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May 7, 2010

Bismarck Public Schools DISTRICT Parent Survey Deadline: Friday, May 28

Every other year, Bismarck Public Schools does a confidential survey of ALL parents to get feedback so we can improve our educational program.

Please take 10 minutes to complete our 2010 online survey by May 28 at bismarckschools.org under Upcoming Events in the middle. Please complete this before school ends!

If you do not have access to a computer or the internet, you can take the online survey at any public school library or the public library at 515 N. 5th Street. If you have questions, contact renae_walker@bismarckschools.org, 323-4091.

Calling all youth Saturday, May 8



North Dakota Farmers Union Youth Education Leaders invite you to a fun-filled day learning about Leading by Serving. The event will be held Saturday, May 8 at the Cenex in Bismarck. Get a jump on a great summer camps and earn education credits to achieve award trips to places such as Minneapolis and Bailly, CO. Lunch will be provided. Contact Aggie Jennings with questions at agnhoj@juno.com or 734-6557.

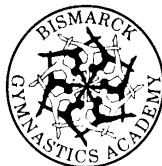
Trains, Planes & Automobiles Saturday, May 8



The Bismarck-Mandan Civic Chorus will present its spring concert, "Trains, Planes & Automobiles," on Saturday, May 8 at 7:30 pm at the Belle Mehus Auditorium. This concert will feature familiar songs such as, "She'll Be Comin' Round the Mountain" and "Greased Lightning," as well as Eric Whitacre's masterpiece, "Leonardo Dreams of His Flying Machine." Jubilate! of Central Dakota Children's Choir will also perform at the concert. The concert will include a paper airplane flying contest, and those who drive a classic or unique car to the event will receive a free concert ticket (please call in advance to reserve your spot).

Tickets are \$12 for general admission and \$8 for students and seniors. Tickets available at Herberger's, Eckroth Music, Latitudes or at the door. Call 400-7774 for more information or group rates.

Gymnastics Classes Registration: May 10-May 13



The Bismarck Gymnastics Academy will be offering two 5 week sessions of gymnastics beginning June 1. The first session runs June 1-July 2; the second session runs July 5-August 6. Classes are for children between the ages of 2 and 18; tumbling and cheerleading classes also available.

Registration for summer gymnastics is May 10-13. Call 258-8956 or check www.bismarckgymnastics.com for class schedules and additional information or birthday parties!

BMX Racing

Begins: Monday, May 17



Bike racing for BOYS and GIRLS of any age. All that is required is a single speed bicycle, long sleeved shirt, pants, and a full face helmet. Racing is held Monday and Thursday evenings from May 17 through mid fall. Registration starts at 6 pm before each race. Annual membership is \$45 with a nightly charge of \$8 for each racer.

FASTRAX BMX located on south 12th street in the cottonwood complex. For more info visit www.fastraxbmx.com or contact Darrin, 220-7803.

Free or reduced cost summer activities for kids! Deadline: May 21

Now is the time to plan for summer activities through Bismarck Parks and Recreation. Bismarck Public Schools works with Parks and Rec to help kids get involved in activities. You may be eligible for scholarships or reduced fees on summer activities through Parks and Rec. This includes the summer swim patch. Income guidelines apply. The process for receiving fee waivers has changed. Applications must be received before May 21st. For more information please contact your child's school and ask to speak with the social worker.

Peter Pan Friday, May 21 & Saturday, May 22



Northern Plains Dance will be presenting Peter Pan Friday, May 21 at 7:30 pm and Saturday, May 22 at 2:30 pm. General admission tickets available at Dan's Supermarkets or call Northern Plains Dance at 530-0986 for reserved seats. Fly away to Neverland with Northern Plains Dance!

In addition to five-week summer sessions, NPD will be offering several camps this summer, including Nutcracker, Little Ballerina, Hip Hop, Fairy Tale, and Story Time.

Call 530-0986 or email dance@northernplainsdance.org for more information on any of the

Donate used backpacks! Monday, May 24-Thursday, May 27

If your child will need a new backpack for next school year, please consider donating his/her used backpack the last week of school. There will be marked boxes at each public elementary school. The backpacks will be used for the student food program through Community Action. For more information, contact Ben Schafer, 701-741-3678.

Great Plains Track & Field Begins: Tuesday, June 1

The Great Plains Track & Field Club's season begins Tuesday, June 1. The club is for ages 6-18 and costs \$35. Participate in running, jumping, and throwing events at the Community Bowl. For information, visit www.bisparks.org under Partners & Links. If needed, call Steve Kubisiak at 223-1483 or Jeff Herman at 258-1557.



3rd Annual Autism Walk Saturday, June 12



The ND Autism Connection is hosting its Walk For Autism Awareness June 12 from 9 am-12 pm at Horizon Middle School. It is a fun family event with an Irish Auction and Resource Fair. For more information, visit www.ndautismconnection.org or call Sherri at 425-6151 or Renee at 471-8508.

Bully Expedition Wednesday, June 23

Families are invited to Bully Expedition 4th Graders Day in Medora on June 23. Students who are currently in grade 4 will participate in a history scavenger hunt, see "Bully the Play," experience the Medora Musical, and receive a vacation journal, T-shirt and Bully Fun Pass. Cost is \$10 per student. Registration forms available at www.bismarckschools.org under the Visitors tab.



Middle School Athletes

Tyler Woeste and Chris Clements will offer personalized weight training, plyometric and agility training this summer for middle school athletes. Space will be limited.

The sessions will be three days a week (Mon., Tues., Thurs.) with starting times at 9 am, 10 am, and 11 am, beginning June 7-July 30. Cost for the summer will be \$85 and \$95 after May 21. Contact Chris Clements, 250-7143 or by e-mail theclems@bis.midco.net

BSC's College for Kids Program

Bismarck State College is now accepting registrations for its College for Kids Camps. Students may choose from a wide range of camps, such as *Detective Camp*, *Storm Chasers*, *Hands in Clay*, and *Picture This! Digital Photography*. All activities are conducted in a non-graded environment where personal growth and development is encouraged. College for Kids is about discovery, experience, and fun. For details and registration information, call 224-5600 or visit www.bismarckstate.edu/ceti/kids.



Every 1 Reading

Give your kids something positive and enriching to do this summer. Every 1 Reading has openings for one-on-one tutoring in reading, writing and spelling this summer. Pam Krueger is trained in the Orton-Gillingham approach, which is research-based, individualized, systematic, multi-sensory, explicit, direct and it works. Includes phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, comprehension, and vocabulary development. Initial assessment with report and quarterly progress reports. For more information go to www.every1reading.com or call 202-9252 anytime. Free initial consultation.

Urban Idol

Got talent? Check out Urban Harvest's Urban Idol Youth Talent Contest. Weekly contests will be held Thursdays at 3 pm from July 8-August 12 at the corner of 4th Street and Broadway in Bismarck. Urban Idol is an opportunity for area youth ages 17 and under to showcase their talents and gain performance experience in a fun and relaxed atmosphere. Contestants just sign up and perform. Each week the crowd votes for their favorite act. Winners advance to the final competition on August 12. Cash prizes will be awarded to finalists.



Urban Harvest is an open-air market featuring a variety of local artists, crafters, food vendors, farmers and entertainers. The market is in its 6th season and occurs six consecutive Thursdays from July 8-August 12 in downtown Bismarck. Visit the Urban Harvest blog at www.bismarckurbanharvest.org for more information.

Aquastorm Swim Club

Looking for something new and fun to do this summer? How about joining the newly formed Aquastorm Swim Club. The Team recently took second at the ND Short Course State Meet. The Aquastorm Swim Club has 3 programs: an Age Group Swim Team, a Masters Swim Team and a Diving Team (Central Dakota Diving).



Age Group Swim Team is open for any swimmers age 5 to 18 years old that can swim at least 25 yards (one length of the pool) without assistance. Aquastorm has 5 different levels: Developmental, Age Group I, Age Group II, Senior and National. For complete details and requirements for each level, please take a look at the swim group's document at www.bismarckaquatics.com. The levels are based upon age and skills of each athlete and are determined by the coaching staff only. Swim Team fees are charged once a month based on level and are due the first week of practice.

Central Dakota Diving is open for any diver age 6-18 years old and adults who can jump in 13 feet of water and swim to the side of the pool without assistance. There are 4 different ability levels: Developmental (2 days per week), Age Group I (3 days per week), Age Group II (4 days per week), and Junior (5 days per week). There is also a Masters team for adults. For complete details and requirements for each level, contact Coach Claudia at centraldakotadivingclub@hotmail.com or call 202-1769. Levels are based on the skills of each athlete and are determined by the coaching staff. Dive Team fees are charged once a month based on level and due the first week of practice.

For complete information about the Aquastorm Swim Club, go to www.bismarckaquatics.com or e-mail coach Loic at loicjoseph@hotmail.com or call 400-0593.

U-Mary Wrestling Camp

For boys entering K-8 this fall: June 7-10.

Grades K-4: 8 am-noon;

Grades 5-8: 1-5 pm.

Camp is held at the University of Mary. Cost is \$75 for registrations received before May 24. The camp is designed to teach fundamental wrestling skills and techniques. For more information and camp registration brochure, go to the wrestling page on www.goumary.com or contact Ben Berogan, 400-3193 or bdberogan@umary.edu.



Camp of the Cross

August 8-14



LOCATION: Camp of the Cross, nine miles SW of Garrison, ND.

AGES: 12-15, boys & girls

ACTIVITIES: Archery, Canoeing, Dog Training, Environmental Studies, Field Trips, Fishing, Forestry, Orienteering, Outdoor Survival, Rangeland Studies, Trapshooting, Wetland Studies.

GOAL: Provide individuals with positive experiences in a natural environment through a balanced program of outdoor fun and hands-on learning.

CAMP FEE: \$300 per individual, which covers all meals and accommodations.

CONTACT: ND Wildlife Federation, 1-888-827-2557 or mail \$50 deposit with name of child, address, telephone number and the contact person to PO Box 1091, Bismarck, ND 58502-1091.

Football Camps

Marauders Football Camp

For boys entering grades 9-12 this fall: **July 6-8.**

Resident camper: \$150

Day camper: \$80.

Camp is held at the University of Mary. Campers will receive primary instruction from the Marauders football staff. Marauders athletes and local high school coaches also will be present at camp.



For boys entering grades 3-6 this fall:

July 12-13, 8 am-noon.

Camp held at Wachter Middle School. Cost is \$40 before July 3; \$60 after. This camp is designed to teach every position through a step-by-step progression of skill instruction.

For more details on either camp, go to www.umary.edu or contact Myron Schulz, 471-6357 or mschulz@umary.edu.

Feeney Football Camp

For boys entering grades 2-6 this fall:

June 28-30, 9 am-12 pm.

Camp is held at Hughes Field; \$45 before June 12, \$50 after. The purpose of the camp is to increase the execution of fundamental football techniques, participation in an individualized technique, 7on7 games, Red Zone games, Ultimate football games, and individual contests to improve skills and ability.

Brochures available at any elementary school or go to www.bismarckmidgetfootball.com. For more information, call Steve Feeney, BHS assistant football coach 258-7739(h).

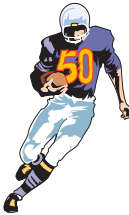


Capital City Football Camp

For boys entering grades 4-7 this fall:

July 6-8.

Campers will learn all positions and basic fundamentals. Brochures/registration forms can be picked up at any public elementary school or download off the CHS football Web site. Cost is \$45 and deadline is July 1. For further information, contact CHS head coach Ron Wingenbach, 255-0183.



Simle Football Camp

For boys entering grades 5-8 this fall:

July 26-28, 9 am-noon at Simle.

Basic offensive and defensive fundamentals and agility skills will be taught, along with team and individual contests. Cost is \$50. Brochures available at www.simle.bismarck-schools.org/simle/smsathletics or contact Perry Hanson, 255-2749 or Kerry Oberlander, 255-6640.



Sylvan and Creative Clay are teaming up again this summer to bring you the best of art and academics! All camps are held at Creative Clay Tuesdays -Thursdays. Creative Clay camps run from 12:45-2:45 pm; Sylvan camps run from 3-5 pm. Camps can be taken individually or together (snacks at 2:45 for those attending both camps).

SPACE IS LIMITED! Call Sylvan, 223-0010, or Creative Clay, 223-2577, to register. Check out our web sites for more information: www.creative-claybismarck.com & www.sylvanbismarck.com.

June 1-3 Food For Thought (Age 7+) and Sylvan Sum Fun! (Grades 1-3).

June 8-10 Peace, Love, Pottery (Age 9+) and Sylvan Fraction Action (Grades 3-5).

June 15-17 Pet Parade (Age 7+) and Sylvan Sum Fun! (Grades 1-3).

June 22-24 Eclipse (Age 9+) and Sylvan Write On! (Grades 4-6).

June 29-July 1 To Japan and Back (Age 9+) and Sylvan Multiply & Divide (Grades 3-5).

July 6-8 Over The Rainbow (Age 9+) and Sylvan Fraction Action (Grades 3-5).

July 27-29 Let the Sun Shine (Age 7+) and Sylvan Sum Fun! (Grades 1-3).

August 3-5 Wet Clay All Day (Age 9+) and Sylvan Solve This! Problem Solving (Grades 4 -5).

August 10-12 Name That Mess (Age 7+) and Sylvan Sum Fun! (Grades 1-3).

August 17-19 Where'd You Get That Shirt? (Age 9+) and Sylvan Multiply & Divide (Grades 3-5).

Other Creative Clay Camps:

July 6-8 Night Owl Camp: Peace, Love, Pottery (Age 9+) 6-8 pm.

July 20-22 Under the Sea (Ages 4 - 6) 10-11am (adult supervision required).

July 20-22 Great Balls of Fire (Ages 4-6) 1-2pm (adult supervision required).

Basketball Camps

Marauders Girls' Basketball Camp

For girls entering grades K-6 this fall:

May 31-June 3, 1-5 pm.

\$55 per camper. The camp is to assist girls in the development of basketball skills needed to compete. Individual skills along with some team development strategies will be instructed by experienced coaches and former collegiate basketball players.

Camp forms are available at www.umary.edu or contact the women's basketball office, 355-8278.



Girls' Basketball Summer League

For GIRLS entering grades 7-9 this fall: **June 3, 10, 17, 24, & July 8, 15.**

Games start at 6 pm. Each participant will play two games per evening. Fee is \$45. All teams will be selected and divided as equally as possible; 16 minute halves with a running clock.

Brochures are available at www.chs.bismarckschools.org/chs/chsathletics/gbb/ or call Ron Metz, 663-0153 or Dallas Hinderer, 250-0148.



Marauders Mens' Basketball Camps

Individual Skills Camp

For boys entering grades K-8 grade this fall: **June 7-9**, 8:30-11:30 am.

Camp is at the Bismarck YMCA; cost is \$90. Camp will teach individual skills combined with team play.

Offensive Improvement Camp

For boys entering grades K-8 grade this fall: **August 2-4**, 8:30-11:30 am.

Camp is held at the Bismarck YMCA facility; cost is \$90. Camp will develop shooting, ball handling, passing, and offensive team movement.

Brochures are available at www.umary.edu or call Rodney Kuhl, 355-8304.



BHS Skills Camp

For girls entering grades 3-6 this fall: **June 21-24**, 8:30 am-noon.

For girls entering grade 7-11 this fall: **June 21-23**, 12:30-4 pm.

Camp held at BHS; cost is \$50 and will stress basic game fundamentals.

Brochures are available at <http://www.bhs.bismarckschools.org/bhs/bhsathletics/gbball/> or call Dallas Hinderer at 391-5237 or 250-0148.



Start Smart Boys Basketball Camp

For boys entering grades K-6 this fall: **June 1-4**, 1:30-5 pm.

For boys entering grades 7-12 this fall: **June 21-24**, 1-5 pm.

Camp is held at Century High School, cost is \$65. The camp will emphasize fundamental play including footwork, ball handling, shooting, defense, passing and cutting, in an enthusiastic and positive learning environment.

Shooting Camp

For boys entering grades K-12 this fall: **June 1-3**, 10 am-noon.

Camp is held at Horizon Middle School, cost is \$35. For information, go to www.chs.bismarckschools.org/chs/chsathletics/bbb/ or contact Darin, 226-6898.



Hoop Star Girls' Basketball Camp

For girls' entering grades 3-8 this fall: **June 1-4**.

Grades 3-5: 8-10:30 am;

Grades 6-8: 11 am-1:30 pm.

Camp is held at Century; \$45 per camper. Registration deadline is May 14. Individual and team instruction focusing on the basic fundamentals of basketball provided in competitions and game-like situations. The camp will focus on teamwork, individual skills, and enjoying the game of basketball.

Camp brochures are available at www.chs.bismarckschools.org/chs/chsathletics/gbb/.



Capital City Boys' Basketball Camp

For boys entering grades 3-6 this fall: **June 7-10**, 1-5 pm.

For boys entering grades 7-11 this fall: **June 14-17**, 1-5 pm.

Camps are held at BHS; cost is \$65. These camps will stress basic fundamentals of the game by teaching proper technique in offensive/defensive situations.

Brochures are available at public school offices, or <http://www2.bhs.bismarck.k12.nd.us/athletics/boysbasketball/misc/camps.htm> or call Steve Miller, 258-2884.



Capital City Future Stars

Shooting & Skills Camp

For boys entering grades K-6 this fall: **Aug. 2-4**

Grades K-3, 6-8 pm; Grades 4-6, 1-3 pm.

Camp is held at BHS; cost is \$35. Camp will teach proper shooting techniques and individual offensive skills.

Brochures are available at public school offices, or <http://www2.bhs.bismarck.k12.nd.us/athletics/boysbasketball/misc/camps.htm> or call Steve Miller, 258-2884.

Simple Basketball Camp

For GIRLS & BOYS entering grades 5-8 this fall: **June 28-30**, 1-4 pm.

\$60 per camper. The camp will focus on teaching both offensive and defensive fundamentals. Areas of emphasis will include ball handling, shooting, passing, defensive positioning, and footwork.

Camp brochures are available at <http://www.simle.bismarckschools.org/simle/smsathletics/> or contact Tyler Woeste, 400-7762.



Volleyball Camps

Century Patriots Camps

For girls entering grades 3-6 this fall: **June 7-10**, 2:30-5:00 pm.

For girls entering grades 7-8 this fall: **June 14-17**, 2:30-5:30 pm.

Camp held at CHS. Cost is \$60 or \$70 after May 28. Camp will be staffed by high school/middle school coaches, and current and former high school/college players to provide a good student/coach ratio. The camp will teach and improve the fundamentals of volleyball: passing, setting, serving, spiking, blocking, team work, sportsmanship, leadership and citizenship.

For girls entering grade 9 this fall: **June 28-30**, 2:30-5:30 pm.

Camp held at CHS. Cost is \$60 or \$70 after June 18. The camp will be a great jump-start into the 2010 season. To expound on basic skills and incorporate the offensive and defensive strategies that are used at the high school level. Camp brochures available at www.chs.bismarckschools.org. Follow the links to "Athletics" and then "Volleyball." Registration brochures available at your school's office, or contact Jeni Walsh, 255-0818 or e-mail chspatriotvb@hotmail.com.



Bismarck Volleyball Camp

For girls entering grades 3-8 this fall: **July 26-29**

Grades 7-8, 9 am-noon

Grades 3-6, 1:30-4 pm

Cost is \$60 or \$70 after July 1

For girls entering grade 9 this fall: **July 12-15**, 2-5 pm.

Camp fee \$60 before June 20, \$70 after. All camps will be held at BHS and feature 8:1 camper-to-coach ratio, individual instruction, skill contests, and group contests. Camp provides instruction and competition in a positive and supportive environment. Knowledgeable and successful college/high school players will assist BHS & middle school volleyball coaches.

Check your public school office for registration brochures or download one at www.bhs.bismarckschools.org/bhs/bhsathletics/volleyball/ or call Lisa Krom, 223-9947 or Jessica Andersen, 400-8317.



Marauder Volleyball Camps

General Skills - June 17-19, grades 3-12. This U-Mary camp is designed to challenge players of all levels from beginner to advanced. For athletes looking to build their skills and develop technique.



Marauder Team Camp - June 19-21, grades 7-12, must register as a team.

High Performance Camp - June 21-23, grades 7-12. For those interested in becoming a better athlete and to enhance volleyball skills.

For more details, go to: <http://www.umary.edu/sports/volleyball.php?team=volleyball> or e-mail Christa at ckpetersen1@umary.edu, or 355-8250.

Theo Summer Classes



Register by May 26: Let's Hang Our and Draw Studio - May 31; June 1-4, 1:30-3:30 pm, gr. 10-12, Members \$40, Non-Members \$45. Fun With Sculpture & Action Painting - May 31; June 1-4, 1-2:15 pm, ages 9-13, \$35/\$40. You, Yourself & I: Creating a Self Portrait - May 31; June 1-4, 2-3 pm, ages 10-15, \$35/\$40.

Register by May 27: Create A Masterpiece - June 3, 10, 17, 24; July 22, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 5+, \$40/\$45.

Register by June 1: Create A Masterpiece - June 8, 15, 22; July 6, 13, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 5+, \$40/\$45.

Register by June 2: Kraft E Kids: Making Paper Beads - June 9, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 8+, \$20/\$25.

Register June 3: Portrait Painting - June 12, 19, 26, 1-3 pm, high school/adult, \$35/\$40.

Register by June 9: Kraft E Kids: Capsters - June 16, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 8+, \$20/\$25.

Register by June 16: Kraft E Kids: PomPom Critters - June 23, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 8+, \$20/\$25.

Register by June 23: UND Drawing Class - June 28, 29, 8-5 pm & 8-4 pm, adults/teachers, \$40. Kraft E Kids: Glow-In-The-Dark Clay Fun - June 30, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 5+, \$20/\$25

Register by June 29: Creative Art 1: Drawing Super Heros - July 6-9, 8:30-9:30 am, ages 4-6, \$30/\$35. Creative Art 2: Fancy Fairy Club - July 6-9, 9:45-10:45 am, ages 4-6, \$30/\$35. Creative Art 3: Splash into Watercolor - July 6-9, 11 am-noon, ages 4-6, \$30/\$35. Journey Through Japan: Workshop 1 - July 6-9, 1-2 pm, ages 6-10, \$30/\$35. Journey Through Japan: Workshop 2 - July 6-9, 2-3:15 pm, ages 6-10, \$30/\$35. Exploring Watercolor - July 6, 13, 27, 6-9 pm, high school/adult, \$40/\$45.

Register by June 30: UND Teaching Art Appreciation - July 8-9, 8-4 pm, adults/teachers, \$40.

Register by July 1: Making Glossy Bands - July 14, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 8+, \$30/\$35.

Register by July 2: UND Expressions in Watercolor - July 15-16, 8-5 pm & 8-4 pm, adults/teachers, \$40. UND Integrating Art in the Elem. Classroom - July 15-16, 8-4 pm, adults/teachers, \$40.

Register by July 13: Create A Masterpiece - July 20, 27; August 3, 10, 17, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 5+, \$40/\$45

Register by July 7: Kraft E Kids: Fingerprint Fabulous - July 21, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 5+, \$30/\$35.

Register by July 14: Diving Into Art Camp - July 26-30, 10-4 pm, gr. 2-8, \$130/\$145. Kraft E Kids: Sculpey Clay Bake & Bend - July 28, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 5+, \$20/\$25.

Register by July 16:

Noot's Adventure Camp - FULL DAY - Aug. 2-6 (space limited), 8:30 am-4:30 pm, ages 5-12, \$140/\$150. Noot's Adventure Camp - MORNING - Aug. 2-6 (space limited), 8:30 am-noon, ages 5-12, \$80/\$90. Noot's Adventure Camp - AFTERNOON - Aug. 2-6 (space limited), 1-4:30 pm, ages 5-12, \$80/\$90.

Girls' Volleyball Camp

Open to all girls entering grades 4-8:
June 1-4.

Grades 7-8: 9 am-noon;

Grades 4-6: 1-3 pm.

Camp focuses on skills such as serving, passing, setting, defensive and offensive court positions, and hitting.

Held at Simle Middle School. Registration fee is \$60 by May 24 for skills training, snacks, prizes, and a camp T-shirt. Late fee is \$70. Forms available on the Simle Web site. Parent or guardian signature is required to participate.



Register by July 22: Create A Masterpiece - July 29; Aug. 5, 12, 19, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 5+, \$40/\$45.

Register by July 28: Kraft E Kids: Create Your Own Cards - Aug. 4, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 8+, \$20/\$25.

Register by July 30: Morning with the Masters - August 16-20, 8:30 am-12:25 pm, ages vary. Sign up for 3 classes, get a \$10 coupon! Paul Meets Paul and Others - ages 5-12, 8:30-9:25 am, \$30/\$35. You can Collage Like Eric Carle - ages K-3, 8:30-9:25 am, \$30/\$35. DaVinci's Fascinating Art - ages 5-12, 9:30-10:25 am, \$30/\$35. Telling Stories with Marc Chagall - gr. 4-6, 9:30-10:25 am, \$30/\$35. Dream with Dali - ages 5-12, 10:30-11:25 am, \$30/\$35. Funky Faces and Super Sculptures with Picasso - gr. 3-6, 10:30-11:25 am, \$30/\$35. Close-Up O'Keefe - gr. 3-6, 11:30 am-12:25 pm, \$30/\$35. The POP in Warhol - ages 5-12, 11:30 am-12:25 pm, \$30/\$35. Hodge Podge Afternoon - Aug. 16-20, 1-4:30 pm. Sign up for 3 classes, get a \$5 coupon! Paint, Cut & Paste - 1-1:55 pm, \$30/\$35. Mish Mash Art - 1-4:30 pm, \$30/\$35. Become an Environmental Sculptor - 2-2:55 pm, \$30/\$35. Drawing Dinosaurs and Making Fossils - 3-3:55 pm, \$40/\$45. Back to School Art - 3-3:55 pm, \$45/\$50.

Register by Aug. 2: Frances Leach Arts & Science Camp - An outstanding camp offering classes in music, science, and art. Students can come for the entire day, half a day or for individual classes. The full day price reflects the best pricing. Register through highprairiecomplex.com. Aug. 9-13, Full day, 8:30 am-5 pm, gr. K-6, \$200/\$240. Half Day 8:30 am-12:25 pm, gr. K-6, \$120/\$140.

Register by Aug. 4: Kraft E Kids: Fancy Friendship Bracelets - Aug. 11, 8:45-10:15 am, ages 8+, \$20/\$25. Kraft E Kids: Glow-In-The-Dark Clay Fun - 8:45-10:15 am, \$20/\$25.

Art Classes being offered in conjunction with the the Frances Leach High Prairie Arts & Science Camp running August 9-13 are listed below. Please go to highprairiecomplex.com for more information on individual classes. Register by Aug. 2.

Art Explosion - 8:30-9:25 am, gr. K-2, \$35/\$40.

Making Journals, Sketchbooks & Basic Drawing - 8:30-9:25 am, gr. K-6, \$35/\$40.

Rockin' Turtles - 9:30-10:25 am, gr. K-6, \$35/\$40.

Just Add Light! - 9:30-10:25 am, gr. K-4, \$35/\$40.

Fun With Sculpey Clay - 10:30 -11:25 am, gr. 2-6, \$35/\$40.

Boxes and Pots - 10:30-11:25 am, gr. K-6, \$35/\$40.

Bird Houses with Textures - 11:30 am-12:25 pm, gr. 1-6, \$35/\$40.

Painting from Nature - 11:30 am-12:25 pm, gr. 2-6, \$35/\$40.

Misfit Toys Create Your Own Soft Plushies - 1-1:55 pm, gr. 3-6, \$35/\$40.

Who Let the Animals Out? - 1-1:55 pm, gr. K-6, \$35/\$40. Personalized Nature Aprons - 2-2:55 pm, gr. K-6, \$35/\$40.

Just Add Water! - 2-2:55 pm, gr. K-4, \$35/\$40.

Drawing Cartoons & Comics - 3-3:55 pm, gr. 3-6, \$35/\$40.

Splash, Splatter & Spill - 3-3:55 pm, gr. K-6, \$35/\$40.

YMCA

Complete list of activities are in the YMCA Program Guide. To learn more, stop by 1608 N. Washington St., call 255-1525, or visit bismarckymca.org. Register at Member Services desk.



Summer Safari: Youth will have the opportunity to build friendships, explore art, science, music, and enjoy the great outdoors. Youth can play games and sports, treasure hunt and explore their world through exciting field trips. Older students will be able to be a part of Y Leaders club, plan a carnival and organize service learning activities for the summer. Call 255-6122 or go to www.bismarckymca.org.

Dates: June 1-August 25 (closed July 5)

Hours: 6:30 am-6 pm, Monday-Friday

Day Camp: YMCA Day Camp is for kids ages 6-12. These week-long camps leave the YMCA and are based at Ft. Lincoln State Park and other local parks. YMCA Day Camp is the alternative to childcare where kids will go hiking, learn skits, songs, games, go swimming, waterslides and more. All camps run from 8 am-4 pm, Monday-Friday. Extended care is available before 8 am and after 4 pm daily. Limited spots available. Call 255-6122 or go to www.bismarckymca.org.

Part Time Junior Kindergarten: YMCA Youth Development Center preschool program offers classes differentiating by age/developmental abilities for children ages 3-5 and utilizes developmentally appropriate curricula to develop children socially, emotionally, physically and intellectually. These programs include Creative Curriculum, physical education, water exploration and swimming skills and YMCA swimming safety skills. Limited spots still available. Call 255-6122 or go to www.bismarckymca.org.

Swimming Lessons: The next session of YMCA swimming lessons is June 7-July 1. A variety of classes are available for all levels of swimmers. For more information, visit www.bismarckymca.org or call 255-1525.

Golden Seals Swim Team: Summer session begins Monday, June 7. Practices Monday-Thursday from either 4:10-5:10 pm or 5:45-6:45 pm. Contact Coach Drew Evans at 255-1525 or drew.evans@bismarckymca.org.

Girls Volleyball Camp: Registration begins May 3 for YMCA Girls Volleyball camp, which will be held August 9-August 12. Campers entering 3rd and 4th grade will play from 1 pm-3 pm, and campers entering 5th and 6th grade will play from 3:30-5:30 pm. Fee for the camp is \$32 for members and \$74 for non-members. Contact brent.kleinjan@bismarckymca.org or call 255-1525.

Itty Bitty Soccer: The YMCA will offer 2 sessions of summer soccer for kids age 3-6. Session 1 is June 7-July 1 with registration beginning Monday, May 3. Session 2 is July 12-August 5. Program times are 5:15-6 pm or 6:15-7 pm on either Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday. Fees are \$22 for members; \$37 for non-members. Contact brent.kleinjan@bismarckymca.org.

Itty Bitty Baseball: YMCA will offer 2 sessions of IB baseball this summer on Wednesday. Rookies (ages 3-4) will play 9-9:45 am, 10-10:45 am, or 11-11:45 am. All Stars (ages 5-6) will play from 1-2 pm, 2:15-3:15 pm, or 3:30-4:30 pm. Session 1 registration begins Monday, May 3 and the program will be held June 9-June 30. Session 2 registration begins Monday, June 7 and the program runs July 7-July 28. Fees are \$22 for members; \$37 for non-members. Contact brent.kleinjan@bismarckymca.org or call 255-1525.

Katie's Kruisers: This girls' only running group will help your pre-teen learn to love running. Katie Kost, a certified personal trainer, will offer a personalized running program to suit individual needs and levels.

Registration Begins : April 1

Session I - June 1

Session II - July 6

Session III - August 10

Time: Tuesday and Thursday, 8:30-9:30 am

Fee: \$80/member, \$150/non-member

Speed and Power Academy Summer Training Camp: YMCA's Speed and Power Academy is a sports-specific program designed to help athletes reach their potential and improve sport performance. This program implements the use of resistance training, plyometrics, core strengthening, stability/balance exercises, and speed training to help student athletes.

Group A - Males, 15-18 years old, Monday, Wednesday, 9:00 am strength training. Tuesday, Thursday, 9:00 am, speed and conditioning.

Group B - Females, 15-18 years old, Monday, Wednesday, 10:30 am, strength training. Tuesday, Thursday, 10:30 am, speed and conditioning.

Group C - Males, 12-14 years old, Monday, Wednesday, 1 pm, strength training/plyometrics. Tuesday, Thursday, 9 am speed and conditioning.

Group D - Females, 12-14 years old, Monday, Wednesday, 2 pm, strength training/plyometrics. Tuesday, Thursday, 10:30 am, speed/conditioning.

Registration: May 1-June 4

Session I - June 7-July

Session II - July 12-August 6

Fee: \$100/Member, \$150/Non-Member

Location: Life Center/ Community Bowl

AmeriCorps Program: The YMCA is proud to partner with the AmeriCorps program to offer free, supervised activities for youth ages 6-12. The Program currently runs every Friday from 5-8 pm, and every Saturday and Sunday from 12-6 pm. In the summer we will offer additional hours. A YMCA youth recreation application must be completed for each child who wishes to participate in the program. The application includes a waiver statement and required parental signature.

Activities offered through the program include Wally ball, soccer, basketball, board games, frisbee, crafts, Wii games, and art projects. Children will be supervised by AmeriCorps members who are paid volunteers interested in making a positive impact in the lives of children. The program continues through September 2010.

Free Youth Recreation Card Program: Provides access to YMCA year-round for Bismarck-Mandan K-6th graders. Program initiated by YMCA Board of Directors and Trustees to serve all the children, with recreational swimming, gym, track, racquetball courts and youth recreation areas at the Y annually with no fee. Supported by United Way since 1981, it's the only one of its kind in the US. Stop by Member Service Desk for a free Youth Recreation Card application.