



Fall
2025

Rockford Area Schools
**COMMUNITY
EDUCATION**



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> Fall



About Rockford Community Education

It is the mission of the Rockford Community Education Department to; Encourage parent and community involvement in public education, to promote activities that address community needs, to facilitate the use of district assets for the greater good of the community.

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Rockford Community Education Advisory Council

We are looking for new members!

Please join us for an informational meeting on Tuesday, **September 16, 2025** at 6:00pm. Dinner included!

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Rockford Community Center Information

RCC Fall Hours

September 2 – December 31

Monday - Friday	5 am – 9 pm
Saturday	8 am – 4 pm
Sunday	10 am – 9 pm

**Check website calendar for closed days or special hours.*

RCC CHANGE IN HOURS OR CLOSED

August 31 - September 1	RCC CLOSED
November 4 (Election Day) ONLY open for voting	RCC CLOSED
November 27	RCC Closed
November 28	Open 8am - 8pm
December 24, 25 and 31	RCC CLOSED

Tennis/Pickleball Courts Hours

Thru October 15*

Open 7 days a week, 7am – Dusk

* Inclement weather could cause closure of the tennis courts.

**REGISTRATION/WAIVER REQUIRED
annually to use the tennis courts.
These forms are available at the RCC
front desk.**

Front Desk
763-477-5294

CE Office Hours: 8am - 4pm, M-F
Rockford Community Center
7600 County Road 50

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> ECFE



Early Childhood Family Education

(ECFE) is a program for all Minnesota families with children between the ages of birth to kindergarten. The program is offered through Minnesota public school districts.

ECFE offers parents hands-on learning experiences that will nourish a lifetime of teachable moments.

All ECFE classes are taught by licensed teachers and parent educators to provide the quality education for which parents are looking.

Together, parents and children, newborn to kindergarten age, participate in activities and experiences that foster children's social, emotional, cognitive, physical, and language skills.

ECFE & Launching Pad Preschool Location

Rockford Elementary Arts Magnet School
7650 County Road 50
Rockford, MN 55373

More information

Tiffany Reinhard, Coordinator
tiffany.reinhard@rockford883.org

Resources

Have you recently moved or had a baby?

If you have recently had a new baby, or have moved to our school district and have children ages birth through five, it is important that they are included in the school census. This ensures that you receive notification about early childhood classes, early childhood screening, kindergarten round-up and other school-related information. If you are not sure whether your children are listed on the school census, please contact the Early Childhood Office at 763-477-7500, or fill out a census form located on our web site at www.rockford883.org/community/early-childhood-programs.

ECFE on Wheels

The program features visits to your daycare, or on-site at the ECFE center if you prefer. Visits offer a mini-ECFE class experience including creative, fun, and age-appropriate activities for your group. Call the ECFE office at 763-477-7500 to set-up a visit. There is no fee for visits.

Help Me Grow

Help Me Grow Minnesota provides resources for families to understand developmental milestones and learn if there are developmental concerns. This can help families who are seeking additional support, or who may be interested in a comprehensive, confidential screening or evaluation for their child at no cost. Visit www.helpmegrowmn.org for more information.

Wright County Family Support Services

Wright County Public Health offers a variety of services to families and children. Trained professionals can assist families to services and resources that fit their needs. Call/text Wright County Health and Human Services at 763-335-0280.

Wellness on Wheels (WOW)

The WOW Program promotes healthy living for individuals and families by providing teaching, guidance, support, screenings, and immunizations. Appointments are preferred for immunizations and screenings. Services offered include: Child and adult immunizations; blood pressure, cholesterol, and hemoglobin A1C screenings; radon testing kit, and community resources. Please call/text 763-335-0280 for questions or to make an appointment.

Parent Support

Parent Support Coach

Are you needing support on your parenting journey, or guidance in developing parenting strategies? Our friendly, welcoming and knowledgeable licensed parent educator is available for in-person or virtual meetings.

To request a meeting: Contact Tiffany at 763-477-7500 or reinhard@rockford883.org. Register in Eleyo at www.rockford.ce.eleyo.com

ECFE Book Club

Join other parents and caregivers as we discuss the ideas presented in current parenting titles. Discussions will be facilitated by Jessica, our licensed Parent Educator. Classes are open to all community members interested in the discussion. Reading the book is optional. Bringing the book is an option, as well. Childcare is available for infants - 5 years.

Fall session book selection is:

Good Inside: A Guide to Becoming the Parent You Want to Be, by Dr. Becky Kennedy

Winter session book selection is:

How to Not Lose Your Sh*t With Your Kids: A Practical Guide to Becoming a Calmer, Happier Parent, by Carla Naumburg, PhD

Spring session book selection is:

The Anxious Generation, by Jonathan Haidt

Tuesdays

FALL SESSION (14 classes)	\$75/adult Childcare: \$28/child \$42/2+ children
Sept 16 - Dec 16 (no class Oct 22)	
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	REAMS ECCE Rm 213

WINTER SESSION (11 classes)	\$60/adult Childcare: \$22/child \$33/2+ children
Jan 13 - Mar 24	
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	REAMS ECCE Rm 213

SPRING SESSION (6 classes)	\$35/adult Childcare: \$12/child \$18/2+ children
Apr 7 - May 12	
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	REAMS ECCE Rm 213

Beyond ECCE:

For parents of preschoolers to 3rd graders

It turns out parenting doesn't get less complicated once kids enter school. The little ones that once relied on you for everything are now becoming more independent, have more responsibility, and carry ever changing feelings and emotions about all of it. Join facilitator and fellow parent, Jess, and other parents as we discuss the joys, concerns, and unknowns of this season of parenting. Meet in person or join virtually. **Join and meet from anywhere!**

Fridays

FALL SESSION (11 classes)	No Fee
Sept 19 - Dec 19 (no class Oct 17, 31 Nov 29)	
8:30 - 9:30 AM	REAM ECCE Rm 213 or online

WINTER SESSION (10 classes)	No Fee
Jan 16 - Mar 20	
8:30 - 9:30 AM	REAM ECCE Rm 213 or online

SPRING SESSION (6 classes)	No Fee
Apr 11 - May 16	
8:30 - 9:30 AM	REAM ECCE Rm 213 or online

Screening Appointments

State law requires all children to participate in **Early Childhood Health & Development Screening** before they may enter public kindergarten. Identifying possible concerns early is the best way to prevent serious problems later. The ideal time to screen children is at age 3 to 4. **Make your appointment by calling 763-477-7500.**

Parent/Child Non-Separating Classes

Baby & Me Classes

Infants up to 16 months

In these classes, you'll spend time interacting with your baby and will meet other parents going through many of the same things as you. Informal parent/caregiver discussion will take place during the class time and is driven by needs and requests of attendees. Typical topics include: Activities to do with your infant, eating, sleeping, infant development, establishing routines, parent/child bonding, family life, self-care and other topics unique to you and your infant. You and your infant stay together for the entire class. Whether this is your first or your fifth, you'll find yourself amongst friends. (All of the dates listed may not coincide with your maternity/family leave. You are welcome to join this class as it works in your schedule – please call 763-477-7500, or email tiffany.reinhard@883.org to inquire.

Wednesdays

FALL SESSION (12 classes)	No fee
Sept 17 – Dec 17 (No class Oct 15, Nov 26)	
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

WINTER SESSION (11 classes)	No fee
Jan 14 – Mar 25	
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

SPRING SESSION (6 classes)	No fee
Apr 8 – May 13	
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213



Daddy & Me

Ages 0-5 years

This fun and interactive class is designed for fathers (or male caregivers) and their child to learn and play together in a relaxed atmosphere. Through hands-on activities, and parent-child playtime, dads can bond with their kids while gaining helpful tips on child development and parenting questions. It's a great way to build stronger connections and meet other families in a supportive, welcoming environment. This is a non-separating class where you'll spend the entire time in the early childhood classroom with your child and our early childhood teachers.

Tuesday Evenings

FALL SESSION (6 classes)	\$35/family
Oct 28 – Dec 2	
6:00 - 7:00 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

Play 'N Learn Together

Ages 0-5 years

This mixed-age class is perfect for those looking for parent conversation and discussion in a relaxed and informal atmosphere while their child is playing, learning and hanging out with other kid-friends. This is a non-separating class where you'll spend the entire time in the early childhood classroom with your child and our early childhood teachers.

Tuesday Evenings

FALL SESSION (6 classes)	
See Daddy & Me class for this day and time slot	

WINTER SESSION (6 classes)	\$35/family
Feb 3 – Mar 10	
6:00 - 7:00 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

SPRING SESSION (6 classes)	\$35/family
Apr 7 – May 12	
6:00 - 7:00 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

Play 'N Learn Beside Me

Ages 0-5 years

Is separation a challenge for your little one? If so, this class is for you! Children and parents will enjoy exploring activities, music, movement and snack. The parent/caregiver discussion time will happen right in the same classroom, providing an opportunity for connection and support with each other. Meanwhile, your child can check in with you as needed, all while building confidence with other kid-friends.

Mondays

FALL SESSION (13 classes)	\$83/1 child
Sept 15 – Dec 15 (No class Nov 3)	\$96/2 children \$109/3 children
10:00 - 11:15 AM	REAMS ECCE Rm 213

WINTER SESSION (9 classes)	\$59/1 child
Jan 12 – Mar 23 (No class Jan 19, Feb 16)	\$68/2 children \$77/3 children
10:00 - 11:15 AM	REAMS ECCE Rm 213

SPRING SESSION (6 classes)	\$41/1 child
Apr 6 – May 11	\$47/2 children \$53/3 children
10:00 - 11:15 AM	REAMS ECCE Rm 213

Pop-In & Play

Ages 0-5 years

Come and explore our early childhood classroom especially set-up for your little ones. This is all about play, play and more play! A change of scenery, something new, maybe something messy that you don't have to clean up. Activities will change each week and be fun and engaging for your child. Come and play once, or every time. Pre-registration is requested.

Thursdays

FALL SESSION	\$2/child/class
Sept 25, Oct, 30, Nov 20, Dec 18	
9:00 - 10:00 AM	REAMS ECCE 213

WINTER SESSION	\$2/child/class
Jan 29, Feb 26, Mar 26	
9:00 - 10:00 AM	REAMS ECCE 213

SPRING SESSION	\$2/child/class
April 28 to May 21	
9:00 - 10:00 AM	REAMS ECCE 213

L'il Punkin' Fall Party

Ages 0-5 years

Join us for games, crafts, face painting and snacks! This is an open house style event (costumes optional).

Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Food donations to Riverworks Food Shelf are welcome!

FALL EVENT	No Fee
Friday, October 31	
9:30 - 11:00 AM	REAMS ECCE Rm 213



**Grandparents
or Caregivers
are welcome
to attend
ECCE Classes!**

Parent/Child Separating Classes

Almost Ready for Preschool

Ages 2.5 to 4.5 years

This class is the perfect combination of ECFE and a practice preschool experience. One morning a week (Wednesdays) you'll spend time with your child in the early childhood classroom before leaving to have a parent/caregiver-only discussion with our Parent Educator, and the other parents/caregivers, in a separate room. During the parenting time you'll talk about school readiness, behavior, friends, discipline, child development and other topics chosen by you, as parents, while your child plays and learns in a classroom of peers led by an Early Childhood teacher. The second day of class (Fridays) is just for the kids! You'll drop your child off in the Early Childhood room and pick them up at 10:15 am for a brief together time and good-byes. What a great way to practice separating from adults and navigating a room full of new friends.

Wednesdays & Fridays

FALL SESSION (23 classes)	\$184/child (can be paid in 2 installments)
Sept 17 - Dec 19 (no class Oct 15, 17, 31, Nov 26, 28)	
8:30 - 10:30 AM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213
WINTER SESSION (21 classes)	\$173/child (can be paid in 2 installments)
Jan 14 - Mar 25	
8:30 - 10:30 AM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213
SPRING SESSION (12 classes)	\$101/child
Apr 8 - May 15	
8:30 - 10:30 AM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

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Play 'N Learn

Ages 0-5 years

These mixed-ages classes are for everyone! During these classes, you'll spend time with your child in the early childhood classroom before separating for the parent/caregiver discussion. While you're gone, your child will enjoy playing and learning with an Early Childhood teacher and other kid-friends. This is a great opportunity for parents and caregivers to connect and support each other, and for children to learn and grow with other children apart from their adults.

Mondays

FALL SESSION (13 classes)	\$96/1 child \$109/2 children \$122/3 children
Sept 15 - Dec 15 (no class Nov 3)	
8:00 - 9:30 AM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

WINTER SESSION (9 classes)	\$68/1 child \$77/2 children \$86/3 children
Jan 12 - Mar 23 (no class Jan 19, Feb 16)	
8:00 - 9:30 AM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

SPRING SESSION (6 classes)	\$47/1 child \$53/2 children \$59/3 children
Apr 6 - May 11	
8:00 - 9:30 AM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

Tuesdays

FALL SESSION (14 classes)	\$103/1 child \$117/2 children \$131/3 children
Sept 16 - Dec 16 (no class Oct 22)	
9:00 - 10:30 AM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

WINTER SESSION (11 classes)	\$82/1 child \$93/2 children \$104/3 children
Jan 13 - Mar 24	
9:00 - 10:30 AM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

SPRING SESSION (6 classes)	\$47/1 child \$53/2 children \$59/3 children
Apr 7 - May 12	
9:00 - 10:30 AM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

NEW!
for ages 3-5

Little Wonders Classes

ECFE

These classes are especially for our **3 to 5 year old** friends! You will spend time with your child in the early childhood classroom before separating for the parent/caregiver discussion with our parent educator, providing an opportunity to connect and support each other. Each new session is built around a child's interest. Register for one session, or for all of them!

Fall Session

Nature's Playground

Come play in nature! We will visit our school forest at the beginning of every session and collect things to go along with a different nature focused project each week. We will also have time to play in the classroom and learn different songs.

FALL SESSION - Thurs	\$47/1 child \$53/2 children \$59/3 children
Sep 18 – Oct 30 (no class Oct 16)	
1:00 - 2:30 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

Melodies & Mini-Math

In this fun and engaging class, children explore the magic of music - singing, clapping, dancing, and playing simple instruments. Music helps build memory, attention and even problem-solving skills, all foundational math skills. This class blends joyful movement with learning, helping little ones grow both musically and mathematically.

FALL SESSION - Thurs	\$47/1 child \$53/2 children \$59/3 children
Nov 6 – Dec 18 (no class Nov 27)	
1:00 - 2:30 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

Winter Session

Whisk & Wonder

Get ready for a hands-on adventure where science meets the kitchen! In this fun-filled class, young chefs will mix, measure, and discover the magic behind everyday ingredients. From fizzy experiments to tasty treats, children will explore simple science concepts while creating yummy snacks. Perfect for curious minds who love to stir, pour, and explore!

WINTER SESSION - Thurs	\$47/1 child \$53/2 children \$59/3 children
Jan 7 – Feb 12	
1:00 - 2:30 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

Storytime Adventures

Step into the magical world of stories! This class brings favorite books to life through interactive storytelling, imaginative play, and creative activities. Children will explore early literacy skills all while exploring fun themes from beloved storybooks. Through crafts, games, songs, and dramatic play, kids engage their imaginations and build a lifelong love of reading in a joyful, supportive environment.

WINTER SESSION - Thurs	\$47/1 child \$53/2 children \$59/3 children
Feb 19 – Mar 26	
1:00 - 2:30 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

Spring Session

Masterpieces & Messy Play

Dive into a world of color, texture, and creativity! This class invites exploration and expression through hands-on art and sensory-rich activities. Kids will develop fine motor skills, creativity, and sensory awareness—all while having a blast! This class encourages curiosity and imagination where mess is part of the magic. Perfect for little hands and big ideas, children will build confidence and creativity through playful exploration of art and their senses. Come make a mess, make a masterpiece, and make memories with us!

SPRING SESSION - Thurs	\$47/1 child \$53/2 children \$59/3 children
Apr 9 – May 14	
1:00 - 2:30 PM	REAMS ECFE Rm 213

Preschool

**Parent *Aware*
Rated Program**



Highest Possible Rating

The Launching Pad Preschool

Ages 3 to 5 years

The Launching Pad Preschool provides an outstanding and unique public preschool experience for your child. We embrace a Reggio Emilia-inspired philosophy and Creative Curriculum. The Reggio-inspired approach encourages exploration, discovery and critical thinking. Our Creative Curriculum is research based, and aligned with the Minnesota Early Childhood Indicators of Progress (ECIPs).

Our program is founded on the belief that all children have great potential, are curious, and are interested in constructing their learning. Learning activities are exciting, creative, and developmentally appropriate. We focus on some of these key elements that encourage children's growth and learning:

Project-based learning:

Stresses individual and small group investigation of topics that are of interest to the children. Teachers integrate skills acquisition within the project work.

Inquiry-based learning:

Emphasizes thinking and problem solving, and is a natural progression for students as they move into kindergarten and the primary grades.

Authentic Art:

Helps children find expression through authentic art experiences and have the opportunity to explore materials and processes.



2025-26 Preschool Registration is OPEN!!

Launching Pad Preschool offers:

Full Day Programs: 2, 3 or 5 days per week

Half Day Programs: 2, 3 or 5 days per week

Please call us at 763-477-7500, or visit us at www.rockford883.org. Scroll over Community and select Early Childhood Programs for more information, including busing and tuition schedules.



Galaxy Kids Extended Preschool Care

Galaxy Kids offers a care program for all preschool age children who are enrolled in Launching Pad Preschool.

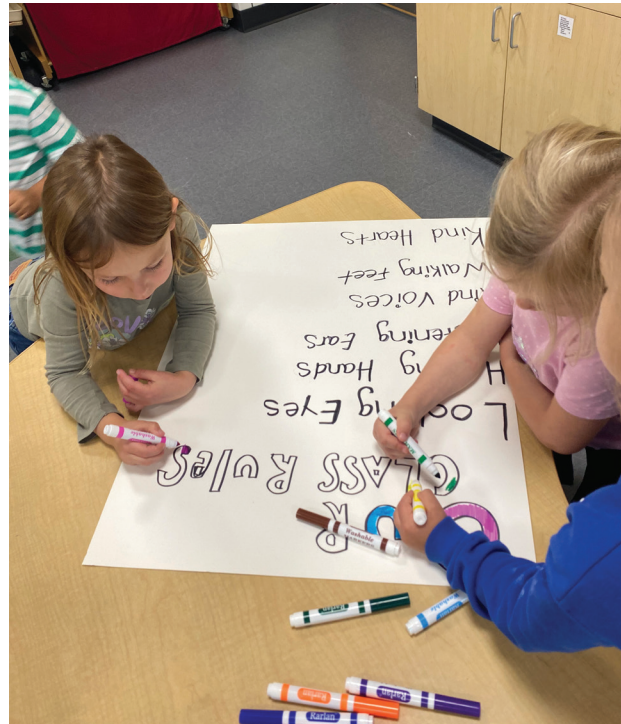
The program is designed to both enhance and reinforce your child's education and social experiences to help prepare them for kindergarten. Preschool Extended Care has a 1 to 10 adult to student ratio.

To register: Please call us at 763-477-7555, or visit us at www.rockford883.org. Scroll over Community and select Galaxy Kids - School Age Care.

Consistent Schedule Rates:

Preschool Half-Day Care AM 8:00 am - 12:15 pm	\$17.50/day
Preschool Half-Day Care PM 10:45 am - 3:00 pm	\$17.50/day
Preschool School Day Care 8:00 am - 3:00 pm	\$27.75/day

For additional care options, including flexible schedule and drop-in rates, call 763-477-7555.



Now hiring



Substitute Teacher Subsitute Paraprofessional

800-713-4439 or teachersoncall.com

ECFE Class & Event Registration

Procedures

Children are our future. We value humanity, the strength of families and celebrate differences and we are committed to promoting the value of families in our society. To accomplish our goals in the fairest way possible, we must adhere to the following procedures:

Missed Classes

Call the ECFE office at 763-477-7500 when you are unable to attend class.

Behavior

Staff will immediately respond to children engaged in unsafe play whether or not a parent is present. Staff will assist parents with appropriate guidance when necessary.

Health Procedures

We have a designated area to put all toys that come into contact with a child's mouth; these are sterilized daily. A child who has a fever of 100 degrees or more, or has vomited within the past 24 hours should not attend classes. Children should be kept home if they exhibit a sore throat, diarrhea, thick mucous from the nose, undiagnosed rash, inflamed or mattery eyes, infected sores, or persistent itching of body or scalp. If a child comes to school with these conditions, we will request the parent and child to leave and return when symptoms have disappeared.

Weather Related School Closings

When school is canceled due to weather or other emergencies, ECFE classes and trips are also canceled. When school has a late start, morning ECFE classes will be canceled. Please listen to WCCO 830 or KRWC 1360 radio, KARE 11 or WCCO 4 TV, or check the Rockford Area Schools website for late start or closing information.

Our classes are affordable to all

Class fees are based on a sliding fee schedule according to income and family size. No family who meets scholarship requirements will be turned away for inability to pay, dependent on availability of class enrollment openings. Family fee applies to members of immediate family only.

Sliding Fee Scale		Annual income equal to or less than:	Annual income between	Annual income between	Annual income between	Annual income equal to or greater than
Family Size						
1		\$20,345.00	\$20,346-23,475	\$23,476-27,388	\$27,389-31,299	\$31,300.00
2		\$27,495.00	\$27,496-31,725	\$31,726-37,013	\$37,014-42,299	\$42,300.00
3		\$34,645.00	\$34,646-39,975	\$39,976-46,638	\$46,639-53,299	\$53,300.00
4		\$41,795.00	\$41,796-48,225	\$48,226-56,263	\$56,264-64,299	\$64,300.00
5		\$48,945.00	\$48,946-56,475	\$56,476-65,888	\$65,889-75,299	\$75,300.00
6		\$56,095.00	\$56,096-64,725	\$64,726-75,513	\$75,514-86,299	\$86,300.00
7		\$63,245.00	\$63,246-72,975	\$72,976-85,138	\$85,139-97,299	\$97,300.00
8		\$70,395.00	\$70,396-81,225	\$81,226-94,763	\$94,764-108,299	\$108,300.00
9		\$74,563.00	\$74,564-89,475	\$89,476-104,388	\$104,389-119,299	\$119,300.00
PAYMENT DUE		No Fee	1/4 Class Fee	1/2 Class Fee	3/4 Class Fee	Full Class Fee
Each additional member, add: \$5,140.00						

SLIDING FEE APPLICATION REQUIRED.

Application can be found at www.rockford883.org/community/early-childhood-programs; click ECFE icon. Download and return completed form with your registration or call 763-477-7500.

Ways to Register

Submit your registration form and payment:

ONLINE www.rockford.ce.eleyo.com

A current immunization form is required to complete registration.

MAIL Submit your completed registration form, immunization form and payment (make checks payable to ECFE):

ECFE
7650 County Road 50
Rockford, MN 55373

PHONE 763-477-7500, Fax 763-477-5025

Cancellations and Refunds

If you need to cancel your registration and it is five or more days prior to the beginning of class, you will be refunded the fee minus a \$5 processing fee.

You will be notified ONLY if a class has been canceled.

Immunization Records

As required by state law, updated immunization records **MUST** be provided for all children. You must submit an updated immunization form when registering for ECFE classes. This form will be kept on file for the school year. Please bring in or have your child's clinic fax immunization records to 763-477-5025 (Attn: ECFE).

Age Designation Some classes are designated for a specific age group. Parents may not bring younger or older children to these classes unless they have made arrangements with us for sibling care. Infants (6 months and younger) are the exception; they can attend if they remain with the parent during parent discussion time, excluding gym class.

Nondiscrimination

Federal and state laws prohibit discrimination in education based on sex/gender, sexual orientation, race, color, creed, national origin, religion, disability, receipt of public assistance, marital status and age.

ECFE Registration

ADULT CONTACT INFORMATION

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email _____

PARTICIPATION INFORMATION

First Name	
Middle Name	
Last Name	
Date of Birth	
Class/Event #	
Class/Event Name	
Fee	\$

First Name	
Middle Name	
Last Name	
Date of Birth	
Class/Event #	
Class/Event Name	
Fee	\$

First Name	
Middle Name	
Last Name	
Date of Birth	
Class/Event #	
Class/Event Name	
Fee	\$

PAYMENT INFORMATION

TOTAL	\$
Check #	

Mail to:

ECFE, 7650 County Road 50, Rockford, MN 55373

AGREEMENT

I have read and agree to all ECFE policies.

Parent/Guardian Signature

> Youth



Community Ed Partners

Tech Academy: Hands-on STEM camps for ages 4-15, covering coding, robotics, video game design, and more through fun, interactive learning.

KidzArt: A fun, drawing-based program that builds creativity and confidence through engaging, non-competitive art activities.

Amore Art: Guided by Amorita deStefano, Amore Art encourages kids to explore creativity through various art mediums while making meaningful memories.

Sunshine Supply: Founded by Megan Sterne, Sunshine Supply offers creative floral workshops that bring joy through nature and hands-on design.

Kidcreate Studio: A kids-only art studio offering classes and camps where young artists create, explore, and learn in a fun space.

ART

Critters & Color: Fall Art Fun

Grades K-5

Celebrate the beauty of fall and the charm of woodland creatures in this creative, hands-on art class! Young artists will explore a variety of materials and techniques as they create colorful, animal-themed projects, including a mixed media squirrel collage, a cozy mouse scene with pumpkin village, and a silhouette cat at sunset. Each week brings a new project and a chance to experiment with different art styles while building confidence and having fun. All supplies included—just bring your imagination! By Kidz Art.

Tuesdays (3 Classes)	\$57
September 30, October 7 & 14	
3:00 - 4:00 PM	REAMS 300

Myths & Legends: Medieval Art Adventure

Grades K-5

Journey back to the Medieval Times, where brave knights defended their lands, kings and queens ruled mighty castles, and mythical creatures roamed. Step into a world of fantasy and legend as you design your own medieval kingdom map, sculpt a mythical creature from clay, create a personalized coat of arms banner, and bring a fierce dragon to life in a cave drawing. Let your imagination soar in this artistic adventure through the Middle Ages! By Kidz Art.

Tuesdays (5 Classes)	\$86
October 21, 28, November 4, 11, 18	
3:00 - 4:00 PM	REAMS 300

Frosty Fun Art Workshop

Grades K-5

Celebrate the magic of the season in this festive after-school art workshop! Young artists will draw a cozy cup of hot cocoa with marshmallow friends and a gingerbread buddy, create a whimsical penguin snow globe using markers, and decorate a mini wooden sled featuring a cheerful snowman. With step-by-step instruction, students will explore drawing, coloring, and decorative painting techniques while embracing the joy of winter creativity. Perfect for all skill levels, this class is a great way to get into the holiday spirit and create artwork to treasure! By Kidz Art.

Tuesdays (3 Classes)	\$57
December 2, 9, 16	
3:00 - 4:00 PM	REAMS 300

STEM

FALLing for Art

Grades 1-5

Come and FALL for art in this class! You will create NEW fall inspired art using various mediums, including watercolors, paints and model magic. Together we will create an apple home where colorful caterpillars reside, a pumpkin car driven by candy people, and much more! Glitter, gems and pompoms will be provided for each artist to decorate their masterpieces! Come and join us in on the fun! By Amore Art

Tuesdays (4 Classes)	\$72
October 7, 14, 21, and 28	
3:00 - 4:30 PM	RCC

Winter Art Wonderland

Grades 1-5

In this class you will learn how to create NEW winter inspired art using various mediums. Together we will create a snow angel mouse painting, a colorful snowman globe watercolor, candy people with their candy corn holiday tree and more! Glitter, gems and pompoms will be provided to each artist to decorate their masterpieces! Come and join us in on the fun! By Amore Art

Tuesdays (6 Classes)	\$98
November 4, 11, 18 (no class 11/25) December 2, 9, 16	
3:00 - 4:30 PM	RCC

Party Crashers RC Race Cars

Grades K-12

Want to learn more about how RC Cars work and drive them around an off-road track with jumps? Come join us for an hour of fun! RC cars provided or use of your own.

K - 8th Grade	\$25
December 8	
6:00 - 7:00 PM	RCC 804

K - 12th Grade	\$25
December 8	
7:15 - 8:15 PM	RCC 804



FLOWER HOUR

Come join Sunshine Supply for some "seasonal sunshine"!

Cute as a Pumpkin!

Grades K-4

Carve out some fun this Halloween with a fresh fall flower class! Create a fall flower arrangement in a real pumpkin!

Price includes small pumpkin + flowers + all other supplies needed.

Thursday	\$35
October 30	
3:00 - 4:00 PM	REAMS Art Room 300

Gifts from the Heart

Grades K-4

Make & take a holiday arrangement for your special teacher, grandparent, neighbor, or anyone special to you this Holiday Season! Let's make someone's spirits bright! Listen to a Holiday story + make a card + create a winter arrangement for that special someone!

Price includes arrangement (4-5 in. cube vase) + card + all other supplies needed.

Monday	\$35
December 15	
3:00 - 4:00 PM	REAMS Art Room 300

Youth Dance Program

This is a Dance Studio experience with a low cost!

Join an exciting and affordable dance experience that feels just like a private studio—without the high cost! Dancers will learn choreography, build confidence, and shine in a March recital performance. This program offers high-quality instruction, creative movement, and a fun, supportive environment for all skill levels! Payment plans are available. Some partial scholarships are also available. Please inquire for more information.

Day	Time	Class Name	Age	Minutes	Instructor	Price
Monday	*3:15-4:00 PM	MS Jazz	Middle School - Grades 5-6	45 minutes	Melonie	\$210
Monday	4:05-4:45 PM	MS Tap	Middle School - Grades 5-6	40 minutes	Melonie	\$195
Monday	5:00-5:45 PM	MS Contemp/Lyrical	Middle School - Grades 5-6	45 minutes	Kayleen	\$210
Tuesday	*3:30-4:30 PM	Jazz/Tap Combo	Elementary - Grades 1-2	60 minutes	Melonie	\$245
Tuesday	4:30-5:00 PM	Ballet	Elementary - Grades 1-2	30 minutes	Melonie	\$175
Thursday	*3:15-3:55 PM	Jazz	Elementary - Grades 3-4	40 minutes	Melonie	\$195
Thursday	4:00-4:30 PM	Tap	Elementary - Grades 3-4	30 minutes	Melonie	\$175
Thursday	4:35-5:15 PM	Ballet	Elementary - Grades 3-4	40 minutes	Melonie	\$195
Program runs October 6 – March 18						
Mandatory Dress Rehearsal/Picture Day is Wednesday, March 11, 2026						
Mandatory Recital is Friday, March 13, 2026						

*REAMS Students in Jazz classes are walked over to RCC studio by staff after school. RMS Students ride their bus to the HS. Please pack dance bag with a small nut-free snack, appropriate dance shoes and attire. Dancers change on their own in the RCC restrooms. ALL classes/dancers perform at season-end recital in the RHS auditorium (Always optional for Adults).

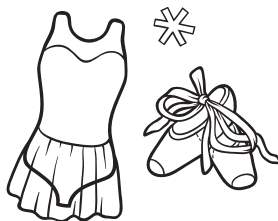
Costume fees are included in class cost.

JOIN US for our DANCE SUPPLY EXCHANGE & Studio Open House!

Monday, September 15
3:30-6:00 pm

Bring in dance shoes and attire you no longer use and hopefully pick up something you can use! Self-serve, no-charge. Used shoes available for the taking. Please donate your gently used dance attire and shoes BEFORE this date if possible. Drop off at the RCC any time with "Dance Donation" noted on the bag.

Don't wait until classes begin to get proper shoes for your dancer – Please come to our open house or make other arrangements BEFORE classes begin (There is no time during classes to handle shoe sizing!



Middle School

Jazz - MS

Classic jazz, funk and hip-hop styles combine to create an infusion of fun! Learn jazz turns, kicks and leaps with up-beat music. Proper stretching for increased flexibility plus isolations, contractions and releases are taught for basic intro to hip-hop moves. Dance or athletic attire that stretches to allow movement please. Jazz shoes required (Tan split sole, elastic boot, no ties preferred).

Tap - MS

Gain coordination and rhythm, developing muscle memory skills through tap! Develop musicality putting tap steps to music. Emphasis on quality sounds and technique for solid tap foundation. Broadway style tap infused with rhythm technique. Dance or athletic attire. Tap shoes required (Oxford type tan shoes preferred).

Contemporary/Lyrical - MS

Learn to emote with your body in this fresh, new contemporary class! A blend of various dance styles creates this exciting genre emphasizing personal expression. Learn graceful, fluid movement with athleticism and flexibility. Expect technique work on turns, jumps and leaps. Ballet, or jazz shoes recommended. (Lyrical shoes or bare foot optional).

Dance

Elementary

Jazz/Tap Combo 1-2

Dance with us! This combined jazz and tap class works well for our youngest dancers. Class starts with jazz warmup to up-beat music. Proper stretching plus isolations are taught for intro to hip-hop moves. Learn basic turns, kicks and leaps across the floor. Switch to tap at the end and make music with your feet! Emphasis on quality sounds and technique for solid tap foundation. Dance or athletic attire please. Proper jazz and tap shoes are required (Tan split sole, elastic jazz shoe with no ties and oxford tan tap shoes preferred).

Ballet - Grades 1-2

The foundation for strong dancers in any style. Strongly recommended for all dancers! Learn ballet terms and steps set to music to encourage movement, rhythm, coordination and grace. Stretch to increase flexibility. Leotard and tights preferred (any color), ballet skirts optional. Ballet shoes required (ballet pink split sole shoes preferred).

Jazz - Grades 3-4

Classic jazz, funk and hip-hop styles combine to create an infusion of fun! Learn jazz turns, kicks and leaps with up-beat music. Proper stretching for increased flexibility plus isolations, contractions and releases are taught for basic intro to hip-hop moves. Dance or athletic attire please. Jazz shoes required (Tan split sole with no ties preferred)

Tap - Grades 3-4

Gain coordination and rhythm, developing muscle memory skills through tap! Develop musicality by putting tap steps to music. Emphasis on quality sounds and technique for solid tap foundation. Broadway style tap infused with rhythm technique. Dance or athletic attire. Tap shoes required (Oxford type tan shoes preferred).

Ballet - Grades 3-4

The foundation for strong dancers in any style. Strongly recommended for all dancers! Learn ballet terms and steps set to music to encourage movement, rhythm, coordination and grace. Stretch to increase flexibility. Leotard and tights preferred (any color), ballet skirts optional. Ballet shoes required (ballet pink split sole shoes preferred).

Fall Dance "Team" Class

Grades 7-12

Join us to work your core, flexibility and sharpen your skills to become a better dancer. We will work on various kicks, jumps, turns, and leaps as well as connected movement through combinations across the floor. We will learn a fun fall dance routine involving, kick, Pom, Jazz, and hip hop elements!

T/W/TH	\$112
August 12 - October 3	
4:00 - 6:30 PM	RCC

Youth Dance Camp

Grades K-6

Join us for a fun-filled week of all things dance! Our youth, camp dancers will Practice, flexibility, skills, such as jumps, leaps, and turns. The Rockford Dance Team will be teaching a short routine that the youth dancers will be able to perform at the Rockford homecoming game at halftime! The overall price includes a T-shirt for the dancers to wear to school on Friday and to the game Friday evening!

(Extra note – if you are going to the game to watch your dancer perform, you will need to purchase a ticket to enter, dancers get in free after halftime performance)

M-TH - Friday Performance	\$65
September 22 - 25	
3:15 - 4:30 PM (after school)	REAMS
Performance September 26th at Rockford Homecoming Football Game	



Sports & Recreation

Flag Football

Age 4 - Grade 4

Girls and boys ages 4 through 4th grade are invited to join us for a fun-filled season of Flag Football! Three divisions will be conducted, 4 years-kindergarten, grades 1-2, and grades 3-4. Participants learn the rules and techniques and play flag football games. Players will receive a t-shirt uniform. All other equipment will be provided.

Volunteer coaches are needed and will receive 50% off their registration for coaching!! **The registration deadline is a firm date of Sept. 5th at 9am.**

3 Divisions to choose from	\$70
10 Sessions - Mon / Wed	
Sept 8 - Oct 8	
6:00 - 7:30 PM	High School Fields

6th Grade Cross Country: Running with the Rockets

Grade 6

A terrific opportunity for 6th graders to experience what running, strength training, and racing is like with the Junior High (Grades 7-8) Rockford Cross Country athletes. Participants will be coached by Rockford Cross Country Junior High coaches while practicing with the 7th and 8th grade middle school athletes. Athletes will have the opportunity to compete in non-MSHSL junior high/middle school cross country races during the season.

Running with the Rockets is a great way to start-off the school year with your fellow middle school classmates, meet new friends, and improve your endurance fitness.

Class is limited to 10 participants and a t-shirt is included. This program is run through Community Education and should be paid through Community Education and not the High School. This program does not qualify for lettering, and is not considered an MSHSL organized activity.

Instructor: Colleen Prudhomme

August 20 (Wed) - September 26 (Fri)	\$75/ athlete
Practice Time: 3:10 - 4:45 PM	
Practice Days: Mon/Tue/Thu Wed/Fri practice is optional, but encouraged	
Rockford High School - Stadium	

MS After School Activity Club

Grades 5-8

Come join Rockford Staff after school for our after school activity club. We will have 4 different sessions that span over 4 days. Each session will have a different theme/activity! What a great opportunity to let your Middle Schooler burn some energy after school! A snack will be provided each day. Bring a water bottle, proper shoes and clothes for the activity, and of course a great attitude each day! Each Session is only \$25!

4 Sessions, Mon – Thurs		
September 8-11	Kickball and Team Games	\$25
September 22-25	Flag Football	\$25
October 6-9	Dodgeball and Handball	\$25
October 20-23	Basketball	\$25
RCC/RHS fields		

Ski/Snowboard Club

Grades 5-12

Rockford Snowboard/Ski Club presented by Rockford Community Education! The venue is Powder Ridge in Kimball. This is a six-week program, however, if we are able to, we have one bonus night. Therefore, we provide transportation for six trips to Powder Ridge and have the ability to schedule a bonus night if the weather cooperates! Therefore, with no cancellations you will receive 7 trips. Participants purchasing rental packages will receive FREE RENTALS anytime you are at Powder Ridge for the season, including days that are not part of the scheduled visits.

Rockford's planned 6 Ski Club visits to Powder Ridge are scheduled for:

December 11, 18,
January 8, 15, 22, 29

If no cancellations, we will also go out on Feb. 5th for our bonus trip. One Cancellation will put us to our last trip being Feb. 19th.

NOTE: you must fill out the Powder Ridge waiver for the registration is complete (the link is accessible during registration). Cost dependent on package you choose.

Rocket Gymnastics Club

The Rockford Community Education provides a program that offers the residents and surrounding communities a local place to train for both recreational, competitive club level and high school level gymnastic at affordable rates.

GOALS:

- Successful gymnastics programs feeder program
- Successful gymnastics training for:
 - Strength
 - Agility
 - Flexibility
 - Dance skills
 - All level tricks, with proper progression and skill levels

Training and coaching will be provided by qualified coaching staff to offer a complete program with clear levels, achievement, and teaching strategies.

Register for fall classes:

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

Club Location:

6051 Ash Street, Rockford, MN 55373
Enter Activity Door #5



More information

Rocket Gymnastic Club:
763-477-7535

Gymnastics Coordinator, Averi Shrode:
averi.shrode@rockford883.org

Driver Education

Classroom Driver Education

We are offering Classroom Driver Education to Rockford and surrounding areas for the low price of \$130. This class will prepare students for the instructional permit test and fulfills the 30 hours of classroom training required by the state of Minnesota to operate a motor vehicle (not including Behind the Wheel time). Included in our classroom portion is a Safe Communities night (Parent & Student Class). This night informs participants about dangerous conditions that exist on our roads, inattentive driving, drinking, drugs, police stops and more. Students will take a practice test on the last day of class.

****Please note** - the fees below apply to classroom training ONLY. Behind the wheel lessons are a separate fee paid to the company of your choice.*

Fall Session 1	
10 Days of Class, M-F	\$130
September 8 - 19	
3:00 - 6:00 PM	RHS Room 406

Fall Session 1	
10 Days of Class, M-F	\$130
October 20 - 31	
3:00 - 6:00 PM	RHS Room 406

Parent & Student Class	
TBD	\$0 with session
6:30 - 8:00 PM	RCC Room 804

Behind the Wheel

A+ Driving School

There are many choices for your Behind the Wheel driving experience, but with Rockford's partnership with A+ driving school you can stay in your own "backyard". A+ will pick up your student from either the high school or your home and drop them off at either place as well. They also have a representative at the RCC at the end of each classroom session where you can register for lessons and get your blue card.

To register and pay for Behind the Wheel:
visit www.aplusdrivingschool.net

About Blue Cards

(what you need to get your permit)
Please note that this class only fills the classroom portion of drivers ed. In order to get a permit, students must be signed up with a behind the wheel company. The behind the wheel company, not Rockford, will issue your blue card.

Galaxy Kids 2025-26 School Year Program

Starting September 2

Galaxy Kids is a certified before and after school child care program for preschool-4th grade students offered through Rockford Area Schools Community Education. We are conveniently located in Rockford Elementary Arts Magnet School right across the hall from ECFE and the preschool classrooms. We are open Monday-Friday from 6:00am-6:00pm to assist with family child care needs. We have many different registration options that are sure to accommodate most families' busy schedules. If you are looking for child care before, during, or after school, then this may be the program for you.

Program Highlights

Our program is a choice-based program where students get the chance to immerse themselves into many different activities, including art, science, math, STEM, drama, music, sports, engineering and technology, language arts/literacy, mentoring and community services, homework assistance, and self-guided activities. At Galaxy, we strive to promote positive behavior, social skills, and friendships while encouraging self-expression, creativity, and leadership amongst the students. Each and every day is a new adventure for students participating in Galaxy.

Galaxy Kids staff are well-trained and knowledgeable individuals that strive to engage and entertain every student that is part of the program. We are professionals that strive to provide a high-quality program that not only meets the expectations of parents, but also is a program students enjoy being a part of. We come to work each and every day to put a smile on students' faces and try to engage all that are part of the program.

Program Services

- Before and after school care for **preschool - 4th grade**
- Extended day care and AM or PM 1/2 day care for preschool students
- Consistent, pick your days, or drop-in schedule options
- Full day care on most non-school days and extended morning care on late start days
- Drop-off and pick-up assistance for community education programs and classes during after school program
- 1 hour or less rates for before and after school care

Pick Up and Drop Off Information

Preschool students are welcome to use the district's bus service for drop-off and pick-up for our preschool care options. Non-school days require parent drop-off and pick-up. You may drop-off and pick-up your child during the following time slots, based on which care option you're registered for:

Before School Care Full Session	6:00 - 8:00am
Before School 1 hour or less	7:00 - 8:00am
Preschool Half Day Care AM	8:00am - 12:15pm
Preschool School Day Care	8:00am - 3:00pm
Preschool Half Day Care PM	10:45am - 3:00pm
After School Care 1 hour or less	3:00 - 4:00pm
After School Care Full Session	3:00 - 6:00pm
Non-School Days	6:00am - 6:00pm





School Year Registration Information

- More information and our Parent Handbook are available at:
<https://www.rockford883.org/community/galaxy-kids-school-age-childcare>
- Register at <https://rockford.ce.eleyo.com/> and click on Galaxy Kids Program and follow the prompts
- Auto-Pay is Required for all Galaxy Accounts
- Contact Galaxy staff at 763-477-7555 if you have any questions or would like to schedule a tour



Galaxy Kids Location

**Rockford Elementary
Arts Magnet School**
7650 County Road 50, Rockford, MN 55373

Call: 763-477-7555
Email: Cody Hallahan
cody.hallahan@rockford883.org



> Adults/Seniors



Senior Citizens Clubs

Rockford

The Rockford Area Seniors meet the 2nd Monday of each month at different locations. Attend and find out more information about activities or call Marilyn Blake (763) 331-5896. Membership is \$10 per year.

Rockford Township

Judith Saewert, 763-972-2887
1st Thursday of each month at
Rockford Township Hall

Corcoran

1st Monday of each month at
Corcoran City Hall

Hanover

Elizabeth Loeffler, 763-241-0094
1st Tuesday of each month at
Hanover City Hall

Delano

763-972-0574, 234 2nd Street N, Delano

Adult Recreation

DANCE for Adults!

Come join us! Free adult English classes for all levels. You will register when you come to class. For more information call 763-272-2040 or see our website at www.westabe.org

Adult Jazz Contemporary

Adults - It's your time to dance...Get in your exercise without realizing it! Increase flexibility, balance and rhythm as we put steps to music including turns, kicks and more. Learn fluid movement and how to express with your body as we add the exciting element of contemporary to the class this year! Open to all skill levels. This class performs in our recital at the end of the season! Wear comfortable clothes you can move in. Split sole jazz shoes preferred, black or tan. Instructor: Kayleen.

Mondays	\$150
Oct 6 – Mar 9	<i>Costume for recital not included.</i>
6:00 - 7:00 PM	RCC Dance Studio

Adult Tappy

Our popular Adult Tappy Hour returns! We start off easy with basic steps then ramp up into combinations. Open to all skill levels – join us for tapping fun! Works balance, coordination and rhythm. Develop musicality putting tap steps to music. Emphasis on quality sounds and technique for solid tap foundation. Broadway style tap infused with rhythm technique. This class performs in our recital at the end of the season! Dance or athletic attire. Oxford type tap shoe preferred, black or tan. Instructor: Melonie.

Mondays	\$150
Oct 6 – Mar 9	<i>Costume for recital not included.</i>
7:10 - 8:10 PM	RCC Dance Studio

Men's Open Basketball

Must be 18 to join. Adult men's basketball league. Come play pickup basketball on Wednesday nights and Saturday mornings!

July 1 - December 31	\$35
Wednesday Evenings: 6:30 - 8:00 PM Rockford Elementary Gym	
Saturday Mornings: 8:00 - 10:00 AM Rockford High School Gym	

Open Pickleball

Come join the fastest growing sport in America! Pickleball is played similar to tennis, but on a smaller court using a wooden paddle and a ball similar to a wiffle ball. A one-time fee allows you to come play pick-up style games with other pickleball enthusiasts! Choose from one or two nights a week! (We do have a few paddles that you can borrow if needed.) This year we will have two different groups so that you can play against others at the approximately the same level. Please note that there will be some Wednesdays or Fridays that we will need to cancel and/or change the time due to school events/rentals. You can't beat our price of only \$2hr to play this fun sport!) **Register for either: Beginner/Novice or Intermediate/advanced levels.**

October 8 - December 19	
Wednesday Nights Only	\$34
Friday Nights Only	\$34
Wednesday AND Friday Nights	\$65
RCC	

Easy Partner Dancing

Looking for a fun way to move, connect, and try something new? This easygoing dance class is perfect for couples who just want to enjoy dancing - whether it's for an upcoming event or simply for a unique date night. You'll learn simple patterns and turns based on classic ballroom moves, all set to your favorite music - from old-school hits to today's pop, rock, and country. No pressure, no stress - just a relaxed, supportive environment where everyone can have a great time. Think you have two left feet? You're in the right place! This class is beginner-friendly and designed to make dancing fun and easy for everyone. Couples stay together throughout the class. Wear something comfortable and come ready for a fun night out with your special partner! All ages of partnered adults and teens 16+ are welcome. For more information, visit www.ConstantineDance.com.

Session 1 - Mondays	\$69/person
Sept 15, 22, 29, Oct 6	
7:00 - 8:30 PM	
Discovery Elementary - 301 - 2nd Ave NE, Buffalo	

Session 2 - Tuesdays	\$69/person
Tuesday, Sept 16, 23, 20, Oct 7	
6:30 - 8:00 PM	
Rogers High School - 21000 - 141st Ave N, Rogers	

Senior Bingo with a Purpose!

Join us for our Senior Bingo at the Community Center. Now with a NEW way to give back. We're adding a service twist to our fun by inviting attendees to bring a small donation if they're able.

You can contribute in two ways:

Non-perishable food item for the local food shelf.

Small Prize donations to help us keep the bingo fun going (think snacks, puzzles, gift cards, or useful household items).

Your generosity helps support our community and makes the event even more special for everyone. Donations are completely optional! Just come enjoy the fun, and give if you can!!

Mondays 6:30 - 7:30 PM	Free for Seniors 55+
Sept. 15th	
Oct. 6th and 20th	
Nov. 10th	
Dec. 8th	RCC Meeting Rooms

Women's Indoor Volleyball

Women's volleyball teams are invited to play from October - March. Teams will play five game per match. Matches will be played at Rockford Community Center and Rockford High school on Sunday evenings at 5 and 7 pm. Matches may be moved to other facilities depending on tournaments and other programs. The league and playoffs will be from late October to March. Volleyballs are provided and t-shirts are given to the winning team of each division. Registration deadline is Oct. 1st. A roster with subs must be filled out and signed by each participant before the first match.

Gold – Rockford's highest level of play. Players are highly skilled, proficient and have great knowledge of the game and strategy. Players are all above average and have significant understanding and experience serving, passing, blocking and making three contacts with the ball.

Silver – Many players have average to above average ability. Teams consistently implement, with success, the basic skills of serving, passing, blocking and making three contacts, with a team strategy on defense, offense and rotations that will make them successful.

Gold Level or Silver Level	\$225 per team
Sunday Evenings	
October 19 - Mid March	
5:00 PM/7:00 PM	
Rockford High School Gym and RCC	

Adult Enrichment

FLOWER HOUR

*Come join Sunshine Supply
for some "seasonal sunshine"!*



Elegance and Evergreen

Create an outdoor winter pot to bring home to enjoy all winter long! This class includes step by step instructions on how to create a beautiful winter pot, the planter pot, evergreens and winter decor items.

Monday	\$65
December 1	Ages 12+
6:00 - 7:00 PM	RCC room 804

Falling for Flowers

An hour of fresh flower fun with Sunshine Supply! Cute as a Pumpkin! Learn how to create a fall themed flower arrangement in a cute pumpkin vase! We will help you every "stem" of the way! It is always a great time to "Fall for Flowers" this time of year!

Thursday	\$45
October 30	Ages 12+
6:00 - 7:00 PM	RCC room 804

Grateful Hearts Gather Here

Create a Thanksgiving themed arrangement with fresh, beautiful blooms! This beautiful thanksgiving themed flower arrangement will be in a loaf pan, which can be used later in the kitchen! Don't miss out on this popular class!

Tuesday	\$55
November 25	Ages 12+
6:00 - 7:00 PM	RCC room 804

Home(made) For the Holidays

Fresh, Fir, Fun, Morning Workshop! A morning filled with "Flower Hour" fun for everyone! The morning workshop will consist of creating 3 different fresh fir creations just in time for the holiday season! Make and Take : Wreath (14" grapevine wreath with fresh evergreens), Potpourri (1 for yourself and 1 to gift!), Swag (a holiday swag with festive embellishments).

Saturday	\$85 w/o lunch
November 15	\$95 w/ lunch
9:30 AM - 12:00 PM Optional Lunch 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	RCC room 804

Stillwater Day Trip

Saturday, October 5, 2025

Spend a day in Stillwater – Take in the fall colors, shop, browse the fall art festival and cruise down the St. Croix if you wish!

Option 1 / \$53

Art Festival, Fall Colors and Shopping
(Lunch on your own and NO Cruise)

Option 2 / \$102

St. Croix Cruise and Lunch, art festival, fall colors and shopping

Additional Information:

Bus leaves Rockford at 8:55am

Bus returns to Rockford at 5:15pm

Mental Health Café

Dealing with your own mental health challenges or those of a friend? MN ranks 4 th in most depressed in the nation and 25% of Minnesotans live with mental illness. Join a supportive conversation about living with mental illness in any aspect of your life (yourself, friend, family member) or just to be a supportive community member. A welcoming laid back place to share what is working and not with encouragement and resources for all. All are welcome. Facilitated by Gale Reitan who has a passion for mental health and a master's degree in Counseling.

FREE

Tuesdays, 7:00 - 8:00 pm at RCC

September 9: The Chaos of New Beginnings

October 7: Losing Daylight

November 11: Who Is Afraid of Holidays?

December 9: The Solace of Winter

Health Directive Planning/POLST Physician Orders for Life-Sustaining Treatment

Does your family have any idea what your wishes are for life sustaining treatment? Save them the stress of not having a clue. For everyone 18 years and older, this is a perfect gift to give and it is FREE! Once a quarter at this workshop, you'll be able to complete your Physicians Orders for Life Saving Treatment and Health Care Directive. Not selling life insurance or wills or trusts. Just an informative presentation for 20 minutes and then you have a chance to complete your forms. All are welcome. Facilitated by Gale Reitan, a trained chaplain.

FREE

Tuesday, November 18

7:00 PM

RCC Room 804

Virtual Classes by LeeAnne Krusemark

LeeAnne is an author, speaker, business owner, Chamber of Commerce Past President, and guest instructor at more than 200 colleges and other institutions from Maine to Hawaii, as well as an adjunct online professor of publishing through Ed2Go at more than 2,000 facilities worldwide, including Harvard.

Wed	Oct 1	4 - 6 PM	Writing for Online Blogs, Magazines & Websites	\$30
Wed	Oct 1	6 - 8 PM	How to Make Extra Cash Pet Sitting (after school/work)	\$30
Thurs	Oct 2	4 - 6 PM	Write a Riveting Mystery, Suspense, or Crime Story	\$30
Thurs	Oct 2	6 - 8 PM	Start Your Own Online Business: A Beginner's Guide (including the top 25 online businesses to start)	\$30
Fri	Oct 3	4 - 6 PM	Introduction to Screenwriting for Television or Movies	\$30
Fri	Oct 3	6 - 8 PM	Beginner's Guide to Getting Published	\$30
Sat	Oct 4	10 AM - 1 PM	How to Write Your Life Story (for fun or profit)	\$40
Sat	Oct 4	1 - 2 PM	Earn Extra Money Mystery Shopping (post-requisite)	\$20
Sat	Oct 4	2 - 4 PM	*MOST POPULAR* How to Start Any Home Business + 250 Home Business Ideas!	\$30
Sun	Oct 5	10 AM - 12 PM	Introduction to Journaling: A Beginner's Guide	\$30
Sun	Oct 5	12 - 1 PM	Using Amazon's Kindle Direct to Self-Publish your Book for FREE	\$20
Sun	Oct 5	1 - 2 PM	50 \$Money\$ Making Side Hustles for Teens	\$20
Sun	Oct 5	2 - 5 PM	Intro to Medical Terminology	\$40
Mon	Oct 6	4 - 6 PM	Writing Short Stories: A Beginner's Guide	\$30
Mon	Oct 6	6 - 9 PM	Be a Better Writer: 10 Easy Tips to Improve your Writing NOW	\$40
Tues	Oct 7	4 - 5 PM	10 Practical Tips to Writing Powerful Dialogue	\$10
Tues	Oct 7	5 - 7 PM	*FASTEST GROWTH* Beginner's Guide to Using FREE ChatGPT (AI) for Writers	\$30
Wed	Oct 8	4 - 6 PM	Explore the World as a Travel Writer	\$30
Wed	Oct 8	6 - 8 PM	Beginner's Guide to Starting a FREE Blog	\$30
Thurs	Oct 9	4 - 6 PM	Comedy Writing: How to Be Funny on Paper and Stage	\$30
Thurs	Oct 9	6 - 8 PM	How to Outline and Write an Irresistible Romance	\$30
Fri	Oct 10	4 - 6 PM	Creative Writing 101: A Beginner's Guide	\$30
Fri	Oct 10	6 - 9 PM	Write Your First Novel (in 90 Days!)	\$30
Tues	Oct 14	4 - 6 PM	Make Money as a Freelance Writer: A Beginner's Guide	\$30
Tues	Oct 14	6 - 7 PM	Save Money with Extreme Couponing!	\$20
Wed	Oct 15	4 - 6 PM	\$Monetize\$ Websites, Blogs, and Social Media with Affiliate Marketing	\$30
Wed	Oct 15	6 - 7:30 PM	*BEST REVIEWS* Meet the Publisher/Agent - Get Your Manuscript Critiqued	\$25

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Interested in taking FREE Adult Education classes? Complete and submit the form using this link: <http://bit.ly/46VXI3o>

Wednesdays	Register in class.
6:00 - 8:30 PM	
September to May	RCC Room 804

55+ Driver Improvement Program

The Minnesota Highway Safety Center offers 55+ Driver Improvement Courses to help adults brush up on driver safety. Confidence and comfort are enhanced by utilizing the most up-to-date research in the field, including the latest visual scanning and steering techniques, anti-lock braking skills, road rage, traffic laws, and vehicle technology.

4-Hour Refresher Class Wed, September 17, 12-4 PM Tues, November 11, 12-4 PM	RCC Room 804
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Register and pay directly with the Minnesota Highway Safety Center at **1-888-234-1294**, not through Rockford Community Education!

Community Center Classes

Barre Class

NEW!

This class is a low-impact, full-body workout inspired by ballet, Pilates, and yoga. We'll focus on small, controlled movements and isometric holds to help you build strength, improve posture, and increase flexibility. Using light weights, a ball, or a block. We will challenge and tone muscles you didn't even know you had, all in fun upbeat music that keeps the energy high. Whether you're brand new or a barre regular, our classes are designed to challenge and inspire you at every level. Certified Fitness Instructor: Sydney

Mondays	Free for Members or \$5/guest
6:00 - 6:50 PM	
RCC Dance Studio/Fieldhouse	

Boot Camp Fitness

A variety of drills with different workouts every time. Combining high-intensity activities with lighter activities like calisthenics (lunges, squats, push-ups, crunches, etc), we will also include the use of medicine balls, mats, skipping ropes, kettlebells, sleds, resistance bands, cones/markers, and steppers. Do you want to build your strength and aerobic endurance? Come to Boot Camp and test your limits! Certified Trainer and Fitness Instructor: Stayce

M/TH	Free for Members or \$5/guest
7:00 - 7:50 PM	
RCC Dance Studio/Fieldhouse	

MegaFit

Join us for a strength-based class led by Instructor Megan Leipholtz. The class focuses on building full-body strength with an emphasis on the core and the posterior chain. Strength training is a primary weapon against aging-related muscle loss. Join us to get MEGAFIT. Certified Fitness Instructor: Megan

MONDAYS at 9:00 - 9:50 AM Fieldhouse	Free for Members or \$5/guest
WEDNESDAYS at 9:00 - 9:50 AM Weight Room	
FRIDAYS at 8:30 - 9:20 AM Fieldhouse	

Pilates+Barre

A low-impact exercise that combines deep breathing and stretching, along with core-targeted exercises to strengthen, lengthen, and tone the body while improving flexibility and balance. Certified Fitness Instructor: Jolene

T/TH	Free for Members or \$5/guest
9:00 - 9:50 AM	
RCC Dance Studio	

POUND Fitness

Channel your inner rockstar with this full-body cardio jam session inspired by the infectious, sweat dripping fun of playing the drums. Using Ripstix®, lightly weighted exercise drumsticks, torch calories and drum your way to a leaner, slimmer physique – all while rocking out to your favorite music with our Pound Pro instructor, Shannon.

Wednesdays	Free for Members or \$5/guest
7:00 - 7:50 PM	
RCC Dance Studio	

POUND Unplugged

POUND Unplugged was inspired by the 3 pillars of health --> Physical, Mental & Emotional. Following the structure of 2 parts, Rock and 1 part Reset, we incorporate the Earth's elements to blend high intensity training with rhythmic breathing, mindfulness & meditation. We can sweat, release and boost the neurochemicals in the brain while quickly settling back into a peaceful, recharged and empowered state. Certified Pound Pro Instructor: Shannon

Every other Saturday	Free for Members or \$5/guest
8:10 AM	
RCC Dance Studio	
Please call monthly for the schedule.	

Free Walking Passes for Senior Citizens!

Visit the RCC for more information or call 763-477-5294 for details.



Access to Rocket Power Center is only for Members and Day Pass Guests.
Non-members can get a daily pass for \$5 or take a class for \$5 each
Seniors over 62 can get a daily pass for \$2

Prime Time Fitness

Join us for exercises that will work the whole body! Strength, Flexibility, Balance, Range of Motion, and Fun! This class is open to all who like a slower pace class, with a friendly, motivating atmosphere, but are still willing to work! We use free weights, fitness balls, resistance bands, body weight, and floor work to achieve a whole-body workout! Each class is different and will keep you on your toes!

M/F	Free for Members or \$5/guest
7:30 - 8:20 AM	
RCC Fieldhouse	

Senior Strength & Balance

Discover the importance of functional exercises for seniors. This class is modified to help individuals maintain mobility and independence in their daily activities. Functional exercises focus on movements that support flexibility, balance, strength, and endurance. Sit or stand, and go at your own pace. A variety of options are offered to improve overall health and connect individuals with other like-minded people in a fun, relaxed environment. Certified Fitness Instructor: Jane

T/TH	Free for Members or \$5/guest
9:00 - 9:50 AM	
RCC Dance Studio	

Strength & Mindfulness

Cultivating our resilience and awareness through exercise and mindfulness. Effective and fun, this 45-minute class offers a little bit of everything. Recharge and strengthen your body, mind & spirit. Certified Fitness Instructor: Jolene

M/W/F	Free for Members or \$5/guest
3:45 - 4:35 PM	
RCC Dance Studio	

The Strength & Mindfulness Collection

Strengthen & Stretch - Mon. 3:45 PM

Effective and fun; sculpt and strengthen your body while you improve flexibility and recharge your mind, body and spirit. With the use of free weights and a variety of tools, this class combines targeted strength building exercises with stretching and deep breathing. Designed to help you build lean muscle, lengthen and strengthen your body, and regenerate your wellness.

Cardio Tone - Wed. 3:45 PM

Step + Strength-Training combined in one fitness class! This class is fun, fast paced, and has all the components for a well-balanced fitness routine. An interval based workout designed to improve endurance, build lean muscle, and improve your overall health. Alternate between heart pumping cardio with the use of the stepper and slow, deliberate strength and toning exercises. The step aerobics portion of the class consists of basic choreographed movements with modifications offered for beginners and intermediate levels.

Pilates + Barre - Fri. 3:45 PM

A low-impact, muscle endurance workout that combines deep, purposeful breathing, stretching, and core targeted, ballet inspired exercises. Designed to lengthen, strengthen, and sculpt the body while improving flexibility, balance, and overall wellness.

Super Senior Fitness

Join Seniors for a fitness class designed to increase endurance and muscular strength, stamina, coordination, balance, and flexibility. Equipment such as bands and lightweight dumbbells will be used to meet all capability levels. Work out at your own pace by standing or sitting on a chair, depending on your fitness level. Adults of all ages and fitness levels are welcome. Certified Fitness Instructor: Jane

T/TH	Free for Members or \$5/guest
8:00 - 8:50 AM	
RCC Fieldhouse	

Yoga

Create strength, flexibility, and balance through challenging yet calming yoga poses. A well-rounded class for all ability levels that guarantees to leave you with less tension in the body and the mind. Please bring your fitness mat or borrow one from the RCC. Certified Yoga Instructors: Megan, Anne, and Rosie

M/T/TH at 6:00 - 7:00 PM	Free for Members or \$5/guest
SATURDAYS at 9:00 - 9:50 AM	
RCC Room 805-806	

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> Community Organizations



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 Northwest Area Jaycees
 RiverWorks Community Development
 Rocket Boosters
 Rockford Area Athletic Association (RAAA)
 Rockford Area Breakfast Club (tHE ROCK)
 Rockford Area Girl Scouts
 Rockford Area Historical Society
 Rockford Crows Baseball
 Rockford Cub Scouts
 Rockford Education Foundation
 Rockford Fire Auxiliary
 Rockford-Greenfield Area Chamber of Commerce
 Rockford Lions Club
 Rockford Ridge Riders Snowmobile Club
 Star Lodge #62
 Thousand Hearts Serve Day

Events

RAAA Youth Basketball Registration is OPEN!

RAAA Basketball provides girls and boys in 3rd-8th grade the opportunity to play organized basketball with both competitive traveling and in-house league options. Registration will stay open through mid-September, however, if your child is in 5th-8th grade you will need to register online by August 19. Practices start in October and teams wrap up in February for 3rd graders and with a state tournament in early March for other ages.

Please register and learn more here: <https://www.raasports.com/basketballregistration>

Wrestling Registration is OPEN!

Rockford Youth Wrestling is open to students of any skill level from 4 years old/PreK through 6th grade. Practices are held at the RCC in the Rockford High School Wrestling Room.

PreK-1st Grade (season: Nov 18 – Jan 20)

Tuesdays, 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Fee: \$50 if registered by 9/30/25 (\$75 after)

PreK-K = 0 Volunteer Shifts

1st Grade = 2 Volunteer Shifts

2nd-6th Grade (season: Nov 13 – Feb 19)

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6:30pm – 7:45 pm

Fee: \$100 if registered by 9/30/25 (\$125 after)

2 Volunteer Shifts

*** Please note that space will be confirmed in September once the space can be officially booked.*

REGISTER HERE:

<https://raasports.sportngin.com/register/form/387720281>

Optional Tournaments:

There are a number of open tournaments throughout the season. Visit The Guillotine, the preeminent amateur wrestling website for the Minnesota wrestling community, for the open tournament calendar.

Questions: Email: raawrestling@raasports.com

Delano Area Youth Hockey Association - Learn to Skate

September 28 - October 18

6 ice sessions

Delano Area Sports Arena

\$150 includes all equipment needed including skates, helmet and stick

Info/Register: <https://bit.ly/DAYHAreger>

Rockford Area Historical Society

The Rockford Area Historical Society was formed in 1986 to manage the Ames-Florida-Stork House, a historic house museum listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The Ames-Florida-Stork House preserves and interprets the stories of the three families that made the house their home.

Become a member today and it includes 2026! It is our members, donors, and many volunteers who are the keys to our success and who take pride in helping to maintain and support our treasured local landmark. Discounts, special event invitations, and newsletters are appealing perks! You can choose an individual, family or other membership options. Find details at www.rockfordmnhistory.org.

Mark your calendars - Saturday, October 4th is the Annual **ROCKTOBERFEST!** Join RAHS in our beer tent while listening to the free music of THREE great bands.

To read more about Rockford and surrounding area's history on a weekly basis, follow on Facebook - RockfordMnhistory at <https://tinyurl.com/53fk3dxr>.

Rockford Education Foundation

Enhancing education and inspiring community since 2004. REF is a nonprofit supporting Rockford Area Schools (PreK–12) through grants, community partnerships, and fundraising.

2024–25 Impact Highlights

- Environmental Experiences for middle school students, including the Deep Portage Field Trip
- High School Career Pathways in areas like CNA, Technology Education, Vet Tech, and Landscape Design
- Elementary Arts Enrichment, including theater, field trips, and artist residencies
- Mini-Grants for teachers and staff to support innovative ideas and classroom needs

Building Community Connections

REF strengthened community ties through events like the Fall Gala, Rocket Launch giving program, Family Bingo and Restaurant Nights, and staff appreciation efforts including luncheons, wishlists, and gratitude gifts.

SAVE THE DATE

August 25th 6pm: Teacher's Bingo at Clays
November 22nd: Fall Event

To Donate: rockfordfoundation.org/donate/
Every dollar makes a lasting impact on our students!



Teacher's Bingo

Monday, August 25 at 6pm
Clays Bar & Grill

Rockford Lions Golf Tournament

Saturday, September 6, 2024
Riverwood National Golf Course
www.rockfordlionsmn.org/golf

Rocket Boosters

September 2-3 – School Store Apparel Sale
at REAMS Assessment Days

September 26 – Homecoming Tailgate Party
at RHS Commons

Rockford Homecoming Game

Friday, September 26 at 7pm
Rockets Stadium

Rocktoberfest

Free event open to the public
Saturday, October 4, 2025
Riverside Park, Rockford

RiverWorks Annual Steak Fry & Auction

Saturday, October 11, 2025
Rockford Township Hall
Info: www.riverworksonline.org/steak-fry

Rockford High School Musical

November 21 - 23, 2025
Rockford High School Auditorium

Rockford Education Foundation Fall Event

Saturday, November 22, 2025
Rush Creek Golf Club
Info: www.rockfordfoundation.org/fall-event

Crow River Christmas

December 6th, 2025

Library

Great River Regional Library - Rockford

8220 Cedar Street, Rockford
763-477-4216, www.griver.org

Library Hours:

Monday: 10:00am - 6:00pm
Tuesday: 2:00 - 7:00pm
Wednesday: 10:00am - 6:00pm
Thursday: 2:00 - 7:00pm
Friday: 2:00 - 6:00pm
Saturday: 10:00am - 1:00pm
Sunday: Closed

LIBRARY EVENTS

Storytime

Children, with a favorite adult, enjoy books, songs, rhymes and movement activities while building language, early literacy and school readiness skills. Registration required. For ages 2 to 6. Sponsored by the Friends of the Rockford Library.

>> Wednesdays, weekly starting Sept. 17
10:30 - 11:30am

Adult Book Club

If you enjoy reading and discussing books, then this is the group for you. A fun opportunity for you to learn interesting facts about authors, talk about books and meet new people. Contact the library for the monthly book selection and to sign up. Registration required. For ages 18 to adult. Limit 10. Sponsored by the Friends of the Rockford Library.

>> Mondays, Sept. 15 and Oct. 20
5:00 - 6:00 pm

Paint Club

We have the supplies. You've got the vision. Come paint in a relaxed setting with Tamra every month. Introductory techniques will be covered. For ages 10 to adult. Limit 10. Registration required. Sponsored by Rockford Friends of the Library.

>> Wednesday, Sept. 17 and Oct. 29
4:00 - 6:00pm

Kumihimo Class (Japanese Multi Stranded Braiding)

This centuries old braiding technique was originally used to make cords to tie on the armor of Samurai warriors. Using a simple eight-sided loom and satin cord, participants will learn to make seven- and eight-stranded braids that can be used as friendship bracelets, bookmarks, and many other things. We complete the bracelets with metal jewelry clasps for a professional finish. Registration required. For ages 6 to adult. Limit 20. Sponsored by the Friends of the Rockford Library.

>> Thursday, Sept. 18, 4:00 - 5:30 pm

Jigsaw Puzzle Tournament

Gather a group of four friends to form a team, select a team name, and enjoy a morning of puzzling fun! Each team receives the same puzzle and teams try to put the puzzle together the fastest. Four team limit. One registration per team. Ages 12 to adult. Light refreshments will be provided by the Friends of the Library.

>> Saturday, Sept. 27, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Author Frank Weber

Forensic Psychologist and True Crime author Frank F. Weber will guide attendees through the process of profiling a case with limited evidence, and provide a live demonstration of a lie detector test (volunteer a friend!). Frank will speak about his forensic work and the writing of true crime mysteries. Frank's 2025 release, *The Sun*, will be available at the event. *The Sun* is based on a Minnesota mystery that was once touted as "the crime of the century." Frank will share information related to the case. Frank will sign books and answer individual questions, and will be available after the event. For teens and adults. This program was made possible with Arts & Cultural Heritage Funds from Minnesota's Clean Water, Land, and Legacy Amendment.

>> Tuesday, Oct. 28, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

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Join the Rockford-Greenfield Chamber today!

Sign up: www.rgchamber.org/join

The Chamber is a voluntary organization of people with business, professional, and educational interests working together towards enhancing and improving the economic, civic, and cultural interests of our communities.

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> Membership



RCC Membership Includes:

- Most RCC Fitness Classes
- Access to Rocket Power Center
- Access to RCC Fieldhouse
- Access to Bathroom/showers
- Access to RCC Personal Trainers (extra fee)

NON-MEMBERS can get a daily pass for \$5 or take a class for \$5 each

Membership Questions

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Rates

RCC Membership Rates

Fill out a Membership Registration form and a monthly fee will be automatically deducted.

Adult Monthly Includes: RCC fitness classes and access to fieldhouse and Rocket Power Center	\$32
Student Monthly Valid HS or College ID MUST be present when joining.	\$20
Senior Monthly (62 and over) Includes: RCC fitness classes and access to fieldhouse and Rocket Power Center Free walking passes (Walking passes do not include the use of the Rocket Power Center).	\$20
Family Monthly Includes: RCC fitness classes and access to fieldhouse and Rocket Power Center* <i>*Does not include Rocket Power instruction, must have student membership for that program.</i>	\$45
Annual Walking Pass Seniors 62 and over receive FREE walking passes in the fieldhouse.	\$50
Day Pass Daily fee for Rocket Power Center and Fieldhouse use OR one fitness class. Anyone under the age of 18 must be signed up and paid for by a legal guardian.	\$5 \$2 for 62+

No sign up fees, no cancellation fees, no minimum contract length.

Insurance Benefits

Contact your insurance provider to see if you are eligible. Stop by the RCC Front Desk or call 763-477-5294 for more information.

Rockford Community Center Membership

Plan a visit to the Rockford Community Center – we would love to meet you and give you a tour of the Rocket Power Center. Our goal is to make everyone feel comfortable and motivated – we can help you achieve your health and fitness goals. We have fitness professionals, a variety of equipment and fitness classes included in your membership to support and coach you as you improve your health. We have a clean, comfortable and safe environment with no long term contract hassles. Call or stop in at the RCC front desk today for more information or to sign up!

RCC Fitness Classes

All monthly memberships include RCC fitness classes at no additional charge. Fees may be required for some equipment.

How it works:

No pre-registration is needed, however, we encourage all participants to arrive 15 minutes before the class begins. Simply swipe your membership card and sign in upon arrival.

Rocket Power Center

The RCC also has a fitness center with cardiovascular equipment such as elliptical, treadmill and stair climber machines. In addition the RCC has a Freemotion cable cross machine, free weights and Cybex weight machines.

No one under the age of 12 is allowed in the Rocket Power Center. Ages 12-14 must be supervised by a legal guardian.

How to become a Member:

Fill out a Membership Registration form and a monthly fee will be automatically deducted.

<https://rockfordcc.recdesk.com/community/home>

Questions: email Jamie Smith, jamie.smith@rockford883.org

Call 763-477-5294 between 8am - 4pm



Rockford Area Schools Facilities

RHS
Rockford High School

7600 County Road 50
 Rockford, MN 55373
 763-477-5846

RMS-CES
Rockford Middle School
Center for Environmental Studies

6051 Ash Street
 Rockford, MN 55373
 763-477-5831

REAMS
Rockford Elementary
Arts Magnet School

7650 County Road 50
 Rockford, MN 55373
 763-477-5837

RCC
Rockford Community Center
& Community Education Office

7600 County Road 50
 Rockford, MN 55373
 763-477-5294 (RCC), 763-477-4563 (Office)

District Office

6051 Ash Street
 Rockford, MN 55373
 763-477-9165

Transportation Center

7700 County Road 50
 Rockford, MN 55373
 763-477-6100



Gyms/Classroom Entrances

ROCKFORD ELEMENTARY - REAMS	
Door 1	REAMS Main Entrance & Office
Door 7	Galaxy Kids Entrance
Door 35	REAMS Gym Entrance
ROCKFORD MIDDLE SCHOOL - RMS-CES	
Door 1	District Office
Door 4	RMS-CES Entrance & Office
Door 5	Rocket Gymnastics Club entrance
ROCKFORD HIGH SCHOOL - RHS	
Door 1	RHS Main Entrance & Office
Door 1 / 13	RHS Auditorium (enter through 1 or 13)
Door 13	RHS Commons
Door 13	RHS Main Gym
ROCKFORD COMMUNITY CENTER - RCC	
Door 11	Rocket Power Fitness Center
Door 11	RCC Entrance and Office
Door 11	RCC Fieldhouse
Door 11	RCC Dance Studio / RCC Rooms

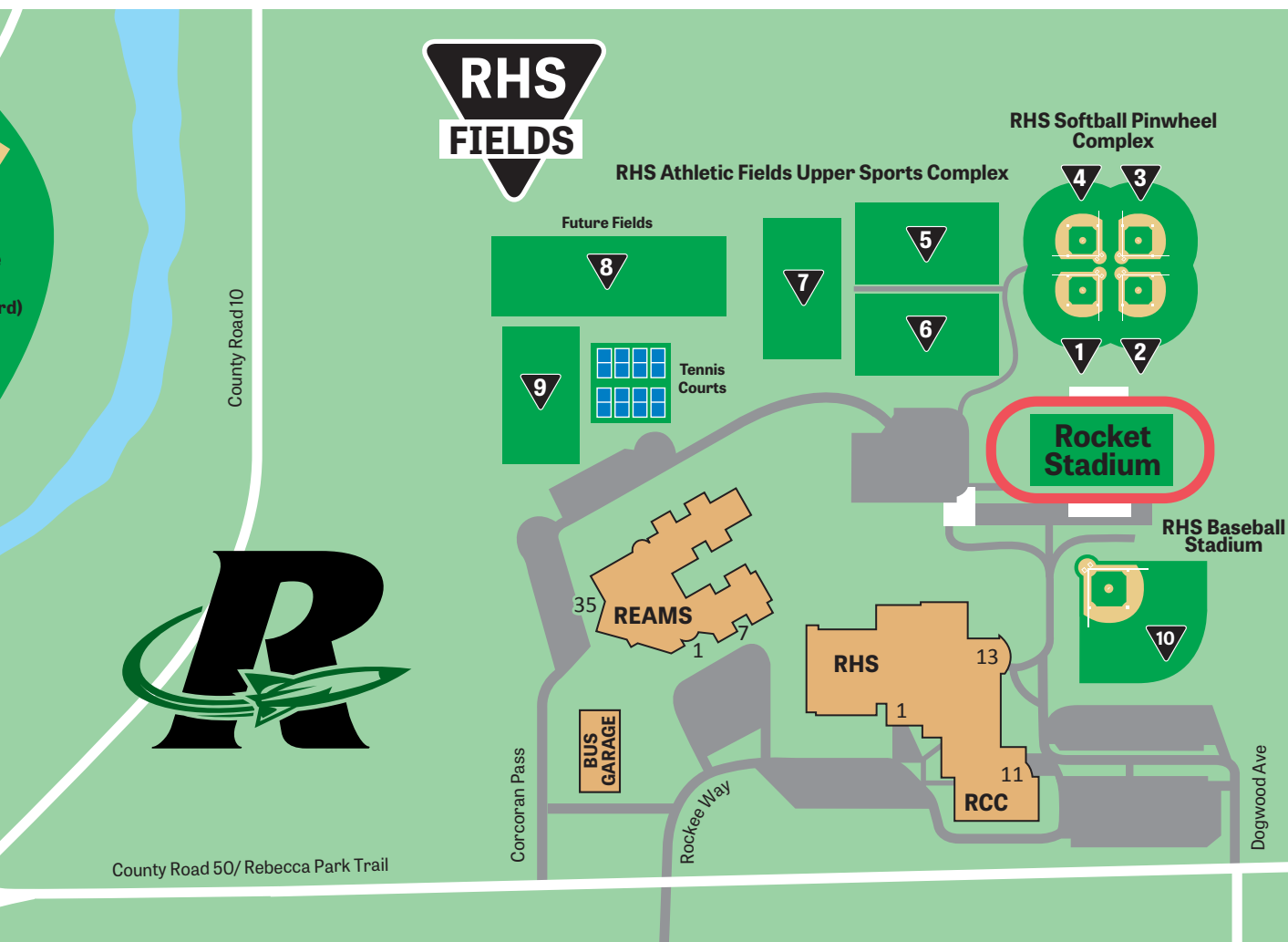
Field/Court Locations

RHS 1	Varsity Softball Pinwheel
RHS 2	Softball Pinwheel
RHS 3	Softball Pinwheel
RHS 4	Softball Pinwheel
RHS 5	Football/Soccer Practice Fields
RHS 6	Football/Soccer Practice Fields (lighted)
RHS 7	Football/Soccer Practice Fields
RHS 8	Future Fields
RHS 9	Football/Soccer Practice Fields
RHS 9	Tennis Courts
RHS 10	Varsity Baseball Field
Rocket Stadium	Rockets Multi-Use Stadium and Olympic Size Track
RMS 1	Greenhouse / Community Garden
RMS 2	Baseball Field
RMS 3	Baseball Field
RMS 4	Baseball Field
RMS 5	Football/Soccer Practice Fields



Facility Scheduling 763-477-4563

Contact Melissa Joseph, Facilities Coordinator



> Class Registration



Rockford Area Schools COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Registration

Classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. The class fee must be paid at the time of registration.

Assume you are in the class for which your registered unless you hear from us. All classes will meet at the scheduled time and place.

Class Registration Questions

Email Melissa Joseph at melissa.joseph@rockford883.org or call 763-477-4563

3 Ways to Register

ONLINE

Use our new online system to register and pay all on the same site! We encourage you to add all members of your household in anticipation of future registrations within the system.

Create or Sign In to your account:

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

> Select **Explore All Programs**



BY MAIL OR IN PERSON

To register - mail, fax or drop off payment and this completed form to:

Rockford Community Education, 7600 County Rd 50,
Rockford, MN 55373

We will transfer this registration into our new system. Confirmation that you are registered in the class will be sent via email, so please make sure to include a valid email address. Registration in a class is not complete until we have payment or payment arrangements. We will contact you if the class is canceled or any additional information is needed.

FAX

You can fax the completed registration to 763-477-5833. Registration in a class is not complete until we have payment or payment arrangements.

Cancellation Policy

If a class is canceled due to insufficient enrollment, you will be notified and your fee refunded in full. If you need to cancel, you will receive a refund minus a minimum \$5 processing fee if you cancel at least five days before the start of class. No refunds will be issued if you cancel after that time.

Weather Cancellation

Community Ed classes will not meet when Rockford Area Schools are closed during the day due to bad weather.

Nondiscrimination

Federal and state laws prohibit discrimination in education based on sex/gender, sexual orientation, race, color, creed, national origin, religion, disability, receipt of public assistance, marital status and age.

Community Education Registration - Mail Option

To register - mail, fax or drop off payment and this completed form to:

Rockford Community Education, 7600 County Rd 50, Rockford, MN 55373 • Phone (763) 477-4563 • Fax (763) 477-5833

PARTICIPATION INFORMATION

ECFE registration: use ECFE form on page 9.

First Name	
Last Name	
Course Name/#	
Fee	\$

Please complete if registration requires age, grade and/or t-shirt size

First Name	
Last Name	
Course Name/#	
Fee	\$
2025-26 Grade: K 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	
Child's Birth Date: — / — / —	Child's Gender: ☐ Female ☐ Male
Child's T-Shirt Size: Youth Sizes: S (6-8) M (10-12) L (14-16) Adult Sizes: S M L XL	

First Name	
Last Name	
Course Name/#	
Fee	\$
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ADULT CONTACT INFORMATION

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Emergency Phone _____

Primary Email _____

Secondary Email _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Total Fees \$ _____

☐ Cash

☐ Check payable to RCE _____

CONFIRMATION

We will transfer this registration into our new system. Confirmation that you are registered in the class will be sent via email, so please make sure to include a valid email address. Registration in a class is not complete until we have payment or payment arrangements. We will contact you if the class is canceled or any additional information is needed.

AGREEMENT

I hereby agree to allow myself or my child to participate in the named RCE activity. In consideration of accepting this registration, I hereby, for myself and heirs, waive any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against the Rockford School District ISD #883 and its representatives, for any and all injuries from whatever cause suffered by the listed participant(s) in the indicated activity.

Parent/Guardian Signature



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