

WINTER SESSION

Enrichment Club Program at Greene Street Friends School

CLUBS BEGIN: WEEK OF DECEMBER 10, 2018
REGISTRATION DUE: NOVEMBER 30, 2018

Greene Street Friends School is excited to offer after school enrichment clubs...

Starting this year, in addition to our on-going daily After School Program, GSFS launched an Enrichment Club Program. This program is offering a wide assortment of enrichment clubs for students to participate in during after school hours. Clubs are taught by experts and leading organizations in each field.

With the upcoming Winter Session, we have new offerings, along with returning favorites. **There are offerings for students from Pre-Kindergarten through Middle School!**

Clubs meet once a week, over the course of 10 weeks. Enrollment for each club will be limited.

Club Fees

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| Rates are as follows: | Non-ASP Contract students: | \$250 per club |
| | ASP Contract student: | \$150 per club. |

Enrollment Procedures

Enrollment will be on a first come first serve basis. **Winter Session registration forms are due by November 30, 2018. Club fees are due with the registration form.** Each club has a minimum number of students needed for the club to proceed and a maximum number that can participate. You will be notified at least one week before the club is scheduled to begin that your child will be participating. If your child is not enrolled, your check will be returned to you. Any questions can be directed to Amy Fiske at afiske@greenestreetfriends.org.

Club Schedules

Almost all clubs will run for 10 weeks from noted start dates. Clubs will not run on half-days. If a club day is missed because it falls on a half-day, or a day when Greene Street Friends School is closed, the club will continue to meet until 10 classes have been given.

Use of After School Program on Club Days

As noted in the description, clubs will have a start time of either 3:15 or 3:30. There will be no charge for students to come to ASP before the start of a club. Students who are not picked up when the club is finished will be brought to ASP. Families will be charged the 4PM pick-up rate (\$9.50) for any time that their students are at ASP from the end of the club until they are picked up by 6PM. Please keep in mind that ASP ends at 6PM and all students must be picked by this time. After 6PM, the \$1 a minute rate applies.

2018/2019 Winter Clubs— Program Descriptions, Days and Times

Give and Go Basketball

2nd - 4th Grade

Wednesday, 3:15 to 4:15; Starts:12/12/18

Minimum: 10 /Maximum 20

Kindergarten and 1st

Fridays, 3:15 to 4:15; Stats: 12/14/18

Minimum: 10 /Maximum 15

Give and Go Basketball will operate for 10 weeks and will focus on 6 weeks of skills development and will allow the children 4 weeks to play games against one another. Each class will begin with a check-in with teammates, building the group dynamic, and a review of the theme and skill set for the day. Skill sets will combine large group lessons and dividing into smaller groups to practice the skills in stations. Activities will be led in our NEW GYM!

Who They Are:

Give and Go Athletics, Inc. (Give and Go, GGA) is a 501c3 Non-profit organization that is committed to social entrepreneurship by assisting people and communities to reach their maximum potential.

Mission:

Give and Go uses sports and athletics to promote health, human development and informal education.

Give and Go is an organization that encourages the community to providing a positive ecosystem consisting of parents, mentors, educators, and peer associations is an effective strategy in reducing risky behaviors in the Philadelphia community. This uplifting ecosystem needs to extend beyond the formal school day, including positive mentoring and social interactions in a safe place after school. Mentoring must also include explicitly teaching students strategies for coping with and reducing stress. Give and Go basketball program seeks to build on children's physical skills and teach them fundamentals and teamwork.

Soccer Stars (New and Returning Students)

2nd - 4th Grade

Mondays, 3:15 to 4:15; Starts: 12/10/18

Minimum: 6 /Maximum: 10

PreKindergarten through 1st Grade

Wednesday, 3:15 to 4:15; Starts: 12/12/18

Minimum: 6 /Maximum: 8

The classes kick off with stimulating warm-up games followed by a muscle-warming stretch to get everyone ready for action. The bulk of each class focuses on skill-building activities and games. Individual, partner, and group activities are then introduced to optimize the experience for each child. Every session culminates in a scrimmage game (adapted variations for younger age groups) to familiarize each child with the structure of a game setting, while always encouraging our young kickers with positive reinforcement.

Super Soccer Stars was founded in 2000 by Gustavo Szulansky, a New York City father of three and native of Argentina. With futbol in his blood and having spent countless dollars searching for quality programs for his own children, he founded the program determined to build the best children's program anywhere. Super Soccer Stars uses the soccer ball as the vehicle to help children not only improve their soccer skills, but also develop self-confidence, improve gross motor skills, hone socialization skills and more in a fun, non-competitive, educational environment. Specially designed curriculum uses positive reinforcement and a low child-to-coach ratio to ensure that each child improves at his or her own rate while having endless fun. All Super Soccer Stars classes are based on an age-specific curriculum created by a combination of early childhood, soccer, and education specialists to guarantee that each child is learning and having a blast from the moment the whistle blows.

Hip Hop with Hip Hop Fundamentals

2nd Grade and Up

Tuesdays, 3:30 to 4:30; Starts:12/11/18

Minimum 6 /Maximum 15

This program teach the dance basics of Breaking through drills, games, and team-building exercises. Students will create their own moves, learn Breaking foundation, and work in groups to begin the path of true Hip Hop Dance.

Hip Hop Fundamentals is an award-winning team of diverse professional Breakdancers dedicated to Hip Hop Education. They are the world's only Breakdance education company combining academic and social content with the world's most dynamic dance form. As certified teaching artists, seasoned performers, and battle-tested dancers, we are passionately driven to inspire audiences and participants of all ages. They've worked with schools, community sites, cultural/social organizations, museums, educational conferences and government agencies to bring their unique method of Breaking education to youth and adults.

Yoga Club

PreKindergarten through 1st Grade

5 week Mini-Session

\$125 (\$75 for ASP-Contract Students)

Thursdays, 3:15 to 4:15; Starts 12/13/18

Minimum: 6 /Maximum:10

This class will consist of music, movement, and mindfulness. Each week will have a different theme that will serve as the backdrop for our adventure. Club members will have the opportunity to co-create journeys to unlock greater awareness of their bodies, refine their hand-eye coordination, and gain a deeper understanding of their emotions. We will learn yoga postures, exercise our imaginations, and explore guided meditations. All this and more, while having a super fun time!

LaVina has been practicing yoga since 2015 and has experienced a deep and positive transformation through the practice. She previously taught adult classes but found it transformative when she began teaching parent-child music, movement, and mindfulness classes through the Children's Music Express based out of Chestnut Hill. This inspired an entirely new realm of possibilities leading right into yoga for KIDS. She became 25hr RCYS certified and is excited to bring this opportunity to our young students.

Build It/ Art with Moira Schwartz

PreKindergarten through 1st Grade

Tuesdays, 3:30 to 4:30; Starts: 12/11/18

Minimum: 6 /Maximum:12

2nd through 4th Grade

Thursdays, 3:30 to 4:30; Starts: 12/13/18

Minimum: 6 /Maximum:12

Students will learn about abstract and realistic sculptures while investigating different building materials and textures. Students will also learn about sculptors and architects from Philadelphia including Alexander Calder and his family. We'll practice building balanced sculptures as well as balancing our bodies like *Diana* by Augustus Saint-Gaudens and moving like Calder's *Ghost*. Studio projects mixed media sculptures and mobiles. Activities and projects will be geared to the age group participating.

This class is taught by Moira Schwartz. Moira earned a BFA in Textile Design and an Art Education Certification for K-12 Art from Moore College of Art and Design. She has taught in the classroom, worked as a Museum Educator at the Philadelphia Museum of Art, Delaware Art Museum and other art centers for 11 years. When I'm not teaching I love spending time with my family, listening to music, running in the Wissahickon and making my own art.

Snapology/ From Robotics to Animation

Weeks 1 - 3; Space Travel Robotics

Weeks 4 - 10; Animation

2nd through 4th Grade

Thursdays, 3:15 to 4:15; Starts: 12/13/18

Minimum: 10 /Maximum: 20

This program will combine Snapology Robotics activities for weeks 1 - 3 and a special Snapology Animation program for weeks 4 - 10.

Space Travel Robotics (Weeks 1 - 3): Robotics inspired by space travel! Come on an adventure building and programming functional robots using LEGO® bricks in this fun program. Learn about space, space travel and, of course Star Wars®! Build different robots each day!

Animation (Weeks 4 - 10): Create fantastic movies with stop motion animation using LEGO® bricks. Students will work in teams under guided instruction to make a digital movie using stop-motion techniques. Teams will go through the entire movie making process, from plot and character planning to editing. The best part is, their video will be uploaded to Snapology's YouTube channel so they can show friends and family their very own video!

Snapology is a Pittsburgh-based company whose mission is to provide children an opportunity to engage in "playful learning" activities that will stimulate their creativity and spark an interest in learning. Many Snapology instructors are certified teachers. Snapology programs are designed to combine fun with education. In their classes and workshops they use LEGO® bricks and other educational tools to teach children development skills and concepts of science.

Children's Opera Box/ Singing, Acting and Movement with Paula Rivera-Dantagnan

2nd and Up

Mondays, 3:15 to 4:15; Starts: 12/10/18

Minimum: 10 /Maximum: 20

Do you think opera is boring? Complicated? For “old” people? Think again... In this class, students will learn all about this art form and prepare to perform the role of Royal Messengers in Rossini's beautiful masterpiece, Cinderella. They will work on singing, acting, movement and at the end of the class they will be ready to go on stage and bring to life this operatic comedy alongside a full cast of professional opera singers. This final performance will be presented to the school.

Warning: be ready for some unexpected twists in the story... Come and join us on stage in this operatic adventure!

Mezzo-soprano Paula Rivera-Dantagnan is an active performer, opera director, voice and music teacher in the Philadelphia area. She is the founder and Artistic Director of Children's Opera Box and core member of the Opera Philadelphia Chorus. Paula also performs as a soloist with companies such as Delaware Valley Opera and Concert Opera Philadelphia. She has taught music and choir at Plymouth Meeting Friends, Friends Central and Greene Street Friends. She maintains a private voice studio and helps singers of all ages discover and train their voices to reach their musical goals, whether it is gaining self-confidence, singing in a choir or continuing to a music major in college.

Children's Opera Box present abridged versions of some of the most important works in the operatic repertoire performed in English by professional opera singers from the Philadelphia area. Our goal is to bring down the stereotypes that many people have about this beautiful art form and have students experience first-hand what it is to be fully engaged in an operatic production. Since 2010 COB has reached more than 2,000 youth with the fun of opera, providing engaging and inspirational experiences that stimulate lifelong learning and interest in the arts.

Chess (New and Returning Students)

2nd through 4th Grade

Mondays, 3:15 to 5:15; Starts: 12/10/18

Minimum: 6 /No Maximum

In this club, students are instructed in the Royal Game of Chess. Students learn about the chessboard, how pieces move & capture, the difference between check & checkmate, opening theory, middle game strategy, tactics, and endgame technics. Students engage in critical thinking, analysis, time management, and decision-making process. They are encouraged to compete in local, state, and national tournaments.

This club is led Bradley Crable. He has been been teaching chess to scholastic players for approximately 16 years as well as organizing a monthly tournament for nearly 15 years. He is a certified United States Chess Federation Coach and Tournament Director. New and returning students are encouraged to enroll.

Cello with Annie Givler

1st through 4th Grade

Fridays, 3:30 to 4:30; Starts: 12/14/18

Minimum: 2 /Maximum: No limit

Come one, come all! Now recruiting budding cellists for the new GREENE STREET FRIENDS CELLO SOCIETY! Specifically for 1st through 4th graders, students will have the opportunity to dip their feet in the waters of instrumental music study by learning the cello. Annie will host this club in the music room after school on Fridays from 3:30-4:15. Students will rent an appropriately sized cello through Mt. Airy Violins and begin their studies. The session will conclude with a performance open to all.

Annie began playing cello at the age of 2 and holds two degrees in cello performance. She has taught and performed all over the world sharing stages with renowned artists from Yo-yo Ma to Kanye West. Annie is frequently contracted, both nationally and internationally, as a Suzuki cello clinician. She can't wait to share her passion for the cello with the Greene Street Community!

Ukulele Lessons (New and Returning Students)

2nd through 4th Grade

Fridays, 3:30 to 4:30; Starts: 12/14/18

Minimum: 6 /Maximum:12

Families will be required to purchase a ukulele for their student. A list of preferred ukuleles will be provided with enrollment confirmation. Average cost: \$55.

These classes are taught as a group lesson with partnering activities. Topics covered include strumming and picking technique, chords and songs starting with one chord songs and progressing to 3 or 4 chord songs, learning to read tablature and playing melodies, as well as performance techniques while playing with others. New and returning students are encouraged to participate. Skills sets will be taught in groups based upon student's level. The session will conclude with a performance open to all.

As a first instrument, ukuleles teach kids about music and music theory. Through these ukulele lessons, a child learns about beat, harmony, melody, rhythm, and tempo. The ukulele also helps children develop eye-hand coordination as well as independent movement of fingers. If you have a child who wants to eventually learn the violin or guitar, starting with a ukulele often makes the process easier and less frustrating.

Lessons are taught by Stephan Hayes. Stephan Hayes started playing the guitar and writing songs at the age of 12. He has been a life-long musician, playing in several Philadelphia area bands, recording albums and touring the country. Stephan began teaching music while living in Guangzhou China. He spent 4 years as the Elementary Music teacher at an International School. During that time, he also began teaching private music lessons on the guitar, bass drums and ukulele. Stephan's experiences in China inspired him to continue teaching back in the USA. He now attends West Chester University's Music Education program and teaches private lessons through two area music studios. Stephan is passionate about making music fun, accessible, interesting and expressive for students of all ages.

Note: The current 15 week session of WEDNESDAY MIDDLE SCHOOL TECH CLUB is underway. The second session will begin in the spring.

After School Enrichment Programs Winter Session at Greene Street Friends School

I WOULD LIKE TO ENROLL THE FOLLOWING CHILD IN ENRICHMENT CLUB ACTIVITIES:

Child's Name: _____ Age: ____ DOB: _____ Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Best email for information regarding enrollment status: _____

I would like to enroll my child in the following classes. I understand that the rates are \$250 per club for non-ASP Contract students and \$150 per club for ASP Contract students. I understand that these fees need to be submitted with this registration and that I will get confirmation of enrollment, at the latest, one week prior to the first class.

Give and Go Basketball
 2nd - 4th Grade
 Wed, 3:15 to 4:15
 Starts: 12/12/18
 Min: 10 /Max: 20

K - 1st Grade
 Fri, 3:15 to 4:15
 Starts: 12/14/18
 Min: 10 /Max: 15

Soccer Stars
 2nd - 4th Grade
 Mon, 3:15 to 4:15
 Starts: 12/10/18
 Min: 6 /Max:10

PreK - 1st Grade
 Wed, 3:15 to 4:15
 Starts: 12/12/18
 Min: 6 /Max: 8

HIP HOP
 2nd - Up
 Tues, 3:30 to 4:30
 Starts: 12/11/18
 Min: 6 /Max: 15

Yoga 5 Week Mini-Session
 \$125; \$75 Contract Students
 PreK - 1st Grade
 Thurs, 3:15 to 4:15
 Starts: 12/13/18
 Min: 6 /Max: 10

Build It
 PreK - 1st
 Tues, 3:30 to 4:30
 Starts: 12/11/18
 Min: 6 /Max:12

2nd - 4th Grade
 Thurs, 3:30 to 4:30
 Starts: 12/13/18
 Min: 6 /Max:12

Snapology
 2nd - 4th Grade
 Thurs, 3:15 to 4:15
 Starts: 12/13/18
 Min: 10 /Max: 20

Opera Box
 2nd - Up
 Mon, 3:15 to 4:15
 Start: 12/10/18
 Min: 10 /Max: 20

Chess
 2nd - 4th Grade
 Mon, 3:15 to 5:15
 Starts: 12/10/18
 Min: 6 /Max:14

Cello
 1st - 4th Grade
 Fri, 3:30 to 4:30
 Starts: 12/14/18
 Min: 2 /No Max

Ukulele
 2nd - 4th Grade
 Fri, 3:30 to 4:30
 Starts: 12/14/18
 Min: 6 /Max:12

Amount enclosed:

I have read information sheet, as well as the payment and pick-up policies, and I agree to all terms. Please contact Amy at afiske@greeneestreetfriends.org if you have questions about leeway with age ranges or suggestions for future clubs.

 Parent/Guardian Signature

 Date

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS PAGE IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY SUBMITTED THIS INFORMATION WITH AN ASP REGISTRATION FORM

Child's Name _____ Age _____ DOB _____ Grade _____

Does your child have any allergies or medical concerns? If yes, please explain.

Will your child take any medications during The After School Program hours? If yes, please explain.

Does your child have any dietary restrictions? If yes, please explain.

Primary Emergency Contact between 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Name _____

Relationship to Child _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Phone _____ Email _____

Second Emergency Contact between 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Name _____

Relationship to Child _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Phone _____ Email _____

I authorize the following people to pick up my child from The After School Program. I understand these people will be expected to follow all The After School Program procedures. I also agree to notify the After School Program staff IN WRITING if my child is to be picked up by someone other than those listed below.

1. Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____ Phone _____
2. Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____ Phone _____
3. Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____ Phone _____