



MANKATO AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS' COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Fall 2021

"MANKATO AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS (MAPS) IS COMMITTED TO WORKING TOGETHER EQUITABLY, WITH FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES, SO THAT EACH LEARNER HAS THE KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS TO BE SUCCESSFUL AND CONTRIBUTING CITIZENS IN A DIVERSE GLOBAL SOCIETY."

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COMMUNITY

FALL 2021

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We acknowledge the Indigenous history in the Mankato area, especially with the Dakota people, whose homeland was and continues to be in our region of living, working and learning; and whose language frames our name - Mahkato



COLORFUL ASIA



An evening of cultural dance and music!

Cambodian Wattanak Dance Troupe, Chinese Guzheng Music Performance by Jarrelle Barton & Vietnamese Trung Music

Thursday, October 14

6 pm

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
AT LINCOLN COMMUNITY CENTER
110 Fulton St, Mankato**



This activity is made possible by the voters of Minnesota through a grant from the Prairie Lakes Regional Arts Council, thanks to a legislative appropriation from the Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.

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Mankato Community Education



507-387-5501



110 Fulton Street, Mankato MN 56001

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Mankato Area Public Schools' **FAMILY ACADEMY**

DATE: TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2021

ONLINE

5:45-6:45 PM

Education Starts at Birth! An overview of MAPS Early Learning Services (birth-5 years)

Presenters: Early Learning Department staff

Join this presentation to hear all about the Early Learning Services offered at MAPS for children Birth to age 5 and their families.

Presentation will go over Early Childhood Family Ed.(ECFE), Preschool, Early Childhood Screening, Help Me Grow (ECSE), Lincoln Logs Learning Center and offer time for participants to ask program staff questions. Presenters will include staff from MAPS Early Learning Department.

Teaching Students to Bounce Back: Fostering Resiliency for a Brighter Future (K-12th grade)

Presenter: Christina Mattson, East High School Assistant Principal

This session will focus on how to build resiliency in our children and students. We will discuss current statistics and trends that impact school-age children and touch on the brain science behind what makes some people resilient and able to 'bounce back' and why others struggle. We will learn practical strategies to help students understand and process adversity and how adults can provide students with tools that encourage flexible thinking and problem-solving skills.

7:00-8:00 PM

Learning Together: Indigenous History, Culture and Place (All ages welcome)

Presenters: Megan Huetmaker, Director for American Indian & Multicultural Affairs &

Chelsea Mead, Associate Professor of Anthropology & American Indigenous Studies

This interactive presentation gives parents, teachers, and community members the opportunity to deepen their knowledge of Indigenous history and culture. Participants will leave with a better understanding of respectful terminology, historical policies that impact communities today, and how everyone can take steps to apply what they've learned in their own spaces of influence.

Assessment 101 - What are the Assessments Students Take in MAPS ? (K-5th grade)

Presenters: Melanie Helling, Assessment, Research & Evaluation Coordinator &

Rachel Moeller, Literacy Coordinator & K-12 Talent Development Coach

Join us to learn about the assessments students take in MAPS such as DIBELS, NWEA, MCA, ACCESS and COGAT. Learn when and why they are given, how you can help prepare your student for a test day and questions to ask teachers about academic progress and goals.



To Register: Go to isd77.org and click on Connect and then on Family Academy or call 507-387-5501.



Family & Community Engagement
507-387-5501
atrol1@isd77.org

MANKATO AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS' COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

We would LOVE to have you join us as a Mankato Area Public Schools' volunteer this school year! Join our team and support the education of today's youth while sharing your talents, networking in the district, interacting with children and meeting new people. Early Learning, K-12 and Adult Basic Education volunteers desired!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES INCLUDE:

~weekly classroom volunteers ~reading and math tutors ~classroom parents or grandparents
~classroom speakers ~school-based mentors ~EL volunteers ~financial literacy volunteers ~AVID tutors

Want to Volunteer? - Call: 507-387-5501 - email: volunteer@isd77.org

visit: isd77.org and click on volunteer opportunities

All volunteers go through an intake procedure to make sure it is a good match. Contact us today!

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EARLY LEARNING

ALL PARENTS ARE WELCOME!

Early Childhood Screening Best done at age 3

Required in Minnesota before entrance to public school kindergarten.

Screening is FREE

The early childhood years are an important time of rapid learning and growth.

Early Childhood Screening is a check of how your child is growing and developing, between the ages of 3 and 4. Screening can detect possible health or learning concerns so that children can get help before they start school.

Information online at www.mankatoecfe.org

Questions? or to schedule an appointment call 507-387-2125.



Ready! For Kindergarten

Ready! for Kindergarten is a parent education program whose goal is to honor the parent as the child's first and most influential teacher. Classes are held 3 times each year for parents of children ages birth to school entrance. Parents/caregivers/grandparents register for classes based on the year the child will enter kindergarten. Participants receive current brain research, child development information and a set of learning tools for fun and learning at home.

Please call the Family Learning Center if you have any questions 507-625-4620.

Help prepare your child for school and life. Register for Mankato Area Public Schools' Preschool.



Mankato Area Public Schools' Preschool program can help children transition to kindergarten by providing a learning environment to help them succeed.

The Program:

- has a four-star rating from *Parent Aware, which notes Mankato Area Public Schools' Preschool is committed to providing quality education for preparing children for kindergarten.
- aligns with Mankato Area Public Schools' practices.
- provides a high staff to student ratio.
- encourages parent involvement because it's an important part of the district's preschool program and is key to children's learning success.
- offers morning and afternoon classes at multiple sites.

**Parent Aware is a rating system through the Minnesota Department of Human Services in collaboration with the Minnesota Department of Education.*



Registration is easy.

Register online at mankato.ce.eleyo.com;
or go to Early Learning Office at The Family Learning Center;
820 Hubbell Avenue. For more information call 507-625-4620



ACES/MSAS



ACES IS A CHILD CARE PROGRAM OF MANKATO AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHILDREN K-5TH GRADE, FOCUSED ON PROVIDING CONSISTENT CARE OPTIONS FOR FAMILIES



BEFORE SCHOOL CARE

consistent 4 - 5 days a week contract

Opening at 6:30 am, we'll spend the morning with your student before serving them breakfast + transitioning them to their classroom.



AFTER SCHOOL CARE

consistent 4 - 5 days a week contract

Right after school, students will join us for play + recreation time until they are picked up. We close at 6 pm. Oh, and we've got the afternoon snack covered!



NON-SCHOOL DAYS

school is out and you need care

Located at Bridges + Kennedy, we provide care from 6:30 am-6:00 pm. Bring your lunch + we'll provide the snacks. Open to all MAPS K-5th graders, pick the location that works best for you on the days you need care!

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FOR MORE INFORMATION:

507.387.5501 | ACES@ISD77.ORG | MANKATOCER.COM

FOR YOUTH IN GRADES 6-8

MIDDLE SCHOOL CLUBS



LOCATION: DMMS
3:20-5 pm

Oct 4-Dec22

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED
SPACE IS LIMITED
REGISTRATION**



LOCATION: PWMS
3:20-5 pm

Monday	Dungeons & Dragons Club (\$50)	Robotics Club (\$50) Non- Competitive
Tuesday	Art Club (\$50)	Book Club (\$50)
Wednesday	Dungeons & Dragons Club (\$50)	Creative Writing Club (\$50) Chess Club (\$50)
Thursday	Anime Club (\$50)	Drama Kids (register at dramakids.com/) Theater Club (\$70) Mankato-st-peter-new-ulm-mn)

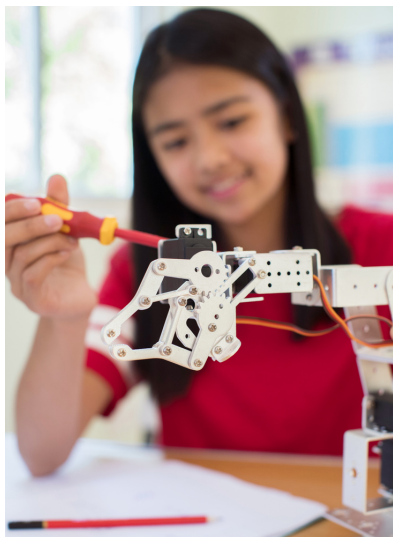
Monday	Anime Club (\$50)	Speech & Debate Club (\$50)
Tuesday	Dungeons & Dragons Club (\$50)	Drama Kids (register at dramakids.com/) Theater Club (\$70) Mankato-st-peter-new-ulm-mn)
Wednesday	School Spirit Club (\$50)	Poetry Performance & Creative Writing Club (\$50)
Thursday	Chess Club (\$50)	Color Guard Club (\$50) Art Club (\$50)

STUDENT UNION - FREE WITH PAID CLUB (CAN USE DAILY)

\$15 - IF NOT ENROLLED IN A PAID CLUB (CAN USE DAILY)

YOUTH ENRICHMENT

SCIENCE



VEX IQ ROBOTICS

29 Sessions-Grades 4-6

LCC Instructor

The VEX IQ program is an early experience for elementary youth, interested in competing in VRC (VEX Robotics Challenge) in middle school or high school. Information re: tournaments, qualifying results and formats for competition have yet to be announced and will evolve as COVID-19 restrictions fluctuate both in Minnesota and around the country (during the season).

COURSE #: 4355-1F

Mon, Sep 27-Apr 18; 7-8:30 pm

No Class Dec 27 & Jan 31

Mandatory Parent Meeting-

Tuesday, September 21; 7-8 pm at LCC RM 202

COURSE #: 4355-2F

Thu, Sep 30-Apr 14; 7-8:30 pm

No Class Nov 25 & Dec 23, 30

Mandatory Parent Meeting-

Tuesday, September 21; 7-8 pm at LCC RM 202

\$85

LCC RM 202

\$85

LCC RM 202

BRICK BUILDERS RAPID RACERS

4 Sessions-Grades 1-5

YEL Instructor

Build a Formula 1 racer, land yacht, and more race cars using LEGO® bricks. Use these LEGO® brick models to explore STEM concepts. The {YEL!} Teach It!...Practice It!...Play It! method engages students to create and innovate. Sign up today!

COURSE #: 5392-9F

Fri, Oct 8-Nov 5; 2:30-3:45 pm

No Class Oct 22

COURSE #: 5392-7F

Thu, Oct 14-Nov 11; 2:30-3:45 pm

No class Oct 21

COURSE #: 5392-1F

Mon, Oct 18-Nov 8; 2:30-3:45 pm

\$56

RP-Elementary

Art RM

\$56

M-Elementary

Media Center

\$56

H-Elementary

Dome

\$56

EL-Elementary

Maker Space

\$56

B-Elementary

Media Center

\$56

J-Elementary

Media Center

\$56

R-Elementary

Art RM

\$56

K-Elementary

Media Center

\$56

W-Elementary

Art RM

\$56

F-Elementary

Art RM

COURSE #: 5392-3F

Tue, Oct 19-Nov 9; 2:30-3:45 pm

COURSE #: 5392-5F

Wed, Oct 20-Nov 10; 2:50-4:05 pm

COURSE #: 5392-4F

Tue, Nov 16-Dec 14; 2:30-3:45 pm

No Class Nov 23

COURSE #: 5392-6F

Wed, Nov 17-Dec 15; 2:30-3:45 pm

No Class Nov 24

COURSE #: 5392-8F

Thu, Nov 18-Dec 16; 2:30-3:45 pm

No Class Nov 25

COURSE #: 5392-10F

Fri, Nov 19-Dec 17; 2:30-3:45 pm

No Class Nov 26

COURSE #: 5392-2F

Mon, Nov 22-Dec 13; 2:30-3:45 pm



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YOUTH ENRICHMENT

PERSONAL SAFETY/ACADEMIC

HOME ALONE SAFETY

1 Session-Grades 2-6

Melanie Schmidt



Staying home alone for the first time is an opportunity eagerly anticipated by most kids; but with opportunity comes responsibility. This course covers a variety of common scenarios and topics specific to boys and girls preparing to stay home alone, or stay home with younger siblings. Topics include, but are not limited to: sibling conflict, stranger danger, healthy choices, problem solving, and identifying emergencies. **Each child is encouraged to attend with 1 adult.**

COURSE #: 5107-1F

Thu, Oct 21; 6-7:30 pm

\$15

LCC RM 152

COURSE #: 5107-2F

Tue, Nov 23; 6-7:30 pm

\$15

LCC RM 152

COURSE #: 5107-3F

Tue, Dec 14; 6-7:30 pm

\$15

LCC RM 152

ACT - ZAPS

1 Session-Grades 9-12

Doorway To College Staff

ZAPS® test preparation seminars are carefully designed to help each student do his or her personal best on the ACT. Students who complete the ZAPS seminar—and practice our tips and strategies at home—typically raise their ACT scores by 1 to 4 points. In the 5-hour ZAPS seminar, students will learn strategies for improving in all four subtests, take shortened practice tests that mirror the actual testing experience, and get suggestions for individualized study in the days leading up to the test. Attendees receive a comprehensive Study Guide and 24 practice test workouts with detailed answer explanations. **Students should bring a calculator and two pencils to the seminar. The seminar includes a 45-minute lunch break; students are responsible for their own lunches.**

COURSE #: 4700-1F

Sat, Oct 9; 9 am-3 pm

\$133

EHS RM 104



RED CROSS ADVANCED BABYSITTER TRAINING

1 Sessions-Ages 11-15

Melanie Schmidt & Tia Dupont

The purpose of the American Red Cross Babysitter's Training course is to provide youth ages 11-15 with the information and skills necessary to provide safe and responsible care for children in the absence of parents or adult guardians. This training will help participants develop skills in leadership and professionalism, basic care, safety and safe play and first aid. Class fee includes textbooks (babysitter handbook & emergency response book). This class will also certify participants in pediatric first aid & CPR. **Please attend with a bag lunch & beverage.**

COURSE #: 4850-1F

Fri, Oct 22; 9 am-3 pm

\$110

LCC RM 157

COURSE #: 4850-2F

Wed, Nov 24; 9 am-3 pm

\$110

LCC RM 157

COURSE #: 4850-3F

Mon, Jan 24; 9 am-3 pm

\$110

LCC RM 157

SAVE THE DATE

"Indigenous Share Day" is coming to Lincoln Community Center on Thursday, October 21. This will be a half day conference for kids, featuring a variety of culturally rich mini classes focusing on art and recreation. Registration details will be shared on Peachjar the week of September 20.

YOUTH ENRICHMENT

SKILL DEVELOPMENT/ LEISURE & REC

GRANDMASTERS OF CHESS

6 Sessions- Grades K-5

YEL Instructor

New and returning students invited. The {YEL!} Teach It!...Practice It!...Play It! method keeps students on track with new chess lessons and puzzles each week as well as guided games and in-class tournaments. Class fee includes ChessKid.com membership for the session.

COURSE #: 5292-1F

Tue, Oct 26-Dec 7; 2:30-3:45 pm
No Class Nov 23

COURSE #: 5292-2F

Wed, Oct 27-Dec 8; 2:30-3:45 pm
No Class Nov 24

COURSE #: 5292-3F

Fri, Oct 29-Dec 17; 2:30-3:45 pm
No Class Nov 12 & 26

\$98

W-Elementary
Art RM

\$98

H-Elementary
Dome

\$98

R-Elementary
Art RM



FENCING

6 Sessions-Grades 2-12

YEL Instructor

Join this fast growing Olympic sport. Each {YEL!} fencing class follows four basic components: **•Teach It!...**Hall of Fame Olympic Fencing Coach Ro Sobalvarro crafts our lessons and curriculum. **•Practice It!...**Students pair up and practice the fencing move or concept, rotate partners and repeat. **•Move It!...**Students then participate in fencing matches using only the moves taught so far. **•Play It!...**10-15 minutes each class students fence with multiple fencers at their skill level.

GRADES 2-5

COURSE #: 4970-1F

Wed, Oct 27-Dec 8; 6-7 pm
No Class Nov 24

\$103

LCC Lower
GYM

GRADES 6-12

COURSE #: 4970-2F

Wed, Oct 27-Dec 8; 7-8 pm
No Class Nov 24

\$103

LCC Lower
GYM

5th GRADE FUN DAY AT DMMS- GET READY FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL

1 Sessions-Grade 5

As a fifth grade student, you will soon be transitioning to middle school at DMMS. Fifth Grade Fun Day is an early experience in exploring your new school. If you are planning on attending DMMS next school year, please consider joining us for tours, activities, prizes and good times! This half day experience will be a lot of fun and help lessen anxiety about a new school and new expectations the following year!

Check In- 7:45 - 8:00 AM, Program Runs - 8:00 - 11:30 AM

For - 5th Grade Students Attending DMMS during the 2022-23 school year

COURSE #: 8989-1F

Fri, Nov 12; 8-11:30 am

\$15

DMMS



YOUTH ENRICHMENT

THEATER



A CHRISTMAS CAROL - PRAIRIE FIRE CHILDRENS THEATRE

5 Sessions-Ages 7-17

Prairie FIRE Children's Theatre Company Staff

Prairie Fire Children's Theatre is returning to the stage this November for one of the season's most beloved holiday classics, "A Christmas Carol." Acting and tech opportunities available

COURSE #: 5031-1F (ACTING)

Mon-Fri, Nov 15-19; 4-8 pm

\$50

F-Elementary
Auditorium

COURSE #: 5031-2F (TECH)

Ages 10 & up

Wed-Fri, Nov 17-19; 4-8 pm

\$5

F-Elementary
Auditorium

WIZARD OF OZ

PRAIRIE FIRE CHILDREN'S THEATRE

5 Sessions-Ages 7-17

Prairie FIRE Children's Theatre Company Staff

Prairie Fire Children's Theatre Company returns to the Stage this January for another great residency and performance of "The Wizard Of Oz." Acting and tech opportunities available

COURSE #: 5031-3F (ACTING)

Mon-Fri, Jan 24-28; 4-8 pm

\$50

F-Elementary
Auditorium

COURSE #: 5031-4F (TECH)

Ages 10 & up

Wed-Fri, Jan 26-28; 4-8 pm

\$5

F-Elementary
Auditorium



DRAMA KIDS

Ray Smart

Ages 5-18

At Drama Kids the "Difference is Dramatic!"

Developing important lifelong speaking, leadership, and social skills through FUN drama activities is our specialty! The copyrighted curriculum features original creative lessons with a built-in advancing scale of language development that enables students of different ages and abilities to progress at their own rate.

To Register for all of the elementary schools and middle schools go online at

dramakids.com/mankato-st-peter-new-ulm-mn



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RECREATION

YOUTH RECREATION

SKATING SCHOOL

Sara Otto & Staff

6 Sessions-Ages 3 and up

Skating classes are offered through the Ice Skating Institute of America for all recreational skaters at all levels. Students progress at their own pace (Levels of Progression 1-9). Classes will run consecutively, with testing done when the student is ready. Classes are 30 minutes in length.

Cost: \$60 per session

Fall Session 1:

September 11, 18, 25 October 2, 9, 16

Fall Session 2:

October 30 November 6, 13 December 4, 11, 18

9:30-10:00 Beginner 1, Beginner 2, Gamma/Delta, Adult

10:00-10:30 Beginner 1, Beginner 2, Pre Alpha, Alpha

10:30-11:00 Beginner 1, Beginner 2, Beta

11:00-11:30 Beginner 1, Beginner 2, Pre Alpha, Alpha

PREREQUISITES

Beginner 1 - ages 3-6

Beginner 2 ages 7 and up or passed Beginner 1

Pre Alpha - prerequisite Beginner 2

Alpha - prerequisite Pre Alpha

Beta - prerequisite Alpha

Gamma/Delta - prerequisite Beta



ARCHERY

Certified NASP Instructor

6 sessions-Grades 4-12

Learn the basics of using a compound bow. Classes are taught by a certified archery instructor and provide a safe and fun introduction to the sport of archery.

Commands, signals, techniques and shooting challenges are all part of the program. Learn about equipment and participate in a low-pressure and supportive environment! All equipment is provided.

BEGINNING ARCHERY

COURSE #: 8514-1F

\$50

Tue, Sep 21-Oct 26; 4:30-5:30 pm

LCC Lower Gym

INTERMEDIATE ARCHERY

COURSE #: 8515-1F

\$50

Tue, Sep 21-Oct 26; 5:40-6:40 pm

LCC Lower Gym

TEEN ARCHERY

COURSE #: 8516-1F

\$50

Tue, Sep 21-Oct 26; 6:50-7:50 pm

LCC Lower Gym

**Students must have successfully completed the Beginning Archery class to register for Intermediate Archery.



SATURDAY MORNING SPORTS

CER Staff

4 Sessions-Grades 3-6

Saturday Morning Youth Sports sessions are one hour. Rules and fundamentals are covered at the beginning of each session, followed by low-key competition. Schedules will be emailed out once registration is complete. Everyone Plays!

VOLLEYBALL

COURSE #: 8510-1F

\$45

Sat, Oct 30-Nov 20; 8 am-12 pm

LCC

Online Registration is quick & easy!

<https://mankato.ce.eleyo.com/>

RECREATION

YOUTH RECREATION

JUNIOR COUGAR BOYS' BASKETBALL CAMP

4 Sessions-Grades 1-5

Cougar coaching staff/Players

The clinic will include ball handling, dribbling, pivoting, passing, and one-on-one moves, perimeter shots, and free throws. The objective is to introduce the boys to the correct fundamentals used in the game of basketball.

GRADES 1-2

COURSE #: 8205-1F

\$50

Tue & Thu, Oct 28-Nov 2, 9, 16; 6-7 pm RP GYM

GRADES 3-6

COURSE #: 8205-1F

\$50

Tue & Thu, Oct 28-Nov 2, 9, 16; 7-8 pm RP GYM



GOLF FOR TEENS

3 sessions-Ages 12-18

Join the Mankato High School golf coaches for this camp that is for all skill levels of all ability from the first time players who have never played to intermediate students & all the way up to the high performance junior players. Teens golf lessons are available for students ranging from 12-18 years old.

COURSE #: 5637-1F

Thu, Sep 14-28; 4:30-5:55 pm

\$70

North Links
Golf Course

K-6 GIRLS' BASKETBALL- FALL HOOPS

7 Sessions-Grades K-6

Mankato East and West Varsity Coaches/Players

K-6 grade girls in the Mankato area are invited to join us for some Fall Hoops! Our goal is to create a fun, inclusive environment where players can learn team and individual basketball skills. Sessions include both skill development and games.

GRADES K- 3

COURSE #: 8200-1F

\$60

Mon, Oct 4-25; 6-7 pm & Sat, Oct 9-30; 10-11 am

No Class Oct 23

PWMS

GRADES 4-6

COURSE #: 8200-2F

\$60

Mon, Oct 4-25; 7-8:30 pm & Sat, Oct 9-30; 8:30-10 am

No Class Oct 23

PWMS



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RECREATION

RECREATION ADULT

ZOMBIE GOLF- GOLF SIMULATOR

16 and under must be with an adult

Can you survive the apocalyptic zombie attack? Strike golf balls at zombies while they try to attack you.

Although Zombie Golf may look like it's designed for fun, it's actually designed to improve your golf skills (set improvement, feel for distance, club selection, pace of play, shot selection).

COURSE #: 5636

\$30 for 1.5 hours

To schedule your round of Zombie Golf call 507-387-5501

GOLF SIMULATOR RENTAL

Rentals are **\$25/hour** for your group Mon-Fri

\$35/hour Saturdays and Sundays

As available, must reserve in advance.

Call 507-387-5501 to reserve your tee time.

ASK ABOUT OUR PRIVATE LESSONS!

Receive a full analysis each session from our Foresight GC Technologist Heather Tentis.

Email Heather at htenti1@isd77.org for more information

Youth beginner lessons: \$35

Adult beginner lessons: \$45

INDOOR GOLF SIMULATOR MEMBERSHIP

Memberships are valid for 12 months after purchase.

Eagle Membership 70 hours - \$380

Birdie Membership 50 hours - \$320

Par Membership 25 hours - \$275

Hole-in-one Membership 10 hours - \$100

Family Membership 20 hours- \$300

Enjoy playing one of our 6 courses or just hit balls on the range.

Courses include: Blue Bayou, Broken Tee, Linchfield National, Pebble Beach, Teton Pines, Willow Crest

Call to reserve your tee-time at least two hours in advance. 7:30-4:30 Monday- Friday

Weekend tee-times must be made by Friday 3:00 pm.

Memberships are sold per person. Members are to play solo unless another person has their own membership.

HOOPERCISE

Heather Tentis & Sharon Dinsmore

4 Sessions

Join us for this popular high-energy, hula hoop class that will help to tone and strengthen your body, mind, and soul. In this weekly drop-in class, you will experience specially designed drills and exercises to strengthen existing hoop dance skills or learn for the first time.

Weighted/customized hula hoops will be provided.

COURSE #: 3333-1F

\$25 or \$7 Drop-In

Thu, Oct 21-Nov 11; 6-7 pm

LCC

ADULT SOCIAL PICKLEBALL

Come anytime and stay as long as you would like. Meet new people and get some great exercise while playing pickleball. Anyone can play. Players of all ability levels are welcome. We even have equipment for you to try out!

COURSE #: 3331-F

\$35

Sun, Nov 7-Dec 19; 5-7 pm

PWMS GYM

ADAPTIVE GOLF

Heather Tentis

2 Sessions

We have adopted the SNAG®(Starting New At Golf) program to teach all golfers how to play this enjoyable lifelong sport. Our coaches understand the importance of fundamentals of form in teaching swinging, putting, and body positioning. The SNAG system uses modified equipment to implement the curriculum developed by PGA professionals. The Exceptional Grip is designed for players with physical challenges holding on to traditional or original SNAG® golf equipment. All are welcome!

Participation Guidelines

All participants must:

- Be 16 years of age or older
- Be able to inform staff of wants & needs
- Have a basic understanding of personal safety
- Be able to care for personal hygiene
- Be able to manage personal behavior
- If unable to meet these guidelines, please bring staff to accommodate your needs.

COURSE #: 6020-1F

\$30

Thu, Nov 11 & 18; 4-5:30 PM

LCC LOWER GYM

RECREATION

RECREATION ADULT

ADVENTURES FOR ALL WITH BENT RIVER

Anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent.

Full Moon Float on Red Jacket Valley Lake
Tandem Bagels on the Blue Earth River
Dam Pie on the Blue Earth River
Coffee and Pastries on the Minnesota River

ADULT RECREATION ONLY

Happy Hour Float on the Minnesota River

All activities will begin at Bent River Outfitters
606 N Riverfront Dr, Mankato
\$50 registration fee for each activity

For more information and to Register go to our website
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ADULT WINTER VOLLEYBALL

2021-2022 ADULT WINTER VOLLEYBALL SIGN-UP ENDS **Thu, OCT 14 by 3 PM** with the Team Registration Form and Entry Fee to avoid a \$25 Late Fee. All entry forms must be filled out online at www.mankatocer.com.

2021-2022 DIVISIONS, ENTRY FEE, PLAYERS FEE AND TENTATIVE ROSTER:

SPONSOR FEE ALL DIVISIONS \$275

(Due with Registration by Thu, Oct 14)

TEAM FEES ALL DIVISIONS \$280

(Due with Roster by Thu, Oct 28)

Min 8 - Max 10 Players per Roster

Capacity limited and may fill prior to the deadline.

Register early to secure your teams entry.

League Director has the right to reclassify any team's division based on past performance records or league capacity.

Players must be out of high school (or not attending) and must be at least 18 years of age by beginning of the current year's program.

Teams must have min of 8 and max of 10 players on Rosters.

NO SPECTATORS ALLOWED

LEAGUE PLAY BEGINS NOVEMBER

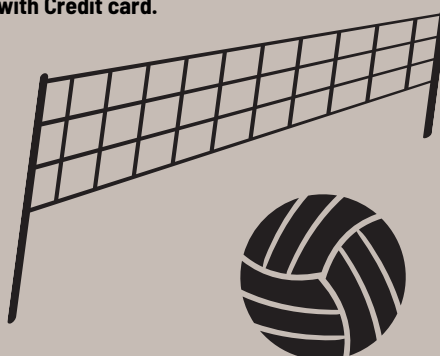
Monday Women Division &

Wednesday Co Rec Division

Schedules will be emailed out to teams a week prior.

The number of teams that we will be able to serve will depend of the gym space availability.

\$10 credit card processing fee for all Volleyball payments made with Credit card.



RECREATION

AQUATICS

ADULT PRIVATE SWIMMING LESSONS

Individual and small group lessons to help adults learn to swim or refine their skills. Sessions are 45 minutes long. Lessons are available Sundays 10 am - 1 pm.

COURSE #: 3775-F21

Sun, Oct 10-Dec 19; 10 am-1 pm
No Lessons Oct 31 or Nov 21 & 28

\$ 40 /Sessions

East High
Community Pool

Must call Community Education at 507-387-5501 to schedule your lessons.

WATER AEROBICS, LAP SWIM & WATER WALKING

Ages 18 and up (Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult)

Classes are led by an experienced instructor, taking into consideration participants' individual needs. No swimming ability is required for Water Aerobics. Shallow and deep water is available. Expectant mothers welcome!

COURSE#: 3800-F21

Wed, Sep 8-Jan 26; 6:30-8 pm

PUNCH CARD

East High
Community Pool

MASTER SWIMMING PROGRAM

Ages 18 and up (Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult)

Designed swim workouts, not swimming lessons. Lanes are divided by ability, and workouts are scaled to each lane. For more information, visit our website.

COURSE#: 3900-F21

Tue & Thu, Sep 7-Jan 27; 5:15-6:45 am
& Sat, Oct 9-Dec 18; 5:15-6:45 am

PUNCH CARD

East High
Community Pool

PUNCH CARDS

Punch cards are available in increments of 5, 10, 15 or 20 punches.

Water Aerobics, Lap Swim, & Water Walking \$4.50/punch

Masters Swimming \$4.00/punch

Punch cards are valid for 1 year after purchase.

NO ADULT AQUATICS

December 22, 2021 - January 7, 2022

PRIVATE SWIM LESSONS FOR ALL AGES

4 or more Sessions- Ages 3 & up

One-on-one instruction for those who desire individual instruction, or who just need to "catch up" their skills in order to join a standard class. Each lesson is 30 minutes long. Lessons will be available 12:00 - 4:00 pm on Saturdays.

FOUR 1/2 hour Classes**\$100****Each additional 1/2 hour class****\$25****COURSE#: 3700-F21**

Sat, Oct 2-Dec 18; 12-4 pm
No lessons Oct 30 or Nov 27

East High
Community Pool

SMALL GROUP PRIVATE SWIMMING LESSONS

Small group (2 - 3 individuals at similar swimming ability) lessons personalized to each group to enjoy the water while learning important water safety skills. Perfect for siblings and friends around the same swimming ability.

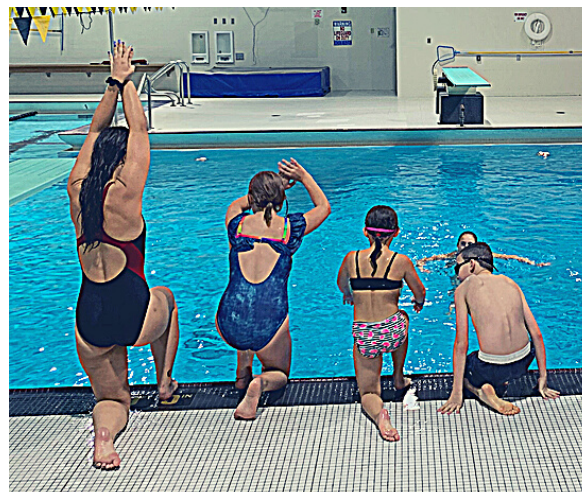
COURSE #: 3750-F21

Lessons Sat, Oct 2-Dec 18; 12-4 pm
No lessons Oct 30 or Nov 27

**\$20/ lessons/
participant**

East High
Community Pool

CALL TO SCHEDULE 507-387-5501



ADULT ENRICHMENT

ONE ON ONE POTTERY

Caitlin Heyer

1 to 2 Sessions

Our pottery studio is now arranging private pottery lessons! Dates must be arranged with Community Education, 507-387-5501, at least one week prior to class beginning. (1-2 classes a week recommended)

COURSE #: 1508s

Price will vary on days.

MONDAYS OPEN POTTERY

Julia Snelson

13 Sessions

Purchase a punch card and clay coupon to use the Pottery Studio facilities: potter's wheel, slab roller, extruder, glazes, greenware storage, and NEW electric kilns. This is not an instructional class; previous experience required. The studio manager will be present to help with technical questions.

Mon, Sep 13-Jan 31; 6-9 pm

LCC RM 153

No class Nov 29, Dec 20 & 27, Jan 3

EXTENDED OPEN POTTERY

Open Pottery Studio is available for 2 hour time slots. Each time slot is equal to one punch on your card. You must sign up ahead of time in order to use the studio. It will be for one person only, who has been trained in using the space. Pieces will be fired by studio staff when there is enough to load. **Scheduled time only.**

COURSE #: 1520s 8-Punch Card \$39

COURSE #: 1519s \$25 Clay, Glaze, and Firing

coupon per 25-lb bag (brown or white stoneware)



This activity is made possible by the voters of Minnesota through a grant from the Prairie Lakes Regional Arts Council, thanks to a legislative appropriation from the Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.

55+ DRIVER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Milo Dahlin

1 to 2 Sessions

Improvement Program (55+ DIP) is an approved Accident Prevention course by the MN Department of Public Safety. Participants who complete the course are eligible for a 10% discount on their personal automobile insurance premium. The 55+ DIP will give participants a better understanding of vehicle and traffic safety, new technology, physical changes and increased driving risks as we age, changes to laws, and the decisions drivers can make to be safer on our roadways. In order to receive the 10% automobile insurance discount, participants must first take the 8-hour course. A 4-hour refresher course can be taken every three years to maintain the discount.

Students need to register by calling 1-888-234-1294, or online at www.mnsafetycenter.org under Driver Discount Program.

4-hour refresher classes (1 session) \$24

Mon, Sep 13; 5-9 pm LCC RM 152

Thu, Oct 28; 5-9 pm LCC RM 152

Mon, Nov 1; 5-9 p LCC RM 152

Wed, Nov 10; 5-9 pm LCC RM 152

Thu, Dec 2; 5-9 pm LCC RM 152

Mon, Dec 6; 5-9 pm LCC RM 152

8-hour classes (2 sessions) \$28

Mon & Wed, Oct 18 & 20; 5-9 pm LCC RM 152

RELEASING YOUR INNER DIVA (HARMONIZING FOR WOMEN)

Mary Lou Kudela

6 Sessions

Whether you only sing in the shower or you love karaoke, or you want to improve your singing and harmonizing, this class is for you. Minnesota Valley Chorus of Sweet Adelines will help you to develop your singing through vocal instruction, warm up exercises for the voice, and singing in a vocal unit. For more class details see our registration site at mankato.ce.eleyo.com/.

COURSE #: 1510-1F

Tue, Oct 19-Nov 23; 6:30-7:30 pm

\$10

Grace Lutheran Church

ADULT ENRICHMENT

OLDER ADULT BUS TRIPS WITH VINE

DAY TRIPPERS DINNER THEATRE A BENCH IN THE SUN

Joined at their arthritic hops, lifelong friends Burt and Harold are residing at Valley View Gardens – where there is no valley, no view, and not much in the way of a garden. They spend their days bickering about nearly everything. When retired actress Adrienne Bliss moves in and decides to join the duo on their bench in the sun, a heated rivalry develops as the pair vie for Adrienne's attentions. Lunch Included

COURSE #: 1272-F

Wed, Oct 6; 10:15-5:15 pm

\$ 80

WOW Zone
Parking lot

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Mon, Sept 20, 2021

MINNEAPOLIS INSTITUTE OF ART

Under the direction of VINE member and artist, Peggy Draheim, you can get inspired through the power of art. Before the bus trip, we will contact you to view a virtual tour of the massive museum and Peggy can help you find your areas of interest. The Minneapolis Institute of Art is allowing only self-guided tours, so you can use the knowledge gained that day to plan your in-person visit. Lunch will be on your own at the museum (or other nearby restaurant of your choice).

COURSE #: 1274-F

Thu, Dec 2; 10:15-5:15 pm

\$ 39

WOW Zone
Parking lot

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Mon, Nov 8, 2021



OLD LOG THEATRE THE PLAY THAT GOES WRONG

This classic murder mystery is chock-full of mishaps and madcap mania and set on "The Murder at Haversham Manor," where things are quickly going from bad to utterly disastrous. With an unconscious leading lady, a corpse that can't play dead, and actors who trip over everything (including their lines), it's fun for all ages. Lunch Included

COURSE #: 1273-F

Thu, Nov 18; 10:30-5:15 pm

\$ 90

WOW Zone
Parking lot

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Mon, Sept 20, 2021

CHANHASSEN DINNER THEATRE "FOOTLOOSE"

City teenager Ren McCormack moves to a small town where rock music and dancing have been banned, and his rebellious spirit shakes up the populace. Based on the 1984 big-screen story brought to life by Kevin Bacon. Lunch Included

COURSE #: 1275-F

Wed, Feb; 16; 9:35 am- 5:30 pm

\$ 105

WOW Zone
Parking lot

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Fri, Jan 14, 2022

Travel Tips

- Register early to get your spot on the coach bus.
- Arrive 15 minutes prior to departure and locate travel companions.
- Trips depart from WOW! Zone back parking lot, 2030 Adams St, Mankato

Registration Tips

- When paying with credit card it will show up on your statement as Mankato Area Public Schools.
- NO REFUNDS can be given for trips after the registration deadline.

ADULT BASIC EDUCATION



2021-22 First Semester Schedule

LINCOLN COMMUNITY CENTER
110 FULTON STREET
MANKATO, MN 56001
507-345-5222

NEW ULM PUBLIC LIBRARY
17 N BROADWAY STREET
NEW ULM, MN 56073
507-779-5827

ABE classes at Lincoln Community Center, Mankato

GED/Adult Diploma & College Prep

GED LAB Daytime	September 13-January 28	9:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Monday through Thursday
GED LAB Evening		5:00 PM - 7:30 PM	Tuesdays and Wednesdays
GED Math LAB Evening		5:00 PM - 7:30 PM	Wednesdays
GED/CP Math Classes (HyFlex*)		12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Monday through Thursday
Diploma/GED English (HyFlex*)		10:30 - 11:30 AM	Monday through Thursday
College Prep Writing (HyFlex*)		12:00 - 1:00 PM	Monday through Thursday
GED w/ House of Hope		2:30 PM - 4:30 PM	Monday and Tuesday

On-Ramp - Jobs & Careers in Demand

Daytime (HyFlex*)	September 13 - January 28	8:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Monday through Thursday
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ESL Classes

Daytime (In-Person)	September 13 - January 28	8:30 AM - 2:00 PM	Monday through Thursday
Evening (Distance Only)		6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Tuesday through Thursday
Citizenship (HyFlex*)		1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Monday through Thursday

ServSafe Food Handler October 1 - November 5

Daytime (In-Person Only)	8:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Fridays
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Google Computer Class September 16 - November 5

Daytime (Distance Only)	8:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Thursdays & Fridays
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ABE Classes at Blue Earth County Jail

GED	1:30 - 4:00 PM	Wednesday and Thursday
Bridge to the Future	1:30 - 4:00 PM	Monday and Tuesday

ABE classes at New Ulm Public Library

GED	All School Year	
Meetings by appointment	4:30 - 7:30 PM	Tuesdays

ABE classes at South Central College, North Mankato

SCC Connects (Adult Career Pathway Program)

Healthcare Bridge	Enroll Anytime!	12:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Monday/Wednesday
Manufacturing Bridge	November 10- December 13	Noon - 3:00 PM	Monday/Wednesday/Thursday

Please call to enroll! Mankato (507) 345-5222 New Ulm (507) 779-5827

***HyFlex courses include technology that allows students to access the course from home or from school**

Visit us online at www.mankatocer.com or call 507-387-5501

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WHAT WE DO



COMMUNITY ACTION: PROGRAMS THAT WORK



	Blue Earth	Brown	Faribault	Le Sueur	Martin	Nicollet	Sibley	Waseca	Watsonwan
Adult Employment/Training Services	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Asset Building and Budgeting-FAIM	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Prenatal to age 5 education through Head Start	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Community Employment for people age 55+	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Heating Assistance (EAP)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Home Improvement Programs (Loans and Rehab)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Homelessness Prevention Services	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Income Tax Preparation (seasonal)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Information and Referral	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
MFIP – Minnesota Family Investment Program	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Rental Assistance (Section 8)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Thrift Store	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Vehicle Donation and Sales-Wheel Get There	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Weatherization to improve home energy efficiency	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Youth (ages 16-24) Career Planning and Employment	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●

www.mnvac.org

507-345-6822

Main office:
706 N Victory Dr.
Mankato, MN 56001

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Mankato 2021-2022 Dance Schedule

Classes start September 7th!

Registrations accepted until Oct. 1st for the performance dance classes listed below.

Session dance classes are listed separately.

1400 Madison Ave Suite 318
Mankato, MN 56001
507-625-2005
www.dcsmdance.com

Small Children' Classes

Wee Dancers Ages 2-3

Designed to introduce music and movement through basic dance and creative movement activities. Black ballet shoes required.

Tuesday 4:30-5:00

Saturday 10:00-10:30

Tiny Ballerinas Ages 3-5 Pink ballet shoes required

Tuesday 5:00-5:30

Saturday 10:30-11:00

Preschool Movement Ages 3-4

Develop motor skills, sociability while giving a fun, hands-on introduction to the world of dance. Black tap and ballet shoes required.

Tuesday 5:30-6:00

Saturday 11:00-11:30

Take either Wee or Pre AND Tiny Ballerinas and get the second class for \$25 per month.

Day Time Combos

*Ballet, Jazz, and Tap
\$30 per month

Combo E Ages 5-6
Wednesday 1:45-2:30

Combo D Ages 7+
Wednesday 2:30-3:15

Adult Classes

\$10 per class attend

Adult Tap
Monday 7:00-7:55

Adult Sampler Class
*Jazz, Tap, Hip Hop, Ballet
Saturday 10:00-10:55 am

CLASSES FOR THE WINTER/SPRING

***each class is \$35/month**

Starts Jan 4th Performs in the Spring Recital

Winter Frost Ages 3+

*black tap and black ballet shoes required

Wednesday 6:00-6:45

Intro to Hip Hop Ages 5+

Saturday 11:30 am-12:15

****No Registration Fee**

Combo Classes

Ballet, Jazz, and Tap *Black shoes required

Combo A Ages 5-6

Monday 5:15-6:00

Wednesday 5:00-5:45

Combo B Ages 7-8

Tuesday 7:00-7:55

Wed. 5:00-5:55

Combo C Ages 9-10

Thursday 5:30-6:25

Tap/Jazz Class

*Black Tap and Jazz Shoes required

Tap/Jazz 1-2

Thursday 7:30-8:25

Tap/Jazz 3-4

Thursday 7:00-7:55

Boys Classes \$25 per Month

Beg. Hip Hop Ages 5+

Wed 5:00-5:55

Beg. Tap/Jazz Ages 5+

Wed 6:00-6:55

Inter. Hip Hop Ages 9+

Thurs 6:00-6:55

Inter. Tap/Jazz Ages 9+

Thurs 7:00-7:55

Hip Hop Classes

Ages 6+ Instructor Recommendation

Hip Hop 1-2

Tuesday 6:00-6:55

Wednesday 6:00-6:55

Hip Hop 3/4

Thursday 8:00-8:55

Non-Performing Technique Classes

Ballet Tech Must have dance experience. \$70 a month, no discounts.

Ballet Tech Tuesday 5:30-6:25

Ballet Tech Room 1 Tuesday 6:30-8:00

Ballet Technique

Saturday 11:00-11:55

Leaps & Turns

Sat. 10:00-10:55

Advance Technique Ages 12+

Sat 12:00-12:30

Ballet Classes

Instructor recommendations *Pink Ballet Shoes required

Beginner Ballet Ages 5+

Monday 6:00-6:55

Thursday 4:30-5:25

Lyrical/Ballet

Thursday 6:30-7:25

Pointe (approval only)

Tuesday 8:00-8:55

Pre-Pointe (approval only)

Tuesday 5:00-5:30

Competitive Team Groups

Production: Monday 7:00-7:55

Competitive Technique: Saturday 9:00-9:55

*Team practice times and days TBD

Annual Membership Fee \$20 per dancer if registered by Aug 1st. \$30 after Aug 1st. Membership fee is non refundable
Tuition \$30 for 30 minute classes, \$38 for 45 minute classes, \$45 for 55 minutes classes Discount for multiple classes
Boys are \$25 per class per month

Performance dance classes are fall through spring commitment and are featured in our winter and spring recitals. Private solo/duet/trio lessons are available on a limited basis. Solo-\$35/half hour. Duet-\$30 per person/half hour. Trio- \$25 per person/half hour.

***All subject to change based on Enrollment. Minimum 4 students per class to keep classes.**

****Costume Packages of \$110-120 will be due in October 2021.**

Package includes costume, tights when needed, practice cd, & recital t-shirt.

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MANKATO BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

***JOIN
OUR
TEAM!***



Traveling basketball league for girls and boys in grades 4-8. Players will participate in 1-2 practices per week and 5-7 tournaments during the winter months. Scholarships available. New players welcome! Learn more and register online at:

MANKATOBASKETBALL.NET

REGISTER BY MONDAY, OCTOBER 11

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Mankato Children's Chorus

5 premier choirs, grades 1-12, representing South Central MN

Register for the 2021-22 season and receive a
50% Welcome Back Tuition Discount

For more information, and to register
online: MankatoChildrensChorus.org

Monday evening rehearsals start Sept. 13*
Christ the King Church, Mankato

Registration open through the end of September

*Masking and gathering protocols will follow Mankato
Area Public Schools safety guidelines.



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ONLINE
www.mankatocer.com

PHONE
507-387-5501
MN RELAY SERVICES: V/TTY711

REGISTRATION IS EASY!

PARTICIPATION INFORMATION

PAYMENTS

Community Education collects payment information at the time of registration. The payment will be processed in the week prior to start date. You will be emailed a payment reminder at that time. We accept VISA, MasterCard and Discover. Checks made payable to ISD 77 CER can be mailed or brought in person. **Payers will be charged an additional \$30 fee for any returned check. Participation for all members of the household will be suspended until the account is brought up to date.**

ACCOUNT INFORMATION

Please be sure to review and update all user information including payment information, payer and participant names, address, phone numbers, emergency contacts and email address.

REFUNDS

Registrants wishing to withdraw their registration from a course must do so no later than 4 business days prior to the scheduled start of the activity*. Refunds may include a \$5 processing fee. *NO refunds can be given for trips or tours after the registration deadline.

CANCELLED CLASSES

CER reserves the right to cancel any event, class or program. CER will make efforts to contact registrants before the scheduled start of the activity. Refunds (may include \$5 processing fee) will be given if cancellation occurs. If Mankato Area Public Schools District 77 closes school or releases students early due to weather concerns, CER activities will also be cancelled. For updated information, please check www.mankatocer.com or Mankato Community Education & Recreation Facebook page.

MAPS IMAGE RELEASE

Mankato Area Public Schools, 10 Civic Center Plaza, Mankato, MN 56001 has the right to publish my or my child's likeness, photograph, name, words and/or artistic works; and/or my likeness, photograph, and the same to be published in any form or medium (for example: print, electronic, video, social networking, etc.). To decline this permission for MAPS CER activities, written notice must be provided in advance to our office at Lincoln Community Center, 110 Fulton St. Mankato, MN 56001.

HEALTH & SAFETY

Mankato Community Education is committed to providing a safe and healthy environment for participants, staff and the community we serve. Participants not abiding by current guidelines may be asked to leave without reimbursement.

TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS

Participants registering for online courses do so with the expectation that they provide their own device and internet/wi-fi connection to access course work and/or meeting platform(s). MAPS CER is not able to provide technical support to participants.



Community Education has partnered with Connecting Kids (a program of Greater Mankato Area United Way) to offer scholarships for youth enrichment and recreation activities. To apply for a scholarship, please visit [Connecting Kids](http://ConnectingKids.org).

MANKATO AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS BUILDING KEY

B - Bridges Community School
320 Garfield Avenue, North Mankato

EL - Eagle Lake Elementary School
500 Le Sueur Avenue, Eagle Lake

F - Franklin Elementary School
1000 North Broad Street, Mankato

H - Hoover Elementary School
1524 Hoover Drive, North Mankato

J - Jefferson Elementary School
100 James Avenue, Mankato

K - Kennedy Elementary School
2600 East Main Street, Mankato

M - Monroe Elementary School
441 Monroe Avenue, North Mankato

R - Roosevelt Elementary School
300 West Sixth Street, Mankato

RP - Rosa Parks Elementary School
1001 Heron Drive, Mankato

W - Washington Elementary School
1100 Anderson Drive, Mankato

DMMS - Dakota Meadows Middle School
1900 Howard Drive West, North Mankato

PWMS - Prairie Winds Middle School
1200 Prairie Winds Drive, Mankato

EHS - Mankato East High School
2600 Hoffman Road, Mankato

WHS - Mankato West High School
1351 South Riverfront Drive, Mankato

LCC - Lincoln Community Center
110 Fulton Street, Mankato

ECC - Early Childhood Center
2077 Lookout Drive, North Mankato

FLC - Family Learning Center
820 Hubbell Avenue, Mankato

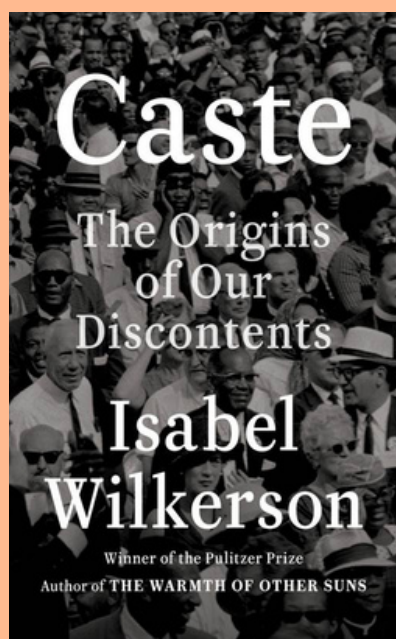
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Caste: The Origins of Our Discontents by Isabel Wilkerson examines the unspoken caste system that has shaped America and shows how our lives today are still defined by a hierarchy of human divisions. Wilkerson explores eight pillars that underlie caste systems across civilizations, using riveting stories about people, she shows the ways that the insidious undertow of caste is experienced every day. Over the course of the next three months, our learning and sharing will lead to actions we can take today, small or large.

Book Kick Off Date: Monday, Oct 11

at Blue Earth County Library

5:30-8 pm

If you register for the Fall Community Read, you must attend the Book kick off event on Monday, Oct 11.

Course #: 1522-1F

Monday, Nov 8 & Dec 13; 6-7:30 pm

Course #: 1522-2F

Wednesday, Nov 10 & Dec 15; 10-11:30 am

Registration is Required



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