# PTA-SPONSORED ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS WINTER SESSION 2016

Registration Deadline is 12 Midnight on Sunday, January 10 - Absolutely NO EXCEPTIONS!!!

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Name of Program	Grades	Time	Day of Week	Start Date	Classes/Session	End Date	Cost
Model Rockets	3-6	8:15-9:15am	Monday	1/25	6	3/7	\$90
Basketball	K-6	4:10-5:10pm	Monday	1/25	6	3/7	\$75
Ping Pong	1-3	4:10-5:10pm	Monday	1/25	6	3/7	\$87
Sculpture Club*	4-6	8:15-9:15am	Tuesday	1/26	7	3/15	\$95
Lego Robotics	3-6	4:10-5:10pm	Tuesday	1/26	7	3/8	\$85
Ping Pong	4-6	4:10-5:10pm	Tuesday	1/26	7	3/8	\$99
Zumba and Hip Hop Fusion	K-5	4:10-5:10pm	Wednesday	1/20	8	3/9	\$103
Musical Theater	K-2	4:10-5:10pm	Wednesday	1/20	8	3/9	\$119
Chess	K-6	4:10-5:10pm	Thursday	2/18	12	5/19	\$171
Indoor Soccer	3-6	4:10-5:10pm	Thursday	1/21	7	3/10	\$100
Minecraft Modding	1-4	4:10-5:10pm	Friday	1/22	7	3/11	\$155
Guitar	3-6	4:10-5:10pm	Friday	1/22	7	3/11	\$135

No classes on the following teacher workdays, school holidays, and early release days:

Mondays: 1/18, 2/15 Tuesday: 1/19 Thursday: 2/4 Friday: 2/5

\*Sculpture club will not meet on Mar 1, a delayed arrival day.

## Mondays

MODEL ROCKETS with Mr. Misch (Grades 3-6) Are you fascinated by rockets and space? Would you like to send a model rocket 100, 200, 300, or even 500 meters into the air? Then Model Rocketry is the school activity for you. In this class you will design, build, and launch your own model rocket. In addition, you will learn about the physics, science, and the history of rockets used for space exploration. MORNINGS: 8:15-9:15 am; Min. 8 - Max. 12. Coordinator: Franz Misch at ffmisch@fcps.edu

BASKETBALL from One on One Basketball (Grades K-6) Dribble, shoot, and score with One-on-One Basketball! Children learn basketball skills and techniques to include passing, shooting, dribbling and other fundamentals using fun games, drills and contests. 4:10-5:10 pm; Min. 8 – Max. 15. Coordinator: Radha Thiagarajan at radha.th@gmail.com

PING PONG from Ping Pong Panda (Grades 1-3) Come join us for this table tennis class featuring Coach Joe. Learning this sport will improve hand-eye coordination, quickness and mental acuity, introducing ping pong grips (shake-hand and pen-hold), ready position, forehand, backhand and serve in the classes. Ping Pong Panda will supply a range of modified and full size equipment including rackets, tables and balls. A Ping Pong Tournament will be held at the end of session. Both new and returning players are welcome to sign up. For more information go to http://www.pingpongpanda.net/. 4:10-5:10 pm; Min. 5 – Max 16. Coordinator: Tyra Wolfsberg at tyrawolfsberg@yahoo.com

# Tuesdays

SCULPTURE CLUB with Ms. Kim (Grades 4-6) Come join us for sculpture club! Students will explore various fun clay hand-building and wheel throwing techniques to build unique sculptures of their own. We will explore new techniques to create magical glass sculptures to light up the winter as well. If you are a brave student who wants to try new skills and refine yourself as an artist, this club is for you! MORNINGS: 8:15-9:15 am; Min. 5 - Max. 8. Coordinator: Andrea Kim at amkim@fcps.edu

<u>LEGO ROBOTICS with Mr. Misch</u> (Grades 3-6) This course is an introduction to Lego Mindstorm Robotics. You will build your own robot, learn how to program both on the brick and with a PC, and tackle some robotics challenges during this session. We welcome beginners, as well as students with prior Lego Mindstorm experience. After mastering the basic challenges, you will have the opportunity to take your skills to the next level. 4:10-5:10 pm; Min. 8 - Max. 12. Coordinator: Franz Misch at ffmisch@fcps.edu

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## Wednesdays

ZUMBA & HIP HOP FUSION from Kids in Motion (Grades K-5) Zumba & Hip Hop Fusion takes two of our most popular classes and combines them for the ultimate dance fitness party! This class is a high-energy workout party for both boys and girls in grades K-5. It is specifically designed for children, using child friendly songs, games, and choreography. It is a great fit for children and creates an environment of excitement around being healthy and active! Dance instructors are certified Zumba Kids instructors through Zumba International and experienced Hip Hop instructors. All instructors receive further training through Kids in Motion lead Zumba and Dance instructors. 4:10-5:10 pm; Min. 8 – Max 12. Coordinator: Seema Patel at patels2002@yahoo.com

MUSICAL THEATER from Harmonia (Grades K-2) In this course, students will explore multiple techniques to develop the essential skills for theater. The student will learn about characterization, vocal projection, movement, and how to portray a show to the audience. Students will learn through scene work and exploration of Broadway Musicals. Class will culminate in a mini showcase of musical numbers performed in the class for peer review and feedback; parents and family friends are welcomed to attend the last class. 4:10-5:10 pm; Min. 8 – Max. 12. Coordinator: Tatyana Tsvetovat at tatyana.tsvetovat@gmail.com

# Thursdays

CHESS from Silver Knights (Grades K-6) Learn chess from a Silver Knights Chess coach! We teach more than 3,500 children each week. State and national champions have come from our programs, but most of our students are just looking to have fun! Class time is split between lesson and play. Lessons range from learning the rules to advanced tournament strategies, depending on the children. Play time is structured to pair each student against an opponent of similar skill. All grades and skill levels are welcome. Silver Knights will supply all the equipment during chess club. Students will have the opportunity to play in tournaments. NOTE THAT THIS CLASS RUNS FROM FEB 18 – MAY 19. 4:10-5:10 pm; Min. 10 – No Max. Coordinator: Radha Thiagarajan at radha.th@gmail.com

INDOOR SOCCER from SoccerShots (Grades 3-6) This program is designed for players who want to develop their individual skills and technical ability. It gives players an opportunity to refine existing skills and to learn new ones. In addition to technical training, the program focuses on tactical understanding of the game, soccer intelligence and decision making under pressure. Players learn through close interaction with professional trainers, instructional demonstrations, technical training, skill contests, drills and footwork training. Scrimmages and small side games give players an opportunity to demonstrate what they have learned in a creative setting. 4:10-5:10 pm; Min. 6 – Max. 12. Coordinator: Tatyana Tsvetovat at tatyana.tsvetovat@gmail.com

## Fridays

MINECRAFT MODDING from STEMexCEL (Grades 1-4) This Minecraft Modding course teaches students how to solve problems in a multiplayer game while building and collaborating. Programming fundamentals are reinforced through creating mods in Minecraft. Students will learn to advance their programming skills writing and implementing large scale Minecraft modifications. 4:10-5:10 pm; Min. 15 – Max 20. Coordinator: Tatyana Tsvetovat at tatyana.tsvetovat@gmail.com

GUITAR CLUB from FineArtsMatter (Grades 3-6) Join Guitar Club this year and get your hands on a real acoustic guitar! Our experienced and encouraging teachers do a great job with both beginning and advanced students. Each session includes a brand new set of awesome songs to learn as we get ready for the Big Show! But Guitar Club isn't just cool...Learning an Instrument instills Self-Confidence, develops Attention Spans, improves Academic Achievement, encourages Social Skills and Teamwork. There will be a performance on the last day of class. 4:10-5:10 pm; Min. 5 – Max. 15. Coordinator: Radha Thiagarajan at radha.th@gmail.com

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## Remember to review and edit your child's grade assignment for the 2015/16 school year.

The PTA uses an online-only system for registration and payment, called Pay4SchoolStuffOnline. To use this system:

- 1. Go to www.pay4schoolstuffonline.com (or p4sso.com for short).
- If you have already created an account and entered each student, skip to step 6.
- 2. Under the "Parents" tab, click on the "Get Started Now" button.
- 3. On the first screen, enter your contact information.
- 4. On the second screen, add your student, assign him/her to Freedom Hill Elem., and select his/her grade.
- 5. Repeat step 4 to add additional students to your account.
- 6. To see the options available for purchase, including Winter enrichment programs, SELECT the student by name.
- 7. Add the desired enrichment program(s) to your cart. You will be required to fill out contact information for **each** program that you register for.
- 8. At checkout, use any major credit card or debit card to complete your purchase.
- 9. You will receive a confirmation email from p4sso.com after payment is complete. If you do not receive an email, your registration did not go through. Please check your SPAM folder, then re-register if needed.

Please note—you must register each child separately.

For additional instructions on using p4sso, follow the *CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE* link at the top of each page. You will be able to see how many spots are still available for each class. Once a class fills up, a waitlist will be created. **Don't procrastinate—some classes fill quickly!** 

Refunds (less a \$15 processing fee) are available before a class begins, assuming we still have enough students to go forward with the class. No refunds will be offered once a class begins.

Each year, the PTA will provide a one-time **\$100** scholarship to any class for <u>PTA members</u> with a financial need. For more information, please contact Tyra Wolfsberg at tyrawolfsberg@yahoo.com.

Parents can register for classes on the computers in the Freedom Hill school library between 9 am - 4 pm on school days, as well as on computers in public libraries.

Please note that all children not attending SACC must be picked up promptly at the time the class ends. If a child is picked up late more than once, the instructor has the right to expel the child from the class. No refunds will be given. Furthermore, children are expected to behave and fully participate in class. Should a child's behavior be disruptive to class, the instructor has the right to exclude the child from participating in the remaining sessions. In this event no refund will be given.

Questions? Contact Tyra Wolfsberg at tyrawolfsberg@yahoo.com