



Elementary/ Middle School Programs

VISUAL ARTS

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CERAMIC HAND-BUILDING Ages 5-15

Children learn hand-building and decorating techniques, creating pottery and sculpture. All materials provided.

133208-1 Th 4:15pm-5:30pm/CC-304
10 mtgs: 1/5 - 3/9 R: \$101, NR: \$131
Instructor: Judy Goldberg-Strassler

133208-2 Sa 9:30am-10:45am/CC-304
8 mtgs: 1/14 - 3/4 R: \$84, NR: \$110
Instructor: Janna Riley

POTTERY ON THE WHEEL 143251-1 Ages 10-18

Discover the creative possibilities of the potter's wheel. Personalized attention enables students to follow their imagination while cultivating technical skills. Recycled clay is available at no charge for participants under age 16. Participants ages 16+: Ceramic Open Studio is included and purchase of new clay is required.

W 4:15pm-6:00pm/CC-305
9 mtgs: 1/4 - 3/1 R: \$105, NR: \$137
Instructor: Gina Mai Denn

AFTERSCHOOL ART ADVENTURES Ages 5-12

Come play, draw, plan and create with us as we explore different themes through a variety of artistic mediums. Class meets at Greenbelt Elementary. Non-GES students may register on or after 1/16. Family members are encouraged to attend the final class meeting and participate in an art project. Classes must meet minimum enrollment by Thursday, 1/19, in order to run.

133600-1 M 3:30pm-4:30pm
8 mtgs: 1/23 - 3/20 (No class 2/20)
R: \$64, NR: \$79

133600-2 W 3:30pm-4:30pm
8 mtgs: 1/25 - 3/15 R: \$64, NR: \$79

SEE ALSO: *Master the Basics of Tie Dye*, p. 14

HEALTH & FITNESS

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AFTER SCHOOL FIT CLUB-YC 132501-1 Ages 5-12

Does your child have a lot of energy to burn when they leave school? Keep your child active, with the After School Fit Club. "Free play" will occur during the first hour and the second hour consists of structured games/activities led by staff. Registration for this program is required, but there is no registration fee. Participants are only required to purchase a valid Greenbelt Recreation Facility ID. A parent/guardian must remain in the facility during the program.

Tu/Th 3:00pm-5:00pm/YC-Gym
1/10 - 5/25 (No class 4/18, 4/20)

FIT CLUB-SHLRC 132437-1 Ages 8-12

Get fit after school. The fit club at Springhill Lake Recreation Center will provide an hour of exercise in various sports. This program is free of charge to City of Greenbelt facility ID holders.

W/F 2:30pm-3:30pm/SHLRC-GYM
16 mtgs: 1/4 - 2/24

JEET KUNE DO 132436-1 Ages 8-14

Jeet Kune Do is a form of martial arts founded by famed martial artists Bruce Lee. Students will learn the basic tools of this martial arts system. You will also learn the discipline and philosophy that helped establish this non-classical martial art.

Th 6:00pm-7:00pm/SHLRC-GYM
8 mtgs: 1/5 - 2/23 R: \$80, NR: \$100

TKA KARATE Ages 5-12

Registration for this class will be held at the Greenbelt Youth Center the first night of class. For more information please call 301-840-9262.

M 6:30pm-7:30pm/YC-Gym
9 mtgs: 1/9 - 3/20 (No class 1/16, 2/20)
R/NR: \$54

SPECIAL INTEREST

TABLE TENNIS CLUB 187520-01 **Ages 8+**
 Table Tennis Club meets every week for fun and challenging play. Sharpen your skills playing with new folks every week! Annual membership fee required. Waived fee for current recreation members and pool pass holders!

Th 7:30pm-9:30pm/YC-MPR
13 mtgs: 1/5 - 3/30 **R/NR: \$20**

CRAZY 8 CLUB **Ages 6-11**
 Join Springhill Lake Recreation Center and Bedtime Math's Crazy 8s, where you'll build stuff, run, and jump, make music, and make a mess....it's a totally new kind of after school club.

137436-1 W 3:15pm-4:00pm/SHLRC-GAME
7 mtgs: 1/4 - 2/15 **Ages 6-8**

137436-2 W 4:15pm-5:00pm/SHLRC-GAME
7 mtgs: 1/4 - 2/15 **Ages 9-11**

STRATEGY GAMES CLUB 187501-1 **Ages 10+**
 Exercise your brain playing a variety of strategy games, Carcassonne, Mah Jongg, Ticket to Ride, Blokus, Cribbage. Traditional strategy games - Chess, Checkers, Backgammon, and Jenga - are also available. Come join in the fun!

Tu 7:15pm-9:15pm/YC-MPR
12 mtgs: 1/3 - 3/21 **FREE**
Instructor: Karen Haseley

DANCE / THEATER

Contact: Angella Foster, 240-542-2067
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The minimum age requirement for all classes should be met by the first class meeting. For more performance opportunities for performers ages 5-Teen, register for Dance Performance Club. Helpful hints for getting your young dancer ready for class at: www.greenbeltmd.gov/dance.

PRE-JAZZ/TAP 134204-WE **Ages 5-7**

Pre-Jazz gives energetic young dancers an opportunity to develop the rhythmic accuracy, discipline and coordination needed to begin a more formal study of jazz dance forms. In a positive but structured environment, students will learn elementary jazz positions and phrases as well as short, upbeat choreographed dances for in-class showings. Uniform: Students should wear leggings or sweat pants with a snug fitting top. Tap shoes required for this class; jazz shoes are optional. In-studio performance on last day of class.

W 4:15pm-5:00pm/CC-106
14 mtgs: 1/25 - 5/10 (No class 3/1, 4/19)
R: \$98, NR: \$105
Instructor: Angella Foster



PRE-BALLET

Ages 5-7

In Pre-Ballet, young dancers will develop the proper posture, flexibility and discipline needed to begin a more formal study of classical ballet. In a joyful but structured environment, students will learn the elementary positions and movement phrases of ballet as well as some basic character dance steps used in traditional story ballets like *The Nutcracker* and *Swan Lake*. Uniform: Girls -- Pink or black leotard, pink footless tights and bare feet (optional: pink leather ballet slippers). Boys -- Plain white t-shirt, black leggings or sweatpants, bare feet (optional: black leather ballet slippers). In-studio performance on last day of class.

134201-MO M 4:45pm-5:30pm/CC-10
14 mtgs: 1/23 - 5/8 (No class 2/20, 4/17)
R: \$98, NR: \$105
Instructor: Angella Foster

134201-TH Th 4:15pm-5:00pm/CC-10
14 mtgs: 1/26 - 5/11 (No class 3/2, 4/20)
R: \$98, NR: \$105
Instructor: Catherine Fischer

BALLET & JAZZ BASICS 134206-1

Ages 5-7

A fun, fast-paced introduction to musical theater jazz styles set to music from popular Broadway shows past and present. Dancers will learn a variety of choreographed dance routines with an emphasis on turning and jumping skills. Uniform: Students should wear snug fitting comfortable clothes. Jazz slippers or dance sneakers preferred but not required. In-studio performance on last day of class.

Sa 12:00pm-1:00pm/CC-10
14 mtgs: 1/28 - 5/13 (No class 4/15, 4/22)
R: \$126, NR: \$135
Instructor: Ashley Thomas

BALLET I 134202-1

Ages 7-11

An introduction to the grace and discipline of classical ballet. This class teaches young dancers the basic posture and body positions which lay the foundation of this beautiful dance form. Emphasis is on developing each student's flexibility, strength and musicality. Uniform: Girls - pink ballet shoes, pink tights, black leotard, long hair secured in bun. Boys - black ballet shoes, black leggings, snug white t-shirt. In-studio performance on last day of class.

Tu 5:00pm-6:00pm/CC-10
14 mtgs: 1/24 - 5/9
(No class 3/28, 4/18)
R: \$126, NR: \$135
Instructor: Angella Foster

MUSICAL THEATER TAP I/II 134207-1 **Ages 7-11**

Perfect for students interested in any aspect of performing arts, but musicals in particular! Learn classic tap steps featured in movie musicals like *Singin' in the Rain* and *42nd Street*. Uniform: Black jazz pants or leggings, snug fitting plain t-shirt and black or tan tap shoes. No character heels please. In-studio performance on last day of class. *Note: Tap classes meet on the stage in the Community Center gym, not in the dance studio.*

W 5:00pm-6:00pm/CC-106
14 mtgs: 1/25 - 5/10 (No class 3/1, 4/19)
R: \$126, NR: \$135
Instructor:TBD

MUSICAL THEATER JAZZ II/III 144204-1 **Ages 8-15**

A fun, fast-paced introduction to musical theater jazz styles set to music from popular Broadway shows past and present. Dancers will learn a variety of choreographed dance routines with an emphasis on turning and jumping skills. Uniform: Students should wear snug fitting comfortable clothes. Jazz slippers or dance sneakers preferred but not required. In-studio performance on last day of class.

Sa 12:00pm-1:00pm / CC-10
14 mtgs: 1/28-5/13 (No class 4/15, 4/22)
R: \$126, NR: \$135
Instructor: Ashley Thomas

BALLET II 134211-1 **Ages 8-15**

A continuation of Ballet I/II. Students must have completed at least one full year of ballet training. Emphasis is on developing each dancer's understanding and mastery of the basic movements and performance quality characteristics of classical ballet. Uniform: Girls - pink ballet shoes, pink tights, black leotard, long hair secured in bun. Boys - black ballet shoes, black leggings, snug white t-shirt. In-studio performance on last day of class.

Th 5:00pm-6:00pm/CC-10
14 mtgs: 1/26 - 5/11 (No class 3/2, 4/20)
R: \$126, NR: \$136
Instructor: Catherine Fischer

CONTEMPORARY DANCE 134205-1 **Ages 8-15**

Contemporary dance combines elements of ballet, yoga, Pilates, basic tumbling and modern dance to create a fusion that is fun, expressive and great exercise. No previous dance experience necessary. Uniform: Bare feet, black yoga pants, or leggings and snug top. In-studio performance on last day of class.

Tu 6:00pm-7:00pm/CC-10
14 mtgs: 1/24 - 5/9 (No class 3/28, 4/18)
R: \$126, NR: \$135
Instructor: Angella Foster

BALLET III/IV 134212-1 **Ages 8-15**

A continuation of Ballet II/III. Students must have completed at least three full years of ballet training. Emphasis is on developing each dancer's understanding and mastery of the fundamentals of jumping and turning as well as the poise and performance quality characteristic of classical ballet. Uniform: Girls - pink ballet shoes, pink tights, black leotard, long hair secured in bun. Boys - black ballet shoes, black leggings, snug white t-shirt. In-studio performance on last day of class.

Th 6:00pm-7:00pm/CC-10
14 mtgs: 1/26 - 5/11 (No class 3/2, 4/20)
R: \$126, NR: \$135
Instructor: Catherine Fischer

MUSICAL THEATER TAP II/III 144205-1 **Ages 10-16**

A continuation of Tap I/II. This class is designed to give students a chance to further develop the clarity and precision of their tapping as well as hone their performance skills for the stage. Uniform: Black jazz pants or leggings, snug fitting t-shirt and black or tan tap shoes. No character heels please. Must have completed at least one full year of tap study or receive permission of instructor to enroll. In-studio performance on last day of class. *Note: Tap classes meet on the stage in the Community Center gymnasium, not in the dance studio.*

W 6:00pm-7:00pm/CC-106
14 mtgs: 1/25 - 5/10 (No class 3/1, 4/19)
R: \$126, NR: \$135
Instructor:TBD



BALLET V 144201-1 **Ages 10-16**

A continuation of Ballet IV. Students must have completed at least three full years of ballet training. This class will focus on the continued mastery of classical ballet vocabulary with an emphasis on advanced jumping and turning skills. In addition, students will learn short variations to work on their performance quality and acting skills. Uniform: Girls - pink ballet shoes, pink tights, black leotard, long hair secured off face and neck. Boys - black ballet shoes, black leggings, snug white t-shirt. In-studio performance on last day of class.

M 5:45pm-7:00pm/CC-10
14 mtgs: 1/23 - 5/8 (No class 2/20, 4/17)
R: \$140, NR: \$150
Instructor: Angella Foster



**DANCE
PERFORMANCE
CLUB**
Ages 5-16

Ready, set, dance! Dance Performance Club is designed for young dancers who have had at least one year of dance training and are ready to step into the spotlight. Ready, set, dance! This session we will be creating our own original production set to the music of Holst's *The Planets Suite*. Students learn choreography based on the theme of journeying into space and exploring other uncharted territory. **Performance date: Friday, May 26 at 6:00pm.** Uniform: Girls -- Black leotard (straps, no sleeves preferred), pink footless or convertible tights and pink leather ballet shoes; Boys -- snug-fitting white t-shirt, black sweatpants or leggings and black leather ballet slippers. Uniform will serve as the foundation for costume pieces provided by dance program. Prerequisite: Students must also be concurrently enrolled in a weekly dance technique class offered by the Greenbelt Department of Recreation or receive special permission from Angella Foster (afoster@greenbeltmd.gov) to participate.

134208-1 Ages 5-7

F 4:30pm-5:30pm/CC-10

8 mtgs: 3/24 - 5/26 (No class 4/14, 4/21)

R: \$95, NR: \$105

Instructor: Angella Foster

134208-2 Ages 8-16

F 4:30pm-6:30pm/CC-10

10 mtgs: 3/10 - 5/26 (No class 4/14, 4/21)

R: \$110, NR: \$120

Instructor: Angella Foster

GREENBELT YOUTH MUSICAL 144230-1 Grades 7-12



Come be a part of the 17th Greenbelt Youth Musical! Teen performers will present a new version of *Buried Treasure*, an original musical written and directed by Chris Cherry. This is an open-enrollment program, so everyone who signs up is cast in the show. Attendance is required at casting rehearsals, dress rehearsals and all performances. Participants also must generally be available for weekend rehearsals starting January 6. Visit www.greenbeltmd.gov/youthmusical to view the full schedule, read a description of the show, and learn about the casting and rehearsal process.

CASTING REHEARSALS: December 18 and 19, 6:00pm-8:00pm
REGULAR REHEARSALS: Fridays: 5:30pm-8:30pm
 Saturdays: 2:00pm-6:00pm
 Sundays: 5:00pm-7:00pm
SHOW DATES: Saturday, March 4: 7:00pm
 Sunday, March 5: 3:00pm
 Saturday, March 11: 2:00pm and 7:00pm
 R: \$173, NR: \$196

Director: Christopher Cherry

SCHOOL'S OUT

Ages 5-12



Each School's Out day has a theme (see below). The program runs from 9:00am-3:30pm. Lunch and afternoon snack will be provided. Before care is available beginning 7:00am for an additional \$7/child per session. After-care is also available from 3:30pm-6:00pm for an additional \$10/child per session. PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED. Spaces are limited and program often fills to capacity.

PORT DISCOVERY 136501-1

Join us for a day highlighted by a visit to this great children's museum. Port Discovery offers three floors of fun, interactive exhibits.

Friday, January 20

R: \$35, NR: \$45

Greenbelt Youth Center

SKY ZONE INDOOR TRAMPOLINE PARK 136502-1

Join us on a trip to Sky Zone in Columbia, home of wall-to-wall trampolines. Participants will have a blast jumping, all while getting a great workout.

Friday, February 10

R: \$40, NR: \$48

Greenbelt Youth Center

SPRING CAMP PROGRAMS

Monday, April 17- Friday, April 21

Resident Registration:

Monday, January 9 until filled

Non-Resident Registration:

Monday, January 23 until filled



SPRING CAMP 236501-1

Ages 5-12

Warmer days are on their way, and Spring Break is right around the corner! We'll keep your kid's break

SPRING CIRCUS CAMP 236203-1

Ages 8-14

Join former Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey Circus performer Greg May



for a fun-filled spring break and learn how to juggle, walk on stilts, balance on a rolling globe or balance board, and more! Campers are safely taught at their individual skill level. They will demonstrate their new skills in performance on Friday afternoon at 2:30pm. Campers must bring a non-perishable lunch each day.

action packed with a combination of events both at the Youth Center and off premises. All campers must be in kindergarten through sixth grade and are responsible for providing their own non-perishable lunch and drink.

9:00am-3:30pm

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R: \$194, NR: \$232

Before Care: 7:00am-9:00am - \$28/child

After Care: 3:30pm-6:00pm - \$33/child

9:00am-3:30pm

Greenbelt Community Center

R: \$194, NR: \$232

Before Care: 7:00am-9:00am - \$28/child

After Care: 3:30pm-6:00pm - \$33/child

(Before and After Care are at the Greenbelt Youth Center.)



SUMMER DAY CAMPS

Kinder Camp, Camp Pine Tree, Creative Kids Camp, Circus Camp, Camp Encore, and Youth on the Go (YOGO) are among the day camp choices the Greenbelt Recreation Department plans to offer this coming summer, providing a wide range of aquatic, athletic, and artistic choices for campers ages 3^{1/2} to 17. Look for the Camp Brochure in early January or check the city website at www.greenbeltmd.gov for details.

REGISTRATION FOR SUMMER CAMPS BEGINS ON FEBRUARY 1, 2017.