



Birchwood School of Hawken

After School Enrichment Fall 2017

Dear Birchwood Families,

This year Birchwood School of Hawken's After School Enrichment will offer two class sessions: fall and winter.

- The fall session begins the week of September 11 and finishes the week of November 13. The winter sessions begins the week of January 22 and concludes the week of March 26.
- Students registered for After School Enrichment will meet from 3:15-3:30 pm for a snack and time to change clothes (if needed). Classes are dismissed at 4:30 pm.
- Parents will pick up their children at the back door and if it is possible, wait in their car until they see the instructor outside.
- If a child is not picked up on time, the instructor will take the child to After School Care.
- There is a one-time \$20 enrollment/snack fee for each participant, except for students who regularly attend After School Care (and have paid an After School Care enrollment fee) and students attending Advanced Math Team Practice with Mr. Debelak (who arrange to bring bulk snacks).

Fall Enrichment Schedule

Mondays

Ballet: Grades: preschool-K Fee: \$80 Instructor: Mrs. Dennen

Sports Club: Grades: K-4 Fee: \$80 Instructor: Mr. LaBar

Computer Programming Using Scratch: Grades: 1- 4 [Click here](#) for details and registration info

Photo Club: Only 4 weeks (September 11, 18, 25, and October 2) Fee: \$45 Instructor: Mr. LeBlanc

Tuesdays

Intermediate Math Team Practice: Grades: 5-8 Fee: \$80 Instructor: Mrs. Gregory

Progress With Chess: Grades: 1-8 [Click here](#) for details; [click here](#) to register

The Knight School Chess: preschool-K [Click here](#) for details and to register

Turbo Kick: Grades: 4-8 Fee: \$80 Instructor: Ms. West

Wednesdays

Cheerleading: Grades: 1-4 Fee: \$80 Instructor: Mrs. Dennen

Young Rembrandts: Grades: K-4 [Click here](#) for details and to register

Thursdays

Advanced Math Team Practice with Mr. Debelak: Grades: 6-8 Invitation only; no charge

Bricks 4 Kidz: Grades: K-4 [Click here](#) for details and to register

Junior Math Club Grades: 3-4 Fee: \$80 Instructor: Mr. Sprau & Ms. Hale

Spanish Club: Grades K-4 Fee: \$80 Instructor: Mrs. Daya

If you have questions or for more information, contact Señora Rodriguez at rodriguez@birchwoodschoool.org.

Classes Descriptions:

Ballet: Will introduce children to the art of dance! Focusing on coordination, gross motor movements, and self-expression each child will learn a solid dance foundation including proper technique and terminology. Classes are professionally designed to keep kids engaged, motivated, and having fun!

Cheerleading: Will ignite a passion for this exciting sport and develop the strength, stamina, and enthusiasm it takes to be a cheerleader! Classes will focus on cheers, stunts, and conditioning, professionally designed, to produce a well-rounded cheer foundation. Children will have fun, get stronger, and learn exciting new skills!

Spanish: Kids will work on basic vocabulary – greetings, colors, numbers, shapes, house, food, etc. – as well as listen to stories and play games.

Sports Club: Students will learn skills and participate in games from a variety of sports: soccer, football, basketball, and baseball. Classes will teach fundamental skills and rules to games. The club will focus on fun, introduction to competitive settings, and improving physical well-being.

Photo Club: Composition, rule of thirds, exposure triangle, and light source awareness with relation to the subject will be covered. With the knowledge of fundamentals, the children will have the ability to create exceptional photographs. Please bring a camera and owner's manual to class.

Turbo Kick: is a mix of kickboxing and dance set to fun, upbeat music. Students have fun learning routines and making up some of their own dance moves. They will also learn the importance of exercising on a daily basis.

Junior Math Club: No experience necessary! This class is for students who want to improve their math problem solving skills. We will take a systematic approach to problems found in academic competitions. Students will be placed in one of two groups according to experience, aptitude, and competency, and content and instruction will correspond to their group.

Intermediate Math Team Practice: Students with a strong background in pre-algebra topics will learn strategies for solving complex problems in algebra, geometry, counting and probability, number theory, and percent/proportions.

Advanced Math Team Practice (invitation only; grades 6-8): Students need a working knowledge of algebra and a good foundation in geometry. Questions, contact Mr. Debelak at cdebelak@birchwoodschool.org.

Registration

Register by **Friday, September 8.**

- See the above links to register for: Bricks 4 Kidz, Computer Programming Using Scratch, Progress With Chess, The Knight School, and Young Rembrandts.
- [Click here](#) to register with a paper form for: Ballet, Cheerleading, Math Club/Team Practice, Spanish Club, Sports Club, Turbo Kick, and Photo Club. **Complete a separate registration form for each child and make checks out to Birchwood School of Hawken.**

Sincerely,
Señora Rodriguez
After School Enrichment Coordinator