

Enrichment Club Parent Information Sheet

HOW: Please fill out the attached form/s and send them into your child's teacher by December 20th. Payment is required for enrollment. **Send the check in for their first choice only.** If your child is placed in a class with a lesser fee, the balance will be refunded to you. **Do not** send in a check for all three choices, just the fee for their first choice. Make checks payable to: WFS PTO. **No refunds** will be made once a registration is processed. Late registrations are accepted on a space available basis with a \$5 late fee. Classes may be cancelled due to low enrollment, so make sure you fill out 3 choices.

WHEN: Registration deadline is Wednesday, **December 20th**. Class assignments are on a first come first served basis, and will be emailed to you the week of January 14th.

SESSION DATES: The classes will begin on Wednesday February 7, 2018 and run for four (4) consecutive Wednesdays, ending Wednesday February 28, 2018. Winter enrichment will begin immediately after school and will end at 4:15PM. If WFS is closed or released early due to inclement weather, after school classes will be cancelled.

SNACKS: Please provide your child with a quick nut free snack for after school. Please inform instructors if there are any food allergies. **Please do not sign up for food related classes if there are any food allergies.** Please note that no nurse will be on duty during Winter Enrichment.

DISMISSAL POLICY: No transportation is provided during Winter Enrichment for program participants. All children will be dismissed from their ASSIGNED CLASSROOM. Parents will be required to sign out each child with his/her instructor before that child will be dismissed. **Please enter the school through the front entrance.** No parent will be allowed in the hallways until 4:15 p.m. If carpooling, a note must be sent in. YMCA After-School care children will be taken to After-School care by one of the volunteers. Children who walk to and from school must be signed out with his/her instructor. If your child is in school and will not be attending Enrichment, please let the office know. As well, students who do not attend school that day, may not attend Winter Enrichment. *Second grade students that need to leave early for CCD: Please mark this on your registration form. You will be emailed details on pickup.

ENRICHMENT VOLUNTEERS: Children of volunteers will be guaranteed placement in the club of their choice. One child per volunteer family will receive a \$15 credit towards their class, this will be refunded to you at the end of Winter Enrichment, so please send in a check to complete your registration. **Excluding Game Truck , ColorMeMine, Chess, Fitness Training and Fencing** as they are an outsourced class. (Teachers only will receive \$15 back per child with the exceptions noted above.) **Registration forms and payment for the children of volunteers must still be sent in to ensure class selection.**

Policies: All school policies outlined in the Student Handbook apply to WFS Winter Enrichment classes. The class instructor has the right to dismiss any student if the child is not behaving appropriately according to the Handbook. **This will be done without a refund.**

Thank you for your continued support!

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Enrichment Registration Form

My child has my permission to participate in the Winter Enrichment Program at West Freehold School. I hereby release the Freehold School District, WFS PTO and all instructors and volunteers from any liability arising out of my child's participation in this program. I understand that it is my responsibility to sign my child out at 4:15PM. Please return this registration form no later than **Wednesday, Dec 20th**. Make checks payable to WFS PTO, forms turned in without fees will be returned (including volunteers). Acceptance notification will be emailed to you the week of January 14, 2018.

Student Name _____ Grade _____ Teacher _____

1st Choice _____ Fee _____

2nd Choice _____ Fee _____

3rd Choice _____ Fee _____

****Parent email address** _____ **(required for confirmation)**

Cell Phone # _____ Parent Name _____

Local Emergency Name & Phone # _____

___ Dismiss my child/ren to the YMCA After Care Program The following are allowed to pick up my child/ren:

___ I will sign my child/ren out at his/her classroom / _____

___ I am a volunteer and will pick my child/ren up in the gym. / _____



If you would like to be a PARENT VOLUNTEER please fill out below: (you must be available for all 4 weeks from 2:40-4:30) Please note, that we do not have a Teacher for the Jewelry Making & Gym class listed. These classes will be canceled if no one steps forward to volunteer. Our programs takes many hands to be successful. We truly appreciate all those who have volunteered to help us make Winter Enrichment a wonderful program for our children!

Parent Name: _____

Specific class you would like to volunteer for: _____ (there is no guarantee)

Will you require childcare for a younger sibling: _____ if yes, age/name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name

Signature

For committee use only: \$Amt _____ Ck Amt _____ Ck# _____

Slime!**Grades K-1**

Get ready for some gooey fun and learn how to make your own SLIME. Each week you will get to experiment with different formulations and objects to create your one of a kind Slime for you and your family to enjoy. Bring a smock to class because you will get messy.

Instructors: Danielle Liberatore and Tamara Allan

Cost: \$20

Slime!**Grades 2-5**

Get ready for some gooey fun and learn how to make your own SLIME. Each week you will get to experiment with different formulations and objects to create your one of a kind Slime for you and your family to enjoy. Bring a smock to class because you will get messy.

Instructors: Michelle Lordi and Pamela Crivera

Cost: \$20

Cake/Cookie Decorating**Grades 3-5**

Come learn cake/cookie decorating techniques and ideas. Have fun creating your very own yummy masterpieces!. Best of all, you get to take it home and enjoy it with your family! * Students must bring a smock to class (food coloring and icing will stain).

Instructors:

Maria Espinel-Mendez and

Nicole Buonamassa

Cost: \$25

Project Runway - Grades K-5

Your designs are only limited by your imagination! Meet the requirements that week and your design might win the design challenge!

Instructors: Nina Donovan

Cost: \$15

Girl Power!**Grades 3-5 Girls**

Where girls get to be creative! DIY Crafts: Spa Day, Mason Jar Glitter Lites, I Am Boards & Crazy Fun Experiments! (please bring a smock, we may get a little dirty)

Instructors: Keri.Levy

Cost: \$20

Fencing**Grades 3-5**

Fencing is a sport in which two competitors fight using 'rapier-style' swords, called the foil, the épée, and the sabre; winning points are made through the contact with an opponent. Fencing was one of the first sports to be played in the Olympics. Come learn something new and exciting in this class!

Instructors: Ellie Shafaie from Freehold-Fencing and Christine Matta

Cost: \$35

Microsoft Design/Coding**Grade 3-5**

In this series you will be introduced to beginner friendly programs from Microsoft. Each week features a different topic. 3D design, Game Design, Coding and Entrepreneurship.

Instructors: Ray Foster from Microsoft Freehold

Cost: \$15

Yoga**Grades 3-5**

Stretch, breathe, relax. Come learn kid friendly yoga you can take with you to relax and destress. Wear comfortable clothing and bring a yoga mat, if you have one.

Instructors: Gina from Beacon Yoga

Cost: \$15

Color Me Mine Ceramics**Grades K-5**

You don't need a degree in art to

enjoy yourself in this class! Each week you will hand paint your own piece of bisque pottery from Color Me Mine, while learning new techniques and how to use special materials. You will complete a total of four masterpieces during this class, which will be returned the following week. Please bring an art smock each week.

Instructors: Megan Hohmann and Sandra Martinez

Cost: \$52

Game Truck**Grades 3-5**

The complete video game experience. 6 HDTV's and over 3 dozen sports and military themed games for Xbox 360, Wii and Playstation 3. Develop cognitive & critical thinking skills, effectively collaborate and have FUN!!

Instructors:

Brian Morris from Game Truck and Pamela D'Alise D'Angelo

Cost: \$50

Pokemon**Grades K-3**

Do you love Pokemon? Want to trade your cards? Do you want to learn how to battle? This class offers all of this. We will explore a variety of different crafts, battle, play games, trade cards, and much more! If you have Pokemon cards, be sure to bring them with you. If you don't collect cards, no problem! Join us anyway for tons of fun.

Instructors: Michele David and Jessica Kalagassy

Cost: \$15

Science is Fun!**Grades K-5**

Join us each week to perform a new science experiment. Science

can be lots of fun and you might learn something new! Please bring a smock.

Instructors: Julia Candullo

Cost: \$20

Basketball Skills and Drills Grades 4-5

Our own Mr. Brusotti will take you up and down the court as you learn and master different basketball skills. You must wear sneakers and bring a water bottle.

Instructors: Mr. Kevin Brusotti

Cost: \$15

Gym Sports

Grades K-5

Don't sit, get fit! 60 minutes of fun and healthy physical activities.

Sneakers required.

Instructors: Need Instructor

Cost: \$15

DIY Art Class

Grades 3-5

Welcome to the world of DIY with the best art teacher in town Mrs. Reed (formerly known as Ms. Areman)!! Be prepared to to have a blast creating all kinds of DIY projects. Please bring a smock.

Instructors: Paige Reed and Ann-Marie Lloyd

Cost:\$25

Under the Sea Crafts

Grades K-2

Each week we will do a fun under the sea themed craft.

Instructors: Maria Lamano and Jessie Giacobbe

Cost: \$15

Jewelry Making

Grades K-5

Each week we will work on a different jewelry project that you can put your own creative spin on making it truly unique. You will choose from a variety of beads and findings to use in your projects and learn some fun techniques to make jewelry you will love to keep or that you can give as gifts to someone special.

Instructors: Need Instructor

Cost: \$20

Chess

Grades 2-5

A considerable amount of research has shown that among children and adolescents who play chess there has been an improvement in problem solving skills, resilience, and autonomy which involves a sense of purpose and future, sense of mission about one's life. The research indicates that these life skills which one utilizes in learning how to be a good chess player are the same skills one develops in resisting peer pressure. Chess has the potential to foster the sharing of ideas and a sense of cooperative learning.

As a chess coach of two teams and three clubs at various times in the public schools I have seen changes in student chess players who play casually (not necessarily superb players) advance in their abilities to modify their behaviors, develop better self-control, resilience, and higher self-esteem. Their teachers often tell me their focus, concentration, and academic success has been noticeable.

Instructors: Mr. Jeff Marcus

Cost: \$25

Yearbook & Photography

Grade 5 only

Yearbook Enrichment is a great opportunity for 5th grade students to explore their creative and imaginative side, and capture the memories of the Enrichment program. The students will take pictures around the school and in the enrichment classes. They will learn how to use a camera, log on to the Yearbook website, navigate the site and upload their photographs. They will be involved in the design and layout of some of the pages and will be able to place their images on those pages. The students will also work on the "Remember When" and "Favorites" sections in the Yearbook. We ask that the students bring a **digital camera** with them to each session so that their photographs can be uploaded from the camera memory card. **The use of cell phones will NOT be permitted.**

Instructors: Malissa Mah and Lisa Dickstein

Cost: \$15 (to be donated to the yearbook budget)

Self Defense

Grades K-2

Self defense starts with prevention. The best way to defend yourself is to learn important safety rules and keep clear of danger. Learning simple self defense moves is fun, and gives us self confidence.

Instructors: Master Beams from Art Beins Karate, Freehold and Ms. Elise Meisner and Ms. Geena Basso

Cost: \$15