

Methacton

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Community Education Program Guide

WINTER/SPRING 2019

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The Methacton High School Theatre presents..

SENIOR CITIZENS DINNER & SHOW

Thursday, February 28, 2019

Dinner is served at 5:30p.m.

Show at 7:00p.m.

Cost: \$21/per person

Registration Deadline: February 15, 2019



The award-winning tale of Tevye the Dairyman and his family's struggles in a changing Russia is a true musical theatre tradition. Winner of nine Tony Awards when it debuted in 1964, Fiddler on the Roof is the brainchild of Broadway legends, Jerome Robbins and Harold Prince; songwriters, Jerry Bock and Sheldon Harnick; and bookwriter, Joseph Stein. Seniors will enjoy a menu of Chicken Francaise, Roasted Red Potatoes, Green Beans, and Dessert - all included in your ticket price! You can register online at www.methacton.org/comed, or use the registration form below to sign up by mail. Please note your Gold Card Number on the form to verify age/residency (Must be at least 60 years young and a MSD resident). If you do not have a Gold Card, please include a copy of your driver's license and we will issue you one. (Not eligible for discount.)

SENIOR CITIZENS DINNER & SHOW - Register online at www.methacton.org/comed or mail to: Methacton School District - Community Education, 1001 Kriebel Mill Road, Eagleville, PA 19403

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

HOME PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____ Checks payable to "MSD" Cost: \$21.00/per person

Participants:	Gold Card #

Senior Citizens' Breakfast & Art Show Preview

#6636 - Saturday, May 4, 2019 at 10 a.m.

Methacton High School Library

Cost: \$10/per person

Join us for a hot breakfast buffet followed by a private exhibition of the annual Methacton High School Art Show. The overwhelming talent of our students is on display as the Methacton High School library is transformed into an art gallery featuring works in a variety of mediums. **Registration deadline: Wednesday, April 24, 2019.** You can register online at www.methacton.org/comed, or use the registration form at right. (No discounts.)

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The Methacton School District Board of School Directors is committed to the 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 Community Education office at 610-489-5000, ext. 15007.

Hatha Yoga Intermediate Level for Adults

Wednesdays, (10 wks) Time: 4-5:30 p.m. \$85
#8007 - 1/9/19 - 3/13/19

Location: Arrowhead Elementary School Music Room
Instructor: Deb Smith

Ages 18+. This class is designed for the yogi with some familiarity to the poses; it may be a bit much for beginners. Inner Fire Hatha Yoga is the style presented. The atmosphere is friendly and pleasant, but we do work on strength, stamina, focus and more. Some essential oils will be offered during savasana, but this is optional for each student. Deb is 500RYT (registered yoga teacher) and is certified in Reiki. Please bring a yoga mat.

Yoga 101 @ Arcola on Mondays

Mondays Time: 7-8 p.m.
*Session 1: #7913 (10 wks) - 1/7/19-3/25/19 \$80
(no class 1/21, 2/18)
*Session 2: #8953 (8 wks) - 4/8/19-6/10/19 \$64
(no class 4/1, 4/22, 5/27)

Location: Arcola School Girls Gym
Instructor: Wholistics

- or -

Yoga 101 @ Worcester on Thursdays

Thursdays (10 wks) Time: 6:00-7:00 p.m. \$80/session
*Session 1: #7917 - 1/10/19-3/14/19
*Session 2: #8229 - 3/28/19-6/6/19 (no class 3/21, 4/18)

Location: Worcester School Gym
Instructor: Wholistics

Age 18+. Choose Monday night classes at Arcola or Thursday night classes at Worcester - or join both! This class is the ultimate in relaxation and is perfect for beginners, elderly, those in poor physical condition or those who are simply looking for a more relaxed and laid back form of Yoga. It is also good for those who may have been practicing yoga for some time, but do not have the flexibility to continue towards more advanced levels of yoga styles. Much attention is paid to stretching, breathing and proper alignment. This class is the absolute perfect way to end a hectic day. Participants should bring a yoga mat.

Yoga Dance: A Mindful Blend

Tuesdays, (6 wks) Time: 6:30-7:45 p.m. \$65
#8950A - 1/8/19 - 2/12/19

Location: Arrowhead School Gym
Instructor: Deborah Smith

Age 18+. Come join us for a blend of meditative yoga movements and soulful dance segments. All are mindfully designed with the intention of connecting mind, body and spirit in a graceful and freeing manner. The class calls for a moderate level of exertion from slow and easy to foot-stomping aerobic-style movements. You will experience a high level of energy in return. This is a blend of "Shake Your Soul" and "Yoga Trance Dance," both of which Deb holds certifications. No dance experience is necessary and all fitness levels are welcome. Please wear comfortable clothing, and bring a yoga mat.

Zumba @ Arrowhead

Mondays Time: 7-8 p.m.
*Session 1: #7925A (10 wks) 1/7/19-3/25/19 \$80
(no class 1/21, 2/18)
*Session 2: #7925B (8 wks) 4/8/19-6/10/19 \$64
(no class 4/1, 4/22, 5/27)

- or -

Thursdays - (10 wks) Time: 7-8 p.m. \$80/session
*Session 1: #7928A - 1/10/19 - 3/14/19
*Session 2: #7928B - 3/28/19 - 6/13/19
(no class 3/21, 4/18, 5/2)

Location: Arrowhead School Gym
Instructor: Wholistics

Ages 18+. Choose Monday night classes or Thursday night classes - or join both! All abilities welcome to join. Our Latin inspired program will help you burn up to 1000 calories in a 1 hour easy-to-follow dance/fitness class. It's healthy, beneficial, rewarding, and most of all FUN. (You will learn Merengue, Salsa, Cha Cha rhythms, and more.)

Pilates

Tuesdays, (10 wks) Time: 6:30-7:15 p.m. \$38/session
*Session 1: #8232A 1/15/19-3/26/19 (no class 2/19)
*Session 2: #8232B 4/9/19 - 6/18/19 (no class 4/2, 5/7)

Location: Worcester School Library
Instructor: Lori Shaw

Age 18+. Great for any fitness level especially those just starting an exercise program or recovery from an injury. Pilates focuses on core abdominal muscles, strengthening back muscles and increasing flexibility. This class works well with the Meditation class below. Participants should bring a mat.

Meditation

Tuesdays, (10 wks) Time: 7:15-8 p.m. \$38/session
*Session 1: #8232A 1/15/19-3/26/19 (no class 2/19)
*Session 2: #8232B 4/9/19 - 6/18/19 (no class 4/2, 5/7)

Location: Worcester School Library
Instructor: Lori Shaw

Age 18+. Meditation will include breathing and relaxation techniques, visual imagery, and muscular relaxation to reduce stress. This class works well with the Pilates class above. Sign up for one or both classes! Participants should bring a mat.

Men's Basketball

Thursdays (10 wks) Time: 7-9 p.m. \$90/session
*Session 1: #7987A 1/10/19 - 3/14/19
*Session 2: #7987B 3/28/19 - 6/6/19 (no class 3/21, 4/18)

Location: Arcola School Boys Gym
Instructor: Rick Holly

Ages 18+ - Two hours to play basketball! We will warm-up, shoot for teams, and scrimmage for the remainder of the time. Come with water and get ready for some exercise! Basketballs are provided.

Can't make it every week? Walk ins welcome! \$10 per person/per night.

Co-Ed Adult Volleyball

Wed., (10 wks) Time: 7-9:30 p.m. \$93/session

*Session 1: #7989A 1/2/19 - 3/6/19

*Session 2: #7989B 3/27/19 - 6/5/19
(no class 3/13, 3/20, 4/17, 5/20)

Location: Arcola School Main Gym

Instructor: Mike Donahue

Ages 18+. If you are looking to meet new people, stay in shape, or just have a good time, your search ends here. Whether you are a seasoned volleyball player or just beginning, all are welcome. After a few warm up games, we will separate into two groups: one recreational and one competitive, so no matter what type of play you are looking for, you can find it here.

Can't make it every week? Walk ins welcome! \$12 per person/per night.

Line Dance Mix

Wednesdays Time: 6:45-7:45 p.m.

*Session 1: (10 wks) #8136A - 1/16/19-3/20/19 \$78

*Session 2: (8 wks) #8995A- 4/3/19-5/29/19 \$63

(no class 3/27, 4/17)

Location: Arrowhead School Gym

Instructor: Lynne Stevens

Do you love to dance, or do you want to learn how? We have a great option for you! Line dance gives you the chance to learn and use lots of dance patterns and styles, and lets you dance them however you want! If you're a newcomer, it's a great way to ease yourself into dance. If you're experienced, you can fully indulge yourself in each dance's style. We dance to all kinds of music - country, soul, oldies, contemporary, rock-n-roll, etc. The variety is endless! And so is the fun!!

West Coast Swing!

Wednesdays Time: 7:55-8:55 p.m.

*Session 1: (10 wks) #8136B - 1/16/19-3/20/19 \$85

*Session 2: (8 wks) #8995B - 4/3/19-5/29/19 \$70

(no class 3/27, 4/17)

Location: Arrowhead School Gym

Instructor: Lynne Stevens

From sophisticated to playful, West Coast Swing is a wonderful dance to watch, and even more wonderful to do. It is danced to a HUGE variety of music, which keeps it continually interesting and new. It's done across the globe, and is tons of fun that almost anyone can enjoy. Partners not required (but bring one if you've got one!), and no experience is required.

Check out this site for more about West Coast Swing:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RWO_bFvs_8o.

WALK & TALK CLUB

#1000 4-7 p.m.

\$FREE

2018-2019 school year starting 10/1/18 to 5/30/19

Meet new friends and chat with old friends as you walk the halls of Arcola and Skyview Campus. Come out of the cold and rain and join in a friendly walk. Please send email or written note requesting registration, along with a copy of driver's license or Gold Card #. A Walk & Talk badge will be mailed to you. Walk & Talk is available Mondays through Thursdays. It is not available on holidays, weekends, or when schools are closed.

Mail to: Methacton School District, 1001 Kriebel Mill Rd. Eagleville, PA, 19403, attn: Community Education; or email kkifer@methacton.org

Tai Chi/Qigong

Tues., (10 wks) Time: 6-7 p.m. \$100/session

*Session 1: #8028A- 1/8/19 - 3/19/19 (no class 2/19)

*Session 2: #8028B - 4/2/19 - 6/18/19 (no class 3/26, 5/7, 5/14)

Location: Eagleville School Gym

Instructor: Charles W Brynan III, MRP - Pear Garden Tai Chi & Reflexology.

With its integrative approach that strengthens the body while focusing the mind, Tai Chi addresses a range of physical and mental health issues - including bone strength, joint stability, cardiovascular health, immunity, and emotional well-being. Tai Chi is especially useful for improving balance and preventing falls - a major concern for older adults. Instruction includes: gentle stretching, circular warm-ups, Eight Section Brocade Qigong, Five Element Theory Qigong, Tai Chi traditional training in the Yang Classical Style.

Aeroflex Total Body

Tues., (8 wks) Time: 6:30-7:30 p.m. \$54/session

*Session 1: #7993A 1/8/19 - 3/5/19 (no class 2/19)

*Session 2: #7993B 3/26/19 - 5/21/19 (no class 3/12, 3/19, 5/7)

Location: Woodland School Gym

Instructor: Aerobic Rhythmics

Aeroflex is a total body workout set to fun, lively music. This includes a cardio dance segment including dance routines, kickboxing moves, the new Pound Program with Stix, etc. Also includes strength exercises with light weights and the use of resistance tubing for toning, making this a complete workout. This high intensity/low impact workout is everything you need in one hour. Please bring mat, water, light hand weights. Resistance tubes will be for sale at class.

On Our Way to 5K!

#8591 Tues., (8 wks) 3/12/19 - 4/30/19 \$73

Time: 4:00-5:15 p.m.

Location: Arrowhead School Gym and Fields

Instructor: Deb Smith

Let's get ready for a 5K run! This class is for novice to intermediate joggers/runners. We will meet and discuss training methods, learn appropriate stretches, run together outside and finish with some warm-down stretching. Each class will consist of 1 1/2 miles to 3 miles of jogging/running. We will run outside in the elements unless the streets/sidewalks are impassable. We will decide which 5K to run, possibly the Mother's Wish 5K in Worcester on 5/11/19 or the Taco 5K in Collegeville on 5/12/19.

Dog Obedience Class!

6 weeks

\$195/session

* Session 1: #6543-Sun, 1/13/19-2/17/19 Time: 8:15-9:15am

* Session 2: #6544-Thurs, 3/7/19-4/11/19 Time: 6:45-7:45pm

* Session 3: #6545- Sat, 3/9/19-4/13/19 Time: 12:30-1:30pm

Location: Molly's Country Kennels, 2205 Wentz Church Rd., Lansdale, PA 19446

Your dog will learn numerous on-leash exercises on command, including: sit, lie down, stay, stand, heel, come-when-called and how to remain in control when approached and touched by a stranger. The come-when-called command is also taught off-leash. Instruction methods stress motivation and de-emphasize correction or punishment. **For more detailed information, please read online class description.**

Retirement Planning Today

#9008- Thursdays (2 wks) 2/28/19 & 3/7/19 \$45

Time: 7-9:30 p.m.

Location: Arcola School Library

Instructor: The Gerdemann Group

How much money do you need to retire? Learn how to improve retirement income; convert IRAs to tax free income; proper distribution planning; improve standard of living; understand risk before and during retirement; asset allocation; taxes and estate planning. CLASS FEE INCLUDES \$24.00 WORKBOOK which you will receive the first night of class. BRING GUEST FOR FREE!

Outsmart the Scammers

#9009A -Monday (1 night) 1/28/19 \$20

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

Location: Arcola School Library

Instructor: Duncan Reed, Financial Advisor

Incidents of fraud are on the rise, and scammers' tactics are becoming more complex. During this one night program, we'll discuss how to spot certain red flags that may indicate a fraudulent encounter, resources individuals can turn to in the event they or loved ones are targeted and steps attendees can take to help protect themselves and love ones.

Five Money Questions for Women

#9050- Monday (1 night) 2/25/19 \$20

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

Location: Arcola School Library

Instructor: Duncan Reed, Financial Advisor

Join us to discuss a process women can use to identify financial goals and set a strategy. Participants will receive a workbook.

The 10-second Resume Challenge to GET that INTERVIEW!

#9072 - Thurs., (4 wks) 1/24/19-2/14/19 \$35

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Location: Eagleville School Library

Instructor: Michele Vitelli

You have 10 seconds to grab the attention of your prospective future employer, will your resume get noticed or will it be trashed? Stop writing the same boring resume! Learn how to strategically write a top notch resume with the right verbiage that calls out your accomplishments and gets you to the interview.

Home Selling Workshop

(1 night) Time: 6:30-8:00 p.m \$15/session

* Session 1: #9064A - Wednesday - 1/23/19

* Session 2: #9064B - Tuesday - 3/19/19

* Session 3: #9064C - Tuesday - 4/9/19

* Session 4: #9064D - Thursday - 5/16/19

Location: Arcola School Library

Instructor: Maureen Mahoney

Learn the steps to prepare your home for a quick sale; staging techniques, pricing strategies, what to expect when you receive an offer, contracts and PA law, and the best ways to negotiate the highest sales price from your buyer. BRING GUEST FOR FREE!

Getting Paid to Talk

#9051 - Thursday (1 night) 5/30/19 \$20

Time: 6:30-9:00 p.m.

Location: Arcola School Library

Instructor: Creative Voice Development Group

Ever been told you have a great voice? From audio books and cartoons to documentaries, commercials, and more, this class will introduce you to the growing field of voice over. Learn what the pros look for, how to prepare, and where to find work in your area! We'll discuss industry pros and cons and play samples from working voice professionals. In addition, you'll have an opportunity to record a short professional script under the direction of our teacher. This class is lots of fun, realistic, and a great first step for anyone interested in the voice over field. For more info please visit: <http://www.voicecoaches.com/gppt>.

Intro to Microsoft Word

#7911A - Mon., (3 wks) 1/28/19- 2/11/19 \$55

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Location: Methacton High School Room #C168

Instructor: Michael Angstadt

Learn how to use the Microsoft Word 2016 word processing application to write letters, create flyers, and more. Topics covered include spell check, headers/ footers, tables, file types, and image manipulation. PLEASE NOTE: Basic desktop computer proficiency is required, including how to use the mouse. Students must bring a flash drive to each class to save their work.

Intro to Microsoft Excel

#7911B - Mon., (3 wks) 2/25, 3/4, 3/11/19 \$55

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Location: Methacton High School Room #C168

Instructor: Michael Angstadt

Learn how to create spreadsheets, charts, and data tables with the industry's leading spreadsheet program, Microsoft Excel 2016. Master the basics of sorting, formulas, cell referencing, conditional formatting, and more. Topics are introduced by walking the student through the creation of monthly budget spreadsheet. PLEASE NOTE: Basic desktop computer proficiency is required including how to use the mouse. Students must bring a flash drive to each class to save their work.

Intro to Microsoft PowerPoint

#7911C - Mon., (3 wks) 3/25, 4/1, 4/8/19 \$55

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Location: Methacton High School Room #C168

Instructor: Michael Angstadt

Learn how to create slide show presentations for large or small audiences using Microsoft PowerPoint 2016. Find out how to add flair to your presentations with themes, graphics and animations. Discover the dos and don'ts for making a slide show engaging and entertaining. PLEASE NOTE: Basic computer proficiency is required including how to use the mouse. Students must bring a flash drive to each class to save their work.

Oil Painting

#7908 - Mondays (10 wks) 3/4/19-5/13/19

\$95

(no class 4/22)

Time: 7-9 p.m.

Location: Arcola School Room 147

Instructor: Marilyn Schassberger

Age 18+. Beginners welcome for an enjoyable painting experience in the technique of oil painting. Develop an understanding of the use of line, space, and mixing of colors. Supplies needed: flat metal palette knife, a white shiny oil palette pad, Winsor & Newton Artisan (water mixable) oil colors: blue, yellow ochre, viridian green, cadmium red and light yellow, alizarin crimson, and white. Bristol brushes: long handle #2 flat, #4 or #5 round. Table easel, and canvas 11x14. Pizza box to carry wet painting. Bring photo or picture for reference.

Drawing and/or Acrylic Painting

Tuesdays (10 wks), 2/26/19 - 4/30/19

\$90

*4:00pm class: #9066A - Time: 4-6 p.m.

or

*6:00 pm class: #9066B - Time: 6-8 p.m.

Location: Arrowhead School Art Room

Instructor: Beverly Blahut

Ages 11-Adult. You can't decide if you want to take a drawing class or a painting class? This class is designed for both painters and drawers to work separately in the same environment. People who paint use their own different and individual subjects that they choose. People who draw are given specific subject matter each week. In both cases, all the elements of drawing and painting will be employed. Painters will need acrylics in at least the primary colors, a large tube of white, and a variety of paint brushes and heavy paper or canvas board. Drawers need a drawing tablet and a variety of pencils. Specifics will be discussed in the first class. The class is set up for adults but any serious minded young person who is at least age 11 through the teens, is most welcome. All will be expected to be self-motivated. Beverly, retired Methacton School District art teacher, has taught art for 30+ years and loves sharing her talents.

Beginner Guitar - Level 2

#9219 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

\$125

Wed., (8 wks) 2/26/19 - 4/30/19 (no class 3/12, 4/16)

Location: Methacton High School Library

Instructor: Matt Torrence

Ages 18+. Designed to be the next step after the introduction to basic guitar playing, this class for advanced beginners travels further down the road of chords, riffs, licks, guitar styles, technique, tablature and musical notation. There are new melodies to play, new songs to strum to, and new, more colorful chords. Barre chords are covered also. Scales are introduced, and finger-style guitar approaches are touched upon. **Please bring a guitar and a notebook to each class.** (For those who do not own a guitar you can rent one from Zeswitz in Reading, PA. Call Toll Free: (877) 480-8224, Clemmer Music in Telford. Phone: 215-723-4813 - www.clemmermusic.com, or Music and Arts Center shops in Horsham, Conshohocken, Wayne, Doylestown, Exton, and Broomall.

Beginner Digital Photography

#9128 Time: 7-9pm

\$80

Thurs., (6 wks) 3/14, 3/21, 3/28, 4/4 Night Field Trip, 3/6 Valley Forge Field Trip, 4/11 last class.

Location: Methacton High School Room C121

Instructor: Lou Liguori

Age 18+. This introductory course for Digital SLR and Digital Point and Shoot Camera users, is specifically designed for the photographer who is ready to take the next step in photography and use the camera as a creative tool. The course will cover how different camera modes such as Shutter Priority, Aperture Priority, Program Mode and Manual modes can be used to create stop action, motion, blurred backgrounds, etc. The course will also provide "How To" knowledge for photographing, landscapes, sports, portraits, fireworks and events. The class includes a Saturday field trip to the Valley Forge National Park and a Night Photography field trip. The students will show their photos from the field trips during the last class. Students must bring their cameras to class. A tripod is only needed for the night field trip, but not necessary. (Minimum 7 students).

Beginner Crochet for Left & Right Handed Adults

Thurs., (8 wks) Time: 7:00-8:30 p.m. \$85/session

*Session 1: #8038A - 1/17/19 - 3/7/19

*Session 2: #8038B - 3/21/19 - 5/16/19 (no class 4/18)

Location: Skyview School Library

Instructor: Melissa Krauss

Age 18+. Everyone is invited to learn about the wonderful world of crochet! Learn about yarn, hooks and other tools, and start with the most basic crochet stitches: the chain stitch, single, and double crochet. We will crochet a beautiful scarf and a cozy lap blanket and learn to read the crochet pattern. *Supplies needed: 2 crochet hooks - size H8/5mm and size L/8mm. Yarns: Size 6 super bulky (recommended Bernat Blanket) (10.50oz/300g) - 4 balls; Size 4 worsted weight (recommend Red Heart or Valla's Choice, a solid light color works best) - 2 balls; yarn needle, scissors (stitch markers are helpful but not required.)*

Old Fashioned Desserts

#9130 - Mondays (2 wks) 4/1 & 4/8/19 \$63/person

Time: 7-9:00 p.m.

Location: Arcola School Room 143

Instructor: Kitchen Wizards

Age 18+. If you remember desserts mom or grandmom used to bake, you'll enjoy this program! We'll make cobbler, crisp, upside-down cake, and bread pudding! Serve something new at your next holiday dinner!

Romantic Dinner

#9131 - Monday (1 night) 2/11/19

\$37/person

Time: 7-9:00 p.m.

Location: Arcola School Room 143

Instructor: Kitchen Wizards

Age 18+. Enjoy this program with someone you love - or come alone to learn to prepare a romantic meal for Valentine's Day! We'll make Chicken Francaise, Lemon Risotto, Roasted Asparagus, and Creme Brulee. BYOB (non-alcoholic only).

Intermediate Crochet for Left & Right Handed Adults

Thurs., (8 wks) Time: 5:30-7:00 p.m. \$85/session
 *Session 1: #8037A 1/17/19 - 3/7/19 (no class 3/14)
 *Session 2: #8037B 3/21/19 - 5/16/19 (no class 4/18)
 Location: Skyview School Library
 Instructor: Melissa Krauss

Ages 18+. Extend your learning! We will begin work on a chunky Cowl! Supplies needed: Yarn weight (6) super bulky. We will then crochet a lightweight Cowl, option to add button. Crochet hook: J (6mm) Yarn: 4 medium weight/worsted weight (recommended Red Heart or Valla's Choice); 2 balls of yarn (you can do 2 different colors); yarn needle, scissors, stitch markers are helpful but not required.

American Red Cross Babysitting

#9233 - Saturday (1 day) 5/11/19 \$70
 Time: 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
 Location: Methacton High School Library
 Instructor: Sarah Prebis

Ages 11+. Parents are in search of trained child-care providers who are Red Cross Certified!!!! Our Red Cross babysitter classes give you access to best-in-class instructors who will share the latest information on child care, offer tips, and can answer all of your questions so that you're ready to start your own babysitting business. Topics covered: Basic Care for Infants and Children (feeding, diapering, toileting, dressing), Basic First Aid (conscious choking, bleeding emergencies, calling 911), Child Behavior (discipline, role model behavior, ages and stages for children), Age-Appropriate Activities (games for each age, capabilities of each age), Emergency Protocols (FIND decision making, Check/Call/Care for emergencies), Professionalism (creating resumes, interviewing, follow up), Leadership (role model, communicating with children, being a great example), Growing Your Business In addition to the Red Cross Certification card, each participant leaves with a CD chocked full of information. Please bring pencil and lunch.

DRAMA KIDS LOWER PRIMARY CLASSES - GR. K-3 Theatre Programs

#8102A (NEW TIME!) 5:00-6:00 p.m. \$178
 Fridays (12 wks)
 1/11, 1/18, 1/25, 2/1, 2/8, 3/1, 3/22, 4/5, 4/12, 5/3, 5/10, 5/17
 Ages 5-8 - The Lower Primary class develops speaking skills, social skills and self-confidence in children ages 5-8. This program fosters the process of 'creative play' in which the kids are encouraged to engage in the creative process and spark their imagination. Children learn to speak up clearly with confidence, and use their creativity in a fast-paced and FUN environment.
 Instructor: Montgomery County Drama Kids
 NEW LOCATION! Arrowhead School Gym - Stage Side
 232 Level Road, Collegetown, PA 19426

DRAMA KIDS UPPER PRIMARY CLASSES - GR. 4-7 Theatre Programs

#8102B (NEW TIME!) 6:00-7:00 p.m. \$178
 Fridays (12 weeks)
 1/11, 1/18, 1/25, 2/1, 2/8, 3/1, 3/22, 4/5, 4/12, 5/3, 5/10, 5/17
 Ages 9-12 - Drama Kids Upper Primary program continues to develop speaking skills, social skills and self-confidence in kids. Our students participate in a variety of scripted and improvisational scenes, as well as theater games designed to nurture skills in character development, spontaneity, giving and taking focus, and team work. Whether they are destined for Broadway or the boardroom, this program can help put children on a path for lifelong success.
 Instructor: Montgomery County Drama Kids
 NEW LOCATION! Arrowhead School Gym - Stage Side
 232 Level Road, Collegetown, PA 19426

Parents' Night Out/Kids' Supper Club! Grades 3-6

Time: 6-8:30 p.m. \$35/child-per night
 Location: Arcola School Rm. 143
 Instructor: Kitchen Wizards

* These classes are a great way to introduce your child to the joy of cooking (with the extra benefit of giving mom and dad an evening out!) *

#9188A Comfort Foods!

Friday, 1/11/19 (1 night)
 We will prepare stick-to-your-ribs foods, including mac & cheese, burgers, and apple crisp..

#9188B Valentine Dinner!

Friday, 2/8/19 (1 night)
 All foods will be red and white. Let the kids celebrate LOVE while the parents go out for dinner.

#9188C Luck of the Irish!

Friday, 3/1/19 (1 night)
 Celebrate the "wearing of the green" with green mashed potatoes, beef stew, green beans, and Irish potatoes for dessert.

#9188D Fruits & Veggies!

Friday, 4/12/19 (1 night)
 Fruits and veggies will be the focus of our meal this month. With spring arriving, we start to focus on good health, including food that even the pickiest child will enjoy!

#9188E Brunch for Dinner!

Friday, 5/3/19 (1 night)
 We'll enjoy making cheese omelets, bacon, fruit and yogurt parfaits, and chocolate chip Danish pinwheels.

Methacton Aquatics Programs

#1001C - "2nd Friday Swims!"

Dates: Second Friday of every month: Jan. 11, Feb. 8, March 8, April 12, May 10

Time: 7:30-9:30 p.m. **Location:** Methacton High School Pool

Cost: Single: \$40; Double: \$70; Family (3-4 ppl): \$85; Family (5-6 ppl): \$100. **Nightly Walk-ins:** \$8/per person
Join us on the second Friday of the month to splash the night away with family and friends! Flotation devices welcome - all you need is your goggles, towel, and swim suit! Have a child taking swim lessons? Come to practice their new skills! Celebrating a birthday? Bring the gang for some fun in the pool! We provide the lifeguards and the fun! (Koala changing tables are available in our locker rooms.)

Pool rules & regulations: Proper bathing suit is required * All swimmers encouraged to shower before entering the pool * Children who are not toilet trained must wear tight fitting plastic pants over their diapers or special disposable swim diapers when in the pool * Food and beverages not permitted in pool area * Children under 12 are required to be supervised by a parent/adult at all times.

Little Warrior Swim Lessons: Level 1 through 4 (ages 5 & up)

MHS POOL - Saturdays (8 wks) 4/6/19 - 6/8/19
(no class 4/20, 4/27)

Cost: 1 child: \$70 - 2nd child: \$65 - 3rd child: \$60

*****Mandatory Swim Placement Test Date:
Friday, March 22, 2019 from 6-7:30 p.m.*****

#8220A Class time: 11-11:30 a.m.
#8220B Class time: 11:40-12:10 p.m.

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. 15 students per level class limit. Registrations must be made in person the night of swim placement test. No online registration available. **In person registration and mandatory swim placement testing at Methacton High School pool is required for children enrolling in Levels 1-4 swim Lessons. Swim Placement Test Date: 3/22/19 - 6-7:30 p.m.**

Thursday Night Little Warrior Swim Lessons - Level 1-4 (ages 5 and up)

#8219A 6:00 - 6:30 p.m.

- or -

#9219B 6:35 - 7:05 p.m.

Thursdays, (8 wks) 4/11/19 - 6/6/19 (no 4/18)

Can't make it to Saturday swim lessons? We are offering the same program on Thursday nights! Please see program description above. Swim Placement Test on 3/22/19.

Masters/Community Lap Swim

Sunday (8 wks) Time: 9-10:15 a.m. \$82/session

***Session 1: #8224A - 1/13/19-3/3/19 (no class 3/10)**

***Session 2: #8224B - 3/17/19-5/12/19 (no class 4/21)**

Instructor: MAC

Weekly walk ins-\$12/person. Pay at pool door.

18+. Methacton Aquatics Club (MAC) is offering an all skill levels masters and community lap swim. There will be designated lanes for the more serious swimmer offering a structured workout coached by a USMS Level I and II coach. The lap swim program will be offered in the remaining lanes. This program is designated for fitness enthusiasts who want to incorporate lap swimming into their fitness program.

Toddler Swim Lessons:

MHS POOL - Sat., (8 wks) 4/6/19 - 6/8/19

Cost: 1 child- \$70; 2nd child- \$65; 3rd child- \$60
(no class 4/20 & 4/27)

** Toddlers do not need to attend the Swim Placement Test **

#1005 Parent & Tots (ages 3-18 months)
9-9:30 a.m.

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.

#1006 Parents & Toddlers (ages 18-36 months) 9:30-10 a.m.

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

Advanced Toddler (ages 3 to 5 years)

#1007C Class time: 10-10:30 a.m.

#1007D Class time: 10:30-11a.m.

These lessons are for children 3 to 5 years of age who are comfortable learning to swim without a parent in the pool.

Adult Swim Lessons

#5820B 12:20-12:50 p.m. \$70

Saturdays, (8 wks) 4/6/19 - 6/8/19 (no class 4/20, 4/27)

It's never too late to learn how to swim! 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.

Aquasize for Adults!

Mon., (8 wks) Time: 7:45-8:45 p.m. \$54/session

***Session 1: #7990B - 2/4/19 - 4/1/19 (no 2/18)**

***Session 2: #7991C - 4/8/19-6/10/19 (no 4/22, 5/27)**

Instructor: Aerobic Rhythmics

Aquasize is designed to increase stamina, improve strength and increase tone. You'll burn calories without taxing your joints. This class is designed for all age and fitness levels so jump in the pool and get energized!

After School Programs for Kids

Science Explorers Gr. 1-4

Anatomy Academy!

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, eyes, ears, mouth and nose.....lungs, heart, brain and skin....where should our Pre-Med club begin? Take a journey into the human body as you examine your heaviest organ (your skin!), find out how to make your memory better, and learn how the heart pumps blood. We'll continue our fun in the lab as we grow polymer brains, examine a real sheep heart, make a model lung, and extract DNA from a banana. **Deadline to register: 2 weeks before program start date.**

(5 wks) Time: 3:40-4:40 p.m. \$120

- #9234A Arrowhead - Art Room
Wed., 2/6, 2/13, 2/20, 2/27, 3/6/19
- #9235A Eagleville - Rm. 203
Thurs., 1/24, 1/31, 2/7, 2/14, 2/21/19
- #9236A Woodland - Art Room
Wed., 2/6, 2/13, 2/20, 2/27, 3/6/19
- #9237A Worcester - Art Room
Mon., 1/28, 2/4, 2/11, 2/25, 3/4/19 (no 2/18)

Earth's Mysteries!

Join us as we learn more about this planet we call home. Find out who is predator and who is prey in the food chain as we dissect an owl pellet and see what was for dinner. Discover strange animals and rocks that glow, investigate non-point pollution and make a filter to clean water. There is so much to learn about our fascinating world! **Deadline to register: 2 weeks before program start date.**

(5 wks) Time: 3:40-4:40 p.m. \$120

- #9234B Arrowhead - Art Room
Wed., 3/20, 3/27, 4/3, 4/10, 4/24/19 (no 4/17)
- #9235B Eagleville - Rm. 203
Thurs., 3/7, 3/14, 3/21, 3/28, 4/4/19
- #9236B Woodland - Art Room
Wed., 3/20, 3/27, 4/3, 4/10, 4/24/19 (no 4/17)
- #9237B Worcester - Art Room
Mon., 3/18, 3/25, 4/1, 4/8, 4/15/19

Magical Mysteries!

Join Science Explorers' Magical Mixtures lab and explore the science behind the magic! Reveal a rainbow of colors in our acid and base lab, mix up an exothermic reaction to create a "matter monster", conduct experiments on mystery powders and uncover the secrets of glowing slime, disappearing crystals and magic sand. These fun-filled experiments will amaze you and your friends! **Deadline to register: 2 weeks before program start date.**

(5 wks) Time: 3:40-4:40 p.m. \$120

- #9234C Arrowhead - Art Room
Wed., 5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5/19
- #9235C Eagleville - Rm. 203
Thurs., 4/25, 5/2, 5/9, 5/16, 5/23/19
- #9236C Woodland - Art Room
Wed., - 5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5/19
- #9237C Worcester - Art Room
Mon., 5/6, 5/13, 5/20, 6/3, 6/10/19 (no 5/27)

Shining Knights Chess

Grades 1 - 6. From basics to advanced strategies, this program provides chess instruction for all skill levels. Beginners to experienced players will continue to build their skills. Each class includes a lesson with an opportunity to be paired with an opponent and hone one's skills. All equipment is provided.

(12 wks) Time: 3:40-4:40 p.m. \$185

#8002 Arrowhead School Library
Tuesdays, 1/8/19 - 4/2/19 (no class 2/19)

#7997 Eagleville School Library
Wed., 1/9/19 - 3/27/19

#8001 Worcester School Library
Thursdays, 1/10/19 - 3/28/19

#8000 Skyview School Library. *Time: 3:20-4:20 p.m.*
Thursdays, 1/10/19 - 3/28/19

Code Your Own 3D Video Games

#9243 Thurs., (6 wks) 4/25/19-5/30/19 \$114

Time: 3:40-4:40 p.m.

Location: Arrowhead School Library

Instructor: Computer Explorers

Deadline to register: 4/14/19

Grades 2 thru 4. Children will have fun and success coding as they design and edit what they want to include in their video games. 3D adds that special extra to all aspects of their creations. They will choose locations, obstacles, vehicles, characters, sounds and more. It is so realistic that a character can move individual body parts, commands can be done together, and the children can change the camera's point of view. Will the video games include superheroes, aliens, helicopters, castles, animals or something completely different?

Ninjas...GO!

#9294 Tues., (6 wks) 3/26/19-4/30/19 \$100

Time: 3:40 to 4:40pm

Location: Eagleville School Library

Instructor: Bricks4Kidz

Deadline to register: 3/15/19

There is a new ninja on the block, and he's ready to fight to defend his honor and establish peace! The team of 5 ninjas all have their own important role to play in carrying on the legacy of spectacular ninja skill, self-discipline, courage and honor. Join the team by using LEGO® bricks, technic pieces, gears and motors to build the ninja domain of temples, dragons, awesome motorized ninja vehicles, ninja spinning machines, and more!

Hip Hop Fitness at Worcester

Wed., (8 wks) Time: 3:40-4:25 p.m. \$190/session

* Session 1: #7906A: 1/9/19-2/27/19

* Session 2: #7906B: 3/13/19 - 5/8/19 (no class 4/17)

Location: Worcester School Gym

Instructor: Phoenix Arts, LLC

Grades K-4. This class is open to both boys and girls who like to move and dance! We focus on staying fit and active, while learning the basics of hip hop technique. We will be teaching creative, fun choreography to the latest songs and even some hip hop tricks! This class is for all skill levels and is a sure way to get you moving!

Methacton After School Running Club for 3rd & 4th Grades

#8236 - Mondays (10 wks) 3/25/19-6/10/19 \$75

(no class 4/22, 5/27)

Time: 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.

Location: Arrowhead School Gym & Fields

Instructor: Jon Moul

Assistant: Frank Heck

Gr. 3 & 4. Students are invited to come learn about the basics of running which will include discussing different topics related to running such as hydration, proper sleep and nutrition, and running form. The students will participate in core and plyometric exercises, endurance and speed training. The session will conclude with a scheduled race, which is voluntary.

Methacton After School Running Club for 5th & 6th Grades

#8239 Time: 3:45-4:45 p.m. \$95

(10 wks) Mondays & Wednesdays (2x/week)

Starts Monday 3/25/19. Ends Wednesday 6/5/19

(no class Monday, 4/22, 5/27. Wednesday, 4/17)

Location: Arrowhead School Gym and Fields

Instructor: Jon Moul

Assistant: Frank Heck

Gr. 5 & 6. Students are invited to come learn about the basics of running which will include discussing different topics related to running such as hydration, proper sleep and nutrition, and running form. The students will participate in core and plyometric exercises, endurance and speed training. The session will conclude with a scheduled race, which is voluntary.

Beginner Crochet for Left & Right Handed Children

Thursdays (8 wks) Time: 3:30-5:00 p.m. \$70/session

* Session 1: #8039A: 1/17/19-3/7/19

* Session 2: #8039B - 3/21/19 - 5/16/19

(no class 3/14, 4/18)

Location: Skyview School Caf. (Small Section)

Instructor: Melissa Krauss

Grades 5 & 6. Children who learn to crochet show improvement in fine motor coordination, reading, math comprehension, critical thinking and problem-solving. Not only that, crocheting is fun! This class will work on learning how to make a cozy scarf. Supplies needed: Crochet hook size J, 2 skeins of worsted weight size 4 yarn, crochet needle, scissors, and stitch markers.

Have a talent or skill you'd like to share with the community? Please contact the Methacton Community Education Office at 610-489-5000, ext. 15007 to find out how to become an instructor.

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Lifeguard Certification Class

#9244

\$360

CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION:

Dates: Tues. & Wed., (3 wks) 1/8, 1/10, 1/15, 1/17, 1/22, 1/24.

Time: 6:00 - 8:00pm.

Location: High School Room A137

POOL INSTRUCTION:

Dates: Sundays, (3 wks) 1/13, 1/20, 1/27

Time 10:30 - 12:30pm

Location: High School Pool

Instructor: Ben Yoder

This program provides students with the knowledge and skills to prevent, recognize and respond to aquatic emergencies and to provide care for breathing and cardiac emergencies, injuries and sudden illnesses until EMS personnel take over.

PREREQUISITES:

- * Minimum age - 15 years
- * Must be able to swim 300 yards continuously
- * Tread water for 2 minutes only using legs
- * Complete a timed event within 1 minute, 40 seconds
- * Starting in the water, swim 20 yards
- * surface dive to a depth of 7 to 10 feet to retrieve a 10-pound object
- * Return to the surface and swim 20 yards on the back to return to the starting point
- * Exit the water without using a ladder or steps

Upon completion, participants will be certified in Lifeguarding/First Aid/CPR and AED, and be able to work as a lifeguard at a facility with deep water.

METHACTON SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMUNITY EDUCATION LOCATIONS:

Methacton High School
1005 Kriebel Mill Road, Eagleville, PA 19403
* Pool located in the East Wing

Arcola Intermediate School
4001-A Eagleville Road, Eagleville, PA 19403
* Planetarium located in the back of the school

Skyview Upper Elementary School
4001-B Eagleville Road, Eagleville, PA 19403

Arrowhead Elementary School
232 Level Road, Collegeville, PA 19426

Eagleville Elementary School
125 Summit Ave., Eagleville, PA 19403

Woodland Elementary School
2700 Woodland Avenue, Eagleville, PA 19403

Worcester Elementary School
3017 Skippack Pike, Lansdale, PA 19446

SAVE THE DATE!*** Free ***

Kindergarten Readiness Night

Attention Parents/Guardians of children who will attend Kindergarten in the Methacton School District in September 2019. The district has scheduled a Kindergarten Readiness Night to provide you with information about our kindergarten program. In order to be eligible to attend kindergarten, resident children must be five years of age on or before September 1, 2019.

Date: Thursday, February 21, 2019 (Snow Date 2/28/19)

Time: 7:00 PM

Location: Arcola Intermediate School Auditorium

Please check the Methacton School District website in January for more information and to register for this event. Questions? Please call the Office of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment at 610-489-5000 ext. 15013.

Writing a Winning College Admission Essay!

#5573

7:00-8:15 p.m.

\$35/family

Monday, (1 night) 4/8/19

Location: Arcola School Library

Instructor: Joanne LaSpina, My College Helper,

Certified Educational Planner

Many students get caught up in trying to find the "perfect topic" for their college admissions essay when the topic is YOU. During this workshop, we'll talk about how to go from a blank screen to a great admission essay. We will also discuss the steps of brainstorming, creating a writing plan and the importance of multiple revisions and proofreading. Juniors should start writing their admissions essays this summer to be ready for the upcoming college application season and underclassmen can benefit from learning this process for possible scholarship essays. The instructor will be available immediately following the presentation to answer individual questions and to share additional resources.

New York City in the Spring!

#9901

Saturday, May 11, 2019

\$65

Registration Deadline: 4/27/19

Departure time from MSD: 8:00a.m. sharp

Departure time from NYC: 6:30p.m.

Arrival back at MSD: approx. 9:00p.m.

Departure location: Methacton High School - East Wing Parking Lot

Spring time is a great time to visit NYC! Take a day trip with the family! Join friends for a day of shopping and dining! Or treat your mom to an early Mother's day gift! The coach bus will drop you off near Times Square ...you decide how you want to spend the day! We provide the Hagey coach bus equipped with Wifi. Bring your personal electronic devices to watch a movie, surf the web, or just sit back and relax! PLEASE NOTE! REGISTRATION DEADLINE of 4/27/19. Participants should park at Methacton High School East Wing the day of the trip (Minimum registrations needed: 26. Maximum registrations: 50).

Annual Mallon Planetarium Community Star Party!

Saturday, April 27th

6:30 p.m.-10:00 p.m.

Great for ages 6 to 106

Events include:

- Planetarium Shows
- Scale Solar System Hike
- Moon Phase Demo
- Space Themed STEM Activities
- Sunset, Twilight, & Solar Viewing
- Telescopes to explore & observe
- Star Talk under the real stars - 9:30 (bring your blanket & Binoculars!)

(Events run every ½ hour from 7-9)

Please pre-register online to help estimate number of attendees: <https://goo.gl/forms/k4JlrKCDuEPjynv1>
All participants under 18 need to be accompanied by an adult. This event is rain or shine (telescope observations will be weather dependant)

More information:

<https://www.methacton.org/domain/285>

UPCOMING PLANETARIUM SHOWS!

(See dates & times on opposite page)

Calendars - How & Why We Keep Track of Time

Have you ever wondered why there are 7 days in a week? Do you wonder why the months are different lengths. Join planetarium director, Adam Chanry, as he explores the connection between the sky and how humans have kept track of time throughout history. Journey from a time when everyone used different calendars to our modern calendar and time pieces to allow technologies like satellites and GPS. (Target ages 10+)

Celestial Highlights (Target ages 10+)

This astronomical "Tour de Force" was the leading presentation at the Hayden Planetarium for over 25 years. We will use the current constellations to find visible planets and deep space objects visible through the current season. Public star viewing afterward sky conditions/weather permitting.

Dynamic Earth (Target ages 10+)

This full-dome show explores the inner workings of Earth's great life support system: the global climate. With visualizations based on satellite monitoring data and advanced supercomputer simulations, this cutting edge production follows a trail of energy that flows from the Sun into the interlocking systems that shape our climate: the atmosphere, oceans, and the biosphere. Audiences will ride along on swirling ocean and wind currents, dive into the heart of a monster hurricane, come face-to-face with sharks and gigantic whales, and fly into roiling volcanoes.

Faster than Light (NEW!) (Target ages 5+)

This brand new full dome movie explores the longstanding quest to develop spacecraft with enough power and speed to reach the stars. The film asks: What will it take to reach a newly discovered planet circling our Sun's nearest neighbor, Proxima Centauri? Based on real science and engineering, "Faster Than Light" takes audiences on a thrilling journey into the future, aboard laser-driven space sails, antimatter engines, and even warp drive - right out of fiction.

Planetarium Shows!

The Mallon Planetarium, Arcola Intermediate School, 4001 Eagleville Road, Eagleville, PA 19403

Follow the Drinking Gourd (Target ages 5+)

In recognition of Black History Month, we follow a slave family in their journey to freedom. Slave children practiced a secret song that included directions for the Underground Railroad. Journey with us as we follow their trail to the Drinking Gourd. Included with this presentation is a night sky orientation of northern circumpolar stars.

Gustav Holst: The Planets (Target ages 10+)

Compare the scientific properties and the mythological aspects of the planets. View them through the eyes of our ancestors as we learn the basic mythology of the starry wanderers and compare that to the physical reality we know of today. Learn how Gustav Holst communicated the mythological aspects and visual look of each planet through his musical score The Planets.

Molecularium (Target ages 5+)

A planetarium full-dome digital presentation targeted for younger audiences and families. The Molecularium is an amazing ship that can speed up or slow down time, as well as change sizes to observe the universe at the atomic level. Join Oxy, Hydro, and Hydra for this animated adventure through time and space.

New Horizons Ultima Thule Fly-By (Target ages 10+)

On January 1st the New Horizons probe, which made detailed observations of Pluto in 2015, will pass by and make observations of a distant object called Ultima Thule. Get an update on these observations and what we hope to learn from these observations. This is an historic observation as it will be the most close-up look at an object that is so far away from up.

Solar System Tour (Target ages 5+)

Venture through the nearest reaches of space as we take a trip to explore our solar system. Fly through the objects that travel around our sun and learn what ancient peoples thought about these worlds and what modern science is just learning. Visit the 8 main planets, some of the smaller dwarf planets, and some moons that could harbor alien life.

The Funny Thing About The Sky - Valentines Day Special (Target ages 10+)

Love is in the air...or at least in the stars. There is no better way to spend time with your valentine than looking up at the stars and laughing. Join planetarium director Adam Chantry and professional comedian Chip Chantry as they team up for this unique show. Take a tour of the night sky, learn a few things, and have some laughs.

Two Small Pieces of Glass (Target ages 5+)

Two Small Pieces of Glass traces the history of the telescope from Galileo's modifications to a child's spyglass-using two small pieces of glass- to the launch of NASA's Hubble Space Telescope and the future of astronomy. This show explores the wonder and discovery made by astronomers throughout the last 400+ years. While looking through the astronomer's telescope, the audiences explores the Galilean Moons, Saturn's rings, and the spiral structure of galaxies.

We Are Stars (Target ages 10+)

What are we made of? Where did it all come from? Explore the secrets of our cosmic chemistry, and our explosive origins with this brilliantly animated full dome movie. Concepts that will be interesting to older students and parents presented in a format that will be enjoyable for all ages. Connect life on Earth to the evolution of the Universe by following the formation of Hydrogen atoms to the synthesis of Carbon, and the molecules for life.

TICKETS:

Adults: \$8

Students/Senior Citizens: \$6

TO PURCHASE PLANETARIUM TICKETS

ONLINE, GO TO:

WWW.METHACTON.ORG/PLANETTIX

If tickets are not sold out, they will be available at the planetarium door the night of the show on a first-come, first serve basis. (Not eligible for GC discounts)

Doors will open 15 minutes before the show. Please park behind Arcola School.

Friday, January 18th

6:30 p.m. - Celestial Highlights & Molecularium

8:00 p.m. - New Horizons Ultima Thule Fly-By & Calendars How & Why We Keep Track of Time

Friday, February 15th

6:30 p.m. - Celestial Highlights & Follow The Drinking Gourd

8:00 p.m. - Celestial Highlights & Valentines Day Special - The Funny Thing About The Sky

Friday, March 15th

6:30 p.m. - Celestial Highlights & Solar System Tour

8:00 p.m. - Gustav Holst: The Planets

Friday, April 26th

6:30 p.m. - Celestial Highlights & Two Small Pieces of Glass

8:00 p.m. - Celestial Highlights & Dynamic Earth

Saturday, April 27th

Annual Community Star Party (see opposite page)

Friday, May 17th

6:30 p.m. - Celestial Highlights & We Are Stars

8:00 p.m. - Celestial Highlights & Faster Than Light

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The Mallon Planetarium is a fully modern digital planetarium, updated in 2014. Spitz Sci-Dome HD is now the centerpiece of the facility. Starry Night Software, Layered Earth, and Full dome Spitz player components were added, and the facility's Spitz ATM-4 automation system was upgraded. Existing DVD, laser disc and Spitz E-Media capabilities were integrated into the new system.

Instructors: Ted Williams and Adam Chantry

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Community Education Program Guide

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INCLEMENT WEATHER:

If Methacton School District schools are closed due to inclement weather, all community education classes are canceled. If schools are open, but weather conditions worsen during the day (or Saturday classes), please call the district's "special announcements" hotline at 610-831-5331, or visit the website at www.methacton.org for cancellation information. (If your class is held off-campus, please call your class instructor directly.)

REGISTRATION INFORMATION - WWW.METHACTON.ORG/COMED

Easy registration process through RegWerks! For detailed information and to register for our classes, go to www.methacton.org/comed!

- **To start off the new year, discount prices will be in effect throughout the winter/spring session and are already reflected in the prices listed in the brochure.**
- Registrations will be accepted in the order they are received and payment must accompany registration.
- Confirmation will be sent via email. Class reminders are not sent out. Please mark your calendars.
- Gold Cards are available to MSD residents aged 60 and older. Gold Card members receive a discount on most programs. Proof of age and residence necessary. To request a Gold Card, please send request along with proof of residency to kkifer@methacton.org or mail to Methacton School District, 1001 Kriebel Mill Rd., Eagleville, PA 19403, Attn: Community Education.
- **Class cancellations & refunds: You can cancel your registration provided we receive written notice or email at least two weeks before program start date or program deadline. (Less a \$25 processing fee.) (Not valid for bus trips.) We will not accept cancellations over the phone.**
- Classes will only be offered with sufficient enrollment. If class is cancelled, you will receive a phone call and/or email approx. 48 hours before the scheduled start date. If class is cancelled, your class fee will be refunded, however there is a non-refundable credit card processing fee of 3.617% for online payments which will be deducted from refund.
- Please note that it is not always possible to reschedule classes due to prior facility scheduling.
- Questions? Email Kathy Kifer at kkifer@methacton.org or call 610-489-5000, ext. 15007