

SJS AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS ~ 2024 INFORMATION PACKET

**~ Fair Haven Martial Arts ~ Mother Knitter~
~ Paint A Tee ~ Snapology ~ Kidzart ~ iCode ~**

TUESDAY CLUB DATES: February 6, February 13, February 20, February 27

THURSDAY CLUB DATES: February 8, February 15, February 22, February 29

ENROLLMENT:

- Complete an enrollment form for **each individual child** in your family that is participating. Enrollment is open **STRICTLY** to Kindergarten through 5th grades. Hold your child's seat via the online signup which can be found on the SJS website under the tab labeled "For our parents & children," there is a clickable link within the flyer to do so.
- Payment must be received by **January 26th** to be able to participate.
- Make checks payable to *Saint James School*, send in an envelope to the Business Office marked "After School Clubs"
- Clubs do fill up quickly & early and spaces are limited. Sign up via the portal as soon as possible and complete enrollment form & send in with payment ASAP. Submitting paperwork and skipping the online place holder does not constitute enrollment. Enrollment is given on a first come, first served basis. The total number of spots varies by club, as does the pricing; both are noted in each club description. **Payment is due by January 29, 2024. If you sign your child up for a club and payment is not received, the spot will go to an alternate child.**
- **Once a club meets its maximum seat count, the club is full and closed, no exceptions can be made. If a club does not reach its respective minimum headcount, we reserve the right to cancel that club and any payment sent in for it will be returned. The same will apply to any club that we do not secure enough volunteers for.**
- Your child's enrollment in a club is not guaranteed until you receive email confirmation notification. If you do not receive notification prior to the start of the club, please contact us directly. Club participants can attend only their chosen club and only on their chosen day.
- Questions regarding Clubs can be sent to Suzanne Fixsen at suzannefixsen@gmail.com
- Volunteering questions, parent & student, can be sent to Anita Esser at esser263@verizon.net

DISMISSAL:

- > Club participants will be dismissed at 3:45/3:50pm. Dismissal procedures will be posted and sent along with your registration confirmation.
- > Please make sure to send your child to school with an extra snack and water on the day of their club. You will need to send in a change of dismissal note to your child's teacher on each day of the club they are attending. Do not email your child's teacher.

ABSENCES:

No make-up classes or refunds will be given for any absence. There will be no prorated refunds granted in the event a child is absent. Missed instruction and/or materials will NOT be given or provided and/or sent home by our club vendors or Saint James School. If a student is absent on a day that they would have received a previously completed project, we will make sure that the completed project gets to the student.

VOLUNTEERS: Please sign up via the portal link, found on our website under "For our parents & children." To ensure the smooth running of our After School Clubs, we are in need of parent volunteers for each Tuesday and each Thursday from approximately 2:20pm-3:55pm. We would also be very appreciative of student volunteer help, open to 6th-7th graders (fulfills service hour needs). Please contact Anita Esser if you can help out, esser263@verizon.net.

CLUB DESCRIPTIONS & DETAILS:

MARTIAL ARTS ~ \$100 per student (Tues: 3rd - 5th; Thurs: K - 2nd)

15 seats per day Martial Arts classes provided by Fair Haven Martial Arts will be beginner level friendly and age appropriate. Martial Arts promote physical fitness, while building character and offers the opportunity for children to build mental and physical balance. Each child will receive his/her very own karate belt and will receive any color belt tips that they may earn during their time with this club.

PAINT A TEE ~ \$85 per student (Tues: K - 2nd; Thurs: 3rd - 5th)

12 seats per day Paint a Tee is a mobile art studio that will be bringing their studio to our school! This club will take your child's artistic creations & designs and transform them into unique wearable and usable custom items such as tee shirts, tote bags, coaster sets, pencil cases, pot holders, mouse pads, pillows and more! These special creations will be theirs & yours to cherish for years to come!

iCode ~ \$115 per student ~ 2nd - 5th Grades Only (Tues: 2nd - 3rd; Thurs: 4th - 5th)

15 seats per day iCode of Shrewsbury will be bringing their sought after coding classes to us! All computers and necessary materials will be provided to students and are the sole property of iCode and will be used respectfully and properly. Each class involves an exciting, hands-on activity, designed to teach a new skill! While the skills build upon each other, the program is structured to allow students to work and progress within their own pace. iCode's trained and knowledgeable instructors will teach & help students to become comfortable with technology in a fun approach that enhances learning in math, science, engineering, and the arts. Seeing the lessons in action gives students instant feedback and aids in comprehension & retention. iCode uses vital soft skills directly into their curriculum through hands-on, collaborative projects that teach students time management, team work, presentation and communication skills, strategic thinking, and so much more.

Mother Knitter ~ \$175 per student ~ 3rd - 5th Grades Only (Tues: 3rd-5th; Thurs: 3rd-5th)

6 seats per day Mother Knitter is a small local business located right around our SJS corner on Broad Street. The art of crocheting and knitting is not only a creative outlet but a skill that students can hold onto and build upon throughout the years to come. This club will be a 4 week introduction to crochet. It will teach, support and help students who are new to the craft understand and master the basics so that they can ultimately create more complex finished projects. Students who are already familiar with the art of crochet are also welcome! The students will be encouraged to practice outside of class to make the most of our time together. Lessons will be adjusted as needed, based on the skills and proficiency of the learners, while following a project schedule. Mother Knitter will supply the club students with the necessary tools and materials needed and will provide some choices within the club's project perimeters to provide them all that they need to learn and create their very own crochet keepsake. Mother Knitter prides themselves greatly with sharing their passion and expertise of handmade goods. This is a "walking club." Students will be escorted to Mother Knitter's location at 97 Broad Street by volunteer parents and chaperoned during their time there. Students in this club will be escorted back to school for dismissal. Not open to registering for both days.

KidzArt ~ \$100 per student (Tues: 3rd - 5th; Thurs: K - 2nd)

15 seats per day KidzArt is a fun and unique art experience and they are bringing their classes and professionals to us! All materials and supplies will be provided to all students at each session. Students are encouraged to bring and wear an art smock or an oversized t-shirt to be used as a smock over their uniform. Check out Kidzart on the web at

KidzArt Imagine for Grades K - 2 Today's world requires creative thinking skills. KidzArt encourages problem solving, creative thinking and self-confidence using our exclusive methods for art instruction. Students will learn to use mediums such as watercolor, clay, chalk pastel, oil pastel and marker. Each student will complete a finished piece in each class. Help your children face the future with a creative mind!

KidzArt Inspire Studio for Grades 3 - 5 Inspire Studio captures the passion and imagination of older students. This class provides quality art instruction in a relaxed and fun atmosphere that mixes technique and skill, building with opportunities for creative freedom and self expression through drawing, sculpture, watercolor, pastels, and mixed media projects. Our unique curriculum is based on 30 years of experience supporting students of all abilities, including those who never considered themselves to be artistic. Students begin to express their ideas freely and overcome the impulse to judge themselves or others. We introduce a personal "tool box" of creative skills. Students learn to apply these tools to access the power of their imagination through our interactive format.

SNAPOLOGY ~ \$75 per student ~ K - 2nd Grades Only (Tues: K- 2nd; Thurs: K - 2nd)
(One student registering for both days = \$150)

15 seats per day

Cubelets Robotics & Coding (Tuesday K-2nd)

Join us for fun as students play and code with modular, robotic cubes known as Cubelets®! Snap the magnetic cubes together to create a unique robot, but what really matters is how you figure out the perfect robot recipe to solve a challenge. Kids will work in small teams to figure out how to create energy-efficient lighthouses, racer bots, maze-solvers, goofy animals, and so much more!

Scientists (Thursday K -2nd)

Students will cultivate a love of science by becoming a scientist in this interactive STEM/STEAM enrichment program! Students will engage in building concepts from astronomy, earth science, biology, chemistry, and physics using LEGO® bricks and other interactive learning tools. Construct a tower to withstand a natural disaster on our earthquake board, learn about architecture and design your own blueprints, create and build a constellation, replicate an animal's lifecycle, and more hands-on scientific projects to get kids excited about how the world around them works. We make science fun at Snapology!

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Snapology	K - 2nd grades	Snapology	K - 2nd grades
Paint A Tee	K - 2nd grades	Paint A Tee	3rd - 5th grades
Martial Arts	3rd - 5th grades	Martial Arts	K- 2nd grades
KidzArt	3rd - 5th grades	KidzArt	K - 2nd grades
iCode	2nd - 3rd grades	iCode	4th - 5th grades
Mother Knitter	3rd - 5th grades	Mother Knitter	3rd - 5th grades

SJS AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS ~ 2024 ENROLLMENT FORM

Please circle your club & grade choices in the chart below:

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Martial Arts	3rd - 5th grades	Martial Arts	K - 2nd grades
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Mother Knitter	3rd - 5th grades	Mother Knitter	3rd - 5th grades

Mark an X in the box below that will be your child's dismissal procedure.

I will be responsible for my child's transportation after the club. I understand the pick up time is 3:45/3:50pm and I will follow the outlined picked up procedures noted in my child's registration confirmation email.

My child will go to EDP after the club

Please sign the following permission statement.

I give permission for my child to participate in the SJS After School clubs as marked on this enrollment form.

Sign here _____

Student Name: _____ Grade Homeroom: _____

Parent Name: _____

Parent Cell # & Email: _____

Emergency Contact Name & Phone #: _____

Total \$ Amount Enclosed: _____