

# Norwood PTO Enrichment Program

## FALL 2009

Sessions 1: Oct 6,7,8,13,14,15,20,21,22,27,28,29

Session 2: Nov 10,11,12 Dec 1,2,3,8,9,10,15,6,17

It is our pleasure to present the winter 2009 session of the Norwood PTO Enrichment Program. We have added new and different clubs this session while attempting to keep class sizes small, so the children can benefit from individualized attention. We welcome ideas for new classes, and are already planning for the next session. The program starts on October 6, 2009. Classes meet from 3:15 pm to 4:15 pm unless otherwise indicated. Please check the class descriptions for exact meeting dates. Questions? E-mail Stacy Klein at [stacy@kleinlegalresearch.com](mailto:stacy@kleinlegalresearch.com) or Karen Simon at [karen103@optonline.net](mailto:karen103@optonline.net).

### ADMISSIONS & ENROLLMENT

Classes are open to all public and private school children in the area. Children must be in the indicated grade level to be admitted to a class, unless approved by the instructor. Norwood Public School students receive priority during registration night. Class size is limited and classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Classes are subject to cancellation or combination due to insufficient enrollment. Classroom assignments will be provided before the first day of class. **Students are expected to maintain behavioral standards consistent with school policy or will be removed from the program with no refund.**

### REGISTRATION

Registration will take place on Tuesday September 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 pm in the Library of Norwood Public School. Payment must be paid by check, payable to the Norwood PTO. **No refunds will be made.** Please note that during registration night, spots will be filled on a first-come basis for Norwood Public School students only and you must register in person for your own children. Any spots that remain open at the end of the registration night will be open to all area children on a first-come basis by MAIL-IN registration. Please submit any MAIL-IN registration forms to the PTO box at the front office of the school. Parents will be notified of class admission, and payment by check will be required prior to the start of the session.

### ENROLLMENT CONFIRMATIONS

In keeping with the PTO's efforts to "go green," paper confirmations of class enrollment will not be distributed. Parents can verify that their children are enrolled in after-school clubs by logging into their account on the PTO website, [www.norwoodpto.com](http://www.norwoodpto.com). Complete class lists will be posted on or about October 5<sup>th</sup>.

### WAITLIST

Every attempt is made to include students closed out of classes during the registration night. If you are interested in a closed class, please ask that your name be put on the waitlist. Additional spots in existing classes and/or new sections may be opened, subject to instructor approval. Waitlisted students will be notified by telephone if spots open, and must submit the required form and check to the Norwood PTO.

### INCLEMENT WEATHER AND CLASS CANCELLATIONS

Classes are automatically cancelled if school is either suspended or closed that day. Weekday classes may also be cancelled, at the instructor's discretion, due to inclement weather or a personal emergency. Every attempt will be made to announce these ahead of time. Any last-minute cancellations will be announced during school and an attempt will be made to reach the parent at the emergency contact phone number listed on the enrollment form. It is the parent's responsibility to check for messages regarding cancellations that may be left at this phone number. Instructors will make every attempt to provide a substitute or make up all cancelled classes. The instructor will notify you of make-up times.

### ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

Please note the starting and ending times of your child's class. The classrooms are not available before the specified times and there is no supervision before or after class. Please have your child picked up promptly, at

the front door of the school, when class ends. Children will not be permitted to walk to the public library unattended. Any child picked up late more than once per session will be removed from the program with no refund.

## CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

<u>MEETING DAYS</u>	<u>APPROPRIATE GRADE LEVELS</u>	<u>COST</u>
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### BEGINNING CHESS

Learn the basics of chess while developing skills in concentration, logical thinking and spatial relations. Students will learn the purpose of each chess piece while honing their computer skills using tactical Chess software. *(WILL ACCEPT FIRST GRADERS WITH PRIOR CHESS EXPERIENCE)*

TUESDAYS – 1 <sup>ST</sup> & 2 <sup>ND</sup> SESSION	2 <sup>ND</sup> -5 <sup>TH</sup>	\$40.00 PER SESSION
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### CRAFT CORNER

Our very own “Martha Stewart” will teach your children a variety of fun Crafts including: friendship bracelets, bottle cap jewelry, book marks, charms to be put on cell phones, ipods, or DS's., cards using rubber stamps and ink, and hair tie backs. Sign up for both sessions, we will be doing a new and unique project each week.

THURSDAYS SESSION 1	2 <sup>ND</sup> – 5 <sup>TH</sup>	\$40.00 PER
SESSION		
SESSION 2	2 <sup>ND</sup> – 5 <sup>TH</sup>	\$20.00 MATERIAL FEE
		<i>(each session = 4 weeks; \$20.00 material fee per session)</i>

### DANCE PARTY

After sitting in class all day, come move your body and have a blast. You will learn the hottest moves to the coolest music. Shake your grove thing!!!

THURSDAYS – 8 WEEKS	2 <sup>ND</sup> – 5 <sup>TH</sup>	\$80.00
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### FOOD ART

Every week create a different scrumptious, edible masterpiece. Learn basic kitchen safety, measuring, decorating techniques. Yummy for the tummy!

TUESDAYS – 1 <sup>ST</sup> SESSION	3 <sup>RD</sup> -5 <sup>TH</sup>	\$40.00 PER
SESSION PLUS		
TUESDAYS – 2 <sup>ND</sup> SESSION	K-2 <sup>ND</sup>	\$25.00
MATERIALS FEE		

### GOT GAME?

Remember these fun games? Crazy 8's, Chute and Ladders, Go Fish? So many of the good ol' games will bring our kids together thinking, learning strategies, counting and reading skills. Good things we never realized we were learning while playing games. Fun for Girls and Boys!!!!

THURSDAY – 1 <sup>ST</sup> SESSION	K - 1	\$40.00 PER
SESSION		
THURSDAY – 2 <sup>ND</sup> SESSION	K - 1	\$40.00 PER SESSION

### KNITTING

Professional teachers from Sew-You are coming to Norwood Public to share their amazing knitting skills with our kids. Learn to knit wonderful presents for yourself and your family. A great way to learn patience, improve fine motor skills and increase concentration.

TUESDAY – 2 <sup>ND</sup> SESSION	3 <sup>RD</sup> – 6 <sup>TH</sup>	\$40.00 PER
SESSION		

### LEGO MADNESS

Be a little builder of the future. Explore, create, imagine and learn with “hands-on” creation, fun, togetherness and the sharing of ideas. Encourages development of math & engineering skills!

THURSDAYS – 1<sup>ST</sup> & 2<sup>ND</sup> SESSION  
SESSION  
K-1<sup>ST</sup>  
\$40.00 PER

### LAND BEFORE TIME

Each week dig into the past to discover all about prehistoric life including dinosaurs, ancient birds & sea creatures. Learn about how they lived & enjoy hands-on projects to take home each week.

TUESDAYS – 1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION  
K-1<sup>ST</sup>  
\$40.00  
\$10.00 MATERIALS FEE

### MICROSOFT EXCEL

Learn the ins and outs of Microsoft Excel. Charts, graphs, spreadsheets and presentations will all be covered. Vital skills for school and life!

TUESDAYS – 2<sup>ND</sup> SESSION  
5<sup>TH</sup> AND UP  
\$40.00

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### MICROSOFT WORD

Learn the ins and outs of Microsoft Word. Create beautiful documents using beginning and advanced skills. Impress your teacher and your parents, too!

TUESDAYS – 1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION  
5<sup>TH</sup> AND UP  
\$40.00

### MOSAICS AND MORE

Learn the art of mosaic. Both beginners and advanced students benefit from instruction covering various techniques as well as a wide range of materials, grouts and adhesives.

WEDNESDAYS – 1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION  
4<sup>TH</sup> AND UP  
\$40.00 PER SESSION  
\$20 MATERIALS FEE

### PAPER MACHE

Let's get messy! Learn the techniques of paper mache and create your own projects big and small using recycled newspaper! Go green and have fun!

WEDNESDAY – 2<sup>ND</sup> SESSION  
4<sup>TH</sup> AND UP  
\$40.00  
\$10.00 MATERIALS FEE

### PUPPETRY

Your child will learn how to become a puppeteer. This class will explore the creative aspects of puppetry which will allow your child the opportunity to create and learn to use their own puppet. A great outlet for creative play, and storytelling.

WEDNESDAY – 2<sup>ND</sup> SESSION  
K – 2<sup>ND</sup>  
\$40.00  
\$15.00 MATERIALS FEE

### TAE KWAN DO (45 MIN CLASS)

Come experience an introduction to this ancient martial art form that encourages discipline, concentration and respect. Students will be taught basic Tae Kwon Do techniques by black belt certified instructors that teach at Northern Valley Martial Arts in Norwood. Uniforms will be provided for 1st class compliments of NVMA. This class meets for 45 minutes, ending at 4pm.

WEDNESDAY – 8 WEEKS  
1<sup>ST</sup> - 4<sup>TH</sup>  
\$80.00

### TOTAL GOLF ADVENTURES

Introducing the children of Norwood Public School to the fun, positive, character-building aspects of golf and create a lifelong love of the game. Certified instructors teach swing fundamentals, rules, etiquette, course management, competitive formats and life values. Learn more and get involved today!

THURSDAY – 8 WEEKS

1<sup>ST</sup> - 5<sup>TH</sup>

\$140.00

### USA TODAY

This land is your land, this land is my land. Learn about the USA from Coast to Coast. States, Capitals, National Monuments and more. Fun and educational, too!

WEDNESDAY – 1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

2<sup>ND</sup> - 3<sup>RD</sup>

\$40.00

### YOGA

An introduction to stretching and soothing exercise. A workout that encourages emotional, social, mental and physical development. Skills that will improve coordination, develop discipline, and enhance confidence. Healthy fun!

WEDNESDAYS – 1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

K - 2<sup>ND</sup>

\$40.00

WEDNESDAYS – 2<sup>ND</sup> SESSION

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