

Methacton SCHOOL DISTRICT

WINTER '10

Community Education Program



Special Events

Secret Garden

Methacton High School presents, *The Secret Garden*, a musical based on the 1909 novel by Frances Hodgson Burnett. The musical's book and lyrics are by Marsha Norman, with music by Lucy Simon. Join us for the show and dinner on Thursday, only!

Thursday, February 25, 2010 ~ 4 p.m.
Friday, February 26, 2010 ~ 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, February 27, 2010 ~ 7:00 p.m.
MHS Auditorium
Cost: \$18 for show and dinner

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Senior Citizen Day

Senior Citizens are invited to a day of fun, food and entertainment provided by high school students. The day will begin at Methacton High School B101 where you will receive a schedule of events for the day including a delicious luncheon and an opportunity to meet some of our fine students. The deadline to register is **April 20, 2010**. Please park in the rear of the high school and report directly to room B101.

*Space is limited to 40 reservations,
so register early to avoid disappointment!*

Tuesday, May 4, 2010 ~ 9 a.m.
MHS/Room B101 **Cost: \$5.00**

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MSD Safety & Wellness Fair

Methacton School District is proud to present our first safety and wellness fair for all ages!

March 13, 2010
10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Phoenixville Hospital, Montgomery County Human Services, Eagleville Hospital, Lower Providence Police and Emergency Services, Worcester Fire Department and Methacton School District staff are partnering to present a day of fun and information for our community members. **FREE Admission!**

Some great activities not to miss include:

- * Rock Climb Wall
- * Moon Bounce
- * DDR
- * Yoga Clinics
- * Health screenings
- * Fingerprinting
- * Emergency Services Demonstrations
- * Karate Demonstration
- * Aerobics & Clinics
- * Delicious Food
- * And Much More!

MHS Art Show

Senior Citizens are invited to an early breakfast and an opportunity to see artwork completed by Methacton High School's talented art students. The deadline to register is **April 23, 2010**.

Space is limited, so register early to avoid disappointment!

Saturday, May 1, 2010 ~ 9 a.m.
Breakfast at 9 a.m. ~ MHS Cafeteria

Art Show preview immediately following.
MHS Cafeteria **Cost: \$5.00**

902

Crochet a Wire and Bead Necklace

Make a beautiful necklace using chain stitch, a beginner crochet stitch, which looks like hours of tedious work when completed. Some crocheting experience is recommended. All supplies will be provided with a selection of beads and gold or silver tone wire from which to choose.

Limited to 12 people. Instructor: Jayne Stilley

Dates: January 25 & 26

7 - 9 p.m.

Arcola Library

**Cost: \$25 + \$20 payable to instructor
\$20 GOLD CARD MEMBERS**

404

Intermediate Crochet a Wire and Bead Necklace

In this class, we will be making a more complicated necklace than in the beginner class. Your piece will be at least a stunning one-inch wide and will look like it's encrusted with beads. Extra materials will be available for purchase if you are interested in making a matching bracelet on your own. As in the beginner class, all supplies will be provided. Materials fee will be reduced if you have your 6mm crochet hook. Limited to 12 people. Instructor: Jayne Stilley

Dates: March 8 & 9

7 - 9 p.m.

Arcola Library

**Cost: \$25 + \$20 payable to instructor
\$20 GOLD CARD MEMBERS**

408

Pasta To You

Everyone will get the ingredients to make a small amount of homemade pasta from scratch using flour, eggs etc. We will start with the basic ingredients to make the pasta dough. Then you will roll it out and cut it into spaghetti to take home and cook it yourself. You can enroll with your child or enroll yourself for this fun and educational class. It could get messy, so be prepared! (Maximum enrollment 10)

* Supply Fee of \$2.00 per person or \$3.00 parent & child (to instructor)

Instructor: Sue Fazio - Pasta Chef(Pastatoyou.com)

Tuesday, March 9

7 - 8:30 p.m.

Arcola 119

Cost: \$15 + supply fee payable to instructor

402

Beginning Knitting

Learn to knit and you will be able to create unique, one-of-a-kind gifts and gain a lifetime skill you can really love. This 4-week session will teach you how to cast-on, knit, purl, bind-off, increase and decrease, as well as various stitch combinations. Materials required by second class: US 7, 8 or 9, needles 10" to 16" long, and worsted weight, medium 4-ply yarn (acrylic or cotton recommended). For newbies and refreshers, age 9+.

Class size limited to 10 knitters.

Instructor: Gillian Caramanno

Tuesdays (4 weeks) January 26 to Feb. 23

Arcola FDR (No Class Feb. 16) 7 - 9 p.m.

Cost: \$35

\$30 GOLD CARD

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413

Knit 2-Socks on 2-Circulars!

This intermediate class is for knitters who've always wanted to learn how to knit socks two-at-a-time! Using 2 circular needles, learn how to cast-on, knit, turn heels, pick-up gussets and work both socks, in the round, at the same time! Materials required by second class: (2) Size US4 (3.5mm) circular needles, preferably different lengths, i.e. a 16 inch and a 20 or 24 inch, and worsted weight, medium 4-ply yarn (wool, wool-blend or acrylic recommended). For knitters with DPN experience.

Class size limited to 10 knitters.

Instructor: Gillian Caramanno

Tuesdays (4 weeks)

March 9 to March 30

Arcola FDR

7 - 9 p.m.

Cost: \$35

\$30 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

416

Intermediate Landscaping

Course discusses bed location, size, design and construction. The proper ground covers, mulches, identification and application are covered. An intense study and identification of all trees for the Montgomery County area. You will learn how to identify disease, prevention and control of pests. Introduction to pruning, gardening equipment and sodding and seeding.

Instructor: Joe Marshall

Tuesdays, January 26 - April 6

7 - 9 p.m.

MHS A101

(No Class Feb. 16)

Cost: \$75

\$65 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

405

Beginner Sewing

Learn the basics of sewing and create a simple project! Bring two yards of fabric of your choice. Students are encouraged to bring their own portable sewing machine to the second night of class.

There will be a \$20.00 supply fee, payable to the instructor the first night of class. Instructor: Nina Owens. Limit is 12 people.

Wednesdays (5 weeks) January 13 to February 17

Arcola Room 123 (No Class Jan. 27) 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Cost: \$75

406

\$65 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

Intermediate Sewing

The next step – learn more advanced sewing techniques. Students are encouraged to bring their own portable sewing machine. Create a project from a pattern – your choice! \$20 supply fee, payable to the instructor the first night of class, or you may purchase supplies on your own at Joanne Fabrics. (No class March 31)

Wednesdays (5 weeks) February 24 to April 7

Arcola Room 123 (No Class March 24,31) 6:30 - 9:30

Cost: \$75

407

\$65 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

Beginning Computers for Seniors

Have you always wanted to learn how to use a computer but were afraid to try or felt they were too complicated? Would you like to learn how to use a computer to stay in touch with distant family and friends or use a computer to keep track of your community activities? This course is designed specifically to introduce seniors to the computer at a comfortable pace and without the pressure or fear of making a mistake. You're never too old to learn!

Instructor: Steve O'Hara

Tuesdays (6 weeks)
MHS C161

Cost: \$45

ORED

Beginning Computers for Seniors 2

This course is designed as an extension of the original Beginning Computers for Seniors. The primary emphasis of this course will be a more in-depth discussion/tutorial of the Internet and email. You're never too old to learn!!

Instructor: Steve O'Hara

Thursdays (6 weeks)
MHS C161

Cost: \$45

February 2 to March 9
or April 6 to May 11

6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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101B

Resume Updates and Job Search Hints

Whether you're new to the job market or re-entering it; changing positions because you want to or have to; finding a new job is challenging. This class will focus on the do's and don'ts of resume writing, job searching and interviewing. Come with questions and get answers from a professional with 10+ years of recruiting experience.

The first class will be an interactive group session focusing on job search methods and what recruiters look for in resumes. The second class will be a 20 minute one-on-one session reviewing a resume you've prepared using the techniques learned during the first class.

Instructor: Cheryl Levy has worked for Fortune 500 companies like Cisco Systems and Waste Management as well as local top employer Vanguard Group, Inc. hiring all levels of employees. Through the course of her career she has hired thousands of people and reviewed countless resumes. Let her experience help you.

Dates: Tuesdays
MHS Library
Cost: \$25

March 16 and 23
7 - 8:30 p.m.

601

Intro to Computers - Word and Excel

A hands-on approach will be used to teach you the basics of Microsoft Windows including word processing using Word and spreadsheets using Excel. You will learn to work within Windows, prepare documents and generate spreadsheets for various purposes (address book, personal budget, etc). Other topics include mouse operation and file management. Instructor: Don Marzewski

Mondays & Wednesdays (5 weeks) **Feb. 22 to March 24**
MHS C202 **7 - 9 p.m.**
Cost: \$85 **\$75 GOLD CARD Members**

104

Homesellers Seminars

Attend one, two or three seminars, the choice is yours.

All attendees will receive handouts and a goody bag.

Session 1: Dress Your Home to Sell

You will learn about de-cluttering, neutralizing your home, and positioning furniture. Bring pictures to class to share.

Session 2: Top Selling Mistakes (and how to avoid them)

When should I list my home for sale? How much should I ask? Do I really need a real estate broker? Come with your questions to discuss.

Session 3: Marketing Strategies and Negotiation Skills for a Quick Sale

Learn the cutting edge marketing strategies to maximize exposure to homebuyers. Instructor: Judy May, Esquire, Realtor for

Century 21 Alliance.

Mondays (3 weeks)
MHS FDR
Cost: \$30

March 1, 8, 15
7 - 9 p.m.

603

Homebuyers Seminar

Attend one, two or three seminars, the choice is yours. All attendees will receive handouts and a goody bag.

Session 1: Homebuyers Basics

Everything you need to know about buying a home including; the importance of pre-qualification and the inside scoop into the real estate business.

Session 2: Moving Up to Your Next Home

Learn the pros and cons of making a move NOW.

Session 3: Investing 101: How to Build Wealth with Real Estate.

This session will teach the basics for real estate investments.

Instructor: Judy May, Esquire, Realtor for Century 21 Alliance.

Mondays (3 weeks)
MHS FDR
Cost: \$30

Jan. 25, Feb. 1, 8
7 - 9 p.m.

602

Basic Digital Photography

Are you looking to better understand your camera? Do you want to feel more confident in taking photos? This class is for you! In this class we will be working together to learn about camera settings, how to take better images and take those images to the next level. You will learn how to take your images from the camera to the computer (for printing, cropping, and photo editing purposes) and discuss what software is on the market that is available to you. There will be lots of hands-on demonstrations using cameras and computers. Please make sure to come with your camera and your camera's manual.

Instructor: Jody Robinson

Mondays (5 weeks) Jan. 25 to March 1
(No Class Feb. 15)
MHS A204 7 - 9 p.m.
Cost: \$45 plus supplies \$35 GOLD CARD
(optional book)

409

Intermediate Digital Photography

Next step in Digital Photography. This class will focus on how to use a digital camera from basic camera settings, camera modes, saving and editing your files to advanced composition. This class will also provide hands-on demonstrations featuring the latest in digital photography tips and tricks of getting that right shot and using the digital darkroom to complete your images. Instructor: Jody Robinson

Mondays (5 weeks) March 8 to April 12
(No Class April 5)
MHS A204 7 - 9 p.m.
Cost: \$45 plus supplies \$35 GOLD CARD
(optional book)

409B



Visit our Web site
www.methacton.org

Oil Painting

Secrets of oil painting on Monday nights 7-9 PM, Colors, shapes, lights and darks revealed anew to make an artist out of you.

Bring paper palette, bristol brushes (#1 flat & #5 round), canvas (9 x12 or 11x14), table easel, palette knife, favorite photo references, colors white, yellow ochre, red light, green & blue. Music we'll provide for you!

Instructor: Marilyn Schassberger

Mondays (10 weeks) January 25 to April 12
(No Class Feb. 15, April 5) 7- 9 p.m. **410**
MHS A108
Cost: \$75 \$65 GOLD CARD MEMBERS



Beginner Watercolor

This class is for the beginner or the student who is not ready for the intermediate class. This class will teach you the basic techniques in water colors. There will be a finished watercolor painting for students to look at and step by step instructions on how to complete. Students may bring their own supplies or pick up a suggested materials list at Rainbow Arts and Crafts and purchase items at a special student discount. Limit: 15.

Instructor: Azelia Weatherill

Thursdays (10 weeks) Jan. 21 to March 25
MHS A106 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Cost: \$75 plus supplies \$65 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

411

Intermediate Watercolor

Experience the excitement of watercolor, integrating the principles of design, color, and composition. Watercolor is spontaneous, fun, elusive and challenging! Come and enjoy the "process of painting" and developing your own personal style.

Instructor: Laurie Daddona

Wednesdays (10 weeks) Jan. 20 to April 7
(No Class Jan. 27, March 31) 7 - 9:30 p.m. **412**
MHS A106
Cost: \$80 plus supplies
\$70 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

When it is necessary to cancel MSD Community Education Program classes in the case of inclement weather, a cancellation notice will be posted on the district's Web site at www.methacton.org. Individuals may also listen to KYW Newsradio 1060 AM for the school closing number 316.

English as a Second Language (ESL)

Have you been in the US for a long time and still wonder what Americans are saying? Join our class to learn about clichés, slang, idioms, contractions, and other English language challenges that mystify learners. This class will help ESL students understand a wide variety of expressions used in American English. Sharpen your speaking and listening skills. Learn how to use challenging expressions effectively and speak like an American. Instructor: Debra Chiappetta

Fridays (8 weeks) March 12 to May 7 (No Class April 2)
MHS C113 7 pm – 9 p.m.
Cost: \$70 Gold Card: \$60

501

CHINESE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

“Ni hao” is “hello” in Chinese. Want to know more Chinese? This course introduces Chinese conversation and culture for those interested in language for travel, ordering in restaurants, or just knowing more about China itself. The class stresses everyday conversation and culture in a relaxed and interactive way. “Zai jian, peng you.”

Instructor: Hsiumei Hsu
Tuesdays (10 weeks) January 26 to April 6 (No Class Feb. 16)
MHS C113 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Cost: \$75 \$65 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

OPTIONAL TEXTBOOK -- FAR EAST EVERYDAY CHINESE by Yeh Teh-Ming, 1999.

503

JAPANESE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

Want to know which animated game to buy for your child? Learn basic Japanese and make a wise choice. Want to know the customs, culture, and slang of the country? Learn Japanese. This introductory course will give you the essentials of Japanese conversation and culture through easy and relaxed interactive classes. “Douzo, kyou shitsu e.”

Instructor: Hsiumei Hsu
Wednesday (10 weeks) Jan.20 to April 7
(No Class Jan. 27 & March 31)
MHS C113 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Cost: \$75 \$65 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

TEXTBOOK NOT REQUIRED -- AN INTEGRATED COURSE IN ELEMENTARY JAPANESE by Bonno et al, 2007.

Used copies available at Amazon.com at a reasonable price

504

Dance-a-Weigh Workout

Need to burn some calories while having fun? Like to dance, but don't have a partner? Want some aerobics, without having to step? Try some hip hop and Latin moves, in a line dance format. By the end of the 5 week session, you will have picked up some basic dance steps, while dropping some pounds. If you have to miss a week, no problem. Wear shoes you can gyrate in, preferably sneakers, but not too bulky. Instructor: Maria Jacobs

Thursdays (5 weeks) Jan. 28 to Feb 25
Arcola Commons 9 - 10 p.m.
Cost: \$45 per person
\$35 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

202

American Ballroom Dance Series

Each week, learn a different style of each of these 5 American dances: Waltz, Foxtrot, Slow, Swing, Disco. By the end of the 5 week session, you will be able to comfortably go out dancing, while recognizing the correct style from the music. Instructor: Maria Jacobs

Thursdays (5 weeks) Jan. 28 to Feb 25
Arcola Commons 8 - 9 p.m.
Cost: \$45 per person
\$35 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

203

Latin Ballroom Dance

Each week, learn a different style of each of these 6 Latin dances: Rumba, Cha Cha, Salsa, Merengue, Samba, Tango. By the end of the 5 week session, you will be able to comfortably go out dancing, while recognizing the correct style from the music. Instructor: Maria Jacobs

Thursdays (5 weeks) Jan. 28 to Feb 25
Arcola Commons 7 - 8 p.m.
Cost: \$45 per person
\$35 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

204

Line Dancing

Looking for a fun way to meet friends and get some exercise? Come learn Line Dancing! These dances are Philly Line Dances. Music from 50's and 60's Jerry Blavat Era. Great exercise for men and women of all ages. Instructor: Patty Damiani

Mondays (5 weeks) March 1 to March 29
Arcola Commons 7 - 8 p.m.
Cost: \$45 per person
\$35 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

205

Men's Basketball

This program is full court basketball for beginners and experienced players alike. Breaks and subs. Limit to 20 players. Walk-ins welcomed. Instructor: Sean McCracken

Thursdays (10 weeks) January 21 to April 8
(No Class March 25, April 1) 7 - 9 p.m.
Arcola Boys' Gym Walk-Ins: \$7
Cost: \$65 \$55 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

306

Get a Jump Start on the Summer Season with a Combination Exercise Class

CardioTone:

Is fun way to get moving & tone your body. The Cardio segment will focus on elevating your heart rate while learning basic rhythmic patterns to energizing music. Toning will focus on strengthening upper body, thigh, gluteal and abdominal muscle groups. Participants should bring mat and 1, 3, or 5 pound hand weights. Instructor: Lori Shaw

Tuesday (10 weeks) January 26 to April 6
(No Class Feb. 16) 6 - 7p.m.
Worcester Library
Cost: \$55 \$45 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

303

Toning/Pilates:

Is great for any fitness level especially those just starting an exercise program. Pilates will focus on core abdominal muscles, strengthening back muscles and increasing flexibility. Breathing & relaxation techniques are also incorporated. Participants should bring mat. Instructor: Lori Shaw

Tuesday (10 weeks) January 26 to April 6
(No Cass Feb. 16) 7 - 8 p.m.
Worcester Library
Cost: \$55 \$45 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

303B

Co-ed Recreational Volleyball

Come and meet new friends and have fun playing a great sport on Wednesday nights. This is a recreational group of players where friendly volleyball, good sportsmanship and fun are emphasized. PLAYERS MUST BE AT LEAST 21 YEARS OLD

Wednesdays (10 weeks) February 3 to April 21
Arcola Big Gym (No Class March 24, 31,) 7 - 9 p.m.
Cost: \$65 \$55 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

304

Yoga After School

Experience the peace and rejuvenation that the ancient practice of yoga offers. Each class begins with a short opening meditation to quiet the mind, followed by a series of physical poses to create strength, flexibility and balance in the body. A period of relaxation ends the class. Class instruction also includes breathing, mindfulness, and relaxation techniques. All levels of students are welcome, whether you are curious and looking for an introduction to yoga or want to deepen your practice. Please bring a yoga mat or towel.

Limit to 20 participants per class.
 Instructor: Dana Hyman

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Mondays (10 weeks) January 25 to April 12
(No Class Feb. 15, April 5)
Worcester Library 4:15 p.m. - 5:30 p.m
Cost: \$55 \$45 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

Yoga Connection

Launch your body into a healthy lifestyle with the YogaFit program. This course is a complete body & mind workout. Appropriate for all ages and fitness levels, including beginners and those continuing their Yoga practice. Benefits of this program include: increased flexibility, balance, strength, grace as well as maximum stress reduction. Please bring a Yoga mat to class. Instructor: Aerobic Rhythmics. Limited to 20 participants for each class.

Tuesdays (8 weeks) Jan. 26 to March 23
Eagleville Room Gym 6:15 - 7:15 p.m.
(No Class Feb. 16)

307

Cost: \$58 \$48 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

Tuesdays (8 weeks) Jan. 26 to March 23
(No Class Feb. 16)
Eagleville Room Gym 7:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Cost: \$58 \$48 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

307B

Core Zone Express

Shrink your fat zones and reclaim your body. This express workout will strengthen and tone your core muscles. Get in, get out, get results. For all fitness levels, included is the use of resistance tubing and hand weights. Please bring a mat to class.

Instructor: Aerobic Rhythmics

308

Wednesdays (8 weeks) Feb. 3- March 24
Eagleville Gym (No Class Feb. 15) 6:30 - 7:15 p.m.
Cost: \$40 \$35 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

Membership Information

Membership is required of all participants from age 5 years and above. A membership card will be issued with payment for any aquatic class. Membership is good from September through June.

Membership Fees

\$15 resident, \$20 non-resident
\$35 resident family, \$50 non-resident family
No Fee For Gold Card Members

Rules & Regulations

- Proper bathing attire is required to enter the pool.
- All swimmers are encouraged to shower before entering the pool.
- Children who are not toilet trained must wear disposable diapers or plastic pants.
- Food and beverages are not permitted in the pool area.
- Floatation devices are permitted at the Family Swim.
- Children under age 16 are required to be supervised by an adult at all times.
- Parents are asked to wait in the waiting area during instruction.

Friday Recreational Swim

Splash the night away with family and friends. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.

Date: January 29 to May 14 *

Time: 7:30—9:30 p.m.

Instructor: Lifeguard Staff

Cost: \$35.00 Single
 \$45.00 Family (2 to 4 people)
 \$60.00 Family (5 or more people)
 \$5.00 Walk Ins

*Please note closed dates

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*Pool will be Closed the following dates:
 January 27, Feb. 12, 15, 16 March
 31, April 1,2,5,19, May 7*

Kayak

Learn the fundamentals of kayaking with this hands-on experience in a pool environment. Kayaks, paddles and life jackets provided. Bring a bathing suit and towel and indicate on enrollment form if you are an adult or child. Instructor Craig Andrussier, Great Pond Adventures is PA State and Coast Guard Certified in boating safety. Limited enrollment. Class size is limited to 6, so register early.

May 4, 6
 MHS Pool

6-7 p.m.
 7-8 p.m.

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Cost: \$40

Scuba Diving

Scuba diving allows you to add adventure to your family's vacation and discover the colorful world under the sea. This exciting course will teach you the basics of Scuba diving with state of the art diving equipment supplied by Divers Den North Inc. Trained NAUI instructors will share their experience and prepare you for certification in the sport of Scuba diving. This ten week program consists of classroom lectures and pool sessions each Tuesday night. Participants must have basic swimming ability. We supply all the scuba gear for the pool sessions just bring your bathing suit and towel to the first class. Some additional fees are required for final certification. Contact Divers Den North Inc. for more information at 215-361-8181

instructor : Paul Highland

Tuesdays (10 weeks)
Methacton High School

Jan. 26 to March 30
6:30-7:45 p.m.

Water Time: 7:45-9:15 p.m.

Cost: \$160

312

Water Aerobics by Aerobic Rhythmics

Get energized while burning calories without taxing your joints. A lively, varied, fun class to increase stamina, strength and tone. For all ages and fitness levels. Friendly atmosphere.

Instructor: Aerobic Rhythmics

Mondays and Wednesdays (8 weeks)
Jan. 25 to March 24

Cost: \$68
\$58 GOLD CARD MEMBERS

7:45-8:45 p.m.

313

Adult Lap & Fitness Swim

Participants must be 18 years or older. This time will be used for recreation and conditioning. Instructor: Lifeguard Staff.

Tuesdays and Thursdays **Jan. 26 to May 6**
Methacton High School **8 - 9:15 p.m.**

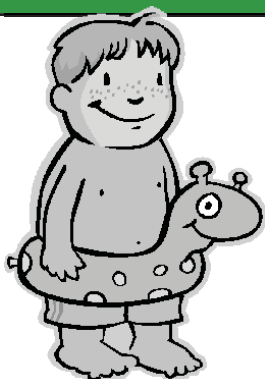
Cost: \$80.00 per semester
 \$70.00 per Senior Citizen for semester
 \$5.00 per night

314

Swim Lessons

All Classes will be held at the Methacton High School Pool.
Membership is required of all participants over age 5.

Pool will be Closed the following dates:
January 27, Feb. 12, 15, 16 March 31, April 1,2,5,19, May 7



Parents & Tots

Parent must be in the water with toddler. Toddlers will learn to become water friendly with adult reassurance. Basic water orientation, kicking, floating and introduction to basic swimming skills.

Time 9:00 - 9:30 a.m.
Ages: 12-18 months

315

Date: Check Schedule
Cost: Check Schedule

Times: 10:30 - 11:00
or 11:05-11:35

319

Parents & Toddlers

Parents must be in the water with toddler. Basic water orientation, kicking, floating and introduction to basic swimming skills, blowing bubbles, and water entry and exit will be practiced.

Time 9:30 - 10:00 a.m.
Ages: 18-36 months

316

Limit: 15 per level per time

319B

Advanced Toddler

These lessons are for children 3 to 5 years of age who are able to learn to swim from an instructor.

Time 10:00 - 10:30 a.m.

317

Date: Check Schedule
Cost: Check Schedule

Times: 11:45—12:15

Limit: 15

Must have completed and passed the Red Cross Basic Swimming program.

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Saturday Swim Lesson Information

Dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1,8,15

Fees Per Session
\$55—1 Child
\$45- 2nd Children
\$40- 3rd Children

Registration begins immediately.

Mail early to avoid disappointment.

In- person registration and swim placement at the Methacton High School Pool
March 20 from 12:00—3:00 PM.

We cannot prorate our fees.

Koala changing tables are available in our locker rooms.

Learn to Swim Levels 1- 4

Training in Red Cross Basic Swimming under Red Cross Water Safety Instructor's supervision. All students receive a progress report at the conclusion of each session.

Beginner Guitar Class

Always wanted to learn how to play the guitar? This fun and somewhat self paced beginner class will show you the basics of learning to play, reading music notation and tablature, and basic chord progressions. You will be playing songs in no time! Bring your own guitar. Minimum age: 12 years old.

Lesson book is an additional cost – approximately \$10. Come join us! Instructor: Lori Weidner

Thursdays (9 weeks) January 28 to March 25
MHS Choral Room 7 - 8 p.m.
Cost: \$60

876



Candy Making

Kids (ages 8-13) will learn to make a variety of mouth-watering candies that make great gifts for teachers, parents, and grandparents.

February 11, 18, 25

Arcola Room 119

4:45-6 p.m.

Cost: \$45

Materials Fee: \$15 payable to the instructor

855

Supper Club: Italy

Learn to make homemade pasta, meatballs, and sauce with a special chocolate-y dessert during this one-night program. Be sure to come with a big appetite! We'll eat what we make. Material Fee: \$10.

January 13

4:45-7 p.m.

Arcola Room 119

Cost: \$20

856

Supper Club: Mexico

Take a mid-winter trip to Mexico with a full meal of Mexican food. Be sure to come with a big appetite - we'll eat what we make. Material Fee: \$10.

January 20

4:45-7 p.m.

Arcola Room 119

Cost: \$20

857

Chess

Play and learn about chess from the Silver Knights chess coaches! Our coaches are highly rated professional chess instructors who have taught tens of thousands of children to play, many of whom have won state and national championships. Students are broken up into groups by skill level, so we accept anyone from total beginners up through experienced and highly-rated tournament players. Activities include learning openings, tactics, endgames, studying master games, playing rated games against fellow students, and analyzing the students' games. To purchase a chess set at a reduced price, please add an additional \$25 to this registration fee.

For more information, see our website at www.silverknightschess.com.

(10 weeks)

January to April

Cost: \$100

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Audubon: Library

Mondays, January 25

3:40 -4:40

801B

Arrowhead: Library

Tuesdays, January 26

3:40 -4:40

801C

Eagleville: Library

Wednesdays, February 3

3:40 -4:40

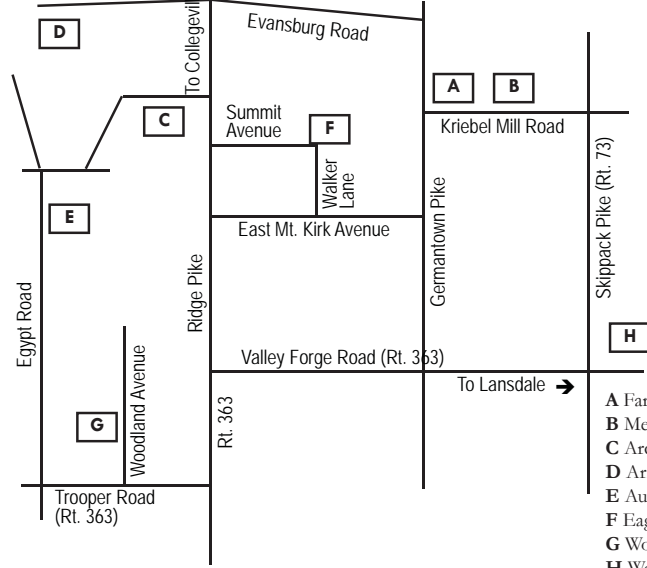
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Worcester: Library

Thursdays, January 28

3:40 -4:40





Driving Map of MSD

If all Methacton School District schools are closed due to inclement weather, all Community Education classes are cancelled. If schools are open, but weather conditions worsen during the day (or for Saturday classes), listen for our Community Education Program number, 316 and look to the website at www.methacton.org.

MSD Community Education Program Seeks Instructors
 Do you have a hobby or special skill that you'd like to share - and would you like to make additional income at the same time? The MSD Community Education Program is seeking new instructors to teach new and/or existing program classes. If you are interested, or would like more information, please contact the office of communications and community services at 610-489-5000 ext. 15007.

- A Farina Education Center
- B Methacton High School
- C Arcola Intermediate School
- D Arrowhead Elementary School
- E Audubon Elementary School
- F Eagleville Elementary School
- G Woodland Elementary School
- H Worcester Elementary School

Bus Trips

Washington D.C. Cherry Blossoms!

Visit our nation's Capital in the spring. You are on your own to explore the Smithsonian Museums, Capitol, Mint, and all the important monuments. Transportation is on a comfortable Hagey Coach Bus complete with movies.

Saturday, March 27, \$47 per person
 (admission and transportation included)

Departs: 7:00 a.m.

Participants will be picked up by tour bus from the Methacton High School- East Wing.

Returns: approximately 10:00 p.m.

906

The 2010 Philadelphia Flower Show "Passport to the World"

The journey around the globe with breathtaking stops in India, Brazil, the Netherlands, South Africa, New Zealand and Singapore. See thousands of plant and floral design entries of local enthusiasts in hundreds of categories. Don't miss on the free gardening presentations, 150 held throughout the week, as well as dozens of educational displays that explore the newest gardening trends..

Friday, March 5, \$37 per person
 (transportation and admission included)

Departs: 3:00 p.m.

Participants will be picked up by school bus from the Methacton High School - East Wing.

Returns: approximately 9:00 p.m.



908

New York City Mother's Day Surprise

Treat your mom to a visit to NYC! The coach bus will drop you off at Rockefeller Center and you decide how to spend the day...shopping, at a Broadway show, ice skating, visiting a museum, visiting NBC for a studio tour...the choice is yours! We provide the relaxing Hagey coach bus transportation and you decide how to spend the day in this exciting city.

Saturday, May 8, \$39 per person
 (transportation only)

Departs: 8:00 a.m.

Participants will be picked up by tour bus from the Methacton High School - East Wing.

Returns: approximately 8:30 p.m.

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Program Information and Registration

- To register, please complete the registration form below. You can register in person at the Farina Education Center's Activities Office, or mail your registration and check(s) to the address listed below.
- Please include a **separate check** for each class selection.
- Registrations will be accepted in the order they are received and payment must accompany registration.
- No confirmation will be sent, unless a self addressed, stamped envelope is enclosed.
- Fees are NOT refundable unless the class is cancelled.
- Classes will only be offered with sufficient enrollment.
- School closings due to inclement weather - all evening programs are cancelled.
- Gold Cards are available to residents over 60 years of age. Please include a copy of your driver's license showing proof of residence and age.
- The Community Education Program is under the auspices of the Methacton School District, is self-supporting, and is a non-profit organization.

Methacton Community Education * Activities Office* Farina Ed. Center, 1001 Kriebel Mill Rd., Eagleville, PA 19403

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Business Phone _____ E-mail _____

Participant	Course/ Trip #	Course/Trip Title	Day	Time	Fee	Pool Membership

Signature of Parent/Guardian or Adult Participant

Gold Card # (If applicable)

I hereby release the Methacton School Board from any and all liability for injury or property damage that I or my child may suffer or sustain by reason of the use of the school buildings and their entrances or exits, the equipment for facilities, or as a result of my child's participation in any Community Education Program.

Please Make Checks Payable to: Methacton School District

There is a \$10 return check fee

No refunds unless the class is cancelled.

Office Use Only

Check Number: _____

Amount of Check: _____

Date Entered: _____

Initials: _____



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When it is necessary to cancel MSD Community Education Program classes in the case of inclement weather, a cancellation notice will be posted on the district's website at www.methacton.org. Individuals may also listen to KYW Newsradio 1060 AM for closing number 316.

The Methacton School District Board of School Directors is committed to use of school facilities by the community it serves. The Methacton School District Community Education Program is one way that we strive to accomplish that goal. The program is designed to offer a host of cost effective, interesting enrichment programs for individuals of all ages, while fostering a love of life-long learning. The program is, whenever possible, self-supported. If you have any questions about the program, have an idea for a class, or would like to become an instructor, please contact the activity office at 610.-489-5000, ext. 15007.

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