

SUMMER 2025

River Valley



PROJECT EXPLORE



**SCHOLARSHIP INFO
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Classes begin on June 4, 2025

WELCOME

We would like to extend an invitation for you to take part in the variety of activities and services offered through River Valley Project Explore, a Community Education program serving adults with disabilities. The information provided here should give you a close look and better understanding of how our program works and where to acquire additional information that you may need. For over 34 years, Project Explore has been a leader in providing options for adults with disabilities to participate in activities that are specifically designed to meet their diverse needs.

FROM THE DESK OF THE COORDINATOR

A big **THANK YOU** to all who attended and helped out at our annual Waffle Breakfast. Thank you to Messiah Lutheran Church for hosting us, thank you to our many volunteers, thank you to Flowerama for donating the beautiful centerpieces, thank you to Dad's Belgian's Waffles and thank you to everyone that attended to support Project Explore. Monies raised will be used to purchase some class supplies and keep the cost of activities affordable.

I bet you are looking forward to warm and sunny summer days! We have a lot of outdoor activities planned for you this summer. As you look through this catalog you will find many ways to get together with friends for some socializing, learning and fun. You will see a few new activities; a tour of the MSP airport, pontoon rides on the St. Croix & Mississippi Rivers, a day trip, learning how to stay safe on social media and more.

The Project Explore Online Merchandise Store will open again for two weeks in May. From May 1-12 you can shop for some great Project Explore gear. Make sure to take a look as there are a few new items for spring, summer and beyond.

As always, activities have been filling up quickly, so I hope you will take the time to register early!

Use the back page of the catalog to keep track of your registrations. We'll send you an email reminder too, so **make sure your contact information including a current email address is up to date when you register!**

We love our Volunteers!

Project Explore Volunteers are very valuable. Through the generosity of volunteers, we are able to keep our class and activity fees low, allowing individuals to participate in more classes. Project Explore is always looking for volunteers to help with activities. If you, your group or organization would like to volunteer, please let us know. You can send us an email – projectexplore@district196.org – or call our office – 651-423-7931.

Project Explore Staff

Coordinator Patty Vance
Instructors and Staff Lauren Begich, Sue Butzer, Delaney Cashin, Maddie Carlson, Gabby Coggsall, Thomas Conrin, Jennifer Deviley, Kathy Field, Sofia Fornicoia, Kate Frost, Caroline Gettz, Anita Groen, Victoria Hamilton, Yayra Keptsu, Janet Larson, Emily Messick, Eileen O'Hara, Eric Pearson, Betsy Ritschel, Angela Schmidtke, Jen Stoller, Carla Student, Zoey Svenson



Project Explore Advisory Council

Jane Anderson	Shekinah Dillon	Caroline Gettz
Kevin Johnson	Dave Modrynski	Megan Moe
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Kelly Ruiz	Carla Student	Denise Weber
Dottie Woodruff	Barb St. Aubin	Patty Vance

Advisory Council members meet bi-monthly to discuss providing services and programming. They develop collaborations to benefit the ongoing educational, recreational and social needs of adults with disabilities living within the five school districts of the consortium. Interested in becoming part of the Council? Contact Patty Vance for information.

RVPE Foundation

Our mission is to seek funding resources and effectively manage funds to support River Valley Project Explore. The Foundation will work cooperatively with the Project Explore Advisory Council and program staff to support advocacy and fundraising programs as well as the disbursement of funds that ensure the program's ongoing success.

The Foundation is focused on expanding programs, classes and opportunities; providing needed equipment for activities, and scholarships for those needing financial assistance.

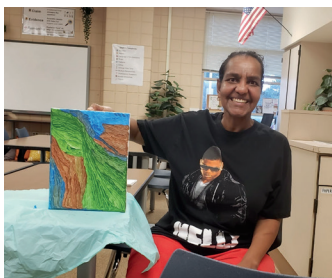
Board members include: Elaine Becker, Lisa Burns, Nick Cookas, Rick Cotterman, Suzanne Elwell, Jeanne Finch, Larry Hall, Monica Jensen, and Jeff VonHoltum.



ARTS & PAINTING

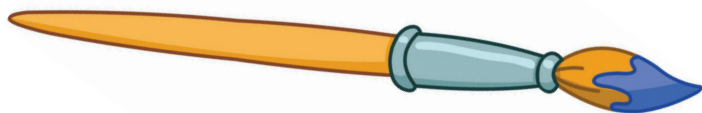
Watercolor Painting

Explore painting a lovely scene using watercolor pencils and watercolor paints. There will be samples and ideas available to give you inspiration. Your finished artwork is sure to be a masterpiece you'll want to display in your home!



Monday, June 9
Falcon Ridge Middle School

6:30-8:00 pm
\$12 per person



Acrylic Painting

Discover new ways to use acrylic paint. There will be a variety of techniques for you to try such as applying paint by pouring, rolling with marbles, spatter, masking and color blocking. Join this class and try this fun way of painting!

Wednesday, July 7
Falcon Ridge Middle School

6:30-8:00 pm
\$12 per person

Clay Sculptures

Enjoy the fun experience of creating with quick air dry foam clay. You will have many colors and an ample amount of clay to work with in this class. Use your imagination to create plants, animals, people, cars, shapes or any other object you care to make. Make a sculpture with your hands or use molds and cookie cutters that will be available to help you create objects. There will be take home containers for your artwork.

Monday, August 11
Falcon Ridge Middle School

6:30-8:00 pm
\$12 per person

PROJECT EXPLORE

ONLINE MERCHANDISE STORE

SHOW YOUR
PROJECT EXPLORE SPIRIT!

SPRING OPENING

STORE IS OPEN
MAY 1-MAY 12

SCAN THE QR CODE
TO ACCESS THE STORE

The Project Explore Online Merchandise Store opens May 1-12. Merchandise is delivered directly to you within four weeks.

SCIENCE

Solar Light Butterflies

Decorate your backyard, deck, front door or inside your home with this lovely solar light butterfly. It will be fun to make while you learn about the curious behavior of butterflies. They will light up outside in the evening or in a dark room.

Monday, June 16
Falcon Ridge Middle School

6:30-7:30 pm
\$12 per person

Chihuly Plastic Sculptures

Create a flower sculpture in the style of the famous glass artist, Dale Chihuly. Your sculpture will be created from non-recyclable plastics. Learn the science behind plastics. What a great way to reuse them and keep them out of our landfills. Your beautiful artwork is sure to brighten up your home!

Tuesday, July 8
Falcon Ridge Middle School

6:30-7:30 pm
\$12 per person



DIY Rock 'n' Roll Ice Cream

With a couple coffee cans and a few ingredients turn a liquid solution into a cold creamy ice cream dessert. Fun chemistry for a summer day. Bring your own winter gloves for rocking 'n' rolling as the cans will get frosty cold!

Monday, August 4
Falcon Ridge Middle School

6:30-8:00 pm
\$12 per person

DANCES



Rock 'n' Roll Summer Dance

Join your friends for a great evening of music, dancing and more! We are excited to welcome back The Prisoners of Rock 'n' Roll band to entertain you and get you moving out on the dance floor. There will be over 60 raffle prizes for you to view and take a chance to win. Raffle tickets are \$1.00 each and will be sold throughout the evening. Refreshments will be served.



Friday, June 20
Valley Middle School

6:00-9:00 pm
\$10 per person

HEALTH AND WELLNESS



Open Swim

Enjoy the many benefits of a warm water pool. The water temperature is a relaxing 88 degrees which can soothe sore muscles, offer stress reduction and will feel great! As you move in the pool your body is supported while providing gentle resistance to improve your overall body strength without any joint strain. The pool is reserved just for us for a fun afternoon. Lifeguards will be on duty. Bring your swimsuit, towel and goggles if desired. If you can't swim or need assistance in the pool, make sure a staff person is able to get into the pool with you.

Wednesday, June 4
McGuire Middle School

6:30-7:30 pm
\$5 per person

Wednesday, July 9
Kenwood Trail Middle School

6:30-7:30 pm
\$5 per person

Wednesday, August 13
Kenwood Trail Middle School

1:30-2:30 pm
\$5 per person

Cyber Safety NEW!!

St. Paul Homeland Security representatives will lead this vital and informative session to empower you for staying safe in the cyber world.

Wednesday, June 25
Scott Highlands Middle School

6:30-8:00 pm
No Fee

PROJECT EXPLORE POINTS OF INTEREST

Walk-in Activities

We allow walk-ins for the dances **ONLY**:

No Walk-ins for all other activities. Please be considerate as we need to order food and supplies for many of our activities. Prevent disappointment by registering early for an activity.

Wish List

To help keep our fees low we love donations for Bingo Prizes. Great ideas are:

Beanie Babies, Fuzzy Posters, DVDs, Shampoo, Body Lotions, Bath Wash, Crayons, Coloring Books, Word Find Books, Games, Liters of Pop and Snack foods.

IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT HIKES AND STROLLS:

In case of inclement weather, the instructor will call you. An attempt will be made to reschedule. Caregivers who need to accompany their participant must stay with them the entire time and keep up with their pace of walking. Dress for the weather and wear sturdy walking shoes. No flip-flops! Afterwards we will enjoy some refreshments and social time. Arrive 10 minutes prior to the hike start time so we can begin together. For strolls arrive five minutes prior to start time.



Hike Moir Park

We'll hike a nice, fairly flat path along scenic Nine Mile Creek. Following our hike, we'll head back for refreshments at Moir Park. Meet by the parking lot prior to start of our hike.

Saturday, June 7
Moir Park

10:00-11:30 am
\$5 per person



Hike Ritter Farm Park

We'll do about a 2.5 mile hike with a lot of hills. If you'd like water during the hike, please bring a water bottle of your own.

Saturday, June 28
Ritter Farm Park

10:00-11:30 am
\$5 per person

Hike Holland Lake

We'll take about a three mile hike through the rolling hills by Holland Lake. Meet just down the steps from the parking lot.

Saturday, July 5
Holland Lake Trailhead

10:00-11:30 am
\$5 per person

Hike Whitetail Woods Regional Park

This is Dakota County's newest park and it is very pretty! Meet at the picnic pavilion. We will take a nice two to three mile hike around the lake.

Saturday, July 19
Whitetail Woods Regional Park

10:00-11:30 am
\$5 per person

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Hike Jensen Lake

Have fun hiking on the rolling hills and wooded trails around Jensen Lake in Lebanon Hills Regional Park. The trail is about two miles long and unpaved. Meet at the picnic pavilion.

Saturday, August 2
Jensen Lake Trailhead

10:00-11:30 am
\$5 per person

Stroll and Roll MN Riverfront Park

We'll stroll the paved Black Dog Trail and stop 1-1/4 miles up at the dock at Black Dog Lake to look for birds and wildlife. Take 35W to get to the Black Dog Road exit.

Thursday, June 12
Minnesota Riverfront Park

6:30-7:45 pm
\$5 per person



Stroll & Roll Sunset Pond

We'll walk around Sunset Pond (1.75 miles). If the parking lot is full, please park next door in the office parking lot. (It's okay to park there in the evening.)

Wednesday, June 18
Sunset Pond Park

6:30-7:45 pm
\$5 per person

Tuesday, July 15
Sunset Pond Park

6:30-7:45 pm
\$5 per person

Tuesday, August 5
Sunset Pond Park

6:30-7:45 pm
\$5 per person

Stroll and Roll Valley Lake Park

Take a nice walk around the paved path and look for geese, ducks and other wildlife. The path is suitable for wheelchairs, mostly flat, but there may be some small hills. Meet on the grass by the parking lot and shelter to sign in.



Tuesday, July 1
Valley Lake Park

6:30-7:30 pm
\$5 per person

Wednesday, August 20
Valley Lake Park

6:30-7:30 pm
\$5 per person

OUT ON THE TOWN

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations must be made prior to the registration deadline. You will be charged for pre-paid tickets and other direct costs unless a replacement can be found. No refunds will be given for cancellations received on or after the date trip.

Navigating MSP Airport

Wondering what it's like to travel by air? This tour of the MSP airport will show you everything to expect when you fly out of MSP. You will go through the security checkpoint and then to the Education Center on the C Concourse. You will have an opportunity to explore a plane. After this the tour will continue and visit various spots throughout the airport and finish up at Baggage Claim. **A valid government issued picture ID (Real ID driver's license or state ID or passport) is required for this activity. First, middle, last names, birthdates and genders of everyone attending is needed by June 3rd.** Do not bring any prohibited items, follow the 3-1-1 rule for any liquids, creams, hand sanitizer, etc. **Space is very limited for this tour. Caregivers must register to attend! Tour begins at 10:00am.**

Wednesday, June 11
Valley Middle School

9:00 am-12:30 pm
\$10 per person



St. Paul Saints

Come and watch the St. Paul Saints at CHS Field as they play the Scranton/Wilkes-Barre RailRiders in June, the Worcester Red Sox in July and the Iowa Cubs in August. This beautiful field in Lowertown is sure to help you enjoy a great time watching Saints baseball! After the July and August games we will stay for the fireworks! The pig will be there along with the usual Saints' craziness that we all love! No doubt, there will be some new and fun surprises as well. We will be sitting in reserved seats. Bring along some extra cash if you would like to purchase refreshments or souvenirs. Dress appropriately for the weather. Be aware that the June 8th game starts at 2:07pm. The July 25th and August 8th games begin at 7:07pm and we will stay for fireworks after the game.

We must receive your registration and payment by May 9 for the June game and by June 26 for the July game and by July 10 for the August game, or until tickets have sold out. Every person attending the game, including caregivers need to register and purchase a ticket.

Sunday, June 8
Falcon Ridge Middle School

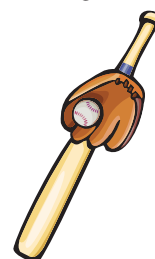
12:30-5:30 pm
\$26 per person

Friday, July 25
Falcon Ridge Middle School

5:45-11:00 pm
\$27 per person

Friday, August 8
Falcon Ridge Middle School

5:45-11:00 pm
\$27 per person



OUT ON THE TOWN

Rivertown Pontoon Excursion

Come spend the morning on a pontoon boat for a two hour cruise on the beautiful St. Croix and Mississippi rivers. You will see the peaceful scenery around the river along with various wildlife. Lifejackets and complimentary water bottles will be provided. Dress for the weather; it can be cooler on the water so make sure to have a jacket, sweatshirt or sweater! The captain and crew will meet you at 10am and assist in getting you a lifejacket before you board the boat. Then the boat will depart the Prescott dock and return at 12:00pm. The boat is wheelchair accessible. Meet at the Miss-Croix Marina in Prescott, Wisconsin. Transportation is not provided for this activity. The pontoon can accommodate ten passengers. **Caregivers must register! Transportation is not provided for this activity.**



Tuesday, June 17
Miss-Croix Yacht Harbor

10:00 am-12:00 pm
\$5 per person

Wednesday, July 9
Miss-Croix Yacht Harbor

10:00 am-12:00 pm
\$5 per person

Thursday, August 7
Miss-Croix Yacht Harbor

10:00 am-12:00 pm
\$5 per person

MN Twins

Calling all Twins fans! Hop on board the bus to Minneapolis and help us cheer on the hometown team as they take on the Seattle Mariners in June and the Detroit Tigers in August. June's game is in the evening starting at 6:40pm and in August it is a Sunday afternoon game starting at 1:10pm. These are very popular events, so get your registrations in early. Limited wheelchair seating is available. The tickets are in the Legends Landing section. Limitless food & beverage is INCLUDED at every game! Simply present your ticket at the concession stand located behind the Legends Landing to receive unlimited ballpark fare including hot dogs, burgers, chicken tenders, popcorn, pop, water, juice and milk.

We must receive your registration and payments by June 2nd for the June 24th game and July 24th for the August 17th game, or until the tickets have sold out. **Caregivers need to register and pay for each game ticket.**

Tuesday, June 24
Valley Middle School

5:15-10:30 pm
\$55 per person

Sunday, August 17
Valley Middle School

11:45 am-5:00 pm
\$66 per person



MN Vikings - TCO Performance Center Tour

Join us for a very special tour of the TCO Performance Center - the home and practice facility of the Minnesota Vikings! The new team headquarters in Eagan boasts some



of the newest and biggest state of the art equipment in all of professional sports. **Participants and caregivers are both required to register for this event.** Please meet promptly at TCO Performance Center at 5:45 pm in front of the building for check in, the tour will begin at 6 pm. **Transportation is not provided for this activity.**

Monday, June 23
TCO Performance Center

5:45-7:30 pm
\$5 per person

Animal Tracks & Mill Stacks

Hop on board for a full day of adventure and learning in Southern Minnesota. Our first stop is the Oxbow Park & Zollman Zoo along with the Oxbow Nature Center. We will have a 45 minute guided tour of the Zoo and Nature Center. The Dr. Paul E. Zollman Zoo houses over 30 species of wild



animals native to Minnesota. In the nature center you will learn about animal life, natural history, outdoor recreation skills and ecology. Following our tour, you will have time to explore the zoo, park, nature center exhibits and go on a walk. Bring a bag lunch and we'll meet at the picnic tables at noon. The park, zoo and nature center are connected and located just outside of Rochester, MN in Byron. Early afternoon we will hop back on the bus and head to Faribault for a guided tour of the Faribault Woolen Mill. Learn about this historic mill that started in 1892. Faribault Mill endures as one of the last vertical woolen mills in America. As you tour the mill, you'll learn about the history of the Faribault Mill and its importance to the local community. You'll also get a behind-the-scenes look at the machinery and tools used in the manufacturing process. This tour is about an hour long. Afterwards you can visit the gift shop. You may want to bring money for souvenirs at the gift shops. Make sure to bring a bag lunch and beverage. There will be coolers available for you to store your lunch if needed. Bus departs East Lake Elementary School at 8:30am! **Caregivers need to register for a space on the bus!**

Saturday, July 12
East Lake Elementary

8:30 am-5:00 pm
\$39 per person

OUT ON THE TOWN

Return To Oz

This high-spirited adaptation transforms this classic tale into a toe-tapping musical with original pop songs. Dorothy, a restless Kansas farm girl eager to see more of the world, is transported by a cyclone to the magical world of Oz where she meets the Scarecrow, the Tin Man, and the Cowardly Lion, who quickly become her new friends. Together, they overcome their fears of witches, flying monkeys and a haunted forest to learn if the Wizard can make their dreams come true. **Caregivers need to register and pay for their ticket. Transportation is not provided for this activity.**

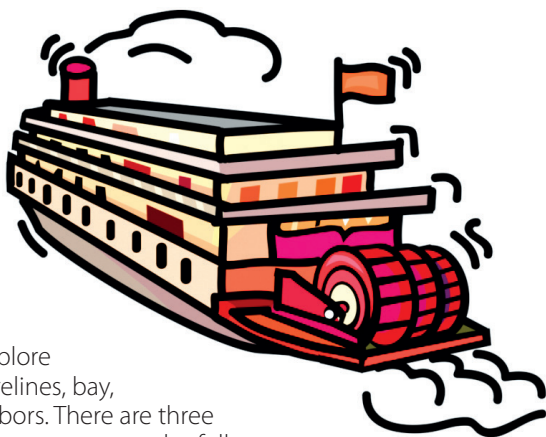


Tuesday, July 22
Ives Auditorium

9:45-11:15 am
\$10 per person

Lake Minnetonka Boat Cruise

Join us for a private cruise on Lake Minnetonka with friends. Lady of the Lake, a beautiful historic sternwheeler boat will take us all around the lake to explore beautiful shorelines, bay, inlets and harbors. There are three levels to the boat so you can be fully inside or completely uncovered, up top on the deck. Dinner is provided and includes a sandwich, salad, jumbo cookie and a beverage. Gluten free option is available. Your registration includes the boat ride, your meal and drink. The boat does have four stairs to navigate getting on and off the boat but is otherwise accessible. Registration must be received by August 5th or until the boat is full. **Caregivers need to register and pay for this cruise.**



Tuesday, August 26
Valley Middle School

4:30-8:30 pm
\$39 per person

OUT AND ABOUT

Coffee & Chat

Get together with friends over coffee and catch up on summer happenings and plans. We'll meet at McDonald's in Apple Valley to start off the day! Remember to bring money for coffee!

Friday, June 6
McDonald's Restaurant

9:00-10:00 am
No Fee

Monday, July 14
McDonald's Restaurant

9:00-10:00 am
No Fee

Tuesday, August 19
McDonald's Restaurant

9:00-10:00 am
No Fee



Lunch Bunch

Let's meet for lunch and some socializing! It's a great time to enjoy lunch, see old friends and make some new friends. If you're available we hope you can join us! Remember to bring money for your meal.

Friday, June 27
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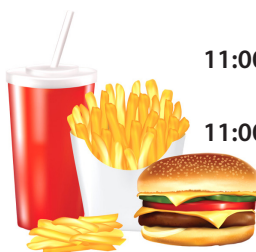
11:00 am-12:15 pm
No Fee

Tuesday, July 21
Culvers of Apple Valley

11:00 am-12:15 pm
No Fee

Thursday, August 14
Pizza Ranch Lakeville

11:00 am-12:15 pm
No Fee



SPORTS

Mini-Golf at King Park

Join your friends for some fun outdoors playing mini-golf at the fully accessible nine-hole course at King Park in Lakeville. It is adjacent to a fully accessible playground area, so before or after you play you can enjoy the playground or walking trails. There is a picnic shelter at the park. Golf putters and golf balls provided. There will be a concession stand open, so bring money if you'd like to purchase a hot dog, snack, beverage or ice cream.

Wednesday, June 11
King Park

6:00-8:00 pm
\$5 per person

Wednesday, July 23
King Park

6:00-8:00 pm
\$5 per person

Wednesday, August 27
King Park

6:00-8:00 pm
\$5 per person





Mini-Golf Tournament

Join your friends for a fun day of mini-golf at King Park. You will be paired with another player for a round of nine holes. Following mini-golf there will be a hot dog lunch including chips, fresh fruit and dessert. There will be giveaways and a raffle! This event is hosted by the Lakeville Lions Club. Please arrive at 10:45 so teams can be organized. Caregivers are welcome to enjoy a complimentary lunch.

Saturday, August 9
King Park

10:45 am-1:00 pm
\$5 per person

Summer Bowling Leagues

Our bowling leagues meet at Bogart's Entertainment Center. Join your friends for a fun time of bowling and visiting. If you are hungry, you can stay and eat right there in the Main Street Grill. You receive a free beverage with your meal purchase. You must pre-register to have a lane assigned. Summer bowling is a ten week session.



Please indicate on your registration if you need lane bumpers and/or bowling ramp.

Monday Morning Bowling
Mondays, June 23-August 25
Bogart's Entertainment Center

10:00-11:15 am
\$49 per person

Monday Afternoon Bowling
Mondays, June 23- August 25
Bogart's Entertainment Center

4:00-5:15 pm
\$49 per person

Wednesday Bowling
Wednesdays, June 25- August 27
Bogart's Entertainment Center

4:00-5:15 pm
\$49 per person

Thursday Bowling
Thursdays, June 26- August 28
Bogart's Entertainment Center

4:00-5:15 pm
\$49 per person



Pickleball

Come on out for a great evening with friends on the courts! You will learn the basics of pickleball and play some games while you learn strategies. Bring a racquet if you own one. If not, racquets and balls will be provided. Dress for playing - shorts and a t-shirt along with sneakers are recommended. We will be on indoor courts at the Apple Valley Community Center, so we play rain or shine! Bring a water bottle too.



Friday, June 13
Apple Valley Community Center

6:00-8:00 pm
\$8 per person

Friday, July 18
Apple Valley Community Center

6:00-8:00 pm
\$8 per person

Friday, August 15
Apple Valley Community Center

6:00-8:00 pm
\$8 per person

VOLUNTEER CORNER

Feed My Starving Children

Come join us and make a big difference in the lives of children around the world! We will help pack food and label bags at Feed My Starving Children to feed children around the world. At the end of our session, we will find out exactly how many meals we produce to eliminate hunger in the world.



Please leave your jewelry at home so no loose items end up in the food.

Tuesday, June 10
Feed My Starving Children

2:30-4:15 pm
No Fee

Thursday, July 17
Feed My Starving Children

12:00-1:45 pm
No Fee

Friday, August 22
Feed My Starving Children

9:30-11:15 am
No Fee

Adopt A Park

Help keep our community clean and beautiful. Project Explore has adopted Valley Middle Park on the northern border of Valley Middle School. We'll meet to pick up litter. Tools are provided, bring work gloves if you'd like and dress for the weather.

Saturday, June 14
Valley Middle Park

10:00-11:00 am
No Fee

Thursday, July 10
Valley Middle Park

6:30-7:30 pm
No Fee

Saturday, August 16
Valley Middle Park

10:00-11:00 am
No Fee



LOCAL COMMUNITY SUMMER HAPPENINGS

Apple Valley

Friday Night Concerts at Kelly Park
For information: AVARTSFOUNDATION.ORG

Apple Valley Freedom Days

June 27-July 4, 2025
For more information: <https://www.avfreedomdays.com/>

Farmington Dew Days

June 26-29, 2025
For more information: <https://www.farmingtondewdays.com/>

Lakeville Pan-O-Prog

July 5-13, 2025
For more information: <https://www.panoprogram.org/events-listing>

Rosemount Leprechaun Days

July 19-26, 2025
For more information: <https://www.leprechaundays.org/>

Storybook Theater

Two plays this summer at Eastview High School
Free Admission!!

Alice in Wonderland

Friday, June 20 at 6:30 pm
Saturday, June 21 at 10:00 am

Twice Upon A Time

Friday, August 1 at 6:30 pm
Saturday, August 2 at 10:00 am

Burnsville

For more information:
<https://burnsvillermn.gov/142/Parks-Recreation>

Party on the Plaza:

June 5, July 10 and August 14 from 5:00 – 9:00 pm
Nicollet Commons Park, 12550 Nicollet Avenue
Food Trucks, live entertainment, community booths, arts & craft vendors, games and more!

Friday Night Flicks on Bricks (seating at 7:30pm, outdoor movies begin at dusk) Free to all
Nicollet Commons Park, 12600 Nicollet Avenue
June 20 – “Moana 2”, July 25 – “Inside Out 2”, August 8 – “Sonic 3”

Eagan

Summer Market Fest & Concerts:

June 4 – August 27 from 4:00-8:00 pm
Eagan Festival Grounds, 1501 Central Parkway, Eagan
Fresh & Local Produce and Artisan goods.
For more information:
www.cityofeagan.com/marketfest

Eagan Food Truck Festival

Friday, August 9 from 4:00-9:00 pm at the Festival Grounds

Dakota County Fair

August 4-10
Dakota County Fairgrounds
4008 220th Street W, Farmington 55024
For more information: <https://www.dakotacountyfair.org/>

Dakota County Softball Leagues

Tuesday night is full of softball action! Games are held every Tuesday evening at Aronson Park in Lakeville from late April through July with playoffs in early August. For a complete game schedule and to find out if any teams are looking for players call KOTA Connections at 952-469-1555.

A Great Day Farm

5575 115th Street E, Northfield 55057
A Great Day Farm was created to provide no-fee recreation and life enrichment opportunities for people with developmental disabilities. They offer a safe environment where it's okay to run and play or just sit back and relax. Open year round. Visit the website for hours and more information: agreatdayfarm.org. Call 507-663-1370 before you go so the farm is prepared for your visit.

Rivertown Fishing

This organization serves seniors, veterans and the disabled in the community through fishing and boating excursions. Our pontoon boat, captained and crewed by several dedicated volunteers, takes trips along the beautiful St. Croix and Mississippi rivers. Our mission is to allow the groups we serve to enjoy the joys of fishing or just a boat ride on a sunny day. Up to 10 people can go on a two-hour excursion, May through September. The excursions are Monday – Thursday, 10:00 am to noon or 1:00-3:00 pm. The pontoon dock is in Prescott, Wisconsin and can fit up to three wheelchairs. All fishing gear is provided as well as a captain and First Mate for each excursion. For reservations, call Rob at 651-480-7689.

District 196 Community Education Adapted Swim Lessons

Swimming provides opportunities for physical and social development. Instruction is tailored to the needs of the individual. Learn water safety and water adjustment skills. Staff and volunteers provide one-on-one assistance. Family locker room is available. Register for the waitlist. We will contact you when we match an instructor to the swimmer's special needs. Classes are 30 minutes in length. Call 952-431-8777 to register.

Mondays:

June 16 -Aug. 4
June 16 & 23 at DHMS, June 30 & July-August at BHMS
3:00-3:30 pm., 3:35-4:05 pm., or 4:10-4:40 pm
\$145/8 sessions

Wednesdays:

June 18 – August 6
June at DHMS, July-August at BHMS
3:00-3:30 pm., 3:35-4:05 pm., or 4:10-4:40 pm
\$145/8 classes

Twin Cities River Rats Waterski Shows

1628 West River Road, Minneapolis 55411
info@tcriverrats.com
Free shows Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm
June -August, additional shows in August
No show August 7
For more information: <https://www.tcriverrats.com/>

LOCAL COMMUNITY SUMMER HAPPENINGS

FREE OR DISCOUNTED ADMISSIONS

If you are enrolled in a program like Medical Assistance, you may qualify for free or specially discounted admission at places like the MN Zoo or Science Museum of Minnesota! Here is a list of the places you may get in for free and what you need to qualify:

MN Zoo offers a "Free to Explore" program if you are enrolled in any of the following:

TANF, MFIP, SNAP, MFAP, General Assistance (all need to show an EBT card)

Medical Assistance or Minnesota Care (MHCO card needed)

Admission is free, but parking is not included. As of now, reservations must be made ahead of your visit.

Guthrie Theater – The Guthrie in Minneapolis offers Gateway tickets for \$5. To qualify, you must be at least 18 years old and be enrolled in one or more of the following: TANF, MFIP, WIC, General Assistance, Medical Assistance, MinnesotaCare, Supplemental Security Income, Social Security Disability Benefits, SNAP, Section 8 or free/reduced school meals. Up to four tickets may be purchased for select performances by phone or at the Box Office.

The Bell Museum offers Explore & Curiosity Programs. To qualify you must be at least 18 and enrolled in one or more of the following: TANF, MFIP, SNAP, General Assistance, Medical Assistance, MinnesotaCare, WIC, Supplemental Security Income, Social Security Disability Benefits, Food Stamps, Section 8, or Free/Reduced Price School Meals. Present any appropriate documents related to those programs at the Lobby Desk to qualify. Qualifying guests receive free museum gallery admission passes and discounted planetarium show tickets (\$4 for adults/seniors; \$3 for youth).

At the **Minnesota History Center**, to qualify for discounted admission you must be at least 18 and enrolled in one or more of the following: TANF, MFIP, WIC, General Assistance, Medical Assistance, MinnesotaCare, Supplemental Security Income, Social Security Disability Benefits, Food Stamps, Section 8, or Free/Reduced Price School Meals. **Pricing is \$4 adults (regular museum admission is \$12);** free for children ages 5-17 (regular admission \$6). You must provide proof of enrollment AND print and fill out the following form before visiting. More information is on their website:

<https://www.mnhs.org/limitedincomeprogram>.

Science Museum of Minnesota in St. Paul, **your admission is only \$3 for museum admission, or \$3 for the omnitheater**, if you are least 18 and enrolled in one or more of the following: TANF, MFIP, WIC, General Assistance, Medical Assistance, MinnesotaCare, Supplemental Security Income, Social Security Disability Benefits, Food Stamps, Section 8, or Free/Reduced Price School Meals. Photo ID and documentation of any of the following is required:

- o EBT card
- o Medical assistance card (includes MinnesotaCare)
- o Section 8 document
- o WIC folder
- o Supplemental Security Income verification
- o Social Security Disability Benefits verification
- o Free/reduced school meal approval
- o RCA card (Refugee Cash Assistance)
- o General Assistance verification

For more information visit: <https://new.smm.org/great-tix>

Minnesota Historical Society If you qualify, you can **visit any of their 26 sites around Minnesota for only \$4/adults**, or for FREE for ages 17 and under. You must be at least 18 and enrolled in one or more of the following: TANF, MFIP, WIC, General Assistance, Medical Assistance, MinnesotaCare, Supplemental Security Income, Social Security Disability Benefits, Food Stamps, Section 8, or Free/Reduced Price School Meals. Contact them prior to your visit as they require a form to be completed:

<https://www.mnhs.org/sites/default/files/limitedincomeprogram/limited-income-program-form.pdf>

Here are their locations: Alexander Ramsey House, Birch Coulee Battlefield, Charles A. Lindbergh Historic Site, Comstock House, Folsom House, Forest History Center, Fort Ridgely, Harkin Store, Historic Forestville, Historic Fort Snelling, James J. Hill House, Jeffers Petroglyphs, Lac qui Parle Mission, Lower Sioux Agency, Marine Mill, Mill City Museum, Mille Lacs Indian Museum and Trading Post, Minnehaha Depot, Minnesota History Center, Gale Family Library, Minnesota State Capitol, North West Company Fur Post, Oliver Kelley Farm, Sibley Historic Site, Split Rock Lighthouse, Traverse de Sioux, W.W. Mayo House

At YMCA locations everywhere, **special rates are available** for those who meet income requirements. More info on their website: <https://www.ymcanorth.org/financial-assistance>



Like us on Facebook: River Valley Project Explore

See what's new and view current photos from our classes and activities!

PROJECT EXPLORE GUIDELINES FOR PARTICIPATION

Project Explore promotes inclusion of adults with developmental, sensory, cognitive and physical disabilities in a variety of Community Education programs and makes reasonable accommodations to provide an enriching experience for all participants. Your cooperation in following the guidelines listed below helps to make the classes and trips run smoothly and safely.

1. Pre-registration is required for all classes, activities and trips. Walk-ins will be accepted for dances, but pre-payment and reservations are appreciated.
2. Participants must be accompanied to the classroom. The instructor or staff is in the classroom no earlier than 30 minutes prior to class. Check in with the Project Explore staff and confirm the best time to return and pick up the participant; this needs to be at least 15 minutes prior to the end of class.
3. Participants who require personal assistance for physical and/or behavioral issues must be accompanied and supervised for all activities and events by their caregiver.
4. All participants must be accompanied for field trips, unless they are their own guardian. Call the office with any questions.
5. Any participant with an active seizure disorder must be accompanied and supervised at all Project Explore activities by their caregiver.
6. All Project Explore programs are school district sponsored, so there is no smoking on school grounds. All programs are alcohol free.
7. Transportation to and from all activities is the responsibility of the participant. Exceptions are for "Out On The Town" activities where a bus is provided.
8. Instructors are not expected to, nor are trained to provide the level of assistance often required by people with disabilities. Instructors are not familiar with all the personal, physical or behavioral needs of the participants.
9. Any individuals attending any of our activities on their own are asked to carry emergency contact information with them.
10. If you do not wish for the image and likeness of you to be used for Project Explore or ISD 196's promotional materials and publications, contact Communication Department at communityed@district196.org or call 651-423-7701.
11. Please do not bring any outside food or drink to non-meal events. It may cause inappropriate behavior from some participants. We appreciate your help.
12. Arriving Late: Participants that arrive at an activity 30 minutes or more after the start time may not be permitted to complete all projects, activities or the event.
13. Inclement Weather: In case of inclement weather check the ISD 196 website and also our outgoing voice message. We will make every effort to contact you.

If unable to meet these guidelines, please call the program office.

WEB RESOURCES

River Valley Project Explore: ce.district196.org/projectexplore

The Project Explore brochure and pictures from events can be viewed on our website.

Here are some other websites that provide a variety of services to people of all ages and abilities in Minnesota.

- **Arc of Minnesota:** www.TheArcOfMinnesota.org
Advocacy and support for people with developmental disabilities and their families.
- **GoDakota:** <https://www.co.dakota.mn.us/Transportation/GettingAround/Pages/default.aspx>
Transportation services for Dakota County residents.
- **True Friends:** www.truefriends.org
True Friends is a non-profit agency that creates unique educational, recreational and social opportunities for people of all ages with mental and physical disabilities.
- **Metropolitan Center For Independent Living:** www.mcil-mn.org
MCIL is dedicated to the full promotion of the Independent Living philosophy by supporting individuals with disabilities in their personal efforts to pursue self-directed lives. Contact them at 651-603-2007 for more information on classes and services they offer.
- **Pacer Center:** www.pacer.org
The mission of PACER is to expand opportunities and enhance the quality of life of children and young adults with disabilities and their families. They promote parents helping parents.
- **Search Beyond Adventures:** www.searchbeyond.com
Provides escorted travel tours for adults with disabilities.
- **Wilderness Inquiry:** www.wildernessinquiry.org
Our mission is to make adventure travel accessible to everyone, regardless of age, background or ability.
- **Disability Linkage Line:** www.minnesotahelp.info
The disability Linkage Line is a free statewide information and referral resource. It provides Minnesotans with disabilities and chronic illnesses a single access point for all disability related questions. Contact them at 1-866-333-2466 for more information.

ADDITIONAL COMMUNITY SERVICES

Special Olympics

Whether you are interested in participating at practices or competing at Area Games and State Meets, you are sure to make new friends and have fun in a healthy and well managed environment. Many sports are offered including track & field, swimming, basketball, bowling, bocce, poly hockey, tennis, gymnastics, softball, soccer and power lifting.

Burnsville Area:

Contact Brian Petrich at bkpetrich@gmail.com; 612-760-2362

Rosemount-Apple Valley-Eagan area:

Contact Louise Anderson at RAVEHOD@gmail.com

Or www.theravesp.org

Farmington: https://farmington.ce.eleyo.com/search?q=special+olympics&redirected_yet=true

Community Education Integration Opportunities

Interesting and fun classes are offered through Community Education Programs. The sponsoring districts will make every effort to provide reasonable accommodation so your experience is successful. To request a catalog, call the following Community Education Departments:

Burnsville:	952-707-4110
Farmington:	651-460-3200
Lakeville:	952-232-2170
Randolph:	507-263-2151
Rosemount:	651-423-7920

Local Community Meals:

- All Saints Catholic, Lakeville located at 19795 Holyoke Ave, Lakeville
2nd Thursday, 6:00-7:00 pm
- Easter Lutheran by the Lake located at 545 Pilot Knob Road, Eagan
Drive-Thru – Monday-Thursday, 5:30-6:30 pm

FACILITY ADDRESSES

Apple Valley Community Center

14603 Hayes Road
Apple Valley, MN 55124

Bogart's Entertainment Center

14917 Garrett Avenue
Apple Valley, MN 55124

CHS Field

360 N Broadway Street
St. Paul, MN 55101

Culver's Restaurant

15225 Galaxie Avenue
Apple Valley, MN 55124

East Lake Elementary School

4715 162nd Street W
Lakeville, MN 55044

Falcon Ridge Middle School

12900 Johnny Cake Ridge Road
Apple Valley, MN 55124

Feed My Starving Children

990 Lone Oak Road #136
Eagan, MN 55121

Holland Lake Trailhead

1100 Cliff Road
Eagan, MN 55123

Ives Auditorium

11411 Masonic Home Drive
Bloomington, MN 55437

Jensen Lake Trailhead

1398 Carriage Hills Drive
Eagan, MN 55123

Kenwood Trail Middle School

19455 Kenwood Trail
Lakeville, MN 55044

King Park

18350 Dodd Blvd.
Lakeville, MN 55044

Lady of the Lake

8 Water Street
Excelsior, MN 55331

McDonald's Restaurant

7667 150th Street W.
Apple Valley, MN 55124

McGuire Middle School

21220 Holyoke Avenue
Lakeville, MN 55044

Minnesota Riverfront Park

600 W. Blackdog Road
Burnsville, MN 55337

Miss-Croix Yacht Harbor

451 2nd Street
Prescott, WI 54021

MSP Airport

3400 Glumack Drive
St. Paul, MN 55111

Moir Park

10320 Morgan Avenue S
Bloomington, MN 55431

Pizza Ranch

16995 Kenyon Avenue
Lakeville, MN 55044

QDOBA Mexican Eats

15052 Gleason Path
Apple Valley, MN 55124

Ritter Farm Park

19300 Ritter Parkway
Lakeville, MN 55044

Scott Highlands Middle School

14011 Pilot Knob Road
Apple Valley, MN 55124

Sunset Pond Park

3398 W. Burnsville Parkway
Burnsville, MN 5537

TCO Performance Center

2600 Vikings Circle
Eagan, MN 55121

Target Field

1 Twins Way
Minneapolis, MN 55403

Valley Lake Park

160th Street, East of Cedar Avenue
Lakeville, MN 55044

Valley Middle Park

1040 Baldwin Drive
Apple Valley, MN 55124

Valley Middle School

900 Garden View Drive
Apple Valley, MN 55124

Whitetail Woods Regional Park

17100 Station Trail
Farmington, MN 55024

REGISTRATION FORM (ONE PER PERSON)

Online Registration:
ce.district196.org/projectexplore

Name: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ City: _____
Zip: _____ Email Address: _____

☐ **Please check if new address or phone number** Contact Person: _____

Service Provider: _____ Group Home Name: _____

Special Information & Accommodations: ☐ Wheelchair ☐ Food Allergies, please specify _____

☐ **Please check if you do not wish for your photo to be used for publicity purposes or social media**

Participant Events – Summer 2025

Arts & Painting

Watercolor Painting _____ \$12
Acrylic Painting _____ \$12
Clay Sculptures _____ \$12

Science Classes

Solar Light Butterflies _____ \$12
Chihuly Plastic Sculptures _____ \$12
DIY Rock'n'Roll Ice Cream _____ \$12

Dance

Rock'n'Roll Summer Dance _____ \$10

Health and Wellness

Open Swim
June 4 _____ \$5
July 9 _____ \$5
August 13 _____ \$5
Cyber Safety _____ No Fee
Hike Moir Park _____ \$5
Hike Ritter Farm Park _____ \$5
Hike Holland Lake Trailhead _____ \$5
Hike Whitetail Woods Park _____ \$5
Hike Jensen Lake _____ \$5
Stroll & Roll
MN Riverfront Park _____ \$5
Sunset Pond- June 18 _____ \$5
Valley Lake Park – July 1 _____ \$5
Sunset Pond – July 15 _____ \$5
Sunset Pond – August 5 _____ \$5
Valley Lake Park – August 20 _____ \$5

Out on the Town

Navigating MSP Airport _____ \$10
No Bus _____ \$5
St. Paul Saints
June 8 _____ \$26
No Bus _____ \$21
July 25 _____ \$27
No Bus _____ \$22
August 8 _____ \$27
No Bus _____ \$22
Rivertown Pontoon Excursion
June 17 _____ \$5
July 9 _____ \$5
August 7 _____ \$5
MN Vikings TCO Center Tour _____ \$5
MN Twins
June 24 _____ \$55
No Bus _____ \$50
August 17 _____ \$66
No Bus _____ \$61
Animal Tracks & Mill Stacks _____ \$39
Return To Oz _____ \$10
Lake Minnetonka Boat Cruise _____ \$39
No Bus _____ \$33
Gluten Free Dinner _____

Out & About

Coffee & Chat
June 6 _____ No Fee
July 14 _____ No Fee
August 19 _____ No Fee
Lunch Bunch
June 27 – QDOBA, AV _____ No Fee
July 21 – Culvers, AV _____ No Fee
August 13 – Pizza Ranch, LV _____ No Fee

Sports

Summer Bowling Leagues (10 weeks)
Monday Morning _____ \$49
Monday Afternoon _____ \$49
Wednesdays _____ \$49
Thursdays _____ \$49
I need lane bumpers _____
I need a bowling ramp _____
Mini-Golf at King Park
June 11 _____ \$5
July 23 _____ \$5
August 27 _____ \$5
Mini-Golf Tournament _____ \$5
Pickleball
June 13 _____ \$8
July 18 _____ \$8
August 15 _____ \$8

Volunteer Corner

Feed My Starving Children
June 10 _____ No Fee
July 17 _____ No Fee
August 22 _____ No Fee
Adopt A Park
June 14 _____ No Fee
July 10 _____ No Fee
August 16 _____ No Fee

Participant Total _____
Credit Voucher _____
Enclosed _____
Check # _____



Caregiver Events – Summer 2025

This portion of the registration form must be completed when there is a fee charged for the caregivers to attend an activity with the participant(s).

Dance

Rock'n'Roll Summer Dance _____ \$10

Out on the Town

Navigating MSP Airport _____ \$5
No Bus _____ \$0
St. Paul Saints
June 8 _____ \$26
No Bus _____ \$21
July 25 _____ \$27
No Bus _____ \$22
August 8 _____ \$27
No Bus _____ \$22
Rivertown Pontoon Excursion
June 17 _____ No Fee
July 9 _____ No Fee
August 7 _____ No Fee
MN Vikings TCO Center Tour _____ No Fee
MN Twins
June 24 _____ \$55
No Bus _____ \$50
August 17 _____ \$66
No Bus _____ \$61
Animal Tracks & Mill Stacks _____ \$33
Return To Oz _____ \$10
Lake Minnetonka Boat Cruise _____ \$39
No Bus _____ \$33
Gluten Free Dinner _____

Caregiver Total _____
Credit Voucher _____
Enclosed _____
Check # _____

Complete and mail your registration form and check to:

River Valley Project Explore
15180 Canada Avenue
Rosemount, MN 55068

Payment is due with your registration. Payment is due with your registration. Make checks payable to School District 196 (ISD196). Call 651-423-7931 with any questions.

EASY WAYS TO REGISTER

1. By Mail

Complete one registration form per person and mail it with a check to:

River Valley Project Explore

15180 Canada Avenue

Rosemount, MN 55068

Make check payable to ISD 196

2. Online

Visit ce.district196.org/projectexplore to register online.

3. Phone

Use your Visa, MasterCard, American Express or Discover card and call 651-423-7931.

4. In Person

Walk in registrations can be made at the office between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:30 pm, Monday through Friday.

5. Drop Box

Drop off your registration in our secure drop box 24/7, located at our offices. You'll find the drop box on the south side of the building.

Are You In?

Yes! Unless you are notified, assume that you are enrolled in the activity and that it will be held at the time and place indicated.

If you find a class full

Complete the registration process and add yourself to the waitlist. Registration cancellations occur as well as the possibility of adding additional classes. If you are on the waitlist and an opening occurs, we will contact you.

Cancellation and Refund Policy

- Full refunds will be given if classes are cancelled by Project Explore.
- Refund requests received five (5) working days prior to a class qualify for a refund.
- Requests received less than five (5) working days before class start may not receive a refund.
- Exceptions are made due to serious illness or family emergency.
- Once tickets are purchased for "Out On The Town" events, refunds will not be made unless there is someone on our waiting list.



HELP WITH PAYMENT

UCare Member Benefits

- Some UCare Members are eligible for benefits to help pay for Community Education and Project Explore activities. Contact your UCare representative for more information and to see if you qualify.

Scholarship Information

- Clients may request scholarship support for Project Explore sponsored activities. The annual maximum scholarship amount is \$100. Questions can be directed to Patty at the Program Office.

Scholarships are provided by the RVPE Foundation.



PERSONAL REGISTRATION RECORD



Name: _____

☐ Check the classes you have registered for!

Wednesday, June 4

- ☐ Open Swim
6:30-7:30 pm
McGuire Middle School

Friday, June 6

- ☐ Coffee & Chat
9:00-10:00 am
McDonald's Restaurant

Saturday, June 7

- ☐ Hike Moir Park
10:00-11:30 am
Moir Park

Sunday, June 8

- ☐ St. Paul Saints
12:30-5:30 pm
Falcon Ridge Middle School

Monday, June 9

- ☐ Watercolor Painting
6:30-8:00 pm
Falcon Ridge Middle School

Tuesday, June 10

- ☐ Feed My Starving Children
2:30-4:15 pm
Feed My Starving Children,
Eagan

Wednesday, June 11

- ☐ Navigating MSP Airport
9:00 am-12:30 pm
Valley Middle School
- ☐ Mini-Golf
6:00-8:00 pm
King Park

Thursday, June 12

- ☐ Stoll & Roll MN Riverfront Park
6:30-7:45 pm
MN Riverfront Park

Friday, June 13

- ☐ Pickleball
6:00-8:00 pm
AV Community Center

Saturday, June 14

- ☐ Adopt A Park
10:00-11:00 am
Valley Middle Park

Monday, June 16

- ☐ Solar Light Butterflies
6:30-7:30 pm
Falcon Ridge Middle School

Tuesday, June 17

- ☐ Rivertown Pontoon Excursion
10:00 am-12:00 pm
Miss-Croix Yacht Harbor

Wednesday, June 18

- ☐ Stroll & Roll Sunset Pond
6:30-7:45 pm
Sunset Pond Park

Friday, June 20

- ☐ Rock 'n' Roll Summer Dance
6:00-9:00 pm
Valley Middle School

Monday, June 23

- ☐ Monday AM Bowling Begins
10:00-11:15 am
Bogart's
- ☐ Monday PM Bowling Begins
4:00-5:15 pm
Bogart's
- ☐ MN Vikings TCO Tour
5:45-7:30 pm
TCO Performance Center

Tuesday, June 24

- ☐ MN Twins
5:15-10:30 pm
Valley Middle School

Wednesday, June 25

- ☐ Bowling Begins
4:00-5:15 pm
Bogart's
- ☐ Cyber Safety
6:30-8:00 pm
Scott Highlands Middle School

Thursday, June 26

- ☐ Bowling Begins
4:00-5:15 pm
Bogart's

Friday, June 27

- ☐ Lunch Bunch
11:00 am-12:15 pm
QDOBA, AV

Saturday, June 28

- ☐ Hike Ritter Farm Park
10:00-11:30 am
Ritter Farm Park

Tuesday, July 1

- ☐ Stroll & Roll Valley Lake
6:30-7:30 pm
Valley Lake Park

Saturday, July 5

- ☐ Hike Holland Lake
10:00-11:30 am
Holland Lake Trailhead

Monday, July 7

- ☐ Acrylic Painting
6:30-8:00 pm
Falcon Ridge Middle School

Tuesday, July 8

- ☐ Chihuly Plastic Sculptures
6:30-7:30 pm
Falcon Ridge Middle School

Wednesday, July 9

- ☐ Rivertown Pontoon Excursion
10:00 am-12:00 pm
Miss-Croix Yacht Harbor
- ☐ Open Swim
6:30-7:30 pm
Kenwood Trail Middle School

Thursday, July 10

- ☐ Adopt A Park
6:30-7:30 pm
Valley Middle Park

Saturday, July 12

- ☐ Animal Tracks & Mill Stacks
8:30 am-5:00 pm
East Lake Elementary School

Monday, July 14

- ☐ Coffee & Chat
9:00-10:00 am
McDonald's Restaurant

Tuesday, July 15

- ☐ Stroll & Roll Sunset Pond
6:30-7:45 pm
Sunset Pond Park

Thursday, July 17

- ☐ Feed My Starving Children
12:00-1:45 pm
Feed My Starving Children,
Eagan

Friday, July 18

- ☐ Pickleball
6:00-8:00 pm
Apple Valley Community Center

Saturday, July 19

- ☐ Hike Whitetail Woods
10:00-11:30 am
Whitetail Woods Regional Park

Tuesday, July 21

- ☐ Lunch Bunch
11:00 am-12:15 pm
Culver's of Apple Valley

Tuesday, July 22

- ☐ Return To Oz
9:45-11:15 am
Ives Auditorium

Wednesday, July 23

- ☐ Mini-Golf
6:00-8:00 pm
King Park

Friday, July 25

- ☐ St. Paul Saints
5:45-11:00 pm
Falcon Ridge Middle School

Saturday, August 2

- ☐ Hike Jensen Lake
10:00-11:30 am
Jensen Lake Trailhead

Monday, August 4

- ☐ DIY Rock 'n' Roll Ice Cream
6:30-8:00 pm
Falcon Ridge Middle School

Tuesday, August 5

- ☐ Stroll & Roll Sunset Pond
6:30-7:45 pm
Sunset Pond Park

Thursday, August 7

- ☐ Rivertown Pontoon Excursion
10:00 am-12:00 pm
Miss-Croix Yacht Harbor

Friday, August 8

- ☐ St. Paul Saints
5:45-11:00 pm
Falcon Ridge Middle School

Saturday, August 9

- ☐ Mini-Golf Tournament
10:45 am-1:00 pm
King Park

Monday, August 11

- ☐ Clay Sculptures
6:30-8:00 pm
Falcon Ridge Middle School

Wednesday, August 13

- ☐ Open Swim
1:30-2:30 pm
Kenwood Trail Middle School

Thursday, August 14

- ☐ Lunch Bunch
11:00 am-12:15 pm
Pizza Ranch, Lakeville

Friday, August 15

- ☐ Pickleball
6:00-8:00 pm
Apple Valley Community Center

Saturday, August 16

- ☐ Adopt A Park
10:00-11:00 am
Valley Middle Park

Sunday, August 17

- ☐ MN Twins
11:45 am-5:00 pm
Valley Middle School

Tuesday, August 19

- ☐ Coffee & Chat
9:00-10:00 am
McDonald's Restaurant

Wednesday, August 20

- ☐ Stroll & Roll Valley Lake
6:30-7:30 pm
Valley Lake Park

Friday, August 22

- ☐ Feed My Starving Children
9:30-11:15 am
Feed My Starving Children,
Eagan

Tuesday, August 26

- ☐ Lake Minnetonka Boat Cruise
4:30-8:30 pm
Valley Middle School

Wednesday, August 27

- ☐ Mini-Golf
6:00-8:00 pm
King Park

Save the Date!
Our fall catalog
opens for
registration on
Monday,
July 14, 2025.

**A Community Education
Consortium Representing:**

Burnsville (#191)

200 West Burnsville Parkway
Burnsville, MN 55337

Farmington (#192)

20655 Flagstaff Avenue
Farmington, MN 55024

Lakeville (#194)

17630 Juniper Path, Suite A
Lakeville, MN 55044

Randolph (#195)

29110 Davison Avenue
Randolph, MN 55065

**Rosemount-Apple Valley-
Eagan (#196)**

3455 153rd Street W
Rosemount, MN 55068



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