Clarkston Community Schools

WINTER/SPRING 2017

Call 248-623-4326 or visit www.ITPRS.org to register.

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Clarkston Community Education

Adult & Youth Enrichment

Register Early!
Many classes fill up quickly. Please register one week in advance so we can make class enrollment decisions.
Registrants are contacted ONLY if the class is full or canceled.

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Clarkston Community Schools

Adult Education

ONLINE CAREER CLASSES

What to Expect with these Online Courses

- All classes meet online. Go to the internet and connect to your classroom online.
- Online Instructors available at various times to answer your questions.
- Self-paced. Work at your own pace, any day, any time; there is no set time to be in an online classroom.

PREREQUISITE FOR ALL ONLINE CLASSES: Participants must have basic computer and internet skills, as well as a current email address.

BUSINESS ACCOUNTING

Business Accounting Basics – A Practical Approach

Improve your career opportunities. An introduction course for non-accounting staff that have to deal with financial matters on their jobs or small business owners. Be provided with the vocabulary and knowledge you need to read financial reports and enter into financial discussions and decisions. Walks you through the accounting cycle, step-by-step. Helps you grasp why QuickBooks behaves the way it does. Your online instructor has a MBA is very helpful. Certificate awarded.

Textbooks and eLab Key Fees: Depends on bundle you choose. $135 to $158 includes 180 day trail software. Purchase per instructor's instructions.

AW17-W1 •Starts any weekday •up to 10 weeks •$229

Quickbooks Pro Comprehensive for PC – Step-By-Step

QuickBooks is the most used accounting software for small/medium business. You master concepts by working through case studies that replicate real-world situations. Learn to use QuickBooks features and functions to work with accrual and cash accounting, GAAP, accounting cycles, journals, reports, payroll, checks, invoices, payments, banking, etc... In this online class you can setup and work with your own company files. Your online instructor has in-depth experience and is very practical in her approach. Certificate awarded. Your online instructor with BS in Accounting. Specializes in QuickBooks. Prerequisite Student must have knowledge of business accounting.

Textbooks and eLab Key Fees: Depends on bundle you choose. $115 to $129 includes 180 day trail software. Purchase per instructor's instructions.

AW17-W2 • Starts any weekday • up to 10 weeks • $259

COMPUTER

Microsoft Office Comprehensive – Step-By-Step

Learn everything that you need to know about Microsoft Office 2013 or 2010! Create professional documents, labels, mail merges and PDF files quickly using Word. Produce worksheets to track people, projects and money with Excel. Wow the audience with your presentations using PowerPoint. Build databases with Access. Receive the skills you need for job advancement or new job opportunities. The instructor is very good at helping the individual student reach their goals. Certificate awarded.

Textbooks and eLab Key Fees: Depends on version and bundle you choose. $135 to $158. Purchase per instructor's instructions. Microsoft Office 2013, 2010 or 2016

AW17-W3 • Starts any weekday • up to 10 weeks • $229

Microsoft Excel Comprehensive – Step-By-Step

Become a power user. The Instructor will customize instruction so you learn what you features you want to know. Grasp how to use of the ribbon interface, worksheets, links, formulas, tables, outlines, SmartArt, clip art, and PivotTables. Also learn to analyze, audit, enter, and edit data with IF or NOT, SUMIF and COUNTIS functions. Check for errors by applying IFERROR... and more. Your online instructor has in-depth knowledge of Excel. She assists students with their specific needs. Certificate awarded.

Textbooks and eLab Key Fees: Depends on version and bundle you choose. $90 to $171. Purchase per instructor's instructions. Excel 2010, 2013 or 2016

AW17-W4 • Starts any weekday • up to 10 weeks • $229

Comptia A+– Certification Preparation

Helps prepare you to take the CompTIA A+ exam. Cover basic knowledge and skills necessary for a career in PC support. The course is designed to fully prepare learners to take and pass the CompTIA A+ 220-801 and 220-802 certification exams. Topics include installation, configuration, and maintenance of PC hardware components, networking, security, virtualization, desktop imaging, and deployment. Gain knowledge of diagnostic and troubleshooting processes for various technical issues. Certification exam given through CompTIA. Exam separate from course.

Prerequisite: Experienced in computer operations seeking a career in PC support. eLab Access Code and eBook Fee: $329. Purchase per instructor's instructions.

AW17-W5 •Starts any weekday •up to 10 weeks •$549

MEDICAL

Practical Medical Terminology – An Easy Method

The Survey of Medical Terminology course is a primer for common medical terminology for individuals new to the health care industry. It provides a survey of medical terminology, symbols, abbreviations and the application of this new language in the field of health care. Identify the fundamental word structure of medical terms and their component parts. An excellent Instructor with many years of practical experience working in various medical offices. Certificate awarded.

Textbook and eLab code: Fee: $91 to $136 depending upon which bundle is chosen. Purchase according to instructor's instructions.

AW17-W6 • Starts any weekday • up to 12 weeks • $199

Today's Medical Billing and Coding Procedures

The Healthcare Reimbursement System is an extremely complex framework of obtaining payments for healthcare services. Course will cover; Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). Healthcare Reimbursement Rules and Regulations of the Patient Protection and Affordable Healthcare Act. Healthcare Value Based Reimbursement System. Healthcare Coding System; CPT-4, ICD-9-CM, ICD-10-CM, HCPCS, and Modifiers. Federal and State Health Privacy Laws and organizational policies affecting patient consent and electronic health information exchange. Medical Necessity in Healthcare. Completion of the Healthcare Claim Forms (1500 and UB04). Reimbursement Appeals Process. Certifications from the Centers of Medicare and Medicaid for Reimbursement. Healthcare Reimbursement Certificate awarded upon completion of the course. Certificate Awarded.

Prerequisite: Basic Math Skills, Beginning Medical Terminology including Anatomy and Physiology Overview.

Textbook and eLab Access Fee: approximately $23 to $157 depending upon bundle chosen. Purchase per instructor's instructions.

AW17-W7 • Starts any weekday • up to 12 weeks • $349

Pharmacy Technician

This course will help you gain the skills needed to assist pharmacists in providing medications to doctors and the general public. Learn how to stock a pharmacy; create, update and maintain records; distribute medications and treatments accurately and efficiently; legal issues and more. Completion certificate awarded. Prerequisite: Basic math skills. Medical Terminology or medical experience.

Textbook and eLab Access Fee: approximately $90 to $110 depending upon bundle chosen. Purchase per instructor's instructions.

AW17-W8 • Starts any weekday • up to 12 weeks • $349

To Register: Call 248-623-4326

ONLINE REGISTRATION AVAILABLE FOR MOST CLASSES WWW.ITPRS.ORG

Clarkston Community Education has partnered with The Center for Legal Studies

THE CENTER FOR LEGAL STUDIES

Since 1980, the Center for Legal Studies has partnered with colleges and universities across the country to educate thousands of students. Clarkston Community Education, in partnership with the Center for Legal Studies, will be offering the following online classes this winter:

- Paralegal Certificate Course
- Alternative Dispute Resolution Certificate Course
- Advanced Paralegal Certificate Course
- Intellectual Property Law for Engineers
- Legal Investigation Certificate Course
- Legal Nurse Consultant Training Course
- Legal Secretary Certificate Course
- Victim Advocacy Certificate Course

For course information or to register, visit: https://www.legalstudies.com/vendor/clarkston-comm-ed/ or call 1-800-522-7737

Adult Enrichment

Clarkston Community Band

The Clarkston Community Band (CCB), founded in 1890, provides the opportunity for amateur musicians to enjoy, once again, the pleasure of playing in a band. The membership of the band represents a broad spectrum of backgrounds including nurses, schoolteachers, engineers, housewives, students, and senior citizens. The band has a strong sense of community purpose and provides free musical entertainment at civic, charitable and community events. CCB is sponsored by Clarkston Community Education of Clarkston, Michigan. It is an on-going adult recreation program open to all adult and high school musicians. The band is directed by Shelley Roland, Director of The Sashabaw Middle School band. Rehearsals are weekly throughout the school year on Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00pm at the Sashabaw Middle School located at 5565 Pine Knob Lane, Clarkston, MI 48346.

Fee: $40 for the winter semester. Visit the website at www.clarkstoncommunityband.org or e-mail darkstonband@gmail.com for more information.

Guitar I: Let's Make Some Music

Ages 10 – Adult

For the absolute beginner to novice guitarist, this class starts with the basics of holding and playing the guitar, and covers such topics as: tuning and guitar care, fundamentals of guitar technique, first position chords and general chord study, guitar tablature (easily learned form of music notation), basic strumming/picking techniques. This class is created and taught with the philosophy that music is FUN and learning music should be fun too. A wide variety of songs and styles will be presented to get you quickly on your way to playing the music that YOU enjoy.

Instructors: Paul Sabbag and Mark Hurst

AW17-E1 • ages 10–adult • 7wks • Saturdays, January 28–March 18 (no dass 2/18) • 10-11am • $72

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

Guitar II

Ages 10 – Adult

This class is a continuation of Guitar I. Students should have completed Guitar I or have the following knowledge/skills: proper tuning and care of the guitar; ability to form open, first position chords (minimally chords C-A-G-E-D); basic strumming technique; and the ability to play some fundamental songs and/or sequences of chords (making fairly smooth chord changes).

Instructors: Paul Sabbag and Mark Hurst

AW17-E2 • ages 10-adult • 7wks • Saturdays, January 28–March 18 (no class 2/18) • 10–11am • $72

Location: Community Education Center 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

How to Write a Book in 30 Days

Have you ever imagined writing a book? This course is designed for those writers who would like to break into the publishing world by writing their first book. Learn simple ideas to get you started along the path to become a published author. Don Staley is a #1 best-selling author who shares ideas, tips, and strategies to encourage, motivate, and inspire you to get your book started and to get it done. In this class you will learn: the most important thing you must do before you attempt to write your first book, a great and simple technique to flesh out the outline of your book, the five different methods of getting your book done, how to get yourself to take consistent action, nine costly mistakes to avoid which most new authors make, seven ideas to make writing your book an adventure so you have as much fun as possible, and much, much more! A $25 material fee is payable to the instructor on the night of class.

AW17-E3 • Thursday, February 23 • 6:30 – 8:30pm • $30

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center – Media Center, 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

CPR—Adult/Child and Infant with AED

Ages 13 – Adult

CPR—Adult/Child and Infant with AED: The CPR, AED course will include: Videos, printed documents, demonstrations on mannequins representing all age groups such as infants, children and adults. Students will also have the opportunity to practice CPR techniques on mannequin. The goal of this class is to expose you to some realistic emergencies and give you the knowledge and skills to respond safely and effectively to an emergency. Instructor: Larry Blevins

AW17-E4 • 1 session • Saturday, March 25 • 9am –12:30pm • $55.00

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston – Media Center

First Aid

Ages 13 – Adult

First Aid is the initial care given to someone who is injured or suddenly becomes ill before more advanced medical help arrives. The goal of this course is to expose you to some realistic emergencies, and give you the knowledge and skills needed to respond safely and effectively to a medical emergency. Instructor: Larry Blevins

AW17-E5 • 1 session • Saturday, April 22 9am–12:30pm • $55.00

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston – Media Center

Wine Glass Painting Class

NEW

Wine Glass class includes all materials necessary to create 2 beautiful and unique wine glasses for your home or a great gift! After selecting your design, paintings, and glass styles, your teacher will begin the class with tips and tricks for Wine Glass success! Although the class is not taught one specific design, teachers and assistants are available to help you achieve the perfect wine glasses! Our teachers and assistants love what they do and are very helpful which makes our classes unique and achievable. Each person is sent home with baking instructions. A fun and exciting class to take!

AW17-E6 • 1 session • Friday, January 27 • 7–9pm • $35

AW17-E7 • 1 session • Friday, February 10 • 7–9pm • $35

Location: Picasso's Grapevine, 12 S. Main Street, Clarkston 48346

Pallet Wood Sign Class

Love the beautiful rustic boards with all those cool sayings? Now you can Get On Board and join one of our board art classes where you will be guided through the process to complete your own customized board for your home. You will be able to choose your own stain and paint colors and will have fun distressing and assembling the board while enjoying the evening with friends! You may pick any board design.

AW17-E8 • 1 session • Wednesday, March 8 • 6:30–9:30pm • $65

Location: Picasso's Grapevine,12 S. Main St., Clarkston, MI 48346

Clarkston Community Schools

Adult Exercise, Fitness & Dance

Core Conditioning

The Core Conditioning class combines Yoga, Pilates, and light weights to provide an all over workout, concentrating on strengthening the core. Bring a mat, a towel, light weights and a water bottle to class. Dress comfortably, this workout can be done in good shoes, socks or even barefoot.

Instructor: Tina Green

AW17-E9 • 8 sessions • Mondays, January 23–March 20 (no class Feb 20) • 6:30-7:30pm • $55

Location: Clarkston Community Education Building – Cafeteria

AW17-E10 • 8 sessions • Mondays, March 27–May 22 (no class April 3) • 6:30–7:30pm • $55

Location: Clarkston Community Education Building – Cafeteria

Pound Rockout. Workout

POUND is the fastest growing group fitness format in the world! Recently seen on Today Show, The Doctors, Extra and, 4 NBC. Featured in SHAPE magazine, Instyle, ELLE, Glamour, Self, Los Angeles Times, New York Times, Vital Juice and Fitness. With 1/4 lb. RIPSTIXS especially designed to get you ripped. You will burn up to 900 cal per session. Amazing music working your core and, entire body and relieve stress using a mix between a workout and drumming. No experience necessary. ALL levels of fitness will fall in love with this fun addictive workout. Bring a mat and plenty of water! RIPSTIX available for purchase first class for $20 (can use class RIPSTIXS at no charge). Instructor: Patty Hester

AW17-E12 • 8 classes • Tuesdays, January 17–March 14 (no class Feb. 21) • 7–8pm • $75

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

Pilates Plus

A full body, core targeted, fat burning workout to fun and upbeat music using balls, bands, weights, and/or the barre. It strengthens and tones your body, burns fat, improves endurance, and jump starts your metabolism. Guaranteed results or your money back! Instructor: Cynthia Bass

AW17-E15 • 8 classes • Winter Session: Wednesdays, February 1–March 22 • 7:15–8pm • $75

AW17-E16 • 8 classes • Winter Session: Saturdays, January 28–March 25 (no class Feb. 18) • 9–9:45am • $75

AW17-E17 • 8 classes • Spring Session: Wednesdays, April 19–June 7 • 7:15–8pm • $75

AW17-E20 • 8 classes • Spring Session, Saturdays, April 22–June 10 • 9–9:45am • $75

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center

Youth Fitness, see page 7.

REFIT

NEW

It's time for a REFIT REVOLUTION! What is REFIT? It is designed to create community through shared experience of fitness. At the "People's Pace" Cardio+Balance+Flexibility +Toning

MODIFICATION ACTIVITY is ALWAYS on. A fitness experience that changes people from the inside out, and this is accomplished by focusing on the heart as a muscle AND a soul. People don't have to get fit to be at REFIT - our workouts are designed for EVERY BODY regardless of age, shape, size or ability.

REFIT creates a powerful, uplifting fitness experience that last well beyond the workout. So what exactly happens in a REFIT class? It combines several elements of fitness into one hour. While the focus is structured around Cardio Dance movements, toning and flexibility, strength training and stretching are also incorporated into the REFIT workout. The workout formula is easy to follow and will both challenge fitness enthusiasts and welcome beginners.

This is a one size fits all! Based on the 3M Approach: Movement + Music +More. Instructor: Patty Hester

AW17-E13 • 8 classes • Wednesdays, January 18–March 8 • 7–8pm • $60

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston – Fitness Room

STRONG by Zumba

NEW

The class you've been waiting for STRONG by Zumba is here NOW!! Fitness enthusiasts looking for a more challenging, high intensity interval training workout. With most workout programs music is an afterthought. The music in STRONG was crafted to drive the intensity in a challenging progression that provides a total body workout. The results? A group fitness experience like no other. STRONG by Zumba use the HITTZ program. Tempo driven, the strength of the beat will challenge your muscles and cardio system to find power, strength, speed, stamina, and mobility. Optimize your workout and make every minute count as you push to achieve your fitness goals faster. Instructor: Patty Hester

AW17-E14 • 8 classes • Thursdays, January 19 – March 9 • 7–8pm • $75

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston– Cafeteria

Zumba and Zumba Toning Combo

This class is a combination of Zumba, all the fun dances such as salsa, merengue, cumbia, and some Zumba Toning using the Toning sticks. The toning sticks (1lb. – 2 lb.) enhances targeted areas, such as, arms, legs, abs & glutes, along with the high energy cardiovascular Latin rhythms. If preferred, the entire class can be done without using the toning sticks or hand weights. Please bring your own Zumba tonic sticks, available at www.zumba.com or hand weights that are no more than 3 lbs. Instructor: Cyndy DuVal, www.facebook.com/zumbaclarkston.

AW17-E21 • 8 weeks • Tuesdays, January 17 – March 14 • (no class Feb. 21) • 5:00–6:00pm • $73

AW17-E22 • 8 weeks • Tuesdays, April 11 – May 30 5:00 – 6:00pm • $73

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center, Cafeteria

Adult Ballroom and Latin Dance Combo

Give someone special that special something special: time together. Get ready for weddings, cruises or special occasions by learning the Fox Trot, Waltz, Rumba, Swing, Salsa, Cha-Cha, Merengue, and Bachata. This class introduces basic steps, timing, and style of each dance as well as provides several eye-catching sequences while more experienced dancers can fine tune the steps they already know. You will soon be gliding effortlessly across the floor! Wear smooth sole shoes.

AW17-E23 • Beginner • Winter • 8 sessions Fridays, Feb. 3–March 24 • 7:00–7:45pm $99/person

AW17-E24 • Beginner • Spring: 8 sessions Fridays, April 21–June 9 • 7:00–7:45pm $99/person

AW17-E25 • Intermediate • Winter • 8 sessions Fridays, Feb. 3–March 24 • 7:45–8:30pm $99/person

AW17-E26 • Intermediate • Spring • 8 sessions Fridays April 21–June 9 • 7:45–8:30pm $99/person

Ballroom Dance Party

Mature teens & adults: Like to Dance? Take a basic Dance lesson then spend the rest of the evening on the open dance floor. Bring a date or come alone. Just come on out for a night of FUN! No jeans or sneakers please. No dance experience necessary.

AW17-E27 • 1 Class • Winter: Friday, March 24 7–8:30pm • $5 per person and a dish to pass

AW17-E28 • 1 Class • Spring • Friday, June 9 7–8:30pm • $5 per person and a dish to pass

Youth Enrichment

Daddy Daughter Dance

Ages 5 & up

Saturday, February 11

Advance sale only
Register early – this event sells out!!!

Girls, bring your Dad, Grandpa or special person to this fun event you will cherish forever. There will be cookies and punch, our favorite DJ will play all of the latest songs plus requests from Dad and Daughter. A professional photographer will be on hand to capture this special event. Each couple will receive a free 4x5 photograph with the option to purchase additional photos. An e-mail will be sent to you when pictures are available for pick up at the Community Education Center. Attendance list will be checked at the door. No tickets provided. Location: Clarkston High School Cafeteria

YW17-46 • Saturday, February 11 • 4–6pm
$25 per couple (if registered before February 1)
$30 per couple if registered after February 1

YW17-461 • $10 per extra child

YW17-79 • Saturday, February 11 • 7–9pm
$25 per couple (if registered before February 1)
$30 per couple if registered after February 1

YW17-791 • $10 per extra child

Art & Architecture

Ages 7 & up

This class will encompass knowledge about how architects are able to incorporate the elements of design into their work. We will be looking at different buildings structures in order to incorporate ideas into our own works of sculpture and drawing. A Gallery Show will be present to families on the last day of class. Instructor: Pamela Palmer, The Artist's Apprentice.

YW17-E3 • Mondays, March 13, 20, 27 • 4:30–6pm
$45 • Plus $10 material fee payable to instructor at first class

Location: Bailey Lake Elementary School

The Artist's Apprentice – Sculpture

Ages 7 & up

3-D artwork can take on a huge variation of unique forms. In this exploratory series, our young artists will be learning about modelling, carving, installations, casting etc., and creating amazing art in the process! A Viewing of Creations will be extended to families after class on the last day. Instructor: Pamela Palmer, The Artist's Apprentice.

YW17-E4 • Thursdays: March 23, 30, April 13, 20, 27, May 4 • 4:20–5:50pm • $90 • Plus $20 material fee payable to instructor at first class

Location: Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston 48346 – Room 107

Japanese Cartooning

Ages 7 & up

These art classes will give Manga/Anime fans the unique opportunity to learn many techniques and improve their skills in Japanese cartoon drawing. Beginner and intermediate artists will gain experience in drawing a variety of genres. Instructor: Ms. Pamela Palmer, The Artist's Apprentice.

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

YW17-E5 • 4 sessions Fridays: January 13, January 20, February 3, February 10 (no class January 27) • 6:45–8:15pm • Cost: $60 plus a $15 material fee (a one-time fee, payable to the instructor on the first day of class)

YW17-E6 • 4 sessions • Fridays: February 24, March 3, March 17, March 24 (no class March 10) • 6:45–8:15pm Cost: $60 plus a $15 material fee (a one-time fee, payable to the instructor on the first day of class.

Guitar I: Let's Make Some Music

Ages 10 – Adult

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Instructors: Paul Sabbag and Mark Hurst

AW17-E1 • ages 10-adult • 7wks • Saturdays, January 28-March 18 (no class 2/18) • 10–11am • $72

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

Guitar II

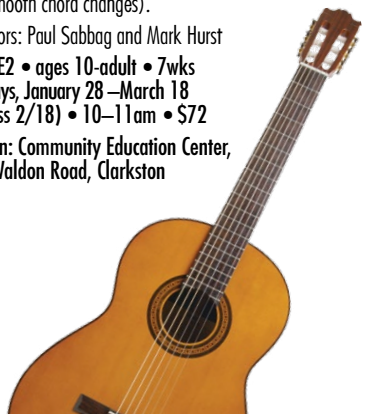
Ages 10 – Adult

This class is a continuation of Guitar I. Students should have completed Guitar I or have the following knowledge/skills: proper tuning and care of the guitar; ability to form open, first position chords (minimally chords C-A-G-E-D); basic strumming technique; and the ability to play some fundamental songs and/or sequences of chords (making fairly smooth chord changes).

Instructors: Paul Sabbag and Mark Hurst

AW17-E2 • ages 10-adult • 7wks
Saturdays, January 28 –March 18
(no class 2/18) • 10–11am • $72

Location: Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston



MUSICAL THEATRE

Theatre Workshop with CHS Drama Club

For grades 2–6

It's time for Musical Theatre Camp again! MTC is a fun camp fun by the CHS Drama Club. It is a 2-day program where kids interested in acting and singing, learn fun dances and songs while making new friends.

This year's theme is Mary Poppins! Campers will learn songs and dances from a great Disney classic. Your registration fee includes a cool camp t-shirt, dinner (on Saturday), snacks, and assists the Drama Club cover the costs of camp. Please provide t-shirt size when registering. Youth Small-Adult XL are available. We are sorry, but we cannot honor requests to be place with certain campers. Your camper will have tons of fun making new friends!

Deadline to register: April 18, 2016.
No refunds will be given. Fee: $60

YW17-E10 • Friday • May 5 • 6pm–8pm,
Saturday • May 6 • 8am–5:30pm

Performance for Parents – Saturday, May 6th at 5pm.
Clarkston High School Performing Arts Center

CPR—Adult/Child and Infant with AED

Ages 13 – Adult

The CPR, AED course will include: Videos, printed documents, demonstrations on mannequins representing all age groups such as infants, children and adults. Students will also have the opportunity to practice CPR techniques on mannequin. The goal of this class to expose you to some realistic emergencies and give you the knowledge and skills to respond safely and effectively to an emergency. Instructor: Larry Blevins

AW17-E4 • 1 session • Saturday, March 25
9am–12:30pm • $55.00

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston – Media Center

First Aid

Ages 13 – Adult

First Aid is the initial care given to someone who is injured or suddenly becomes ill before more advanced medical help arrives. The goal of this course is to expose you to some realistic emergencies, and give you the knowledge and skills needed to respond safely and effectively to a medical emergency. Instructor: Larry Blevins

AW17-E5 • 1 session • Saturday, April 22
9am–12:30pm • $55.00

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center
6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston – Media Center

Babysitting Workshop

This course is designed for 11–15 year olds. The purpose of this course is to increase the availability of young, adolescent baby-sitters who can provide safe and nurturing care for children. Basic child care as well as CPR and First Aid are taught in the class. Students must attend the full session(s) and be at least 11 years old to receive their Red Cross certification cards. Materials are included in the class fee.

Instructor: Marie Bristow

YW17-E7 • 1 session • Monday, January 16
8:30am – 3:00pm • $82

YW17-E35 • 2 sessions • Saturday, February 25 & March 4
9:00–12:30 • $82

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center

Clarkston Community Schools

Youth Enrichment (continued)

Little Medical School – Part 3

These 6 new lessons continue the Little Medical School tradition of engaging students in hands-on activities to excite them about the field of medicine. Students learn the different parts of the eye, create a model of an eardrum, learn how to perform CPR and the Heimlich maneuver, learn how food is fuel and the link between body weight and disease, and learn how to splint and cast a broken bone. Students graduate and receive a diploma at the end of the 6-week course. For more information, visit www.littlemedicalschool.com/detroit.

*Students do not need to take Little Medical School Part 1 or Part 2 before taking this course.

Fee: $90 with a $20 materials fee payable to the instructor at the first class

YW17-E13 • Andersonville Elem. • Tuesdays, 3:50–4:50pm
January 24–Mar 7 (no class Feb 21)

YW17-E14 • Bailey Lake Elem. Thursdays, 3:50–4:50pm
January 26–March 2

YW17-E15 • Clarkston Elem. • Mondays, 3:35–4:35pm
January 23–March 6 (no class Feb 20)

YW17-E16 • Independence Elem. • Mondays, 3:50–4:50pm
January 23–March 6 (no class Feb 20)

YW17-E17 • North Sashabaw Elem. • Tuesdays, 3:35–4:35pm
January 24–March 7 (no class Feb 21)

YW17-E18 • Pine Knob Elem. • Wednesdays, 3:35–4:35pm
January 25–March 1

YW17-E19 • Springfield Plains Elem.
Wednesdays, 3:50–4:50pm
January 25–March 1

Little Veterinarian School

Brought to you by the creators of Little Medical School, Little Veterinarian School encourages children to explore the exciting world of veterinary medicine. Students learn the importance of proper pet nutrition, learn how to care for stitches, how to check for ticks, how to administer medication, and learn about their pet's immune system and vaccinations. Students take home their stuffed dog and receive a diploma when they graduate at the end of the 6-week course. For more information, visit www.littlemedicalschool.com/detroit.

Fee: $90 with a $20 materials fee payable to the instructor at the first class

YW17-E20 Andersonville Elementary • Tuesdays, 3:50–4:50pm
March 14–May 2 (no class Mar 28 and Apr 4)

YW17-E21 Bailey Lake Elementary • Thursdays, 3:50–4:50pm
March 16–May 4 (no class Mar 30, Apr 6)

YW17-E22 Clarkston Elementary • Mondays, 3:35–4:35pm
March 13–May 1 (no class Mar 27, Apr 3)

YW17-E23 Independence Elementary • Mondays, 3:50–4:50pm
March 13–May 1 (no class Mar 27, Apr 3)

YW17-E24 North Sashabaw Elementary • Tuesdays, 3:35–4:35pm
March 14–May 2 (no class Mar 28 and Apr 4)

YW17-E25 Pine Knob Elementary • Wednesdays, 3:35–4:35pm
March 15–May 3 (no class Mar 29, Apr 5)

YW17-E26 Springfield Plains Elementary • Wednesdays, 3:50–4:50pm
March 15–May 3 (no class Mar 29, Apr 5)

Mad Science: Sense-ational Science

After School Class for Grades K–5

Sense-ational Science introduces children to their five senses through exciting hands-on activities and fun, educational take-homes! Exploration with sight, touch, hearing, taste, and scent through careful observation and amazing demonstrations will create a sensational science experience for your junior scientist!

Six sessions, after school.

YW17-E27 • Andersonville Elementary, Discovery Rm. Mondays, January 30–March 13 (No Class Feb. 20) • 3:50–4:50pm • $105

YW17-E28 • Bailey Lake Elementary, Rm 9 • Tuesdays, January 31–March 14 (No Class Feb. 21) • 3:50–4:50pm • $105

YW17-E29 • Clarkston Elementary, Room 115 • Thursdays, • February 2–March 9 • 3:45–4:45pm • $105

YW17-E30 • Independence Elementary, Art Room Wednesdays, February 1–March 8 • 3:50–4:50pm • $105

YW17-E31 • North Sashabaw Elementary, Room 110 • Mondays, January 30–March 13 • (No Class Feb. 20) 3:35-4:35pm • $105

YW17-E32 • Pine Knob Elementary, Room 131 • Wednesdays, February 1–March 8 • 3:35–4:35pm • $105

YW17-E33 • Springfield Plains Elementary, Room 310 • Thursdays, February 2–March 9 • 3:50–4:50pm • $105

More Youth Enrichment, see page 5.

Youth Fitness, Sports & Dance

BASKETBALL

Youth Basketball (ages 7 –10)

Fun, skill-oriented games and drills guide your youngsters through the basics of shooting, passing and dribbling. In addition, we'll cover rules, positions, offense and defense. We will scrimmage during class time. Kids advance at their own pace. Bring a water bottle and wear gym shoes. Instructor: Leisure Unlimited LLC

YW17-F3 • 6 weeks • Saturdays, January 14–February 25 (no class Feb. 18) • 11:00am – Noon • $66

Location: Community Education Center – Gym, 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

Basketball WINTER LEAGUES for Grades 3 – 8

Deadline to register: January 12 at 5:00pm
$10 late fee will be applied to all registrations made after this deadline.

Boys in grades 3rd-8th are invited to participate in structured leagues. The season will start with an evaluation of each players abilities at a draft on Sunday, January 15, time TBD. Each team is guaranteed a minimum of eight practices and eight games. All players must be registered by January 12. Games will be held on Sundays, January 22–March 5 (skip February 19) and Saturday March 4 between noon and 6:00pm. There will also be games on Monday, January 30 in the evening. Practices will be held on a designated night (Tuesday-Thursday). Games are 40 minutes long and each player is guaranteed 10 minutes playing time per game. Awards will be presented to all players on championship and runner-up teams.

If you have a blue/white reversible jersey from a previous Clarkston Community Ed. Basketball League, that you wish to use for this league for a $15 savings, please include the jersey number on your registration form. If you do NOT have a jersey you will need to pay an additional fee of $15 to purchase a reversible jersey that you will be able to use for all Community Education basketball leagues. Volunteer coaches are needed. If you would like to coach, call Brian Plante at 248-620-1184 or email him at brianplantesma@aol.com.

DRAFT: Sunday January 15

PRACTICES/GAMES: Games: Sundays, January 22-March 5 (skip February 19), Monday January 30 and Saturday March 4. Practice nights: Monday-Thursday, January 17 – March 2.

YW17-F4 Purchase a reversible jersey $15

YW17-F5 • grades 3 & 4 • Sashabaw Middle School gym • $97

YW17-F6 • grades 5 & 6 • Sashabaw Middle School gym • $97

YW17-F0 • grades 7 & 8 • Sashabaw Middle School gym • $97

If you do NOT need to purchase a jersey; please specify jersey number on registration form.

Little Dribblers Winter Basketball for Grades K – 2

Deadline to Register: Wednesday, January 11 at 5:00pm
$10 late fee will be applied to all registrations made after this deadline.

This is an instructional basketball program geared to teach the basic concepts of the game in a fun atmosphere. This program is for children in Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd Grade. Parents are encouraged to take active roles in order for this to be a successful program. The eight week program is played on Saturdays from 9:00am–1:00pm, January 14, 2017 through March 11; skip February 18 (winter break weekend).

Team shirts will be provided. Players are encouraged to bring a basketball with them. All players must wear gym shoes. Information regarding coaches and schedules will be emailed out prior to the start of the season. Volunteer coaches are needed. If you would like to coach, please indicate your desire when you register your child or call Brian Plante at 248-620-1184. The registration fee is $50 per player.

Y660-40 • Grade K • Saturdays, January 14 – March 11 (skip Feb 18) • Sashabaw Middle School gym • $50

Y661-40 • Grade 1 • Saturdays, January 14 – March 11 (skip Feb 18) • Sashabaw Middle School gym • $50

Y622-40 • Grade 2 • Saturdays, January 14 – March 11 (skip Feb 18) • Sashabaw Middle School • $50

Basketball SPRING LEAGUES for Grades 3 – 8

Deadline to register: February 26 at 5:00pm
$10 late fee will be applied to all registrations made after this deadline.

Boys in grades 3rd–8th are invited to participate in structured leagues. The season will start with an evaluation of each players abilities at a draft on Monday, March 6 time TBD. Each team is guaranteed a minimum of seven practices and eight games. All players must be registered by March 3. Games and practices will be held on Tuesday's and Thursday's, March 7– April 27 between 5:30 and 9:00pm. Games are 40 minutes long and each player is guaranteed 10 minutes playing time per game. Awards will be presented to all players on championship and runner-up teams.

If you have a blue/white reversible jersey from a previous Clarkston Community Ed. Basketball League, that you wish to use for this league for a $15 savings, please include the jersey number on your registration form. If you do NOT have a jersey you will need to pay an additional fee of $15 to purchase a reversible jersey that you will be able to use for all Community Education basketball leagues.

Volunteer coaches are needed. If you wish to coach contact Brian Plante at brianplantesma@aol.com or 248-620-1184.

DRAFT: Monday, March 6

PRACTICES/GAMES:
Tuesdays and Thursdays March 7 – April 27

YW17-F7 • Purchase a reversible jersey $15

YW17-F8 • grades 3 & 4 • Sashabaw Middle School gym • $97

YW17-F9 • grades 5 & 6 • Sashabaw Middle School gym • $97

YW17-F10 • grades 7 & 8 • Sashabaw Middle School gym • $97

If you do NOT need to purchase a jersey; please specify jersey number on registration form.

Pony League Basketball – Grades 9 – 12

Deadline to Register: Wednesday, January 11 at 5:00pm
$10 Registration fee will be applied to all registrations made after this deadline.

This is a competitive league for boys in the 9th-12th grade that do not play on a Varsity, Junior Varsity or Freshman Basketball Team. Players may not turn 19 prior to April 1, 2017. Players may register as individuals or as teams. Teams must have a minimum of 8 players. Those registering as individuals will be placed on teams.

Teams will play 10 games including playoffs. All teams will make the playoffs. Games will be Saturdays January 14.28, February 11, March 4 and Sundays January 22 through March 5 (noon and 6pm). Teams can register for 2 practices if interested. Tee Shirts will be awarded to all members of the playoff winning team. The registration fee is $95 per player. Teams are required to wear the same color jersey/shirt for games with a number on each. Please REGISTER EARLY. Registration deadline is Thursday January 12 at 11:00am. Registrations made after this deadline will be charged an additional $10 late fee.
Location: Sashabaw Middle School Gym

Y729-60 • Grades 9–12 • $97

Y720-60 • Purchase a reversible jersey for Winter League $15

Clarkston Community Schools

Youth Fitness, Sports & Dance (continued)

Boys Youth Lacrosse

The goal of the Clarkston Boys Youth Lacrosse Program is to ensure that every boy who wants to play lacrosse has the opportunity to learn, play and develop here in Clarkston. This System is designed to give each player and his family the ability to find the right fit for their skill level, and competitive desire. NEW this year we will only have a "select" team at grade levels 7/8 & 5/6. There will be an evaluation/tryout for those interested in a more competitive play and travel at this grade level. The recreational team program has been modified to allow for more skill development and game time experience appropriate at this level. Spring season begins in mid-March and ends the beginning of June. We are going back to grade level since that is the shift in the state.

- Grade 7/8
- Grade 3/4
- Grade 5/6
- Little Laxer 2nd Grade and younger

In order to register for Spring Lacrosse you must have an *Athletic Packet filled out which includes a physical. *Athletic Packets – Are available on line at www.youth.clarkstonlacrosse.com. **All paper work must accompany the registration.**

Tryouts for Select: December 11, 6:00–8:00pm Oakland University

Registration for all Leagues begins on December 14, at 8:00am.

BLAX-S56: Grades 5/6 Select Team: Fee $500

BLAX-S78: Grades 7/8 Select Team: Fee: $500

- Teams will have 19–23 players
- Teams will play local games (more competitive teams)
- Other "local" games/scrimmages may be added to the schedule
- Outdoor practice begins in mid- March, 5 days/week (if weather and field conditions allow)
- Indoor Turf time in Jan/Feb/March (Saturdays 3:00 – 5:00pm Oakland University)
- Uniform to keep
- Out of state travel will be required for 1–2 tournaments and league play. Cost of travel (hotel, food, etc.) is not included in program price

BLAX-R34: Recreation League Team: Grades 3/4 • Fee: $325

BLAX-R56: Recreation League Team: Grades 5/6 • Fee: $325

BLAX-R78: Recreation League Team: Grades 7/8 • Fee: $325

Teams will have 19–23 players

- Teams will play other "local/recreational" programs
- Outdoor practice begins in mid- March 3–4 days/week (if weather and field conditions allow)
- Indoor Gym time in March
- Uniform to keep
- Teams will play 8–10 games during season and 1 local tournament

LIL-LAX17: Little Laxer Boys and Girls Program for 2nd Grade and younger– Fee: $125

- Developmental program meant for building skills and having fun
- Program will meet 2 days/week during the season (if weather and field conditions allow)
- Players will participate in several small sided games
- Equipment required: mouth guard and lacrosse stick
- Co-ed
- Reversible pinnie to keep
- Limited spots available

Winter Boys Lacrosse Clinics – All Players encouraged to attend but it is not mandatory

Cost: $89 for 6 week session limited space available

- BLAX-C78 • Grades 7/8 • Tuesdays, January 24– March 7 (no class Feb. 21) • 7:45–8:45pm
- BLAX-C56 • Grades 5/6 • Wednesdays, January 25 – March 1 • 6:45pm–7:45pm
- BLAX-C34 • Grades 3/4 • Thursdays, January 26 – March 2 • 6:45pm–7:45pm
- Clinics located in the Clarkston Junior High School Auxiliary Gym.

Girls Youth Lacrosse

The goal of the Clarkston girls Youth Lacrosse Program is to ensure that every girl who wants to play lacrosse has the opportunity to learn, play and develop here in Clarkston. The girls program is offered to girls in the 6th – 8th grade.

In order to register for Spring Lacrosse you must have an *Athletic Packet filled out which includes a physical. All paper work must accompany the registration. *Athletic Packets – Are available on line at www.youth.clarkstonlacrosse.com

**Registration for the Spring Season begins on December 14 at 8:00am and will remain open until capacity is reached.

GLAX-R17: Recreation League Team Fee: $225

- Teams will have approximately 20 players
- Teams will play other "local/recreational" programs
- Outdoor practice begins in mid- March 3–5 days/week (if weather and field conditions allow)
- Indoor Gym time in March
- Uniform to keep
- Teams will play 8–10 games during season and 1 local tournament

Winter Girls Lacrosse Clinics – All Players encouraged to attend but it is not mandatory

Cost: $89 for 6 week session limited space available

- GLAX-C17 • Grades 6/8 • Tuesdays, January 24 – March 7 (no class Feb. 21) • 6:45–7:45pm • Location: CJHS Auxiliary Gym

Introduction to Wrestling (grades K–2)

Integrity Wrestling will be running a fun introduction class for wrestling. Class is structured to be a positive, fun, non-competitive atmosphere, with basic tumbling, and simple wrestling movements. Class is intended to introduce and promote the sport of wrestling in a nontraditional format.

Location: Clarkston High School Wrestling Room – No school, no classes.

Y571-60 • Mondays, January 9–February 13 • 5:45–6:45pm (no class 1/16) • $82

Beginning Wrestling (grades 2–5)

Integrity Wrestling will be holding classes to learn and perfect basic wrestling positions with fun technique. Sessions will include offensive and defensive attacks, turns and escapes. Practices will also include strength conditioning and coordination conditioning. Great youth conditioning and training for all sports.

Location: Clarkston High School Wrestling Room – No school, no classes.

Y569-60 • Tuesdays and Thursdays, January 10–March 9 (no class February 21 or March 2) • 5:45–7pm • $179

Sports Starters (ages 3 – 5)

Your child will love this first introduction to sports such as basketball, soccer, football, volleyball, hockey, and more! Toddlers will learn sport fundamentals such as throwing, catching, kicking and running, with easy-to-understand instructions to make this a positive and fun learning experience. Wear gym shoes and bring a water bottle. Kids must be three by the first day of class and must be potty-trained.

Instructor: Leisure Unlimited, LLC

YW17-F1 • 6 weeks • Saturdays, January 14 – February 25 (no class Feb. 18) • 9 – 9:50am • $66

Location: Community Education Center – Gym 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

Kiddie Sports (ages 4 – 6)

Introduce your youngsters to the world of sports. Kids will be taught the basics of the following sports: soccer, floor hockey, basketball, tee-ball, volleyball, football, etc., plus a few silly surprises. Drills are progressive to allow kids to advance at their own pace. Our emphasis is on effort, sportsmanship and teamwork. Bring a water bottle and wear gym shoes. Instructor: Leisure Unlimited, LLC

YW17-F2 • 6 weeks • Saturdays, January 14 – February 25 (no class Feb. 18) • 10 – 10:50am • $66

Location: Community Education Center – Gym, 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

Dance for Fun and Fitness

Clarkston Community Education in cooperation with STARZ Performing Arts offers recreational children's dance lessons. Each 8 class session costs $99 and includes a costume. Yearlong students in the program receive a dance trophy. Most classes are held at the Community Education Center (CEC) 6558 Waldon Rd, Clarkston. Winter Recital held on Saturday, March 25, and Spring Recital held on Saturday, June 10. All recitals start at 12:30pm.

Preschool Dance: For ages 3 – 5

This class introduces dancers to the basics of ballet, tap, jazz technique, and vocabulary in a loosely structured class environment. The students will develop rhythm, coordination, and movement all while building their confidence and self-esteem.

YW17-F15 • 8 sessions • Winter: Wednesdays, February 1-March 22 • 1–1:45pm • $99

Location: Clarkston Community Schools Administration Office, 6389 Clarkston Road – Board Room

YW17-F16 • 8 sessions • Winter: Wednesdays, February 1–March 22 • 5–5:45pm • $99

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center

YW17-F17 • 8 Sessions • Winter: Saturdays, January 28–March 25 • 9:45–10:30am • $99 (no class Feb. 18)

YW17-F18 • 8 sessions • Spring: Wednesdays, April 19–June 7 • 5–5:45pm • $99

YW17-F19 • Sessions • Spring: Saturdays, April 22–June 10 • 9:45–10:30am • $99

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center

Ballet, Tap, Jazz: for Grades K – 3

This class develops a dance work ethic in a positive atmosphere, which builds self-esteem and camaraderie. The dancers will learn different turns, jumps, leaps and extensions while incorporating them into many different styles of dance. Jazz incorporates stretching, across the floor combinations, and jazz routines. Tap concentrates on both rhythmic and classical tap methods. No tap shoes are necessary. Students will learn vocabulary, rhythmic timing, improvisation, and tap choreography.

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

YW17-F20 • 8 Sessions • Winter: Wednesdays February 1–March 22 • 5:45–6:30pm • $99

YW17-F21 • 8 Sessions • Spring: Wednesdays April 19–June 7 • 5:45–6:30pm • $99

YW17-F22 • 8 Sessions • Winter: Saturdays, January 28–March 25 (no class Feb. 18) • 10:30–11:15am • $99

Y171-60 • 8 Sessions • Spring: Saturdays, April 22–June 10 • 10:30–11:15am • $99

Jazz, Pom, Hip-Hop: for Grades 1 – 5

This is a fun and up-beat class that integrates many different styles of hip-hop including pop and lock, street and break dancing. Students will learn the trendiest moves. Poms are brought in for fun while teaching across the floor moves and pom combinations.

Location: Clarkston Community Education Center 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston

YW17-F23 • 8 Sessions • Winter: Wednesdays, February 1–March 22 • 6:30–7:15pm • $99

YW17-F24 • 8 Sessions • Spring: Wednesdays April 19–June 7 • 6:30–7:15pm • $99

YW17-F25 • 8 Sessions • Winter: Saturdays, January 28–March 25 • 11:15–12 noon • $99 (no class Feb. 18)

YW17-F26 • 8 Sessions • Spring: Saturdays, April 22–June 10 • 11:15–12 noon • $99

Adult Dance, see page 4.

KARATE

Karate for Kids: ages 4-5

Karate for Kids is a new program designed, taught and directed by Grand Master Leo Mayer 8th Dan. The program at this level will enhance, build and develop socialization skills, self-confidence and physical fitness. This class will accomplish these goals by using fun games, exercises and group activities that stress camaraderie.

YW17-F12 • 8 weeks • Tuesdays, January 31 – March 28 • 6:00–6:30pm • $52

No class Feb. 21

Location: Clarkston Community Education Gym

Karate for Youth

Join this exciting marital arts karate program that is directed by Grand Master Leo Mayer 8th Dan. The program is designed to teach beginners from first grade up, the concepts of self-discipline, self-defense, physical fitness, and self-confidence to make the right choices. In this beginner class parents are welcome to join and train with their children and increase flexibility while mastering proper balance and co-ordination skills. Stop by and talk to our certified black belt instructors at the demonstration on the first night.

YW17-F13 • 15 weeks • Tuesdays, January 24 – May 16 • 6:35–7:35pm • $122

No class Feb. 21 and April 4

Location: Clarkston Community Education Gym

Karate for Teens–Adults and Advanced (purple and higher belts)

Join this exciting program that is directed by Grand Master Leo Mayer 8th Dan. This martial arts program is designed for the modern teen and adults. It will deal with all levels of self-defense, physical fitness, and ways to always defend yourself. Stop by and see how our trained certified black belts can increase your flexibility while mastering balance, co-ordination and awareness skills.

YW17-F14 • 15 weeks • Tuesdays, January 24 – May 16 • 7:40–8:40pm • $122

No class Feb. 21 and April 4

Location: Clarkston Community Education Gym

Independence Township Parks, Recreation & Seniors provides customer registrations for Clarkston Community Education programs.

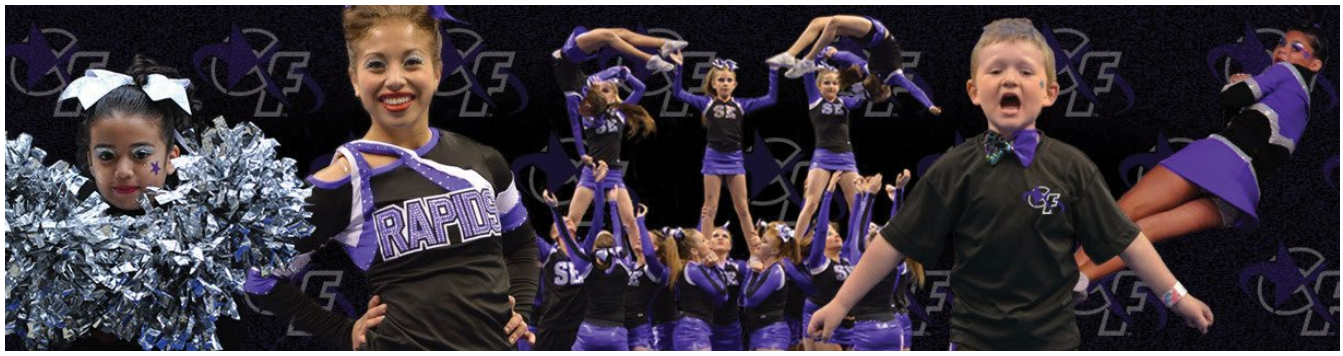
VISA MasterCard Accepted

School Closings

In the event Clarkston Community Schools are closed due to weather all enrichment and swim classes will be canceled. We will make an attempt to reschedule canceled classes if possible.

Clarkston Community Schools

Cheerleading, Volleyball and Softball



Cheer/Dance with Champion Force!

Champion Force Athletics is a fun and exciting program for students ages 4-15 at all experience levels. Students will learn the core fundamentals of cheer including: cheers, chants, jumps, stunts, kicks, arm motions, stunting, how to perform in front of an audience, and other necessary skills needed for junior high and high school cheerleading programs. Cheerleaders will also learn a pom dance routine. Our program works to build self-confidence, poise, self-esteem and physical fitness.

All athletes have the opportunity to participate in special events including: competitions, clinics, camps, and parades. While CFA does not make special events mandatory for our recreation Divisions 1-4, we feel these events are an instrumental tool in creating self-confidence and high self-esteem. Coaches will hold testing/try-outs each season to evaluate skills, knowledge, and mastery of current skill level to ensure proper placement of each student and create opportunities for skill advancement. Champion Force Athletics Cheerleading coaching staff are chosen on their love for the sport as well as their passion for working with children. Our coaches are trained and mentored by the CFA staff, as well as ACCAA safety certified in stunting. Coaches train yearly with nationally renowned college coaches and squads to ensure that they are teaching proper skill progressions and safe stunting techniques. All Elite level coaches (Divisions 5-8) are credentialed by the U.S. All Star Federation and are examined, tested, and certified on knowledge, expertise, proficiency to safely teach stunting and tumbling skills in Elite divisions.

CHAMPION FORCE ATHLETICS

All Divisions run on Tuesday Nights from February 7 – May 28.
Location: Sashabaw Middle School 7th Grade Cafeteria

YW17-C1 • Division 1 – Beginner • Ages 4–6 5:30 – 6:15pm • $119
YW17-C2 • Division 2 – Beginner • Ages 7–9 6:15 – 7:00pm • $119
YW17-C3 • Division 3 – Beginner/Intermediate • Ages 10–12 • 7:00 – 7:45pm • $119
YW17-C4 • Division 4 – Intermediate/Advanced* • Ages 13+ • 7:45 – 8:45pm • $151
***Requires Try Outs. Try outs are an additional $10.**
Requires a minimum number of students to run.

Girls' Volleyball for grades 4 – 6

Girls, do you think you may be interested in playing volleyball? This class will offer skills, volleyball technique and game situational scrimmaging. The first class is for girls with little or no experience and the second class is for girls with experience.
Instructors: SuperNOVA coaches

No classes January 16 & February 20.

YW17-F30 • Beginners • 6 wks • 6:30–7:30pm
Mondays, January 9–February 27 • $69

YW17-F31 • Experienced • 6 wks • 7:30–8:30pm
Mondays, January 9–February 27 • $69

Location: Bailey Lake Elementary gym

Girls Softball Fast Pitch Clinic for grades 2 – 6

Learn proper grip, wrist snap, lower body mechanics, stride and drive, how to throw a fastball, change up and more! Participants will be divided up by skill level.
Coach –Don Peters Varsity Softball Coach. Former Participants include members to MHSSCA All-State Team, All-League, All County, ALL District, and All Region, College players, and Pitchers in the MHSSCA

YW17-F11 • 6 sessions • Thursdays •
January 12–February 16 • 6:30–7:30pm • $50

Location: Clarkston Community Education gym

Clarkston Community Schools Facility Rental Information

Clarkston Community Schools facilities and fields are conveniently located for the residents of Clarkston, Waterford, White Lake, and Davisburg. Our facilities and fields are available for rental by public and private groups on Saturdays, Sundays, and after school during the week.

With ample parking and beautiful buildings, CCS offers great potential for any event. Whether you need auditoriums, classrooms, media centers, computer labs, gyms, stadiums, fields or a pool, the modern facilities and fields of CCS give you an advantage!

All facility services are available for single events, individual classes, sports events, birthday parties and so much more. Rental of gyms is available on weekends and limited weekdays.

For more information and pricing, contact Pam Thompson, District Scheduler, at 248-623-4343.

ONLINE REGISTRATION AVAILABLE FOR MOST CLASSES WWW.ITPRS.ORG

CLARKSTON AQUA

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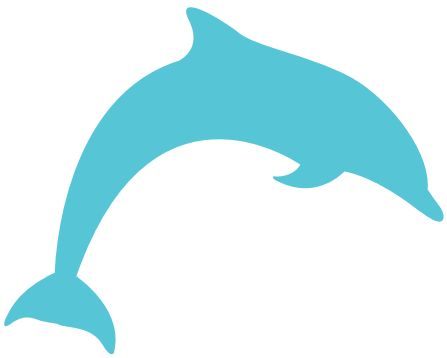
We are proud to offer a top level coaching staff for beginner through Olympic level swimmers

Swim Lessons with Clarkston Aqua Club

Group Lessons (small class ratio 4:1)
1 day per week, starting at $70/month

Private Lessons (ratio 1:1)
1 day per week, starting at $169/month
All group and private lesson program fees are based on 4 lessons per month

For more information on swim lessons at Clarkston High School, or to register, visit www.aquaswimclub.com



Clarkston Aqua Swim Club
Competitive Swim Teams

Pre Team (non-competitive)
4 practices per week - $85/month

Junior Team
4 practices per week - $100/month

Senior Team
7-9 practices per week - $140/month

To register for the Clarkston Aqua Swim Club, visit www.clarkstonaqua.org
For assistance, contact the registration office at 248-623-4326 ext. 1

REGISTER EARLY

Over-enrollment and under-enrollment are problems you can help us avoid. The sooner we know how many people are interested in a program, the easier it is to add sessions or avoid unnecessary cancellations.

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Clarkston Community Schools

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Clarkston, MI 48346

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Clarkston Community Education
Registration Form

PARENT NAME _____ PARENT BIRTHDATE _____

STREET ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP CODE _____

PRIMARY PHONE _____ SECONDARY PHONE _____ E-MAIL _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT _____ PHONE _____ RELATIONSHIP _____

PARTICIPANT FIRST NAME	PARTICIPANT LAST NAME	BIRTH DATE	GRADE	SCHOOL (see key below)	CLASS TITLE	ACTIVITY #	FEE

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: _____

A. Andersonville Elementary
B. Bailey Lake Elementary
C. Clarkston Elementary
D. Independence Elementary
E. Pine Knob Elementary
F. North Sashabaw Elementary
G. Springfield Plains Elementary
H. Sashabaw Middle School
I. Clarkston Junior High School
J. Clarkston High School
K. Reniassance High School
L. Early Childhood Center
M. Funshine
N. Other _____

PAYMENT ☐ Cash ☐ Visa/Mastercard ☐ Check (make payable to Independence Township)

Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____ CCV _____

Name on Card _____ Authorizing Signature _____

GENERAL REGISTRATION INFORMATION: Register early! Many classes fill up quickly. Please register one week in advance so we can make class enrollment decisions. Registrants are contacted ONLY if the class is full or canceled.

FUNDING: Community Enrichment programs are funded entirely by class fees. Any classes that do not meet the minimum enrollment requirements may be canceled.

PREREGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CLASSES. Pre-registration is required for all programs. NO drop-in registration on the day of the class.

DROPS/REFUNDS: Please read carefully before registering for a class. Full refund will be given if class is canceled by the office. Student requested refunds must be made prior to the beginning of the second class, regardless of attendance. All refunds will be charge a $10 processing fee. The cost of materials cannot be refunded.

NO REFUNDS will be issued for classes/events meeting once or twice unless requested two business days in advance of starting date.

PAYMENT: cash, check, Visa or MasterCard

CLASS CANCELLATIONS—REGISTER EARLY! The most common reason for a class being canceled is low enrollment. If we cancel a class you will receive a full refund or may transfer to another class in the current semester. Clarkston Community Education reserves the right to cancel a class due to insufficient registrations.

INCLEMENT WEATHER/SCHOOL CLOSING: When Clarkston Community Schools are closed all Community Education classes will be canceled. We will attempt to make up all classes.

LIBRARY MISSION STATEMENT

Our community's cornerstone of lifelong learning through innovation, enrichment and education.

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CLARKSTON INDEPENDENCE DISTRICT LIBRARY

Innovate. Enrich. Educate.

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday - Thursday 10 AM - 9 PM
Friday & Saturday 10 AM - 6 PM
Sunday 1 - 6 PM

Winter 2017

Weekly Storytimes

BABY STORYTIME

Thursdays • 10:30–11:30 AM
Ages 0 to walking

Have fun with your babies and start them off right with nursery rhymes, songs, tickles, bounces and books especially for baby. No registration required, drop-ins welcome! Check the library's online calendar for exact dates.

LITTLE GIGGLERS

Mondays • 10:30–11:30 AM
Ages 13–23 months

Bring your toddler for simple stories, finger plays, songs and fun activities. No registration required, drop-ins welcome! Check the library's online calendar for exact dates.

WEE WIGGLERS

Wednesdays • 10:30–11:30 AM
Age 2 years old

Bring your two-year-old for simple stories, songs, fingerplays, flannel board rhymes, and a craft. No registration required, drop-ins welcome! Check the library's online calendar for exact dates.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

Tuesdays • 10:30–11:30 AM
Ages 3 to 5

Preschoolers come any or every Tuesday for this independent storytime which includes stories, songs, puppets, and more! No registration required, drop-ins welcome! Check the library's online calendar for exact dates.

PJ STORYTIME

Thursdays
6:30–7:30 PM
Ages 0 to 5

Put on your PJ's, bring your favorite stuffed animal and join us for stories, songs, rhymes and more, right before bedtime! No registration required, drop-ins welcome! Check the library's online calendar for exact dates.

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Recurring Programs

MUSIC AND MOVEMENT

Fridays • 10:30–11 AM
January 20, February 17, March 24, April 7

Bring your toddler and preschool aged children for a fun 30 minutes jam packed with tons of music and movement activities! We will play instruments, learn basic instruction, and just move and shake to the music! Grown-ups are encouraged to join in the fun with their little one!

LITTLE EXPLORERS

Fridays, 10:30–11:30 AM
Ages 0 to 5 years
January 13, February 10, March 10, May 12

Come get messy with us! You can let your little ones play and make messes to their hearts content with our amazing sensory activities and toys and games. No registration required! Just come dressed to play!

MINECRAFT JR.

Mondays • 4–6 PM • Grades K–5
January 30, February 27, March 27, April 24

Disclaimer: Due to the popularity of this program, participants must arrive on time or risk forfeiting your spot. Thank you for your consideration!

Welcome to Minecraft! Join us at the library to build and create in this gaming sensation. Interested in trying out Minecraft but don't have a login? Have no fear! The library has 7 licenses available for use and can provide you with the basics for building your own Minecraft world! Limited space and registration required. Registration opens the Monday prior to the event.

LEGO CLUB

Saturdays • 10–11 AM
January 21, February 18, March 18, April 8

Join us and use your imaginations as we create with Lego! We'll share our creations at the end of each program and immortalize them in photos! Registration required!

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Children's Programs

MINUTE TO WIN IT: VALENTINE'S DAY EDITION

Saturday, February 11
2–3 PM • Grades 3–5

On your mark, get set, go! Come join us for a fun and fast-paced Valentine's Day edition of Minute to Win It! Challenges will include a Heart Relay, Candy corn Stick-Up, Valentine Scramble, and much more. Hope to see you there! Registration required.

SPRING TEA TIME

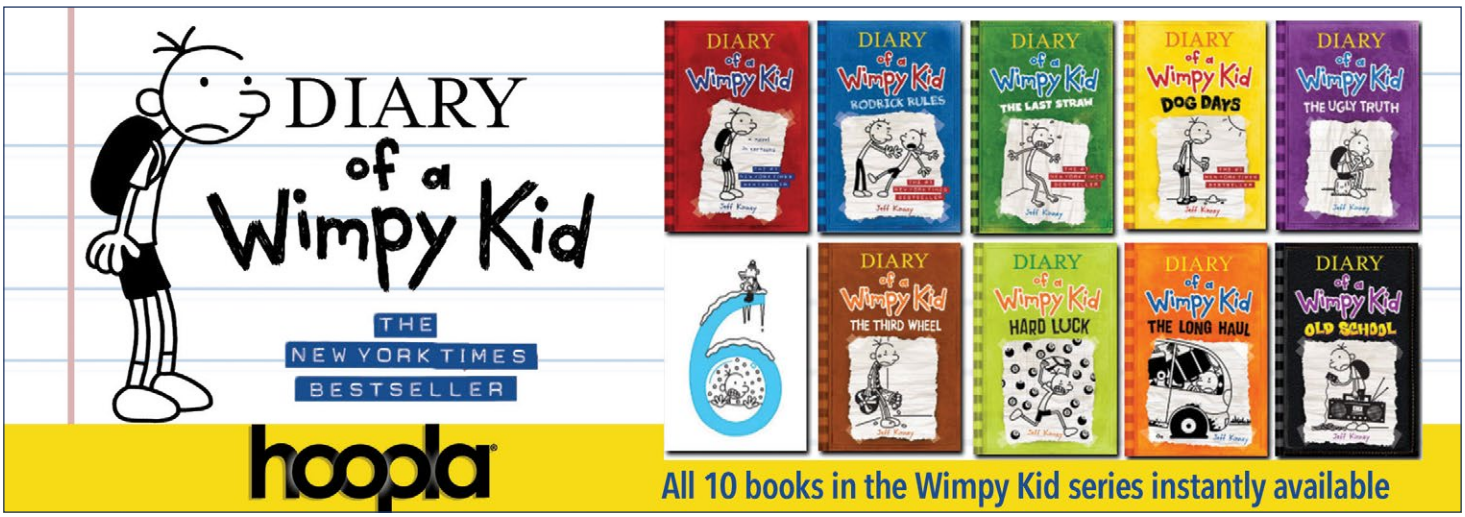
Saturday, April 8
2–3 PM • Ages 3–5

Let's celebrate spring with a tea party! Wear your favorite party outfit and join us for an hour of tea, snacks, crafts and games. Registration required.

PJ'S AND A MOVIE

Monday, April 10 • 6 PM

Come in your jammies, enjoy some yummy popcorn, and watch a newly released family friendly movie with us!



Teen Programs

TEEN LEAD

Tuesdays • 6–7 PM • Grades 9–12
January 3, January 17, February 7, February 21, March 7, March 21, April 18, May 2 (end of Year Celebration!)

No meeting April 4; spring break.

Teens looking for volunteer hours, leadership opportunities, or are interested in developing and executing library programs can join the Teen Leadership, Enrichment, and Development (LEAD) program. Meeting twice a month, this group discusses ways to improve the library's teen department, mentor patrons of all ages, and gain skills to become community leaders. Become a leader and join LEAD! For more information contact Erin Holmes at holmese@cidlibrary.org.

MIDDLE SCHOOL WRITING GROUP: IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE CLARKSTON AREA OPTIMIST CLUB

Wednesdays • 6–7 PM • Grades 6 and up
January 11, January 25, February 8, February 22, March 8 (Teen Tech Week Inspired!), March 22, April 12, April 26, May 10, May 24

Are you in grade 6 or up? Do you love to write and are looking for a place to share your ideas? Then join this exciting group of fellow writers to: Share your writing, get feedback, improve your skills, learn from a variety of writers, and most importantly, have fun! Walk-ins welcome, no registration required!

TEEN ANIME CLUB

Wednesdays • 6–7:30 PM
Ages 14 and up
January 4, February 1, March 1, April 5, May 3

Teens interested in manga, anime, and Japanese culture can meet to discuss and swap their favorite titles, watch anime films, and more! No registration required, drop-ins welcome!

MINECRAFT MONDAY

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Mondays • 6–8 PM • Grades 6–12
January 30, February 27, March 27, April 24

Welcome to Minecraft! Join us at the library to battle, survive, and create in this gaming sensation. Interested in trying out Minecraft but don't have a login? Have no fear! The library has licenses available for use and can provide you with the basics for building in Minecraft! You can also bring your own laptop to the program and connect to our Minecraft server. Limited space and registration required. Registration opens the Monday prior to the event.

TEEN TUESDAY

Tuesdays • 6–7 PM • Grades 6–12
January 31, February 14, March Teen Tech Week!, April 11

Who knows teens better than teens! Each Tuesday a month will be completely dedicated to providing programs for teens created by teens! Make sure to check back at the library each month to see what exciting new program will be revealed. Registration required.

TEEN TECH WEEK

Grades 6–12
Monday, March 6: LED Project
Tuesday, March 7: Silk Screening
Wed., March 8: Make Your Own Magnetic Poetry
Thursday, March 9: Marble Roller Coaster Tycoon!
Friday, March 10: BIG FINALE!

Celebrate Teen Tech Week at the library! A national initiative sponsored by the Young Adult Library Services Association (YALSA), each day the library will feature a fun tech/maker related activity, which will lead up to our BIG FINALE program on Friday, March 10th.

Family Programs

BAFFLING BILL

Monday, January 23 • 6 PM

Experience amazing feats of illusion with our great friend Baffling Bill. All ages welcome.

CHILDREN'S THEATRE OF MICHIGAN PRESENTS: IMAGINE THAT!

Monday, March 20 • 7 PM

What do a chilly puppy, a hungry dinosaur, and four rather naughty sheep have in common? They're all onstage in this High-Energy, Musical-Story-Theatre show, sung by Janet Marie & m'Archibald. Big fun for all ages, don't miss it!

STAR WARS DAY AT THE LIBRARY

Saturday, May 13
10 AM–5 PM

Join us for a special all ages celebration of all things Star Wars! Take part in fun Star Wars-themed activities throughout the library, create your own special Star Wars crafts and have a "yub nub" good time!

KIDDIE-PALOOZA FEATURING LEONARDO MUSIC AND MISS CARISSA

Monday, May 22
6–8 PM

Join us for a fun outdoor concert for your little ones! We will sing, dance and have a blast!

CLARKSTON'S GOT TALENT

If you play an instrument, enjoy reciting poetry or like to sing, join us for a night of talent at the Library. Open to ages 12 & up. All performers must register to participate. Please visit the Library for details, guidelines and performance dates.

Adult Programs

DETROIT FLUTIST GUILD

Tuesday, January 10 • 7 PM

The Detroit Flute Guild are a skilled group of flutists from the Detroit area, conducted by Ervin Monroe, who served as Principle Flute for the Detroit Symphony Orchestera for 40 years.Performance begins promptly at 7:30 pm

ARE "WE" DISPOSABLE? A CONVERSATION

Thursday, January 19 • 7:30 PM

Workers are laid off. Veterans can't find jobs. Police officers injured/ killed in the line of duty can't provide for their families. Athletes die of sports related injuries. Are we people as disposable as buildings and machines? We will examine this issue, and invite discussion. Hosted by Dr. Thomas K. Stone.

STRESS MANAGEMENT

Tuesday, January 24 • 7 PM

Learn about complimentary and alternative ways to address every day stress...without drugs, alcohol or other ineffective methods. Presented by Marilyn Childers, RN.

HISTORY OF JAZZ 1920–1960

Tuesday, February 7 • 7 PM

Lars Bjorn and Jim Gallert of Detroit Music History will trace the evolution of jazz from its early days to the dawn of Motown records, along with†many rare recordings and photographs of Detroit musicians.

MINDFULNESS: IT'S WORTH KNOWING

Tuesday, February 28 • 7 PM

This presentation focuses on guided audience participation in four practices of Mindfulness: Mindful Listening, Mindful Eating, Mindful Acceptance and Mindful Meditation. Learn how to create and incorporate a Mindfulness practice into your life. Presented by Jan Scislowicz.

ANNE SULLIVAN SPEAKS

Tuesday, March 7 • 7 PM

Join us for this innovative event where Colette Cullen will present as Helen Keller's devoted teacher, Annie Sullivan.

WHAT IS YOGA?

Tuesday, March 28 • 7 PM

Yoga increases strength, flexibility and stamina, reduces stress and calms the mind. But what is Yoga? What are the different types of yoga? And what can I expect at a Yoga Studio? After a short presentation, experience a gentle yoga routine that stretches the spine, improves balance, and releases the hips from too much sitting. (Wear comfortable clothes to move in.) Presented by Melinda Grix.

TRUTH OR BELIEF: WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE? A CONVERSATION

Thursday, March 30 • 7:30 PM

Does anyone "know" whether we can determine with certainty that something is "true"? Perhaps, that is a belief. Also, all people believe things for which there is no irrefutable evidence. We will attempt to explain this perspective, and invite discussion. Hosted Dr. Thomas K. Stone.

GREAT WOMEN IN HISTORY

Tuesday, April 4 • 7 PM

Storyteller, Maureen Esther is back to tell us about the Great Women in History which include King Tut's wife, Henry the VIII's six wives, Mary Todd Lincoln and many more.

CAREGIVING: AN ORIENTATION

Thursday, April 20 • 7:30 pm

Are you caring for someone else, someone unable to care for themselves? This challenge can be overwhelming. Feeling stressed? Life is unpredictable; it gives us many challenges. This program will provide you with ideas for resources, services, personal health, and the future. Hosted by Patty Collins, MSW, Senior Services Coordinator for the Independence Township Senior Community Center and Tom Stone, EdD, retired Licensed Professional Counselor and National Certified Counselor.

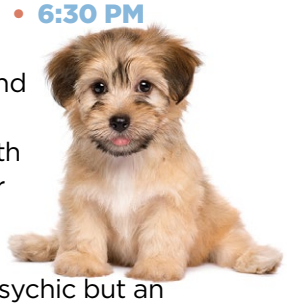
THROUGH HER EYES–WOMEN PHOTOGRAPHERS

Tuesday, May 9 • 7 PM

A presenter from the Detroit Institute of Arts will introduce you to the impact of art photography by some of the leading women artists in the 19th and 20th centuries.

PET COMMUNICATOR

Tuesday, June 6 • 6:30 PM



Back by popular demand, Reverend Kathleena will communicate with your pet whether living or no longer with us. She's not a pet psychic but an intuitive, telepathic healer/medium or pet "communicator." Please bring one photo, or other article used by the pet. Live pets are not allowed at this program.

BOOKS AND BITES

Wednesdays • 7–8 PM

February 8: Wanted: The Meanest Chili in Town. Bring in your favorite chili to share. The best chili will win a prize. **March 8:** Get your soup on! Bring a tasty soup and recipe to share. **April 12:** Candy, cookies, chocolate oh my! Bring your favorite sweet treat and recipe to share. **May 10:** "Is that summer I smell?" Bring your favorite summer BBQ and recipe to share.

TELL US ABOUT YOUR TRAVELS

7–8:30 PM

Enjoy travelers sharing their experiences through photos while learning about other cultures. Presentation dates can be found on our event calendar at www.cidlibrary.org. Presentations and countries subject to change.

MAKER MAGIC

Thursdays • 6:30–8 PM
Ages 8 & up
February 2, March 2, April 13, May 4

Crafting fun with friends, family, or individually. Children must be accompanied by an adult to participate. Please register early as space is limited.

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Friends Board Meeting 2017

Second Thursday of each month • 7PM

Friends General Membership Meeting

Thursday, April 6th • 7PM

2017 Spring Book Sale

Members-Only Preview Night
Tuesday, April 25
6–8 PM

Wednesday, April 26
10 AM – 8:30 PM

Thursday, April 27
10 AM – 8:30 PM

Half Price Day
Friday, April 28
10 AM – 5:30 PM

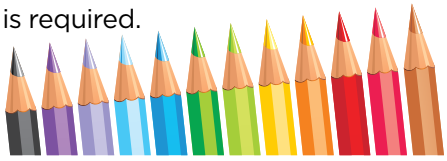
$5 Bag Day
Saturday, April 29
10 AM – 2 PM

Donations for the book sales are welcome anytime the library is open. We cannot accept textbooks, encyclopedias, magazines, VHS tapes or materials that are excessively soiled or musty.

MORNING COLORING CLUB

Meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month • 10:30 AM–12 PM
Ages 18 and over

Join our monthly morning coloring program and make something beautiful before lunch. All materials will be provided (or bring your own if you'd like). Registration is required.



Join a Book Club

MORNING BOOK GROUP

1st Thursday of each month
10–11:30 AM

EVENING BOOK GROUP

1st Tuesday of each month
7:30–9 PM

A list of book group title selections can be obtained at the library or online at www.cidlibrary.org

Memorials

Bart Clark

Louise Mauti

Honor

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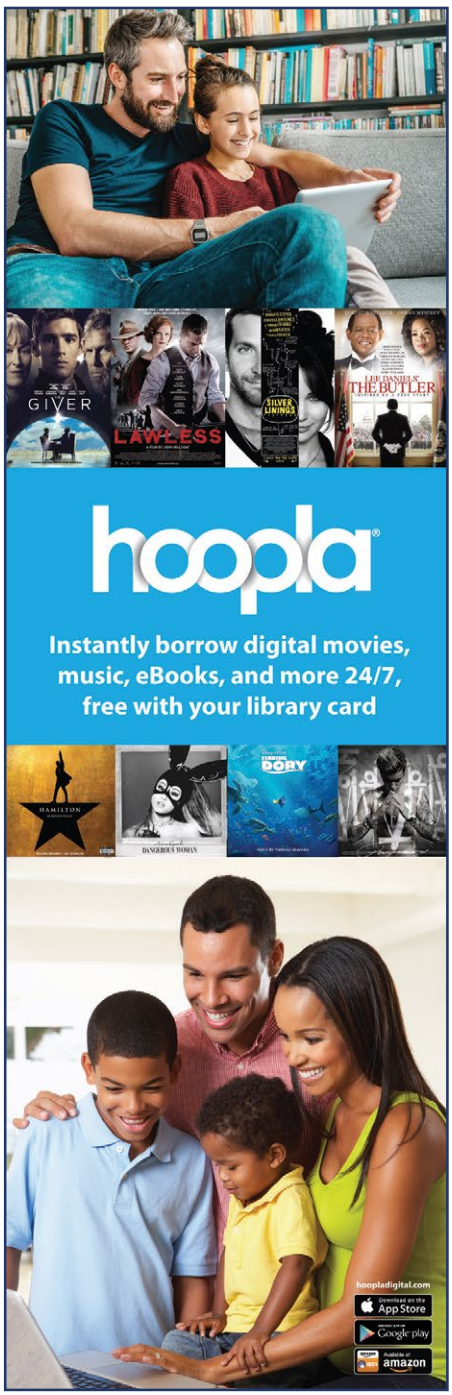

LION'S CLUB KIDSIGHT VISION TESTING

Second Saturday of the Month • 10 AM – 12 PM

Free monthly vision screening for children ages 5 months and up. Photos are taken of the child's eyes to check for potential vision problems. Results are immediate and a report is provided at the screening.

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