

Program Guide

Kidz Club is a program specially designed for our school to provide enrichment classes and help children develop their full potential through positive, social, emotional, physical and intellectual experiences.

Please See the Calendar of Each Club

KIDZ CLUB IS NOT PART OF THE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

It is a fee per class structure taught by outside professionals with over twenty years of experience. Please refer to the Kidz Club brochure for classes, times and prices.

- All children are picked up by their Kidz Club instructors or After School staff from either the gym, cafeteria or classroom and if so instructors or staff will return them to their after school classroom upon the end of the class.
- Please observe the class dismissal time and arrive promptly to pick up your child. Late pick-ups result in the delay of instructor's next class. There is no grace period.
- If you wish for your child remain in the after School program before or after a selected Kidz Club class, you have to register for After School as well.
- For all athletic courses, children must wear appropriate clothing and footwear.
- Schedule dates are only subject to change due to spontaneous school closings such as snow days. On the event that a session must be canceled, the class will be made up at a later date.

We look forward to an exciting Fall Term, and sincerely hope you can participate in one or more of these truly exciting programs! Thank you for your interest and support.

- **All Fees will be charged to your family's SMART TUITION ACCOUNT**
- **On the day your child attends any Kidz Club program/session, and is in After School, the After School fee on that day will \$16 per child.**
- **Weekly After School fee remains \$75.00 per child regardless if your child is in Kidz Club or not.**
- **All classes and fees are subject to change. The course fee is due prior or at the start of a course. Kidz Club registration fees are not refundable.**

Monday

SOCCER

Kids In The Summer

Our mission is to provide a complete, in-depth Soccer experience emphasizing fundamentals in order to help boys and girls in reach their full potential. All levels are welcome - we offer a variety of formats and always group players by age, gender, and ability within each session to ensure enriching competition. Whether you are just starting out or aspire to play at the high school varsity level and beyond, you will discover that Ascension is a great place to improve your skills, compete against good players, and enjoy the game of Soccer.

Instructors: Kids In The Summer

Grades: PreK-3 to 5th Grade

Where: Ascension School Gym

When: 3:30 - 4:00p.m. (Pre-K3; 12 students)
4:00 - 4:30p.m. (Pre-K4; 12 students)
4:30 – 5:15pm. (Kindergarten – 1st Grade and 2nd Grade 12 students)
5:15 – 6:00p.m. (3rd – 5th Grade; 12 students)

Fee: \$250.00 for 12 Sessions

Monday

MUSICAL THEATER

Musical Theater is an all-encompassing activity that exercises various stage skills simultaneously. Students will learn how to combine talents of singing, dancing, and acting on an actual stage, with their peers. I strive to use this kind of art as a way to encourage and challenge students to step outside of their comfort zone. Musical theater can provide a large group of students, who possess different ranges in talents, to work together to create a true masterpiece. Alongside of learning the songs, dances, and specific dialogue, students will also take part in creating their own costumes and set for their show. We will be putting on a main stage performance of a classical musical theater production (to be selected by the instructor) at the end of each semester for parents, friends, and family to enjoy.

Classes will consist of a combination vocal and body warm up, followed by different exercises and/or games that will assist students in stage performing tactics like voice projection, blocking the space, and the ability to speak and sing with different emotions. Students will be working on their vocal range and how to achieve higher and lower notes with their breath and posture. There will also be simple choreography to accompany the lyrics to most musical numbers. The other part of class will focus on actual scene work and pay attention to details such as; how to use body language (mannerisms) to best represent what dialogue is being spoken, never having your back to the audience, and memorization of lines. By the time the semester is over you are bound to have a real triple threat performer on your hands!

Instructors: Mallory Gladman.

Grades: PreK-3 to 6th Grade

Where: Library (3rd Floor)

When: 3:30 - 4:10 p.m. (PreK-3)

4:15 - 5:00 p.m. (PreK-4 - K)

5:05 - 6:00 p.m. (1st & UP)

Fee: \$225.00 for 12 Sessions

Tuesday

Drama

This class provided by Galli's Fairytale Theater will introduce children to the basic essentials of acting and drama. There will be many improvisation games as well as skill building activities. The children will also discuss their favorite fairy tales/stories and choose a tale to perform for friends and family at the end of the class season. We will explore the ideas of what a story is, what a character is, childhood favorites, and how all things theatrical can be applied to the real world and interpersonal communications. This class is great for any child who has an interest in building confidence, expanding language skills, learning about acting and theater, as well as just having fun!

Instructors: Tricia Patrick

Grades: PreK-3 to 2nd Grade

Where: Library (3rd Floor)

When: 3:30 - 4:15 p.m. (Pre-K3 - Pre-K4; 10 students)
4:20 - 5:05 p.m. (Kindergarten - 2nd Grade; 10 stud

Fee: \$200.00 for 12 Sessions

Tuesday

Chess

Chess Boosts Intellectual Skills. Young children can become very skilled at this complex intellectual game and can compete with adult. Learning chess opens a child's eyes to his/her intellectual power, inspiring confidence, concentration and improving memory. Children learn to plan logically, to anticipate consequences, to calculate advantages, to persist in finding the right move. These problem-solving skills apply to math, science, and verbal learning. Studies show that children who learn chess make academic advances beyond their non-chess playing peers.

Instructor: Raul Marquez

Grades: 1st & Up

Where: TBA

When: 3:30 - 4:15 p.m. (1st to 3rd Grade 10 students)
4:20 - 5:05 p.m. (4th to 6th Grade; 10 students)

Fee: \$180.00 for 12 Sessions

Wednesday

Gymnastics

Learn the basics of building your coordination, flexibility and muscles through gymnastics. Kindergym is a nationally acclaimed program designed specifically for young children. Here's a chance to sample many different types of moves through a combination of structured acrobatics. There is something for everyone. No prior experience necessary, skills progress with each age group to give students a solid gymnastics foundation.

Required attire: Shorts and T-Shirt or leotard and tights.
Gymnastic shoes or bare feet

Instructor: TBA

Grades: Prek-3 – 6th Grade

Where: Lunchroom

When: 3:30 - 4:15 p.m. (Pre-K3 - Pre-K4; 10 students)

4:20 - 5:05 p.m. (Pre-K3 - Pre-K4; 10 students)

5:10 - 5:55 p.m. (3rd – 6th Grade; 10 students)

Fee: \$200.00 for 12 Sessions

Wednesday

Tennis

YourServe After School Tennis

The curriculum and program consist of David Kardas and Dawn Fox teaching the fundamentals of tennis; forehand backhand serve volley and overhead, well as developing eye/hand coordination skills, and conditioning. Each session also includes playing fun tennis related games. We incorporate some of the USTA Quickstart/10 & Under Teaching methods into our own, as well as use Quickstart Balls, which are slower and safer for the student. We also provide the appropriate size tennis racquets for the class. In addition we use portable tennis net and lines to make up the court in the gym.

Required attire: shorts, T-shirt and sneakers.

Instructors: David Kardas

Grades: PreK-3 – 6th Grade

When: 3:30 - 4:00 p.m. (Pre-K3 - Pre-K4; 6 students)
4:00 - 4:30 p.m. (Pre-K3 - Pre-K4; 6 students)
4:30 – 5:15 pm. (Kindergarten – 2nd Grade; 10 students)
5:15 – 6:00 p.m. (3rd – 5th Grade; 10 students)

Fee: \$250.00 for 12 Sessions

Thursday

Lego's

Lego Adventures is a program designed to enhance teamwork and the following of directions. Every session, there will be a different project that the children will participate in. Children will take turns building with Lego blocks and giving their partner directions on how to build the given assignment. Younger groups will get more one on one attention from the instructor. This is a valuable way to teach our children many life long skills in a way that is fun and productive to them.

Instructor: Ms. Sandy

Grades: PreK-3 – 3rd Grade

Where: PreK-3 (2) Classroom

When: 3:30 - 4:05 p.m. (Pre-K3 6 students)
4:20 - 5:05 p.m. (Pre-K4; 6 students)
5:10 - 5:55 p.m. (Kindergarten – 3rd Grade; 10 students)

Fee: \$180.00 for 12 Sessions

Thursday

Multi Gym Sports

This dynamic, fast paced, and fun sports class incorporates a variety of team gym sports and encourages teamwork, sportsmanship, movement and fun competition.

Players will participate in a new sport each week for several straight weeks including: Kickball, Dodge ball, wiffle ball, relay races, ball games and more all tailored to the appropriate age group. Players will run, throw, catch, pass, think and work together in these fun, team oriented sports supervised by an experienced and energetic coaching staff from the Kids of Summer program. Kids of Summer has over 16 years of experience operating year-round sports programs for children all over New York City

Instructor:

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5:15 - 6:00p.m. (3rd - 5th Grade; 10 students)

Fee: \$250.00 for 12 Sessions

Friday

Ballet

Learn the basics of ballet, tap and modern dance, and build your coordination, flexibility and muscles through dance. **Kinderdance** is a nationally acclaimed program designed specifically for young children. Here's a chance to sample many different types of moves through a combination of structured dance and acrobatics. No prior experience necessary, skills progress with each age group to give students a solid dance foundation.

Required attire: Shorts and T-Shirt or leotard and tights.
Ballet shoes or bare feet and tap shoes

Instructor: TBA

Grades: PreK-3 - 6th Grade

Where: Lunchroom

When: 3:30 - 4:15 p.m. (PreK-3)
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