

MIDDLE SCHOOL AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS – FALL 2021 Online registration will open <u>HERE</u> on August 16 at 7:00 p.m.

Chess Grades 5-8 Thursdays, 4:30-5:30 pm

Session I: September 9, 23, and 30; October 7 and 14, \$90

Session II: October 21 and 28; November 4, 11, and 18; December 2, \$105

Learn and practice the rules of chess through games and advanced group instruction with Mr. Raveneau. Coach "Rav" is a US Chess Federation rated player and certified tournament director and has been enamored with the game since he started playing at age four. With experience teaching private students as well as leading chess enrichment programs at various area schools, Mr. Raveneau's hope is that all his students improve both as chess players and critical thinkers. Instructor: Stephen Raveneau

Climbing and Challenge Course

Grades 4-6

Tuesdays, 3:45-5:15 pm, \$140

September 7, 14, 21, and 28; October 5 and 12

Take your climbing knowledge and skills to the next level! Participants will gain experience with various aspects of climbing (tying knots, safety, charting your route, etc.) on the outdoor climbing wall at TVS. The last session we will take a field trip to the Summit climbing gym to use our skills outside of school!

Instructor: Ashley Anderson, TOE Assistant—certified in challenge course and rock climbing

Dance (Ballet, Jazz, Lyrical, Hip Hop)

Grades 5-8 Classes, times, and fees vary (class tuition ranges \$225-\$300 plus recital fees) Begins September 7 and continues through March 2022 – more information and registration available by August 20, 2021. Instructors: TBA

Let the Drumming Begin

Grades 3-5 Mondays, 3:45-4:30 pm, \$50

September 13 and 20, October 4, 18, and 25

Experience the rhythms of the world in this weekly program. Students will practice using drums and xylophones in the music room. The musical fun will also include learning about drums and music from countries around the world.

Instructor: Pauline Medlin



Pickleball Grades 4-6 Wednesdays, 3:45-4:45 pm, \$200 September 8, 15, 22, and 29; October 6, 13, 20, and 27 Join Coach Grunberg on the courts for some fun and fitness with friends. Pickleball is a popular sport that combines elements of tennis, ping pong, and badminton. All equipment will be provided, and no experience is necessary. Instructor: Myron Grunberg

Trojan Strides Run/Walk Crew Grades 3-6 Tuesdays and Thursdays, 3:45-4:30 pm September 7, 9, 14, 21, 23, 28 and 30; October 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, 26, and 28; November 2, 4, 9, and 11, \$130 Get outside and get active! This NEW after school program will have you putting one foot

in front of the other as you walk, jog, or run your way across campus alongside friends. Participants will explore the TVS campus through various half-mile courses. Everyone is welcome—walkers, runners, newbies, and experienced! Participants may join the group one or both days each week.

Instructor: Shelbea Malik Parent Sponsor: Jamie St. Peter

Trojan Travelers – To Know the World, Know their Stories

Grades 4-7

Wednesdays, 3:45-5:15 pm, \$130

October 20 and 27; November 3, 10, and 17; December 1 and 8

Aspiring travelers—Prepare for a fantastic journey around the world through storytelling, music, drawing, food, games, artifacts, videos, currencies, and more. Curious 4th-7th grade students are invited to join Mr. D'Brass (former TVS teacher) for this fun, highly-engaging, interactional program. Each session will focus on a thrilling exploration of diverse people-groups from global regions. **DID YOU KNOW:** Mr. D'Brass previously taught ancient history to 5th grade students at TVS (2009-2015). His last posting was in Taiwan, teaching World Geography and Global Business. He is currently in the process of writing a book about his many travels. We are so lucky to have this globetrotting educator back in town to share his experiences with us! **Instructor: Peter D'Brass**