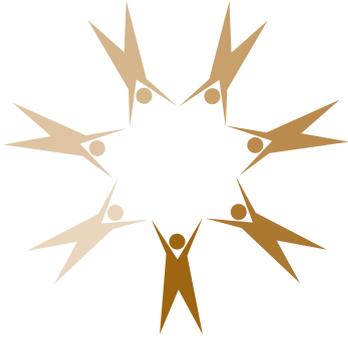


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City of Cambridge
Department of Human
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Department of Human Service Programs Employment Opportunities

The City of Cambridge Department of Human Service Programs strongly encourages residents to keep abreast of employment opportunities within the department and the City. DHSP values a diverse and qualified workforce and is especially interested in hiring Cambridge residents. All job postings are listed on the City's website, (<http://www.cambridgema.gov>), as well as in the Personnel Department at City Hall.

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This Resource Guide

This Resource Guide contains information on programs and services offered by the Department of Human Service Programs. Translation assistance is available in Spanish, Creole, and Portuguese at the contacts listed on this page. The City of Cambridge, Department of Human Service Programs, does not discriminate on the basis of disability. DHSP will provide auxiliary aids and services, written materials in alternative formats, and reasonable modifications in policies and procedures to persons with disabilities, upon request.

This Resource Guide is available in large print, and other alternate formats for persons with disabilities. For more information, call the Commission for Persons with Disabilities at (617) 349-4692 (voice) or (617) 492-0235 (TTY). This TTY line is available for deaf and hearing impaired persons with questions about any DHSP program or service.

Para Residentes Que Hablan Español

El Departamento de Servicios Humanos ofrece clases de Inglés, programas para personas mayores, servicios de empleo, guardería de niños, actividades para niños y jóvenes después de el horario escolar, programas recreativos, y otros programas para personas de Cambridge. Los programas y servicios ofrecidos son gratis o de costo rebajado. Para mas información el Concilio Hispano (617) 661-9406 esta a su disposicion.

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Para Residentes Que Falam Português

O Departamento de Serviços Humanos de Cambridge oferece classes de inglês, cuidado das crianças, atividades para jovens após a escola e para o período das férias escolares, programas para a terceira idade, programas de recepção, serviços para lhe ajudar achar trabalho, e outros programas. Os programas e serviços são gratis ou uma redução no preço. Para mais informações sobre estes serviços, faça favor de chamar para MAPS (617) 628-6065

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Cambridge Kids' Council & Agenda for Children

CAMBRIDGE KIDS' COUNCIL

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The Coordinating Council for Children, Youth and Families (Cambridge Kids' Council), established in 1991, is a City board dedicated to improving the quality of life for its children and their families through making policy recommendations and setting up programs and services. The Council brings together parents, community organizations, top City officials, and representatives of philanthropy, business, and universities to advocate for the well being of Cambridge children.

Four current major initiatives of the Kids' Council to achieve its mission are:

Centers for Families

Centers for Families is an initiative to develop school-linked, neighborhood-based family support centers for all families, particularly to those with children from birth to age 5. By coordinating formal and informal resources, the centers will link families to a full range of services to support them in nurturing their young children. The initiative began with the establishment of the Center for Families of North Cambridge in 1994. Ongoing efforts to expand family support activities across the city continue.

Agenda for Children

Introduced to the city in 1997, this initiative is to bring together different city departments, community-based organizations, businesses, philanthropies, and residents to ensure that our city's children are healthy and successful in school while living in strong communities. A special feature of this initiative is *Community Engagement*, to ensure community involvement in the planning and implementation of the initiative's two goals.

Goal #1

Children and their families will be able to read.

Objectives

- That parents and primary caregivers be supported in their role as primary and continuous teachers of language.
- That childcare workers and teachers be supported in their role in developing literacy and have the necessary tools.
- That children have access to necessary resources to practice literacy activities.
- That children who might experience difficulty learning to read and write be identified early and receive support.

Lei-Anne Ellis, Literacy Coordinator
119 Windsor Street, Ground Level
Cambridge, MA 02139
Tel: (617) 665-3827
E-mail: lellis@challiance.org

Goal #2

Children and youth will have equal access to safe, stimulating, nurturing and healthful out-of-school time activities.

Objectives

- That families and service providers improve their connection to one another.
- That the service providers strengthen operational infrastructure through partnerships.
- That all programs strive for the highest quality through innovative programs.

Susan Richards, Out-of-School Time Coordinator
51 Inman Street
Cambridge, MA 02139
Tel: (617) 349-4099
E-mail: sscott@cambridgema.gov

Youth Involvement

Began in 2001, this initiative is to develop a group of young people working with adult supporters to increase youth participation in the civic life of Cambridge. The initiative's guiding principles are:

- To have as many youth participate in opportunities created by and for young people
- To ensure diverse representation of youth throughout the city of Cambridge.

The goals of the initiative are to have youth develop leadership skills, voices to raise issues that are important to them, solutions to those issues, and a vehicle for youth decision-making in the city.

Youth ages 14 to 18 are recruited to participate in the planning and implementation of short and long term projects. Ongoing recruitment of youth as well as parents and other adults to join the effort are conducted to ensure diverse representation and to strengthen youth to parent and adult connections.

Policy Plan for Inclusion of Children & Families with Disabilities

In November 2002, the need for a citywide policy plan for inclusion of children and youth with disabilities in Out-of-school time programs and activities was identified. The Kids' Council formed a subcommittee in February 2004 to develop the *Cambridge Policy Plan for Inclusion of Individuals with Disabilities in Out-of-School Time Programs*. In February 2006, the Cambridge City Council and School Committee unanimously adopted that Policy Plan, making it an official City policy. The next step on this effort will be to implement and inform the community about the Policy Plan.

In addition to these four major initiatives, the Kids' Council is working on several other efforts to respond to the needs facing our city's children. Parents and interested parties are invited to attend the Kids' Council meetings and participate in the Council's working groups. Please contact us for additional information.

Childcare and Family Support Services

The Department Of Human Service Programs Childcare Division manages Preschool Childcare Programs for children ages 2.9 - 5 years (not yet in kindergarten) and Afterschool Childcare Programs for children in kindergarten through 6th grade. Group sizes range from 16 children in Preschool to 26 children in Afterschool classes. Programs are located in elementary schools. Enrollment is on-going. Many programs have wait lists; families are encouraged to seek enrollment well in advance of the anticipated start date.

Tuition Assistance:

Families may be eligible for partial subsidy of childcare services through the City's Scholarship Fund. To apply for assistance, complete and return the Tuition Assistance Request Form (request at time of enrollment.) When your application is received, you will be contacted with further information. Verification of financial information will be required. Families of preschool age children may be eligible for OCCS or Cambridge Community Partnership subsidy. Assistance is provided on a sliding fee scale to families that meet both financial and service need eligibility guidelines. Please contact the Enrollment Coordinator for eligibility guidelines. We accept childcare vouchers. The Childcare Resource Center Scholarship Fund is another source of financial support. Call (617) 547-1063 for details.

For further information, contact the Enrollment Coordinator at (617) 349-6254, or stop by our offices at 51 Inman Street, Cambridge. All Programs are licensed through the Office of Child Care Services. Base rates are set for Preschool and Afterschool. Monthly fees are determined by a family's income.

Preschool Program Information

Full Year Preschools: Sept-June Preschool:

The M.L. King, King Open, Morse, Peabody, and East Cambridge Preschool Programs are year-long, full-day programs. Enrollment is on-going throughout the year.

Peabody Preschool

Location: 70 Rindge Ave.
Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Contact: (617) 349-6275

M.L. King Preschool

Location: 1 Magee Street
Hours: 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Contact: (617) 349-6270

King Open Preschool

Location: 850 Cambridge Street
Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Contact: (617) 349-6261

Morse Preschool

Location: 40 Granite Street
Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Contact: (617) 349-4485

East Cambridge Preschool

Location: 159 Spring Street
Hours: 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Contact: (617) 349-4484

The Haggerty Preschool Program is a school-year, half-day program. Parents have the option of enrolling for 2, 3, or 5 mornings per week. Enrollment is on-going; families may apply for enrollment at any time during the year.

Haggerty Preschool

Location: 110 Cushing Street
Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Contact: (617) 349-6265

Afterschool Program Information

The Afterschool Programs are community-involved programs designed to meet a child's need for both independent and structured activities.

The multi-cultural curriculum encompasses a wide range of child-directed and teacher-directed activities such as science, literacy, drama, ethnic cooking, and the sharing of traditions. Challenging indoor and outdoor games are provided as well as quiet time and homework time. A nutritious snack is served each afternoon. Enrollment for Afterschool Programs is on-going. Some part-time slots are available.

Extended hours are offered on early release days and school vacations.

Peabody Afterschool

Grades: K-2 & 2-5
Telephone: (617) 349-6276
Hours: 1:55 - 5:55 p.m.

King Afterschool

Grades: K-2 & 2-5
Telephone: (617) 349-6271
Hours: 1:55 - 5:55 p.m.

Fletcher/Maynard Afterschool

Grades: K-4
Telephone: (617) 349-6296
Hours: 1:55 - 5:55 p.m.

Morse Afterschool

Grades: K-2 & 2-5
Telephone: (617) 349-6039
Hours: 1:55 - 5:55 p.m.

Center for Families

Center for Families c/o Dept. of Human Service Programs

51 Inman Street, Cambridge, MA 02139

(617) 349-3002

Email: centerforfamilies@cambridgema.gov

Website: <http://www.cambridgema.gov/DHSP2/families.cfm>

Center for Families (N. Cambridge office)

c/o Peabody School

70 Rindge Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02140

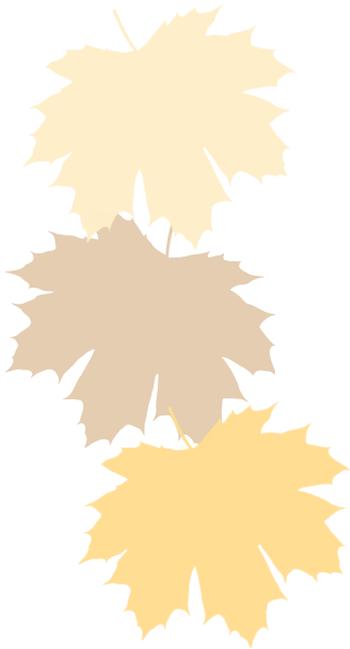
(617) 349-6385

The Center for Families' goal is to provide support to parents and caregivers in raising and nurturing their children. The program offers fun and educational activities and resources for families with young children ages 0-6. The primary program components are:

- Information and assistance in finding resources for all family members
- Parent/caregiver support groups and parenting education workshops
- Parent and child activities such as playgroups
- Community-building activities to bring families together
- Outreach to share information and resources with families throughout the community

The Center for Families serves families of children ages 0 to 6 in Cambridge. Many programs and services are offered through collaborations with community-based organizations. Activities take place in locations throughout Cambridge including schools, libraries, youth centers, housing complexes, community centers, and local agencies. The Center for Families receives funds from city, state and federal sources for the extension of family support programs to all parts of the city.

For information about the Center for Families and related family support programming throughout the city, or to receive the program's informative newsletter, the *Cambridge Family News*, contact: Jenn Kapuscik, Director, Center for Families (617) 349-3002 email: jkapuscik@cambridgema.gov



King Open Extended Day Program

King Open Extended Day serves King Open students and their families in a positive and safe out-of-school time setting that promotes the social, emotional and intellectual development of children in grades K-6. We facilitate a two-way relationship between children's school-day and afterschool experiences. We maintain ongoing communication with school staff and families to best meet the needs of each child, and we encourage strong family involvement.

We provide children with opportunities to explore the world around them and develop their interests and talents through project-based learning, hands-on, cross-grade and enrichment activities, field trips and other fun and engaging experiences. The program operates weekdays during the school year (September to June) from the end of the school day until 6:00 p.m., including early release days and vacation weeks. The program is closed on legal holidays and during the summer. Tuition is based on a sliding fee scale determined by family size and income, and starts at \$290/month. We accept vouchers and limited scholarship money is available.

Please call (617) 349-6078 for additional information and fall enrollment.

Community Learning Center

19 Brookline St., 2nd floor
Cambridge, MA 02139
(617) 349-6363

The Community Learning Center offers free classes for adults in the morning, afternoon, and evening. Classes are small and informal and students progress at their own pace.

For registration information, call (617) 349-6363 or come to the Learning Center Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. or Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Everyone is given an interview and diagnostic test to decide on the best class placement.

ESOL: English for Speakers of Other Languages

We offer 7 levels of English conversation, grammar, reading, and writing.

Reading, Writing, And Mathematics

We have classes at 5 levels, from beginning reading and math to high school level.

High School Programs

We have 2 programs to help adults complete their high school education:

GED Program

The GED program prepares students to pass 5 multiple-choice tests which are given at an official test center. The Massachusetts Department of Education awards a high school equivalency diploma to everyone who passes.

Adult Diploma Program

Adults who want to earn their high school diploma through Cambridge Rindge and Latin School work with diploma consultants to earn high school credit for life experience skills and coursework. They need to pass tests in reading, writing, U.S. history, and mathematics. Students originally members of the classes of 2003, 2004, and 2006 must pass MCAS.

Tutoring

Enrolled students can meet one-on-one with a tutor for extra help with class work.

Counseling

Educational and career counseling is provided for all students to help with successful participation in the educational program and with taking the next step after completing the program.

Computer Instruction

Students can practice their reading, writing, and math skills on a computer and learn basic computer operations and word processing skills. Classes are limited to students enrolled in other CLC classes.

Special Programs

CHA Gateways

English as a Second Language and computer classes are offered at the Jefferson Park Housing Development and 119 Windsor Street. Participants must be public housing or Section 8 tenants. Enrollment is continuous throughout the year. Call John Galli at (617) 497-4411.

CHA Computer Classes

10-week basic computer classes are offered at Jefferson Park Housing Development and 119 Windsor Street. Participants must be public housing or Section 8 tenants. Call John Galli at (617) 349-4411.

ESOL Family Literacy

The Cambridge Even Start program is a family educational program for children up to age 7 and their parents. It is a collaboration between the Cambridge School Department, the DHSP, Head Start, and other Cambridge agencies. English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) classes for parents, a parent discussion group, parent and child activities, and early childhood education for their preschool children are offered in the morning. One class is offered at the Peabody School. Home visits and counseling are also provided. Other ESOL Family Literacy classes are a morning class at Roosevelt Towers and an evening class at King Open School. Contact Deborah Lerne Goodman at (617) 349-6263 or (617) 349-6366; or Carole Sousa (617) 349-6278.

Bridge

The Bridge Program helps students improve their skills to be better prepared for college. Writing, math, study skills, and computer skills are offered. Students must have a high school diploma or GED. Call (617) 349-6363 and ask for information on Bridge Program.

Citizenship

The Learning Center offers an evening class for intermediate and advanced level ESOL students, twice a week for a total of six hours per week. Students will work on speaking and listening skills, United States government, and history. Contact Teresa Brown at (617) 349-6363 or (617) 349-4481.

ESOL Network

The ESOL Network liaison works with community groups, churches, and businesses to set up English Language programs throughout Cambridge. If any Cambridge organization is interested in providing ESOL classes at their site, they should contact Karen Ebbitt at (617) 349-6363 or (617) 349-6370.

Adult Education For The Homeless

Project LIFT provides outreach, educational assessments, counseling, class placement and individualized classes for homeless adults. Contact Nellie Dedmon at (617) 349-6363 or (617) 349-6367.



Community Schools

Agassiz

Agassiz Neighborhood Council and Community School

20 Sacramento Street
Cambridge, MA 02138
Assistant Director: Lynn Landon
(617) 349-6287
email: LLandon@agassiz.org

Agassiz Neighborhood Council (ANC) offers pre-school and school age after school programs during the public school year. Programs are staffed by experienced & certified teachers and licensed by MA Dept. of Early Education & Care. In addition, the ANC offers youth ages 12 to 14 years an opportunity to volunteer working with children in these programs and sponsors meetings for parents with infants/toddlers. For information on these programs, contact Jonathan McMullen, Director of Children's Programs, at 617-349-6287 or e-mail jmcmullen@agassiz.org

Sacramento Street Preschool

The Sacramento Street Pre-School Program is a small program serving up to 20 children ages 2.9 to 5 years Mon - Fri from Sept through June. It is housed in a comfortable building with an unusually large enclosed backyard. Families may sign up for two, three or five days a week and may choose between either a half-day morning (8:30 a.m. - Noon) or extended day (8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.) program.

Afterschool Program

The Afterschool Program serves children in kindergarten through 5th grade and operates Mon - Fri from 2:30 p.m. to 5:45 p.m. for

children who need afterschool care for 5 or fewer days a week. Activities are "choice" based and include arts, drama play, music, cooking games and outdoor play. This program also offers special multi-cultural performances to children on "early release" days and offers all day care during school vacation weeks.

Counselor-in-Training Program (CIT)

Counselor-in-Training Program (CIT) is a 12-week "after school" program offered to youth in 6th through 8th grades. CIT's make a commitment to work one afternoon a week for 12 weeks in the Afterschool program. Each CIT is assigned to work one-on-one with an experienced staff and assists in planning & providing the younger children with engaging activities.

Baby/Toddler PlayGroups

ANC sponsors informal, parent run Baby/Toddler Play Groups held weekly, giving parents & their children from birth to 3 years the opportunity to share & socialize. These groups have a dedicated space that is welcoming, spacious and equipped with many amenities, including a full kitchen.

For additional and ongoing information about the ANC activities visit our web site www.agassiz.org. Also, request a mailed or emailed monthly (September - June) ANC newsletter, "The Whistler", by contacting Phoebe Sinclair, Community Liaison, at 617-349-6287 X 10 or via email to psinclair@agassiz.org.

Cambridgeport

Cambridgeport Neighborhood Council and Community School

89 Elm Street
Cambridge, MA 02139
Director: Wade Lindhorst
(617) 349-6307
email: wldnhorst@cambridgema.gov

Registration will begin the week of September 11th at 3 p.m. and will be on a 1st come 1st serve basis. Please call (617) 349-6307 for more information.

MONDAYS

Swimming at the YMCA

Grades: K - 7
Time: 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$130/12 Mondays
Instructors: YMCA Staff
Participants will learn and improve their swimming skills. Participants will walk from the school to the YMCA. Parents will pick up their child at the YMCA after swim lessons.

Creative Movement

Grades: K - 2
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Fee: \$100/12 Mondays
Instructors: Cambridge Performance Project
Live music accompanies the class as students explore techniques and individual choreography through movement games.

Chess Club I & Chess Club II

Grades: 1 - 8
Times: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m. (chess club I)
3:30 - 4:30 p.m. (chess club II)
Fee: TBA/12 Mondays
Instructor: TBA
Learn and play chess. Strategies will be taught and games/tournaments will be played.

Fiber Weaving

Grades 3 - 5
Time: 2:45 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$100/12 Mondays
Instructor: Janet Thurer

Working with Clay I

Grades K - 3
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Fee: \$100/12 Mondays
Instructor: C-Port Art Instructor

Working with Clay II

Grades 4 - 6
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Fee: \$100/12 Mondays
Instructor: C-Port Art Instructor

Spanish

Grades: 4 - 6
Time 2:30 - 3:30
Fee: TBA
Instructor: TBA



TUESDAYS

Let's Build It

Grades: K - 3
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$60/12 Tuesdays
 Instructor: Wade Lindhorst
 Lego's, K'nex, Lincoln Logs, Tinkertoys, and more! What can you build with these? Houses? Cars? See what you can build with your hands. See your creation come to life.

Piano Lessons

Grades: 1 - 8
 Time: 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$240/12 Tuesdays
 Instructor: Armine Karapetian
 Individual 1/2 hour lessons. Available on a first come first serve basis.

Math Counts

Grades: 5 & 6
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: TBA
 Instructor: TBA

Science Spectacular

Grades K - 3
 Time 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Instructor: Science Spectacular Staff

Habitat

Grades k - 2
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$90
 Instructor: Mass Audubon Society



WEDNESDAYS

Homework Center

Grades: 5 & 6
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Cost and start date to be announced
 Instructor(s): Cambridgeport Teachers and Harvard HAND volunteers
 Complete your homework with the assistance of Cambridgeport School teacher.
 Start Date to be announced!

Computer Club

Grades: 3 & 4
 Time: 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Cost and start date to be announced.
 Instructor(s): Cambridgeport Teachers
 Learn fun computer applications and projects. Work independently on school projects which require computer skills.

Floor Hockey

Grades: 3 & 4
 Fee: \$40/12 Wednesdays
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Instructor: Wade Lindhorst

Piano Lessons

Grades: 1 - 8
 Time: 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$240/12 Wednesdays
 Instructor: Susanna Mehrling
 Individual 1/2 hour lessons. Available on a first come first serve basis.

Flag Football

Grades: 6 - 8
 Time: 2:30 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$50/12 Wednesdays
 Instructor: Tracy Gordon

**Theater Games/
Dancing**

Grades: 2 - 4
 Times: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$100/12 Wednesdays
 Instructor: Cambridge Performance Project

Bionicle Blastout

Grades K - 3
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$60/12 Wednesdays
 Instructor: Wade Lindhorst

Spanish

Grades: K - 3
 Time 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: TBA
 Instructor: TBA

THURSDAYS

Science Club for Girls

Grades: K - 8
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: Free
 Start up date to be announced.

Hot Wheels

Grades: K - 2
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$45/12 Thursdays
 Instructor: Wade Lindhorst
 This is a very popular program. This class is for the Hot Wheel enthusiast to learn all the wonderful things you can do with Hot Wheels. Wanna Race?

Homework Center

Grades: 3 & 4
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Cost and start date to be announced
 Instructor: Cambridgeport Teachers and Harvard HAND volunteers.
 Complete your homework with the assistance of a Cambridgeport School Teacher.

Computer Club

Grades: 5 & 6
 Time: 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Cost and start date to be announced.
 Instructor(s): Cambridgeport Teachers
 Learn fun computer applications and projects. Work independently on school projects which requires computer skills.

Mixed Media Art

Grades: K - 3
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$75/12 Thursdays
 Instructor: Pilar Gueteriz
 Discover the artist in you. Learn how to paint and draw from a professional artist using many forms of art.

Manga Art

Grades: 4 - 6
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$75/12 Thursdays
 Instructor: Pilar Gueteriz
 For the anime seeker, this class is a must!

Piano Lessons

Grades: 1 - 8
 Time: 3:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$240/12 Thursdays
 Instructor: Armine Karapetian
 Individual 1/2 hour lessons. Available on a first come first serve basis.

Guitar & Woodwind Lessons

Grades 1 - 8
 Time: 1/2 hr private lessons
 Fee: \$240/12 Thursdays
 Instructor: Aaron Gelb

FRIDAYS

Model Magic

Grades: K- 3
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$80/11 Fridays
 Instructor: Kristen Emack
 Let your imagination be the guide as you shape and mold this airy clay into a fun creation. Encourages self expression and builds fine motor strengths.

Gymnastics

Grades: K - 2
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$100/11 Fridays
 Instructor(s): Jamnastics Staff
 Build coordination, strength and balance. Learn safe stretching exercises, gymnastic routines and how to use traditional gymnastic equipment.

Hip Hop

Grades: TBA
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: TBA
 Instructor: Cambridge Performance Project

Cartooning

Grades: 4 - 7
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: TBA
 Instructor: Aaron Gelb

Floor Hockey II

Grades 4 - 6
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Wade Lindhorst

Storytelling Adventure

Grades: K - 2
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Fee: TBA
 Instructor: Cambridge Performance Project

EARLY RELEASE DAY ACTIVITIES

Davis Farmland

Tuesday, September 19th, 2006
 12:30 - 4:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$20

5WITS

Wednesday October 25, 2006
 Fee: \$20

Rollerworld

Wednesday November 15th, 2006
 Fee: To Be Announced

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Halloween Party at Sennott Park

Tuesday, October 31
 3 - 5 p.m.
FREE TO THE PUBLIC

ADULT PROGRAMS

ESL

Time: Monday and Wednesday evenings 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Mens Basketball

Monday & Thursday Evenings
 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
 Not a drop in, Registration is required. Call (617) 349-6307.

SENIOR CITIZENS

Line Dancing

Mondays 10:30 a.m. to noon
 Classes held at the Area IV Youth Center
 Instructor: Don Mason

SENIOR TRIPS

Check with Community School Director for dates and times.

Fitzgerald Neighborhood Council and Community School at the Peabody School

70 Rindge Ave.
 Cambridge, MA 02140
 Director: Carolyn Rodrigues
 (617) 349-6302
 email: crodrigues@cambridgema.gov

The Fitzgerald Neighborhood Council has provided quality programs for all ages for the past 30 years. The council invites all neighborhood residents and Peabody School parents to join. Your input on community issues, programming and development and identification of neighborhood needs is welcomed. For more information call Carolyn at (617) 349-6302.

Fitzgerald Neighborhood Council and Community Schools Fall Meeting

Wednesday, October 4, 2006
 Council meeting to be held at the Peabody School
 70 Rindge Ave.
 Cambridge, MA 02140
 Time: 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Middle School Partnership Coming this Fall!

Community School Classes for 6th, 7th, 8th Graders will be registered through the Middle School Partnership of Peabody School, Gately Youth Center and Fitzgerald Community School. Registration forms and schedules will be available in the Community School office and at Gately Youth Center.

Registration for the Fall Program will be on going starting September 11 from 3:00 - 5:30. Classes will begin on Monday, September 18, 2006. Classes do not meet

when school is not in session, however vacation activities are offered. Payment must accompany all registrations, no refunds are issued after the second week of classes. **Some financial assistance is available. Note: (Classes and activities listed here are subject to change.)**

MONDAYS

Piano Lessons

Ages: 7 & up
 1/2 hour private
 Fee: \$18 per lesson
 Instructor: Greg Miller

Gym Hockey

Ages: All Ages
 Two classes
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. and 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$36/12 weeks
 Instructor: Paul Costanza

Basketball

Ages: 7 - 9
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$39/13 weeks
 Instructor: Linda Janul

French Lessons

Ages: 6 - 12
 Two classes
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. and 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$48/12 weeks
 Instructor: Yollette Francois

Crafts and More

Ages: All
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$48/12 weeks
 Instructor: Jada Simmons

Circus Arts with Cambridge Performance Project

Balance a peacock feather; be a clown; learn to project and perform!

Ages: K - 6, 7 - 10
 Time: 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$65/12 weeks
 Instructor: Naomi Bennett

TUESDAYS

Paper Capers

Grades K - 2
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$52/13 weeks
 Instructor: Janet Hobbs
 Fun with all sorts of shapes, sizes and textures.

Mix It Up Painting

Grades 4 & up
 Time: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$52/13 weeks
 Instructor: Janet Hobbs

Girls Group

Ages: 9 - 11
 Time: 3:00 - 4:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$39/13 weeks
 Snack Included
 Instructors: Carolyn Rodrigues and Lynda Janul

Hangin' with the Guys

Ages: 9 - 11
 Time: 3:00 - 4:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$39/13 weeks
 Snack Included
 Instructors: Paul Costanza

Karate Class

Ages: 6 & up
 Time: 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$75/13 weeks
 Instructor: Louise Carbone

Lego Mania / Play Dough

Ages: 5 & up
 Time: 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$39/13 weeks
 Snack Included
 Instructor: TBA

WEDNESDAYS

Gymnastics & Tumbling

Ages: 5 - 7
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$75/12 weeks
 Instructor: Jamnastics Staff

Swedish Dodgeball

Ages: 9 - 11
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$36/12 weeks
 Instructor: Paul Costanza

Fun With Food

Ages: 5 - 9
 Two classes
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. and
 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$48/12 weeks
 Instructor: Lynda Janul

Sports & Games

Ages: 6 & up
 Time: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$36/12 weeks
 Snack Included
 Instructor: Paul Costanza

City Sprouts Digging, Planting, & Discovering Life

Forms Above & Beneath the Soil
 Ages: 5 - 7
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$65/12 weeks
 Instructor: Amy Barron

Peabody Playhouse

Ages: 5 - 9
 Time: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$48/12 weeks
 Instructor: Lucille Kelley

Sewing Class

Ages: All
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.,
 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$39/13 weeks
 Instructor: Jada Simmons
 The sky's the limit. An afternoon of fun and excitement. A variety of arts & crafts including: paper mache, painting, clay works, baking, and much more.

Hip Hop Dance

Ages: 7 - 9
 Time: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$75/12 weeks
 Instructor: Jamnastics Staff

THURSDAYS

Cooking Class

Ages: 9 - 11
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$48/12 weeks
 Instructor: Lynda Janul

Karate Classes

Ages: 6 & up
 Time: 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$75/11 weeks
 Instructor: Louise Carbone

Swedish Dodgeball

Ages: 10 - 11
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$36/12 weeks
 Instructor: Paul Costanza

Computers

Ages: 7 - 9
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. and
 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$36/12 weeks
 Instructors: Yvette Francois

Lego Mania / Playdough

Ages: 6 & up
 Time: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$36/12 weeks
 Snack Included
 Instructors: Debra Dowd

Science Club

Ages: All
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$48/12 weeks
 Instructor: Jada Simmons

FRIDAYS

Bowling

Saco's Bowl Haven, Davis Sq.
 Ages: 7 & up
 Time: 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$50/6 weeks
 3 strings, shoe rental & snack included.
 Instructors: Paul Costanza & Lynda Janul

Park & Play

Ages: All Ages
 Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$33/11 weeks
 Snack Included
 Instructor: Carolyn Rodrigues

EARLY RELEASE DAYS

Community Schools Bingo/

Gym Time
 Thursday, September 19
 All Ages, snack provided
 Time: 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$10

Going To The Movies

Chunky's Movie Theater
 Wednesday, October 25
 All Ages
 Time: 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$15
 Ticket & pizza included.

Fitzgerald continued

Rollerworld, Rt. 1

Tuesday, November 9
All Ages
Time: 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Fee: \$15
Admission & snack included.

Family Trip

Ringling Bros., Barnum & Bailey Circus

Sunday, October 15, 2006
Time: 4:30 p.m.
Fee: \$25

ADULT PROGRAMS

Intermediate/ Advanced Watercolor

Monday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Fee: \$100 / 10 Week Session
Starting, September 19
(May be paid in two \$50.00 installments)
Instructor: Janet Hobbs , NOCA Artist
Experiment with the medium and discover new approaches. Through demonstrations and in-class assignments, students will become more expressive and increase their knowledge of composition and color.

MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY

Men's Basketball

Tuesday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Fee: \$3/per night
Drop-in and play a pick up game at the Peabody Gym.

Teen's Basketball and Volleyball

Gym 1
Gym 2
Tuesday, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.
Fee: \$2/per night

Adult Trip

Boston Opera House
"All Shook Up"
Friday, September 29, 2006
Time: 8:00 p.m. show
Fee: \$40

Adult Beginning Watercolor

Thursday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Starting, September 21
Fee: \$100/10 week session
(may be paid in two \$50.00 installments)
Instructor: Janet Hobbs, NOCA Artist

Learn about the unique qualities of watercolor by exploring materials and experimenting with techniques. Demonstrations by the instructor, individual instruction and a prepared lesson will be part of each class. A basic supply list is available upon registration.

Senior Program Fall Shopping Trip

Tuesday, September 12, 2006
Fee: \$5 (Transportation only)
Time: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Wrentham Outlets/Cracker Barrel Restaurant

Fletcher Maynard

Fletcher Maynard Neighborhood Council and Community School

225 Windsor St.
Cambridge, MA 02139
Director: TBA
(617) 349-6295

Starting in early October, Fletcher Maynard Community School will be providing enrichment classes for children from 3:45 - 5:45 p.m., Monday to Friday in collaboration with Fletcher Maynard Academy's after school Extended Day program. Community trips and activities will also be offered.



Haggerty Neighborhood Council and Community School

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Cambridge, MA
Director: Amanda Hockman
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General Program Information

The Haggerty Neighborhood Council & Community School is a Department of Human Service Program. This program offers year round activities to all age groups, including school age enrichment courses, out-of-school time activities, vacation and summer camps, family events, adult courses, and senior trips and activities.

Enrichment Program

Dates & Times

Courses begin on Monday, September 18th and will run through Friday December 15, 2006. The enrichment program begins each day at 1:55 p.m. with 25 minutes of outside/gym playtime. Daily snacks will be provided. A fee of \$15 will be charged to cover this playtime and snack period per registered day. {\$15 covers all Mondays' Snack & Play throughout the Fall program. \$30 will cover all 2 days (ie. Mondays and Tuesdays) snack & play during the Winter program, etc} Classes will begin at 2:30 p.m. Course times and dates may vary due to the curriculum needs or if they are taught by an outside organization. Courses will not meet on early release days due to scheduled enrichment activities.

Neighborhood Council

The Haggerty Neighborhood Council is currently seeking new members who are committed to helping

the Council identify the needs, concerns, and interests of the community. We are also trying to identify members who will assist in the planning and promotion of new programming for all age groups. Please contact Amanda Hockman at (617) 349-6264 for further information.

- September 25, 2006 7-8 p.m.

Registration and Fees

New this year, all participants who want to enroll their child(ren) into our enrichment program must complete a Department of Human Service Application Form prior to registration. Once that form has been completed, one can partake in registering their child(ren). Enrollment is on a first-come first-served basis.

The registration process will occur on Tuesday, September 5th from 6:00-7:30 p.m. Everyone Must register in person, no exceptions. Please make sure your course selections and registration forms are complete and calculate the total amount. This will ensure a smooth registration process. Registration will be ongoing following Tuesday.

Payments should be made by check or money order payable to the Haggerty Community School.

Although we encourage payment in full at the time of registration, a weekly or monthly payment option is available.

Courses with insufficient enrollment will be cancelled, in which case a replacement course may be selected or a refund will be issued. Additional refunds will only be given before the second-class meeting or in the event of a medical concern.

*Courses that identify a limit to the number of children enrolled must be paid in full at the time of registration.

Enrichment Late Fee Policy

Students must be picked up promptly, following their last registered class. There will be a late fee of \$10 charged for every 15 minutes the parent/guardian is late. The school/classroom clock will be utilized to calculate lateness. Late fees must be paid within 48 hours.

Scholarships

Need based, partial scholarships are available. Please request a Financial Aid Form from the Program Director.

Income documentation is required.

Equal Access

The Haggerty Neighborhood Council & Community School & the Department of Human Service Programs do not discriminate in providing services on the basis of race, religion, national origin, cultural heritage, political belief, sexual preference, marital status, or disability. The DHSP will provide auxiliary aids and services, written materials in alternative formats, and reasonable modifications in policies and procedures to persons with disabilities upon request.

Inclusion Policy

The Department of Human Service Programs/Community Schools Division is committed to provide high quality programming for all children & youth. We welcome each child and value each child's strengths, needs, differences and similarities. We encourage all children and youth regardless of ability to participate fully.

DAILY - MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

Outside Play/Snack

Grades K-5
Time: 1:55-2:30
\$15 per registered weekday (i.e. \$15 covers every Monday from September through December)
Limited to children enrolled in additional afterschool enrichment activities for that particular day.
Supervised outside/gym play & snack.

MONDAY

September 18 - December 18
(Classes are cancelled on October 2 and October 9)

Ballet

Grades K - 1
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Grades 2 - 6
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
\$80/12 classes
Limit: 10
Instructor: Specialist
Learn the basic art of ballet.
*Appropriate Attire is Required

Tennis Lessons

Grades 2 - 6
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Grades K - 1
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
\$70/12 classes
Limit: 12
Learn the basics of the game of Tennis. Learn the different ways to hit a tennis ball along with the rules of the game. *Bring your racquet or use one of ours! Tennis balls will be provided.

Cooking & Baking

Grades K - 1
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Grades 2 - 6
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 \$70/12 classes
 Limit: 10
 Instructor: HCS Instructor
 Mix, measure, blend, bake, & cook!
 Prepare delicious recipes while
 learning the basic skills of cooking
 & nutrition.

Clay Creations

Grades 3 - 5
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Grades K - 2
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 \$75/12 classes
 Limit: 10
 Instructor: TBA
 Come & explore the possibilities of
 using clay. Find out what it takes
 to develop soft clay & create solid
 usable creations. We will learn how
 to make pinch pots, coil building, &
 other techniques.

Fun at Fresh Pond

Grades K - 6
 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Grades K - 6
 Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 \$40/12 classes
 Limit: 15
 Instructor: HCS Instructor
 Do you have Fall Fever? Come and
 join us as we investigate the jewel
 of West Cambridge, Fresh Pond. We
 will take nature walks, play at the
 park at Glacken Field, and enjoy
 other recreational activities.

Homework Workshop

Grades K - 6
 Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 \$40/12 classes
 Limit: 10

Instructor: HCS Staff
 Students may complete any home-
 work, school-related projects or
 they can read in a quiet setting.

Computer Workshop

Grades K - 6
 Time: 4:30 -5:30 p.m.
 \$40/12 classes
 Limit: 12
 Instructor: HCS Instructor
 Have fun playing some of your
 favorite computer games and ex-
 plore new ones! Computer games
 are both educational and exciting
 for all to enjoy.

Fall Fever

Grades K - 6
 Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 \$40/12 classes
 Limit: 20
 Appreciate the great outdoors....
 while we still can! Breathe in the
 fresh air and have fun playing
 games or enjoying some free play-
 time. You can decide!

TUESDAY

September 26 - December 19
 (Classes are cancelled Septem-
 ber 19 and October 31)

Storytelling
Cambridge Performance Project

Grades K - 1
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 \$75/12 classes
 Limit: 10
 Instructor: Torena Webb
 Through folktales, fairytales, and
 other genres we will discover a new
 storytelling adventure that entails
 a themed creative art project, and
 a vocal, theatrical or movement
 performance. Come runaway with us
 as we rediscover the joy of books.
 Warning, uncontrollable laughing,
 dress up, and face painting may be
 involved.

World Beat

Cambridge Performance Project

Grades 2 - 6
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 \$80/12 classes
 Limit: 10
 Instructor: Torena Webb
 This is a high-energy class that
 will combine elements of jazz,
 hip hop, precise foot movements,
 and hand clapping together with
 the latest beats in pop music.
 We will explore dance through
 different rhythms, dynamics, and
 focus while we create rhythm pat-
 terns that challenge us. This class
 begins with a creative warm up,
 stretching, cardio, step and ends
 with a fun combination.

Painting

Grades K - 1
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Grades K - 6
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Instructor: TBA
 \$75/12 classes
 Limit: 10
 Learn the basics of painting by
 utilizing various media in order to
 create texture. Work on creating
 shading and modeling through
 this introductory class.

Basketball

Grades 1-3
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Grades 4 - 6
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 \$40/12 classes
 Limit: 10
 Instructor: Satarn Thompson
 Learn the rules & skills of bas-
 ketball & you might become the
 next Paul Pierce or Sue Bird! This
 class will explore the fundamental
 skills like dribbling, passing, and
 teamwork to help create strategy
 and game play.

Arts & Crafts

Grades K-6
 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 \$60/12 classes
 Limit: 10
 Instructor: Joanne Rosario
 Utilize various materials to design
 & create imaginative works of art.
 Students will discuss the potential
 of resources & proceed to build
 from their imagination!

Soccer

Grades K- 1
 Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
 Grades 2 - 6
 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Instructor: TBA
 \$60/12 classes
 Limit: 10
 Want to learn how to bend it like
 Beckham? Discover the basics,
 through this one-hour class.
 Work on skills, drills, technique &
 strategy that is must in order to
 successfully play this internation-
 ally loved sport.

Homework Workshop

Grades 1 - 5
 Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 \$40/12 classes
 Limit: 20
 Instructor: HCS Staff
 Please refer to Monday's Class
 Description

Fall Fever

Grades K - 5
 Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 \$40/12 classes
 Limit: 20
 Instructor: Larry Thompson
 Please refer to Monday's Class
 Description.

WEDNESDAY

September 20 - December 20
(Classes are cancelled October 25 and November 22)

West African Percussion

Grades K - 1
Time: 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Grades 2-6
Time: 3:30-4:30 p.m.
\$75/12 classes
Limit: 10
Instructor: Jafar Manselle
Cambridge Performance Project
Improve your listening skills & by recreating the music of Jafar's drums! Listen to the beat and create your own!

Cartooning

Grades 3-6
Time: 2:30 -3 :30 p.m.
Grades 1-2
Time: 3:30- 4:30 p.m.
\$75/12 sessions
Limit: 10

Folk Art

Grades
\$75/12 classes
Instructor: Laurie Gaines
Join Laurie as she cross-pollinates both the arts & story exploration into fabulous art pieces!

Flag Football

Grades 2-6
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
\$40/12 sessions
Limit: 12
Do you like the Pats? Why not learn how to play a safer version of football with the Haggerty CS staff?

NFL Draft

Grades 3-6
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
\$40/12 classes
Limit: 8
Instructor: HCS Instructor
Ever want to construct your own dream team? Now you have the chance to develop your fantasy football team. Learn the ins and out of stats and their importance to their players. Discover how to build your team, while completing with your friends as you battle it out each week throughout the season!

Writer's Workshop

Grades 1 - 2
Time: 2:30 - 3:00 p.m.
Grades 3 - 4
Time: 3:00-3:30 p.m.
Instructor: Jane Lindhorst
\$35/12 sessions
Limit: 5
Need some extra help with your writing skills...well we have new for you. Join Jane for a half hour instruction as she uses the "hand-writing without tears" method.

Homework Workshop

Grades 1- 6
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
\$40/12 classes
Limit: 15
Instructor: HCS Instructor
Please refer to Monday's Class Description

Fall Fever

Grades K-5
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
\$40/12 classes
Limit: 15
Instructor: Larry Thompson
Please refer to Monday's Class Description

Private Piano Lessons

Grades K-6 (1/2 Hour Lessons)
Time: 2:30 - 6:00 p.m.
\$216/12 classes
Limit: 6
Instructor: Armine Karapetian
Learn how to play the piano with your private instructor! Spend time learning the basics of work or work on developing new techniques!
Please Note: Preference is granted to students previously enrolled in piano instruction with Armine during the HCS Program 2006.

THURSDAY

September 21 - December 21
(Classes are cancelled November 9 and November 23)

Nature Detectives

Grades 2-6
Time: 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Grades K - 1
Time: 3:30-4:30 p.m.
\$65/12 classes
Limit: 8
Instructor: TBA
Come and explore the gem of West Cambridge, Fresh Pond! Discover the habitat while gaining an understanding of nature and environmentalism.

Circus Art

Grades K - 1
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Grades 2 - 6
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
\$75/12 classes
Limit: 10
Instructor: CPP Instructor
Cambridge Performance Project
Like to clown around? Take basic clown lessons and enjoy learning scarf juggling, peacock feather balancing, stilt walking, elemen-

tary magic, and balloon animal making! Learn all these fun activities with a nice and goofy, (not scary) professional!

Haggerty Youth Council

Grades 2 - 6
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
\$30/12 sessions
Limit: 15
Instructor: Amanda Hockman/
HCS Staff
Seeking young leaders!!! Create, plan and implement new activities and programs for our enrichment program. Develop and run mini-fundraisers and other activities/events that you see fit for our community!

Yoga

Grades K - 1
Time: 2:30-3:30 p.m.
\$65/12 sessions
Limit: 10
Instructor: TBA
Learn the connection of breathing and the body. Enjoy stretching while staying connected to your body with a trained yoga specialist!

Knitting & Crocheting

Grades 2 - 6
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Grades K - 6
Time: 4:30- 5:30 p.m.
\$65/12 sessions
Limit: 8
Instructor: TBA
Learn the basics of both knitting and crocheting in this class. You'll be able to create your own textiles & keepsakes!

Basketball

Grades 2-6
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
\$40/12 classes
Limit: 12
Instructor: Kelly Savarese
Please refer to Tuesday description

Fall Fever!

Grades K - 6
3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Grades K - 6
4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
\$40/12 classes
Limit: 15
Instructor: HCS Staff
Appreciate the outdoors...while we still can! Breathe in the fresh air and have fun playing games or enjoying some free playtime. You can decide each week!

Homework Workshop

Grades 1 - 6
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
\$40/12 classes
Instructor: HCS Staff
Please refer to Monday's class description

FRIDAY

September 22 - December 15
(Classes have been cancelled on November 10, November 24 and December 22)

Dance

Grades K - 1
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Grades 2 - 6
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
\$70/11 classes
Limit: 10
Instructor: Tandemdance. Dance 5, 6, 7, 8! Use your body to express yourself. Learn basic dance & movement skills through creative activities & routines.

Thank Goodness It's Friday

Grades K - 6
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Grades K - 6
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
\$35/11 classes
Limit: 25
Instructor: HCS Staff
You've had a busy week, so use your time wisely and select what you would like to do. Chose from many options including: arts & crafts, group games or enjoy the great outdoors! So sit back & relax or get revved up to play...you choose!

Private Piano Lessons

Grades K-6 (1/2 Hour Lessons)
Time: 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.
\$198/ 11 classes
Limit: 6
Instructor: TBA
Learn how to play the piano with your private instructor! Spend time learning the basics of the piano or work on developing new techniques!

Senior Citizen Programs Fall 2006

Haggerty Senior Club

The Haggerty Senior Club is an active group, which consistently meets every month at the Shea Community Room located in Corcoran Park. Here we discuss various issues including community developments, health care, crime prevention, programs offered from the City of Cambridge, and activities for future outings. We always welcome new members and if you are interested, please contact Amanda Hockman at 617-349-6264.

Senior Club Meetings

The Senior Club convenes once a month in the Shea Community Room located in Corcoran Park. All senior club meeting begin at 11 a.m. and run until 1 p.m. Transportation is available from 700 Huron Avenue and the Haggerty School.

Fall Senior Club Meeting dates are as follows:

- Monday, September 25, 2006
- Monday, October 16, 2006
- Monday, November 20, 2006
- Monday, December 19, 2006

Senior Club Trips & Events

The Haggerty Senior Club enjoys many events throughout the year. Call for a monthly schedule.

Community Events & Enrichment Activities

Fall 2006 Community Events & Enrichment Activities

- Halloween Party ~ Tuesday, October 31, 2006
- Piano Recital ~ Wednesday, December 13, 2006 @ 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- End of the Year Holiday Celebration ~ Friday, December 15, 2006

Adult Classes

Men's Basketball

Monday Evenings 6:30-8:30 p.m.
\$30/ 9 classes

Belly Dancing

Monday Evenings 6:30-7:30 p.m.
\$70/ 12 classes

Book Club

Monday Evenings 6:30-8:00 p.m.
\$15/ 4 classes

Early Release Day Activities

Fall 2006 Early Release Day

On early release days the Haggerty Community School offers day trips to various museums, theatres, and places of interest or remain on site bringing in entertainers and setting up various activities. Enrichment classes will be cancelled for each early release day during the Fall semester. If you wish to register your child for these events please check the box located on the registration sheet. The following is a list of Early Release Day Programs for the Fall Program:

- Tuesday, September 19, 2006 ~ Farm Chores @ Drumlin Farm
- Wednesday, October 25, 2006 ~ Apple Picking @ Honey Pot Orchards
- Thursday, November 9, 2006 ~ DeCordova Museum

Fee: \$25
Limit: 35 children

Hours of Operation:
11:55 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Additional Information Will Be Available as the Date Approaches! Please Look for Flyers in the Mail/Posted on our Community Bulletin Board located outside of the Multipurpose Room in the Haggerty School



Harrington

Harrington Community School

850 Cambridge Street
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The Harrington Neighborhood Council plans programs and activities for children, adults, senior citizens and families in the Harrington/Wellington Neighborhood at the King Open School.

The Council consists of King Open School parents, residents, small business owners, and representatives of Non-Profit Organizations and City Departments.

Over the past years the Harrington Neighborhood Council worked closely with City Departments in addressing safe neighborhood concerns. Through this effort community Crime Watch groups were established.

The Harrington Neighborhood Council meets regularly on the last Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. All neighborhood residents and members of the school community are welcome to attend.

All registration takes place at the Community School office. If you cannot register in person you may drop your registration in our mailbox. Full fee is required at registration. Make check or money order payable to the Harrington Community School. Partial financial assistance is available to qualifying families. Please request a financial aid application from the Program Director. Income documentation is required.

CHILDREN'S ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Homework Assistance and Literacy

Monday - Thursday
September 18 - December 14

Ages: 6 - 10
Time: 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.
Fee: \$100 (12 weeks)

Instructor: Community School Staff

Students will receive help to complete their homework. Practice exercise will be given in math, spelling, and reading. Additional time will be spent with students to write poetry, short stories, and play word games.
Limit: 12

MONDAYS

September 18 - December 18
(12 weeks)

Creative Ballet

Cambridge Performance Project

Ages: 6 - 8
Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$80

Instructor: Anna Hendricks
Students will learn choreography and dance techniques with emphasis on modern dance, composition and performance.
Limit: 10

Garden Crafts

Ages: 5 - 8
Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$65.00

Instructor: Margarrete Morais
In this class we will use recycle objects to make, flowers, butterflies to decorate the school garden.
Limit: 10

Piano or Guitar

Ages: 7 and up
Time: 3:00 - 6:00 p.m.
Fee: \$216

1/2 hour private lessons.
Instructor: Tev Stevig
(This class is already discounted scholarship does not apply.)

Culinary Artist

Ages: 6 - 9
Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$60

Instructor: Maureen Spennitti
Mix, measure, blend. Prepare soups, salads, desserts. Limit: 10

TUESDAYS

September 26 - December 19
(12 weeks)

Adults/Children Acrylic Painting

Ages: 6 to adults
Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$75

Pilar Rodriguez
An introduction to composition and color. Adults and children will learn how to see light and dark values showing volume. Limit: 10

Paper Machae

Ages: 6 to adults
Time: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Fee: \$75

Instructor: Pilar Rodriguez
Make paper machae animals, mask, and expressive fun puppets.
Limit: 10

Basketball

Ages: 6 - 9
Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$50

Instructor: TBA
Children will learn to improve their passing, dribbling, and rebounding while developing team spirit.
Limit: 16

Tae Kwon Do

Ages: 7 and up
Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$75

Instructor: Dennis Goldsmith
Learn discipline, self-control, self-defense, body conditioning, and self-confidence. Limit: 12

Piano

Ages: 6 and up
Time: 3:00 - 6:00 p.m.
Fee: \$216

1/2 hour private lessons.
Instructor: Mereglen Skendo
(This class is already discounted scholarship does not apply.)

Science Club for Girls

Date: TBA
Ages: 5 - 13
Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee: None

The Science club for girls provides a change for girls to meet in a girl-friendly environment to learn about science! Girls work with female volunteers who present fun, hands-on activities. Girls in grades 8 - 12 participate in leadership training and work as Junior Assistants. They receive a small stipend for their work. Seventh grade girls can also work as JA-in-training. The JAITS in addition to participating in the club activities also help with club organization. Registration forms are available at the Community School office or from your classroom teachers. For additional information you may contact Science Club Program Director, Alejandra Pallasis, at 617-549-2442, email, girlsscienceclub@yahoo.com

Cub Scout Troop

Pack 41
Ages: 7 – 11
Time: 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Fee: \$10 annual fee
Meetings are held on Tuesday.

WEDNESDAYS

September 20 – December 20
(12 weeks)

Clay Works/Ceramics

Ages: 6- 10
Time: 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$80.00
Instructor: Lucia Mudd
Working with clay learn the basic of hand building and glazing. Create animals, small pots, and keepsake boxes. Limit: 10

Strong Women, Strong Girls

Date: TBA
Ages: 8 – 10
Time: 3:00 – 4:45 p.m.
Fee: None
The Strong Women, Strong Girls Program is a self-esteem and leadership development program for girls. The program utilizes the study of contemporary and historic female role models, skills building activities, and mentoring relationships to help young girls gain skills they need to become strong successful women of the future. Limit: 10

Fabric Art

Ages: 5 – 8
Time: 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Margarete Morais
Turn fabric prints into a work of art. Create your own keepsake, T-shirt, hat, bandana, etc. Limit: 10

Creative Craft

Ages: 5 – 8
Time: 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Arnita Davis
Students will use their imagination as they work with a variety of materials such as paints, clay. Limit: 10

THURSDAYS

September 21 – December 21
(12 weeks)

Chess I

Ages: 5 and up
Time: 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$70
Instructor: Vadim Martirisov
Learn the basic game strategy and develop new skills. To get the most from their game participants will be grouped by skill and experience rather than age. Limit: 12

Chess II

Ages: 5 and up
Time: 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Fee: \$70
Instructor: Vadim Martirisov
Expand your game, sharpen your skills and outwit your partner. Limit: 14

Spanish Language

Ages: 6 – 8
Time: 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$65
Instructor: Clara Preciado
Learn basic vocabulary through music, games, and other activities. Limit: 10

Sandblast

Ages: 5 – 8
Time: 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Margarete Morais

Working with sand we will create unique, fun, and astounding art projects.

Story Land

Ages: 5 – 9
Time: 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Arnita Davis
From popular children's stories make characters to create a story land. Limit: 10

FRIDAYS

September 22 – December 15
(11 weeks)

Soccer

Ages: 6 – 9
Time: 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$45
Instructor: TBA
Learn the basic skills and rules of soccer and have fun playing the game. Limit: 16

Beaded Jewelry

Ages: 5 – 8
Time: 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$65
Instructor: Margarete Morais
With a variety of beads we will create a variety of art, and jewelry. Limit: 10

Friday Fun Club

Ages: 5 – 8
Time: 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Arnita Davis
In an informal setting students will enjoy weekly activities, dancing, art, cooking. Limit: 10

Dr. Seuss Book Club

Ages: 5 – 8
Time: 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Arnita Davis
We will read some of your favorite stories from Dr. Seuss and create artwork about the stories. Limit: 10

EARLY RELEASE DAY ACTIVITY**Davis Farmland**

Sterling, MA
Tuesday, September 19
1:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Fee: \$20

Museum of Science

Cambridge, MA
Wednesday, October 25
1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$20

Roller Skating at Roller World

Saugus, MA
Thursday, November 9
1:00 – 4:30
Fee: \$20

ADULT PROGRAMS**ESL**

English as a Second Language classes are held at the King Open School
Tuesdays and Thursdays
Time: 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.
For more information and registration call Carol Sousa at the Community Learning Center at 617-349-6278

Men's Community Basketball

Thursday, September 21 – December 14

Time: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Not a drop-in program. Call for registration information, 617-349-6305.

SENIOR CITIZENS' PROGRAMS

Bingo Club

Time: 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Wednesdays, beginning September 20.

MONTHLY TRIPS

HoBo RailRoad Turkey Dinner Train

Meredith, N. H.

Monday, October 9

Full course turkey dinner while viewing the beautiful New England Fall Foliage.

Fee: \$42

Coach bus departs the King Open School at 9:30 a.m. and the Kennedy School at 9:45 a.m. and returns approximately 5:30 p.m.

Annual Holiday Party

Polish American Club

747 Cambridge St.

Wednesday, December 13

12:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Fee: \$22 Members,

\$25 Non-Members

*Please note all programs and activities are subject to change. Contact the Community School office for a complete listing of programs and activities.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Bourne Scallop Fest and Christmas Tree Shop

Cape Cod, MA

Saturday, September 24

Scallop or chicken lunch. Music and Entertainment all day. Over 90 crafters and Merchants.

\$30 per adult

\$15 per child

Coach Bus departs the King Open School at 9:00 a.m. and returns approximately 5:00 p.m.

The Big E

Eastern States Exposition
Springfield, MA

Date: Saturday, September 30

Fee: \$30

Takes you on a "World Tour" of dazzling shows and exhibits, thrilling performance unique specialty items and scrumptious food from the four corners of the world. Price includes coach bus and admission.

Coach Bus departs the King Open School at 10:00 a.m. and leaves the fair at 6:00 p.m.

Halloween Crafts Pumpkin Carving & Mask Making

Thursday, October 26

Time: 5:00 – 6:30 p.m.

Fee: \$10

Refreshments and Halloween treats.

Halloween Party

The Harrington Neighborhood Council invites you to the Annual Halloween Party.

Tuesday, October 31

Time: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Grades K – 6th and their parents. Magic Show, Games, Prizes, Treats,

and more ghoulish fun. For more information on to volunteer to help with the party, please call Cris at 617-349-6305.

Ginger Bread House Making

Thursday, December 14

Time: 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Fee: \$10

Refreshments served.

Neighborhood Council Meeting

Neighborhood Council Meeting

Join us for current information on Community concerns and development, Community School Programs and other related items of interest. Meeting will be held in the King Open School Music Room in the last Monday of each month.

September, 25,

October, 30,

November, 27,

from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Kennedy Neighborhood Council and Community School at the Kennedy Longfellow School

158 Spring Street

Cambridge, MA 02141

Director: Sharon Kenney

(617) 349-6308

skkenney@cambridgema.gov

The Kennedy Community School is part of the Kennedy Neighborhood Council.

The Neighborhood Council will meet regularly to discuss issues that affect programs for children and adults in the Community School. Also discussed are Senior Citizen trips, recreational activities, summer park activities and special events for families and community. The Community School sponsors a **Halloween Party** in October for the school and neighborhood.

WE WANT TO BUILD POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS WITH OUR FAMILIES.

Help us achieve this goal.

Attend the Kennedy Neighborhood Council meetings. Call us at (617) 349-6308 for meeting dates and times.

Registration

Registration begins Thursday Sept. 7, 2006 and continues through Sept. 15. Most classes begin Sept. 8. The fall session is over Dec. 22.

ALL THE PROGRAM INFORMATION THAT FOLLOWS IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

Contact us for our Fall 2006 brochure with additional classes.



CHILDREN AND PRETEEN ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Grades K - 5 (the K-LO Kids Club)

All programs begin with snack and supervised indoor/outdoor play. Monday – Friday 1:55 - 2:30 p.m. in the Activity Room.

MONDAYS

Homework Help/Activity Center

Mon. – Thurs.
Grades: K - 5
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Instructors: Community School Staff

Piano

1/2 hour private lessons
Grades: K - 8.
Time: 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Instructor: Victoria Razumov-Learn
Fee: \$12 per 1/2 hour

Literacy Connections with the O’Connell Library I

Grades: K - 2
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Instructors: Miss Freitas and Community School staff.
Sharing, reading and listening to stories at the library followed by an activity of skits, crafts and music. Children may also be encouraged to read aloud.

Clay Creations

Grades: K - 5
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Instructor: Mrs. Marsh
Create animal figures and other images out of clay that will amaze you. Come and explore all the possibilities of using soft clay to make solid usable creations.

Mad Science

Grades: 2 - 5
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Instructors: Mad Science staff
Hands on science fun!

Catch Up!

Grades: K - 5
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Instructor: Community School Staff
A last chance to complete any unfinished tasks such as homework, art projects, games, etc. in a quiet setting. Students may sit back with a book or play a quiet game with a partner.

End of the Day Fitness

Grades: K - 5
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Instructors: Community School Staff

TUESDAYS

Theater Fun and Power Moves

Cambridge Performance Project
Grades: K - 2
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Instructor: Marilda Castro
Come play creative games, improvise and explore movement and sound. Develop basic theater and movement skills while having fun with friends. Then perform in a spring showcase.

Creative Crafts

Grades: K - 5
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Instructor: Mrs. Pace
Using lots of recycled materials, Mrs. Pace challenges students to use their imagination hands and minds to produce creative projects.

All Sports

Grades: K - 2
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Grades: 3 - 5
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Instructor: TBA
Children to learn the rules and fundamentals of various sporting activities, such as kickball, baseball, basketball, football, and dodge ball, while in a group setting.

Skill Based Computer Class

Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Instructors: Community School Staff

WEDNESDAYS

Chess Club

Grades: Open to all students
Time: 2:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Spanish I

Grades: K - 2
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Instructor: Clara Preciado
Always patient and caring, Clara enjoys the children and they enjoy her. It’s conversational Spanish through music, stories, and dialogue. Learning Spanish songs and games will be fun and easy.

Clara’s Sewing Bee

Grades: K - 5
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Instructor: Clara Preciado
Come together with Clara and take up a series of fun sewing projects. Varied choices, varied projects. A chance to learn how to sew and enjoy doing it.

End of the Day Fitness

Grades: K - 5
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Instructors: Community School Staff

THURSDAY

SWSG

(Strong Women, Strong Girls)
Grades: 3 and 4
Time: 2:00 - 3:30 p.m.
Instructors: TBA
A free program for girls that teaches leadership skills and women’s history to build self esteem and community.

Piano

Grades: K - 8.
1/2 hour lesson.
Time: 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Instructor: TBA
Another chance to participate in piano playing.

Computer Lab

Grades: K - 3
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Good for children to practice their keyboarding and computer skills with a wide variety of computer lab software.

Skill Based Computer Class

Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Instructors: Community School Staff
This class offers students the chance to practice and sharpen academic skills with a variety of software.

Storytelling Adventure

Cambridge Performance Project
Grade: K - 2
Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Instructor: Torenna Webb
Story adventure with a themed art project and theatrical/movement performance.

World Beat: Hip Hop and Step

Cambridge Performance Project
Grade: 3 - 5

Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Instructor: Torena Webb

A high energy class with the elements of jazz, hip hop, precise foot movements and hand clapping, together with the latest beats in pop music.

FRIDAYS

Jamnastics Games

Grades: K-2

Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Instructor: Jamnastics Inc.

Gymnastics through obstacle courses, games and other group activities. Children will build balance, coordination, and body control while learning new skills.

Gymnastics and Acrobatics

Grades: 3 - 5

Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Instructors: Jamnastics Inc.

Learn and perfect basic skills and develop higher-level tricks both alone and with partners. Build strength and flexibility in this fast paced class.

Let's Mix It Up!

Grades: K - 5

Time: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Instructor: TBA

Cooking fun!

Celebrating Friday

Grades: K - 5

Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Instructor: Community School Staff

Kick back and relax with movies, popcorn, stories and fun with friends at the end of a busy week.

EARLY RELEASE DAY SPECIALS

Informational flyers are distributed two weeks before each trip.

MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAM JUST FOR YOU

Grades 6,7,8

These classes are planned to fit the 3:30 late bus schedule.

Snack is provided from 2:00 to 2:15. Registration begins September 7. Classes start the week of September 18.

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY

Learning Center

Time: 2:15-3:30

Information on the Learning Center will be sent home the first week of school.

MONDAY OR THURSDAY

Piano

Time: 2:30-5:30 (1/2 hour private lessons)

Fee: \$12 for 1/2 hour

Instructor: TBA

TUESDAY

Guitar

Time: 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Fee: \$13/one-half hour

Instructor: John McConkey

THURSDAY

Woodworking

Time: 2:15-3:30

Instructor: Ed Preciado

* More classes to be added to the 2006 Fall Brochure.

ADULT EVENING ACTIVITIES

Co Ed Volleyball

Level B 6:30 - 9 p.m., \$3 per time or \$25 a term. Tues. in the Gym

Ceramics

Instructor: Karen Marsh

Time: 5:30 - 7:00 p.m., 8 wks.

Mondays in the art room.

Sliding fee scale

SENIOR CITIZENS ACTIVITIES

There is an important September Membership Drive Fee.

This year's fee is \$15. Please make check or money order payable to Kennedy Community School. Send via mail or use the locked mailbox on the Community School Office door, Rm. 111.

Trips

Senior Luncheon at Kennedy Community School

Tuesday, September 12, 2006, 11:30 a.m.

Hobo Railroad Train -

N.H. Turkey Luncheon and Foliage
Mon. Oct. 19, 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., Fee: \$42.

Holiday Party 2006

Luncheon, laughter and dancing at Port Hole, Date:TBA

Flyers will be available in the fall



M.L. King Jr. Neighborhood Council and Community School

100 Putnam Avenue
Cambridge, MA 02139
(617) 349-6269

Email: cpark@cambridgema.gov
Community School Director: Catherine Park

M.L. King Jr. Neighborhood Council

The mission of the Neighborhood Council is to identify neighborhood needs and concerns and to plan and promote new programs. The neighborhood council serves the local community and the children and families of the King and Amigos schools by providing a variety of enrichment and social opportunities for children and adults. We also sponsor community events and activities, such as early release day activities for school children, community gatherings, neighborhood park improvements, winter and spring vacation programs and summer camp.

New Council members are welcome at any time.

Please call us at 349-6269 for information on upcoming meetings.

Financial Assistance

Partial financial assistance is available for income qualified students. Please request an application from the director.

Registration and Payment

Registration will start on Tuesday, September 12 through Friday, September 15. During this time, our office will be open for registration from 8 to 10 and 2 to 6. Registration will continue until classes are filled. Please note: We



will notify you ONLY if you are closed out of a class.

Most classes start on the week of Sept. 18 and end on Friday, Dec. 21.

Full payment is required at registration. Please pay by check payable to Martin Luther King Community School.

Refunds and Cancellation Policies

While we try to accommodate as many children and families as possible, some classes, fill up quickly and we may not be able to accommodate last minute enrollees.

We will give a full refund for any classes cancelled by the community school. Refunds will also be given to participants who drop a class before the second meeting.

EARLY RELEASE ACTIVITIES:

September – Thursday, 9/19- Drumlin Farm Trip, 12:30 - 5:30 p.m.; \$25 fee

October - Wednesday, 10/25 - Museum of Science, 12:30-5:30 p.m.; \$25 fee

November - Tuesday, 11/9 - location TBA, 12:30-5:30 p.m.; \$25 fee

All early release day activities are subject to change.

OTHER SPECIAL EVENTS:

Halloween Party- Tuesday, 10/31 4:30-6:30 p.m. King School Cafeteria

Kwanzaa Celebration- December date TBA



CHILDREN'S AFTER SCHOOL ENRICHMENT CLASSES

This is a preliminary outline of programming from September 18 through December 21, 2006.

Please note: Classes may be subject to changes or may be cancelled due to low enrollment, or instructor's schedule.

We will be adding more classes for preteens and teens this fall. If you are interested in more detail or in our full fall program, please call 349-6269 or email cpark@cambridgema.gov to be placed on our mailing list.

Have an idea for a class?

Give us a call at (617) 349-6269 or email cpark@cambridgema.gov to share your ideas

Classes will NOT be held on Early Dismissal days, holidays, or snow days.

MONDAYS

Snack & In/Outdoor Activities

Grades: K - 8
Time: 3 - 3:30 p.m.
Fee: \$10 or \$25 (for M - F)
Instructor: staff

Bookmaking & Story Art

Grades: K - 2
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Tamar Etingen

Paper Arts and Origami

Grades 2 - up
Monday, 4:30-5:30
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Tamar Etingen

Theater 1

Grades K - 2
Monday, 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Fee: \$80
Instructor: Alli Ross,
Cambridge Performance Project

Theater 2

Grades 3-6
Tuesday, 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Fee: \$80
Instructor: Alli Ross and Jimena Bermejo
Cambridge Performance Project

Gym Games

Grades K-2
Tuesday, 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Fee: \$50
Instructor: staff

TUESDAYS

Snack & In/Outdoor Activities

Grades: K - 8
Time: 3 - 3:30 p.m.
Fee: \$10 or \$25 (for M - F)
Instructor: staff

Science for Everyone

Grades: K - 2
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Fee: \$65
Instructor: staff

Creative Ballet

Grades: K - 1
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Fee: \$80
Instructor: Jimena Bermejo
Cambridge Performance Project

Ceramics

Grades: 3 and up
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Fee: \$115
Instructor: Judy Kanigel

African Drumming

Grades: 1 - up
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Fee: \$80
Instructor: Jafar Manselle
Cambridge Performance Project

LEGO Mania

Grades: K - 2
Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Fee: \$50
Instructor: staff

WEDNESDAYS

Snack & In/Outdoor Activities

Time: 3 - 3:30 p.m.
Grades: K - 8
Fee: \$10 or \$25 (for M - F)
Instructor: staff

Swimming Lessons at the Y

Grades: K and up
Time: 3 - 4:30 p.m.
Fee: \$130
Children will be walked to the Cambridge Family YMCA by community School Staff from King/Amigos Building and picked up at the Y (4:30) or at King 5:00.
Lesson Time: 45 minutes

Mixed Media Artworks

Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Grades: 3 - 6
Fee: \$75
Instructor: Pilar Guierrez

Painting/Drawing with Pilar

Grades: 3 - 6
Time: 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.
Fee: \$75
Instructor: Pilar Guierrez

Natures with Habitat

Grades: K - 2
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$90
 Instructor: Staff from Audubon Society

THURSDAYS

Snack & In/Outdoor Activities

Grades K - 8
 Time: 3 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$10 or \$25 (for M - F)
 Instructor: staff

Tae Kwon Do 1

Grades: K - 2
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$80
 Instructor: Dennis Goldberg

Tae Kwon Do 2

Grades: 3 - 6
 Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$80
 Instructor: Dennis Goldberg

Craft Club

Grades: K - 2
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Instructor: Mimi Rosa
 Fee: \$50

Sewing Art Club

Grades: K - 2
 Time: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 Instructor: Mimi Rosa
 Fee: \$50

FRIDAYS

Snack & In/Outdoor Activities

Grades: K - 8
 Time: 3 - 3:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$10 or \$25 (for M - F)
 Instructor: staff

Cooking and Baking

Grades: K - 3
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$60
 Instructor: Mimi Rosa

Chess 1- Beginners

Grades: based on chess experience (generally K-2)
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$75
 Instructor: Vadim Martirov

Chess 2- Intermediate and Advanced

Grades: based on chess experience (generally 3-and up)
 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$75
 Instructor: Vadim Martirov

Music Instruction

Grades 1-adult. Kindergarteners may be accepted after instructor's assessment of readiness
Piano- Song Lee Ferguson (Monday, Wednesday, Friday)
Violin-Jennie Chan (Thursday)

Lessons are a half-hour long with the first one starting at 3 p.m. We give schedule priority to returning students. Please check with us regarding lesson availability. Financial assistance is available.
 Fee: \$240 for 12 lessons

Other Children's Programs

- **February vacation program, 2/19-23**
- **April vacation program, 4/16-20**
- **Summer Camp, TBA**



Linnaean Neighborhood Council and Community School at the Graham and Parks School

44 Linnaean Street
 Cambridge, MA 02138
 (617) 349-6267
 Welcome to the Linnaean Neighborhood Council & Community School Programs. We hope you and your family will find some worthwhile courses to join. If not, please express your ideas for future planning by dropping by the Community Center any weekday between 2:30-5:30 p.m. via the Walker Street entrance. Your needs are our concern.

The Linnaean Neighborhood Council invites you to join and give your support in planning programs, obtaining access to space, identifying neighborhood needs and determining community concerns and issues. Meetings are held evenings with dinner and childcare provided.

Registration Procedures

Formal registration will be held in the Community Center on Tuesday September 12th from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.. Thereafter, registrations will be accepted daily beginning on Wednesday September 13th between 2:30 - 6:30 p.m. Please use the Walker Street Entrance of the Graham and Park School. Completed registrations may be left in the Community School mailbox, in the Graham and Parks main office. Classes begin the following week.

These classes fill very quickly, so early registration is advised. Waiting list taken for all classes. Afterschool bus transportation is

provided to Linnaean Community School by calling Cambridge Public Schools Transportation (617) 349-6862. Partial financial aid is available for those who qualify.

FALL ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

September 18 - December 15, 2006

Classes are held on Early Release Days at the regular time. An Early Release Special Activity precedes the classes. The following classes are open to all ages unless otherwise noted.

EARLY RELEASE DAYS

Time: 12:15 - 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$8
 Dates: Tuesday September 19th, Wednesday October 25th, Thursday November 9th

Children will be escorted to a performance or create an art project at school and have snack. Registrants will return to Enrichment Program.

Instructors: Karen Boutet and Ting Hoepfner

PRETEEN PROGRAMS

Pegasus Club

Grades: 6-7
 This CLUB will meet three or five days a week and will be under the supervision of a leader. Although there will be an emphasis on homework, students will have the opportunity to participate in some outside or gym activity, games, arts and crafts, and local Friday excursions. Students have the option of attending Pegasus five days weekly with a choice of two free enrichment courses for the

Linnaean

cost of \$175 per month. Participants joining three days weekly for \$105 per month will have the choice of one free enrichment course. Snacks served.

Halloween Party at Harvard

Friday, October 27th
Ages: 9 & Up
Time: 2:45 - 5:00 p.m.
NO FEE - MUST REGISTER

Costume relay races, arts & crafts, make your own sundae and lots of prizes.

Please do not wear a costume.

Babysitting Training Certificate Course

Monday, October 16th, 30th and November 6th
Ages: 10 - 14
Time: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Michele Dupras

This certificate program is designed to help students learn how to handle the responsibilities of babysitting for infants and children. In addition, students will learn how to react in an emergency situation, basic first aid and proper choke-saving techniques. Students may bring supper, snack served.

CPR Course

Monday, November 13, 20 and 27
Ages: 10 - 14
Time: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Michele Dupras

Students will get certified for basic life support and choke saving techniques for babies and children.

First Aid Course

Monday, December 4 and 11
Ages: 10 - 14
Fee: \$60
Time: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Instructor: Michele Dupras
Students will learn to treat cuts, wounds and various medical emergencies in this certification course.

FAMILIES

Gingerbread House Building Workshop

Thursday December 14
Time: 5:30 - 7:00 p.m.
Fee: \$15 per house
Limit 1 house per family. Eggnog and ginger snaps served.
Optional Pizza Supper - \$3 per person. Flyers forthcoming.

ADULTS

Hardware Jewelry

Mondays November 6 and 13
Time: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Fee: \$20 per night
Instructors: Karen Boutet and Kerry Ryan

Make jewelry out of nuts, bolts, screws, washers and other pieces of hardware. Learn how to attach clasps. Materials provided but you may bring in your own scavenged pieces.

Digital Camera Workshop

Monday October 23
Time: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Fee: \$20
Instructor: Mark Bildman, Computer Consultant

Hands on workshop - bring your camera if you own one. Explore and understand the different camera settings, learn how to download and print photographs.

E-Bay for Beginners

Monday October 30
Time: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Fee: \$20
How to open and operate an E-Bay account, buy, sell and be paid through PayPal. Participants must have prior understanding of basic digital camera operation (see above).

Instructor: Mark Bildman, Computer Consultant

Adult Hatha Yoga

September 21 - December 14
Thursdays 6:00 - 7:30 pm
Fee: \$120 for term
Drop in fee: \$12 per class
Instructor: TBA

Men's Basketball

Begins Monday September 18th
Ongoing, participants must register. This is not a drop-in program.

MONDAYS

Afterschool Activities Club

Time: 2:30 - 3:15 p.m.
Fee: \$30.00 per day.
Program fee covers one day weekly for entire term. This club is only offered to program participants. Snack followed by choices of organized outdoor/indoor physical activities, board games, drawing or legos.

Instructors: Mimi Rosa, Karen Boutet, Ting Hoepfner, Masako Hirota, Jenn Houle, April Hernandez and Shane Maene

Study Hall

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
Grades: 5 - 8
Time: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.
Fee: \$150
Instructors: Matt Lynch and Harvard University volunteers
Harvard students will assist children with homework assignments.
Snack served.

Piano

Ages: All
Time: 3:20 - 8:00 p.m.
Fee for students taking Piano only \$150
Fee for program participants (excluding tutoring, language, and homework help) \$135
20-minute private lessons
Instructor: Masako Hirota
Longer lessons available after 6:00 p.m.

Super Soccer

Ages: 6 -9
Time: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructors: Jon Hanover and Silas Richelson
Come play in the school's gym, outdoors in the Harvard Quad or the school's turf field - drills and games.



Endangered Species "The Big Cats"

Time Section I: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.
Section II: 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructors: Karen Boutet, Mimi Rosa and Ting Hoepfner

Jaguars, Leopards, Mexican Bobcats, Pumas, Florida Panthers and Cheetahs - The animals and their habitats will be studied through readings, drawings and sculpting. Class will become members of the Namibian African Cheetah Conservation Fund. The fastest animals in the world are running out of time!

The Art of Fencing

Ages: 9 and up, Limit 12
Time: 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.
Fee: \$100
Instructor: Guard Up! Inc. Staff

Girls and boys come and learn the beginning techniques of fencing. Improve eye-hand coordination and reflexes, enhance speed and dexterity and develop a stronger sense of timing and precision. Equipment is provided.

TUESDAYS

AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITIES CLUB
SEE MONDAY

Study Hall

See Monday

Piano

Ages: All
Time: 3:20 - 6:00 p.m.
Fee: See Monday
Instructor: Masako Hirota

Dungeons and Dragons Club

Section I: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m. (For students learning the basics of D & D or returning from last year's Junior D&D Club.)
Ages 8 & Up, Limit 8
Fee: \$60
Section II: 3:15 - 5:15 (Students must have adequate knowledge and experience playing the game.)
Ages 9 & Up, Limit 8
Fee: \$80
Instructors: Shane Maene, Jacob Rubin and Mathieu
Create characters and take part in adventures. Be a mighty warrior or a powerful wizard.

Espanol

Time: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.,
10 week program
Fee: \$150
Instructor: Cintia Bottesi, IES Language School
Spanish games, songs, activities and basic conversation. Fee includes workshop and registration fee. Instructor is a native speaker.

Simple Sewing

Limit: 8
Time: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructors: Teresa Boukraa and Mimi Rosa
Boys and girls, come join in the fun! Class will learn back and blanket stitches in preparation for sewing a fleece blanket, hat and scarf using a secret thread. All materials supplied.

Basic Knitting

Limit: 8
Time: 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructors: Teresa Boukraa and Mimi Rosa
Make a Japanese boy or girl doll

with a kimono outfit by learning how to cast on and off, and using knit and pearl stitches. Knitting needles and yarn are supplied.

Kung Fu for Kids

Ages: 6 - 8, Limit 10
Time: 3:15 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$65
Instructor: Dorri Li
Offering girls & boys the opportunity to develop strength, flexibility & balance while focusing on body/mind awareness.

Self Defense for Boys and Girls

Ages 9 & Up, Limit 10
Time: 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.
Fee: \$65
Instructor: Dorri Li
Students will develop greater mind/body awareness, focusing skills, self-control, self-defense techniques and practice on kicking pads.

Girl Power Kung Fu

Ages 9 & Up
Time: 4:45 - 5:30 p.m.
Fee: \$65
Instructor: Dorri Li
Learn basic, effective self-defense techniques - focus, control and self-discipline, increase strength, flexibility and coordination.

WEDNESDAYS

AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITIES CLUB
See Monday

Study Hall

See Monday

Piano

Ages: All
Time: 3:20-6:00 p.m.
Fee: See Monday
Instructor: Masako Hirota

Francais Pour Les Petits

Ages: 4 - 7
Time: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.
Fee: \$130
Instructor: Christine Tofighi
French music, games, songs, poems and activities.

Lire et Ecrire en Francais

Ages: 7 - 10
Fee: \$130
Instructor: Christine Tofighi
Emphasis on improving your French speaking, reading, writing and listening skills.

Postcards from China

Time: Section I: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.
Section II: 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.
Fee: \$60
Instructors: Karen Boutet and Ting Hoepfner
Explore the mythology of Chinese culture. Parents may receive a postcard from China telling them about Chinese Dragons, the Chinese New Year and the Zodiac. Class will study Feng Shui, Ying and Yang and make Lucky Paper Cuttings. Fortune cookies will be served.

Pretenders Drama Club

Ages: 5 - 7
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Megan Orwig
Students will experience creative and fun ways to express themselves - play games that develop coordination, imagination and group dynamics.

Players Drama Club

Ages: 8 - 12
Fee: \$60
Instructor: Megan Orwig
Through theater and stage improv., students will master theatrical skills and develop different characters using their bodies and voices.

THURSDAYS

AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITIES CLUB
SEE MONDAY

Study Hall

See Monday

Jamnastic Games

Limit 15

Time: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.

Fee: \$65

Instructors: Jamnastics Inc.,
Marco/Monique

Gymnastics through obstacle courses, games and group activities - children build balance, coordination and body control while learning new skills.

Gymnastics and Acrobatics

Advanced Class - Limit 15

Time: 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.

Fee: \$65

Instructors: Jamnastics Inc.,
Marco/Monique

For experienced gymnast, learn and perfect basic skills and develop higher-level tricks.

Singing and Music

Time: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.

Fee: \$60

Instructor: Paula Trippitt

Learn basic musical concepts such as rhythm, melody, harmony, tempo and song structure.

Songwriting

Time: 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.

Fee: \$60

Instructor: Paula Trippitt

Learn how to write songs, musical concepts and music technology. Class will record their own songs and burn them onto a CD, which will be for sale.

FRIDAYS

AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITIES CLUB
SEE MONDAY

Piano

Ages: All

Time: 3:20 - 6:00 p.m.

Fee: See Monday

Instructor: Masako Hirota

Friday Fun Club

Ages: 8 & Up

Limit: 10

Time: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.

Fee: \$60

Instructors: Pete Smith & Leigh Play Soccer, Ping-Pong, Pool, Foosball & Chess. Students are walked across the street to Harvard University or play in the Graham and Park gym.

South American Folktales and Art

Time: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.

Fee: \$60

Instructors: Jenn Houle and April Hernandez

Class will open with the reading of a folktale from Chile, Peru or Argentina. Children will illustrate tales from the "Legends of the Inca Kings" and "Origin of the Araucan Race" through painting, drawing and clay. Students will make mango licuados beverages and homemade salsa.

Dance Team

Ages: 5 - 8

Time: 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.

Fee: \$60

Instructor: Mindy Zarem

Class begins with yoga, gentle stretching and leads to increased understanding of the body in time and space.

Longfellow Neighborhood Council and Community School

359 Broadway

Cambridge, MA 02139

Director: Penelope Kleespies

(617) 349-6260 (617) 388-3890

The Longfellow Neighborhood Council

The Longfellow Neighborhood Council is a group of Longfellow area residents who care about their neighborhood and who meet together regularly to discuss the issues, which affect this community. Such issues may include programming for children and adults in the Longfellow Community School, park activities in the neighborhood parks during the summer, park renovation and maintenance, special events such as potluck dinners, and seasonal events such as Halloween parties and neighborhood caroling. Successful programs such as our Music Program, "Home Sweet Home", "Evenings With Longfellow" and "The Snow Park" will continue as well as our ongoing initiative, The Longfellow Neighborhood Council Historical Project. If there is a particular class or activity that you would like to see us offer, please let us know.

Any interested adult living in the area is welcomed to join the Council. Council meetings are at 6:00 on the second Monday of the month in the Council Office. For further Longfellow Council information, please call Penelope Kleespies at (617) 349-6260 or (617) 388-3890.

Music Classes begin September 11, 2006. Term ends December 15. Scholarship assistance is available. Registration forms are in the Program Director's office. Please call or stop by for more information. To reach the Council Office, use Library entrance at the corner of Broadway and Antrim Streets and go up one flight. Council doorbell is on your right.

Please note: All classes and activities are subject to change. No classes or activities on Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur.

Private Music Lessons for Adults and Children Piano, Voice or Recorder

Recorder Ensembles

Monday through Friday

Time: 3:00 - 7:00 (Limited daytime lessons are also possible)

Fee: \$225 (14 private 30 minute lessons)

Please call to arrange time.

ENRICHMENT PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN

MONDAYS

Calligraphy

Time: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Fee: \$70

Instructor: Penelope Kleespies

TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS

Recorder Ensembles

Time: 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Instructor: Penelope Kleespies

ENRICHMENT PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS

MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS

Snow Park

An indoor play space for parents and children
 Starting Date: November 13, 2006
 Time: 11:30 - 12:30
 Fee: Free – Donations encouraged
 Occasional entertainment arranged.
 Day and Time to be Announced

PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS

Yoga

Wednesday
 Time: 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
 Fee: \$140
 Instructor: Melinda Bruno

Yoga

Wednesday
 Time: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$140
 Instructor: Melinda Bruno

“Evenings with Longfellow”

Continuing with our successful “Evenings With Longfellow” series, we will offer occasional events following the Longfellow Neighborhood Council Meeting at 6:00 on the second Monday of the month. Some possibilities for these evenings include asking our local musicians, historians, gardeners, poets, travelers, computer whizzes, handymen, animal lovers etc. to share their expertise with us. Please watch for flyers advertising these events.

“Home Sweet Home”

Now that we are back home in the Longfellow Building, we have restarted this program in which we collect household items for homeless families living at the YWCA Shelter on Bigelow St. Call for more information.

FAMILY EVENTS

Halloween Party in Hancock Park on Sunday October 29.

“A Neighborhood Tradition” – Caroling will be held in December. TBA

Longfellow Neighborhood Council and Community School Historical Project

The Council is producing an Oral History of this neighborhood. So far it has been a very interesting project. If you would like to find out more about our work, we invite you to participate with us. Sarah Boyer of the Cambridge Historical Commission will be assisting us as *Crossroads: Stories of Central Square 1912-2000* is an example of Ms Boyer’s fine work. If you are interested in this project, please contact us:

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 4 Antrim Street
 Cambridge MA 02139
 617 876 0390

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 51 Inman Street
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Morse Neighborhood Council and Community School

40 Granite St.
 Cambridge, MA 02139
 Director: Stan Rogers
 Director: (617) 349-6291 stan-rogers@cambridgema.gov

The after School enrichment program will offer some new and exciting classes and combine old favorites. Snacks will be served for children taking more than one class. Registration starts September 5th (from 2:30 – 6:30, Tuesday-Friday) with classes starting September 18 and ending Thursday, December 21st. Some financial aid is available. The Neighborhood Council will be reconvening in the fall to plan programming and discuss neighborhood issues.

MONDAYS

Science Projects

Ages: 3rd - up
 Time: 2:45 – 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: TBA

Masks from Different Cultures

Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 2:45 – 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Lee Post

Sewing & Clothing Design

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 2:45 – 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Kate Ledogar

Basketball

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 2:45 – 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Ben Henry

Open Gym

Ages: Pre K – 2
 Time: 2:45 – 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: MCS Staff

Storytelling Adventure

(Cambridge Performance Project)
 Ages: Pre K – 2
 Time: 2:45 – 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$60
 Instructor: ToRena Webb

Science Projects

Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 4 – 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: TBA

Masks from Different Cultures

Ages: Pre K – K2
 Time: 4 – 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Lee Post

Sewing & Clothing Design

Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 4 – 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$
 Instructor: Kate Ledogar

Open Gym

Ages: Pre K & up
 Time: 4 – 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Ben Henry

World Beat - Hip Hop & Step

(Cambridge Performance Project)
 Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 – 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$60
 Instructor: Torena Webb

TUESDAYS

Woodworking Projects

Ages: 3rd & up
 Times: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$50
 Instructor: Charlie Parker

Chess I

Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$50
 Instructor: Vadim Martivosov

Sculpture

Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Lee Post

Lego Constructions & Board Games

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: MCS Staff

Parachute Games & Sports

Ages: Pre K - K2
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Phil Haddix

Drumming to the Beat

(Cambridge Performance Project)
 Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$65
 Instructor: Jafar Manselle

Chess II

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$50
 Instructor: Vadim Martivosov

Sculpture

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Lee Post

Lego Construction & Board Games

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Morse Community School Staff

New Games & Sports

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Phil Haddix

Clarinet ½ hr Lessons

Ages: 1st & up
 Time:
 Fee: \$240 (12 lessons)
 Instructor: Craig Ball

WEDNESDAY

Fun with Food

Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$50
 Instructor: Stan Rogers

Arts & Crafts

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Lee Post

Lego Construction & Board Games

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: TBA

Floor Hockey

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Ben Henry

Piano ½ hr Lessons

Ages: Pre K & up
 Time: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$240 (12 lessons)
 Instructor: Catherine Lawlor

Cooking Class

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$50
 Instructor: Stan Rogers

Arts & Crafts

Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Lee Post

Lego Construction & Board Games

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: MCS Staff

Open Gym

Ages: Pre K & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Ben Henry

Piano ½ hr Lessons

Ages: Pre K & up
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$240 (12 lessons)
 Instructor: Catherine Lawlor

Creative Ballet

(Cambridge Performance Project)
 Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$65
 Instructor: Anna Hendricks

Creative Ballet

(Cambridge Performance Project)
 Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$65
 Instructor: Anna Hendricks

THURSDAY

Woodworking Projects

Ages: 3rd & up
 Times: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: 50
 Instructor: Charlie Parker

Ceramics

Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$90
 Instructor: Judy Kanigel

Drawing

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Lee Post

Lego Construction & Board Games

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Morse Community School Staff

Kick Ball

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Ben Henry

Violin Lessons

Ages: 1st & up
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$240 (12 lessons)
 Instructor: Jennie Chan

Clay Projects

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$90
 Instructor: Judy Kanigel

Drawing

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Lee Post

Lego Construction & Board Games

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: MCS Staff

Kick Ball

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Ben Henry

1/2 hr Music Lessons

Ages: TBA
 Time: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$240 (12 lessons)
 Instructor: Jennie Chan

FRIDAYS

Sewing & Clothing Design

Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Kate Ledogar

Jewelry Making

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Lee Post

Lego Construction & Board Games

Ages: Pre K - 2
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: MCS Staff

Open Gym

Ages: Pre K & up
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: MCS Staff

Karate

Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$60
 Instructor: PJ Steyer

Broken Fingers

(Video Games)
 Ages: 1st & 2nd
 Time: 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Phil Haddix

American Idol Karaoke

Ages: 1st & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Sacia Divison

Jewelry Making

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Lee Post

Sewing & Clothing Design

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Kate Ledogar

Open Gym

Ages: Pre K & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Ben Henry

Broken Fingers

(Video Games)
 Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Phil Haddix

Karate

Ages: 3rd & up
 Time: 4 - 5 p.m.
 Fee: \$60
 Instructor: PJ Steyer

Finish Up

Ages: Pre K & up
 Time: 5:00 - 5 :30 p.m.
 (Mon.-Fri.)
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: MCS Staff

Tobin Neighborhood Council and Community School

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Welcome to the Tobin Community School program. Our goal is to provide quality programming for children, adults and senior citizens. We encourage and invite anyone to join our neighborhood council to help plan for new programs and discuss neighborhood issues and concerns.

Our first meeting this year is scheduled for Thursday, October 19, 2006 at 6:30 p.m.. Childcare will be provided.

All information listed below is subject to change.

Financial Assistance

Partial Scholarships are available to qualifying students. Financial Assistance Applications are available in the Community School Office.

FALL SESSION

Registration begins:
 September 11, 2006

Classes begin:
 September 18, 2006
 and end: December 15, 2006

The last week is scheduled as a makeup week for missed classes due to teacher absence's. A drop in activity program begins Tuesday, September 12 but children must be pre-registered.

Registrations are accepted on a first come-first serve basis. Please call the Community School office for more information or to receive a full brochure of our fall program.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

We provide after-school enrichment classes, early release day outings and full day vacation week camps. We are staffed with caring instructors who want to provide your child with new experiences in a safe and nurturing environment.

Laps, Raps & Snack

Daily Monday - Friday
 Grades: K - 6
 Time: 1:45 - 2:15 p.m.
 For children enrolled in enrichment classes.
 Supervised outdoor play and snack before classes.

MONDAYS

Homework/Activity Center

Grades: K - 6
 Time: 2:15 - 3:15 p.m.
 Session Fee: \$30
 Includes snack, homework help or an activity for children who are signed up for a 3:15 class.

Spanish I

Grades: K - 2
 Time: 2:15 - 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$55
 Instructor: Clara Preciado
 Learn basic vocabulary through songs and conversation.

Floor Hockey I

Grades: K - 2
 Time: 2:15 - 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$40
 Instructor: TBA
 Learn the basics of floor hockey.

Creative Critters

Grades: K – 4
 Time: 2:15 - 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 One day projects with lots of kid imagination needed. For kids who just love to dabble in all sorts of materials and create with their hands.

Private Piano Lessons

Grades: K – 6
 Time: -1/2 hr. lesson
 3:15 – 5:45 p.m.
 Fee: \$20 per 1/2 hr. (\$220) payable in installments
 Instructor: Armine Karpetian

Little Picasso's Painting

Grades: K – 3
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 Different kinds of paint will be introduced from finger paint to acrylics. Painting with sponges to vegetables.

Spanish II

Grades: 3 – 6
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$55
 Instructor: Clara Preciado
 A more advanced Spanish vocabulary building class.

Floor Hockey II

Grades: 2 - 6
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$40
 Instructor: Sam Breen

Karate I

Grades: K – 3
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$65
 Instructor: Henry Parker
 A 20 year veteran of this martial art, Henry will teach self-confidence, self-respect and self-control.

Jewelry Making

Grades: K – 3
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$40
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 Create trinkets and treasures using various sorts of beads and baubles.

Computer Lab

Grades: All
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Community School Staff
 Keyboarding skills and an opportunity to use the school software to play educational games.

TUESDAYS

Homework/Activity Center

Grades: K – 6
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Session Fee: \$30
 Includes snack, homework help or an activity for children who are signed up for a 3:15 class.

Circus Stars I

Grades: 1 – 3
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$55
 Instructor: Naomi Bennett
 Sponsored by the Cambridge Performance Project
 Ever wanted to join a circus? Well this is the class for you. Learn juggling, clowning and more.

Clay Creations

Grades: K – 3
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 Make coil pots, animals and more using self hardening clay that can be painted when hard.

Circus Stars II

Grades: 3 - 5
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$55
 Instructor: Naomi Bennett
 Sponsored by the Cambridge Performance Project
 Ever wanted to join a circus? Well this is the class for you. Learn juggling, clowning and more.

Funtime w/ Rachel

Grades: K – 3
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 Nothing but fun, fun, fun!
 Different fun projects and fun games each week.

Around the World

Grades: 3 – 6
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Sam Breen
 Travel around the world using books, computers and your imagination. Geography can be a real trip.

Super Soccer

Grades: K – 2
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: TBA
 Learn the basics of the game of soccer with warm up activities, skill building and drills.

Woodworking I

Grades K – 2
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 Create masterpieces with wood. Build shelves, birdhouses and even a stool.

Open Gym

Grades: All
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructors: Community School Staff
 Organized gym games to let off excess energy.

WEDNESDAYS

Homework/Activity Center

Grades: K – 6
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Session Fee: \$30
 Includes snack, homework help or an activity for children who are signed up for a 3:15 class.

Mystical, Magical Math

Grades: K – 1
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 What is this thing called Math? How does it happen? Students can improve math and critical thinking skills with fun games and challenging puzzles with out even knowing it.
 Math can be Fun!

Dancin’ to the Beat I

Grades: K – 2
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$50
 Instructor: Julia Rosario
 Keep fit, learn some cool dance steps and have fun.

Super Snacks I

Grades: K – 2
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Instructor: TBA
 Fee: \$45
 Children will learn healthy alternatives to junk food.

Dancin’ to the Beat II

Grades: 3 – 6
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$50
 Instructor: Julia Rosario
 Keep fit, learn some cool dance steps and have fun.

Fun with Food

Grades: K – 2
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 It’s o.k. to play with your food in this class. Use a variety of food types to build and be creative.

Legomania

Grades: 1 – 6
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Julia Rosario
 Build the creation of your wildest imagination. Build on your own, with a partner or with a group. We’ll keep adding on each week

Play Acting Drama

Grades: K – 2
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$60
 Instructor: Margo Stetson
 Using stories, music, games and play acting, students will learn to express emotion appropriately through verbal communication. Performance opportunities for all students if they wish.

Karate II

Grades: 3 – 6
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$65
 Instructor: Henry Parker
 A 20 year veteran of this martial art, Henry will teach self-confidence, self-respect and self-control.

Chess Club

Grades: 2 – 6
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: TBA
 From beginners to experts you’ll be paired with someone your own ability to challenge your mind.

Computer Lab

Grades: All
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructors: Community School Staff
 Keyboarding skills and an opportunity to use the school software to play educational games.

THURSDAYS

Homework/Activity Center

Grades: K – 6
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Session Fee: \$30
 Includes snack, homework help or an activity for children who are signed up for a 3:15 class.

Literacy Club

Grades: K – 3
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 Each week a different theme will be chosen with a story and project. Children will also be encouraged to read allowed if they wish.

Sports Mania

Grades: 2 – 6
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Sam Breen
 A different sport will be introduced each week including floor hockey, basketball, soccer and more

Drama Players II

Grades: 3 – 6
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$60
 Instructors: Margo Stetson
 Short one act plays, scene building, and the fine art of acting will all be covered in this class.

Art Works

Grades: K – 2
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Rachael Carr
 Using a variety of craft materials, paint, and recyclable materials students will create from their own imagination. Creativity will be the key for this class.

Creative Maskmaking & Puppetry

Grades: K – 3
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$40
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 Create unique masks and puppets out of common household items.

After School Science Club

Grades: 2 – 4
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: BBN High School Students and Teacher
 A different science experiment each week. How? Why? Figure it out.

Hoops

Grades: 3 – 6
 Time: 3:15 – 4:14 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Sam Breen
 Basketball skills. Games of free throw, one on one, and team vs. team.

Strategic Games

Grades: All
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructor: Julia Rosario
 Kids love to play games. In this class students will also have to use their minds to win the game.

Open Gym

Grades: All
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructors: Community School Staff
 Organized gym games to let off excess energy.

FRIDAYS

Gymnastics I

Grades: K – 2
 Time: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$75
 Instructors: “Jamnastics Inc.”
 Discover gymnastics through obstacle courses, games and group activities. Children will gain strength, flexibility, balance and coordination while learning new skills.

Art Explorations

Grades: K – 3
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$45
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 Using varying art media children will make take home projects that you’ll be proud to display.

Private Piano Lessons

Grades: K – 6
 Time: 1/2 hr. lesson
 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.
 Fee: \$20 per 1/2 hr. lesson.
 (payable in installments)
 Instructor: Armine Karpetian

Gymnastics II

Grades: 3 – 6
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Cost: \$75
 Instructors: “Jamnastics Inc.”
 Students will have the opportunity to build on to existing skills, progressing at their own rate. Small class size allows for some individual attention.

“Funtastic Friday’s”

Grades: All
 Time: 3:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$45 (2 hr.class)
 Instructors: Community School Staff
 Yahoo! It’s Friday! New things to discover every week. Celebrate the end of the week with friends in a

relaxed atmosphere focusing on the seasons, holidays, and special events.

Urban Safari

Grades: K – 3
 Time: 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$35
 Instructor: Rachel Carr
 Discover the world of animals. The exotic to the common. The farm animals to the wild animals. Projects, stories and animal video’s.

Computer Lab

Grades: All
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructors: Community School Staff
 Keyboarding skills and an opportunity to use the school software to play educational games

Gym Game Fun

Grades: All
 Time: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
 Fee: \$30
 Instructors: Community School Staff

For full class descriptions log on to the Tobin Community School website at

www.cambridgema.gov/dhsp2/tobin.cfm

EARLY RELEASE DAY ACTIVITIES

No regular enrichment classes are held on early release days. Instead trips and special in house activities are planned.

Flyers will be distributed prior to the event via backpack express.

Thursday, September 19, 2006

A trip to The Apple Orchard.

Apple picking and a hay ride
 Cost: \$15 per child
 Grades K – 6
 New Kindergartners must bring chaperone.

Wednesday, October 25, 2006

“Curious Creatures”

will visit to Tobin. Snakes and turtles and skunks- oh my! Snack included.
 Cost: \$15 per child
 Grades K – 6

Tuesday, November 9, 2006

Chunky’s Movie House.

Pizza and a movie in old cadillac car seats. A real treat.
 Cost: \$15 per child
 Grades: K – 6

SPECIAL COMMUNITY EVENTS

Tuesday, October 31, 2006

Halloween Party

2:00 – 4:00 p.m.
 Games, Magic Show with the famous “Bonaparte” and Prizes.
 No Cost
 Grades: K – 4

Tuesday, December 7, 2006

Parent & Child Gingerbread Workshop

Make your own gingerbread house to take home.
 \$10 per family suggested donation towards supplies.
 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, December 15, 2006

Holiday Piano Recital

No Cost
 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.
 Light refreshments served.

TOBIN SENIOR CLUB

Tuesday, October 19, 2006

Wrentham Factory Lake Winnepesaukee Turkey Train

A ride around the lake while dining on A Harts Turkey Farm Dinner.

Tuesday, November 28, 2006

Christmas Tree Shop, Lunch and Movies.

\$14 per person covers movie ticket and bus. Get started on the Christmas Season.

To be placed on the Senior Mailing list and receive up to date information on all our trips and activities please call 617-349-6300.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Adult Volleyball

Thursday Evenings
 7:30 – 9:00 p.m.
 Cost: \$3 per night
 No experience necessary

Adult Dance

Thursday Evenings
 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
 Cost & start date: TBA

*Interested in an art class, workshop, aerobics or other activities? We would be happy to offer one shot deals or session long classes to meet your interests. Just give us a call at 617-349-6300 to request a class.

The Center for Women and Enterprise

FINANCIAL LITERACY & BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

The Cambridge Community Development Department partners with the Center for Women & Enterprise to provide services to Cambridge residents, aspiring entrepreneurs, and businesses. The following activities are offered free of charge to eligible Cambridge participants. Others interested in participating may be required to pay a small fee. Information sessions are free for everyone. Space is limited. To sign-up for activities, to check your eligibility, or to get more information, please contact the Economic Development Division at (617) 349-4637 or rholmes@cambridge.ma.gov.

FOR RESIDENTS

Making Your Money Work – A Financial Literacy Program

6-Week Program: Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, Nov. 7, 2006, 6-8:30PM

Margaret Fuller Neighborhood House, 71 Cherry St., Cambridge

FOR ASPIRING ENTREPRENEURS & STARTUPS

Exploring Entrepreneurship Information Session

September 18, 2006, 8-9AM

January 10, 2007, 8-9AM

March 27, 2007, 8-9AM

2nd floor, City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway, Cambridge

Steps to Starting Your Own Business Workshop

October 12, 2006, 6-8PM

February 13, 2007, 8-10AM

2nd floor, City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway, Cambridge

Steps to Starting Your Own Business Workshop

in SPANISH - Como Comenzar Su Negocio

February 15, 2007, 6-8PM

For registration call Juan-Carlos Ferrufino at (617) 532-0247

FOR ESTABLISHED BUSINESSES & STARTUPS

Financing For Your Business Information Session

September 28, 2006, 9-10AM

January 17, 2007, 9-10AM

April 3, 2007, 9-10AM

2nd floor, City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway, Cambridge

Holiday Marketing Strategies Workshop

November 2, 2006, 8-10AM

2nd floor, City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway, Cambridge

Tax Review for Small Business Workshop

February 20, 2007, 8-10AM

2nd floor, City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway, Cambridge

Pricing Strategies Workshop

April 24, 2007, 8-10AM

2nd floor, City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway, Cambridge

E-Marketing Workshop Series

3-Week Program: May 10, 17, 24, 2007, 8-10AM

2nd floor, City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway, Cambridge

One-on-One Business Consulting Sessions

September 2007 by appointment (617) 349.4637

Girl Scouts

Girl Scouts, Patriots' Trail, Inc.

95 Berkeley Street
Boston, MA 02116
Contact: (617) 482-1078
infor@ptgirlscouts.org

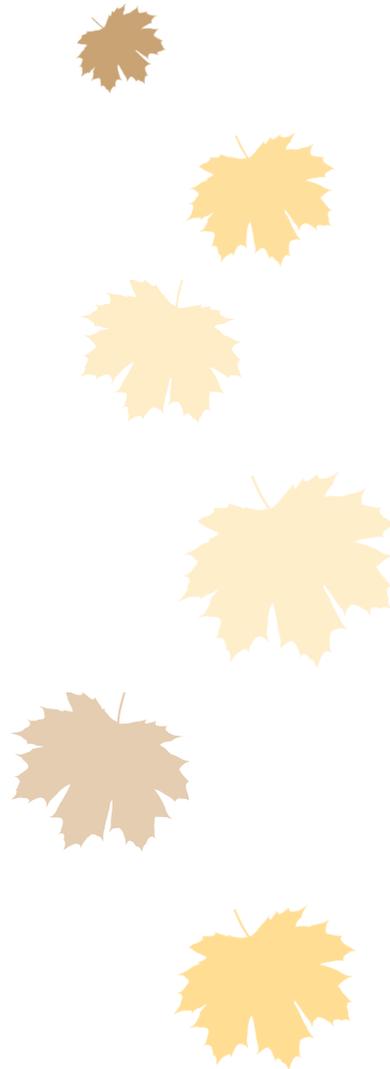
Days/Hours: Girl Scouts meet weekly or bi-monthly throughout the school year, according to volunteers' schedules.

Age Range: Girl Scouts is open for all girls between the ages of 5-17 (grades K-12).

Fee: An annual \$10 Girl Scouts of the USA membership fee and troop dues (approximately \$.50 to \$2.00) per meeting. Financial aid is available.

As a multicultural organization, Girl Scouts Patriots' Trail Council exists to meet the unique needs of girls and to help them grow into caring and confident young women. Girl Scout programs are contemporary and designed to deepen awareness of self and others, to build self-esteem and self-reliance, and to increase young girls' abilities to succeed in the world and make a positive impact on the community.

Please call or email Patriots Trail Staff at (617) 482-1078 or infor@ptgirlscouts.org to learn where your nearest Girl Scout troop meets or how the Council can help you start a Girl Scout troop in your neighborhood.



Council on Aging

Social Services

The Council on Aging offers a variety of benefits and services for Cambridge residents age 60 and over. Many of these services are listed below, and are available to any senior, regardless of whether they use the Senior Centers. Questions or concerns regarding any programs, services or issues related to the elderly may be directed to the Council on Aging Director, the Director of Client Services, or the Information and Referral Specialist at (617) 349-6220.

Citywide Senior Center

The Cambridge Senior Center at 806 Massachusetts Ave. is open to all Cambridge seniors seven days a week. It offers drop-in services, meals, a food pantry, a wide range of social services and recreational programs. Classes include Yoga, Computers, Dancing, Ceramics, Bingo, Exercise, Health and Wellness Lectures, Walking Club, Tai Chi, art classes, and much more. The Center also has a library area, pool tables, an open-air deck, and space to relax and to be with friends. Hot breakfasts and lunches are served 365 days a year.

Hours are Monday, 8:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m., Tuesday through Thursday, 8:30 - 5:00 p.m. and Fridays 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon. Saturdays, Sundays, Holidays 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. For more information, call (617) 349-6060.

North Cambridge Senior Center

Located at 2050 Massachusetts Ave., the center offers a wide variety of social, educational and recreational programming. Hot lunches are served daily. Programs include Bingo, computer classes, Bridge, Spanish, Watch Our Weight (WOW) group, exercise, stretch, whist, vision support groups, crafts, afternoon teas, yoga, dance, men's groups, movies and community trips. Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. For more information, please call (617) 349-6320.

Newslines

Subscribe to the Council on Aging monthly newsletter for \$6.00 a year. *Newslines* contains articles of interest on health care, housing, benefits, volunteer opportunities, fitness, current legislation, and a calendar of ongoing and special events at the senior centers. Call Pat Johnson at (617) 349-6220.

Benefits Counseling

Counseling regarding Medicare, Medicaid, Medigap insurances and HMO's is available by appointment at the Senior Centers. Call Caryn Eichenbaum at (617) 349-6220.

Substance Abuse Services for Seniors

Outreach, counseling, home visits, education, and support groups are available to Cambridge elders experiencing alcohol and/or drug problems or medication misuse. Call the Substance Abuse Counselor at (617) 349-6222.

Housing Assistance Program

Services available to seniors seeking affordable housing include advocacy, listing of available housing, help in completing forms, interviews and work with landlords. Contact Elder/Disabled Housing Specialist at 19 Brookline St., (617) 349-6340

Medical Transportation

Door-to-door transportation available for medical trips locally and to Boston. Call SCM at (617) 625-1191 well in advance for reservations.

Shopping Shuttle

Transportation for shopping and mall trips is available for those unable to use public transportation. For grocery shopping call SCM at (617) 625-1191, for mall trips call the COA at (617) 349-6220.

Senior Food Pantry

Food Pantry is held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and eligible seniors can visit one of those days to receive fresh produce and canned foods. Call (617) 349-6060, and ask to speak to the Food Pantry Coordinator.

Postal Carrier Alert Program

Carrier Alert is a free program that offers homebound adults an extra measure of security. This program will have your letter carrier check and make sure you pick up your mail from your mailbox. To obtain more information call, Liz Seelman at (617) 349-6220.

Outreach

Council on Aging speakers are available to groups for information about services and benefits available to Cambridge seniors. To schedule a speaker, please call Eileen Ginnetty at (617) 349-6220

File of Life

Individuals who are 60 and over or disabled may receive a free File of Life Kit, a magnet card for your refrigerator or wallet holder for vital personal medical information for use in emergencies. Call Susan Pacheco at (617) 349-6220 for more information.

Snow, Recycling & Trash Exemptions

Individuals 60 and over or disabled and unable to comply with snow removal, recycling or trash removal requirements may apply to the Council on Aging for an exemption. We also can assist with finding snow shovelers. Call the COA at (617) 349-6220.

Discount Programs

Taxi coupons

Cambridge residents 60 and over or disabled may get free coupon booklets for reduced taxi fares. Call (617) 349-6220.

Buylines cards

Discounts for some stores and services are available to Cambridge residents over 60. Free parking is also available in the supervised municipal lots. Call (617) 349-6220.

Multi-Cultural Programs

Haitian Elder Program

"Grandet An Aksion" offers services, lunch, speakers, and recreational activities for Haitians 50 and over. The program is held at the Citywide Senior Center at 806 Mass Ave. Thursdays, from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.. Call Emma Watkins at (617) 349-6060 for reservations. Transportation is provided.

The African-American Seniors Program

The program's goal is to provide a culturally sensitive social service, recreational and educational program. Group activities highlight the cultural and historical contributions of Blacks in this Country and the world. For more information, contact Emma Watkins at (617) 349-6060.

ESL Classes

English as a Second Language classes offered several times per week at various skill levels. Call (617) 349-6060.

Asian Elder Program

A monthly program for Asian American Elders which offers social services, socialization, lunch and speakers. The monthly membership meeting takes place at the Citywide Senior Center at 806 Massachusetts Avenue on the third Friday of each month, from 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Individual public benefits counseling available. For more information, call (617) 349-6060.

Portuguese Information & Referral

Information and referral and benefits counseling is available to Portuguese speakers. Call Susan Pacheco, Director of Client Services at (617) 349-6220.

Latino Senior Program

Informal program that meets weekly to offer Spanish-speaking seniors the opportunity to socialize and dialogue in their native language. The group is coordinated by a Spanish-speaking volunteer who, along with members of the group, plans educational and recreational activities for the group. For more information contact Arline McGrady at (617) 349-6060.

Fuel Assistance

Fuel Assistance

51 Inman Street, Cambridge, MA 02139, (617) 349-6252

The Low Income Fuel Assistance Program assists with winter heating bills for people who fall below 200% of the Federal poverty guidelines.

Eligibility is based on household size and gross annual income of all household members 18 and over. Those eligible for fuel assistance also qualify for discount rates on telephone and utility bills, and can qualify for a variety of weatherization services.

The program operates between November 1 and April 30, and applications are taken by appointment at 51 Inman Street in Cambridge. Call (617) 349-6252 for further information or to book an appointment.

Community Services

MULTI-SERVICE CENTER

19 Brookline Street, Cambridge, MA 02139
Contact (617) 349-6340, TTY/TDD: (617) 349-6330, FAX: (617) 349-6333

The Cambridge Multi-Service Center (MSC) is a collaboration of programs sponsored by the City and other community agencies to address the needs of homeless and near-homeless families and individuals in our community through direct services, planning and coordination.

City Programs

- **Human Services Case Managers** are available to homeless persons, those at risk of becoming homeless, or other Cambridge individuals or families in need of short-term counseling, assistance with housing concerns or referrals to a variety of services, including food pantries, job training and benefits programs.
- **The Transitional Housing Program** offers case management and rooms for men for a transitional period in partnership with the YMCA.
- **The Elderly/Disabled Housing Assistance** specialist provides advice, counseling, assistance with applications, and advocacy for Cambridge elders (55+) and disabled persons. Although geared toward homeless persons, assistance is available for others with applications to the Cambridge Housing Authority and to other subsidized housing as well.
- **The Housing Assistance Program** provides Housing Search, stabilization services, eviction prevention, information and assistance for Department of Transitional Assistance referred families who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless.

The Cambridge Prevention Coalition (CPC)

51 Inman Street, Cambridge, MA 02139, (617) 349-6206,
Fax: (617) 349-6357
Director: Chuck Klevgaard

The Cambridge Prevention Coalition is an innovative community based program linking substance abuse prevention to a range of health promotion activities. The mission of the Coalition is to reduce substance abuse among Cambridge residents, particularly youth.

The Coalition has used different and varying methods aimed at reaching this goal. Our approaches have included: Leadership in establishing community norms discouraging teens and others from abusing substances, healthy lifestyles/substance abuse training for parents and youth, and server trainings to local bars and restaurants. The Coalition is engaged in an initiative called *Communities Mobilizing for Change on Alcohol (CMCA)*. This initiative includes a comprehensive array of community interviews with a particular emphasis on reducing youth access to alcohol.

Community Agencies

A **Shelter, Inc.** social worker at the MSC offers counseling, casework and referrals for current and former shelter guests. The coordinator of Shelter, Inc.'s Mid-point Family Transitional Housing Program is also located at the MSC.

The Tri-City Mental Health and Retardation Center Mental Health Shelter Specialist is a clinical social worker who works closely with the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health and offers services to homeless persons from an office at the MSC.

HomeStart provides housing search and follow-up services to homeless individuals.

The Cambridge Student Partnership, affiliated with the National Student Partnership, provides job readiness and other general social services to Cambridge residents.

Other supportive services are offered at the Multi Service Center by staff from the **CASCAP** Representative Payee Program, the **Shelter Legal Assistance Services Project**, and the **North Charles Addiction Services**.

The Cambridge Haitian Services Collaborative is a coalition of Haitian service providers who have come together to address the social service needs of the Haitian community in Cambridge, with an emphasis on Haitians serving Haitians. Contact (617) 349-6351.

Please call collaborative member **Haitian American Education and Development Association (HAEDA)** at (617) 349-6257 for a schedule of classes in English as a Second Language, Creole literacy, Math and Computer Skills.

CambridgeSomervilleResourceGuide

51 Inman Street, Cambridge, MA 02139
(617) 349-6966, Fax: (617) 349-6357
Information & Referral Coordinator, Allyson Allen

Information on over 700 health and human services programs, primarily located in Cambridge or Somerville, is available online at the newly updated www.CambridgeSomervilleResourceGuide.org The programs listed include those offered by both public and private non-profit agencies, and are aimed at both consumers and providers of services. A companion print directory is available at agencies, libraries and other locations. People unable to access information online may contact the Information & Referral Coordinator for assistance.

Financial support for the database was provided by the Agenda for Children, along with the Cambridge Health Alliance/Somerville Community Health Foundation. Data collection and updates are the responsibility of the City of Cambridge Department of Human Services Programs Planning & Development Division and the Cambridge Health Alliance.

Employment & Training

The Office of Workforce Development (OWD) works to expand employment and training opportunities for all Cambridge residents, develop career pathways for them, coordinate access to and delivery of employment services in Cambridge, and identify and respond to the needs of under- and unemployed Cambridge residents.

OWD works with employers to expand training and employment opportunities for youth, coordinates the services of local employment and training providers, collaborates with the schools, employers and community-based organizations on school to career activities and provides residents with information and referrals to programs.

ADULT RESOURCES

Office of Workforce Development (OWD)

Adult Component 18+

The Adult Component of OWD coordinates access to services for Cambridge residents and provides information and referrals to jobs, job training and education through the Cambridge Employment Program (CEP).

Cambridge Employment Program (CEP)

51 Inman Street, 1st floor
Cambridge, MA 02139

The Cambridge Employment Program (CEP) offers Cambridge residents the following services:

- information about employment, job training and education opportunities
- personalized job counseling and referral
- assessment of interests, skills and work/life history
- work-readiness activities
- job placement

There is no charge for services. If you have general questions about CEP, are seeking information or would like to make an appointment for services, please call CEP (617) 349-6166.

Career Source

186 Alewife Brook Parkway
Cambridge, MA 02138

What they do:

Career Source is a one stop career center that offers job seekers assistance with their search for employment. Career Source offers the following services at no cost:

- Job search assistance
- Resume preparation
- Job openings throughout the state
- Information on education and training programs
- Information on eligibility for training programs
- Information about financial aid for training programs
- Workshops on networking, interviewing, stress management, career exploration and more
- Access to an on-site library with a variety of career resources
- A computer lab where job seekers can write their resumes and cover letters

Additional, fee-based services are available for selected classes and services.

You are eligible if you are:

Interested in job search assistance. Eligibility for selected services varies

For more information:

Call (617) 661-7867

Bunker Hill Community College

Cambridge Satellite Campus
Cambridge Rindge and Latin School
459 Broadway
Cambridge, MA 02138

What they do:

Provide a local and affordable option for post-secondary education.

You are eligible if you are:

Interested in taking college courses in Cambridge. (To earn a degree or certificate, you must apply for admission.)

To apply:

The fall semester begins in September; the spring semester begins in January. Pick up forms at the Registrar's Desk at the Charlestown campus, 250 New Rutherford Ave., Boston.

For more information, call:

Susan Mintz, Adult Employment Director (617) 349-6070

Cambridge Works and Learns Directory

The Office of Workforce Development publishes a directory with information on youth and adult employment programs, job placement assistance, job training and certificate programs and adult education programs on an annual basis. For a copy, please call (617) 349-6234.

YOUTH RESOURCES

Youth Employment Center (YEC), R121

Cambridge Rindge and Latin School
459 Broadway
Cambridge, MA 02138

YEC offers these services:

- referrals to youth employment programs
- applications and information about youth employment and training programs
- counseling and workshops on resume writing, career exploration, and job readiness

You are eligible if you are:

- 14 - 21 years old
- A Cambridge resident

For more information, call:

Maricel Sheets
Director of Youth Programs
(617) 349-6234

Cambridge Neighborhood Service Project

Office of Workforce Development

51 Inman Street
Cambridge, MA 02139

What they do:

The Office of Workforce Development (OWD), in collaboration with the City's Youth Centers, has developed a community service/learning project for youth ages 14 - 15 as an extension of the Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program (MSYEP). The focus of the program is to introduce young people to the world of work through neighborhood service/learning projects. Youth are paid a stipend for their participation in the project. The program operates February-May. Applications are available in Mid-December.

The projects will:

- Serve the community in some way
- Produce a tangible product at the end (exhibit, video, booklet, etc.)
- Provide youth with career awareness workshops and guest speakers
- Furnish youth with skills needed to succeed in the workplace (e.g. research skills, team work, oral and written communication skills, work maturity, etc.)

You are eligible if you are:

- 14 - 15 years old
- A Cambridge resident

For more information, call:

George Hinds,
Youth Services Coordinator
(617) 349-6234

Fall Youth Employment Program

What they do:

The Fall Youth Employment Program (FYEP) is a small, school-year version of the Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program (MSYEP). Only youth who participated in the 2004 MSYEP are eligible to apply for one of 25 slots in FYEP. Applications are mailed to all eligible youth in September. Students work 10 hours per week for 9 weeks and earn minimum wage. Available jobs include office work, childcare and more.

You are eligible if you are:

- 14 or 15 years old
- A Cambridge resident
- A recent participant in the Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program

For more information, call:

George Hinds,
Youth Services Coordinator
(617) 349-6234

TeenWork Just A Start

Just-A-Start Corporation

432 Columbia Street, Unit 12
Cambridge, MA 02141

What they do:

- Teach job skills
- Provide jobs in the private sector

You are eligible if you are:

- A Cambridge resident
- 16 - 21 years old
- In high school
- Overall passing grades of 75% (C+) or better
- School attendance of 85% or better

To apply:

Pick up an application at Cambridge Rindge and Latin School's Youth Employment Center, R121.

For more information, call:

Susan Mills, Program Coordinator
(617) 494-0444 x315

City Links Cambridge Community Services

99 Bishop Allen Drive
Cambridge, MA 02139
City Links is an internship program offered to new immigrant students at Cambridge Rindge and Latin School. Students are placed in year-long paid internships in the public sector (after school) and are matched with adult mentors. Students receive training in job-readiness, government, leadership, career guidance and counseling, higher education preparation and academic support (tutoring).

Eligibility

A junior or senior who is bilingual.

Program Dates

Cycle begins each September and runs throughout the school year into the summer.

Application Process

Pick up an application at the CRLS International Student & Family Center (R312) or call CCS (below).

Contact Sandra Cañas, Program Director (617) 876-5214

The Work Force Program

Cambridge Housing Authority

675 Massachusetts Avenue
Cambridge, MA 02139

What they do:

- Teach job skills and life skills
- Provide jobs
- Help with school work
- Provide MCAS prep
- Provide information about college opportunities

You are eligible if you are:

- 13 - 19 years old
- Living in Cambridge Housing Authority public housing
- Attending school

To apply:

Contact the Work Force office closest to where you live.

119 Windsor St. (617) 499-7107

Jefferson Park (617) 499-7110

Roosevelt Towers (617) 499-7169

For more information, call:

John Lindamood, Program Director
(617) 499-7159.

CRLS Work-Study Program

Cambridge Rindge and Latin School

459 Broadway
Cambridge, MA 02138

What they do:

- Provide a limited number of jobs in public and non-profit sites

You are eligible if you are:

- A student at CRLS
- Age 14 and older

To apply:

Call the RSTA office at CRLS (617) 349-6884

YouthBuild Just A Start

1175 Cambridge St.
Cambridge, MA 02139

What they do:

- Help plan work and life goals
- Provide basic and vocational education leading to a GED or high school diploma
- Provide leadership development and peer support groups
- Provide job readiness and life skills workshops
- Provide hands-on, construction related work experience building low-income housing
- Provide help seeking further training, education or work
- Provide opportunities to earn AmeriCorps scholarship money

You are eligible if you are:

- 17-24 years old
- Have dropped out of school
- Unemployed/eligible to work in the U.S.

To apply:

Complete application at YouthBuild office at 1175 Cambridge St., Cambridge, MA 02139

For more information, call:

Sarcha, (617) 492-1460

Recreation

Personal and Career Exploration Program (PACE)

What they do:

The Personal and Career Exploration Program (PACE) program is for Cambridge residents ages 16 – 19 who are enrolled in high school. The program, offered three times per school year, helps students understand and promote their own skills and career interests, while also exposing them to the rules and expectations of the adult/professional world of work. Students attend six two hour workshops, participate in a mock interview session and tour a local company to increase their knowledge of various careers and practice their communication skills. Participants receive a \$100 stipend upon completion of the program.

You are eligible if you are:

- 16 – 19 years old
- Enrolled in high school

To apply:

Pick up an application at Cambridge Rindge and Latin School's Youth Employment Center, R121

For more information, call:
Maricel Sheets
Director of Youth Programs
(617) 349-6234

War Memorial Facility

1640 Cambridge Street
Cambridge, MA
(617) 349-6279 Information Line
Contact: Donna Cameron,
(617) 349-6237

Complete program information is available in the War Memorial Fall Brochure. You may pick up a copy at 51 Inman Street, and the Main Library in the reference room during regular business hours, or the War Memorial during regular operating hours (M-F 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.).

Classes are available in swimming, tennis, and gymnastics for children. The children's program serves ages eighteen months and up depending on the activity. All children's classes meet on Saturday. Adult classes include tennis, swimming, masters swimming and aqua aerobics. There is also information about lap swimming, weight room, volleyball, and basketball.

Fall brochure will be available August 25, 2006.

City of Cambridge Road Race

The twentieth annual City of Cambridge Five Mile Roadrace will be held April 2007. Please contact Paul Ryder for race details at (617) 349-6229.

Field Permits

Field permits are available for Cambridge residents, organizations or companies for athletic use of Cambridge fields. Resident and organization fees are \$65 for a two hour period. Contact: Kevin Clark at (617) 349-6238

SPECIAL NEEDS PROGRAMS

Afterschool Program

Ages 6-15
Location: Gately Youth Center
70R Rindge Ave.
Cambridge, MA
Contact: David Tynes at
(617) 349-6829.

Transportation for Cambridge residents is provided to the program by the School Department. Cambridge Recreation provides transportation home. Activities include arts & crafts, cooking, basketball and roller-skating. Fee: \$60 for 30 weeks. Monday and Wednesday from 2:00-5:00 p.m. Begins September 2006 and ends June 2007.

Young Adult Program

Ages 16 and above
Location: Gately Youth Center and War Memorial Pool
September 2006 - June 2007
Mondays and Wednesdays from 5:00-8:00 p.m.
Fee: \$60 for 30 weeks.
Contact: David Tynes at
(617) 349-6829

Monday nights, students bowl at the Somerville Bowling Alley. Wednesday nights, students swim at the War Memorial Pool at the Cambridge Rindge and Latin High School. Transportation is provided to and from the program by Cambridge Recreation.

Saturday Program

Ages: 6 - 22
Location: Gately Youth Center
70R Rindge Avenue
Cambridge, MA
September 2006 - June 2007
Saturdays from 9:00 - 3:00 p.m.
Fee: \$90 for 30 weeks.
Contact: David Tynes at
(617) 349-6829

Transportation is provided for Cambridge residents. Activities include: arts and crafts, cooking, basketball, roller-skating, and swimming at the War Memorial Pool.

Mayor Thomas W. Danehy Park

99 Sherman Street

Mayor Thomas W. Danehy park is built on a former municipal landfill in North Cambridge. The City of Cambridge, in need of additional open space and recreational facilities, turned a potential liability into a significant asset by recycling the 50 acre site for recreational use. Cambridge is the first community in Massachusetts to successfully complete such a project. Open year round, the fifty acre park includes: tot lots, Wheeler Water Garden, picnic areas, soccer and softball fields. Permits are required for use of the athletic fields.

Contact: Kevin Clark, (617) 349-6238 for permits.

Danehy Park Office

(617) 349-4895

Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr./ Fresh Pond Golf Course

695 Huron Avenue
Pro-Shop (617) 349-6282

Nine hole municipal golf course
open from early April through
December.

Sunday-Saturday 6:30 a.m. - Dusk
Golf Pro: Bob Carey
(617) 349-6282

*Note: Fees subject to change for
2004 season

Yearly Fee Schedule

Resident	\$680.
Non-Resident	\$1040.
Senior Res One	\$325.

tee off before noon, M-F
(no pass on weekends & holidays)

Senior Res. Plus \$480.
tee off anytime during wk &
after 12:00 on weekends & holi-
days

Junior Resident \$275.
Must tee off by 4 PM M-F, No tee
off before 2 p.m. weekends &
holidays

Junior Non-Res	\$420.
Monthly Res	\$325.
Monthly Non-Res	\$550.

Daily Rates

Monday-Friday
9 holes \$21., 18 holes \$31.

Saturday, Sunday & Holidays
9 holes \$25., 18 holes \$37.

Residents Daily*
9 holes \$18., 18 holes \$28.

*Monday - Friday only

*Family Resident (first adult pays
full membership, each additional
member \$25. discount per
membership)

Note: Reduced daily fee for Cam-
bridge Seniors and Juniors for
9 holes only on Monday-Friday
before 1:00 p.m. - \$12.

CAMBRIDGE YOUTH ATHLETICS

Information & Registration

Baseball/Little League

(Spring/Summer)
Ages: 12 and under

Central Division

Contact: Peter Parise
(617) 354-7885

East Division

Contact: Donald Down
(617) 868-5665

North Division

Contact: Ron Slager
(617) 547-1578

West Division

Contact: Ed Chaisson
(781) 891-4040

Babe Ruth Baseball

(Spring/Summer)
Ages: 13 - 15
Contact: George Alexander
(617) 864-1336

Shoot Straight

(Winter)
Grades: 3 - 6
Contact: Bob Goodwin
(617) 349-6228

Hockey

(Fall/Winter)
Ages: 5 - 14
Contact: Jim Coleman
(617) 661-6533

Football

Pop Warner and Cheerleading (Fall)
Ages: 7 - 14
Info Line: (617) 576-1441

Soccer

Youth Soccer (Spring/Fall)
Ages: 6 - 18
Contact: Sue Ruff
(617) 491-5820

Softball

Girls Softball (Spring)
Ages: 9 - 14
Contact: Peter Payack
(617) 492-2913

Track and Field

Contact: Curtis and Kim Jackman
(781) 933-2644



North Cambridge Crime Task Force

Located at the *Larry Burke Police and Community Service Center*
At 325 Rindge Avenue. (On the parking lot of the MDC Swimming Pool)
Phone (617) 349-4293 E-mail ncctf@aol.com

The North Cambridge Crime Task Force was founded by a group of concerned neighborhood residents. With support from the Police Department, City Councillors and other City and State Officials we have worked to enhance neighborhood cohesion and address the issue of crime, especially drug-related crime in the community.

The North Cambridge Crime Task Force meets on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at different locations in North Cambridge. Participants at our meetings include: community residents, representatives of local businesses, clergy, the Police Department, City Council, Department of Human Services and other neighborhood organizations. Our meetings give participants an opportunity to discuss the issues of crime and disorder and to organize community activities that convey a strong prevention message. One of the many ways that we have served the community is sponsoring National Night Out Against Crime. **The North Cambridge Night Out event is held on the first Tuesday in August.**

Halloween Party

Tuesday, October 31
At the Larry Burke Police and Community Service Center
325 Rindge Avenue
Time to be announced

Bring the family and receive a goody bag, crime prevention material, coloring books and more. Meet McGruff the Crime Dog and his nephew Scruff. An entertainer will be on hand as well.

Monthly Meetings

The Task Force will hold monthly crime meetings on the following dates: Wednesday, September 20; Wednesday, October 18; Wednesday, November 15. Times to be announced. Call John Serwecinski at (617) 349-4293 for info.

Performance Project

Cambridge Performance Project

51 Inman Street, Cambridge, MA 02139, (617) 349-6235

The Cambridge Performance Project (CPP) is a non-profit organization founded in 1984. The mission of CPP is to provide high quality instruction and performance experience in dance, music, and theater for children, from every race, ethnicity, economic background, neighborhood and school in our city. We emphasize the creative process, and our goal is to encourage life-long understanding and appreciation of the arts.

This fall's offerings include: Hip Hop and Caribbean dances, Creative Movement and Ballet, Bilingual Theater, Drumming and Circus Arts! See our classes listed under most Community School sections of this guide.

For more information, call Judy Bibbins at (617) 349-6235.

Youth Programs

The Cambridge Youth Programs' (CYP) goal is to enrich the lives of youth (aged 9-19) by promoting a safe, fun place to grow, academic support, recreational activities, and an opportunity for mentorship. We serve youth members throughout the year and in the summer. Youth attend five different youth centers located throughout Cambridge. Our focus is on leadership development and providing quality programming for the youth of Cambridge.

CYP has a history of adapting to changing needs of the community. The Youth Program's five Youth Centers include classroom space, meeting rooms and easy access to parks and athletic fields. The Leadership Program focuses on the needs of our pre-teen (9-13) members, and our Teen Evening program works with older youth (14-19). Programs include employment assistance, homework help, literacy programs, drama, science, cooking, life skills workshops, speakers, drug and alcohol prevention programs, trips, sports leagues, recreation, computer labs, and special events. Our pre-teen programs are also fully licensed by the state Office of Childcare Services, which has enabled us to expand our programs and enhance the overall quality of our services.

Registration

Leadership Program (ages 9-13)

M-F 2:00 - 6:00 p.m.

\$50 Per Session

Session One: Tuesday, Sept. 5, 2006 - Friday January 12, 2007

Session Two: Jan. 17, 2007 - June 15, 2007

Teen Program (ages 14-19)

M, T, W, Th 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. & Fridays 6:30-10:30 p.m.

\$10 Per Year, *includes membership to all 5 locations!*

Program begins Monday, September 11, 2006

Teens on the Move (ages 14-16)

M-F 3:00 - 6:00 pm, Free

Area IV Youth Center only

Tuesday, Sept. 5, 2006 - Friday, June 15, 2007

Free to participants

Middle School Clubhouse (grades 6, 7, 8)

Monday-Friday 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Gately Youth Center only

Tuesday, Sept. 5, 2006 - Friday, June 15, 2007

Registration packets are available at all CYP locations.

CYP Site Locations:

North Cambridge Location:

The Gately Youth Center
70R Rindge Avenue
Cambridge, MA 02140
Director: Meaghan McCabe
(617) 349-4499

East Cambridge Location:

Frisoli Youth Center
61 Willow Street
Cambridge, MA 02141
Director: Steve Christo
(617) 349-4497

West Cambridge Location:

West Cambridge Youth Center
19-1A Corcoran Park
Cambridge, MA 02138
Director: Allan Platt
(617) 349-4489

Area IV Location:

Area 4 Youth Center
243 Harvard Street
Cambridge, MA 02139
Director: Charles Walker
(617) 349-4490

Riverside Location:

Moore Youth Center
Gilmore Street -
Off Western Avenue
Cambridge, MA 02139
Director: Patricia Bradshaw
(617) 349-4492

Central Office Location:

Department of Human Services
51 Inman Street
Cambridge, MA 02139



Commission for Persons with Disabilities

Commission for Persons with Disabilities

51 Inman Street, second floor
Cambridge, MA 02139

Contact: Carolyn Thompson or Michael Muehe, (617) 346-4692 (voice) or (617) 492-0235 (TTY)

(This TTY number is a dedicated phone line for people who are deaf or hard of hearing, or who have a disability that requires use of a text telephone.)

The Commission works to raise awareness about disability and access issues throughout the City of Cambridge. We strive to eliminate discrimination and to promote equal opportunity for people with all types of disabilities – physical, mental and sensory. The Commission provides information, referral, guidance, and technical assistance to individuals and their families, schools, employers, public agencies, businesses and private non-profit organizations. Examples of our ongoing work include:

- work with various City departments to ensure compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), including access for people with disabilities to City facilities and programs
- provide free disability awareness training upon request for any Cambridge business, school, or non-profit,
- issue Temporary Disability Parking Permits to Cambridge residents,
- provide Taxi Discount Coupons to disabled Cambridge residents in conjunction with the Cambridge Council on Aging, and
- work with the Traffic, Parking, and Transportation Department to establish new accessible parking spaces as needed.

The goal of our 11-member citizen advisory board, comprised primarily of individuals with disabilities, is to maximize access to all aspects of Cambridge community life. Our regularly scheduled Commission meetings, which always include an opportunity for public comment, are held at 5:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month. Our newsletter, *AccessLetter*, provides information and news on a variety of disability-related topics, and welcomes articles and story suggestions. Check us out on the web at <www.cambridgema.gov/DHSP2/disabilities.cfm>.



Eleventh Annual Danehy Park Family Day September 30, 2006

Mark your calendar for the City's Eleventh Annual Danehy Park Family Day Saturday, September 30 from 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., featuring free T-shirts and kites, kite demonstrations, arts and craft, food, roving performers and music for all tastes.

Check out the interactive children's stage. Take a spin on the dance floor during the hip-hop dance instruction or take part in a magic show. Danehy Park is located at 99 Sherman Street in North Cambridge (adjacent to Garden and New Streets). This free event, sponsored by the City of Cambridge, attracts over 4,000 people annually and offers something for everyone.

Danehy Park is a 55-acre facility located in North Cambridge on Sherman, Garden and New Streets. Shuttle buses will be running throughout Cambridge to provide transportation. Danehy Park can be reached by public transportation: #74 bus or #78 bus from Harvard Square; #83 bus from Central Square; or take a shuttle bus from the Alewife MBTA Station. Picnics and lawn chairs are encouraged.

COMING IN SEPTEMBER

A DHSP Middle School Club at the Peabody School

A unique partnership of the Fitzgerald Community School, Gately Youth Center and Peabody School.

Designed by and for Middle School Students Only

A Great Place to Hangout, Have fun, and Make New Friends

Membership and Space is Limited

For More Information, Call

Adam Corbeil, Middle School Coordinator

617-349-3004