

SOUTHEAST POLK COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Summer 2011 Programs



SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMS

Web Design

This program is led by Youth Tech Inc., a non-profit organization that is one of the nation's leaders in offering technology and computer camps. Interested in a future in web design and development? Want to impress your friends with your own website? This interactive course will teach students about the world of web design and development. Students will learn how to build their own web site from start to finish using Adobe's award winning suite of products. Students will gain valuable experience designing and developing their own web site. This course is perfect for students wanting to express themselves and showcase their creativity! Financial assistance may be available, if qualified.

Cost	Ages	Location	Days
\$170.00	10-17	Clay Elementary	Monday-Friday
To Register	Times	Dates	Deadline
Register through Youth Tech Inc. by calling (913) 940-3155 or online at www.youthtechinc.com	8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Aug. 1-4	July 25

Game Design

This program is led by Youth Tech Inc., a non-profit organization that is one of the nation's leaders in offering technology and computer camps. Do you like to play video games? Ever wonder how they are made? This interactive course will teach students the basics of video game design. Students will experience a fun and interactive look at the world of video game design and development. Students will learn the basics of video game design and produce several different interactive video games to share with their friends and family! Financial assistance may be available, if qualified.

Cost	Ages	Location	Days
\$170.00	10-17	Clay Elementary	Monday-Friday
To Register	Times	Dates	Deadline
Register through Youth Tech Inc. by calling (913) 940-3155 or online at www.youthtechinc.com	1:00-4:30 p.m.	Aug. 1-4	July 25

Camp Invention

Unleash the creative genius in your child! A hands-on science and creativity day camp so fun, they won't even realize they're learning! Crash-land on an alien planet and figure out how to survive, explore games from ancient cultures, clean up a polluted city and redesign it using "green" engineering, build your own roller coaster and other amusement park rides, and use real tools to take apart old appliances and make your own invention. Students participate in 5 exciting modules taught by local educators each day. Camp Invention is a nationally-acclaimed STEM enrichment program presented in partnership with the non-profit Invent Now Kids.

Cost	Grades	Location	Days
*\$215.00 (includes a camp t-shirt)	1-5 (entering fall 2011)	Altoona Elem.	Monday-Friday
To Register	Times	Dates	Deadline
Register through Camp Invention by calling 1-800-968-4332 or online at www.campinvention.org	9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.	June 20-24	TBD

*Save \$25! Register with a friend for only \$190 each!

Mad Science Summer Fun Variety Camp

Monday and Tuesday

Mad Science has Fun down to a Science ... and Science down to Fun! This action-packed variety camp will cover, in the most unique ways you can imagine, elements/atoms, minerals, molecules, and compounds! We will also do variety within the variety by getting into some neat stuff on forensic science, lasers, and nutrition ... how to eat well, while enjoying it! We will mix in a couple of games to stretch the legs!! Each day will also include two hands-on Make-&-Takes the campers make/put together themselves. Make-&-Takes will come from the likes of: Churning Butter; Diffraction Glasses; Panning for Gems; Personal ID Kit; Slime; Air Blaster Rocket.

Cost	Times	Grades	Days
\$55.00 (early) \$69.00 (late)	1:00-4:00 p.m.	*1-4	Monday and Tuesday
Program #	Location	Dates	Deadline
2124	Centennial Elem.	June 13-14	May 29 (early) June 12 (late)
2125	Clay Elem.	June 27-28	June 12 (early) June 26 (late)

*Grades in fall 2011.

Mad Science Summer Fun Variety Camp

Wednesday and Thursday

Mad Science has Fun down to a Science ... and Science down to Fun! This action-packed variety camp will cover our atmosphere, and the crazy things that come into it from outer space, as well as making some of these phenomena from dry ice, and doing other fun stuff with dry ice. We will also do a bunch of cool things with our senses, including sound, demonstrating how it is actually a form of energy! We will mix in a couple of games to stretch the legs!! Each day will also include two hands-on Make-&-Takes the campers make/put together themselves. Make-&-Takes will come from the likes of: Catch-a-Comet; Image Inverter; Shimmering Stars; Soda Pop; The 1st Phone; Thermo-Color Cup w/ Dry Ice.

Cost	Times	Grades	Days
\$55.00 (early) \$69.00 (late)	1:00-4:00 p.m.	*1-4	Wednesday and Thursday
Program #	Location	Dates	Deadline
2126	Centennial Elem.	June 15-16	May 29 (early) June 12 (late)
2127	Clay Elem.	June 29-30	June 12 (early) June 26 (late)

*Grades in fall 2011.

Mad Science Summer Fun Variety Camp

Monday through Thursday

If you would like to participate in BOTH summer fun variety camps, you may register for all FOUR days! Be sure to register for the appropriate program number below.

Cost	Times	Grades	Days
\$99.00 (early) \$117.00 (late)	1:00-4:00 p.m.	*1-4	Monday-Thursday
Program #	Location	Dates	Deadline
2128	Centennial Elem.	June 13-16	May 29 (early) June 12 (late)
2129	Clay Elem.	June 27-30	June 12 (early) June 26 (late)

*Grades in fall 2011.

Mad Science-Big Jump Start Camp

Get ready for a GREAT camp for the littles of science tykes, as the Mad Scientist delivers programming from the likes of seeing things eye-to-eye, energy & motion, colors of their world, exploring the frontiers of space, looking things over closely, workings of water, listening ever-so-closely, shapes & structures, discovering our wacky weather, and keeping in touch! Fun & Entertaining, Hands-On & Interactive, with Make-&Takes each day.

Cost	Age/Grade	Days
\$65.00 (early) \$78.00 (late)	*see below	Monday-Thursday

Program #	Times	Location	Dates	Deadline
2130	8:30-10:00 a.m.	Centennial Elem.	June 13-16	May 29 (early) June 12 (late)
2131	10:30 a.m.-12:00 noon	Centennial Elem.	June 13-16	May 29 (early) June 12 (late)
2132	8:30-10:00 a.m.	Clay Elem.	June 27-30	June 12 (early) June 26 (late)
2133	10:30 a.m.-12:00 noon	Clay Elem.	June 27-30	June 12 (early) June 26 (late)

*Must have had one year of pre-school or be entering into Kindergarten in fall 2011.

Mission Transition

Do you want to give your child a chance to get a feel for what Junior High has in store for them? The transition program is designed to help sixth grade students' transition to the Junior High school experience by teaching the importance of leadership, communication, and resolving conflict. Students will learn their classmates' names and more about each other. They will also familiarize themselves with a new school so when school begins this fall, they'll be more comfortable with their surroundings. Instructor: Junior High Staff

Cost	Grade	Location	Days
\$49.00	*7	Junior High	Monday-Friday

Program #	Times	Dates	Deadline
2123	8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	July 25-28	July 18

*Grade in fall 2011

**Bring a snack and water bottle each day

AQUATICS

Summer Swim Lessons

Swimming lessons for elementary age students will be held again this summer! Lessons will be 30 minutes in length. The lessons are American Red Cross certified. Each session lasts two weeks and meets each day, Monday-Friday. There will be classes for levels 1-6 offered at each 30 minute time slot. Please register for the desired time and level based on the child's experience or previous lesson level completed. Swim lesson level descriptions and registration are available on-line!

Cost	Ages	Location	Days
\$36.00	5-12	HS Pool	Monday-Friday

Session	Times (afternoon)	Times (evening)	Dates	Deadline
1	1:00-1:30	5:00-5:30	June 6 - 17	May 30
	1:35-2:05	5:35-6:05		
	2:10-2:40	6:10-6:40		
	2:45-3:15	6:45-7:15		
2	1:00-1:30	5:00-5:30	June 20 - July 1	June 13
	1:35-2:05	5:35-6:05		
	2:10-2:40	6:10-6:40		
	2:45-3:15	6:45-7:15		

* Visit on-line or call the office for availability and to register.

EXERCISE & FITNESS

Tae Kwon Do

Regardless of ability or previous experience/non-experience, you will find a family-like atmosphere with years of tradition and knowledge behind every Martial Arts lesson! Children benefit with the ability to focus on tasks, greater respect, confidence, self-discipline, greater athletic ability, and much more. Adults benefit through stress relief, increase in cardiovascular fitness, increase in flexibility and agility, and weight loss. Participants are required to attend a minimum of 12 classes to successfully complete each session.

Instructor: Bond

Cost	Ages	Location	Days
\$25.00 Individual \$12.50 each (for third or more family member) FREE to SEP students (first session ONLY)	7+	JH East Gym	Mon./Tues./Thurs.

Program#	Time	Dates	Deadline
627	6:30 - 8:00 p.m.	June 23-Aug. 23*	June 16

*No class July 4, 11, 12, and 14

7TH - 12TH GRADE

Childcare/Babysitter's Training

The Babysitter's Training program has been updated, expanded and redesigned for today's babysitters. This program gives youth 11-15 years old the skills and confidence to be a great babysitter by learning how to: supervise children and infants, perform basic child-care skills such as diapering and feeding, choose safe, age-appropriate games and toys, handle bedtime and discipline issues, identify safety hazards and prevent injuries, care for common injuries and emergencies such as rescue breathing, choking, burns, cuts, and bee stings, and communicate effectively with parents. Upon successful completion of this course, the student will receive an American Red Cross Babysitter's Training certificate which is valid indefinitely. Please bring a sack lunch.

Instructor: Morgan

Cost	Ages	Location	Day
\$59.00	11-15	Central Place Board Room	Saturday

Program#	Time	Date	Deadline
1116	9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	May 14	TBD

HOW DO I REGISTER?

In Person or By Mail

Office hours are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Central Place: A Family Resource and Community Education Center
6540 NE 12th Ave, Pleasant Hill, IA 50327

By Phone

Call in your program registration with your VISA, MasterCard or Discover number to 266-6795 between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Online

Online registration is available at www.centralplace.org

Register Early

- Registration is required for all programs and is taken on a first-come basis.
- Some programs fill quickly, so please register early to ensure a spot. This also helps determine if there are enough participants to hold the program.
- If registering close to the start of program, call to confirm if space is still available.

Confirmations/Refunds/Cancellations

Registration and payment confirmations will be provided on request only.

- Refund requests must be made before the next program session is held.
- There will be a \$5 administration fee per program on all refunds.
- Full fee returned if Central Place cancels the program.
- Central Place reserves the right to cancel programs.
- Programs will be cancelled if there is insufficient enrollment.
- Programs will be cancelled due to weather if school district closes schools.

Supply Lists

If a supply list is required for your program, please request list when registering.

Scholarships

Scholarships may be available for youth programs. Call 266-6795 to learn more.

Questions?

Please call Central Place at 266-6795 with questions or for more information.