Haggerty Neighborhood Council & Community School

Winter 2014



January-April

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Registration Drop Off: Monday, December 16th-9:00 am on Wednesday December 18th * Confirmation by December 20th)

General Program Information

Enrichment Program

Classes will begin on Monday January 13 and will run through Thursday, April 17, 2014. The enrichment program begins at 1:55 with 30 minutes of outside play & snack. Classes begin at 2:30pm. Early Release day's classes will not meet. Please see enrollment sheet for sponsored trips, and enrollment information.

Registration Procedures

Registration will take place on Monday December 17th through Wednesday December 18th before 9:00am. Drop off your <u>completed</u> registration forms in our box located in the multipurpose room. On Thursday our staff will do the rest! *For students in grades 1-5 please select a 1st and 2nd choice for day/time you would like your child enrolled.* Enrollment will be selected at random, and receipt of your child/children's enrolled classes will be mailed to your home address no later than December 31, 2013. **Please fill out a separate registration form for each child.** Forms that include combined children/class requests and information will be considered incomplete and will delay the registration. Incomplete applications will not be processed. You will be contacted accordingly to complete the application and register.

Payment Procedures

Full payment is due when enrollment is confirmed. We do allow for monthly payment plan, so please inquire if this fits your needs appropriately. Payments by check or money order payable to the **HAGGERTY COMMUNITY**SCHOOL. All City-Wide Outstanding Balances Must Be Paid in Full Prior to Registration! Your registration will not be accepted until full payment has been made or a payment plan has been set up.

Financial Assistance

Limited financial assistance is available for income eligible families. Income verification is required by submitting a copy of W2 forms from 2013 or 4 consecutive recent paystubs is required. All requests for scholarship must be received by **Friday December 20, 2013**. We cannot process financial assistance without completed forms.

Picking up Your Child & Child's Absence

Please be mindful our instructors have taken time to prepare to have your children in their class during the hours listed. Instructors leave after their classes

end and cannot be responsible for student supervision once their class is dismissed. Because students need to be picked up promptly, there will be a late fee of \$1 per minute after the class has ended. Please plan accordingly & pick up your child at the proper dismissal time.

Things happen, should your child/children become ill, if your child is being picked up by a new caregiver, needs to be picked up for an early appointment, or are scheduled with play dates . Please leave us a message at 617.349.6264 or email us akierce@cambridgema.gov, to keep us informed.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Cancellation & Refunds

Courses with insufficient enrollment will be cancelled, in which case a replacement course may be selected or a refund will be issued. Additional refunds will only be given before the second-class meeting in the event of a medical concern. Refunds will not be given if a child misses classes.

Scholarship Donation

We welcome your contribution to assist us with scholarships for families who are in need of financial assistance. You may choose to support a particular program or contribute to our general scholarship funds.

Holidays, Vacations and Snow Days

Classes are not held on City Holidays, School Vacations, Snow Days or other days that the Cambridge Public schools are closed.

Equal Access

The Haggerty Neighborhood Council & Community School & the Department of Human Service Programs do not discriminate in providing services on the basis of race, religion, national origin, cultural heritage, political belief, sexual preference, marital status, or disability. The DHSP will provide auxiliary aids and services, written materials in alternative formats and reasonable modification in policies and procedures to persons with disabilities upon request.

Inclusion Policy

The Department of Human Service Programs welcomes individuals with disabilities in all of its Out of School Time programs. DHSP will provide reasonable accommodations to individuals with disabilities who meet the basic eligibility requirements of the OST Programs or who with the provision of reasonable accommodations will be able to meet the basic eligibility requirements, to facilitate equal participation for those individuals in existing OST Program.

After School Enrichment Program

Mondays

January 6 - April 14, 2014

Classes will **NOT** meet on January 20st (Martin L King Jr. Day) and February 18th (President's Day)

Snack & Play

Grades JK-5 1:55-2:25

\$25/12 Mondays

Enjoy a light snack paired with some fun, supervised outside play.

*Restricted to children enrolled in afterschool enrichment classes on Mondays

Gymnastics	Instructor: Ken Hutchinson
Jumping Gymnastics	
Grades 2-4	2:30-3:25
Grades JK-1	3:30-4:25
\$130/13 classes	Limit: 10

Grades JK-1 The Jumping Gymnastics program is designed to present safe multi-level challenges to motivate children of all abilities to roll, tumble, swing, climb and balance to gain personal success.

Grade 2-4 -Students develop strength, flexibility, safe habits and discipline. They learn to set goals, combine skills and create routines.

Nature Investigators	Instructor: Deborah Puddle Stompers
Grades JK-K	2:30-3:25
Grades 1-2	3:30-4:25
\$130/13 classes	Limit: 10

Come explore nature after school as we search for animal evidence. Build hibernation dens and learn who is still out and about! Touch fur, feathers bones, and dissect owl pellets! Discover new and AMAZING creatures and plants with hands-on exploration, active investigation, crafts & games. We will be outside and running while we learn about the world around us, as much as temperatures will allow.

Creative Writing	Instructor: Marjorie Corbman
Grades 1-2	2:30-3:25

Grades 3-5 2:30-3:25 Grades 3-5 3:30-4:25 \$70/13 classes Limit: 8

Enjoy reading and creative writing through journal writing, story art, bookplanning and an opportunity to explore your creative thinking.

CeramicsInstructor: Laurie GainesGrades K-22:30-3:25 (Beginner)Grades 1-5**3:30-4:25 (Intermediate)

\$110/13 classes Limit: 10

Students will explore many different techniques and skills using clay. We will focus on learning hand and slab-building processes with low-fire clay and glazes while students increase their skill-level with this medium.

Students will learn to create specific functional and sculptural objects and will also be given time to experiment.

** For students who have previous ceramics experience

Improv Instructor: Annie Gladfelter

Grades 3-5 2:30-3:25 Grades 1-2 3:30-4:25 \$90/13 classes Limit: 12

Using stories, music, games & play-acting, students will learn to express emotions appropriately through verbal communication. Children will participate in role-plays and skits. Music & Drama can lead to strong literacy and group participation skills.

Homework Workshop Instructor: HCS staff

Grades 3-5 3:30-4:25 Grades 3-5 4:30-5:25

\$65/13 classes

Students will receive assistance in completing their homework or any unfinished assignments in a supervised, quiet setting.

May Only Register For One Homework Workshop per Day

Kickball/Matball Instructor: Satarn Thompson

Grades Jk-5 4:30-5:25 \$65/13 classes Limit: 12

Enjoy playing some of our favorite gym games, kickball and matball.

Have fun beating the Haggerty CS staff

Private Piano Lessons Instructor: Armine Donato

Grades K-5 (30 min. lessons) 2:00-2:30 \$260/ 13 Lessons Limit: 2

^{*}Priority granted to students who have previously taken lessons from Armine during the Fall session.

Tuesdays

January 7- April 15, 2014

Classes will **NOT** meet on February 18 (February Break) and March 11 (Early Release Day)

Snack & Play

Grades JK-5 1:55-2:25

\$25/13 weeks

Enjoy a light snack paired with some fun, supervised outside play.

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Artful Adventures Instructor: Sheryl Chen

Museum of Fine Arts

Grades 3-5 2:30-3:25 Grades 1-2 3:30-4:25

\$130/ 13 classes Limit: 12 students

Artful Adventures is an exciting opportunity to connect with a variety of art and cultures through the engagement of images from the MFA's collection. Each week we will explore pieces in a variety of styles and then complete an art project in a particular style or medium.

Circus Art Instructor: Brian Walden "Hot Soup"

Grades 1-2 2:30-3:25 Grades 3-5 3:30-4:25 \$130/13 classes Limit: 10

This is your chance to runaway and join the circus and still be home for dinner! While in a safe environment you will learn the basics of clowning, juggling, tumbling, devil sticks, partner acrobatics, plate spinning, make-up, human pyramids and much more.

Revels Instructor: Lakshmi Nayak

Revels Education Program

Grades Jk-2 2:30-3:25 \$85/13 classes Limit: 12

In this class traditional songs and singing games from around the world are introduced.

Story Art Instructor: Marjorie Corbman

Grades 1-2 2:30-3:25 \$65/13 classes Limit: 12

We will select a different story to read each week. Children will use a variety of materials to make art projects that relate to the story selected.

Basketball Instructor: Satarn Thompson

Grades 3-5 2:30-3:25 \$65/13 classes Limit: 12

Learn the basic skills of basketball. Have fun as you learn drills, strategies and enjoy some game time.

Messy Hands Instructor: Evelyn Lueders-Booth

Grades 1-2 3:30-4:25 \$65/13 classes Limit: 12

Does your child like to make a mess when doing art? Here is your chance. Every week you will get to use all sorts of media such as finger paints, play dough, foamy, sculpey clay and more.

Let's Get Moving Instructor: Satarn Thompson

Grades JK-1 3:30-4:25 \$65/13 classes Limit: 12

Enjoy a variety of different gym activities such as, scooter games, obstacle courses, and simple tumbling.

Art Sampler Instructor: Evelyn Lueders-Booth

Grades Jk-5 4:30-5:25 \$65/13 classes Limit:12

Enjoy using various mediums such as paper mache, watercolors, pastels, clay, felt and yarn.

Homework Workshop Instructor: HCS staff

Grades 3-5 3:30-4:25 Grades 3-5 4:30-5:25

\$65/13 classes

^{*}Please refer to Monday's description

Wednesdays

January 8- April 16, 2014

Classes will **NOT** meet on February 19 (February Vacation)

Snack & Play

Grades JK-5 1:55-2:25

\$25/14 weeks

Enjoy a light snack paired with some fun, supervised outside play.

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Ocean Science	Instructor: TBD
New England Aquarium	
Grades 1-2	2:30-3:25
Grades JK-K	3:30-4:25
\$150/14 classes	Limit: 12

Each week, participants will dive into the mysteries and wonder of the oceans. Children will unlock the secrets of the deep while developing their science, math and literacy skills. Student will learn about Tidepool animals, whales, sharks, sea turtles and aquatic vets.

African Drumming	Instructor: Allison Stamaris
Cambridge Performance Project	
Grades 3-5	2:30-3:25
Grades 1-2	3:30-4:25
\$110/14 classes	Limit: 10

Improve your listening skills by recreating the music of Allison's drums! Listen to the beat and create your own!

Photography	Instructor: Kata Medeiros
Grades 1-2	2:30-3:25
Grades 3-5	3:30-4:25
\$110/14 classes	Limit: 10

Join this class to learn photo techniques, composition, lighting, and how to organize and edit images on a computer using iPhoto. We can provide school cameras, but if you can, bring a digital camera and extra batteries to class. If you are sharing a family camera, it is best to have your own memory card.

Building Club Instructor: Evelyn Lueders-Booth

Grades JK-K 2:30-3:30 \$70 / 14 classes Limit: 10

Who can create the highest tower? Work with our selection of legos and blocks to create and play with peers. We'll challenge the students to creatively build while allowing each of them to learn from trial and error.

Floor Hockey Instructor: Satarn Thompson

Grades 3-5 2:30-3:25 \$70/14 classes Limit: 12

Why not learn how to play a safer version of hockey with the Haggerty CS staff? Join us as we head outside and face off! We will focus on skill development and team spirit.

Strategic Games Instructor: Annie Gladfelter

Grades 1-2 3:30-4:25 \$75/14 classes Limit: 12

Keep those minds sharp by challenging your opponent's wit with your own. We'll play chess, checkers, Stratego and more mind games, where thinking skills are key.

Paper Crafting Instructor: Evelyn Lueders-Booth

Grades Jk-5 4:30-5:25 \$95/14 classes Limit: 10

Join us each week to create unique hand-made cards, mini scrapbooks, treat bags and gift items. You will be exposed to using tools like rubber stamps, cutters, punches and more!

Homework Workshop Instructor: HCS staff

Grades 3-5 3:30-4:25 Grades 3-5 4:30-5:25

\$70/14 classes

*Please refer to Monday's Class description

Private Piano Lessons Instructor: Armine Donato

Grades K-5 (30 min. lessons) 2:00-4:30 \$280/ 14 Lessons Limit: 6

*Please refer to Monday's Class Description

Thursdays

January 9- April 17, 2014

Thursday classes will **NOT** meet February 20th (February vacation)

Snack & Play

Grades JK-5 1:55-2:25

\$25/14 weeks

Enjoy a light snack paired with some fun, supervised outside play.

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Creative Dance Instructor: Siobhan O'Brien

Cambridge Performance Project

JK-K 2:30-3:25 Grades 1-2 3:30-4:25 \$110/14 classes Limit: 10

Basic dance technique and terminology are complemented by creative and interactive games and activities involving different movement, music and dance styles.

Painting Instructor: Laurie Gaines

Grades 1-5 2:30-3:25 \$90 / 14 classes Limit: 10

Enjoy painting various project with the talented, Laurie Gaines.

Lego Engineering/Lego Robotics Instructor: TBA

Wicked Cool for Kids

Grades 3-5 2:30-4:25 \$140/14 classes Limit: 10

We investigate gears, pulleys, cams, levers, ratchets and many other geek-chic topics by building such things as street sweepers, hammers, fishing rods, & scales. Moving forward to robotics, kids create bots with motors and sensors, and program them on our own computers. There are lots of challenges to engage budding techies.

Please Note: The classes provided by Wicked Cool for Kids will begin on January 30th. So there won't be any gaps, a Haggerty Community School staff will provide a Lego building activity for the first 3 classes

Tennis Instructor: Jaeda Crisp

Franklin Park Tennis

Grades 1-2 2:30-3:25 Grades 2-5 3:30-4:25 \$95/14 classes Limit: 12

This class will explore the fundamental skills of tennis**Lego**

Engineering Junior Instructor: TBA

Wicked Cool for Kids

Grades JK-1 3:30-4:25 \$140/ 14 classes Limit: 10

The activities promote teamwork and critical thinking skills as kids investigate basic engineering concepts using DUPLOs. Perfect for the young builder with tiny hands.

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Songs with Marjorie Instructor: Marjorie

Grades 1-2 4:30-5:25 \$75/14 classes Limit: 12

We will be singing in a fun interactive class. Children will learn listening skills, recognizing musical instruments, discover rhythm and of course sing.

Gym Games Instructor: Satarn Thompson

Grades JK-5 4:30-5:25 \$70/14 classes Limit: 12 Enjoy playing a variety of sports & games in the gym.

Homework Workshop Instructor: HCS staff

Grades 3-5 3:30-4:25 Grades 3-5 4:30-5:25

\$70/14 classes

*Please refer to Monday's description

Fridays

January 10- April 11, 2014

Friday classes will **NOT** meet on February 21st (February Vacation) and April 18th (Good Friday)

Snack & Play

Grades JK-5 1:55-2:25

\$25/13 classes

Enjoy a light snack paired with some fun, supervised outside play.

*Restricted to children enrolled in afterschool enrichment classes on Fridays

Soccer	Instructor:
Super Soccer Stars, Inc.	
Grades 3-5	2:30-3:25
Grades 1-2	3:30-4:25
\$90/13 classes	Limit: 14

Join the Super Soccer staff as you play the world's most popular sport made fun and simple. Develop basic skills and team building.

Puppetry	Instructor: Jason
Cambridge Performance Project	
Grades JK-2	2:30-3:25
Grades 3-5	3:30-4:25
\$90/13 classes	Limit: 10

Have fun making puppets while learning the basics of performance, techniques of puppetry. During our class you will be exposed to several types of puppetry, including Shadow, Glove and Object.

Science: Balls & Ramps	Instructor: Annie Gladfelter
Grades 1-2	2:30-3:25
Grades 3-5	3:30-4:25
\$75/13 classes	Limit: 10

Grab a ball of any size or weight and explore the forces that act upon these simple toys. From bouncing to rolling, concepts in physics will be formed as children test their ideas in playful ways. Cooking & Baking Instructor: Phillip Harris

 JK-Kindergarten
 2:30-3:25

 Grades 1-5
 4:30-5:25

 \$90/13 classes
 Limit: 10

Mix, measure & blend! Enjoy making your own treats each week!

Puzzles & Games Instructor: Marjorie Corbman

Grades 3-5 2:30-3:25 Grades JK-2 3:30-4:25 \$65/13 classes Limit: 10

Unwind from the week and play board and card games with peers. Popular games in the after school include, Uno, Mancala, Chess, foosball,

and Jenga.

Scooter Games Instructor: Evelyn Lueders-Booth

Grades 3-5 4:30-5:25 \$65/13 classes Limit: 8

Scoot around with your friends as you participate in games and races such as, scooter hockey, relay races and obstacle courses!

Art Sampler Instructor: Andrea Breen

Grades JK-2 4:30-5:25 \$65/13 classes Limit: 10

End the week by joining your friends for crafts with Andrea. We will use materials such as, Model Magic, weaving looms, paints, and beads.

Private Piano/ Violin* Lessons Instructor: Melanie Maz

Grades K-5 (30 min. Lessons) 2:00-5:00 \$260/ 13 Lessons Limit: 7

*Students interested in violin lessons must have access to a violin.

Early Release Trips

There is one early release trip for our winter session. This trip will take place on, Tuesday March 11, 2014. Classes will not meet on this date. **Please check off on Registration form if you would like your child to attend.** You must register your child for the following trip in advance to secure enrollment:

Tuesday, March 11, 2014

Discovery Museum Acton, MA

Program hours: 11:55-5:30

\$30 per child Limit: 35



February Vacation Camp

Dates: Tuesday February 18 to Friday February 21

Program Fees:

Full Day: 8:00-5:30 pm Fee: \$165 Partial Day: 8:00-3:30 Fee: \$150

Fee includes activities, materials, transportation costs, admission fees & snacks! Trips may include Bowling, Chunky's, Fun World, & Disney on Ice.

Community Events

Camp Information Night

Wednesday March 5th

6:30 - 8:30pm

Snow date: Wednesday March 12

Cambridge Rindge & Latin High School- Main Cafeteria

Representatives from Cambridge Community Schools and other public

and private camps will be present.

Community School's Art Exhibit

Children's Art Gallery

April 10, 2014- City Hall

For additional upcoming community events please refer to our bulletin board or request your address be added to our email list.

Neighborhood Council

The Haggerty Neighborhood Council has provided quality programs for children, adults and seniors for the past 43 years. The council invites all neighborhood residents and Haggerty parents to provide your input on community issues, program planning and the development of the Neighborhood needs. Please contact 617.349.6264 for further information.

Parent Council Meeting

Monday, February 3rd 6-7:00 pm dinner & childcare will be provided as needed. Simply RSVP to akierce@cambridgema.gov

Adult Classes

Adult Yoga Instructor: Emily Poston

Tuesdays 7:00-8:00pm Yoga will take place in the Multipurpose room

\$95/ 13 classes

Senior Citizen Programming

Haggerty Senior Club

The Haggerty Senior Club welcomes new members! If you are interested, please contact Amanda Kierce at 617-349-6264

Club Meetings:

Mondays- 10am—11:30am January 13; February 10; March 10; April 14 Russell Youth Center * 680 Huron Ave

Trips to the Woburn Mall:

Mondays- 9:30am-2pm January 27; February 24; March 17; April 28

Bus Pick Up: 700 Huron Ave at 9:30am

Events & Trips:

January: Lunch and a Movie

Community School's Olde Tyme Valentine's Day Party! February 14th

Dates are to be determined. Event flyers will be sent to our mailing list. Please contact Amanda Kierce by phone or email to join our list. 617-349-6264 or akierce@cambridgema.gov

