



WINTER/SPRING 2026

Dear BPS Community,

As we embrace the winter season, we are thrilled to unveil our Birmingham Community Education programs for adults and students. We curate our course offerings each year to meet our learners' diverse recreational and enrichment needs. We are delighted to announce that in the 2025-2026 school year, our Community Education hosted an impressive array of over 200 programs and over 150 camps, a testament to our community's invaluable support and participation.



This winter and spring, we are confident that you will discover a course that ignites your curiosity, regardless of whether you are a parent, a dedicated staff member, a motivated student, or a valued member of our community. Our course catalog offers a diverse range of options, including community open swim sessions, yoga, martial arts, flag football, youth basketball programs, and essential caregiving skills for aging family members. We have also created courses designed for parents and children to enjoy together, fostering connections and memories.

Community Education offers something for everyone. We invite you to explore our catalog and find the programs that resonate with your interests and aspirations. If you have any questions or need assistance, please do not hesitate to contact our dedicated BPS Community Education department at 248-203-3800. We are here to help and guide you every step of the way.

Thank you for being an essential part of our thriving community. We look forward to learning, growing, and exploring together this winter. Here's to new opportunities, connections, and experiences!

Sincerely,

Dr. Embekka Roberson
Superintendent of Schools

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YOUTH • MID-WINTER BREAK CAMPS

MID-WINTER BREAK CAMPS GRADES K-5 ONLY • February 16-20, 2026

Birmingham Covington School

CHOOSE THE 9 A.M.-3 P.M. PROGRAM:

CHALLENGE ISLAND • SEATON ATHLETICS

Kids Club Included. Hours: 7:30-9:00 a.m. / 3-5:30 p.m. • Lunch: 12:00-1:00 p.m.

READ ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION INFORMATION ON PAGE 4

Students must bring their own lunch, several snacks and a beverage/water bottle in a non-breakable container. **NO ON-SITE REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED. PICK-UP IS 5:30 P.M.** Late pick-up charge is \$5.00/minute. Photo ID will be required at pick up.

CHALLENGE ISLAND (Grades K-5)

Challenge Island is an award-winning STEAM enrichment program where kids solve fun, hands-on "challenges" which teach them about STEAM fundamentals and cross curricular topics, plus important success skills like creativity, critical thinking, problem solving and much more. Students work together in small "STEAM Teams" to solve our challenges, giving them an opportunity to grow their teamwork and social skills as well. We look forward to seeing you on Challenge Island!



MONDAY - EPIC SLIME STORY DAY: PERCY JACKSON & HARRY POTTER

Join us for a fun day of stories plus lots of slime, as we learn about the Percy Jackson and Harry Potter adventures while building cabins inspired by Camp Half Blood, wizarding costumes amusement park rides, and more; not only that, but we will be mixing up FOUR slime recipes based on blue cookies, Medusa's hair, bogey creatures and also butterbeer!

#21470 2/16/2026 Mon 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$85

TUESDAY: ISLAND MON DAY: WATER & ICE

Learn about the fun creatures that call the oceans and the icecaps home in our world, as we collect and catalog trading cards, design & construct underwater training gyms big enough to play in, create water rides & penguin launchers, and even mix up a special recipe of ocean slime!

#21471 2/17/2026 Tue 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$85

WEDNESDAY: ENTREPRENEURSHIP DAY: HAUNTS & PETS

Discover what it takes to start up your own business, as we work in teams to create logos, names, and fun, big-enough-to-play-in prototypes of real working businesses based on haunted houses, pet spas & playgrounds and more!

#21474 2/18/2026 Wed 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$85

THURSDAY: SPACE EXPLORERS DAY: MOON & MARS

Travel to the stars as we learn about the past and future of space exploration while creating space station capsules (big enough to play in), building & testing lunar landing modules, setting up prototype moon bases, and creating Mars rovers to take home!

#21475 2/19/2026 Thu 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$85

FRIDAY: FANTASY SLIME STORY DAY: WILLY WONKA & ALICE IN WONDERLAND

For our last day, we'll get to know Charlie, Violet, Alice, the Mad Hatter and many more great characters, as we tackle engineering challenges ranging from candy-themed minigolf courses to unbirthday party prizes to spinning teacups; oh, and by the way, we'll also mix up FOUR slimes based on these classic stories, including chocolate, blueberry (perfect for blowing bubbles), birthday cakes and rose-scented Queen of Hearts slime (our best-smelling slime yet)!

#21476 2/20/2026 Fri 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$85

REGISTER EARLY!!!
There is very limited space in these break camps.



SEATON ATHLETICS SPORTS CAMP (Grades K-5)

Choose from one to five days of recreational fun! Teams will play a variety of sports including soccer, basketball, floor hockey, lacrosse, wiffleball, flag football, kickball, and dodgeball (including Star Wars Dodgeball - a Seaton Athletics creation that is played with lightsabers). We will provide a good mix of physical activity, practice, instruction, game play, competitions and of course, FUN!

#21382 MONDAY: Soccer, Basketball, Kickball and Dodgeball

2/16/2026 Mon 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

#21383 TUESDAY: Basketball, Floor Hockey, Wiffle Ball, and Dodgeball

2/17/2026 Tue 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

#21384 WEDNESDAY: Floor Hockey, Flag Football, Kickball, and Dodgeball

2/18/2026 Wed 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

#21386 THURSDAY: Flag Football, Soccer, Wiffle Ball and Dodgeball

2/19/2026 Thu 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

#21387 FRIDAY: Kids Option - Students will help to choose the sport of the day!

2/20/2026 Fri 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

SPRING BREAK CAMPS • YOUTH

SPRING BREAK CAMPS

GRADES K-5 ONLY • March 30-April 2, 2026 (4 DAYS)

Birmingham Covington School

CHOOSE THE 9 A.M.-3 P.M. DAILY PROGRAM:

SKYHAWKS SPORTS • SEATON WEIRD SCIENCE

Kids Club Included. Hours: 7:30-9:00 a.m. / 3-5:30 p.m. • Lunch: 12:00-1:00 p.m.

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SKYHAWKS SPORTS (Grades K-5)

Dive into Skyhawks Multi-Sport! Perfect for kids eager to try various sports, this program teaches essential skills and rules across different games. Beyond skill development, participants learn sportsmanship and teamwork, making new friends and memories. Each day is a new, exciting adventure!

MONDAY - MULTI-SPORT Dive into Skyhawks Multi-Sport! Perfect for kids Grades K-5 eager to try various sports, this program teaches essential skills and rules across different games. Beyond skill development, participants learn sportsmanship and teamwork, making new friends and memories. Each day is a new, exciting adventure!

#21368 3/30/2026 Mon 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

TUESDAY- SOCCER Kickstart your child's soccer journey with Skyhawks Soccer! This program boosts young athletes by teaching key skills like dribbling, passing, shooting, and ball control. Each session focuses on enhancing abilities while instilling teamwork and sportsmanship. Your child will improve their soccer skills and embrace the game's spirit. Join us to grow and score with Skyhawks Soccer!

#21369 3/31/2026 Tue 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

WEDNESDAY - BASKETBALL Dribble, shoot, score with Skyhawks Basketball! Perfect for developing athletes, this program sharpens passing, shooting, and dribbling skills, emphasizing sportsmanship and teamwork. Participants develop defensive and rebounding abilities in a dynamic setting that promotes personal and athletic growth. Get involved and make a difference on and off the court!

#21370 4/1/2026 Wed 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

THURSDAY - FLAG FOOTBALL Score a Touchdown with Skyhawks Flag Football! This program teaches passing, receiving, kicking, and flag pulling, all while emphasizing heart and spirit. Participants gain confidence and learn life lessons like teamwork and leadership in a fun, supportive environment. Suit up and get in the game with Skyhawks Flag Football!

#21371 4/2/2026 Thu 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

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limited space
in these break camps.

SEATON WEIRD SCIENCE CAMP (Grades K-5)

Unleash your inner mad scientist with Weird Science! Choose from one to five days with each day containing new and different experiments. With all of our hands-on, gooey, explosive, constructive and things-that-go-"boom" experiments, you won't even realize how much you're learning! This camp gives participants not only the chance to get messy, but also develop critical thinking skills and a love for science. Wear clothes you don't mind getting dirty in as YOU are doing the experiments, plus warm clothes in case we go outside! Bonus experiments of other varieties may also be included as time permits.



MONDAY: To MIX or not to MIX. That is the question. This day kids will learn all about density (what it is, how it works, how it relates to everyday life) through take home experiments like Lava Lamp, Density Rainbow Bottles, and the Dr. Suess named Oobleck. Bonus experiments of other varieties may also be included as time permits.

#21374 3/30/2026 Mon 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

TUESDAY - 3...2...1...BLAST OFF! This day kids will have an explosive time conducting experiments that may have a surprising result and take off! These include the take home experiment of Film Canister Rockets and Hoop Gliders along with Elephant Toothpaste. Bonus experiments of other varieties may also be included as time permits.

#21375 3/31/2026 Tue 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

WEDNESDAY - Time to CREATE! This day we will see all the fun we can have and what we can learn from the things we create. Kids will have a stretchy, sticky, and magnetic time making the take home experiments of Slime and Playdough along with making our very own Electromagnet. Bonus experiments of other varieties may also be included as time permits.

#21376 4/1/2026 Wed 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75

THURSDAY - Are you an agent of ORDER or CHAOS! Hero or Villain, this day is all about creative and destructive experiments. Kids will create take home experiments of Catapults, and Fingerprints (which side of the law were you on?), along with Melting/Foaming Snowman. Bonus experiments of other varieties may also be included as time permits.

#21377 4/2/2026 Thu 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$75



**4-DAY BASKETBALL
CAMP**
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YOUTH • SPRING BREAK CAMPS

SPRING BREAK CAMP

GRADES 3-6 • March 30-April 2, 2026 (4 DAYS)

Berkshire Middle School

4 DAYS 9 A.M.-3 P.M. PROGRAM

MOTOR CITY EVOLUTION

THERE IS NO KIDS CLUB PROGRAM AT THIS SITE.

READ ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION INFORMATION ON THIS PAGE



MOTOR CITY EVOLUTION SPRING BREAK BASKETBALL CAMP (Coed - Grades 3-6) 4 DAY CAMP

MOTOR CITY EVOLUTION SPRING BREAK BASKETBALL CAMP (Coed - Grades 3-6)

2026 marks the 31st year of Coach Geo's HOOPMANIA basketball Camp! This week offers a unique instructional format designed to prepare our players for basketball at any level. The Spring Break week will focus on game strategy, rule comprehension and team building. Campers will compete in 5v5, 3v3 and various other skill contests. Campers should bring a lunch or may buy a Pizza Lunch for \$7.00. Campers should bring a basketball, water bottle and a healthy snack. Basketball Camp runs from 9 am to 3 pm. There is no Kids Club available before or after this camp. **NO ON-SITE REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED.** Photo ID will be required at pick up. **Berkshire Middle School, Gym**

#21367

Dates: 3/30/2026 - 4/2/2026

of Sessions: 4

Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Fee: \$240



*** ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION INFORMATION FOR ALL BREAK CAMPS**

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

Please let us know, TWO WEEKS PRIOR if your child has special needs: i.e. physical, emotional, educational, or medical. Please call us at 248-203-3822. Advise us of any severe allergies or chronic illness. This includes information regarding food or airborne allergies. **PLEASE** select programs that will not trigger or aggravate a medical condition. If increased assistance is needed, please provide the documentation from your child's IEP at least 10 business days before the start of the program.

Registration: Registration accepted in person, by phone or online at www.communityed.net. Please note: Photo identification will be required at pick-up.

Final Day to Register: Registration closes two business days prior to the day of camp or when camp is full. Pre-registration is required. **No on-**

site registration will be accepted. Registration after the close must be made by phone to 248-203-3800 and will be subject to a \$10/child late fee and space availability.

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

Refund Policy: Refund requests must be made directly to the Community Education Office by 12 p.m. of the day preceding the beginning of camp. Refunds will be the amount of tuition less a \$10 processing fee per camp. Refunds will not be granted after 12 p.m. on the day prior to camp.

Camp Closing Information: In times of inclement weather, power failure or circumstances beyond our control, please go to the homepage at www.communityed.net for the latest information.



TRUE Martial Arts has provided martial arts instruction in the Metro Detroit area since 2009. We provide students of all ages the best possible training while surrounding them with a positive, professional, safe, and challenging learning environment. Bring a water bottle and wear clothing in which you are comfortable exercising. A uniform is optional and sold separately. Students will train bare foot. Fee is for six sessions of your choice during fall session (times and days per level are shown below). Students may register and begin any time. Re-register for additional sessions if you wish. Classes meet at TRUE Martial Arts, 2295 E. Lincoln St., Suite 130, Birmingham, MI 48009 **Register at www.communityed.net**

BRAZILIAN JIU JITSU - TEENS & ADULTS (Ages 13+)

Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu is ready to take your self-defense and fitness training to the next level! It will teach you to defend yourself from a bigger and stronger opponent with the use of positional dominance, leverage, joint manipulations, chokes, sweeps, takedowns, and more. Bring a water bottle and wear clothing in which you are comfortable exercising. A uniform is optional and is sold separately. Students will train bare foot. Fee is for 6 sessions of your choice on Tuesdays (7:30-8:30pm) and/or Thursdays (7:30-8:30pm) during the Winter/Spring 2026 session. Students may begin any time during the session.

#21472

Dates: 1/6/2026 - 6/11/2026

of Sessions: 6

Tue, Thu 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Fee: \$99

KIDS BRAZILIAN JIU JITSU (Ages 7-12)

Especially designed for children ages 7 - 12, this program offers an introduction to the art of Brazilian Jiu Jitsu in a fun, structured and supportive environment. Throughout the course, kids will learn fundamental techniques, self-defense skills and the principles of leverage and control. The experienced instructors focus on teaching respect, discipline and perseverance, all while ensuring each child enjoys the learning process. The program promotes physical fitness, boosts confidence, and encourages teamwork. Enroll your child today and watch them develop essential life skills while making new friends and having a blast! Bring a water bottle and wear clothing that you are comfortable exercising in. A uniform is optional and is sold separately. Students will train bare foot. Fee is for 6 sessions of your choice on Mondays (6:30-7:30pm) or Wednesdays (6:30-7:30pm) during the Winter/Spring session.

#21473

Dates: 1/6/2026 - 6/11/2026

of Sessions: 6

Tue, Thu 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Fee: \$99

LIVE SAFE ACADEMY

Live Safe Academy, LLC, is a family run school dedicated to enhancing personal safety. Their experienced, dedicated staff consists of law enforcement officers, attorneys, military personnel, registered nurses, and professional educators and trainers. All of their instructors are certified through nationally recognized organizations. They specialize in the training of first aid, assault and crime prevention, unarmed self-defense and the use of personal protection devices. **FOR THE FULL DESCRIPTION OF THESE PROGRAMS, GO TO www.communityed.net.**



CERTIFIED BABYSITTER / CPR / FIRST AID and SAFE HOME ALONE (Ages 9 and older)

#21372 2/28/2026 Sat 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$100

#21362 4/18/2026 Sat 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Fee: \$100

CERTIFIED PET SITTER / CPR / FIRST AID - ADD-ON (Ages 9 and older)

#21373 2/28/2026 Sat 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM Fee: \$20

#21363 4/18/2026 Sat 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM Fee: \$20

CERTIFIED BABYSITTER / CPR / FIRST AID and SAFE HOME ALONE (Ages 9 and older) Evening Session

#21366 7/27/2026 Mon 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM Fee: \$50

SELF-DEFENSE for CHILDREN (Ages 6 - 11)

#21378

Dates: 5/19/2026

Tue 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Fee: \$25

REGISTER EARLY!

**THESE CLASSES ARE
VERY POPULAR
AND FILL UP FAST!**



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FRANKLIN ATHLETIC CLUB

Classes meet at the Franklin Athletic Club, 29350 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, MI 48034

REGISTER AT www.communityed.net



NEW BEGINNING BALLET WITH MS. ASHLEY (Ages 3-5)

This class offers an engaging and supportive introduction to ballet. This program focuses on fundamental ballet concepts, fostering coordination, musicality, and self-expression through age-appropriate exercises and creative movement. Miss Ashley provides a nurturing environment where young dancers can develop basic techniques, build confidence, and cultivate a lifelong appreciation for the arts.

#21481 Dates: 1/8/2026 - 2/12/2026

of Sessions: 6 **Thu 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM**

Fee: \$90

#21482 Dates: 2/19/2026 - 3/26/2026

of Sessions: 6 **Thu 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM**

Fee: \$90

#21483 Dates: 4/2/2026 - 5/7/2026

of Sessions: 6 **Thu 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM**

Fee: \$90

#21484 Dates: 5/14/2026 - 6/11/2026

of Sessions: 5 **Thu 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM**

Fee: \$75

NEW KIDS NIGHT OUT - SATURDAY (Ages 3 and older)

Our Saturday night program is the perfect solution for parents looking for a few hours to themselves. Kids enjoy supervised free play, simple crafts, and age-appropriate activities in a safe, relaxed environment. Pizza dinner included. Late Pick-up Fee: \$1 per minute after 8:30PM. Registration required at least 72 hours in advance.

#21485 Date: 1/10/2026

Sat 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Fee: \$60

#21486 Date: 2/21/2026

Sat 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Fee: \$60

#21487 Date: 3/14/2026

Sat 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Fee: \$60

#21488 Date: 4/11/2026

Sat 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Fee: \$60

NEW KIDS KICK BOXING (Ages 8 - 14)

Join Franklin Athletic Club's most popular kickboxing instructor, George Jones, for an action-packed Kids Kick Boxing class! Designed to build confidence, coordination, and strength, this class introduces kids to the fundamentals of boxing in a fun, energetic environment.

#21479 Dates: 1/6/2026 - 2/10/2026

of Sessions: 6 **Tue 4:45 PM - 5:30 PM**

Fee: \$100

#21480 Dates: 2/24/2026 - 3/31/2026

of Sessions: 5 **Tue 4:45 PM - 5:30 PM**

Fee: \$85

AUTASTIC ATHLETIC FITNESS (8 - 13 years)

Learn the fundamentals of movement, and fitness to get the body moving the right way! Aside from the health benefits, good fitness is very helpful in developing self-regulation, executive functioning, and social thinking skills in autistic individuals. Learn how to get a good work out and move the body in functional, athletic ways, from a trainer on the Spectrum who gets the struggle of being the last kid picked in gym class, and what it's like to struggle with kinesthetic awareness more than the typical child, and can help show how it's done and break it down in the autistic person's language! Children must be able to participate independently with minimal assistance from the instructor, if increased assistance is needed, please provide the documentation from your child's IEP. **Location: Greenfield Elementary School, Gym**

#21359

Dates: 1/6/2026 - 2/10/2026

of Sessions: 6

Tue 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Fee: \$240

#21360

Dates: 2/24/2026 - 4/14/2026

of Sessions: 6 **Skip Date: 03/24/2026, 03/31/2026**

Tue 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Fee: \$240

#21361

Dates: 4/21/2026 - 5/26/2026

of Sessions: 6

Tue 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Fee: \$240



SOCCER SCHOOL FOR LITTLE FOLKS Indoor & Outdoor

For 3 to 5 year olds. Join us for an exciting class of soccer! We will work on basic skills with 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. Classes are instructed by Aaron Seaton, a licensed United States Soccer Federation National 'D' soccer coach with over 30 years of coaching experience.

Quarton Elementary School, Gym

#21348

Dates: 1/26/2026 - 3/2/2026

of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 2/16/2016

Mon 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Fee: \$100

#21350

Dates: 1/27/2026 - 3/3/2026

of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 2/17/2026

Tue 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Fee: \$100

#21351

Dates: 3/9/2026 - 4/13/2026

of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 3/30/2026

Mon 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Fee: \$100

#21352

Dates: 3/10/2026 - 4/14/2026

of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 3/31/2026

Tue 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Fee: \$100

#21353

Dates: 4/20/2026 - 5/18/2026

of Sessions: 5

Mon 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Fee: \$100

#21354

Dates: 4/21/2026 - 5/19/2026

of Sessions: 5

Tue 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Fee: \$100

Pembroke Elementary School, Gym

#21355

Dates: 1/22/2026 - 3/5/2026

**# of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 02/19/2026,
02/26/2026**

Thu 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Fee: \$100

#21356

Dates: 3/12/2026 - 4/16/2026

of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 4/02/2026

Thu 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Fee: \$100

#21357

Dates: 4/23/2026 - 5/21/2026

of Sessions: 5

Thu 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Fee: \$100



SOCCER SCHOOL FOR LITTLE FOLKS (Outdoor)

Harlan Elementary School, Field Grass

#21358

Dates: 5/2/2026 - 6/6/2026

of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 5/23/2026

Sat 11:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Fee: \$100

**Community Open Swim
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YOUTH, ADULT & FAMILY KARATE CLASSES

PKSA Karate Bloomfield provides the best professional and experienced instruction in the art of Tang Soo Do. Our school is operated by James and Ashley Shruga under the direct guidance and personal supervision of Master R. Collins, Sr. and Master R. Collins, Jr.

Learn more about the traditional Korean art of Tang Soo Do at www.pksa.com



Tang Soo Do is an excellent way to revitalize your mind and body! Under highly trained supervision, Tang Soo Do is safe, fun, and easy to learn. Learn more about the traditional Korean art of Tang Soo Do at www.pksa.com Instructors and students regardless of rank or years of training will offer you a brotherhood of encouragement and support. Optional belts and testing are available for an additional fee; please discuss the options with your instructor. Attire for PKSA Karate courses is comfortable loose-fitting clothes that students can move around in. Students are advised to bring a bottle of water. Classes meet at 1551 South Opdyke Road, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304. Our new location is first floor/handicap accessible. The training space is visible from the front door. Parent and sibling seating is available. **Register at www.communityed.net**

FAMILY POWER KARATE (Adult and children ages 6 and older)

For families to train together for one price. This would be an ages 6+ program and it would be designed to be an affordable option for families to train together - though a parent (or other adult) participant would be required. We find that when parents are involved and are interactive in the process that the overall outcomes are more positive for children, families, and communities. Fee is for one adult and 1 to 4 children. Please register the adult only.

#21508 1/14/2026 - 2/25/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 2/18/2026

Wed 5:45 PM - 6:15 PM Fee: \$55

#21509 4/8/2026 - 5/13/2026

of Sessions: 6 Wed 5:45 - 6:15 PM Fee: \$55

#21510 1/16/2026 - 2/27/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 2/20/2026

Fri 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM Fee: \$55

#21511 4/10/2026 - 5/15/2026

of Sessions: 6

Fri 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM Fee: \$55

LITTLE NINJAS KARATE (Ages 4 – 6)

The Little Ninja program is designed to help young martial artists (from 4 to 6 years old) learn control and discipline and about the art of Tang Soo Do. This program is developed to challenge young minds and bodies in areas I like gross motor skills, memory, focus, confidence, and team work. In this six week program highly professional karate instructors will introduce your children to a number of karate and life skill building activities in a fun and engaging way. Stranger awareness and self defense will be covered in this session. Families are always encouraged to train together, uniforms are available upon request.

#21498 1/14/2026 - 2/25/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 02/18/2026

Wed 5:25 PM - 5:55 PM Fee: \$45

#21499 4/8/2026 - 5/13/2026

of Sessions: 6

Wed 5:25 PM - 5:55 PM Fee: \$45

KIDS POWER KARATE (Ages 6 - 15)

The Kids Power program is designed to help young martial artists (from 6 - 15 years old) learn control and discipline and about the art of Tang Soo Do. This program is developed to challenge young minds and bodies in areas I like gross motor skills, memory, focus, confidence, and team work. In this six week program highly professional karate instructors will introduce your children to a number of karate and life skill building activities in a fun and engaging way. Stranger awareness and self defense will be covered in this session. Families are always encouraged to train together, uniforms are available upon request. Learn more about the traditional Korean art of Tang Soo Do at www.pksa.com

#21514

Dates: 1/14/2026 - 2/25/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 02/18/2026

Wed 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM

Fee: \$45

#21512

Dates: 1/16/2026 - 2/27/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 2/20/2026

Fri 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM

Fee: \$45

#21515

Dates: 4/8/2026 - 5/13/2026

of Sessions: 6

Wed 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM

Fee: \$45

#21513

Dates: 4/10/2026 - 5/15/2026

of Sessions: 6

Fri 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM

Fee: \$45

BITTY BLITZERS (Ages 2½ - 3½ as of 4/01)

Bitty Blitzers is specifically designed for our youngest players! We will learn the foundation of SNAP Flag Football through playful activities and games! The focus will be on balance and coordination, listening skills and teamwork! No class Memorial Day weekend. Make-up date if needed June 13 at Bloomfield Hills HS from 10:15-10:50am. Make-up date if needed June 14 at Birmingham Seaholm HS from 10:15-10:50am. Choose between the 2 options below:

#21460 – Saturdays at Bloomfield Hills HS

Dates: 5/2/2026 - 6/6/2026

of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 5/23/2026

Sat 10:15 AM - 10:50 AM

Fee: \$85

#21461 - Sundays at Seaholm HS

Dates: 5/3/2026 - 6/7/2026

of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 5/24/2026

Sun 10:15 AM - 10:50 AM

Fee: \$85



LITTLE SNAPPERS FLAG FOOTBALL CLINIC

(Ages 3.5 - 4.5 as of 4/01)

SNAP's action-packed 5-week program combines the excitement of SNAP Flag Football with age-appropriate activities,

ensuring that each session is filled with smiles, laughter, and a passion for play. Through a series of carefully designed exercises and drills, your child will develop a love for SNAP Flag Football that will stay with them for years. No class on Memorial weekend. Make-up date if needed June 13 at Bloomfield Hills HS from 11:05-11:50am. Make-up date if needed June 14 at Birmingham Seaholm High School. Choose between the 2 options below:

#21463 - Saturdays at Bloomfield Hills HS

Dates: 5/2/2026 - 6/6/2026

of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 5/23/2026

Sat 11:05 AM - 11:50 AM

Fee: \$85

#21462 - Sundays at Seaholm HS

Dates: 5/3/2026 - 6/7/2026

of Sessions: 5 Skip Date: 5/24/2026

Sun 11:05 AM - 11:50 AM

Fee: \$85

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APRIL 18-JUNE 7 (7-WEEK SEASON)

We believe in maximizing the excitement and involvement for every player on the field. That’s why we limit our teams to a range of 7-10 players, ensuring that your child gets more opportunities to touch the ball. Teams are led by dedicated volunteer parent or experienced high school student coaches, fostering a supportive environment for growth and development. We encourage friend requests, ensuring that buddies can play together without being separated. Registration is open to both Girls & Boys, Teams, and Individuals, granting everyone an opportunity to join in the fun. Players from any city are invited to play. The only additional requirement is a mouthguard (\$7). (Fee includes an Official NFL Reversible Jersey) Saturdays or Sundays, April 18 - June 7 (7-week season, no class May 23/24)

REGISTRATION IS A TWO-STEP PROCESS:

STEP 1: Make Payment here at www.communityed.net

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Session/Availability	Eligibility	Dates/Times
Flag Football	Sat. #21494 Boys/Co-ed Ages 4.5-K Sun. #21495 Boys/Co-ed Ages 4.5-K #21493 GIRLS Grade K-2 (Sat. & Sun.) #21493 GIRLS Grade 3-4 (Sat. & Sun.) #21493 GIRLS Grade 7-8 (Sat. & Sun.) #21464 GIRLS Grade 9-12 (Sun.)	April 18 - June 7 (No Class May 23/24)
Flag Football	Sat. #21531 Boys/Co-ed Grades 1-4 Sun. #21535 Boys/Co-ed Grades 1-4 Sat. 21547 Boys/Co-ed Grades 5-6 Sun. #21546 Boys/Co-ed Grades 5-6 #21548 Boys/Co-ed Grades 7-8 (Sat. & Sun.)	April 18 - June 7 (No Class May 23/24)
Co-ed Little Snappers - Saturdays	#21463 Ages 3.5 to 4.5	May 2- June 6 11:05-11:50am
Co-ed Little Snappers - Sundays	#21462 Ages 3.5 to 4.5	May 3 – June 7 11:05-11:50am
Co-ed Bitty Blitzers - Saturdays	#21460 Ages 2.5 to 3.5	May 2- June 6 10:15am-10:50am
Co-ed Bitty Blitzers – Sundays	#21461 Ages 2.5 to 3.5	May 3 – June 7 10:15am-10:50am

“GIRLS TAKE THE FIELD” Flag Football League
(Grades K-8)

Saturdays and Sundays, April 18 - June 7
(7-week season, no class May 23/24)

Calling all girls! Want to play football in a fun, supportive, and empowering way? “Girls Take The Field” Flag Football is a non-contact, 5-on-5 league just for you. Team up with other awesome girls, learn the game, and get ready for exciting action on the field. No tackling, just pure fun and teamwork! You’ll get plenty of chances to run, catch, throw, and make plays. Whether you’re new to football or ready to show your skills, come join the excitement. Divisions are formed right before the season to keep things balanced. Ready to play? Sign up for “Girls Take The Field” Flag Football today! Divisions: K-2 grade, 3/4 grade, 5/6 grade, 7/8 grade Time: 2-Hour time block between 9am and 7pm. (One hour practice, followed by a one-hour game). Fee includes an Official NFL Reversible Jersey.



#21493 Dates: 4/18/2026 - 6/7/2026
Days/Locations: Both Saturdays @ Bloomfield Hills HS and Sundays @ Seaholm HS
of Sessions: 7 Skip Dates: 5/23/2026, 5/24/2026
Sat, Sun: Two hour time block between 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Fee: \$180

Location/Price
Saturdays @ Bloomfield Hills HS Sundays @ Seaholm HS \$180
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“GIRLS TAKE THE FIELD” High School Flag
Football League
(Grades 9-12)

Sundays at Seaholm High School, April 19 - June 7
(7-week season, no class May 24)

REGISTER NOW and become part of the exciting “Girls Take The Field” initiative, powered by SNAP, Michigan’s leading force in girls’ flag football. This movement is gaining incredible momentum, and you can be part of history in the making! This is your chance to join all-girls teams and compete against each other in the fast-growing sport of flag football. Whether you’re a seasoned multisport athlete or brand new to the game, all skill levels are welcome. No prior experience is needed! You can register as a team or as an individual player. Come see what all the excitement is about! With women’s flag football making its debut in the Olympics in 2028, now is the perfect time to get involved. Time: 2-hour block between 5pm - 7pm. (One hour practice, followed by a one-hour game.) Fee includes an Official NFL Reversible Jersey.

#21464
Dates: 4/19/2026 - 6/7/2026
of Sessions: 7 Skip Date: 5/24/2026
Day/Location: Sundays at Seaholm High School
Time: Two-hour time block between 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Fee: \$180

MOTOR CITY EVOLUTION - Friday Night Lights Girls Basketball League: Division 1 (Grades 5-7)

FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS GIRLS BASKETBALL LEAGUE

DIVISION 1: GRADES 5-7

Friday Night Lights is designed to teach game strategy & team skills through competitive play. Players register as individuals and are assigned to teams. The first two weeks are practices and skill sessions followed by a six-week season. All games and practices are Friday nights. This is a great program for players to learn the game in a fun yet structured environment. Friend requests are taken but not guaranteed. For more information about Friday Night Lights, visit www.motorcityevolution.com Berkshire Middle School, Birmingham Covington School Friday start times of 6:30, 7:30, 8:30 January 9 through March 20 (no games Feb 13) \$170 per player (\$155 + \$15 Materials fee) ++LEAGUE DRAFT DAY (at Berkshire MS) To participate in the league, all players must be evaluated at the 2026 Evolution Draft Day. This is a mandatory event where players will be evaluated and placed onto teams. Players will participate in various drills and then scrimmage in front of coaches. Draft times will include a parent meeting where league policies and procedures will be discussed. Players should wear either a black or white shirt to the draft.

DIVISION ONE: (Grades 5-7): Friday, January 9, 8:00-9:00pm

SUPPLEMENTAL DRAFT DAY: Can't make the draft on January 10? You can attend a supplemental draft day on Thursday, January 8 from 6:45-7:45pm at Berkshire Middle School. RSVP for the Supplemental Draft at geothomas4444@gmail.com

#21347

Dates: 1/9/2026 - 3/20/2026

Fri 6:20 PM - 9:30 PM

Fee: \$170

DIVISION TWO: (Grades 3-4): Friday, January 9, 6:45-7:45pm

MOTOR CITY EVOLUTION - Friday Night Lights Girls Basketball League:

Division 2 (Grades 3-4)

#21349 Dates: 1/9/2026 - 3/20/2026

Fri 6:20 PM - 9:30 PM

Fee: \$170



MOTOR CITY EVOLUTION - Rookie Basketball League (Coed-Grades 2-3 and beginner 4th)

Our Rookie League offers an opportunity to learn the game of basketball in a fun yet competitive environment. Players register as individuals and will be placed on teams. Coaches will teach game strategy, rule comprehension and team play. Teams will then play a regular season and conclude with championship games. All coaches and referees are Evolution Staff. Players shoot on 10-foot hoops and use a 27.5 basketball. Players receive customized jerseys with their names on back. All games/practices are Mondays at Bingham Farms Elementary with start times of 6:15, 7:05 and 7:55. For playoffs, start time could be 5:30pm All skill levels are welcome but some prior basketball or team sport experience is suggested. For more information about the Rookie League, visit www.motorcityevolution.com. LOCATION: Bingham Farms Gym \$165 per player (\$145 + \$20 Materials fee) Mondays with games/practices at 6:15, 7:05, 7:55pm 9 weeks: Jan 12, 26, Feb 2, 9, 23, March 2, 9, 16, 23 (No dates Jan 19, Feb 16)

Maximum enrollment = 64

#21346

Dates: 1/12/2026 - 3/23/2026

Mon 5:45 PM - 8:30 PM

Fee: \$165

MOTOR CITY EVOLUTION SPRING BREAK BASKETBALL CAMP (Coed - Grades 3-6)

2026 marks the 31st year of Coach Geo's HOOPMANIA basketball Camp! This week offers a unique instructional format designed to prepare our players for basketball at any level. The Spring Break week will focus on game strategy, rule comprehension and team building. Campers will compete in 5v5, 3v3 and various other skill contests. Campers should bring a lunch or may buy a Pizza Lunch for \$7.00. Campers should bring a basketball, water bottle and a healthy snack. Basketball Camp runs from 9 am to 3 pm. There is no Kids Club available before or after this camp.

NO ON-SITE REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED.

Photo ID will be required at pick up.

#21367

Dates: 3/30/2026 - 4/2/2026

Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Fee: \$240

Coach Geo Thomas is the owner of Motor City Evolution, LLC which specializes in high-quality basketball programs. He has been coaching basketball since 1987 and has coached in over 2000 basketball games at the High School, CYO and AAU levels. His ability to communicate the game on all levels has been the cornerstone of his success. For more information on Coach Geo Thomas and Motor City Evolution, visit motorcityevolution.com



MOTOR CITY EVOLUTION - Boys Basketball League - College Division (Grades 5-6)

BOYS COLLEGE DIVISION: GRADES 5, 6 & Beginner 7th

Welcome to the Evolution! Players register as individuals and participate in our pre-season skills combine. After an evaluation process, players are drafted onto teams and play a six-game season that concludes with a post-season tournament. Our leagues are designed to give players a memorable experience beyond just the games and practices. We have a robust website that provides stats, standings, player interviews and more. Most games and practices are on Saturdays between 9am-3pm. Guaranteed playing time for all players. Coaches are Evolution staff & qualified volunteers. For more information about the league, visit www.motorcityevolution.com. Game and practice locations: Berkshire Middle School and Quarton Elementary School \$170 per player (\$155 + \$15 Materials fee) January 10 through March 21 (no games Feb 14) Max 54 players per division LEAGUE DRAFT DAY (at Berkshire MS) To participate in the league, all players must be evaluated at the 2026 Evolution Draft Day. This is a mandatory event where players will be evaluated and placed onto teams. Players will participate in various drills and then scrimmage in front of coaches. Draft times will include a parent meeting where league policies and procedures will be discussed. Players should wear either a black or white shirt to the draft

PREP DIVISION: (Grades 3-4): Saturday, January 10, 9:30-11am

COLLEGE DIVISION: (Grades 5, 6 and Beginner 7TH Saturday, January 10, 11:30-1pm

SUPPLEMENTAL DRAFT DAY Can't make the draft on January 10? You can attend a supplemental draft day on Thursday, January 8 from 6:45-7:45pm at Berkshire Middle School. RSVP for the Supplemental Draft at geothomas4444@gmail.com

#21344

Dates: 1/10/2026 - 3/21/2026

Sat 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Fee: \$170

MOTOR CITY EVOLUTION - Boys Basketball League - Prep Division (Grades 3-4)

BOYS PREP DIVISION: GRADES 3-4

#21345

Dates: 1/10/2026 - 3/21/2026

Sat 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Fee: \$170

LOOKING FOR LEAGUE COACHES!

Are you interested in coaching this fall? We are always looking for qualified coaches who want to share their knowledge and passion for the game. We offer flexible scheduling and a free coaching clinic. If interested, please contact Geo Thomas at 248-506-8376 or geothomas4444@gmail.com



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STOP, THINK, AND GO! (Parent/Child workshop for K-3 girls and boys)

Parents & Kids will each have their own workshop. Parents will learn how the Stop, Think, and Go tool can help their kids make positive decisions. Kids will learn the do's & don'ts of being a friendly classmate, how to recognize when they are in a sticky situation & making positive choices at home. Fee is for one parent and one child. Please register the adult only. Register for Second Parent (\$10) and/or Additional Child (\$12) separately (see below). Location: Berkshire Middle School, Cafeteria

#21527 – Parent and Child (K-3)

2/28/2026 Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM Fee: \$30

#21528 – Second Parent

2/28/2026 Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM Fee: \$10

#21529 – Additional Child

2/28/2026 Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM Fee: \$12

FAMILY SIBLING AND CONFLICT WORKSHOP (ages 6-14)

Most families struggle with sibling conflict and teasing. In some cases, there is sibling bullying. 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 send them together to learn what the impact of their everyday meanness can have and how they can make a different choice in how they treat each other or how they handle the situation. Parents participate in their own workshop to learn how to manage sibling conflict. Fee Includes Parent(s) and/or 2 siblings. Please register one adult only. Separate registration for each additional sibling is \$15 (see below). Location: Berkshire Middle School, Cafeteria.

#21525

3/21/2026 Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM Fee: \$40

#21526 - FAMILY SIBLING AND CONFLICT WORKSHOP - Additional Child

3/21/2026 Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM Fee: \$15

GIRL SCOUTS: Girl Scout Nite Out-Assertiveness Mini Boot Camp

Girls will learn the art of being assertive. They will have fun role playing how to handle sticky situations with friends and classmates while staying true to themselves. They will learn the tone of voice, body language, problem solving skills and words to use in having a voice to speak up to advocate for themselves and others. Location: Beverly Elementary School, Gym

#21524

2/27/2026 Fri 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM Fee: \$30

GIRLS ONLY ZONE (Grades K-5)

Girls will participate in six stations on a path to being empowered. Girls will travel in small groups to the following stations and participate in an themed interactive activity. Stations Include: The Friendship Station, Assertiveness Station, Girl Power Station, Fun & Crazy Station, Sticky Problem Station and Calm as a Cumber under Stress Station. Each station will have a mini-lesson, be interactive, and FUN!!! Location: Berkshire Middle School, Cafeteria

#21530

Date: 1/30/2026

Fri 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Fee: \$25

GIRLS ONLY ZONE - Leaders in Training (Teens)

Middle and High School teens will help with #21530 Girls Only Zone workshop and get the benefit of the lessons, too! Location: Berkshire Middle School, Cafeteria

#21532

Date: 1/30/2026

Fri 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Fee: \$25

BOYS ONLY ZONE (Grades K-5)

Boys will participate in six stations on a path to being empowered. Boys will travel in small groups to the following stations and participate in a themed interactive activity. Stations Include: Lego Station, Beyblade Station, Assertiveness Station, Fun & Crazy Station, Sticky Problem Station and Calm as a Cumber under Stress Station. Each station will have a mini-lesson, be interactive, and FUN!!! Location: Berkshire Middle School, Room 108

#21533

Date: 1/30/2026

Fri 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Fee: \$25

BOYS ONLY ZONE - Leaders in Training (Teens)

Middle and High School teens will help with #21533 Boys Only Zone workshop and get the benefit of the lessons, too! Location: Berkshire Middle School, Room 108

#21534

Date: 1/30/2026

Fri 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Fee: \$25

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SLIME, GAMES and ROLE PLAYS
Empowerment Workshop (Grades K-2 and 3-5)

What do slime, games, and role play equal? Fun ways to calm oneself in sticky situations! Sign up for 1 or all 3. Each session will be different games and role plays! We will make slime to represent sticky situations. We will role play how to handle common sticky situation for kids. We will play games to have fun and practice the skills of handling those sticky situations. Girls and Boys will learn how to calm their mind and bodies and to stay calm even when their environment is not. Kids will learn ways to deal with winning and losing, when they are accused of cheating or someone else is cheating, managing frustrations and dealing with unfriendly classmates when they use insults and name calling. Location: Berkshire Middle School, Cafeteria

SLIME, GAMES and ROLE PLAYS
Empowerment Workshop (Grades K-2)

#21536
Date: 1/24/2026
Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM
Fee: \$25

#21537
Date: 1/31/2026
Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM
Fee: \$25

#21538
Date: 2/7/2026
Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM
Fee: \$25

#21539
Date: 3/14/2026
Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM
Fee: \$25

#21540
Date: 3/21/2026
Sat 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM
Fee: \$25

SLIME, GAMES and ROLE PLAYS
Empowerment Workshop (3rd-5th Grade)

#21541
Date: 1/24/2026
Sat 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM
Fee: \$25

#21542
Date: 1/31/2026
Sat 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM
Fee: \$25

#21543
Date: 2/7/2026
Sat 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM
Fee: \$25

#21544
Date: 3/14/2026
Sat 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM
Fee: \$25

#21545
Date: 3/21/2026
Sat 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM
Fee: \$25

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Southern Michigan's primary goal is to teach people how to train their dogs so that the dogs can become better Canine Companions, and to encourage participation in dog activities such as AKC Obedience Competition, Rally, Tricks, and Therapy Dog work.

SMOTC welcomes dogs of all breeds, including mixed breeds, to all of our classes and events.

AKC STAR PUPPY CLASS

Southern Michigan Obedience Training Club (SMOTC) offers this class for puppies purebred or mixed approximately 3-5 months of age. Help your new "Best Friend" develop the good habits it needs in order to become a valued member of your family. Socialization, introduction to obedience, and problem solving are covered in the classes. AKC STAR Puppy Certification is offered. Minors are invited to attend with a registered adult. Please bring puppy with buckle collar, leash, healthy treats and shot records (required) to first class. Also required is proof of a negative fecal check within six months. Location: Berkshire Middle School, Gym

#21410

Dates: 1/6/2026 - 2/10/2026

of Sessions: 6

Tue 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Fee: \$85

#21411

Dates: 3/10/2026 - 4/21/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 3/31/2026

Tue 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Fee: \$85

REGISTER EARLY!

**THESE CLASSES ARE VERY POPULAR
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INTRODUCTION TO DOG OBEDIENCE

Southern Michigan Obedience Training Club (SMOTC) offers this foundation Introduction to Obedience class for all dogs who are at least 6 months old. Learn to train your dog to heel (walk) on lead next to you, sit and down stay, come when called and stand – to become a more enjoyable member of the family, as well as encourage participation in obedience competition. This is a fast-moving class to teach you to teach your dog basic obedience. This class will require that you work with your dog 10-20 minutes a day during the duration of the classes for best results. PLEASE READ ONLINE DESCRIPTION FOR MORE DETAILS. Minors over 12 years old are invited to train as long as a parent or guardian is registered for the class and stays during the class. Location: Berkshire Middle School, Gym

#21408

Dates: 1/6/2026 - 2/10/2026

of Sessions: 6

Tue 7:00 PM - 7:45 PM

Fee: \$85

#21409

Dates: 3/10/2026 - 4/21/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 3/31/2026

Tue 7:00 PM - 7:45 PM

Fee: \$85

THERAPY DOG PREPARATION AND EVALUATION

This class will help to prepare students and their dogs to become a certified Therapy Dog team. The class will also address safety precautions for you and your dog, proper visiting techniques, getting around medical equipment, and more. For this class, your dog will need to work reliably and test on a flat buckle collar or non-correcting harness (leash fastens on the dog's back) with a 6-foot leather or nylon leash. Dogs will need to be proficient and reliable in all basic obedience commands (heel, sit, down, leave it and stay). We highly recommend that students have taken one or more obedience classes prior to registering for this class. Vaccination records are required and must be presented the first night of class. Also required is proof of a negative fecal check within six months. Dogs must have reached or passed their first birthday on or before the last day of class to be evaluated and tested. A Therapy Dogs International (TDI) certification test will be performed soon after the last class; evaluation date and location will be announced in class. There is an additional \$10.00 test fee. Location: Berkshire Middle School, Gym

#21412

Dates: 1/13/2026 - 2/03/2026

of Sessions: 4

Tue 8:00 PM - 8:45 PM

Fee: \$55

#21413

Dates: 3/17/2026 - 4/14/2026

of Sessions: 4 Skip Date: 3/31/2026

Tue 8:00 PM - 8:45 PM

Fee: \$55



BACK ON COURSE ZOOM WORKSHOPS

You can now take live basic instructor-led classes via Zoom practically anytime and anywhere in the country or from the comfort of your own home! Author and instructor Mike Wilson has partnered with 20 government/state educational institutions, and has taught in about 40 cities in Michigan in the last 20 years and another 20 cities in other states, with overall excellent ratings/comments from administrators and students.

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Have you taken computer classes before and been totally lost? Well, this unique class is for those who are looking for simple and practical instructions.

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Are you curious about AI (Ai)? Then this class is for you! (Older adults will find this class very rewarding!) We will explore the practical benefits of using a basic form of AI called ChatGPT.

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Lots of teachers use Zoom to host fun online classes, covering a wide range of interests such as cooking, art, fitness, technology, music, and many more.

HELP! I NEED TO HOST MY FIRST ZOOM SESSION

You will see how to host by sending an e-mail, invites, and schedules meetings. Even the basic host controls can seem overwhelming.

WINDOWS 11 – STARTING FROM THE BEGINNING

This is an adult-friendly Windows 11 class! See how to use the desktop and the new taskbar and other features.

MICROSOFT WORD: THE VERY BASICS

Your instructor will break down the unknown Microsoft Word stuff and present them to you in a clear, sensible, and enjoyable way!

GETTING MORE OUT OF MICROSOFT WORD

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ALL ABOUT PICTURES - FINDING, ORGANIZING, EDITING, AND SAVING ON YOUR COMPUTER!

During this class you will learn how to manage pictures on your computer.

WORKING WITH AND ORGANIZING YOUR DOCUMENTS ON WINDOWS 11 COMPUTERS

The instructor will show you how to save files with Microsoft Word and your free installed Windows 10 and 11 word processors.

EXCEL FOR THE ABSOLUTE BEGINNER

Instructor will demonstrate how to navigate and interface with Excel's basic features.

LET'S LEARN ALL ABOUT E-MAILING

Learn how to e-mail, forward, reply, and send attachments, and work with other features.

NEW USING BROWSERS, EXPLORING WEBSITES AND GETTING THE MOST OUT OF SEARCHING THE WEB

Learn about browsers and how to use them. Create favorites, use browser tabs, and enlarge web pages, as well as use 'Read aloud', and search.

COMPUTER SCAMS, AND WHAT NOT TO CLICK ON!

Don't let your computer control you! Find out what you should and should NOT click on.

LEARN THE BASICS OF POWERPOINT FOR ZOOM

You can create eye-catching presentations with PowerPoint!

GETTING TO KNOW YOUR iPhone

This class is designed for mature and recent iPhone users! Not for Android users.

GETTING TO KNOW YOUR ANDROID

This class is designed for mature and recent Android users!! Not for iPhone users.

EXPLORING APPS ON YOUR SMART PHONE

The word "apps" is short for applications. You will explore many standard apps on your phone for practical uses.

For the entire list of zoom classes, descriptions, dates and times, visit www.communityed.net

ESL = English As A Second Language



ADULT DAYTIME ESL CLASSES

Continuing **FREE** for qualifying adults* and if space is available.

Classes are held September 2025-May 2026.

For Beginning, Intermediate & Advanced Level Adult ESL students.

Specific class days and times determined by ESL level.

Morning classes are 3 days a week. Both virtual (Zoom) and in-person sessions are part of each ESL level. Evening ESL virtual class is 1 day a week on Tuesdays 6:30-8:30 p.m.

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

WINTER REGISTRATION FOR NEW STUDENTS ONLY:

**JANUARY 5 OR 6, 2026 BETWEEN THE HOURS
OF 9:30-11:30 a.m. Seaholm High School**

Returning students are already registered.

CLASSES BEGIN THE WEEK OF JANUARY 5.

Returning students will be contacted by mid-August by email.

Please bring your passport and/or visa, social security card and your driver's license or State of Michigan ID with you to registration. We will need to make a copy for your file.

***OPEN ENROLLMENT** - new students accepted on an ongoing basis throughout the school year as space provides through March 2026. Acceptance in the class will be based on the results of your ESL proficiency exam*. Instructors: BPS ESL Staff.

***Students must obtain a minimum score to be eligible.**

Registration is ongoing and open until classes are filled.

For more information:

email Linda Grindem at lgrindem@birmingham.k12.mi.us
or call Birmingham Community Education at 248-203-3800.
Located within Seaholm High School
at 2436 W. Lincoln, Birmingham, MI 48009.



**Please park in the guest/staff lot off of
Lincoln Street (near the auditorium) and enter
the building by buzzing the "Birmingham
Community Education" door.**



Heart to Heart Hospice of Detroit

Volunteer Near Your Home!

Be a Hospice Hero!

Heart to Heart Hospice

A simple visit of kindness is everything.

We train you...assign you near your home...always work around your schedule.

Please call Julie Cody at 248-952-9000 for more information.

We look forward to speaking with you.

Class meets at Heart to Heart Hospice, 30600 Telegraph Rd, Suite #1131, Bingham Farms, MI 48025 (located on the SE corner of Telegraph and 13 Mile Road in the Bingham Center, behind Qdoba Restaurant).

DEMENTIA 101 - Keep It Simple

Heart to Heart Hospice offers a new class on dementia: Dementia 101 "Keep It Simple" Our Focus: create a happier and calmer experience for the dementia patient and the caregiver(s). We offer valuable tools that we feel can make a real difference. This is a one-session class offered Mondays and Thursdays between January through May. After you register with Birmingham Community Education, you will be contacted to set up your date and time (a 1.5 hour time slot). If you need another day of the week, we will work around your schedule. Classes presented by Julie Cody of Heart to Heart Hospice.

#21468

Individually scheduled, 1.5 hour class is offered on Mondays or Thursdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m - 8:00 p.m. January through May 2026

Fee: \$12

GET PAID TO TALK – AN INTRODUCTION TO VOICE OVER (Webinar)

From audio books to advertisements and beyond, we encounter recorded voices everywhere! In this one-night, live online class, your instructor will take you behind-the-scenes in the voice over field for a fun and realistic look at how the voice over field really works. You'll gain inside perspective on developing skills, and how to leverage your voice's strengths and interests, and more. Because this class is live, you'll have the opportunity to ask questions! Additionally, there will be a chance for a one on one script read with the instructor at the end of the class. About The Instructor: With more than 30 years as a voice over artist and voice over producer, your instructor is part of the team at Voice Coaches with clients including major television networks, gaming designers, audio book publishers and more. Learn more at www.voicecoaches.com

#21342 Date: Tues. 2/17/2026

#21343 Date: Wed. 6/3/2026

6:30 PM-8:00 PM Fee: \$35

"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!

#21466

Date: 4/16/2026

Thu 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Fee: \$12

#21467

Date: 5/21/2026

Thu 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Fee: \$12

FLY TYING - Intermediate Level

Intermediate level students will tie a variety of different patterns designed to improve their skills and knowledge of the art. Returning students will find an entirely new set of intermediate flies. Taught by members of the Challenge Chapter of Trout Unlimited. A materials fee of \$20 is payable to the instructor in class. Berkshire Middle School, 108 Classroom Food Lab



#21465 1/12/2026 - 4/6/2026

of Sessions: 10

Skip Dates: 01/19/2026, 02/16/2026, 03/30/2026

Mon 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Fee: \$75

CHAIR YOGA with LYNN DOWE

Chair yoga classes include: Mindful Meditation to focus the mind to redirect thoughts to prepare for the yoga practice; Seated Yoga – gentle movements that can increase balance, mobility and range of motion; Focused Breathing – focusing on the timing and pacing of breath. Instructor Lynn Dowe offers intentional and inspiring yoga practice for all ages and abilities. She inspires and supports others to live an extraordinary life and through the practice of yoga, to connect with their own personal wisdom, healing abilities and expansive potential. 200RYT instructor – since May 2013. Location: Berkshire Middle School, Room 108

#21454

Dates: 1/8/2026 - 2/12/2026

of Sessions: 6

Thu 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Fee: \$78

#21455

Dates: 3/12/2026 - 4/23/2026

of Sessions: 6 **Skip Date:** 4/02/2026

Thu 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Fee: \$78

#21456

Dates: 4/30/2026 - 6/4/2026

of Sessions: 6

Thu 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Fee: \$78

REGISTER EARLY!

**THESE CLASSES ARE
VERY POPULAR
AND FILL UP FAST!**

YOGA FITNESS with LYNN DOWE

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 Lynn Dowe offers intentional and inspiring yoga practice for all ages and abilities. She inspires and supports others to live an extraordinary life and through the practice of yoga, to connect with their own personal wisdom, healing abilities and expansive potential. 200RYT instructor – since May 2013. Location: Berkshire Middle School, Media Center

#21457

Dates: 1/6/2026 - 2/10/2026

of Sessions: 6

Tue 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Fee: \$78

#21458

Dates: 3/3/2026 - 4/14/2026

of Sessions: 6 **Skip Date:** 3/31/2026

Tue 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Fee: \$78

#21459

Dates: 4/21/2026 - 5/26/2026

of Sessions: 6

Tue 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Fee: \$78

SELF-DEFENSE for WOMEN (Ages 12 years and older)

Can you defend yourself against a violent attack? Do you have the knowledge, skill and confidence to defend your family? You do not have to spend years training in an expensive program. Learn simple, lifesaving skills from programs designed to increase your safety after only one class! Our hands-on courses teach time-tested, realistic methods that are easy to learn and remember. Designed to be safe, this course instills confidence by building on success. You are coached according to your own rate of progression. No previous training required. A great stress reliever and lots of fun.

NOTE: This class is open to students 12 years or older. Parents, serious topics are discussed openly but in a professional manner. Minors should be accompanied by a participating adult when possible. Unpaid spectators are not allowed. A release and hold harmless agreement must be signed by a legal guardian at the beginning of class: <https://www.livesafeacademy.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/LSA-Release-and-Hold-Harmless-Agreement-.pdf> For more information please visit: <https://www.livesafeacademy.com/selfdefense/> Location: Seaholm High School, Cafeteria

#21379

Date: 5/19/2026

Tue 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Fee: \$45



ADULT • HEALTH & WELLBEING



FRANKLIN ATHLETIC CLUB

Classes meet at the Franklin Athletic Club, 29350 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, Mi 48034 **REGISTER AT [communityed.net](http://www.communityed.net)**

FAC - BALANCE, STRENGTH, CORE

(Tuesday or Friday mornings)

Ready to transform from the inside out? Join our incredible Fitness Director, Lisa Soverinsky, for a dynamic class designed to challenge your balance, build total-body strength, and ignite your core like never before. Lisa's expert coaching will push you to grow stronger, move better, and become the best version of YOU. This is more than a workout—it's your next level.

For dates/times/fee go to www.communityed.net.

FAC - MOMENTUM CYCLING

(Thursday evenings or Saturday mornings)

Saddle up and power through an electrifying ride with Momentum Cycling—the ultimate indoor cycling experience. Our instructors Will and Stephanie will challenge you and this high-energy class combines heart-pumping beats, resistance challenges, and interval training to push your endurance, torch calories, and build lower-body strength. Whether you're chasing speed, hills, or just a killer workout, every ride will leave you feeling unstoppable. Clip in. Tune out the world.

For dates/times/fee go to www.communityed.net.

Register for one, several or all dates!

Community Open Swim

Groves High School • Sundays 1-3 p.m.

DATES: January 11 & 25, February 8, March 1, and 8.

REGISTER AT www.communityed.net / General Admission: \$5.00/per person/per date

REGISTRATION CLOSES ON THE WEDNESDAY BEFORE AT 5 P.M.

A minimum of 10 participants is required to run this program.

All ages are welcome!

Please note: BPS maintains pool water temperature between 79°-81° F which may be cold for some swimmers. The temperature is regulated by the BPS maintenance department and cannot be adjusted. Refunds will not be issued for any reason.

- Adults will have use of at least one lap lane.
- **THIS IS NOT A DROP OFF PROGRAM.** Children 10 and under, not independent or needing assistance **MUST** be directly supervised in the water and locker room by an accompanying individual over age 18 who is registered for the Accompanying Adult class (for which there is a \$5.00 fee).
- Appropriate swim attire is required. 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. Running on the pool deck is prohibited.
- No food or drinks 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.



COMMUNITY SAILING SCHOOL

Open to all students in grades 6-12 from **ALL** schools! No experience needed. Home to **16 scholastic teams**, middle and high schools.

2026 SEASONS START DATES:

Spring: April • Summer: June for ages 6-19 • Fall

COMMUNITY SAILING SCHOOL
<https://communitysailingschool.org/>

586-291-4802 • 3206 Orchard Lake Road • Orchard Lake, MI 48324

PKSA

PKSA Karate Bloomfield provides the best professional and experienced instruction in the art of Tang Soo Do. Our school is operated by James and Ashley Shrugra under the direct guidance and personal supervision of Master R. Collins, Sr. and Master R. Collins, Jr.



Attire for PKSA Karate courses is comfortable loose-fitting clothes that students can move around in. Students are advised to bring a bottle of water. Classes meet at 1551 South Opdyke Road, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304. Our new location is first floor/handicap accessible. The training space is visible from the front door. Parent and sibling seating is available. **REGISTER FOR THESE CLASSES AT www.communityed.net**

WOMEN'S ONLY KARATE (Ages 14+)

This class is designed exclusively for women, taught by skilled instructors in a safe and encouraging environment. Whether you're a complete beginner or looking to return to martial arts, this class is the perfect way to: Learn practical self-defense skills Improve physical fitness, strength, and flexibility Build mental focus and confidence Have fun and connect with a powerful community of women Tang Soo Do is a traditional martial art that emphasizes discipline, respect, and personal growth — and at PKSA Karate Bloomfield, we believe every woman deserves to feel strong, capable, and confident. No experience necessary — just a willingness to try something new and awesome. This class is geared towards teens and adults.

#21500 1/16 - 2/27/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 2/20/2026

Fri 6:00 PM - 6:30 PM Fee: \$35

#21501 4/10/ - 5/15/2026

of Sessions: 6 Fri 6:00 - 6:30 PM Fee: \$35

KARATE CONDITIONING & FITNESS (Adult)

Conditioning: Ready to punch up your fitness routine? Whether you're a seasoned martial artist or just looking to try something new, Karate Conditioning is the high-energy, full-body workout you didn't know you needed. This dynamic class is designed for all levels, from total beginners to advanced martial artists, and is perfect for Martial artists looking to cross-train and boost their stamina, strength, and speed. Fitness lovers who want a fun, high-intensity workout with a martial arts edge. Newbies who are curious about karate and want a no-pressure way to dive in. Each class blends traditional karate movements with modern fitness training to improve: Cardio endurance Functional strength Mobility and flexibility Focus and mental toughness Expect a mix of striking drills, pad work, core training, and circuit-style exercises — all set to motivating music and guided by expert instructors who'll meet you right where you are. No uniform required. No experience necessary. Just bring your energy (and maybe a towel).

#21506 1/13/2026 - 2/24/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 2/17/2026

Tue 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Fee: \$35

#21507 4/7/2026 - 5/12/2026

of Sessions: 6

Tue 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Fee: \$35

TANG SOO DO KARATE (Adult)

This karate program is designed to help adults (ages 15 and older) interested in the martial arts discover & develop methods to achieve better health of body and mind through the art of Tang Soo Do. Improve your flexibility, balance, strength, and confidence. Immerse yourself in the rich pursuit of mindful restoration. Classes include fitness conditioning, self-defense tactics, martial arts instruction, and more! Come join us in a positive and inclusive environment for martial artists of all skill levels.

#21502 1/13 - 2/24/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 2/17/2026

Tue 8:00 PM - 8:30 PM Fee: \$35

#21503 4/7 - 5/12/2026

of Sessions: 6 Tue 8:00 - 8:30 PM Fee: \$35

CHAMPIONS: Special Needs Karate (Ages 16+)

Join us for "Champions: Special Needs Karate," an inclusive class designed for adults with special needs! Come join us to celebrate the potential in every individual through fun and engaging martial arts activities that promote confidence, social skills, and physical fitness. Why Martial Arts? Martial arts help build both mental and physical strength. In our class, participants will enjoy: Confidence Building: Learning new techniques fosters self-esteem and a sense of achievement. Social Interaction: Our supportive environment encourages friendships and teamwork. Physical Fitness: Fun exercises enhance coordination, balance, and overall health. Focus and Discipline: Structured activities promote concentration in an enjoyable way. Stress Relief: Martial arts provide a positive outlet for energy and emotions. Our experienced instructors cater to individual strengths, ensuring a fun and encouraging atmosphere where everyone can thrive!

#21504

Dates: 1/14/2026 - 2/25/2026

of Sessions: 6 Skip Date: 2/18/2026

Wed 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Fee: \$30

#21505

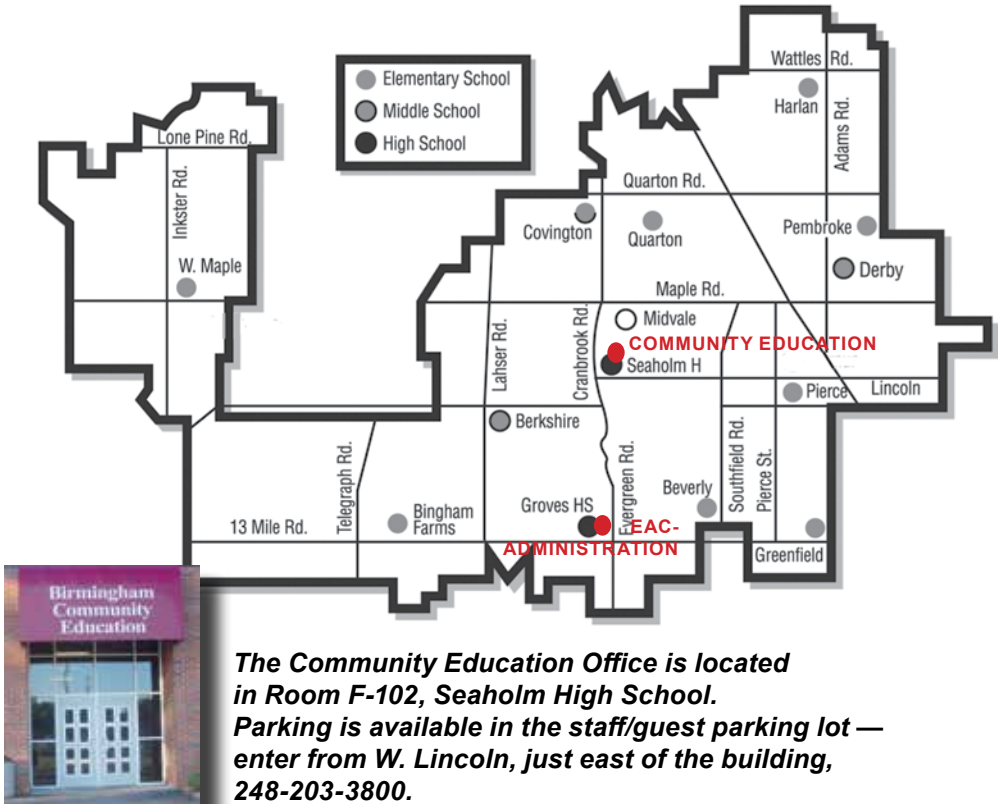
Dates: 4/8/2026 - 5/13/2026

of Sessions: 6

Wed 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Fee: \$30

BPS LOCATIONS



**BPS EDUCATION AND ADMINISTRATION CENTER (EAC),
31301 Evergreen Road, Beverly Hills, MI 48025 248-203-3000**

- BERKSHIRE MIDDLE SCHOOL, 21707 W. 14 Mile Road, Beverly Hills, MI 48025, 248-203-4700**
- BEVERLY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 18305 Beverly Road, Beverly Hills, MI 48025, 248-203-3150**
- BINGHAM FARMS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 23400 W. 13 Mile Road, Bingham Farms, MI 48025, 248-203-3350**
- 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**
- GREENFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 31200 Fairfax, Beverly Hills, MI 48025, 248-203-3210**
- 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**
- QUARTON 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 \$60 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 fee less a \$10 processing fee per class. The processing fee for most 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.

WE DO OUR VERY BEST TO GET IT RIGHT

We take great care to check the accuracy of all information in our brochures and on our website. However, we cannot be responsible for inadvertent and unintentional errors and we reserve the right to correct them.

CLASS/CAMP 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.

Please know that we draft our winter/spring brochure months in advance of publication to your mailbox. We continue to follow all state guidelines regarding in-person returns, and may make changes to our programming based on these state requirements.

CLASS/CAMP CHANGES

Birmingham Community Education reserves the right to withdraw or change classes/camps, instructors or schedules; to revise tuition and fee structures; and to amend its policies as necessary for smooth and efficient operation.

EXTRA-SPECIAL ATTENTION

Please let us know if your child has special needs: i.e. physical, emotional, educational, or medical. Please call us at 248-203-3822. Advise us of any severe allergies or chronic illness. This includes information regarding food or airborne allergies. **PLEASE** select programs that will not trigger or aggravate a medical condition. If increased assistance is needed, please provide the documentation from your child's IEP at least 10 business days before the start of the program.

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, a waiver 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 checking out Channel 4 news.

**FOR THE MOST UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION VISIT THE HOMEPAGE OF:
BIRMINGHAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS
WWW.BIRMINGHAM.K12.MI.US
BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY EDUCATION
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.**

NO SMOKING/VAPING, NO FIREARMS AND NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES OR PETS/ANIMALS IN SCHOOL BUILDINGS OR ON SCHOOL PROPERTY.

BPS COMMUNITY EDUCATION INFORMATION

COMMUNITY EDUCATION STAFF

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Diane Agrusa Rampolo.....Program Assistant
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Jennifer Szura..... Office Assistant
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Noelle Bogan ESL Instructor

BIRMINGHAM
COMMUNITY EDUCATION
REGULAR OFFICE HOURS*

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

OFFICE CLOSED:
DECEMBER 19-JANUARY 6,
JANUARY 19, APRIL 3, MAY 25

*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.

FOR RENTAL INQUIRIES ON AUDITORIUMS & LITTLE THEATERS CALL 248-203-3861
POOLS/GYMS/CLASSROOMS/ GRASS FIELDS & TRACKS/STADIUMS
CALL 248.203.3800

Winter/Spring 2026 • REGISTRATION FORM

Payment by cash, check or VISA/MC. All checks should be payable to:
"Birmingham Public Schools"

Phone and online registrations by credit card only.
Mail: 2436 W. Lincoln, F102, Birmingham, MI 48009
Phone: 248-203-3800 • www.communityyed.net

Last Name (Parent/Guardian) _____ First Name _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

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

Student's Full 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.communityyed.net

Phone:
248-203-3800

In person:
2436 W. Lincoln, Suite F102
Birmingham, MI 48009

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.
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.
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Signed on this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

PARTICIPANT

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
Date _____

Signature _____

Parent/Guardian
Date _____

Signature _____

Birmingham Bloomfield Community Coalition

Birmingham Bloomfield Community Coalition (BBCC) takes a research driven, youth-led approach to substance abuse prevention, health and wellness. BBCC and its Youth Action Board (YAB) provide education, tools, activities, and support to help youth rise above life's challenges by making informed decisions about their safety, health and wellness, as well as encouraging adults to thoughtfully support them.

Programming is offered in-person and virtually based on a school/community's particular need/preference.

Following is just some of the programs and services available for students, parents, schools, and other community groups.

In- person and on-line Programming is still available and includes:

- Education on individual or a grouping of substances such as:
 - Vaping, Alcohol, Prescription Drugs, Marijuana
 - Covey 7 Habits for Highly Effective Teens
 - Wellness
 - Customized Programs, too! Just let us know what you need.
- **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 AND we meet regularly throughout the year to give teens a positive voice and presence on critical issues they are facing in their schools and the community. This is also a safe space to connect and be supported. Contact youth program coordinator, Kelly, at kmichaud@bbcoalition.org.
 - **Mid Action Board:** Provides 8th grade students with a positive voice and presence in their schools and broader community on issues important to them with a focus on substance use prevention, building confidence and resilience, creating and maintaining positive peer influence, and supporting positive mental health and overall wellness for their peers. Contact youth program coordinator, Kelly, at kmichaud@bbcoalition.org
 - **CHOICES Youth Dialogue Day 2026, March tba, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.,** brings high school teens together to discuss the real-life consequences of alcohol and drug abuse. CHOICES is a unique program bringing together a majority forum of teens from Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills Public and Private schools, where students will connect in a motivating, healthy, positive, and guided way with each other and, more importantly, with themselves. For more information on CHOICES and how students can register, contact Kelly, at kmichaud@bbcoalition.org



*Youth-focused substance abuse prevention,
mental health and overall wellness*
www.bbcoalition.org 248.203.4615



Birmingham Youth Assistance

UPCOMING EVENTS:

KIDS DOG SHOW • FEBRUARY 1

SAFETALK SUICIDE PREVENTION • FEBRUARY 8

YOUTH IN SERVICE • MAY 6

TOUCH A TRUCK • MAY 16



Mentor's Plus Program:

MAKING A DIFFERENCE - ONE PERSON - ONE CHILD AT A TIME

The Mentor's Plus program has helped by one-on-one mentoring, literally hundreds of children in our community, through Oakland County 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.

Do you want to make a difference? Volunteer with BYA!

BIRMINGHAM YOUTH ASSISTANCE

provides short term, low cost counseling services.

248.203.4300 / www.birminghamyouthassistance.org

BYA 43RD ANNUAL KIDS' DOG SHOW SIGN UP YOUR PUP!

Attention all Kids Aged 4-14!

Do you have a dog with the Waggiest Tail? Could yours have the Best Trick? Then we want to see you and your pooch at the Birmingham Youth Assistance Kids' Dog Show!

Sunday, February 1, 2026

Berkshire Middle School

1 PM - 3 PM

Have fun meeting other dog lovers in our community and compete in up to two wacky performance categories. Win prizes, get goodies and more!

Best Dog Costume • Best Looking • Musical Sit

Best Trick • Waggiest Tail

THE DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS FRIDAY, JANUARY 30TH



Ready to Register?

Go to the website:

www.birminghamyouthassistance.org

Have Questions?

Email: BhamYouthAssistance@gmail.com





**FRIENDS is a parent group
in the Birmingham Public School System
with preschool to adult age children
coming together to build a strong parent community**

The Friends website at
www.friendsofdifferentlearners.com

& join us on Facebook@Friendsofdifferentlearners.



BPS Early childhood Intervention Program & Services for children with developmental delays and special needs who reside within Birmingham Public Schools. A parent concerned about his/her child's development may refer their child to Early Childhood Intervention Program & Services. A referral will be taken for children ages birth through the date that they enter kindergarten. To begin a referral process, a parent or legal guardian who has a concern about his/her child's talking, walking, hearing, learning or behavior should call the following:

Ages birth to 3 years: Early On Oakland 248.209.2084

Ages 3 to kindergarten: Kelly Beard, Project Find, 947-210-8640 or kbeard@birmingham.k12.mi.us

2026 BPS KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP AND VISITATION DATES

SCHOOL	ROUND UP DATE	TIME
BEVERLY	January 27	7 p.m.
BINGHAM FARMS	January 27	7 p.m.
GREENFIELD	February 3	7 p.m.
HARLAN	January 28	7 p.m.
PEMBROKE	January 28	7 p.m.
PIERCE	January 21	7 p.m.
QUARTON	January 28	7 p.m.
WEST MAPLE	January 20	7 p.m.

Seaholm Musical Theater Presents

MAMMA MIA!

Fri. Mar 6th 2026, 7:00 pm

Sat. Mar 7th 2026, 7:00 pm

Sun. Mar 8th 2026, 2:00 pm

Fri. Mar 13th 2026, 7:00 pm

Sat. Mar 14th 2026, 7:00 pm

Sun. Mar 15th 2026, 2:00 pm

Wagner Auditorium, Seaholm High School



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tickets!