

Fall 2015

Welcome



Dear Community Members,

As your Superintendent of Schools I cannot thank you enough for all the support you provide to the children of our community and to our school district. Your support is remarkable.

The programs listed in this brochure speak volumes about the commitment our community has made to developing healthy and stronger individuals and families. As I review these offerings, I find them to be innovative in their approach to wellness and specific skill building.

More than anything I am proud of our partnership with you and hope you and your family members enjoy this fall's Community Education offerings and that you continue to be part of this strong and successful partnership.

Welcome to the fall!

Sincerely,

Daniel A. Nerad, Superintendent of Schools

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BPS FACILITY RENTAL INFORMATION

Birmingham Public Schools facilities and fields are conveniently located for the residents of Birmingham, Beverly Hills, Bingham Farms, Franklin, West Bloomfield, Bloomfield Hills, Troy and Southfield. Our facilities and fields are available for rental by public and private groups on Saturdays, Sundays and after school on week days. With ample free parking and recently renovated buildings, Birmingham offers great potential for your special event. Whether you need auditoriums, classrooms, media centers, computer labs, gyms, pools, stadiums or fields, the modern facilities and fields of Birmingham Public Schools give you an advantage! All facility services are available for single events, individual classes or entire college curricula or large sports events. For all of your facility and field requests, please contact Birmingham Community Education at 248-203-3800.

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YOUTH • NOVEMBER 3 ALL DAY KIDS CLUBS

DISTRICT-WIDE KIDS CLUB DAY *A Day Off For The Kids But Not For You!*

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

for GRADES K-5

at QUARTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

9 a.m.-3 p.m.

SNAP Giggle, Shout **OR** SNAP Sports Programs



presented by SNAPtivities



SNAP, GIGGLE, SHOUT

Get ready to Mix it Up... Join your favorite instructors for a day filled with activities. Explore your creative side, exercise and have fun with friends! Create your very own "work of art" and put on a play. Camp includes arts and crafts projects, dancing, tumbling, gymnastics, gym games and more. All materials are included. Students must bring their own lunch, morning snack and beverage in a non-breakable container.. Meets in the Multipurpose Room - Bear Den



SNAP SPORTS

Want to play sports and hang out with your friends or just make a few new ones?

We will participate in sports like basketball, floor hockey, team handball and soccer. We will also throw in gym fun like lightning, flag tag, dodgeball, kickball, steal the bacon and capture the flag. Groups will be divided by age & ability. Students must bring their own lunch, morning snack and beverage in a non-breakable container. Meets in the Gym.



Tuition Fee: \$65.00/child

Fee includes Kids Club Hours: 7:30-9 a.m. / 3-5:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Students must bring their own lunch, morning snack and beverage in a non-breakable container.

Registration: Registration accepted in person, by mail, fax, phone or online at www.communityed.net. Pre-registration is required. No on-site registration will be accepted. **There is no resident discount.**

Please note: Photo identification will be required at pick-up.

Final Day to Register: Registration closes Friday, October 30 at 12 noon. Registration after the close must be made by phone to 248-203-3800 and will be subject to a \$10/child late fee.

Medication Form: If your child must take medication during the program, please download a form at www.communityed.net or contact our office at 248-203-3800 to obtain a "Permission to Administer Medication" form. Medication cannot be administered without this written authorization.

Refund Policy: Refund requests must be made directly to the Community Education Office by 12 noon. Monday, November 2. Refunds will be the amount of tuition less a \$10 processing fee per child. Refunds will not be granted after 12 noon on Monday, November 2.

BABYSITTING & MUSIC • YOUTH

CHILD AND BABYSITTER SAFETY/CPR (AGES 10+)

Participants will learn skills involved in caring for infants, toddlers and young children, as well as how to start their own babysitting business. Emergency procedures, taming the tots, decision making, diapering, feeding and sleep time are just a few of the topics to be covered. Basic first aid and CPR will be taught and practiced on individual mannequins. This is a Certification Babysitting Class from the American Red Cross and complete attendance and passing of a 10 question test is mandatory. Participants will receive a wallet certification card along with a training booklet, emergency reference guide and a CD to ensure success of their babysitting business. Parent/Guardian is required to sign student in and out of class. Students more than 20 minutes late will not be permitted into the class, please be on time. One day workshop. Bring a bag lunch with beverage in a non-breakable container. Instructor: Bristow Health & Safety Education



#7776

Seaholm High School, Room C104

Date: 12/5/2015

Sat 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 100.00 / \$ 105.00

**Save a class —
Register *EARLY!***

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This brochure is mailed to 29,000+ residents in the Birmingham Public School district.

If you're interested in advertising space, please contact Diane Agrusa Rampolo by phone at 248-203-3822 or by email at

DRampolo@birmingham.k12.mi.us



EVOLA MUSIC CENTER

For the music classes listed below, an instrument will be required for home practice. If needed, please contact the Evola Music Center for information regarding piano rentals at (248) 334-0566. Classes meet at Evola Music Center, 2184 South Telegraph Road, north of Square Lake.

BEGINNING KEYBOARD PREP FOR AGES 7-12 YEARS

This method provides beginning piano instruction including note reading, rhythm and theory games, and ensemble playing and performing with rhythm instruments. Taught by the professional staff at Evola Music Center. An instrument will be required for home practice. A \$15 materials fee (plus tax) is payable the first day of class.

#7833

Dates: 9/16/2015 - 11/18/2015

of Sessions: 10

Wed 5:30 PM - 6:20 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 156.00 / \$ 161.00

#7834

Dates: 9/19/2015 - 11/21/2015

of Sessions: 10

Sat 11:30 AM - 12:20 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 156.00 / \$ 161.00

KINDERMUSIK FAMILY CLASS (Ages 0-5 with parent)

Kindermusik Family is a multi-layered learning environment. Songs and rhymes will develop phonetic awareness and early reading skills; rhythm instruments will improve fine motor skills and eye-hand coordination; focused listening with music will aid in following directions; developmentally appropriate songs will develop vocal cords and expressive speech. Please register each family member (children and adults) separately. There is a \$57/\$62 registration fee per person. Required home materials fee of \$13 is payable to the instructor at the first day of class.

#7830

Dates: 9/18/2015 - 10/9/2015

of Sessions: 4

Fri 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 52.00 / \$ 57.00

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YOUTH • SPORTS



PISTONS ACADEMY YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUES (Grades 3-9)

The Pistons Academy League is designed to teach game strategy and team skills through competitive play. Players register as individuals, participate in the Skills Combine and will be placed on a team via the league draft. Teams are guaranteed seven games and three practices during the season. Practices are

Thursdays or Fridays. Most games are Saturdays between 10am and 6pm. Some teams may have a Friday game at 7:30 or 8:30 pm. Coaches are Pistons Academy staff and qualified volunteers. All of our officials are certified and all coaches receive a background check before the season. For more information about the league and Pistons Academy Basketball, visit www.pistonsacademy.com. Game locations: Berkshire Middle School and Birmingham Covington School; Practice locations: Berkshire Middle School and Quarton Elementary Gym.

SKILLS COMBINE AND LEAGUE DRAFT (at Berkshire Middle School)

To participate in the league, all players must be evaluated at the Skills Combine Day and then participate in the League Draft. The Skills Combine will be held at Berkshire Middle School on Saturday, September 12th and Saturday, September 19th. Players only have to attend one Combine Day and at any time between 10am-1pm. The Skills Combine will take about 20 minutes per player. The League Draft will also be held at Berkshire for the following divisions:

PREP LEAGUE: (Grades 3, 4 and BEGINNER 5th):

Friday, September 25, 6:30 - 7:15 pm and Saturday, September 26, 11:15 - 12 pm.

COLLEGE LEAGUE: (Grades 5, 6 AND BEGINNER 7th):

Friday, September 25, 7:30 - 8:15 pm and Saturday, September 26, 1:00 - 1:45 pm.

PRO LEAGUE (Grades 7,8 and BEGINNER 9th):

Friday, September 25, 8:45 - 9:30 pm and Saturday, September 26, 2:45 - 3:30 pm.

#9083 - Prep League (Grades 3, 4 and beginner 5th)

#8094 - College League (Grades 5, 6 and beginner 7th)

#8092 - Pro League (Grades 7, 8 and beginner 9th)

League Dates: 9/26/2015 - 11/21/2015

Dates: 9/26/2015 - 11/21/2015

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 145.00 /\$ 150.00

FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS GIRLS BASKETBALL - Grades 4-6

Friday Night Lights has a brand-new look as it will consist of three weeks of practices and five weeks of games. Players will spend the first three weeks learning plays, working on defense and studying the rules that govern the game. Once teams are set, girls will play a season of 5 games, including playoffs. All girls receive a Lady Pistons game jersey and season ending awards. This program is available to girls of all skill levels but is best suited for girls who are serious about learning the game and developing their skills. \$10 materials fee included in registration fee. Location: Berkshire Middle School, Gym

#8054

Dates: 10/2/2015 - 11/20/2015

of Sessions: 8

Fri 6:15 PM - 7:15 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 100.00 /\$ 105.00

**Save a class —
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LOOKING FOR ACADEMY LEAGUE COACHES!

Are you interested in coaching a Pistons Academy Team? We are always looking for qualified coaches who want to share their knowledge and passion for the game. We offer flexible scheduling for games and practices. If interested, please contact Geo Thomas at 248-371-2048 or gthomas@palacenet.com

DETROIT PISTONS ACADEMY MINI CAMP (Boys and Girls, Grades 2-6)

The Detroit Pistons Mini-Camp will bring the fun and excitement of the new-look Pistons to Birmingham. Led by top Pistons Academy Coaches, the Mini-Camp will consist of unique drills, competitions and games that focus on fundamental skill development with an emphasis on ball handling and shooting! All campers will be grouped with their own age/skill level and will have an opportunity to earn cool Pistons prizes. All participants receive a FREE ticket to a Detroit Pistons home game. Location: West Maple Elementary School, Gym

#7758

Date: 10/28/2015

Wed 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 35.00 /\$ 40.00

OAKLAND SNAPDRAGONS FIELD HOCKEY TEAMS (Grades 5-12)

Join the Oakland SNAPdragons for their third year competing as a travel club with players from Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills. All experience levels welcome, but expect a physically demanding and high intensity season. Our high schoolers play a 12 week season as a member of the MHSFHA, while Middle Schoolers play a 9 week season against local private schools. Optional Sunday practice is included for all levels. Pre-season and full season times may vary slightly, but will begin at or after 5 p.m. Visit SNAPactivities.com for season details and equipment needs. Location: Bloomfield Hills High School, Turf Field

For Players in Grades 5-6

#8090

Dates: 9/15/2015 - 10/29/2015

Tue & Thu 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 275.00 /\$ 280.00

For Players in Grades 7-8

#8089

Dates: 9/15/2015 - 10/29/2015

Tue & Thu 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 275.00 /\$ 280.00

For Players in Grades 9-12

#8098

Dates: 8/10/2015 - 10/29/2015

Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 339.00 /\$ 344.00

SUNDAY FIELD HOCKEY TRAINING (Grades 5 - 12)

Can't commit to a full season of field hockey? No need to worry, you can practice alongside the team during our Sunday sessions for more experience, preparation for indoor or next year's team. Field Hockey team members may attend free of charge but must contact Derek Hall in advance (do not register online). Visit SNAPactivities.com for more info and equipment needs. Location: Bloomfield Hills High School, Turf Field

For Grades 5 - 7

#8086

Dates: 9/13/2015 - 11/1/2015

of Sessions: 8

Sun 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 99.00 /\$ 104.00

For Grades 8 - 12

#8087

Dates: 9/13/2015 - 11/1/2015

of Sessions: 8

Sun 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 99.00 /\$ 104.00

FIELD HOCKEY IN A SNAP - Grades 2 - 4

For students in grades 2-4. These instructional clinics will focus on the techniques and skills needed to get in on this fast growing sport. No experience needed. Bring mouth and shin guards and water bottle. Everything else is provided. For more information, go to SNAPactivities.com First game at Groves High School, Stadium.

#8097

Dates: 9/20/2015 - 10/25/2015

of Sessions: 6

Sun 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 74.00 /\$ 79.00

NEW SNAP QUIDDITCH LEAGUE (Grades 3-8)

For those students in Grades 3-8 who want to really deviate from conventional sports and the real world, we are showcasing the new game of Quidditch.

This fictional sport from the fantasy world of Harry Potter is the new craze at schools and universities across the country.

Learn to play this co-ed, non-contact sport with a unique mix of elements

from rugby, dodgeball, and tag. So for fantasy geeks with an athletic streak, Quidditch is the perfect game. A \$6 materials fee for team shirt is included in the registration fee. Classes will meet at Seaholm H.S. or Groves H.S., but the first meeting will be at Groves H.S. fields.

#8055

Dates: 10/4/2015 - 11/8/2015

of Sessions: 6

Sun 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 85.00 /\$ 90.00



CHEER POM SNAP (Grades - Pre-K - 5th grade)

Give me a S, Give me a N, Give me a A, Give me a P. Learn the routines and you will see just how much fun cheer can be!

Get ready for a workout! For the first part of the class we will learn cheers, chants, stunts and pom routines. After, we will put our skills in action and cheer for the flag football teams. The last day we will perform at a half time show for all of the football players and families. The uniform is an additional \$30

and includes a cheer skirt and shirt, payable to the instructor. Classes will meet at Seaholm or Groves fields, but the first meeting will be at Seaholm's Maple Stadium.

#8085

Dates: 9/27/2015 - 11/1/2015

of Sessions: 6

Sun 1:15 PM - 2:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 69.00 /\$ 74.00



LITTLE SNAPpers FLAG FOOTBALL

(Pre-School (Ages 3.5-4.5 years))

Is the Birmingham Bloomfield flag football league in your child's future? If yes, give them a head start with Little SNAPpers! Basic skills will be taught like throwing, catching and snapping the ball. Class will end with a scrimmage. Classes will meet at Seaholm or Groves fields, but the first meeting will be at Seaholm's Maple Stadium. Meet at the concession stand. Rain date: November 8.

#8084

Dates: 9/27/2015 - 11/1/2015

of Sessions: 6

Sun 12:10 PM - 12:55 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 69.00 /\$ 74.00

YOUTH • SPORTS

SNAP Flag Football League (Pre-K to 8th Grade)

Are you ready for some Flag Football? SNAPtivities (Formerly OFFL - Oakland Flag Football League) is proud to present fun and fresh 5-on-5 flag football teams, non-contact, divided by age and grade for maximum equality and good times. We have a 30 - 40 minute practice at Birmingham HS Turf fields followed directly by a game against different teams! The only thing your child will need is a mouthguard for their safety. We also accept friend requests so buddies don't have to be separated. The tuition includes a \$25 materials fee for the team jersey. Practices will be 30 - 40 minutes prior to game time. This is an 7 practice/ 7 game season played on Sundays from Sept. 27 - November 8. Location: Games will be played on the turf fields at Groves and/or Seaholm High School - to be determined. First meeting is at Seaholm High School, Maple Stadium.



For Pre-K to K

#8078

Dates: 9/27/2015 - 11/8/2015

of Sessions: 7

Sun 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 128.00 / \$ 133.00

For 5th - 6th Grade

#8067

Dates: 9/27/2015 - 11/8/2015

of Sessions: 7

Sun 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 143.00 / \$ 148.00

For 1st - 2nd Grade

#8064

Dates: 9/27/2015 - 11/8/2015

of Sessions: 7

Sun 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 143.00 / \$ 148.00

For 7th - 8th Grade

#8068

Dates: 9/27/2015 - 11/8/2015

of Sessions: 7

Sun 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 143.00 / \$ 148.00

For 3rd - 4th Grade

#8065

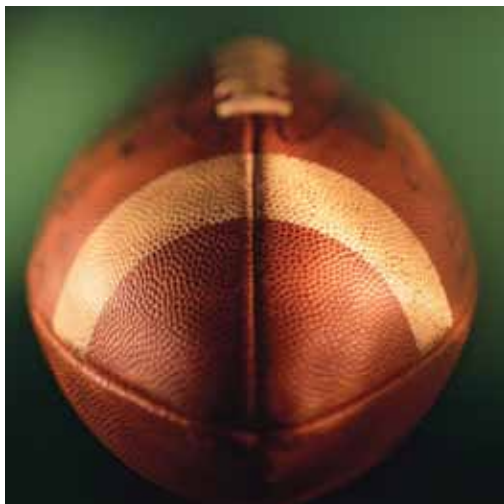
Dates: 9/27/2015 - 11/8/2015

of Sessions: 7

Sun 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 143.00 / \$ 148.00

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SOCCER SCHOOL FOR LITTLE FOLKS

For 3.5 to 5 year olds. Join us for an exciting class of soccer! Children will receive technical/tactical training on basic skills using fun mini games and end every class with a "soccer scrimmage." This is a great way to introduce your child to soccer or have them continue developing skills. Our goal is to increase your child's excitement for sports while giving them confidence in their own abilities and helping them to develop a positive attitude. Presented by Seaton Athletics. Location: Midvale Center Baseball Diamond

#7798

Dates: 9/22/2015 - 10/27/2015

of Sessions: 6

Tue 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 75.00 /\$ 80.00

#7799

Dates: 9/18/2015 - 10/23/2015

of Sessions: 6

Fri 12:00 PM - 12:45 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 75.00 /\$ 80.00

#7797

Dates: 9/19/2015 - 10/24/2015

of Sessions: 6

Sat 11:15 AM - 12:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 75.00 /\$ 80.00

LITTLE NINJAS KIDZ KARATE (Ages 4-5)

Little Ninjas Karate is an introductory karate class that focuses on teaching children 8 important main life skills: Focus, Memory, Teamwork, Discipline, Self-Control, Fitness, Balance and Coordination. All this is achieved through exciting and fun games and activities! Wear loose fitting clothes. A responsible adult must remain in attendance during class. Optional uniform available for purchase: \$38.16, payable to instructor at class. Presented by Kids Power LLC. Location: Beverly Elementary School, Gym

#8025

Dates: 9/16/2015 - 10/21/2015

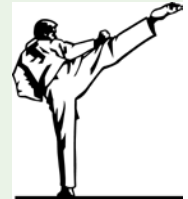
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Wed 6:15 PM - 6:45 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 37.00 /\$ 42.00

KIDS POWER KARATE (Ages 6-12)

The Kids Power Karate Program offers traditional martial arts training and emphasizes self-defense, physical fitness, conflict resolution, team work and anti-kidnapping techniques. This program is designed specifically for children and teaches prevention first. It does not promote active aggressiveness, but teaches children to respect themselves, others and the skills they learn. This introductory program to traditional Tang Soo Do has been commended by many communities, law enforcement personnel, teachers and parents for the positive impact it has on children. It is a 20-year proven program that is positive, fun, exciting and educational. There is no better program for kids! Wear loose fitting clothes. A responsible adult must remain in attendance during class. All students will test to earn their first color belt at final class. Optional uniform available for purchase, \$38.16, payable to instructor at class. A \$5.00 test/belt fee is payable at the time of registration. Presented by Kids Power LLC. Location: Beverly Elementary School, Gym



#7807

Dates: 9/16/2015 - 10/21/2015

of Sessions: 6

Wed 7:00 PM - 7:45 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 52.00 /\$ 57.00



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BEVERLY HILLS CLUB

The Beverly Hills Club has taught 1,000's of kids & adults tennis and swimming since 1973. Classes meet at the Beverly Hills Club 31555 Southfield Road (just north of 13 Mile Road), Beverly Hills, MI 48025 (248)642-8500.



BHC SWIM SCHOOL

"BHC Swim School" has been teaching thousands of children and adults to swim since 1987. The program teaches water safety and swimming to babies, tots, children & adults of all ages and levels. Safety & skills are taught in a fun, safe environment with small class sizes. **THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net**

SWIM - Parent and Tot (Levels 1 & 2)

6 months - 3 years + parent. Tots get ready for group classes. Focus is on independent swimming

LITTLE FISH (2 year olds)

Focus on independent swimming and introduction to basic swimming skills. Class size is 2:1 ratio. Students should be comfortable in the water or have completed Parent/Tot 2 swim class.

SWIM - LEVEL 1 (Ages 3 - 5 Years)

Introduction to swimming. No swim skills required- for children not comfortable putting their face in the water or swimming unassisted.

SWIM - LEVEL 2 (Ages 3 - 5 Years)

Fundamentals. Swim unassisted on a noodle - put face in water.

SWIM LEVEL 3 (Ages 3-5)

Stroke Development. Skills: back and front float 5 seconds; push off and swim 15 ft front and back.

SWIM - LEVEL 4 (ages 4+ years)

Stroke Development. Skills: Jump in and tread water 30 seconds; 15 yards backstroke and face in rhythmic breathing. Know the basics of breaststroke.

SWIM - LEVEL 4/5 SPLIT (4+ years)

Stroke improvement and refinement. Swim team prep.

SWIM - LEVEL 5 (Ages 4+ years)

Stroke Refinement. Skills: 25 yards freestyle and breast stroke, 15 yards backstroke and 10 yards butterfly.

SWIM - LEVEL 6

Level 6: Pre-Team Clinics. Ages 5+. Emphasis on techniques, endurance and speed in all 4 competitive strokes. Skills needed: swim 50 yards freestyle, back and breaststroke and 25 yds fly.

SWIM - LEVEL 7: TEAM CLINICS.

Emphasis on techniques, endurance and speed in all 4 competitive strokes. Skills needed: swim 100 yards freestyle, back and breaststroke and 25 yds fly.

NEW YOUTH TENNIS (11 years and Up)

Youth tennis for kids with little or no tennis experience. **THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net**



RENAISSANCE FENCING CLUB

These classes teach the basics of this engaging modern Olympic sport, as well as fun games focusing on physical development. Fencers learn to use their mind and body to overcome their adversary. They learn problem solving skills under pressure and shake hands to show respect to their opponent. Equipment included. Dress in sports clothing including sneakers and sports pants. Curriculum specially developed by three-time Olympian and club member Ann Marsh. Used for recreation, fitness or competition, fencing is a European martial sport that develops balance, coordination, leg strength and analytical skills. Learn footwork, basic blade actions, and the fencing bout. The Renaissance Fencing Club, established in 1997 is home to some of the finest fencers and coaches in Michigan. Its fencers, including three time Olympian Ann Marsh and Moldovan National Champion Anatolie Senic, regularly compete at local, national and international events. Both the Wayne State and University of Detroit Mercy teams practice at their Troy facility. Fencing equipment provided for use. **CLASSES ARE HELD AT: Renaissance Fencing Club located at 408 Oliver Street, Troy, MI 48084. All participants must pay a \$25 yearly fee directly to Renaissance Fencing. THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net**

**MINI-MUSKETEERS (Fencing, AGES 4-6)
INTRODUCTION TO FENCING (AGES 7-14)**

WORKSHOPS • YOUTH & FAMILY



KIDS EMPOWERED WORKSHOPS

SIBLING TEASING AND CONFLICT FAMILY WORKSHOP (Ages 6-14)

Sibling teasing and bullying can cause more harm than the teasing kid or bully at school. If you have siblings between the ages of 6-14 years bring them together to learn what the impact of their every day meanness can have and that they can make a different choice in how they treat or how they handle the situation. Parents participate in their own workshop to learn how to manage sibling conflict and the kids learn how to problem solve. At the end, parents and kids come together to work on a family contract. One day workshop. Fee is for one or two children and one or two parents; please register one adult only. Separate registration for additional sibling(s). Fee includes \$3.00 materials fee.

#8006

Groves High School, Staff Planning Area

Date: 10/11/2015

Sun 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 40.00 /\$ 45.00

Add an additional child to the Sunday, October 11, 2015, Sibling Teasing and Conflict Family Workshop at Groves High School.

#8004 Fee for additional child: \$ 10.00

#8007

Seaholm High School, Room C104

Date: 12/5/2015

Sat 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 40.00 /\$ 45.00

Add an additional child to the Saturday, December 5, 2015, Sibling Teasing and Conflict Family Workshop at Seaholm High School.

#8005 Fee for additional child: \$ 10.00

DROP THE DRAMA - Mother/Daughter Workshop (For Girls in 4th Grade – Middle School)

For girls 4th grade - Middle School. Moms and girls will each have their own workshop. Moms feeling at a loss on how to handle the girl drama? Moms and girls will learn: to manage the mean girl drama, to manage the mood swings, to deal with crushes, and to have a gratitude attitude. One session workshop. Please register the child only. Registration fee includes \$5 materials fee. Location: Groves High School, Staff Planning Room.

For Girls in 4th & 5th Grades

#7800

Date: 12/2/2015

Wed 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 36.00 /\$ 41.00

For Middle School Girls

#7801

Date: 12/2/2015

Wed 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 36.00 /\$ 41.00



FLOWER POWER YOGA - Mother/Daughter (Girls in Grades 1-5)

Mothers and daughters together build their Flower Power! In this one session workshop, girls and moms together learn about all the things they need to grow into a healthy, happy, and confident girl. Together moms and girls will learn how to build self-esteem and confidence, manage emotions, deal with unfriendly friends and follow their dreams. Class also includes a fun Flower Power craft and relaxing yoga session. Registration fee includes \$3 materials fee. Please register the child only. Location: Seaholm High School, Media Center

For Girls in Grades 1-3

#7851

Date: 11/21/2015

Sat 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 25.00 /\$ 30.00

For Girls in Grades 4-5

#7853

Date: 11/21/2015

Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 25.00 /\$ 30.00



CREATE AN EMERGENCY FRENEMY ACTION PLAN (Girls ages 6-11 Years)

Girls (ages 6-11) will learn strategies and role play to practice the most common mean girl scenarios including the hot/cold friend, being excluded, and critical comments about a girl's appearance. Girls will create a take home Emergency Frenemy Action Kit. Start the school year off prepared to prevent girl drama. Registration fee include \$5 materials fee. Location: Seaholm High School, Media Center.

For Girls ages 6-8 years

#8028

Date: 9/29/2015

Tue 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 22.00 /\$ 27.00

For Girls ages 9-11 years

#8029

Date: 9/30/2015

Wed 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 22.00 /\$ 27.00

YOUTH & FAMILY • WORKSHOPS



KIDS EMPOWERED WORKSHOPS

Over 150,000 girls, boys, parents, teachers, and social workers have participated in Girls Empowered and Boys Empowered programs over 14 years. The team includes social workers, teachers and fitness and dance instructors.

BOYS NITE OUT: A BRILLIANT SCIENTIST'S EMOTIONAL WORLD

For boys only (Grades K-5). Using fun science experiment we will relate what happens in science to how we react emotionally. Boys will have fun doing science experiments and look at how reacting explosively, aggressively in anger or frustration can inflame a situation with classmates, friends and family. Boys will learn techniques and tools to manage their feelings of anger and frustration and to calm themselves. They will learn words to use in different scenarios with classmates, friends and family. Every kid needs these tools for life. Bring a nut-free snack and reusable water bottle. One day workshop. Registration fee includes a \$6 materials fee. Location: Seaholm High School Room C104.

**For Boys in K-2nd grade
#8030**

Date: 10/2/2015

Fri 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

**For Boys in 3rd-5th grade
#8031**

Date: 10/9/2015

Fri 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

THE MOTHER DAUGHTER CONNECTION (for 4th/5th grade girls and Middle School girls and moms)

Keeping the bond strong through the teenage years. Moms and girls together will learn how to keep communication open, respect each other through this time of change, and strengthen their bond. Moms will learn how to be an ally to safely guide but support their daughter in becoming the person she was meant to be. Workshop includes fun team building activities. Moms and girls will walk away with strategies and tools. A \$3.00 materials fee is included in the registration fee. Location: Seaholm High School Media Center. Please register the child only.

For 4th & 5th grade girls and moms

#8027

Date: 10/14/2015

Wed 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

For Middle School girls and moms

#8026

Date: 10/13/2015

Tue 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

GOT BOSSY? LOOK FOR THE LEADER

For girls ages 6-11. Look past the bossy and see the leader. Assertiveness training is not just for girls who don't speak up! Girls who are outspoken and tend to be on the bossy side need to learn how to use that energy to master the skills of assertiveness and become a leader. An assertive person says what she thinks and feels but isn't mean about it. She also considers what others think and feel. She knows there is more than one way to solve a problem, is a respectful listener and open other ideas. Help your daughter master the art of assertiveness — the number one skill girls need to set boundaries, problem solve, work through conflict, get help, stand up for themselves and others, and follow their dreams! One day workshop. Registration fee includes \$5.00 materials fee. Location: Seaholm High School Media Center.

For Girls ages 6-8 years

#8032

Date: 10/6/2015

Tue 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 22.00 /\$ 27.00

For Girls ages 9-11 years

#8033

Date: 10/7/2015

Wed 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 22.00 /\$ 27.00



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WORKSHOPS • YOUTH & FAMILY



KIDS EMPOWERED WORKSHOPS

BE MY FRIEND PLEASE! (For Parent/Child ages 4-8)

Our little ones will learn the do's and don'ts of friendship, how to make friends, to be a friend, and what to do when a friend is being unfriendly or excluding. Parents and children each have their own workshop. Parents will learn how to help their child deal with hot/cold friends and to help their children be true and loyal friends. Our children's social world is complicated and confusing. Parents learn strategies to prevent many of the friendship problems kids are dealing with on the playground. Kids will have fun with activities that teach them the social skills of friendship. Location: Seaholm High School Room C104. Please register the child only. Registration fee includes \$3 materials fee.

For Girls & Boys 4-5 years old
#7976

Date: 11/7/2015
Sat 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

For Girls 6-8 years old
#7977

Date: 11/7/2015
Sat 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

For Boys 6-8 years old
#7978

Date: 11/7/2015
Sat 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

GIRLS AND BOYS NITE OUT: A BRILLIANT SCIENTIST'S SOCIAL WORLD | (GIRLS AND BOYS IN GRADES 1-5)

Using fun science experiments we will relate what happens in science to things that happen in our boy's and girl's social world. Kids will have fun doing science experiments and making sticky goo while learning about dealing with hot/cold friendships, making friends, how certain tones of voice and words can inflame a situation, and how to manage sticky situations. Kids will learn the science of how their brain works in these situations and techniques to calm their bodies so they can be in control of their response. Every kid needs these tools for life. Bring a nut-free snack and reusable water bottle. Registration fee includes \$6 materials fee.

For boys in grades 1-5
#8024

Seaholm High School, Room C104
Date: 12/4/2015
Fri 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

For girls in grades 1-5
#8023

Seaholm High School, Room C103
Date: 12/4/2015
Fri 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

ASSERTIVENESS BOOT CAMP - PARENT/CHILD

Does your daughter or son get bossed around a lot? Do they feel walked all over or feel left out? Girls (ages 6 - Middle School) and Boys (Ages 6 -11) will learn how to be assertive in voice, body language and words. They will learn how to deal with problems, conflicts and when someone is being unfriendly in an assertive way. Assertiveness is a critical social skill in dealing with everything from getting help, to standing up for yourself, setting your boundaries to following your DREAMS. Registration fee includes \$3 materials fee. Please register the child only.

For Girls Ages 6-8 years
#8056

Seaholm High School, Media Center
Date: 11/17/2015
Tue 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

For Girls Ages 9-11 years
#8057

Seaholm High School, Media Center
Date: 11/18/2015
Wed 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

For Middle School Girls
#8058

Seaholm High School, Media Center
Dates: 11/18/2015
Wed 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

For Boys Ages 6-8 years
#8059

Seaholm High School, Room C103
Date: 10/8/2015
Thu 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

#8060

Seaholm High School, Room C104
Date: 11/18/2015
Wed 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

For Boys Ages 9-11 years
#8061

Groves High School, Staff Planning Room
Date: 10/15/2015
Thu 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

#8062

Seaholm High School, Media Center
Date: 11/17/2015
Tue 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM
BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 30.00 /\$ 35.00

YOUTH • PRESCHOOL

FRANKLIN ATHLETIC CLUB

These classes are held at the FRANKLIN ATHLETIC CLUB, 29350 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, MI 48034 **THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net**



PLAY DATE with MS. LORI (Ages 0 - 4 years)

For ages 0-4 years. Where will you play today? Join us for a wild Play Date at Franklin Athletic Club. Get ready to move as we jump in the moonwalk, play parachute games, move to some silly music and have some free play. The first hour will be free play in the gym. The last half hour will be spent with Ms. Lori singing and moving to fun activities. Parent supervision required. You are welcome to bring peanut free snacks.

THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net

NEW HALLOWEEN PLAY DATE

This is a special Halloween theme Play Date at Franklin Athletic Club.

#7812

Date: 10/21/2015

Wed 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 10.00 /\$ 15.00

TUMBLING TOTS (Ages 18 months - 4 years)

For ages 18 months - 4 years. Turn all that bouncing and climbing into something productive. Your child will improve strength, agility, balance and overall fitness through simple tumbling skills. The first half hour will be spent in organized tumbling activities with Mr. Roby and the following half hour will be spent with Ms. Lori playing games and doing creative movement activities. **THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net**

ON MY OWN

(Ages 2-3 Years 9 months)

For ages 2 years -3 years 9 months. A transition class to independence. The children will learn through play and socialization. Young children's ability to absorb knowledge from their surroundings, as well as their tireless interest in manipulating materials, makes this class perfect for the busy and curious toddler. Each class includes free play, music, snack, stories, and creative movement. This is a drop-off program.

THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net

NEW PEE WEE OPEN GYM

(Ages 0 - 4 years)

Where will you play today? Join us for a wild play day at Franklin Athletic Club. Our inflatable play gym will be open for you and your child to come and spend some time together. Parent supervision required. You are welcome to bring peanut free snacks. Ages 0-4. Please register the child only.

THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net

NEW BASKETBALL ALL-NIGHT CAMP (Ages 7-13)

Calling all basketball players! Join us for a night full of competitions, games, scrimmages, and more! The night includes basketball all night, pizza, a t-shirt, popcorn, prizes, and more! Please bring a sleeping bag. This All-Night Camp begins at 7:00PM on FRIDAY October 9 and ends at 7:00AM on SATURDAY October 10.

#7792

Date: 10/9/2015

Fri 7:00 PM – Sat 7:00 AM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 70.00 /\$ 75.00

NEW BASICBALL SCHOOL (Ages 2 - 4 years)

BasicBall School is a unique program designed to maximize and benefit toddlers/kids (ages 2-4) with their development through FUN athletic movements and basketball year round! With a FUN and creative curriculum, your child will develop and gain increased hand/foot-eye coordination, improved motor skills, confidence, respect, independence, assertiveness, and conflict resolution all while having FUN!

Diaper Dandy (Ages 2-3)

Diaper Dandy class is for our youngest students (ages 2-3). With a gentle introduction it allows students to explore basic athletic movements and basketball drills. With adult participation required, this class is a great bonding experience for both the child and parent. Please register the child only.

THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net

Little Big Tot (Ages 3-4)

(For Ages 3-4 and parent/guardian participation) With a gentle introduction, this is a great class for nervous or very beginner students to participate in athletic movements and basketball drills. With adult participation required, this class is a great experience for both the child and parent. Please register the child only.

THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net

Show Stopper (Ages 3-4)

This is a perfect class for students ready to participate without parent participation. This class will help kids focus on developing a basic core foundation to become more fluid with their motor skills and muscle memories.

THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net

Fast Breaker (Ages 3-4)

With a direct introduction to athletic movements and basketball drills, this class has a faster pace with a slightly higher degree of difficulty necessary to progress development. No adult participation.

THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net

BEADWORKING CLASSES

The following beadworking classes are instructed by Gail Frederickson. Gail has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Studio Arts, has been an avid beadworker since childhood, is a Board Member of the Great Lakes Beadworkers Guild and has taught nationally at the annual Bead & Button Conference. All materials provided unless otherwise stated. **Location: Seaholm High School, Room C104.**

LOOMED BRACELET WITH LEATHER CLOSURE

The designer inspired loomed pattern uses a variety of seed bead sizes with larger complimentary beads and crystals woven in throughout and features a leather and button closure. Although it is constructed on a simple handheld workboard so a loom is not required, some loom experience is suggested. Intermediate level.

#8113

Dates: 9/21/2015 - 9/28/2015

of Sessions: 2 Mon 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 41.00 /\$ 46.00

CRYSTALS AND LEATHER CORD BRACELET

Small crystal beads provide the right amount of bling to contrast harmoniously with the leather cording of this casual yet chic designer inspired bracelet. Focal area features a large crystal bead surrounded with seed bead rows. Students must know brick stitch. Intermediate level.

#8114

Dates: 10/8/2015 - 10/22/2015 **NO Class:** 10/15/15

of Sessions: 2

Thu 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 41.00 /\$ 46.00

LAYERED CRYSTALS PENDANT

Stitch together crystals in a variety of sizes to create this sparkly pendant with a center rivoli. Students must know single needle right angle weave. Intermediate level. One-session class.

#8115

Date: 10/28/2015

Wed 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 28.00 /\$ 33.00

SOUTACHE LEAF AND BUD PIN

This class is a further exploration of the interesting technique of soutache bead embroidery. The curving leaf shapes formed by the braid are inset with a variety of beads in autumn or spring colorways. May also be made as a pendant. Intermediate level.

#8112

Dates: 10/26/2015 - 11/2/2015

of Sessions: 2

Mon 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 39.00 /\$ 44.00



NEW FOOD SCULPTING

Food sculpting is an artistic form of decorating food using cutting, chopping, digging and hollowing to create beautiful designs. This three week class will give students an introduction to food sculpting, hands-on creating for your everyday or holiday dinners, and creating food sculptures for your upcoming party or event. No material fee. Students will be responsible for bringing in their own supplies to the second and third class. Instructor: Mirella Panozzo

#8099

Seaholm High School, Room C104

Dates: 10/6/2015 - 10/20/2015

of Sessions: 3

Tue 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 50.00 /\$ 55.00

#8100

Seaholm High School, Room C104

Dates: 11/3/2015 - 11/17/2015

of Sessions: 3

Tue 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 50.00 /\$ 55.00

FICTION WRITING

Writer Anne Lamott says of creative writing, "We write to expose the unexposed. If there's one door in the castle you have been told not to go through, you must." In this course, you will be given the keys to get through that door as well as the tools needed to write the stories dearest to you. You will learn how to develop vivid, real characters to use as the building blocks for your story. You'll then focus on exploring powerful story lines which grow from your characters. This class will be divided roughly in half: the first half will focus on character development, the second on plot. Each class night, after we discuss the lesson, you will have twenty minutes to write based on a prompt provided to you. Your final project will be a completed short story on a subject of your choosing. In addition to improving your creative writing, this course will hopefully make you even more observant and introspective of the every-day events occurring around you. Instructor: Christina McDaniel

#7757

Seaholm High School, Room F107

Dates: 9/29/2015 - 11/17/2015

of Sessions: 6

No Class: 10/13/2015, 11/10/2015

Tue 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident:
\$ 130.00 /\$ 135.00



ADULT • CREATIVE ARTS

EVOLA MUSIC CENTER

For the music classes listed below, an instrument will be required for home practice. If needed, please contact the Evola Music Center for information regarding piano rentals at (248) 334-0566. Classes meet at Evola Music Center, 2184 South Telegraph Road, north of Square Lake. Register at www.communityed.net.

MUSICAL MOMENTS

Musical Moments allows the adult beginner (ages 17 and older) to learn piano in an enjoyable and stress-free musical atmosphere. A \$25.00 annual registration fee is payable to Evola Music. The materials fee of \$21.95 plus tax is payable to the instructor on the first day of class.

#7831

Dates: 9/17/2015 - 10/8/2015

of Sessions: 4 Thu 1:30 PM - 2:15 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 70.00 /\$ 75.00

#7832

Dates: 9/17/2015 - 10/8/2015

of Sessions: 4 Thu 7:15 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 70.00 /\$ 75.00



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HEARTSAVER FIRST AID CPR AED - Adult, Child & Infant

Training meets all current American Heart Association guidelines for CPR and First Aid Programs, including lecture, video demonstrations as well as hands-on training. Course taught by American Heart Association certified instructors. Participants will learn life saving skills in CPR for all ages in order to aid victims in life threatening emergencies. The class will cover skills for infant, child & adult, including the proper use of an Automated External Defibrillator (AED). Participants will learn how to handle a choking victim, as well as basic First Aid skills, including recognition. One session workshop. Students will receive a 2 year AHA CPR/AED/First Aid card. \$15.00 materials fee (book) included in registration fee. Instructor: Hollmann CPR & First Aid Training LLC

#7782

Seaholm High School, Room G102

Date: 10/14/2015

Wed 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 75.00 /\$ 80.00



MAKE A SPLASH!

Community Open Swim

Groves High School • Sundays 1-3 p.m.

DATES: October 4, 11, 18, 25; November 8, 15, 22;

December 6, 13; January 10, 17, 24, 31;

February 7, 28; March 6, 13, 20

All ages are welcome. Adults will have use of at least one lap lane. Children 10 and under **MUST** be directly supervised in the water by an individual 18 years or older. This program follows the BPS school calendar and the open swim program will not be running during school breaks and special events. This program requires pre-purchase of entry cards. Single one time sessions, or multiple entry cards are available by phone, fax or mail from the Birmingham Community Education department.

Appropriate swim attire is required. No running on the pool deck. Children who are NOT toilet trained must wear tight-fitting plastic pants over a swim diaper. Showers are required prior to entry to the pool. Flotation devices and toys may not be brought into the pool. No food or drink are allowed in the pool or locker room areas. BPS and the Department of Community Education are not responsible for unforeseen pool closures beyond our control. BPS is not responsible for lost or misplaced cards or personal items left in the locker rooms. **Please note: BPS maintains pool water temperature between 80°-82° F. The temperature is regulated by the BPS maintenance department, not Community Education. This may be cold for some swimmers.**

PLEASE NOTE: Cards are valid for open swim dates/times between 10/4/2015 - 3/20/2016. Cards expire on 3/20/2016.

No refunds for unused cards/punches.

Go to www.communityed.net for updated pool information.

NO RESIDENT DISCOUNT FOR THIS PROGRAM.

10 ENTRY CARD \$ 36.00

5 ENTRY CARD \$ 18.00

1 ENTRY CARD \$ 4.00



ADULT • HEALTH & WELLBEING

WATER AEROBICS (Adults Only)

NOT an open swim. Swim cards are a requirement for entry to this class. Swim cards do not have an expiration date-any remaining sessions may be used when the next session begins. 50% Senior Discount available. This is an ongoing program. The class will not meet when school is not in session or during school recess breaks. *Please note: BPS maintains pool water temperature between 80°-82° F. The temperature is regulated by the BPS maintenance department, not Community Education. This may be cold for some swimmers.* NO RESIDENT DISCOUNT FOR THIS PROGRAM.

Instructor: BPS Staff

BERKSHIRE Middle School - Pool

Date(s): 9/15/2015-6/9/2016 No Dates: TBD

Tues. & Thurs. 11:30 am- 12:30 pm

20 SESSION CARD \$ 120.00

10 SESSION CARD \$ 60.00

**Save a class —
Register *EARLY!***

SLOWER PACED NOT POWER

YOGA FITNESS WITH ANA NORTHPROP ERYT500

Offered to men and women of all levels. The science of Yoga uses precise postures (Asanas) and controlled breathing techniques (pranayama) that integrate energetic connections between body, mind and spirit. Participants explore the insight both through the basic Asanas, while increasing muscle strength and flexibility. Class participation will include sun salutes, basic standing postures, forward and backward bending, positive inversions, twists, reducing stress and seated meditations. Bring a mat to class. Instructor Ana Northrop is a certified registered professional yoga teacher, ERYT 500 and has taught yoga for over 30 years.

#7777

Berkshire Middle School, Media Center

Dates: 9/15/2015 - 11/24/2015

of Sessions: 10

No Class: 9/22/2015

Tue 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 110.00 /\$ 115.00



BEVERLY HILLS CLUB

The following Better Bones classes are held at the BEVERLY HILLS CLUB, 31555 Southfield Road, Beverly Hills, MI 48025, located on the west side of Southfield Road just north of Thirteen Mile Road. Phone 248-642-8500. **THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net**

BETTER BONES I

This class will educate you, improve your muscle strength and decrease the risk of brittle bones due to osteoporosis. For beginner exercisers.



BETTER BONES II

More weight bearing exercise for those participants who have completed Better Bones I program and have witnessed first-hand the benefits of weight training, balance training and low impact exercise. For more experienced exercisers with some strength training background.

NEW BEVERLY HILLS CLUB TENNIS

The Beverly Hills Club has taught 1,000's of kids & adults tennis since 1973. Their professionals are USPTA/USPTR certified with over 100 yrs of combined experience.

Classes meet at the Beverly Hills Club 31555 Southfield Road (just north of 13 Mile Road), Beverly Hills, MI 48025. Phone 248-642-8500. **THERE ARE MULTIPLE OFFERINGS FOR EACH CLASS! TO VIEW THE LIST and TO REGISTER go to www.communityed.net**

ADULT TENNIS – Beginner

Learn from the best! Little or no play experience, not a problem! This is an adult tennis class for the player with little or no tennis experience.

ADULT TENNIS – Intermediate

Learn from the best! This is an adult tennis class for those with some previous tennis experience.



FITNESS MOTIVATORS

Why pay club fees when you can have the best workout in the area at community ed prices?

NEW DO THE HUSTLE!

Go to the next wedding, cruise, or event already prepared with the latest hustle! Hustles are easy to learn and can be danced anywhere popular music is playing. These dance routines are characterized by an extremely smooth look, with the dancers turning, rotating, and moving around the floor with seamless motion and minimal vertical movement or bounce. "Do The Hustle" is a brand new class to take with your friends and only offered in this community with Fitness Motivators! Please register early to avoid cancelation. For more information: www.fitnessmotivators.com. Instructor: Kathy. Location: Bingham Farms Elementary, Cafeteria/Multipurpose Room.

#8039

Dates: 9/17/2015 - 10/29/2015

of Sessions: 6 No Class: 10/8/2015

Thu 6:30 PM - 7:15 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 42.00 /\$ 47.00

#8041

Dates: 11/5/2015 - 12/17/2015

of Sessions: 5 No Class: 11/19/15, 11/26/2015

Thu 6:30 PM - 7:15 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 35.00 /\$ 40.00

CARDIO BOXING

A combination of cardio, boxing and body toning...providing a total body workout which aims to improve strength, aerobic fitness, speed, flexibility, coordination and balance. Come try one of the most popular fitness trends and kick, jab, cross, hook and uppercut your way to a fitter you! Great music and never the same boring routine! Hand weights are used for maximum toning results. Last 15-minutes are reserved for abdominal training. Geared for ALL fitness levels. PLEASE NOTE: Equipment (provided by student) Hand weights and mat. Please register early to avoid cancelation. For more information: www.fitnessmotivators.com. Instructor: Katie. Location: Bingham Farms Elementary, Gym

#8008

Dates: 9/17/2015 - 10/15/2015

of Sessions: 5

Thu 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 35.00 /\$ 40.00

#8009

Dates: 10/22/2015 - 12/17/2015

of Sessions: 6

No Class: 11/12/2015, 11/19/15, 11/26/2015

Thu 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 42.00 /\$ 47.00



**Save a class —
Register *EARLY!***



ZUMBA WITH BODY TONING

This is the season when life gets busy, so why not take some time out for yourself! Jump start the fall with our popular and fun Zumba class at Seaholm! The BEST PRICE in your community for Zumba! 45-minutes of Latin/World music and easy dance steps with the added BONUS of 15-minutes body toning (please bring hand weights to class) that promises great results. For more info: www.fitnessmotivators.com. Instructor: Anne-Marie. Location: Seaholm High School Cafeteria

#8037

Dates: 9/15/2015 - 10/27/2015

of Sessions: 7

Tue 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 49.00 /\$ 54.00

#8042

Dates: 11/10/2015 - 12/15/2015

of Sessions: 6

Tue 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 42.00 /\$ 47.00

MEN'S BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Wednesdays at Derby Middle School

Our men's basketball league starts in early December and runs into March 2016. Each week your team will be scheduled to play a different team in the league with two officials and a director. The season will conclude with a tournament. Instructor: Robert (Bob) Czech

8122

Derby Middle School – Gym

Dates: 12/2/2015 - 3/30/2016

of Sessions: 14

No Class Dates: 12/23/2015 12/30/2015, 2/17/2016, 3/16/2016

Wed 7-11 pm

Team Fee: \$700.00 *

• No Resident Discount on this program



ADULT COMMUNITY SPORTS GYM PROGRAMS

Our elementary and middle school gyms are available for use by our adult community members throughout the school year. They are reserved and paid for in advance on an hourly basis. For more information, please contact our office at 248-203-3811 or by email at MZikakis@birmingham.k12.mi.us

ADULT • SKILLS & DEVELOPMENT

ESL = English As A Second Language

ADULT DAYTIME ESL CLASS:

September 8, 2015 – June 17, 2016

For Beginning & Intermediate Level Adult ESL students.

This daytime ESL class meets four times per week

Monday/Tuesday/Thursday/Friday, 9 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

**Students will be placed in a level
based on their ESL proficiency exam.**

REGISTRATION FOR ADULT DAYTIME ESL CLASS: All Adult ESL Students: Please bring your passport and/or visa, and your driver's license or State of Michigan ID with you to registration. We will need to make a copy for your file.

REQUIRED: Registration & Testing on September 8, 10, 11 from 9:15-11:15 a.m. You **MUST** register in-person at the ESL Classroom Room E105, Seaholm High School, (2436 W. Lincoln, Birmingham, MI 48009). Space in the class is limited, and acceptance in the class will be based on the results of your ESL proficiency exam. Instructors: BPS ESL Staff.

Please call 248-203-3800 for more information.

ESL: INTERMEDIATE ESL FOR ADULTS

This class is for the student at the intermediate level of English (teacher approval needed prior to registering). Class will cover reading, vocabulary, writing and grammar skills. Instructor: Elise Herner

#8003

Seaholm High School, Room E104

Dates: 9/28/2015 - 11/16/2015

of Sessions: 8

Mon 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 96.00 /\$ 101.00

ESL: CONVERSATION AND PRONUNCIATION FOR BEGINNERS (ADULTS)

This class is for the adult student at the beginning level of English (teacher approval needed prior to registering). Class will focus on accent reduction and conversation skills. Instructor: Elise Herner

#8002

Seaholm High School, Room E104

Dates: 10/1/2015 - 11/19/2015

of Sessions: 8

Thu 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 96.00 /\$ 101.00

BEGINNER SPANISH

Beginner Spanish is designed as an introductory course for new students. We will establish a strong foundation and promote future success in a fun learning environment. During this session, you will develop basic listening, speaking, and reading and writing skills. You will also explore cultural aspects of the Spanish-speaking world. Instructor: Lupita Lebbos

#7759

Seaholm High School, Room F105

Dates: 9/21/2015 - 11/9/2015

of Sessions: 8

Mon 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 120.00 /\$ 125.00

INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED SPANISH

Intermediate/ Advanced Spanish is designed for students who have basic knowledge of the Spanish language and wish to expand on that knowledge. The instructor will teach both lexical and grammatical items. During this session you will enhance listening, speaking, reading and writing skills. We will work more on conversation skills as well as exploring cultural aspects of the Spanish-speaking world. Instructor: Lupita Lebbos

#7760

Seaholm High School, Room F105

Dates: 9/30/2015 - 11/18/2015

of Sessions: 8

Wed 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 120.00 /\$ 125.00

**Save a class —
Register *EARLY!***



SKILLS & DEVELOPMENT • ADULT

ITALIANO REPEAT AFTER ME - Beginner

Discover the beauty of the Italian language with Mirella Panozzo, a native Italian instructor. This is a unique class for travelers. Learn what you need to know to travel with confidence: the right vocabulary, phrases, questions, and the right pronunciation. Please bring a notebook. No textbook is required and there is no homework!

#8036

Seaholm High School, Room F104

Dates: 9/21/2015 - 11/9/2015

of Sessions: 8

Mon 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 128.00 / \$ 133.00

ITALIAN - A STEP UP FROM BEGINNER

Are you getting ready for a trip to Italy? Challenge yourself in this new "all Italian" program. Learn how to conjugate the most useful verbs in tenses and more. Reading for great pronunciation is a must! Occasionally, to reinforce the learning experience home work will be suggested. Although no textbook is required, please bring a notebook and pen/pencil. Instructor Mirella Panozzo is a native Italian instructor.

#8043

Seaholm High School, Room F107

Dates: 9/30/2015 - 11/18/2015

of Sessions: 8

Wed 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 128.00 / \$ 133.00



FRENCH 1

Learn basic vocabulary, grammar and customs suitable for enrichment & travel or for those encountering French in the workplace. Required texts will be discussed at the first class meeting. Instructor: Nuha Tabet

#7793

Seaholm High School, Room F104

Dates: 9/30/2015 - 11/18/2015

of Sessions: 8

Wed 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 96.00 / \$ 101.00

FRENCH 2

Review of basic vocabulary, grammar and idiomatic French expressions to gain more knowledge of this Romance language and culture. Required texts will be discussed at the first class meeting. Bienvenue! Instructor: Nuha Tabet

#7794

Seaholm High School, Room F104

Dates: 9/30/2015 - 11/18/2015

of Sessions: 8

Wed 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 96.00 / \$ 101.00

HUNGARIAN 1

The course is good for travel, business and communication. Level 1 for the beginners gives basic knowledge in grammar and conversation. We will discuss culture, traditions and history of Hungarian people and language. Instructor: Alla Lushnikova-Abbott

#7805

Seaholm High School, Room F106

Dates: 9/21/2015 - 11/16/2015

of Sessions: 9

Mon 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 144.00 / \$ 149.00

HUNGARIAN 2

The class will continue working on grammar, pronunciation, reading and conversation. Materials provided by the instructor. Instructor: Alla Lushnikova-Abbott

#7806

Seaholm High School, Room F106

Dates: 9/21/2015 - 11/16/2015

of Sessions: 9

Mon 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 144.00 / \$ 149.00

RUSSIAN 1

The course is great for business, travel, communication. This class is for beginners and is aimed to show the easy way to learn the cyrillic (Russian) alphabet and start reading and writing, we will do basics in grammar and conversation. Textbook provided by the instructor. Instructor: Alla Lushnikova-Abbott

#7796

Seaholm High School, Room F106

Dates: 9/29/2015 - 11/17/2015

of Sessions: 8

Tue 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 128.00 / \$ 133.00

RUSSIAN CONTINUED

The class welcomes everybody who has already gained the beginning knowledge of Russian. The goal is to develop reading, writing and conversational skills. Doing grammar is essential but discussing Russian culture and history, listening and watching (songs, films) is an inherent and enjoyable part of the course. Instructor: Alla Lushnikova-Abbott

#7804

Seaholm High School, Room F106

Dates: 9/29/2015 - 11/17/2015

of Sessions: 8

Tue 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 128.00 / \$ 133.00

NEW LATIN LANGUAGE

We will start from the beginning and proceed to get a good insight into Latin grammar and vocabulary. Latin gave birth to Romance languages (French, Italian, Spanish, etc.) and has contributed to English as well. So we are aiming to look at Latin from a historical perspective. By discussing changes and similarities between Romance languages and Latin, applying our comparative knowledge we are going to see how much we can understand in Spanish, French, Italian (sample texts will be provided in each language). The course promises to be enjoyable and beneficial, especially for those learning the above languages. Instructor: Alla Lushnikova-Abbott

#7791

Seaholm High School, Room F106

Dates: 9/30/2015 - 11/18/2015

of Sessions: 8

Wed 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 128.00 / \$ 133.00

ADULT • SKILLS & DEVELOPMENT

EXCEL BEGINNING

EXCEL 2013 Beginning. Confused by the new Ribbon Interface; need to get up to speed quickly for that new job or are you looking to get back in the workforce or just need a refresher. This class identifies the elements of the new Ribbon Interface and how to create basic worksheets. You will also learn how to manipulate data, insert and delete columns and rows, search and replace data, and customize the quick access toolbar. Formatting is a key element to making your spreadsheets user friendly. We also learn how to print our workbooks saving a lot of paper along the way. Performing basic formulas is also covered in this class. Participants should have computer experience prior to taking this fast-paced class. Instructor: Deborah Forbes

#8034

Seaholm High School, Room F112

Dates: 9/29/2015 - 10/20/2015

of Sessions: 4

Tue 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 102.00 /\$ 107.00

EXCEL INTERMEDIATE

EXCEL 2013 Intermediate. Have you mastered the fundamentals and are ready to learn tools, tips and tricks to become a power user. In this class you will learn how to save time and reduce errors. Covered in this class: Common printing errors and how to fix them; how to use formulas and functions (lookup, if, sum, count, pmt, etc.). Also covered is the Quick Access Toolbar, using range names, delimiting text, data sorting and filtering along with pivot tables and calculating percentages. You will walk away knowing how to manage multiple workbooks and create beautiful workbooks that visually represent data with graphs. Participants should have completed Excel Course 1 or have knowledge of the topics covered in that class before taking this course. Instructor: Deborah Forbes

#8035

Seaholm High School, Room F112

Dates: 11/3/2015 - 11/24/2015

of Sessions: 4

Tue 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 102.00 /\$ 107.00

INTRODUCTION TO PROFESSIONAL VOICE OVERS - Getting Paid to Talk

Getting Paid to Talk: Making Money with Your Voice. Have you ever been told that you have a great voice? This exciting one-session class will explore numerous aspects of voice over work for television, film, radio, audio books, documentaries and the internet in your area. We will cover all the basics, including how to prepare the all - important demo, how to be successful and earn great income in this exciting field. Students will have the opportunity to ask questions and to hear examples of demos recorded by professional voice actors. Class participants will even have a chance to record a commercial script under the direction of our Voicecoaches.com producer! This class is informative, lots of fun, and a great first step for anyone interested in voice acting professionally. Space is limited, and registration closes one week prior to class, so register early. **Please review this one page informative piece before registering for this class:** <http://www.voicecoaches.com/gppt> Presented by Creative Voice Development

#7756

Seaholm High School, Room F104

Date: 12/1/2015

Tue 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 25.00 /\$ 30.00

NEW

RETIREMENT PLANNING TODAY

Due to recent tax law changes, an uncertain future for Social Security

and the shift toward employee-directed retirement plans, the need for sound financial strategies has never been greater. In straightforward language, this class explains time-tested strategies that help you to make informed financial decisions. Whether your objective is to build a nest egg, protect your assets, or preserve your lifestyle through retirement, this course helps you plan your future with confidence. This course contains something for everyone. By attending this course, you will learn about the many ways to save for retirement, as well as the advantages and disadvantages of each. You will discover how to save money on taxes, manage investment risks, and protect your assets from potential long-term health care expenses. Above all, this course shows you how to assess your financial situation and develop a personalized plan to achieve your retirement goals. If you have questions about the class, please call the instructor at 248-550-5630. Instructor: Kurt Filmore

#8095

Seaholm High School, Room F105

Dates: 9/29/2015 - 10/06/2015

of Sessions: 2 Thu 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 49.00 /\$ 54.00

#8096

Seaholm High School, Room C104

Dates: 10/10/2015 - 10/17/2015

of Sessions: 2

Sat 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 49.00 /\$ 54.00

"I AM A HOSPICE HERO" (Hospice Volunteer Training)

(Ages 18 and Up) Heart to Heart Hospice is offering Volunteer Training for those who would like to visit patients near their home. Pay it forward and your rewards will be enormous. A simple act of kindness can make a huge difference to a patient and their family. We provide your training, we assign you near your home and always work around your schedule. If you have questions about the class, please call Julie Cody at Heart to Heart Hospice, 248-952-9000. If you are unavailable during the scheduled workshops, please contact Julie to set up another date or time after registering with Community Education. This class will benefit you and your loved ones for the rest of your life. We look forward to hearing from you! Class meets at Heart to Heart Hospice, 30800 Telegraph Rd, Suite #1850, Bingham Farms, MI 48025 (located on the SE corner of Telegraph and 13 Mile Road in the Bingham Center, behind Qdoba Restaurant).

#7761

Date: 9/12/2015

Sat 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 12.00 /\$ 17.00

#7762

Date: 10/24/2015

Sat 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 12.00 /\$ 17.00



SKILLS & DEVELOPMENT • ADULT

SUPPORT GROUP FOR STEPMOTHERS

The purpose of this group is to provide an opportunity for women who have experienced the challenges of being a Stepmom to experience, explore, grow, learn, and process their feelings in a safe and supportive setting. The goals of the group are to create a safe environment for the expression of feelings, provide information regarding navigating through the journey of a stepmother in a health manner, to help group members make sense of normalcy about their feelings and experiences, and to provide tools that will be helpful to group members in better supporting and managing their journey after group ends. The group facilitator will accomplish this through the use of group process, humanistic and positive psychologies, family-centered counseling, psychoeducation, and shared experiences. The group will be a closed group consisting of a minimum of four and a maximum of ten women for 6 weekly sessions. Should registration exceed ten, another class will be available to support additional applicants. Instructor has a history of facilitating a stepmom group via Birmingham Community Education; in addition, she has experience facilitating several types of groups including divorce support, women's groups, and psychotherapy groups. Jeanette brings a unique and important aspect to this particular group: not only is Jeanette a married Mother of three, she is also a 15-year Stepmother of two! Instructor: Jeanette Haitaian

#8066

Seaholm High School, Room F105

Dates: 9/17/2015 - 10/29/2015

No class: 10/15/2015

of Sessions: 6

Thu 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 195.00 /\$ 200.00

SUPPORT GROUP FOR DIVORCED WOMEN

The purpose of this group is to provide an opportunity for women who have experienced the challenges of being newly divorced to experience, explore, grow, learn, and process their feelings in a safe and supportive setting. The goals of the group are to create a safe environment for the expression of feelings, provide information regarding navigating through the journey of their newly single life in a healthy manner, to help group members make sense of normalcy about their feelings and experiences, and to provide tools that will be helpful to group members in better supporting and managing their journey after group ends. The group facilitator will accomplish this through the use of group process, humanistic and positive psychologies, family-centered counseling, psychoeducation, and shared experiences. The group will be a closed group consisting of a minimum of four and a maximum of ten women. Instructor has a history of facilitating a divorce group via Birmingham Community Education; in addition, she has experience facilitating several types of groups including stepmom support, women's groups and psychotherapy groups. Instructor: Jeanette Haitaian

#8063

Seaholm High School, Room F105

Dates: 9/17/2015 - 10/29/2015

No class: 10/15/2015

of Sessions: 6 Thu 7:00 PM - 7:45 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 195.00 /\$ 200.00

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INTRODUCTION TO DOG OBEDIENCE

Southern Michigan Obedience Training Club (S.M.O.T.C.) offers this foundation obedience class for all dogs who are at least 6 months old. Learn how to train your dog to heel (walk) on lead with you, sit, stand, down, stay, and come when called - to become a more enjoyable member of the family. Shot records are required and must be presented the first night of class, but please DO NOT BRING THE DOG THE FIRST NIGHT OF CLASS. You will also need a 6-foot leather lead and an appropriately sized slip-type training collar. Minors over the age of 12 are invited to train as long as a parent or guardian is registered for the class and remains in attendance during class.

#8069

Berkshire Middle School, Gym

Dates: 9/8/2015 - 10/27/2015

of Sessions: 8

Tue 6:45 PM - 7:45 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 55.00 /\$ 60.00

PUPPY PRE-SCHOOL

Southern Michigan Obedience Training Club offers this class for puppies approximately 3 - 5 months of age. Help your new "Best Friend" develop the good habits he needs in order to become a valued member of your family circle. Socialization, introduction to obedience, and problem solving are offered. Minors are invited to attend with a registered adult. Please bring puppy with buckle collar, leash and shot records (required) to first class.

#8072

Berkshire Middle School, Gym

Dates: 9/15/2015 - 10/6/2015

of Sessions: 4

Tue 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 55.00 /\$ 60.00

THERAPY DOG CERTIFICATION

The objective of this class is to provide qualified handlers and their dogs for visitations to institutions, facilities and any other places therapy dogs are needed. This class will prepare you and your dog to make these visitations. At the conclusion of the class you may obtain your Therapy Dog International Certification upon successfully completing testing. Pre-requisites: You and your dog must have completed a dog obedience course and know all of the basic obedience exercises (heel on loose leash sit stay, down stay, recall, tc.), be at least 1 year old and provide all shot records. Equipment needed will be a 6-foot leather lead, training collar and buckle collar. Please bring shot records and dog to first class

#8075

Berkshire Middle School, Gym

Dates: 9/15/2015 - 10/6/2015

of Sessions: 4

Tue 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 50.00 /\$ 55.00



SELLING A HOME IN TODAY'S MARKET

Learn how to get the most for your house and sell quickly in this hard buyers market. Don't let the market beat you up. Learn how you can still come out ahead selling your house. One-day class. Instructor: Georgia Kapsalis, Added Value Realty

#7766

Seaholm High School, Room C103

Date: 9/21/2015

Mon 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 20.00 /\$ 25.00

REAL ESTATE BASICS FOR THE BEGINNING INVESTOR

Buy Low - Sell High. 70% of the richest people in the world made their money in real estate. So where do you begin? This class will allow you to understand why this is the "best market" to invest in real estate and how to get "deals on foreclosures" and the advantages of being a landlord in today's market. Optional \$45.00 materials fee is payable to the instructor in class. Instructor: Georgia Kapsalis, Added Value Realty

#7767

Seaholm High School, Room C104

Date: 9/30/2015

Wed 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 47.00 /\$ 52.00

LANDLORD - RENT FOR MAXIMAL PROFITS

Whether you are a first time or seasoned landlord you should know how to rent right. The focus of this class will be on obtaining quality tenants that pay on time and take care of your home, standard contracts, the credit and verification process, and more. Optional materials fee of \$45 is payable to the instructor in class. Instructor: Georgia Kapsalis, Added Value Realty

#7765

Seaholm High School, Room C104

Date: 10/19/2015

Mon 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

BPS Resident/Non-Resident: \$ 47.00 /\$ 52.00

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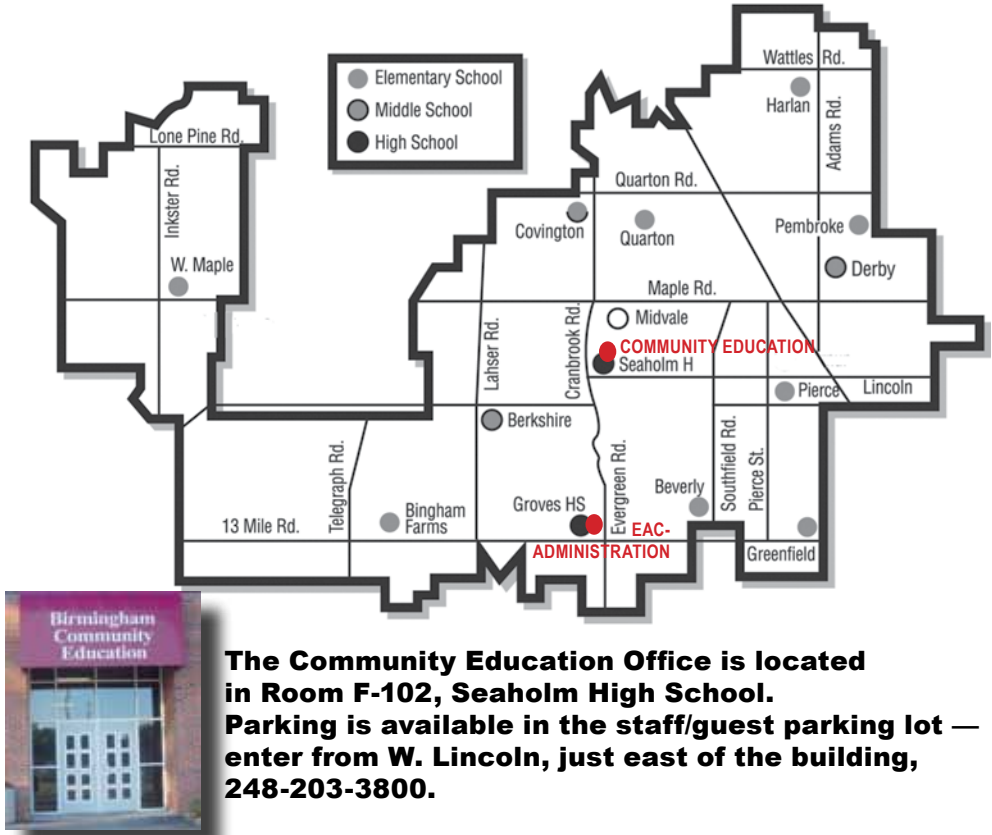
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BPS LOCATIONS



The Community Education Office is located in Room F-102, Seaholm High School. Parking is available in the staff/guest parking lot — enter from W. Lincoln, just east of the building, 248-203-3800.

**BPS EDUCATION AND ADMINISTRATION CENTER (EAC),
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BIRMINGHAM COVINGTON SCHOOL, 1525 Covington Road, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48301, 248-203-4444

DERBY MIDDLE SCHOOL, 1300 Derby Road, Birmingham, MI 48009, 248-203-5000

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GROVES HIGH SCHOOL, 20500 W. 13 Mile Road, Beverly Hills, MI 48025 248-203-3500

HARLAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 3595 N. Adams Road, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304, 248-203-3265

**MIDVALE CENTER, 2121 Midvale Road, Birmingham, MI 48009
Early Childhood Center - 248-203-5803 / Next - 248-203-5270**

PEMBROKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 955 N. Eton, Troy, MI 48084, 248-203-3888

PIERCE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 1829 Pierce St., Birmingham, MI 48009, 248-203-4325

QUANTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 771 Chesterfield, Birmingham, MI 48009, 248-203-3425

SEAHOLM HIGH SCHOOL, 2436 W. Lincoln, Birmingham, MI 48009, 248-203-3700

WEST MAPLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 6275 Inkster Road, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48301, 248-851-2667

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CLASSES.

Pre-registration is required for all programs. No drop-in registration on the day of class.

PAYMENTS

Register and pay using cash, check or VISA/Mastercard. Fees are payable in full at the time of registration. All checks should be made payable to **"Birmingham Public Schools."** There will be a \$25 fee for all returned checks.

DROPS/REFUNDS *Please read carefully before registering for class!*

Requests must be made directly to Birmingham Community Education THREE (3) business days prior to the beginning of class. With the exception of one day classes, all class refunds are the amount of the BPS Resident/Non-Resident fee less a \$10 processing fee per class. The processing fee for one-day classes is \$5.00. The cost of materials cannot be refunded. No cash refunds. Refunds will be in the form of a check, credit or account voucher. Refunds of less than \$10 will be in the form of an account voucher.

DISTRICT RESIDENT DISCOUNT

There is a \$5 discount per person, per class for participants who are residents of the Birmingham Public School District for most classes. Discount does not apply to swim multiple entry cards or recess break camps.

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CLASS CANCELLATIONS

REGISTER EARLY! The most common reason for class cancellation is low enrollment. Every effort will be made to notify registrants that a class has been cancelled. **NOTIFICATIONS OF CANCELLATIONS AND CLASS CHANGES ARE SENT VIA EMAIL.** Please recheck your profile online every time you register for accuracy. Any person registered in a cancelled class will receive a full refund or may transfer to another class in the current semester. Birmingham Community Education reserves the right to cancel any class due to insufficient registrations.

WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS

PLEASE FILL OUT THE APPROPRIATE WAIVER ON PAGES 27 AND 28, and include with your registration form. If registering online, an approval form is part of the registration process; a separate form will not be required. You must have a current waiver on file with Birmingham Public Schools for every class/course/camp you or your children are attending.

NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATION

The Board of Education is committed to maintaining a learning/working environment in which all individuals are treated with dignity and respect, free from discrimination and harassment. There will be no tolerance for discrimination or harassment on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, genetic information,

disability or age. The District prohibits harassment and other forms of discrimination whether occurring at school, on District property, in a District vehicle, or at any District related activity or event. The Superintendent will designate compliance officers and develop and implement regulations for the reporting, investigation and resolution of complaints of discrimination or harassment. The following people have been designated to handle inquiries regarding the nondiscrimination policies: Students - Inquiries related to discrimination on the basis of disability should be directed to: Executive Director of Special Education, 31301 Evergreen Road Beverly Hills, MI 48025, 248.203.3000. Direct all other inquiries related to discrimination to: Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources, 31301 Evergreen Road, Beverly Hills, MI 48025, 248.203.3000.

INCLEMENT WEATHER/SCHOOL CLOSING

When Birmingham Schools are closed due to severe weather, power failure or circumstances beyond our control, announcements concerning evening programs will be made by 2:00 p.m. Verify school closing by tuning your radio to WWJ or WJR, calling the district's Newline 248-203-3000.

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www.communityed.net

INJURIES & PERSONAL PROPERTY DAMAGE/LOSS

We are frequently asked: "Are my children or am I insured by Birmingham Public Schools in the event of injury while participating in a school district program?" A follow-up question is: "Does the district have insurance to protect personal property that I or my children may bring to school?" The answer is "NO."

BPS does not provide insurance for injuries, damage, or loss of property. A State of Michigan statute grants the Birmingham Public School District and other public bodies (e.g., cities, villages, etc.) with immunity to tort liability. What this means is that because we are a public agency funded through tax dollars and we are providing a public service, we are not held liable in the event of injury or loss of property. The Board of Education has decided that the district should not use taxpayers' tax dollars to provide for these risks. Your homeowner's policy may cover property damaged or lost from the school premises (e.g., automobiles, bicycles, band instruments, calculators, etc.) **WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO MAKE SURE THAT YOU HAVE ADEQUATE HEALTH AND PROPERTY DAMAGE/LOSS INSURANCE COVERAGE.**

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IN SCHOOL BUILDINGS OR ON SCHOOL PROPERTY.**

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Meli Zikakis.....Office Assistant
Cheryl Shettel.....Stadium Liaison/ESL
Linda Grindem.....ESL Instructor
Elise Herner.....ESL Instructor

BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY EDUCATION REGULAR OFFICE HOURS*

Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

OFFICE CLOSED:

September 7, November 26-27,
December 21-January 1

**Note: Office hours may vary due
to school breaks and holidays.*

BPS FACILITY RENTAL INFORMATION

Birmingham Public Schools facilities and fields are conveniently located for the residents of Birmingham, Beverly Hills, Bingham Farms, Franklin, West Bloomfield, Bloomfield Hills, Troy and Southfield. Our facilities and fields are available for rental by public and private groups on Saturdays, Sundays and after school on week days. With ample free parking and recently renovated buildings, Birmingham offers great potential for your special event. Whether you need auditoriums, classrooms, media centers, computer labs, gyms, pools, stadiums or fields, the modern facilities and fields of Birmingham Public Schools give you an advantage! All facility services are available for single events, individual classes or entire college curricula or large sports events. For all of your facility and field requests, please contact Birmingham Community Education at 248-203-3800.

AUDITORIUMS & LITTLE THEATERS • Robin Elliott • 248-203-3861/RElliott@birmingham.k12.mi.us
GRASS FIELDS & TRACKS • 248-203-3800

POOLS/GYMS/CLASSROOMS • Meli Zikakis • 248-203-3811/MZikakis@birmingham.k12.mi.us
STADIUMS • Cheryl Shettel • 248-203-3812/CShettel@birmingham.k12.mi.us

FALL 2015 • REGISTRATION FORM

Payment by cash, check or VISA/MC. All checks should be payable to: *Birmingham Public Schools*.
Phone, fax and online registrations by credit card only. Mail: 2436 W. Lincoln, F102, Birmingham, MI 48009
Phone: 248-203-3800 • Fax: 248-203-3818 • www.communityed.net

Last Name (Parent/Guardian) _____ First Name _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____ Phone (Home) _____ Phone (Cell/Work) _____

Student Information: ☐ BPS Resident — see “*District Resident Discount*” (Page 25) ☐ Nonresident

Last Name (If different from above) _____ First Name _____ Birthdate _____

Name of Class	Class Start Date	Days of Class	Class #	Fee
				\$
				\$
				\$
Please fill out appropriate WAIVER on page 27 & 28.			Total	\$

HOW TO REGISTER:

Online: www.communityed.net	Phone: 248-203-3800	Fax: 248-203-3818	In person or by mail: 2436 W. Lincoln, Suite F102 Birmingham, MI 48009
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PAYMENT: Full payment due at registration.

_____ Check enclosed (payable to “*Birmingham Public Schools*”)

_____ Visa/MasterCard

Cardholder's Name _____

Account Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Cardholder's Signature: _____

WAIVER FOR PARTICIPANTS 18+ YEARS

WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT FOR ALL BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY EDUCATION ACTIVITIES EVENTS / CLASSES / CAMPS / OPEN SWIM / ATHLETIC LEAGUES

Participant 18+ years of Age

1. In consideration for receiving permission to participate in the Birmingham Public Schools Community Education Activity of my choice, I hereby RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE and further hereby AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS Birmingham Public Schools, the members of its Board of Education (in their official and individual capacities), administrators, agents, servants or employees (hereinafter referred to as RELEASEES) from any and all liability, claims, costs, expenses, attorney fees, demands, actions and causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by me, or any of the property belonging to me, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES, or otherwise, while participating in such activity, or while in, on or upon the premises where the activity is being conducted.
2. I am fully aware of and acknowledge the potential risks of serious personal injury associated with this activity. I hereby elect to voluntarily participate in said activity with full knowledge that said activity may be dangerous to me and my property. I VOLUNTARILY ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY RISKS OF LOSS, PROPERTY DAMAGE OR PERSONAL INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, that may be sustained by me, or any loss or damage of property owned by me, as a result of being involved in such activity, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE.
3. It is my express intent that this Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement shall bind the members of my family and spouse, if I am alive, and my heirs, assigns and personal representative, if I am deceased, and shall be deemed as a RELEASE, WAIVER, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the above-named RELEASEES. I hereby further agree that this Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Michigan.
4. IN SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, I ACKNOWLEDGE AND REPRESENT THAT I have read this Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement, understand it and sign it voluntarily as my own free act and deed; no oral representations, statements, or inducements, apart from the foregoing written agreement, have been made; I am at least eighteen (18) years of age and fully competent; and I execute this Release for full, adequate and complete consideration fully intending to be bound by same.

Signed on this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

PARTICIPANT

Print Name _____ Signature _____

WAIVER FOR PARTICIPANTS UNDER 18 YEARS

WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT FOR ALL BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY EDUCATION ACTIVITIES EVENTS / CLASSES / CAMPS / OPEN SWIM / ATHLETIC LEAGUES

Participant UNDER 18 years of Age

1. In consideration for receiving permission to participate in the Birmingham Public Schools Community Education Activity of my choice, I hereby RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE and further hereby AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS Birmingham Public Schools, the members of its Board of Education (in their official and individual capacities), administrators, agents, servants or employees (hereinafter referred to as RELEASEES) from any and all liability, claims, costs, expenses, attorney fees, demands, actions and causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by me, or any of the property belonging to me, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES, or otherwise, while participating in such activity, or while in, on or upon the premises where the activity is being conducted.
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Signed on this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

PARTICIPANT

Print Name _____ Signature _____

I/we, the Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s) of the above named Participant, consent to the minor Participant's participation in the Birmingham Public Schools Community Education Activity(ies), acknowledge the risks associated with the Participant's participation therein, and in consideration of my/our minor Participant's permission to participate in said Birmingham Public Schools Community Education Activity(ies) agree to be bound by this Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement and the terms contained herein. Additionally, I/we consent to Birmingham Public Schools seeking reasonable and necessary medical treatment for my/our minor Participant during such event or associated activities, and agree to be responsible for any cost/expenses associated with such treatment.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Wee Care

Where Children Learn Through Play

Wee Care offers families full-day programming and provides a nurturing and enriching experience for infants, toddlers and preschool aged children.

**Registration at Wee Care for
New Families begins soon.**

Call Danielle Marantette for more information.

248-203-4024



Free 4 Year Old Preschool!

Birmingham Public Schools offers the Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) to families who qualify. For more information please contact Laura Tinsley.

248-203-5805 or

by email at ltinsley@birmingham.k12.mi.us



**Registration at the BPS
Early Childhood Center for
new families begins soon.**

The BPS Early Childhood Center offers families a variety of options in full-day programming designed to provide a nurturing and enriching experience for toddlers and preschool aged children.

For more information visit our website at
www.ecc.birmingham.k12.mi.us

To put your child on the waitlist please contact Teri @ **248-203-5803.**

COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS



Birmingham Youth Assistance

The mission of Birmingham Youth Assistance is to strengthen youth and families and to reduce the incidence of delinquency, abuse and neglect through community involvement.

BYA provides community based casework and counseling services as well as providing programming and events for children and families within the Birmingham Public School district.

BYA is a partnership of: the Oakland County Circuit Court – Family Division; the City of Birmingham and the Villages of Beverly Hills, Bingham Farms and Franklin; Birmingham Public Schools; and community volunteers.

BIRMINGHAM YOUTH ASSISTANCE
provides short term, low cost counseling services.
248.203.4300 | www.birminghamyouthassistance.org

1-800-252-0052

Project Find

Finding the help children need to succeed.

Project Find

Project Find identifies children, birth through age five, who may need special education services. These evaluations and consultations are free. Special education services are available for students from birth to 26 years. Eligible children are referred to appropriate programs and services in the Birmingham Schools. For more information, call the Project Find Coordinator, Stacey Theophilis, at 248-203-5818.



Who: Birmingham Public Schools Early Childhood Center

What: 7TH ANNUAL MOM 2 MOM SALE.
Over 70 tables of gently used children's clothes, books, toys, furniture and equipment.

Where: Berkshire Middle School (W. 14 mile / Lahser)

When: Saturday November 7th from 9am-12pm \$2 at 9am or \$5 Early bird at 8:30 am

*If you are interested in selling your items or have any questions about the sale please email ECCMom2Mom@gmail.com or visit facebook.com/ECCMOM2MOM.



2015-2016 MEETING SCHEDULE

September 10, 2015 at 9:00 a.m. • *BPS Special Education Vision & Focus 2015-16*/Meet the Executive Director for Specialized Instruction and Student Services

October 1 • *Friends Night Out* at Griffin Claw Brewing Company

November 5 • *Friendship* – Is there an App for That?

January 21 • *Camp & Resource Fair* + Micro Businesses at Groves High School Commons

March 5 • *College and Career Ready? Diplomas Matter!* Options to Help ALL Students Prepare for their Future, including Career Tech Ed (CTE), Personal Curriculum (PC), Online Learning and more.

April 14 at 9:00 a.m. • *Tea & Talk, Bring a Friend!*

May 12 • *Appreciation Awards*

June 2 • *Wrap Up 2016 & Plan 2017!*

Friends of Different Learners (Friends) is an independent organization of parents, staff, and community members dedicated to maximizing the potential of Birmingham Public School students with different abilities.

Kids First. Understand their differences.
Focus on their needs. Educate them.

www.friendsofdifferentlearners.org

Friends of Different Learners Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m. unless otherwise indicated and are at the Birmingham Covington School (BCS), 1525 Covington Road • Bloomfield Hills, MI 48301

- Meetings begin with a brief business meeting followed by the Guest Speaker and topic presentation.
- Informal Networking opportunities are available after every meeting to share ideas about how to help our different learners and to learn from each other.

COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS

Seaholm High School **BLOOD DRIVE**

Wednesday, December 16, 2015

8 a.m.-2 p.m.

TOGETHER WE CAN SAVE LIVES!

Call 248-203-3725 to schedule an appointment.



**American
Red Cross**

BBFA

Building Better Families
through Action



2015 Programs

Monthly Programs - No Need to Pre-Register

All programs listed below take place at the Gary M. Doyle Center - 7275 Wing Lake Road, Bloomfield Hills

Tuesday, October 13, 2015 • 10:00 a.m.
YOUR CHILD'S DIGITAL FOOTPRINT
AND HOW IT CAN AFFECT THEIR FUTURE
- presented by Julie Fisher, M.Ed.

Tuesday, November 10, 2015 • 10:00 a.m.
***OVERPARENTING* - presented by Dr. Bernie Les**

Birmingham Bloomfield Community Coalition

Covey 7 Habits for Highly Effective Teens training provides students with a step-by-step framework for boosting self-image, building friendships, resisting peer pressure, achieving goals, improving communication and relationships with parents, and much more. For more info call 248.203.4615 or email John at jciecko@bbcoalition.org or Carol at cmastroianni@bbcoalition.org.

The following 7 Habits trainings will take place:

- Athlete Training to be held in August and October
- A special Captain's leadership and coaches meeting will be held in August
- Training for individual sports teams to improve individual athlete's mindset and build a stronger, more cohesive team is by request
- Training for 9th & 10th graders to be held in October

Talented High School Bands, Singers & Musicians wanted for the YAB Winter Battle of the Bands. The Battle will be held in January 2016. Auditions will be accepted now through November 2015. For more info or to audition contact Kelly at kmichaud@bbcoalition.org.

HIGH SCHOOL TEENS: Earn community service, build leadership skills and have fun doing it! If you are a high school teen, the Youth Action Board (YAB) has a variety of opportunities to get involved. Contact youth program coordinator, Kelly, at kmichaud@bbcoalition.org.



Keeping our Youth Safe & Substance Free
www.bbcoalition.org 248-203-4615

COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS

October 15-December 31
ANNUAL FUND CAMPAIGN

February 6, 2016
BASH 2016

For more information on the BEF
visit www.supportBEF.org or 248-203-3030.



*Inspiring minds.
Expanding
possibilities.*

Groves High School
presents

GREASE

November 6, 7, 13, 14 at 7:00 p.m.

November 8, 15 at 2:00 p.m.

Groves High School Auditorium

Tickets:

Adults \$12.00

Students (K-12) \$10.00



NOTES FROM BIRMINGHAM COVINGTON SCHOOL

BCS Plans Community Open House for December 6, 2015

Birmingham Covington School will feature its annual Community Open House on Sunday, December 6, 2015 from 1:00-3:00 p.m. at the school. Parents, students and community members are invited to explore this unique educational community with an emphasis on science, technology and 21st century learning skills. This is also an opportunity to meet BCS students, staff members and parents.

One hundred eight spaces at BCS will be available in grade 3 for the 2016-2017 year. A few openings may also be available in other grades, but exact numbers are not yet determined. All students entering grades 3 through 8 and living in the Birmingham School District are eligible for enrollment.

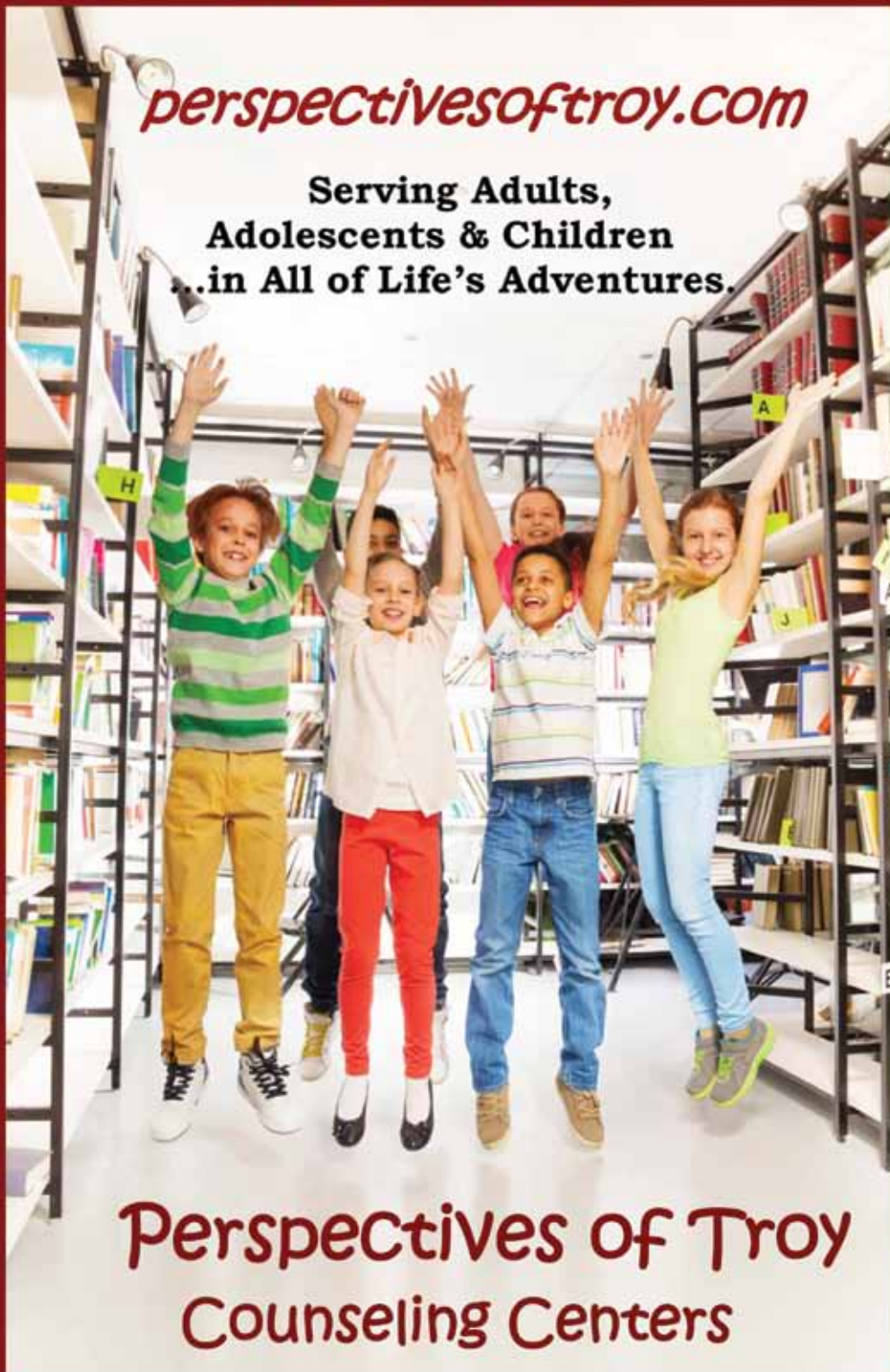
If you are considering enrolling your child at BCS in 2016-2017, please plan to attend the BCS Open House on Sunday, December 6, 2015. A Parent Information Session, designed for those unable to attend the Open House, is scheduled for Thursday, December 10, 2015 at 6:30 p.m. in the Media Center at BCS.

Registrations for the 2016-2017 school year at Birmingham Covington School will be accepted at BCS during the December 6 Open House. Registrations will also be accepted in person at the Education and Academic Center, 31301 Evergreen Rd., Beverly Hills, January 4-8, 2016. If registrations exceed spaces available at any grade level, a public lottery will be held at BCS on Wednesday, January 15, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. in the BCS Cafeteria.

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