

# **Mankato Area Public Schools' Community Education & Recreation**

---

## **Fall 2019**

**September – December**

**Youth Brochure**



**Assuring learning excellence and readiness for  
a changing world by providing programming  
to reach all, teach all, and include all.**

**[mankatocer.com](http://mankatocer.com)**

# Community Education & Recreation

FALL 2019



## *Outstanding Community Leader*

Drew Campbell

## *Outstanding Parent Volunteers*

Kelli Hanson Magnuson & Ayan Musse

## *Outstanding Youth*

Marit Nelson, Megan Hiniker & Timothy Cain

## *Outstanding Youth*

Dejanae I. Hampton & Tristan Altenburg

## *Outstanding Youth Advisor*

Kelly Firkins

## *Outstanding Educator*

Jen Grosland

## *Outstanding Youth Worker*

Ron Flynn

## *Outstanding Youth Organization*

Darby's Dancers



Congratulations to our 2019 Spirit Of Youth (SOY) honorees. This award is presented annually and is sponsored by the Mankato Area Public Schools' Community Education & Recreation Department Advisory Council. Nominations for the 2020 Spirit Of Youth Awards will open in January 2020 and close on March 2, 2020. See our winter seasonal brochure or our website at [www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com) for more information and an application. The 2020 honorees will be celebrated at a public ceremony at Lincoln Community Center on Wednesday, May 27, 2020 beginning at 6:00 p.m.

## TABLE OF CONTENTS:

<b>Family Academy</b> .....	3
<b>Volunteer Information/Awards</b> .....	4
<b>Early Learning</b> .....	5
<b>ACES</b> School Age Child Care .....	6
<b>Youth Enrichment</b>	
Middle School After School .....	7
Creative You .....	8-9
Theater .....	10
Music .....	10
Skills Development .....	11
Science .....	11
Personal Safety .....	12
Academic .....	12
<b>Recreation</b>	
Youth Activities & Sports .....	13-14
All Seasons Arena .....	15
Aquatics .....	16-17
Adult	
Leagues – Winter Basketball .....	18
Social Pickleball .....	18
Leagues – Winter Soccer .....	18
Leagues – Winter Volleyball .....	19
Social Volleyball .....	19
Golf Simulator/ Golf Simulator Leagues .....	19
Golf Lessons .....	19
Wellness .....	20
<b>Adult Enrichment</b>	
Creative You .....	21-24
Money Matters .....	24-25
Digital .....	26
General Interest .....	26-27
Older Adult Trips & Tours .....	27-28
<b>ACCESS</b> (programs for individuals with disabilities) .....	29
<b>Adult Basic Education</b> .....	30
<b>Paid Advertisements</b> .....	31-37
<b>Contact Information</b> .....	38
<b>Registration and Participation Information</b> .....	39
<b>FastTRACK Program</b> .....	40



Located at  
Lincoln  
Community  
Center

## FAMILY COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

### Mankato Area Public Schools' **Family Academy** Monday, September 16, 2019

**4:45–5:30 PM:**

Registration and meal

**5:30–6:30 PM:**

**Social/Emotional Development (Birth-8 years)**

*Presented by: Katti Hurley, Parent and Family Educator*

Come and learn what you can do to promote the positive social and emotional development of your early learner. Find out why this is important for your child's overall development and readiness to learn.

**Relationships/Sexual Health and Your Student (6-12th grade)**

*Presented by: Kate Cox, LICSW, Clinical Social Worker, Program Director for Project for Teens*

Come and join Kate Cox to learn and discuss how to more effectively open the conversation with your teenager about relationships and sexual health in an age appropriate way.

**Are You New to Mankato Area Public Schools? Here's What You Need to Know (K-12th grade)**

*Presented by: District Leadership Team staff members*

Join District Leadership Team staff for this session to learn what a parent/teacher organization is and how to become involved. You will also learn about support services available to your student and family including school psychologists, counselors and social workers. The availability of school health services, mental health and crisis support and a chemical dependency counselor will also be covered.

**6:40–7:40 PM:**

**Understanding High Ability Children: An Overview of Needs, Resources, and Strategies (K-8th grade)**

*Presented by: Dr. Tania Lyon, Talent Development Coordinator*

Parenting and educating high ability children comes with its own set of challenges. This session overviews some of the issues facing high ability students, such as perfectionism, anxiety, underachievement, and motivational concerns. This session will also include an overview of resources and strategies that may help families.

**Stress and Your Student (6th-12th grade)**

*Presented by: Dr. Samantha Steinman, Coordinator of Secondary Special Education*

In this session, attendees will learn about the warning signs of depression and stress and the impact of depression and stress on student achievement. Attendees will gain knowledge about resources in both the community and school settings as well as specific strategies to support your student.



To register: Go to **isd77.org** and click on **Connect** and then on **Family Academy**, or call **507-387-5501**.

**Food &  
Childcare  
Provided!**



**Family & Community Engagement**  
**507-387-5501**  
**atrol1@isd77.k12.mn.us**

## COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER AWARDS

### The Family & Community Engagement Office Announces 2019 Outstanding Volunteer Award Recipients:

The 2019 Outstanding Volunteer Award recognizes exceptional volunteers who engage through Mankato Area Public Schools' classrooms and programming.



Mary Hall



Neil Schuette



Scott Carlisle



Kathy Dierks



Barb Lindholm



Virginia Carr



Ahmed(Jaffer)  
Mohamud



*Many Thanks to all of our amazing volunteers!*

### MANKATO AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS' COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

Help extend the resources of Mankato Area Public Schools and support the education of today's youth while giving back to the community, interacting with children, learning new skills, networking in the district and meeting new people.

#### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES INCLUDE:

- reading and math tutors
- resource room tutors
- clerical volunteers
- special event volunteers
- classroom grandparents
- classroom speakers
- AVID tutors
- school-based mentors
- adult EL volunteers

#### WANT TO LEARN MORE?

**Call: (507) 387-5501**

**Email: [volunteer@isd77.org](mailto:volunteer@isd77.org)**

**Visit: [isd77.org](http://isd77.org) and click on Get Involved**

**Come  
Volunteer  
Today!**





### ECFE

Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) is a Mankato Area Public Schools' program that provides parenting information and support to families prenatal and children ages birth to five years. A variety of classes, preschool options and outreach activities are offered for all age groups.

Most ECFE classes follow a similar format. A half hour of parent/child activities is followed by an hour for parents to meet in a separate area to discuss common concerns and experiences while their children participate in an early childhood classroom. School readiness skills and activities are an important part of all programming. For detailed class descriptions, please visit us at [www.mankatoecfe.org](http://www.mankatoecfe.org).

**Online & walk-in registration begins Monday, August 12. For more information and detailed class descriptions, visit us online at [www.mankatoecfe.org](http://www.mankatoecfe.org) or call our office at (507) 625-4620.**

### FAMILY LEARNING CENTER

820 Hubbell Ave.  
Mankato, Minnesota 56001  
Telephone: (507) 625-4620  
Website: [www.mankatoecfe.org](http://www.mankatoecfe.org)



### READY! FOR KINDERGARTEN

**Ready! For Kindergarten** is a parent education program whose goal is to honor the parent as the child's first and most influential teacher. Classes are held three times each year (Fall, Winter and Spring) for parents of children ages birth to school entrance. Parents/caregivers/grandparents register for classes based on the year the child will enter Kindergarten. Participants receive current brain research, child development information and a set of learning tools for fun and learning at home. **For registration information and class schedule, please see the early education brochure mailed to area families in August.**



### Early Childhood Screening

**Best done at age 3**

Required in Minnesota before entrance to public school Kindergarten.

**Screening is FREE** The early childhood years are an important time of rapid learning and growth.

Early Childhood Screening is a check of how your child is growing and developing. Between the ages of 3 and 4, screening can detect possible health or learning concerns, so that children can get help before they start school.

Information online at [www.mankatoecfe.org](http://www.mankatoecfe.org)

**Questions?** or to schedule an appointment, call (507) 387-2125



### HOME VISITING

Our Early Childhood Family Education Home Visit program is designed to provide individual support to expectant parents and parents of children ages 0-5. Home visits are conducted by a licensed parent educator to help support parents in their role as the first and most important teacher of their child. Parents will gain an understanding of child development and age-appropriate behaviors, and receive support with other parenting joys and challenges. For questions and to schedule an appointment with a home visitor, call the Early Learning Department at (507) 625-4620.



## HELP PREPARE YOUR CHILD FOR SCHOOL AND LIFE. REGISTER FOR MANKATO AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS' PRESCHOOL.

Mankato Area Public Schools' Preschool program can help children transition to Kindergarten by providing a learning environment to help them succeed.

The program:

- has a four-star rating from \*Parent Aware which notes Mankato Area Public Schools' Preschool is committed to providing quality education for preparing children for Kindergarten.
- aligns with Mankato Area Public Schools' practices.
- provides a high staff to student ratio.
- encourages parent involvement because it's an important part of the District's preschool program and is key to children's learning success.
- offers morning and afternoon classes at multiple sites.

\*Parent Aware is a rating system through the Minnesota Department of Human Services in collaboration with the Minnesota Department of Education



Registration is easy.

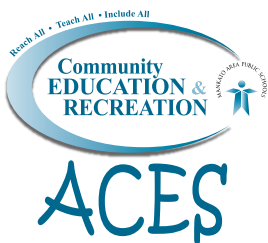
Simply register online at [mankatoecfe.org](http://mankatoecfe.org);  
call 507-625-4620 or go to Early Learning office at  
The Family Learning Center, 820 Hubbell Avenue.

Assuring learning excellence and readiness for a changing world.

[isd77.org](http://isd77.org)

**507-625-4620**

## SCHOOL AGE CHILD CARE



ACES School Age Care Program offers multiple convenient locations for families throughout the Mankato Area Public Schools service area. ACES has consistent hours, opening at 6:30 a.m. and closing at 6:00 p.m., offering families the option for quality care for their child(ren) before school, after school, and all

day on non-school days and during the summer. ACES serves students enrolled in kindergarten through fifth grade.

ACES offers age-appropriate activities including, but not limited to, outside play, team building games, homework and reading, arts and crafts, stem activities, technology and MORE!

ACES locations are Certified Child Care Centers under the Department of Human Services, subject to the standards of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 245H.

### HOW TO REGISTER

Register online at [mankato.ce.eleyo.com](http://mankato.ce.eleyo.com). Registrations will not be accepted by phone, fax or email. **Registration will close when maximum site numbers are reached, or on the registration deadline.** For more information, contact the ACES Billing Office at (507) 387-5501, or visit our website at [mankatocer.com](http://mankatocer.com).

### 2019–2020 SCHOOL YEAR

**September 5, 2019–June 4, 2020**

**All MAPS Elementary Schools offer before and after school care.**

#### Before School Care

Program operates 6:30 a.m. until school starts. Breakfast is offered through School District Meal Plan. Sites must have a minimum of 10 children registered in the morning to offer before school care.

#### After School Care

Program operates after school until 6:00 p.m. Optional afternoon snack provided by ACES.

#### Non-School Days

ACES offers all day care on scheduled non-school days. Care will be offered at Monroe Elementary and Rosa Parks Elementary.

### 2020 SUMMER

**June 11, 2020–August 21, 2020**

#### Summer Registration Dates

**Priority Families:** March 4–8, 2020

*Priority registration includes families with a current contract with ACES and families that had a contract with ACES for 2019 Summer.*

**All MAPS Families:** March 11–15, 2020

**Out-of-District Families:** March 18, 2020

Program operates 6:30 a.m.–6:00 p.m. at select locations. Breakfast, lunch and afternoon snack is included.





# Youth Enrichment

## MIDDLE SCHOOL AFTER SCHOOL

Middle school is a time to explore interests and get involved in school life—after school! Joining clubs and out-of-school time activities is a natural extension of the school day. Each club will be led by an activity coach or advisor. Each club will have goals and outcomes each quarter, such as (but not limited to): games, competitions, contests, showcase events, performances or service projects.

### **Clubs meet Monday – Thursday with the following schedule:**

3:00–3:45 p.m. – Check-in (snack provided) and Student Union\*

3:45–5:00 p.m. – Club time

5:00–5:15 p.m. – Student Union & Pick Up

Register by calling Community Education & Recreation at (507)387-5501 or register online at [www.mankato.thatscommunityed.com](http://www.mankato.thatscommunityed.com).

Additional information can be found at [www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com).

Quarter 2 Clubs: November 11, 2019–January 16, 2020

**Quarter 2 registration deadline: October 16, 2019**

\*Week of January 20–24 will be used as a club make-up week for possible weather related cancellations or instructor emergencies. Student Union will also be open.

### **\*STUDENT UNION**

The Student Union will feature a study lounge to complete homework, staff support & special events. Students participating in Middle School After School will have input on daily events related to the student union.

This is a drop-in service, offered Monday–Thursday from 3:00–5:15 p.m.

Enrolled in 1 or more clubs—no fee per quarter

Enrolled in 0 clubs—\$140 per quarter



# Youth Enrichment

## CREATIVE YOU

### BEGINNING POTTERY MINI CAMP

Katie Dick  
2 Sessions

We will work on basic throwing on the pottery wheel in this two-day camp. Beginners' skills will be focusing on wedging, centering, raising clay into pottery vessels, and why and how we glaze.

COURSE #: 5769f \$45  
Tue & Wed, Jan 7 & 8, 2020; 4–6 p.m. LCC-Rm 153

### TEXTURAL CLAY FORMS

Katie Dick  
1 Session

We will work with different “found objects” to add textures to clay vessels made on forms. Texture is a great way to dress up clay with simple techniques.

COURSE #: 5767f \$25  
Wed, Oct 9; 4:30–6 p.m. LCC-Rm 153

### CLAY HOLIDAY ORNAMENTS

Katie Dick  
1 Session

We will work with pretty textures to make beautiful ornaments for the Holidays. These will make for a nice keepsake or a thoughtful gift.

COURSE #: 5768f \$25  
Wed, Nov 20; 4:30–6 p.m. LCC-Rm 153



### BASIC DECORATING COOKIES AND CUPCAKES

Stephanie Johnston  
3 Sessions

Using quality decorating supplies and even some inexpensive “cheater” techniques, we will learn the basics of decorating cookies and cupcakes like a pro! Make the next birthday or special event in your life even “sweeter” with decorator tricks you can do at home. All it takes is some practice and creativity!

COURSE #: 4550f \$49  
Thu/Fri/Sat, Oct. 17–19; 9–11 a.m. LCC-Rm 152



**CANDY CANE LANE**  
**1 Session – Ages 2–12**  
The holiday season is here, and it is time to celebrate some fun traditions while making new memories. This holiday party is for children and families. Children and their parents can stroll from station to station, enjoying games, crafts, food, a candy cane scavenger hunt, music, and even a visit from Santa. We will use a punch card system as admission cost. Cost is **\$5.00** for 10 activity punches, and **\$10.00** for 20 activity punches. Punch cards are sold at the door. Concessions are priced separately.  
**COURSE #: 5807f**  
Sat, Dec 14; 1–4 p.m. Lincoln Community Center  
  
10 Activity Punches - **\$5**  
20 Activity Punches - **\$10**



## CREATIVE YOU

### PAINTING WITH RHONDA

Rhonda Johnson

**1 Session – Ages 5 & Up**

Do you have a child looking for a creative outlet? Join me for my Holiday painting classes!

Instructor Rhonda Johnson has been teaching painting classes to children of all ages in New Ulm for four years, and everyone always has a blast! Come and join in on the fun!

#### FALL FUN!

Make a fun and spooky painting.

COURSE #: 5750f                      \$35  
Tue, Oct 8; 6–8 p.m.                      LCC-Rm 152

#### GIVE THANKS!

Have fun making a festive Give Thanks creation.

COURSE #: 5751f                      \$35  
Tue, Nov 12; 6–8 p.m.                      LCC-Rm 152

#### SEASONS GREETINGS!

Create a great December painting that would be great for a Holiday decoration, or a wonderful handmade gift!

COURSE #: 5752f                      \$35  
Tue, Dec 10; 6–8 p.m.                      LCC-Rm 152



### WITCH'S BOOTS CANVAS PAINTING

Laura Doyen

**1 Session – Ages 8–12**

That pesky witch is at it again! Join us as we paint her boots and crazy Halloween stockings. You can add bubbles, spider webs, ghosts or goblins to the background. We will string the canvas with fun Halloween-themed ribbon once we have completed the painting so it can easily be hung on the wall. Class is held at Design & Wine, 300 Belgrade Ave, North Mankato.

COURSE #: 5717f                      \$25  
Sat, Oct 12; 10–11:30 a.m.                      Design & Wine

### ELF SHOES CANVAS PAINTING

Laura Doyen

**1 Session – Ages 8–12**

Those sneaky ELVES! Join us as we paint our favorite Elf's shoes and stockings. We will string the canvas with fun Christmas-themed ribbons once we have completed the painting so it can easily be hung on the wall. Class is held at Design & Wine, 300 Belgrade Ave, North Mankato.

COURSE #: 5718f                      \$25  
Sat, Nov 23; 10–11:30 a.m.                      Design & Wine

### GINGERBREAD HOUSE CANVAS PAINTING

Laura Doyen

**1 Session – Ages 8–12**

A gingerbread house that will last all year! Join us as we paint our very own gingerbread house and decorate it with any candy you can imagine. We will string the canvas with fun Holiday-themed ribbons once we have completed the painting so it can easily be hung on the wall. Class is held at Design & Wine, 300 Belgrade Ave, North Mankato.

COURSE #: 5719f                      \$25  
Sat, Dec 7; 10–11:30 a.m.                      Design & Wine



*will sponsor up to \$15 on most of the Community Education sessions for any eligible Ucare member at any participating school district across the state of Minnesota.*

# Youth Enrichment

## THEATER / MUSIC

### PRAIRIE FIRE CHILDREN'S THEATRE – A CHRISTMAS CAROL

Prairie Fire Children's Theatre Directors

**6 Sessions – Ages 7–14**

A holiday favorite, Prairie Fire's "A Christmas Carol" will return to Mankato in November 2019. This show is based on the classic Charles Dickens story.

On Monday of the rehearsal week, some of the actors will be dismissed after the audition that will end at approximately 5:30 p.m. On Tuesday, sectional rehearsals of 1.5–2 hours will be based on the schedule sent home on Monday. All registered actors will be on stage the entire rehearsal time on Wednesday and Thursday. On Friday, a light pizza supper will be served, and all students will stay until after the first public performance (approximately 8:30 p.m.). Two public shows are planned: one on Friday, November 22, at 7:00 p.m., and the other one on Saturday, November 23, at 1:00 p.m. Rehearsals and shows will be at East High School in the auditorium

**Rehearsals:** 3:30–7:45 p.m. (Monday–Thursday),  
3:30–8:30 p.m. (Friday) and 12:00–2:30 p.m. (Saturday)

**Show Times:** Friday, 7:00 p.m., and Saturday, 1:00 p.m.

**Cost:** \$50 per student

**Tech Crew:** 3:30–7:45 p.m. (Wednesday & Thursday),  
3:30–8:30 p.m. (Friday); (includes show time) and  
12:00–2:30 p.m. (Saturday)

**Cost:** \$3 per student

Please visit our website  
[www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com) for  
detailed class schedule.



### DRAMA KIDS

Ray Smart, Claire DesLauriers, Ryan Fiest

**4, 9 or 12 Sessions – Grades K–5**

Drama Kids is the ONLY after-school program that significantly improves kids' confidence and self-esteem, while also teaching them critical skills that will help them succeed academically and professionally throughout their entire lives. Led by Ray Smart, a musician and writer with Master's degree in Education, kids have TONS OF FUN while learning verbal and public speaking skills, creative thinking skills, empathy, and collaboration skills to name just a few. Everyone gets to participate, everyone has a voice, and no two classes are ever the same.

**Drama Kids** is offered at the following elementary schools: Bridges, Eagle Lake, Franklin, Hoover, Jefferson, Kennedy, Monroe, Roosevelt, Rosa Parks, Washington & Loyola Catholic Schools. Please visit our website [mankatocer.com](http://mankatocer.com) for detailed class schedule.

### COME DANCE WITH ME: MUSIC AND MOVEMENT FOR THE YOUNG CHILD

Lynn Rozen

**5 Sessions – Ages 3 months–5 years**

Share the joy of music and movement with your child this fall. We'll explore the Fall harvest themes of pumpkins, apples, and leaves in music and movement. Class includes singing, playing rhythm instruments, creative movement and FUN! Class is designed to appeal to young children, infant through preschool, up to age 5. Early music and movement training stimulates language development, builds social skills, and primes the brain for math learning and future music training. A caregiver attends class with child and joins the fun!

COURSE #: 5762-1f  
Tue, Oct 8–Nov 5; 11–11:45 a.m. \$49; add sibling \$36  
LCC-Rm 159

COURSE #: 5762-2f  
Tue, Oct 8–Nov 5; 6–6:45 p.m. \$49; add sibling \$36  
LCC-Rm 159

# THEATER



## SKILLS DEVELOPMENT / SCIENCE

### {YEL!} GRANDMASTERS OF CHESS

Youth Enrichment League (YEL)

6 Sessions – Grades K–5

New and returning students invited. Each {YEL!} Chess class follows four basic components:

- **Teach It!**...Each class students are taught different chess concepts and coached to implement those concepts into their chess games.
- **Practice It!**...Students practice positions set by the coach to improve their understanding of the concept.
- **Puzzle It!**...Students are given chess puzzles (constructed by WIM Serafima Sokolovskaya) and work with coach guidance to solve them.
- **Play It!**...Each class ends with students playing 20–30 minutes of chess. Coaches often feature in-class tournaments during the session.

Class fee includes ChessKid.com membership for the session (a \$49 annual value).

**Grandmaster of chess** is offered at the following elementary schools: Hoover, Roosevelt, Washington. Please visit our website [www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com) for detailed class schedule.

### ATTENTION CHESS PLAYERS!

#### REGIONAL CHESS TOURNAMENT

1 Session – Grades K–12

This contest will recognize the top winners of each age / grade division. 8:30–8:45 a.m. - Check in (Lincoln Community Center); 8:45–9 a.m. - Announcements and rules clarification; 9 a.m. - Round 1 begins. Awards presentation will follow final rounds.

**Pizza lunch** - All players receive one slice of pizza and a beverage. (Additional pizza sold in concession stand for guests, parents, and players.)

Register online at [www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com), or call Community Education at (507) 387-5501.

COURSE #: 5292-Tf \$25  
Sat, Nov 2; 8:30 a.m.–2 p.m. LCC-152, 154, 157



### EXTREME STEM: CATAPULTS AND DRAGONS

Youth Enrichment League (YEL)

4 Sessions – Grades K–3

Youth Enrichment League follows four basic components:

- **Teach It!**...Each class students are taught the basic STEM engineering concepts behind each project.
- **Build It!**...Students use LEGO® bricks to build a snapping dragon and a railroad crossing, and design their own marshmallow catapult.
- **Explore It!**...Then they use the project to explore basic engineering concepts – this session is focused on lever concepts
- **Play It!**...Finally, they play with their project, modify it, create extensions and have fun working with it.

For more details about {YEL!} STEM classes, visit [YouthEnrichmentLeague.com](http://YouthEnrichmentLeague.com).

LEGO® is a trademark of the LEGO Group of companies, which does not sponsor, authorize or endorse this site or program.

**Extreme Stem: Catapults and Dragons** is offered at the following elementary schools: Rosa Parks, Hoover, Eagle Lake, Bridges, Monroe, Franklin, Jefferson, Roosevelt, Kennedy, Washington. Please visit our website [www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com) for detailed class schedule.

### {YEL!} FENCING

Youth Enrichment League

6 Sessions – Grades 2–12

New and returning students invited! Join this fast growing Olympic sport. Each {YEL!} fencing class follows four basic components:

- **Teach It!**... Hall of Fame Olympic Fencing Coach Ro Sobalvarro crafts our lessons and curriculum.
- **Practice It!**...Students pair up and practice the fencing move or concept, rotate partners and repeat.
- **Move It!**...Students then participate in fencing matches using only the moves taught so far.
- **Play It!**...10-15 minutes each class students fence with multiple fencers at their skill level.

All equipment provided. Sign up today to THINK, LEARN and PLAY WELL with {YEL!}.

Grades 2–5

Kennedy Elementary

COURSE #: 4970-1f \$104  
Wed, Oct 30–Dec 11; 6–7 p.m. K-Gym  
No Class Nov 27

Grades 6–12

Kennedy Elementary

COURSE #: 4970-2f \$104  
Wed, Oct 30–Dec 11; 7:05–8:05 p.m. K-Gym  
No Class Nov 27

# Youth Enrichment

## PERSONAL SAFETY / ACADEMIC

### HOME ALONE SAFETY

Melanie Schmidt

1 Session – Grades 2–6

Staying home alone for the first time is an opportunity eagerly anticipated by most kids; but with opportunity comes responsibility. This course covers a variety of common scenarios and topics specific to boys and girls preparing to stay home alone, or stay home with younger siblings. Topics include, but are not limited to: sibling conflict, stranger danger, healthy choices, problem solving, and identifying emergencies. Parents are welcome but not required to attend.

COURSE #: 5107-1f	\$15
Tue, Sep 10; 6–7:30 p.m.	LCC-Rm 154
COURSE #: 5107-2f	\$15
Wed, Oct 16; 6–7:30 p.m.	LCC-Rm 154

### CAPSTONE LITERACY PROGRAM

Christie Skilbred

10 Sessions – Grades 1–5

Does your child struggle with reading? Capstone Literacy at Lincoln provides a fun, research-based approach to helping struggling readers. Students will have customized lessons during a one-on-one weekly tutoring session. This program is designed for students in 1st through 5th grade who are reading at least one grade below. The goal of this program is not only to increase literacy skills, but also to increase confidence and enjoyment in reading!

COURSE #: 5215-f	\$30
Tue, Sep 24–Dec 3; 3:15–4 p.m.	LCC-Rm 254
No Class Nov 26	



### ACT PREPARATION SEMINAR

Doorway to College

1 Session

ZAPS® test preparation seminars are carefully designed to help each student do his or her personal best on the ACT. Students who complete the ZAPS seminar—and practice our tips and strategies at home—typically raise their ACT scores by 1 to 4 points. In the 5-hour ZAPS seminar, students will learn strategies for improving in all four subtests, take shortened practice tests that mirror the actual testing experience, and get suggestions for individualized study in the days leading up to the test. Attendees receive a comprehensive Study Guide and 24 practice test workouts with detailed answer explanations. Students should bring a calculator and two pencils to the seminar. The seminar includes a 45-minute lunch break; **students are responsible for their own lunches.**

COURSE #: 4700f	\$100
Sat, Oct 5; 9 a.m.–3 p.m.	EHS-Rm 104

### SUCCESSFUL STRATEGIES FOR APPLYING TO COLLEGE

Karen Krall Constantine

5 Sessions – Grades 10–12

Applying to college can sometimes be intimidating and you may feel unsure about how to begin. This course (offered to 10th, 11th, and 12th graders) will absolutely give you the confidence as you begin to plan for your future after high school. The instructor, Karen Krall Constantine, is a nationally known college, career, and job search consultant who has worked with students applying to college for over 22 years with a 100% success rate (97% in college of first choice). Topics will include (but aren't limited to) making the most of your curriculum, how to make yourself stand out, the importance of different application requirements, getting organized, and how to get through the process like a pro. Please contact Karen by email or phone if you have any questions at [kkconstantine@msn.com](mailto:kkconstantine@msn.com) or phone: (757)784-4290. And remember, "Everything you need to accomplish your goals is already within you." NOW—all you have to do is make it happen! **Students should bring a pen and notebook to each class. (Parents are invited to attend last class on October 24.)**

COURSE #: 4718f	\$130
Thu, Sep 26–Oct 24; 6:30–8 p.m.	EHS-Rm 104
(Oct 24 – parents are invited to attend the last class)	



# Recreation



## K-6 GIRLS' BASKETBALL – FALL HOOPS

East & West High Basketball Coaches & Players  
8 Sessions – Grades K-6

"Fall Hoops" is an 8-session development program that meets on Monday evenings and Saturday mornings during the month of October. The purpose is for beginning and experienced players to learn individual and team skills in a fun, inclusive environment. Sessions will include both skill development and games, all led by varsity coaches and players from Mankato East and Mankato West High Schools. **All girls in Mankato and the surrounding area** are encouraged to sign up and help spread the word about this opportunity. Registration and payment are due by the first session (Monday, September 30); early sign-up is appreciated. Cost of registration includes a T-shirt and basketball.

### Grades K-3

COURSE #: 8200-1f \$45  
Mon, Sep 30-Oct 28; 6:30-7:30 p.m. **and** PWMS Gym  
Sat, Oct 5-26; 10-11 a.m.  
*No Class Oct 19*

### Grades 4-6

COURSE #: 8200-2f \$45  
Mon, Sep 30-Oct 28; 7:30-9 p.m. **and** PWMS Gym  
Sat, Oct 5-26; 8:30-10 a.m.  
*No Class Oct 19*



## JUNIOR COUGAR BOYS BASKETBALL CAMP

East High Boys Basketball Coaches & Players  
4 Sessions – Grades 1-6

The emphasis of the clinic will be placed on ball handling, dribbling, pivoting, passing, and one-on-one moves, perimeter shots, and free throws. The entire objective of the program is to introduce the boys to the correct fundamentals used in the game of basketball. The clinic offers little opportunity in playing real games. In the time allotted for the program, our coaching staff feels it is more important to spend the time teaching proper individual techniques. Members of the Cougar coaching staff will be present at the sessions with the varsity and junior varsity players demonstrating and teaching. We look forward to helping your son get a healthy introduction or progressing further in his current understanding of basketball and love of the game.

### Grades 1-3

COURSE #: 8205-1f \$45,  
Tue & Thu, Oct 24, 29, Nov 7, 14; 6-7 p.m. \$35 additional player  
PWMS

### Grades 4-6

COURSE #: 8205-2f \$45,  
Tue & Thu, Oct 24, 29, Nov 7, 14; 7-8 p.m. \$35 additional player  
PWMS

## FALL YOUTH TENNIS

Coach Adam Doll  
6 Sessions – Grades 1-5

Youth tennis lessons will be held at Kennedy Elementary School. Group games and interactive play will be the core of this program, along with development of fundamental strokes. Players should wear tennis shoes, bring water and their own tennis racquet. We will have racquets if you are unable to provide their own racquet.

### Grades 1-3

COURSE #: 8601-1f \$65  
Tue, Oct 15-Nov 19; 5:10-6:30 p.m. K Gym

### Grades 4-6

COURSE #: 8601-2f \$65  
Tue, Oct 15-Nov 19; 6:40-8 p.m. K Gym

# Recreation

## YOUTH RECREATION

Mankato Community Education & Recreation  
**SATURDAY MORNING YOUTH SPORTS**  
Practice and Game All in One Trip!

### PRACTICE AND GAME ALL IN ONE TRIP!

Saturday Morning Youth Sports sessions last for a full hour or an hour and 15 minutes, starting with practice time followed by game time. Make your one-time-a-week trip worth your while! If you like, run a couple of errands while your child plays under the guidance of trained, qualified staff.

Rules & basic fundamentals are covered at the beginning of each session. **No experience or equipment necessary; we will provide it all! No uniform costs. Colored jerseys provided each week if teams need color distinction.** Basic fundamentals are taught along with an emphasis on low-key competition, allowing children to participate equally and to have fun while being physically active. Everyone plays!

In each sport, teams will be formed according to grades, and boys & girls divisions will be formed if participation allows. **All sports are held on Saturday mornings. Schedules will be mailed out once registration is complete.**

### YOUTH FALL VOLLEYBALL

5 Sessions – Grades 3–6

COURSE #: 8510f \$35  
Sat, Oct 12–Nov 16 LCC-Lower/Upper Gym  
No Class Oct 19  
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Tue, Oct 1



### PRE-K YOUTH BASKETBALL

5 Sessions – Pre-K (Ages 4 & 5)

This program is designed to introduce Pre-K students to the world of organized sports and will help them develop the fundamental skills of basketball! The program will follow the same format as Saturday Morning Youth Sports in which fun and good sportsmanship are stressed! Stay active this fall and make new friends with Pre-K Basketball! 45-minute program.

COURSE #: 8507f \$35  
Sat, Oct 12–Nov 16 RP-Gym  
No Class Oct 19  
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Tue, Oct 1



### ARCHERY

Certified NASP Instructor  
6 Sessions – Grades 4–6

A fun way for girls and boys to get involved in something new! Our program utilizes the NASP curriculum and equipment, and will teach the basics of using a compound bow. Classes are taught by a certified NASP instructor, and provide a safe and fun introduction to the sport of archery. Commands, signals, techniques and shooting challenges are all part of the program. Learn about equipment and participate in a low-pressure and supportive environment. All equipment is provided.

#### Beginning Archery

COURSE #: 8514-1f \$45  
Tue, Sep 17–Oct 22; 4:30–5:30 p.m. LCC-Lower Gym  
COURSE #: 8514-2f \$45  
Tue, Oct 29–Dec 10; 4:30–5:30 p.m. LCC-Lower Gym  
No Class Nov 26

#### Intermediate Archery\*\*

COURSE #: 8515-1f \$45  
Tue, Sep 17–Oct 22; 5:40–6:40 p.m. LCC-Lower Gym  
COURSE #: 8515-2f \$45  
Tue, Oct 29–Dec 10; 5:40–6:40 p.m. LCC-Lower Gym  
No Class Nov 26

**\*\*PARTICIPANTS MUST HAVE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE CER BEGINNING ARCHERY CLASS TO REGISTER FOR INTERMEDIATE ARCHERY.**

**Registration Deadline: Tue, Sep 3**  
SPACE IS LIMITED; CLASS MAY FILL, SO REGISTER EARLY!

### ARCHERY FOR TEENS

Certified NASP Instructor  
6 Sessions – Grades 7–12

Teens now have the opportunity to become involved in something new and explore the world of target shooting! Participation within an archery program has been shown to increase student concentration, positive behavior, motivation and focus! Our teen program will also utilize the NASP curriculum and equipment, and will teach the basics of using a compound bow. Students will have the opportunity to shoot from various distances and participate in class competitions!

COURSE #: 8516-1f \$45  
Tue, Sep 17–Oct 22; 6:45–7:45 p.m. LCC-Lower Gym  
COURSE #: 8516-2f \$45  
Tue, Oct 29–Dec 10; 6:45–7:45 p.m. LCC-Lower Gym  
No Class Nov 26

Registration Deadline: Tue, Sep 3  
SPACE IS LIMITED; CLASS MAY FILL, SO REGISTER EARLY!



## ALL SEASONS ARENA



**www.asamankato.org • (507) 387-6552**  
**1251 Monks Avenue, Mankato, MN 56001**  
**MN Relay Services V/TTY 711**

### PUBLIC SKATING

Most weeks Monday–Friday 11:30 a.m.–1 p.m.  
 Saturday, Sunday and Wednesday afternoons  
 Public Skating schedules are subject to change.  
 Rates: \$3 per Person; \$2 Skate Rental

### LET'S PLAY HOCKEY WITH MANKATO AREA HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

#### Registration for the 2019–2020 Season

Come play hockey with Mankato Area Hockey Association (MAHA). Online registration for the 2019–2020 season begins July 26, and closes September 15 for Traveling players (born before 7/1/2010) Squirrels/U10s to Bantams, and closes October 13 for In-House players (born after 6/30/2015). Please visit [www.mankatohockey.com](http://www.mankatohockey.com) and follow the registration prompts.

#### New Members

A certified copy of player's birth certificate is required before skating. Please bring to your first team meeting or mail to MAHA Registrar at P.O. Box 1262, Mankato, MN 56002.

Financial assistance is available through Connecting Kids. Please call (507) 387-5501.

Please direct any registration questions to Margot Hansen at [registrar@mankatohockey.com](mailto:registrar@mankatohockey.com).

### "MOM OR POP WITH TOT" SKATING LESSONS

#### 6 Sessions – Up to Age 6

Six 45-minute lessons with 15 minutes of free time after each lesson for fun and practice.

COURSE #: 2655-1f	\$45
Thu, Sep 5–Oct 10; 9:30–10:30 a.m.	All Seasons Arena
COURSE #: 2655-2f	\$45
Thu, Oct 24–Dec 12; 9:30–10:30 a.m.	All Seasons Arena
No Class Nov 7 & 21	

### ASA MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM

- Free Admission to all Public Skating Sessions (Regular Admission \$3)
- \$.50 Discount on Skate Sharpening (Regular Sharpening \$5)
- \$.25 Discount on Skate Rental (Regular Rental: \$2)
- \$7 Savings per Session per 1st skater for Skating School

#### MEMBERSHIP YEAR

Family	#2200 . . . . . \$ 65
Single	#2210 . . . . . \$ 40
MSU Student	#2220 . . . . . \$ 30

For more information, call All Seasons Arena at (507) 387-6552 or Community Education & Recreation at (507) 387-5501.

### SKATING SCHOOL

#### 6 Sessions – Ages 3 & Up

Skating classes are offered through the **Ice Skating Institute of America** for all recreational skaters at all levels. Students progress at their own pace (Levels of Progression 1–9). Classes will run consecutively, with testing done when the student is ready. Classes are 30 minutes in length. Questions: Sara Otto, [johnss19@hotmail.com](mailto:johnss19@hotmail.com). **NO MAKEUP DATES AVAILABLE.**

**Class Fees:** (all classes except Freestyle and Adult)  
 1st Skater **\$40**, 2nd Skater **\$35**

#### Freestyle & Adult

1st Skater **\$45**, 2nd Skater **\$40**

Become a member of ASA and receive a **\$7** discount, per 1st skater, per session on lessons.

**Registration:** Register prior to the first class date  
 Community Education & Recreation  
 110 Fulton St., Mankato, MN  
 Phone: (507) 387-5501

**FALL SESSION I:** Sat, Sep 7–Oct 12

**FALL SESSION II:** Sat, Oct 26–Dec 14

No Class Nov 9 & 30

**Beginner (ages 3–6)** – 9:30, 10, 10:30, 11 a.m.

**Beginner 2 (ages 7 & Up)** – 9:30, 10, 10:30, 11 a.m.

**Pre-Alpha** – 10, 11 a.m.

**Alpha** – 10, 11 a.m.

**Beta** – 10:30 a.m.

**Gamma** – 10:30 a.m.

**Delta** – 9:30 a.m.

**Freestyle 1 & 2** – 9:30 a.m.

**Freestyle 3 & 4** – 9:30 a.m.

**Adult** – 9:30 a.m.



# Recreation

## AQUATICS At East High School Pool. (Enter locker rooms at east end of building and park in east end lot.)

Objectives for all levels can be found on our website.

### REGISTER ONLINE

- Visit [www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com)
  - View the full listing of Aquatics class offerings
  - Register for all the classes that are of interest to you
- If you have questions call (507) 387-5501



### FALL SESSIONS

**SESSION A - SEPTEMBER 21 – OCTOBER 26**

**SESSION B - NOVEMBER 9 – DECEMBER 21**

*No Lessons Nov 30*

All lessons are taught by Certified Water Safety Instructors

### PARENT & CHILD AQUATICS

**Ages 2 & 3 accompanied by a parent in the water.**

45-minute Sessions – Saturday Classes

**PARENTS:** Children not yet toilet trained are required to wear swimsuit diapers or tight-fitting plastic or rubber pants.

### PRESCHOOL AQUATICS

**Ages 4 & 5 accompanied by a parent in the water.**

45-minute Sessions – Saturday Classes

### LEVEL 1 – INTRODUCTION TO WATER SKILLS

**Ages 6 & Up**

50-minute Sessions – Saturday Classes

Introduces basic aquatic skills, which continue to be built upon throughout Learn-to-swim levels.

### LEVEL 2 – FUNDAMENTAL AQUATIC SKILLS

**Ages 6 & Up**

50-minute Sessions – Saturday Classes

Builds on the fundamental aquatic locomotion, safety, and rescue skills of Level 1.

### LEVEL 3 – STROKE DEVELOPMENT

**Ages 6 & Up**

50-minute Sessions – Saturday Classes

Expands proficiency of aquatic locomotion, safety, and rescue skills of Level 2 by providing additional guided practice.

### LEVEL 4 – STROKE IMPROVEMENT

**Ages 6 & Up**

50-minute Sessions – Saturday Classes

Increases endurance and improves aquatic skills presented in previous levels.

### LEVEL 5 – STROKE REFINEMENT

**Ages 6 & Up**

50-minute Sessions – Saturday Classes

Coordinates and refines key strokes presented thus far to increase endurance.

### FALL LESSON FEES

**4 Sessions**

Each swimming course: \$35

Family discount for third class and each additional class per session: \$30

### SESSION A – SEPTEMBER 21–OCTOBER 26

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	TIME
<b>3100-9A</b> <b>3200-9A</b> <b>3300-9A</b> <b>3400-9A</b> <b>3500-9A</b>	Level 1: Introduction to Water Skills Level 2: Fundamental Aquatic Skills Level 3: Stroke Development Level 4: Stroke Improvement Level 5: Stroke Refinement	9:00 a.m.
<b>3100-10A</b> <b>3200-10A</b> <b>3300-10A</b> <b>3400-10A</b> <b>3500-10A</b>	Level 1: Introduction to Water Skills Level 2: Fundamental Aquatic Skills Level 3: Stroke Development Level 4: Stroke Improvement Level 5: Stroke Refinement	10:00 a.m.
<b>3050-11A</b>	Parent & Child Aquatics	11:00 a.m.
<b>3075-11A</b>	Preschool Aquatics	11:00 a.m.

### SESSION B – NOVEMBER 9–DECEMBER 21

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	TIME
<b>3100-9B</b> <b>3200-9B</b> <b>3300-9B</b> <b>3400-9B</b> <b>3500-9B</b>	Level 1: Introduction to Water Skills Level 2: Fundamental Aquatic Skills Level 3: Stroke Development Level 4: Stroke Improvement Level 5: Stroke Refinement	9:00 a.m.
<b>3100-10B</b> <b>3200-10B</b> <b>3300-10B</b> <b>3400-10B</b> <b>3500-10B</b>	Level 1: Introduction to Water Skills Level 2: Fundamental Aquatic Skills Level 3: Stroke Development Level 4: Stroke Improvement Level 5: Stroke Refinement	10:00 a.m.
<b>3050-11B</b>	Parent & Child Aquatics	11:00 a.m.
<b>3075-11B</b>	Preschool Aquatics	11:00 a.m.

*No Lessons Nov 30*

## AQUATICS At East High School Pool. (Enter locker rooms at east end of building and park in east end lot.)

### PRIVATE SWIMMING LESSONS

#### 4 or More Sessions

One-on-one instruction for those who desire individual instruction, or who just need to “catch up” their skills in order to join a group class.

Four 1/2-hour classes: \$88

Each additional 1/2-hour class: \$22

Sat, Sept 21–Dec 7; 1–3 p.m.

No Lessons Nov 30

Call Community Education & Recreation at (507) 387-5501 to schedule.



### LIFEGUARD REVIEW BLENDED LEARNING COURSE

Tia Dupont, LGI

1 Session

Don't let your lifeguard training certification expire! This course is for those who are already certified in Lifeguard Training and need to recertify.

COURSE #: 3850f

Sun, Dec 1; 8:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m.

\$75

EHS-Pool

### LIFEGUARD TRAINING BLENDED LEARNING COURSE

Tia Dupont, LGI

Ages 15 & Up

**Must attend all 5 sessions**

Looking for a great summer job or a challenging career? American Red Cross is the best place to start! Lifeguarding puts you in an exciting position, working as part of a team to help people safely enjoy the water. Lifeguarding will also help you develop skills and experiences that will be valued by future employers.

#### PREREQUISITES:

- Must be at least 15 years old before last day of class
- Have ABOVE AVERAGE swim skills & endurance
- Successfully complete swimming pretests
- Complete all online sessions by last day of class

**Fee includes text & certification fee.**

COURSE #: 3701-1f

Fri, Oct 4 & 11; 5–9 p.m. **and**

Sat, Oct 5 & 12; 12–4 p.m. **and**

Sun, Oct 6; 12–6 p.m.

\$170

EHS-Pool

COURSE #: 3701-2f

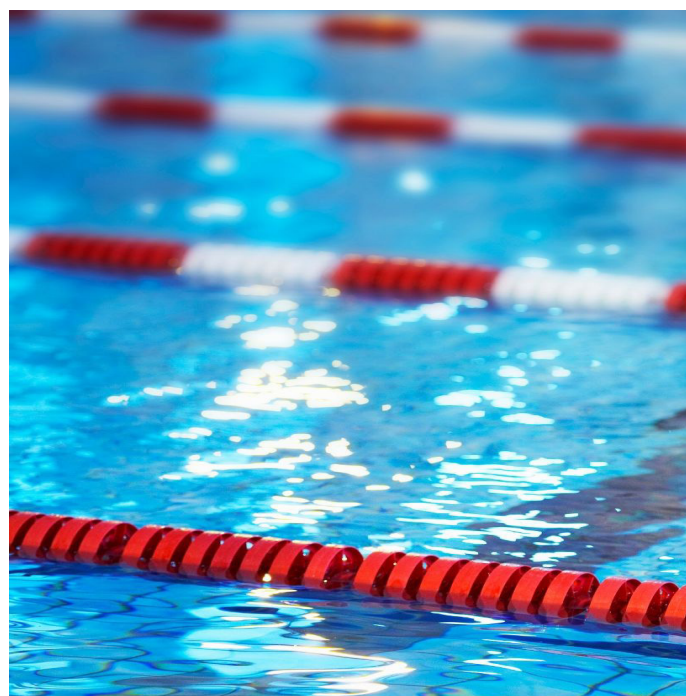
Fri, Nov 8 & 15; 5–9 p.m. **and**

Sat, Nov 9 & 16; 12–4 p.m. **and**

Sun, Nov 10; 12–6 p.m.

\$170

EHS-Pool





# Community Education & Recreation

## CONTACT INFORMATION

### STAFF DIRECTORY

#### DIRECTOR

Audra Nissen Boyer aboyer1@isd77.org  
Laura Conn lconn1@isd77.org

#### ACCESS

Michelle Sorenson msoren1@isd77.org  
Seth Hoscheit shosch1@isd77.org

#### ACES SCHOOL AGE CARE

Sam Schirmers sschir1@isd77.org  
Emily Engesser eenges1@isd77.org

#### ADULT BASIC EDUCATION

Karen Wolters kwolte1@isd77.org  
Kelli Woelfel kwoelf1@isd77.org

#### ADULT ENRICHMENT

Alisa Boswell aboswe1@isd77.org  
Robyn Hager rhager1@isd77.org

#### ALL SEASONS ARENA

Jared Larson jlarso1@isd7.org

#### EARLY LEARNING

Katie Gag kgag1@isd77.org  
Rachel Kamm rkamm1@isd77.org

#### PRESCHOOL SUPERVISOR

Joan Morrison jmorri1@isd77.org

#### EARLY CHILDHOOD SCREENING

Ann Murray amurra1@isd77.org

#### FACILITIES RESERVATIONS

Anne Richardson aricha1@isd77.org

#### FAMILY & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT/VOLUNTEER

Alison Troidahl atroid1@isd77.org  
Carole-Anne Crump ccrump1@isd77.org

#### RECREATION

Seth Hoscheit shosch1@isd77.org  
Michelle Sorenson msoren1@isd77.org  
Tia Dupont tdupon1@isd77.org

#### YOUTH ENRICHMENT/DEVELOPMENT

Melanie Schmidt mschmi3@isd77.org  
Robyn Hager rhager1@isd77.org

### CER ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBERS 2019–2020

#### James Roy, Chair

Term 2022

#### Patrick Baker

Term 2021

#### Jeane McGraw

Term 2021

#### Dana Niu

Term 2022

#### Christina Shortall

Term 2020

#### Lynn Waterbury

Term 2020

#### Lynn Schreiner

Term 2022

#### Ahmed (Jaffer) Mohamud

Term 2020

#### Kaitlin Carter

Term 2021

#### Mike Laven

Appt. City of Mankato

#### Colleen Landkamer

Appt. Blue Earth County

#### Scot Johnson

Appt. ISD 77 Admin.

#### Darren Wacker

Appt. ISD 77 School Board

#### City Council Member

Appt. City of Eagle Lake

**\*Advisory Council  
information and  
application form is  
available online at  
[www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com)**

### SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS 2019–2020

#### Ann Hendricks, Chair

ahendr1@isd77.k12.mn.us  
Term Ends December 31, 2020

#### Jodi Sapp, Vice-Chair

jsapp1@isd77.k12.mn.us  
Term Ends December 31, 2021

#### Sara Hansen, Clerk

shanse1@isd77.k12.mn.us  
Term Ends December 31, 2020

#### Judi Brandon, Treasurer

jbrand1@isd77.k12.mn.us  
Term Ends December 31, 2020

#### Darren Wacker

dwacke1@isd77.k12.mn.us  
Term Ends December 31, 2021

#### Abdi Sabrie

asabri1@isd77.k12.mn.us  
Term Ends December 31, 2020

#### Kristi Schuck

kschuc1@isd77.k12.mn.us  
Term Ends December 31, 2021

#### Paul Peterson, Superintendent

ppeter1@isd77.k12.mn.us



# Registration is easy!

## REGISTRATION AND PARTICIPATION INFORMATION

*Preregistration (with payment) is required for participation unless otherwise noted.*

### ONLINE

[www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com)

### PHONE

(507) 387-5501

### IN PERSON

Lincoln Community Center  
110 Fulton Street  
Mankato, MN 56001

### REGULAR OFFICE HOURS SEPTEMBER–MAY:

Office closed: Nov 28, 29, Dec 24, 25, 31, Jan 1  
Monday–Friday 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**TELEPHONE: (507) 387-5501**

**MN RELAY SERVICES: V/TTY 711**

## PAYMENTS

Fees should be paid in full at time of registration. Community Education & Recreation accepts VISA, MasterCard and Discover. Checks made payable to **ISD 77 CER** can be mailed or brought in person. **\*\*Payers will be charged an additional \$30 fee for any returned check. Participation for all members of the household will be suspended until the account is brought up to date.\*\***

## REFUNDS

Registrants wishing to withdraw their registration must do so no later than 4 business days prior to the scheduled start of the activity. You can be given a refund minus a \$5 processing fee. NO refunds will be given if withdrawal is made less than 4 business days before scheduled start date. No refunds can be given for trips or tours after the registration deadline.

## CANCELLED CLASSES

CER reserves the right to cancel any event, class or program. CER will make efforts to contact registrants 48 hours before the scheduled start of the activity. Complete refunds will be given if cancellation occurs. If Mankato Area Public Schools' District 77 cancels school or releases students early due to weather concerns, CER activities will also be cancelled. **For updated information, please check [www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com) or Mankato Community Education & Recreation Facebook page.**

## MAPS IMAGE RELEASE

Mankato Area Public Schools, 10 Civic Center Plaza, Mankato, MN 56001 has the right to publish my or my child's likeness, photograph, name, words and/or artistic works; and/or my likeness, photograph, and the same to be published in any form or medium (for example: print, electronic, video, social networking, etc.). To decline this permission for MAPS CER activities, written notice must be provided in advance to our office at Lincoln Community Center, 110 Fulton St. Mankato, MN 56001.

## WEATHER

If Mankato Area Public Schools District 77 cancels school or releases students early due to weather concerns, Community Education & Recreation activities will also be cancelled.

Listen to one of the local radio stations for announcements regarding cancellations, or check the [mankatocer.com](http://mankatocer.com) website or Mankato Community Education & Recreation Facebook.

## PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

Individuals with disabilities are encouraged to participate in any class or activity listed in this catalog or online. If you require assistance in order to participate, please call the ACCESS Office, at least 2 weeks prior to the start of your class, at (507) 387-5501. The ACCESS Program provides recreational activities for individuals with physical disabilities, and modified classes for those with developmental/intellectual disabilities. See page 29 for instructions regarding specific class offerings. For the deaf or hard of hearing, dial 711 to contact the Minnesota Relay System.

## THE FINE PRINT

Supervision is provided for participants only during listed activity hours. We cannot be responsible for anyone arriving early or left waiting after the scheduled ending time.

Participation in any CER program, class or activity is voluntary. Participants (and parents of participants) hold the department and district free from liability in case of accidents of any nature.

## NON-ENDORSEMENT DISCLAIMER

The information provided by the instructor is intended for educational purposes only and not as a substitute for professional advice. Written materials provided by the instructor are not controlled by Mankato Community Education & Recreation and are not guaranteed for accuracy, timeliness or completeness.

## MANKATO AREA BUILDING KEY

<b>B</b>	<b>BRIDGES COMMUNITY SCHOOL</b> 320 Garfield, North Mankato	<b>M</b>	<b>MONROE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b> 441 Monroe Avenue, North Mankato	<b>EHS</b>	<b>MANKATO EAST HIGH SCHOOL</b> 2600 Hoffman Road, Mankato
<b>EL</b>	<b>EAGLE LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b> 500 Le Sueur Avenue, Eagle Lake	<b>R</b>	<b>ROOSEVELT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b> 300 West Sixth Street, Mankato	<b>WHS</b>	<b>MANKATO WEST HIGH SCHOOL</b> 1351 South Riverfront Drive, Mankato
<b>F</b>	<b>FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b> 1000 North Broad Street, Mankato	<b>RP</b>	<b>ROSA PARKS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b> 1001 Heron Drive, Mankato	<b>LCC</b>	<b>LINCOLN COMMUNITY CENTER</b> 110 Fulton Street, Mankato
<b>H</b>	<b>HOOVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b> 1524 Hoover Drive, North Mankato	<b>W</b>	<b>WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b> 1100 Anderson Drive, Mankato	<b>ECC</b>	<b>EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER</b> 2077 Lookout Drive, North Mankato
<b>J</b>	<b>JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b> 100 James Avenue, Mankato	<b>DMMS</b>	<b>DAKOTA MEADOWS MIDDLE SCHOOL</b> 1900 Howard Drive West, North Mankato	<b>LCS</b>	<b>LOYOLA CATHOLIC SCHOOLS</b> 145 Good Counsel Drive, Mankato
<b>K</b>	<b>KENNEDY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b> 2600 East Main Street, Mankato	<b>PWMS</b>	<b>PRAIRIE WINDS MIDDLE SCHOOL</b> 1200 Prairie Winds Dr, Mankato	<b>FLC</b>	<b>FAMILY LEARNING CENTER</b> 820 Hubbell Ave, Mankato

To Register, visit us online at [www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com) or call (507) 387-5501



## UGLY SWEATER CONTEST



### CANDY CANE LANE

**1 Session – Ages 2–12**

The holiday season is here, and it is time to celebrate some fun traditions while making new memories. This holiday party is for children and families. Children and their parents can stroll from station to station, enjoying games, crafts, food, a candy cane scavenger hunt, music, and even a visit from Santa. We will use a punch card system as admission cost. Cost is **\$5.00** for 10 activity punches, and **\$10.00** for 20 activity punches. Punch cards are sold at the door. Concessions are priced separately.

**COURSE #: 5807f**

Sat, Dec 14; 1–4 p.m. Lincoln Community Center

10 Activity Punches - **\$5**

20 Activity Punches - **\$10**



**Early  
Registration  
Available**



May your HOLIDAYS be SWEET!