# MANKATO AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS' COMMUNITY EDUCATION & RECREATION

SUMMER 2020 REMIX

MAY-JUNE





ASSURING LEARNING EXCELLENCE AND READINESS FOR A CHANGING WORLD BY PROVIDING PROGRAMMING TO REACH ALL, TEACH ALL AND INCLUDE ALL.

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# LETTER FROM DIRECTOR

Mankato Area Public Schools Community and Students,

We would like to extend our deepest appreciation to you for your patience and flexibility in navigating this new reality, which has been brought about by COVID-19. Following the guidance of the Minnesota Department of Health and Minnesota Department of Education, program leadership has developed a variety of creative delivery models for summer 2020. We will continue to work hard to provide the safest learning and engagement environments possible for you and your family this summer.

The Summer 2020 REMIX, is an adaptation of the original advertising brochure, which will continue to be updated, as guidance is received. We look forward to sharing more information with you in the coming weeks and wish you the best as the community begins to return to work, finish out the school year and launch into summer.

In Community, Audra Nissen Boyer, Director aboyer1@isd77.org



# SUMMER ACES

ACES School Age Care Program offers multiple convenient locations for families throughout the Mankato Area Public School service area. ACES has consistent hours, offering families quality care for their child(ren) during the summer. ACES serves students entering kindergarten through fifth grade. The program offers age-appropriate activities including outside play, team building games, reading, arts and crafts, STEM activities, special events, theme days and MORE!

## PROGRAM LOCATIONS

Eagle Lake Jefferson Hoover Rosa Parks

Little ACES will be located at Jefferson

## PROGRAM DETAILS

Thursday, June 11 -Friday, August 21 \*Closed Friday, July 3\*

Monday - Friday 6:30am - 6:00pm

## PROGRAM FEES

\$30 Registration Fee

5 days/week: \$28/day 4 days/week: \$33/day

Fee includes breakfast, lunch and an afternoon snack

Children will be grouped in classrooms by grade/age, with a maximum of 9 children per classroom. Each group will run independently of the other groups for the majority of the day. Use of common spaces such as the cafeteria, gyms and playgrounds will be scheduled for each group, in accordance with Minnesota Departments' of Education and Health guidelines. At the end of the day, each space and all equipment will be sanitized. Staff will be offered masks and gloves to wear.





Family access to each building will be limited to one entrance. Students will have their temperature taken and a brief health survey will also be administered daily upon arrival. If the child (or a sibling) does not meet the criteria outlined by the Minnesota Department of Health, they will not be able to receive care. Upon entering the building, students will be expected to wash their hands before going to their classroom. If students develop any symptoms during the day, they will be isolated from their group and will need to be picked up within 30 minutes.

Register online at mankato.ce.eleyo.com. Registrations will not be accepted by phone, fax or email. Registration will remain open until the site capacity has been reached. For more information or to register, visit our <u>website</u> or contact the ACES Billing Office at (507) 387-5501.



#### **BABYSITTER TRAINING**

Melanie Schmidt/Tia Dupont 1 Session – Ages 11–15

Get set for summer. The purpose of the American Red Cross Babysitter's Training course is to provide youth ages 11-15 with the information and skills necessary to provide safe and responsible care for children in the absence of parents or adult guardians. This training will help participants develop skills in leadership and professionalism, basic care, safety and safe play and first aid. Class fee includes textbook. This class has been moved to a distance learning format for the month of June. Class participants will be sent an invitation to join the class a few days prior to the class date. This invite will be sent to the class participant's school email address (or to a parent email if that is preferred). This is a blended course of self paced tutorials, short check in guizzes, and written reflections, using Google Classroom. A live Google Hangout at the start and conclusion of the day will assure understanding and continue dialogue. Instructors will be accessible throughout the class day for student support and guidance. For best results, students should set aside the full class day from 9:00 am - 3:30 p.m. Class requirements allow for short breaks and lunch.

COURSE #: 4800-1s \$65
Fri, Jun 5; 9 a.m.–3:30 p.m. ONLINE
COURSE #: 4800-2s \$65
Fri, Jun 19; 9 a.m.–3:30 p.m. ONLINE

## YOUTH ENRICHMENT

#### **HOME ALONE SAFETY**

Melanie Schmidt

Online 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 for boys and girls preparing to stay home alone. As a group, we will use our "senses," to identify possible dangers and how to safely handle them. The focus of the course is on using keen observation skills and problem solving to distinguish problems you can safely handle alone versus those you may need help to solve. In June, we will move this course to distance learning, using GOOGLE HANGOUT. We will use Google Classroom to post class materials and invite participants to the class. This invitation will give you a link to join the hangout. Parents can join their children on the hangout for no additional fee (parent participation is encouraged). We will all stay at home, stay safe and learn in a fun way how to handle responsibilities of staying home alone. We expect to return the class to an onsite option later this summer or when group social gatherings increase to 20 or more participants.

COURSE# 5107-1s \$15

Tue, June 9th 6:00-7:30 pm

Distance Learning Google Hangout



Registration is easy! Click on the course title to be routed directly to our registration page. If you require further assistance, call our office at (507) 387-5501 to speak to a CER staff person.



## HORSE CAMP - BLENDED COURSE - ONLINE TUTORIAL & ON SITE RIDING

Ashley Zutz- Twisted Z Performance Horses Ages 7 & Up

We are bringing the stable to you! This course will bring the education and horse care knowledge package of our camps to your home. Horsemanship will be taught by Ashley Zutz, using a series of videos that will follow a workbook. Students will learn:

- · Grooming the horse and grooming equipment
- How to tack up a horse before a ride and parts of the equipment
- Horse colors, markings, breeds, and more general information
- · Nutrition and basic care of a horse
- How to handle a horse from the ground and safe practices when around horses
- · Rider exercises to prepare for the first ride
- Activities and careers available with horses



Videos will be sent to the parent email the week of your on site riding instruction. During your riding week, you will blend coursework knowledge obtained through the video series with on site riding. While at the stable, your student will obtain hands-on experience with a horse from grooming and saddling, to handling the horse on the ground and under the saddle. Basic horsemanship skills of learning how to walk, stop, steer, and back will be taught during this course. We will also learn arena etiquette and safety in addition to proper riding position for the horse and rider's safety. We will take a trail ride or have an obstacle course on the last day, weather permitting.

COURSE #: 5576-1s July 6 to 9 from 9 am to 10:15 am
COURSE#: 5576-2s July 6 to 9 from 10:45 am to 12:00 pm
COURSE: 5576-3s July 13 to 16 from 9 am to 10:15 am
COURSE#: 5576-4s July 13 to 16 from 10:45 am to 12:00 pm
COURSE#: 5576-5s July 27 to 30 from 9 am to 10:15 am

COURSE#: 5576-6s July 27 to 30 from 10:45 am to 12:00 pm

Cost: \$203

Address: 23928 Jockey Lane, Mankato, MN 56001

Registration is easy! Click on the course title to be routed directly to our registration page. If you require further assistance, call our office at (507) 387-5501 to speak to a CER staff person.





#### THE MAGIC OF SEEDS

Lynn Rozen/Living Earth Center 2 sessions- Ages 4-10

Kids, explore the magic of seeds with Lynn, the Living Earth Center's children's garden teacher. We'll take a look at different kinds of seeds, start a "bean in a bag" together, and learn how to make a seed collage. Get your own package of magic beans and sunflower seeds to plant at home. (available at a designated pickup spot). We'll meet again in July to see how things have grown. This class will be offered via Zoom Meeting. Upon registering, participating families will be sent the login info and password to enter the meeting prior to the workshop. Please note that the meeting will be recorded and sent out only to participants. Future garden classes by Living Earth Center may be available on site if CDC and local program guidelines allow. Updates will appear in future brochures. COURSE#: 5257-1s \$20 per family

Distance Learning / Online ZOOM Meeting Wed. May 27, 4-5 pm & Wed July 15, 4-5 pm

#### **NESTS AND BACKYARD DISCOVERIES**

Lynn Rozen/Living Earth Center 1 session- Ages 4-10

How can you tell where an animal has been? Critters often leave clues behind, like a snake skin or a bird's nest. We'll examine different bird's nests up close. Learn to weave your own nest or start a nature treasure box. Become an animal sleuth in your own yard this summer. This class will be offered via Zoom Meeting. Upon registering, participating families will be sent the login info and password to enter the meeting prior to the workshop. Please note that the meeting will be recorded and sent out only to participants. Future garden classes by Living Earth Center may be available on site if CDC and local program guidelines allow. Updates will appear in future brochures.

AN ONLINE CLASS FOR KIDS

COURSE#: 5258-1s \$15 per-family
Distance Learning / Online ZOOM Meeting

Monday June 8, 3:30-4:15pm

# YOUTH ENRICHMENT



Anita Baerg-Vatndal

1 Session - Ages 5-12

Let's celebrate HOPE! Using colorful rainbows as our theme, you will find all you need in this "crafty kit," to make three fun projects. Our first will be a window design with a multi dimensional effect. Tissue paper, cotton balls and plenty of bright rainbow colors will make this wall or window display one to keep or one to share. Next, we will stay in the decorator mode with a vertical display we call rainbow garland. Finally, rainbow colored beads are the backdrop of a special hope bracelet that will be fun to wear or share. This kit will contain all you need to make the projects, (including detailed instructions). Registration is open until June 8. Participants will be notified with instructions to pick up their crafty kit from Lincoln Community Center.

COURSE #: 5780s \$30

Registration Deadline:

Tue, Jun 8 Make at home crafts

#### YOUNG REMBRANDTS - ONLINE DRAWING

10 sessions - Ages 6-12

Young Rembrandts is traditionally an in-person program held at schools and Community Centers. In response to the Coronavirus pandemic, we have modified our instruction for online learning through video. Each week, we will send a link via email with access to the video class. We are offering a 10 week session, each with a unique set of lessons designed to teach basic to advanced drawing skills, art techniques and vocabulary to students ages 6-12. Simple supplies are needed -8.5"x11" paper, pencil, Crayola broad tip markers, eraser, & black Sharpie marker. Notes: A unique link will be sent to the email address used to register on a weekly basis. You can access the video by logging in with your email address. Students will be able to watch the video at their convenience, pausing when needed. The video can be viewed up to five times. You can register anytime within the session. We will send you lesson links for all classes that have already been released no matter when you register.

COURSE#: 4707-1s \$35 10 week session at home tutorials

#### DRAMA LAB TV - ON DEMAND

4 sessions- Grades 1-5

Drama Lab is now available from any location! We now offer LIVE online sessions where our teachers will engage with students playing our favorite drama games! Students will receive much needed social interaction with others, while playing, using their imagination, at home props, drawings and more. Laughs Guaranteed! This section will be for elementary students in grades 1-5! Join drama lab students from your school and other schools in Farmington! After registering you will get a link to join the class via zoom! Aaron Strawn is an entrepreneur and Founder of Drama Lab, located in Farmington, MN. His 14 year career working with children and theatre inspired him in 2018 to launch Drama Lab, an after school program that has enrolled over 800 students in more than 30 locations. When he isn't dreaming up new ideas, he loves to be home with his family, watch hockey, and hunt down the most current techie toys. He is currently working on expanding Drama Lab in more locations while adding programs that reach kids and adults. Requirements:-Computer, tablet, or smartphone-Camera and microphone-Wifi-Zoom App(CLICK HERE TO DOWNLOAD)

#### **Spots are limited SIGN UP TODAY!**

COURSE#: 5022-1s \$33.00 Mon. - Thurs, June 8-11; 1:00 - 1:45 pm

## MackinVIA VIRTUAL LIBRARY - FREE TOUR

Stacy Vilt

1 session Grades 6-8

Mankato Area Public Schools youth have access to the MackinVIA online book collection. This summer, middle school youth will have access to over 4,000 new titles. Media Specialist, Stacy Vilt is taking students on a virtual tour of the library to show MAPS students how to use all of the fun features of this expanded collection. Participation is free, but registration is required. This tour will take place on Google Hangout. Student participants will be sent an invitation to participate. Future opportunities using MackinVIA will be introduced at the tour. This class is open to only registered MAPS students.

COURSE#: 5253-1s FREE

Wednesday, June 8; 1:00 -2:00 pm



### MOANA JR.

Paul Christianson

11 Sessions – Ages 11–16

This thrilling and heartwarming coming-ofage story follows the strong-willed Moana as she sets sail across the Pacific to save her village and discover the truth about her heritage. Moana and the legendary demigod Maui embark on an epic journey of self-discovery and camaraderie as both learn to harness the power that lies within. With empowering messages of bravery and selflessness, Moana JR. is sure to bring out the hero within each of us. Youth cast in this show will participate in all aspects of production from acting to set creation, costume and make up design. This drama experience is more consistent with the experience a young actor would encounter in future high school or community plays.

COURSE #: 4621s

\$80

POSTPONED TO AUG 3-15, 2020

speak to a CER staff person.



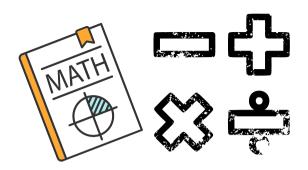
#### MATH - BY - MAIL

Brent Lackas, Tanya Ravnholdt 8 Sessions – Grades 5–9

It's Back! Keep young minds active with the locally developed Math-By-Mail curriculum: Math practice accompanied by enrichment activities for the upcoming summer months. Created by current middle school math teachers with 45+ years of combined experience! Minnesota State Standards, Math Frameworks MCA strands, and current Minnesota Benchmarks are the foundational basis for this curriculum. With creative problem solving, multiple choice, short answer and vocabulary embedded into an 8-week course of independent study, students will maintain or increase the level of their math understanding, in addition to reviewing the recommended targets suggested by grade level in the Minnesota School Academic Standards for mathematics. See online registration information for additional information on the process.

COURSE #: 4719s \$98 Self-paced, Jun 8–Aug 10

# YOUTH ENRICHMENT



Registration is easy! Click on the course title to be routed directly to our registration page. If you require further assistance, call our office at (507) 387-5501 to speak to a CER staff person.

## SUMMER MATH & READING REVIEW!

## **GRASP**

Practice grade level Math & Reading this summer using the GRASP workbook! A series of 9 lessons and pencil / paper tests will allow you to practice skills **WITHOUT A COMPUTER, OR INTERNET.** 

Work at your own pace! All lessons are done at home. When you are finished, return your completed test to Community Education & Recreation to be scored. (mail tests or drop off)

If you are having trouble with a lesson, feedback will be returned to you with an invitation to take the lesson test again. It is all about practice & positive feedback. In September, students who complete all the lessons successfully will receive a certificate or academic medal (based on test scores).

#### **COST**

COURSE#: 5252s-Math \$30 COURSE#: 5252s-Reading \$30

COURSE#: 5252s-Math & Reading \$56

## LOGIN & REGISTER BYJUNE 5

GRASP is brought to you by Mankato Area Public Schools' Community Education & Recreation Department. To practice concepts just completed, order the workbook that corresponds to your grade level as of May 2020. To work ahead on concepts you will learn next year, register for the workbook corresponding to your grade in September 2020.

Once you order your book,it becomes your property and cannot be exchanged for another workbook.





For more information or to register, call Mankato Community Education & Recreation at 507-387-5501 or register online at www.mankato.thatscommunityed.com

STEM SAMPLER KIT (CHEMISTRY-**AEROSPACE - ELECTRICITY)** At Home STEM Kits

(no computer / internet required)

Project is hands on and mailed directly to your home (all necessary supplies are included) Recommended Ages: Working with an adult, ages, 8+. Working under adult supervision, ages 12+. Have fun with three STEM topics...chemistry, aerospace and electricity. First, your budding scientist will explore the three most common States of Matter in our environment: a solid, liquid and a gas. As your child conducts the three fun and exciting experiments from the Activity Guide, they will be learning that: a solid has a stable shape, a liquid will take on the shape of the container holding it, and that a gas has no shape. Next, discover the four forces that allow planes and rockets to fly: thrust, drag, weight and lift as you experiment with these forces with fun, hands-on experiments and activities while using a paratrooper to investigate drag, a disk launcher to explore lift and more. Then, you will build and test an electromagnet and learn how the electromagnetic field was first discovered. COURSE#: 4390-1s \$38

STEM SAMPLER KIT 2 (ENGINEERING - CHEMISTRY WITH pH) At Home STEM Kits

3 experiments included mailed directly to your home

(no computer / internet required)

Project is hands on and mailed directly to your home Recommended Ages: Working with an adult ages, 8+. Working under adult supervision, ages 12+. Have fun with two STEM topics...engineering and chemistry with pH. Take your first steps into engineering by designing and building your own Art-Bot. These fun and silly robots are popular with both children and adults. Using the Activity Guide, with detailed picture instructions, the fun begins as you build your own Art-Bot with a motor, battery holder and more! Then, give your robot a personality with the craft supplies included in the kit. This STEM kit is not just hands-on....it is hands-in. Then, step into your own science lab to test the pH of six everyday substances. The exciting part of testing for pH is that the mixture changes color. The final color will indicate if the substance tested is an acid, a base or a neutral. This experiment will have your child excited about the science side of STEM! Plus, enough pH indicator will be provided so this experiment can be conducted again to test other items found around your home.

COURSE#: 4390-1s

3 Experiments included Mailed directly to your home



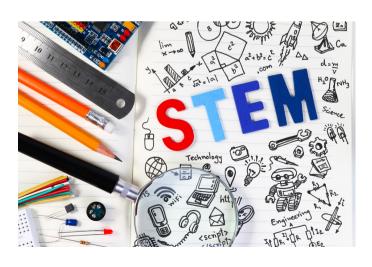
#### **DUNGEONS & DRAGONS- ONLINE**

Mick Glackler-Riquelme

4 Sessions - Ages 11-15

Our June camp will be an online format using Google Hangout & Google Classroom. Participants will be emailed an invite to join the Google Classroom & access course materials. A student's school email is preferred or we can send an invite to a parent email. Class materials needed for class will be available for pickup the week prior to class starting. Instructions for safe pick up of class supplies will be emailed to participants. Seeking adventurers! Join the Dungeons & Dragons Heroes summer camp to learn, play and create with Dungeons & Dragons, (5th Edition). No supplies or knowledge of the game are necessary to join and play. Create the adventure! You build characters to guest for fame and treasure, wielding might, skill and magic against all manner of mythical, fantasy monsters and villains. Participants will receive "Legendary" access to D&D Beyond for character creation, their own polyhedral dice and dice bag, a D&D essentials kit, and much

COURSE #: 5393-1s \$140 Tue-Fri, Jun 16-19; 12-3 pm Online - Google Classroom & Google Hangout



## {YEL!} SCRATCH CODING ANIMATION (ONLINE COURSE)

Youth Enrichment League

Ages 8-14

4 sessions

Learn basic and intermediate coding techniques with Scratch®. Students will be introduced to the vital field of coding and learn how to use movement blocks, loops, control blocks, and other basic coding for animation. Students will be given a Scratch® user account. More details will be sent on how to join the class. Students can share their code online with other Scratch kiddos, and they can keep it in their own account. Seats are limited, so sign up today!

COURSE#: 5386-1s \$38

Mon-Thurs, June 29- July 2; 9:00-10:00 am



## {YEL!} SCRATCH CODING VIDEO GAMES (ONLINE COURSE)

Youth Enrichment League

Ages 8-14 -4 sessions

Design, code, test, and share your very own video games using Scratch®. Students will be introduced to the vital field of coding and learn how to use movement blocks, loops, control blocks, and other basic coding for use in designing their own video games. Students will be given a Scratch® user account. More details will be sent on how to join the class. Students can share their code online with other Scratch kiddos, and they can keep it in their own account. Seats are limited, so sign up today!

COURSE#: 5387-1s \$38

Mon-Thurs, June 29- July 2; 10:15-11:15 am



#### **{YEL!} SCRATCH CODING LEVEL 3 (ONLINE COURSE)**

Youth Enrichment League

Ages 8-14-

4 sessions

If you've either taken a previous YEL Coding with Scratch class or have prior Scratch coding experience, this class can take you to the next level. Students will take a deeper dive into Scratch coding to design and code more challenging video games and animations. Students will be given a Scratch® user account. More details will be sent on how to join the class. Students can share their code online with other Scratch kiddos, and they can keep it in their own account. Seats are limited, so sign up today!

COURSE#: 5388-1s \$38

Mon-Thurs, June 29- July 2; 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

## **BEGINNING GUITAR (ONLINE)**

Youth Enrichment League Ages 12-15

4 sessions

Take up a brand new instrument this summer and learn basic chords, notes, and maybe even some famous rock solos. A guitar is necessary to participate.

COURSE#: 5389-1s \$43 Mon-Thurs, June 15-18; 9-10 am

## YEL MAGIC LEVEL 1 (ONLINE)

Youth Enrichment League

Ages 7-11- 4 sessions

Amaze your family and friends with prestidigitation and legerdemain (magic tricks...that is). Students will use common household items (deck of cards, paper clips, pencils, etc.) to learn and perform magic tricks. Get ready to wreck the internet with awesome Instagram posts of your kiddo doing magic. Join the class where the focus is on hocus-pocus!

NOTE: YEL has designed tricks using common household items. We will email parents a full list of these items in the days leading up to the first class.

COURSE#: 5395-1s \$38

Mon-Thurs, June 22-25; 11:30 am -12:30 pm

Registration is easy! Click on the course title to be routed directly to our registration page. If you require further assistance, call our office at (507) 387-5501 to speak to a CER staff person.

## BRICK BUILDERS CHALLENGE 1- CATAPULTS & MORE (ONLINE COURSE)

Youth Enrichment League

Ages 6-11 - 4 sessions

Create a marshmallow catapult, a cute doggie, a cool car and use them to compete in different Brick Builder LEGO® bricks challenges. Each day we will have different challenges for participants. Participants will receive the rules at the start of each class. Parents will receive a link to a GoTo Meeting meeting in order to allow participants to share their webcam. **NOTE:** Parents may be asked to help for a short time with measuring, implementing rules, holding the camera, or needs to promote a fair environment.Participants need: LEGO bricks to build with. A measuring tape or something to measure. • A computer with a web camera so we can see them building, as well as speakers and a microphone. Signing up here secures your spot. Parents will receive a link 45 minutes prior to the event to log on to the proper channel using GoTo Meeting. If participants want to collaborate with a sibling, that is completely acceptable. No additional registration required. COURSE#: 5395-1s

## BRICK BUILDERS CHALLENGE 2- SUPER BRIDGE & MORE (ONLINE COURSE)

Youth Enrichment League

Mon - Thurs, June 15-18; 9-10 am

Ages 6-11 - 4 sessions

Create a giant tower, a wicked ride, a super bridge and use them to compete in different Brick Builder LEGO® bricks challenges. Each day we will have different challenges for participants. Participants will receive the rules at the start of each class. Parents will receive a link to a GoTo Meeting meeting in order to allow participants to share their webcam. NOTE: Parents may be asked to help for a short time with measuring, implementing rules, holding the camera, or needs to promote a fair environment. Participants need:• LEGO bricks to build with.• A measuring tape or something to measure.• A computer with a web camera so we can see them building, as well as speakers and a microphone.

COURSE#: 5396-1s \$38

Mon - Thurs, June 15-18; 10-15-11:15 am

## BRICK BUILDERS CHALLENGE 3- BRICK BUILDER CHALLENGE TAKES OVER THE TRI-STATE AREA (ONLINE CLASS)

Youth Enrichment League

Ages 6-11 - 4 sessions

{YEL!} is hard at work in our underground lair developing Brick Builder challenges to help students take over the Tri-State Area. Do you have what it takes? Each day we will have different challenges for participants. Participants will receive the rules at the start of each class. Parents will receive a link to a GoTo Meeting in order to allow participants to share their webcam.

COURSE#: 5397-1s \$38

Mon - Thurs, June 15-18; 11:30 am- 12:30 pm

# YOUTH ENRICHMENT

### **{YEL!} CHESS BEGINNERS (ONLINE COURSE)**

Youth Enrichment League

Ages 6-12- 4 session

Learn the game played by kings, queens, presidents, and laureates for centuries. Chess benefits student's focus, sportsmanship, problem solving, mental fortitude, and more. Co-hosted by National Chess Master and former state champion Nathan Hoover, YEL Online Chess Lessons are immersive, engaging, and rich with content. Seats are limited, so sign up soon! We suggest participants have a computer with a microphone and speakers, high speed internet, a ChessKid.com account (email us if you need one). We'll be using ChessKid.com as well as chess.com for lesson analysis. Students will also be invited to participate in free online chess tournaments using ChessKid.com.

COURSE#: 5293-1s \$38 Mon-Thurs. June 22-25: 9-10 am

## {YEL!} CHESS INTERMEDIATE & ADVANCED (ONLINE COURSE)

Youth Enrichment League

Ages 6-18- 4 sessions

The YEL Online Intermediate and Advanced Chess Lessons Series will focus on opening variations, endgame practice, move by move analysis and more. Co-hosted by National Chess Master and former state champion Nathan Hoover, YEL Online Chess Lessons are immersive, engaging, and rich with content. Seats are limited, so sign up soon! We suggest participants have a computer with a microphone and speakers, high speed internet, and ChessKid.com account (email us if you need one). We'll be using ChessKid.com as well as chess.com for lesson analysis. Students will also be invited to participate in free online chess tournaments using ChessKid.com.

COURSE#: 5294-1s \$38 Mon-Thurs, June 22-25; 10:15-11:15 am

### **{YEL!} FREE ONLINE CHESS TOURNAMENTS**

Youth Enrichment League

All Ages

{YEL!} offers free weekly chess tournaments using ChessKid.com. These are open to any current or former YEL student with a ChessKid.com account.

Thursdays from 1-3 pm



Dear Parent.

We would like to share an important update about our Camp Invention® program. In response to the many challenges and disruptions we are all experiencing due to COVID-19, our local site can no longer host Camp in person this summer. The National Inventors Hall of Fame team has been hard at work developing an alternative solution, however, to ensure our campers don't miss out on the fun, hands-on experience we've all grown to love at Camp Invention. We want children to be excited about this summer — so we are sending your child everything they will need to keep the open-ended. creative exploration going at home! Our new Camp Invention® Connect program includes a complete set of four activity kits, packed full of materials to bring dynamic, flexible STEM activities to life! Though the current circumstances prevent us from physically attending camp, your child is going to LOVE discovering this package on your doorstep and unboxing each exclusive kit! Take a look inside! https://www.invent.org/camp-invention-connect After tackling such a challenging year, we know summer fun and learning are more important than ever before. We've incorporated high-energy activities and opportunities to go outdoors, so Camp Invention Connect will keep your child engaged and moving! Plus, our program is designed for flexibility. Your child can join daily kickoff sessions with fellow campers and a local educator — all while keeping screen time minimal – or they can choose to be screen-free and child-led. These sessions include fun icebreakers and problem-solving excursions, keeping even our most shy campers excited as they make new friends! The complete set of four kits is priced at \$185, but anyone who is already registered will automatically get the lowest price available of \$170. We feel it is important to share that the economic downturn has not left Camp Invention unaffected, so while they are providing these kits at the lowest possible price, as a nonprofit, we are asking parents to help support and sustain their mission by allowing your remaining balance to be applied to your account as a credit for next year, and we will hold your spot for the all-new 2021 program at your 2020 price. We value our alumni immensely and we understand if you are not in a position do this. If that is the case, or if you want to discuss alternatives, please call 800-968-4332 and Camp Invention will be happy to help. We are so grateful for your continued support as we all work to make the best of this difficult time. Your partnership in promoting creativity and advancing innovation is the reason why our next generation of innovators will become world-changers!



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## YOUTH RECREATION

#### YOUTH INTRODUCTION TO GOLF

3 Sessions – Entering Grades 4–8
This is a great opportunity for boys and girls to learn about and try the game of golf. This introduction to golf will cover many of the basic essential tools to play the game. We will provide all the equipment needed. Included in the fee is access to the driving range, putting/chipping green, range balls and rental clubs.

\$35

COURSE #: 8901-1s Mon, Jun 8, 15, 22; 9–10 a.m. Minneopa Golf Club



Summer Sport Camps are being considered to be held in July or August.

More information will come out in the June brochure.





## Check in/check out Procedures

# PLEASE COME TO THE POOL IN YOUR SWIMSUIT. LOCKER ROOM USAGE WILL BE LIMITED TO RINSING OFF ONLY TO LIMIT CONTACT IN LOCKER ROOMS.

- 1. Enter Door 9. North side of the building, facing the football field. <u>Door 6 will NOT be unlocked.</u>
- 2. Go through brief health screening. This will require you to check your own and/or your child's temperature within 2 hours before scheduled program. Report your temperature and whether or not your have any of the following symptoms to staff at check in.
  - a. Cough or shortness of breath
  - b. Chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, or loss of smell or taste
- 3. Enter locker room to <u>rinse off</u> before entering pool deck.
- 4. Enter pool deck for specified programming.
- 5. Exit pool using south side doors. If you need to change you may use the restrooms.
- 6. Exit the building using Door 6.

## Thank you for your cooperation!



# **AQUATICS**

## RED CROSS SWIMMING LESSONS

TIME	SESSION A June 22 - July 2	SESSION B JULY 13 - JULY 23	SESSION C AUGUST 3 - AUGUST 13
9:00 - 9:35 AM	LEVEL 2 & LEVEL 3	LEVEL 2 & LEVEL 3	LEVEL 2 & LEVEL 3
9:45 - 10:20 AM	LEVEL 4 & LEVEL 5	LEVEL 4 & LEVEL 5	LEVEL 4 & LEVEL 5
10:30 - 11:05 AM	LEVEL 1 & PRESCHOOL AQUATICS	LEVEL 1 & PRESCHOOL AQUATICS	LEVEL 1 & PRESCHOOL AQUATICS
12:45 - 1:20 PM	LEVEL 6	NO LESSON	NO LESSON
1:30 - 2:05 PM	LEVEL 2 & LEVEL 3	LEVEL 2 & LEVEL 3	LEVEL 2 & LEVEL 3
2:15 - 2:50 PM	LEVEL 4 & LEVEL 5	LEVEL 4 & LEVEL 5	LEVEL 4 & LEVEL 5
4:30 - 5:05 PM	LEVEL 1	LEVEL 1	LEVEL 1
5:15 - 5:50 PM	PARENT/CHILD & PRESCHOOL AQUATICS	PARENT/CHILD & PRESCHOOL AQUATICS	PARENT/CHILD & PRESCHOOL AQUATICS
6:00 - 6:35 PM	PARENT/CHILD & PRESCHOOL AQUATICS	PARENT/CHILD & PRESCHOOL AQUATICS	PARENT/CHILD & PRESCHOOL AQUATICS

# REGISTER ONLINE AT MANKATO.CE.ELEYO.COM

ALL LESSONS ARE HELD AT MANKATO EAST HIGH SCHOOL. PLEASE PARK IN THE FAR EAST PARKING LOT (NEAR THE PLAYGROUND AND HOCKEY RINK) AND ENTER DOOR 9 (ON THE NORTH END OF THE BUILDING FACING THE FOOTBALL FIELD).

# **AQUATICS**

## PRIVATE SWIMMING LESSONS

One-on-one instruction with certified American Red Cross Water Safety Instructors. Ideal for those who desire individual instruction or those who need to "catch up" on skills to join a Learn-to-Swim group lesson. Private swimming lessons are 30 minutes long running Monday through Thursday.

Please call Community Education & Recreation at 507-387-5501 to schedule private lessons.

## MASTERS SWIM

Designed swim workouts, not swimming lessons. Lanes are divided by ability, and workouts are scaled to each lane. For more information, visit our website.

Master swim runs on a punch card system. A maximum of 12 swimmers will be allowed in the pool at a time. Please contact Tia Dupont at tdupon1@isd77.org to reserve your spot.

COURSE #: 3900-S20.

**EHS-Pool** 

Mon/Wed, June 15 - Aug 26; 5 am - 6:30 am Mon/Wed, June 15 - Aug 26; 7 am - 8:30 am Tues/Thurs, June 16 - Aug 27; 6 am - 7:30 am No Masters swim July 27 - July 30

# WATER AEROBICS, LAP SWIM AND WATER WALKING

Classes are led by an experienced instructor, taking into consideration participants' individual needs. No swimming ability is required for Water Aerobics. Shallow and deep water is available.

Water Aerobics, Lap Swim, and Water Walking run on a punch card system. A maximum of 12 participants will be allowed in the pool at a time. Please contact Tia Dupont at tdupon1@isd77.org to reserve your spot.

COURSE #: 3800-S20.

**EHS-Pool** 

Mon/Wed, June 15 - Aug 26; 7 pm - 8:30 pm Tues/Thurs, June 16 - Aug 27; 7 pm - 8:30 pm No Water Aerobics, Lap Swim, and Water Walking July 27 - July 30

## **PUNCH CARDS**

Punch cards are available for purchase online and pick up at the East High School Pool. Punch cards available in increments of 5, 10, 15, or 20.

Masters swim

\$4 / punch

Water Aerobics, Lap Swim, Water Walking \$4.50 / punch





Registration is easy! Click on the course title to be routed directly to our registration page. If you require further assistance, call our office at (507) 387-5501 to speak to a CER staff person.

## **ADULT**



## ADULT GOLF

Golf Instruction for Beginners

3 Sessions

Have you ever considered playing golf? Come give it a try. We will provide all the tools you need. Included in the total fee is access to the driving range, putting/chipping green, range balls and rental clubs! We will be teaching the basics of golf as well as some basic game strategy tips.

COURSE #: 3462-1s \$55 (includes clubs, facility, access to range balls) Mon, Jun 8, 15, 22; 6–7 p.m. Minneopa Golf Club

#### HAND-BUILDING AT HOME

Caitlin Heyer

Make a medium sized

figure for your garden or home with

our take-home hand-building kit. You will be contacted for picking up the kit with 10 lbs of clay or for an additional \$5 we will drop the kit off at your door step. Classes will be instructed over

Zoom. Figures need to be returned

to the Lincoln Community Center for firing. Someone from the office will contact you on July 1 to schedule a drop off

time.

Students will also be contacted to pick up when pieces are complete.

COURSE # 1509s \$49

Tue, Jun 9-30; 4-6 pm

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110 Fulton Street Mankato, MN 56001



Tia Dupont 6 Sessions



Enjoy simple yoga poses to help stretch out and relax your body. This class is designed for all individuals; no yoga experience is necessary for this class. This class is ideal for everyone as we could all use more flexibility in our lives! Weekly emails will be sent to participants with direct links to exclusive videos.

COURSE #:1220-1s \$50 Thu, Jun 4–Jul 9 ONLINE

COURSE #:1220-2s \$50 Thu, Jul 23– Aug 27. ONLINE

Open Pottery Studio will be available beginning JUNE 15th for 2 hour time slots. Each time slot is equal to one punch on your card. You must sign up ahead of time in order to use the studio. It will be for one person only, that has already been trained in using the space. Please clean up thoroughly. Sanitation products will be available to use on equipment before/after you use the studio. Pieces will be fired by studio staff when there is enough to load. You may bring your clay home as you were able to before. You must contact the CER Office when you drop off pieces. All Open Pottery punch card holders will be sent an email with a form to sign up for studio time. When you sign up for your time slot you will be required to fill out a form one hour before your session begins, with brief health information specific to COVID-19 symptoms, including present temperature. If you are a new customer and are interested in open studio time please email aboswe1@isd77.org to register and receive training.



# ADULT BASIC EDUCATION



## MANKATO AREA ADULT BASIC EDUCATION PROGRAM

Lincoln Community Center 110 Fulton Street Mankato, MN 56001 (507) 345-5222

New Ulm Public Library 17 N Broadway Street New Ulm, MN 56073 (507) 779-5827

#### Summer 2020 ONLINE ABE class schedule

**GED/MN Adult Diploma Preparation Click Here for GED Testing Schedule** 

June 9 - July 30

Instructors: Marilyn Solberg & Theresa Mosher

On-Ramp: Skills in Demand

By appointment June 8- July 30 Tuesday through Thursday

Instructors: Ron Fleischmann & Jed Highum 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM

Monday through Thursday

**English Language Learning** 

July 6 - July 30

Instructors: Clarice Esslinger & Jen Johnson

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Tuesday through Thursday

Beginning ESL (Level 1-3)

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Instructors: Katy Young & Jen Johnson 5:30 - 7:30 PM

Tuesday through Thursday

Intermediate ESL (Level 4-5)

9:00 - 11:00 AM

Instructors: Jean Jurgenson & MaryKate Piroso Tuesday through Thursday

Int/Adv ESL (Levels 4-6)

Instructors: Jean Jurgenson & staff

5:30 - 7:30 PM

Tuesday through Thursday

Advanced ESL (5-6)

Instructors: Liv Musel-Staloch & MaryKate Piros

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM Tuesday through Thursday

Para Pro Preparation Morning

Instructors: Liv Musel-Staloch & Jed Highum June 12 - July 31 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM Fridays

SCC College & Career Prep Academy

Accuplacer Prep (Reading/Writing)

Accuplacer Prep (Math)

Online - Meetings by Appointment

June 1 - July 30

Instructors: Marilyn Solberg Instructors: Rebecca Strom

Monday through Thursday Monday through Thursday

SCC Connects - Healthcare Bridge

Afternoons

Instructors: Bette Blaisdell & Jen Johnson June 22 - July 30 Monday/Wednesday/Thursday

SCC Connects - Manufacturing Bridge

Afternoons

Noon - 3:00 PM

Instructors: Ron Fleischmann & Jed Highum July 16 - August 13

Noon - 3:00 PM

Monday/Wednesday/Thursday

To register for classes, please fill out this form. If you need help, please call or email. Mankato (507) 345-5222 or abe@isd77.k12.mn.us New Ulm (507) 779-5827 or tmoshe1@isd77.k12.mn.us



# ADULT BASIC EDUCATION

# SCC CONNECTS

# Get ready to start a South Central College Manufacturing Program:

- Machine Tool Technology
- Mechatronics
- HVAC/R
- · Auto Body and Collision
- Welding





## **Manufacturing CAREERS**



## **SCC Connects** is a FREE program that connects future SCC students to:

- A course to get you ready for college (math, reading and career exploration)
- · College application and registration assistance
- · Guidance navigating the college computer system
- Financial Aid/FAFSA
- · Grants and Scholarships
- College classroom support (Tutoring)
- Financial help with books, tuition, supplies and equipment

## SCC Connects Classes:

July 16 – August 13 Mondays, Wednesdays, & Thursdays 12:00 - 3:00 pm Call Adult Education **today** at (507) 345-5222

www.southcentral.edu/connects







# ADULT BASIC EDUCATION

# SCC CONNECTS

## Get ready to start a South Central College Healthcare Program:

- Medical Assistant
- Nursing Assistant (CNA)
- · Medical Laboratory Technician
- Phlebotomy
- Dental Assisting
- · Health Unit Coordinator
- · Practical Nursing (LPN)
- · Professional Nursing (RN)
- Intensive Care Paramedic Technician





# Healthcare CAREERS



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## REGISTRATION AND PARTICIPATION INFORMATION

### **PAYMENTS**

Community Education & Recreation collects payment information at the time of registration. NEW! The payment will be processed the week prior to start date. You will be emailed a payment reminder at that time. We accept 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.\*\*

## ACCOUNT INFORMATION

Please be sure to review and update all user information including payment information, payer and participant names, address, phone numbers, emergency contacts and email address.

## REFUNDS

Registrants wishing to withdraw their registration from a course must do so no later than 4 business days prior to the scheduled start of the activity\* Refunds may include a \$5 processing fee. \*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 before the scheduled start of the activity. Refunds (may include \$5 processing fee) 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 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.

#### **HEALTH & SAFETY**

Based on guidance from the State of MN and CDC in response to COVID-19, participants for inperson courses will be expected to complete a short health screening (including temperature check) prior to being admitted entry into building / classroom. If a participant is not feeling well, it is expected they will stay home. Participants exhibiting symptoms of illness during the course will be asked to leave.

#### TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS

Participants registering for online courses do so with the expectation that they provide their own device and internet/wi-fi connection to access course work and/or meeting platform(s). MAPS CER is not able to provide technical support to participants.



