

Wolftrap PTA Sponsored After School Programs, Winter 2020

We are pleased to offer Wolftrap students several options for after school programs this winter. Material and registration fees are included in all classes below.

Registration opens at 7:00 am on Wednesday, December 18 and ends Friday January 10 at 11:59 pm. Classes cannot accommodate new students once the class has begun. All registrations must be completed ONLINE at the PTA website <u>http://www.wolftrappta.org/</u>. No late registrations will be available in this session. Please note the change.

Registrations will be accepted on a first-come/first-served basis. Your space will be confirmed via email and payment, which includes a \$20 non-refundable fee per class. **If your chosen class is full when you register**, **you can choose the WAITLIST option online in case space opens.** Please contact Rosa Bertomeu, Keely Lauretti, and Detelina Ivanova Duff at <u>afterschool@wolftrappta.org</u> with questions about the programs.

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND DESIGN

Funky Forces and More - \$136; 3:25-4:25 p.m. Monday Grades K-2; Mad Science

Through the course of Funky Forces and more, children will play engineer, chemist-and stunt pilot! Children will investigate physics fundamentals and bring their scientific minds to basic magic tricks. Your Mad Scientists will be shocked by what they learn about electricity, blown away by their experiments with air pressure, and swept away by the excitement of working with

waves!. February 3 – March 30; No classes on February 17

Robo Fun - \$194, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Thursday Grades K-6; StemTree

All facets of our life are affected by engineering -- genetic, civil, software -- just to name a few. To be successful in the field of engineering, creative problem solving abilities are a must. Stemtree Engineering program uses the wonder and genius of robots to inspire students to learn engineering, apply their knowledge and skills of basic science, model construction, computer programming, and problem solving to explore STEM concepts. This is both a perfect introduction to the world of robotics for younger students and an opportunity to expand the knowledge base of older students. We provide students a curriculum to apply scientific analysis to learn the basics of engineering. *February* 6 – *March* 26

Electronics with Minecraft Redstone - \$150, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Friday Grades 1-6; STEM ExCEL

STEM exCEL's Electronics with Minecraft Redstone allows students to explore electronics in a virtual world with essentially infinite resources. Using Minecraft's Redstone blocks, which act as wires on a breadboard, students can build constructs representing electrical circuits and simple computer projects that are built in the real world. This course is a great precursor to understand real circuitry, electronics and electrical theory. This course allows

students to gain an understanding of how computers are processing commands as they move on to other computer science studies, and take home their Redstone creations at the ends of the course. *February* 7 – *March* 27

Digital Animation - \$196, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Monday Grades 2-6; Silver Knights

In this unit, kids will create their own art, animations and adventures by using all of the Scratch 3 digital tools to make fractured fairy tales, choose-your-own adventure stories, and quiz games. Use the Silver Knights Curriculum to learn how to code and then take it to the next level with art and animated add-ons, avatars and end credits. Plus each child gets to take home their own USB at the end of the session. *February 3 – March 30; No class on February 17*



ART AND HUMANITIES

Filmmaking Club - \$185, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Tuesday Grades 3-6 Fairfax Collegiate

Students learn to plan, write, shoot, edit, and complete post-production on a digital video short film. Students learn about the basics of film, shot composition, scripting, storyboarding,

and the pre-production phase of filmmaking. Students then move on to act out scripts and shoot the film using boom mics, and professional Panasonic DVX- 100 digital video cameras. Students edit their film using iMovie, add music and credits, complete post-production, and export the film to a private Vimeo account for home viewing.

February 4 – March 31; No class March 3

Intro to Sculpture - \$140, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Tuesday Grades K-2 YMM Art

In this class, students will complete different sculptures by shaping and combining materials such as clay, paper, tape, foam, wire, stone and others. They will learn basic sculpting techniques such as carving, assembling, forming, collaging and gluing. They will also be introduced to concepts such as balance, proportion, and composition.

February 4 – April 14; No class March 3, March 24, April 7

Art Journaling- \$140, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Wednesday Grades 3-6; YMM Art

Art Journaling is a visual diary to record thoughts, memories and emotions in a creative, process-based manner by using art techniques, images and words. Art Journaling allows for self-expression, self-discovery, and innovation. Students taking this course will be able to "see" their own thoughts and gain insight when looking back to each entry.

February 5 – April 1; No class March 25

Drawsters - \$145, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Friday Grades K-3 Abrakadoodle

Learn to draw by using recognizable shapes and lines to develop unique one of a kind artwork. After the initial instruction is finished, students will be further encouraged to make their art their own by adding personal touches through further drawing techniques and rendering. Students study a variety of different artists and artists styles while using a variety of drawing tools (and sometimes paint). *February 7 – March 27*

MUSIC, DRAMA AND DANCE



Hip Hop All Stars - \$129, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Tuesday Grades K-6; Adrenaline Dance Force

Our ADF hip hop dancers will learn the latest street dancing technique, performance skills and confidence. Hip Hop is an ever-evolving style performed to current hip hop music. The Adrenaline Dance Force classes offer the ability to improve hip hop style, increase memory and improve balance by staying grounded and strong through upper and lower body movement. Adrenaline's experienced staff brings excitement to this class with the latest hip hop moves and age appropriate music! *February 4 – March 31; No class March 3*

Glee Club - \$190, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Friday Grades K-5; Glee Club Inc

Come sing and dance to a variety of music from Pop to Disney! Owner and founder, Holly Shockey is a retired Army Band vocalist where she performed at major events, including numerous performances at the White House. Your children will bop and sing to hit pop tunes, learn how to express themselves, and use the microphone. Glee Club is a confidence building machine, meeting your child where they are, never forcing the solos, but providing an opportunity if he or she is ready. The session will culminate with a fun demonstration for parents and friends. Check out our facebook page at www.facebook.com/gleeclubllc and www.gleeclubllc. *February 7 – March 27*

SPORTS AND OUTDOORS



Basketball - \$110, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Monday Grades K-4 Overtime Athletics

Join us for Fast Break Basketball where we'll "cross-over" between GAME PLAY and skills stations. The games within the game are where we will expose players to HOOPS skills like dribbling, passing, shooting, rebounding, and defense. Test your abilities having fun scrimmaging or playing games like Dribble Scribble, King of the Court, Hot Shot Shooting, Knock Out, and MORE! Be ready to take that last second shot, make that extra pass, and block that go ahead basket while learning the

fundamentals of Basketball and the concepts of team work. *February 3 – March 30; No classes on February 17*

Yoga - \$116, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Friday Grades K-5; Kids in Motion

Yoga for kids in grades K-5 develops focus, flexibility, strength, and coordination through a variety of yoga poses, stories, music, sing a longs, drawings and games. These classes enhance energy while teaching children how to remain calm and centered. Children learn basic yoga movements in a fun, relaxed setting, which always promotes doing their personal best in a non-competitive environment. Other benefits of yoga include increased patience, posture, confidence, and self-esteem. Poses are learned individually, with partners, and in groups. **Please bring your own yoga mat.**

February 7 – March 27

Running Club - \$116; 3:25-4:25 p.m. Thursday Grades K-6: Kids in Motion

This class is for boys and girls in grades K-6 who come out to run for fun and fitness! Kids run in groups with their peers. Throughout the class, coaches engage the kids in super fun running activities, such as sharks and minnows, tag games, relay races, and team racing competitions. We find that kids run so much more when we

include running games or running competitions throughout the hour. During just running time, kids will run laps and track their distance/number of laps by picking up a popsicle stick at the completion of each lap and work toward running longer distances throughout the session. When weather permits, parents are invited to the last class of the session to run with their kids! *February* 6 – *March* 26

Fencing for Young Jedi - \$170; 3:25-4:25 p.m. Wednesday Grades K-5: NOVA Fencing

Fencing for Young Jedi classes are conducted in the discipline of epee. We use standard fencing gear currently approved by and meets all safety requirements of US Fencing Organization. Although we use actual fencing foils to conduct our classes - foils are lighter, more flexible, and are easier for younger kids to handle - we teach the foundational skills in epee. Classes focus on introduction and reinforcements of the fundamentals of fencing including footwork, handwork, strategy and rules of fencing. Students will learn and reinforce various fencing movements and actions and will learn new actions and combinations. These one hour classes include group exercises as well as drills in pairs and bouting. Skills are reinforced with age-appropriate games and activities that build conditioning, speed and endurance while emphasizing critical thinking and quick decision-making. At the end of the session a tournament will be held at Nova Fencing Club using electric fencing equipment, followed by Glow-in-the-Dark fencing. Fencing for Young Jedi is appropriate for both beginning and continuing fencers. *February* 5 – *March* 25

SKILLS AND HOBBIES

Mrs. B Manners- \$220, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Wednesday Grades K-4; Tea with Mrs. B

Quintessential afternoon tea & delicacies, including tea time, sweets and savories, will be served on fine china & linens, befitting young ladies and gentlemen. We will develop and practice a variety of everyday manners in communication, introductions, table manners and social interactions. Each program is unique and geared toward the individual children in class. At the start of each program, we communicate with parents to hear what manners and lessons they would like to see their children work on, and then integrate those suggestions into our programs. Learning and practicing proper manners becomes easy, fun and memorable for all our guests. We teach boys and girls how to be engaging and comfortable with older audiences, as well as with their peers. We encourage them to use their imaginations and developing minds to assume secure positions within society. Our young guests become happy and well adjusted within a variety of social settings. *February* 5 – *March* 25

Tiny Chefs Snack Attack - \$204, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Thursday Grades K-5; Tiny Chefs

Our theme offering is Snack Attack!

In this session, students will push the limits on the snack concept and prepare a variety of wholesome, delicious, and unique nibbles. This is not your mother's PB&J! Chefs will prepare a variety of bite-sized munchies like chicken salad cups, homemade granola bars, veggie nachos, roasted red pepper hummus with homemade pita chips, and more. No one will go hungry this Winter! *February 6 – March 26*

Sew What? - \$130, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Tuesday Grades 3-6; Ms. Mallino

We'll start by threading a needle and see where it will take us! We'll learn at least 4 different stitches, including cross stitch. We'll practice following a cross stitch pattern then create our own. Lastly, we'll practice hand sewing buttons. This class is open to everyone! *February 4 – March 31; No class March 3*

Keyboarding - \$115, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Monday Grades 3-6; Ms. Mallino

Students will learn proper hand placement for typing by touch using a typing program and typing games. They will learn the correct finger to use for each key and will learn to type words without looking at the keyboard. Once keys are mastered, students will work on building up speed and accuracy. Students who took typing in the fall are welcome to sign up again to further their typing skills. *February 3 – March 30; No classes on February 17*





Chess Club - \$165, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Wednesday Grades 1-6; Silver Knights Chess

Join friends to play chess and learn from a chess master! Club members also have

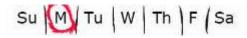
opportunities to play in optional weekend tournaments. February 5 – April 15; No class April 8

Puzzle Club- \$115, 3:25-4:25 p.m. Thursday Grades 3-6; Ms. Mallino

Believe it or not, this ONE class can help you develop your FCPS Portrait of a Graduate skills: Communicator, Collaborator, Global Citizen, Creative and Critical Thinker, and Goal-Directed and Resilient Individual. Together we'll construct and solve 500-1,000 piece puzzles. Our ultimate challenge will be solving a 1,000 piece puzzle in 60 minutes!

February 6 – March 26

DAILY SCHEDULE



K-4: Basketball, \$110 K-4: Funky Forces and More, \$136 2-6: Digital Animation, \$196 3-6: Keyboarding, \$115



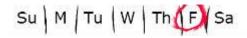
K-6: Hip Hop All Stars, \$129 3-6: Sew What?, \$130 3-6: Filmmaking Club, \$185 K-2: Intro to Sculpture, \$140

Su M Tu W Th F Sa

K-5: Fencing for Young Jedi, \$170K-4: Tea and Manners with Mrs. B, \$2203-6: Art Journaling, \$1401-6: Chess Club, \$165

Su | M | Tu | W Th F / Sa

K-5: Tiny Chefs Snack Attack, \$204 K-6: Run Club, \$116 3-6: Puzzle Club, \$115 K-6: Robo Fun, \$194



FRIDAY

K-5: Yoga, \$116	3:25-4:25 p.m.
K-3: Drawsters, \$145	3:25-4:25 p.m.
K-5: Glee Club, \$190	3:25-4:25 p.m.
1-6: Electronics with Minecraft Redstone, \$150	3:25-4:25 p.m.

MONDAY

No class Feb 17

3:25-4:25 p.m. 3:25-4:25 p.m. 3:25-4:25 p.m. 3:25-4:25 p.m.

TUESDAY No class Mar 3

3:25-4:25 p.m. 3:25-4:25 p.m. 3:25-4:25 p.m. 3:25-4:25 p.m. *No class Mar 3, Mar 24, Apr 7*

WEDNESDAY

3:25-4:25 p.m.	
3:25-4:25 p.m.	
3:25-4:25 p.m.	No class Mar 25, Apr 8
3:25-4:25 p.m.	No class Apr 8

THURSDAY

3:25-4:25 p.m.

3:25-4:25 p.m.

3:25-4:25 p.m.

3:25-4:25 p.m.

PROGRAM POLICIES

1. REGISTRATION: Registration must be made online using the PTA website.

2. ENROLLMENT: Each class has a minimum number of students required and a maximum number of students allowed. Class will be cancelled if minimum number is not achieved. You will be notified and reimbursed if the class you registered for has exceeded its capacity or not achieved the minimum.

3. CLASS FEES: The cost of each class is determined by the amount charged for the Instructor's time, the number of sessions, the materials (if applicable), and administrative/online fees. Costs vary and are listed on the registration page.

4. PAYMENT: Our online registration system accepts VISA, MasterCard, and Discover.

5. CANCELLATION: Every class has a \$20 non-refundable fee. Refunds of the rest of the class cost are given on a case-by-case basis. In general, we do not provide refunds once classes have begun.

6. NOTIFICATION: Registration confirmations and other class announcements will be communicated via email.

7. PARENTAL WAIVER AND CONSENT: Registering your child for Afterschool activities via our online website implies your consent of these terms and conditions and the Parental Waiver and Consent terms listed at the end of this brochure.

8. LATE PICK-UP FEES: By enrolling your student in any of the Activities, you hereby agree to a late pick-up fee of \$20.00, which will be charged for students who are picked up more than ten minutes after the dismissal time. Late pick-up fees are payable directly to the vendor. The PTA will not be collecting the late pick-up fees.

8. CONDITIONS OF ENROLLMENT: The PTA reserves the right to cancel your student's enrollment if he/she is chronically picked up late from the Activity, if your student has disciplinary issues and/or is not willing to follow the directions of the instructors.

9. CANCELLED CLASSES: It is the responsibility of the parent to be aware of FCPS school closings due to weather. Instructors will notify parents, the school, and the Afterschool Programs Coordinators of a non-weather related activity cancellation via email.

Unfortunately, there is always the possibility of an instructor cancellation due to unexpected illness or accident. Take time to discuss the alternative dismissal plan with your child should a class cancellation occur during the school day (e.g. if class is cancelled, child is to take his usual form of transportation home).

Every effort will be made to reschedule cancelled classes due to school closures (weather, etc.) or instructor issues. However, no refunds will be issued for classes that are not rescheduled unless the PTA is not charged by the instructor/vendor.

DISMISSAL PROCEDURES

1. DISMISSAL TO AN AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITY: Please have your child go to the cafeteria (except GEMS, (whose meeting places will be specified by the teacher) to sign in for his/her class each week. If your child usually goes to SACC, please have him/her go to SACC and we will pick him up there. Your student's teacher will receive a copy of the Afterschool Activities Roster, which will list your student's name, activity and dates/times of participation.

2. PICKING UP FROM AN AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITY: Parents/Guardians need to plan ahead and adjust their student's pick-up arrangements on Afterschool Activity days. Students will be in their assigned activity space. You will be expected to sign out your student at the end each class. If you are more than 10 minutes late, a late pick-up fee will be assessed.

3. DISMISSAL TO SACC: SACC will receive a Roster of students registered for Activities. Students who are normally dismissed to SACC will be sent to SACC at the end of the school day. Students must check-in at SACC.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

In the case of inclement weather the following policy applies:

- FCPS Early Dismissal -- All afternoon activities are cancelled
- FCPS Afternoon/Evening Events Cancellation -- All afternoon activities are cancelled

• FCPS School Cancellation -- All afterschool activities are cancelled.

Make-ups will be scheduled as time permits at the end of the session. The instructor will provide notice of any make-up dates.

PARENTAL WAIVER AND CONSENT

Please read the consent form below. You may not sign up for a class if you do not agree to these terms without express written permission from the PTA President.

I am the parent or legal guardian of the registered child/children. I hereby agree to follow all registration requirements.

I understand that there are certain risks of injury inherent in this before or after school activity and I am willing to assume these risks on behalf of my child. I hereby certify that my child is fully capable of participating in the designated activity.

I agree, in taking advantage of this after school activity, to release and hold harmless the PTA, including its officers, agents, members and volunteers; Wolftrap Elementary School, including its officers, agents, and employees; and any person or persons in charge of running the before or after school program (the program coordinator), from any and all claims, demands, suits, costs (including attorneys' fees and litigation costs) and charges, in connection with or arising out of providing the before or after school program, including but not limited to bodily harm or injury to my child/children. I understand that this release includes any claims based on negligence, action, or inaction of the PTA, Wolftrap Elementary School and the program coordinator.

I understand that the school clinic is closed during after school activities, therefore; medications such as allergy medications will not be available. If my child has any health issues, I agree to work with the class teacher/instructors to have a plan to follow in case of a health issue arise. In the event that I cannot be reached to make arrangements for emergency medical attention, I authorize the program coordinator or other adult present to seek immediate medical care at any facility that this person deems most suitable. I further give my consent for any and all emergency medical treatment for my child/children when the child/children is in this individual's care.

I have read this release and further agree that no oral representations, statements, or inducement apart from the foregoing waiver and consent have been made.

The Wolftrap PTA is a Nonprofit Association. All funds acquired through the Afterschool Programs are used to fund the classes, administration of the programs, and educational efforts within Wolftrap Elementary School.