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COMMUNITY EDUCATION



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Welcome to Belle Plaine Community Education

Greetings to the Belle Plaine Community! Our vision is to offer high quality programs that are attractive to all members of our community. Community Services strives to communicate our offerings by mailing brochures to all households and through the Community Education Website (www.isd716.org). In addition, we are always looking for individuals who will share their knowledge and passions by teaching a class. If you are interested in this opportunity or would like to provide feedback on any of our programs, please do not hesitate to contact me at: (952) 873-2407 or dkoller@belleplaine.k12.mn.us.

Dorothy Koller
Community Education Director

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 7:30 am - 3:30 pm

Where To Register

** You can register online at www.isd716.org. You can also phone, fax, or mail in your registration.

A registration form is located at the back of this brochure.

Payment must be received with registration.

Registration Policy

** To register for a Community Ed class, program or trip complete the form in this brochure. Register online or call the office, once you register, you are responsible for following the registration, cancellation and facilities policies.

Cancellation Policy

** If you are unable to attend a class, program or trip you registered for, please call the Community Ed Office at (952) 873-2411 to cancel your reservation. Cancellation refunds will either be issued as a refund back to credit card, a check or in the form of a class credit.

**Class cancellation reimbursement is as follows:

-Prior to 48 hours before program	=	full refund
-48 hours in advance - day of program	=	50% class credit refund
-No notification	=	No refund

**Trip cancellations:

-Cancellations made after the trip registration deadline will not be refunded because tickets will have already been purchased.

- Classes are filled on a first come, first served basis.
- Pre-registration is required.
- Payment is required at the time of registration.
- We will only contact you if a class is **NOT** going to be held.

REGISTER ONLINE

You can do it all online!
www.isd716.org

CLICK ON
Community Education



DRIVERS EDUCATION

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Belle Plaine Community Ed provides classroom and behind-the-wheel drivers education instruction for students ages 14 and older. This class meets the 30-hour requirement to prepare for a learner's permit. Payment covers the 30-hour Classroom fee and 6-hours of Behind the Wheel.

CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION: 30 Hours

Classroom includes lecture, class discussion, videos, written work from the driver's manual and practice tests. Upon completion, students will be issued a blue card. Please bring school iPad to class each day.

BEHIND-THE-WHEEL (BTW): 6 Hours

Behind-the-Wheel allows students to practice driving on public streets and highways with an instructor. This is the required course students take after they have earned their learner's permit. Successful completion is required before a student can take their driver's examination.

Attention Parents of Soon-to-Be Teen Drivers

Teen Driver Safety Parent Awareness-Point of Impact Meeting: -- FALL TBD

Do you know the real risks for teen drivers? Do you know the restrictions on new teen drivers? Can you cancel your teen's license? Learn the answers to these questions and more in this teen driver safety parent awareness class. Experts on young driver behaviors agree that involved parents make a difference in reducing crashes. This class will increase your awareness of the most common risks for teen drivers and teen driver laws. It will increase your understanding of the strong influence you can have on your teen's driving behavior. Don't miss this important opportunity to become aware of the risks your teen faces, and arm yourself with the ways you can keep them safe. Teens welcome too! Hosted by local driver education instructors and guest law enforcement speakers in partnership with the MN Department of Public Safety.



BELLE PLAINE DRIVERS EDUCATION PROGRAM



COST: \$385.00 (\$185 due upon registration)

CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION

WINTER 2027 SESSION:

Sunday, January 31
Sunday, February 7
Sunday, February 14
Sunday, February 21
Sunday, February 28
Monday, March 1
Tuesday, March 2
Wednesday, March 3
Thursday, March 4
Friday, March 5

LOCATION: Jr/Sr High School

TIME: 3:30 - 6:30 PM

*These dates are tentative and could change slightly as we get closer to the season.

SUMMER 2027 SESSION:

Monday, June 7
Tuesday, June 8
Wednesday, June 9
Thursday, June 10
Friday, June 11
Monday, June 14
Tuesday, June 15
Wednesday, June 16
Thursday, June 17
Friday, June 18

LOCATION: Jr/Sr High School

TIME: 12:30 - 3:30 PM

*These dates are tentative and could change slightly as we get closer to the season.

SUMMER 2027 SESSION 2:

Monday, July 26
Tuesday, July 27
Wednesday, July 28
Thursday, July 29
Friday, July 30
Monday, August 2
Tuesday, August 3
Wednesday, August 4
Thursday, August 5
Friday, August 6

LOCATION: Jr/Sr High School

TIME: 12:30 - 3:30 PM

*These dates are tentative and could change slightly as we get closer to the season.

PRESCHOOL

PRESCHOOL PALS

REGISTRATION
OPENS FEB. 25
@ 8:00AM

2026-2027 CLASS OFFERINGS

BELLE PLAINE PUBLIC SCHOOLS



LITERACY & MATH SCHEDULE - SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL GROWTH - KINDERGARTEN READINESS SKILLS

★ ALL TEACHERS HOLD MN DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TEACHING LICENSE ★

4 YEAR OLD OPTIONS (Children must be 4 by Sept. 1, 2026 & potty trained)

	FULL
	FULL
	FULL

3 YEAR OLD OPTIONS (Children must be 3 by Sept. 1, 2026 & potty trained)

T/TH	8:20 am – 11:00 am	Cost: \$150.00 / mth
	FULL	
M/T/W/TH	12:00 pm – 3:10 pm	Cost: \$250.00 / mth

WRAPAROUND

Cost: \$165 / week
Cost: \$135 / week
Cost: \$100 / week

WRAPAROUND

Cost: \$200 / week
Cost: \$190 / week
Cost: \$170 / week

Preschool Pals, a Parent Aware Rated Program, is a place for preschool-aged children to meet new friends, practice skills that will help them become kindergarten ready, and be surrounded by caring, warm, and loving teachers.

Preschool Pals uses the state early learning standards as the base curriculum. The students are also supported by Creative Curriculum, SecondStep, Amplify and other curricular tools. The daily activities include large and small group time, music and motor movement, art, story time, and stations.

Wraparound, an extended care program that provides childcare, wrapped around your child's preschool class. As a parent you can be confident your child is receiving the education needed to prepare them for Kindergarten, as well as the care they need while you work without the hassle of finding transportation. All while in a safe and positive environment in cooperation with Preschool Pals.



For more information on preschool registration contact Ann Woelfel at (952) 873-2415 ext 2 or email – awoelfel@belleplaine.k12.mn.us

Scholarships are available for families who qualify – Applications due April 3rd to determine eligibility.

REGISTER ONLINE – [ISD716.ARUX.APP/](https://isd716.arux.app/)

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KIDS COMPANY

2026 - 2027 SCHOOL YEAR

KIDS COMPANY IS FOR CHILDREN IN PRESCHOOL - 6TH GRADE



Kids Company's mission is to provide before and after school care for children Pre K – 6th grade in an environment that is safe, enjoyable, and caring while supporting children's individual educational and social developmental needs.

QUESTIONS?

Contact Dorothy at
dkoller@belleplaine.k12.mn.us or
 call (952) 873-2407



FLAT RATE PRICING

2026 - 2027 SCHOOL YEAR

Before School	\$10.00
After School -	\$13.00
Full Day -	\$43.00

ENROLLMENT FEE

Each School Year/Per Family = \$50.00

HOURS

MONDAY – FRIDAY

6:00AM - 8:10AM

3:00PM - 6:00PM

LOCATED IN CHATFIELD ELEMENTARY



WRAPAROUND

WRAPAROUND IS AVAILABLE FOR FAMILIES
ENROLLED IN PRESCHOOL PALS

Wraparound is an extended care program that provides childcare, wrapped around your child's preschool class. As a parent you can be confident your child is receiving the education needed to prepare them for Kindergarten, as well as the care they need while you work without the hassle of finding transportation. All while in a safe and positive environment in cooperation with Preschool Pals.



FLAT RATE PRICING

2026 - 2027 SCHOOL YEAR

<u>Preschool Class:</u>	<u>Cost:</u>
4 Year Old Three Days	\$135 / week
4 Year Old Two Days	\$165 / week
3 Year Old Three Days	\$190 / week
3 Year Old Two Days	\$200 / week

HOURS

MONDAY – FRIDAY
6:00AM - 6:00PM

LOCATED IN CHATFIELD ELEMENTARY

- Daily Rest Time
Before and/or after your child's preschool learning experience.
- Breakfast, Lunch & Snack Cart Available
- Weekly Theme Based Activities
Focused on your child's social, emotional, and creative development.
- Well Trained & Loving Staff



"I love the idea of wraparound as it gives a "school" atmosphere and introduces the concept of "all day school." My son loves wraparound because of the staff and the friends that he has made in the program. If you are looking for a fun, loving environment for your child on days that they don't have preschool or before or after preschool, consider this program. You will not be disappointed." - Wraparound Parent

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FAMILY ENRICHMENT

INSTANT PIANO FOR HOPELESSLY BUSY PEOPLE

ONLINE

In just a few hours, you can learn enough secrets of the trade to give you years of musical enjoyment. Learn to play piano the way professionals do—using chords. The chord method is LOTS of fun and dramatically easier to learn than reading notes. Fee includes the online book, online follow up lessons, a recording of the class and also an optional periodic question and answer session. Class is held online using zoom and is partly hands on instruction and partly lecture demonstration.

AGES: 13+
 DATE: **Monday, September 21**
 TIME: 6:30 - 9:30 PM
 LOCATION: Online (Zoom Link Provided)
 INSTRUCTOR: Craig Coffman
 COST: \$55.00



ACT/SAT & COLLEGE PLANNING STRATEGIES: ONLINE WEBINAR

A growing number of college applicants included test scores in their applications for admission to college this fall, and this growth comes at a time when the ACT and SAT have recently undergone some dramatic changes. Amid the changes, how can your student make sense of the new world of testing and how can test scores fit into their college plans? What do they need to know about the new ACT and SAT?

Join us to learn about how these changes may impact your family, and new strategies you should consider to give your student the best opportunity to be admitted and maximize scholarships and financial aid.

If you are the parent of a HS student in grades 9-11, this is incredibly important info you will not want to miss. Register today!

DATE: **Monday, October 5**
 TIME: 7:30 - 8:30 PM
 LOCATION: Virtual (Zoom)
 INSTRUCTOR: Cozy Wittman
 COST: Free

FALL COLORS FAMILY CANOE

Enjoy the colorful foliage while canoeing with instructors from the Outdoor Recreation School. We'll learn canoeing basics including safety and paddle strokes and then enjoy exploring the lake together. Everyone must register and pay. Participants ages 11 years and younger must be accompanied by a registered adult. Register at: www.threeriversparks.org or by calling (763) 559-6700.

AGES: 8+
 DATE: **Saturday, September 19**
 TIME: 1:00 - 3:00 PM
 LOCATION: Cleary Lake Regional Park -- Prior Lake



THEATRE IMPROV CLASS!

At this workshop students will learn how to theatrically improvise. Vocal projection, stage presence and storytelling will be our central focus. This will be a great learning experience for students and will be an opportunity to hone their theatrical skills. Everyone, including beginners and experienced students are welcome! We hope you're able to join us!

GRADES: 4 - 6
 DATE: **Saturday, October 10**
 TIME: 9:30 - 11:30 AM
 LOCATION: PAC - 130 S. Willow St.
 COST: \$25.00

THEATRE IMPROV CAMP!



YOUTH ENRICHMENT

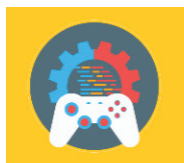
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VIDEO GAME DESIGN: PLATFORMER

ONLINE CLASS

Build your own platformer game in Construct 3, a visual coding platform that teaches real programming basics! Good keyboard and mouse skills needed. **This is a virtual class & a PC (windows 10 or later) or Mac (OSX) with at least a 2GHz processor and 4GB of RAM is needed, will not work on chrome book, tablet or phone. Other requirements: Broadband internet, webcam, microphone/speakers, Zoom installed on computer. Construct 3 Website.*

GRADES: 3 - 7
DATES: **Saturdays, October 17 & 24**
TIME: 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM
INSTRUCTOR: Tech Academy
COST: \$50.00



MINECRAFT MOD DEVELOPMENT: CUSTOM TOOLS

ONLINE CLASS

Design your own custom sword and learn to make Minecraft mods! Minecraft and mod creation software (free) must be installed before class - video instructions provided. Minecraft is a Mojang Studios trademark and not affiliated with this camp. **This is a virtual class & a PC (windows 10 or later) or Mac (OSX) with at least a 2GHz processor and 4GB of RAM is needed, will not work on chrome book, tablet or phone. Other requirements: Broadband internet, webcam, microphone/speakers, Zoom installed on computer. MCreator (download instructions and setup information will be provided before class) Minecraft Java Edition (\$30, not required for class, but is needed to use the mods later)*

GRADES: 2 - 6
DATES: **Saturdays, November 7 & 14**
TIME: 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM
INSTRUCTOR: Tech Academy
COST: \$50.00



KIDS THAT CODE

ONLINE CLASS

Learn coding fundamentals by creating a game with unique backgrounds, characters, and interactive storytelling! A great intro to game design in a collaborative, supportive environment. **This is a virtual class & a PC (windows 10 or later) or Mac (OSX) with at least a 2GHz processor and 4GB of RAM is needed, will not work on chrome book, tablet or phone. Other requirements: Broadband internet, webcam, microphone/speakers, Zoom installed on computer. Scratch website and Scratch account (sign-up information will be provided before class)*

GRADES: 1 - 3
DATES: **Mondays, December 14 & 21**
TIME: 6:30 - 8:00 PM
INSTRUCTOR: Tech Academy
COST: \$50.00

MINECRAFT BUILDERS: WINTER CHALLENGE

ONLINE CLASS

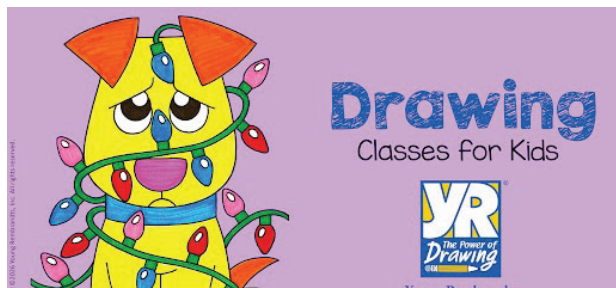
Build an epic winter castle in Minecraft! Construct ice fortresses, snowy towers, frozen moats, and magical winter landscapes on a shared server. Then gear up for an all-out snowball fight - collect snowballs, build snow globes, and battle classmates! PC/Java edition required. Minecraft is a Mojang Studios trademark and not affiliated with this camp. **This is a virtual class & a computer is needed - PC (Windows 10 or later) or Mac (OSX) with at least a 2GHz. Chromebooks, tablets and phones DO NOT WORK. Broadband internet, webcam, microphone/speakers, Zoom installed on computer. Minecraft Java Edition (\$30; more info will be provided before class)*

GRADES: 1 - 6
DATES: **Wednesday, December 30**
TIME: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
INSTRUCTOR: Tech Academy
COST: \$50.00

HOLIDAY DRAWING ADVENTURES

Celebrate the season with festive and imaginative drawing! Students will create colorful artwork inspired by animals, objects, and holiday themes while building real skills. Projects like Cake Pops, a Monster Truck, a Holiday Puppy, and a Bunny with a Present introduce concepts like shading, perspective, and design. Each lesson is taught step-by-step in a fun, encouraging environment that builds confidence and creativity. No experience needed - just a love of drawing!

GRADES: K - 5
DATES: **Mondays, November 2-December 14**
TIME: 3:30 - 4:30 PM
LOCATION: Chatfield Elementary
INSTRUCTOR: Young Rembrandts
COST: \$75.00





YOUTH RECREATION

FALL FLAG FOOTBALL K – 2

An exciting way to introduce children to the game of football. Learn the basics of offensive and defensive play, team spirit and have fun in the process.

GRADES: K - 2
 DATES: **Mondays**
September 14 - October 5
 TIME: 5:45 - 6:30 PM
 LOCATION: Chatfield Rec. Fields
 INSTRUCTOR: Football Staff
 COST: \$30.00



FLAG FOOTBALL GRADES 3 – 4

This league is for 3rd and 4th graders this fall, players will learn skill development and basic fundamentals of football through practices and games each night. Teams will be divided with volunteer coaches assigned to each team before the start of the season. All kids will receive a league shirt and flag belt. The number and size of the teams will depend on how many volunteer coaches we get. **Coaches are volunteer parents.**

GRADES: 3 - 4
 DATES: **Mondays**
August 31- October 5
 (No league Sept. 7)
 TIME: 5:30 - 6:45 PM
 LOCATION: Chatfield Rec Fields
 INSTRUCTOR: Volunteer Parents
 COST: \$50.00

FALL TACKLE FOOTBALL GRADES 5 – 6

This is an instructional league where players will be able to put on pads and helmets and get a feel for what tackle football is all about. They will be taught the fundamentals of the game of football. **Coaches are volunteer parents.**

GRADES: 5 - 6
 PRACTICE: **Tuesdays & Thursdays**
August 25 - October 1
 TIME: 6:00 - 7:30 PM
 LOCATION: Chatfield Rec Fields
 GAMES: **Saturdays**
September 12 - October 3
 LOCATION: Chatfield Rec Fields &
 Travel Locations
 INSTRUCTOR: Volunteer Parents
 COST: \$85.00



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YOUTH RECREATION

PRESCHOOL SPORTS

Our Tiger Cubs will have the opportunity to explore a variety of sports while learning the basic skills of organized play in a fun, encouraging environment. This beginner-friendly class helps children develop coordination, balance, body control, and teamwork through age-appropriate games and activities. Participants will build confidence, stay active, interact with their peers, and most importantly, have fun!

AGES: 3.5 - 4.5 years old



SESSION 1:

**Mondays
November 2 - 19**

SESSION 2:

**Mondays
March 1 - 15**

TIME:

5:30 - 6:15 PM

INSTRUCTOR:

Ms. Emily Seehusen

LOCATION:

Chatfield Elementary

COST:

\$25.00 / per session



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SCOTT WEST PANTHER CUB WRESTLING

This program is for all boys and girls starting to form the basic foundations of wrestling at an easy to learn pace with transitions to experienced level wrestling. This program offers basic tumbling, level changes, good positioning, body control, and a strong emphasis on athletic development in a fun and safe environment. Practice days & time schedules will be discussed at the **parent meeting on Tuesday October 22nd**. Wrestlers must be 4 years old by November 1st. Depending on the number of Girls that sign up we would look to separate to a girls only practices. If you have questions please email swpanthercubs@gmail.com

AGES:

4 Years Old - 6th Grade

DATES:

November - March

TIME:

A detailed schedule for what days of the week and time will be discussed at the parent meeting.

LOCATION:

Belle Plaine & Jordan

COST:

PreK - 2nd grade: \$100.00

3rd - 6th Grade: \$140.00





YOUTH RECREATION

3RD - 4TH GRADE VOLLEYBALL

This program will introduce young athletes to the game of volleyball. The primary emphasis will be placed on teaching the most basic individual volleyball skills and rules. Sportsmanship and team skills will also be emphasized to begin developing well-rounded players.

GRADES: 3 - 4
 DATES: **Sundays**
September 13 - October 11
 TIME: 5:00 - 6:15 PM
 LOCATION: JR/SR High School
 INSTRUCTOR: Elizabeth Hunsader
 COST: \$40.00



5TH - 6TH GRADE FALL VOLLEYBALL

This is a traveling league to surrounding communities.
Volunteer Coaches Needed

ENTERING GRADES: 5 - 6
 PRACTICE: **Mondays & Thursdays**
August 31 - October 8
 TIME: 6:00 - 7:15 PM or 7:15 - 8:30 PM
 (rotating schedule)
 LOCATION: High School/Oak Crest
 GAMES: **Saturday Mornings**
September 19 - October 10
 COST: \$65.00

BASEBALL ARM CARE & STRENGTH

This camp is designed to help prevent arm injuries, increase durability, flexibility, velocity and overall arm strength. **If you are in a winter sport, feel free to sign up and come whenever you can!

GRADES: 5 - 8
 DATES: **Mondays & Wednesdays**
January 11 - February 24
(No camp Jan. 18 & Feb. 15)
 INSTRUCTOR: Pat Schultz
 TIME: 3:15 - 4:00 PM
 LOCATION: North Gym Stage
 COST: \$20.00



MINI MIGHTY HARRIERS

The Belle Plaine Cross Country team will be holding a fall running program. The kids will have fun playing games, practicing running technique, building endurance and bonding with the cross country team. Runners will meet one day a week. Participants will have the opportunity to test their running skills on Monday September 21 (XC Coaches will NOT be present and will host practice in BP as usual), Wednesday September 30, Wednesday October 7, and on Tuesday, October 13.



GRADES: 3 - 6
 DATES: **Mondays**
September 14 - October 12
Race Days -
Wednesday, September 30 - Jordan
Wednesday, October 7 - Belle Plaine
Tuesday, October 13 - Jordan
 TIME: 3:10 - 4:30 PM
 LOCATION: Oak Crest Elementary
 COST: \$25.00 (includes t-shirt and entry fee to races)



SCOTT WEST



April - August
Practices and classroom
experience begin in April and
tournaments are scheduled
throughout the summer.

SCOTT WEST FISHING



Questions? Please e-mail Dorothy Koller
dkoller@belleplaine.k12.mn.us

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YOUTH RECREATION

BELLE PLAINE BASKETBALL

26/27 SEASON - GRADES 3-6

All teams will participate in the Waconia League and travel to surrounding communities on Saturdays. Visit our website to learn more – <https://isd716.arux.app/>

The Belle Plaine Basketball Association has other opportunities for more competitive play, visit their website for more information – <https://www.belleplainebasketball.com/>

All athletes interested in
Association or Community Ed
Basketball this winter,
– **OPEN GYMS AVAILABLE** –
August 10th & 12th



**NO LATE
REGISTRATIONS
SIGN UP TODAY!**



YOUTH RECREATION ¹⁵

K - 2 TIGER CUBS BASKETBALL

The program goal is to introduce and develop basic basketball skills. Tennis shoes are required and should be carried into the gym.

GRADES: K - 2 (Girls & Boys)

K-2 BASKETBALL INFO COMING SOON!!



YOUTH NORDIC SKI CLUB

Join the Youth Nordic Ski Club at the Ney Nature Center. An instructor from the Ney Nature Center will be teaching class. The Ney Nature Center will provide the ski equipment with no additional fee for the participants. Club participants are responsible for their own transportation. Please provide the participants shoe size at registration.

LOCATION: Ney Nature Center - Henderson



Classes are starting soon!



Questions? E-mail Crystal -- belleplaine_mn@justforkix.com

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BULLDOG YOUTH HOCKEY

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YOUTH BOWLING

Sign up NOW!
2026 -2027
Season

Youth Bowling Leagues
10 Weeks Start to Finish
Join & Bowl 1 , 2 or all 3 Sessions
The Team Sport where nobody rides the bench!!



Tuesday 3:30
Pin Bashers
Age 6 & Up

STARTING: SEPT. 15TH—NOV 24TH—FEB. 9TH

<u>Session 1</u>		<u>Session 2</u>		<u>Session 3</u>	
Sept. 15th	Oct. 20th	Nov. 24th	Jan. 5th	Feb. 9th	March 16th
Sept. 22nd	Oct. 27th	Dec. 1st	Jan. 12th	Feb. 16th	March 23rd
Sept. 29th	Nov. 3rd	Dec. 8th	Jan. 19th	Feb. 23rd	March 30th
Oct. 6th	Nov. 10th	Dec. 15th	Jan. 26th	March 2nd	April 6th
Oct. 13th	Nov. 17th	Dec. 22nd	Feb. 2nd	March 9th	April 13th
		<i>*No Bowling December 29th</i>			

Price includes: 2 Games of Bowling, Shoes, Coaching, Record Keeping, and end of the year party!

Sat. 11AM
Strikers
Age 9 & Up

STARTING: SEPT. 12TH—NOV. 21ST—FEB. 6TH

<u>Session 1</u>		<u>Session 2</u>		<u>Session 3</u>	
Sept. 12th	Oct. 17th	Nov. 21st	Jan. 2nd	Feb. 6th	March 13th
Sept. 19th	Oct. 24th	Nov. 28th	Jan. 9th	Feb. 13rd	March 20th
Sept. 26th	Oct. 31st	Dec. 5th	Jan. 16th	Feb. 20th	March 27th
Oct. 3rd	Nov. 7th	Dec. 12th	Jan. 23rd	Feb. 27th	April 3rd
Oct. 10th	Nov. 14th	Dec. 19th	Jan. 30th	March 6th	April 10th
		<i>*No Bowling December 26th*</i>			

Price includes: 3 Games of Bowling, Shoes, Coaching, Record Keeping, and end of the year party!

AT PRAIRIE GRILLE & BOWL WE CHOOSE TO HAVE OUR JUNIOR BOWLERS EXPERIENCE THE BEST BOWLING POSSIBLE..... WE PLAY BY USBC YOUTH RULES WHICH ALLOW OUR PLAYERS TO QUALIFY TO BOWL IN TOURNAMENTS, SCHOLARSHIP EVENTS AND WIN OFFICIAL AWARDS... THEREFORE ALL YOUTH BOWLERS ARE REQUIRED TO BECOME MEMBERS OF THE USBC YOUTH BOWLING ASSOCIATION.

Prairie Grille & Bowl

952-873-2204

[WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/COMEBOWLWITHUS](https://www.facebook.com/comebowlwithus)





MAGNIFYING ABILITIES



Magnifying Abilities

For adults with unique learning abilities

Magnifying Abilities is a social/recreational program for **adults 18 and older with intellectual and physical disabilities**. The program is designed to enhance community involvement and lifelong learning of people with disabilities. Individuals who participate in the program reside within Carver and Scott County.

Offered in partnership with the SW Metro Community Education Consortium



COMMUNITY EDUCATION

CE4ALL.ORG 952.556.6400



ADULT HEALTH & FITNESS

STRETCH & FLEX YOGA

Start your day with this enjoyable 45-minute yoga class. The focus is on opening, stretching, lengthening while building strength. Helps improve balance, flexibility and increase vitality. If you have been curious about practicing yoga, now is the perfect opportunity to discover the many wonderful health benefits. Classes are on-going. To register, please call Pat at (952) 836-4302 or email her at belleplaine yoga@gmail.com

DATES: **Mondays & Wednesdays**
 TIME: 8:30 AM
 LOCATION: Natural Fitness Center
 321 S. Walnut Street
 INSTRUCTOR: Pat Krings
 Certified Yoga Instructor
 COST: \$6.00 / per class

FALL HIKING CLUB

Enjoy the optimal fall hiking season and explore the park district's Scott County parks with an Outdoor Recreation School Instructor. Hike a different trail each week. Make new connections and meet fellow hikers or bring a friend along! Expect variable trail conditions. Locations subject to change – an updated schedule will be provided to registered participants. Reservations required. Register at: www.threeriversparks.org or by calling (763) 559-6700.

AGES: 18+
 DATE: **Mondays**
September 28 - October 26
 TIME: 5:30 - 7:00 PM
 LOCATION: Scott County Parks
 COST: \$30.00 / person



WOMEN'S ADVENTURE WEEKEND

Step into a weekend of embracing new experiences and finding strength in an adventurous community. Nestled in new log camper cabins along Cedar Lake, this overnight getaway is filled with hands-on experiences designed to help you build confidence in the outdoors. Participate in group activities, such as archery, canoeing, fly fishing, and outdoor yoga (all equipment provided). When the day's adventures wind down, gather around the campfire to share stories and enjoy the simple comforts of camp life. Come ready to explore, encourage others, and leave feeling empowered, refreshed, and inspired for your next adventure. Instruction and food for three camp cooking meals included; other meals will be on your own. A detailed schedule and packing list will be sent to registered participants. Shared lodging provided (4 adults/cabin). Participants are responsible for bringing their own sleeping bag/bedding. Register at: www.threeriversparks.org

AGES: 18+
 DATE: **Friday - Sunday**
October 4 - 6
 TIME: 6:00 PM (Friday) - 12:00 PM (Sunday)
 LOCATION: Cedar Lake Farm Regional Park
 COST: \$225.00 / person

PAINT & PADDLE

Dip your paddle and paintbrush into creativity! In this relaxed canoe experience, we'll start by learning basic paddling skills from an Outdoor Recreation School (ORS) instructor, and watercolor techniques from a Silverwood Park art educator. After a gentle tour of the lake for inspiration, we'll settle in, let the canoe drift, and paint the scenery around us. No art or paddling experience needed—just curiosity, creativity, and a love for being on the water. Reservations required. Register at: www.threeriversparks.org

AGES: 14+
 DATE: **Sunday, August 30**
 TIME: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 LOCATION: Cleary Lake Regional Park
 COST: \$24.00 / person



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ADULT HEALTH & FITNESS

RAISE THE BAR

WHY RAISE THE BAR FITNESS? Our fitness family believes we can do life better together! We understand that every person is unique, every goal is personal. We build healthy, happy humans by developing affordable, engaging workout communities. RTB workouts are full of variety, strength, CORE focused, sweaty, creative, and can be modified for all types of adult abilities and ages. Expect opportunities to lift weights, get your cardio fix and work with challenging equipment and fitness schemes that push everyone at their own pace. We do team challenges monthly, nutrition challenges that athletes can participate in and so much more to build our community, Belle Plaine Strong! This isn't a one time program or class, this is a true community that is being built to last! Classes never stop!

SESSION 45: **Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Fridays**
August 17 - October 16

SESSION 46: **Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Fridays**
October 19 - December 18

SESSION 47: **Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Fridays**
December 21 - February 19

TIME: 5:00 - 6:00 AM
LOCATION: High School North Gym/Weight Room
INSTRUCTOR: Andrea Gerres
COST: \$85.00 / session



ADULT TRIP

ARSENIC & OLD LACE

Sidekick Theatre - Bloomington MN

What do you do when your eccentric family has actual skeletons in the closet? Mortimer Brewster may be the only sane member of his family. One brother thinks he's Teddy Roosevelt and digs the Panama Canal in the cellar. His other brother keeps undergoing ghastly plastic surgeries to hide from the police. And his adorably sweet spinster aunts take in lonely boarders...and dispose of them with their special elderberry wine. To make matters worse, Mortimer has fallen in love with Elaine, the minister's daughter from next door, and a houseful of murderous relatives probably won't help the relationship. This beloved screwball comedy set in 1940s Brooklyn will leave you laughing – and saying no to the elderberry wine!

DATE:

TIME:

LOCATION:

COST:

DEADLINE:

Wednesday, October 21

Depart Clancy's in Jordan: 10:30 AM

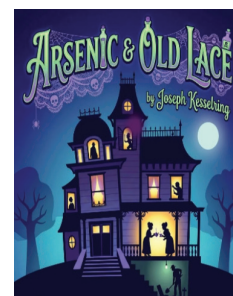
Arrive back around 3:45 PM

Bloomington, MN

\$125.00 (includes ticket, coach bus & meal)

October 7

Lunch menu: Creamy Chicken Breast, served with Roasted Red Potatoes, Glazed Carrots, Coleslaw, Dinner Rolls, Assorted Dessert - Chef's Choice, Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee and Hot Tea.





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NILE VALLEY DISTRICT 288

ADULT ENRICHMENT

ADULT EDUCATION

**FREE ADULT EDUCATION
& CAREER TRAINING CLASSES
IN OUR COMMUNITY!**

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**SERVING ADULT LEARNERS
FROM ALL BACKGROUNDS**



FREE ENGLISH CLASSES (ESL)



**HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY
OPPORTUNITIES (HSL)**



**FREE CAREER & WORKFORCE
TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES**



ESPAÑOL

Clases gratuitas de inglés y equivalencia de escuela secundaria.
Escanee el código QR para registrarse para más información.

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РУССКИЙ

Бесплатные уроки английского языка и курсы для получения аттестата
о среднем образовании. Отсканируйте QR-код для регистрации и
получения дополнительной информации.

SOOMAALI

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**Free English & High School
Equivalency Classes! Scan the
QR Code to Register for more
information.**



ADULT ENRICHMENT

55+ SCOTT COUNTY

Expo

Friday, October 16 * 9 am-1 pm

Shakopee West Middle School
200 10th Ave E
Shakopee, MN 55379



featuring The Holy Rocka Rollaz

Take an authentic trip back to the fantastic 50s with the music of Buddy Holly, Chuck Berry, Johnny Cash, Elvis Presley and many more!

\$17 ADMISSION INCLUDES:

- Continental breakfast
- Vendor exhibits
- Learning sessions
- Entertainment
- Lunch
- Health screenings
- Door prizes



Register by October 2nd! Scan here to register online >>

Questions? Contact Shakopee Community Education at (952) 496-5029.

Who may attend the Academy?

Community Academy students must meet the following criteria:

- 18 years of age or older
- Live, work, or attend school in Scott County
- Pass a background check
- Attend all or most of the class sessions



Community Academy Interest Notification Sign-up

Community Academy takes place every February and March. If you missed the registration deadline or you would like to receive an email notification when registration opens for the next Community Academy, please complete the online interest card. Once registration for the next session opens, you will receive an email notification as a reminder to complete an online application. This is not the registration form – only a reminder to sign up when registration opens.



JOIN US AT THE NEXT COMMUNITY ACADEMY!

There is no charge for this fun and informative program.

Class size is limited so apply early to reserve your spot.

For more information about Community Academy and to sign up, please visit our website under Community Programs at:
www.co.scott.mn.us

Or contact Sgt. John Kvasnicka at:
(952) 496-8130 or
jkvasnicka@co.scott.mn.us

Thank you for your interest and we look forward to working with you.
Sheriff Luke Hennen

Scott County Sheriff's Office
Law Enforcement Center
301 Fuller Street South
Shakopee, MN 55379
(952) 496-8300





ADULT ENRICHMENT

AVOID THE PITFALLS OF PERIMENOPAUSE/MENOPAUSE

ONLINE CLASS

Perimenopause starts around the age of 35 for most women and can last 10-15 years. Common symptoms include fatigue, migraines, weight gain, water retention, depression, sleep disturbances, joint aches, hot flashes, anger flashes, migraines, fibroids, exaggerated PMS and more. Once you understand exactly what is causing all the troublesome symptoms, they are much easier to correct. We'll discuss how to get hormone levels measured - blood test vs. saliva test and what to do with the results; traditional HRT vs. bio-identical; acupressure points to assist in symptom relief and nutritional musts. You'll leave with multiple tools and techniques for restoring health and well-being. *A Zoom link will be e-mailed.

DATE: **Wednesday, September 30**
 TIME: 6:00 - 7:30 PM
 INSTRUCTOR: Janice Novak
 COST: \$29.00

OVERCOME YOUR CARBOHYDRATE CRAVINGS

ONLINE CLASS

Ever had a day where you can't stop eating? Do you crave starches, snack foods, and sweets and find the more you eat, the more you want to eat? Is your snacking out of control? In this workshop, we will discuss a two-week plan that will STOP your cravings (no kidding!), help you lose weight and help keep your insulin levels balanced. Overcoming carb cravings is not a matter of willpower but a matter of biology. Learn how you can stop the vicious cycle of food craving and weight gain. No hype - just the facts. *A Zoom link will be e-mailed.

DATE: **Tuesday, October 20**
 TIME: 6:00 - 7:30 PM
 INSTRUCTOR: Janice Novak
 COST: \$29.00

ACUPRESSURE TO RELIEVE STRESS, ANXIETY & INSOMNIA

ONLINE CLASS

Acupressure is an ancient healing art and self-help tool that works with how energy flows through your body. It can offer great relief with no side effects and help you feel your best. You will learn specific points to help relieve stress, anxiety, and insomnia. They are easy to do and will fit flawlessly into your day. *A Zoom link will be e-mailed upon registration.

DATE: **Tuesday, October 27**
 TIME: 6:00 - 7:30 PM
 INSTRUCTOR: Janice Novak
 COST: \$29.00

T-SHIRT QUILTING CLASS

This is for anyone-no experience necessary but you must have access to a working sewing machine. Create a 72 x 90 T-Shirt Quilt by digging out your favorite T-Shirts, Jerseys or Sweatshirts from School, Vacations, Play, Sports, Dance, family memories etc. Additional supplies such as fabric for the sashing, borders and binding can be purchased from the instructor or on your own. 10 yards of fabric is required to complete this quilt. Specific yardage as well as ways to quilt the top will be discussed at the first class. Anne offers class participants a special of \$95 to professionally machine quilt your T-Shirt Quilt. Class includes \$30 of T-Shirt interfacing. You do not need to bring your sewing machine to the first class.

Please bring a 45mm rotary cutter to the first class. Skill Level: Beginner!

DATE: **Tuesdays,**
October 20, 27, Nov. 3 & 10
 TIME: 6:00 - 8:00 PM
 LOCATION: Down Under Quilting Studios
 196 W. 280th Street
 New Prague, MN
 INSTRUCTOR: Anne Pexa
 COST: \$65.00
 (includes \$25 of t-shirt interfacing)



BOHO BLOSSOMS PUNCH NEEDLE

This fun punch needle class includes all supplies you'll need to create a beautiful wildflower spray, featuring a variety of rich textures. You'll finish your piece with delicate gold bead accents for a subtle, eye catching shimmer. Best of all you will head home with a completed project, ready to display as a part of your fall decor. Includes all supplies you need to completely finish your project. Skill Level: Beginner!

DATE: **Monday, October 19**
 TIME: 6:00 - 8:00 PM
 LOCATION: Down Under Quilting Studios
 196 W. 280th Street
 New Prague, MN
 INSTRUCTOR: Anne Pexa
 COST: \$40.00





ADULT ENRICHMENT ²³

CENTER POINT JELLY ROLL QUILT

Come join us and create a beautiful 50" x 70" quilt using your favorite jelly roll fabrics. In this beginner friendly class you will work with 2.5 inch pre cut strips to design a stylish, modern quilt with ease. With simple straight line piecing and no complicated cutting this project is perfect for building your quilting confidence.

Fabric requirements - 2 pre cut jelly rolls, 1/3 yard light solid fabric, 1/3 yard dark solid fabric, 3/4 yard for binding, 3 1/4 yards for backing. Please bring your sewing machine, thread and a 45mm rotary cutter to class.

DATE: **Wednesdays,
October 14 & 28**
TIME: 6:00 - 8:30 PM
LOCATION: Down Under Quilting
196 W. 280th Street
New Prague, MN
INSTRUCTOR: Anne Pexa
COST: \$55.00



DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE

Improve your driving skills, and if you're 55+, get a discount on your auto insurance. This Course teaches basic crash prevention techniques and has a proven record of reducing traffic violations and incidents. It's taught by experienced, professional traffic safety instructors, including current and former law enforcement. The class consists of lecture, films and discussions. There is no behind-the-wheel driving.

DATE: **Thursday, October 22**
TIME: 12:00 - 4:00 pm
LOCATION: Belle Plaine Public Library
125 W Main St.
INSTRUCTOR: MN Safety Council
COST: \$23.00



EDUCATION PLANNING W/ EDWARD JONES

Edward Jones Financial Advisors Brittney Daniels and Sam Gore, CFP® CEPA® will help you understand how college savings plans may impact federal financial aid and help you understand realistic expectations for your federal financial aid eligibility.

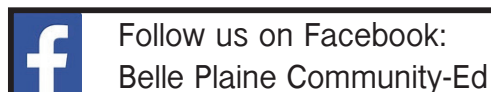
DATE: **Wednesday, October 7**
TIME: 5:00 - 6:00 pm
LOCATION: Belle Plaine Public Library
125 W Main St.
INSTRUCTOR: Brittney Daniels - Edward Jones
COST: Free



MEDICARE 101

If you are turning 65 in the next 6 months and are eligible for Medicare, you likely have many questions about Part A, B, D & D, as well as enrollment and supplemental insurance. This FREE session will help you understand the program, the latest rules, and the enrollment process. Don't wait until the last minute to get the information you need to make wise and informed decisions about your insurance and Medicare options.

DATE: **Thursday, October 22**
TIME: 5:00 - 6:00 pm
LOCATION: Belle Plaine Public Library
125 W Main St.
INSTRUCTOR: Rebecca Nicol of Guided Choice Health
COST: Free



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EARLY CHILDHOOD FAMILY EDUCATION

Chatfield Elementary • 330 South Market Street



Early Childhood Family Education CONNECTING FAMILIES

With Each Other ○ Our School ○ Our Community

What is Early Childhood Family Education?

- **ECFE provides** educational opportunities! Our licensed teachers create age appropriate activities that use play based teaching to provide hands-on learning experiences for the children. We provide parents with ideas and strategies to carry learning into the home and begin to form a positive school-home partnership.
- **ECFE promotes** family involvement! Family involvement makes a difference in a child's education and we create opportunities to make it easy for parents to get involved.
- **ECFE shares** community resource opportunities! We educate parents about support networks, community resources and educational services that are available to them.

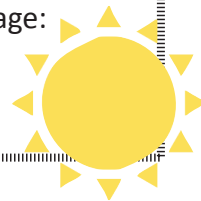


HOW DO I REGISTER FOR CLASSES?

To register for a class or an event you can scan the QR code or go to the ECFE Web page:

isd716.org or call us at 952-873-2415 ext 2

or send your registration and payment to: Belle Plaine ECFE,
330 S Market Street, Belle Plaine, MN 56011.



***All classes held in Chatfield Elementary ECFE rooms unless noted.**

ECFE PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

What is Parent Advisory Council (PAC)?

Calling all parents and guardians of young children! We would love for you to come and join our Early Learning Parent Advisory Council (PAC). We are looking for all parents, guardians, and caregivers of children ages 0 - 5 years old who are eager to make a difference for our youngest learners. We meet monthly to discuss family-friendly community events, early learning opportunities, share ideas, and connect with other parents. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Sarah Biermaier (sbiermaier@belleplaine.k12.mn.us).

PAC MEETING DATES:

Aug. 24, Sept. 14, Oct. 5, Oct. 26,
Nov. 16, Jan. 25, Mar. 1 & Apr. 19

We are always looking for new members as well as volunteers to help set up for Special Events! If you are interested in getting more information scan the QR code or notify Sarah Biermaier at sbiermaier@belleplaine.k12.mn.us.





EARLY CHILDHOOD FAMILY EDUCATION

(952) 873-2415

ECFE Tuition Assistance

Annual Income/Fees per Child

<20K	20-40K	40K-60K	60K-80K	80K-100K	100K +
1/4	1/2	3/4	Full	Full	Full

***No sliding scale fees for special one time classes**

ARE YOU IN OUR SCHOOL CENSUS?

School districts are required to report the number of resident children between the ages of 0-4 years old to the Minnesota Department of Education. If you are new to the community, have a newborn, adopted a child or are not already on our Belle Plaine Census, please fill out the following form.



Early Childhood Screening (Ages 3-5)

Early Childhood screening is required by the State of Minnesota for all preschool-aged children, before entering public school. It is a FREE and simple check on how your child is growing and developing and is structured to include fun games that will assess multiple areas of your child's health and development including:

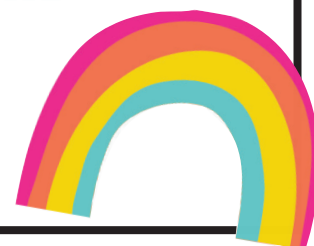
- Vision, hearing and physical growth
- Health and immunization history
- Social and emotional development
- Fine and gross motor ability
- Cognitive development
- Speech, language and articulation
- Screening supports your child's readiness for kindergarten and promotes positive outcomes. Screening may also lead to referrals for early learning

Scan for more screening information!



To get more information and to schedule your screening...

Contact Ann Woelfel -- awoelfel@belleplaine.k12.mn.us
(952) 873-2415 ex. 2





NEWBORN - PRESCHOOL

TERRIFIC TIGERS

Each night features a new focus book along with hands-on table activities and creative projects for you to enjoy together. These sessions are designed to help your child build important skills that support school readiness – all while having fun and learning side by side.

AGES: 2 - 5 Years Old
 SESSION 1: **Mondays, September 21, 28, October 5, 19, 26, November 2, 9, 16, December 7 & 14**
 COST: \$80.00
 SESSION 2: **Mondays, January 25, February 1, 8, 22, March 1, 8, 15, 29, April 5, 12, 19 & 26**
 COST: \$96.00
 TIME: 5:30 - 6:30 PM



MIXED AGES

In this mixed-age class, children learn from one another as they explore, play, and grow with one another. Each week features a new story to discover, along with songs to sing, circle time fun, hands-on table activities, and plenty of time to play and connect.

AGES: 1- 5 Years Old
 SESSION 1: **Tuesdays, September 22, 29, October 6, 20, 27, November 3, 10, 17, December 8 & 15**
 COST: \$80.00
 SESSION 2: **Tuesdays, January 26, February 2, 9, 23, March 2, 9, 16, 30, April 6, 13, 20 & 27**
 COST: \$96.00
 TIME: 9:00 - 10:00 AM



EARLY LEARNING PLAY DATE

Bring your little ones and join other families in our Early Learning classroom for fun-filled playdates with new and familiar friends from the community. We'll have everything set up and ready to go—just bring the family and enjoy! Feel free to spread the word and invite your friends to join the fun!

AGES: Birth - 5 Years Old
 SESSION 1: **Tuesdays, September 22, 29, October 6, 20, 27, November 3, 10, 17, December 8 & 15**
 COST: \$60.00
 SESSION 2: **Tuesdays, January 26, February 2, 9, 23, March 2, 9, 16, 30, April 6, 13, 20 & 27**
 COST: \$72.00
 TIME: 10:30 - 11:30 AM



TODDLER TIME PRESCHOOL

This class is the perfect way to ease into the preschool experience. Toddlers will get a gentle introduction to the school setting, classroom routines, and what a typical preschool day looks like. Parents and caregivers stay by their child's side the whole time, helping them feel comfortable and confident every step of the way.

AGES: 2 - 5 Years Old
 SESSION 1: **Thursdays, September 24, October 1, 8, 22, 29, November 5, 12, 19, December 3 & 10**
 COST: \$100.00
 SESSION 2: **Thursdays, January 21, 28, February 4, 18, 25, March 4, 11, 18, April 1, 8, 15 & 22**
 COST: \$120.00
 TIME: 8:30 - 10:00 AM



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 Belle Plaine Community-Ed



NEWBORN - PRESCHOOL

PEEK INTO ECFE

This class is a great way to get comfortable and connected. Come explore our elementary school, play in our Early Learning classroom, and meet other families in a relaxed, welcoming space. We'll be here to answer your questions and share helpful resources about our school and community!

AGES: Birth - 5 Years Old
DATES: **Tuesdays, September 15, December 1
January 12, May 4**
TIME: 9:00 - 10:30 AM
COST: Free



ECFE KICK OFF TO SUMMER

Let's get ready for Summer! Join us for a morning of sunshine-filled fun as we celebrate the start of the summer season. Children and their caregivers will enjoy a variety of summer-themed activities, games, crafts, and sensory play. This is a great opportunity to connect with other families, make new friends, and create lasting memories together.

AGES: 1 - 5 Years Old
DATE: **Thursday, May 13**
TIME: 9:00 - 10:30 AM
COST: \$10.00/child



EARLY LEARNING HOLIDAY PARTY

Join our early learners in celebrating the holidays with one another. You can expect to find holiday crafts, activities, games, stories and songs. Please be sure to register by Friday, December 11th so we can plan accordingly.

AGES: 1 - 5 Years Old
DATE: **Thursday, December 17**
TIME: 9:00 - 10:00 AM
COST: \$10.00/child



GRANDMA, GRANDPA & ME

Bring Grandma, Grandpa, or both to this class designed for young children and their grandparents. Spend quality time together as we connect through stories, songs, hands-on activities, and play. Children and grandparents will enjoy creating memories, building relationships, and sharing a tasty snack in a fun and welcoming environment.

AGES: 1 - 5 Years Old
DATE: **Thursday, May 6**
TIME: 9:00 - 10:00 AM
COST: \$10.00/child



STORY TIME @ BELLE PLAINE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Join the Belle Plaine Library to bring you a literacy rich storytime. Children and their parents/caregivers are welcome to join us for a free and fun story and play based early literacy class where you can expect to find "Talking, Singing, Reading, Writing & Playing".

AGES: Birth - 5 Years Old
DATES: **Fridays**
TIME: 10:30 AM
LOCATION: Belle Plaine Public Library
COST: Free



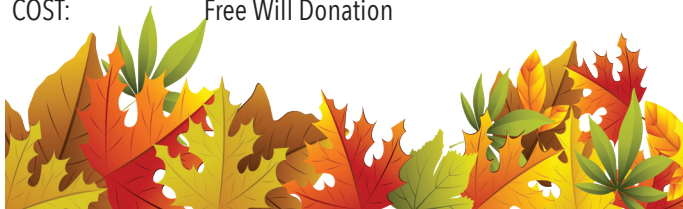


EARLY LEARNING BOO BASH

Early Learning Family Event

Put on your favorite costume and join us for a spooktacular afternoon of fun! The Early Learning Boo Bash is a family-friendly event designed for children ages birth - 5 years old and their family. Enjoy Halloween-themed activities, games, music, and plenty of opportunities to celebrate the season. Registration is required so we can plan accordingly. You can find the registration form on the Belle Plaine webpage.

AGES: Birth - 5 Years Old
 DATE: **Sunday, October 25**
 TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 PM
 LOCATION: Chatfield Elementary
 COST: Free Will Donation



EARLY LEARNING FAMILY GYM NIGHT

Early Learning Family Event

Bring the family out to chase those winter blues away. During this event, we will have our large motor equipment and gym available for children and their families to utilize to get their wiggles out! Registration is required, you can find the registration form on the Belle Plaine webpage through Community Ed.

AGES: Birth - 5 Years Old
 DATE: **Friday, March 5**
 TIME: 5:00 - 6:30 PM
 LOCATION: Chatfield Elementary - Gym
 COST: Free Will Donation



HOLIDAY EXPRESS

Early Learning Family Event

Kick Off the Holiday Season! Join us for a beloved community tradition that's fun for the whole family! Enjoy a festive morning featuring: a visit with Santa, a light continental breakfast, holiday crafts & learning activities, and a special kids-only gift shop (small fee applies ranging from \$1-\$5 per gift). Children will have the chance to shop for gifts on their own in a supervised area—presents will be wrapped and ready to go under the tree!

AGES: Birth - 6th Grade
 DATE: **Saturday, December 5**
 TIME: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 LOCATION: Oak Crest Elementary
 COST: Free Will Donation



LITTLE SWEETHEART DANCE

Early Learning Family Event

Celebrate Valentine's season with a special evening of music, movement, and fun! Little Sweethearts Dance is designed for children ages birth - 5 years old and their grown-ups. Enjoy dancing, interactive activities, and sweet memories together in a welcoming and family-friendly atmosphere. Registration is required, you can find the registration form on the Belle Plaine webpage.

AGES: Birth - 5 Years Old
 DATE: **Friday, February 12**
 TIME: 5:00 - 6:30 PM
 LOCATION: Chatfield Elementary - Gym
 COST: Free Will Donation





ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

help me



Help Me Grow connects families to early intervention services



Help Me Grow connects Minnesota children with developmental delays and disabilities and their families to early intervention services. If you are concerned about a child's development, you can refer the child through Help Me Grow for a free screening or evaluation. Services are free to eligible children ages birth-5, regardless of income or immigrant status.

To refer a child, visit helpmegrowmn.org or call (866) 693-GROW (4769). Interpretation services are available for referrals by phone.

Keep your kids

healthy
Get
well child
checkups



for your child, teen or young adult

Contact your clinic to schedule a Child and Teen Checkup. Checkups are provided at no cost through most insurance plans and Minnesota Health Care Programs.



child and teen checkups

Child and Teen Checkups staff can help:

- Find a doctor or dentist
- Make an appointment
- Find transportation
- Find an interpreter



For more information call
(952) 496-8674



Need a Safe Place for Your Child?



If you are going through a crisis
and you need a safe place
for your child while you are working
through your emergency, call:

Crisis Nursery
(612) 839-5101

FOLLOW ALONG PROGRAM

The FOLLOW ALONG PROGRAM is for families with children up to age 3. Follow Along is a fun way to learn about your child's health and development, and to get ideas about "what to teach" and "what ages to teach it". The program is provided by Scott County Public Health, and is free of charge.

For more information or to enroll,
call 952-496-8555

or visit:

<http://www.co.scott.mn.us/HelpingPeopleHealth/PublicHealth/Pages/FollowAlongProgram.aspx>



SUGGESTED PARENTING WEBSITES:

helpmegrowmn.org
parentingcounts.org
zerotothree.org
kidshealth.org

momenough.com
isyourchildready.com
families.naeyc.org
parentingcounts.org



COMMUNITY EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBERS

Orin Kruschke
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Serenity Cox

INSURANCE

The Community Education Department does not provide accident insurance for participants in any of its programs. Participants assume all inherent risk of injury resulting from their involvement in programs or activities outlined in this brochure.

UPDATES

Additional information and program reminders will be on the Community Education School Web-site and Facebook.

The Community Education Advisory Council is composed of members of the community. The council functions in cooperation with Community Education staff in an advisory capacity to promote the goals and objectives of Community Education. Members provide valuable feedback from the community perspective to advise staff on the development of the department.

SCHOOL CLOSINGS

If inclement weather forces the District #716 schools to start late, morning Preschool and ECCE class will be cancelled. Afternoon and evening classes and activities will meet as scheduled. If school is cancelled all Community Education, Preschool and ECCE class and activities will be cancelled. All facilities will be closed as well. If school is dismissed early all Community Education, Preschool and ECCE class and activities for the remainder of the day and evening are cancelled. All facilities will be closed as well. Emergency school closings can be found at www.isd716.org and with messages from the district instant alert system. Announcements can also be found on television channels KSTP 5, KARE 11 & WCCO 4.

GIFT CERTIFICATES

Gift Certificates are available for classes, activities, special events, trips or any other program offered through the Community Services Department. They may be purchased for any amount at the Community Ed Office.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Belle Plaine Community Education Department welcomes applications for various seasonal jobs. Job opportunities include supervision of youth activities, gymnasiums and officiating sporting activities.

USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES

Belle Plaine Public Schools are available to public organizations & groups, subject to policies and procedures. Please contact Community Education or the School District Center for details. Belle Plaine Public School District is a substance free area. Thank you for not using tobacco on school property.

BUILDING LOCATIONS

-  **PAC/CTE Building** 952-873-2400
130 South Willow
-  **Chatfield Elementary** 952-873-2401
(ECCE, Kids Company, Preschool)
330 South Market
-  **Oak Crest Elementary** 952-873-2402
1101 West Commerce Dr.
-  **Jr/Sr High School** 952-873-2403
Community Ed Office 952-873-2411
District Office (North Entrance) 952-873-2400
220 South Market





EAT, GATHER &
BE GRATEFUL

THE FEAST

A BELLE PLAINE
COMMUNITY EVENT

An event for community members to come together and show gratitude for each other and celebrate our wonderful community -- A warm meal will be served!

The meal will be FREE but we will take a free will donation that will go back to our youth and fund scholarships to participate in extracurricular activities who maybe otherwise wouldn't have funds to do so!

Sunday, November 22

11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Oak Crest Elementary

- Free Will Donation -

Join Us

For whatever reason you aren't able to join us in person --
DELIVERY & PICK-UP will be available!

