# After School Activities – Course Descriptions Spring 2015

### **All Around Crafting**

We will craft, draw, and paint different kinds of things. An example of this is origami. We will also create and craft a board game! Open to grades 1 – 4.

## **Band Lessons with Krista Johnson**

Students in grades 5-8 may take lessons on a band instrument: flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, trombone, or percussion. Students must purchase or rent instruments. Books will also need to be purchased. Cost is \$8 a week, \$56 for a session.

## Bike Repair

Learn the basics of bike mechanics! Open to grades 5-8. There is a \$10 supply fee.

## Computer Club

Learn about basic website coding, photoshop, and computer graphics in google docs. Make posters, layouts, magazines, and learn about anything that has to do with computers! Open to grades K-8.

### **Concert Band with Krista Johnson**

Make some music in a school concert band! If you are in grades 5-8 and take private lessons elsewhere, come and participate in the band! Cost is \$5 per week, \$35 for a session.

#### Craftstravaganza!

Come explore the world of crafts! We can learn simple sewing, knitting and crochet, painting, sculpture, paper cutting, and whatever else strikes our fancy. Craft supplies needed (yarn, paint, paper, etc.)

### **Crocheting Bags with Frau Schmitt**

Students will learn how to crochet bags this time around. There is a \$10 supply fee for yarn. You will need your own hooks: size 5mm (=H8). A hook set is recommended (5-8mm).

## Das Atelier (Freies Kunststudio/ Free art studio)

Open art studio. Jacob Olson will teach some techniques such as painting, drawing and collage. No (artistic) rules!

# Double bass, violin, cello & guitar

Mr. Schwalbach will teach private ½ hour lessons in double bass, violin, cello, or guitar. Students will learn technique, theory, and build repertoire in chosen instrument. Students must schedule lessons with Vienna Studios 651-773-9525 or <a href="herbert@artsvienna.comcastbiz.net">herbert@artsvienna.comcastbiz.net</a>. Lessons are scheduled on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Available Mondays. Students may rent instruments for additional fee.

#### **Drums and Beats**

Students will learn percussion instruments, body percussion and practice rhythm exercises. Open to grades 1 – 5.

# Folk Music and Simple Songs

Students will learn simple songs of the past in English and in German. Singers, musicians and non-musicians of all levels welcome. We'll try to set up simple recordings to give to your family as gifts and maybe do a performance. Open to K-8.

#### **German Desserts**

Join us to make delicious German desserts! Come bake with us! Open to 1-8 graders.

#### **Green Team**

We're saving the planet one project at a time. We introduced composting, expanded recycling and are planning an Earth Day Fest! All welcome!

## **Gymnastics**

We will practice how to do a handstand, tumble, cartwheel and many other things. Open to  $1^{st}$  through  $3^{rd}$  grade.

## **Junior Sport Games**

We want your children to get moving, to play and to have fun! Open to grades K & 1.

#### Mädels: Munter mit Mut

This activity is designed to instill girls with confidence and esteem by exploring all the things they CAN do. Each session will incorporate stretching, fitness (typically running), and a calming activity. Each week we will explore a different mind-body topic, such as: positive body image; making nutritious snacks; understanding and expressing feelings; expressing individuality what it means to be a good friend/family member; and how to navigate a world of media with mixed messages.

Girls should have leggings or sweatpants, running shoes, and socks for each session. A yoga mat or towel is also recommended. Open to girls only, grades 2-5.

#### **Mime and Movement**

Explore the world around you aided only with imagination. We will learn self-control and awareness while mastering classic mime skills and testing our improve skills. All welcome!

#### Piano with Herbert Engelmayer

Mr. Engelmayer will teach private ½ hour lessons in piano/keyboard lessons for students in Kindergarten and up. Students will learn basics of theory, technique, and build repertoire. Lessons taught in German. Students must purchase lesson books, an assignment book, and a three-ring binder. Fee includes end-of-school recital. Available to teach at the German school on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Friday. Students must schedule lessons with Vienna Studios at 651-773-9525 or Herbert@artsvienna.comcastbiz.net.

Lessons are scheduled on a first come-first serve basis.

## Piano with Nancy Sogabe-Engelmayer

Ms. Sogabe-Engelmayer will teach private ½ hour piano lessons for students in Kindergarten and up. Students will learn basics of theory, technique, and build repertoire. Students must purchase lesson books, an assignment book, and a three-ring binder. Fee includes end-of-school recital.

Available to teach at the German school on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays. Students must schedule lessons with Vienna Studios at 651-773-9525 or <a href="mailto:nsogabe@artsvienna.comcastbiz.net">nsogabe@artsvienna.comcastbiz.net</a>.

Lessons are scheduled on a first come-first serve basis.

## Play the Recorder with Krista Johnson

Learn to play the recorder! This is open to 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> graders, who can learn basic note reading and technique. Books are \$5 and recorder are \$5 if you don't have one already. If you played last year, we will start out in the same book!

# **Ritter Training**

Learn about what it takes to become a medieval knight! We will learn the basics of fencing, practice jousting, play battle strategy games, and have a rollicking good time! Wooden dowels needed for swords. Recommended for 2-8 graders.

## **Sport und Spiele**

We want your children to get moving, to play games and to have fun! Open for grades 2-4.

# **Sport Games**

Do you want to play your favorite sport games like Dodgeball, Quidditch, Zombieball, etc? If so, join sport games and check out some exciting and fun games.

#### **Streetball and Team Sports**

Practice dribbling, work on your technique, play pick-up games, 21, Lightning, 1 on 1, 2 on 2, etc. We will be playing indoor and outdoor! Open to 5-8 graders.

#### Sustainable Artists Club

We'll be expressive! Find forms in our random marks of color, while trying to minimize other marks we make through painting, drawing, experimenting on recycled materials, creating nature art, and learning how to use less! There is a \$10 material fee; open to K-5.

# Teal Sea Student Magazine with Thomas Wegener, Ben Schneider and William Blackwell Kinney

In this activity, we will make a "magazine" offering all types of literature: fiction, nonfiction, poetry, and visual art, in both English and German. The magazine will be on a Google Doc, enabling kids to access the magazine and edit it whenever they want. The kids will use their Chromebooks in the class and will write and draw the whole time with supervision from Herr Wegener and our student co-editors, Ben Schneider and William Blackwell-Kinney. Parents and students alike will be amazed by the finished product!

Open to Grades 6-8

## **Tutoring**

Need some homework assistance? This class is for you! Open to all grades. Spaces are limited so sign up today!

## Voice, Flute, or Clarinet with Stephanie Isola

Ms. Isola will teach private  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour lessons in voice, flute, or clarinet for beginners or above. Students must be in  $4^{th}$  grade or older. Instruction will include technique and building repertoire.

Friday afternoons. Students must schedule lesson time with Vienna Studios at 651-773-9525, or by emailing <a href="mailto:herbert@artsvienna.comcastbiz.net">herbert@artsvienna.comcastbiz.net</a>.

# **Woodworking with Scot Stephenson**

How much wood could a woodchuck cut if a woodchuck could chuck wood?! Not sure what the answer is, but come see how much wood YOU can cut with Scot Stephenson!