. Each student in the class will get a short, individual lesson, while the other students are working with

music related materials. This class teaches fledgling musicians basic rhythm and note reading, thus providing a good foundation for piano as well as other instruments. Books, worksheets, music stands and art materials will be provided. Students must provide their own electronic keyboard with the following capabilities: mid-size keys (full size okay, mini-size not); polyphonic (plays at least 3 notes at a time) ; battery operated. Students will need to bring keyboards to and from class. A good small keyboard for the keyboard class is a Casio SA 75. They are sold at Music Works in El Cerrito and sometimes at Toys R Us.

### ***Mandarin, Beginning for Grades 1-3***

Instructor: Xinrong Wang Searcy

Recreation Building Room A

Mondays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-3

Class size: 6-7

Cost: Mondays \$175 (materials included) 12 week session

Students can get to know some Chinese culture and develop an interest in Chinese literature. Students will learn basic listening and conversation in Mandarin; for example, introducing themselves, greetings, counting, making phone calls, talking about school, the weather and holidays, etc. Instructor will read original literature and explain its meaning to students. Students will learn to write some Chinese words. The instructor will also teach poems and calligraphy.

### ***Mandarin, Intermediate for Grades 1-3***

Instructor: Xinrong Wang Searcy

Recreation Building Room A

Tuesdays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-3

Class size: 6-7

Cost: Mondays \$175 (materials included) 12 week session

This class is for students who have already finished the beginning Mandarin class. During each class, there will be four aspects of learning Mandarin, as follows: listening, speaking, reading and writing. The students will understand and speak some Chinese sentences; sing some Chinese songs; recite children rhymes and poems; acquire knowledge of Chinese characters including writing basic strokes; gain an understanding of Chinese culture. The instructor will also teach calligraphy.

### ***Mandarin, Advanced for Grades 1-6***

Instructor: Xinrong Wang Searcy

Recreation Building Room A

Mondays 3:45-5:00 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Tuesdays 3:45-5:00 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-6

Class size: 6-8

Cost: Mondays \$175 (materials included) 12 week session

Tuesdays \$175 (materials included) 12 week session

This class is for students who have already finished the intermediate Mandarin or have learned Mandarin before. The class will focus on increasing vocabulary, learning to write more Chinese characters and reading original literature, history

and art. The instructor will guide the students to improve their listening, speaking, reading and writing skills. New vocabulary will be learned from each reading assignment. The instructor will also teach poems and calligraphy. Students may take one or both classes.

### **Pottery A**

Instructor: Chris Lack

Recreation Building Room B

Thursdays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class) Grades 1-3

Thursdays 2:45-3:40 (55 minute class) Grade 4

Grades 1-4

Class Size: 7-9

Cost: Grades 1-3 \$180 (materials included) 11 week session

Grade 4 \$170 (materials included) 11 week session

Chris has been teaching and working with the medium of clay for quite awhile. He enjoys helping students of all ages and levels “get their hands into the clay” and let their creativity flow. Pottery making takes many forms – from pots to sculpture, beads to fountains. Students gain a knowledge and a sense of the sculpting process, hand skills, and the enjoyment of working with clay.

### **Pottery Workshop**

Instructor: Chris Lack

Recreation Building Room B

Thursdays 3:45-5:00 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-6

Class Size: 7-9

Cost: \$180 (materials included) 11 week session

As students gain confidence in working with clay, they are encouraged to use their own ideas and creativity in making more complex and more intricate projects. Pottery making takes many forms – from pots to sculpture, beads to fountains. Students learn new techniques and skills, while enjoying both the process and the results of their work.

### **Recorder**

Instructor: Jane Webber

Community Center Room 2

Wednesdays 1:50-3:05 (1 hour 15 minute class) Grades 2-3

Wednesdays 2:10-3:05 (55 minute class) Grades 4-6

Grades 2-6

Class Size: 5-7

Cost: Grades 2-3 \$210 (recorders and other materials provided) 11 week session

Grades 4-6 \$190 (recorders and other materials provided) 11 week session

Come learn to play the recorder! Recorder is a wonderful way to introduce music into a child’s life, and can be a stepping stone to the study of more complex instruments later on. Beginning students will learn basic fingerings and note-reading, and will begin playing simple tunes from the very first class. As students advance, more sophisticated techniques and music will be presented. All levels are welcome, as each student will be given individual instruction tailored to his or her unique needs and learning style.

### **Serendipity for Girls in Grades 3-4**

Instructor: Catherine "Cricket" Johnson

Community Center Room 2

Tuesdays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class) Grade 3

Tuesdays 2:45-3:40 (55 minute class) Grade 4

Grades 3-4

Class size: 6-10

Cost: \$175 (materials included) 12 week session Grade 3

\$160 (materials included) 12 week session Grade 4

Wikipedia defines Serendipity as a propensity for making fortunate discoveries while looking for something unrelated. In this class we will talk about inspiration and make art. We will journal and craft, play and talk. The projects we engage with will depend on the collective interests of the class.

### **Serendipity for Girls in Grades 5-6**

Instructor: Catherine "Cricket" Johnson

Community Center Room 1

Wednesdays 2:10-3:05 (55 minute class)

Grades 5-6

Class size: 6-10

Cost: \$150 (materials included) 11 week session

Wikipedia defines Serendipity as a propensity for making fortunate discoveries while looking for something unrelated. In this class we will talk about inspiration and make art. We will journal and craft, play and talk. The projects we engage with will depend on the collective interests of the class.

### **Sewing A**

Instructor: Lynn Crook

Recreation Building Room C

Wednesdays 1:50-3:05 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-3

Class Size: 7-8

Cost: \$180 (materials included) 11 week session

Join in the fun of sewing! In this class, kids learn basic hand sewing skills as they make small items such as bookmarks, coin purses, and puppets. Returning students who have more skills can sew items like small balls, little quilts, and even stuffed teddy bears. There are always new projects for each session.

### **Sewing B and Beyond**

Instructor: Lynn Crook

Recreation Building Room C

Wednesdays 3:10-4:25 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 4-6 (and 3<sup>rd</sup> graders who have previously taken sewing class)

Class Size: 7-8

Cost: \$180 (materials included) 11 week session

In this class, boys and girls learn how to use a sewing machine. This ability makes it possible to create larger items like pillows, drawstring bags, totes, and quilts of all sizes. Juggling bags, balls, and even stuffed chickens can appear by the end of a session. Great ideas become beloved creations.

## **Soccer & Basketball**

Instructor: Kim Roots

Playing Field next to Recreation Building and Basketball Courts  
(Community Center Room 1 on rainy days)

Tuesdays 3:45-4:45 (1 hour class)

Grades 3-6

Class Size: 7-12

Cost: \$150 (equipment provided) 12 week session

Come join the fun playing two great sports, soccer and basketball. Want to learn more soccer and basketball skills while playing with friends and having fun? This class is just for you. We will learn basic fundamental skills in a fun and supportive environment. Learn ball handling skills while developing an understanding for each game and its strategy. You're sure to pick up new skills that you can use on or off the field and court.

## **Sports A**

Instructor: Kim Roots

Playing Field next to Recreation Building (Community Center Room 1 on rainy days)

Tuesdays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-3

Class Size: 7-12

Cost: \$165 (equipment provided) 12 week session

A unique opportunity for boys and girls to learn and understand the basics of many popular sports, including soccer, basketball, kickball, and tag games. The class will include the challenge of learning cooperation in large group games as well as the creativity of making up games, all in a warm and active environment. Please note that the class will meet in the Community Center Room 1 on rainy days.

## **Sports B**

Instructors: Kim Roots

Playing Field next to Recreation Building (Community Center Main Room on rainy days) Wednesdays 1:50-3:05 (1 hour 15 minute class) Grades 2-3

Wednesdays 2:10-3:05 (55 minute class) Grade 4-5

Grades 2-5

Class Size: 7-12

Cost: Grades 2-3 \$155 (equipment provided) 11 week session

Grade 4-5 \$140 (equipment provided) 11 week session

A unique opportunity for boys and girls to learn and understand the basics of many popular sports, including soccer, baseball, basketball, kickball, and track & field. The class will include the challenge of learning cooperation in large group games as well as the creativity of making up games, all in a warm and active environment. Please note that the class will meet in the Community Center Main Room on rainy days.

## **Sports C**

Instructor: Kim Roots

Playing Field next to Recreation Building (Community Center Room 2 on rainy days)



Thursdays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class) Grade 3

Thursdays 2:45-3:40 (55 minute class) Grades 4-6

Grades 3-6

Class Size: 7-12

Cost: Grade 3 \$155 (equipment provided) 11 week session

Grade 4-6 \$140 (equipment provided) 11 week session

In this class for the upper grades, kids will learn more advanced skills in a variety of popular sports, including soccer, baseball, basketball, kickball, and track and field. The prime objectives are that students have fun and learn to respect fellow classmates. Please note that the class will meet in Room 1 in the Community Center on rainy days.

### **Beginning and Intermediate Tennis for Grades 1-4**

Instructor: Kim Roots

Tennis Courts (Community Center Room 2 on rainy days)

Mondays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class) Grades 1-3

Mondays 2:45-3:40 (55 minute class) Grade 4

Grades: 1-4

Class Size: 7-8

Cost: Grades 1-3 \$170 12 week session

Grade 4 \$155 12 week session

### **Advanced Tennis for Grades 3-6**

Instructor: Kim Roots

Tennis Courts (Community Center Main Room on rainy days)

Mondays 3:45-4:45 (1 hour class class)

Grades: 3-6

Class Size: 7-8

Cost: \$140 12 week session

### **Beginning and Intermediate Tennis for Grades 2-6**

Instructor: Kim Roots

Tennis Courts (Community Center Main Room on rainy days)

Wednesdays 3:10-4:25 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades: 2-6

Class Size: 7-8

Cost: \$155 11 week session

### **Beginning Tennis for Grades 1-4**

Instructor: Kim Roots

Tennis Courts (Recreation Building Room B on rainy days)

Fridays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class) Grades 1-3

Fridays 2:45-3:40 (55 minute class) Grade 4

Grades 1-4

Class Size: 7-8

Cost: Grades 1-3 \$130 9 week session

Grades 4 \$120 9 week session

## **Intermediate Tennis for Grades 3-6**

Instructor: Kim Roots

Tennis Courts (Community Center Main Room on rainy days)

Fridays 3:45-4:45 (1 hour class)

Grades 3-6 (2<sup>nd</sup> graders with permission of instructor)

Class Size: 7-8

Cost: \$105 9 week session

## **Workshop for Young Engineers A**

Instructor: Lance Akiyama

Recreation Building Room A

Thursdays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-3

Class size: 6-8

Cost: \$160 (materials provided) 11 week session

Constructing hands-on projects with exciting goals can engage your whole world. That feeling of being totally involved with building something from nothing is the powerful drive behind this class. Craft wood makes up the bulk of the materials, but students also use wheels, propellers, and much more to build things like rockets, bridges, and roller coasters. Each class begins with a short lecture and simple guidelines, but the students are given free range of resources to accomplish their most ambitious designs. The best part is that students get to take their projects home! This isn't a Lego camp – it's better. Visit [www.TheWYE.com](http://www.TheWYE.com) for detailed information and photos.

## **Workshop for Young Engineers B**

Instructor: Lance Akiyama

Recreation Building Room A

Thursdays 3:45-5:00 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 4-6

Class size: 6-8

Cost: \$160 (materials provided) 11 week session

You can call this a class, but make no mistake! This is not a classroom, but a space for you to feely construct feats of engineering that will awe your friends and parents alike. Each class begins with some valuable engineering ideas presented by the teacher. Most of the time you will be building, experimenting, and redesigning your project. This is not a Lego camp. Everything is built from scratch using craft wood, hot glue, wheels, rubber bands, and a whole lot more. Ambitious projects like propeller powered cars, medieval-style catapults, and even hydraulic robots are just a few of the true-to-life things you'll be constructing. And yes, you get to keep whatever you make! Visit [www.TheWYE.com](http://www.TheWYE.com) for detailed information and photos.

## **Yoga A**

Instructor: Catherine "Cricket" Johnson

Community Center Room 1

Thursdays 2:25-3:40 (1 hour 15 minute class)

Grades 1-3

Class Size: 6-8

Cost: \$155 (materials included) 11 week session

In this class we will have fun playing awareness games, stretching, breathing, chanting and learning about yoga together. Subjects we will explore include: What is meditation? What is a guru? What are emotions? What does yoga mean? Mostly we will have a lot of fun. To demonstrate how bodies work, we will create stethoscopes so we can listen to our hearts, and make models of our arms with cardboard tubes and balloons to show how opposing muscle groups make movement possible throughout our bodies.

## **Yoga B**

**Instructor: Catherine "Cricket" Johnson**

**Community Center Room 1**

**Fridays 2:45-3:40 (55 minute class)**

**Grades: 4-6**

**Class Size: 6-10**

**Cost: \$115 9 week session**

In this class we will have fun playing awareness games, stretching, breathing, chanting and learning about yoga together. Subjects we will explore include: What is meditation? What is a guru? What are emotions? What does yoga mean? Mostly we will have a lot of fun. To demonstrate how bodies work, we will create stethoscopes so we can listen to our hearts, and make models of our arms with cardboard tubes and balloons to show how opposing muscle groups make movement possible throughout our bodies.